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## PEACE TALK NOW HEARD EVERYWHERE

### HEALTHFUL DRIED FRUITS

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| Dromedary Dates | Dried Apricots   |
| Seeded Raisins  | Dried Prunes     |
| Dried Peaches   | Cleaned Currants |
| Dried Apples    |                  |

**HARDY NEWTON**

### COURT MARTIAL JUDGES IN GUARDSMEN TRIAL

Names of Members Approved by President Wilson and Forwarded to General Funston at Fort Sam Houston—Gen. Pershing Not Permitted to Discuss Withdrawal of Troops in Conference With General Gavira.

(By Associated Press.)  
Washington, May 27.—The formal order directing trial by court martial, commencing June 1, of the 116 guardsmen who refused to join the federal service, has been forwarded to General Funston at Fort Sam Houston. Colonel Edward A. Miller was named president of the court martial and Major Blanton Winship, judge advocate. The law required a majority of the members of the court to be national guardsmen and the following Texans were designated: Lieut. Col. J. M. Muchert, Major N. Lapowski, Major Polman Taylor, Major A. R. Sholars, Major L. E. Hill, Capt. W. H. Murphy, Capt. H. W. Kinnard and Capt. W. E. Lake. In addition the following regular officers will sit: Col. Jacob B. Galbraith, Major Harry Handholtz, Capt. W. L. Reed and Capt. George Shaw.

**Cannot Talk Withdrawal.**  
Washington, May 27.—The military conferences between General Pershing and General Gavira will not discuss the withdrawal question. General Funston's orders to General Pershing explicitly prohibit the discussion of this subject. Co-operation between Americans and Mexicans in chasing the bandits was the basis on which the Mexican officer sought the meeting. The conferences probably will be held at General Pershing's headquarters at Namiquipa.

**Lott Boys Will Join.**  
(By Associated Press)  
Austin, Texas, May 27.—Thirty-three members of the militia from Lott, Texas, who previously refused, will enter the regular army, Adjutant General Hutchings said today.

### JURY HAS FATE OF DR. WAITE IN HAND

State and Defense Rest and Justice Shearn Has Read His Charge. Jury Considering Verdict.

(By Associated Press)  
New York, May 27.—The summing up of evidence against Dr. Arthur Warren Waite, who is on trial for the murder of his father-in-law, John E. Peck, at Grand Rapids, Mich., was concluded by both the defense and prosecution shortly after noon today. Justice Searn completed his charge at 1:20 and the jury went out to consider a verdict.

### CITY SCHOOL CLOSING.

The public schools of Bryan will close for the 1915-16 session on next Friday, June 2. Superintendent Lawson announces two public exercises connected with the closing. The first will be held Thursday evening at 8:30 sharp at the Colonial Theatre, and the second and closing exercise on Friday morning at 10:30 at the same place. Highly interesting programs have been prepared for both exercises and all friends and patrons of the schools are cordially invited to be present.

It takes a man with an unusually good disposition not to care a rap about the kind of weather that comes along.

### PRES. WILSON WILL FIRE FIRST GUN TONIGHT

President Wilson Today Completed the Speech Which He Will Deliver Tonight Before the League For the Enforcement of Peace—The President Will Discuss the Fundamentals Which He Believes Should Underlie World Peace—Ambassador Gerard at Berlin Sees Peace Ahead and Says Nothing Can Shake His Confidence That Peace Is on the Way. Former French Minister of War Is Dead.

(By Associated Press.)  
Washington, May 27.—President Wilson today finished the carefully prepared speech he is to deliver tonight before the League to Enforce Peace. The speech will be devoted largely to the broad aspects of the international situation and will lead up to a discussion of the fundamentals the president believes should underlie world peace.

**French General Dead.**  
(By Associated Press)  
Paris, May 27.—General Joseph Gallieni, former minister of war, and regarded by the poorer classes as the savior of Paris during the critical days of August, 1914, died today at Versailles.

**Gerard Sees Peace.**  
(By Associated Press.)  
Berlin, May 27.—James Gerard, United States ambassador, is convinced peace is in sight, according to an interview in a Munich paper, from a Berlin correspondent. He is quoted as saying, "Nothing can shake my confidence that peace is on its way."

### TAKE POLITICS OUT OF JUSTICE

There have been many able suggestions advanced as a remedy for the injustice which we now endure, and as a farmer, I want to give my views on this subject. I would suggest taking politics out of justice as a cure for injustice. When an official of the state, whether he be in the legislative, administrative or judiciary department of government, takes an oath of office, he should then and there quit playing politics with the powers of his office. If the administrative branch of government could give us prosperity by filing political law suits, then the tenant farmers would all be rich. If the legislative branch of government could cure the evils of society by increasing the volume of laws, we would have a perfect civilization. If the judiciary branch of government could give us justice by making political speeches from the bench, then we would have no more injustice within our realm.  
H. N. POPE.

an interview in a Munich paper, from a Berlin correspondent. He is quoted as saying, "Nothing can shake my confidence that peace is on its way."

### War Summary.

(By Associated Press)  
London, May 27.—The French troops captured the eastern part of Cumieres village and have taken the German trenches northwest of the village. An attack on the French troops bordering on Fort Douaumont was repulsed, according to a Paris statement this afternoon. Twenty-five hundred Italians, four guns and a quantity of war material were captured by the Austrians who stormed an extensive ridge on the Trentino front, according to the Austrian statement. Rome officially reports that the Italians are making a determined stand against the Austrians in all but one sector of the front. The Italian retirement from their advanced positions on the Astico front is admitted.

### TWO DEAD IN COLLEGE FIRE

Professor and Student Killed in Destructive Fire in Penn. College, Iowa.

(By Associated Press)  
Oskaloosa, Iowa, May 27.—Robert H. Williams, a professor, and Harry Oakley, a freshman, were killed, two probably fatally injured and a hundred thousand dollars damage done in a fire in the main building of Penn College here today.

What a girl likes about a love letter is the fact that she can keep reading it over and over.

A device to keep a window from rattling and at the same time serve as an anchor on the shade cord to prevent a shade flying up has been invented.

### THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS

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### JONATHAN LANE OF HOUSTON DEAD

One of the Most Prominent Lawyers of Texas Passes Away at Port Aransas.

Houston, Texas, May 27.—Jonathan Lane, of this city, who was prominent in state, legal and political circles, died at Port Aransas, Texas, today. He was 62 years of age.

### TAKES BRIDE BUT DID NOT KNOW HER NAME.

Quite a bit of amusement was afforded a few spectators who happened to be in County Clerk Higgs' office this morning when a couple of dusky lovers appeared and announced that they had a desire to start drifting across the rough sea of life together. The accommodating deputy clerk, Mr. T. C. Nunn, Jr., appeared at the window and asked the groom-to-be, his name and he said it was Pig Haley and in filling in the license the clerk of course had to have the name of the damsel who escorted him. Pig replied that her name was Lizzie, and when asked her last name he replied, "Boss I don't know what dat gal's name is," and, turning to her he said, "What am yo' las' name, Lizzie?" She told him it was Smith. The credentials were completed and with a very few but impressive remarks Justice of the Peace McGee made the couple man and wife. The smile on their faces broadened as they departed for their home.

### TO CARRY MONEY SAFELY.

In the June Woman's Home Companion a writer gives the following directions to carry money safely:  
"You may have given only a passing thought of where and how to carry money when you go traveling. To be safe, do not carry tickets, money and all valuables in one pocket. Buy a bill folder of sufficient size to take care of the railroad and steamer tickets, baggage checks, and so on. Probably the safest place to carry this wallet will be in the inside pocket of your coat. Your money—and in traveling in America it never is necessary to carry cash in any such amount as eight hundred dollars—will be safest and in the most convenient place for you if carried in a small leather folder in a side pocket of your trousers. Small change might be kept in the same pocket, but nothing else, for loose articles will be in the way when your fingers reach hastily for street car or cab fares. Money in a side pocket of one's trousers ordinarily is immune from pickpockets, much more so than if carried in the rear trousers pocket."

### WANTS TO KNOW U. S. POSITION

Inquiry as to Enforcement of Decree by Defacto Mexican Government.

(By Associated Press)  
Laredo, Texas, May 27.—A petition to President Wilson asking to be informed definitely as to the United States' attitude regarding the enforcement of decrees by the Mexican defacto government and signed by fifty residents of Tampico, was forwarded to Washington from here today. The petition complains of alleged abuses upon Americans by the military authorities.

### MR. CHANCE PLEASED.

Back From Trip Through Texas With Flood Control Committee.  
Mr. Jas. O. Chance, who was a member of the reception committee of Texans to meet the congressional flood control committee and accompany them through Texas, arrived home this morning. Mr. Chance remained with the party until the inspection was completed at Waco last night. The committee members departed for Washington from that place and the Texas gentlemen accompanying them returned to their homes.  
Mr. Chance is highly pleased with the trip and expects great good to come of it. He says the inspection of the flooded districts was thorough and complete and the members of the committee evinced the keenest interest all along the route and showed their interest by asking many questions for further information on points not exactly clear to them.  
Mr. Chance was especially pleased with the reception given the party by citizens of Bryan Friday during the inspection of the bottoms opposite Bryan. It was appreciated by the members of the committee.  
The reception accorded the committee at every place visited was simply splendid, Mr. Chance says, and helped to enliven a trip that otherwise might have been tiresome to the gentlemen from Washington.

### BANK OFFICIALS WERE ACQUITTED

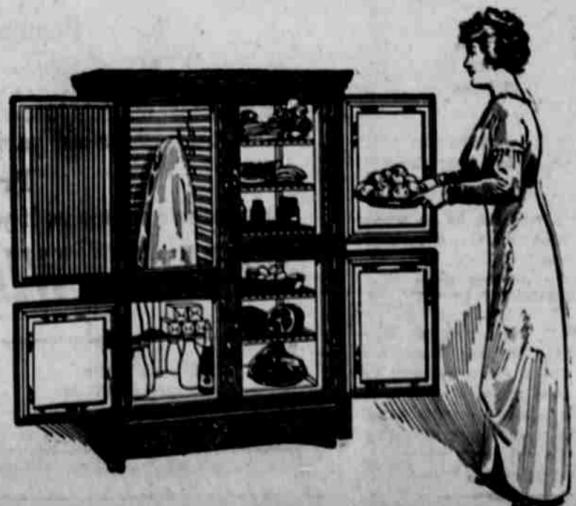
(By Associated Press)  
Washington, May 27.—Three Riggs bank officials, on trial for perjury, were found not guilty today after the jury had been out but nine minutes.  
Many a loafer thinks he is killing time, but time continues to do business at the same old stand.

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