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STATE NEWS OF NATIONAL INTEREST FROM OVER THE WORLD FOREIGN

POLES AND SOVIETS AGREE ON ARMISTICE

Hostilities to Cease at Midnight on October 18. Wrangle Not Included.

Riga.—A preliminary peace treaty and armistice was signed by the Polish and Russian soviet peace delegates at Riga at 7:10 o'clock Thursday night.

The armistice becoming effective at midnight October 18. Announcement that peace was to be signed brought crowds to the square surrounding the Black Head House.

The head of the soviet delegation described the peace as "a peace without victory and without vanquished" in an address before the signature of the treaty.

The Riga armistice will put the bolshevik at peace with all their Baltic neighbors leaving the Wrangle movement as the only great military operation against the soviet.

M. Joffe called attention to the many difficulties encountered in arranging the armistice and also to the harmonious manner in which the delegations carried out the negotiations.

The foundation has been laid for a permanent peace.

Texas Wins 60,000-Acre Panhandle Land Suit

Austin, Tex.—Judgment for the state in its suit to recover 60,000 acres of land from the Capitol League Syndicate was rendered Friday by Judge George Calhoun in the 53rd district court of Travis County.

The value of the land at this time is estimated to be at least \$20 an acre, or a total of \$1,200,000 for 60,000 acres.

Suit to recover excess land was brought by the attorney general.

Dallas Man Heads Gas Body.

San Antonio, Tex.—C. B. McKinney of Dallas was elected president and E. L. Weiser of San Antonio first vice president of the South Central Gas Association.

Carpenter Knocks Out Levinsky.

Jersey City, N. J.—Georges Carpenter, European heavyweight champion, knocked out Battling Levinsky, holder of the American light-heavyweight title in the fourth round of a scheduled bout Tuesday.

Texas Press Meeting Called.

Dallas, Tex.—The 1921 convention of the Texas Press Association will be held at McAllen June 19, 20 and 21.

Will Aid in Financing Cotton.

Los Angeles.—All banks of Los Angeles have joined in an arrangement to finance the cotton crops of California, Arizona and New Mexico to the extent of \$25,000,000.

Education Board Meets.

Austin, Tex.—The state board of education at its regular monthly meeting Wednesday did not purchase any additional bonds.

Liege Commander Dead.

Brussels.—General Leman, defender of Liege against the German advance early in the war, died at Liege Sunday.

MONROE GROWERS HOLD OUT COTTON

VERY LITTLE BEING GINNED PENDING BETTER PRICES—DECISION EXPECTED SOON.

CROP BEST KNOWN IN YEARS

Reports From Many Parishes Indicate That No Serious Hardships Are Entailed Because of Movement To Hold Cotton.

Monroe.—Monroe and West Monroe compress and warehouse companies report that little cotton is being ginned now, as the farmers of Ouachita parish for the most part are holding cotton until a reasonable price may be obtained.

Reports from West Carroll, Madison, Morehouse, Union and other parishes in this part of the state indicate that the movement initiated by the American Cotton Association to meet unusual conditions in the cotton market, the results being much more effective than was believed to be possible.

The farmers generally these reports indicate, will hold their cotton for possibly two months then market gradually.

Leaders in the American Cotton Association in northeastern Louisiana are satisfied with the way the growers are holding back cotton.

Reports from many parishes in this part of the state are to the effect that no serious hardships are entailed by the farmers because of the movement to hold cotton.

The traffic department of the Monroe Chamber of Commerce, through H. J. Fernandez, counsel, has submitted an interlocking petition in the case of the Fort Smith traffic bureau vs. the Arkansas Central Railroad Company to obtain freight rate reductions on cotton-piece goods to points in Louisiana and Arkansas on a parity with rate reductions asked by Fort Smith and Little Rock.

The Armour Packing Company of Louisiana, Ltd., will begin work the latter part of November on the construction of one of the most modern packing plants ever established in this part of the state.

The plant will be two stories high with basement of brick and reinforced concrete and will be erected on Jefferson and Sixth streets.

TOLD IN A FEW LINES.

Bogalusa.—Work on graveling the streets of Bogalusa is to start at once. The contract of H. Cowgill, for washed gravel, was accepted by the Commission Council recently.

Mandeville.—Mr. Moran, in his address said that in 1890 Mandeville was the largest town in St. Tammany parish, and now Slidell and Covington boasted three to one greater population, also having factories to support their population while Mandeville had nothing.

University Station, Baton Rouge.—Emile Weber, the boy from Orleans parish who was a member of the recent farm boys' tour through the Middle West, was called upon by his teacher recently to tell the class all about his trip.

Quantities of Fish Shipped.

Port Lavaca, Tex.—Fishermen who are following the business as well as the sports with the rod and reel are in full glow as the waters surrounding Port Lavaca are alive with the speckled beauties, shad and red fish.

Soviet Delegate Cautious.

Berlin.—M. Zinovieff and M. Losovsky, Russian soviet delegates to the independent socialist conference at Berlin, have been ordered by the German government to leave for their own country.

French Train Wrecked.

Paris.—The number of persons killed in the wrecking of the Paris-Nantes express Saturday, near Malesherbes, totals 42, a number of additional bodies having been found in the wreckage.

Cotton Pickers Go North.

Smithville, Tex.—Cotton picking is practically over and the bulk of the cotton has been ginned and sold.

Breaks World Record.

Paris.—Maurice Delvaux, a French athlete, broke the world's record for the 500-meter run Saturday, covering the distance in 1 minute 53.5 seconds.

Pointe a la Hache.—The Phoenix Canning Company of Biloxi, which leased the old Crescent packing factory from the J. B. Fasting estate of Buras began operation recently, canning shrimp.

THIBODAUX — Very Rev. Father A. M. Barbier announced in St. Joseph Catholic Church that a census of the religious parish of St. Joseph would soon be taken to ascertain the number of the heads of families, the number of unmarried men and the number of women who are self-supporting.

PLAQUEMINE — The Bureau of Census made a preliminary announcement of the population of the parish of Iberville subject to correction, as follows:—Iberville parish shows a population of 26,806 for 1920, and for the year 1910 a population of 30,954, showing a decrease for the 10 years of 3,428.

CROWLEY — P. J. Chappuis, who was one of the party of Knights of Columbus who went to Rome to see the Pope, and visited the battle-torn sections of Europe, will deliver a series of free lectures to the public at an early date.

GULFPORT — The Hodge Ship Company's steamship Nika, now in port to inaugurate that line's direct sailings from Gulfport to Cuban ports, and sailed on the first trip October 11 with a general cargo.

HAMMOND — At a meeting of the Ladies' Improvement League it was decided to close the municipal natatorium for the winter months, a committee being appointed to attend to storing the equipment.

RUSTON — The Louisiana commercial secretaries have made plans for a gathering of the organization at Shreveport October 30 and 31.

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MANDEVILLE — The Mandeville Light Company's contract with the town expired with October 15, and the town was offered continued service at \$300 per month with the alternative of buying the plant. The town's revenue is insufficient to permit either course, and unless some other means is found to operate the light service, the town will be dark.

BOGALUSA — Bogalusa property owners vote on the five-mill tax election in the near future, 4 1/4 mills to be used in improving the streets and bridges of the city and three-quarter mill for the extension of the water and sewer system.

COVINGTON — The school board has appropriated \$2,500 from the special tax for a school gymnasium, subject to the provision of an equal amount by popular subscription.

CROWLEY — The first "still" ever found in Crowley, according to the local police, was seized by City Marshal Lyons, Joseph Castille, a negro, alleged to have made the "moon shine," was arrested, and a complete outfit and some "white mules" were held for the federal authorities.

CLEVELAND WINS WORLD'S SERIES

Takes Five Out of Seven Games From Brooklyn Team.

Cleveland, Ohio.—"Baseball champion of the world." The Cleveland American League club won that supreme title at Cleveland Tuesday when the Indians defeated the Brooklyn Nationals in the seventh and deciding game of the 1920 series by a score of 3 to 0.

The Indians won four straight games from Brooklyn after getting away to an indifferent start, Cleveland winning the first, and Brooklyn winning the second and third games played.

The new world champions outbatted their rivals for the seven-game series 244 to 290. The Indians got 53 hits to Brooklyn's 43. The American Leaguers had eight men batting 300 or better while the Nationals had only three.

Nunamaker, at bat twice during the series, cracked out one hit and finished with 500. Steve O'Neill, who caught the entire series excepting one inning, had a big margin over the seven batters, being credited with eight hits in 21 times at bat.

Speaker led in total bases with 12, the result of eight hits, which included two doubles and a triple. Wheat was close behind with eleven bases, compiled on nine hits, which included a brace of doubles.

Only two home runs were made in the series, and these by Bagby and Elmer Smith in one game. Cleveland knocked eight doubles to Brooklyn's five, and the Indians were credited with two triples to their rivals' one.

As a team Cleveland had the edge in the total bases with 71 compared to 54 for Brooklyn. Batting honors between the Johnston brothers went to W. Johnston. He finished with an average of .273, compared with .214 by his brother Jimmie.

Houston Gets Next Meet Of Medical Association

Dallas, Tex.—Selection of Houston as the meeting place of next year and the annual election of officers featured the final session of the Texas Eclectic Medical Association's annual convention Thursday.

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Odessa, Fla.—"About two years ago," writes Mrs. J. D. Powell, of this place, "I took several bottles of Cardui as a tonic, for I was run-down in health. In fact, I could hardly do anything at all; I could only drag around and couldn't do my work."

"Life was miserable to me, and I knew I must have some relief, as I was so very weak. I would suffer from aching pains in my right side, back and shoulders. I would have such terrible nervous spells, which would come on me and I would fall down wherever I was standing. . . .

"My friends recommended that I try Cardui. . . . I began using it and soon saw and felt a great improvement. . . . My appetite became good. . . . I could rest well at night, and I got so I could do all my housework in a short time. . . . I praise Cardui to all my friends."

If you suffer from ailments peculiar to women, it would be well for you to give Cardui a trial. For more than forty years it has proven beneficial to thousands of suffering women, and what it has done for others, it should do for you.

Take Cardui, the Woman's Tonic today. Your druggist keeps it.—Ad.

We haven't much use for a miser, but it is better to freeze onto your money than to burn it.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

A Marvelous Remedy for Indigestion. Those who suffer from nervous dyspepsia, constipation, indigestion, torpid liver, dizziness, headaches, coming up of food, wind on stomach, palpitation and other indications of disorder in the digestive tract will find Green's August Flower a most effective and efficient assistant in the restoration of nature's functions and a return to health and happiness.

There could be no better testimony of the value of this remedy for these troubles than the fact that its use for the last fifty-four years has extended into many thousands of households all over the civilized world and no indication of any failure has been obtained in all that time. Very desirable as a gentle laxative. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Not So Slow. "Where are you summering?" "At Plunktown up the river." "Slow, isn't it?" "Slow nothing. Only yesterday we had a race between bathhouses."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

ASPIRIN

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"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" is genuine Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for over twenty years. Accept only an unbroken "Bayer package" which contains proper directions to relieve Headache, Toothache, Earache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Colds and Pain. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger "Bayer packages." Aspirin is trade mark Bayer Manufacture Monacoeleidester of Salicyleneid.—Adv.

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KEPT YOUNGSTER ROPED TO WALL

New York Boy of Ten Years Tied Up for Four Days by Parents.

Stepmother, Arrested, Declares the Boy Incurable, and "Roasts" Neighbors for Interfering—Proper Home Will Be Found for the Lad.

New York.—It all came about—this police court fairy tale—because little Miss Thirteen, who is wide-eyed Anna Gold, was visiting "down the block" on the evening of Saturday, Aug. 28.

Anna was sitting with her friend, Mrs. Marie St. Jacques, on the first floor of the two-family house at 534 Fifty-seventh street, Brooklyn, when a plaintive, frightened voice came to them:

"Mrs. St. Jacques, oh, Mrs. St. Jacques, have you anything to eat."

The words melted into a choking sob. Little Miss Thirteen leaped to her feet and rushed upstairs. In a dark bedroom opening on the hall she saw a dark shape huddled against the wall. She got some matches, lighted one and saw a thin, pale little lad, his slender arm, bound by a rope and his frail body encircled several times by another rope which was attached to a spike driven into the wall.

Tied Up for Days. "What's the matter, little boy?" tremulously asked Miss Thirteen.

"I've been tied up since Thursday morning," weakly answered Little Master Ten, who is Joseph Plock.

"My father and stepmother tied me up to punish me. They have given me only a little bread and water. They have gone out for a little while and I am starving."

"Don't worry, little boy," reassured Little Miss Thirteen, her eyes gushing tears of sympathy. "I will get you something."

Soon she returned with some bread and milk. She helped free Little Master Ten's arms, fed him and was leaving to get some more food when the sound of approaching steps and a shiver of terror in the boy warned her the "bad parents" were returning.

So Little Miss Thirteen had to be content with repeating her story to Mrs. St. Jacques and other neighbors, who warned the Children's society.

So it came about that Little Master Ten was released after he had been fastened to the wall for four days and three nights and the parents were arrested. Then the two little figures in

GIRLS! LEMONS BLEACH SKIN WHITE

Make Lemon Lotion to Double Beauty of Your Skin.

Squeeze the Juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White which can be had at any drug store, shake well and you have a quarter pint of harmless and delightful lemon bleach for few cents.

Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day, then shortly note the beauty of your skin.

Famous stage beauties use lemon juice to bleach and bring that soft, clear, rosy-white complexion. Lemons have always been used as a freckle, sunburn and tan remover. Make this up and try it.—Adv.

Ambiguous. Knicker—Is the candidate wet or dry?

Booker—He looks on the wine when it is red, white and blue.

Why Go HUNGRY?

If your Stomach is weak and you suffer with Indigestion, do not sacrifice your health and comfort. You may eat anything you like, and relish it, if you take one or two DR. TUTT'S LIVER PILLS when required. You will digest your food; nourish and build up your System eliminating all poisonous waste matter and strengthening the stomach.

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AND A NEW PAIR OF SHOES

—if you catch me!

To the wearer who finds PAPER in the heels, counters, insoles or outsoles of any shoes made by us, bearing this trade-mark.

See your neighborhood dealer and insist on the Friedman-Shelby "All-Leather" Trade-Mark. It means real shoe economy for the whole family.

IF YOUR KIDNEYS ARE OVER-ACTIVE

Millions of people—grown folks and children alike—are bothered with over-active kidneys either during the day or at night.

If you or your child are among those affected with kidneys acting too freely or too often don't wait until some serious kidney trouble develops but get a bottle of Liquid Shu-Make from the drug store today and stop this disorder.

Druggists carry Liquid Shu-Make or will get it for you in small or large size bottles, so you may give this medicine a chance to relieve that overactive kidney condition.—Adv.

HEALS RUNNING SORES

"I feel it my duty to write you a letter of thanks for your wonderful Peterson's Ointment. I had a running sore on my left leg for one year. I began to use Peterson's Ointment three weeks ago and now it is healed."—A. C. Gilbrath, 704 Reed St., Erie, Pa.

For years I have been selling through druggists a large box of PETERSON'S OINTMENT for 60 cents. The healing power in this ointment is marvelous. Gynoma goes in a few days. Old sores heal up like magic; piles that other remedies do not cure, disappear in a week and the distress of chafing goes in a few minutes. Mail orders filled. Peterson Ointment Co., Inc. Buffalo, N. Y.

Among many things that fail to impress a man favorably is his wife's relations.

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