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"But Doan's Made Life Again Worth Living," Says Mrs. Harris

"I was in excellent health until my kidneys weakened," says Mrs. N. A. Harris, 1009 Indiana St., Neodesha, Kansas. "The kidney secretions burned like fire and passed so often I couldn't get a moment's rest. My back ached and for days at a time I was confined to bed, shouldered with the sharp pains. I couldn't stoop without fainting, screaming with misery."



Finally a neighbor brought me a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, and later I got several boxes. My troubles began to lessen and soon I could sleep all night and wake up refreshed and happy and life was again worth living. I am now a strong, healthy woman and owe my health and happiness to Doan's. Sincerely, J. A. DEARDORFF, Notary Public.

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HEADACHE. Bad for Health. Upsets Nerves. Go to Drug Store - Try CAPUDINE. Editor Killed in Duel. Montevideo, Uruguay.—Washington Beltran, editor of the newspaper El Pais, was shot and killed in a duel Saturday by Jose Batlle y Ordonez, former president of Uruguay.

THE TURK MUST GO FROM EUROPE

U. S. Rejoinder to Allied Note Takes Firm Stand on Expelling Turks.

Washington.—Vigorous expression of President Wilson's opinion that the often expressed intention of the allies "that the anomaly of the Turks in Europe should cease" should be carried out in framing the Turkish treaty, characterized the American rejoinder to the allied note transmitting information on the status of treaty negotiations.

The American rejoinder, the first diplomatic paper to be the signature of Secretary Colby, was handed to the French ambassador here March 24 for transmission to Premier Millerand and made public Tuesday by the state department on advice that it had been delivered.

Comment on some territorial phases and on the whole economic program of the proposals as to the treaty was deferred pending more complete information on objects sought. The note said, however, that it is the understanding of the government of the United States that whatever territorial changes or arrangements may be made in the former Ottoman Empire, such changes or arrangements will in no way place American citizens or corporations or the citizens or corporations of any other country, in a less favorable situation than the citizens or corporations of any power party to the treaty.

The American expression "notes with pleasure that provision is made for Russian representation on the international council which it is proposed shall be established for the government of Constantinople, and the straits."

Possible Recognition of Huerta Obligations

Washington.—An official statement recently authorized by the Mexican government contains the first intimation that recognition of at least a part of the Huerta obligations is possible. The statement places the foreign and domestic debt of Mexico at present at upward of \$500,000,000, according to a copy that has just reached the state department and is being carefully studied.

Revenues for 1919 are placed at 177,399,190.03 pesos; expenditures, 173,059,323.06 pesos; surplus, 4,339,866.97 pesos. The foreign and domestic debt, with unpaid interest, is given at 539,106,731.81 and the grand total of the government indebtedness at 1,129,371,491.76 pesos, or more than \$500,000,000 gold.

Two Galveston Men Hurt

Houston, Tex.—A. H. Klein and A. H. Klein Jr., both of Galveston, narrowly escaped death Friday when they endeavored to cross the interurban tracks in front of an approaching car at the intersection on Wayside drive, just back of the Houston Country Club in Houston. They were returning to Galveston at the time of the accident.

Duty Free Print Paper

Washington.—Print paper costing not more than 80 a pound would be admitted tax free under a bill amending the revenue act, passed unanimously by the house Tuesday. The present law fixed 50c as the limit, but members said none at that price was obtainable for import.

Lebanon Declares Independence

Washington.—Lebanon, in Asiatic Turkey, has declared its independence of Prince Faisal's government, the state department was advised Tuesday by the American consul at Beirut.

S. P. Line in Mexico Tied Up

Nogales, Ariz.—The Southern Pacific Railroad of Mexico, operating south from Nogales, was completely tied up Saturday by a strike of virtually all its employes, according to announcement by labor officials.

Oklahoma Publisher Dies

Oil City, Pa.—Patrick C. Boyle, president of the Oil and Gas Journal, Tulsa, Okla., and president and manager of the Derrick Publishing Company, died at his home Sunday.

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STATION REMOVAL ANGERS PLANTERS

SUGAR GROWERS INSIST THAT EXPERIMENT SITE SHOULD BE NEAR CITY.

COMMITTEE IS APPOINTED

Lease of Sugar Experiment Station in Audubon, Enjoyed for Thirty-one Years, Has Been Abrogated by Commission.

New Orleans.—A committee, composed of Col. J. D. Hill, Dr. W. C. Stubbs and W. G. Taggart, has been appointed by the Louisiana Sugar Planters' Association to select a new site and arrange for the removal of the Audubon Park Experimental Association Station, which is made necessary by recent action of the Audubon Park Commission in ending the lease upon the ground now occupied by the station.

The appointment of the committee for this purpose was authorized by resolutions adopted at the last meeting of the planters' association. The resolutions say, in part: "Resolved, That the Louisiana Sugar Planters' Association consider it essential that in the selection of a new site for the experiment station a location be obtained adjacent to the city of New Orleans and readily accessible therefrom so as to secure the dual advantage of insuring the proper climatic conditions for the station's work, and at the same time maintain the convenience of visitation that it has always possessed."

These resolutions were drawn up by a committee composed of James D. Hill, William C. Stubbs, John Dymond, Andrew H. Gay, Stephen C. Munson and J. B. Levert.

Colonel Hill introduced the resolutions before the planters' association, accompanied by a statement from the committee, which says, in part: "It has recently occurred that the lease on a portion of Audubon Park enjoyed for the past thirty-one years by the sugar experiment station has been abrogated by the Audubon Park Commission, which commission has acted in total disregard of the importance and immeasurable value to this state and city of the experiments conducted there and in total disregard of the ruinous effect on such experiments that removal will occasion."

"The existence of this station has given to Audubon Park a celebrity that is State, national and international, and its work has been attentively followed by the sugar producers of every cane-growing country in the world. Its bulletins are in the libraries of scientific agricultural institutions everywhere. It has become known as the greatest center of instruction in the world for young men who seek scientific training in the sugar industry and graduates from the Audubon Park Sugar School are to be found today in positions of unquestioned leadership in practically every sugar producing country on earth. This great reputation achieved through years of skilled and conscientious endeavor, renders painful and more incomprehensible the destructive policy decided on by the Audubon Park Commission."

FOR HURRIED READERS.

Ponchatoula.—The strawberry farms look as if they had been visited by a slight snow storm; the plants are in full bloom. This means that shipping will begin in earnest in about ten days.

Independence.—Because of the unusual local conditions brought about by the strawberry crop in this section, the local school session begins in July and closes in March instead of June.

Monroe.—Monroe's fourth bank, the Louisiana Savings Bank and Trust Company, will open for business soon. A few years ago the Union National Bank, with two competitors, found it impossible to exist here.

Roseland.—At a meeting of citizens to nominate candidates for town officers, mayor and five members of the town board. Mayor T. C. Osborn was nominated for mayor and was declared the nominee by acclamation.

Pointe a la Hache.—Large quantities of sea shrimp, fish and turtles are being shipped to market daily and are selling at good prices the orders for Holy week being especially large.

DeRidder.—The new banking institution projected by P. W. West some weeks ago held the first stockholders' meeting and elected a board of directors.

Opelousas.—Within the next few days Opelousas will have an electric supply shop. Oscar Andrepond and A. R. Dossamann have decided to enter into the business and will get a suitable location for the conduct of their business.

Opelousas.—Julius Stander, owner of one of the leading dry goods establishments in the parish, has called on contractors for bids for the erection of a modern brick building on the site of the frame store building that he now occupies.

Independence.—Commencement week was a gala one in Independence. The pupils of the high and graded school gave an entertainment for the benefit of the library fund.

Opelousas.—Dr. Bruno Zuculin, Italian consul at New Orleans, who is touring the state in the interest of an issue of Italian Liberty bonds, will be here soon.

Opelousas.—Opelousas Council, No. 1173, will soon initiate a new class.

Monroe.—A literary and athletic contest, to which all students of the Ouachita parish schools will be eligible, will be held here in April, it was announced recently. The literary contest will include tests in reading, spelling, writing, calculations, composition and declamation. The athletic contest includes potato race, sack race, broad jump, high jump, fifty-yard dash, hundred-yard dash and basketball.

Lafayette.—As an evidence of his interest in the Industrial Institute, from which he graduated, Lorne D. Nickerson, a prominent business man of Lafayette, has notified Dr. Stephens that he will give a cash prize of \$15 to be awarded to the student who shows the best college spirit during the session. The donation is an annual one.

Independence.—The strawberry season, which was set back several weeks because of the recent freeze, will begin about the first of April. The plants are again white with blossoms and indications point to one of the finest yields in years. A box shortage is threatened and crates are being imported from every available center to fill the demand.

Pointe a la Hache.—Planters report most favorably conditions for field work. They have planted a large acreage in corn as well as cane. The first and second years stand of stubble is very promising. The cane crop will be heavily fertilized this year after having been cultivated without any last season. Cotton seed meal will be used.

Monroe.—Another industrial plant to cost \$100,000 will be established in Monroe soon, according to the Home Realty and Development Company, which announces that the Motor Wheel Corporation of Lansing, Mich., is preparing to establish a branch here. A site has been procured in the city's factory addition on the Missouri Pacific railroad.

Ponchatoula.—The Frank B. Williams Lumber Company has fitted up offices in the Edwards building and a large force of men are at work clearing up on the five hundred acres acquired by the company on the south side of the town for the erection of their sawmills and houses for employes.

Independence.—March 15 was celebrated throughout the parish by the Italian citizens as St. Joseph's Day. The altars in the several Catholic churches were loaded with offerings of food and drink for the patron saint of their sunny land across the seas. An impressive parade by the Society of St. Joseph was held.

Opelousas.—Workmen have been engaged at the Catholic church here building scaffolds for finishing the interior of the edifice, and it is expected the work will be pushed to early completion. The plans include the installation of a heating apparatus, plastering the walls and building steel ceilings.

Pointe a la Hache.—A movement to establish a branch here of one of the largest banks in New Orleans is being supported, this town being without any bank. A branch to handle the growing business along the lower coast would prove a big advantage to planters an merchants generally.

Monroe.—Monroe's aviation colony, which was established last fall, came to an end recently and the last plane of the squadron left in charge of Pilot Henry F. Fawcett on its flight to headquarters at Welsh, Ind. Some of the airplanes in use here were sent to Havana, but several days ago.

Monroe.—Street car service, which has been suspended since the destruction of the city officials. Mechanics are now putting another engine in condition and it will be run soon.

Monroe.—After three years' service as rabbi of the Jewish Temple here, Dr. David Fischman has tendered his resignation to take effect June 1, when he will go to New Orleans, where he will be executive director of the Jewish Educational and Charitable Federation.

Tallulah.—T. F. McGehee, who has been connected with the Delta Laboratory in its work with the boll weevil for several years, left recently to begin farming operations on a plantation near Rayville.

Lafayette.—Auguste Mamer, Louis Delisle, of Carencro, and Paul Pierret, of the eighth ward, are going to visit Europe for several months. They will leave in April.

Lafayette.—Lafayette will be represented by a large delegation at the meeting of the Louisiana Commercial Secretaries Association which meets in Alexandria.

Tallulah, La.—Four trucks have been received for use on the roads of Madison parish. They were unloaded by the A. & V. wrecker.

Monroe.—Riley J. Wilson, congressman from this district, was asked in a telegram from Mayor Bernstein to endeavor to secure a recount of the city's population by the census bureau. He was also asked to ascertain in what manner the city might go about recounting the population.

Plauchville, La.—The influenza situation here has not improved much lately, new cases being reported by local physicians. The high school has been closed on account of the disease.

Lafayette.—Senator J. R. Dombegaux is in favor of legislation against the pink boll worm. He has pledged his support to just and equitable measures which may be proposed by the American Cotton Association, or the incoming administration.

Lafayette.—A site close to the railroad, adjoining the Merchants Grocer Company, has been purchased by Aaron Wolf, acting for himself and others interested in establishing a furniture business here. A brick building will be erected on the site

MEXICAN OUTRAGES UPON AMERICANS

Charges Steadily Piling Up Against the Carranza Government.

Washington.—Twenty-four outrages upon Americans in Mexico are listed as follows since December 1 last:

December 3, 1919—Consul Boyle of Mexicala announced the brutal and inhuman treatment of W. K. Milton, a discharged American soldier, who was taken to Calexico, Cal., suffering from broken bones, cuts and bruises.

December 5—Mexican bandits raided the Clarenco ranch on the American side of the Rio Grande, near Apache, Texas, looting the store and stealing a number of the horses.

December 13—Frank Huger, manager of the J. M. Dobles ranch near Mesquite, State of Coahuila, kidnapped and held for \$10,000 ransom.

December 18—H. V. Leonard and H. O. Martin, members of the crew of the submarine tender Pokomoko, arrested November 12 by Mexican authorities and confined in jail at Mazatlan, Sinaloa, for more than two months.

December 26—William F. Ogel, an American farmer living near Juarez, Mexico, reported missing by the American consul, Edward A. Dow.

January 6, 1920—F. J. Roney and Earl Bowles, American oil employes, killed at Port Lobos, in the Tampico district.

January 7—State department announced the killing of Gabriele Porter, an American employe of the Penn-Mex Oil Company, by a Mexican federal army officer at Tuxpam, December 21, 1919.

January 9—Mexican bandits raid and loot the store of F. G. Wall, an American, at Colonia, Juarez.

January 10—Lisandro Gonzales, killed by Mexican army officer, Camarzo, Mexico.

January 11—State department announced the robbery of the Aguilar Oil Company's pay roll, amounting to \$30,000, at Tampico. The paymaster was murdered and three men wounded.

January 28—Two army aviators, Lieutenants E. F. Davis and G. E. Grimes, who were forced to make a landing in Mexico, were held for several months before being released.

February 2—Major Waldon and Lieutenant Wolff, army aviators, forced to land near Nacoarzi, Sonora, detained by Mexican authorities.

February 5—State department announced the abduction and holding for ransom of Wilson Welch Adams at Zacatecas.

February 25—State department announced the kidnaping and holding for ransom by Mexicans of Barry Hogarty, an employe of the American Metals company, at Matimi.

February 28—Ransom M. Zardenta, an American citizen, killed at Tampico on February 11. He was an accountant for the Buckley Oil Company.

February 28—Mexican bandits raided the store of Alexander Frazer at Montana Camp, Ariz., and wounded his brother.

February 28—State department announced the murder of Augustus Morhill, 83 years old, formerly American consul at Manzanillo.

March 1—R. A. Corcoran, superintendent of the Santa Gertrudis mine at Pachula, murdered.

March 4—Gerald Brandon, correspondent of the Los Angeles Times, expelled from Mexico City as a "pernicious foreigner."

March 5—Peter W. Sommers, an American citizen, captured and held for ransom.

March 5—Joseph Williams, an American mining engineer employed by the American Smelting and Refining Company at Paducana, carried off and held for ransom by Pancho Villa.

March 9—Patrick Foley, an employe of the Magnolia Petroleum Company at Tampico, killed by bandits.

Texas April Health Calendar Extensive

Austin, Tex.—Texas health calendar for April is extensive. Dates announced by Dr. C. W. Goddard, state health officer, are as follows:

April 19-20, annual conference Texas Health Officers' Association in Houston.

April 21, railway surgeons meeting at Houston.

April 22-23-24, Texas Medical Association at Houston.

April 26-29, American Medical Association at New Orleans.

In addition to the Houston meeting, the week beginning April 19 up to the 25th, will be observed by every individual in Texas as health week, as by proclamation of the governor.

Texan Appointed Minister

Washington.—Hanson Gary of Texas, now consul general at Cairo, Egypt, was nominated Friday by President Wilson to be minister of Switzerland. He will succeed Pleasant A. Stovall of Savannah, Ga., who resigned recently.

Japanese Emperor Reported Ill

Honolulu.—Emperor Yoshihito of Japan is ill, according to a Tokyo cable to the Nippu Jiji, a Japanese language newspaper at Honolulu.

Votes Down Beer-Wine Bills

Albany, N. Y.—The assembly excise committee Friday voted down all the beer and wine bills which had been referred to it for action.

Armistice Proposal Rejected

Warsaw.—The Polish government has rejected a counter proposal by the Russian soviet government for an armistice along the entire battle front during the proposed peace negotiations between Poland and soviet Russia.

WOMEN BEAT OLD "HI" COST

They use "Diamond Dyes" and Add Years of Wear to Old, Faded Garments—Really Fun!

It's easy to diamond-dye your old garments a new, rich, fadeless color, no matter if they be wool or silk; linen, cotton or mixed goods. House-dresses, gingham, aprons, blouses, skirts, silks, stockings, sweaters, children's coats, draperies—everything can be made new and good for years of wear with "Diamond Dyes."



Some society women are not as bad as they paint themselves.

MOTHER! "California Syrup of Figs" Child's Best Laxative



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its fruity taste. Full directions on each bottle. You must say "California."—Adv.

Wrong, is not as dangerous as one who writes about them.

Important to all Women Readers of this Paper

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney or bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease. If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased.

You may suffer pain in the back, headache and loss of ambition. Poor health makes you nervous, irritable and may be despondent; it makes any one so.

But hundreds of women claim that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, by restoring health to the kidneys, proved to be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Many send for a sample bottle to see what Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine, will do for them. By enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., you may receive sample size bottle by Parcel Post. You can purchase medium and large size bottles at all drug stores.—Adv.

WHAT PEEVED THE RECRUIT

Little Discussion He Had With Corporal Left Him Disgusted With Relief From Guard Duty.

A couple of recruits of the latest vintage, who had enlisted in the hope of being sent to the Rhine, were discussing the pros and cons of army life.

"It ain't so bad," confided one. "Most of it is all right, but it's that blasted relief from guard duty that gets me."

"Relief from guard duty!" ejaculated the other. "Man, you're cuckoo! There's nothing to being relieved from guard duty. It's being on guard duty that's hell."

"No," maintained the first. "It's the relief. Why, the other day they put me on guard for two hours, and it wasn't bad at all just standing round and watching the rest of 'em drilling and knowing that I didn't have to do it myself, but then when the time for relief came the corporal came up and gave me the devil."

"What for?"

"Nothing. Nothing at all. I just couldn't remember where I'd left my rifle."

Sew to Speak

Surgeon (threading his needle)—Feel much like laughing, Houlihan?

Vietm (of an accident)—Save your funny stories, doctor—you'll have me in stitches soon enough!—Buffalo Express.

Her Meaning

"I heard that pretty little say the other day that she was to do her best to make her life perfectly happy. She was very much in love with her very much in love with her husband. That wasn't her husband talking about; it was her post."

FOOD FORTIFIES

against exhaustion and illness—if it's the right kind of food.

Grape-Nuts

is easily digested and with cream or good milk is a well balanced ration that builds tissue and increases strength of body and mind.

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