

HOGWALLOW NEWS

DUNK BOTTS, Regular Correspondent
(George Bingham)

The Deputy Constable is already beginning to endorse himself for re-election.

Yam Sims says the only thing about fishing he dislikes is having to come home without any.

An all-day singing will be held at the Dog Hill church in a few Sundays. These singings are a good thing, as they prevent the singers from talking all day.

Poke Eazley, who has in the past been able to find a listener around Hogwallow when he sets in to tell his troubles, is thinking of moving to Tickville, where there are more people.

The Hog Ford preacher had the seats in the church treated to a new coat of whitewash. He adopted this plan a few years ago not only as a beautifier but in order that the public may be able to look at the back of a

man's pants and tell whether or not he attended church.

Miss Flutie Belcher heard some one disturbing her chicken roost last night, but she did not get up to go out and see about it as she did not want Sidney Hooks to see her with her hair rolled up.

A jaybird is reported to have lit on a fence near where Miss Rosy Moseley was standing the other day. It is believed that the bird was getting some late ideas from the one on Miss Rosy's hat.

Miss Flutie Belcher has broken her engagement to one of the Henstep boys, who lives in the Buzzard Knob section. It is said she was intending to marry him for his money and that he went and spent it Saturday night.

Tobe Moseley is one of the strong supporters of the Horse Doctor, having testified in court last week, while on the witness stand in a hog-stealing case, that after having taken a bottle and a half of his horse medicine, he swapped horses with a stranger and got a good watch to boot.

The Dog Hill preacher was seen with a new shirt on last Sunday. He is also thinking of getting him a new sermon or two.

Fit Smith reports that while seining in Gander creek a few days ago he was attacked by a very large fish. It appears that Fit and this same fish had some previous trouble when Fit circulated the report that the fish had stolen his bait.

The Hogwallow Improvement association met at the postoffice this week and took on itself to improve the appearance of Yam Sims' mill by giving its mane and tail their annual shearing, which the association does every year just before the beginning of the Baptist association on Gimlet Creek.

The Calf Ribs Neighborhood
The Calf Ribs Neighborhood is an important section lying several miles to the northwest of Hogwallow. The community is traversed by the Tickville railroad and the Mail Carrier, with Gander creek not far away. In the Calf Ribs Neighborhood reside such esteemed citizens as the Horse Doctor, the Blind Man and the Tin Peddler, also the Widow. Farming is not carried on to any great extent, but nature takes care to provide many blackberry patches, persimmon trees, paw-paw bushes and wild grape vines, while 'possums, coons and rabbits abound in season. Fish in Gander creek are also plentiful, although some little effort is required to catch them.

A peculiar geographical fact about the Calf Ribs Neighborhood is that the gullies are all of natural growth and are much more thrifty than if they had been planned by man. The prevalence of these gullies serves as a great convenience and saving to the residents, as they can be used for fences to good effect. They never wear out.

One of the historical facts about the Calf Ribs Neighborhood is that Atlas Peck came to the conclusion to locate there, but was so hard pressed by the officers that he came on to Hogwallow where he joined the church and is now an esteemed citizen.

O'BRIEN SEEKS PARDON—WANTS TO JOIN THE NAVY

A. H. Street, a St. Paul attorney, was in Little Falls Friday to interview County Attorney Rosenmeier regarding a pardon for John O'Brien, who is serving a term in the state penitentiary for robbing the Victor Clothing company and the Adams & Love stores two years ago. Mr. O'Brien seeks a pardon and want to join the navy. The proprietors of the local stores are in favor of granting him a pardon.

VERDALE WILL NOT HAVE A TEAM THIS YEAR

The Verdale Sun in its last issue states that from present indications baseball is a dead issue in Verdale this year. The two past years were disastrous ones financially for the team and most of the good players have moved from the town and this, the paper states, has had something to do with the indifference towards a team.

T. C. Gordon was in Bertha on business the first of the week.

ELISHA LEE



Elisha Lee, assistant general manager of the Pennsylvania railroad and chairman of the national conference committee of the railroads, has been appointed general manager of the Pennsylvania. Mr. Lee entered the service of the Pennsylvania as a roadman.

BAKERS' STRIKE IS ENDED

AGREEMENT REACHED AT CHICAGO UNDER U. S. DURESS.

Threats of Federal Prosecution Brings Both Sides Together and Favorable Agreement is Reached.

Chicago, May 3.—The strike of the bakers, which has been in progress for five days has been settled after a conference of representatives of men and employes in the office of United States District Attorney Charles F. Clyne. District Attorney Clyne summoned representatives of the baking companies and heads of the bakers' unions. Mr. Clyne told them it were better for them to come to an agreement between themselves, as there was possibility that the government might take cognizance of the situation in case it becomes more acute. May Be German Reservist. It is intimated that Hinton G. Clabaugh, agent of the Department of Justice, was investigating a report that a leading member of the bakers' union is a German reservist. The strikers gain an increase of \$2 a week in wages, which they demanded, it was announced. The employers are granted the right of employing non-union foremen in their shops but there are strict rules against undue "speeding up" of the workmen.

TEUTON SQUADRON WILL SALUTE ARGENTINE FLAG

Germany Hastens to Give Assurance of Reparation for Sinking of Merchant Ship.

Buenos Aires, May 3.—The Argentine government has received a note from the German government expressing regret for the sinking of the Argentine ship Monte Protegido and adding that in view of the fact that the Monte Protegido left Pernambuco on January 31 and was, in consequence ignorant of the new German measure, the imperial government is disposed to give reparation. The German minister at Buenos Aires has sent to the Argentine minister of foreign affairs a note declaring that an imperial squadron will salute at the first opportunity the Argentine flag as a mark of respect.

Germany Loses 1,300,000 Killed. Amsterdam, May 3.—To date Germany has lost 1,300,000 killed in fighting, according to statistics compiled by Dr. Friedrich Naumann and announced in a recent lecture in Berlin, according to advices here.

HOLLWEG POSTPONES SPEECH IN REICHSTAG

Copenhagen, May 3.—The speech which was to have been made in the Reichstag by Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, on peace and international relations, has been postponed to a more fitting occasion, according to word received here.

Bakers Blamed for Mill Blast. Chicago, May 3.—An explosion which, in the opinion of the police, may be an outgrowth of the bakers' strike, did damage estimated at more than \$25,000 and practically disabled the plant of the E. A. Eckert Milling company on the northwest side here. About 30 men were employed in the building at the time of the explosion, but whether there was any loss of life has not been determined. A steel tank which contained 50,000 gallons of water was dislodged and fell through the roof.

U-BOAT PERIL IS ALARMING

DESTRUCTION BY SUBMARINES THREATENS ALLIES' EXISTENCE.

Secretary Lane Tells Defense Council War Will Last Several Years and Outlines Problems to Be Met.

Washington, May 3.—The existence of England and France is jeopardized and the United States is alarmed by the unusual destructiveness developed by the German submarines during the last week.

Secretary Lane of the Department of Interior made this declaration in an address to the governors of various states conferring with the Council of National Defense and discussing the part the state governments will take in the war.

400,000 Tons Sunk in Week. Secretary Lane stated that the federal government had been informed the Germans sank 400,000 tons of shipping between April 20 and 28.

The study of inventions to combat the submarine menace is being diligently pursued in the interior department, he declared.

Secretary Lane declared he believed that every resource of the country must be used to bring victory.

War To Last Several Years.

"Many persons thought," said Secretary Lane, "that all we had to do was to issue bonds and that Germany would bow her head in submission. Nothing could be farther from the truth. We do not know when this will end. I believe it will last several years. Herbert C. Hoover has informed this government that Germany has food enough to last two years, perhaps longer.

Baker Urges Co-operation.

State and federal governments must work in closest co-operation in the nation's history, if the nation is to be successful in the greatest of all wars, Secretary of War Baker declared.

Especially will this complete co-operation be necessary in putting together the parts of the great army machine authorized by Congress, Baker said.

As far as possible every effort will be made to preserve the identity of the national guard in the building up of the great army-to-be, he continued, in outlining roughly the plans for enforcement of the selective conscription plan.

Milwaukee Garment Workers Strike.

Milwaukee, May 3.—About 600 garment workers, mostly girls, went on strike at the establishment of David Adler & Sons, clothing manufacturers. An average increase of 20 per cent in wages is demanded, together with arbitration of future differences.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Table with columns for American Association, National League, and results of games.

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RESULTS OF GAMES.

Table listing game results for American Association, American League, and National League.

GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK.

Table listing grain prices (Wheat, Corn, Rye) and live stock prices (Cattle, Hogs, Sheep) for various locations.

Peace Rumor Affects Market.

New York, May 3.—The report that the German chancellor will make a new peace offer in the reichstag continued to hold attention when the stock market opened. Marine preferred, which advanced 3 points during late trading, opened up one-eighth of a point at 83. United States Steel was off three-eighths of a point at 116 1/2. Utah Copper was off one-eighth of a point at 115 3/4 and Inspiration sold off three-eighths of a point at 56 1/2. Mexican Petroleum opened up five-eighths of a point.

BARROWS MINE TO OPEN SOON

The Barrows mine, which has been idle for a long time, will be opened in the very near future, according to the Brainerd Dispatch of last Saturday. The article states that the Valley Ore company, which will operate the mine, has purchased a 250 horse power engine for the mine and that the unwatering of the mine and hoisting will be begun in a few days.

John Schelling had an operation for bloodpoisoning of one foot, at the Hall hospital, Sunday.

Glen Schroeder is at St. Gabriel's hospital for treatment for a severe attack of pleural pneumonia.

Mrs. L. Medley returned to her home in Minneapolis Monday, after a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Tanner.

Alice Pekula, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Pekula, is at St. Gabriel's hospital for treatment for an attack of appendicitis. She is only 5 years old.

F. R. Ziske, R. L. Palmer and son Carlisle, L. A. Snelting, William Gierok and Loiel Ryan spent Sunday fishing at Gull lake. They succeeded in getting a nice string of pickerel. Several of the fish were unusually large, one tipping the scale at 24 pounds. Mr. Ziske landed this one.

A NEW SANATORIUM READY TO OPEN

Victims of tuberculosis now have another state-aided institution at their disposal. Dr. Edward J. Murray, superintendent for the Southwestern Sanatorium, at Worthington, arrived last month, and will receive applications now. He hopes to have the accommodations ready in a short time.

This institution, according to Dr. J. Murphy of the Minnesota Public Health association, will be filled rapidly as it serves relatively more territory than any of the other county institutions. Eight southwestern Minnesota counties comprise this sanatorium district. They are as follows: Cottonwood, Jackson, Lincoln, Lyon, Murray, Nobles, Pipestone and Rock.

Reinhart Johnson of Elm Dale, 63 years old, was operated upon at St. Gabriel's hospital Friday. The operation was a very serious one but Mr. Johnson is reported to be doing nicely.

Railroad employes here who must use the railroad bridges have been provided with passes. The bridges here are not guarded at present and local railroad men have not been advised of any proposed action of that nature, and it is believed the passes have been issued to avoid any inconveniences in case of any sudden action.

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