

### Mother's Picture for Gen. Pershing

LACLEDE, Mo., Sept. 11. (United Press.)—"Johnny Pershing is coming home and Linn county is a beehive. Knighted and titled by European crowned heads; honored and glorified by President Wilson and congress and praised and feted by the nation, General Pershing will be welcomed back to his birthplace. The date is not definite. General Pershing responded to Mayor B. Edmund B. Allen's cablegram, "Laclede, your old home, your boyhood friends and Linn County is calling you," replied "I have heard the call. Will be there soon after my arrival in the United States."

And then Laclede went to work, preparing the home-coming. When "Johnny" comes home to Laclede it will be a simple affair. There'll be no Sesar's victorious return to Rome. "He is going to be just plain 'Johnny'" and that is just what he will want to be," Mayor Allen said, giving the keynote of the celebration. "Lord knows he has been 'general' enough by this time, and 'Johnny' is going to sound powerfully good to him."

So Laclede is planning; singing, shouting, handshaking and music and much oratory followed by a fried chicken dinner "on the ground" when Johnny's in town.

The Pershing family will reunite after the celebration. James Pershing, a brother of Chicago; the two sisters, Miss Mae Pershing and Mrs. Bessie Butler of Lincoln, Neb., will meet again, in the old Pershing home here.

"Aunt" Susan Hewett, who baked apple pies for the general when he was a barefoot boy, will be a guest. "Aunt" Louisa Warren, who officiated at the birth of Pershing and first bathed and clothed him, will be another guest of honor. George F. Davis, aged resident of Quincy, Ill., will be another honored guest. Davis gave Pershing's father his first job in Laclede—that of section boss. Prof. Smith of Chillicothe, Mo., the living member of the committee giving examinations when Pershing won his appointment to West Point, also will be a guest. Nearly a score of boyhood chums will attend.

Secretary of War Baker and governors of Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska, Illinois, Oklahoma and Arkansas have been invited.

Gold swords from the world powers, crosses of war and other costly gifts of recognition will be mere gewgaws and trinkets in the life of Pershing on home-coming day. He will receive a photograph and a revolver. The photograph—faded and worn and fifty years old—was a picture of Pershing's mother. It was found recently in an old album belonging to J. H. Hamilton of Laclede.

Jordan Parks, a negro, will make a second presentation overshadowing

### THE CIRCUS IS COMING

Its John Robinson's and Its the Largest and Best in This Whole Wide World.

Although old John Robinson, the original founder of the show bearing his name and conceded daddy of all circus kings, has long since joined the big parade in the "Great Beyond," the wonderful amusement institution that he created still lives and thrives and will exhibit in Johnson City on Friday, Sept. 19.

An event always of extraordinary interest to big folks and little folks alike is the traditional street parade, and this the management of the big circus promises will be given in all the brilliant splendor and tinselled glory of these fascinating features that have so endeared the street display to the public fancy and affection.

The big elephants (the John Robinson show claims to have the biggest herd with any circus this season) are assured beforehand of a generous shore of the kiddies' roasted peanuts. The attractively carved wagons, the allegorical floats and golden chariots, the richly plumed and caparisoned horses and ponies, the grotesqueries of the clowns, the inspiring music of many bands, the other musical contrivances and the shrill staccato of the steam calliope, the roaring of the caged wild animals—all these and more besides will be seen in the inspiring forenoon street procession.

"Were you very sick with the flu Rastus?"

"Sick? Sick? Man, ah was so sick mos' every night ah look in dat er casualty list for mah name!"—Whizz-Bang (Boston Base Hospital.)

ceremonies accorded by President Wilson, King George and other notables. Parks will return to Pershing an old-fashioned revolver given the negro when John Pershing left for West Point.

"I've been offered as high as \$100 for it," said Parks. "I wouldn't have traded it for a farm."

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### Report of Equalization Board

To the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Greenville:—

The undersigned, appointed by you as Board of Equalization, beg to report that in accordance with notice given through the daily paper, the Board met in the Recorder's Office, later transferring to the Grand Jury Room, where they worked assiduously for seven days, going carefully over all assessments made by your Assessor, Mr. LaRue, and to the best of their ability equalizing the same, one property as compared with another.

We found that your Assessor has been very conscientious and thorough in his work and we found the valuations placed on the property very uniform and in the main correct. His record shows that a great deal of detailed attention was given to the matter and doubtless most of the property visited and personally examined before its value was fixed. We believe that the values as now adjusted by the Board are as nearly correct as they can be made and represent their present cash valuation. A number of pieces of property have been sold since the Board valued them and none so far less than the price fixed by the Board.

In view of the fact that the present valuation is a very radical change from the ridiculously low figures at which they have been previously assessed, the Board would recommend that for the present year at least the taxes be assessed at 50% of the valuations placed upon the property by the Board and the tax rate then so regulated as to bring the requisite amount of revenue. At the time of assessing the property for 1920 we should recommend another thorough examination of all properties and careful valuation of the same and the assessment then be made at its full and actual cash value with a reduced rate to correspond.

It is very evident that a very small percent of the personal property of the citizens is reported. Just how this is ever to be arrived at and each and every one assessed according to what he actually should be is a difficult problem to solve. We believe, however, that a printed list of all items usually found in a home should be used and each room inventoried and the property valued according to the same standard in all homes the Assessor visiting each home and satisfying himself as to the probable value of the contents of the home and getting direct answers to questions relative to jewelry, personal possessions and outstanding loans.

Your Board gave due notice in the papers that they would be in session on August the 19th for hearing any complaints or corrections that might be made. Quite a number appeared but after being shown the assessments of other property in the same neighborhood seemed to be satisfied, with a few exceptions. In the matter of these exceptions the Board as a body met on Monday, September 1st, visited all the property in question, comparing the valuation with surrounding property and adjusted same to the best of their ability and in a manner which we think will be satisfactory to all concerned.

September 2nd, 1919.  
Respectfully submitted,  
HENRY R. BROWN, Chm.  
S. H. HUMPHREYS, Sec.  
J. F. MOORE.  
A. M. COX.  
T. V. RHEA.

"This kissing a fighting man must embarrass him."  
"Why don't they let the girls pin on the medals?"

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### BIBLE'S CHAPEL

The death angel has again visited our community and claimed aunt Mary Ragan. Aunt Mary was a good, religious woman, and was loved by all who knew her. She was 63 years old and was never married. "Weep not, brothers and sisters, for aunt Mary is only sleeping in Jesus."

The prayer meeting and Sunday school at Bible's Chapel is getting along nicely. We wish everybody would attend so that we might have a better Sunday school and prayer meeting. Sunday school in the afternoon at 2:30 and prayer meeting every Sunday night.

There will be preaching here the fourth Sunday in this month in the afternoon at 3:30. Everybody invited.

Misses Claude and Cora Lee Bible, who have been teaching school, were the guests of their parents, Saturday night.

The melon slicing at Bible's Chapel was largely attended Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Keicher, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hawk and Miss Mabel Keicher and brother, Reuben, were guests of friends and relatives at this place Saturday night and Sunday.

Misses Pearl Ragan and Nora Bible spent part of last week with friends and relatives in Greenville. They returned home Saturday night.

Miss Chassie Pates, our school teacher, was visiting her home folks Saturday night and Sunday.

Misses Maud and Kate Stephens were in Greenville Saturday, accompanied by Miss Bonnie Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Han: were the guests of friends near Bible's Chapel Saturday night and Sunday.

Misses Claude and Mari: Bible called on Maud and Nora Bible a little while Sunday.

Miss Ila Livingston, who has been on the sick list, is reported no better at this writing.

Miss Pearl Ragan called on Miss Nora Bible Thursday night.

Mr. Carl McCamey called on Miss Cora Ragan Sunday night.

Misses Zora and Minnie Ragan called on friends one evening last week.

Mr. Coy Stephens called on Mr. Oscar Bible one day last week.

Miss Stella Bible called on Miss Naomi Self one afternoon last week.  
SCHOOL CHUMS.

### UNION CHAPEL

Quite a number of our farmers are cutting and curing their tobacco.

Rev. George Dunbar filled his regular appointment at Green Ridge Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Roberts spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hobson Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Roberts and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. Ada Painter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Laws spent Sunday with friends near Pilot Hill.

Mr. Spurgeon Broyles and Miss Lillie Hampton were out riding Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McKee called on Nat Broyles Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gray called on James Hampton Sunday.

Mr. Fullen Roberts spent Sunday with Robert Helton.

Mr. Bruce McKee and Mel Floyd were in our burg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Broyles spent Saturday night with F. M. Broyles.

Mrs. G. W. Roberts and children called on Mrs. Fullen Roberts Sunday.

Mrs. John Richardson and Voma Broyles called on Mrs. Robert Helton Sunday.

Mr. Dan Gray is having a dwelling house erected. Mr. Burgner is doing the carpenter work.  
SWEETHEART.

More new...  
"Eh?"  
"I see the logs the kaiser saws are about 2 inches in diameter."

### Machine Gun Fire Mows Down Boston Rioters

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—Two men and a boy were killed last night in turbulent riots growing out of the police strike. There were numerous injuries of a minor nature to members of mobs, police officers and state guardsmen.

The most serious disturbances were in the vicinity of Scollay Square and South Boston. Cavalrymen charged the crowds and a machine gun was used, one man being killed and several wounded by its fire. At a late hour the mob was still uncontrolled.

Property damage was slight compared to that inflicted by the wild rampage Tuesday night.

One of the most serious elements in the complicated outlook was the possibility of sympathetic strikes by labor unions which have declared their support of the policemen's union. Like the Patrolmen's organization, most of these unions are affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. The state branch of the federation, at its annual convention in Greenfield yesterday, instructed all Boston unions to vote tonight on the question of action to back up the policemen.

Scollay Square was threatened all day yesterday and well into the night. The crowd early became riotous and cavalrymen were sent to disperse it.

The mob surged in and out of the square. Shots were fired and an unidentified man was killed. A woman was wounded in the arm, a middle-aged volunteer policeman was so badly beaten up that he was removed to a hospital and three cavalrymen were hit over the heads by bottles and other missiles and also were given hospital treatment. After infantry reinforcements arrived the square was finally cleared.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Dr. W. H. Hawkins, deceased, all parties having claims against said estate will present them to me duly verified. All persons owing the estate will call at my office and settle with me at once.  
CHAS. H. BEWLEY, Administrator.  
Aug. 30th, sep, 6th, 13th, 20-4t. dly.

FOR SALE:—I have 140 acres of land; 65 acres creek bottom, will make from 75 to 80 bushels of corn or two tons of soja bean hay; price, \$7,500; terms to suit purchaser; will give from two to five years if necessary; owner don't need money. I also have several farms from 40 to 300 acres; will sell 40 acres farm joining 50 acres, for \$1,250, and the 50 acres for \$1,650, with good improvements and storehouse in forks of road, two miles from railroad. Will give terms on all. C. H. WOODARD, Cohutta, Ga., the garden spot of the world. 2-144-3t.

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### GRAND VIEW

Farmers of this neighborhood are very busy cutting tobacco.

It will only be a few days now until we will be cutting corn and making molasses.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mitchell spent the week end with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Loyd.

Miss Mary Loyd spent Saturday night with Miss Lue Fisher.

Misses Ella McCurry and Gussie Hall spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. Hall.

Mr. W. F. Mitchell will have an ice cream supper, ball game and cake and candy walk, watermelon race etc. at Grand View Saturday evening, September 13th, and night. Come out and enjoy yourself.

Miss Mary Loyd, who is teaching at Gass' Bridge, spent the week end with home folks.

Misses Fannie Maupin, Emma Peters and Mary Loyd were business visitors in Greenville Saturday.

Mrs. S. C. Lloyd called on Mrs. Mary Thomason Sunday.

Misses Gertrude and Leota Dawney called at the Bright home one day last week.

BLUE EYES.

## CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BEDSIDE

### Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For Her Recovery.

Roysa City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kilman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl...my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me...but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable...I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot... I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it... I commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me... for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a well, strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardui. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less... I continued right on taking the Cardui until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life... I have never had any trouble from that day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, backache, pains in sides, or other discomforts, each month? Or do you feel weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so, give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial.

J. T.

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Now thousands of owners know from daily service just how good a car the Essex is.

### So the Matter of Delivery Is All

That is about the only question buyers now ask.  
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