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HUNS FEAR NEGROES

Offer Reward for Each Colored Soldier Captured.

Now Attract Great Attention in Occupied Sections of Germany.

With the American Army of Occupation.—Wherever American negroes have appeared in the area occupied by the Americans they have attracted great attention among the civilians.

In Treves, Coblenz and other places, during the early days of the occupation, crowds assembled wherever any negro soldiers stopped in the streets, and it was necessary for the military police to enforce the orders prohibiting gatherings in the public thoroughfares. Even yet in Coblenz and Treves, where there are a number of negro soldiers, the negroes attract crowds of German children every time they appear in the streets.

The German soldier also regards the negro with great curiosity. According to a discharged German soldier in Bengersdorf, the German army, early in the war, offered a reward of 400 marks for the capture alive of each negro. The discharged German soldier said that throughout the war German soldiers lived in great fear, and even terror, of the negroes, and it was in order to overcome this fear that rewards were offered.

One evening on the front a scouting party, consisting of ten Germans, including the discharged soldier, encountered two French negroes. In a fight which followed one of the negroes escaped, the other being taken prisoner. In the fight two of the Germans left their comrades and ran to the protection of their own trenches, but these, it was explained, were young soldiers and untrained. The reward of 400 marks subsequently was divided among the remaining six Germans for capturing the French negro.

FORM CLOTHES TO BE VOGUE

Plump Gentlemen May Need "Stays" to Get Away With Newest in Masculine Adornment.

Atlantic City, N. J.—Form clothes will be the vogue during the present year. So decrees the National Association of Merchant Tailors, which is discussing styles in annual convention here.

All delegates emphasize the form fitting trend of the time. Some of them went so far as to suggest that mature gentlemen of a plump, if not corpulent, tendency will need "stays" to get away with the newest things in masculine adornment.

According to the terms of the trade masculine styles for the ensuing 12 months are to be sprightly without conspicuousness; dashing without verging on extremes; youthful in temperament and inspirational. In place of the inevitable summer flannels of the past men will wear recreational raiment, fashioned of silk, fine linens, and other delicate fabrics. Even the prosaic sack suit of business is to have a "swing" imparted to it by a high waistline and a long vent back.

But it is in sporty toggery that the styles are going to go the limit. Coats will be strapped and tabbed and plaited. Riding coats are to have flaring skirts, a back vent running to the high waistline, diagonal jetted pockets, and upon both sides with an additional outside pocket, neatly flapped, to carry change.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
 Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
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HE DOESN'T LIKE GERMANS

South Dakota Farmer Objects to Neighbors, Sells His Place and Will Move Away.

Sioux Falls, S. D.—Refusing to live longer in Lincoln township, Douglas county, because it is populated almost exclusively with persons of German birth or descent, William McMahon, a farmer of the township, announces that he has sold his farm in "Germany," as he terms the township, and will locate where the English language is spoken.

McMahon has felt lonely since the election in November. When the vote was counted in Lincoln township it was found that he had cast the only Republican vote and that all other electors in the township had voted the Nonpartisan league ticket, which is alleged to have been backed by every German and pro-German.

Dog Attacks Airplane.
 Tulsa, Okla.—A bulldog seized the propeller of one of a fleet of five airplanes from Fort Sill just as they were leaving. The machine was wrecked and the dog killed. The fleet had to delay their trip back to the fort until a new blade had been installed.

Tractor and Sled Solve Blocked Line Problem

Cottonwood Falls, Kan.—When the recent heavy snow fall blocked the electric line between this city and Strong City, Frank Hoel, living here, quickly solved the transportation problem. He attached his big tractor to a big sleigh, 18 feet long, and carried passengers between the two towns. From eighteen to thirty-five people were accommodated on each trip.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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 Department of the Interior,
 U. S. Land Office at LaGrande, Oregon, Feb. 6th, 1919.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ira D. Staggs, of Keating, Oregon, who, on April 1st, 1915, made Homestead, Entry No. 014478, for S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Lot 2, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Lots 3 and 4, Section 31, Township 9 North, Range 44 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Woodson L. Patterson, United States Commissioner, at his office, at Baker, Oregon, on the 7th day of April, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses: T. O. Welch, Richland, Ore.; M. D. Goodman, Baker, Oregon; A. B. Miller, Richland, Ore.; M. S. Howard, Durkee, Ore.

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COLOR AS HEALTH AID

Famous English Specialist Expounds New Theory.

Claims Color Schemes in Decorating Will Make People Healthier and Happier.

London.—Kemp Prosser, the famous English color specialist, has been conducting some interesting experiments which he hopes the British government will adopt for decorating houses during the reconstruction period. He maintains that the adoption of his color schemes will make the British both healthier and happier.

Interviewed in his two "health rooms," one with walls of sunlight yellow and the ceiling sky blue, with blue net curtains at the windows, Mr. Prosser declared that his purpose is to bring outdoors inside.

"I am doing away with my pictures," he said. "Instead I am installing these bowls of fruit, as you see, on pedestals against the background of the sunlight walls. These embroidered cushions on the chairs aid in carrying out my purpose with their flower designs."

Then the color specialist led the way to the other room, in which the dominating color was apple-blossom pink.

"This is the normal color," said Mr. Prosser, "because I have found that ninety-nine people out of a hundred are happiest in rooms of this shade."

CAT JUMPS ON KING'S BACK

Editors Told of Incident by Captain Merriman, Who Dined With Royalty.

Chicago.—A cat may not only look at a king but may even jump on his back and sink its claws into his shoulders—if he be the king of Italy. In proof Capt. Charles E. Merriman, formerly in charge of American propaganda in Italy, told Italian editors who tendered him a dinner recently the story of the cat that jumped on King Victor Emmanuel.

"The king was gracious enough to invite me to dine with him and his suite at his headquarters near Padua," Captain Merriman said. "I had a long conversation with him before dinner concerning my work in Italy. He speaks excellent English and asked many questions."

"Later, while we were dining, I was sitting at his right, a large Maltese cat—the royal cat—with a beautiful coat of fur, suddenly leaped up on my lap. I quietly nudged him off my knee. To my surprise he leaped up on the king's back."

"The king uttered an exclamation. I seized the cat and pulled him off, although he hung on for dear life. The king laughed heartily. I said:

"Your majesty, this means either very good or very bad luck for our common cause."

"It is very good luck for me," replied the king."

"DIP" GETS \$7,000 IN TUBE

Morris Bleender Loses Savings of Seven Years in Subway in New York.

New York.—While riding in the Fourth avenue subway on his way uptown in Manhattan or in an interborough train of the Seventh avenue line, to which he changed at Canal street, the pocket of Morris Bleender was picked of \$7,000.

Bleender came on a Sea Beach train from Brooklyn. He had in his trousers pocket four \$1,000 bills and thirty \$100 bills, with which he intended to buy two motor trucks with which to start a business. He had been saving the money for seven years.

When he left the train he felt his pocket and discovered the money was gone.

Furs From the Arctic.

Capt. Louis L. Lane, a veteran of the Arctic trader and miner, is on his way to northern Canada as an advance scout for a vast chain of fur supply stations to be operated by a Boston firm. More than \$1,000,000 worth of choice furs annually will be shipped to Seattle, Wash., from the company's stations and then distributed throughout the country.

"We have 28 fur stations along the Athabaska, Peace and Mackenzie rivers and expect to establish 25 more," said Lane when he departed. "From the mouth of the Mackenzie the furs will be shipped around Point Barrow to Seattle, a distance of 8,500 miles."

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Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the directors held on the 8th day of Feb. 1919 two assessments were levied to be paid during the ensuing year. The first assessment is for 50c per share levied on the capital stock of the corporation payable August, 1st, 1919 to J. Roscoe Lee, Sec. at his home. Any stock upon which this assessment may remain unpaid on Aug. 7th, 1919 will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction and unless payment is made before will be sold Oct. 6, 1919 to pay the delinquent assessment together with the cost of advertising and expense of sale. The second assessment is for an additional levy of \$5.07 on the capital stock of the corporation, payable now at any time up to Nov. 15, 1919, said assessment to be paid J. Roscoe Lee, Sec. at his home. Any stock upon which this assessment may remain unpaid on Nov. 15, 1919 will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold Dec. 27, 1919 to pay the delinquent assessment together with the cost of advertising and expense of the sale. This last assessment is to meet the mortgage on the aforesaid ditch together with the interest that will have accrued by the end of the year.
 Feb. 13,—Mch. 13.

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 Department of the Interior,
 U. S. Land Office at LaGrande, Oregon, Feb. 24th, 1919.

NOTICE is hereby given that George D. Simonis, whose postoffice address is Richland, Oregon, did, on the 28th day of May, 1918, file in this office Sworn Statement and Application, No. 019174, to purchase the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 10, S 12 N W 1-4, Sec. 11, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 2, Township 10 South, Range 44 East, Willamette Meridian, and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, and acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," at such value as might be fixed by appraisal, and that, pursuant to such application, the land and timber thereon have been appraised, \$400.00; that said applicant will offer final proof in support of his application and sworn statement on the 23rd day of May, 1919, before Charles A. Shelton, United States Commissioner, at Halfway, Oregon.

Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate a contest at any time before patent issues, by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts that would defeat the entry.

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