

MR. HASELDEN COMPLAINS

Of the Method of Distributing Seed and Working the Roads.

Editor County Record:—

Will you please publish a few rambling remarks on different subjects that I think might be for the good of the country.

In the first place I want to thank the government for the supply of seed distributed in our storm stricken county, which, had it been properly handled, would have been a great blessing to our community. But it was poorly shared out. In some cases two in one family got two shares—father and son. I know this to be the case in two instances. In another, an old blacksmith received one bushel corn, one bushel peas and one-half bushel velvet beans and he never plants any outside of a garden. But that is not the worst. One man received seed—one bushel corn, one bushel peas and one-half bushel beans. This man, I think, is worth \$15,000.00. In a mile of this man is a widow who farms for a living and who did not receive a seed. Was this the way the government intended these seed should be distributed? I say, No!

I don't know who is to blame. I suppose the government employed a man to attend to this business and he might have done the best he could. If he did, put him out and get a better man, for at this time we cannot afford to have any makeshifts in the government's employ.

I fully endorse President Wilson's plan for raising an army and am ready to serve in any place that I can to make food crops go to the front. Why, I would do the humblest duty, if it was only to hold a private's horse. If it broke the bridle I would grab him by the tail if so commanded by my country.

I also want to say something about working our roads. I live on the road leading from Hemingway to Kingstree. My proposition is this: I will fix and keep in good condition a short section of road near my house if the neighbors in Hemingway will bring it to my house and the next nearest resident on the road will join in and continue the work to Kingstree. If any and everybody along the road will join me in the movement, let us meet and divide the roads and we will have good roads and we can do it before breakfast.

Have patience, Mr Editor, just a few more words and I am through for the present.

I see in the News and Courier and The County Record complaints from farmers all over the country about larks pulling their corn. Well, I want to give you a warranted preventative. When you plant your corn, about the time you think it is peeping through watch the field. "Get up before the lark." If you see the birds have pulled one hill shell down some corn and when he comes back for more he will eat the corn on top of the ground and will not pull a bite. Pulling corn is work and Mr Lark has been associated with the white folks so long that he will not work if he can make a living without it.

Well, I will close. I am a poor speller and a bad writer, but I am a good mathematician. I know that two and two make four and one and one make two. Respectfully,
J P HASELDEN.

Hemingway, April 24.

The American steamship Mongolia has the honor of striking the first blow for the United States in this war. Thursday it sunk a German submarine in British waters. The news has caused great rejoicing. It is remarkable that April 19 commemorates also the first bloodshed in the revolution and the civil war.

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"These spells of stomach trouble started like an attack of colic, and the pain spread over his back and hips. He had spells of kidney colic, too, the doctors told him.

"Mr Scott took six bottles of Tanlac, taking the last about eight months ago. He doesn't have those spells now, and he has had only one since he started taking Tanlac, and that was the lightest he ever had since they became severe. He does not suffer with indigestion now, either, and the Tanlac gave him a great appetite. He was relieved of those terrible headaches which used to almost drive him crazy. He will tell anybody that Tanlac did him as much good as did all the other medicines he took put together."

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KAISER ASKED TO ABDICATE?

Such Is Report—Monarch Turned Pale at the Proposition.

Rome, April 24—(Via Paris)—The Corriere d'Italia, the Clerical organ, declares that it is able to confirm reports, published in the Spanish newspapers, that the immediate following of the German Emperor is exerting pressure on him to abdicate. The paper says that at a recent meeting of the Hohenzollern family, one member, bolder than the rest, intimated that the Emperor might save the situation by following the example of Emperor Nicholas.

The German monarch is reported to have turned pale, and after observing that the general opinion was against him, left the room muttering: "We shall see."

The same evening he summoned another family council. The chancellor and some of the ministers were present, but whatever passed remains unknown.

Little importance is attached to this story in Italian political circles. In these quarters it is thought that the story has a German origin, and is put out with the intention of influencing opinion.

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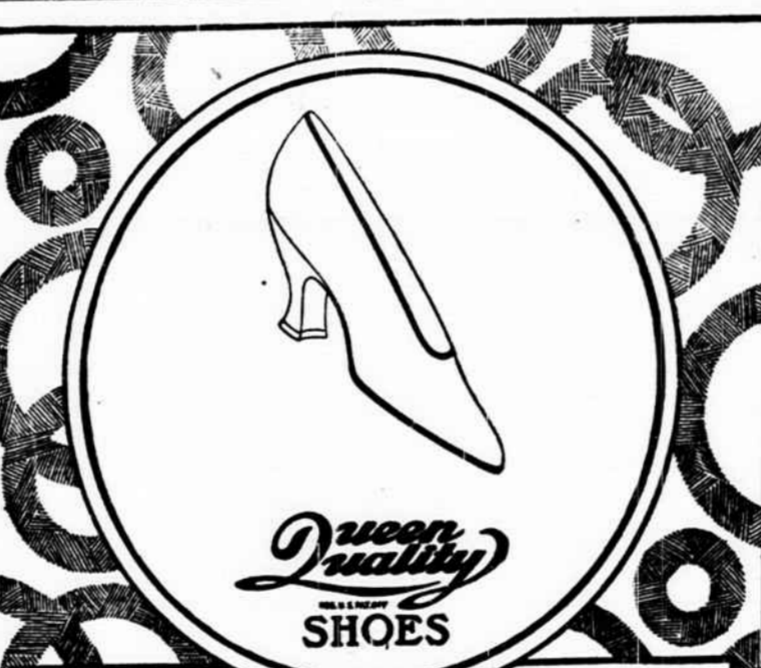


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