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MAY HIS SHADOW NEVER GROW LESS!

The tumble in the price of flour yesterday is the first positive and direct evidence that the food administrator bill now pending in congress has teeth. Food Administrator Hoover has talked so diplomatically about its provisions that many people were deceived into thinking that it would probably have little effect on prices, one way or the other.

Within the past few days however, it has refused to dip. become apparent that the bill would pass the House immediately and the senate eventually, extinguished. that being the safest way to forecast senatorial organizations and the great American public, ture. who have been robbed for months by food prospect for the early passage of the bill has lature to consider. scared the food pirates and the heavy drop in flour prices is the result.

In explaining the Food Control bill to the and rice is suffering from drouth. senators earlier in the week, Mr. Hoover talked in plain language. He said that food speculators for the past five months had robbed the her home at Morgan City collapsed with her. American people of fifty million dollars a month, a total of two hundred and fifty million Hammond and sent to the federal officers on dollars. Flour, he said has been selling for \$5 suspicion. a barrel more than the price of wheat justifies. The farmer is not getting this graft. The average price at which he sold his wheat last year avas \$1.30 a bushel.

"The average prices to the consumers in died of blood poisoning. countries where food administration is now in effect are lower than those in the United specting good roads in near-by parishes. States," he said. "In England the price of bread is even 25 per cent below the price we alusa is running on double shift. pay. I believe that unless some administrathese prices as being moderate.

few other principal commodifies Mr. Hoover his clothes ablaze. said, is being contemplated.

"Provisions for the government to buy and Crowley on charge of criminal assault. sell commodities will be necessary for use only as to a very few prime commodities," he said. "The aim is to stabilize prices and thus eliminate speculation. The balance wheel for stabilizing prices is gone. We need an artificial at Crowley. sion we can buy wheat, regulate its storage and tion Co.'s shipbuilding plant at Morgan City sorted to such methods, even when thews was thrust through the balance wheel. By setting up a wheat commistransportation and handle it until exported or has begun sold in this country.

all. It will control indirectly the price by buy-persons and wounded four. Leo Rusca, former possible for the submarines to risk. ing and selling—buying wheat if it gets too low police chief of Natchitoches, was among the if they were 'white." to protect the farmer, selling the consumerand taking absolute charge of the apportionment of the export of wheat. Next year it will to encourage the sowing of the largest wheat brother's death. acreage in the Nation's history."

force of Mr. Hoover's argument, but their men. Half of the parishes have furnished less points were turned aside. One wanted to know than 5. St. Mary, on the contrary, has furnish escape to those below decks. why Mr. Hoover did not attempt to stop all food ed 94 with a quota of only 78. robbery, instead of only a few articles.

"If people choose to eat lobster and the un- non parish police jury. equal distribution of the supply of lobsters causes some man to be charged an extortionate about \$29,000 for their twenty five cars shipped price for his lobster, it doesn't interest me." Hoover finally interrupted. "If we can police the route of six or seven staples from produc- shooting near Franklinton. tion through the channels of trade to the consumer and see to it that only normal profits meeting at Franklinton. are taken and no illegitimate profits are plastered on, we can ameliorate the condition of endowment of \$100,000, raised by citizens of 75 to 80 per cent of the people of this country. Shreveport.

That is all we propose to do. The effect of Mr. Hoover's argument was corn and other crops planted. marked, as far as the senators were concerned. but was even greater on the food pirates who the parish jail. acknowledged its truth yesterday by giving up a portion of the spoils. If the shadow of Hoov- at Shreveport were each 16 years old. The ers Food Control policy has such a good of bride was making her second venture, having When the ship gave signs of surfeet, its reality ought to furnish a partial re- just obtained a divorce from a previous render the firing generally stopped hief from extortionate demands and food husband.

The Japanese premier sees so many crises that will follow the making of peace that he evidently believes that it will be safer to keep \$1.594.85 from a car load of hogs shipped to St. on fighting.

Prince Louis of Battenberg has changed his name to the Marquis of Mount Batten, to allay British prejudice against Teutonic titles. Louis would have done even better if he had emulated the example of a Chicago girl who married Count Gysieka a few years ago and has just been granted a divorce. In her petition she asked that her name be made Mrs. Gysicka, as she never wanted to hear herself called eountess or by any other title as long as she lived. But perhaps Louis doesn't feel that

A palpitating newspaper correspondent relates that a woman who had just been convicted of murder at Steubenville, Ohio, rushed to it was imbedded in the mud, too fifty property-owners for alleged the third-story window of the court house and cast herself to the pavement "a hundred feet below." This proves that stories in Steubenville are of magnificent dimensions.

Whenever anyone is detected in an ugly or immoral situation, he always begins to talk about the "bourgeois opinions of humanity."

Perhaps one reason for the suspension of the carnival might be found in the fact that these are bad years for Rexes.

AOUISIANA CONDENSED

The district attorney of Quachita has filed charges against eleven cattle owners who have

The burning gas well at Monroe has been

The boys and girls of Lincoln parish have action. The senate has heard from the labor taken a three day training course in agricul-

More drastic regulations in the cattle tick sharks, and realizes that it is its move. The fight may be one of the subjects for the legis-

> The pumping plants in Acadia have all closed on account of salt water in the bayous, warfare in the words of the man, the Germans deliberately gutted the

Miss Mamie Dalton was seriously injured when a gallery railing on the second story of

A stranger named Weber was picked up at

Over \$1,250,000 has been invested in the of ships which feed Britain pass tacked 150 miles out at sea.

natural gas field near Monroe. Laurance Goncienne whose hand was crushod in a Morgan City factory two weeks ago.

"Sf. John parish police jurors are out in-

The Great Southern Lumber plant at Bog-

Hammond is suffering from the false fire- Americans were imperilled or their sweethearts, mothers or wives. then of our food is taken we will look back at alarm humorist and offers \$10 for his capture. taries on the back at alarm humorist and offers \$10 for his capture. Claude O'Mera, an electrician, died at Boga-

A commission to take charge of production lusa from burns. While he was working on a the shrieks of mothers for their decks for an hour and put through [tion, Carrollton avenue, Short, Jeanand distribution of flour, sugar, and possibly a switchboard a flash from a short circuit set murdered babies; seen men stark the third degree as to the routes of nette and Birch, \$1,550 cash, \$5,000 gineers. During the Spanish-Amer-

Martin Henry was held in \$7,500 bond at

Mayor Paul J. Lacroix, heading the "duck" ticket won at Covington over R. L. Aubert, the full-throated indignation of this used up a whole hour in preparing heading the "pelican" ticket by three majority. The homecanning idea is taking good root

Work on the Union Bridge and Construc- civilized government would have re-

George Pykes, a drug crazed negro, ran Now that the arming of American on her deck. They were left flour-"The government doesn't intend to fix a amuck with a shot gun near Natchitoches and merchant ships and the effective- dering in the water to swim to the minimum price for this year's wheat crop at before he was killed by the sheriff killed two ness of the patrols makes it im- empty lifeboat as best they could. slain and Supt. of Education Hudson was seriously injured.

Judge J. R. Land of Shreveport may run for been driven to attack ships sub- with incendiary bombs. The Amerguarantee the farmer a minimum price in order the supreme court vacancy caused by his merged-using the torpedo almost ican sailors drifted about the At-

Louisiana has furnished so far only one-Several senators attempted to break the third of its quota for the regular army, 3.312

T. J. Addison is now president of the Ver-

The Rapides Irish potato growers received escaping crews of passerger ships, picked up. They lived until the to the north.

Tom Creel, aged 24, committed suicide by conia, which was sunk near mid-

Rev. T. B. Price is conducting a revival

Centenary college begins next year with an days before "ruthless" warfare- buccaneer" comedy. They were

Avoyelles boy farmers have 325 acres of

The Tangipahoa grand jury has condemned by the warning shots, Frost said.

E. T. Fillingen, a turpentine operator, fell in Red river while drunk. The police fished him out and then made a charge of drunken-

The Hammond stock club recently netted

ITEMS OUT OF THE ORDINARY FROM THF DAY'S COURT GRIND

Mississippi river near Chalmette a against. Claude. Lucas, a. laborer and state. year ago, and subsequent efforts by charged with the theft of copper Henry Peters to raise it, have led wire valued at \$18 from the customto a \$2,000 damage suit against Petz ers in the civil court. The plain- cled; one against C. L. Buker for tiff, is the Pelican Transportation an alleged shipment of liquor into company owner of the barge.

gaged to raise the barge out of the river. Owing, however, to the fact! that he did not make any allowance | CISTERNS MUST BE ABOLISHED for the accumulated mud and silt in I the sunken craft, and to the fact that Affidavits have been filed against much force was applied to free it. violation of the sanitary laws. They with the result that the barge broke (are, charged with keeping, cisterns in two parts, and had to be sunk in the middle of the river.

GRAND JURY INDICTS SIX

Three Alleged Violators of Conscrip tion Law in the Number

Included in six infictments re yesterday afternoon were three against alleged violators of the conscription law who failed to register serving iail terms.

Three other indictments were re- Anita Sangetta divorce,

The sinking of a barge in the turned by the grand jury. One is tary public in and for this parish house building, now being remoddry territory; and one against An-It is asserted that Peters was en- thony Moltura, charged with violating the Mann act.

OR LAWSUITS WILL RESULT on their premises, and the cases will be pushed, it is announced. It is the determination of the health authorities to do away altogether with cisterns in the city of New Orleans, and this is the opening of the final campaign.

turned by the Federal grand jury SUITS FILED IN DISTRICT COURT The following suits have been

filed in civil district court: Succession of Thes. M. Madden; on June 5. The names of the three Pelican Transportation Co. vs. Henry men are withheld. Two other men Peters, claim, \$2,000; Michel Zilberwere indicted recently, and are now man vs. Premier Motor corporation. attachment, \$934.01; Peter Bazile vs

Lie in Wait Like Assassins Says Frost of Submarines

marine war grows more barbarous. The sufferings of these crews who every day. It has now reached the were picked up by patrol boats were plane of deliberate murder for every terrible. Many of them were never ship sunk and will so continue to picked up. The men probably went the end. It is not the fault of the mad and leaped into the sea. The Germans that every torpedo does case of the Cairnhall, To British not produce a Lusitania massacre," freighter with a crew of sixteen

who probably knows more about the lifeboats and threw the provisions human side of the sea tragedy than, which the men had placed in the any other American.

consul at Queenstown, the port on their job complete, filled it with salt the southwestern coast of Ireland water. The boat's sails were taken where all the Atlantic ocean lanes off and that was practically the to Britain come together. Off the Only hope of getting to land if the shores of Queenstown the thousands, wind were favorable, "She was atday and night.

Has Seen Hundreds of Victims teries on the Irish hillsides dotted thrown into the sea. The first ofwith fresh mounds. He has heard ficer, mad with the tortures of hunger other ships. and thirst, brought in from dayand nights in foodless lifeboats.

It is with difficulty that he can be induced to talk, but when he does, the drama of frightfulness, as they terrible in its intensity.

Like an Assassin in Ambush

The submarines are now so fear-Out of six passenger ship sinkings

Hideons as this assassination from ambush is, it does not equal the wanton crimes committed in the when the submarines came to the surface and attacked with confice

The warning given in these cases was simply the beginning of the attack, and sailors were often killed A genuine young couple who were united to save the expensive torpedoesworth \$7,000 apiece-of which a submarine can carry only a few. The crew took to their hoats. Un- litely at first, were taken to the place 150 and 200 miles off shore.

Give Victims no Assistance In only one case did the submarine offer to assist the victims by

Washington, June 21.—"The sub- towing their boats toward the land That is the kaiser's unrestricted men, five of whom were Americans, boat into the sea, emptied the water He is Wes'ey Frost, American keg of fresh water, and, to make

While the German's were indulgling in these pranks with the lifeboat a bombing party was wrecking Frost is in Washington for a rest, the ship, and the men were kept For more than two years he has standing on the deck of the submabeen in attendance at the funerals rine. The German officers searched of merchant ships struck down by them. Most of them had little kitty the underwater terror. It has been bags or bandana handkerchiefs in his task to collect the evidence as which they carried a few little perto sixty-five sinkings in which sonal keepsakes such as photos of

Try to Drown Sailors

The Germans overplayed this litclean-cut young American is almost the lifeboat as a torture chamber for the men who were to be set "The German guilt is double," said adrift in it, A destroyer's smoke Frost today. "In the first place, no was seen on the horizon and the Germans made haste to dive. Matit was, sinking ships occasionally hatchway and the submarine dived without murdering non-combatants, with the sixteen men still standing

The American schooner Woodgiving warning, they would drop it ward. Abrams, was attacked 400 limites off shore. Captain Van Namme and his crew of eight were put in a lifeboat while the Germans Now that the submarines have set the lumber-laden schooner afire exclusively-the murder roll is lantic for two days and two nights bound to grow, Frost explained, when they were picked up by an-Most ships when struck by a tor-lother lumber schooner, the Norwepedo go down in two or three min- gian Anna Maria. She was submautes, which gives no opportunity of rined 200 miles off shore and the men again took to the lifeboats. The crew of the Anna Maria were never ful of exposing themselves to deck seen again. After another twentyguns of slowly sinking ships that four hours adrift Captain Van they seldom come up to question the Namme and the Americans were Norwegians died. Frost believes investigated by him this happened from the evidence sifted by him in only one case that of the La- that the submarine commanders are widely different. Some of them delight in making their work as fiendish as possible, Frost said. Some of them, when they can lose nothing by it, put on a little "gentlemanly very polite to the crews they shoved off into the boats, expressed regret and hopes for a speedy rescue. In no case, however, did this po-

liteness affect their interests. It This sort of warning was given only boat was sighed or another victim on that amount." The size of the appeared. In such cases the mask alimony is as yet undetermined. was dropped.

Not All Enjoy the Work A British stewardess and her hus-

officers. One of those was related cape them.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Joseph V. Guillotte to State (atisiana, bond for \$10,000 for faithul performance of duties as a no-

FIRST DISTRICT,

Richard Leinweber and wife to Erato, \$.2730; cash.

ng and Loan association, lot, Tu-\$2,500; cash.

Purchaser to vendor, same proprty, \$2,500; terms.

Mrs. Henry L. Taylor to Thomas Egan, lot, Calliope, Franklin, Clio and Rampart, \$2,500; eash.

Mrs. John Lyons to Edward Flan agan, lot, Bolivar, Gravier, Bertrand and Perdide; lot, Gravier, St. Adeline, Bolivar and Bertrand, \$1,700;

Same to same, lot, Perdido, Grader, Boman and Bolivar, \$700; cash. SECOND DISTRICT.

Emile Loustau to Miss Anna L. Howard, two fots, Milne, Catina, Harney and brooks, \$55.13; cash. THRD DISTRICT.

Home Builders' Rea ty Co. to Mrs. Mathilda Muschett, lot. Roseland Sage, \$70; cash,

Mrs. Delphine Ducournau to Mrs. lara Queyrouse, portion, Villere, Marais, Kerlerec and Columbus.

Home Builders' Realty Co. to Mrs. ohanna Logan, two lots, Lily, Cariation and Rose avenue, \$90; cash. FOURTH DISTRICT.

Succession of Thomas Tomeny to William Runkel, five lots, Second, Broad, Dargenois and Melpomene, \$530; cash.

Giacemo Sardegnia to Sam Trilico, lot, Philip, First, Clara and Willow, \$750; cash.

FIFTH DISTRICT. West New Orleans Realty Co. to

Anthony Shure, square, W. Therville, W. Bienville, Winner and Behreem 8650; casti. SIXTH DISTRICT.

association to Frank L. Gautier, lot, Magazine, Constantinople, Constance and Marengo, \$2,100; terms. Felix Baque et al. to Dixie Hometead association, three lots, Napo-

Sixth District Building and Loan

leon avenue. Tchoupitoulas , Jena and Water, \$1,000; cash. Purchaser to vendor, same prop

erty, \$1,000; terms. Mrs. Thomas L. McKnight to Otto B: Kibele, two lots, Audubon, Nelon, Audubon boulevard and Mobile, \$1,500; cash.

Alfred H. Syrett to David Freeman, lot, Camp, Chestnut, Upperline and Lydns, \$1.600; cash. CREDIT SALES.

John Dymond, Jr., to J. Gustave

Dixie Homestead association to Selix Baque et al., three lots, Napoleon avenue, Tchoupitou'as, Jena and Water, \$1,000; mortgage.

Industrial Homestead association to Mrs. Anna N. Hemard, two lots, St Ann, Rendon, Lopez and Orleans, \$1,500; mortgage.

PREDICTS EMPLOYMENT OF WOMEN ON RAILWAYS

Parsons, Kan., June 23 .- If the war entinues three years more many of the railroads of the United States American embassy in Berlin. At the will be operated 'argely by women, in the opinion of H. F. Anderson, general manager of the Mis-ouri. Kansas and Texas railway. The time at the front making observa-'Katy" has established a railroad tion. training school for women in Dallas.

ployed in the general offices of the assignment that he was brought road at Parsons, Dallas and St. Louis already have enlisted in the acmy, ago, promoted from co'oned to brigwhile many more, it is expected, adjer-general and placed at the head will be drafted. It is the plan of the 'of the War college, where he would company to fill their places with be in a better position to impart to

Mr. Anderson said that, in a gained of modern warfare, pinch, he believes women could sell in railroad stations, act as clerks in department by military observers, tickets, look after routine work in freight offices and even collect fares.

HUSBAND GETS ALIMONY INSTEAD OF HIS WIFE

Los Angeles, June 23. The usual order of things in Los Angeles was reversed when Judge Thomas ordered Mrs. Sarab Eisenring to pay ther husband, Charles, alimony.

The husband claimed that he had bought a hotel and turned it over to his wife. Mrs. Eisenring offered to give her husband \$35 a month, but his counsel objected with the prodisappeared as the smoke of a patrol test that "no white man could live

by Second Officer Kohlsaat, a naturalized British subject, who was and a boarding party from the sub- band, a sailor, who were taken be- allowed to touch off the bombs marine destroyed her with bombs low decks and questioned most po- which destroyed his own ship. In talking with the submarine captain less picked up they were left to deck and the submarine submerged, the latter expressed disgust with certain death by starvation or leaving them struggling in the wa- the work cut out for him.. With drowning, as these attacks took ter, after they had refused to give tears in his eyes, he said that subup any information. In a very few | marine captains had been put to instances there were suggestions of death by slow torture in Germany regret on the part of the submarine | for letting big passenger liners es-

May Play Part in the Great War

Brigadier - General George O. Squier, chief signal officer, was born Third District Bei ding association, in Michigan on March 21, 1865, and of, Barenne, Clio, Carondelet and appointed to the military academy July 1, 1883. Upon his graduation, Purchaser to Mrs. Richard Lein- four years later, he was made a socweber, same property, sp,730; terms, and lieutenant in the Third artil-Amedee S. Merot to Dryades Build- Lery. In 1899 he was transferred to the signal corvs as a first lieutenant, ane, Carrollton, Pierce and Ulica, having been advanged to that grole while in the artiflery. In 1903 he was graduated from Johns Hopkins with the degree of Ph. D.

> General Squier is a man who achieves things. While in the size nal corps as a colonel he was placed in charge of aeronautics and with but a fimited amount of money to expend he started out to develop this service for the United States army.

His idea was to specialize in the various branches of this arm of the service and to put the members of his corps through a most intensive training. The result was that when Congress finally awakened to a true realization of what aeronautics meant to an army and increased his boulevard, Gladiolas, Wisteria and appropriation. General Squier found himself in a position to expend this appropriation judiciously. The result is that the American flier today ranks foremost among the fliers of the world.

> In the manufacture of aeroplanes the manufacturers of the country encountered obstacles; there was not enough business coming to them to advance their work. General Squier appointed boards of specialists to overcome the various individual troubles; he gave contracts to the small manufacturer in proportion to his ability to furn out machines for the army.

> Being the last great nation to adopt the aeroplanes for war purposes, General Squier was confronted in the present conflict with the realization that American masufacturers were not prepared to turn out air machines fast enough. He unmediately perfected arrangements whereby the machines for this purpose will be procured in France. All of the machines for the training of aviators will be American made.

He is regarded as a very brilliant cientist and is credited with several modern-day inventions in telegraphy and other means of tran. mission.

Brigadier-General Joseph E. Kuhn, president of the Army War college. was born in Kansas June 14, 1861. and appointed to the Military academy from that state in 1881. On June 11 1885 he was commissioned a sec ond lieutenant in the corps of enular establishment, he was commis-

sioned a major of volunteers. General Kuhn is a particularly studious type of soldier, and his work has been principally as an instructor in the various military schools of the country. He is a versatile linguist.

He has seen a great deal of actual warfare as an observer, having served as such during the Russo-Japanese war, and in the present great conflict while occupying the position of military attache to the outbreak of hostilities he was given considerable freedom by the German government and spent considerable

It was on account of the valuable Several hundred young men em- knowledge gained during this latter back to this country several months his fellow-officers the knowledge

It is the duty of the War College to collect all data furnished the war attaches and secret service operatives, and from this prepare offensive campaigns for the student officers to work out. The War college also prepares military maps from information presented to it from the above sources.

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