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NATIONAL PROHIBITION IS BROUGHT ONE STEP NEARER

Senate Adopts Amendment to Prohibit Use of Grain for Alcohol--Col. Roosevelt Wins Out

Washington, May 12.—A long step toward making the nation dry for the period of the war was taken this evening when the Senate, by a vote of 38 to 33, adopted the Cummings amendment to the Espionage bill prohibiting the use of grains for the manufacture of alcoholic beverages.

Washington, May 12.—Col. Roosevelt's fight for congressional authority to raise a division of volunteers for service in France won by a vote of 215 to 178 in the House this afternoon was re-committed in the conference report on the conscription bill with instructions to the conferees to reach an agreement to the Senate amendment authorizing the acceptance of Roosevelt's offer.

Washington, May 12.—The censorship provision in the Espionage bill was killed by the Senate today by a vote of 39 to 18. The Senate accepted Senator Johnson's amendment striking out the whole censorship provision.

Chicago, May 12.—A demand that Federal laws for the conservation of food and fuel be enacted immediately has been made by the Illinois state council of defense.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 12.—Four miners were killed by gas explosion in the Grayson mine today. The cause of the explosion is undetermined.

Another link provided in highway to the coast. Another small link in the trans-continental highway between New Orleans and the Pacific coast was provided for last week.

Food commission plan is ready for adoption. A meeting of the executive committee of the Orleans parish food commission will be held in the mayor's office at the City Hall Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

BANQUETED BY HIS ASSOCIATES TO MANAGE THE HOTEL BENTLEY

MONTELEONE HOTEL BIDS FAREWELL TO MR. APPEL

Finest Hotel in Louisiana Outside of New Orleans—Has Been With Monteleone Six Years

Monteleone Hotel, still last night, bid farewell to Mr. Appel, who for six years has been associated with the Monteleone Hotel, and who is leaving for New Orleans to manage the Hotel Bentley.

Mr. Appel is one of the best known men in the state and is well known both by followers of his profession and the general public.

Four-year-old Jules Ann St. Charles street, died in the Charity Hospital yesterday afternoon from tetanus, which resulted from a slight puncture of the hand caused by a nail, last week.

WATERWAYS PLANS ARE IN GOOD SHAPE. Men in New Orleans interested in the development of the Mississippi river for the movement of heavy freight are much encouraged by recent developments.

WAR GARDENS ENCOURAGED. New York, May 12.—To encourage food gardens, the city has cut the fee for garden hose permits from \$5 to fifty cents.

WILSON ACCEPTS BUILDING. Washington, May 12.—President Wilson this afternoon accepted on behalf of the nation the new memorial building to the American Red Cross Association.

PREFERS DEATH TO WHITE PLAGUE

Dear Partner, my wife: Please take care of the baby and yourself.

After writing this note with a shaky hand early yesterday morning, William H. James, 28, 1826 Camp Street, father of three small children, sat on the edge of his bed and drained the contents of a bottle of carbolic acid.

James was employed at the New Orleans Bayway and Light Company's power plant, Mrs. James noticed that he was downcast when he returned from work early yesterday morning and asked him what was wrong.

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Today will be 'MOTHER'S DAY'. Don't forget mother's memory today by wearing some sort of a flower to children for today is 'Mother's Day'.

COLLIDED WITH POST; UNINJURED. The lives of James Jones, 2933 Calumet street, and his wife were endangered yesterday evening when an automobile they were in got beyond control and crashed into a post at Calumet street and Jackson avenue.

GOTHAM RECRUITING CAMPAIGN. New York, May 12.—Over in Brooklyn they believe in not overlooking a bet. The recruiting forces there have strung a giant banner on the wall surrounding Calvary cemetery.

ROBBERY SUSPECT ARRESTED. Gas Harris, negro, was arrested last night by Detectives Martignetti and Marullo at Perdido and Rampart streets upon being suspected of being involved in a robbery.

FLAG WAVES OVER BIG CAR BARN

HUNDREDS ATTEND PATRIOTIC EVENT IN CARROLLTON

Pro-patriotic city officials and men in the employ of the local car barns were among those present yesterday afternoon at a flag raising at the Carrollton car barns.

Phillip Dufman was master of ceremonies, while the following gentlemen arranged the various details of the celebration.

THESE DRESSES DELIVERED. Railways Employees Made All Arrangements—Dance Wound Up the Celebration

GOOD PROGRESS IN WORK FOR BABIES. The work at the Baby Asylum is making great progress, the very necessary screening of the contagious disease ward gallery has been done.

EPILEPSY ATTACK CAUSED A DEATH. Mrs. Eugenia Benson, 39, 2543 Decatur street, who sustained a fracture of the skull when she fell in an epileptic attack at Barracks and Decatur streets Friday, died in the Charity Hospital yesterday afternoon.

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ANOTHER BRITISH DRIVE AGAINST THE GERMAN LINES

Furious Fighting is in Progress South of Lens Along the Wotan Line--Italian Transport is Sunk

London, May 12.—With three powerful onslaughts today the British resumed their drive against the Wotan line, near Arras, and gained objectives at all points.

The British established themselves in the village of Bellecourt, General Haig, in an official communique stating that the town was captured, says: "Fighting still continues."

Buenos Aires, May 12.—The Italian steamship Genoa, according to a report reaching here, is not returning.

RUSSIA FALLING INTO CIVIL WAR. Petrograd, May 12.—Internal dissolution threatens to drag Russia from its new freedom into the abyss of anarchy and civil war.

FIVE KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT. Pomona, Cal., May 12.—Five were killed when a Southern Pacific freight train struck an automobile at a suburban crossing today.

GEO. H. TERRIBERRY PRESIDENT. Elected Head of the Louisiana Bar Association Yesterday

Robbery suspect arrested. Gas Harris, negro, was arrested last night by Detectives Martignetti and Marullo at Perdido and Rampart streets upon being suspected of being involved in a robbery.