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**The Semi-Weekly News**  
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 at Chester, S. C.  
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**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20.**

**DEATH OF MRS. H. V. AULD.**  
 A bloom of sadness was cast over the city early last Saturday morning when it was learned that Mrs. H. V. Auld, nee Miss Helen McMill, died at a hospital in Charleston after only a few days illness from uremic poisoning.  
 She remains arrived in Chester Saturday evening and were laid to rest in Evergreen cemetery Sunday afternoon after service at the residence of Mr. J. W. Hood, 1257½ W. Broadway section, by Rev. D. G. Phillips, D. D., pastor of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. C. O. Reavis, D. D., of the Columbia Theological Seminary.  
 Mrs. Auld was in her twenty-third year and was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McMill, of the W. Bridge section. She graduated from Winthrop College in June 1915 and for one year taught in the Hartsville graded school. She was a bride only a few months having been united in marriage to Mr. H. V. Auld September 15th, 1916. She is survived by her young husband, one brother, Mr. Charles McMill and the following sisters: Misses Annie May, Lillian and Janie James McMill. The following were the ball-brothers: Messrs. Roy Klutz, Ernest Shannon, W. B. Cox, Jr., Dr. G. A. Henjies, Clarence F. Williams and A. C. Lyles.  
 Her untimely death is to husband, brother, sisters and other relatives a crushing blow which entails for them the sincere sympathy of a community which is itself saddened by the loss of this bright and promising young life. Everything that science could suggest and that devoted attention could execute was resorted to in the endeavor to turn the tide of an ebbing life but death had marked her for his own and even in the building of her young life the summons came.

**Death of Mrs. T. W. Estes.**  
 Mrs. Mary Kirkpatrick Estes, wife of Mr. Thomas W. Estes, died at her home in the Baton Rouge section last Friday about noon, aged 70 years.  
 Mrs. Estes was a consistent member of the New Hope church and had hundreds of relatives and friends throughout the county who mourn her loss.  
 She is survived by her husband and the following sons and daughters: Messrs W. E. Estes and John S. Estes and Mesdames W. S. Lucas and W. C. Chalk, also a sister, Mrs. G. B. Mayfield, of Louisiana.  
 The funeral services were held at New Hope church Saturday among a large concourse of relatives and friends.

**VOTE FOR W. F. STEVENSON FOR CONGRESS.**  
 In his own county he received 1,795 votes against 319 for the other candidates. In the district he has 3,776 votes against 1978 for the next highest candidate.  
 Make his election sure, and you will have a representative of vigilance, experience and ability. He has made no promises to anyone—adv.

**A CARD.**  
 My vote in my home County of Chester shows to the District that I have the confidence of those who know me best, and I am not discouraged at the result of the election in other Counties. I wish to express my renewed determination to work for the welfare of the District regardless of the outcome of the next election.  
 A. L. GASTON.  
 Death of Mrs. W. J. Bennett.  
 Mrs. Laura Brakefield Bennett, wife of Mr. W. J. Bennett, died at

her home in the New Hope section of Chester county Friday morning after a very short illness. Mrs. Bennett's condition was not considered serious and early Friday morning Mr. Bennett left home for Chester to secure medicine and upon arriving in Chester was informed of the death of his wife which occurred shortly after he left home.  
 Mrs. Bennett was a devoted member of the Baptist church and has many warm friends throughout the county who deeply mourn her loss. She is survived by her husband and four children, also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brakefield, Sr., of the Armoynia section. She leaves one brother and three sisters.  
 She was buried Saturday at Armoynia, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. J. H. Yarborough.

**OUR NEXT CONGRESSMAN.**  
 There are seven counties in the Fifth Congressional District and it is the desire of each of these counties to claim the Congressman of the district.  
 During all Congressional campaigns we hear the aspirants for this honorable office claim that if elected they will favor no particular county but will represent the entire district. We all understand this and know just how far it goes. If that were absolutely true, why is it that each county wants the man? If a York county man is elected, Congressmen, York county expects to be favored if the opportunity presents itself. We all know this, so why argue about it?  
 The two Chester county candidates have been counted out in the first primary and tomorrow the citizens of Chester county will be called upon to vote for a man from another county. We must either vote for W. F. Stevenson or Claude N. Sapp. We hope the one best adapted to fill this responsible position will be elected and we hope Chester county will vote for the winner by a large majority. In other words, it is to the advantage of Chester county to be on the winning side by big figures.  
 Suppose Mr. Sapp is elected as the next Representative of the Fifth District but receives a very small vote in Chester county, while Cherokee gives him a handsome majority, and each of the two counties mentions appeal to Mr. Sapp at some future date for the same favor, what will Mr. Sapp do?  
 For the sake of argument let us assume that Mr. Sapp and Mr. Stevenson are of equal ability to serve the district, this being the case it is to the advantage of Chester county to pick the winner and go for him strong and when a favor is asked he refers to the election returns, notes the big vote given him by Chester and acts accordingly.  
 Some may say this is not the way a thing should be handled. Well, maybe it is not the way it should be handled but it is handled this way just the same, so it is best for Chester to be with the winner.

**MITFORD NEWS.**  
 The Baseball Team of Mitford Graded School gave a Valentine Social at the school Friday night, Feb. 16. Music was furnished by the Mitford Band, Miss Catherine Moore, Miss Maggie Glasdin and Mr. James Children. Boxes were sold for the benefit of the Baseball Team and about \$25 realized.  
 Mr. Kenneth Carter of Columbia as the week-end guest in the home of Mr. R. A. Fowler.  
 Mrs. W. T. Raines has as her guest, Miss Catherine Moore.  
 Mr. Culp and Mr. Dye are the guests of Mr. W. T. Raines. They seem to be enjoying the sport of fox hunting; as the time for this sport has expired in Fairfield, they hunt across the river. So far, the foxes have made good their escape. But the hunters seem to get much pleasure from their chases.  
 The following is the Honor Roll for Mitford Graded School for month ending February 16:  
 Advanced First Grade—J. B. Glass, Ruth Keister, Fannie Thomason.  
 Third Grade—Olan Higgins, Isabelle Glass.  
 Fifth Grade—Mary Fowler.  
 Seventh Grade—Kate Dixon, Margaret Fowler, Joe Miller Glass.  
 High School—Mary Glass, Ruth Glass.

**HONOR ROLL.**  
 The following is the Honor Roll for Pleasant Grove School, past month:  
 Advanced First Grade—Elizabeth McGarity.  
 Third Grade—Bessie Wylie, Hugh Sam McGarity, Ollie Yongue.  
 Fourth Grade—Eva Wylie.  
 Sixth Grade—Wallace Wylie.  
 South Carolinians' Inauguration Special leaves Chester 9:22 P. M. Saturday March 3rd. Arriving Washington 10:40 Sunday morning. Round trip \$13.70. Call on G. W. Chitty, Ticket Agent, Southern Ry., for reservations.  
**CALLS WAR ACT OF GOD; NOT CAUSED BY ANY MAN.**  
 Rome, Feb. 15.—The Observatore Romano, organ of the Vatican, publishes a curious article protesting against discussions in the newspapers which attempt to fix the responsibility for the war upon "one cause, personal or collective, moral or material, more than upon another." The paper declares that war is itself a simply a scourge, a visitation of God, like a plague, famine or an earthquake, and rebukes those who would attribute the present struggle to human causes, advising them to study history and philosophy.

**W. R. & Pinkston NAIL'S Jewelry Store**  
 is a good place to do your trading. New goods arriving almost daily. Never before in all our mercantile history have we been in better shape to serve our many patrons. A visit to our mercantile establishment will convince you that the problem of debtor and creditor is fully and finally answered by the musical metallic ring of the American Dollar. Our 5-10-25c and about \$1.00 limit department is growing rapidly in public favor. We are now making preparation to handle the Spring and Summer trade.  
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**Rayo LAMPS**  
 will make even Arithmetic a little easier. Built of solid brass and nickel plated, they last a life time. Safer than gas—more useful than electricity—cheaper than either.  
 Use Aladdin Security Oil—the most economical kerosene oil—for best results.  
 STANDARD OIL COMPANY (New Jersey)  
 Washington, D. C. Charleston, N. C. Norfolk, Va. Baltimore, Md. Richmond, Va. Chicago, Ill. St. Louis, Mo. Memphis, Tenn. New Orleans, La.



**AMATEUR PLAY SOON.**  
 Benefit Patterson Library-Over 200 To Be In Play.  
 Two hundred children and grown ups will take part in the home talent production of "Alice in Wonderland" to be given at the Opera House, under the auspices of the Patterson Library at an early date.  
 Col. John W. Bragg, of New York, was in the city a few days ago and equaled arrangements for the presentation, the work of selecting the talent to begin soon. Some pretty little ten year old miss will be selected to play the part of "Alice," the girl who wandered through Wonderland in Lewis Carroll's delightful book. There there will be 200 other children and grown ups in street costumes, the leading parts being Alice, King, Ruler of Wonderland, Queen of Hearts, Duchess, Cook, Queen of the Fairies Mad Hatter, Hare, Dormouse, Columbia, Ingh Rider, Boy in Blue, Uncle Sam, Ingh Prince and Princess, Jap, Doll, to say nothing of fairies, elves, gnomes, Sailor Boys and girls, Mother Goose and her children, the four cats—little Jap Dolls, Japanese monkey and the girls—Doubled Secretly Brinkleys, etc. Assistants will arrive in due season to begin the work of training the participants.  
 Death of Former Resident.  
 Mrs. Mary S. Caldwell, widow of the late William Caldwell of this county, died at the home of Dr. J. Luchs Gaston in Montgomery, Ala., this morning at nine o'clock. The body will be brought here via the Seaboard tomorrow morning and will be laid to rest in the grave yard at Catholic-Presbyterian church, about twelve miles south-east of Chester, at one o'clock tomorrow afternoon.  
 Mrs. Caldwell was about 94 years of age and was one of the saintly of this earth. She is survived by her step-son, Mr. J. M. Caldwell, of Haswellwood and her two step-daughters, Mrs. Kate N. Wylie, of Columbia, and Mrs. D. R. Flecken, of Columbia, S. C., besides several nephews and nieces and a host of friends here and in Montgomery and in Charleston, S. C., the place of her nativity.

The Southern Railway will operate an Inaugural Special to Washington.

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**A Southerner Says It—It's True**  
 He Speaks It— Writes It— and Thinks It—  
 It seems somehow that the love of truth is inborn—in every Southerner and it sticks right close to him for all his days—just like a life-long friend.  
 That's why, friends, when I hear people praising me all over the South—saying "SOVEREIGN is King of Them All"—well, it is true—that's all.  
 For example, I heard one gentleman say the other day:—"Here is the finest cigarette I ever smoked. I never buy any other. The finest product of Virginia and Carolina tobacco, in all its mildness, and sweetness and mellowness."  
 Yes—it's great to be a SOVEREIGN. It's fine to have real breeding back of you, to be brought up in a fine, white, healthy home,—and to hear so many nice things from so many friends down South here among you all. And the reason is just this—it's because—  
**You Folks of the South KNOW good blood! You Folks of the South KNOW good tobacco!**  
 No doubt of it all. Good breeding does count. Quality does tell. So, let's you and me be the real friends that we ought to be. And, here is something more for you to think about—  
 I am guaranteed by *The American Tobacco Co.*—Buy me. If you don't like me return me to your dealer and get your money back. I have said it. A Southern gentleman is known the world over for keeping his word, and I have given you mine.  
**Sovereign Cigarettes**  
 FOR THE GENTLEMAN OF THE SOUTH  
 "King of Them All"

**BUY A HOOSIER KITCHEN CABINET**  
 and save steps and worry. One dollar per week puts a Cabinet in your home at Cash Price. Coupons given with all cash purchases. Dr. H. M. Ross was awarded the prize February 17th.  
**Lowrance Bros.**  
 153 Gadsden Street.  
 Phones 292 Residence 136 and 356  
 Undertakers and Licensed Embalmers.

**NOW OPEN**  
 Some time ago I purchased the Chester Cafe and for the past several days have been engaged in thoroughly renovating the place, putting everything in first-class shape.  
 Our patrons will be served the best that is going at a nominal price and our service will be the best possible. We cordially solicit the business of the people of Chester and Chester County and will use every effort to please them.  
 A trial will convince you that we are going to conduct an up-to-date Cafe in every particular.  
**THE CHESTER CAFE**  
 C. H. BLUME, Proprietor.

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THE BIG STORE

# New Arrivals

IN OUR READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT

New Spring Coat Suits,  
New Spring Coats, New Spring Dresses,  
New Spring Waists and New Spring Skirts

All right new from the most  
fashionable designers.

Call and see them.

## The S. M. Jones Company

### LOCAL and PERSONAL

Cotton 16c.  
Cotton Seed 75c.  
WE WILL THRASH Cane seed  
Wednesday, February 21st, unless it is raining. W. O. McKeown & Sons, Cornwell, S. C.

Dr. J. O. Reavis, D. D., of the Columbia Theological Seminary, preached two very able sermons at Parity Presbyterian church Sunday to large congregations.

GENTLEMEN—We have exclusive sale of E. & W. Shirts and collars. The S. M. Jones Co.

Mr. George M. Kistler, a well-known travelling salesman who has been with Charles P. Moody & Co., of Charlotte, of the past twenty-five years died at his home in Charolotte last Friday from paralysis. He was 63 years of age.

GENTLEMEN—We have the exclusive sale of E. & W. shirts and collars. The S. M. Jones Co.

Two train-loads of Pennsylvania troops, who have been in the Mecklenburg for the past several months, passed through Chester on the Seaboard Saturday morning enroute to their home State.

Representative C. S. Ford, of Fairfield county, was a Chester visitor yesterday.

Mr. E. Q. Steinback, of Union, spent Sunday in Chester.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McKeown, of Rock Hill, motored to Chester Sunday and spent the day with relatives.

Dr. W. L. Davidson was operated on this morning at the Chester Sanatorium and an abscess of the bladder removed from his bladder. He will probably be absent from his office for 30 days.

STRAYED—Tan and white spotted setter. Answers to name "Ben". Last seen about 5 miles out Lancaster road about 3 weeks ago. Reward given. John G. White. 2-T.

While Southern train No. 27 was standing at the station Sunday evening, Policeman Jackson noted four men in a group of cards with the coin flowing freely. All were arrested and forfeited bonds of ten dollars each.

LOST—Between Dremland Theater and Lancaster street, Medal Bear inscription, "Music 1913". Return to J. P. Davis.

In order to vote in the general election tomorrow one must be registered elector and must also present his registration certificate and tax receipts.

WE HAVE JUST received our Spring line of shirts. They are beautiful. Call and give them the once over. Rodman-Brown Co.

Mr. John Frazer is in the Western markets buying a car of mules for the Frazer Live Stock Company, which will arrive the latter part of this week.

JUST ARRIVED! Another shipment of Stetson Spring hats. Nothing has ever before been like this to equal them. Rodman-Brown Co.

Miss Mary McCullough, of Winthrop College and sister, Misses Rachel Macaulay, of Spartanburg and Viola Sawyer, of Orangeburg, spent the week-end in Chester with Miss McCullough's mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McCullough.

WANTED—Live distributor for Chester County to handle the SCRIPPS-BOTH luxuriously light cars. Write, phone, or wire, Shore-Oborne Electric Co., Spartanburg, S. C. 2-T.

The furniture which the Two Domestic Science Clubs have given to the domestic science department of the schools will be formally presented on Thursday, February 22nd.

NOW HERE! A part of our Spring line of men and boys clothing just in! Call and make your selection while the patterns and sizes are complete. Rodman-Brown Co.

There is to be a box supper at Armistia school house Friday night, February 23rd. The proceeds to go to the purchase of a basketball for the school.

### CARD FROM CONGRESSMAN McCORKLE

To the Voters of the Fifth Congressional District.

I cannot find words adequate for the expression of my gratitude for the loyal support given me for the unexpired term of Congressman Finley. I deeply appreciate the support of all my friends, who supported me irrespective of faction. I will try to represent you all to the best of my ability, and I thank each and every one of you from the bottom of my heart for your loyal support. I trust you will never have occasion to regret your confidence in me.  
PAUL G. McCORKLE.

### THE CHESTER VOTE.

Results of Primary Election Last Friday by Precincts—Total Vote 1806.

The following is a tabulated list of the votes secured at the various Chester voting places by the candidates for Representative from the Fifth District last Friday.

The Chester county vote for the unexpired term was as follows:  
Hamel 22; Hough 13; McCorkle 1455.

	Butler	Gaston	Glenn	Simpson
Colvin's Springs	12	11	3	2
Edmonson	22	8	3	2
Blackstock	12	4	2	2
Carter's	38	22	2	2
Cornwell	1	21	1	1
Chester No. 1	1	79	47	4
Chester No. 2	1	82	30	3
Chester No. 3	2	86	81	4
Chester No. 4	1	217	53	17
Loversville	1	37	25	2
Baton Rouge	1	18	8	1
Leeds	1	16	9	1
Rodman	1	91	23	8
Hedleyville	1	8	3	9
Lanpho	22	2	22	7
Great Falls	1	48	6	1
Hazelwood	1	22	1	2
Roseville	1	10	7	6
White's Store	2	10	1	2
Wilksburg	22	4	1	7
Wyllie's Mill	1	68	17	7
Richburg	1	68	17	7
Fort Lawn	1	66	1	5
Landsford	1	29	3	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>1461</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>107</b>

Thursday, February 22nd, being Washington's Birthday, the local postoffice will observe Holiday hours. The general delivery windows will be open from nine until ten o'clock and the city carriers will make only one delivery during the day.

Mr. E. H. Norris spent the week-end in Rock Hill.

### MEDICINAL USE ALONE FAVORED

Probate Judge is Made Goat in Measure to Be Recommended.

The free conference committee on the prohibition issue reported this morning a bill providing for a quart of whiskey or one gallon of wine each month to be obtained through the office of the probate judge.

Heads of families and males above 21 may procure the permits on affidavit, that purchase is for medicinal purposes. No provision made for beer. No physician's prescription is required, this being a feature of the original DuRant bill to which objection was made. Common carriers and express companies will be required to keep the affidavits. Wine permits must be for sacramental or religious purposes. A fee of 10 cents will be charged for issuing the certificate.

Provision is also made for alcohol to be handled by wholesale druggists and by druggists in the compounding of prescriptions. The bill is to become effective within 60 days after being signed by the chief executive. The committee is composed of senators DuRant, Nicholson and Evans and Representatives Boyd, Neuffer and Mauldin.—Columbia State.

### STEVENSON HAS MADE NO PROMISE AS TO CHESTER POSTMASTERSHIP

It has been rumored on the streets of Chester that in the event Mr. W. F. Stevenson was elected as Congressman from the Fifth District that he would not support Col. T. J. Cunningham as postmaster at this place. We were unable to learn the truth of this rumor and on last Saturday we wrote Mr. Stevenson regarding same asking whether or not he had committed himself as to the Chester Postmastership. On yesterday we received the following wire from Mr. Stevenson:

Chester, S. C. Feb. 19, 1917 Semi-Weekly News, Chester, S. C.

Have promised nobody Chester Postoffice. If Senate confirms Cunningham, he will serve his term. If it rejects him, I will consult the business interests of Chester and name the man most acceptable to them. Postmaster must be competent and acceptable to the patrons.

W. F. STEVENSON.

### STIFF, SORE MUSCLES RELIEVED.

Cramped muscles or soreness following a cold or case of grippe are eased and relieved by an application of Sloan's Liniment. Does not stain the skin or clog the pores like mussy ointments or plasters and penetrates quickly without rubbing. Limes up your muscles after exercise, drives out the pains and aches of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, strains, sprains and bruises with Sloan's Liniment. Get a bottle today. At all Druggists, 25c.

## To Arrive This Week



Our buyer, Mr. John Frazer, is now in St. Louis where he is personally selecting a car load of big mules, especially suited for the farmers of Chester and adjoining counties.

The scarcity of good mules is known only by those who have visited the markets. The unusually heavy demands on the mule market during recent months makes it almost impossible to obtain the most desirable kind. Our established reputation of many years in dealing with the mule market serves us a good turn now and enables us to secure the very best at the most reasonable prices.

The shipment will arrive the latter part of this week and we urge you to pay us a visit before buying. You will find only the very best stock.

## Frazer Live Stock Co.

## LADIES!

We wish to call your attention to a few of the many items in our House-Furnishings Department which should interest you.

Cut Glass, all cuts and designs, China, Crockery, Glassware, Enameledware—all white, blue and white, and gray—O'Cedar Mops, O'Cedar Polish, Liquid Veneer, Floor Wax, Floor Polishers, Household Paints, Enamels and stans. We especially invite the ladies to call and inspect our line, but if for any reason you cannot come, then telephone us your orders, and any article you desire will be delivered to your home in just a few minutes.

Yours for best service,

## Chester Hardware Co.

The Store of Quality.

Winter Brings Colds to Children  
A child rarely goes through the winter without a cold, and every mother should have a reliable remedy handy. Fever, sore throat, light chest and croupy coughs are sure symptoms. A dose of Dr. Bell's Fine Tan Honey will loosen the phlegm, relieve the congested lungs and stop the cough. Its antiseptic pine balsam heal and soothe. For croup, whooping cough and chronic bronchial troubles try Dr. Bell's Fine Tan Honey. At all Druggists, 25c.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

State of South Carolina, County of Chester. Notice is hereby given that the General Election for Congressmen for the Fifth Congressional district for the unexpired term ending March 4, 1917, and also for full term of two years beginning March 4, 1917 will be held at the voting precincts fixed by law in the county of Chester on Wednesday, February 21, 1917.

The qualifications for suffrage are as follows: Residence in the State for two years, in the county one year, in the polling precinct in which the elector offers to vote, four months, and the payment six months before any election of any poll tax then due and payable. Provided, That ministers in charge of an organized church and teachers of public schools shall be entitled to vote after six months' residence in the State, otherwise qualified.

Registration.—Payment of all taxes, including poll tax, assessed and collectible during the previous year. The production of a certificate of the receipt of the officer authorized to collect such taxes shall be conclusive proof of the payment thereof. Before the hour fixed for opening the polls managers and clerks must take and subscribe to the constitutional oath. The chairman of the board of managers or administrator of the oath to the other managers and to the clerk; a notary public must administer the oath to the chairman. The managers elect their chairman and clerk. Polls at each voting place must be opened at 7:00 o'clock a. m. and closed at 4 o'clock p. m.

The managers have the power to fill a vacancy; and if none of the managers attend, the citizens can appoint, from among the qualified voters, the managers, who, after being sworn, can conduct the election.

At the close of the election, the managers and clerks must proceed publicly to open the ballot box and count the ballots therein, and continue without adjournment until the same is completed, and make a statement of the result for each office and sign the same. Within three days thereafter the chairman of the board or some one designated by the board must deliver to the commissioners of election the poll list, the box containing the ballots and written statement of the result of the election.

- Managers of Election.—The following managers of election have been appointed to hold the election at the various precincts in the said county. Chester—F. P. Kirkpatrick, J. A. Nichols, Fred Jarrett, John L. Miller. Baton Rouge—Robert Wilks, W. H. Lipford, E. H. Wise, J. Clarence Cornwell, Clerk. Vote at schoolhouse. Carter—C. M. Atkinson, J. E. Wallace, J. Foster Carter, S. O. Robbins, Clerk. Cornwall—W. T. Caswell, E. J. Lewis, J. A. B. Boyd, James A. McKeown, Clerk. Vote at Strong & McKeown's store. Edgemoor—W. H. Hamilton, John Fudge, J. D. Glass, E. Murphy, Clerk. Vote at W. C. Nunery's store. East Lawn—John E. Jordan, S. E. Killian, Henry Hyatt, Ed. Jantz, Clerk. Vote at T. L. McFadden's store. Great Falls—W. T. Jackson, J. S. Hogan, T. P. Jones, E. Lumpkin, Clerk. Vote at Keistler's store. Hazelville—Richard Wilks, N. H. Stone, J. I. Smith, L. Stone, Clerk. Vote at N. H. Stone's store. Hazelwood—Ernest Bigham, Hugh Miller, W. A. Gladden, R. H. McDaniel, Clerk. Vote at W. A. Gladden's store. Lando—R. H. Westbrook, J. H. Sanders, E. L. Kee, G. B. Heath, Clerk. Vote at Company's upper store. Landford—T. McFadden, S. J. Corawell, R. D. Stevenson, E. N. Killian, Clerk. Vote at R. H. Fudge's store. Leads—T. M. Traylor, John A. Stevenson, J. L. Worthing, W. W. Crosby, Clerk. Vote at W. W. Crosby's store. Levyville—J. S. Darby, Jr., Tom Pressley, S. W. Guy, J. W. Lowry, Clerk. Vote at Sandifer's store. Richburg—T. H. Melton, Jr., R. L. Hixlin, John S. Newell, E. B. Drean, Clerk. Vote at Dresden & Millers' store. Rodman—Wofford Kee, George A. Gill, L. W. Henry, E. F. Fennell, Clerk. Vote at L. W. Henry's store. Roseville—J. C. G. Caldwell, W. G. Dye, E. L. Williams, J. M. Boulware, Clerk. Vote at B. A. Rouse's store. White's Store—A. S. Presley, Ed. B. Lipford, F. H. Dodds, J. C. Grant, Clerk. Vote at A. S. Presley's store. Wilkburg—W. E. T. Wade, T. B. Wilks, C. F. Wade, T. O. Estes, Clerk. Vote at C. F. Wade's store. Witt's Mill—C. D. Pittman, L. L. Only, J. G. Rankin, F. A. Nunery, Clerk. Vote at R. H. Ferguson's store.

The managers of each precinct above named are required to designate one of their number to secure the boxes and books for the election from B. M. Spratt, at his office on Monday, February 19, 1917. J. E. CRAIG, Chairman, B. M. SPRATT, E. S. JOHNSON, County Managers of Federal Election for Chester County, S. C., February 19, 1917.

\$5.00 MOST PHENOMENAL SALE \$1.00 PER PAIR. Glasses Elsewhere AT CHESTER FOR THIS VISIT ONLY EYE GLASSES

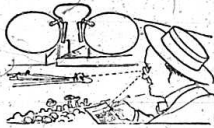
The Crystal Optical Company, of Birmingham, Alabama, Wishes to Announce That Their Specialist Will Be In Chester at the Carolina Inn

Friday and Saturday, February 23rd and 24th, and every 90 days thereafter.

OUR OBJECT

In making this remarkable offer of \$5.00 glasses for \$1.00 a pair is simply to introduce our service in your community, as well as our Glasses. Our Glasses have met with great success by many persons who are now wearing them and are meeting with the same results wherever they are introduced.

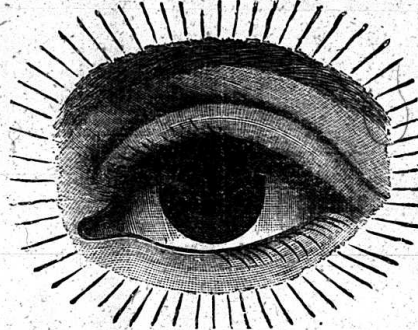
Kryptek Invisible Bifocals Will Not Confuse You



You Can See Near and Far With the Same Lenses

REMEMBER

That the above offer of glasses valued at \$5.00 elsewhere for \$1.00 a pair is for this visit only. ALL BIFOCALS and PRESCRIPTION GROUND LENSES \$3.50 AND UP DURING THIS SALE. Regular prices will PREVAIL AFTER THIS VISIT.



OUR WORK IS GUARANTEED FOR FIVE YEARS. Beware of persons who call at your home and claim to represent us as we have no traveling representatives. Address all communications to

Crystal Optical Co. 225 Jefferson County Bank Building, Birmingham, Alabama.

We ask you not to confuse our remarkable offer with such offers that have been made at other places by men who are not responsible, nor were they established; as to ourselves, you know exactly what to expect when you buy from THE CRYSTAL OPTICAL CO. We guarantee our work and glasses for 5 years. In this particular line, THE CRYSTAL OPTICAL CO. is selling you more for your money than you could possibly obtain elsewhere. Don't forget the sale will be for this visit only. An examination is cheerfully asked, with the understanding that you needn't buy glasses from us unless we CAN SATISFY YOU.

Our Optical Specialist

Has had years experience, and you can safely rely on anything he tells you. He will be glad to examine all who are troubled with their eyes absolutely free.

Our Glasses

Will Positively Relieve All Pains About the Head and Eyes

As well as all other abnormal conditions of the eyes that can be relieved through wearing of properly fitted glasses of quality in most cases.

Don't Forget the Dates

Friday and Saturday February 23 and 24.

Office Hours: 8:30 a. m. to 8:00 p. m.

If your time is limited call early and avoid the rush.

INAUGURATION OF PRESIDENT WOODROW WILSON, MARCH 5 1917.

The "South Carolina's Inauguration Special" will leave Columbia by the Southern Railway System on the March 3rd, at 7:00 p. m., arriving at Washington Sunday morning; returning, leave Washington Tuesday night, March 6th, arriving Columbia at 7:00 p. m., arriving at Greenville having the detour from Greenville having the detour from Greenville, Anderson, Greenville and Spartanburg. Governor Manning and staff has selected the Southern Railway System at the official route to Washington on this great occasion and the trip will be made on the "South Carolina's Inaugural Special."

reach original starting point by March 10th. Extension may be had until April 10th., by depositing ticket and paying fee of one dollar. The round trip fare from Chester, S. C. will be \$12.70. Pullman lower berth \$2.75 each direction from Chester. Rates in proportion from other points. The Southern Railway System making unusual preparation for handling the large travel expected to attend the inauguration and is prepared to render better service than ever before owing to the double track and electric block signal system which has been completed and now in operation practically all the way from Charlotte to Washington. Pullman reservations are now being accepted for both directions at City-Office of the Southern, 1300 Main street, Columbia, and those expecting to make the trip are urged to apply at once for same. Hotel and boarding house accommodations are also being secured for those desiring it.

Account State Teachers' Association of South Carolina and Automobile Show; tickets on sale March 14, 15, 16 with final limit returning March 19, 1917. Account The Chattanooga of the South and Southern Conference for Education and Industry; tickets on sale March 17th, to April 14th, inclusive with final limit returning April 10, 1917. NEW ORLEANS, LA., \$22.60. Account Laymen's Missionary Movement, Southern Presbyterian Church; tickets on sale March 11, 12, 13 with final limit March 21, 1917. NEW ORLEANS, LA., \$22.60. Account Southern Baptist Convention; tickets on sale May 14 to 16 inclusive with final limit returning May 31, 1917. Limit may be extended until June 15 by depositing ticket and payment of fee of \$7.00. WASHINGTON, D. C. \$13.70. Account Inauguration of President Woodrow Wilson, tickets on sale March 1, 2, 3, 4 with final limit March 10, 1917. Limit may be extended to April 10th., by depositing ticket and payment of fee of \$10.00. WASHINGTON, D. C. \$13.70. Account 27th Annual Reunion United Confederate Veterans and 22nd Annual Reunion Sons of Veterans; tickets on sale June 2 to 7 inclusive with final limit returning June 21, 1917; extension until July 1 by depositing ticket and payment of fee of 50 cents. Proportionately reduced fares from other points. Call on local Agents for further information or address S. H. McLean, DPA, Columbia, S. C.

LOANS NEGOTIATED ON FARM LANDS. Wanted you to know that we are Mortgage Company making loans in South Carolina on improved farm lands in amounts of \$500 and over, on 5 year terms. On loans of less than \$1,000 the interest rate is 7 per cent; and amounts of \$1,000 and over 6 per cent. We ask no money in advance for anything, and charge no inspector's fees. If you want to get a loan handled quickly, write or see us. CHESTER REALTY & INVESTMENT CO. M. C. FUDGE, Loan Correspondent, Fri. till Sat.

SERIES No. 30

Is Now Open for Subscription in the SPRATT BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

The ANNUAL MEETING last Tuesday night at the Court House closed our 25th year of service to the people of Chester County.

If you would save and realize all the profit from your savings come with the thousand and more members of this Association who are co-operating for their mutual benefit. Numbers of people working together for their common good produce results that could never be attained were each working independently of the others.

The Place To Save; The Place To Secure A Home.

Subscriptions close on the 28th of February. Call, write or phone for the number of shares you want.

G. B. WHITE, Pres. B. M. SPRATT, Treas.

Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Dr. J. C. Watson and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but infants and children—and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Beware of cheap imitations.

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RHEUMATISM POWDERS are guaranteed to give relief from rheumatism. They are unusually large tablets. Sold only by us, 50c per bottle.

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CASTORIA For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years Always kept at Sheldier's Drug Store, Chester, S. C. WANTED—To trade one good Oatmeal Flour for good horse. Parting House, Laundry.



Rheumatism attacks the "outside" man. Pains and aches stiffen his joints and muscles and reduces his efficiency. At the first twinge get Sloan's Liniment, easy to apply, it penetrates without rubbing and soothes the soreness. After that long drive or tedious walk in the cold rain apply Sloan's Liniment to those stiff fingers, aching wrists and arms. For sore muscles, toothache, bruises, cold feet, it is promptly effective. All druggists, 25c. Btl. and \$1.00.

RECEIVER'S SALE. By virtue of a decretal order of the Court of Common Pleas for Chester County, I will sell at public auction before the Court House door in Chester, S. C. at 11 o'clock A. M. on Monday March 5, 1917: All that tract or plantation of land, situate in said County and State, with a dwelling-house and other improvements thereon, containing two hundred forty four acres, more or less, bounded by lands of J. B. Westbrook and by the public road front Chester to Great Falls and being known as tract "B" of the Kell Home Place. Terms of sale, one third cash, balance in two equal installments due one and two years after sale, with interest on deferred portion at eight per cent, payable annually, deferred payments to be secured by notes of purchaser and mortgage of premises, buildings to be kept insured for \$1,000.00. If purchaser may pay all cash. Purchaser to pay for papers. Sold in suit of S. D. Patrick Admr. etc. v. Mrs. Katie Patrick et al. J. B. Westbrook, Receiver etc.