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WILL TRY WAITE FOR MURDER

Probably Arraigned Monday On Two Indictments.

New York, April 1.—Dr. Arthur Warren Waite will be placed on trial for the murder of his wealthy father-in-law, John E. Peck, the district attorney expects, within a month. It is a condition of the plea that Waite will be arraigned Monday morning on the two indictments found against him yesterday. The district attorney will ask that he be committed to the Tombs.

The first count, which is for murder in the first degree, charges Waite with killing Peck by arsenic. The second count charges the murder of Peck by the administration of some person unknown to the grand jury.

Waite's attorney, after the arraignment, expects to petition the court to commit his client to Bellevue for examination by an alienist. The attorney said that the process of determining Waite's mental condition would require at least six weeks. The prisoner, according to reports, is not in agreement with the plan of trying to prove him insane.

"I'm just as sane as you are. You can't help me that way," he is said to have told his attorney yesterday. A private detective employed by the Peck family, delivered to the district attorney 180 slides made under the use of the microscope and 100 test tubes, believed to contain disease germs. They are labeled tetanus, Asiatic cholera, pneumonia, tuberculosis, typhoid, typhus, anthrax and influenza. A representative found in Waite's apartment.

Eugene O. Kane, the embalmers, and a detective arrived here today from Orient Point, L. I. bringing \$7,800 in currency, part of the \$9,000 which Kane says Waite gave him as a bribe to make him swear that the embalming fluid used on the body of Mr. Peck contained arsenic. Kane yesterday guided the detective to the spot where he had buried this money in a grove of trees. After the trial, Kane will be returned to Miss Catherine A. Peck an aunt of Dr. Waite's wife, from whom the dentist originally obtained the money by representation. It is alleged, that he would invest it for her.

FORMER GOV. C. A. SMITH DIES AT JOHNS HOPKINS

Prominent South Carolinian Had Been in Hospital at Baltimore for Some Time

Baltimore, March 31.—Former Gov. Chas. A. Smith, of South Carolina, died at Johns Hopkins University Hospital tonight after a long illness. Erysipelas, developing after many months' suffering from heart failure, was the direct cause of death. Mr. Smith had been at the hospital for months. He was about 55 years old.

The former Governor's home was in Timmonsville, S. C. He was president of a Timmonsville bank and was prominently known in Baptist Educational circles. As Lieutenant Governor under Cleo Blaise he succeeded to the Governorship on Mr. Blaise's resignation a few days before the death of his term. Mr. Smith's term, as Governor covered the five-year period from January 14 to January 17, 1915.

ONE DRIVER INJURED

Orangeburg, April 1.—As a result of an automobile collision today between machines of Philip T. McCants and H. Schunoff near Orangeburg, the latter was badly injured and both machines badly damaged. It appears that Mr. McCants was coming to Orangeburg and Mr. Schunoff was going to Beaufort. A woman was in a buggy going toward Orangeburg. Mr. Schunoff had driven his car to the right of the road to pass the buggy. Mr. McCants came up from the rear of the buggy made an effort to pass to the left of the buggy before Mr. Schunoff came up and falling to make the pass, the collision occurred. The steering wheel of Mr. Schunoff's car was severely injured and the driver, who is Charles McCants, was unhurt.

Competition is beginning to come up in city politics. Elsewhere in this issue appears the announcement of Mr. Thos. W. Patrick as candidate for Alderman for Ward One. Mr. Patrick has many friends in Chester.

AMERICAN FIRM CAUGHT SMUGGLING SECURITIES

Protested That They Were Neutral British Intercepted Incriminating German Message.

London, March 31.—Negotiations are proceeding with the American Government regarding the seizure of American securities en route from Holland. The Foreign Office states that none were seized except when there was strong evidence that the securities had recently been in Germany and that Germans were profiting by their sale. Such securities bore German stamps or marks indicating that dividends had recently been paid to German banks.

A vehement protest was made by an American firm in the case of one particularly large seizure. The protest was on the ground that only neutral interests were involved in the transaction; but the Government intercepted a message from a Frankfurt firm asking the American consignees to protest.

The Foreign Office explained to-day yesterday's Order in Council cancelling adherence to certain sections of the Declaration of London, which made distinctions between the treatment of absolute and of conditional contraband.

BUY 'THE OBSERVER'

W. B. Sullivan and Curtis B. Johnson Join.

Charlotte, N. C., April 1.—The Charlotte News today announces the purchase of the Charlotte Observer by Curtis B. Johnson of Knoxville, Tenn., and Walter B. Sullivan of Columbia, S. C. The property is sold by Woods and Stephens local agent, who have owned it for recent years since the death of J. P. Caldwell and D. A. Tompkins, its former proprietors. The Observer is among the oldest morning dailies in the South, it having been established in 1869 and is a member of the Associated Press.

BROTHERS TRY SUICIDE

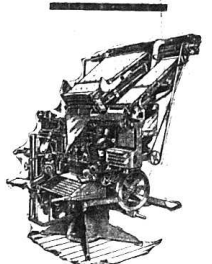
One Succeeds by Shooting; Poison Fails the Other.

Chicago, March 31.—Edward P. Cummings Superintendent of Schools of Lansing, Mich., shot himself to death today in the Stratford Hotel. At practically the same time Dr. Herbert Cummings, his brother, swallowed poison in Grand Haven, Mich.

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PREPARING THE WAY



We wish to announce the installation of a new Mergenthaler Linotype Model 14. The Linotype Company has been making rapid strides forward lately in improving the Linotype and this Model 14 is the "Last Word" in Linotype construction.

The Publishers of News, realizing the wonderful possibilities of this machine and being ever mindful of any improvement we could make for our readers and advertisers, have brought to Chester the second machine of this type to be placed in South Carolina.

This Model 14 is a machine of the Multiple Magazine type—that is the magazine, of which there are four, are arranged one over the other so that the operator in about one second can switch from one size type to another, setting eight, ten, fourteen or thirty point type and in varying measures.

The wide awake advertisers can at a glance see what this will mean toward improving ad composition in The News Office—for practically every line of type in your ads will be absolutely new type each week.

With the addition of this machine The News places at the disposal of its patrons the best equipped newspaper and job printing plant in this section. This means better service more careful composition, and more modern methods of handling advertising and commercial printing than can be secured elsewhere.

Nothing but "Delivering The Goods" has enabled us to secure the very liberal patronage both from our readers and advertisers, so we are prepared now more than ever to "Deliver" by the installation of this latest and most modern composing machine.

The installation and erection of this latest Linotype was not only new to many who came in the office, but was also one to the publishers. Mr. L. M. Cowgill, who was sent here to erect the machine is beyond doubt right on the job. He knows the linotype just like a school boy knows the alphabet and a machine certainly goes up when he gets around.

We wish to extend a cordial invitation to our many subscribers and friends to call and see this posing machine.

MEAT CARDS FOR GERMANS

Restaurants to be Allowed to Serve Only One Dish Per Meal.

Berlin, March 31.—Within a few days meat cards will be added to bread and butter cards. This means the consumption of meat through out the empire will be regulated from a central meat distribution office. The head of this new office is supposed to know exactly how much meat there is in all Germany, and how large a portion every individual is entitled to consume daily.

To overcome difficulties in restaurants, meat cards are made in two parts, a message the present still exists, and a card which will be considerably cut down. The cards of meat dishes will no longer be permitted for the outside trade. This rule extends to the rest of the Reich, but only one soup is permitted, and only one being permitted for the sick. The dinner and breakfast tables, however, must also keep within a certain strictly drawn line.

Meat will no longer be served in fish and soup courses, but on the table of course. This is expected, will save labor. Curiously enough, nobody seems worried by the new regulations. It is one thing for them to sit at the way of war, and it is another that the masses will profit by them. Even the restaurant keepers are not complaining, since it will be easy to buy the various literatures which the average German restaurant guest used to find in his dinner card. The fact is, they will be able to concentrate on just two dishes, whereas heretofore they had to provide at least twelve.

WHITE OAK NEWS

School in Good Shape Cattle Sold at Rock Hill Sale Must Farm Work Going On

White Oak, April 1.—Farm work around here is progressing rapidly. All hands for crops are being nicely prepared. Some of them are being plowed, grain is looking well. The corn fields around here are just grand to look at.

State Superintendent of Education, Hon. E. Swain, and W. W. Farrer spent several hours with school here last Thursday. They put the pupils through a fixed examination of all their studies and were highly pleased with the work of the school. Mr. Swain highly complimented Miss Jennette Patrick, who accomplished and beloved teacher of this school. First for the handsome school building and the never ceasing labors and interest taken over her pupils. Her pupils are all preparing for the field day exercises. Some body will have to hustle or White Oak will have to hustle on the evening of the 14th.

Mr. M. W. Patrick sold 27 head of his fine fat cattle at the Rock Hill sales last Thursday. They averaged in weight around 800 lbs. He received from 7 to 7 1/2 cts per lb. He has many more fine ones yet.

Mr. R. E. Arnett, of this place, has opened up and will carry on a fancy grocery business in the Mobby stand. He hopes for a liberal patronage and guarantees satisfaction on all goods sold.

I think I stated in my last that we would have no fruit in this section this year but no examinations 5 find there will be some in places—News section around here.

A. R. P. PRESBYTERY MEETS IN GREENWOOD THIS WEEK

A. R. P.'s Will Hold Spring Meeting in the Presbyterian Church of Greenwood This Week.

Greenwood, April 1.—The spring meeting of the Second Presbyterian of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church will be held in Greenwood at the Presbyterian church next week, opening Friday morning with a service at 10 o'clock on Sunday night. There will be 42 delegates composed of the pastor and one elder from each church in the Presbytery. The delegates will be entertained by the homes of the people of Greenwood. This Presbytery comprises all the churches in Georgia and Florida and Western South Carolina.

Rev. C. B. Williams, of Tampa, Fla. is the moderator. The opening sermon will be preached at the Presbyterian church Friday morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. Leon T. Presley of Woodruff. Rev. I. N. Kennedy, of Ora, will preach for the local A. R. P. congregation at the City Hall Friday morning at 11 o'clock.

Miss Kate Douglas is spending a few days in Chester, with friends.

ARMENIA NEWS

Thames Lottery in Armenia Field Day 1000000 and Grand Success List of Prize Winners

Armenia, April 1st.—For the past week the Armenian community has been enjoying quite a period of excitement. A lottery was held, the net ball was played on the 28th, and the drawing of the prizes was held on the 31st. The net ball was played on the 28th, and the drawing of the prizes was held on the 31st. The net ball was played on the 28th, and the drawing of the prizes was held on the 31st.

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CARNIVAL HERE NEXT WEEK

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TUESDAY, APRIL 4

NOTHING TOO GOOD

We are frank to admit that the print on our paper for some time past has been very unsatisfactory not only to our readers but to our selves. We regretted very much to see the paper leave us with such poor print and we hastened to get it and, preparing the way to give our patrons a better paper.

Today we wish to announce that on last Saturday we installed the latest Linotype on the press at a cost of several thousand dollars. We positively know it to be a fact that there is not a paper in the United States with a better making shop than we have just as good, but better.

It, of course, takes some little time to get any piece of new machinery in smooth running order and it also takes time to learn a new piece of machinery, but we are sure to have a clear paper to run on for some time where.

We appreciate our many subscribers and our customers and for their liberal patronage, has enabled us to take an advanced step in newspaperdom, it was our constant aim according to our motto.

The people most added to waiting time are those whose time is not their own.

When a woman pauses to look in a mirror

In traveling the

You never can tell. A man may be perfectly honest and still have different umbrellas every time it rains.

Behind the darkest cloud the sun is shining, but that beautiful shadow won't keep you dry if you have been caught out in the rain without an umbrella.

An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure, but a pound of cure is worth a ton of fruitfulness.

When a woman switches in her batteries of wrath, some men wait, and others wait.

Casting sheep's eyes at a man is one way a girl has of pulling the wool over his eyes.

The great trouble about lending a man money to tide him over is that he doesn't always come up with the tide.

All men are born equal, but the equality is apt to end right here.

The dollars in this town will multiply fast if you do all your trading with home firms.

Your first duty is to your home town. Buy it in Chester.

By buying at home you avoid hauling, waiting, breakage and dissatisfaction.

When you pay a dollar for something in this town, that dollar, nine times out of ten, comes back to you. When you send a dollar out of town, it takes that dollar out of circulation and you are the loser.

WE ARE ELATED.

Good news, we will should smile. The South Carolina Press Association will in June meet in the town of York, only twenty-three miles from Chester.

Why are we elated? Well, we can walk to York, where we have a relative who no doubt will allow us to place our "trifles" under his "grub" table. About that clean shirt. We are saving tobacco taxes which we will exchange for a stiff bosom.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Auditor for Chester county, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary.

A. C. FISCHEL.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The friends of James S. McKoon hereby nominate him as a candidate for the House of Representatives, subject to the will of the Democratic voters of Chester county.

ABRUPTLY CHANGED HIS MIND
 Jersey City Man Had Cause to Regard the Adviability of Cutting Up State of Texas.

We had been talking for half an hour or so on the subject of dividing Texas into four states, and the man from Jersey City who had a front seat in the stage, insisted that the matter ought to come up for congressional action. He finally drove us to a way station to change horses, and as we got down to stretch our legs the one way Texas among the eight passengers. He finally drove us to a way station and confronted the Jersey man with "So you reckon that there's nuff in Texas to make for four states?"

"It's a very large state," replied the man looking with anxiety at the seats.

"Exactly. You are also a very large man."

"Yes."

"If you reckon there's nuff of you to make four men?"

"Well, hardly."

"If I should ever slice off your ears you'd lose nuffin of your glory wouldn't you?"

"Of course."

"If you wouldn't feel that you were worth a man with your head gone, would you?"

"I merely illustrated," said the Texan as he whittled the blade on his boot.

"If Texas can be divided up and split."

"She can't be," interrupted Jersey.

"Texas is none too big for a single state. For the entire state of the West and if I were one of her honored citizens I would certainly support a movement with every energy. Gentlemen, let us drink to Texas as she is."

And we gurgled. EX HERRING.

VALUABLE SOAP BERRY TREE
 Product of Ecuador Has Remarkable Qualities, Besides its Use as a Cleanser of the Skin.

The inhabitants of western Brazil (Brazilian soapberries) grow in the humid parts of South America. It attains a height of about fifty feet and bears white flowers and numerous quantities of fruit of the size and shape of cherries.

The nearly transparent yellowish skin and pulp surrounding the round black seeds are so saponaceous as to be used instead of soap by many people in Ecuador, being equivalent to more than fifty times their weight of that material.

The hard polished seeds have been used extensively in Spain and England for waisting out bottles for their use and are sold in bulk. They are used also as beads.

Although considerable quantities of the berry are utilized locally, tons of them rot on the ground every year, being as yet little foreign demand for them. Since they contain a large percentage of saponin they should be of value in the manufacture of soap.

Voices of the Sea.
 In "The Log of the Sunfish" by Charman Kittredge London, is a bit of sea description.

"The sea is not a lovable monster. And monstrous it is. It is beautiful, so sea, always beautiful on one way or another, but it is cruel and unkindly in the life that it is in and upon it. It was cruel last evening in the lurid low sunset that made it glow, daily in the cold, mocking, ragged moonlight that made it look like death. The waves positively beckoned when they rose and pitched toward our boat laboring in the trough. And all the long night it seemed to me that I heard voices through the planking talking, talking, soullessly, monotonously, querulously, and I couldn't make out whether it was the ocean calling from the outside or the ship heaving, muttering, groaning, flailing herself. If two voices are of the ship they will soon cease, for the mast find herself. But if they are the voices of the sea they must be sad sirens that cry, restless, questioning, unsatisfied, homeless little sirens."

For Baby's Sake.
 Business was very brisk, so the firm appointed Patrick foreman, a position of which he was very proud.

He was always bustling around, ordering this and altering that. One day a lot of new stopper work because they heard the well-known voice of their new foreman abating loudly.

Down below on the ground stood Pat, waiting patiently, and waving his arms wildly.

"Oh say, you up there," he shouted, "you know that ladder at the end of the scaffolding? Well, don't let me see you try to come down, because O'ra's taken it away." Philadelphia.

Gold Fields Still Bracing.
 Reminiscence of the penny days of the gold fields in western Australia were recently revived when a parcel of the life that is in it and upon it. It was the first display seen for many years, and recalled the rich finds of the early days of Coolgardie. When smelted the bullion weighed 70 ounces and is valued at \$100,000. The rest from which the gold was obtained has added to five feet, and there are about 300 tons of the rich finds of the early days of Coolgardie. When smelted the bullion weighed 70 ounces and is valued at \$100,000. The rest from which the gold was obtained has added to five feet, and there are about 300 tons of the rich finds of the early days of Coolgardie. When smelted the bullion weighed 70 ounces and is valued at \$100,000. The rest from which the gold was obtained has added to five feet, and there are about 300 tons of the rich finds of the early days of Coolgardie.

ALDERMAN WARD 3.
 I hereby announce myself a candidate for reelection as Alderman from Ward 3, subject to the result of the approaching municipal election.

JAS. H. GLENN.

J. A. BARRON
 Undertaker and Embalmer.
 Successor to Childs & Barron.
 Phone 119. Chester, S. C.

VILLA FREE AND NOT HURT
 WILL REPRE SENT CHESTER

Declared to Be at Sateau With Only Eight Men, Saturday.

El Paso, April 3.—Francisco Villa, unopposed and accompanied by only eight men, was at Sateau, 50 miles south of Chihuahua City, two days before he was reported to have been captured by the American troops. The sources which have proved reliable in the past.

If this information is correct it bears out previous reports that Villa had been routed towards Parral and is leading his American pursuers by at least 60 miles. The nearest point to Sateau which the American troops are known to have reached is San Ygnacio, 60 miles to the west.

The man who brought the story of Villa's capture at Sateau gave a circumstantial account of the battle, maneuvers and plan of campaign. While his story is impossible of verification, his reliability is established by the regular American troops which he has seen in the past several years.

Villa, he said, "has never before been in such fighting with such a certain of American troops. He led the main body of his troops in the northern district with orders to go as far as they could reach the American army. At the same time the troops were instructed to give up if they were to be overtaken by American troops. Villa said that the only reason he was captured was that he had been overtaken by American troops.

OVERWORKED MOTHER
 Finds Health in Our Vinol

Colmanville, Ill. "I suffered from a nervous break down and terrible headaches and was tired all over, totally unable to do my household work. As I had a large family I had to work despite my suffering. I saw Vinol advertised and decided to try it, and within two weeks I noticed a decided improvement, and now I am a well woman." Mrs. A. B. HICK.

We guarantee Vinol our delicate mother and low tonic to strengthen and build up weak, run-down, overworked mothers.

Chester Drug Co. Chester S. C.

ALDERMAN WARD 4
 Mr. John A. Nichols having taken an active interest in the affairs of the ward and served his constituents faithfully, said word he is hereby nominated as Alderman from Ward 4.

SUDDEN DEATH OF ROCK HILLIAN
 Had Many Friends in Chester—54 Years Of Age

Rock Hill, April 3. The sudden death here Saturday afternoon of George A. Cowan was a terrible shock to the community. All the more terrible because it occurred on by a few hours after he had been seen on the streets in his usual good health, apparently perfectly well. Mr. Cowan had a stroke of apoplexy about 11 o'clock while playing a game of checkers with a friend at the Commercial Club. He collapsed immediately and Dr. R. E. Sumner was hastily summoned, but he at once seen that he was hopelessly stricken. He was carried to his home on Academy street, where he passed away about 2 o'clock that afternoon without regaining consciousness.

Mr. Cowan is survived by his wife and three children: George A., Cecil and John and Misses Marie, Christine and Mary Ruth, two sisters, Mrs. Mary Youngblood of this city and Mrs. William Lynn of Chester, and three brothers, Robert and William Cowan of this city and John Cowan of Chester.

Mr. Cowan was 54 years old exactly, having died on his birthday. He was born April 1, 1862, a few miles outside of Rock Hill, and had lived in this community all of his life.

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We guarantee the experience and know that the battery will last longer and give more power.

Fennell-Young Motor Co.

THE DREAMLAND THEATRE
 The Dreamland Theatre has secured for one day Monday April 10th The Wofford College Glee Club consisting of 14 members who will offer a singing and musical program that will be a great treat to the lovers of high class entertainment. This is the biggest and highest priced attraction ever booked to appear in a picture theatre and was secured by the management of Dreamland at an enormous expense. The Glee Club has never appeared anywhere at less than 50c price for admission. This will be in addition to the regular high class picture program. The Glee Club will give three performances in the afternoon and three performances in the evening. Remember the date is Monday April 10th at the Dreamland Theatre.

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In the midst of extravagant claims for new theories and untried ideas, the Chandler motor stands free from any hint of experimentation. From coast to coast men KNOW what this motor does, men KNOW they can DEPEND on it, men KNOW its service quality is enhanced by the fact that it is a PROVEN MECHANISM.

And Chandler bodies, the new big seven-passenger touring car body with its walnut-paneled tonneau cowl and new four-passenger Roadster, are the most beautiful bodies of the year.

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The Associate Reformed Presbyterians, of Greenville, expect to begin the erection of a place of worship in that city at an early date.

Mr. T. R. Gaines has accepted a position with the city, the vacancy being caused by the resignation of Mr. C. B. Fennell.

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Miss Adeline Hood, one of Chester's most accomplished musicians, has kindly consented to play the leading role, FIFI, which is said to be well adapted to her youthful beauty and grace.—Lancaster News.

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Mr. J. L. Davidson spent Sunday in Asheville, N. C.

Miss Mamie Oetzel has returned to her home in Union after spending a few days in the city with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Adams.

A SWELL LINE of neckties to select from at Rodman-Brown Co.

Miss Frances Heekin left this morning for Lancaster to spend the week with Mrs. M. G. Perry. She will take the part of the solo dancer in "FIFTY" Friday night.

STRAYED—Black sow pig about six weeks old from my home at Wylie Cotton Mills. Advise C. C. Clark and receive reward. 1-t. pd.

Miss Bettie Hemphill spent the week-end in the city with relatives.

Two German tramps are being held in Greenville, S. C., in order that an investigation might be made by the Federal authorities. The Germans are said to be soldiers who deserted prior to the war and came to this country.

Augusta suffered another fire loss

early Saturday morning, which partly destroyed the building and its contents. The loss amounted to \$70,000.

Miss Bettie Brown of Lancaster, the guest of Miss Lottie Klutz.

Mrs. H. S. Heyman and Miss Hannah Heyman who have been the guests of relatives at Camden returned home yesterday afternoon.

Mr. J. H. Marston will serve as one of the judges in the Davidson-Krime debate.

The Forty-two club will meet with Mrs. R. E. Douglas on Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

The local railway freight agents have been notified that beginning with last Saturday there will be an increase in demurrage charges. The demurrage charges on interstate freight in certain late hours have been \$1.00 per day. The change makes the rate \$2.00 per day for the first three days and then \$3.00 per day beginning with the fourth day. A consignor is allowed two days in which to unload a car. The demurrage charges mentioned above apply on interstate business only and not on intrastate business. These rates have been agreed upon by the railroads and approved by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

With Mrs. T. S. Leitner as hostess the Palmetto Book club held a most delightful meeting on Friday afternoon. Mrs. W. H. Hand of Columbia, and at one time one of the club's most charming members was guest of honor at this meeting, and enjoyed the following program with the other members present. First the business was taken up, discussed and arranged for. The literary program was opened by Mrs. J. G. Thornston with a splendid article on "The Kingdom of Servia," "A Glance at History" was discussed by Mrs. J. S. Marquis, "Russia's Possible Duties" and "A Growing Area" by Mrs. H. E. McConnell and Mrs. Alexia Macauley read a number of articles on the "Liberal Constitution" and "Servia's Present Peril." During the social half hour the hostess was assisted by Mrs. W. H. McNairy and Mrs. E. R. Moffatt in serving a delicious salad and ice course followed by coffee. A Victor concert was also enjoyed on the hostess'



THE LION AND THE LAMB

March comes in like a lion and goes out like a lamb, or just the reverse, so you are sure to need some BLUE GEM COAL at the beginning or the end of the month. According to the weather prophets, you'll need it all through the month, for sleet, snow and ice are predicted. Blue Gem gives a warm wave inside while there's a cold wave outside.

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handsome new Victoria. Mrs. T. M. Douglas and Mrs. Sam W. Kurtz are the guests of the club at the Federal Hotel, which meets in Anderson on May. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Robert C. Cox the fourth Friday in April.

WANTED—All kinds of brass, copper and rubber (automobile tires) and all other household articles. Highest market prices. J. T. Peay, 2t.

WANTED—I will be in Lancaster April 6th to buy a car of Jersey cows, fresh in milk. Those who have any for sale see me at Farmer's Stable D. H. Counts 1-t.

Mrs. J. L. Williamson, of Rock Hill, has returned to her home after visiting her sons, Messrs. "White" and Harvey Williamson, at Greenville.

Mr. Claude N. Sapp, a member of the Lancaster bar, was on last Thursday appointed assistant attorney general by Thomas H. Peoples, attorney general. Mr. Sapp will succeed Fred H. Domenech, who resigned some time ago.

Mrs. D. E. Farthing has returned to the city after visiting her parents, Mrs. and Mrs. John Harrison, in Rock Hill.

We are requested to announce that the South Carolina Rescue Orphanage will meet with Mrs. George Gage Wednesday at eleven o'clock. The election of officers will be held. Members who cannot be present are requested to send their dues.

Dr. W. G. White, of York, spent yesterday in Chester.

Mrs. Jas. H. Glenn is visiting relatives in York.

Mrs. R. T. Sandifer, of Lowryville, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. F. W. Gregg, in Rock Hill.

BOOKS FOR COLLECTION of telephone dues will be open through Thursday, April 8th. If dues are not paid by that time, phone will be cut out.

WANTED—Twenty-five laborers at Kannapolis, N. C. Write to T. C. Thomson & Bros. Kannapolis, N. C. to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Byars, Tuesday, April 4th, a daughter.

Mr. Sid Groeschel, of Columbia, is a Chester visitor today.

Mr. J. White Ware, of Gastonia, was a Chester visitor yesterday.

Mr. A. P. McLeure, Superintendent of the Lancaster & Chester Railway, is in the city today.

The bids for the erection of the Sunday school annex to Purdy Presbyterian church will be opened this afternoon at three o'clock at which time it is probable the contract will be let, that is if the bids are acceptable.

Mr. T. A. Lucy, of Columbia, a representative of the Taylor-Walton Construction Co., is in the city today on business.

The election of officers of the Chester County Mutual Hill Insurance Company was scheduled for yesterday but was postponed until a date to be fixed later.

FORMER CHESTERITE MARRIED IN CAMDEN
Rock Hill, March 31st.—A marriage of interest to friends of the city and other portions of the State was solemnized in Camden Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock when Miss Alice Hough became the wife of J. L. Sanders, of Rock Hill. The ceremony was a quiet one, the officiating minister being Rev. Mr. Hough, pastor of the Camden Methodist church, the couple coming from Rock Hill, where Mr. Sanders, as special agent of the Southern Railway, has resided for some time. Mrs. Sanders is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hough, of Camden, and she possessed of many attractive qualities. Their friends will wish for them great and abiding happiness in their new life.

RESIGNS POSITION WITH CITY
Other Business Requires Time
Gets Agency for Dodge Auto Mobiles
Mr. Chas. B. Fennell, who for the past twelve years has been in the employ of the city resigned April 1st and will leave his entire time to the Fennell Electric Co. and the Fennell-Young Motor Co. Mr. Fennell has been one of the most efficient employees of the city and his resignation will be missed. Mr. Fennell has secured the agency for the Dodge Automobile for Chester, York and Lancaster counties and received the assignment of automobiles Saturday. The Dodge car is fast coming into popularity and with Mr. Fennell behind the sales in all these counties the sale of Dodge cars in this county will no doubt increase rapidly.

Dreamland Has Features
To Start the Dreamland will present the Broken Chain, which will be a thrilling episode in the Fall of Early Egypt. Also, the universal, Golden Prophecy of the great western world, "The Nile Rites." Six Rock Hill stock and bond exchanges, Wednesday Pearl White will be seen in the Hippodrome of the Iron Game. If you have not seen this wonder, see it as a student at once as it is the last chance to see it. Also, the same program will be presented by Grace Cunard, Gertrude Selby and Fritzie Burnette. Wednesday, "The Girl and the Game" will be presented in "Lord John's Journal" which starts at seven o'clock. Wednesday, "The Girl and the Game" will be presented in "Lord John's Journal" which starts at seven o'clock. Wednesday, "The Girl and the Game" will be presented in "Lord John's Journal" which starts at seven o'clock.

BASE BALL THURSDAY
The first ball this game of the season will be played in the college-stadium grounds Thursday afternoon between Rock Hill and Chester. The high school boys have been practicing hard and promise a good game. The game will start promptly at four o'clock. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

FOR RENT—Dwelling house on Valley street, garden, water and lights. W. H. Newbold, Attorney AT.

Both Lecture Recitals Enjoyed by Large Audience.

TRIP FOR THE NEWS
Those who heard Miss Edith Winn's talk on old English music last Friday morning felt that they had enjoyed a privilege which they could not expect to see again. In her bright and interesting manner, Miss Winn told of her summer in Stratford, England, the memories of which she has compiled into a book of folk-music from this book she, with Mrs. Adams and Miss Oetzel, played many rounds and catches of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries; the dance music from Nell Gwin and later, she sang several songs of the Shakespearean period among which were: "The Maid With The Delicate Air," "My Mother Bids Me Bind My Hair" and "Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes."

By special request, the program was closed with Viennese Folk-song as played by Kreisler.

Mr. F. W. Gregg, of York, who accompanied the remains here, and one brother, Gus Ragdale, of Richburg, Mrs. Morrison and her former residents of this city.—Rock Hill Record.

Buried at Rock Hill
The remains of Mrs. Kate Morrison, widow of the late Robt. Morrison, who died in Philadelphia last week were brought here Saturday morning and buried in Laurelwood Cemetery. Mrs. Morrison before marriage was Miss Kate Ragdale of Richburg, and is survived by one son, Thorn Morrison, of Philadelphia, who accompanied the remains here, and one brother, Gus Ragdale, of Richburg. Mrs. Morrison and her former residents of this city.—Rock Hill Record.

SHOWS UP A NEW COUNTY

Editor Semi-Weekly News.
I have recently heard of a project of the people of our sister city of Rock Hill to form a new county with that progressive and ambitious city as the county seat. In order to get the legally required area of four hundred square miles I understand they propose to take a strip of territory nearly the whole length of the county and take to The Village of Southern Power Company of Great Falls and enough of Fairfield County to round out the required four hundred square miles. When we consider the shape of this proposed county, and the fact of cutting clean across an unincorporated city and taking a portion of another county, the people of which section would be honor the city of a township that they would be to a county seat as Rock Hill. I am not going to discuss it here but I heartily endorse the project and I hope the project will be carried out. I am sure that the people of this county will be glad to see the project carried out. I am sure that the people of this county will be glad to see the project carried out.

ALDERMAN WARD I
We are authorized to announce Mr. T. W. Petterson as candidate for Alderman from Ward I, subject to the result of the approaching city election.

NO THANK YOU
If the Chester county people vote \$100,000 in bonds for new roads, we bet the next thing they will do is to vote the whole of Chester county in to the proposed "atawaha" county and that would be an easy way of paying those bonds. Rock Hill Record.

PETITION PRESENTED
Petitions from portions of York, Chester and Fairfield counties, from which it is proposed to erect the new county of Catawba, were presented to Governor Manning last Saturday and the Governor now has them under consideration.
It is understood that the Governor will give those opposed to the new county a hearing, which no doubt will be strong. Many in this proposed new county are opposed to any change for various reasons.
Some of those in Fairfield county are opposed to the change because the new county would place them about fifty miles from the county seat.

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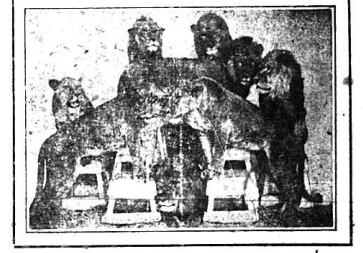
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THURSDAY
Helen Holmes, in "Girl and the Game"
Wm. Garwood, in "Lord John's Journal"
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Announcements

FOR SHERIFF
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Chester county, subject to the will of the Democratic Primary.
D. E. COLVIN.

CORONER.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for reelection to the office of Coroner of Chester county, subject to the result of the Democratic primary.
J. HENRY GLADDEN.

FOR CLERK OF COURT.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for reelection to the office of Clerk of the Court for Chester county, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary.
J. E. CORNWELL.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Court for Chester county, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary.
J. E. NUNNERY.

FOR AUDITOR.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for reelection to the office of County Auditor, subject to the result of the Democratic primary.
M. C. FUDGE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Auditor for Chester county, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary.
A. C. FISCHEL.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
The friends of James S. McKeevey hereby nominate him as a candidate for the House of Representatives, subject to the will of the Democratic voters of Chester county.

ALDERMAN WARD 4.
Mr. John A. Nichols, having taken an active interest in the affairs of his ward and served his constituency faithfully and well, is hereby nominated as Alderman from Ward 4.

ALDERMAN WARD 3.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for reelection as Alderman from Ward 3, subject to the result of the approaching municipal election.
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Lesson No.—Second Quarter, For April 9, 1916.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.
Text of the Lesson, Acts ix, 22-43. Memory Verses, 29, 40—Golden Text, Tit. ii, 7.—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

We leave Saul at Tarsus, his intense love for a time and return for a few lessons to Peter as the human instrument through whom the risen and ascended Christ continues to prove that He is alive and the same Jesus. The one only thing that believers are on earth for is to magnify the Lord and glorify Him in all things and with people to Him. Unless we are turning people to Him we are not magnifying Him, for when He is lifted up before people in our lives by word or deed He who was lifted up on the cross for us will draw out Himself all whom the Father has given unto Him to form His body. We must think of Peter as in chapter VIII, 25, preaching the word of the Lord where he went out to sea-stainers and to strengthen and comfort the saints.

So he came to Lydia and was used by her to give the hearing to the called Aeneas, who had kept his bed eight years, being palsied. His words to him were: "Aeneas, Jesus Christ maketh thee whole, arise and make thy bed." He was made whole and arose immediately, and one result was that he who dwelt with this miracle, turned to the Lord. I have often thought that perhaps the Lord who was lifted up on the cross for us will draw out Himself all whom the Father has given unto Him to form His body. We must think of Peter as in chapter VIII, 25, preaching the word of the Lord where he went out to sea-stainers and to strengthen and comfort the saints.

Turning to Peter at Joppa, we are introduced to a saint and a Disciple who while she lived was full of good works and aims deeds which she did. She was not full of talk about good works which might be done, nor did she spend her time telling of aims deeds which she knew that others were able to do and ought to do, but she was in the Lord's hand to be used by Him as the needle was in her hand, a willing instrument. Good works are prepared beforehand for each believer to walk in (Eph. ii, 10), not in any way to add to our safety which is wholly due to the blood of Jesus Christ. His finished work, but as an evidence to people that we are indeed His worshippers. Good works are not necessary to God to prove to Him our faith, for He reads the heart, but the good works of believers are good and profitable unto men who cannot read the heart (Tit. iii, 8).

This faithful saint became sick and died. She departed to be with Christ, which is far better than continuing here. She was absent from the body and present with the Lord. She read of her later (1 Cor. xiii, 22). If Cor. vii, 8; Rev. xiv, 13. Consider this well and then note the conduct of these disciples at Joppa. Two men were sent to Lydia to find Peter and bring him without delay, hoping that he might bring Dorcas back to them from the dead after the bad report natural, and the same desire prevails everywhere today, as a rule, to have loved ones come back to earth even though we know that they have gone to be with Christ and have the gain the very far better. But quietly consider it. When our loved ones on earth go away for a few days or weeks or months to rest or for their health, and we know that they are well and happy, what would it be but utter selfishness on the part of those left at home to send for them to come back after a day or two, saying: "Oh, I am so lonely! I can't bear to have you away. Come right back to me."

Now, what was the difference in this case? I hope that I am not misjudging those weeping widows, but as I see them showing the coats and garments which Dorcas had made I am wondering a little if they wanted her back to do some more sewing for them when perhaps she had simply worked herself to death for them. I can almost imagine the Lord Jesus saying to Dorcas after she had reached her heavenly home and was enjoying something of the bliss of paradise: "Dorcas, they are asking to have you come back to earth for awhile, but I leave it to you. I'll be glad to have you stay, for I love to have my redeemed ones with me in glory (John xvii, 24), but if you are willing to go back for a time I will let you bring others with you." I think that would decide Dorcas to return, and we know that by her return to the earth many believed in the Lord (verse 42).

The result was the same in the case of Lazarus, brother of Mary and Martha. For we read that the resurrection of him many of the Jews went away and believed on Jesus (John xii, 11). The man who found himself dead after death wanted some one to warn his brothers who were still on earth, but they should come to the same awful place (John xvi, 27, 28). So it is not difficult to think that some might be willing to come back from heaven if they could take others to that place of bliss.

HAIL INSURANCE—DIRECTORS MEETING.
As prescribed by the by-laws a meeting of the Directors of the Mutual Hail Insurance Association of Chester County is hereby called for Monday April 2nd, 1916 at one o'clock P. M. in the office of J. M. Wase, Esq.

Z. V. DAVIDSON,
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JAS. S. MCKEOWEN,
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