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INSURANCE COMPANIES ADVISE AGENTS TO EN DURE SITUATION

Won't Accept the Invitation to Return in Guise of Brokers if They Surrender Business in the State—Placing the Work of a Lifetime at the Mercy of Outside Brokers. Companies Urge Agents to Endure the Situation and Do Charlotte Observer.

The attention of hundreds of thousands of people has been directed, since the 15th of March, upon the insurance business in South Carolina. Not only have thousands been interested in the outcome in the Palmetto State, but there are thousands of others in Charlotte and about North Carolina who have varied interests in the legitimate rates of insurance which you have heretofore placed with such companies.

Very Truly,
F. H. McMASTER,
Insurance Commissioner.

In connection with this specific invitation of the Insurance Commissioner, the Observer prints this paragraph in a letter in reply to it, from the National Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, declining to sneak in at the back door of South Carolina in that insurance companies have been forbidden to do business

Hartford, Conn., March 29, 1916. To Our South Carolina Agents: We have received many letters like yours from our former South Carolina agents, based on Insurance Commissioner's (advising agents to take out a broker's license and place business with non-admitted companies, soliciting such a fast and loose connection with us.

Since the duly elected representatives of the property owners of your State have made it impossible for you to represent us as an admitted company and, as such, for us to do business in South Carolina, we are unwilling to operate there in this unusual manner, believing it ill comports with the dignity of a Hartford company after virtually having been kicked out from the front door to try to sneak in the back way. Furthermore, there are other difficulties in the way of the plan you suggest which render impractical; it is proposed to do business covertly where we cannot do it openly, the business of your State have proven itself too unprofitable and undesirable to justify such a venture.

The expense involved in handling and inspecting the relatively small and widely scattered business which would be received under the plan you propose would be too great.

AGREE TO BLOW UP MORGAN

If Bomb in Office Failed, Charge is, He Was to Have Auto Collision and Then Attack Victim.

New York, April 24.—Harry L. Newton, a munitions worker, was arrested here on Thursday on a charge that he had offered to blow up a munitions plant at Dunkirk, N. Y., and, according to the police, also offered to "get rid" of J. Pierpont Morgan, and to put bombs in the offices of Assistant United States District Attorneys Rose B. Wood and John B. Knox, who held in \$5,000 bond by Magistrate Handy in the Tombs Court yesterday for examination on Tuesday.

According to the police, Newton said he would be willing to undertake the job of "getting rid" of Mr. Morgan provided he was well paid, one of the sums proposed being \$10,000. Newton, it was said, did not suggest the price to be paid for blowing up Mr. Wood or Mr. Knox, but it was much less than that suggested in the case of Mr. Morgan.

The charge on which Magistrate Handy held Newton was violation of Section 261 of the Penal Code, which deals with attempts to commit crime.

One way he was alleged to have suggested was to go to Mr. Morgan's office in Wall Street, carrying a bomb concealed in a small suitcase. He intended to gain entrance by asking a button he wore while working in a Canadian munitions factory which was inscribed "In His Majesty's Service." With the aid of this button he expected to have no trouble in getting into the office of the banker.

If this plan failed, Newton, it was alleged, had a second plan which was much more daring. Newton, it was said, intended to watch the Morgan office and find out the time at which the banker left in the afternoon. Having ascertained this he was to get an automobile and, when the day came to put the plan into effect, was to ace his car down Nassau or some other street and steer it straight into the Morgan machine, and when the crowd gathered he would take advantage of the excitement and attack the banker.

As for Assistant District Attorneys Wood and Knox, both of whom have been prominent in the investigations of German plots and in the indictment of many plotters, Newton intended, so it was said, to get access to their offices by pretending he wished to turn informer against certain persons who he believed, the Government was investigating. While in the offices the time bombs would be placed somewhere near the entrance door, giving himself from five to ten minutes leeway, Newton would leave the offices and be blocks away when the bombs exploded.

Detective Barnitz said the arrest of Newton was the result of information brought to the police by Felix W. Galley, a contractor with an office at 500 Fifth Avenue. Mr. Galley was not in his office yesterday and the police declined to say where he could be found, although they asserted they knew where he was. Mr. Galley was said to have met Newton about ten days ago and to have been present when Newton suggested that it might "end the war" to put Mr. Morgan out of business.

Galley took the information to Captain Tunney and Barnitz was subsequently introduced to Newton as a foreign agent. Galley, it was said, was present at the meeting between Newton and Barnitz and heard the talk that passed between the Detective and the alleged plotter.

Temporary income to run the risk of losing a good share of the business of clients by giving to them unsatisfactory or questionable insurance? If you cannot give them the best, as you have been accustomed to do, under proper and reasonable conditions would it not be better to endure the situation until sanity shall return to the people's representatives and high grade fire insurance companies are not only permitted but encouraged to supply to your property owners the indemnity upon which the business fabric of your State and every State depends?

GEN. SCOTT TO HASTEN BACK FROM BORDER

Secretary of War Refuses to Discuss Meaning of Special Representative's Decision to Return So Quickly.

Washington, April 22.—A decision as to whether American troops will be withdrawn from Mexico may be reached by President Wilson and his cabinet Tuesday. This was indicated tonight when it was reported that Major Gen. Scott might be back in Washington in time for his report to be laid before the meeting of the Cabinet on that day.

Secretary Baker declined to discuss the probable meaning of Gen. Scott's decision to hasten back to the Capital without extending his quest for information beyond conversations with Gen. Funston and his officers. Officials have consistently refused to say anything whatever about the problems under consideration since the request for the withdrawal of the troops came from Gen. Carranza.

It is known, however, from border advice that Gen. Funston feels that he cannot go farther with the pursuit of Villa unless he is heavily reinforced, and his hands freed to some extent at least in dealing with problems of supply and information beyond the border. Gen. Scott's decision to return at once generally was taken to mean that he had reached the same conclusion and would so report to Secretary Baker.

In this connection it is recalled that President Wilson specifically rejected plans for a more extensive movement in pursuit of Villa mapped out by the general staff immediately after the Columbus raid. The scope of those plans never have been revealed, but it is generally understood that they contemplated a virtual military occupation of all that part of Northern Mexico in which the bandits might seek refuge. A big army would have been required, and the whole territory have been swept thoroughly so that no Villa followers could escape.

The Administration felt, it has reported, that any such movement as this was certain to lead to war with Mexico. The development of opposition to the smaller punitive expedition is held by Administration officials to have borne out this view. This opposition, they point out, has developed despite a formal announcement by the President himself that the sole object was the capture of Villa.

The reason for this is believed that the Administration changed its viewpoint. If Gen. Scott recommends that the expedition either be freed of the restraints imposed by its friendly nature and largely reinforced, or withdrawn entirely, there seems little doubt that the latter course will be followed.

Military officials on the border apparently take the same view of the probabilities of the situation. Secretary Baker gave no disposition of the matter beyond the routine matters were reported. The State department also was without advice as to the military situation, although it received confirmation of the fact that Carranza's currency had dropped in value in Mexico City to two cents on the dollar. Officials said the financial outlook of the de facto Government appeared to be increasingly gloomy.

AEROPLANES IN MEXICO NOW CALLED JUNK

Half a Dozen New Planes Being Set Up in Columbus—Plans to Celebrate Easter.

Columbus, N. M., April 22.—The United States Army is in possession of half a dozen planes of junk that were called aeroplanes at the beginning of the present campaign in Mexico. Of the eight flying machines that sailed south from here shortly after the outbreak of the campaign, only two were able to fly back this week.

The remnants of the others are "somewhere in Mexico," and the only way to be brought back to our tracks, the root of the matter has been reported by Mr. J. H. Yarborough, chief of the aviation section of the United States Army Signal Corps. The two aeroplanes that did succeed in flying back to the expeditionary base gained the titles "suicide machines" some time before they returned, and it is expected that they will be condemned next week.

Shortly after the aeroplanes first got into Mexico, when only two or three of them had been destroyed by a comparatively small amount of service, the aviators of the section devoted to the custom of maintaining silence and told correspondents what was the matter with their machines. The machines were inferior in numerous details. Their engines were too weak to carry a man above the range when flying over high altitudes, such as the Mexican service required. They were of a type that had long since been condemned for general service in Europe. Even General Pershing let it be known that he intended to demand no more service of the aviators than was absolutely necessary because they were "taking their lives in their hands" with every flight.

New Machines Set Up. Previous efforts to procure up-to-date aeroplanes for the squadron had been unavailing, but when the actual conditions became generally known to the public Congress made an emergency appropriation for eight new machines. Six of these have just arrived here, and are now being set up. These are Curtiss trainers. The two others, of the Stinson type, are of a type that was on the way here and will be placed in service in Mexico if the campaign is renewed.

But the aviators here have been muzzled again. It is reported some of the aviators threatened to talk on the way here and will be placed in service in Mexico if the campaign is renewed. But the aviators here have been muzzled again. It is reported some of the aviators threatened to talk on the way here and will be placed in service in Mexico if the campaign is renewed.

Some Newspapers Hard Hit and May Advance Price of Subscription. Atlanta, April 15.—How would you like to pay fifteen cents a week for your newspaper, instead of ten or twelve cents that you are now paying now? Such a thing is a distinct possibility if the price of paper, metal, ink and the other commodities the newspapers use continue to advance as they have in the last few days.

Mary Fuller at the Dreamland Friday. Mary Fuller, the popular film star, will be seen at the Dreamland Theatre on Friday in her latest and greatest feature drama in five great acts, "The Way We Live Now." The story is of a girl thrown upon the world to make her own living and is full of love, romance and thrilling action. A wonderful Cabaret scene is shown along with the midnight life of the "Gay West" border New York City. Prices for this big feature will be 6 and 10 cents, although it is presented at an extra cost to the management of the Dreamland Theatre.

ARMENIA NEWS

Even though we are needing a good rain now in our community everything looks well. The grain fields are especially pretty. Every farmer has a hand and one can easily see from the looks of the farm that the work everywhere is going along in a hustling way.

Yes, everybody is busy at Armenia but not too busy to mix a good time with the work. There was quite a good number present Thursday night, at the joint community club meetings. Plans were discussed and committees arranged for the conduct of the Community Fair. We have received a hearty cooperation from the part of all and we are looking for the best community fair that has ever been held in Chester County.

Mr. James S. McKown of Columbia was present at the Community meeting and made an interesting talk on "The Value of a Community Fair." Mr. R. O. Atkinson, Jr., was elected secretary of the fair, and he is now appointed several committees.

The canning club and cooking club of Armenia met at the home of Mrs. J. H. Yarborough on Friday afternoon, quite a good number of girls attending. After the lessons were over refreshments were served.

Fifty happy children enjoyed an Easter hunt on Friday afternoon at the Mt. Pleasant School. About twelve dozen eggs were skillfully hidden but the eager little folks soon found them all.

The many friends of Mr. J. W. Anderson were glad to welcome him as a visitor in the community for a few days.

Miss Hattie Yarborough spent the week-end in Chester with Miss Jennie Bates.

Several of the Armenia people attended the Easter celebration at the Mt. Pleasant School.

Mr. Milton Bailey, who has been sick for the past week, is now better. Quite a number of Armenia farmers were in Chester Saturday.

Miss Jo Yarborough spent the week-end with Mrs. J. T. Darby, of Orr's Station.

SOUTH CAROLINA VEGETABLES.

Receipts in Hold Up Fairly Increasing. Prices Hold Up Fairly Well.

New York, April 23.—The quantity of South Carolina vegetables to reach New York varies according to the commodity. Some vegetables are heavy, while others are light, and the quality, as a rule, is only fair. Carrots were in heavy supply but of irregular size and brought four to five cents per bush.

Peas are increasing in supply daily and selling within a range of \$1.75 to \$3.50 per bushel.

Wakfield cabbage was mostly poor and ranged from \$1.75 per crate. Flat Dutch cabbage was good. Beets sold at three to four cents per bush and were none too good in quality, as the tops were mostly off.

Leafy and sold from \$1.75 to \$4 per basket.

Governor Whitman Says Hughes in Choice of the Republicans.

Albany, N. Y., April 23.—Governor Whitman tonight issued a statement in which he reiterated his belief that Justice Hughes was the choice of the Republicans for President. He said: "I have not conferred with Justice Hughes on the subject and I mean no disrespect to him when I say that I am not very deeply concerned about his individual desires in the matter. The people of this nation believe in the welfare of the Republic and requires his presence in the White House, they have the right to insist that he shall go there. It is for them to decide and not for him and I purpose to do everything in my power as Chicago's assist in the free expression of the choice which I believe is the sincere and well-nigh universal choice of the Republican party."

caps along the line, there was not a case in camp.

The body of Private A. K. Hartman of Troop K, Thirteenth Cavalry, was brought to Columbus last night. He had been taken to the hospital at Casas Grandes suffering from pneumonia. The official word is that Hartman was on one of the solidly stationed here at the time of the Villa raid on Columbus.

Mr. John M. Hemphill bought 300 acres of the old Agra place just west of the city last week. The deal being made through Messrs. Sims & Carter and R. R. Hafner.

OPERATES AUTO ON FUEL MADE FROM WATER

**His Plan Is to Get Government to
Pay Award for Discovery as
Public Benefit or Go to Car
Manufacturers.**

New York, April 22.—Louis Enrich, chemist and inventor, of Farmingdale, L. I., has, or claims to have, a liquid that will make gasoline a thing of the past, put automobiles within almost everyone's reach and break the Standard Oil Company's control of the petrol market.

A transparent greenish liquid is the new product of the automobile. Four ounces of it, Prof. Enrich says, mixed with five gallons of plain water, such as is used for sprinkling lawns, will make five gallons of motive power more stable and explosive than gasoline. And the beauty of it is that the preparation, exclusive of the water, will only cost 1-14 cents a gallon.

He has been working on his liquid for three years, the chemist said, when a half-dozen newspaper men went out to see how it worked. At last, four weeks ago, he solved the problem, he said, and since then he has been driving his two automobiles about the little village without ever stopping at the local garage for a drop of the liquid that is advertised outside the door at 28 cents a gallon and still going up.

But it promises to become a white elephant on his hands. He cannot follow any of the usual ways of putting his discovery on the market. He cannot form a company and patent the fluid, nor get sell it to any big corporation. The ingredients of the super-gasoline are so simple, he confesses, that any layman owning a machine could go to the drug store and buy a few ounces of them, mix them together, stop at the town pump and then laugh at the garage man.

Patent Not Feasible.
To patent it would be as good, for five cents would bring a copy of the papers from Washington to anyone, and the formula could be obtained. As long as the average automobilist made enough only for himself and did not sell it nothing could be done.

"The idea I have," said Prof. Enrich, "is to get the Government to pay me an award for my discovery as a public benefit. Failing in this, I may try to get the automobile makers, whose business has been injured by the high cost of gasoline, to pay me for my formula in the interest of their business. I do not want a fortune. I have 30 other patents issued to me and a fair income from them, but I only want a fair return for my years of labor on this discovery.

"Would I sell it to the Standard Oil Company?" He snapped back the question when it was asked. "I would not. I want to break the Standard Oil Company. I am not a socialist, except in theory, but I want the peo-

ple to get the benefit of this. Would the Standard Oil Company sell my preparation at a few cents an ounce? Is it selling gasoline at a fair price now?"

"Besides, I have another reason. Twenty years ago Henry M. Flagler refused me the fruits of my labor when I brought out an invention that the Standard Oil Company sought. The company was then sending about 10,000,000 barrels of oil abroad a year. The barrels had to be lined to prevent wastage. I developed a cheap non-cracking lining. Albert B. Drake, then the nestor of the Stock Exchange and my friend, financed me. We went to sell it. A demonstration was given. Mr. Drake asked \$20,000 for me. Mr. Flagler laughed at him and said he'd give \$1,500. I was poor and wanted to sell, but rather than see me lose like that, Mr. Drake paid me my share of that price and kept the discovery a secret. I want no more dealings with the Standard Oil Company."

Gives a Demonstration.
Prof. Enrich gave a demonstration of his fluid. He filled the gasoline tank of each of his two cars with water and poured in a sufficient quantity of the greenish liquid. Then he cranked up the car and off he went. One of the newspaper men brought his own automobile with him and two expert mechanics. He told the others who arrived later that the new preparation had been tried in his machine and had driven it.

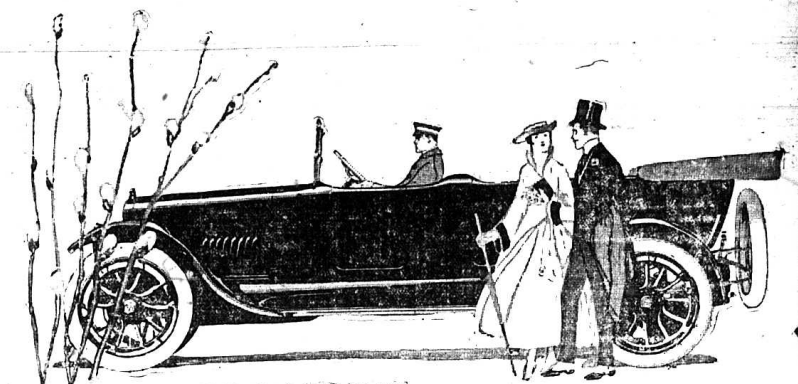
The method of making the fluid is simplicity itself. No apparatus is needed beyond two dry batteries and an electrode in a water tank. His fluid, Prof. Enrich says, decomposes water into its constituent gases, hydrogen and oxygen. Hydrogen, an explosive gas, is fed from the tank into the cylinders, detonated by the spark plugs and exhausted in the usual way. The only secret about the thing is the mysterious fluid, which has the property of releasing the hydrogen.

Of this secret, Prof. Enrich is most jealous. His chemical bottles are marked in code, and he empties the automobile tank after each run. Each morning he mixes the fluid anew, so no thief breaking into his laboratory may discover its preparation.

Prof. Enrich is 63 years old. He was born in Mayence, Germany, and educated at the University of Carlsruhe.

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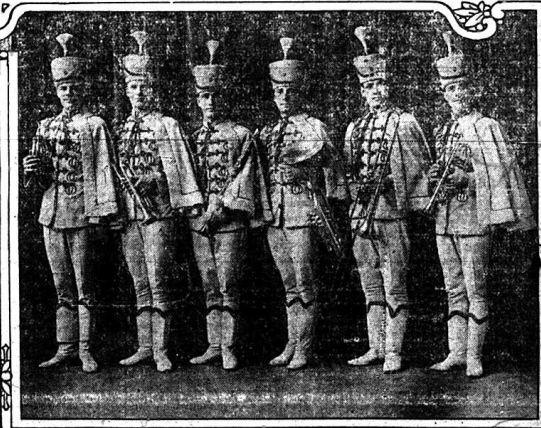
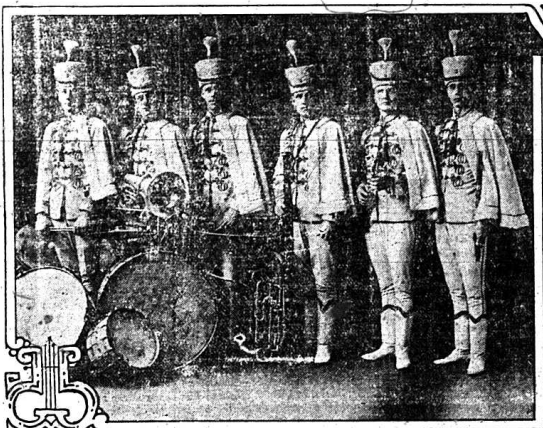
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The White Hussars Coming on the Fifth Night of Chautauqua Week



Photograph by Frank Moore, Cleveland.

THE White Hussars, Alfred Sweet, musted director, have won fame through four years of transcontinental tours, in which they have appeared in nearly all the large cities of the country. They have developed the highest standard in band music. There are thirteen in this company, but the musical effect approximates a band of twenty. Their instrumentation is admirable.

Also in the same program they appear as a vocal choir of equal merit, presenting some of the finest of serious compositions, delivered with distinct musical style, shading and intelligent attention to all phases of the interpretation.

Mr. Alfred Sweet, the musical director, is one of the great comedians of the day. He is also the principal baritone in the vocal choir. For three years Mr. Sweet was director of Ringling Brothers' Symphonic Band and did much to establish that great organization in its present place among American military bands. He has directed the White Hussars in the past three years. Also the same soloists who have contributed to the upbuilding of the company will be heard in its concerts at every Redpath Chautauqua.

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FOR ALDERMAN WARD ONE.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election as Alderman from Ward 1, subject to the rules of the approaching municipal election.
J. B. WESTBROOK.

Announcements

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Chester county, subject to the result of the Democratic Primary.

D. E. COLVIN.

CORONER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election 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 re-election 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 re-election 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 of Chester county, subject to the rules of the Democratic Primary.

A. C. FISCHER.

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 re-election as Alderman from Ward 3, subject to the result of the approaching municipal election.

JAS. H. GLENN.

FOR TREASURER.

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

J. C. STOLL.

ALDERMAN WARD 1.

We are authorized to announce Mr. T. W. Patrick a candidate for Alderman from Ward 1, subject to the result of the approaching city election.

FOR SUPERVISOR.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of County Supervisor, subject to the rules of the Democratic Primary.

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GERMAN REPLY BY SATURDAY

General Tone of Calmness in Press Noted With Satisfaction Though It Does Not Alter Attitude of Anxiety in Capital.

Washington, April 23.—Germany's reply to the American note demanding immediate abandonment of illegal and inhuman submarine warfare probably will be before President Wilson by Saturday. In the meantime, perhaps within 48 hours, Ambassador Gerard at Berlin is expected to be in a position accurately to forecast the contents of the document.

It is confidently believed that the German reply will be handled by Ambassador Gerard on Wednesday or Thursday, and then about two days coding, cable transmission and decoding. From Mr. Gerard's informant conversations with officials of the Berlin foreign office is expected to come the advance word of what is to be expected.

The most recent dispatches received from the ambassador were said to contain only quotations from editorials in German newspapers. These were described as being virtually identical with the editorial opinions in press dispatches. The general tone of calmness displayed by the German press was noted with satisfaction. However, the editorial expressions seemed not to alter anxiety over the ultimate outcome.

The German embassy today was without dispatches from Berlin. Count von Bernstorff, the ambassador, was out of town. He is expected to return tomorrow, however, and during the day may call at the state department in connection with the return of papers seized in New York by agents of the department of justice from Wolf von Igel, former secretary to Capt. Franz von Papen, recent military attaché of the embassy. In view of the status of the submarine situation that subject unless instructed to do so by his government between now and the time of his call.

It is stated authoritatively that the German embassy has no more information regarding the intentions of the Berlin government than has the state department. In some diplomatic quarters the statement made in dispatches in view of the status of the News Agency that Germany will act "along the lines of national dignity, and respect for vital German interests" is regarded as being a hopeful indication.

It is pointed out that if neutral rights and international law were strictly observed by the German government all source of possible difficulties with the United States immediately would be removed. If Germany should refuse to comply with the demands of the United States and the diplomatic relations between the two governments were severed, the moral effect upon the other neutral nations of the world, diplomats considered, would be far reaching.

Heretofore, it is known here, the German government has considered

the report of contemplated actions from neutral nations. The United States in at least one instance having been in this connection. At the time it was explained by persons in close touch with German affairs that the United States was named because it was believed that any objection held by this government necessarily would be reflected in other neutral nations, especially those whose interests are nearly identical.

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BRITONS WED FRENCH GIRLS

Hundreds of Soldiers Fall in Love at Front in France.

On the British Front, France, April 10.—Army officers along this front say that many hundreds of British soldiers have married French girls since the expeditionary force landed in France, and hundreds of others have become engaged, a fact not generally known even in London. Some of the Tommies plan to take their wives back to England, but the majority declared their intention of settling in France when the war is over.

The love affairs of Tommy cause his superiors considerable amusement for he knows no French excepting the title that he has picked up since he came to France, and his sweetheart knows no English, save what he has taught her.

AT DREAMLAND.

Tuesday at the Dreamland Harry Carey will be seen in a big Western feature, also the Broken Coin No. 20, which is brimful of thrills. Wednesday Pearl White is shown in the "Iron Claw," also big Ben Wilson in a feature drama, making a wonderful six reel program that is hard to beat at any price. Thursday Helen Holmes the fearless film star, will be seen at her best. Spike is also shown again in this chapter, and the thrills that are seen are more exciting than any that have been seen in the "Girl and the Game." There is a feature every day at the Dreamland Theatre this week at prices of only 5 and 10 cents.

Rev. Dr. R. C. Anderson, president and treasurer of the Montreat Association, is very optimistic with reference to the 1916 Summer season at Montreat, says the Charlotte Observer. He stated that he was expecting the best season that this popular resort has ever known. Several new homes have recently been completed at Montreat.

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TUESDAY, APRIL 25.

THE COUNTRY MERCHANT
AND A TROLLEY LINE

Yes, it is true that we should not be selfish but nevertheless the average person is selfish to a certain extent, especially when the dollar is considered. And, you cannot will blame any man for looking after his own business. It is a most positive fact that if he does not do so no one will do the act for him.

Says a man: "If that idea materializes it will benefit a great many but it will put me and a number of others out of business. Now what shall I do?" Ninety-nine times out of a hundred he will look after his own interests. It may be wrong for him to do this but nevertheless he does it just the same.

If the proposed Catawba County line is erected we understand an electric line has been promised from one end of the county to the other. If this is done what will become of the country merchants in the eastern section of Chester county. Will the people continue to patronize the country merchant or will they take the trolley and do their trading elsewhere? If they take the trolley, what is to become of the country merchant?

Shall the country merchant look after his own business or not? We leave it to him.

LET'S HAVE LESS DUST.

The dust for some time past has been worthy of special mention. As a matter of fact it has been the topic of conversation. It has almost put the new county in the back-ground.

We do not know why the sprinkler does not do its duty and we have arrived at the point where we have had interest in the water wagon. Possibly the city cannot afford to keep a man and team of horses on the sprinkler all day. Be that as it may, something should be done about the dust devil.

A survey of the business section of the town reveals the fact that practically every business firm has a water meter in front of their door. A pipe runs from the main to the meter and from the meter into the building. This city can tap the pipe between the meter and the main making a connection suitable for a lawn hose. We believe if this is done by the city the business houses will buy the hose and do their own street sprinkling.

It is in the cities business to sprinkle the streets and for that reason we suggest tapping the water pipe before it enters the meter. The water should be free since there is no use for one firm to sprinkle in front of their building unless their neighbors dislike.

The hose for each firm would not cost over four or five dollars and surely there would be no drawback on this.

What say you city fathers? Why not make Chester's business section dustless?

MUST THINK THEY ARE EASY

"The Chester News must think that the parties who live in the proposed territory of Catawba county are very short on intelligence if they would be 'taken in' on the promise of free games over an electric line or anything else of that kind? We don't believe these people are expecting something for nothing, but are willing to pay for anything that gets, that will be for their betterment and if a

new county and an electric line will benefit them, we believe that they have intelligence enough to know it and will pay their share of taxes and also their car fare when they want to ride."—Rock Hill Record.

"No, we do not think, nor did we intimate that they were 'short on intelligence.'" The Maker gave the citizens of east Chester enough viscus to completely fill the cranium and Rock Hill will wake up to this fact before Catawba county is formed.

We were reliably informed that the "free pass" hot air was being blown by Catawba county promoters from Rock Hill and we simply made mention of the fact.

NOT GUILTY.

The Rock Hill Record says: "The Chester papers seem to be trying to lay a good deal of stress on the idea that the Dukes are crazy for a new county and are backing the proposition."

The News denies the charge so far as it is concerned. Not one single item written by us in regard to the new county has had the word "duke" in it, nor have we intimated in any shape or style or fashion that the proposition would be backed by the Dukes. We may, in the future have something to say along this line and if we do all may rest assured that we have the facts in the case.

Right here, let us say we know something about counties which are predominated over by corporations. It is a fact that self interests of corporations predominates over patriotism and philanthropy.

THE BOLL-WEEVIL.

Little by little the boll-weevil is advancing to the North. Already it has made its appearance in Georgia.

This much dreaded little fellow makes an advance of from forty to seventy miles each year, despite all the efforts of science against him. This year he may jump a hundred miles. Some times a strong wind storm helps him in his advance.

It is now stated that the weevil will eventually infest the entire cotton section before its progress is stopped and the only salvation of the farmer is diversification. Its progress cannot be delayed much longer and our agricultural classes should get the lesson early.

PATRONIZING HOME CONTRACTORS.

We are not only a great believer in the buy at home movement, but we believe in giving our own people a chance in all kinds of work. This is as it should be; for they are our own people, and they are helping us to make our town not only in the way of spending what they make with us, but in paying their share of taxes for the support of the city. Unless they get employment they will be unable to make a living for themselves and families, and share with us the burdens that must be borne by the community. We are glad to know that the Connie Maxwell Orphanage management in awarding a contract for the erection of a new building awarded every thing connected with the building to our home people. In other words, Greenwood people not only got the contract for the erection of the building, but the equipment such as plumbing, wiring, etc., go to our own people.

We know that in making comments of this kind one is likely to be misunderstood and regarded as narrow, clanish, and selfish, but we do not think that there is just room for such complaint. If the buy at home movement is a good sound doctrine, and we believe it is then patronizing home people in every other line is alright. We take this position and are ready to stand by it.—Greenwood Journal.

FOR SALE.

Big strong plug mule cheap for Cash, also one good mule. We are booking orders for pure Duroc Jersey Pigs for July 1st shipment. Good colors and good shaped ones that should be on every farm \$10.00 each at ten weeks old, send in your orders now.

Clover Leaf Farm
Fort Lawn, S. C.
P. O. Box 25 25-28

On account of an error in the shipping the "Broken Coin" will be shown on Wednesday of this week, extra to "Iron Claw" and Ben Wilson.

OTHER DECISIONS

Any man can talk himself into trouble, but it takes a lawyer to talk him out.

The truth is that few men have their price, but a lot of them are trying to get it.

Some men don't think anything of spending \$10 worth of time trying to borrow five.

By the time we make up our mind to do something unconventional it has become conventional.

Some people wait until the wings of the morning are pretty well clipped before they get out of bed.

There may be plenty of room at the top, but that is no reason why people should swell up when they get there.

Give the average man a half chance to talk about himself and he will get busy and deliver the goods.

It is only after some people are planted safely under six feet of earth that they cease to say "I told you so."

A gentleman should always wait for a lady to sit down before seating himself—unless there's only one chair in the room.

Put two men in a bed, one with the toothache and the other lovesick, and the man with the toothache will go to sleep first.

Darby and Joan.

They come into the parlor ear and take their seats beside me. How very commonplace they are, I know my wife would chide me. And call it rude of me to stare.

At this old man and woman But since they do not seem to care.

Wh, shouldn't I be human. I've read my paper through and through—

There's mighty little in it— And so I've nothing else to do But watch them for a minute. They offer little promise though.

Of charm to the beholder; I judge her sixty-five or so. And he a trifle older.

I've watched them for a hundred miles! I'd watch another hundred, To share the paradise that smiles Around them! How I blundered, To call this couple commonplace.

Your's glory and romances Play sunnily about each face And glimmer in their glances.

His heart, a bee above the flower. Around her form is flitting, And she—how, well she knows her power!

She snares it in her knitting. Here's love that is forever new, That feasts and still doth hunger— Ah! he's eternal twenty-two And she a trifle younger.

Let my love, Lord, for my mate grow Thus God-like, to unfold her, When she is three-score-ten or so, And I a trifle older.

—Tom Daly in the Philadelphia Evening Ledger.

INSIST ON EMERY GUARANTEED MEN'S SHIRTS. THE SHIRT THAT FITS.



Department Store

Had Suffered For Over 8 Years

Doctors Advised an Operation but Simple Remedy Made It Unnecessary.

For over eight years Mr. U. S. G. Henry, 806 East 6th St., Oklahoma City, had suffered with stomach and liver trouble until finally he could no longer stand the pain. He says: "The doctors told me nothing but an operation would give me relief. I decided to first try Fruitola and Traxo, which relieved me of a quantity of gall stones and I have no further pain or trouble from my old complaint. I would not take \$500.00 for what your remedies have done for me." Fruitola, as the name implies, is a pure fruit oil, combined with certain harmless salts, and acts as a lubricant on the intestinal parts, softening the congested masses, disintegrating such irritating particles that cause so much suffering and expelling the accumulation to the patient's great relief. Traxo acts on the liver and kidneys, stimulates the flow of gastric juices to aid digestion and removes bile from the general circulation. It is a splendid tonic and serves to build up and restore the weakened run-down system. Fruitola and Traxo are prepared in the Pinus laboratories at Monticello, Ill., and arrangements have been made to supply them through representative druggists. In Chester they can be obtained at Shieder Drug Store.

LOVELY RECEPTION.
(Written for The News)

One of the loveliest events of the season was the reception given by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Curleton, at their home on Chester, Route 2, on Friday evening April 21st, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cunningham.

The guests were met at the door by Miss Havilene O'Donnell who invited them into the parlor, where the following were receiving: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Curleton, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. B. Boyd, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Boyd. They were then invited into the dining room where delicious refreshments were served.

Messrs. John and Will Trussell rendered several violin numbers, accompanied by Mrs. Hugh Strong McKeown. A number of games were played by the young people during the evening.

The home was made lovely with potted plants, cut flowers, and dogwood blossoms.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. B. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Cassells, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Simpson Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh S. McKeown, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cassells, Mrs. L. M. Douglas, Mrs. J. C. O'Donnell, Messrs. John and Will Trussell, Leslie and Harvey Weir, Albert Roberts, Alex. Tennant, W. O. McKeown, Jr., Rev. R. Roy Brown, Rev. and Mrs. J. Earle Freeman and Prof. James McKean. Misses Myrtle and Gertrude McKeown, Edna Phemster, Havilene, Margaret and Katie O'Donnell, Lucile Cassells, Eleanor Grant, Lula Roberts, and Agnes Tennant.

Harry Carey is shown in a great Bison Western Drama at Dreamland today, Tuesday.

NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wood Concentrator Company will be held at the offices of Marion & Marson, Attorneys, Chester, S. C., at 12 o'clock, noon, Monday, May 1st, 1916.
F. WOLFE,
1st-p. Sec'y.

CRYING FOR HELP.

Lots of It in Chester But Daily Growing Less.

The kidneys often cry for help. Not another organ in the whole body more delicately constructed; Not one more important to health. The kidneys are the filters of the blood. When they fail the blood becomes foul and poisonous. There can be no health where there is poisoned blood.

Backache is one of the frequent indications of kidney trouble. It is often the kidneys' cry for help. Heed it. Read what Doan's Kidney Pills have done for overworked kidneys. Read what Doan's have done for Chester people.

To be McCollum, retired farmer Hemphill Ave., Chester, says: "I had bladder trouble and the kidney secretions were scanty in passage. I had a constant desire to pass them, often having to get up during the night. I had seen Doan's Kidney Pills recommended and got a box from the Chester Drug Co. This one cure cured me of the trouble and the cure has lasted for a year."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. McCollum had, Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Miss Maud McLeod was awarded the prize on April 22nd.

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Friday and Saturday
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Who will be with us on Friday and Saturday. Mr. Spradley has had much experience, having been taking measures for this large establishment for 15 years. Get your summer suit now, the latest fabrics will be shown. Many persons in Chester have been pleased with Riverside Garments. Call in and see.

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LOCAL and PERSONAL

Messrs. C. H. and A. T. Hart, of York, spent Sunday in Chester.

Messrs. John D. Wylie and B. B. Horton, of Lancaster, were Chester visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Kittie McInare, of Lancaster was a Chester visitor yesterday.

Mr. Frank E. W. went to Clinton yesterday to witness the Erskine-Presbyterian baseball game.

Messrs. J. R. Dye, Elliott Hall, R. R. Hafner and son, Robert, motored to Gafrney Sunday.

Miss Coleman, of Abbeville, spent Easter in Chester with Miss Frances Hicklin.

Mr. J. Henry Gladden left for Union yesterday where he conducts an auction sale of lots.

Mr. E. A. Crawford, Jr., with headquarters in Richmond, Va., is spending a few days in Chester with friends and relatives.

Miss Mary McCullough, of Winthrop College, spent Easter in the city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McCullough.

Messrs. R. R. Hafner and S. C. Orr left this morning for Union where they will hold an auction sale today.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hicklin, of Edgemont, spent Easter in Chester with friends.

Mr. Thomas Hall Glenn, of Wofford College, spent Easter in the city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Glenn.

Just received, another shipment of Spring and Summer Suits, Rodman-Brown Company.

Remember if it is the latest and most up-to-date line of Gent's Furnishings you want, we are headquarters. Rodman-Brown Company.

These in Chester county having cattle for sale are having no trouble in finding a market. The butchers of the city state that it is a hard matter to find any beef cattle and several of the markets have been closed for some time past. There are not a pound of beef for sale in Chester Saturday evening.

On Friday the Sealy's Creek School closed with appropriate exercises. Miss Annie Minter was elected as successor to Miss Mattie Presley, who declined re-election.

Miss Nettie Spratt of the Greenwood school faculty spent Easter in Chester with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Spratt.

Miss Mary Lindsay and Mrs. Mary Patterson spent Easter in York with Miss Anna Lewis.

Miss Ella Cross has returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Culp, Rock Hill.

Mrs. R. H. McFadden has returned to the city from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. V. B. McFadden, at Rock Hill.

Mr. J. W. Westerlund, of Rock Hill was a Chester visitor Sunday.

Mr. Carl Latimer spent Sunday in York with relatives.

Mr. J. R. P. Gibson, of Great Falls, was a Chester visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson, of York, were Chester visitors Sunday.

Miss Anna Lewis, of the graded school faculty spent Sunday in York with her parents, Col. and Mrs. W. M. Lewis.

Mesdames L. T. Nichols, W. E. Anderson, A. C. Brice and Miss Cecy Corbill are in Atlanta this week attending Grand Opera.

Mrs. E. N. Radisall and son, Hugh of Lincolnton, N. C., who have been the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hafner, on York street have returned to their home.

Mrs. Elliott H. Hall returned Saturday afternoon from a few days stay with friends in Clinton.

Miss Mary Brown, of Chocora College, Columbia spent the Easter holidays in the city with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Jones.

Miss Sarah Withers, of Winthrop College, spent the week-end in the city with relatives.

Mrs. E. P. R. Turlette, of Denmark, S. C., is visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. J. O. Darby.

Everything advancing in price. Even the old cob pipe had to get in line and has recently made an advance of about 200 per cent. The entire supply for cob pipes is produced in three Missouri counties and for three successive seasons the crop has failed.

Owing to the increased business in Chester the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., has added another man to their Chester force. Mr. D. A. Bayne, of Columbia, has arrived in the city and will assist Mr. J. S. Orr, who has been handling the Chester business alone for this company for the past several years.

Quite a number of people in Chester and vicinity left yesterday afternoon and this morning to attend the reunion of the South Carolina division of the United Confederate Veterans to be held in Rock Hill today and tomorrow. Governor Manning is scheduled to deliver the address of welcome today on behalf of the state of South Carolina.

The Wednesday Domestic Science club held a very interesting meeting with Mrs. Beattie Brice. The roll call was answered by quotations from the modern writers. The subject for the afternoon was "Subject Reading Matter in the Home" and this topic was fully discussed by Mrs. B. D. Fitzgerald, "Influence of Early Reading Habits" was Mrs. F. M. Hicklin's subject, on which she gave some splendid suggestions, and a splendid paper on "Value of Fiction" was read by Mrs. R. L. Douglas. After business had been disposed of the hostess served tempting refreshments, assisted by Miss Annie Hardin and Mrs. Frank Clark.

Intelligence was received by Dr. W. M. Kennedy today of the death of his mother-in-law, Mrs. M. A. Carlisle, which occurred this morning at her home in Newberry. She had been critically ill for several days, her daughter, Mrs. Kennedy, having been summoned to her bedside the latter part of the past week. Mrs. Carlisle had visited in York and had made a number of friends here who will regret to learn of her death. Dr. Kennedy will leave for Newberry this afternoon to attend the funeral. —York News.

Mrs. T. S. Lettner entertained at a most beautiful Easter party on Thursday afternoon, the members of the Forty-two club and a number of additional friends. Her lovely home was all the more attractive with potted plants effectively arranged in the rooms where the tables had been placed for the ever entertaining and absorbing game of Forty-two. By means of dainty Easter score cards the guests found their places at the seven appointed tables and entered into the game. The scores were kept by Mrs. Jas. H. Glenn and Miss Emma Woods and when they had been counted the following were found to have scored highest, Mesdames Robert Gage, Mary Patterson, Jr., I. Clarence Cross and Miss Annie Hardin. The hostess was assisted in serving angel cake and cream and coffee by Mesdames Holmes, Jesse Hardin, R. M. Moffatt and W. H. McNairy. The cream was served in dainty little yellow baskets with rabbits, chicks and Easter lilies adorning them.

The out-of-town guests were: Mrs. Frank Clark, of Gainville, Fla., Miss Mabel of Asheville, N. C. and Mrs. O. P. Curry of Dallas Texas.

ELECTS OFFICERS.

Leeds, S. C. April 22, 1916.—The Leeds Democratic club met in Leeds and elected officers for the ensuing two years. The following were elected: J. A. Stevenson, Pres., Dr. J. M. McCallum, Vice Pres., W. W. Crosby, Sec. and Treas., W. T. McDaniel, Executive Committee-man, T. M. Traylor, delegate to county convention. A committee of three, consisting of Secretary with W. T. McDaniel and T. M. Traylor to revise the club roll. W. W. C.

JACK-IN-FINCH.

A surprise to many friends was the marriage Sunday afternoon of Miss Susie A. Jackson and Mr. William Hugh Finch at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. R. E. Turpin.

Mrs. Finch is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jackson. Mr. Finch holds a responsible position in the local postoffice. Both have many friends who are extending hearty congratulations.

Mrs. O. P. Curry, will leave this afternoon for her home in Dallas, Texas, after an extended visit to relatives in Chester.

TRADING WITH THE HOME PEOPLE IS A GOOD WAY TO MAKE A PROGRESSIVE TOWN.

WOULD NEW COUNTY PRO MOTERS ACT UNFAIR

Mr. Editor: While at the York Court I had it from responsible persons that the proponents of Catawba county stated that they had suggested the names of the Commissioners, to the Governor, to represent the three counties of York, Chester and Fairfield. Strong dissatisfaction was expressed over the new county people suggesting the old county representatives.

I am satisfied that Governor Manning would act impartially and out of sense of justice to him. I felt it my duty to advise him of the dissatisfaction expressed. Did so by letter and hand afterward with reply.

J. K. HENRY

GOVERNOR MANNING'S LETTER

State of South Carolina
Executive Chamber
Columbia, April 24, 1916

Hon. J. K. Henry,
Chester, S. C.

My dear Mr. Henry:

I am in receipt of yours of the 22nd, and in reply beg to advise that several names have been submitted to me for appointment on the Commission to investigate the petitions in the proposed new County of Catawba. I have not made any appointments, nor have I requested the proponents to suggest names for appointment on the commission. Several names were suggested, however, and I immediately transmitted these names to the opponents with the request that they advise me as to whether or not the parties would be satisfied with them.

My only desire is to appoint fair and impartial men on this Commission. I have not the slightest desire to favor either side in the fight. My duty is plain under the law, and I shall, in the performance of that duty have due regard for the interest of all parties. You may rest assured that I should not make any appointments until I have received the parties' approval will act in a fair and impartial manner in the matter.

I would be glad if you would advise any interested parties as to my attitude, and, if you wish, will be satisfactory to me for you to show this letter to any one interested; or, if you wish, you may give this letter to the local press for publication.

With warm personal regards and best wishes, I am,

Very truly yours,
RICH I. MANNING, Governor.

ENGINEER LYNN OF CHESTER MAKES STATEMENT AS TO NEAR AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT.

Tendency of Automobilists to Get Cross Ahead of the Train.

To the Editor of The Charlotte Observer.

In your edition of the 21st instant, referring to a near automobile accident near Cenover on the 20th instant.

In this article you stated that the engineer of the locomotive approached this crossing at a very rapid and dangerous rate of speed and that the proper crossing signals were not sounded. I was engineer on this particular train, approached this crossing at a rate of speed between 15 and 20 miles and hour and am positive that the proper signals were blown.

The automobile approached this crossing from the firman's side and he very promptly made me aware of this fact. I immediately cut off the steam and applied the brakes, but found that the automobile had stopped 25 or 30 feet from the crossing.

It is not an unusual occurrence to have automobiles race with my train, often attempting to cut across ahead of the engine. This, I assure you, is not a very pleasant situation for an engineer to be placed in. However, in the face of this danger, it seems to be the practice of most automobile drivers to utterly disregard all crossing rules.

R. E. LYNN,
Chester, S. C., April 22.

A delightful meeting of the Violet Sunshine club was on Thursday morning when Mrs. L. B. Dawson entertained the members. Her attractive new home was prettily adorned with spring flowers. Reports from the different committees were given, and new committees appointed. At noon a luncheon was served.

The city registration books closed Saturday afternoon with a total of 314 registered, as follows: Ward 1, 122; Ward 2, 85; Ward 3, 25; Ward 4, 82. The election will be held Tuesday, May 2nd.

ROYAL SOCIETY
KLUTTZ' DEPARTMENT STORE
DREAMLAND

TUESDAY
HARRY CAREY in Big Western Drama
Other Big Features

WEDNESDAY
GRACE CUNARD in
"Broken Coin"
BEN WILSON in Feature Drama

THURSDAY
PEARL WHITE in
"The Iron Claw"
HELEN HOLMES
Other Big Features, making Six Reels
PRICES EVERY DAY THIS WEEK
5 and 10 Cents

KLUTTZ' DEPARTMENT STORE
25c and 50c Wilson
Silk Socks, 15c

The Great Wilson Hosiery Mills have closed out a large lot of their 25 to 50c Silk Socks in eight different colors at a sacrifice in price. They look flawless and perfect, but some have slight mis-stitches. Many stores would sell them for 25 and 50c, but KLUTTZ' DEPARTMENT STORE adheres to its policy of passing along its bargains when it secures them. It's the best sock bargain ever offered in Chester.

KLUTTZ' DEPARTMENT STORE
THE OLD TIMERS
OF
THIS CITY

Who have successfully or otherwise outlived the storms of the last 30 years, whisper of our concern that it is a mystery—that no concern ashamed as we had been could possibly march from the smouldering ruins of annihilation back to Main Street, and beat the City of Chester selling goods. Our store is packed and jammed with hundreds and thousands of useful articles for the household. These "LAND SLIDES" have come forth at the bidding of sleepless enterprise and judgment, bought in the costly school of practical experience dating back 30 years.

For once in our short but turbulent history, we have room to deal with perfect precision and to double and treble our present dividends of force, opportunity, aggression and practical results. War is cruel, barbarous, damnable and filled with the miseries of Hell, but if it comes, we would like to go along with the boys on one of Uncle Sam's largest war vessels and help to ram a hole in something.

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5c, 10c and 25c Store
NEAR CITY HALL CHESTER, S. C.

When In Need Of First Class Job Printing Call On THE NEWS. We Have One Of The Best Equipped Shops In The State.

"UNCLE JIM" WOODWARD LOSES CREAMATORY SUE AND THE CITY MUST PAY.
Atlanta, April 22.—"Uncle Jim" Woodward's attempt to withhold payment of the \$135,000 balance due on Atlanta's famous crematory has furnished a lot of copy for the newspapers and cost the city of Atlanta \$50,000 or more, as the company erecting the plant has won its case before Judge W. T. Newman of the United States district court and the city must not only pay 7 per cent interest on his amount for a year and a half, pay the company for operating the plant since it was built, and pay the cost of the litigation which will be several thousand dollars.

OPEN-AIR SCHOOLS.
And Tuberculosis Among Children Topics of Important Convention.
New Orleans, April 22.—Various functions of the nurse in the public health movement will be discussed at the convention of the National organization for public health nursing to be held here April 27 to May 3. This convention will be held jointly with those of the American League of Nursing Education.
The program has been arranged by Miss Rogers Struthers, the first school nurse in America. Open air schools and tuberculosis among school children, as well as factors tending to the greater efficiency of school nurses will be discussed.

POOR OLD YORK.

A little bird flew over to Yorkville And lit on a merchant's window sill And to that merchant the bird said "Why is it you town is so dead?" —Caffrey Ledger

Rev. T. T. Walsh has been named by the executive committee of the Laymen's Missionary Movement to be one of the 125 Episcopalians to attend the National Missionary Congress to be held in Washington, D. C., on April 26-30. This meeting is expected to be a very important one and will be attended by many prominent church workers of all denominations from all over the United States. Rev. Mr. Walsh regrets that owing to other matters that will demand his attention at the time fixed for the holding of the congress it will be unlikely that he will be able to attend.—York News.

T. L. Douglas of Chester, who has conducted a bowling alley here for several months, left this week for Rock Hill, where he will engage in similar business. Andral Sherer has purchased an interest in Mr. Douglas' alley here and has assumed the management of same.—York News.

Claude Parrott, of Fibert, who has been at a hospital in Gastonia, N. C. for the past six weeks as a result of injuries received by being struck by a train on the C. & N.W. railroad, returned to his home this week. The fractured thigh bone has healed nicely and Mr. Parrott has completely recovered from the other injuries, which consisted chiefly of a number of severe contusions.—York News.

Outcasted.

According to the following verses found written in a book which was returned to the Huntington (Va.) public library the devil is becoming discouraged and ashamed of himself:

The devil sat by the lake of fire On a pile of sulphur kegs, His head was bowed upon his breast, His tail between his legs.

A look of shame was on his face, The sparks dropped from his eyes, He'd lost his fascination To the throne up in the skies.

"I'm down and out," He said with a sob, "There are others" that outcast me "And I want to give up my job."

"Hell isn't in it with the land That lies beyond the Rhine, I'm a has-been and a piker, And therefore I resign."

One ammunition maker With bloody shot and shell Knows more about damnation Than all theimps of hell.

Give my job to Kaiser Wilhelm, Or to the Russian Czar, Or King George or J. P. Morgan Or some other man of war.

I hate to leave the old home, The place I love so well, But I feel that I am out of date In the art of running hell."

And the devil spat a squirt of steam, On a brimstone ambulance, And muttered that he guessed he'd go And call on young John D.

—Houston Post.

NOTICE OF DEMOCRATIC CLUB MEETINGS.

The local clubs of the Democratic party of Chester county will meet for re-organization at their usual meeting places on the 22nd of April, being the fourth Saturday of April.

Each club will elect a President, one or more Vice-Presidents, Secretary and Treasurer, and make the following working committee: namely, a committee on registration, a committee on delegates, and such other committees as to each club may seem expedient. Each club will also elect one of its members to be a member of the County Executive Committee, and will also elect delegates to the County Convention as hereinafter provided.

The County Convention of the party composed of delegates from each club will meet at Chester, S. C., on Friday, being the first Monday of the month. Each club shall elect delegates for every twenty-five members and one delegate for a majority fraction thereof, based upon the roll called in the first primary meeting. The list of delegates certified by the County Executive Committee shall constitute the primary roll of the County Convention.

W. S. H. GLENN, Chairman, Chester, S. C., Apr. 15, 1916. 2t

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COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES AT STOVER SCHOOL. FRIDAY EVENING

Blacklock, R. F. D. 1, April 24.—The following program will be carried out at Stover School, Friday evening, April 28th. We expect to have the quartette from Chester with us at this time.

The public is cordially invited to attend. Admission will be 10 and 15 cents.

1. Song—You're welcome if you keep right still—School.
2. Tableau.
3. Opening address—Woodward Dixon.
4. The way to Wyndham—J. T. and Stormont McDonald.
5. Tableau—I'm so shy.
6. Recitation—Our Work.
7. Recitations—My Best Friend—Yac H. Hall, Ned's Best Friend—David McDonald.
8. Song—America—By School.
9. Tableau—Flower girls.
10. Miss Topsy Turvy—Topsy Turvy—Eunice McDonald, May Golden—Jessie Hall, Mrs. Clarence—Jessie McDonald, Miss Springs—Lizzie Dixon, Lord Clarence—James McDonald, Frank Golden—Robert Dixon, Deacon Jones—J. T. McDonald, Ned—Hobson Hall.
11. Tableau—A free smoke.
12. Recitation—Be Polite—Woodward Dixon.
13. Sixty Years Ago—Will Hall.
14. Jes' like White Folks—Uncle Jake—Robert Dixon, Red White—James McDonald, Ned Johnson—Jessie Hall, Tom, J. P. McDonald, Sally—Viola Dixon, Bess—Alice McDonald, Aunt Cindy—Jessie Hall.

SHAKESPERIAN PAGEANT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

Columbia, S. C., April 17, 1916.—In twelve schools and colleges of Columbia this week almost two thousand persons are hard at work at daily rehearsals of the manifold parts of the huge Shakesperian pageant which is to appear on the campus of the University of South Carolina and at the Columbia Theatre, Tuesday April 25. Last week has been one of much progress and as the vast spectacle has approached completion interest in its appearance has grown greatly in the city and in the state at large.

An expert costumer from Philadelphia, who has costumed several notable historic pageants including that of the famous Hudson-Fulton celebration some years ago, has received the contract for the costumes. Six hundred costumes have been ordered for the principal characters. Elizabethan stage furnishings for the night performance are being prepared, and the University campus has been carefully surveyed and the entrances and exits laid out. Perry Teeple and E. R. Jeter, two university instructors, have composed excellent lines and music for certain parts of the afternoon and night performances. Miss Jessie Green of Columbia has been recently elected May Queen by the students and will appear with her court in the pageant.

Columbia expects to entertain a large crowd for the day. The railroads will attract many and the motoring parties are expected to be numerous. The pageant will begin in the afternoon at 3:30 and at night at 8 o'clock.

NEW COUNTY SPENDS MONEY.

The following is section 21 of the act covering the establishment of McCormick county, which we copy from the Abbeville Medium:

Sec. 21. That the county of McCormick is hereby made liable for, and the same is hereby made a debt of McCormick county, all necessary expenses and liabilities, including attorney's fees and actual expenses incurred in the promotion of the formation of said county, which said expenses and liabilities hereby made an obligation and debt of McCormick county, except attorney's fee and expenses, shall be submitted by and filed with the commissioners named in Section 2, which said commissioners shall audit the same, and when so audited the same shall be paid by said commissioners out of the funds authorized by this section to be borrowed by it: Provided, That the amount of attorney's fee herein made a debt and liability of McCormick county shall be and the same is hereby fixed at the sum of \$50.00, and to provide the money with which to pay the same, the commissioners named and created in Section 2 are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to borrow, in the name of McCormick county, a sum sufficient to pay the same, and the said commissioners are hereby authorized and empowered to secure the same by duly pledging so much taxes of McCormick county for the year 1916 as may be necessary.

BAPTIZES CLASS IN STREAM; DROPS DEAD.

Prominent Baptist Minister of Spartanburg Dies Very Suddenly at West Springs. Spartanburg, S. C., April 23.—Rev.

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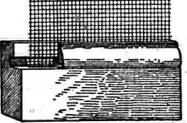
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Flies in the dining room usually precede nurses in the sickroom.

Screens in the windows prevent crepe on the door.

Flies as well as bad water spread typhoid.

A fly in the milk may mean a member of a family in the grave.

A fly has natural enemies. The most persistent and most effective should be man.

It costs less to buy a screen door than to get sick and lay off for a month.

It's a short haul from the garbage can to the dining table via the fly route.

FLY CARRIED FIVE MILLION GERMS

A recent experiment with 41 flies that had not been specially exposed showed them to be a germ carry-all of from 1,250,000 to 50,000,000 germ each. When a fly "washes its hands" it means that it is just shaking some thousands of germs. A fly no different from its fellows was caught in a sterilized net and immersed in a bottle of sterilized water. When the previously pure water was examined it was found that the creature had left more than 5,000,000 germs in its bath water.

William Smith, Confederate soldier, graduate of the Southern Baptist Seminary, and high in Masonry, died suddenly this afternoon at 4 o'clock at West Springs in the edge of Union and was pastor of four Baptist churches in the county. He left home Friday in good health, preached at Sulphur Springs in Union county this morning, and this afternoon dropped dead after administering baptism to a class at West Springs. Coming out of the water he walked to the hotel where he died.

He was in Masonry grand chaplain of all the grand bodies in South Carolina and in this capacity was known throughout the State. He had returned only a few days from Charleston, where he attended the meetings of several grand bodies of higher degree. The funeral will be held Tuesday in this city from South Side Baptist Church. Arrangements have not been announced.

INSTANTLY KILLED AT SALISBURY.

Harvey Brewer of Durham Meets Death After Ride on Freight.

Salisbury, April 23.—Harvey Brewer, aged 28, of Durham, was instantly killed here this morning by being run over by a freight train on the Southern. Brewer and a companion, J. O. Kemp, had been riding on top of the train and were both drinking according to Kemp, who says he had been unable to wake up Brewer when he left the train so he left him on top of the car. Brewer had been to Karpnapolis and was on his way back to Durham. His body was cut in two by the wheels of the train under which he fell when it pulled in on a siding near the Vance Mill. The body was prepared for burial

at the Wright Undertaking parlor and was sent to Durham this afternoon. Kemp was held temporarily but was able to give a satisfactory explanation of his actions and was released.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the City Hall in the city of Chester, S. C., on Tuesday, May 2nd, 1916, to elect four Aldermen to serve for the ensuing two years. For this election the polls will be open at 8 o'clock A. M. and close at 4 o'clock P. M. and at such election qualified electors having city registration certificates issued during this year, 1916, will have the right to vote.

Messrs. E. P. Calhoun, A. M. McCallum, and W. C. Brown have been appointed managers of said election. JAMES HAMILTON, Clerk and Treasurer. Chester, S. C., April 10, 1916.



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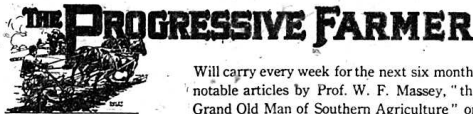
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20. We Must Give More Attention to Pastures and Meadows.
21. We Must Grow More Winter Cover Crops.
22. We Must Drain Our Lands Better.
23. We Must Grow More Wheat, Oats, and Rye.
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YOUNG JASPER MAN KILLED BY TRAIN.

Fred Berg Meets Death on Railroad Track of Atlantic Coast Line. Ridgeland, April 23.—Thursday afternoon Fred Berg, son of J. S. Berg, treasurer of Jasper county was instantly killed by train No. 83 on the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad company about 11 miles north of here. Mr. Berg had only recently entered the employment of the railroad as a flagman and at the time of his death was on duty, being employed on a bridge gang and when killed he had just been sent out to flag train No. 83, which is a fast train between New York and Jacksonville. The train was running at the rate of about 40 miles an hour when Mr. Berg was killed. It is supposed that he met with some accident and was lying on the track unconscious when struck by the train, as only a short while before he had answered the signal given by the foreman of the gang that he was not to flag the train.

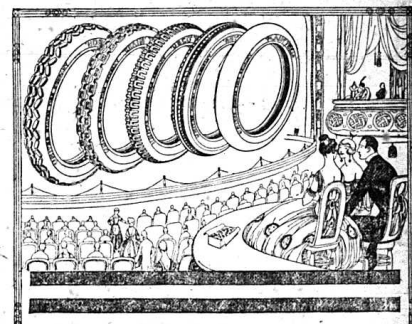
Leggings Protection to Soldiers Against Diseases of Tropics

Washington, April 22.—The stout leggings worn by members of the United States marine corps are not a purely decorative adjunct to their very natty uniforms, as popularly supposed by civilians, but are a protection for the men against tropical diseases while in foreign service, naval surgeons say. Many of the most dangerous tropical diseases are transmitted by the bites of insects. Among these are malaria, yellow-fever, bubonic plague, hookworm, elephantiasis and tropical ulcer. Fleas and mosquitoes are the prime carriers and they make their first attack upon the ankles, thence working their way over the whole body. The leggings worn by the United States marines afford splendid protection to the ankles against fleas, mosquitoes, and infested dirt.

STOPS AUTO JUST IN TIME TO AVOID STRIKING TRAIN

Newton, April 20.—J. T. Setzer of Hickory, clerk of Superior Court, narrowly escaped death or serious injury this morning in making his daily run down to Newton to his office when he started across the Southern Railway track at Conover and stopped his car within two feet of the southbound Carolina & North Western train which was hitting a lively clip into the Conover yards. A lively clip into the Conover yards. A lively clip into the Conover yards. A lively clip into the Conover yards.

view of the tracks and Mr. Setzer heard no whistle, or sound, and was aware of the train only after he had crossed a sidetrack and was in two feet of the cowcatcher. Luckily he acted quickly and his brake held. Had the latter not done so, he would have collided with the cowcatcher. It was at the scene of the fatal injuries of young Biggs and Bridges of Cleveland County, who were killed in a machine there last summer.



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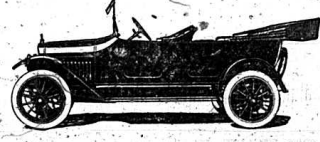
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