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GERMANY MUST DRAG ALONG THE QUESTION

Insists That Revolution Was Hatched by Kaiser's Subjects or Symptizers in America.

London, April 28.—John Redmond, leader of the Irish Nationalists in the House of Commons, tonight gave the Associated Press the following statement concerning the uprising in Dublin:

"My first feeling of course, on hearing of this insane movement, was one of horror, discouragement and almost despair. I asked myself whether Ireland, as I so often before in her tragic history, was to dash the cup of liberty from her lips—was the insanity of a small section of her people once again to turn all her marvellous victories of the last few years into irreparable defeat and to send her back on the very eve of her final recognition as a free Nation, into another long night of worry and uncertain straggle."

"For look at the Irish position today. In the short space of 40 years Ireland has by a constitutional movement made an almost unbrokenly triumphant march from pauperism and slavery to prosperity and freedom. She has won back the possession of Irish land; she has stayed emigration; she has at last begun an era of national prosperity. Finally she has succeeded in placing on the statute books the greatest charter of freedom ever offered to her by the slaps of Great Britain. Is all this to be lost?"

"When war came she made a choice which was inevitable if she was to be true to all the principles which she had heretofore all her history and which she had just so completely vindicated on her own soil, namely, the rights of small Nations, sacred principles of Nationality, liberty and democracy."

"Moreover, the Nations for which through all her history she had felt the sympathy that came from common principles and common aspirations had been trampled, under the iron heel of arrogant force."

"What has Ireland suffered in the past which Poland, Alsace, Belgium and Serbia have not suffered at the hands of Germany? And I may

add also that portion of the soil of France, her old friend and ally which is in the hands of Germany?"

"What has been record of Germany but the suppression of nationality, of freedom and of language—in short, the suppression of all things for which for centuries Ireland has struggled, the victory of which Ireland has achieved. Take the case of Belgium. Has there not been the same ruthless shedding of blood of the priests and the people that is part of Ireland's own history? Leave the question of principle out and consider the question only of the mere interests of Ireland herself. What did the situation demand?"

"Neutrality? That was impossible. Hostility to the just cause of the Allies? Is there a sane man in Ireland who does not see that this meant the drowning of Ireland's newly-won liberties in Irish blood? Be this view right or wrong, this was the opinion of an overwhelming majority of the Irish people. It was the opinion which thousands of Irish soldiers have sealed with their blood by dying in the cause of the liberty of Ireland of the world."

"But anyhow it was the opinion of Ireland and surely I need not argue the principle, especially with anybody who has professed himself a home ruler, that the policy of Ireland must be decided by Ireland herself. This is the principle which has been adopted by the Irish race anywhere. "Millions of our people in the United States and elsewhere, whose generous devotion helped us so largely to win our victories for the motherland of our race, have always accepted it. However bounteous their help never have they denied Ireland's right to choose her policy for herself. That doctrine has been contested only by the very same men

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who today have tried to make Ireland a cat's paw of Germany. "In all our long and successful struggle to obtain home rule we have been thwarted and opposed by that same section. We have won home rule, not through them, but in spite of them. This wicked move of theirs was their last blow at home rule. It was not half as much treason to the cause of the Allies as treason to the cause of home rule."

"This attempted deadly blow at home rule carried on through this section is made more wicked, more insolent, by this fact—that Germany plotted it. Germany organized, Germany paid for it. So far as Germany's share in it is concerned, it is a German invasion of Ireland as brutal, as selfish as cynical as Germany's invasion of Belgium. Blood has been shed and if Ireland has not been reduced to the same horrors of Belgium, with her starving people, her massacred priests and her violated convicts it is not the fault of Germany."

"And the final aggregate of this movement is this: The misguided insane men who have taken part in this movement in Ireland have risked and some of them lost their lives. But what am I to say those men who have sent them into this insane and anti-patriotic movement while they have remained in the safe remoteness of American cities?"

"I might add that this movement has been set in motion by the same class of men at the very moment when America is demanding reparation on blood of innocent American men, women and children shed by Germany and thus they are guilty of double treason—treason to the generous land that reared them, as well as to the land which gave them birth."

"Is it not an additional horror that on the very day we heard that the men of the Dublin Fusiliers had been killed by Irishmen in the streets of Dublin, we received news of how men of the Sixteenth Division—our own Irish brigade, and of the same Dublin Fusiliers—had dashed forward and by their unconquerable bravery 'etaken trenches the Germans had won at Highgate? Was there ever such a picture of tragedy which a small section of an Irish faction has so often inflicted on the fairest hopes and bravest deeds of Ireland?"

"As to the final result: "I do not believe this wicked and insane movement will achieve its

ends. The German plot has failed. A majority of the people of Ireland will retain their calmness, fortitude and unity. They abhor this attack on their interests, their rights and their principles. Home rule has not been destroyed. It remains indestructible."

SHIPPING BY CARLOADS

Conway Strawberry Season Now in Full Blast.

Conway, April 27.—The Strawberry Growers' Union began carload

shipments of berries Saturday. A few crates of berries had been shipped by express the first of the week, but on Saturday the shipments began in earnest, and the officers of the union have been busy since receiving berries and writing receipts for the members. Around the depot from about 9 o'clock in the morning until the berry train leaves in the afternoon is the busiest part of town. The quality of the berries has never been better than this season; they are large and in perfect condition for shipping. R. O. Hanson, secretary of the union, said when speaking of the

berries: "They are the finest we have seen in several seasons and are bringing good prices; those which have been heard from bring gratifying reports. This year's crop and the prices are very encouraging to the truck growers of the Independent Republic."

SPECIAL NOTICE

Beginning with May first the banking hours of all the banks in the city will be as follows: 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and from 5 P. M., until 8 P. M.

Redpath Chautauqua Children's Workers



ONE of the most popular features of the Redpath Chautauquas is the work for the boys and girls during the mornings of Chautauqua week. The forward looking thought of the times is giving more and more consideration to the needs of the child. The connection between playgrounds and morals, and the healthy directed activities of childhood and the future moral integrity of the nation, is steadily growing clearer. We are glad to emphasize this growing conviction by calling attention to the work of the Redpath Chautauquas among the children which seeks to interest them in stories, constructive games and character developing programs. This season bird stories and nature studies will be taken up each morning, looking forward to the children's pageant in connection with "The Masque" on the sixth night. The young ladies in charge of the Chautauqua playground and story telling work will begin on the morning of the opening day, a change from last season, which the boys and girls will welcome. Each child between the ages of six and fourteen years who enrolls in the children's work must have a child's season ticket. Each of the young ladies in the photograph will have charge of the children's work at a separate Chautauqua.

Woman Producing Director



Photo by Moffett, Chicago.

KATHARINE S. BROWN.

KATHARINE S. BROWN, who organized and staged the Parish Players, who are to appear here Chautauqua week, is perhaps the only woman producing director in the United States.

An editorial note in the Green Book Magazine terms Miss Brown "an unquestioned authority," while the Chicago Examiner hailed her engagement at the Garrick Theater, Chicago, by the Western Theatrical Productions Company as "the first engagement in this country of a woman producing director."

The Chicago American said: "The dramatic world turned to Chicago today to study the work and already predicted success of Katharine Brown, student, artist and actress, who has assumed the role of stage director—the only woman stage director in America. Close study of the art, philosophy and history of the drama and excellent experience in active stage work have placed Miss Brown in her present position. * * * Nervous, rapid, grasping an ensemble where another would become confused over details, Miss Brown in every move gives indication of dramatic temperament."

Writing of some of Miss Brown's Shakespearean productions, the dramatic editor in a Sunday feature page of the Columbus (O.) Dispatch said, "By her unusual success as a producer of plays she has already made a place for herself that is an enviable one to those who cannot combine her in energy, ability and thorough understanding of the requirements of the stage."

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" Anderson -----	8:00 a. m. "	" Athens -----	12:10 noon "
" Belton -----	8:35 a. m. "	" Winder -----	12:50 p. m. "
" Honea Path -----	8:50 a. m. "	" Lawrenceville -----	1:20 p. m. "
" Donalds -----	9:00 a. m. "	" Atlanta -----	1:45 p. m. "
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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 re-election to 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 for Chester county, subject to the result 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 re-election to the office of Treasurer of Chester county, subject to the result of the Democratic primary.

S. E. WYLIE.

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 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.

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.

DAVIS G. ANDERSON.

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The friends of W. D. Knox hereby announce him as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Superintendent of Education of Chester county, subject to the result of the Democratic primary.

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GEORGIA'S PROHIBITION LAW GOES INTO EFFECT

Anti-Shipping Provision Serves to Close Locker Clubs and Beer Saloons

Atlanta, Ga., April 23.—Georgia's new prohibition law, one of the most stringent passed by any State, practically went into effect this midnight. The anti-shipping provision serves to close the locker clubs, beer saloons and stops dispensing of liquors by the more influential social organizations after May 1.

Virtually all the clubs had purchased stocks in the past few months with the proviso that any left over should be shipped back when the law went into effect. Much of this was shipped out of the State to-day and tonight.

Many difficulties are placed in the way of the person who wishes to have shipped the small amount allowed by the law. Transportation companies are held responsible for the consignee signing a receipt, attested by a notary public and the delivery of the receipt to county ordinaries. Attorney General Walker yesterday decided that the transportation companies could act as notaries to the extent of witnessing liquor shipment receipts.

One express company has announced that it will not deliver liquor, but Atlanta has leased a spacious store room where all liquor shipments will be handled and where special accommodations have been provided for consignees to get their packages and go through the legal form with as little annoyance as possible.

The law prohibiting advertising of liquor will make it necessary for such advertisements in newspapers and periodicals to be eliminated before they can be sold in Georgia.

Statutes which govern the new conditions are composed of three laws, passed at a special session of the Legislature which met last December. One of them provides that no beverage containing more than 1.2 per cent alcohol may be sold, that one person may not receive more than two quarts of liquor, or forty-eight pints of beer or one gallon of wine in any thirty days, and that no liquor advertising may appear in any publication distributed in the State.

Under the old law, operative for a number of years, the alcoholic percentage allowed made beer saloons possible, and in the absence of child-restraint regulations locker clubs could operate.

FLAMES OUST REBELS FROM THEIR STRONGHOLD

General Postoffice at Dublin Burned and One of Rebel Leaders Killed.

London, April 23.—Field Marshal Viscount French, commander of the Home forces, reports that the general postoffice at Dublin, which has been the principal stronghold of the Sinn Feiners, has been burned down. Connolly, one of the leaders of the rebels, is reported to have been killed.

Many of the rebels have been taken prisoners and the revolt in Dublin is on the verge of collapse. In the rest of Ireland the situation is generally satisfactory.

TANGO CAUSED BY A GERM

Small Bug Gets in the Ear and Taps Ragtime, Scientist Says.

(From the San Francisco Bulletin.)
The secret of the dance craze has been unearthed!

It's the "dance bug" and has been discovered by W. B. Herms, professor of pathology at the University of California.

He calls it the spinose nymph. Such a curious little insect with such a peculiar little effect has never before been heard of in the scientific world.

For several years farmers of California and other subtropical parts of the United States have been bothered by the strange and uncouth antics of their cattle. Cows were often prone to tango up a hill or perform a spirited maxixe.

Savants were unable to explain this mystifying phenomenon until recently, when it was found that the spinose ear tick was responsible.

The tick causes a rhythmic tapping in the ear and a sort of syncope that is covered with spins which are thin and wiry. The air circulating through these often results in vague melodic tunes. The music, combined with the ragtime tappings, caused the wild coverings of the cattle.

The "dance bug" has thrived well in California, and not only contaminates cattle, but poultry and chickens. Lastly, man has become the prey of this evil insect, and several cases of Herms.

NAVY OARSMEN VICTORIOUS

Defeat Pennsylvania's Eight by Two Lengths.

Annapolis, Md. April 23.—Navy's first eight-load shell crew today defeated the University of Pennsylvania's "varsity eight by two length over a mile and five sixteenths, course on the Severn river. Navy's time was 7 minutes, 10 seconds; Pennsylvania's 7 minutes, 19 seconds. Navy was leading by nearly a length at the half. The lead was increased in the final spurt.

Pennsylvania won the other two events of the afternoon.

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**WHERE TO STOP
ONE'S EDUCATION.**

The place to stop in one's education is marked only by the word "must." So long as opportunity permits, or duty insists, so long should education be continued. The longer it is continued the richer is its process, the more inspiring its promise, the more commanding its results.

The temptation to end education at an early age is strong in and for the vigorous boy.

This boy feels its drudgery, rebels against its limitations, is blind to its usefulness. If he knew, he would be inclined to say with Shakespeare that "school" rhymes with "fool." The boy does not wish to learn. He wishes to do.

The parents, too, of small means, may feel that this strong boy of 15 should make some contribution to the family exchequer. To such an intimation, either expressed or implied, the worthy son is not unresponsive.

Yet, despite such temptations, education, if it be at all possible, should continue. One can well measure his future financial possibilities by the degrees of his education. Of course, the rule is not to be pushed too far; but it does contain an important and suggestive truth. A survey, recently made, of a large number of farmers in the middle west, shows that the average farmer earns for a year for his labor as follows: Those having a common school education from \$301 to \$742, those having high school training from \$651 to \$1,268, and those who are college bred from \$769 to \$1,721.

A similar application can be made to workers, industrial and commercial.

In fact, one can even further affirm that certain occupations are absolutely barred to a man poorly, or only partially educated. To him the higher realms of the professions are closed. For these realms require the trained educated brains, learned in books as well as in life.

For most men, five years given to education, between the ages of 15 and 20, multiply personal power by 20; and for most men, too, an additional five years, between 20 and 25 multiply the same personal power by 100 over that possessed at the age of 15.—Selected.

SLOW DOWN.

The number of fatal automobile accidents happening in various sections is appalling. Each day the press dispatches mention fatal injuries received in automobile accidents.

The lives lost in railway accidents has long since been put in the back ground.

Just why a person will drive an automobile at top speed when there is absolutely no necessity is rather hard to understand. Chester county, so far, has been exceedingly fortunate along this line. Not that we are free of "speed fiends" but we are just lucky you might say. However, the price must be paid and unless there is more careful driving on the highways of our county the public, some day, will be shocked to hear of the untimely death of a citizen.

An automobile accident is liable to happen at any time but the faster the speed the greater the risk. Why not slow down?

SETTLING LAND CREDITS.

Years ago and at different times The Star has pointed out that the Torrens system of land registration would be the near cut to land credit in this country. The whole nation and every State has discussed the rural credits problem and figured on plans by which landowners can secure loans from banks on their own collateral, but has always been a marvel to us why the Torrens plan for simplifying the making of deeds to land has not been adopted by every State in the Union.

At its last session the general assembly of Virginia passed a bill making the Torrens system effective upon the option of landholders who see proper to adopt it and secure registration of their lands in accordance with the act. Although the act does not go into effect until June 1, the Richmond Times-Dispatch states that benefit of the Torrens system has been made apparent in a decidedly practical manner. The proof of it is furnished in this editorial statement by our valued Richmond contemporary:

"The American National bank has announced that a Torrens land certificate will be accepted, as an evidence of collateral, on the same footing as an abstract of title prepared by its attorney. Under the federal statutes, national banks are inhibited from lending money on real estate, except farm lands. Therefore, the American National bank's announcement affects only owners of country real estate. Further, the Torrens certificate will be accepted only as a substitute for an abstract of title. A deed of trust will be required, except farm lands. Therefore, the old system, an abstract of title was necessary, at the cost of the borrower, in every instance, and the cost of making such an abstract was practically the same always. Now, after the certificate is once made, only the small fee required by the clerk of the court for keeping it up to date is required. From the bank's point of view—and hence, in the end, the borrower's—the loan is more desirable, by reason of the state's virtual guarantee of a title registered under the Torrens system."

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For a long time the Norfolk Virginia-Pilot has advocated the whole system, and, referring to the "first fruits of the wisdom of the general assembly in enacting the legislation directed towards simplification of the registration of land titles in Virginia, that paper says, concerning the action of the Richmond bank:

"That other banks will be prompt to follow the example set by the Richmond institution may, with reasonable safety, be assumed as a foregone conclusion. In fact, there is no reason why the banks of the State generally should not make early announcement of a similar policy, while the reasons why they should are many and substantial. It would constitute a public service of almost inestimable value, while the banks would derive direct and rapidly increasing profits in the shape of the increased and increasing business which would inevitably come to them from the liquidation of real estate as a security for loans."

The full-fledged Torrens system would make a bankable asset of every foot of valuable land in North Carolina.—Wilmington Star.

**HOW TO FIGHT
TUBERCULOSIS.**

The highest authorities assert that few city dwellers are free of the tubercular germ. In fact, so many breathe in or swallow the germ world to succumb to tuberculosis, the world would be quickly depopulated. But as many of the germs that are inhaled have been injured or their vitality greatly vitiated, and as many of the virile germs that are inhaled meet immediately the opposition of a body, not every exposure results in infection. Tubercular germs have been found in persons who never had the disease, just as diphtheria germs were lately found in the throats of Detroit persons who did not contract diphtheria.

So, if you discover that you are free of tuberculosis it means not that you have never met it, but that you have met and resisted it. Neither does it mean that you will not meet the germ again. The question is, will you resist it sufficiently when you meet it again. Are you in such health as to be able to destroy the germ which seeks to destroy you?

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**DREAMLAND TO PLAY "BATTLE
CRY OF PEACE"**

Perhaps the biggest picture production to ever play a picture theatre will be seen at Dreamland Theatre Monday and Tuesday, May 22-23 when the "Battle Cry of Peace" will be shown. Full details will be given later of this wonderful production that has packed the biggest theatres of this country and played to packed houses at every performance in Charlotte and Columbia recently.

**CHESTER WILL CHANGE -
THEIR NEXT YEAR**

Spartanburg Journal has heard that most of the Confederate veterans are, now in favor of Catawba county. The Journal's information is correct. Many of the veterans said, while in the city, that they regretted their residence elsewhere would prevent their voting for Catawba County. They stated that a town could furnish each entertainment for the veterans deserved to be a county town and to get anything else it wanted.—Rock Hill Herald.

every foot of valuable land in North Carolina.—Wilmington Star.

Mr. A. C. Westbrook, one of Chester County's most successful farmers cured by Dr. Register one year ago of piles of 20 years' duration. Only took four treatments. No symptoms if trouble in a year. Advises pile sufferers to go to Dr. Register to be cured.
Edgmoor, S. C.
Jan. 18, 1916.

Dr. W. R. Register,
Columbia, S. C.
506 Union National Bank Building,
Dear Doctor:

Just one year ago today I called upon you in your office suffering with a severe case of piles. I had been suffering for several years. When I called at your office I had a talk with Mr. R. M. Josey, who happened to be there on this occasion, and he told me what you had done for him, and I was convinced that you were the man I wanted to treat me. When I talked with you you assured me that you could entirely cure me, and I began the treatment at once. After the fourth treatment I have never felt the piles or any symptoms of them, and I am still pleased with the results.

My advice to any one is to apply to you at once, and if they have any doubt write to some of those you have been treated for their opinion. I am sure that if they will do that they will have no occasion to regret it. My piles were of twenty years' duration, and during the last three or four years they pained me more or less every day. I do hereby authorize you to use my name for the advantage of those similarly afflicted. I am sure any sufferer who will go to you for this trouble will get satisfactory results. One year has passed and I have had no return of the disease.

In conclusion, I do hereby cheerfully recommend you to those suffering from piles.

Yours very truly,
A. G. WESTBROOK,
Edgmoor, S. C.
Farmer.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Whereas there has been lodged with the County Board of Education a petition signed by more than one-third of the resident electors and by a like proportion of the resident freeholders over twenty years of age of Court House school district, No. 1 asking that an election be held under Section 1742 of the general school law of South Carolina, for the purpose of voting a special annual tax of eight (8) mills, to be used for school purposes in said district.

It is therefore, ordered that said election be held at the court house Tuesday, May 16, 1916 from 7 A. M. to 4 P. M., by the trustees of school district No. 1, as managers.

"At which said election only such electors as own real or personal property for taxation, and who exhibit their tax receipts and registration certificates, shall be allowed to vote."

"Each elector favoring the proposed levy shall cast a ballot containing the word "Yes," printed or written thereon, and each elector opposed to said levy shall cast a ballot containing the word "No," printed or written thereon.

By order of the County Board of Education.
W. D. KNOX,
Clerk County Board of Education.
Chester, S. C., April 29, 1916.

TEACHERS NOTICE.

By order of the State Board of Education the next teachers' Examination for graded certificates will be held at the Court House on Friday May fifth (5th) at 9 A. M.

No teacher can be legally employed by Trustees to teach in the public schools, either as principal or assistant who has not a certificate.
W. D. KNOX,
Co. Supt. Education.
Chester, S. C. April 27, 1916.

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR
FINAL DISCHARGE.**

I hereby give notice that on the 19th of May I will make first and final return as Administrator of the Estate of Geo. E. Davis, deceased and will on same day at 12 o'clock noon apply to Hon. A. W. Jesse, Judge of Probate for Chester County, S. C., for letters of dismissory.
W. W. DAVIS, Adm.
Chester, S. C. April 28, 1916. 4t.

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 the kind that should be on every farm \$10.00 when ten are bought and sent in your orders now.
Clover Leaf Farm
Fort Lawn, S. C.
P. O. Box 25.

Hart Shaffner & Marx Clothing
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A. B. Kirschbaum Clothing
Edwin Clapp & Son's Oxfords
Howard and Foster Oxfords
The Atlantic Oxfords
John B. Stetson Hats
Bonar Hats
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**Vudor Porch Shades, Vudor Hammocks, Porch
Rockers and Settees make your Porch cool and
comfortable.**

Miss Marie Sasser Was Awarded Prize April 29

Lorraine Bros.
153 Gadsden Street.
Phones Store 292 Residence 136 and 356
Undertakers and Licensed Embalmers.



**Buy Your
Watches,
Clocks, China-
ware, Cut
Glass, Jewelry**

FROM
W. R. & Pinkston Nail's
JEWELRY STORE

Remember: We keep a Big Stock of Dolls, Toys, and
Novelties for the children all the year round. Our 5,
10 and 25c Store in the rear of our Jewelry Store is
well worth the attention of every close buyer in
Chester County.

W. R. & Pinkston Nail
Near City Hall CHESTER, S. C.

**EDUCATOR
SHOE**

Klutz Department Store carries a full stock of EDUCATOR SHOES for children and grown-ups.
KLUTZ DEPARTMENT STORE

ELECTION IS QUIET.

The city election today is passing off quietly. There is no opposition other than Ward 1, where Messrs. J. B. Westbrook and T. W. Patrick are aspirants for Alderman. 122 voters are registered in this Ward and 94 had cast votes up to 2:30 o'clock.

The candidates for other Wards are as follows: Ward 4, J. A. Nichols; Ward 5, Jas. H. Glenn; Ward 2, Alex. Frazer.

The council will meet this evening and will probably elect an enumerator of the city clerk and policemen. The Mayor will appoint the various constables and unless Mr. Westbrook is defeated there are not likely to be any changes.

Mrs. Jennie Grosschel, of Charlotte and sister, Mrs. L. H. Grosschel of New York, are visiting relatives in Chester today.

We are requested to announce that the annual picnic at Sandy River Station will be held next Saturday. All South-bound trains will stop at the station.

GOOD FOR COLDS.

Honey, Pine-Tar and Glycerine are recognized cold remedies. In Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey these are combined with other good medicine in a pleasant syrup. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey quickly stops your cough, checks your cold, soothes irritation of the throat. Excellent for young, adult and aged. It is one of the best cough syrups made. Formulas on every bottle. You know just what you are taking and your doctor knows its good for coughs and colds. Sold at Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey, Only \$5c. at Drugists.

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During the Month of May

One Year's Subscription to

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And one Pattern free with every
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LOCAL and PERSONAL

Miss Mary Burton of Winthrop College, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. R. E. Sims.

Mrs. J. L. Davidson spent yesterday in Clinton with Mrs. J. L. Young.

Miss Letitia Kee accompanied by Miss Loegne Jordan spent the week-end in the city with Mrs. Claudia Kee.

Mr. Frank Marshall, of Monroe, spent Sunday in the city with his mother, Mrs. Burnie Marshall.

A LARGE SHIPMENT of extra-line Dresses just received at the Regina Quality Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. William King, and little son, of Camden are visiting relatives in the city.

JUST RECEIVED new shipment
Einen Dresses at Regina Quality shop.

Mrs. Georgia Ball entertained the members of the Girl's Auxiliary and their friends on last Friday afternoon at her home on Lancaster street. After reading the book "Jack and Jeannette" for an hour, Miss Marie Stroud delighted all with several musical selections. Delicious refreshments were served.

FOR-RENT—8 room house on Center street. All modern conveniences. Apply to Alex Frazer.

Mary Adair Chapter, D. A. R. will meet with the regent, Mrs. J. J. Stringfellow Wednesday morning at eleven o'clock.

Congressman, D. E. Finley has introduced a bill in Congress appropriating \$100,000 for the purchase of a site and the erection of a public building at Winsboro.

Mr. Dare White spent Sunday in York with relatives.

Miss Jeannette Roddy, of Rock Hill, spent the week-end in Chester with her sister, Mrs. Edgar Alexander.

Dr. G. A. Cowan spent Sunday in Rock Hill with relatives.

Misses Lillie Simpson and Nannie Black, of Chester, spent the week-end with Miss Meta Stowe.—Rock Hill Herald.

The regular monthly meeting of the County Board of Commissioners was held in the supervisors office yesterday. Mr. A. L. Gaston appeared before the board and discussed several road matters of which the public at large is interested in.

The examination for the award of vacant scholarships in Winthrop College and for the admission of new students will be held at the County Court House on Friday, July, 7th, at 9 o'clock A. M.

Quite a number of Chester people will go to Columbia tomorrow morning to hear Amato and the Metropolitan Orchestra there tomorrow night.

Mrs. George W. Gage who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Landston Fishburn and M. P. Howell in Walterboro will return home tomorrow accompanied by Mrs. Mashburn and Mrs. Howell and their children.

LOST—Sunday April 30th, between my home and Cavalry church open face watch, 21 jewel Hamilton works No. 296837. Liberal reward if returned, B. P. Gregory, Leeds, S. C.

Mrs. R. C. Love was hostess for the Palmetto Club on Friday afternoon. The members enjoyed thoroughly the following program, "The Gates of the Black Sea and the sea of Marmora," "The Castles of Asia and The Castles of Europe, on the Bosphorus," "The Turkish Fort in the Dardanelles," "Constantinople," and "Sancta Sophia," Mesdames C. S. Edwards, Mary Patterson, Jr., T. B. Leitner and J. S. Marquis carried out the program in a most interesting and entertaining manner, there were also some discussions by the other members of the Club. This being the time for the election of officers they were re-elected as follows: President, Mrs. W. H. McNairy; Vice-president, Mrs. Sam W. Klutz; Recording secretary, Mrs. C. C. Edwards; Cor. Sec. and Treas. Mrs. Paul Hardin. When the business and literary feature had been finished the hostess on the piano and Mrs. H. S. Adams on the violin gave some beautiful selections. Mrs. Adams and Miss Clara Belle Williams assisted the hostess in serving a delicious salad and ice course followed by bon bons. The next meeting will be with Mrs. McNairy in May.

Rev. R. E. Turnipsed, pastor of Bethel M. E. church, is attending the Southern Missionary Convention of the Methodist church, in Nashville, Tenn.

THE MILLINERY ESTABLISHMENT of Miss Lettie Barber will on May 3rd be moved into the Walker-Henry Building, on Main street, next door to Jos. A. Walker's grocery store and the National Exchange Bank. A cordial invitation is extended to all to pay us a visit.

Mrs. E. L. Barton spent Saturday in Columbia.

The city street force has completed the cement work of Saluda street and has moved the equipment to Concord street where work will be commenced within a short while.

FOR SALE—Indian motor-cycle. Two speeds New tires. First class condition. See A. F. Anderson.

Mr. Peter Hollis, of the Pleasant Grove section, was a Chester visitor yesterday.

Mr. J. O. Barber, of Richburg, spent yesterday in Chester.

Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Adair, of Clinton, were Chester visitors Sunday.

Mr. W. D. Harrison, of Great Falls, was a Chester visitor yesterday. Hon. R. O. Atkinson attended the meeting of the county convention yesterday.

NEXT MEETING IN CHESTER.

Col. W. H. Edwards, Chester, S. C. Dear Colonel:

"The invitation from Chester to the South Carolina Division, U. C. V., to hold its Reunion in 1917 in the City of Chester, was received as you know and unanimously accepted."

Kindly convey to the official body sending the invitation our thanks for their kindness.

We have experienced the hospitality of Chester on a previous occasion, and we know that they will measure fully up to anything that could be done for our pleasure and happiness. Hoping that you have returned safe and sound, I am,

Cordially yours,

S. E. WELCH, Adjt. Gen. Chief of Staff. U. C. V.

ANNUAL MAY PICNIC.

Great Falls, S. C. Saturday May 6th, 1916.

Nice shady grove and good spring for dinner parties. Special arrangements being made to give every body a good time.

Big ball game and other amusements. Free Lemonade and Ice Water served on the grounds. Everybody invited.

REPUBLIC COTTON MILLS.

A. L. Peeler, A. F. Schell, Committee on Invitation.

The many Chester friends of Mrs. Helen Markwell will be pleased to learn that she has been elected Assistant Superintendent of the Metropolitan Hospital, in New York City.

All ladies who have Chautauqua tickets for sale are asked to meet at the office of James H. Glenn, Esq. Wednesday morning at ten o'clock and report what success they have had.

"Springtime in Flowers" was the subject for the recital, held at the usual monthly meeting of the Chamnade Club, which met with Miss Annie May Pryor, Monday evening. A large number of visitors, in addition to the members, enjoyed the program, rendered as follows:

Piano Solo—"To a Wild Rose"—MacDowell—Miss Jeannette Bigham
Vocal Solo—"On a Blue Moon"—Willeby—Miss Fannie Spratt.
Piano Solo—"Sounds from the Ringing Rocks"—Walters—Miss Mary Wall.

Vocal Solo—"Welcome Pretty Primrose"—Pinsut—Miss Sarah Pryor.
Piano Solo—"Ode to Spring"—Well—Miss Julia Phillips.
Vocal Solo—"The Little House of Dreams"—Metcalf—Mrs. Harry Williams.

Piano Solo—"To Spring"—Grieg
Miss Annie May Pryor.
Vocal Solo—"A Bunch of Violets"—D'Hardelot—Mrs. Steele Caldwell.

Vocal Solo—"Sweet Bird of Spring"—Chaminade—Miss Adeline Hood.

Piano Duet—"Approach of Spring"—Lindsey—Misses Julia Phillips and Annie May Pryor.

COUNTY CONVENTION MET YESTERDAY.

The Chester County Democratic Convention was called to order yesterday morning at the Court House by the Chairman, Mr. Jas. H. Glenn. Upon motion of Mr. R. B. Caldwell, which was duly seconded, Mr. A. L. Gaston was elected temporary president. Messrs. W. J. Erwin and D. S. Hollis were elected temporary secretaries. Messrs. Eaten Killian, L. L. Culp and E. W. Guy were appointed members of the credentials committee by the president.

Next was the election of permanent officers. Motion was made that the temporary officers be made permanent which was seconded and passed.

A petition bearing 39 signatures was presented asking for the organization of a club at C. J. Kim's spring. Upon motion of Mr. J. K. Henry the club was ordered admitted. Their delegates, who were Messrs. S. T. Cassels and R. Grant, were admitted into the convention.

Representatives of the Rossville precinct stated that they were desirous of moving their polling place but it was shown that the polling precinct of the general election could not be moved without an act of the legislature, this being the case the matter was dropped.

Motion was made and seconded that the chair appoint a nominating committee, one from each township, to select delegates to the State Convention. The president appointed the following: J. B. Westbrook, Chester; N. H. Stone, Halseville; H. W. Miller, E. W. Gibson, Rossville; H. W. Miller, Keown, Blackstock; J. R. Page, Baton Rouge; A. G. Westbrook, Landsford; Hazelwood and J. M. McGarity, Lewisville.

The following were selected as delegates to the State Convention: A. G. Westbrook, E. W. Gibson, J. H. Glenn, J. M. Hemphill, J. S. McKeown, R. O. Atkinson; alternate: W. J. Reed, J. M. Boulware, H. W. Miller, H. A. Tibbs, L. H. Grant and David Hamilton.

A request from Landsford to ship asking that the township road supervisor and cotton weigher be put in the primary was granted. After much discussion a similar request from Blackstock was granted.

Mr. R. B. Caldwell was re-elected the county's member of the State Executive Committee.

A resolution endorsing the administration of President Wilson was unanimously adopted. The work of the county legislative delegation was also endorsed.

The County Democratic Executive Committee will be called together some time this month by Chairman J. H. Glenn.

ELECTION AS TO SCHOOL TAX TO BE HELD MAY 16th.

The election to decide whether or not Chester shall increase taxes for school purposes in Court House school district No. 1, will be held May 16th, at the Court House, from 7 A. M. until 4 P. M.

To vote in this election it is not necessary that a person own real estate. Any qualified elector has the privilege of voting. Parties who expect to vote in this election should look up their registration certificates and tax receipts.

Notice of this election appears elsewhere in this issue.

The Rossville Democratic Club met Saturday, April 29th and was reorganized by the election of the following officers: J. M. Boulware, President; W. B. Stevenson, Vice-President; T. E. Dye, Secretary; W. G. Dye, Executive committeeman.

E. W. Gibson, J. M. Boulware were elected as delegates to the County Convention, with T. E. Dye and T. R. McIlroy as alternates.

The Memorial Day Exercises.

The annual Memorial Day exercises will be held at the opera house Wednesday, May 10th, at 5:15 o'clock. Capt. W. H. Edwards, commander of Walker-Gaston Camp, U. C. V., will preside, and the following is the program:

Music.
Prayer.
Music.
Address—Malcolm L. Marion, Esq. The public is cordially invited to attend the exercises, and all are asked to contribute flowers. Chester Camp, U. S. C. V., will have charge of the march to the cemetery. The entertainment committee is as follows: J. M. Boulware, R. A. Stevenson, C. P. Black, J. C. Caldwell and J. J. McKeown.

The exercises will be held immediately after the afternoon Chautauqua entertainment.

MEETING CHAUTAUQUA GUARANTORS LAST NIGHT

A meeting of the guarantors of the Rodpath Chautauqua, which opens in Chester Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, was held in the Court House last night at eight o'clock. Several ladies of the Civic League, who so far have had the sale of the tickets in hand, were present and made their report of sales. Up to last night approximately \$1,200 worth of tickets had been sold. This is a much better showing than was made last year or the previous year. At present there appears to be no doubt that the amount guaranteed will be easily sold.

After some discussion it was decided to change the hours of the Chautauqua from those of previous years. The morning hour will be 10:30; afternoon 3:30 and the night hour 8 o'clock.

There is a probability that the attendance from the rural districts this year will be larger than previous years and in order that no trouble will be experienced in getting tickets arrangements have been made so that they may be secured from any of the banks. After a limited number are sold the price advances to \$3.00.

The guarantors and the ladies are to meet with the Superintendent of the Chautauqua Wednesday night to make a final report. Mr. Blackwood, the superintendent, is expected to arrive Wednesday afternoon.

Insist on "EMERY" guaranteed Men's Shirts "The Shirt that fits."

KLUTZ DEPARTMENT STORE

LEVER'S WAREHOUSE BILL.

House Considers Measure to Standardize Storage Conditions.

Washington, April 29.—The House today wrote into the annual agricultural bill provisions for uniform grading of grain and for a permissive system of warehouses under federal supervision. It does not reach a final vote on the bill itself, but a statement relating to prevention of foot and mouth disease remains to be discussed.

The Lever bill to inaugurate per-

missive uniform system of warehouses under federal supervision for staple and non-perishable agricultural products was considered today by the House as a rider to the agricultural bill after the Rubley bill for the uniform grading of grains had been adopted.

The Lever warehouse bill would standardize warehouse storage conditions, insurance, accounting, financing and marketing of farm products and generally remedy defects in the marketing machinery for agricultural products.

Adoption of the Rubley bill was against the protest of the New York Produce Exchange and other opposition. The bill fixes uniform grades in grain and is designed to prevent deception in grain and traffic and to encourage the trade uniform standards. It authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to fix, establish and promote uniform grain grades and compel their use wherever grain is shipped in interstate or foreign commerce and sold by grade.

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PEARL WHITE
WEDNESDAY
WITH
Other Big Features

Dreaded An Operation More Than Anything

Tried Fruitola and Traxo and Has Never Since Been Troubled with Gall-stones.

Mrs. Mary E. Franse, whose address is West Point, Nebr., Box 411 has written to the Pinus laboratories a very strong endorsement of Fruitola and Traxo. In her letter Mrs. Franse says: "About ten years ago I was about to undergo an operation for gall-stones when I heard of your medicine. I determined to try Fruitola and Traxo and have never been sorry I did so, as I have never been troubled with gall-stones since."

Fruitola is a powerful lubricant for the intestinal organs, and one dose is usually sufficient to give ample evidence of its efficacy. It softens the hardened particles that occasion so much suffering, and expels the accumulated waste to the great relief of the patient. Following a dose of Fruitola, Traxo should be taken three or four times a day in order to rebuild and restore the system that has been weakened and run down by constant



Mrs. Mary Franse

suffering. It is a splendid tonic, acting on the liver and stomach most beneficially. 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 Sheider Drug Co.

DREAMLAND

Special Features all This Week

Tuesday
Special 101 Bison Thriller
Next to last chapter
"BROKEN COIN"
"Uncle Sam's Troops in Mexico"

Wednesday
PEARL WHITE IN "IRON CLAW," Ben Wilson and Dorothy Phillips; Harry Benham and Edna Hunter. Great Show Wednesday.

Thursday
Next to Last Chapter
"Helen Holmes"

Coming "THE BATTLE CRY OF PEACE," May 22-23

ROOSEVELT DE-CLARES WEAKNESS INVITES WAR

Ugates Doctrine of Preparedness Before Large Number of Methodists—Declares Our Relations With Germany Have Covered 14 Weeks of Conversation.

New York, April 28.—Theodore Roosevelt wrecked the doctrine of preparedness upon a large number of Methodists gathered last night at the annual banquet of the Methodist Social Union of New York and referred to the latest phases of the relations with Germany and Mexico as showing that "timidity and weakness invite war instead of averting it."

"If those old Methodist circuit riders who spread Methodism and considered peace the chief of all earthly goods they would never have gone west of the Alleghenies. If Peter Cartwright and his fellows had feared if the faith for the sons of the faith had been less than their dread of disturbance, there would not have been a single Methodist Church west of the Alleghenies. They believed in keeping the peace. But they believed even more in keeping the faith they stood for, for the sake that comes through righteousness. They were not only good Methodists good Christians, but they were sound stalwart American patriots. They knew that there is a peace which is the peace of cowardice; and that the peace of cowardice becomes in the end the peace of death. They knew that the peace which comes through the abandonment of duty through shrinking back when the forces of evil advance, through putting ease and mastery well before and soft sentimentality above stern devotion to unpleasant duty may mean, and in all probability will mean, the loss of everything that makes life livable to honorable men and upright women."

"China has sought peace through helplessness, through refusal to prepare, through inability to hold her own, and China now sees half her territory in the possession of alien powers and is not even her own master in the territory which she retains, and is a menace instead of an aid to all cause of world peace. It is, of course, true that trained strength in either man or Nation may be an instrument for doing; but this is not true of every man and every other attribute, what is just as true of oratorical power, of a trained and educated brain in any profession. But we do not pray that our sons should be either fools or weaklings in order that they may be saved from the temptations incident to the possession of courage and intelligence and strength. On the contrary we pray that they shall be strong and brave and wise; and we strive to implant in them that spirit of service to God and to the service of man which is the spirit of this earth which shall make them use their strength of body and of mind aright. And all this should be just as true of a Nation as of a man."

"If during the few years prior to the war of 1812 the American people had been willing to build a fleet of 20 battleships and to crew those battleships manned by heroes thoroughly trained to handle them, and if they had been willing to provide a thoroughly efficient Army of even 100,000 men there would have been no war of 1812 at all. We would have obtained peace; and would have peace with self-respect. We finally had to fight that war because for the dozen years previously we had surrendered ourselves to the guidance of the professional peace prattlers and had sought to obtain peace without self-respect; and as a result we forfeited our self-respect and also endured three years of the sufferings of war without reward of successful war. We failed to make ready, and trust in peace prattlers produced the war, and also produced our failure in the war."

"We can play the greatest part of peace of peace than any Nation has ever played. We can play it not by treading in the footsteps of China, not by showing that we have lost the iron that was in the blood of our fathers, not by permitting America to become a jangling knot of Old World nationality, where the despotism of the old stock is too feeble to stand up for themselves or for anyone else. We can take our permanent place as a great Nation only if we realize that we are a separate Nation, akin to but distinct from all the people of Europe, and if we loyally and with proud endurance of the labor of preparation and effort, do duty to ourselves and to others."

"It means that our lives must not primarily be devoted to the greedy achievement of purely material well-being and of ease and self-indulgence; it means that we must not surrender our souls to the gilded stretch of character, it means that with toll, and forethought and self-sacrifice we must prepare this Nation in things industrial, things social, and things military, in the

MERE BOY VOLUNTEERS TO CAPTURE CANNON FROM GERMAN TRENCHES

Crawled on His Stomach and Attached Rope to Gun, Which Was Dragged From Enemy.

Petrograd, April 28.—How a machine gun was forced to desert the German army is recounted in the story of the heroism of a 16-year-old Italian volunteer in the Russian Army—Constantine Zepoli—whose part as the lone figure in the episode of one of the two St. George's crosses he has won.

Overhearing his commander expressing a wish that someone "would succeed in capturing" a gun which was stationed at troublesome proximity to the Russian Trenches, Zepoli on his own initiative, crawled on his stomach for 100 yards, located the position of the gun, returned from the danger zone and conferred with his trench-fellows, and forced forth more this time dragging a coil of stout rope. Reaching the gun, he tied one end around it without being discovered, and again reached his own lines, with the free end of the rope in his clutch.

Presently the Germans were obliged to observe the gun disappearing toward the Russian trenches. It was successfully dragged from their possession a number of Germans being killed in an effort to prevent its departure.

WATCH CHILD'S COUGH

Colds, running of nose, continue irritation of the Mucous membrane if neglected may mean Croup later. Don't take the chances—do something for your child! Children cough and many a mother wonders what will take Dr. King's New Discovery and without bringing or teasing. It is a sweet pleasant Tar Syrup and so effective. Just laxative enough to eliminate the waste poisons. All most the first dose helps. Always prepared, no mixing or fasting. Just ask your druggists for Dr. King's New Discovery. It will safeguard your child against serious ailments, resulting from colds.

BURN PROVES FATAL

Mrs. James T. Carroll Succumbs in Columbia.

Bennettsville, April 28.—Mrs. James T. Carroll, the wife of a prominent citizen of Bennettsville, died last night at a hospital in Columbia from the effects of a burn received at her home here on April 19. Her dress caught from a burning ash pile in the yard and was burning fiercely in the back when she discovered the flames. She and a negro servant tried in vain to extinguish the clothing and when other help reached she had been seriously burned. She was taken to Columbia, where, after a few days' treatment, the condition received here was encouraging, till the day she was shocked this morning by the news of her death. Mrs. Carroll was 38 years of age and daughter of the Rev. R. N. Pratt of Hendersonville. She is survived by her husband, five daughters, two brothers, Robert M. Pratt of Bennettsville and James M. Pratt of Charlotte, and one sister, Miss Jean Pratt, of Lumberton, N. C. The funeral will be here at 10 o'clock tomorrow.

His Old-Time Oxmobile.

Wait a minute! Here's something from Frank Stanton that will remove the bad taste:

They ain't no rise in gasoline
I kin make my bank roll reel;
I juk along

In a whistlin'-song
In my ole-time oxmobile

Them auto-things, they're speedin' by,
The wind from their flight yuz feel

But I keep the road
That I've allis knowed
In my ole-time oxmobile.

The auto-man, he toots his horn,
An' stops his whizzin' wheel;
"Go back—go back!"
Sidetrack—sidetrack,
With yer ole-time oxmobile!"

But I hold my way with a conscience clear,
With them contraptions fine;
I hear him call,
But the load's to haul,
An' the middle of the road is mine.

O, they ain't no rise in gasoline
I kin make my bank roll reel,
An' I'm good today
For the right-to-way
In my ole-time oxmobile

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

body, in the mind, and above all in the soul, so that in the mighty days it may stand equal to the mighty days."

POLICE RESERVES CALLED OUT IN NEW YORK AT IRISH LEAGUE MEETING

New York, April 28.—A meeting of the United States Irish League of America at which resolutions were passed tonight deploring the uprising in Ireland and asserting undivided allegiance to the United States, was interrupted by the presence of three men and two women who were not members. One of the intruders refused to leave when requested to do so and was ejected. He was joined on the outside of the hall by a score of others who cheered Sir Roger Casement and Germany and loudly denounced John Redmond, leader of the Irish Nationalists in the British Parliament. Police reserves were called Nationalists in the British Parliament and dispersed the crowd after which the meeting was resumed.

HAIL STORM IN AUGUSTA

Streets and Housetops Covered With Hail Stones.

Augusta, Ga., April 29.—What is believed to be the heaviest hail storm in many years fell here shortly after 1 o'clock today. The storm lasted less than thirty minutes. Streets and housetops were practically covered by the hail stones, which began melting immediately. No damage has been reported.

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WELL KNOWN MEN TALK OF DEFENSE

Dr. Alexander Graham Bell Talks of Aviation and Weakness of Nation.

Charleston, April 28.—The first Southern National Defense conference to be held in any Southern State was successfully inaugurated here today under the joint auspices of the Charleston Chamber of Commerce and the National Security League.

Sessions were held in Artillery hall, which was decorated with the national colors. The hall was thronged, a feature of the occasion being the presence of the cadet corps from the Citadel. Col. O. J. Bond, superintendent of the college, was the presiding officer and the cadet band of the institution played patriotic airs.

Mayor T. T. Hyde of Charleston headed a committee which met the distinguished speakers on their arrival and later delivered a cordial address of welcome. The programme included addresses by S. Stanwood Menken, president of the National Security League, on "The Broader Aspects of Preparedness," Representative Thomas W. Miller of Delaware on "Legislation and Preparedness," and Dr. Alexander Graham Bell on "Aerial Defense and Preparedness." Mr. Menken, after presenting facts as to the military and naval unpreparedness of the United States, said that proper preparation must rest finally upon the individual service of every citizen to the government. His reference to the necessity of universal military training and service was warmly applauded, as was also his assertion that any volunteer force to be effective must be under federal control. Representative Miller gave a resume of the status of defense legislation in congress and asserted that an efficient earnest fight would be made to retain the section in the Chamberlain bill which provides for a July 1st force to be enlisted and maintained under the direction of the president. He spoke in emphatic opposition to the advocates of peace at any price and said that if such policies should prevail in this country the democracy which has been built could cease to exist.

Dr. Bell, in beginning his address, cited the recent instance when an aeroplane soared over the White House and the capitol, having made the trip to Washington from the sea at Newport News in two and a half hours. He said that this might have been a hostile airship and if so it would have been unopposed. He asserted that the entire army and navy against 6,000 in Germany, 5,000 in England and 4,000 in France. He urged that aviators be trained in large numbers as battles of the air would be decisive in future wars, and said that these aviators could be utilized at a time of peace in carrying mails at a speed of 100 miles an hour between cities. He did not advocate a large stock of dirigible balloons as they are costly and not commercially profitable in peace times, but said that if the United States owned one or two at this time they could each transport 15 tons of provisions from the border of Mexico to the army and make motor trucks and wagon trains unnecessary, as 15 tons would feed 5,000 men.


A public mass meeting with an illustrated lecture on preparedness was the feature tonight. The conference will continue tomorrow with a session in the morning and a banquet at night, when Former Assistant Secretary of War Breckinridge and ex-Senator Thompson of Chattanooga will be among the speakers.

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Messrs. B. 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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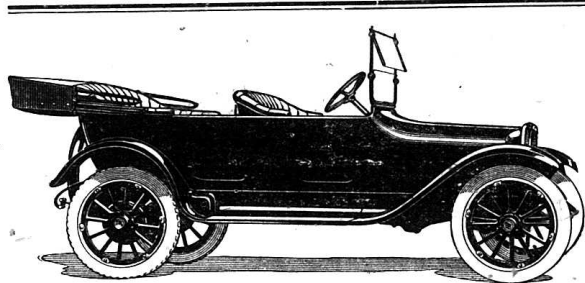
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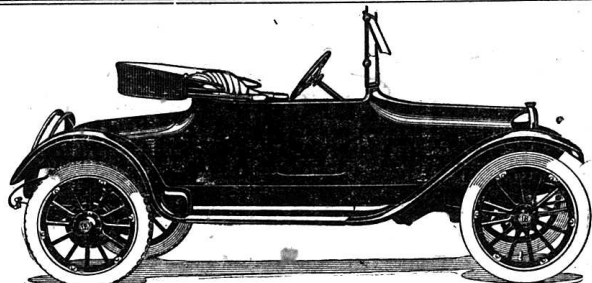
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Fannie Brett—Children's Worker.
The Julia Clausen Program will
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Hours Subject to change by announce-
ment.

Children's Hour 10:30
Morning Lecture 3:30 P. M.
Afternoon Music 4:00 P. M.
Evening Music 8:00 P. M.
Evening Entertainment—8:45 P. M.

THURSDAY—Afternoon
Introductory Exercises
Grand Concert Killarney Girls
Children's Hour "American Birds in
Story Land"
Admission 35 cents Children 15c.

THURSDAY—Evening
Concert Killarney Girls
Lecture, "The Man Who Can"
William Rainey Bennett
Admission 50 cents. Children 25 cents

FRIDAY—Morning
Children's Hour, "The Why? Stories"
Miss Fannie Brett.
Admission 25 cents, Children 15 cent

FRIDAY—Afternoon
Grand Concert, Weatherwax Brothers
Admission 35 cents. Children 15
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FRIDAY—Evening
Concert Weatherwax Brothers.
Lecture, "Popular Science Demon-
strations" Montreville Wood.
Admission 50 cents. Children 25
cents.

SATURDAY—Morning
Children's Hour, "Stories from the
Classics" Miss Fannie Brett.
Morning Lecture, "Scottish Literary
Characteristics" Dr. W. A. Colledge
Admission 25 cents. Children 15
cents.

SATURDAY—Afternoon
Lecture, "The New Orient and Its
Relation to the United States" Ng
Foon Chew
Admission 35 cents. Children 15
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SATURDAY—Evening
"In the War Zone"
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Players.
Admission 50 cents. Children 25
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MONDAY—Morning
Children's Hour, "Folk Tales From
Different Nations" Miss Fannie
Brett.
Morning Lecture, "Robert Burns—
The Poet of Democracy" Dr. W. A.
Colledge.
Admission 25 cents. Children 15
cents.

MONDAY—Afternoon
Grand Concert Schumann Quintet
Admission 35 cents. Children 15
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MONDAY—Evening
Concert Schumann Quintet
Lecture, "The Forces That Make Cit-
ies" Allen D. Albert.
Admission 50 cents. Children 25
cents.

TUESDAY—Morning
Children's Hour, "Stories of Laugh-
ter" Miss Fannie Brett.
Morning Lecture, "Ian MacLaren
and His Drumtochty Folk" Dr. W.
A. Colledge.
Admission 25 cents. Children 15
cents.

TUESDAY—Afternoon
Concert White Hussars.
Interpretive Reading, "Seven Oaks"
Everett Kemp.
Admission 35 cents. Children 15
cents.

TUESDAY—Evening
Grand Concert White Hussars.
Admission 50 cents. Children 25
cents.

WEDNESDAY—Morning
Children's Hour, "The Hollow Tree
Stories" Miss Fannie Brett.
Admission 25 cents. Children 15
cents.

WEDNESDAY—Afternoon
Lecture, "My Wild Bird Guests" Er-
nest Harold Baynes
Admission 35 cents. Children 15
cents.

WEDNESDAY—Evening
Bird Masque, "Sanctuary" and Pag-
eant.
Admission 50 cents. Children 25
cents.

THURSDAY—Afternoon
Lecture, "The World We Live in"
Dr. E. T. Hagerman.
Admission 35 cents. Children 15
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THURSDAY—Evening

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Julia Clausen, Pierre Henrotte,
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SPECIAL NOTICE
Beginning with May first the bank-
ing hours of all the banks in the
city will be as follows: 9 A. M., until
2 P. M.; and from 5 P. M., until 6
P. M.

SPRAY YOUR TREES.

During the past winter quite a
number of farmers sprayed their
fruit trees with Lime Sulphur wash
to kill the San Jose Scale. Unless
this has already been done it is now
too late to apply this spray.
The next spray that should be used
is Arsenate of Lead. This material is
put up in two forms, powdered and
paste. When paste is used dilute two
pounds in a few gallons of water then
dilute this to 50 gallons or one barrel
of water. When the powdered form
is used only half this amount or 1
pound to 50 gallons of water should
be used. In either case it is advisable
to slack 3 or 4 pounds of fresh lump
lime to a whitewash and strain it and
add it to the solution already mixed
up.

This spray of Arsenate of Lead is
applied to the fruit to prevent the
worms in the fruit, therefore it must
be applied to the fruit before the
eggs are deposited on the young fruit.
On peaches the first spray should be
applied just as the little blossoms
have dried up and are slipping off of
the little peach, and this should be
applied now. Another spray prepared
in exactly the same way should be ap-
plied two weeks after the first spray.
On apples the fruit should be sprayed
just after the petals have fallen from
the blossom and before the little
green petals have closed. The second
spray should be applied two weeks af-
ter the first spray.

These sprays should be put on with
a spray pump that will give 100
pounds pressure per square inch.
With such a pump the solution is
broken up in a very fine mist which
covers the fruit.

Arsenate of Lead can be obtained
from the local drug stores at a cost
of about 25 cents per pound.



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