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FRIDAY, JUNE 8.



The matter of arranging the war revenue bill is a hard proposition and Congress will experience much work in endeavoring to equalize this tax. Last week Congress tentatively agreed upon a graduated automobile war tax, with which we are not in sympathy, because, under the provisions of the bill, a man who owns a \$3,000 car would be required to pay just as much tax as the man who owns a \$9,000 car. To our mind this is a grossly unfair tax and should be required to pay three times as much tax as the man who owns a \$3,000 car. This would make the tax equal which is right and proper. Unequalization of taxes has already reached a serious stage in this country and there can be no necessity for Congress adding to the seriousness of the situation.

However, Senator La Follette has offered an amendment which proposed a flat of one per cent tax upon the retail price of all automobiles less ten per cent reduction each year the automobile has been in use. This amendment will equalize the tax and if it is found that enough revenue from this particular source can be secured on the basis of one per cent of the retail value, the amendment should be passed.

The matter of selecting an army to fight instead of waiting around waiting on volunteers is good business. It is the proper way by which a country may organize a good fighting line.

Doubtless the majority of the people of the United States are glad that the selective draft law was passed. But there are a number of Congressmen who are sorely disappointed because they are not in position to make the boys back "officers." Organizing a volunteer army would have practically means the reelection of every Congressman because the would have made so many friends back home.

No matter, they all now have a chance to do something worth while and the "heavyweights" are going to take advantage of the situation and make good while the "lightweights" will be forced to show his true colors and then—down he goes.

The Senate Finance Committee in Washington, knows more about how to finance the war than we do but we cannot help but think they have made a mistake in writing into the war tax bill that all checks drawn for more than \$50, must bear a revenue stamp of two cents. This is similar to the plan used during the Spanish-American war. The passage of a law that would require a two-cent stamp be placed on checks will mean that a vast sum of money will be drawn from the banks, which means that it will be the poorest circulation. People who now are in the habit of writing small checks will in the future keep the money in their pockets with which to pay these small accounts.

OUR GRAND ARMY.

We are on the eve of the first step in organizing our grand army. The United States has decided not to muddle along through this war, but to undertake her part in a systematic and businesslike manner.

We would have been foolish not to have profited by the experience of Great Britain. It is the opinion of the British had unbonded confidence in their ability to get through with a volunteer plan. Germany and France have had conscription for years and the failure of the volunteer plan in England was painful and impressive. In Britain, conscription had been unpopular, traditionally, but, eventually, the hard taskmaster, taught the British another lesson.

When Lord Kitchener called for recruits at the beginning of the war they were promptly and in large numbers forthcoming, and voluntary and conscriptionary alike were equally successful.

After a while, however, the discovery

was made that men were being sent to the front who could be spared from the occupations they were deserting. It was found that too many married men with families were joining the ranks and that in industries indispensable to the public welfare were threatened with paralysis for lack of workers. When conscription was finally adopted with the general consent it was because experience had demonstrated its necessity.

The American attitude toward conscription has been changing rapidly in these last few weeks. No opinion is connected with the word. Yet had we tried the volunteer plan and had been forced to take up conscription, then indeed might the conscript have been looked upon with respect.

The enrollment which will be had tomorrow is really but a census taking. The government will be enabled to learn how many men there are engaged in certain occupations and how many are not. The object of the government is to organize an army without disorganizing the orderly processes of business and of life in all phases.

When men finally are called to the colors, they should be regarded as a special distinction conferred by the government and the people of the country should feel pleased to make acknowledgment in a becoming manner, and the selected army should be given all the respect and usually accorded volunteers—Columbia Record.

A Creed of Work for Women.

I believe that every woman needs a skilled occupation developed to the degree of possible self-support.

She needs a creditable record for an insurance against reverses.

She needs it socially, for a compensating sympathy with the world's work.

She needs it intellectually, for a constructive habit of mind which makes knowledge usable.

She needs it ethically, for a courageous willingness to do her share of the world's work.

She needs it aesthetically, for an understanding of harmony, relationships as determining factors in conduct and work.

She needs that every young woman should have the skillful occupation up to the time of her marriage for gainful ends with deliberate intent to acquire, through the widest possible professional and financial experience.

I believe that every woman should have some years of the pursuit of any real gainful occupation; that she should be arranged with her husband on an equal basis, that her income should be such as will insure a genuine partnership, rather than a position of dependence (on either side); that she should be able to support herself in any emergency; that she should have the ability to support her children upon the same and as well family life.

I believe that every woman should hope to return, in the second leisure of middle age, to some application of her early skilled occupation, either as an unobtrusive worker in one of its social phases, or in income in an object as a salaried worker in a profession or in a business, or in a social activity requiring maturity and social experience.

I believe that the general policy of economic justice for American workers should be generous by products of intelligence, responsibility and contentment.

Rules for Cooking Vegetables.

In cooking vegetables, remember to utilize the food that is in them. If you peel, soak and boil a bushel of potatoes you lose the nourishment equal to that contained in a pound of beef.

Do not cook spinach or turnip stalks in water and then throw the juice to the pigs. Of course, you can make good use of it for good digestion, bones and supple muscles, but the humans can make better use of it in soups and gravies.

In cooking beets, scrub with a stiff brush as soon as taken from the ground, leave on the stems and an inch of stem, plunge in boiling water, pierce as little as possible in trying them and take from the water while it still boils. Never salt any vegetable after it is cooked.

Turnips, squash and other waxy vegetables can be cooked in as little water as possible and then an inch or two back of the stove uncovered for the water to evaporate and leave the minimal matter.

Scrub all vegetables well, but do not soak except when it is absolutely necessary as in soaking radishes. Crisp lettuce is better for being dipped in water a few minutes than soaked what it will when wrapped in a wet cloth and put in a covered pan in the refrigerator.

If you have any doubt at all about planting, cultivating, cooking or anything about a garden, write us and it will be our pleasure to get the information for you.

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Regular sizes, 25 cents. For sale in all civilized countries.

The Power of the Courageous Life.

The courageous life is its own best reward. It seeks no acknowledgment from others for the service it renders; indeed such service is given so freely and naturally as to be an unconscious act and it is for this latter reason, perhaps, that it does not move men, by a rule, do not like to be taught by precept to do their duty. They dislike the reflection which is thus cast upon them and prefer to find out for themselves the best outlet for a contradiction that a certain rule living should be laid upon for their guidance for them to evade it and if possible ignore it entirely.

The difference between "right and wrong" is intuitive on the heart of every God-fearing man, and he who realizes his responsibility will do his best to discharge it worthily. A man desires to create his life-work as far as possible not simply to have it cut out for him by a pattern which he is forthwith obliged to follow. The man who creates his opportunities perceives the best service as a rule; he takes a pride in the work of his hands and seeks his source of inspiration from high and worthy places. He turns naturally to the finest examples from which to pattern, and the position and station upon such courageous life that touches his. He admires the influences which, on some high and noble and does not begin to think about the reasons for this influence. He finds them in the simple facts which the life he has under observation affords. It is not sometimes seen so simple, so evident, so ordinary that he wonders wherein the secret of its power lies. He desires to be a better man than he is and he sees that sorrow and hardship and something akin to despair have refined his gold. The latter quality gives out a glow which penetrates into the hearts and lives of those about it.

It is the old story of the lessons of sorrow—the gentle acceptance at first of the new pain which must be carried, the gradual strengthening of hope and courage, and the hard experience, birth, and the warmth and sympathy which come as a result of a fuller appreciation of the harder side of existence. The man who is able to put to good use the bitter lessons of experience does so as a man who does his duty. He may not at first intend to do more than show a brave heart to the world and keep faith with himself, but the very fact that he is able to accomplish that much reacts to the good of those who are standing by in silence watching him bear his burden. There must be some in this line of reasoning, else why is it that even those of us who like to stand by and see a man struggle, are so quick to take counsel with the courageous life? A man admires a good loser perhaps even more than he does a good winner, but to be a good loser it is necessary to have a brave heart and unflinching optimism. It is hard for a man to get something for which he has not given something in return. It is necessary to have a brave heart and unflinching optimism. It is hard for a man to get something for which he has not given something in return.

Nip It in the Bud.

Heaven help this country if the politicians in congress are going to regard the big new army as a "pork barrel" and each fight for his share. There are men in congress, unfortunately quite a number of them, incapable of rising above the "pork barrel" view of legislation and administration. If they cannot be squelched, they will interfere with the raising and training of the great army that is needed to meet the States the declining factor in the European war. They ought to be squelched.

The army is commanded by men trained for that purpose. They are placing the cantonments according to their conception of what is best for the army. They are not considering camp location except from that point of view. Greenville has not sought a cantonment on any other ground than the suitability of the place for that purpose. It has brought no political influence to bear. Its claims were supported by indisputable evidence. Greenville is a superior climate, the best water of any city in this country, unsurpassed health conditions and a topography ideally adapted to the raising of troops to be used in the fighting in the broken terrain of Europe, where the fighting is now going on. Last, but by no means least, moral conditions in the community are exceptionally good.

These facts convinced army officers that a cantonment ought to be located at what does a "pork barrel" congressman care for such things. He looks solely at the money of the proposition and wants to be a "pork barrel" congressman, regardless of its suitability for a cantonment.

It is possibly a good thing that this fight has not gone so far. It ought to be fought to a finish at once. If the politicians are going to run the army, the country ought to know it and the country ought to know it. It should be trusted and permitted to run the army in accordance with the dictates of their trained intelligence, we had better let them do it. If it is not to run in men and money will be unbearable by this country if the "pork barrel" congressmen are going to run the army.

The handling of the army is a matter of administration and not legislation—so this is a matter in which Commander-in-Chief Wilson, who is the head of the administrative department of our government, should exert all his powers and influence to run the army as he sees fit. The "pork barrel" congressmen, to nip it in the bud.

THE LIBERTY LOAN.

Kate Langley Bosher.

There is no right-minded, right-hearted man in this country who today who has not expressed a desire to be of service to his or her country in the great work which awaits him. The government has the opportunity is immediate to provide the same by the purchase of a bond which shall be a part of the Liberty Loan. The government is offering to sell you a bond which will allow you to fight our battles which the world may be safe for Democracy. Lip service, Lip sympathy, Lip patriotism may amount to nothing if a few men or women are so "imposed" that, if the spirit be willing, the way cannot be found to buy a bond. With some the purchase may mean sacrifice. If so, said purchase will be enriched by the surrender involved; and if self-denial be required, it will come the reward of doing one's bit for one's country. Women as well as men should do their full part in the buying of these bonds. Very specially do they should women put their money where it is needed as they are not permitted to see the danger is greater or where they must see their country.

If we believe in the things our country stands for, is going to fight for, and, if necessary die for, we should buy Liberty Loan bonds. The time for action is at hand. The call of our country is as clear for us now as it ever was. We must answer it. The immediate form of service before all classes and kinds and conditions of our country today is to do what each of us is asked to do—put our money, be it much or little, where our government can use it to fight humanity's battles. Let us get the word from the factory which gives us possible and such war as that upon which we have entered, and which must be waged until the very last of the earth.

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 balanced. 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 poisonous blood.

Kidneys are one of the frequent indications of kidney trouble. It is the "kidneys" cry for help. Read what Doan's Kidney Pills have done for overworked kidneys. Read what Doan's have done for Chester people.

Thos. McCollum, retired farmer, Homestead Apts., Chester says: "I had kidney trouble."

CONFEDERATE VETERANS CHEERED IN WASHINGTON.

Tattered Remnant of Forrest's Cavalry Aroused Interest in Capital.

Washington, June 6.—The spirit of the old south lived again in Washington today when all that is left of Forrest's cavalry—a handful of aged men—unfaded its tattered battle flags on Pennsylvania avenue.

Almost lost in a dense crowd of Confederates, a remnant of the little squad of veterans, clad in the gray and yellow of the "Reb" cavalry, formed ranks when a bugle sounded; then haltingly executed the old man maneuvers of '61 while the stars and bars fluttered above them.

Cheer after cheer rang out for the tattered remnants of a once formidable military unit. Some leaned on canes some limped on wooden legs, the old colored sergeant had difficulty in holding his flag aloft in the wind, but the spirit that carried them through many a bloody engagement was still there.

"Close up there, you men—close up," roared the commander with astonishing vigor when two or three lagged behind, and the stragglers adapted a bit to the response of the command that had greeted their cannon rets when they faced the Yanks fifty years ago.

"Attention!"

They swung into line, bearded chins up, bent shoulders thrown back and snapped their heels together.

It seemed that the weight of each customer ordering a Suit or Overcoat, from the SPRING AND SUMMER LINE OF

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SCHOENES AND ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

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 6, at 9 A. M. Applicants must be less than sixteen years of age. When Scholarships are vacant after July 6 they will be awarded to those making the highest average at this examination. Provided they meet the conditions governing the award. Applicants for Scholarships should write to the Secretary of the Board of Examination, State of South Carolina, properly filled out by the applicant, should be filed with President Johnston.

Scholarships are worth \$100 and free tuition. The next session will open September 10, 1917. For further information and catalogue, address the Secretary of the Board of Examination, State of South Carolina, Rock Hill, S. C.

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Can Alaska Be the Atlantic?

In the lapse of Secretary McAdoo's Liberty Loan speech which was devoted to removing from the minds of his hearers any delusive ideas that lingered in them as to the immunity of the United States from direct military attack, he made the statement that "the flying machine has not yet crossed the Atlantic simply because military necessity has not required it."

Coming from a man who ought to be, and presumably is, possessed of the most information in regard to the war and its possibilities that any people not in the labor Government camp, this assertion cannot be lightly dismissed as a statement to the

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These are not days, however, for confident talk about impossibilities. It will be well for us all to heed Secretary McAdoo's warning in this as in other respects.—New York Times.

THE BIG STORE

Children's Dress Special

\$1.00 Children's New Spring Gingham Dresses, sizes 6 to 14, only 89c. 50c Children's Gingham Dresses, sizes 2 to 6, only 43c.

Middy Blouse Special

\$1.00 Middy Blouses, sizes 6 to 22, only 75c

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Special prices on Muslin Underwear

The S. M. Jones Company

LOCAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. W. E. Nichols and children left this morning for Gastonia to visit the former's parents.

Have You Seen? the beautiful georgette crepe waist for \$2.50 at The S. M. Jones Co.

Mr. George Latimer, who has been a student at the University of South Carolina, has arrived in the city to spend vacation.

The Chester Chapter, U. D. C. will meet with Mrs. W. E. Anderson Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

The Clemson College commencement exercises will be held June 17th, 18th, and 19th.

Those who have visited various sections of the county during the past few days report that the crops, as a rule, are well worked and with a few exceptions the crops are looking very well.

Mr. J. H. M. Beatty underwent an operation at the Byer Hospital yesterday.

Ladies, We sell and gift Gosard Front Lace corsets. The S. M. Jones Co.

There will be a special meeting of Chester Lodge No. 18 A. F. M. on this evening at eight o'clock for the purpose of conferring the Master Mason degree.

Have You Seen the beautiful skirts they are showing at The S. M. Jones Co.?

Mrs. W. R. Wallace and son, Will, are spending a month at Beavert, N. C.

Miss Mary Ferguson, a popular young woman of Lancaster, and who has a number of friends and relatives in Chester county, died at Saratoga Lake, N. Y., last Saturday, following a long illness. She was 27 years of age.

John D. Rockefeller has promised Winthrop college \$50,000 for a students building fund, provided the students of the college raise an amount equal to his gift.

Miss Margaret White, who graduated at Hollis College Va., on June 25th, will spend about two weeks in Rev. and Mrs. D. N. McLaglen, at Norfolk, Va., before returning to her home in this city.

In part the York News says: "There are a few slackers in this good old county of York and we trust that the climate will become so warm even for the few among us. Same thing in Chester county. The slacker should have his jacket warmed up."

They Are Showing some beautiful spring and summer dresses at The S. M. Jones Co.

Mr. Ray Plaxico, who has been with the Leiper Drug Store for the past several months, left yesterday morning for Columbia where he expects a hospital course, which at the present date is scheduled to sail for France about the middle of July. Mr. Plaxico's home is at Sharon, York county.

The matter of tabulating the list of those who registered last Tuesday is quite a job. However, the list will be completed within a few days at which time we will endeavor to give you the results of the names of all those who registered. This action is in compliance with a request made by

government officials. When the lists are made public parties can tell whether or not there are any "slackers" among their acquaintances.

Misses Mary Cornwall, Mary McCulloch, Kate Wilkes and Nancy Carroll, who have been attending Winthrop College, have returned to their homes in the city to spend vacation.

Mr. Hal R. Castles, of Cornwall, left yesterday for Columbia to enter an ambulance unit gotten up by Dr. Wynny. This unit is scheduled to leave today for Allentown, Pennsylvania, where the members will be trained. There is some talk of this unit being ordered to France about the middle of July.

Paul Wieser, an editorial writer on the Charleston American, has been indicted by the federal government charged with aiding and procuring the signing of the Lieberstein, and permitting her to sink.

A meeting was held in the rooms of the Chester Chamber of Commerce last night with reference to the sale of Liberty Bonds in Chester and Chester county. The following committee was appointed to visit the people of Chester with reference to the sale of bonds: Ward 1, M. R. Clark, A. J. Holliman, Robert Garret; Ward 2, H. M. Spratt, J. M. Wias, J. L. Hardin; Ward 3, S. E. Lowrance; W. H. Glenn; Ward 4, Frank Ward; M. H. Dawson, S. C. Carter, E. H. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wein Tuesday A. M. June 25th, a son.

The hearing with reference to the Seaboard passenger station which was scheduled for Friday morning has been postponed until Thursday morning, June 14th. The postponement was due to the inability of some of the railroad officials to be present.

The large shipment of tin cans which were ordered by the Chamber of Commerce have arrived and parties desiring to secure any of the cans are requested to call at the Chamber of Commerce, where they may secure an order on the warehouse for delivery of cans. These cans are to be sold at five cents each, cash with order.

Mrs. R. C. Walsh, nee Miss Mary Smith, is making her first visit home since her marriage last October, having come as the guest of her mother, Mrs. C. W. Smith, who is here about July first by her husband, and visit in Atlanta before returning home.—Mobile Times.

Carpenters and Laborers wanted. Winthrop, S. C. Layton, Job Steady work, good wages. Galman Building Co.

A certain man who lives about nine miles from Chester, who was not familiar with his age, walked to town Tuesday to find out from a party living in Chester just how old he was. The man had no desire to evade the registration law and to be safe went to considerable trouble to find out the number of summers he had passed.

Registration Day had some of the young fellows thinking hard, we hear. Some have been passing as men of twenty-one summer in order that they might receive a little "spiff" once and awhile. Learnings that their public record was liable to be investigated they became very uneasy, and rightly so.

Miss Elizabeth Connelly spent Tuesday night at Winthrop college with friends.

Mr. Alexander Long, of Rock Hill, was a Chester visitor Wednesday.

Albert G. Douglas with his sister, Miss Eugenia Douglas and his aunt, Mrs. James Frank Hale of New York, motored down yesterday from his country home in Fairfield and spent the day in Columbia. Miss Douglas left by train in the afternoon for Chester to visit her sister, Mrs. Marion, planning to go later to Sprink Lake for a visit to her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Douglas of Washington at their summer home.—Columbia State.

The War department has issued instructions for the withdrawal of the National Guard units from guarding the various railroad bridges throughout the country. While nothing definite has been announced it is probable that arrangements will be made for the guarding of the bridges. Just what effect this will have as to the Company now located at Chester is not known.

Mr. C. C. Edwards was a Rock Hill business visitor yesterday.

Miss Martha Mary Rev. of Richmond is visiting relatives at Rock Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lindsay were among the Chester people who attended the Winthrop commencement.

We understand approximately \$25,000 in Liberty Bonds have been sold in Chester. Chester county's proportion of the issue is about \$125,000.

Rev. T. P. Pittman, of Harrovn, has accepted a call to the Blackstock and Woodstock Baptist churches and will preach at Woodward Sunday.

A meeting of the Guernsey breeders of Chester, Fairfield and York counties is scheduled for Monday, June 11th, at the Chester Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of forming a Tri-County Association.

That the automobile ordinance is being enforced in Chester is evident by the number of cases appearing before the Mayor recently. While some who violate the ordinance usually raise a "kick" it has not changed the attitude of the officials as to the enforcement of the law.

DEATH FOLLOWS IN 'TORNADOES' WAKE

High Winds Sweep Rural Districts of Kansas and Missouri; Twenty-Four Killed and 150 Injured.

Kansas City, Mo., June 6.—Tornadoes last night and early today spread death and destruction through rural districts of Missouri and Kansas. Reports tonight showed 15 persons killed in Missouri and 15 in Kansas. The number of injured has reached approximately 150 and estimates of the property loss are \$1,000,000 to \$2,000,000. The greatest loss of life apparently was in Boone county, Mo., where the tornado swept here and there at night and early today, where it razed, from the southwest, to the northeast, corner, claiming 11 persons. In Carroll, Carroll and Ray counties, further west, four are dead; three at Richmond and one at Whitman. In Kansas the deaths totaled eight in the county south-east and west of Topeka, one who was killed at Savonburg, near Leola, where the tornado appeared today.

The course of the tornado was marked by odd jumps. First it appeared near Topeka early in the day, and then came to earth again in Ray county, Missouri, shortly before midnight. Then it tore through a wide section of that county, wiped out half the town of Dean Lake, in Carroll county, and then swooped down through Missouri, shortly before midnight striking Sevenburg, Kansas, this morning.

REGISTRATION DAY QUIET

Many Negroes Failed to Register or Else Migration Has Exceeded Expectations.

The registration of those between 21 and 31 years of age passed off quietly in Chester county and so far, very few instances are known where any failed to register. However, the matter of locating any who failed to register is doubtless come up later.

According to the 1910 census, there were 10,284 white people in Chester county and according to the estimate of the present census, one-tenth of the population were eligible for registration. This being the case, according to the 1910 census, 1,028 white people should have registered as a matter of fact 1,077 white men registered.

The 1910 population of Chester county for colored people was 72,140 and if one-tenth of them had registered there would have been 7,214, whereas there were only 1,077 negroes registered. If the registration of the colored people is correct and the government estimate is correct, there are now 5,010 (500,000) colored people in Chester county than in 1910. While a number of Chester county negroes have migrated in the last few years many do not think that the number has reached 5,000. However, if any have failed to register they will doubtless be located by the government.

The registration at the various precincts was as follows:

Chester	487
Baton Rouge	23
Carter	48
Corwell	131
Edgemoor	71
Fort Lawn	90
Great Falls	300
Halsellville	57
Hanslow	77
Lands	59
Lansford	65
Leeds	45
Loverlyville	45
Richards	182
Rodman	126
Rossville	58
White's Store	17
Wilksburg	89
Wylie's Mill	61
Total	2,200

WHITE OAK NEWS.

White Oak, June 7th.—The many relatives and friends here of Mr. W. Mitchell were grieved to hear of his death, which occurred at his home in Rock Hill on June first after several days of severe illness. This was a true and devoted member of the Rock Hill community about 76 years ago. He with his family lived at White Oak for several years, and he had purchased a home in Rock Hill where he lived up until the time of his death.

His wife preceded him to the grave several years ago. He leaves two daughters and four sons and a host of friends in York, Chester and Fairfield counties to mourn his loss. He was a true and devoted member of the A. R. C. church nearly all his life and was a ruling elder for many years. He was a true and devoted member of the Confederate "Older, a member of the 17th, South Carolina Regiment. He was engaged in the bloody battle of the Crater, near Petersburg, Va. He remains were laid to rest in Sharon's beautiful city of the dead on Sabbath evening last in the presence of his many friends. He was a true and devoted member of the A. R. C. church nearly all his life and was a ruling elder for many years. He was a true and devoted member of the Confederate "Older, a member of the 17th, South Carolina Regiment. He was engaged in the bloody battle of the Crater, near Petersburg, Va. He remains were laid to rest in Sharon's beautiful city of the dead on Sabbath evening last in the presence of his many friends.

Five old veterans whom I met and mingled with at the great re-union in Chester have crossed over the river and are peacefully resting in the city of the dead.

Comrades, A. J. B. Horton, Comrades Burns, Hinnant, Hodgepath, Mitchell and Chianter.

Capt. T. W. Taylor and Mr. T. G. Patrick attended the re-union in Washington this week.

Mrs. Jno. B. Neely and children of Charlotte, have been visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Nelson, at Waters this week.

Messrs. Givings and Samuel Mitchell, of Karana, Texas, are here visiting their many friends. They came East to attend their fathers funeral.

Mr. J. T. Wylie, of Blackstock Route 2, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. M. Y. Bankhead.

Mr. Otto Ray, of Barnwell, is visiting his brother, T. L. Ray at this place.

J. H. N.

The Family Head vs The Quarantine.

In this day when so much is being construed as to heads of families, I would call attention to an argument of the remarkable Cheate in speaking of the Pilgrims Fathers who with their readiness to spang to some and thereby achieved the historic title of Pilgrims Fathers, claimed the Pilgrim mothers were more devoted martyrs than were the Pilgrim fathers. They suffered, they died, they bore with the Pilgrim Fathers besides. From such conditions, which can be classed as the most important head, opinions may differ but the facts are nevertheless true.

Cliva.

Twisted it's way through Midway, Crithersville, Hallsville, and through Crithersville, after which it disappeared and was heard of no more until it struck Sevenburg, Kansas, this morning.

LIFE AT OGLETHORPE.

The following letter which appeared in the Spartanburg Herald will doubtless be of interest to a number of Chester people, especially since a number of Chester's young men are at the camp.

Editor of The Herald:

The men of the officers' training camp at Fort Oglethorpe are getting a taste of the real soldier's life. It is nothing for the captain to command his men to fire, in their tracks and crawl 25 or 50 yards up a hill with a pack on the back and a rifle in the right hand. It was funny at first to see some fellows, who had prominent front teeth, to save himself by getting down gingerly by the knee until he had an "office" pump on him immediately and stay with him until he fell prone on his back fully developed stomach. The writer remembers quite distinctly the first time his companion in rank—a rather party gentleman of middle age, fell really flat. He skidded on his "pump," fully five yards just like a rubber ball.

Then there is bayonet charging at an imaginary enemy, and some of the fellows who are used to the weapon have had narrow escapes from having eyes punched out and body lacerated. The instructors are giving in a good deal of this sort of thing, and it is hoped that a great deal of it will be needed when we get to France.

We are beginning to march now with 30-pound packs on our backs, besides the regular gun and side arms that we always carry. We will commence soon to march with the heavy equipment which weighs 60 pounds.

Of course, The Herald readers know that it would have been impossible for so many of the thousands of Spartanburg men to have marched those miles with a 60-pound burden on his back three weeks ago, so this gives them some idea of the thoroughness of the physical training we are undergoing. The writer has lost ten pounds in weight in the three weeks, but is feeling better than he ever did in his life before.

The whole camp was stirred by an address Friday night by Mr. Tallman, an Englishman, who has been in the trenches for three years. He described very vividly the life in the trenches and wound up with a telling plea for a renunciation of the Anglo-Saxon race against the oligarchy of the Kaiser. When he finished storm after storm of applause followed and the entire audience of 2,000 men rose to their feet and sang "The Star Spangled Banner" and "God Save the King."

All the Spartanburg men are enthusiastic over the securing of the cantonment by the business men of Spartanburg, and hope that the new spirit because the number of cantonments will not affect Spartanburg's chances. There are some 15,000 men stationed in about Chester, Spartanburg Park, and it is said that there will be some 60,000 before the mobilization is completed.

The people of Chattanooga must themselves out to be nice to the training camp men, and urge us to their homes and take meals with them. It is not like it. It is nothing to be picked up by some citizen and bewitched over the city. Dances and social functions are arranged for every Saturday night.

Men, of course, that practically all the men at the training camp, find conditions so congenially spend Saturday nights in Chattanooga, and thousands of dollars being turned into the coffers of Chattanooga merchants, and both the city and the very forceful suggestion of what could be done in Spartanburg should we get the cantonment.

ALFRED W. HORTON, Co. A, Training Military Branch, Chattanooga, Tenn., June 2, 1917.

Warning Notice—All persons are hereby warned not to trespass on the old Moore plantation, near the Wylie Mills. Those doing so will be prosecuted. J. W. F. Nelson.

"Is Chester a Foreign Country?"

On Tuesday one of the registrars asked a negro if he was a naturalized citizen.

"Now, sah, I was born in Chester," was the answer.—Rock Hill Record.

He Was Married, But—

All kinds of questions were asked and all kinds of answers given by many negroes last Tuesday during the census registration.

The following took place during the registration of one negro.

"Are you married?" Yes, sah. "Is your wife solely dependent on you for a living?" Now, sah, dat niggor don't get stuff from me. I bin let dat niggor.

ATTENTION, AUTOMOBILE DRIVERS!

The attention of automobile drivers is called to the fact that all persons driving motor vehicles in the city of Chester must be provided with a driver's license, the same costing fifty cents and running for one year from June 1st. This license is not affected by the new State law, and all drivers of motor vehicles must, therefore, have their licenses.

Z. V. DAVIDSON, Mayor, Chester, S. C., June 8, 1917.

Professional Notice—Dr. S. H. Koser will be out of the city until June 15th.

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

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor-Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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says Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky., in writing of her experience with Cardui, the woman's tonic. She says further: "Before I began to use Cardui, my back and head would hurt so bad, I thought the pain would kill me. I was hardly able to do any of my housework. After taking three bottles of Cardui, I began to feel like a new woman. I soon gained 35 pounds, and now, I do all my housework, as well as run a big water mill. I wish every suffering woman would give

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

a trial. I still use Cardui when I feel a little bad, and it always does me good."
Headache, backache, side ache, nervousness, tired, worn-out feelings, etc., are sure signs of womanly trouble. Signs that you need Cardui, are womanly tonic. You cannot make a mistake in trying Cardui for your trouble. It has been helping weak, ailing women for more than fifty years.

Get a Bottle Today!

U-BOAT HELD ON SEA BOTTOM BY BRITISH

Strange Method of Attack Fatal to Germans.

London, June 2.—If a lot of smoke always means some fire, something has been happening to the submarines lately. The country is filled with stories of remarkable submarine misadventures.

A British submarine went to the bottom to rest. It encountered an obstacle, which proved to be a German submarine already lying there. Neither was able to attack the other, so the British vessel opened its tanks and took on all possible weight and remained a long as possible on top of the German. Then rising, the British captain observed that the German periscope was visible. After a long wait no sign of the German appeared, and it is supposed to be lost.

The British and French are believed to be making good use of war planes to search out the submarines and attack them at the instant they appear with torpedoes and machine guns. Seaplanes are being used effectively in the Adriatic by the Italians in attacking Austrian destroyers and submarines. The British are also making the submarine business bad by persistent raids on the bases, especially at Zeebrugge.

The Germans employed many stratagems, such as allowing dummy submarines and destroyers to lie in plain sight, while hiding the real U-boat in caves beside the canal in Ireland, but the British have learned all these tricks and are reported to have wrought much destruction with their bombs, which have been dropped in large quantities.

Constipation Causes Serious Ills.
"Let me see your tongue," is the doctor's first question. When the tongue is coated, it means sluggish bowels, and you invite not only headaches, indigestion, but serious ill health. Avoid those dangers by taking Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are sugar coated, wholly efficient, yet mild and easy to take, pleasant to take by young, aged or delicate. Sold for years at your druggist, 25c.

Wash or Stere, Not Clean.
"This place is infested with nut grass and I want to know if there is

anything I could put on the land that will take out some element of nut grass seeds and so cause it to die."

If it were possible to remove an essential element from the soil and thus starve the nut grass you would also starve your crops. For the essential elements for plant life are essential to all plants. The prevalence of nut grass, like other weeds, for nut grass is not a grass at all, due to bad farming and single cropping in the past. Where a good rotation of crops is practiced, and smothering crops of peas and clover are sown on the land between sale crops, they will be little bother from nut grass or other weeds. If nut grass is allowed to grow in the late fall after the crops are laid by, it will seed heavily and there will be a thousand plants the next season from seed to every one that comes from the nuts, while a large part of this might be prevented if there was a heavy growth of peas in the corn and clover in the cotton. The old practice of what was called "resting" the land is responsible for the increase of nut grass and many other weeds. Farmers, realizing that the continuous planting of cotton on the land was bad, devised the plan of letting the field lie idle one season, and cultivating the next, resting it, they said. But nature will not allow land to lie idle and sprout nothing, and when a farmer does not put something more useful to the land than weeds, it will cover it with weeds of whatever kind she has the most seed of at hand. Then to abolish nut grass, stop the land growing, something better that will by its dense growth give the nut grass little chance to grow. There is a better way, that sweet potatoes will drive out nut grass, and any crop that will cover the ground densely will tend to drive it out, in my garden I destroy it by simply not allowing it to grow.

Progressive Farmer.

BLACK LEG SPREADS
IN LAURENS COUNTY

Disease Causes Death of Young Cattle in the Vicinity of Waterholes.
Laurens, June 6.—Infection against the spread of black leg among several herds of cattle in the vicinity of Waterholes is receiving the attention of Percy W. Moore, farm veterinarian. Moore is the only authorized agent for this county.



J. A. BARRON
Underwriter and Embalmers.
Successor to Childs & Barron, Chester, S. C.
Phone 118.

NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS.

Notice is hereby served on all patrons of the Chester Water-works that the law with regard to the payment of water rent on or before the 15th of each month will in the future, by order of city council be rigidly enforced.

Therefore water patrons will take notice that in case your water rents are not paid by the 15th of each month, service will be discontinued until paid.

JAMES HAMILTON
City Eng. and Treas.
June 15th.

Get Rid of Tan, Sunburn and Freckles

by using HAGANS **Magnolia Balm.**

Acts instantly. Stops the burning. Clears your complexion of Tan and Blemishes. You cannot know how good it is until you try it. Thousands of women say it is one of all beautifiers and holds Sunburn quick. Don't be without it a day longer. Get a bottle now. At your Druggist or by mail direct. 75 cents for either color. White, Pink, Rose-Red.

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NOTICE OF DEAWING JURORS

In compliance with an Act of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, approved on the 7th day of February, 1902, we, the Jury Commissioners of Chester County, do

the said State, do hereby give notice that on Wednesday, June 20th, 1917, at ten o'clock A. M., in the office of the Clerk of Court of Common Pleas and General Sessions at Chester, S. C., we will draw the following jurors, to wit:

Thirty-six (36) petit jurors to serve during the first week of Circuit Court at the Summer term thereof.

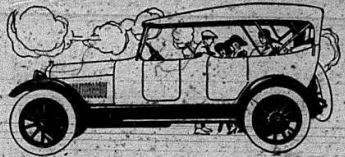
M. C. FUDGE, Auditor,
S. E. WYLIE, Treasurer,
J. E. COHNWELL,
C. C. C. Pleas.
Chester, S. C., June 1, 1917.
8-7-8-15

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Sold on a guarantee for Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, and similar affections of the skin and scalp. Sold only by us, 50c and \$1.00.
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Don't Neglect the Summer Call.
We "catch cold" in warm weather because colds are germ diseases and our vitality is too low to resist them. To kill those cold germs, the antiseptic, ripener of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is famously effective, besides helping to relieve the tight chest and invigorate the tissues. The honey and appropriate ingredients heal the throat and soothe the cough. Always have a bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey in your home, 25c. at your druggist.

CHANDLER SIX



Now \$1395 July 1st \$1595

The price of the Chandler Six, pioneer of all light sixes and now the leader more distinctly than ever before, advances \$200 at the close of business June 30th. On and after July 1st, the price will be \$1595.

Car Continues to Will Still Offer
Ideally The Same Much Excess Value

There will be no change of any nature in the Chandler at the new price. The present series, greatest in Chandler history, will be continued without alteration.

The Chandler Company has striven to avoid this advance in price. But the advance is unavoidable. It would have been justified months ago. Almost every item in cost of production has advanced materially.

The \$1395 price could have been continued only by cheapening the car. And the Chandler car has never been cheapened.

At the new price the Chandler will still offer excess value. Distinctive Chandler features—Bosch High Tension Magneto ignition; solid cast aluminum crank case extending from frame to frame; annular ball bearings in transmission, differential and rear wheels; silent chain drive for motor shafts, and many other features characteristic of the finest high-priced cars—are not found in other cars selling so low as the advanced Chandler price.

At the present \$1395 price, there is no other six comparable to the Chandler in design, equipment and performance.

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Seven-Passenger Touring Car, \$1395 Four-Passenger Roadster, \$1395
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Flies Breed in Filth **Red Devil Lye Eats Filth**

Kill the Cause

Germ-carrying flies bring disease direct to your home from the privy and outhouse. They wipe their germ-laden feet on your food, beds in the baby's milk and leave many forms of sickness—then come the doctor's bills—and you know what that means.

Flies carry on their feet filth and the germs of typhoid fever, malaria, consumption, infantile paralysis and other dread diseases.

Red Devil Lye Destroys The Fly Eggs

SPRINKLE RED DEVIL LYE FREELY over or under a wash tub full of water. You can't see too much. It will clean up these places, remove the food value and stop the eggs from hatching.

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