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The Semi-Weekly News

CHESTER, S. C. FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 1915.

CAMPAIGN MEETINGS ARE QUIET

Lack of Interest at Greenville Gathering Probably Due to Mexican Excitement

Greenville, June 21.—Good speeches characterized the campaign here today, but the lack of enthusiasm was noticeable. There were about 1,000 people present and good attention was accorded to all the candidates. The apathy on the part of the people is the chief feature of this campaign and while many reasons are assigned for this condition the two most generally accepted are the interest in the Mexican situation resulting from the calling out of the militia and the attention which the people are devoting to working the crops and to their business.

The meeting was held in the city park, John J. McDowen, county chairman, presiding. The Rev. R. Bass offered prayer. A brass band accompanied the program. Superintendent of Education John E. Swearingin, who is unopposed for reelection, led off with a speech on education. A telegram was read from W. F. Moore, the Adjutant General, regretting that duties incident to the mobilization of the militia prevented his attending.

For Lieutenant Governor. The candidates for Lieutenant Governor came next. Andrew J. Bethea, who is seeking re-election, stressed law enforcement, education and a warehouse system "divorced from politics." He eulogized President Wilson. Mr. Bethea emphasized the importance of the office. Dr. E. C. Adams, for the same office, characterized Mr. Bethea as a "cast-iron winner" of Ford and Bryan. He said he had fun of the Lieutenant Governor's trip with the Ford peace party.

For Secretary of State. George W. Wightman, of Saluda, recalled his career in the State Senate. He said his announcement caused R. M. McCown to decide not to run for reelection, because he saw the handwriting on the wall, and he told his chief clerk, W. Banks Dove, to get into the race. W. Banks Dove said the only thing the people wanted to know was whether he could get into office, and he was in the race because he wanted the office, and knew nothing of Mr. McCown's reasons for not running. He told of his eight years as chief clerk of Mr. McCown as training him for the office.

For State Treasurer. D. W. McLaughlin, for State Treasurer, attacked the incumbent, Mr. Carter, for sending his daughters to Wintthrop and for allowing the vote in the sinking fund when the State bond debt was refunded. S. T. Carter, for re-election as State Treasurer, said that Mr. McLaughlin never had a majority but his defeat of four years ago. He explained his vote in the sinking fund on the bond refund as a favorable business proposition for the State, and he vigorously replied to his opponent's attack.

Albert S. Fant, of Belton; G. M. Duffie Hampton, of Columbia; W. E. Kelly, of Spartanburg; W. P. Throver, of Chesterfield, and James H. Gentry, of Thrash, presented their claims for railroad commissioner.

It was 1 o'clock when the candidates for Governor began to speak. R. A. Cooper opening, said he is running because it's his privilege and is seeking the office solely on his merit. He opposed free scholarships and free tuition in college, and thought the necessary funds should be looked to needy students and to their repay the loans after they enter on his life work. He said that the State colleges should not be given advantages over the denominational colleges, and that necessary money ought to be done about men, able to pay tuition sending their children to State colleges on scholarships and free tuition.

John Madison Deschamps said he was the only one of the five who had not been defeated for Governor. He advocated free tuition and proposed a public defender just like solicitor. Mr. Deschamps said he was friend of the corporations, and showed what they have done towards upbuilding the State, and he never would be considered to be "man" the corporations, and that necessary money ought to be done about men, able to pay tuition sending their children to State colleges on scholarships and free tuition.

FORMER U. S. ATTORNEY OSBORNE BEFORE COURT

Osborne, Former Assistant District Attorney, Identified by Dora Tanser in the Federal District Court here today as the elusive "Oliver Osborne," who has been the central figure in the trial of her sister, Rae Tanser, on a charge of perjury.

The young woman is accused of having sworn falsely that J. W. Osborne was the man who courted her under the name of Oliver Osborne when she was in her second month ago for breach of promise.

The witness declared Osborne was the man who called frequently at her home to visit Rae Tanser. Mr. Osborne previously was a witness for the prosecution. As in the suit against him, he offered an alibi to prove he could not have been with Rae Tanser on the date she charged he had accompanied her to a hotel. Other witnesses declared Osborne bore no resemblance to the man known as "Oliver Osborne."

In his opening address as chief counsel for Rae Tanser Lewis Stuyvesant Chamber, former Lieutenant Governor, declared he would show the jury "by expert testimony that letters written to Miss Tanser by Oliver Osborne and those written by James W. Osborne must have been written by one and the same man."

ROBERTSON HEADS COAST ARTILLERY

Greenville, June 21.—Capt. William P. Robertson of the Greenville company of coast artillery has been elected major of the South Carolina Coast Artillery corps. News to this effect was received here today from the adjutant general's office.

Maj. Robertson will command the battalion composed of the five companies located at Greenville, Spartanburg, Greer, Jonesville and Greenwood. Two of the companies, headquarters of the State are now located in Greenville, those of Col. E. M. Blythe of the First regiment of infantry and Maj. Robertson of the Coast artillery corps.

Believes War is at Hand. Governor Richard Manning said he believed that America is going to fight Mexico, and that not only the National Guard would be called, but others would be called. He predicted that South Carolina would reap the glorious reward of the Palmetto Regiment in 1848. He called for the positions to be held in by the Guardsmen and their families taking care of Law enforcement was stressed. He mentioned the weekly pay bill, the board of conciliation and other matters.

Extraneous, Says, Blaise Cole L. Blaise attacked Governor Manning's administration as the most lawless so far as Governor of the history of the State. He jumped on the creation of new offices, mentioning the State board of charities. He said he wanted to thank Mr. Cooper for his information was transmitted to him from Villa Ahunada by Col. Genovese River who commanded the Mexicans after the leader, Gen. Gomez was slain. Gen. Gonzalez's how the Mexicans' explanation of how the two forces came in contact.

According to Gen. Gonzalez he was informed by Gen. Gomez at Villa Ahunada last night of the progress of the American westward movement. He said he immediately ordered Gen. Gomez to proceed to the Santa Domingo which, where the Americans were reported in unknown force and advise their commander to fire to their discretion.

AMERICANS AND MEXICANS IN BLOODY CLASH

El Paso People Think Mexicans Must Have Been to Blame—Excitement Spreads in America—Juarez Remains Quiet—Evacuation is Said to be Planned.

El Paso, Texas, June 21.—American and Carranza troops fought a sanguinary battle today on the Santo Domingo ranch, near the town of Carrizal, and tonight it had not been learned with which side rested the victory.

The number of dead, American or Mexican, was not definitely known, but nearly a score of Gen. Pershing's men are said to have been killed and the Mexicans are said to have lost more than 40. Seventeen Americans are declared by Mexican officials to have been captured and taken to Carrizal. A machine gun was hurried to Chihuahua City under adequate guard. A machine gun used by the Mexicans, is reported to have done heavy execution.

The scene of the fight was just nine miles southeast of Villa Ahunada, the Mexican field headquarters in northern Chihuahua, and the clash occurred only a few hours after President Wilson's 6,000 word warning Carranza that the "travesties of an armistice" would follow if American troops had gone forward.

The Americans engaged are thought to have been members of a troop from the Tenth cavalry, a negro regiment, returning from a scouting trip to Guzman. The size of the Mexican force, whose commander, Gen. Felix Gomez, was killed, is not known.

News of the battle was received in Juarez early this afternoon by Gen. Francisco Gonzales, Carranza commander of the military zone of the border. For some reason Gen. Gonzales kept the story secret until late in the afternoon when an American, J. C. Hubble, returning to border from the interior, brought to El Paso the news. He had seen numbers of Mexican dead along the Mexican Central railroad tracks at Villa Ahunada, and had been told that there had been an encounter.

Gen. Gonzalez' first step after confirming the news was to issue a statement placing the blame on the American commander. He charged that the American troops fired first on the Mexicans and that their shots were directed at the courier who had presented to them a request that they retire.

American army officers declared Gonzalez' diabolical tonight in Gen. Pershing's name. The press expressed that if Americans fired the messenger they did so because it was necessary in order to insure their own safety.

Gen. Pershing's recent warning to Gen. Gomez not to send his troops south or west of their positions was recalled. Excitement spread in El Paso as extra troops were landed and the news became known. It was maintained however, in view of Gen. Belle's frequent admonitions that his soldiers could take care of any situation that might arise. While awaiting instructions from headquarters at San Antonio, Gen. Bell kept his entire force in readiness for instant action.

In the meantime, however, word came from Juarez that all was quiet, although the news of the battle was widespread there.

Early tonight the only official details of the engagement received here came from the Mexican side of the river. Gen. Gonzalez said that his information was transmitted to him from Villa Ahunada by Col. Genovese River who commanded the Mexicans after the leader, Gen. Gomez was slain. Gen. Gonzalez's how the Mexicans' explanation of how the two forces came in contact.

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RUBBER ESSENTIAL IN MODERN WARFARE

Importance of the Product and Source of the Warfare

The tremendously important part which rubber is taking in the present war in Europe and equally in the United States' expeditions in Mexico makes the following bulletin, issued by the National Geographic Society from Washington headquarters, of significant interest:

The fact that practically all the commissary supplies and ammunition required by American troops of the shoe washers are being transported in motor trucks, and the news that an automobile train of 18,000 cars was employed to rush reinforcements and munitions to Verdun during the first hours of the German drive against that great French fortress suggest a modification of one of the axioms of the great phrase-maker and military genius, Napoleon. The modern army marches on rubber instead of "on its stomach."

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It is difficult to realize that rubber in 1800, which, by an accident of war has been played only during the last six decades, following that happy accident when Charles Goodhue, a Connecticut inventor, dropped a mixture of sulphur and rubber on a hot stove and discovered the long-sought principle of vulcanization which prevents the gum from becoming brittle in cold weather and sticky when warm.

It was during Columbus' second visit to the New World that his sailors observed the natives of Haiti playing with a ball of gum which possessed extraordinary qualities of resiliency. Many years later when it was discovered that this gum could be used to rub out pencil marks it was given the name of "Indian rubber."

Rubber was introduced into the United States in 1800, which, by an odd coincidence, was the year Charles Goodhue's birth. Half a century later a Boston navigator brought from Brazil a number of plants of the tree which had been coated with the coagulated milk of the rubber tree. Their popularity was immediate, on account of their imperviousness to water. But more than two centuries previously a Madrid writer had chronicled the fact that Spaniards in the New World made a practice of waxing their canvas cloaks with tree rubber juice to keep "mankind's" tributes to the captain of a Scotchman, Charles Mackintosh, who improved on this early raincoat by dissolving rubber in naphtha and spreading a thin layer of the solution between two pieces of cloth. From the double thickness he made waterproofs that won world-wide popularity.

The harvesting on rubber consists of a man cutting a diagonal groove in the bark which for adventure, romance, and daring rivals that of the pursuit of almost any other commodity prized by man, the lure of gold and diamonds. Under the direction and spur of the white planter and trader, the native rubber gatherers plunge through the feid, snake-infested jungles of the Amazon, the Orinoco, and the Congo, making incisions in the bark and half long, three-eighths of an inch wide and a half inch deep in the bark of the tropical trees which sometimes attain a height of 60 feet and a circumference of 8 feet. Beneath these "wounds" the native attaches small cups to catch the rubber milk, which is not a part of the tree. The average Para rubber tree yields two gallons of latex in a week, and in the forest this milk yields one-third its weight of the prized rubber, of a true annual production of the tree being 100 pounds of latex and the flow continues fairly constant for a number of years.

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The world's production of rubber during the year preceding the European war was 151,000 tons, but Brazil produced 40,000 tons, her chief competitor, the Dutch East Indies, yielded 100,000 tons. The United States in that year produced more than twice as much of the raw product as Great Britain, which stood second as a buyer. For the year 1914 the United States imported 17,000 tons of rubber.

YORK COUNTY DECLARE HUNGER NEWS ITEMS DRIVES MEXICANS

AmERICANS COMING BACK SAY CONDITIONS IN MEXICO ARE DETERIORATING

El Paso, Texas, June 20.—Hunger is swelling the army that Gen. Carranza is recruiting in Northern Mexico in preparation for possible hostilities with the United States, according to stories brought here today by Americans arriving from the interior.

Peons, who for some time have lived on the verge of starvation, have been flocking to the standard in the last few days, in return for promises of food and clothing, they said. No applicants have been rejected, according to stories, which told of boys of ten and twelve years of age and old men being recruited.

One of the arrivals, an American business man of Mexico City, estimated that there are 25,000 Carranza troops in Chihuahua State, of whom about 2,000 are in Chihuahua City, 4,000 in Juarez, and 5,000 in Villa Ahunada, the North Chihuahua base which is 93 miles south of El Paso. The remainder, practically 20,000, are scattered along the line of the Mexican Northwestern railway, south of Gen. Pershing's command.

The refugees brought graphic stories of economic conditions. One man said that he and his fellow passengers would have starved had the train stopped at times long enough to allow them to get out and dig beans from fields. Another said he had nearly offered his gold bars American gold for a tortilla.

"The Mexicans are desperate," said a refugee from the El Paso district said. "Even though the attitude otherwise might be friendly, hunger is apt to force them to attack an American supply train."

Both El Paso and Juarez remained outwardly calm today but in both towns soldiers were kept close to the corners. A number of Americans crossing into Juarez today was smaller than usual but none of them reported any manifestations of hostility. Educated Mexicans among whom have arrived here recently from interior points in the United States, have been crossing the frontier in large numbers recently, asserting that their place in the world is with the people on the other side.

T. D. Edwards, consul in Juarez, established a desk in the American customs house for the transaction of diplomatic business. He denied that the customs office is a member of a club that it is to remain in Juarez as a clerk, open at specified hours for transaction of commercial business.

Detachments detailed by Gen. Woodruff to the Mexican side of the Rio Grande, Gen. George Bell, Jr., on the American side, investigate reports that the body of an American killed in Texas had been found on the Chihuahua side reported they were unable to find any trace of such a body.

STEEL CORPORATION PRESIDENT FARRELL LOSES HOUSE BY FIRE

South Norwalk, Conn., June 19.—While 60 guests were eating a wedding breakfast today at the Sunnyside residence of James A. Farrell, president of the United States Steel Corporation, at Rock Lodge, Belle Isle, fire started in the kitchen and destroyed the structure, causing a loss estimated at \$150,000. Mrs. Farrell's daughter, Miss Mary Thorne, was married earlier in the day to Joseph B. Murray of Brooklyn, N. Y. They were to have been married Tuesday, but the sudden death of Mr. Farrell's mother caused postponement of the ceremony.

Firemen worked for half an hour before the party was aware of the danger. When smoke finally poured into the dining hall, the guests all retreated toward the wedding parlor, valued at \$200,000, in which only a few paintings and pieces of furniture remained. Mrs. Farrell was rescued by firemen.

There are many varieties of rubber producing trees, vines and shrubs, the most valuable species being those which yield the standard "para" and which grows over an area of a million square miles in Brazil alone.

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ANNUAL FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION

Chester, South Carolina

BASEBALL

Two Games. Chester vs. York.

Two Horse Races

2:20 class, - - 4 to enter, 3 to start.
2:40 class - - 5 to enter, 4 to start.
Five heats to each race. Horses already entered from York, Rock Hill and Chester.

Ford Automobile Parade

The first Ford Parade ever seen in Chester will be here this July 4th. Every Ford car in the parade and driver will be admitted free into Fair Grounds. Two prizes of \$5.00 each will be given by the Hardin Motor Company for Ford cars in parade in best condition for the car's mileage.

PROGRAM

9 A. M. Band Concert on Hill.
Gates Open.
10 A. M. Morning Game Baseball Chester vs. York.
12 M. Band Concert at Fair Grounds.
2 P. M. Ford Parade from City Square.
2:30 P. M. Judging Ford Cars.
2:45 P. M. 2:18 Horse Race begins.
3 P. M. 2:40 Horse Race begins.
4 P. M. Afternoon Baseball Chester vs. York

Band Music All Day

The Tirzah Concert Band will furnish music on the Hill and at the Fair Grounds throughout the entire day.

Refreshments, Lunches, Ice Cream and Cold Drinks on The Grounds.

All Stores, Banks and Factories and places of business will be closed on account of the celebration of our National Holiday.

Special rates on all railroads.

Ask your agent.

PRIZES

Horse Race: 2:18 class, Purse \$100. Divided \$50, \$30, \$20. Horse Race: 2:40 class, Purse \$100. Divided \$50, \$30, \$20.

Two prizes of \$5.00 each will be given by the Hardin Motor Company to the owners of Ford Cars showing the best care for the mileage they have run. This contest is open to both old and new Ford cars, whether Roadsters, Touring Cars, Trucks or Delivery Wagon.

TIME: Tuesday, July 4th.

PLACE: Fair Grounds.

NEGRO'S ATTEMPT PROMPTLY FAILED

Prominent Woman's Screams Frighten Negro to Flight and Summon Prompt Assistance.

Edgefield, June, 21.—Edgefield was thrown into a state of high excitement about 1:30 o'clock this afternoon when it became known that a negro man, Ellis Jonathan, had made an attempt to assault a prominent white woman in her home. She had been visiting a neighbor and on returning home observed that a negro followed her for several hundred yards before reaching home. Soon after she entered the front door she heard a knock at the rear door and upon opening the door observed the negro man, who made no response upon being asked what he wanted, had advanced upon the woman. She ran into another room and he pursued her but was frightened away by her screams before he reached her. Her husband was away from home.

Dr. A. R. Nicholson was attracted by the cry of distress and ran to the rescue, observing Jonathan escaping from the house as he approached. He leaped into his automobile and pursued the negro down the street, fearing that he would overtake the negro sought refuge in a field where there was a vast growth of vegetation finally secreting himself under a bush nearby. Dr. Nicholson, with the aid of a negro man, located Jonathan, tied him and thrust him in the car and hurried him to the jail, stopping by the home which the negro had entered, where he was identified.

D. D. Brunson, deputy sheriff, realized at once the seriousness of the situation and within 15 minutes after the negro had been placed in jail secured an automobile and took him to Columbia for safe keeping in the penitentiary.

In the absence of Sheriff Swearingin, Deputy Brunson acted with commendable coolness and promptness. It is generally believed that had the negro been kept in jail here he would have been violently handled.

Deputy Sheriff Brunson and his two assistants arrived in Columbia yesterday afternoon shortly after 5 o'clock and delivered Jonathan to the authorities at the State penitentiary. The negro was locked up for safe keeping, and will be returned to custody of Edgefield county when court convenes in that circuit. Deputy Brunson and other members of the

party returned to Edgefield last night, leaving Columbia immediately after Jonathan had been lodged in the penitentiary.

MOVING TO THE NORTH.

Douglas, Ariz., June 20.—Mexican troops have begun a northward movement along the Macoyari railroad according to refugees arriving late today from the south. A cavalry advance guard of 250 reached Cabullona, 22 miles south of the border last night, they said.

At the same time all the troops which have been stationed in Cochitla, 35 miles south of Douglas, were reported to have moved north six miles to Frontiera, the concentration camp of Gen. Calles. It is estimated that there are now approximately 2,500 men at Frontiera. Reports from Nacoanari stated that 1,500 civilian volunteers were organized to join the army at Frontiera in the event of war, while many civilians from towns south of Nacoanari were prepared to march north in case they are needed.

Railroad equipment was gathered today in Agua Prieta and according to reports all of the families in the city were taken southward. A large number of Mexicans went across the border here with their families.

WIDELY KNOWN ATTORNEY KILLS HIMSELF IN ALABAMA

Huntsville, Ala., June 20.—H. S. Pleasantan, an attorney widely known in this State, was found shot to death in his office here today. Near the body was a note, apparently written by him, saying he had killed himself because of a suspicion directed against him in connection with the murder here last week of Probate Judge Lawler.

A short time after the body was found Charles M. Nalls, clerk of the Madison County Circuit Court, surrendered himself on a warrant charging him with complicity in the death of Judge Lawler. Late today search was still being made for D. D. Overton, Lawler's defeated political opponent, for whom a warrant has also been issued.

City Solicitor Tate, who has charge of the murder investigation, said late today that the authorities had detected no suspicion toward Pleasantan. The attorney was a Republican and is said to have taken no part in the bitter Democratic primary fight in which Judge Lawler defeated Overton. Mr.

Tate said he would continue a rigid investigation into Pleasantan's death, though he admitted it bore "some of the earmarks of suicide." Coroner Poole said it apparently was a plain case of suicide and he did not think an inquest necessary.

Two negroes were arrested as witnesses in the Lawler case today at the request of Mr. Tate, who said tonight that the State's case was practically complete.


A Storm of Babies.

In a recent issue The Literary Digest carried a more or less scientific discussion of the twin question; that is—the origin of twins. The several phases were duly discussed, and the question of whether a tendency to twin products ran in families was gone into. Many other discussions have appeared on this same subject, but none, so far as we know, have yet been so unique, and none have been akin to a discussion of the question which a railroad agent wrote from Chester, S. C., in 1882.

Commerce and Finance finds that in a railroad's file there is a letter which links a bale of cotton with twins. Incidentally, Mr. S. B. Lumpkin, who wrote the letter referred to, gave one of the finest excuses for his mistake that mortal man ever offered. Whether his bosses excused him we do not know. If they didn't they should have been put in a pillory.

Here is the bale-of-cotton-and-twin theory, as promulgated years ago.

"The day that I received this cotton from the C. & I. road, my wife had twins, and in the excitement and blustering around, this bale got into another lot of cotton marked S.H.A., and that same day my watchman's wife had twins, and the next morning my billing clerk's wife had one—only—and all of our mothers-in-law was amongst us, and when we got done working with the children, I could not find this bale of cotton to save my life. I do hope we are not going to have another storm of children any more during cotton season. Tell Mr. Woolley not to be hard on me—both of my children were sick and I am afraid I am going to have a hard time supporting them. Tell him to take the bale, the price will go up in a few days, and he will make money on it, but if he don't want the bale, tell him to take it, and the bale, back this way again."



Postponement
usually end in post mortems
"The day that has slipped away can't come back the old gentleman with the scepter and hourglass hasn't made round-trip"
What have you to show for last year? Start now to make the coming year fruitful. Start to put money in our bank.

The National Exchange Bank
Chester, S. C.
CAPITAL \$100,000.00
SURPLUS & UNDIVIDED PROFITS \$54,000.00

J. L. Glenn, President.
S. M. JONES, Vice President.
J. R. DYE, Cashier.
WM. McKINNELL, Assistant Cashier.

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We have added additional Mechanics to our force and make a specialty of prompt work.

No matter what make of car, we can do the work promptly and efficiently.

Gasoline Station : : The Best in Oils
Parts of All Kinds

Fennell-Young Motor Co.

Lower Gadsden Street.

Attention Elks!

Atlanta Lodge No. 78 and Birmingham Lodge No. 79, together with other Elks and their friends will leave Sunday, July 9th, over the SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY for Baltimore, Maryland, to attend the great ELK'S REUNION, special train starting from Birmingham, Alabama, on following schedule:

Leave Birmingham	8:00 A. M.
Atlanta	1:10 P. M.
Lawrenceville	3:21 "
Winder	3:31 "
Athens	4:27 "
Elberton	5:24 "
Abbeville	6:21 "
Greenwood	6:49 "
Clinton	7:34 "
Chester	8:40 "
Arrive Baltimore	11:50 A. M. next day

Special round-trip rates will be in effect. For specific rate, Pullman reservation or other information, call on nearest SEABOARD Agent or write

C. S. Compton, Fred Geissler,
T. P. A., S. A. L., Asst. G. P. A., S. A. L.,
Atlanta, Ga. Atlanta, Ga.

Attention Shriners!

Yaarab Temple, Atlanta, together with other Shriners and their families will use the SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY in two special trains, starting from Atlanta, Georgia, Saturday, July 8th, on following schedule:

Leave Atlanta	9:00 A. M.
Lawrenceville	11:00 "
Winder	11:40 "
Athens	12:20 noon
Elberton	1:20 P. M.
Calhoun Falls	1:45 "
Abbeville	2:10 "
Greenwood	2:35 "
Clinton	3:20 "
Carlisle	4:05 "
Chester	4:30 "
Arrive Buffalo	7:45 " next day.

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Lesson XIII.—Second Quarter. For June 25, 1916.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Phil. 1, 1-11, vv. 1-2.—Character Review.—Golden Text, Phil. iv, 8.—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

LESSON I.—The conversion of Saul. Acts ix, 1-11, 17-30. Golden Text, I Tim. i, 15. "Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am chief." That God should choose such a vessel for such a purpose is to us a very great mystery, but we know that His way is perfect, and it was a foreshadowing of the conversion of Israel as a nation by His appearing to them in glory, when they shall become a nation of Pauls, with all his zeal.

LESSON II.—Aeneas and Dorcas. Acts ix, 32-43. Golden Text, Tit. ii, 7. "In all things showing thyself an example of good works." The result of these two miracles of health to Aeneas and a return to life in a mortal body to Dorcas (which was no gain to her) was that many turned to the Lord and believed in Him and thus helped to complete His body, the church, the one only thing worth living for.

LESSON III.—Peter and Cornelius. Acts x, 1-35. Golden Text, Rom. x, 12. "The same Lord Lord of all and is rich unto all that call upon Him." Because of the Easter lesson next week we take the whole chapter and see a Gentile household, with kinsmen and friends, hearing and receiving the word of the Lord, and in Him forgiveness, and the gift of the Holy Spirit (verses 24, 44). Note the results.

LESSON IV.—The risen Christ, I Cor. xv, 1-3. Golden Text, I Cor. xv, 20. "Now hath Christ been raised from the dead, the first fruits of them that are asleep." Our salvation and all included in it depend upon a risen Christ who exists for a company of people in redeemed bodies like His own. Then shall He begin His reign on earth, and we shall reign with Him till He hath subdued all things unto Himself.

LESSON V.—Peter delivered from prison. Acts xii, 1-11. Golden Text, Ps. xxiv, 7. "The angel of Jehovah encampeth round about them that fear Him and delivereth them." The devil hates God and Christ and His people and His truth, and seems to think that he can succeed in opposing God, but our Lord has assured us that all the wisdom of hell cannot prevail against Him or His people (Matt. xvi, 18).

LESSON VI.—The missionary work of Antioch. Acts xxi, 19-28; xiii, 1-3. Golden Text, Matt. xxviii, 19. "Go ye therefore and make disciples of all the nations." The disciples who obey the command to go ECIAL RATES—

the Lord allowed passage for the believers, and all ANTIC CITY, N. J. lies went forth with the Jersey Coast Route even as far as Antioch. And Return Holy Spirit called Paul and Chester, S. C. \$16.00. Acts xiii, 13-22. "Way" be Routed through. Acts xiii, 47. "I have seen BALTIMORE the light of the gentiles." And Return the glad tidings were carried. And Return lesson to Cyprus and to Chester S. C. \$13.00. We have one of Paul's trail or Norfolk and Chester, S. C. \$11.00. which was always CHRIST SHINGTON, D. C. risen and coming again. And Return kingdom and forgiveness. Chester, S. C. \$11.00.

LESSON VIII.—The origin of Rail through Rick. Acts xiv, 8-20. Golden Text, "folk and Steamer 29. "He giveth power to the RICH or RICHMOND to him that hath no might." And Return "strength." Everywhere Chester, S. C. \$10.00. the gospel of the grace of God he sold for ALL TRains kingdom and massing. E. 22, 1916 ONLY life and death, thus they and SEABOARD place to place (verse 3). July 7th, 1916. The coming to life of P. SEABOARD power to continue were SEABOARD. Full than the healing of their call on Seaboard Agency.

LESSON IX.—The word of tem. Acts xv, 1-35. Golden Text, Gal. ii, 1. "For freedom did G. P. A. Atlanta, Ga. Free." A full salvation to C. S. COMPTON. Christ without any good deed or work. has always been opposed by the devil from the time of Cain, and never more so than now. Witness the study of the Unitarians and others to ascription by the blood of Christ alone, yet Tit. ii, 6, and other texts emphasize "not by works of righteousness."

LESSON X.—The call of the west. Acts xvi, 6-15. Golden Text, Acts xvi, 9. "Come over into Macedonia and help us." Farther and farther the glad tidings are carried, for God would have all to hear, but the messengers are so few. In the case of human weakness is overruled by God to send out four instead of two missionaries, the Holy Spirit controlling, and the gospel is taken to Europe.

LESSON XI.—Sowing and reaping and the Spirit teaching. Gal. vi, 1-10. Golden Text, I Cor. ii, 10. "For the Spirit searcheth all things—yes, the deep things of God." When we become new creatures in Christ by faith alone, then He becomes our privilege to be so given up to the Spirit that He alone may guide and teach and in all things so control that we shall not go down to the death nor will be destroyed.

Claim "Wet" Leader is Working For Pottle.

Atlanta, Ga., June 19.—With the formal statement of Solicitor Hugh Pottle's platform for Governor, it appears that all four candidates for gubernatorial honors have declared in favor of prohibition. Governor Nat E. Harris, whose action in including prohibition in the call for the extraordinary session of the Legislature last fall made possible the enactment of the laws, is being supported, of course, by many of the prohibitionists of the state, and each of his three opponents has made a bid for their support by unequivocally declaring himself the champion of the laws.

In this connection, however, a great deal of comment is going the rounds, both in the press and among political groups, over the activities of Clayton M. Hobson in behalf of Solicitor Joe Pottle of Milledgeville. Hobson for several years has maintained a suite of rooms in an Atlanta hotel where members of the Legislature, during sessions of the general assembly were entertained, and he is generally regarded by legislators a representative of the liquor interests.

Mr. Hobson is a fellow townsman of Solicitor Pottle, was one of the launchers of the Pottle candidacy, and is said to be devoting his political talents to the furtherance of Solicitor Pottle's campaign.

GREENSBORO CITIZEN SENTENCED TO ROADS

Greensboro, June 26.—O. C. Klingman, a prominent citizen of this city, charged with the embezzlement of funds by the J. I. Case Threshing Machine Company, was found guilty and was sentenced to three years on the county roads. Attorneys for Klingman took an appeal.

The conclusion of the Klingman case here was the climax to one of the most interesting cases ever heard in a Guilford County court. Klingman was in charge of the Case Company's business at the time of the alleged embezzlement in July 1912. He fled the country and was captured later in Seattle, Wash., where he had assumed the name of Smith and was doing a thriving real estate business. He was brought back to Greensboro and put under a heavy bond, and since that time the case has been continued for one reason or another.

Washington, June 21.—Production of long staple upland cotton that of 1-1 1/2 inches and upward, in the 1916 crop amounted to 525,000 bales, or 7.4 per cent of the crop, according to a special report of the department of agriculture. There was a general increase in the production in sections devoted to its cultivation. In Mississippi, where it seemed for a time threatened by extinction after arrival of the boll weevil, the increase was material, the wide introduction through the delta, sections of vigorous and early fruiting varieties having revived and given renewed impetus to its production. The principal producing states of long staple were: Mississippi, 229,000 bales; Texas, 200,000; Alabama, 118,000; South Carolina, 81,000; and Oklahoma, 84,000. In price, long staple upland averaged an average margin of 3 cents per pound over short staple. The highest margin of difference was between Mississippi and South Carolina, whose greatest attention is given to production of distinct long staple varieties, for which a premium of 20 cents per pound is more frequently realized.

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THE SPEEDER

The speeder is a mistake of nature which accidentally got classed as a human, and therefore cannot be eradicated with a club. When nature finishes a speeder she gives him a single-barreled brain with one idea in it. The idea is the belief that he is smart to break the speed laws. As soon as a speeder is old enough to escape from his nurse he takes his father's automobile out and fulfills his mission. Speeders vary from ten to seventy years of age, but not very much in intellect. When a speeder is driving thirty-five miles an hour, supplanting life of all description, he is happy. When he is driving fifty miles an hour and burgies are being driven into the ditch to escape him he is driving with deep joy. When he is driving a mile a minute with the muffler cut out and the motorcycle top hopelessly behind, his bosom swells and he would not trade places with a senator. After a speeder has raced up and down a street for a few days he has turned most of the road and has blown it into people's faces and the nearby houses. Whenever a dense cloud of dust is seen there may be found a speeder also making himself as welcome on earth as a chinch bug.

ROBERT A. COOPER THE MAN.

When Robert A. Cooper announced in Columbia that he had been taught all his life from the time he knelt at his mother's knee in humble home until he grew to the estate of splendid manhood, that any man might aspire to be the Governor of a great State without thereby having his motives questioned, he set on a tornado which struck the politician and dissection manipulators' mind ships. "He has a right to run, who says him nay?" Why the Manning politicians and office holders, it is they who are questioning the right of a native born son of the state, a man of his own making, the right to be his services to the people whom he has already served and whom he would serve again. Has he ambition? To be sure he has, but he has that ambition that will sacrifice self for the interests of the state when needs be. We believe that we support and

ward. There he stands, every inch a man. He is worthy of your support. If you love the great common people of the state, and support those who feel that this government is theirs, vote for Cooper. Cooper is the man. He is the People's candidate—Aberrant, Fraud and Banter.

PUTTING THE OTHER FELLOW OUT OF BUSINESS.

There are many people who when they get into business for themselves think that the most essential thing to their success is to put their competitors out of business. They begin with this idea, and they work at it with the keenest and most intense interest and application. They imagine that herein lies their success. They are sure that there is nothing for them to do, but to get rid of the other fellow. They will cut prices, sell on time to any one who asks it, talk about what they are doing and propose doing, and knock the other fellow coming and going. Were one half the thought and time devoted to the business of the other fellow given to their own they would do a thousand times better.

That a pity it is that some people can not see that it matters not what others are doing. That it is not their business to run the other fellow out or to help build up his business. The man for the man to who expects to succeed is to look well after his own affairs, and let the other fellow alone. He will have all that he can do to attend to his own business, and the man who attends to it as he should will find out that many times he has more on hand than he can look after as he should. If it comes in his way as a matter of policy, it will be to his advantage to speak kindly of the other fellow, and it will not hurt his business to be on good terms with him and to keep on good terms.

In an experience of years' observation we have never known an instance where the effort was made to put an old and well established concern out of business by deliberately planning to do it that succeeded. It always failed, and instead of hurting the other fellow, the other fellow who was to be retired and ruined the business prospects of the man who undertook it. This is the only saying that the world knows fairness in competition, and is not slow to receive: The man who is unwilling to deal fairly and squarely with all men especially with his competitors.

THE SOLDIER'S DREAM

I am going way down to Mexico Where they shovel sand instead of snow— Way down yonder on the border line That's where I'm going to rise and shine— I'll shoot a bandit through and

Just like the regular soldiers do, Fill the brains of the boys— When I get down in Mexico, Where they shovel sand instead of snow—

HOLY CITY OF MECCA TAKEN BY REVOLTERS

London, June 22.—Reports have been received here that a serious uprising against the Turks is in progress in Arabia and that the rebels have captured the holy city of Mecca. The London newspapers declare that the rebellion is certain to have important bearing upon the war, especially as regards the participation of Turkey. The Post says: "The uprising is due to recent wholesale executions of Mohammedans and Syrian notables and well-known religious leaders, and also to the spread in Arabia of a feeling that the Turks have abdicated their position as the protector of the Mohammedans and have become the vassals of Germany." The Graphic says: "The revolt is a smashing blow at Turkey and the capture of Mecca is an event which will shake Turkish prestige to its foundations." A Reuter dispatch from Cairo says the rebels, in addition to taking Mecca, have captured Jiddah, the chief port of Arabia, and Taif, 45 miles southeast of Mecca, and have pro-

claimed independence of the Arabs from Ottoman rule. According to this dispatch the grand shah of Mecca, the chief magistrate of the Holy City, proclaimed his independence and was supported by the Arab tribes of the west and central parts of the country. He began operations about June 9 and won signal success. It is said the garrison at Mecca, Jiddah and other points, which contains the tombs of Mohammed, is closely besieged, and all communications to Hejaz are in the hands of the grand shah.

CONFIRMED TESTIMONY

The Kind Chester Readers Cannot Doubt. Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test. The test of time—the hardest test of all. Thousands gratefully testify. To quick relief—to lasting results. Chester readers can no longer doubt the evidence. It's convincing testimony—twice-told and well confirmed. Chester readers should profit by these experiences. Mrs. R. B. McKeown, Mill House No. 10, Chester, says: "I was almost blind. The action of my kidneys was irregular and the kidney secretions were sanguinary. My feet ached and heaved and if I turned around suddenly, I had a grasp hold of something to keep from falling. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from the Chester Drug Co., gave me relief at once." (Statement given March 29, 1911.)

OVER THREE YEARS LATER.

Mrs. McKeown said: "I am a strong friend of Doan's Kidney Pills today as before. They gave me a lasting cure." Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the name that Mrs. McKeown has twice publicly recommended. F. W. Milburn, Co. Prop., Buffalo, N. Y.

ARRESTED FOR LARCENY WITH BIBLE UNDER ARM

Atlanta, June 19.—Palmer Peas, negro preacher who has more than a speaking acquaintance with "Big Boy," has been arrested on a charge of larceny with a Bible under arm. Police estimate, Palmer Peas has spent about 27 years of the gang. He was arrested Saturday night on a charge of larceny. "He was armed with a well-known volume of the Bible."

FREE TRUNK MYSTERY

Do you want a splendid trunk free? No, never saw many pass in Klutz's Big Window during sale until July first. The misspelled word contest closes tomorrow. New goods at less than prices before. The way you should take advantage of this sale—every price reduced. adv.

WAR DECLARED

War in Chester has actually been declared on the prices of all merchandise at Klutz's Big June Sale, and will continue through Saturday, July 1st. Big extra specials in trunks for Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday at Klutz's "On the Hill."

Mr. E. F. Gregory, formerly of Carlisle, now of Chester, was a visitor in Union for several days this week—Union Times.

Mrs. J. H. Funderburt and children have returned to their home in Springfield, S. C. after spending several days with the former brother Mr. W. E. Caskey near Leesville.

MAYE YOU ENROLLED?

Do you want to vote in the primaries this summer? If you do wish to vote it will be necessary for you to place your name on the club roll.

Juries Drawn For July Court.

The following jurors were drawn yesterday morning for the approaching term of court:

J. D. Mobley	H. G. Nunamy
G. B. Heath	S. N. Wages
W. W. Garrison	J. H. Robinson
E. A. Stevenson	D. C. Clark
W. S. Garrison	T. L. Howell
H. V. Auld	W. J. Youngs
J. E. White	J. A. Cornwell
J. T. Howard	A. H. Allen
W. A. Foster	O. J. Roberts
A. L. Brakesfield	S. J. McCrory
R. F. Kee	W. C. Gladden
J. G. Darby	J. W. Lyle
E. W. Gibson	J. A. B. Boyd
W. H. Lucas	L. H. Jordan
W. B. Gregory	W. H. Allen
E. H. Simpson	W. B. Lynn
S. E. Colvin	W. S. Jackson
A. J. Allen, Jr.	J. S. Craps

Court will convene Monday, July 3rd, and Judge Ernest Moore, of Lancaster, will preside. General sessions court only will be tried at this term.

NOTICE.

Children's day, educational and general connections' day will be observed at the Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion church, corner York street and Forest Avenue, Sunday, June 25th. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. by Rt. Rev. R. B. Bruce, A. M., D. D., of Charlotte, N. C. At 4 P. M., is most interesting and delightful children's day program will be rendered. J. S. Stanback, Supt. Following the afternoon sermon nine active women, known as "Queens," will report on flappers. Grand lecture o'clock. Bishop R. B. Bruce, A. M., D. D., will deliver one of his famous lectures that never fails to catch interest and hold an audience. At the close of the address a reception will be given in honor of Bishop Bruce. This will be preceded by a short, spicy welcome exercise. The public is cordially invited to attend these services. Special music by the A. M. E. Zion choir.

Rev. H. S. McMullen, Pastor

FIRST REGIMENT CHAPLAIN

Alben, June 22.—The Rev. R. C. Jeter, rector of St. Thaddeus Episcopal Church, resigned his place yesterday to accompany his regiment to the Mexican border. Mr. Jeter is chaplain of the first regiment and some days ago was notified to report to the mobilizing camp at Stux, near Columbia. A meeting of the vestry was held yesterday and at this meeting his resignation was submitted, to take effect July first. Mr. Jeter has been rector of St. Thaddeus Church for about seven years, and when he submitted his resignation several members of the vestry expressed regret that he should take this action. Besides his own congregation, Mr. Jeter has made a host of friends in this city, who express regret that he will leave the city. Mrs. Jeter and family expect to make their home in Alabama while Mr. Jeter is on the border.

Men's Suits

Snappy Spring Models, the best of materials, hand finished and hand pressed. Made with the most careful attention to details possible. Blue Serges and light and dark mixtures. All sizes for men and young men. We still have all sizes in Men's Oxfords.

Rodman-Brown Company

Are You a "BLUE SERGE" Man?

We can spot him in a minute. He is always neat and trim in appearance. He comes in and asks to see clothes—looks at a few fancy suits and ends by saying: "Oh, well, show me a Blue Serge." And we show him a Blue Serge that IS A BLUE SERGE—

A Michaels-Stern Blue Serge

He may choose a two-button or a three-button—he may want a patch pocket or a flap pocket—a wide or narrow lapel—we give him what he wants—but besides, he gets the smartest, handsomest, best Blue Serge that Good Judgment can select and Good Money can buy—and he pays from \$15 to \$25.

Perhaps You're a Blue Serge Man!

Jos. Wylie & Co.

Vudor Porch Shades

Porch Hammocks, Porch Swings and Porch Rockers are still going at the old prices. Make your purchases now, next week may be too late.

Lowrance Bros.
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Phone No. 292 Residence 136 and 358

It Always Helps

says Mrs. Sylvia 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 using 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 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 woman's trouble. Signs that you need Cardui, the woman's tonic. You should make a mistake in trying Cardui for your trouble. It has been helping wet, ailing women for more than fifty years.

Get a Bottle Today!

"THE BIG STORE"

Special This Week

LADIES' COAT SUITS AND SPORT COATS

We have a few Coat Suits and Sport Coats left which we are going to sell at greatly reduced prices. If you contemplate buying a Coat Suit or Sport Coat, here is your opportunity to save some money. Take advantage of it.

The S. M. Jones Company

LOCAL and PERSONAL

Mr. Pinkston Nail returned Wednesday from a trip to Norfolk.

Miss Lottie Klutz left Thursday morning for Salisbury, N. C., to visit relatives.

Mrs. C. C. McAllister, will be at home Monday afternoon from five to seven in honor of Mrs. A. R. McAllister.

Mrs. E. P. Calhoun and family will leave the first of next week for Florida to spend the summer.

The Fort Mill, Rock Hill and York military companies passed through Chester this morning enroute to Stox, Columbia, where the companies of the State have been requested to mobilize.

Miss Ella Cross is visiting friends at Rock Hill.

WANTED RAGS—Still in the market for rags, auto tires, etc. John Gray.

Mr. Marion Nelson, of Rock Hill, is a Chester visitor Thursday.

Wm. J. White Ware and A. G. Gentry, of Gastonia, spent Wednesday night in Chester.

Mrs. Sam W. Klutz and son, William, returned Wednesday from a few days stay in Anderson. Sam Jr. will spend some time there with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Klutz.

Mr. D. W. Watkins, of Clemson College, was a Chester visitor Wednesday.

Miss Jeannette Roddey went down to Chester yesterday afternoon to attend the Y. P. C. U. Convention and needs there all of this week. Roddey will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. Edgar Alexander, at Rock Hill.

Miss Miriam White has returned to home in York after visiting in Chester.

South Carolina Firemen's Association, which is meeting in Columbia, has decided on Spartanburg as the meeting place for the fourth annual meeting of the Firemen's Association of the State.

South Carolina Bankers' Association, at an annual meeting near Greenville, N. C., yesterday elected J. C. Rogers, of Rock Hill, president and J. C. Rogers, of Chester, secretary and treasurer.

Miss S. Barron, of York, who has been elected to the York county position of candidate for sheriff, of the next year in Sumter, July 1st.

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Miss Bernice Carpenter is visiting relatives in Mooresville, N. C.

Mrs. F. Wolfe and daughter, Miss Mary Wood, returned to their home in Chester Tuesday evening after an extended visit to relatives in North Carolina.

A number of the young people of Chester enjoyed a picnic at Hardin's mill pond last Tuesday evening.

The city street force is now cementing the sidewalk on Church street.

Elsewhere in this issue appears the announcement of Mr. W. A. Cassels as a candidate for Township Supervisor of Blackstock's township. Mr. Cassels is a progressive farmer in that section of the county and no doubt, will make an excellent race for this office.

Mrs. Robert Gage entertained at a delightful forty-two party on last Friday afternoon. Six tables were arranged in the parlor, library, dining room and spacious hall and until a late hour the eyes were entertained with a game of Forty-two was enjoyed. A delicious ice course was served. The out-of-town guests present were Misses Margaret Pritchard of Charlotte, Mrs. White of York, Katy Harrell of Chester and Thornton of Easley. The hostess was assisted in keeping score and serving by Misses Mary Brown and Betty Hemphill.

Plans are underway in York for entertaining the Fifth District Medical society, a branch of the State association, which is to meet here some time in July, the exact date to be announced later. All the physicians in the counties of the Fifth district take a deep interest in these district meetings and it is probable that there will be a large attendance at the York meeting. Some of the most prominent physicians in the State will be among the number here for the day.—York News.

Capt. M. C. Willis, of the unassigned list are Col. W. W. Lewis and Col. J. B. Lindsay.

Speaking of wars, we notice in an old issue of The Lantern about the time of the Spanish American war that Theo. L. Shiver, of Chester, was endeavoring to organize a colored company in Chester to leave for the fighting line. In an issue about a week later we find the following: "One of Shiver's volunteers from the country has written that since consulting his physician he must not take without leave his name as he is convinced that the excitement might be too much for him."

Miss Lottie Groeschel, of Charlotte formerly of this city, under way an operation in that city, at St. Peter's Hospital, Wednesday morning. Her many friends will be pleased to know that she is getting ready to return to her home in Chester.

D. C. Heyward, collector of internal revenue for the district of South Carolina, is calling the attention of all individuals and corporations liable to the Federal income tax that payment must be made on or before June 30. Notices have been sent to practically all of those liable, and should for any reason a corporation or individual be in doubt as to the amount due, the information may be obtained from the collector's office at Columbia.

LOST—Between railroad crossing on Saluda street and R. P. Hardins store a watch bracelet. Reward if returned to 165 Saluda street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Colvin, Thursday June 16th, a son.

Elsewhere in this issue appears an advertisement regarding the program to be carried out the Fourth of July. This no doubt, will be a great occasion for Chester. The details of his entire program appear in the advertisement.

Mr. G. T. Hollis, one of Union counties leading citizens died at his home at Cross Keys last Sunday night.

Charlotte is in the midst of one of the most distressing epidemics of measles the city has known in years. Dr. W. K. Reid, the city physician, states there are about 1,500 cases in the city.

Thirty-three bales of cotton were damaged considerably Wednesday afternoon on the Farmers Warehouse platform by fire. The origin is not known. The fire department quickly responded to the call but several streams from the warehouse hydrants were playing on the blaze when the company arrived. Ten bales of the cotton belonged to Jos. Wylie & Co., and the balance to The S. M. Jones Co., all of which was covered by insurance.

BOARD MAKES FINAL REPORT AS TO TURKEY CREEK.

York, June 22.—The Board of Viewers of Turkey Creek Drainage District made its final report Tuesday to Clerk of Court J. A. Tate. This is a matter in which many people of York county feel quite an interest, since they are anxious to know how successful the venture will prove to be. In the report just filed will be found the number of acres each land owner in the proposed district possesses, shows the width and depth of the ditch to do the draining and estimates that the cost of the undertaking will be about \$65,000. It is estimated that there are approximately 2,000 acres of land in the district to be drained.

Any property owner in the proposed district will have from now until July 18 in which to file with Clerk Tate any objection he may have to issuing of bonds for the purpose of draining the land, and after that time, provided no objections are maintained, a drainage commission, consisting of three men from the district, will be elected by the property owners. This commission will assume active charge of the work and will issue bonds and take the steps necessary to complete the drainage.

The Fiddler's Convention was held at the Opera House last night, and was greatly enjoyed by those present. The receipts went to the Associated Charities. The attendance was rather small.

Prof. M. M. Wilkes advises that he has made a contract with the citizens of Lowryville for the Radcliffe Chautauque. The same program will be given as at Richburg, which was published in a recent issue of this paper.

Mr. Alfred O. Lloyd, who assumes the position as secretary of the Chester Chamber of Commerce July first, was in the city yesterday.

The Chester High School team will cross bats with the Kanawha team on the College street grounds this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

The Y. P. C. U. Conception which is being held in this city comes to a close tonight. The program as published recently is being carried out. There are about 150 delegates in attendance.

DEATH OF MRS. J. TAYLOR MARION.

Mrs. Janie Hardin Marion, relict of the late J. Taylor Marion, died Tuesday evening at her residence on Foster street in this city after a few days illness. A special train carried the body to Richburg Wednesday afternoon where the funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. A. Lumps, assisted by Rev. D. G. Phillips. The interment was made in the Union A. R. F. church cemetery beside the body of her late husband.

Mrs. Marion was born in the Baconville section of this county and was sixty-two years of age. She was a daughter of the late Peter Lawrence and Rebecca Hasdin and was a member of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church, and was a zealous church worker.

After the death of husband a few years ago Mrs. Marion moved to Chester where she has made many friends who mourn her loss. She was a devoted mother and an excellent neighbor. She is survived by only one son, Col. J. H. Marion, of this city.

ENJOYABLE RECEPTION

An enjoyable affair of Wednesday afternoon was the reception given by Mrs. J. P. White complimentary to her new daughter, Mrs. Perry Dare White, a bride of a little while. The guests were met by two little brides, Misses Emma and Theron of Chester and Mary Helen Evans of York, who received the cards in green and pink baskets, and Mesdames Frank Riddle and George Eaves welcomed the ladies. Miss Mamie Johnson invited the guests to the receiving-line which was composed of Mesdames J. P. White, Perry Dare White, A. G. Thornton, of Chester; S. C. W. S. Willis, W. C. Erwin, Misses Miriam White, Rose Lindsay, Mesdames D. L. Shider and W. G. White and W. F. Marshall. Misses Julia Smith, Frances Finley and Julia Witherspoon ushered them to the refreshing punch bowl which was presided over by Misses Mary Fant Herndon and Angie Stevens. Misses Mary and Carrie Cartwright and Nelle Hart invited them to the dining room, where at a beautifully appointed table Mesdames W. B. Moore and George Hargrett, cream which, with white cake and green and white mints were served by Misses Margaret Finley, Esther Ashe, Mary Stokes and Sarah-Grist. The rooms presided, a fairly land appearance. The parlor was lovely with great masses of pink roses and sweet peas, the shaded lights casting a soft glow over the lovely ladies in their "pretty" frocks. The sitting room where potted plants were admired, was beautiful and the dining room a creation of art. The table with its center piece of chuney lace and shower bouquet of stately daisies, was admired by all, and with its bevy of pretty girls, all "sweet sixteen" was a never to be forgotten picture. The bride's wedding other ornament save that of her pretty, girlish face but her form was a queenly picture in her gorgeous wedding gown of Duchesse satin, combined with georgette crepe and sea pearls. Over a hundred called during the afternoon, this proving to be the crowning event of the early summer season.—York News.

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SIGN THE CLUB ROLL

THE CALL TO ARMS.

Military companies throughout South Carolina are being called to mobilize at Stox, a small station near Columbia and it is presumed at this time that they will in the course of a short while be ordered to the Mexican border.

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Five Acts of Mystery
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Earl Williams and Anita Stewart
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Wednesday
PEARL WHITE
Sixteenth Chapter
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Thursday
“Who's Guilty”
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Helen Gibson
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Presenting The Vampire
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Money Can't Buy A Bigger Or Better Program Than The Above. It's Up To You.

HUSBAND IN DESPAIR

SICK ALL HER LIFE

Wife Had Ceased Eating And Suffered Constantly.

Mrs. J. R. Johnson, the well known engineer on the Seaboard Air-Line Railroad, after having received medical advice in Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee at different intervals since she was fifteen years of age to the effect that she was suffering from ulcerated stomach and gall stones, gave a vivid illustration of what Tania is daily accomplishing for like sufferers.

She had stomach trouble all her life, was prone to fits of vomiting and was absolutely lacking in appetite. After taking only two doses of Tania, she declares she ate the first food that she had eaten in sixteen weeks.

“I suffered from stomach trouble all my life,” states Mrs. Johnson. “When I was two years old I was given up by physicians to die, and again when I was fifteen years old, I had had, according to eminent medical advice in Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee, gall stones and ulcerated stomach, and they finally said an obstruction in my stomach. On consulting medical advice in Charleston, I was informed that it was impossible to state just what the trouble was.

“My most distressing symptom was vomiting. For sixteen weeks before I took Tania I had been unable to retain anything on my stomach, not even medicine or raw eggs. I was told that I would have died for lack of nourishment if I had not been stout. I weighed 227 pounds before I took sick, and I have really lived on superfluous flesh for nourishment. My husband had given up all hope. One evening recently I remarked how badly and excitedly I looked. Mr. Johnson burst out crying and said, “Lucy, don't say that. Just think.” One month ago I thought you would die. I had given up all hope, and here you are nearly well.”

“It is true. I have taken a little over three bottles of Tania. After taking only two doses—now, don't laugh; it is a fact—after I had taken two doses I ate the first food I had eaten in sixteen weeks. I consider

that wonderful indeed. I am now eating nearly everything I want. I have not vomited since I took my second dose of Tania and I am feeling much stronger.

“I certainly do recommend Tania for what it has done for me. I had nearly given up hope and Tania has done what I didn't think any medicine or physician could do. It is simply wonderful. I cannot say enough good things about it.”

Marguerite Snow with Metro Feature Debut Monday!

In this photodramatic sensation, Marguerite Snow, whose beauty, rare personal magnetism and consummate art have made her loved by hosts of photoplayers, achieves a triumph worthy of the best efforts in the past.

In “The Half Million Bride,” Miss Snow proves an excellent foil for Mr. Revelle, and both will win added laurels by their masterful characterizations of their respective parts.

The story of “The Half Million Bride” is based “The Red Mouse,” the sensational novel and successful stage play, by William Hamilton Osborne, and deals with the mystery surrounding the murder of Col. Hargrave, a well-known sportsman, at Cradellough's a notorious gambling house.

How J. Lawrence Challenger, a patron of the resort is charged with the crime, upon evidence furnished by the manager of the machinations of Thorpe, the real owner of the resort, whom Murgatroyd, the district attorney, has sworn to “get,” of the enormous bribe which Murgatroyd, the accused's friend, saves her husband, and how, in spite of all, Challenger is convicted, only to be saved by what he believes is a forged confession, all form a story unique in its dramatic surprises and apparently original in its climax.

How Challenger proves to himself, as well as to the world, that he is not the master of Col. Hargrave and how Murgatroyd, the District Attorney, demonstrates, that for all his seeming candor and unscrupulousness he is not a man of spotless honor, must be left for the screen to tell.

Presented at 5 & 10c prices.

FREE—Read Klutz Big ad about the free presents, many things added absolutely free during June 18-day Sale beginning next Thursday.

PREPARED FOR DUTY
Camden Company Has Seventy Men Enlisted.

Camden, June 20.—Twenty-eight hours after mobilization orders were received by the Kershaw Guards the required number had been enlisted and at present 70 men have come in. A number of other applicants could not pass medical examination.

The company is now stationed at the armory ready for the call to depart. Old members of the company are arriving from all sections of the State so that they might reenlist from their home town. One member arrives from New York tomorrow morning. The men have been going through drills all day and bayonet exercises will be taken up tomorrow.

A reception and dance were given the men at their armory by the Civic league tonight.

William M. Shannon, formerly captain of the Kershaw Guards, addressed the gathering.

FUNSTON ASKS FOR MANY GUARDSMEN
Wants Them to Patrol Border From Brownsville to Pacific.

San Antonio, June 20.—General Funston today requested the War Department to send to him, as soon as possible, a large part of the National Guardmen to be stationed along the Mexican boundary from Brownsville to the Pacific ocean.

General Funston did not make public the exact number requested, but said he had asked for enough to provide “adequate protection” of the border. He also specified the names of the stations at which the guardsmen would be sent, although admitting that a considerable force would be mobilized at San Antonio as a reserve.

Gen. Funston explained that in making this request he acted only on the presumption that he was securing an army for defense and that the stations selected had been chosen with that idea in mind; that it was necessary to expedite the movement of troops to the border with the prospect of being with the remainder of the guard.

There would be other detachments from all branches of the service. He assumed that the force to be sent would be drawn from Texas, Utah, Illinois and Michigan.

So far as possible the State troops will enter the border service with unbroken units. Regiments will be kept intact and if possible even the division organization will be maintained.

It became known today that the quartermaster department here has been instructed to advertise for 26,500 cavalry horses, 15,100 artillery horses, 5,000 wheel mules, 3,100 lead mules and 3,000 pack mules.

Southern's Oldest Employe.
Mr. Edward King, of Spencer, who enjoys the distinction of being the oldest employe in the service of the Southern Railway Company. He is now 78 years old and has been in the service of the Southern and its predecessors for more than 60 years.

It was in the summer of 1856, when about 17 years of age, Mr. King entered the service of the North Carolina Railroad Company at an apprentice. He remained in the service of the old company until September 12, 1871, when the property was leased to the Richmond & Danville Railroad Co., an order being issued on that date by W. A. Smith, then president of the North Carolina Railroad Co. Mr. King continued his services with the Richmond & Danville Railroad until it went into the hands of receivers 20 years later. He then found himself in the service of the Southern Railway Co., successor to the old R. & D. He has been continuously in the service of the latter company for slightly more than 25 years, rounding out 60 years of service for one company.

Rock Hill, S. C., June 17.—During a terrific rain and lightning storm the lightning struck the top of one of the chimneys of the home of D. H. McDonald head of the Rock Hill Ice & Fuel Co. of this city, tearing part of it away and doing other damage to the house. Mr. McDonald and family were in the dining room on the opposite side of the house eating dinner, but were not affected by the shock.

Valuable Health Hints For Our Readers

CATARH
Just because you have and spit and your nose is wet, cold, red, sore and you can't cure catarrh by sneezing your nose. Take S. S. S. regularly and you will drive catarrhal poisons out of your blood. The membranes will soon recover and no longer collect and thicken into catarrh. S. S. S. stimulates the cells of the tissues to select from the being their own essential nutriment. Rapid recovery from catarrhal inflammation in the stomach, kidney, bladder and all membranes is the **WALARIA**.

Throughout the country, wherever malaria abounds, are happy, joyful people to whom S. S. S. has given won-derful help in the treatment of malaria after the most sickening torture imaginable.

The stout complexion of malaria's malarial dysentery that seems to defy all other treatment, the malarial fever, the persistent anemia where the blood turns to water and the conditions that S. S. S. so effectively assists in overcoming, by helping to restore the blood to its natural vigor.

STUBBORN SORES
Sometimes a sore spot becomes indolent and are unable to provide sufficient nutriment to stop the drain. It is then chronic. Just saturate your system with S. S. S. This is quickly assimilated the same as milk or other natural food.

Nature acts with marvelous rapidity when the proper assistance and help is sent her by the use of S. S. S. S. S. S. stimulates cellular activity and sets aside poisons surrounding an ulcer. It cleanses the blood, the matter that makes new tissue. Thus the sore spot rapidly heals in a natural way.

Local applications for any skin ailments, but have no medical value. Some, letter, acne and all such of five diseases should be treated with S. S. S.

So many different things contribute to poison the blood and the effect so startling that the sufferer becomes panic-stricken and is led to use harmful drugs. If you have any blood trouble, get a bottle of S. S. S. and according to directions.

Don't take anything else. Cleanse your blood is had enough without your liver, joints, fresh and with mineral. S. S. S. so stimulates the cells of the tissues that they reject poisonous influences and select those matters in the blood that are healthy tissue. This is why its action toward recovery is so noticeable and at times remarkable.

S. S. S. is welcome to the weak stomach and is assimilated just as readily as the most nutritious food. It has helped to cure a host of suffering RHEUMATISM.

In any form of rheumatism give S. S. S. a good effectual cleansing of the system.

Use this remedy for three days to take a hot salt water bath to open the pores. This relieves the lungs and assists S. S. S. to reach the cells as the principal avenue of elimination.

S. S. S. calms and all other the purgatives, as they absorb the matter from the walls and membranes of the intestines. Their purgative action, produce chronic constipation, and assists S. S. S. to reach the cells as the principal avenue of elimination.

Take a substitute for drug store. S. S. S. is purely vegetable and for those who are unable to take any other medicine, take S. S. S. 271 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. Make new tissue. Thus the sore spot rapidly heals in a natural way.

Local applications for any skin ailments.

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Announcements

FOR SHERIFF.

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

D. E. COUVIN.

SHERIFF.

We hereby announce W. Dupre Anderson a candidate for Sheriff of Chester county, subject to the result of the Democratic primary.

FRIENDS.

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 result of the Democratic primary.

J. E. CORNWELL.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Court for Chester county, subject to the result 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.

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 result of the Democratic primary.

J. C. STOLL.

FOR SUPERVISOR.

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

DAVIS G. ANDERSON.

SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION.

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.

FOR HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The friends of W. T. Lucas, knowing his into be a conservative and fair-minded man do hereby nominate him as a candidate for the House of Representatives, subject to the result of the Democratic primary.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The friends of Elliott H. Hall hereby nominate him for the House of Representatives, subject to the result of the Democratic primary.

FOR TOWNSHIP SUPERVISOR.

The friends of W. P. Estes wish to announce him as a candidate for Supervisor of Baton Rouge Township, subject to the result of the Democratic primary.

FOR HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives from Chester county, subject to the result of the Democratic primary.

JOHN M. HEMPHILL.

J. A. BARSON.

Under the name of Barson, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives from Chester county, subject to the result of the Democratic primary.

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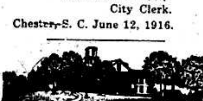
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HARRISON RANDOLPH, Pres.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Assessment Roll for cement pavement work on Saluda street between (former) Pryor Hospital and property of Caleb Beam showing assessments upon owners of abutting property, is now on file in this office and open for inspection. Any objections to said assessments and roll must be filed in my office in one week from publication of this notice.

JAS. HAMILTON,
City Clerk.
Chester—S. C. June 12, 1916.



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DREAMLAND FEATURE FRIDAY

King Baggot in "The Man from Nowhere" and a notable cast. King has pleased millions of fans and this red-blooded story that will tickle every King Baggot fan that sees it.

He is convicted on circumstantial evidence of the murder of his own sister. He prevents the escape of a lot of convicts and is thanked by the governor. The latter's daughter sends King a homing pigeon for company. The governor's son is being fleeced at cards by a bogus count, who is the real murderer, and learning of King's cleverness with the pastebards, he secures the warden's permission to take King to the club to catch the count at his dirty work. King does so, and also recognizes the count as his sister's murderer. A duel is fought and the climax is sensational. A thoroughly strong and virile play, wonderfully well directed and with fine photoplay.

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TOWNSHIP SUPERVISOR.

The friends of John E. Trussell, appreciating his past services and realizing his peculiar fitness, hereby nominate him for Road Supervisor of Blackstock township, subject to the result of the approaching primary.

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General Grant came to the powers conferred upon him with the energy and directness of a soldier, as congress had expected.

On the 12th of October, 1871, singling out nine counties of South Carolina in which such acts as congress had aimed it, he called upon the members of all illegal associations within them to surrender their arms and disguises within five days.

Five days afterwards, his proclamation not having been heeded, he suspended the privilege of the writ of habeas corpus in the counties named, and two hundred arrests, followed promptly enough by prosecution and conviction were immediately made.

It was not until the powers bestowed by the act upon the federal judges to push trials to a quick consummation, and to eliminate all reasonable chance of escaping conviction. And the action of the president in South Carolina was but the beginning of his action throughout the south.

Everywhere the secret orders of the reckless fellows who plied their means of intimidation without scruple or principle or public object had been most active arrests and prosecutions came thick and fast, and within but a little more than a year an end was made of the business.

Mary Fuller: At Dreamland Saturday

Mary—"Our Mary"—as a crowd. But since the plot hinges on her clear remembrance to a wealthy society girl, you will also see Mary as her own self, in a double capacity, as a paragon. You think you know just what is going to happen, but you always get fooled. For I don't know, with some of the finest of an exposure work ever shown on the

SUPPRESSION OF THE KU KLUX

Vigorous Action of President Grant in Early '70's.

Here is the account that President Woodrow Wilson gives in his book, "Our Country," of the suppression of the Ku Klux in South Carolina.

In May, 1870, congress had passed an act which put sufficient elections and the registration of voters in the southern states under the supervision and virtual control of Federal supervisors and marshals, who were empowered to protect all voters in the exercise of their rights of suffrage, and whose complaints were to be heard, not by the courts of the states, but by the circuit courts of the United States. At its next session it still further strengthened the act.

The forty-second congress met on the 4th of March, 1871, in extraordinary session, to continue legislation to the same end. Not only were the acts of registration and voting made to be guarded; every privilege conferred upon the negro as an incident of his new freedom seemed in need of protection; the Republican leaders were determined to do so, and as well as the fifteenth amendment should be buttressed about by penal legislation and the whole force of the government, if necessary, brought to bear to put them into effectual execution.

A committee of seven senators and fourteen representatives was appointed to inquire into the actual condition of the south and to ascertain the facts with regard to the alleged outrages there, and a drastic act was passed (April 9, 1871), which was meant to crush the Ku Klux Klan and all lawless bands acting after its fashion.

Its provisions made such acts, whether of violence or of mere intimidation, as the secret societies of the south had committed in conspiracy against the government of the United States, punishable by heavy fines or imprisonment, or by both fine and imprisonment, and authorized the president, whenever the state authorities were unable or unwilling to prevent or check them, to use the land and naval forces of the federal government for their suppression, as against an insurrection.

It authorized him, also, until the close of the next regular session of congress, to suspend at his pleasure the writ of habeas corpus "during the continuance of such rebellion against the United States," in such portions of the southern country as seemed to him most touched by the disorders of the time or most in need of the control of the secret associations.

The act gave to the federal courts which were empowered to enforce it, the right to exclude from their juries persons suspected of sympathizing with such organizations, and to visitations. It was made a denunciations root and branch the organizations which had set themselves to annul the rights of the negroes.

The act of May, 1870, had made it a criminal offense "to go in disguise upon the highway, or upon the premises of another" by way of conspiracy "to deprive any citizen of his constitutional rights," striking directly at the secret orders and their more lawless imitators.

General Grant came to the powers conferred upon him with the energy and directness of a soldier, as congress had expected.

On the 12th of October, 1871, singling out nine counties of South Carolina in which such acts as congress had aimed it, he called upon the members of all illegal associations within them to surrender their arms and disguises within five days.

Five days afterwards, his proclamation not having been heeded, he suspended the privilege of the writ of habeas corpus in the counties named, and two hundred arrests, followed promptly enough by prosecution and conviction were immediately made.

It was not until the powers bestowed by the act upon the federal judges to push trials to a quick consummation, and to eliminate all reasonable chance of escaping conviction. And the action of the president in South Carolina was but the beginning of his action throughout the south.

Everywhere the secret orders of the reckless fellows who plied their means of intimidation without scruple or principle or public object had been most active arrests and prosecutions came thick and fast, and within but a little more than a year an end was made of the business.

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