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YORK COUNTY NEWS ITEMS

M. E. R. McGill of King's Creek... rheumatic fever. He is improving rapidly and hopes to be able to resume his studies shortly.

R. Blakely Plexico has been elected manager of the Yorkville fire department to succeed J. W. Beckham, resigned. Mr. Plexico will enter upon the duties of his new position next week.

People of Broad River township, whose crops were destroyed by the floods back in the summer, have gathered what little crop they did make and something more...

The majestic shows, a carnival company, playing here this week under the auspices of the Yorkville fire night, has been visited each night by large crowds...

The speaker said that formerly Germany had attached less importance than France and England to the idea of arbitration...

DR. WELLS WILL LEAVE ROCK HILL. Rock Hill, Nov. 10.—Friends and neighbors throughout this section and State will be interested to learn that Dr. P. B. Wells, for two years pastor of St. John's E. Church and for the past year incumbent of the Rock Hill District, is in receipt of a telegram stating that he has been transferred by the American Conference on the subject of the Highlands Church at Birmingham, Ala.

WARRIORS TO COST A MILLION. Both the War and Navy Departments have been notified by the War Department that the construction of four 36-knot destroyers were awarded today to the Bath Iron Works of Bath, Maine, each vessel to cost \$1,150,000 for hull and machinery.

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GERMANY READY TO JOIN IN LEAGUE FOR PEACE.

Amsterdam, Nov. 10.—Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, expressed his opinion that Germany was certain of final victory in his speech before the Reichstag committee yesterday, according to reports of the session published here. The chancellor is quoted as saying:

"England and France, in 1915, guaranteed the Russian territorial rights. Germany has done so. The Dardanelles with its hinterland while Asia Minor was to be divided among the members of the entente. The annexation intentions of our enemies also include Alsace-Lorraine, which the League of Peace is to guarantee them."

"Such a policy, of course, cannot form a basis for an effective peace union. Germany is ready at all times to join a union of the peoples and nations to be based on the basis of such a union to restrain a disturber of the peace. Not in the shadow of Prussian militarism did the world live before the war, but in the shadow of a policy of isolation which was to keep Germany down."

Again this policy, whether it appears diplomatically as an encirclement or militarily as a war of attrition or economically as a world boycott, we, from the beginning, were on the defensive. The German people will not consent to a world war for the safety of its national existence for its free development.

The speech of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg before the Reichstag main committee... During this discussion, a member of the Socialist party said that in all countries the idea that 'there should be an end to war as existing ground. The chancellor was correct in stating that the cry for international treaties to prevent recurrent wars would be more to strengthen eventually, it must lead to results.

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STUDENTS INQUIRE INTO ACCUSATION.

University Men Accused by Charge That Some of Them Destroyed Benches.

Columbia, Nov. 11.—A meeting of the student body of the University of South Carolina was called yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock to take action with respect to the destruction Thursday night of eight concrete benches in the State house grounds, which was alleged to have been done by university students. A motion was passed that a committee be appointed by the president of the student body to investigate the affair in an effort to determine whether these depredations were committed by university students, and should it be found that university students are guilty of the destruction of the benches, that the guilty party or parties be required by the student body to repair the damage.

GIVE AWAY PAPER'S AGE.

Hands Are Traced in This Way and Must Therefore Be Given the Greater Care.

The hands, being more than any other parts of the body, age first. This is the reason a woman who does manual labor has older hands than a woman of equal height and the same age appear in the hands. The hands are the greatest tell-tales of age. Take good care of them. Your age is 'in' your hands.

AIM TO HAVE MODEL TOWN.

Hopewell, Va., is the youngest industrial city in the United States. A year ago its site was a peaceful Virginia farm a few miles from Petersburg. Today industry waded its magic wand and planted the seeds of progress in the soil.

KEEPING UP RURAL SCHOOLS.

Important Matter That is Not Being Emphasized the Adequate Educational Authorities.

TEUTONS PRESS SIXTEEN MILES INTO RUMANIA.

With Aid of Russian Von Mackensen Held Back, but the Army of Von Falkenhayn Goes Steadily Toward Bessarabia.

London, Nov. 9.—While the Russian army in the Dobruja has forced back advanced detachments of Field Marshal von Mackensen's army, recapturing the town of Hirsova, which had been set afire by the invaders, General Falkenhayn's Austro-German forces, striking at Rumania from the north, have pressed 16 miles into Rumanian territory. They have captured the strategic town of Rastol, southeast of Rotherburgh pass, seizing also the surrounding heights. It is in this sector that von Falkenhayn is making his greatest efforts to cut the railway to Bucharest.

In their success the Teutons captured 110 prisoners, two cannons, 1000 rifles and 100 machine-guns. At Meankatz at numerous points on the northern and northeastern frontiers were repulsed, according to the German press statements, Hirsova, recaptured, by the Russo-Germans, is 45 miles north of the Constanta-Cernavoda line. Cavalry detachments of the German army expected that an extensive battle will develop in his region within a few days when the main forces again come into contact.

MUCH INTEREST IN FRANCE.

American Election Given Place of Honor in Paper.

Paris, Nov. 9.—The American election is being followed with the deepest interest, the news having the place of honor in the morning papers. The commentators, mindful of the dramatic surprise of yesterday, when the supposedly certain Hughes victory had been overturned, are reluctant to commit themselves.

A MUGGS COFFIN CARRIED IN PARADE.

Borne by Pallbearers Labeled With Names of Defeated Republicans.

Fayetteville, N. C., Nov. 10.—Fayetteville is celebrating the re-election of Woodrow Wilson tonight with the biggest and most joyous demonstration in the city's history.

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WELFARE OF NATION NOW UPPERMOST, SAYS WILSON.

Thought of Partisan Feeling to Be Left Aside, Declares President in First Public Utterance Since the Election.

Williamston, Mass., Nov. 10.—"Such a campaign is over now. We will address ourselves to the welfare of the Nation without thought of partisan feeling," declared President Wilson in his first public speech since the election.

"I came here to forget the field of politics and for a brief rest. I came simply to visit my daughter and to see the people who are so dear to me. Now that the campaign is over we may all address our selves to the welfare of the Nation without thought of partisan feeling."

When the President arrived here this afternoon he found a stack of telegrams three feet high congratulating him on his re-election.

The family party stood about the baptismal font today, recited the service. Afterwards the President paid a call on President Garfield.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The organization's pledge to raise \$10,000 for the Jefferson Davis monument followed an appeal and outline of the project by Gen. Bennett Young of Louisville, Ky., chief commander of the United Confederate Veterans. The monument, Gen. Young said, would cost \$100,000 and would be a \$30 foot shaft of granite.

INCREASE IN WAGES AND IMPROVEMENTS.

Anderson Cotton Mills Pay Employees More Than \$200,000 Extra.

Anderson, Nov. 9.—Three cotton mills under the same management today announced an increase of 10 per cent in the wages of their employees under a plan that will employ under \$3 a day.

TO REMOVE MINE TOLL.

United States Making an earnest effort to reduce the loss of life that results from accidents in the mines of the United States and at the same time to develop the mining industry of long extent and restricting it has already attained. To his end the department of the interior has begun carrying out the provisions of an act of congress which provides for the establishment of ten mining experiment stations and seven mine safety stations in addition to those already established.

Secretary of the Interior Lane has announced the location of two of the mining experiment stations and each of the mine safety stations. The first of the experiment stations is at Tucson, Ariz., and the third, not yet definitely announced, in the Pacific Northwest. The new stations and stations and 10,500 for the three safety stations.

The purpose of all the stations according to the law is to make investigations with a view toward improving condition in the mining, quarrying, metallurgical and other mineral industries, safeguarding life and property, and preventing unnecessary waste of resources, and otherwise contributing to the advancement of these industries.

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DAUGHTERS KEEP THEIR PRESIDENT.

Miss. Arthur Walcott of Ardmore, Okla., Chosen to Be Corresponding Secretary.

Dallas, Nov. 8.—The United Daughters of the Confederacy, in a meeting today, selected Mrs. J. Odenheimer of Washington president-general and all other major officers and gave their pledge to raise \$10,000 toward a monument to the Jefferson Davis birthplace at Fairfield, Ky.

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FRESH INTEREST IN GINNING AT CLOSE OF PERIOD.

Spanish Traders Expect Glaring Report from U. S. Census Bureau to Definitely Settle Total Cotton Crop on Very Small Figures.

New Orleans, Nov. 12.—The election unsettled the cotton market last week, precipitating much liquidation of long cotton and restricting business generally in the contract market. Spots were less affected and after the middle of the week were strong in good demand and trading at the highest prices of the season.

This week fresh interest will be taken in ginning because of the ending of the cotton year. The total crop of business on the 12th. Bullish traders confidently expect the ginning report from the Census Bureau to definitely settle the total crop at a very small figure. Private bureau forecasts of the report probably will have considerable influence on the market.

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TUESDAY NOVEMBER 14.

At seven thirty o'clock last Tuesday night several New York newspapers announced the election of Hughes as President of the United States. We all know that this announcement was premature and we thought Hughes had been elected by mistake. They might have made this announcement because they thought Hughes had been elected again and they might not have thought so. When it is seven-thirty o'clock in New York City, it is four-thirty o'clock in California and at that time last Tuesday people were voting in California. The New York papers might have been trying to throw California in the highest column, who knows?

We confess that very few newspaper men know anything about farming, however, you seldom see a paper in the South that does not try for some advice to the farmers and many farmers are very reticent about accepting advice from those who are not actually engaged in tilling the soil.

Our position in the matter is explained thus: Two opposing armies are on opposite sides of a mountain, and an experienced warrior would stand on top of the mountain and inform his comrades as to the position of the enemy? Weigh in it would not. We have reference to an editorial in this issue about the planting of grain, especially wheat.

We notice that a movement has been started to take a straw vote as to the placing of an embargo on wheat.

The question of foodstuffs is of vital concern to the American people at this time owing to the fact that vast quantities of wheat are being exported into the warring nations.

It has been stated that the result of this straw vote, in case it is for an embargo on foodstuffs, will be placed before President Wilson for his consideration. We cannot attach any importance to this movement. We, of the South, would not submit to an embargo on cotton, and we cannot expect the grain growers of the West to submit to an embargo on wheat.

The total decline in grain production in the United States, as compared with 1915, is over one billion bushels. Brokers have already placed contracts for over half the crop of this country with Europe. We certainly cannot expect any grain from Canada, and from government reports, articles in some of the leading journals and opinions of men who are in position to know, we feel safe saying that before the next grain crop is produced this country, in probability, will be swept absolutely bare of wheat, corn and other grains.

This being a normal condition it is essential to the welfare of the South that the farmers plant every acre possible in grain, especially wheat. We do not believe the farmers of this section can raise an economical yield under ordinary conditions, and the present situation is extraordinary and is deserving of serious consideration.

many, at Greenville. If this corn is successful it can be readily grown in this section. It is worth dollars to the farmers of Greenville, and it will mean thousands of dollars to the farmers of the South.

At Dallas, North Carolina, a man has recently constructed a warehouse for the purpose of storing sweet potatoes and now has some of the ten thousand bushels in the warehouse.

At D. O'lock's last night, Mrs. Charles Evans Hughes took her husband in their suite in the Hotel Astor, three her arms around his neck and kissed him. She repeated "you are the president of the United States."

To LOCATE RIVER BRIDGE
Claims aggregating several thousand dollars were ordered paid by the board of county commissioners at their regular monthly meeting in the office of the engineer here.

The question of re-locating the county bridge over Catawba river, which structure was destroyed in the early weeks, came up for consideration at a public hearing in the office of the engineer here.

Citizens of Rock Hill, are anxious to know whether it is located near Carhart's or at the location of the Carhart bridge in order that more direct communication between Rock Hill and Fort Mill, may be secured. There are on the other side many who are desirous that it be located at the latter place. It is expected that there will be a large number of citizens in attendance on the hearing in Fort Mill, Tuesday.

THE SOLID WEST
In days gone by when he spoke of the "Solid South," with a smirk and a sneer, and as if it were a term of opprobrium—solid West is solid now.

The solidarity of today's South does not mean solely a density of thought, an impetuosity of idea, a massive absence of idealism. The South is solid—firm and stable.

Next Meeting of U. D. C. to be held in Chattanooga
Dallas, Texas, Nov. 11—After selecting Chattanooga, Tenn., as the 21st convention city, the United States Federation of the Confederacy at the final session of its twenty-second annual meeting here tonight, adopted resolutions declaring against war, and other text books used in schools and colleges, "which do not portray the history of the south, and inaugurated a campaign for the adoption of the phrase "war between states" as a substitute for "civil war."

where Americanism is at its fullest and purest. We long for Indiana and Illinois and Iowa to see the light of the day, and to join in the South, and Democracy in America. They have the same spirit of democracy, but not with a capital letter, and they have not realized the sinister influence of Wall Street as the directing agency of their political existence.

HOW IT FEELS TO WIN.
From the victorious New York A. H. markets of this kind can be created in any community; this can also be created in Chester. A little co-operation will do the work.

A NATIONAL HOLD-UP.
The middleman stands indicted at the bar of public opinion in the North for unlawful combination and conspiracy to exact exorbitant prices of the great necessities of life.

The World, because the big producing companies have no advanced machinery, while the output of the mines, although temporarily reduced, is not less sufficient for all reasonable demands.

CLAIMS AGGREGATING SEVERAL THOUSAND DOLLARS WERE ORDERED PAID BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AT THEIR REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING IN THE OFFICE OF THE ENGINEER HERE.

PLEA TO HUSBANDS.
The ladies are shooting their husbands. Pretty often this season, it seems, and sometimes I fear that since winter has set in, the husbands are all the nights will be filled with their screams.

ALLEGES ELECTION FRAUD
In Wet and Dry Fights in San Francisco
San Francisco, Nov. 9.—Allegations of election fraud in the wet and dry fights in San Francisco were made today by Frank H. Hickory, publicity manager.

NOTICE
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ARMENIA NEWS

Armenia is now ready for the community fair, which is to be held Wednesday, November 16. Every body is interested in the fair and is anxious to see it a great success. On Tuesday night, Mr. Grable will lecture at there will be a reading by Mrs. W. A. Corliss of Chester. Music will be furnished by the fiddlers of the community and the survivors of the country.

Mr. Zed Roberts is now at home for a trip of a few weeks in Charlotte and other places.

Mr. Waddell Lee of Chester spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lee.

Every one enjoyed the reading given by Mr. C. B. Gosnell of Chester on Nov. 3rd. He was assisted on his program by Messrs. Willie White, and Dedy Phillips.

Miss Inez Hudson spent a few days in Chester last week and attended the marriage of Miss Maude White and Mr. Charlie Varn, on Nov. 7th.

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Death of Mrs. Sallie Kirkpatrick.
Mrs. Sallie Kirkpatrick, relict of the late G. W. Kirkpatrick, died at her home near Baskerville Sunday evening from the effects of a stroke of paralysis the day before.

Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon at Union A. B. P. church cemetery by Rev. W. S. Goodwin, pastor of the Riegham M. E. church. The services were attended by a large concourse of relatives and friends.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick is survived by the following children: Mrs. Lou McCall of Texas; Mrs. John D. Sanders, of Chester; Mrs. Ella S. Stovens, of Bascomville; and Messrs. W. I. John II, and Davis Kirkpatrick of Bascomville.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.
As we went to press last Friday the court was engaged in the second trial of Polly Hardin, charged with the murder of John Johnson. The jury returned a verdict of guilty of murder with recommendation to mercy and sentence was passed this morning, being life imprisonment.

FORGET YOUR ACHEs
Stiff knees, aching limbs, lame back make life a burden. If you suffer from rheumatism, joint, lumbago, neuralgia, get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment, the universal remedy for pain. Easy to apply; it penetrates without rubbing and soothes the tender flesh. Cleanser and more effective than many ointments or ope-tics. For strains or sprains, sore muscles or wrenched ligaments recover from strenuous exercise, Sloan's Liniment gives quick relief. Keep it on hand for emergencies. At your Druggist, 25c.

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RODMAN-BROWN COMPANY

MONDAY

Nov. 20, 1916

Beginning Monday, November 20th, there will be one of the biggest SHIRT SALES that has ever been pulled off in Chester.

MONDAY--All Shirts size 14 will be on display.
TUESDAY--All Shirts size 14 1-2 will be on display.
WEDNESDAY--All Shirts size 15 will be on display.
THURSDAY--All Shirts size 15 1-2 will be on display.
FRIDAY--All Shirts size 16 will be on display.
SATURDAY--All Shirts size 16 1-2 to 20will be on display.

The newest patterns and all colors guaranteed absolutely fast. All shirts will be sold for cash.

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Center and Extension Tables in the latest styles and finishes at prices that will interest you.

Lowrance Bros.

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

FOR YOUR MONEY'S WORTH

GO TO W. R. NAIL'S 5-10-25

and about \$1.00 limit Store.

We want you to come and watch us unload this Mammoth Stock of General Merchandise: Crockeryware, Glassware, Tinware, Woodenware, Notions and Enamel ware. The news about our low prices is spreading like wild fire throughout the length and breadth of Chester County.

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Good for the Ailments of Horses, Mules, Cattle, Etc.
Good for your own Aches, Pains, Rheumatism, Sprains, Cuts, Burns, Etc.
25c. 50c. 91. At all Dealers.

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SHE LIKES IT!

ASK any housewife who has changed the family table drink from harmful coffee to helpful INSTANT POSTUM whether the change has been a success.

The answer may well induce you to make the change yourself.

Less "nerves," better temper, clearer complexion, improved digestion and steadier heart after a trial, demonstrate conclusively that the change from coffee to POSTUM is a wise move for the whole family.



THE BIG STORE

Suits, Coats and Dresses

We have just received another shipment of Suits, Coats and Dresses, and they are beautiful. The Season's latest creations in Wool Velour and Silk Plush Coats. Satin Charmeuse and Serges in the newest styles.

- Suits from \$10.00 to - - \$25.00
- Coats from 5.00 to - - 37.50
- Dresses from 5.00 to - - 25.00

We are showing a beautiful line of Waists in Silks, Voiles and Organ-dies.

- Georgette Crepe Waists \$3.50 to \$5.00
- Crepe De Chine Waists 2.00 to 5.00
- Voile and Organdy Waists 1.00 to 2.25

See our line of Ladies' Bath Robes, Kimonos and House Dresses Children's Coats and Wool Serge Suits. Come and see us before buying. We will save you money.

The S. M. Jones Company

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

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Seed 95c

WANTED—To rent 7 or 8 room dwelling house, desirably located with large lot and out-buildings. Possession Jan. 1st. In answering, state location, price etc. Address "Home e News," 277 1/2 pd.

The 113th session of the Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination will meet at York tomorrow morning. Approximately 200 ministers and elders are expected to be in attendance. Elder A. G. Brice, of Chester, will moderate the meeting, which continues through Sunday. Mr. Brice bears the distinction of being the first layman ever elected moderator.

DON'T FORGET the shirt sale beginning Monday, Nov. 20th. Rodman-Brown Co.

Misses Birdie Sims and Mary Harrison, of Rock Hill, spent Sunday in Chester with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stricker.

The Violet Sunshine Club will meet with Mrs. S. E. McPadden Thursday morning at eleven o'clock.

REDUCED PRICES on ladies' suits at Cloud's.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Glenn spent Sunday in York with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Allison.

RECEIVED today by express 60 pairs of Reid's high-class kid boots; comes in light grey, Havana browns and patent leather with white calf top, at Cloud's.

Mr. C. S. McCrorey, of Rock Hill, spent the week-end in Chester.

Mrs. H. S. Heyman will entertain at Forty-two on Wednesday morning and again on Friday morning.

FARMERS, ATTENTION! For a good strong, soft and comfortable shoe, see what we have before you buy. We can interest you. Rodman-Brown Co.

Mr. M. E. Lewis of Winston-Salem, N. C. is spending a few days in the city.

The First Baptist church, of Rock Hill, is to hold a Home-Coming service on Sunday, November 24th. Rev. W. E. Thayer of Spitzer, formerly pastor of the First Baptist church in this city will preach at the morning service on that date.

BUY THE BEST SHINGLE

the market affords if you want the worth of your money. Cheap grades mean early repairs, and frequent repairs cost heavily in the long run.

COME AND SEE US

when you are ready to buy shingles. We have them bought right and will sell them right.

SATISFACTION IN PRICE AND QUALITY GUARANTEED TO ALL BUYERS.

Chester Machine & Lumber Co.

"THE YARD OF QUALITY"

LOCAL TALENT IN COMEDY

Outlines of Play-Promises To Be Very Successful. Best Local Talent Engaged-Cast of Characters.

Rehearsals for "The Girl Who Dared" to be presented at the Opera House, Friday night, are progressing wonderfully. The cast has labored diligently and untiringly and the fruits of their efforts is being manifested daily at rehearsals. That "The Girl Who Dared" is the best of Chester's best talent is attested by this production will alone assure a big artistic success and it is safe to say that those fortunate enough to witness the attraction will certainly not go away disappointed.

"The Girl Who Dared" is a musical comedy and is full of witty lines and amusing situations. The plot is decidedly clever and entertaining. It deals with the "pranks" of a willful convent girl who to escape an awful fiancee with an imperishable duker runs away with only her maid and comes to America disguised as an actress, registering at a quiet seaside hotel. At the same hotel is a title seeking mother and her beautiful daughter. The duke follows the girl and she in a general mix-up. How the girl finally succeeds in escaping a marriage with the duke and wins the consent of her aunt to marry a young newspaper reporter is left for those who see the play to find out.

The musical numbers are taken from the latest musical comedies in New York and their catchy airs as sung and danced by the choruses cannot fail to please. To a great degree the success of the play depends upon the principals and from the rehearsal it can readily be seen that the leading roles are well placed and will be carried out far better than is the case in the general run of amateur plays.

Cast of Characters.
English Duke—Robert Frazer.
English Duke's Valet—Geo. Walker.
Dick Dicker—The sporter, C. D. Dickerson.
Title Seeking Mother—Miss Lucie Crosby.
Beautiful Daughter—American heiress, Miss Pearl Myers.
Young American—C. B. Gonnell.
Lady Laura Wellington—Miss Annie Gonnell.

Hotel Manager—Andrey Alexander.
Bell Boy—George Anderson.
Street Singer—Miss Betty Hood.
The Girl—Miss Bessie Burkheimer.
French Maid—Miss Florence Burkheimer.
Prima Donna—Miss Bernice Barr.
Special Feature—"The Bible," interspersed by Misses Frances and Harriet Hickins.

Tickets were placed on sale yesterday morning at The Standard Pharmacy. Prices 75, 50 and 35 cents.

WEEKLY CLUB CALENDAR.

- Nov. 13-16, 1916.
- Tuesday.
- 10:30 A. M.—Chester Chapter, U. D. C. Hostess, Mrs. Robert Clowney at home of Mrs. W. F. Andrews.
- Thursday.
- 3:30 P. M.—Jr. Forty-two club: Hostess, Mrs. David Hamilton.
- Friday.
- 3:30 P. M.—Palmetto Book Club: Hostess, Mrs. S. W. Klutz.
- 3:45 P. M.—Emory Club: Hostess, Mrs. E. L. Barton.
- 4 P. M.—Sis Noville Club: Hostess, Miss Belle Simril.

To Dedicate New Gymnasium.
The dedication of the new gymnasium at Winthrop College, will be held on Friday, November 17th. The program in general is invited to attend.

The program is a very attractive one and will be presented with 400 students in full procession of the attractive features. After the procession there will be open-air band music and yellow toy balloons released, which will also be a pretty spectacle.

The exercises will be followed by a reception in the gymnasium.

Cheshire Found Guilty.
Victor B. Cheshire, editor of the Eastern Farmers Tribune was found guilty of sending fifty marsh through the mails by a jury in the Federal Court, at Greenwood, last Friday. Recommendation to mercy was made.

Mrs. J. L. Abell, of Lowville, was forgiven of the jury, was John S. Neely, of Ridgetown, was also a juror on this case.

Ladies, we are showing the latest style in new boots. Call and see these new creations. The S. M. Jones Co.

The Pleasant Grove community fair was held last Friday evening and Saturday and was attended by a large crowd who commended the fair very highly. Senator E. D. Smith, who was scheduled for an address Friday evening was unable to attend, however, a number of other prominent speakers were present. A big dinner and barbecue was served Sat-

INCOME TAXPAYERS IN CHESTER INCREASES

Last year income taxes were paid by thirteen Chester people, amounting to \$257.08. This year the number has increased to eighteen who will pay taxes amounting to \$435.34. The following is a list of those paying:

Mrs. A. M. Aiken, \$16.15; A. G. Brice, \$4.39; R. B. Caldwell, \$5.25; C. G. Edwards, \$27.78; Robert Gagny, \$4.00; A. J. Gaston, \$25.00; E. J. A. D. P. Gilmour, \$21.95; Mrs. A. D. P. Gilmour, \$26.17; J. L. Glenn, \$7.75; David Hamilton, \$9.92; S. M. Jones, \$11.25; Dr. W. M. Love, \$2.60; L. T. Nichols, \$14.96; Dr. S. W. Pryor, \$29.00; Chester Machine & Lumber Co., \$25.62; Mrs. V. T. Walker, \$11.51; John G. White, \$85.20; T. H. White, \$17.00.

HONOR ROLL MITFORD SCHOOL

The following is the Honor Roll for the Mitford Graded school for the month ending Nov. 10, 1916.

- First Grade—J. B. Glass, A. J. Ginn, J. G. Ginn, J. G. Ginn.
- Second Grade—Mary Raines, Ruth Keistler.
- Seventh Grade—Joe Miller Glass, Kate Dixon, Margaret Fowler.

Requirements for the Honor Roll are being present every day, and making an average of 90 per cent on all recitations and tests for the month.

A good many people from the community attended the Sunday School Convention at Waterlee church, Nov. 10. The occasion was enjoyed by all present.

There is to be an oyster supper with other attractions at the home of Mrs. W. T. Raines on Thursday evening, Nov. 15. This is for the benefit of the Bethesda Methodist church.

YORK FIREMEN RESIGN

Seventeen members of the York Volunteer Fire department have tendered their resignation to the town council, the resignation to take effect as soon as James Beckham, the present manager, severs his connection with the department. The action of the firemen is said to have been caused by the council's failure to elect as manager the person recommended by the members of the department. The resignation has not yet been accepted by the council and negotiations are in progress that may terminate in a satisfactory settlement of the matter to all parties concerned.—York News.

STANDING TIMBER DEAL

Clover, Nov. 12.—Messrs Pursey and Falls, well-known sawmill men of Kings Mountain township, this week closed a contract with Miss Maggie Oates, whereby they purchase the timber rights on the Oates place, which lies in the Kings mountain manufacturing section. The sawmill men estimate that there are between 500,000 and 1,000,000 feet of original forest on this place, most of it being pine oak and poplar. Under the contract the purchase are limited to two years' time in which to cut the timber. They have already moved a lumber gang into the large tract, which is considered one of the finest in York county.

Mrs. C. B. Gladden At Home. Mrs. J. Gilmour favored.

On Monday afternoon Mrs. Gladden proved a most gracious hostess to a number of her friends, when she entertained eight tables at Forty-two. The attractive bungalow was gloriously decorated with handsome chrysantheums and a series of lively games was vastly enjoyed. After the dominoes were laid aside Mrs. Gilmour and Mrs. Turnipseed came in for the social half-hour and were honored with seats at the beautiful appointed center table where Mrs. Robt. Abell and Mrs. Jones, of Chevro were also placed. A delicious salad and ice course, followed by coffee and dates, was served by Mesdames Wingfield Young and Madison Ross, assisted by Misses Ellen Hamrick and Dolly Triplett.

A fitting finale to so charming an afternoon was the presentation of a valentine certificate to Mrs. Gilmour by Mrs. W. Wallace, in behalf of the hostess. The gift was to serve as a reminder of Chester's great affection and Mrs. Wallace's little speech of farewell was as winning as appropriate as the true-blue lover's knot of ribbon encircling the package.

Rev. R. E. Turnipseed, pastor of Bethel M. E. church last night for Greenville where he will attend the meeting of the Upper Conference.

Mr. W. F. Marion, special agent, reports cotton ginned in Chester county as follows: Up to November 1st, 1916, 11,777 bales as against 21,208 for the same period last year.

A large congregation enjoyed an excellent sermon at Purty Presbyterian church Sunday night by Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton, of Spartanburg, who is conducting a week's mission at St. Stephen's Episcopal church.

Mr. Thomas Chambers, of the Edgemore section, has accepted a

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TODAY---TUESDAY

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in **"THE WITCHCRAFT"**

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WEDNESDAY

Miss **Billie Burke**
"The Idol of the Screen"

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and **Mary Pickford**

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a beautiful 6 act Paramount play

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"The Girl Who Dared"
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YOUNG AMERICA AND THE REPUBLICANS

For a long time and from its origin the Republican party was the party of the young men of the party. From northern Whiggism, from a divided Democracy that had been subservient to the slaveholding interests, from temporary follies like Know-nothingism, young men turned to the party with the definite policy of preventing the extension of slavery. The Republican party was the party of the future. It broke away from the traditions of compromise. It inspired a generous hope and enthusiasm. Young Wilson, young Democrats came to its councils and shared in its honors. After the war, if it lived too much upon past services and sank gradually into inertia, it too formalism, into corruption, it has largely its hold upon young voters. Whenever a vigorous, progressive Democratic figure appeared, young Republicans flocked to the Democracy as their fathers had flocked to the Republicanism. Reformers like Mr. Tilden and Mr. Cleveland made great things upon Republican strength. The instinct of political understanding thrived. The Young Scrappers of Governor Cornell's time, the Mugwumps of Mr. Cleveland's and Mr. Blaine's represented this spirit in dependence, the zeal of young men for better government, the youthful disgust with time-honored shams.

The Democracy wandered for years in the wilderness with false gods. It largely ceased to recruit young men. Mr. Roosevelt attracted and, if he spoke and acted for himself and his old friends might be the time to attract, young America. But when he has conveyed what he could of the Progressives to the forces of Republican reaction, when the old banker and his bones are again in the Republican party is united only for the leaves and fishes in a reaction against a constructive and progressive program of Democratic achievement under Mr. Wilson's administration what suspicion of what cogency can young men find in Mr. Hughes' appearance as the young voters of America? Again the Democratic party is the force of progress, of clear and definite program, of positive legislation, of humane expediency and purpose. Again it is the party of the future, with an honorable and a fruitful recent past. And again the Republican party is reaction, blind opposition and obstruction, "hungry and thirsty" for office, as the Democratic party for so long was in its evil days. Again the heroic roles of the two parties have been reversed.

The offices and the grand old, high old protective tariff made exactly in the ancient ways—that is about all the excitement and the grand old offices and the petty criticisms, hypotheses and assumptions of the Republican campaign can make out clearly. What is there in it to allure young men? They see the fine, productive record of Mr. Wilson and the Democratic party. They see a leader whose leadership is stimulating and effective. They see the so long neglected Democracy putting memorable acts on the statute book, creating a banking system, creating national self-defense, creating a navy and industrial. They see laws made by Democrats insuring much of the "social justice" which the Progressives cried for. They see business around, the country prosperous and at peace without surrender of American rights, a surrender which they remember that a large part of the Republican party was willing to consent to in Republican action, in Republican policies, so far as these can be discerned, what is there to invite young men? How can they be expected to be eager for the return of the Penneys, Cannons, Manus, Cranes, Rifles?

There is a new Democratic party. The Republican party is the same old party.—N. Y. Times.

COTTONSEED SHOULD BE SAVED SAYS DEPARTMENT

Shore Cotton Crop and High Price Offered by Mill Operators to Reduce Seed Supply Below Normal.

Because of unusual conditions in the South and the markets of the world which are operating to reduce materially the usual cotton seed supply of cotton seed, cotton growers are urged by the U. S. Department of Agriculture to save enough of their best seed to meet all the demands which need next spring. It is recommended, that in estimating the supply which will be needed, allowance be made for possible replanting contingencies. It is also suggested that having exceptionally good seed, it is advantageous to be able to give it to their neighbors.

It is suggested that the surplus in the States, to the Department of Agriculture, in the storage of the cotton crop in most of the Southern States, due to the unusually high price of cotton seed, the surplus be marketed in

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Lesson VIII—Fourth Quarter, For Nov. 19, 1916.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Acts xviii, 1-11. Memory Verses, 20, 31—Golden Text, Rom. i, 16—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.



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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on

Saturday the 2nd day of December, 1916 at 11 o'clock A. M. I will make my Final Report as Guardian of Maggie McDaniel deceased, and will apply to Probate court of this county and State for Discharge and Letters of Administration.

J. K. McDANIEL, Guardian, Chester, S. C. Nov. 4th, 1916.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF CHESTER

By A. W. Wise Esquire, Probate Judge.

Whereas, Stephen McCallly made suit to me to grant him Letters of Administration of the Estate and effects of William McCallly, deceased. These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said William McCallly, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, on Wednesday, November 15, 1916 next after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand, this 20th day of October, A. D. 1916.

A. W. WISE, Judge of Probate.

Published on the 31 day of October, 1916 in the Semi-Weekly News.

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NOTICE OF FINAL RETURN.

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A. L. GASTON, Chester, S. C. November 2, 1916.

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