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Adjuncting County News.

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COUNTY OF CONTEMPT IN CONNECTION RAIL STRIKE

Columbia, Jan. 19.—Brady Lynch, of the Atlantic Coast Line railroad, was found guilty in federal court here today for contempt of court for connection with the strike of railroad shomens' strike. He was charged with violating the order of Judge H. A. M. Smith against violence in the Piedmont shops. One day after the trial, the defendant will probably be sentenced tomorrow.

SOUTH CAROLINA PRISON PROBE STARTS NEXT WEEK

Investigation Will be Thorough and Far Reaching; Testimony Will be Taken. Columbia, Jan. 19.—The legislative investigation of the state penitentiary will start next week. The committee, representing both branches of the legislature, will start its office after-noon and organized tentatively mapped out its course. The committee will visit the penitentiary at Columbia and other places. A thorough probe is planned.

Of Interest To Farmers

"We are glad that cotton is a good price this year. It is worth all it is bringing, and the prospects are that it may go higher. Cotton is the best friend of the Southern farmer... It is a pity that many of our cotton farmers are not better off than they are now. It is our most valuable crop, and it is the only one that we can export to all the world."

Are you getting your Share of Business in Chester?

You can sell shoes, groceries, sealing wax and hair pins in Chester without advertising or having window displays.

But advertising and attractive window displays make it much easier to sell, and your sales are also materially increased.

Advertising and up-to-now window displays will help you to get your share of Chester business.

Corn is carefully harvested from stalks on which fodder has not been pulled, further care should be exercised to prevent loss or deterioration from weevils, rats, mice.

What this country wants now is to practice WISDOM AND economy. Undesirable reports, which likely spell "death" were made on the bill by Senator Mason against popularizing of swimming pools.

Do not waste good time. Do not have a small spot of corn bread sent to your home in an empty tin. Do not have a small tin of applesauce sent to your home in an empty tin.

As the weather grows colder, it is important to have a good supply of fuel for the winter. It is also important to have a good supply of food for the family.

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MUCH WORK FACING THE SOUTH CAROLINA SOLONS

Outlook for Breaking Deadlock on Sixth Judicial Appoints Gloomy. Columbia, Jan. 19.—The House of Representatives adjourned Friday afternoon and the senate Thursday for the week, and when the two bodies reconvene next week they will on Tuesday at noon reconvene in joint session for a vote on the bill to provide for a new associate justice of the sixth district.

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Representative George B. Ellison, of Columbia, has introduced in the house a resolution providing for the erection of a \$400,000 memorial building at the corner of Main Street and Broadway, Columbia, S. C., to be owned by the state.

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NORTHERN MILLS-INTERESTS SEEK SOUTHERN LOCATIONS

Ready to Invest \$10,000,000 in New Planting of Cotton. Marion, Jan. 19.—Northern cotton mill interests are ready to place the south from 500,000 to 1,000,000 spindles, which at a conservative estimate would represent investments of at least \$10,000,000.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 23.

The meaneat father we have heard of gave his little son a brush and comb for a Christmas present.

A small boy can carry almost as many foolish things in his pocket as a woman can carry in her handbag.

They have been having another big debate in the senate, but nobody has been paying much attention to it.

Wearing a newspaper over the chest will keep you cold, says an exchange, provided your subscription is paid in advance.

The days are getting longer, but that is no reason for slacking up in the eight hours work you are supposed to put in.

The trouble with this bootleg booze, says a man who has tried it, is that you have to be drunk before you can drink the stuff.

A kangaroo can jump twenty feet, but you ought to see a man getting out of the way of an automobile at a street crossing.

It has been suggested that Henry Ford does not make big gifts to charity, because there is nothing in the way his fortune was made to keep him awake at night.

If these wives are not checked, the insurance companies may soon regard being a husband as one of the most dangerous occupations.

It seems natural for the people of the Cotton Belt to always look on the bright side of the cotton market. We all are bears—we always believe the cotton market is going higher and that nothing can stop it.

The advance of the past few weeks has been mostly caused by bullishness from England, England and others are trying to bolster the

price skyward in order to encourage the farmer to plant an enormous acreage, and our prediction is that they are going to do it. Year after year some folks contend that the farmer has not got the money to plant a larger crop and that there is also a scarcity of labor. Scarcity of labor, nevertheless the cotton farmers as a whole are in much better financial condition this year than they were last year and last year's crop was ten per cent larger than the year before, now what is to keep them from making an even larger crop this year? It does not lack much labor to plant cotton. Where you need the labor is in cultivating and picking.

If we plant forty million acres this year we might make thirteen million bales and again we might not make but eight million. It depends on the weather and the wet. But if we do plant a large acreage we stand a chance of making thirteen million bales, whereas if we do not plant a large acreage we certainly will not make a large crop. If we plant a large acreage the price is going down and the chances are that it will stay down until next fall's distress cotton is off the market. Then the co-operatives and the well-to-do farmers will step in and get the cream, if there is any.

But what's the use of the newspapers writing—all this stuff about planting cotton. There will be at least forty million acres planted this year as against thirty-six million last year. We will bet you a check of Apple Jack against a paw of Wrigley's chewing gum.

The News is of the opinion that the County Board of Directors form of government is far superior to the old township commissioner plan but the present plan has not yet reached perfection by any means. Instead of the county delegation appointing three commissioners at one time the plan should be changed so that one director would go out of office at a time.

They could be appointed for one, two and three years and so arranging the old members of the Board would hold over, which would certainly be an improvement on making a clean cut change all at one time.

Three new men now take charge of Chester county's affairs and naturally it will take them some time to get on top of the details incident to the management of the county. If two men held over and only one new man was added it would most assuredly facilitate matters due to the fact that there would be two men on the board who were familiar with the workings of the office.

As a matter of fact The News is of the opinion, and has been of the opinion all along, that the county should have a board consisting of five members.

McLeod-TENNANT.
It was the bygone surprise of the season Sunday morning that Chester friends of Miss Maude McLeod and Mr. John Alexander Tennant received announcements of their wedding which read as follows:

Mr. John Alexander Tennant and Miss Maude McLeod announce their marriage on Saturday, August twenty-sixth, nineteen hundred and twenty-two, at Chester, South Carolina. At home after January 20, 1923, 9 North Caldwell Street, Charlotte, N. C.

Mr. Tennant has been for the past eight years connected with The Rodman-Brown Co., of Chester, as head of the ladies dry-goods department, and as buyer for this department he served most acceptably. During her incumbency with this firm she has made a host of friends who will miss her counsel and advice.

Mr. Tennant formerly held a position with Mr. Paul Hand of this City. At present he has a splendid position with a Charlotte firm. These young people will be missed from the life of our town. Good wishes of a multitude of friends and acquaintances follow the young couple.

IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving remembrance of Mrs. M. R. Clark, who passed to the great beyond two years ago.

Time cannot heal our wounded hearts
Or fill the vacant chair.
We miss your dear kind smiling face
We miss you everywhere.

None knows how and the parting O what the farewell cost.
But God and his fair angels
Have gained what we have lost.

Still is the voice and stilled the heart,
That we loved so well and true
O bitter was the trial part
From one so good as you.

These dear ones that we lay away
Are garnered with immortal years
And shall again be ours.

Her Children

ATTENTION, EX-SERVICE MEN.
There will be a meeting of the Chester Post of the American Legion at seven o'clock Friday, the 26th. Place, council chamber in City Hall. All ex-servicemen invited.

W. C. WHITE,
Post Commander,
Chester, S. C., Jan. 22, 1923.

READ THE NEWS
\$2.00 A YEAR

APPOINTED CO-RECEIVER

James H. Glenn, of Chester, Co. Appointed by Judge Pennington as Co-Receiver of Lancaster Mercantile Company—E. J. Roddey, as Receiver of John T. Roddey, as Receiver.

Judge Jas. E. Pennington has appointed James H. Glenn, of Chester, as co-receiver of the Lancaster Mercantile Company, of Lancaster. On December 9th, the matter was heard before Judge Pennington. John T. Roddey, of Rock Hill, receiver of the Lancaster Mercantile Company, asked that he be given more power as receiver in liquidating the affairs of the company, and Chas. D. Jones asked that John T. Roddey be appointed as co-receiver and that another be appointed in his stead; or failing in that, that a co-receiver be appointed to represent the stockholders. Chas. D. Jones also asked that the receiver be required to make full report of his acting and doing to the court, and that three appraisers be appointed to appraise the personal assets of this company and report their findings to the court. After consideration of the matter as heard by him, Judge Pennington states that he finds nothing in the matter to warrant the removal of John T. Roddey as receiver, and such motion is refused. He further states that in view of the fact that Chas. D. Jones is a large stockholder in the Lancaster Mercantile Company and is endeavoring with Leroy Springs and John T. Stevens to note of the Lancaster Mercantile Company if large amounts, and in view of the strained relations between John T. Roddey and Chas. D. Jones, (it being admitted that they are not on speaking terms, and in view of the hostile attitude of the parties manifested at the hearing, I am satisfied that a co-receiver should be appointed to act with the said John T. Roddey in the further management of the Mercantile Company.

Judge Pennington then orders that J. H. Glenn, Esq., of the Chester bar, be, and is hereby appointed co-receiver of the Lancaster Mercantile Company and that he and the said John T. Roddey have all the power to perform all the duties as Receivers under the law.

Attorney Glenn must file a bond of twenty-five thousand dollars.

Judge Pennington also outlined what should be done with the property and also what action should be taken in case of further disagreement.

Two men labor continually in the Pennsylvania Station in New York City to remove wads of chewing gum travelers have tossed on the floor.

A Wish

"I HAVE TAKEN Cardui for run-down, worn-out condition, nervousness and sleeplessness, and I was weak too," says Mrs. Silvie Estes, of Jennings, Okla. "Cardui did me just lots of good—so much that I gave it to my daughter. She complained of a soreness in her sides and back. She took three bottles of Cardui and her condition was much better."

"We have lived here, near Jennings, for 26 years, and now we have our own home in town. I have had to work pretty hard, as this country wasn't built up, and it made it hard on us."

"I WISH I could tell weak women of Cardui—the medicine that helped give me the strength to go on and do my work." This card fulfills her wish.

WANT AD COLUMN

You Will Find a large supply of good grade manila second sheets in our stock. We have the best quality of good sheet for the price, letter blank. Put up in packages of 500 sheets.

For Sale—Six years old black mare, home raised, gentle, fast anywhere. Will sell for \$100. Write more but have no need for the shoe. Address James Wagon, Blackstone, Route 2, S. C.

Ray Asvill Overalls, "Mark II" The Carolina," at J. T. Collins' Department Store, E. C.

For Sale—New four-room house and bath, on White Oak street; west end of High St. Can give immediately. Address James Wagon, Blackstone, Route 2, S. C.

Strayed—Black Sheltie with white spots in face, white spots, tip of left ear clipped off, weighs about 40 or 50 lbs. Notify James Charnel, 148 Wylie Street.

DR. PEACOCK VISITS SISTER AT LAKELAND
Lakeland, Fla., Jan. 21.—Dr. J. W. Peacock, extradition of whom to North Carolina is sought following his escape from the penitentiary of that state, is visiting here and in "all probability," he will be taken to the penitentiary of North Carolina in his own accord.

In the event of his return to North Carolina, where he was committed to the penitentiary of that state after he had killed the Thomasville police chief, he would seek a sanity hearing in order to have his commitment to the insane institution set aside, he said.

His attorneys here have advised him they have found a parole candidate to receive him, and he was released successfully in North Carolina.

Dr. Peacock recently was declared insane in Accra, Florida. He is visiting his sister, Mrs. E. E. Levey, here.

TEACHING CHILDREN TO STUDY NATURE IS EXCELLENT PRACTICE
By Ida S. Miller.

A normal child craves to be out doors; and so much that is capable of understanding anything, is too young to be taught to love a flower. Little by little, as he grows older, we call attention to the wonder of that bird or that star, thus bringing into the precious young life a host of friends which will be familiar as the years go by.

"How few of us appreciate the value of a flower," says the poet. Many of us walk through it like flowers, as if we were in it but not of it. We have eyes and see not, ears and hear not. We did not learn to observe when we were young. Too many of us are apt to think we are not interested in the study of nature if we have a nodding acquaintance with the flowers and birds—but there are other beauties—

Take a little child out on Christmas night and show him the stars, telling him those very stars were in the sky when there was a little child who was born. Watch the wonder in his face when you show him the smallest constellation of stars, around from the Dipper handle and tell him that star was named by Joe two thousand years ago.

To get the greatest joy from a companionship, with Nature—no one need learn to associate the birds and flowers with the stars. The stars of the Red Antares, the southern star of summer, coming with field lilies and dandelions, and red-eyes, are the only birds (in some sections of the States) to sing during the hot months, its song accompanied by the plaintive notes of the woodpecker.

A mother will ask, "How shall I stimulate an interest in Nature?" "How," says Johnnie or Mary—she will know about these things. "I will answer usually in 'Take them walking and observe their attention, and it will not be long before the problem will have settled itself.'"

"If you see a humming-bird, tell them the smallest, know him by name, and tell them the name of the plant that he feeds on." "If you see a blue-bird, tell them the name of the bird, and tell them the name of the plant that he feeds on." "If you see a robin, tell them the name of the bird, and tell them the name of the plant that he feeds on."

The study of Nature in all its phases is so interesting and so inspiring that even if one has not had the opportunity of studying it in its own right, it will be his childhood, there is always the golden promise, that to-day and to-morrow we will be able to see the truth that to arouse and develop appreciation of beauty in the world and that of the human mind.

NEGROES LEAVING TOWN

THIS GERMAN GOVERNMENT
Berlin, Jan. 21.—The German government continues to drift along with the situation in the Ruhr, and inquires at Chancellor Cuno's office, whether the familiar report that "we can only offer passive resistance" is still correct.

If the government is planning any counter-stroke beyond lodging protests with M. Poincare, there is no hint of its nature. Official quarters believe that time is working for Germany and informally express satisfaction with the degree of opposition offered to the French and judgments along the Ruhr front which they claim is receiving strong reinforcement in the moral support and sympathy contributed by a unified German people.

Government officials lay stress on this unification, evidences of which are plainly indicated in the continued loyalty of the German press to the government as well as the support vouchsafed by the chancellery to German organized labor and the union socialists.

The question of financing the Ruhr area is one of the most urgent confronting the government. The French intervention in the operation of the branches of the Reichsbank in the occupied zones.

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The Better Kind

100 AT OUR STABLES!

Just arrived, 100 of the best mules brought to Chester in many a day. The largest shipment which has arrived in this section in a long time. If you want a mule you can certainly find one in this large bunch.

Every one is a good one. We know a good mule when we see it and we have them for Chester county farmers, 4 to 5 years old, weighing 1,000 to 1,200 pounds.

Don't try to farm with a plug when you can buy a good one from us at the prices we have to offer. Come around and look 'em over, we will be glad to show you the finest bunch in this section whether you buy or not.

FRAZER LIVE STOCK COMPANY.
"The Old Reliable"



MULES!

Just Received!

Just received, another car of those good, young, well broke mules. All carefully selected. Some nice pairs. Call and see them, you'll know the kind we sell.

The S. M. Jones Com'py.

Local and Personal

Cotton 28.75

Call and see the new spring foot wear they are showing at The S. M. Jones Co.

Of interest to Chester people is the announcement of the engagement of Miss Jessie Means Thomson, of Columbia, and Gedding, Hardy Crawford, also of Columbia, formerly of Chester. Miss Thomson is one of Columbia's most popular and attractive young women and is a graduate of Brenau College, Gainesville, Ga. She is a daughter of Mrs. Edgar Means Thomson, of Columbia. Mr. Crawford is a native of this section and is now manager of the bond department of the National Loan and Exchange Bank at Columbia. The marriage will take place in March.

Duvetty, all colors, worth \$3.50, reduced to \$2.00, at Wylie's.

A party who was in a hotel lobby in Columbia one night last week was telling The News about a "ham yard dance" given in the lobby by a sixty-year-old member of the legislature. It appears that the old fellow had got on some Columbia "hoops," and to prove that he was still young and agile, he knocked off a few lively steps, which was enjoyed by a number of onlookers.

"Cook By Wire," Phone 50, etc.

The old Board of County Directors will hold their last meeting Saturday after which the newly appointed board will take charge of the county's affairs. The new board held a meeting Saturday night which time Mr. Holmes Hardin was selected as chairman. The other two members are Messrs. B. H. Hill and S. M. McWaters.

Paint—Now is time. See Chester Hardware Co.

The Spartanburg Journal says: "In a heavy game Hestor was defeated by Chester high school yesterday on the Y. M. C. A. floor yesterday afternoon. The visitors were much larger and heavier than the local troops and the game was difficult to play with the game was tough and though the local lads fought a heroic battle against the visitors, they were unable to hold the score-favored Chester 25 to 12."

Wendell will give you a better job of work on your old shoes than G. B. Ball, and I will appreciate your business very much. Just opposite Rodman-Brown Co. Look for the Goat in the window, till 2-5.

Chester high school girls' basketball team last Friday afternoon by a score of 49 to 12.

Buy Ever-Fast fabrics, guaranteed not to fade. Look for Ever-Fast in every store. For sale only by The S. M. Jones Co.

Mr. Sam Barton, of Charlotte, spent his Sunday in Chester.

The Monroe Hardware Company, who rented the room formerly occupied by C. B. Fennell Motor Company from The Chester Motor Company, expect to get ready for business about the first of February. The Monroe firm will do a wholesale business, from their Chester warehouse, Mr. Frank Marshall, of Chester, who has been in Monroe for several weeks, will have charge of the Chester branch. Mr. C. B. Gladden will be the salesman for the local branch.

Ladies' Call and see the New Spring Dress at Wylie's.

Mr. O. M. Billips, who until recently has been living at the Springfield home on the Saluda road, has gone to Lily, Fla., where he has a position with a construction company.

Over 200 Satisfied Electric Range users in Chester. Save 2 hours work a day. "Cook By Wire," etc.

Miss Nancy Brice returned to her home in Chester Saturday, after spending several days in Rock Hill with Miss Mary White Bailey.

Mr. M. H. Washel is just back from market, where he bought a lot of unusually fine mules. See them at our barn. The S. M. Jones Co.

Miss Pryor Hood, R. N., has returned to Chester after spending several days in Lancaster nursing Hon. T. Y. Williams, who has been very ill but is now considerably improved.

Mr. John B. Wise, of Atlanta, Ga., spent the week-end in Chester with relatives.

Shil Kait Craps, \$3.00 value, only \$1.95, at Wylie's.

H. N. Pattilo, of Gastonia, was awarded the contract for the erection of the new high school building in Rock Hill, at a price of approximately \$90,000.

White Lead, oil paint, varnishes and stains at Chester Hardware Co.

The Lancaster Evangelical Club, which was organized a few weeks ago when the Chester Club went to Lancaster, is reported as progressing nicely. The various committees of the Lancaster club have been appointed and are getting down to work. One of the Lancaster teams has charge of the services at the First Presbyterian church, in Lancaster, Sunday evening.

See The New Spring wash fabrics they are showing at The S. M. Jones Co.

Dr. S. L. Allen, of Lancaster, who has a number of friends in Chester, has been taken to a Columbia Hospital for treatment.

New Spring Dresses. Taffetas, Crepes and three piece wool, big shipment arrived this morning, Wylie & Co.

The News in receipt of a letter from Mr. J. H. Spraulding, superintendent of the Economy Home for the Deaf and Blind, at Kings Creek, S. C. Mr. Spraulding advises that fifteen of the children at the home were desirous of receiving Bibles for Christmas and not a single Bible came to the home, this gift evidently being overlooked by the numerous friends of the home. If there are any in Chester who may be disposed to help the motherless children at the Economy Home they may do so by sending a Bible to Mr. Spraulding, Economy Home, Kings Creek, S. C.

Are You Satisfied with your present arrangement of cooking? See us about an Electric Range. S. P. U. Co. Phone 50.

Good Mules Will sell—Another lot just received at our barn. The S. M. Jones Co.

Miss Margaret Brice has been indisposed for several days with influenza.

Duvetty, all colors, worth \$3.50, reduced to \$2.00, at Wylie's.

Rev. Sam T. Creech who recently conducted a revival meeting at the Baldwin Mill in Chester, began a revival in Spartanburg Sunday night. A large platform seating about 250 has been erected for the choir.

No Coal or ashes. We deliver the fuel to your stove. "Cook By Wire," S. P. U. Co.

The Redpath Chautauqua people have advised Mr. James H. Glenn that according to present arrangements they expect to give their annual engagement in Chester on May 10th. They also state that they are working toward making this year the best in the history of the Chautauqua and are arranging a program which will be of the greatest possible interest to the large number of people in the community.

Vulcan Plows, also Oliver turn and middle breakers, Chester Hardware Co.

The following announcement has been received in Chester: "Mr. John Alexander Tennant and Miss Marie McLeod announce their marriage on Saturday, August twenty-sixth, nineteen hundred and twenty-two, at their home in Chester, South Carolina. At home after January 20th, 1923, 9 North Caldwell Street, Charlotte, N. C."

Mr. Tennant left a number of years ago but has been in charge of the dry goods department of the Rodman-Brown Company, of Chester, and has many friends throughout Chester county. Mr. Tennant is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Tennant, of Chester Route 2, and now holds a responsible position in Charlotte. He served with distinction during the World War and was a member of the crew of the ill-fated Lincoln which was torpedoed by a German submarine, forcing the crew to life boats, from which they were picked up after several trying hours on the Atlantic.

Mules! Mules!—More good ones just received at our barn. The S. M. Jones Co.

Mr. Sam Anderson, who holds a responsible position in Philadelphia, Penn., is spending two weeks in Chester with his parents, Sheriff and Mrs. D. G. Ober Anderson.

Arrived Today, shipment of beautiful Spring Dresses, call and see them at Wylie's.

Dr. Ira Deed is spending today in Columbia.

Mr. J. S. Black, of Gastonia, was a Chester visitor Sunday.

Galvanized 3 V roofing, all lengths, Chester Hardware Co.

Miss Marion Boyd, of Winthrop, spent the week-end in Chester with relatives.

Mr. Robert Davidson, of Davidson College, spent the week-end in Chester.

You Can Save 2 hours work each day when you "Cook by Wire," S. P. U. Co.

How Are Your Chickens getting along? We have a large supply of Oyster shell, Egg Mash, Pratt's Regulator, trap nests, mash pats and so on. You can't expect eggs to come unless you treat 'em right. We have the goods. Call on us. Cash Down Grocery Company.

The Palmetto Literary Club will meet on Friday afternoon with Mrs. H. S. James at 5 o'clock.

A Kait Craps, \$3.00 value, only \$1.95, at Wylie's.

Various churches of the city held union services at the First Baptist Church Sunday evening to welcome the new pastor of the Baptist church, Rev. W. G. Moore.

See The New Silestone Hats they are showing at The S. M. Jones Co.

Mr. Paul Hardin is now rebuilding his garage on Wall street, which was destroyed by fire some time ago.

Worry Shortens Life. Cook By Wire and live longer. S. P. U. Co.

Mr. Theo. Darby is this year planting about two thousand peach trees. Dr. James Land, who already has a large orchard is planting more trees. A number of other parties in the county have trees ordered, but in the quantities than Messrs. Darby and Land.

See The New Everfast Fabrics they are showing at The S. M. Jones Co.

Suit for damages in the sum of \$25,000 against the Yorkville Cotton Co. Company was filed in Rock Hill Saturday by Mrs. Lucia Ewart Quinn, of Columbia, as a result of the death there last May of her husband, Robert E. Quinn. From an electric shock while in the employ of the oil mill, Mrs. Quinn was formerly a large landowner in Chester, a transferee's office and last summer was an unsuccessful candidate for the office of treasurer of York County, S. C. She was married to Mr. Brice and Finley and Marion.

Everybody Attend our Social Box Sale \$2c each, Wednesday 3 P. M. Wonderful values. Rodman-Brown Co.

Mr. Sallie Miller Steele died at the home of her brother, Mr. J. H. Miller, in Rock Hill, last Friday morning after having been in ill health for some time. She was the widow of the late Joseph N. Steele, and was seventy-eight years of age having been born in Chester county, S. C. Her father was John Steele at Ebenezer. She is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Mary E. Wylie, of Chester; Mrs. John W. Quinn, of Chester; J. W. Miller, of near Chester; and J. H. Miller, of Rock Hill.

Call And See the new Spring Foot-wear they are showing at The S. M. Jones Co.

The legislature is scheduled to begin balloting again today for a Judge for the Sixth circuit. A number of Chester people have gone to Columbia in the interest of Solicitor J. K. Henry.

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Mr. Bernard Craig, of Rock Hill, on Monday of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Cross of Chester. It is improving after several days serious illness.

For a Real Mule you should visit the Fraser Live Stock Company, 100 West of good ones just in.

Mr. "Pete" Cassella, student of Chester High school, who lives in the Western section of the county, was injured last Saturday night when a Ford car in which he was coming to Chester ran into a ditch and turned over. His injuries, we understand, are mostly cuts caused by the breaking of the windshield.

—Come Around and look over the 100 mules we have just received, 4 to 5 years old, weighing 1,000 to 1,200 pounds and priced at a figure which will interest any one wanting a real good mule. Fraser Live Stock Co. "The Old Reliable."

In a game of basket ball last Saturday night Furman freshmen defeated Chester High by a score of 50 to 10. Coach Laval, of Furman, stated that Chester High has the best high school basketball team he had seen this season.

They Are Showing wonderful new Spring Coat Suits at The S. M. Jones Co.

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Chester High will play Thorwille Orphanage basket-ball team at 8:15 P. M. Chester next Friday night at 8:15 o'clock. Both teams are good ones and the game promises to be an exciting one. The boys are wearing uniforms of good material and it is hoped that a large crowd will be present. The admission will be twenty-five cents.

Greatly Reduced prices on ladies and children's winter coats at The S. M. Jones Co.

Don't Plug a plug when you can buy a real mule at Fraser's at a low price. 100 of the best mules received in Chester recently are now at our barn. Let us show them to you. Fraser Live Stock Co.

BIG FIRE LAST NIGHT.

The largest fire in Chester since that of Hardin's Garage was early this morning when the residence of Attorney W. H. Newbold, another residence belonging to him, and the home of Mr. John W. Gladden, on Hudson street, were completely destroyed.

The alarm was furnished in about one-thirty o'clock this morning and when given the Newbold home was burning and a fire in the kitchen, confining the blaze to the three residences which were on fire when they arrived. A high wind was blowing and for a time it looked as if Chester was going to experience one of the worst conflagrations in recent history if it would blaze up. Considered as it would blaze up. Considered as it would blaze up. Considered as it would blaze up.

One of the residences of Mr. Newbold, known as the Chisholm home was vacant. Nothing was saved from the Newbold home and Mr. Gladden was only able to get out a truck which contained his papers of value. It is stated that the property, which was insured, but the amount is not known. Mr. Newbold was away from home at the time of the fire, having left Chester yesterday afternoon for Columbia.

Before the fire department was through throwing water on the fire, Hudson street fire another alarm was given, having left Chester yesterday afternoon for Columbia.

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H. L. SCHLOSBERG IN THE VALLEY

he might easily have mistaken the seeming resemblance and that he would not feel satisfied until he had called in an expert on handwriting. Police detectives and representatives of the district attorney's office went last night to Camp Kearney in an effort to trace Dr. Jacobs movements of last Saturday evening. The doctor had said he was in the camp that evening and in that statement he was supported in part by Dr. Robert M. of the camp hospital. The investigators on their return said nothing conclusive had been established. A report was circulated early today that the girl's head, when she was found on the beach, had been lying in a pool of blood. This was termed "ridiculous" by Colonel Kelly.

Freedom to negotiate. Congress, which restricted the terms on which the American debt refunding commission might arrange for the payment of foreign debts, expected to undo its action and give the commission freedom to use its own efforts. Otherwise, it is evident the efforts of the American and British committees now conferring in Washington would come to nothing.

There is hardly recognition of a principle that has hobbled up over and over again in the last few years—the freedom of the executive Department to negotiate treaties. No

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JAMES H. RICE TELLS WHAT'S THE MATTER IN S. C.

York, Jan. 17.—"What is the matter with South Carolina?"

That question was recently put by this correspondent to Hon. James Henry Hise, Jr., of Winston, S. C., a naturalist, scholar and publicist, and the greatest booster for the South Carolina coast country. Mr. Rice replied at length and his diagnosis is of general interest now that the South Carolina sevens are in annual assembly. In his letter Mr. Rice goes on to say:

"My fixed belief is that we have too much politics. A practice has grown up in the habit of accepting for gospel what the people down there say. It behooves us to learn that people, long resident in a community, know little of its capabilities beyond what they have made use of. The non-development in evidence is proof in spite of all the devils done by Germany, it furnishes an object-lesson in what a state can do when it is organized, but not merely in war but in peace as well. Holland has long done the same thing, and, to a lesser extent, Great Britain."

"Some of our American states have also acted as organized units, and have vastly enriched themselves thereby. In building the canal through the state from Lake Erie to the Hudson river, New York has performed service for itself and for mankind of the highest order. North Carolina in draining swamps and Florida in draining the Everglades have both done similar things, although on a far smaller scale."

"In his message to the general assembly Governor Harley has expressed this sentiment. It has happened on it for twenty-five years. The prime reason for South Carolina being backward in education and in material development, except in a few special lines, is to be found in that archaic notion of fighting for colonies instead of for the state."

"Put them together and power results, albeit with wisdom. Take them one by one and energy is dissipated and folly enthroned. It ought to be accepted by every thinking man that the composite intelligence of a whole state is greater than that of a community, on the principle that a whole is greater than any fraction thereof. Yet legislation in this state has been based on county units, the so-called 'local self-government.'"

"South Carolina furnishes a prime example of what such vicious practices lead to. Its origin may lie in nothing more than the fact that the average South Carolina intellect can not focus on anything smaller than

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Chester, South Carolina

a horse or larger than a county. Whatever its origin the time has come to throw it overboard.

"It seems that South Carolina people require another century to learn that land on the coast is not in the West Indies and in South America. A friend of mine at Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, writes me that he remembers when out of sixty vessels in that harbor, fifty-eight were of Charleston registry; but that he has not seen a ship from Charleston in thirty years."

"Florida never judged small till they began opening the coast and then the west coast. Georgia and South Carolina both suffer the consequences of an undeveloped coast. It will not always that way. In former days the narrow strip of coast and the sea islands furnished the main production of these states.

In those days ships from South Carolina sailed every sea and were well known at all the world's ports, being especially well known in the West Indies and in South America. A friend of mine at Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, writes me that he remembers when out of sixty vessels in that harbor, fifty-eight were of Charleston registry; but that he has not seen a ship from Charleston in thirty years."

"Has the ocean grown too shallow to float ships?" asks Mr. Rice. "It looks for the return of real and personal property for the year 1924. In accordance with the law, but 20,022, also which the fifty per cent penalty will be attached to delinquents."

Sec. 1, Art. 283, of the General Assembly of South Carolina, provides as follows: "It shall be the duty of all persons to make returns of all personal property and return all new property that has changed hands real and personal property."

For the greater convenience of persons residing in different portions of the county, returns will be taken at the following points on the dates assigned:

Wilmington—Tuesday, January 9, 10:30 A. M. to 12 M.

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J. S. Stone's—Wednesday, January 10, 11 A. M. to 12 M.

A. Ross Durham's Store—Wednesday, January 10th, 2:30 to 3:30 P. M.

J. B. Westbrook's Store, Hazelwood—Thursday, January 11th, 10:30 A. M. to 12 M.

By A. Ragdale Place—Thursday, January 11th, 2 to 3:30 P. M.

Great Falls—Friday, January 12th, 10 to 11:30 A. M. at the Keltier Co. Store, and 1:30 to 6 P. M. at Republic Cotton Mill Store.

Bismarck—Tuesday, January 16, 2 to 6 P. M.

Landsford—Wednesday, January 17th, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

Walker's Store—Wednesday, January 17th, 2 to 4 P. M.

Ferguson's Store—Thursday, January 18th, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

Riechberg—Thursday, January 18th, 2 to 4:30 P. M.

Alphington—Friday, January 19th, 10 to 11:30 A. M.

Lando—Friday, January 19th, 1 to 4 P. M.

Lewryville—Tuesday, January 23rd, 10 M. to 12 M.

J. Foster Carter's Store—Tuesday, January 23rd, 2 to 3:30 P. M.

Blackstock—Wednesday, January 24th, 10 to 11 A. M.

Cornwell—Wednesday, January 24th, 1 to 2:30 P. M.

J. G. Hollis' Store—Thursday, January 25th, 10:30 A. M. to 12 M.

Redman—Thursday, January 25th, 2 to 3:30 P. M.

Leeds—Friday, January 26, 11 A. M. to 2 P. M.

All males between the age of twenty-one and sixty years, except Confederate soldiers over the age of 60 years, are liable to a poll tax of \$1.00, and all persons so liable are especially requested to give the number of their respective school districts in making their returns.

It will be a matter of much accommodation if as many taxpayers as possible will make their returns at the respective appointments mentioned above, so as to avoid the rush at Chester during the closing days.

A. C. FISCHER,
Auditor Chester County,
Chester, S. C., Dec. 22, 1923.

GREAT FALLS HONOR ROLL.

The following is the Honor Roll for the Great Falls Public Schools for the Fourth month of 1923.

High Honor, an average of 95 Honor, an average of 85.

Grade 1, High Honor: Evelyn Morris, Virginia Ferrell, Evelyn Hancock, Ruby Neal, Mattie Clark, Walter Scott, Nora Davis, Lona Rodgers, Ruth Dabbs, Paul Knight, Margaret Huss, Eugene Brown, Mary Neely, Honor: Norma Delrose, Wade Craig, Isabel Craig, Lillie May Vasey, Roy Bigham, Iva Lee Orr, Iola Lewry, Doris Knight, Ed O'Leary, Frank Agnew, Hugh Pearson, Ruth Vasey, Nina Haynes, Leath Phillips, Hilton Coggins, Blanche Higgins, Martha Powers, Mary Ferguson, J. T. Wallace, Violet Brom, Cecil Lee, Viola Davis.

Grade 2, High Honor: Grace Ammons, Willie Stroud, Bob Frost, Hester Schroy Cox, Bill Duncan, Homer Gladden, Fred Schuster, Iris Barber, Myrtle McGraw, Julia May Sides, Iva Thompson, Eva Mae Sharer, Ruth Knight, Helen Hudson, Zella Saragant, Alvin Harrell, Marie Pearson, Mabel Orr, Leonard Gladden, Helen Tennant, Leath Gladden, Gill McFadden, R. L. Broad, William Clarey, Charles Gibson, Ethel Dickey, William Hunter, Ruby Gregory, John Harrell, Harry Bowers.

Grade 3, Honor: Elizabeth Ammons, Jessie Brown, Myrtle Conick, Nell Duncan, Maud Fowler, John Green, Boyd Gregory, George Jacobs, Annie Mae Knight, Wynona Lee, Margaret Johnson, Sarah McBowell, Roy Mellon, Marion Shute, Claude Trebble, Macie Vanador, V. V. West, Vera Bigham, Astrid Bigham, Emilee Dabbs, Willie Drayley, Robert Ferguson, Mike Hayden, Jamie Gregory, Dorothy Hayes, Lawrence Hester, Florence May Fadden, Mary McCormick, Jack Pearson, Lois Padgett, Henry Roddy, Kathleen Turner, Lex Upton, Mand Wallace, Maggie Williams, Ross Young.

Grade 4, High Honor: Harold Coggins, Eddie Wilson, Honor: Cogwell Agnew, Ruby Anderson, Katherine Isenberg, Ruth Kligo, Katherine McHowell, Eliza Neely, Valrie Still, John Tenney, Milton Wallace, Virginia Christopher, Millie Craig, Ruth Davis, Lillie Mae Fuller, Sara Huss, Frances Justus, Edna Marce, Clara Wilson, Myrtle Kariot, Baxter Christie, Bascom Evans, Paul Gaffney, Yates Investor, Roy Steel, Otto Schuster.

Grade 5, High Honor: Boling Landrum, Honor: Sara Agnew, Mae Baller, Mabel Crosby, Prince, Bert Dixon, Mirrie Lee Davis, Maxwell Eshelman, William Ferguson, Irene Gaffney, Virginia Gregory, Vady Macshe, Annie Eshelman, Leroy Mae Orr, Lucile Powers, Christine Margaret Tibbs, Christine Westbrook, Norma Wadsworth.

Grade 6, Honor: Orest Paul Davis, Elbert Bailey, Bertha Pearson, Beanna Funderburk, Geneva Jordan, Evelyn Halsey, Nell Gray, Edith Ford, Thelma Histen, J. B. Neal, A. J. Gross, Myrtle Gray, Conley Investor, Sara King, Elizabeth Lybrand, Cora Morley, Martha Peddergrass, Duncan Price, James Ferguson, Gladys Higgins, Thelma Knight, William Neal, Edna Powers, Clemy Dabbs.

Grade 7, Honor: Ethel Broom, Mimmie Broom, Earl Clark, Paul Coggins, Myrtle Eshelman, Leroy Gaffney, Alie Gladden Orest Gray, Shockeye Hall, Jack Higgins, Mae Howe, Leona Hutchinson, Hal Meehane, Lissie Lee, Daisy Florence Peake, Juanita Pittman, Ebsa Reynolds, Lawrence Sharer, Alma Vanders, Doris Tibbs.

Grade 8, Honor: Edwitt Arntstrong, Rena Brown, Inez Davis, Grace Fowler, William Funderburk, Joe Francis, Mae Hudson, Edgar Jordan, Margaret Jullin, Ruth

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We have about eight Electric Sweepers in stock which must be sold, and we are placing a price below cost in order to move them. Here is an excellent opportunity for those who have been wanting an Electric Sweeper to pick up a bargain. An Electric Sweeper is one of the best investments a housewife can make. Ask any one who uses an Electric Sweeper and they would not part with it.

Look at the prices below. If you want an Electric Sweeper you cannot afford to let this opportunity pass. A demonstration gladly given.

2 Western Electric Sweepers, which formerly sold for \$55.00, are now offered for a limited time at 27.50.

2 Apex Sweepers, formerly sold for \$55.00 now offered at this special sale, for only \$27.00.

4 American Sweepers, formerly sold for \$50.00 now offered at this special sale, for only \$20.00.

We also have a few Boudoir lamps, regularly priced at \$3.00, now being offered for only \$4.75.

Look at our windows and see these wonderful bargains we are offering for a few days to our Chester friends.

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