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Mr. J. C. Stoll, of Blackstock Route 3, was a Chester visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. H. V. Knight has been elected organist for Purty Presbyterian church.

A LARGE STOCK of Paints, Varnishes, and Stains at low factory prices. Jos. A. Walker.

Dr. John G. Glankens, of Waford College, will speak at Bethel E. church Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

WANTED—A number one, salesman must be experienced packing and grocery business. None but experienced one need apply. W. 283.

The Chester Chapter U. D. C. will meet with Miss Edna Corroll next Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. This is to be a very important meeting and all members are urged to be present.

Those Little Dusters are selling fast. Better get yours, they are just the thing. Chester Hardware Co.

We are requested to state that there will be Union services at Purty Presbyterian church next Sunday evening. The speaker for the evening will be Dr. John G. Glankens, of Waford College who will speak in the interest of the Chester organization of the American Bible Society.

The directors of the Carolina & North-Western Railway will hold an important meeting in this city next Tuesday, March 13th, at which time information will be given out that will doubtless be of interest to the citizens of Chester.

Farmers will do well to supply themselves with some of those old gloves that are being sold at a great reduction. Ask the boys at Chester Hardware Co.

Mr. Robt. S. Mebane, of Great Falls, spent Wednesday in Chester.

Mr. W. D. Robinson spent Wednesday in Rock Hill.

New and Complete line of Base-ball Goods just received at Chester Hardware Co.

Miss Carrie Cook has returned to

the city from the Northern markets where she purchased an attractive line of spring millinery.

Messrs. M. H. White and W. B. Cox, Jr., have returned to the city from Washington, where they went to attend the inauguration of President Wilson.

Beginning March 1st we will give free for one month with every cash purchase of five dollars and over one year's subscription to McCall's Magazine and one pattern. The S. M. Jones Co.

Mr. States Finley, of York, who is a junior at Clemson college, has received the appointment to West Point Congressman McKelvie having appointed him.

From the Gastonia Gazette we learn that the Gastonia, Wagon and Auto Company closed a deal a few days ago wherein they purchased the wagon and body business of the Rock Hill Buggy Company, together with the good will of the firm. The stock and material has been shipped to Gastonia.

Five Exercises for the boys and girls to glide through the fresh air on Roller Skates. See Chester Hardware Co.

Wanted Everybody to know that we sell Earle & Wilson's shirts and collars. The S. M. Jones Co. If.

Mr. P. M. Burris, well known citizen of the McConnelville section, is quite sick at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ernest Guy, in the Lowersville community.

NOW IS THE TIME for house-keepers to save money, as my large stock of groceries will be closed out. Everything in fresh goods. Jos. A. Walker.

Beginning March 1st we will give free for one month with every cash purchase of five dollars and over one year's subscription to McCall's Magazine and one pattern. The S. M. Jones Co.

WANTED—Sober and industrious man as foreman for firm. W. Holmes Hatkin. If.

At a second meeting of the creditors of the firm Mills & Young Co. of Fort Mill, bankrupt, held before J. A. Marion, referee, on Rock Hill Wednesday, the proposition for a settlement of the accounts of the firm offered by it, was accepted by the majority of the creditors and the referee authorized opening and con-

tinuing of the business pending a confirmation by the federal court.

It has been the custom of the Yorkville Enquirer to take the paper in instead of ordinary newspaper for many years but being unable to obtain the paper formerly used the last two issues of the Enquirer have appeared on newspaper similar to that used by other newspapers.

Remember our sale will last for thirty days. Real bargains are being offered. Call and see the attractive goods and prices. Chester Dry Goods Co.

Mrs. L. E. Brown was called to Wakhaw, N. C. yesterday owing to the serious illness of her father, Mr. J. L. Rodman, who suffered an attack of acute indigestion. Mr. Rodman is reported much better today.

We are selling goods cheaper than they can be bought at wholesale prices today. Visit our sale, Chester Dry Goods Co.

A despatch yesterday stated that the Southern Railway now expects to be able to operate trains over the rizar bridge between Catawba Junction and Lancaster by Saturday night or Sunday morning. In all sections benches were washed away during the freshet a few days ago. Until the bridge is repaired the Lancaster & Chester Railway, its only operating train between Chester and Fort Lawn, making a round-trip each day.

2500 yards of White Honespun during our sale for only six cents a yard, Chester Dry Goods Co.

Mr. T. D. Atkinson has temporarily moved his barber shop to the lobby of the Kirkpatrick Hotel. Mr. Atkinson is making extensive improvements in his consorial parlors and when completed will be one of the most up-to-date places in this section of the State.

The fire department was called out about noon today to extinguish a blaze at the home of Mr. John Latimer, on Lucy street. The fire had gained considerable headway before the alarm was given and when the company reached the house, the entire roof was ablaze. The residence belonged to Messrs. Gaston & Hamilton. Most of the furnishings were saved but, were considerably damaged by breakage.

Notice appears elsewhere in this issue to the effect that the books of registration will be open on March 31st. The municipal election this year will be held on May first and the step is taken in order that parties desiring to vote in this election may secure registration certificates.

The many friends of Mrs. Elizabeth A. Mobley, will be grieved to learn of her death, which occurred last afternoon at her home about four miles from Chester. Mrs. Mobley was seventy-three years of age and survived by seven children. The funeral services were held at the residence by Dr. H. A. Bagby and the interment was made in Old Purty graveyard. Mrs. Mobley was a life-long member of the Baptist church.

Mrs. Mary Brakefield, wife of Mr. Thomas Brakefield, died at her home in the Armensia section last Tuesday afternoon at the advanced age of 70 years. She deceased was a devoted member of the Baptist church and leaves many relatives and friends who mourn her loss. The interment was made in the Armensia graveyard Wednesday, the Rev. J. M. H. Scarborough officiating. Mrs. Brakefield is survived by her husband and four children.

BIG SHOW IS ON TONIGHT.

The first production of "Alice in Wonderland" at the Opera House tonight will be a revelation to the people of Chester. The show has seen the rehearsal the past few days could hardly believe that local talent could be so well drilled in a few short weeks. The production tonight will outclass any of the rehearsals as Miss Leonard this morning started unpacking several big trunks of costumes and a corps of ladies has been busy pressing the garments making them look like new. The costumes are beautiful and the production tonight will be really one of the most beautiful things ever seen in Chester, either amateur or professional.

Tonight the performance will start at 8:15 o'clock.—Adv.

WILL RUN CHESTER TRAIN TO BOLLWEEL DISTRICT

Mr. A. O. Lloyd, secretary of the Chester Chamber of Commerce and Mr. J. A. Riley, County Demonstration Agent, will endeavor, at an early date, to get out the county farmers to make up a special train to visit the boll-weevil section.

Mr. S. H. McLean, Assistant General Passenger Agent, of the Southern Railway, is already looking into the transportation and will soon announce the rate.

The train, if the crowd can be gotten up, will leave Chester in July or August, and will not only visit the section now infested by the boll-weevil but will also go into the section where the farmers have overcome it.

This is a great educational treat for the farmers of Chester county and with a cheap railroad rate, will be worth the effort.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

The municipal election in Chester will be held this year on May first and already a number of candidates are being spoken of for the race.

Mayor Davidson is offering for reelection and will probably be opposed by Mr. J. M. Wise, who served as Mayor several years ago.

Mr. Wise has been approached by a number of friends who are anxious that he enter the race but he has not yet stated whether or not he will become a candidate.

Mr. John C. Stewart, the present Alderman from Ward 4 states that he will not be in the race again. Mr. Stewart has very ably served this Ward for the past eight years. Just how long he is going to remain in it is yet a matter of speculation.

Mr. D. C. Cross from Ward 2 has not decided what he will do but friends are endeavoring to get him in the race again.

Mr. J. E. Dye, of Ward 4, has not yet decided whether or not he will run again.

Mr. Robert Gay will probably offer for reelection from Ward 1. One of his friends put it, "Bob Gay has got to be in 'em."

Several of the burbers of Chester have been discussing the idea of charging 15 cents for a shave instead of 10 cents. Their supplies have increased very much of late and to the high cost of living is also hitting them as well as the consumers.

However it would be a pretty hard matter for one fellow to increase prices unless the others would follow.

Our Special Sale is a real money saver, and will run for thirty days. Pay us a visit, Chester Dry Goods Co.

The Walker-Gaston Camp U. C. V. is called to meet at 10:30 A. M. Saturday, the 17th inst. at the office of the Officer of Probate.

W. D. KNOX, Adjutant.

ESTES-PHILLIPS.

Cards reading as follows have been received in the city:

Mrs. Esteline Estes announces the marriage of her daughter
Lucy Helen
to
Mr. John Wilson Phillips on Thursday, March the First Nineteen hundred and seventeen Collettsville, N. C.

Death of Mr. W. Banks Robinson.

Mr. W. Banks Robinson died yesterday afternoon at the home of his daughter, Miss Bessie McMillan at Cornwell. He had reached the advanced age of 80 years.

He was a Confederate soldier and served the entire war with the Civil War, being a gallant brave soldier. At the outbreak he volunteered in the First South Carolina Cavalry and Captain Walker.

Mr. Robinson was a Ruling Elder in the Pleasant Grove Presbyterian church and always took a leading part in religious affairs being an upright Christian gentleman.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Robert McMillan, of Cornwell.

The funeral services were held this afternoon at three o'clock and the interment was made in the Pleasant Grove graveyard. The Rev. R. B. Brown officiating.

Mr. John N. Porter, operator at the Beboard station, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Chester Hospital yesterday morning and is reported doing well.

PROBATE JUDGE MAY CHARGE SECTS. PER QT.

Assistant Attorney General Claude N. Sapp, in response to a request for an opinion holds that when the next state liquor law goes into effect, April 26th, probate judges may charge 35 cents for a certificate.

The opinion follows:

"The Section of the act provides as follows: 'Any person desiring to import any alcoholic liquors under this act shall apply to the judge of probate in the county in which he resides and file with him an affidavit that he has not received any like permit during the same calendar month and containing one of the following statements, etc.'

"You will see from the provision of this section that it is not mandatory upon the applicant for a permit to file the affidavit before the judge of probate issuing the permit. The swearing of the affiant is not necessarily a part of the duty of the judge of probate and may be administered by any officer or person qualified under the laws of this State to administer oaths. In the event the applicant for a permit should make the affidavit before the judge of probate issuing the permit, the judge so issuing would have the right to charge the collector a fee of 25 cents for administering the oath, in addition to the fee of 10 cents allowed him under the act for issuing the permit."

Understanding.

There comes a time in our lives when the light of understanding flashes across our paths, and makes us see things which we had not understood before. We realize then that we have been groping in the darkness, or perhaps that we have not thought of things which we had not attempted to understand. Some of us are content to drift on from day to day in a more or less thoughtless manner. It may be that we never have not developed to the point where we take life seriously; we are engrossed probably with the more or less material things of existence which we try to adapt to our individual gain; we linger in the fool's paradise which seems to promise unending joy and prosperity and we deliberately avoid troubling ourselves with anything concerning future obligations. Today is enough for us, we say, and we turn our eyes away from tomorrow. Then suddenly a "tomorrow" comes for which we are not prepared, and in a moment a belated appreciation of life's deeper, truer meaning.

It is only natural that we do not like to look for trouble; hence we live in general like easy living and smooth roads and no man if his personal feelings were consulted would have any way to gain in personal acquaintance with the hard side of life. Yet it is the hard side of life with all its difficulties and all its sorrows, with its joys and pains, its fears eternal scars and with all its burdens that may not be unloaded that kindles the light of understanding in our brains and makes us see things as they are in fact. Youth is not the time for understanding; its responsibilities are as yet too light to make much of an impression. Age is a season that has no imperative need for understanding; it lives upon a rare knowledge that perchance has passed its prime. It is the middle years—spanning the time between these two periods that have so urgent a need for the light of understanding. Those of us who have reached this fighting ground—where either they still linger just beyond its portals or whether they have entered into the thick of the fight—must have at last had some meaning made clear to us, life's responsibilities weigh heavily, life's sacrifices hurt cruelly, but at the same time, life's compensations and life's rewards take on a newer, fuller, richer meaning than ever before.

We begin to understand that life is not always been in the making. Hitherto we have only felt that it is the making of it that counts; but after we get a little older and a little wiser we know that what we have already made counts also. We look back with dismay, perhaps, to the record that we have made, a very poor record in some of our eyes and yet to all of them we have but "one answer"—we did not understand. It seems hard, and at times almost unfair, that we do not seem able to acquire a sense of understanding except through pain and suffering. We might remember, however, that it is through many hardships and stern and bitter discipline that we are enabled to develop into our full mental and moral stature. It is this discipline, uncomplaining as it is, that really makes for our responsibilities and helps us to make our individual progress.

How may we understand certain conditions in life if we have not experienced them? Yet it is, for the most part, those conditions that bring sorrow and distress to us which have not been experienced before we may truly

TO DEFINE RIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT

Would Declare Wilson Has Power to Protect Foreign Commerce Like Domestic.

Washington, March 8.—Senator Lewis, Democratic whip, introduced today a resolution declaring it to be the sense of the senate that the president has the same power to protect commerce with foreign nations as the States. He gave notice that he probably would speak on the subject tomorrow.

The text follows:

"Resolved by the United States senate, that in the exercise of the senate that the president of the United States has by virtue of power of his office, under the constitution and laws of the United States, the right to protect commerce destined from the United States to foreign nations, to the same extent that he has the right to protect interstate commerce between the States and in the navigable waters of the United States.

"Be it resolved; That it is the sense of the senate that this power is not derived nor necessarily related to any of the provisions of the constitution or laws that have to do with defining war, but is derived from the power vested in the president as head civil officer of the United States government to execute those provisions of the constitution and laws which relate to the fostering of commerce between the United States and foreign nations.

"Be it resolved, That to secure proper protection of commerce between the nations the president of the United States has power to protect commerce destined to foreign countries by all the means he has the right to employ for the protection of commerce between the States."

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