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SOLDIER RELIEF NOW IS BREWING

Fight in House Already Is in Immediate Prospect—Cash Bonus Would Raise Living Cost and Cause Labor Shortage, It Claims.

Washington, April 20.—A big row over the bonus proposition is brewing. Republicans are battling on it. Democrats from the south are being told to slow on the plan to give cash bonuses which would put into the hands of thousands of negro workmen in North Carolina from \$400 to \$500 each. That sort of thing congressmen are being told by farmers and business men of the south, would not do. It would mean a shortage of labor and all sorts of troubles.

AN ODD COINCIDENCE OF MANY YEARS AGO

Considered together, two events that occurred simultaneously at widely separated points in this country on Wednesday, July 7, 1893, constitute one of the strangest coincidences ever recorded in American history—the death of Edwin Booth, the great tragedian, brother of John Wilkes Booth, slayer of Abraham Lincoln, and the collapse of the old Ford theater, the building in which John Wilkes Booth shot at Lincoln. Edwin Booth passed away at the Players club in New York at 1:48 o'clock on the morning of the following day at almost the very moment the burial service was being held for his body the old Ford theater in Washington collapsed, killing 22 government employes and wounding 68. Years before his death Edwin Booth is said to have declared that if it were possible he would return to earth after his death and destroy the old Ford theater, around which clustered so many unhappy memories for him. Commenting upon the coincidence, The Times printed on Wednesday, June 14, 1893, the following editorial:



Coming Here Chautauque Week

Swiss Singers and Violinists. Grobner's Swiss Violinists will give a full concert on the last afternoon of the Redpath Chautauque here, and a probable at night. They will appear in their native costumes and will sing the mountain songs of their native Switzerland. A concert by them is always a pleasing entertainment feature.

Chautauque Week in Chester May 3-10

Supreme Court Will Not Insist on Black Coat. Florence Episcopalians to Build House of Worship.

FOR ALDERMAN WARD 1

The friends of Mr. Geo. W. Barnum to announce him as a candidate for re-election to Alderman Ward 1, to submit the names of the persons to whom the power of the approaching municipal election.

REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS AT WAR IN HOUSE OVER QUESTION OF RELIEF LEGISLATION

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NEARLY 100 KILLED IN STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

Jackson, Miss., April 20.—Nearly 100 people killed and property damage estimated at \$1,000,000 was caused by a tornado today which swept the state from Bay Springs, the Tennessee line, hitting points in a path where that usually taken by such storms.

SEVERAL RESIDENTIAL LOTS FOR SALE IN VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE CITY.

Several Residential lots for sale in various sections of the city. See Program & Catalog.

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REPORTS OF PLOT REACH BRITISH INVESTIGATIONS Being Set on Foot

London, April 20.—Constantly reiterated reports that a plot having as its purpose simultaneous uprisings in Egypt, Ireland, India and Canada in June is being fomented in New York have impressed British officials to the extent of setting on foot an investigation.

The officials entered upon their work of investigation today with the idea, it was stated, that if such a plot was on foot, those behind it were irresponsible agitators who would not be entrusted with funds collected in the United States for the "Irish Republic" and who are without organizing ability or other substantial backing.

LAURENS MASONS TO BUILD TEMPLE

Decision Reached to Erect Adequate Structure, Probably Five Stories—Corporation Formed.

Laurens, April 20.—The Masons of Laurens have put off their preliminary plans for the building of a Masonic temple. At a meeting last night of a large body of members of the order, it was decided to build a temple of five stories and to erect a \$125,000 plant on the southwest corner of Cheve and First streets. Though not officially announced, the Lutheran congregation which now has its church on West Palmetto street, is understood to be the prospective purchaser of the Episcopal church. This both churches would be taking a great step forward involving a combined outlay of approximately \$200,000.

NO QUARREL BETWEEN ENGLAND AND IRELAND

New Ambassador to Washington Says Irish Should Be Allowed to Grapple With Their Own Difficulties.

THE PAPER SHORTAGE HITS THE MAGAZINES

A dispatch from New York says: Publishers of several periodicals of national circulation have decided to suspend publication of their magazines for a few days in order to reduce the number of pages in each because of paper shortage due to the railroad strike. It was announced today that the publishers of the "Saturday Evening Post" and "The Nation" have decided to suspend publication temporarily if conditions do not improve, the announcement said.

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DESTRUCTION OF CAPITAL DURING WAR NOW BEING FELT

New York, April 20.—To a greater extent than at any other time since the armistice was signed is the tremendous destruction of capital in the United States being felt. The current decline of Liberty bonds and Victory notes in this country, the rise of the Bank of England's discount rate from 6 to 7 per cent, advances made by the banks of France and Belgium in their discount rates, the downward movement of high-grade investment paper in all markets, these supply ample testimony to the shortage of capital and labor consequent revision of interest rates. It is, in fact, a striking commentary upon the scramble at present going on for working capital to see the Pennsylvania railroad and the New York Central system offering notes and short bonds at a 7 per cent basis, indicating that the money actually costs the borrowers over 10 per cent. These offerings quite naturally altered the position last week of the best classes of securities and it means, only the effect of the unwillingness of subscribers to take up notes on a 4-3/4 per cent basis, that has been increased to 5 per cent and 5-1/4 per cent for three and six months' paper war bonds. The government has not been able to have put off an increase in the rate on temporary loans, nor have long-term government securities sold on so high a basis of return to the public as that now prevailing since civil war days.

DRILLING FOR OIL

Government Experts Say Prospects Are Poor in Atlantic States.

Wells have been drilled for oil in every State in the Union except the New England States and possibly four others—North Carolina, South Carolina, Nevada, and Idaho. Only sixteen States, however, can be called oil-producing. A number of deep wells have been drilled in Florida, the deepest being one near Bushnell, in Sumner County. This well was drilled to a depth of 3,000 feet. This well and one near Waycross, in southern Georgia, which was drilled to a depth of 3,045 feet, were the two deepest wells in the Atlantic Coastal plain.

BODY OF RAMSEY BABY IS TAKEN FROM CATAWBA

Belmont, April 21.—The body of the two-year-old child of Mrs. Bob Ramsey who is believed to have been hurled herself into the Catawba river, holding the child in her arms, was taken from the river at Fort Ramsay by the Catawba county sheriff, according to reports received here.

LAUNDRY FOR GAFFNEY

Welcome Announcement for Cherokee Metropolis.

JUDGE WILL DECIDE

Spartanburg, April 21.—Judge Fernsby Moore in this afternoon is expected to decide after hearing argument on a motion made by the city attorneys to have declared unconstitutional a law passed by the legislature at the last session providing for an election in this city on May 11 on the question of abolishing the commission form of government. City attorneys claim that the act is unconstitutional for the reason that it would be a law which would be passed by the legislature, which is forbidden by the constitution. They say the act providing for the adoption of the commission form of government by a popular vote also provides that it may be abolished by a popular vote and that therefore the act of the legislature is discriminatory and unconstitutional.

21-KILLED ON FARM NEAR ABERDEEN, MISS.

Aberdeen, Miss., April 20.—One white man named Brewer and 20 negroes living on Frank Whitaker's plantation were killed near here and three deaths were reported near Abbeville in addition to a hundred or more persons injured as a result of the tornado that swept through Abbeville and Abbeville counties today, according to meagre reports received here tonight.

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Enjoy Your Vacation

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 FRIDAY, APRIL 23.

Kill the Early Fly

The fly season is upon us as surely as the baseball season. Fifth, sixth and disease are inseparable. The flies live and breed in filth. Of all kinds are found the germs of many diseases.
 These diseases are carried by the fly. It has six feet. On each foot is a sticky pad. With this "winged death" enters the house and sickness follows. The diseases most commonly carried by the fly are typhoid, typhus, cholera, cholera, dysentery and cholera infantum or "second summer complaint."
 If the waste matter in the farm yards, church grounds, cemeteries, vacant lots and around all the public buildings is gathered up and burned most of the breeding places will be destroyed. Clean up rubbish, manure, cans, bottles, paper and what not that have been collected all winter.
 Large wire fly traps baited with meat or fish, if placed in the barnyard near the manure, will catch the flies that hatch early in the spring. It has been estimated that two flies may be ancestors of eight-million flies in the course of the summer. If none of these are killed.
 Screens successfully prevent the entrance of the fly into the house. To be well screened, every door, window and fireplace should be absolutely fly-proof.
 It is a disgrace to have flies about one's place. The fly-chaser of a little girl who won the prize in a fly campaign was very much ashamed of his farm. He had not killed the first fly in the spring.
 Mr. N. A. Boyajian at the Methodist Church on Sunday Afternoon at Four O'clock.
 Mr. N. A. Boyajian is an Armenian of high birth, a cultured gentleman speaking seven or eight languages, a thrilling, fascinating speaker, and above all a consecrated Christian. He asks of Chester a hearing for his blood-stained, starving country, the country most fittingly called "the land of the stinking death." Armenia the first Christian nation; Armenia whose brave sons defended the last gap her homes, her women and her children; Armenia—bereft, Turk-riden, dying.
 Whatever you have previously thought of Armenia, will you not be open-minded enough to come out and hear one who knows?
 "You have heard that over there the corpses of little children lie, unburied on the streets, where once they had turned their little, dark eyes this way and their last moan was:
 "America, bread."
 Chester has no quota. You will not be embarrassed by being asked to give it. Whatever your heart dictates and your purse permits will be received gratefully in Christ's name.
 Come and bring some one with you.
 The musical program for the afternoon will be under the skillful management of Messames Edward Hardin and Paul Hardin.
 Mrs. Vance Davidson
 Ast. Chairman.
 Minerals in Cherokee.
 Gaffney, April 20.—(Maj.) John P. Jones of Blacksburg was in Gaffney yesterday and talked very interestingly of the minerals which abound in Cherokee county, vouching for the opinion that the day is coming when great work will be done here in that line. Although more than 70 years of age, Major Jones is still possessed of all the vigor of a young man, and ever since he has been a resident of Cherokee county has been noted for his great progressiveness and enterprising.

BOY ELECTROCUTED WHEN HE GRASPS WIRE FENCE

Hickory, April 21.—Lester Prentiss, 14-year-old boy employed at the Shuford Mills, Highland, was electrocuted when he took hold of a wire fence enclosing the transformer plant at the mill.
 The fence was charged. The boy was a son of Mr. Ambrose Prentiss and a native of this county. The remains will be carried to that county tomorrow for burial.

Kuppenbender Clothes are coming in every day. The S. M. Jones Co.
 Mr. J. A. Stewart, of Woodward, is a Chester visitor today.
 Mr. A. J. Holman is spending several days this week in Charleston.

PRICES TUMBLING.

Klutz Department Store's buyer is home from the great Northern market. He found a peculiar situation. His visit was just as the jobbers and manufacturers were throwing out Easter's great sacrifice preparatory to beginning work for fall. Pre-Easter conditions when prices were lowest, were gone and the markets were full of excellent merchandise at greatly reduced prices, of which Klutz made a saving and it is now passed on to you and you owe it to yourself to take advantage of it.
 Ladies' lovely silk skirts, \$8 to \$12 values, specials at \$5.98
 1 Lot of splendid all wool serge skirts, bought last week, \$10 value at \$7.98
 Big display of white skirts \$1 to \$2 under market prices.
 All kinds of ladies' waists at prices bound to prove interesting.
 1 Lot of fine waists 42 men's \$5 khaki riding trousers \$2.98
 Klutz has a big supply of oxford price and silk hosiery. No matter what kind of hosiery you may desire Klutz has it at special prices.
 Lot of window shades, \$1 quality, at 50c
 Extra special prices on children's dresses.
 Klutz can now save you from \$2 to \$3 on Boy's suits. See those all wool boys' suits bought in the Northern Markets at a great saving in price, which saving is passed on to you.
 Men's \$1.50 excellent quality check nainsook suits 98c
 Don't buy anything in Spring of Summer merchandise until first you see how much cheaper Klutz sells it.
 75c Quality splendid straw brooms 45c
 Men's capital values in \$10 quality oxfords at Klutz' special price of \$7.98. Many other excellent values.
 Big lot of special bargains in millinery. Beautiful display of ladies' hats at remarkably low prices.
 Klutz can save you \$1 to \$2 on your spring hat.
 Velvets, lawns, organdies and dry goods of every description at prices that will save you money.
 Ladies' hosiery all kinds silk and cotton, prices start at 15c a pair up to \$6 pair.
 Klutz stock of Royal Society Embroidery and Crochet goods are being constantly replenished daily. No greater line in all the world.
 \$1.50 Black silk hose, 4 pair, run of mill special at 65c
 \$1 men's silk or satin neckties special at 50c
 40c Ladies' dress gingham at 30c yard
 40c Excellent dress gingham 32 inches wide, special 25c yard
 30c Value calico at 25c yard
 25c Fancy flowered and exquisite lace edged curtain scrim at 20c yard
 Table cloths at low prices.
 Plenty of American flags for school commemorations.
 Victor Records and Victrolas. Lots of new records.
 65c Value organdy special at 49c.
 See that man's national, \$6 value special at \$4.95. Check colored.
 \$2.50 Value 4 1/2 inch blue serge at \$1.98.
 Hamilton's 4 1/2 inch excellent quality Tricotine, \$2.50 value, special at \$1.98.
 Capital value in light color percale specialty priced at \$6.00.
 One of Klutz' custom tailoring concerns has made a great reduction of all-wool clothing. Values formerly \$45 to \$55 now \$35.
 Rugs and art squares of all kinds at prices that will prove inspiring.
 Our buyers are enabled to secure some bargains in the Great Northern Markets that will save you money.
 \$1 Rugs at 50c
 Great bargains in Coppelcum rug and art squares.
 Don't buy rugs, art squares nor matting of any kind until you see Klutz' bargains.
 75c men's guaranteed suspenders, special at 50c
 See those men's overalls at \$1.75 and \$1.95.
 \$4 Ladies' lovely voile dresses, well made, at \$2.98.
 Men's automobile dustproof coats at \$3.95, \$5 values.
 Ladies' automobile dustproof coats at \$4.95, worth \$10.
 Spring Dutchess trousers are here. 10c a button; \$1 a rip. For men and boys.
 \$12.50 to \$15 boys suits, all sizes, at \$9.95. Klutz' can certainly save you big money on boys' suits.
 See that genuine Victor-Victrola Klutz offers at \$25. Best talking and singing machine value in the world.
 Ladies' silk dresses going at prices that will save you \$5 to \$10.

TAX SLACKERS IN GREAT NUMBER

Thousands Failed to Respond to Appeal—Firms and Individuals in South State Bought Sharply in Task.
 Washington, April 21.—Despite the government's vast time appeal for tax payments as a patriotic duty, more than 300,000 firms and individuals failed to make honest returns under the revised law in the last two years; the bureau of internal revenue announced tonight. "In a six months' drive which ended February 1, 1915, \$13,061,000 in delinquent taxes were collected, Commissioner Williams reported.
 "The amazingly large number" of persons who did not respond to the government's appeal has caused treasury officials to consider the delinquents as a new round up of alleged evildoers. A bill has been introduced to cover the tax period on which returns were made March 15.
 Of the total delinquents 131,885 had not paid any income tax and an additional 44,820 did not pay the full amount of taxes due. From these two sources approximately \$11,000,000 was discovered.
 Discovery was made also, the report said that 164,500 firms had not turned over to the government the entire amount of the social liability taxes on sales and admissions. In some cases, firms failed to make any revenue collections. In all cases, forced the delinquents to make good the entire amount as well as pay a heavy penalty. Mr. Williams said.
 The bureau estimated that for the present year more than 7,000,000 firms and individuals will pay federal taxes. It is utilizing every avenue of information to check up on "tax slackers," and an average of 3,200 persons will carry on the government's investigation of suspected delinquency.

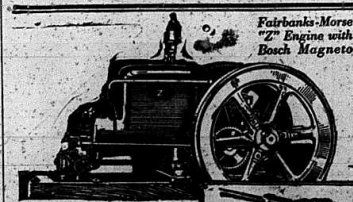
DEAD IN ONE COUNTY IN ALABAMA

Hamilton, Ala., April 20.—Sixteen are known to be dead, scores injured, many so seriously that others will die, and property loss estimated at hundreds of thousands of dollars, as the result of a tornado which swept over the northwestern part of Marion county this morning about 9 o'clock. The dead and injured were brought into Hamilton during the afternoon and the "fourhouse" has been converted into a temporary hospital.
 TRADE AT HOME.

Help With The Memorial Fund

\$3,000 Subscribed
 \$2,500 Balance Due From Chester.
 It's us to us to do our part. State Office Assured that Chester Will Subscribe Her Quota -- Subscriptions Paid At Your Convenience.

J. H. Marion
 County Chairman
 Mrs. I. C. Cross
 Woman's Chairman



The Supreme Farm Engine
 THE famous "Z" Engine and the Bosch high tension magneto combine to make the one SUPREME farm engine. Call on us and see the result of this modern combination—FAIRBANKS-MORSE "Z" WITH BOSCH MAGNETO. 4 We are substantially warranted in delivering you a money saving Best Service Station. 1 Price—1 1/4 H. P. \$75.00—3 H. P. \$100.00—6 H. P. \$150.00—P. O. B. Lynch, Chester Machine & Lumber Company.

MEET IN ROCK HILL

APRIL 29, 10:30 A. M.
 Suggested Program for Northern Division.
 Devotional 10:30-10:40
 Greeting 10:40-10:45
 Our Opportunity for Greater De 10:45-10:55
 Vice President of Division.
 W. M. S. Conference: Mrs. J. B. Davis 10:55-11:00
 Address Dr. C. E. Burtis 11:00-11:20
 W. W. A. Conference: Mrs. Geo. E. 11:20-11:30
 (a) Love, the law of the Way.
 (b) Loyalty, the witness of the Way.
 (c) Sacrifice, the cost of the Way.
 (d) Blessedness, the reward of the Way.
 R. A. Conference 11:35-2:00
 Adjournment Lunch
 Afternoon Session
 Devotional 3:00-3:10
 Sunbeam Conference: Mrs. W. J. Hatcher 3:10-3:55
 (a) The effect of the 75 Million on reports.
 (b) The effect of the 75 Million on special offerings.
 (c) Hand work in Sunbeam Band.
 (d) The Bible the first text book.
 (e) Mission Study certificate.
 (f) Tools for leaders.
 (g) Where do mothers teach Children God in.
 Mission Study Conference—Mrs. I. A. Rigby—3:55-4:40
 Closing Message from the World.
 Our Chester W. M. U. workers can see from the above program what a feast of good things is in store for all who will attend this Missionary Institute. The delegation is not limited, so let all of our organizations send representatives. We are not so far from Rock Hill and I am anxious to have Chester W. M. U. well represented. Entertainment will be provided if you have to spend the night, so send your name and names of all who will go to Mrs. N. C. Parlow, 311 Academy St. Rock Hill stating whether you will be there over night, and how many for lunch.
 Your Superintendent
 Mrs. J. R. Moore
 Fort Lawn, S. C.
 April 19-1920.
 I have now on hand a good supply of fertilizer for sale. It is scarce and hard to get. See me before it is all sold. W. C. White.
 Several Residential lots for sale in various sections of the city. See Pegram & Cassels.



Paint Time

It's here—and we are ready to supply the paint that gives real satisfaction. It is the well-known
Dutch Boy White-Lead
 mixed to order with pure linseed oil, turpentine and tinting matter to meet surface, weather and color conditions. Your choice as to color can be matched exactly.
 Come in and talk with us. We are headquarters for first-class paint and painting materials.

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Mr. N. A. BOYAJIAN

Armenian Law Student at the University of South Carolina will present the cause of his people on
Sunday Afternoon
 April 25th, 4 o'clock Methodist Church.

After personally witnessing many of the horrible barbarities practiced upon his people by the Turks, he escaped by bribing his guards, came to America and enlisted in the army to fight for the cause of freedom and he is therefore in a position to tell the conditions and sufferings of the Armenians as they exactly exist and all who fail to hear him will miss an opportunity.

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 Noted Novelist and Lecturer
 In his latest lecture
"Human Nature and Politics"
 4th Night
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 JOEIE READ has written and lectured to a clientele that numbers millions.
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 CHAUTAUQUA WEEK IN CHESTER MAY 3-10.

To The People of Chester and Chester County
 WE WILL OPEN UP SATURDAY, APRIL 24th
 With a big line of Dry Goods, Shoes and Notions, Bought right and will be sold right.
 As we have made friends by the numbers in our other stores, we hope to do likewise in Chester.
 Our Motto! Service and a hearty welcome to all.
 Remember the date SATURDAY APRIL 24th.
THE BATTERY
 Chester, S. C.
 175 Gadsden St. In W. F. McCullough's Old Stand.



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Kuppenheimer good clothes

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LOOK at clothes-buying as an investment. Think of clothes in terms of value rather than price. It's what you get for what you pay that's important these days.

Kuppenheimer good clothes give you quality of materials and tailoring—right American style—good appearance—faithful service—real economy—an investment in satisfaction.

The S. M. JONES CO.

The house of Kuppenheimer clothes.

LOCAL and PERSONAL

Mr. R. H. Ferguson of the Mount Prospect section was a Chester visitor yesterday.

There will be a regular meeting of Cedar Camp W. O. W. Monday night. Special business will be taken up at this meeting and all members are requested to be present.

Mrs. A. M. Aiken, Mrs. Alex. Fraser, Mrs. T. S. Leitner and Mrs. T. L. Douglas, motored to Rock Hill yesterday to be present at the Southern Federation of Women's Clubs.

For Rent—Dumbat house on Harris street, containing five rooms. In good condition of repair. Apply to Marion & Marion, Attorneys for Mrs. M. V. Patterson.

Many of our citizens have been out on York street during the past few days to see the finishing touches the contractors are putting on the upper end of York street. This end of Chester is beginning to look real city like and Chester people are already beginning to appreciate the advantages which will be derived from improved streets.

Kuppenheimer Clothes are coming in every day. The S. M. Jones Co. We are asked to again call the attention of our readers to this base ball game which will be played at the Fair Grounds tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock between the Baltimore Mill and Great Falls.

We have listed about \$75,000 worth of Chester and Chester county property for sale this week and

several parties waiting on us to reach them. "No Sale, No Pay." Pegram & Cassels.

The many Chester friends of Major Wm. L. Davidson will be interested in the following dispatch, which came from Washington, Wednesday: The distinguished service cross has been awarded to Capt. William L. Davidson, dental corps, 114th infantry, for extraordinary heroism in action north of Verdun, France, October 12, 1918. Captain Davidson, while attending wounded under heavy fire, was himself wounded by several pieces of shell fragments, regardless of his own wounds, he continued in his care of the wounded, refusing to be treated until his regiment was relieved from the line when several pieces of shell were removed from his head and shoulders. Home address, York street, Chester, S. C.

We are asked by several parties to bear them in mind when we have any small farms for sale, especially on the improved roads. If you have anything for sale to fill the bill let us hear from you, Pegram & Cassels.

The home of Will Sims, colored, who lives near Cedar Rock colored church, on the Ashford Ferry road, about four miles from Chester, was completely destroyed by a tornado early Wednesday morning, parts of it being blown several hundred yards.

The boy's corpse, by Sims and his wife and baby was blown from under them but they escaped injury. Sims' automobile house was also completely destroyed and his car, a Scoville Booth, was turned up side down, damaging same very much. While the wind and rain was very severe in

several sections the above is the only damage which has come to the attention of The News.

For Sale—One five-room cottage—large hall, all modern conveniences, in excellent section of city. Two eight room houses, both in desirable sections of city. One six room house, large hall, extra large lot, on one of best streets in Chester. Also several building lots in various sections of the town. Pegram & Cassels.

Camp Walker, Gaston No. 821 Confederate Veterans is called to meet in the office of A. W. Wise, Judge of Probate next Tuesday April 27th, 1920 at 11 A. M. By order, W. D. Knox.

Mr. John A. Hafner will speak at Cedar Shoals Presbyterian Church at three-thirty o'clock next Sunday.

Frank Spring beans, new Irish potatoes, beets, green peas, real South Carolina cabbage and celery, W. D. Page, Phone 250.

Stylophus Suits hold their shape and look good. Why pay the price for cotton—same money buys a Style plus—all wool. New spring styles, J. T. Collins' Department Store.

Mr. W. O. Guy will open his place of amusement on the old York road next Monday afternoon and all parties visiting the place will be welcomed from four o'clock until eight o'clock free of charge. Light refreshments will be served those who attend. Mr. Guy, it will be recalled,

constructed a concrete dam for the purpose of operating a grist mill, so arranged the place that the pond could be used for swimming purposes. The water now covers an area of about seven acres, and at the dam city is about twelve feet deep. A short distance above, the dam the water is very shallow and affords an excellent place for those desiring to take a plunge. The building, which is constructed on the dam, consists of the grist mill, a large hall and two dressing rooms. Mr. Guy also has arranged a refreshment stand for the benefit of his patrons. Those who bring their bathing suits next Monday afternoon will be admitted to the pond free of charge. After the opening day an admission of twenty-five cents will be charged. The place is five and one-half miles from Chester.

At a meeting of the members of the York county legislative delegation, held in Yorkville yesterday morning, it was decided to present the name of Mr. Paul G. McKorkle, to Governor Cooper for appointment to the office of coroner of York county to succeed the late Coroner J. H. McMane, deceased. Mr. G. Bryant of Rock Hill, who was first mentioned as a candidate for the position following the death of Mr. McKorkle, withdrew in favor of Mr. McKorkle. At the delegation meeting yesterday morning Representative Mann and Representative Hart voted for McKorkle; after it was made known that Mr. Bryant would not stand in his way, Senator Beaumont voted for Mr. A. G. Love of Clover No. 4, and Representative Puryear voted for Mr. Miles Carroll. Upon a second ballot all voted for Mr. Mc-

Corles who will be appointed if the governor acts upon the recommendation of the delegation. Representative W. R. Bradford of Fort Mill, did not attend the meeting yesterday—Yorkville Enquirer.

Miss Beale Walsh has new goods arriving daily and is preparing for a big May and midsummer trade. All the ladies are cordially invited to call and see the new sport hats. The transparent hats of all colors will soon be on display, also recent for Knox high class tailored hats. Children's hats a specialty all sizes and colors.

\$15.00 Buys a Palm Beach suit, \$25.00 buys a good Mohair suit or an all-wool blue serge. Finer suits cost more. "Logan" Mahogany oxford \$25.50, all sizes. "Barry" oxford \$12.50. Collins holds down in price for spot cash. J. T. Collins' Department store.

About thirty Chester gentlemen have agreed to take part in the play "The Women's Wedding," which is to be given at the Chester Opera House next Thursday evening, April 29th, under the auspices of the Chester Civic League. A subscription list has been held last evening but only about six of those who agreed to take part in the play were present, and naturally the ladies were very much disappointed. The ladies of the Civic League have gone to consider the trouble arranging for the play, the proceeds of which are to be used for building a swimming pool and providing other amusements for the boys and girls of Chester, and it is hoped that the gentlemen who have agreed to take part in this play, under the direction of Miss Clementine Miller, of Okolona, Miss., will be present at the rehearsal to be held in the Opera House next Monday evening. The ladies know that the gentlemen of Chester are interested in the welfare of the boys and girls of our community and that they will do all they can to assist in providing proper amusement for them. It should be realized by those who have agreed to take part that the Civic League must bear Miss Miller's expenses whether the play is put on or not and realizing this fact, it is felt that proper support will be given the play. All who have agreed to take a part are expected to be at the Opera House next Monday evening without fail.

See the complete line of georgette and voile waists at the Rodman-Brown Co.

A force of men are engaged in trimming and cutting down a number of trees on Saluda street preparatory to the laying of a cement sidewalk and improved streets.

The Rodman-Brown Co. is now showing a complete line of Bob Evans midday suits in white and colored. Come and see them.

Strayed Off—Between 3 and 6 head of cattle Saturday night. Notify John Fraser or C. W. Ratteree, Edgemont.

For a wholesome breakfast eat SUGAR MILL BRAND Grapefruit with pepper and salt. Also try our tree-ripened oranges.

Frank Spring beans, new Irish potatoes, beets, green peas, real South Carolina cabbage and celery, W. D. Page, Phone 250.

Stolen Last Night—One Mooley head red cow, giving milk, weight about 1000 lbs. Reward of ten dollars for any information of her whereabouts. Will Sims, Chester, S. C. RFD 2.

Just Received a car of high-grade alfalfa. Carroll-Foots Grocery Co.

Kuppenheimer Clothes are coming in every day. The S. M. Jones Co.

Rev. and Mrs. R. Roy Brown left today for a ten days' visit to the

farmers father at Olympia, Kentucky. Mr. Brown will be absent from his work about two weeks.

See the oxfords and pumps in all colors we are showing. The Rodman-Brown Co.

One Of Klatts Department store's tailoring concerns is overloaded and reduces \$45 to \$35 all wool suits to \$35. Fit guaranteed. Delivery in six days.

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The most wonderful line of georgette and taffeta dresses in all colors are now being shown at the Rodman-Brown Co.

April 26th to 30th has been designated as "Clean-Up and Paint-Up" week in Chester. A petition is being circulated by the Chamber of Commerce asking that all the business houses join the movement on the dates above mentioned and assist in the work. Several extra trash wagons will be on duty and it is hoped to get Chester in tip-top shape.

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100 Lbs. Cotton buys a good suit of clothes and a pair of oxfords today. In 1914 it took 200 lbs. cotton to buy a fairly good suit. Who has any ticks/omings? J. T. Collins' Department Store.

HILL'S Dreamland Theatre Inc. Saturday

NEAL HART in "THE BLOODWAD" In a red Blooded Drama Of the Great West.

also ANN LITTLE & JACK HOKIE in "LIGHTNING BRUCE NO. 11" Action Strang and Swift in every Episode.

"HOOODOOD" This is a Mark Twain Comedy. You know what they are.

Monday TOM MOORE in "DUDS" The picture that'll send you home rejoicing.

also ANTONIO MORENO in "THE INVISIBLE HAND NO. 7" Thrills after thrills.

"THE FOX NEWS" Today Madam! Tomorrow "What Would You Do?" also Matt Blatt. A program worth while. See it.

FOR ALDERMAN WARD 3. The friends of Mr. Philip Adelsheimer wish to announce him as a candidate for Alderman from Ward 3, subject to the result of the approaching Municipal election.

W. K. MAGILL Veterinary-Surgeon OFFICE WHITE'S PHARMACY CHESTER, S. C.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION The next teachers' examination for graded certificates will be held at the college house Saturday, May 1st, 1920. The State Superintendent of Education says:

"All persons wishing to qualify as teachers and all prospective teachers should be urged to take this examination. The new law establishing a State Board of Examiners goes into effect June 1st. The approaching examination on May 1st is, therefore, the last under the old law." Please examine your teacher's certificate to see if it is still in force. If not have it renewed, if a renewal is possible under the law on or before May 1st.

W. D. KNOX, Co. Superintendent of Education, Chester, S. C., Apr. 15, 1920.

FARMERS

On May the first your fertilizer bills will become due. The Fertilizer Companies will give you a discount of five per cent if paid on that date. Take your pencil and figure for yourself the amount of money that you will save by coming to the bank and borrowing the money and pay cash for your Fertilizers.

We will be glad to furnish you the money and it will be to your interests to drop in the Bank and talk the matter over with one of our officers.

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The Miller Tire makers, in late years, have nearly doubled their tire mileage. In their factory tests made last year no rival tire could match the Miller service.

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Large tire users are making million-mile comparisons. As high as 20 rival makes are compared with Millers. Miller Tires have already won many of these tests.

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It is time to get new figures on tire mileage. Try a Miller, watch the mileage, compare it with the tire that you use opposite.

Hundreds of thousands have in this way come to Miller Tires. And Millers are today the most talked-about tires in America.

Tread Patented
Center tread smooth, with suction cup, for firm hold on wet asphalt. Ground-to-the-Road side treads mesh like eyes in dirt.

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Dealer's Name and Address

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STOMACH TROUBLE

Mr. Marion Holcomb, of Nancy, Ky., says: "For quite a long while I suffered with stomach trouble. I would have pains and a heavy feeling after my meals, a most disagreeable taste in my mouth. If I ate anything with butter, oil or grease, I would spit it up. I began to have regular sick headaches. I had used pills and tablets, but after a course of these, I would be constipated. It just seemed to tear my stomach all up. I found they were no good at all for my trouble. I heard

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recommended very highly, so began to use it. It cured me. I keep it in the house all the time. It is the best liver medicine made. I do not have sick headache or the laded liver and helps it to do its important work of throwing out waste materials and poisons from the system. This medicine should be in every household for use in time of need. Get a package today. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c a package. All druggists.

ONE CENT A DOSE

ONE KILLED WHEN BOAT WAS SWEEP OVER DAM
Anderson, S. C., April 21.—W. L. Corwell, 40 was killed this morning when a boat in which he and C. C. Partain were crossing Savannah river at Gregg shoals hydro-electric plant, became unmanageable and was swept over the dam. Although the boat was dashed to pieces on sharp boulders below the dam, Partain escaped injury, though he is at

present in a precarious condition, being hospitalized on the pinnacle of rock jutting up out of the raging stream. Efforts are being made to rescue Partain by floating a life line down the river.

For Rent—Five room dwelling at 109 Culp street. Water, lights and garden. Fifteen dollars per month. Now vacant. Apply at News office. If

The Life Worth While.

However our opinions may differ as to the real definition of the life worth while we are all agreed upon the fact that its correct interpretation calls forth the best and noblest thoughts and actions of which we are capable. This alone is a rather "big order to fill," but results that mean the most are only achieved through long and arduous labor. It is in our performance of the simple duties of life that we are able to work the most good, although, as a rule, the homely tasks of life do not make very much appeal to the average person. We are all more or less moved by the results achieved by men of great success, their spectacular efforts make a certain appeal to those of us who are for the most part shut in from the outside world in a little sphere all our own and it may be that it is for this reason and because of the fact that we hear about the successful careers of those far removed from our humble fields of endeavor that we unconsciously learn to measure the worth while life with the yardstick of publicity. We think that nothing of lasting value can be done in our little corners of the world, hemmed in on all sides by narrow prejudices and biased judgments and surrounded by things that we have seen all our lives and to which we have become so accustomed that they make no appeal whatever save that of dull monotony.

We may well ask ourselves, however, why it is that we have fallen into a rut from which we make no effort to escape? Are we sure that we appreciate at their full value those "commonplace" things that have meant almost life itself to us from the earliest recollection? Are we certain that we have exhausted their possibilities? Or, have we not just tired of what has seemed to us an endless repetition of duties which has led us nowhere? Many of the opportunities that we have possessed at one time or another have been deliberately wasted, not consciously perhaps, but deliberately all the same. It may have been that we never took the trouble to ascertain the real significance of what we have had to doubt satisfied ourselves with accomplishing our tasks in an indifferent, careless manner, with the single view of finishing them up as soon as possible. Or, it may have been that because we found ourselves faced with the necessity of accomplishing one thing in the place of something else we had wished to do we immediately lost all interest and skimmed the surface at every opportunity. There is so much wasted strength and effort in this world, so much unnecessary fretting and impatience, so many petty worries that could have been dispensed with that sometimes seems almost a wonder that we get through life in a respectable manner at all. And yet the things for which we affect so deep a sorrow are often the tools with which we could easily carve out so worth while a life that those about us would feel its benefit immediately.

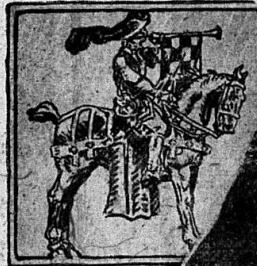
The life worth while does not necessarily call for a rich setting of flaming colors and sparkling jewels. It is found more often and the quiet glow of earth, far removed from the toil and bustle of a busy world, reflecting poverty and loneliness at times, striving always to do the above mentioned things and to produce only what it can in conscience claim. It early learns how blessed a thing work is and it grows both spiritually and materially because of that knowledge. It brings into play the best effort of which it is capable not only in the early morning of its existence, but also during the trying noonday experiences and when the evening shadows commence to gather about its feet and that, in the majority of cases, is the ambition to do at least one thing well, no matter where the choice may lie. It is not some sort must be accomplished; the worth while life goes one step farther by lending a sympathetic ear and a sympathetic hand to all those who seek its aid. Love of his fellow beings is only another way of saying that a man has lived a worth while life, for the terms are synonymous. The life that is worth while is content with slow but a perfect progress and can make, impressed with the knowledge that it takes time to do the right thing in just the right way. We may or may not advance in grace and strength and in the possession of those attributes that make life so pleasing with as great a rapidity as we would like; but the fact that we are doing something to make a little happiness for others and a little happiness for ourselves at the same time is a very good indication that we have indeed caught the spirit that alone makes life worth while.

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Pension Money Not Distributed.

Columbia, April 21.—Money for 1920 pension commission an yet due to the trustees on the part of probate judges of the state in sending in their honor rolls. Twenty-three judges out of forty-six have sent in their rolls. As soon as all are sent in the pension money will be apportioned. The fund totals

\$469,000, and goes to approximately thousand pensioners.

FOR ALDERMAN WARD 4

The friends of Mr. John A. Nichols, who has faithfully served the city as Alderman for a number of years, wish to announce him as a candidate for re-election as Alderman from Ward 4, subject to the result of the approaching municipal election.

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