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FRIDAY, MAY 7.

At the meeting of the Chester County Democratic Convention held in the Court House last Monday, there was considerable discussion as to whether the County Board of Directors, who are to take charge of Chester's county affairs on January 1st 1921, should be appointed by the governor, upon the recommendation of the county delegates.

A vote taken showed that those present favored a resolution to the State Convention asking that all county officers be nominated in the primary.

The News is willing to abide by the voice of the people, but it is not to say that it feels confident that Chester will make a sad mistake the day it places the election of the Board of Directors in the primary, for the simple reason that the men who are best fitted to fill the place are not going to run around over Chester county from pillar to post shaking hands, kissing babies for the sake of a small political job carrying a measly sum of four hundred dollars per annum as a salary.

There are many good business men in Chester county who, for the love of their country, would accept the appointment and give it their best talents, assuring us of a good administration and the upkeep of our roads, which have cost us almost a half million dollars. The News contends that a man cannot conduct his own business successfully if he will never be able to conduct Chester county's business successfully. Place a successful banker; a successful lawyer or a successful farmer at the head of our county's affairs and you will have success. Place a man at the head of our affairs who has made a failure of life and he will make a failure of them. You can't make black white to save your life.

Some people argue that it is undemocratic to have this board of directors appointed. The Deputy Sheriff of Chester county is a county officer, why not make him "run the race"? The various clerks in the various county offices are paid with the people's money, why not make them "run the race" instead of being appointed by the county officers? President Wilson's cabinet is selected by himself; they are paid with the people's money, why not let a revolution shake that the National Convention require the President's cabinet to "come before the dear people"?

The News is a strong believer in democracy but when it comes to having so much "democracy" that efficiency is lost in the shuffle and the people's money is thrown to the bonfire, we think it is time to put on the brakes. The News believes in the selection of men at the head of our government and letting these men give the people their money's worth, or get out.

During the past few years Chester county has been coming to the front and one of the greatest factors in bringing it to the front has been the building of highways. These highways are maintained as they should be, it is only a question of time until we shall have more highways. Let our present highways go to rot and it will be years before the people will ever obligate themselves to build any more improved roads in our fair county. Chester county is today standing on a precipice. Her steps should be one of extreme caution.

Chester county has some one hundred miles of improved highways and The News is beginning to fear that for the "sake of democracy" we are going to lose these roads. It reminds us of one of Aesop's fables: "A traveler hired an ass to convey him to a distant place. The day being intensely hot, and the sun shining in rest, and sought shelter from its strength, the traveler stopped to rest under the shadow of the ass. As this afforded only protection for one, and as the traveler and the owner of the ass both claimed it, a violent dispute arose between them as to which had the right to it. The owner maintained that he had let the ass only and not his shadow. The traveler asserted that he had hired the ass, and the ass, hired his shadow also. The quarrel proceeded from words to blows, and while the men fought the ass paddled off."

We wonder if ass will be the case with our good roads?

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

Announcement

WE WILL BE OPEN FOR BUSINESS
Saturday, May 8
1920

Owing to delay in getting the brass rods to hold the glass, we will be unable to have our windows in.

However, the interior is ready for business, and we will be able to serve you with a full line of Shoes and accessories for the entire family.

The Booterie

134 Gadsden Street Chester, S. C.

THE COMMERCIAL BANK
INCORPORATED IN SOUTH CAROLINA
46 INTEREST ON
Savings Accounts
CHESTER, S. C.

Ladies Oxfords
WHEN it comes to Ladies Oxfords, we have one of the best lines to be found anywhere.

No use to look over catalogues, or plan a visit to some larger city—just come to our store and we are sure you will find just what you want, and the price—well, we have them at prices which will be of interest.

We carry a complete line of Ladies' Oxfords in various models, and solicit your patronage.

H. L. SCHLOSSBURG
IN THE VALLEY

WE'RE ALL ALIKE
Human nature is pretty much the same wherever you run across it. The radical becomes the reactionary when he gets sick. The oppressed becomes the oppressor when the opportunity offers. We are wont to think of the profiteering class as possessing the advantage over us of more substantial material interest than ours, as quite distinct, in fact, from what we call the workingman. But it is not so. As a man thinks in his heart so is he and we fear the profiteering class has a wide and varied membership in all stations of life.

We are especially incensed now, and justly against the greedy landowners, whose heartless acquisitiveness is causing a great deal of needless distress. He has the advantage of us because he owns the house and he takes it. But when a plan was devised to relieve the desperate housing situation in Chicago by shipping in large numbers of portable houses to give the homeless roofs over their heads, the labor unions blocked it. They said the Chicago carpenters, who already had all they could do at unprecedently high wages, must have the work. Like the colonel's lady and Mrs. O'Grady, we all seem to be about alike under the skin.

Two Visiting Nurses for Children
With the arrival of Miss Duff Rogers, Chester County has two Registered Nurses who are ready to help with service and advice along all health lines.

Miss Rogers and Mrs. Wilson are not only graduate nurses but have also taken a special course in the Richmond school to fit them for their duties as visiting nurses.

Miss Rogers territory is Chester and Blackstock townships while Mrs. Wilson covers the rest of the county. Miss Rogers can be found in the Rest Room each morning from 8:30 to 9:30 and all day each Saturday.

If there is sickness in a home and advice is wanted as to the best way to care for the patient send a call to the Rest Room and one of these nurses will gladly go and demonstrate the best way. If a mother has a problem about the proper care of her baby, send for the nurse.

Any mother from anywhere in the county will find Miss Rogers in the Rest Room on Saturdays when she will be delighted to discuss her problems with her.

It must be understood that neither of these nurses can do bedside nursing, that is, they will go into homes and show how it should be done but cannot stay more than two hours at a time at a place; neither can they do night work except in critical emergencies. Their day duties are exacting and constant so they must have rest at night.

Both of these nurses are here for service. The more good they can do the happier they will be.

Let them serve you as they can very happy.

Mrs. John G. White,
Chm. Red Cross' Com. on Nursing.

BEST WORK

Laundry placed with us is promptly done. We do not tear your garments. Give us a trial.

TOM LAM LAUNDRY

114 Wylie Street

Anderson, S. C., May 6.—A stock dividend of one hundred per cent payable January 1 to stockholders of record May 20 was declared today by directors of the Riverside Manufacturing company.

FULL FOR CHESTER.

Wherever the Blessings of Civilization Are Enjoyed, This Wonderful "Maine" Duplex Ice Grate Has Made the name

White Mountain

A Household Word



Men of Brains

Recommend It—and They Use It!

It's the basis of PURITY
It's the basis of ECONOMY
It's the basis of CLEANLINESS
It's the basis of CONVENIENCE

IT'S THE FOUNDATION of SAFE and SANE PRESERVATION of necessities and luxuries for your dining table, and the health and comfort, the appetizing appeal of the pure and clean. This grate is found only in the "White Mountain."

Chester Hardware Co.

For Sale—Houses on the following streets; Two on Wylie, three on Church, one on Reedy, one on Loomis, one on Hinton, one on Pinckney, one on Columbia, and others. Number of lots also, Pegram & Cassell.



CHANDLER SIX

Famous For Its Marvelous Motor

See How Chandler Checks With High-Priced Cars

THE Chandler Six throughout its seven years of production has been distinguished for its many distinctively superior features of design and equipment which are used also on the highest priced American cars, and not used in any considerable degree by cars now priced hundreds of dollars higher than the Chandler. See, then, how the Chandler checks with ten of the best-known high-priced cars in these features selected as being characteristic of high-grade design and most efficient service.

Superior Chandler Features and the High-Priced Cars that use Them

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| ONE PIECE ALUMINUM MOTOR BASE , which fits the frame of the car together at four points, thus providing a stiffer frame as well as a more rigid motor mounting. Also used by Packard, Locomobile (Bronze), Mercer, Winton, Fiat, Brewster, Stutz, Pierce-Arrow. | TORQUE ARM OR TUBE . Also used by Pierce-Arrow, Locomobile, Brewster, Winton, Cadillac, Packard, Stutz. | Pierce-Arrow, Fiat, Brewster, Packard, Locomobile. |
| SILENT CHAIN DRIVE for Motor Shafts . Also used by Winton, Packard, Cadillac, Brewster, Fiat, Mercer. | ANNULAR BALL-BEARING TRANSMISSION . Also used by Winton, Stutz, Pierce-Arrow, Brewster, Cadillac, Fiat, Locomobile, Packard, Marmon. | ANNULAR BALL-BEARING REAR WHEELS . Also used by Packard, Stutz, Locomobile, Marmon, Pierce-Arrow, Fiat, Mercer. |
| | ANNULAR BALL-BEARING DIFFERENTIAL . Also used by Marmon, Stutz. | HIGH TENSION MAGNETO IGNITION . Also used by Locomobile, Mercer, Fiat, Brewster, Winton. |

THEN, see how these seven cars—sixes which may be considered competitive to the Chandler—do NOT check

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| One car, listing at \$1795, checks with Chandler in only one feature | One car, listing at \$2195, checks with Chandler in only two features |
| One car, listing at \$3885, checks with Chandler in only three features | One car, listing at \$2045, checks with Chandler in only two features |
| One car, listing at \$2400, checks with Chandler in only one feature | One car, listing at \$1945, checks with Chandler in only one feature |

Not a single one of the seven makes of medium-priced Sixes referred to offers you High Tension Magneto Ignition. The Chandler offers you Bosch, recognized the world over as the best ignition system. Only one of them offers you the silent chain drive, although another one of them in its higher-priced model (\$3450), incorporates this feature.

These Statements are Facts and they Give You a Few of the Reasons for Chandler Leadership

The specifications data quoted is substantiated, in every instance, by the manufacturers of the cars referred to.

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| SIX BEAUTIFUL STYLES OF BODY Seven-Passenger Touring Car, \$1995 Four-Passenger Coach, \$2095 Seven-Passenger Sedan, \$2095 | Four-Passenger Dispatch Car, \$2075 Four-Passenger Coupe, \$2095 (All Prices F. O. B. Cleveland, Ohio.) | Four Passenger Roadster, \$1995 Limousine, \$3450 |
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PAUL HARDIN
Chester, S. C.

CHANDLER MOTOR CAR COMPANY, CLEVELAND, O.

Boost Chester County

MOTHERS

Buy Tom Sawyer Play Clothes

For Your Children
We have them for boys and girls

SIX O'CLOCK CLOSING

Beginning Monday May 3rd, we will close our store every evening at Six o'clock except Saturday until Sept. 1st

The S. M. JONES CO.

The house of Kuppenheimer clothes.

LOCAL and PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kilgo and Mr. R. A. Head, of Great Falls, were Chester visitors yesterday.

The fire department was called to the home of Mr. W. A. Turner Tuesday evening on account of Mr. Turner's automobile catching afire.

\$25.00 Buys you a real suit here. **\$15.00** buys you a real Palm Beach suit here. **\$5.50** buys you a real Goochey suit here. **\$2.00** buys you a real Goochey suit here. Collins cuts the price for spot cash. J. T. Collins' Department store

For Sale—Farm of 164 acres on the Fish Dam road. One of the best farms in this section; nice new five-room house; tenant houses; barn; etc. Highway runs through place. A bargain at \$65 per acre. Terms arranged by us. Pogram & Casella.

While returning from Columbia yesterday evening Dr. J. B. Johnson had the misfortune to have his automobile badly torn up. The accident occurred in Chester and was caused by an iron pipe in the street. The pipe was laid in the middle of the street and was in the ground at the point where Dr. Johnson entered the thoroughfare. He straddled it but a little further up it began rising from the street and caught the machinery of the car, tearing the car up pretty badly.—Rock Hill Herald.

Small Farm—Little over 100 acres in the Rodman neighborhood for sale \$65 per acre. 100 acres in Baton Rouge neighborhood at only \$17.50 per acre; chance for home in small means to pay for home in short while. If you have not got the money here, we can arrange terms within the reach of any honest, industrious man. Loans on land are waiting our call. Pogram & Casella.

Cost Suits, Sport coats—save money by paying cash. Big reduction to close these right now, quick. J. T. Collins' Department Store.

There will be a demonstration of Hughes Electric Ranges at the office of the Southern Public Utilities Company on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday May 10th, 11th, and 12th. You are cordially invited to attend.

Wednesday afternoon, as Walter M. Dunlap, together with his wife, three children and Mrs. Henry Massey, were returning from the Bethesda section just before they reached Fishing Creek bridge as they were driving along the river, ran too close to the edge of the embankment, which gave way, causing the car to slide down about seven feet, crushing Mrs. Massey's left arm. None of the others were hurt of any note at all, only some scratches and bruises. The car was damaged to some extent.—Rock Hill Herald.

Stylish Clothes fit and satisfy. Why pay more. Will you pay more or buy Styles J. T. Collins' Department Store.

Chester property continues to change hands. Dr. G. A. Henness' house, which he recently purchased from Mr. Ellis, located near the Parkville Mill, was sold yesterday to Mrs. W. L. Darby, who conducts a grocery store near the mill. Mr. Darby's house, located on Saluda street, was sold to Dr. Henness. The deals were made by Messrs. Pogram & Casella.

Some of Chester people have discarded their old ranges and have bought Electric Ranges. Every one of them is perfectly satisfied and is a "booster." Attend the demonstration at the office of the Southern Public Utilities Company, May 10th, 11th, and 12th, and see the many advantages of the electric range.

Electricity is cheaper and less trouble than wood or coal. Attend the demonstration of Hughes Electric Ranges at the office of the Southern Public Utilities Company on Monday Tuesday and Wednesday, May 10th, 11th, and 12th, and be convinced that cooking can be made a pleasure.

Eggs—Eggs Rhode Island Red and White Leghorn \$2.00 per setting from my best pens. Get them while you can. W. F. Stricker.

We understand the McCrorey Five and Ten Cents Stores expect to open in Chester at an early date. Mr. F. M. Hough who has been occupying the building has vacated and the work of remodeling will commence soon.

If it's a trunk you want hauled call H. F. Richardson 508. He has a truck.

Those who already have electric ranges are cordially invited to attend the demonstration of Hughes Electric Ranges to be held at the office of the Southern Public Utilities Company on May 10th, 11th, and 12th. You will probably learn something new. Bring your neighbor and help her plan to make life enjoyable.

For Sale—Chandler Sport Automobile. Good as new and looks like new. Run only 4,000 miles. A bargain for a quick buyer. Pogram & Casella.

Many friends in the county of Mr. J. L. Worthly, who lives near Leeds, learned with regret of his loss last Tuesday night when his barn was struck by lightning and destroyed, along with a quantity of fertilizer, eight bales of cotton, etc. Mr. Worthly was able to save his stock. His loss will amount to several thousand dollars and we understand that he only had something like \$1,000 insurance.

The R. M. Hudson Company, who are paving Chesnut street, are now laying the concrete foundation in front of the postoffice which, when done, will complete the concrete curb on York street. The asphalt will be put down as soon as the concrete settles, and it is expected to have York street open to traffic in about ten days.

If it's a transfer you want, call Geo. H. P. Richardson, service, 21.

The Janie Lyda Circle of the First Baptist church will meet with Miss Lucile Casella, on Saluda Street, on Tuesday of next week. Every member is urged to be present and bring their Mission Study book.

Mrs. A. T. Lytle, of Great Falls, is spending a few days in the city with relatives.

Mr. S. E. Colvin, of Greenville, is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. C. O'Donnell, on Walnut Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harvill will leave tomorrow morning for Bolling Springs, N. C., to attend the commencement of Bolling Springs College. They will be accompanied home by their daughter, Miss Bernice Harvill, who is a student at that place.

Very little interest was taken in

the city election for four aldermen last Tuesday. There was opposition in only Ward 3. Mr. W. A. Colvin defeated Mr. P. Adelsheimer, the vote being 34 to 7.

Miss Margaret White has returned to Chester after attending the Music Festival in Atlanta, Ga.

We cannot give service on any automobile other than those sold by us. We aim to give our customers service on cars bought from us and we will be unable to accommodate them if we work on other cars. A. F. Anderson Motor Co.

We are asked to state that "Mother's Day" will be observed at New Hope church, at 3 o'clock P. M. Sunday, and at Armenia Sunday morning.

We are in receipt of a card from Rev. R. Roy Brown, who with Mrs. Brown, has been visiting relatives in Kentucky, advising that he expects to meet his appointments next Sunday.

The Memorial Day exercises which were scheduled for next Monday have been postponed until Friday, May 14th, on account of the Chautauque.

Mr. A. M. Gregory has sold his farm in the Baton Rouge section to Dr. R. H. McFadden.

Capt. J. L. Glenn, Jr., has been appointed secretary of the Chester County Democratic Club.

When we sell an automobile we help our customer service and it is our aim to give it. We are daily being asked to work on other cars

throughout Guernsey's sold, total, \$9,540.

The list of purchases were as follows: "Belle's Sophia," 70,819, \$380; "Alvada May of Mars Alva," #680 and "Laddie's Village Queen," 100,700, \$435—Paul Hardin, of Chester; "Belle's Sophia," 70,819, \$380; and "Fidelle Charmante," \$435—W. G. Dye, of Richburg; R. F. D. 1; "Imp. Ma Carriera of Elise," 77,518, \$400—C. E. Abell, of Learyville.

"Rose King's Maid of Hilltop," 65,257, \$235; and "Liberty Girl Highland of Mars Alva," 92,297, \$350—Jno. M. Sterling, of Cornwell, R. F. D. 1.

"Lady Hanes' Velours," 34,565, \$400—M. P. Jones, of Chester; "Pretty Dairy Maid of Elmendorf," 77,263, \$575—J. M. Caldwell, of Cornwell, R. F. D. 1.

"Lady Snow of Arden," 91,417, \$535—W. B. Stringfellow, of Lewis; "Tyrre of Meadowbrook Farm," 93,257, \$445—J. A. B. Boyd, of Chester, R. F. D. 6.

"Daisy of Mars Alva," 83,562, \$500—S. W. Ferguson, of Catawba; "Evergreen Hope," 82,827, \$330—R. B. Caldwell, of Chester.

"Bloss of Meadowbrook Farm," 88,869, \$450—E. W. Gibson, of Richburg, R. F. D. 1.

and we wish to give notice that we cannot do work on any cars with the exception of the Davis, Nash, Lexington and Oldsmobile and Nash trucks. A. F. Anderson Motor Co.

Are Planting Peanuts.

In his annual report County Agent Howell, of Lancaster county, says: "Inasmuch as I have only a limited time to devote to working up a peanut acreage, I have had to limit my endeavors to one particular section. Here we are going to have 22 farmers planting a total of 40 acres and 21 peanut pick members planting an acre each. This is a very good showing in view of the fact that soil we will have not yet made its appearance in this section. The Lancaster Cotton Oil Mill and the Kewanee Cotton Oil Mill are co-operating admirably in this work. They are making arrangements to buy two peanut pickers for the county, and have already ordered the seed to plant the required acreage. This seed will be furnished the farmers at cost.

Several weeks ago the Chester Oil Mill, published an advertisement in these columns offering its co-operation to all farmers in Chester county who would plant peanuts. Just what, if anything, has been done along this line, The News does not know. However, we believe that it would be the part of wisdom for our farmers to begin the raising of peanuts. It has been found to pay handsomely in Georgia, and we see no reason why the business should not be successful in Chester.

Successful Guernsey Sale.

The sale of Guernseys held at the Fair Grounds Wednesday was largely attended and a number of the sales were made to Chester county people. In all there were twenty-one

"HUMAN EFFICIENCY" IS LECTURE TOPIC

Ralph Parlette in Practical Address on Success.

Will speak on Last Night of Big Roadpath Seven-Day Chautauque Here.

"Human Efficiency" will be the lecture topic of Ralph Parlette, on the last night of the coming Roadpath Chautauque. "Human Efficiency" has a vital message for the man or



RALPH PARLETTE, a woman who wants to succeed in the world.

Ralph Parlette is the author of the well-known inspirational booklet, "It's Up to You," "Go South" and "Salvation of the Sucker." Over one thousand of the greatest corporations in the world have bought these booklets in large quantities to distribute among their workers.

Ralph Parlette has lectured in five thousand cities and towns in the past 25 years. He is known wherever the Chautauque is known. He is the editor of the *Evening Magazine*.

When we sell an automobile we help our customer service and it is our aim to give it. We are daily being asked to work on other cars

Everything In Shirts

BIG line of Shirts in stripes and solid colors, which will please the most exacting.

Summer time is here and all you men will be going without your coats. You will want nice shirts and we assure you that we have a complete line at very reasonable prices.

H. L. SCHLOSBERG

IN THE VALLEY

Besides the above local purchases N. A. Johnson, of Warrington, Ga., bought five head, and J. B. Scott, of Monrovia, bought "Fidelle Cherry" #82242, for \$275.

Greenville, S. C., May 6.—A stock dividend of one hundred per cent on the \$1,763,760 common stock now outstanding, payable in new issue of preferred stock July 1, to stockholders of record June 15, retirement of \$94,000 guaranteed and \$600,000 preferred stock now outstanding, and increase of the capital stock from \$1,750,000 to \$3,000,000 was decided on today by the board of directors of the Woodside Cotton Mill, subject to approval of the stockholders.

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11:15 a. m. "Mother's Day" will be observed at the morning hour of worship. The sermon topic will be "The Mother and Her Child."

Men and boys especially are asked to sit with their mothers in the center seats. Special music has been arranged under the direction of Mrs. Cuthbertson.

Evening service at 8:15.

Every one is cordially welcome.

Toccoa, Ga., May 6.—The farmers of Stephens county are among the "blasted" people anywhere just now. Rain has fallen almost constantly since the middle of November. This section has not had more than three clear days at one time since November. It will be almost impossible to plant grow and produce a crop of cotton before frost, which usually comes about October 15 in this section. Add to the rain the labor situation, and the farmer feels he cannot cope with it. The average farmer in this section to prepare to raise a large cotton crop. The grain crop will be below average.

An ordinance received second reading at the meeting of the city council last Tuesday evening which will prohibit the running of tractors or other vehicles on the streets of Chester having cleats of any kind which will be detrimental to the streets. An ordinance was also passed requiring all automobile wash racks to be connected to the storm drains instead of the sewers.

For Sale—Thirty-five acres of land adjoining city limits. A bargain at our price. Pogram & Casella.

Stop-Look and Listen

For the next Ten Days beginning May 8th., we will give

Absolutely Free

one inner tube with each casing

Come quick while your size is in stock.

These casings are guaranteed for 6000 miles.

A. H. WHERRY, Jr.

Courtesy—Prompt Service and Square Dealing.

Good Work Clothes, Too

PERHAPS the Chester County farmers, and a good many of our fellow townsmen, think we lose sight of the fact that they wear work clothes a big part of the time.

But we don't; we may not talk so much about them, but that's because buying them isn't so important a matter with you.

It's clothes for "dress up" that you are so particular about; they involve more of an investment and they're the ones you rely on when you want to look right.

That is why we have Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes for you; they're stylish, worth the money.

But you will find the same good values in the things we have here for work wear. Shirts, Overalls, Gloves, Caps, Shoes—anything you need, at surprisingly low prices.

Our satisfaction guarantee goes with work clothes as well as the rest of our goods; money's worth or money back.

Rodman-Brown Co.

The home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes

Big Demonstration

ON

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, May 10, 11 and 12, 1920

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 10, 11 and 12, we will have a demonstration of the

HUGHES ELECTRIC RANGE

at our display rooms on Main street, and cordially invite the housewives of Chester to attend.

You have all been hearing about the great things the electric range will do, and now is your opportunity to see a practical demonstration of what you can do with the electric range.

Those who have already bought electric ranges should also attend these demonstrations, as you will probably learn a number of things you can do with the electric range which you are not now familiar with.

Remember the dates, May 10, 11 and 12

Southern Public Utilities Co.



All foods are delicious when cooked the electric way

THE art of cooking received its greatest impetus when the Electric Range was developed to its present state of perfection. Never before were such dainty foods prepared. Bread, light as snow and golden crusted, biscuits, cakes and pastries of surprising goodness, testify to the fireless cooker principle of the oven, with its insulated, heat-retaining walls and its evenly distributed heat. Meat, fish and game all find their true worth when cooked in their natural juices on the electric range. They shrink less in cooking, and taste better because of the flavor-enclosing, searing effect of cleanly electric heat of the broiler and oven.

A revelation awaits you when you first use an electric range. Ask some friend who owns one if this is not so. Then investigate the modern electric way of cooking for use in your home. Why not do this today?

Southern Public Utilities
Chester, S. C.



ORPHANAGE HEAD FOR TWENTY YEARS

Dr. A. T. Jamison Honored by Trustees and by Children of Institution Board Meets.

Greensboro, May 5.—The board of trustees of Connie Maxwell orphanage met in annual session yesterday, and having completed their work are leaving for their homes today. The trustees appeared to be pleased over the entire situation at the institution and found a population of 332 children, 88 officers and a flourishing school in which five teachers are employed. Reports covering last year's work were considered and plans outlined for the future. New buildings and other enlargements are contemplated and it is apparent that the fine achievements of the past are to be eclipsed by larger and more comprehensive plans for the future.

The meeting of the trustees was closed in character by the recognition given to the fact that Dr. A. T. Jamison, the superintendent, was this month closing his 22nd year of service as the executive head of the institution. At a lovely dinner, prepared by Miss Fay Hughes and her helpers, for the trustees, several toasts were given in honor of Dr. Jamison's services at the orphanage. Col. F. N. K. Bailey acted as toast-maker and responses were made to toasts by Orlando Sheppard, G. B. Buell, and C. B. Bobo. Several of the trustees delivered addresses to the children at the chapel. Upon entering the building a surprise developed in the carrying out of a plan gotten up by the children. J. C. Poy, the principal of the school, acted as spokesman for the boys and girls and presented on their behalf a suitable gift from them to Dr. Jamison, their father and friend. Many remarks were made contrasting the orphanage of 20 years ago with the institution of today. The half dozen buildings have increased to 37, the number of children from 120 to 332, and the property from a few acres of land to an acquisition of something considerably more than half a million dollars. The meeting of the trustees appeared to have been a very delightful occasion and all seemed to be happy. The following officers were re-elected for the coming year: G. B. Buell, president; C. B. Bobo, vice president; Joseph Norwood, secretary; K. T. Darr, auditor; A. T. Jamison, superintendent and treasurer. The following members of the board were present: Joseph Norwood, J. B. Smith, J. W. Spigler, Orlando Sheppard, W. T. Gregory, Col. F. N. K. Bailey, J. K. Darr, G. B. Buell, G. G. Byers, G. B. Bobo, T. M. Wise, W. D. Coggeshall.

Maillie Brothers have plenty of sugar for sale. Also foreign Kaintan on hand.

SMALL PROFIT MADE BY MAKERS OF SHOES

Richard H. Long Declares His Company Realized Less Than Two Per Cent.

Washington, May 4.—Replying to charges that he had made excessive profits on war contracts, Richard H. Long, head of the R. H. Long company, Framingham, Mass., whose manufacturers testified today before a house war investigating committee that his company received less than 2 per cent profit on contracts aggregating more than \$2,000,000.

Mr. Long, who appeared at his own request to answer previous testimony before the committee, further declared that his company saved the government \$4,071,000 through lower bids for leather and textile supplies.

Figures were presented by him to show that the company's profits were \$402,000 which he said was 1.965, 700 less than a normal 10 per cent profit.

"Our income in 1916 the year before the war," Mr. Long asserted, "was greater than our annual income from war contracts in 1917 and 1918. In addition, we lost our regular business and we still are handicapped by being tied up with a large amount of war materials in hand."

Presentation of statistics on the company's war business was followed by lengthy questioning of the witness by Chairman Graham who later asked that the company's books for the war period be furnished the committee. Mr. Long complied with the chairman's request.

SEARCH IN VAIN FOR FUGITIVE Alleged Slayer of Vanis Workman Escapes.

since that time. Searching parties, aided by the sheriff of Jasper county, with his deputies, are making a determined search for the negro. The negro's relatives state most positively that they have not seen him since he struck the lad and deny knowledge of his whereabouts.

The negro boy has never before been away from home any distance, and it is not thought that he has gone to any city or nearby town to hide himself. The general belief is that after he realized what he had done he went into a dense swamp near Mr. Workman's home or into the Savannah river swamps, and that he is lost therein. The officers are taking every step to protect the negro if caught.

COORDINATION IDEA FOR ROMAN CATHOLICS

Activities of Score of Lay Organizations May Be Joined Together.

Chicago, May 5.—Coordination of the activities of Roman Catholic laymen and of a score of lay organizations of a semi-religious, charitable or fraternal character throughout the United States by means of the organization of one great national body was begun today by delegates from all parts of the country. Representatives of the American Federation of Catholic societies, the Knights of Columbus, Catholic Order of Foresters, Knights of St. John, Associated Catholic Charities of Chicago, and other cities participated in the discussion preliminary to the adoption of a program.

"The idea of coordinating all Catholic order" lay activities has long been urged by the hierarchy and has become a necessity," Bishop Joseph Schrembs of Toledo, supervisor of Catholic lay activities said. "We can form a directing organization representative of 15,000 adult Catholics and with such backing, an accomplishment such in the way of advancement of religion, education and welfare work."

"The national organization will be comparative, but elastic and none of the societies participating will lose its identity. Once organized the work of the Roman Catholic laymen may be distributed properly and carried out without conflict or waste."

POSTAL EMPLOYEES MUST GET INCREASE

Washington, May 5.—Urging increased pay for postal employees, Representative Davey Democrat, of Ohio declared today in the house that the postal service would collapse soon after July 1 unless congress provided financial relief before that time.

"In all industrial centers the mail service is rapidly going to pieces," said Mr. Davey, adding that "grossly inadequate salaries" were causing employees to quit so frequently that the labor turnover alone would cause a private business to become bankrupt. Temporary employees, he said, quit their jobs when assigned to permanent appointments because their pay is automatically reduced 12 cents an hour.



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