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KILLS WIFE AND SELF.

Double Tragedy Enacted at Newton, Mass., Home.

Newton, Mass., May 2.—William C. Powell, publisher of the Boston Daily Globe, shot and killed his wife, Leona, when in the library of their summer home here. He then went to a room in the upper part of the house and committed suicide.

A servant said tonight that she saw Powell chasing his wife about the house with an automatic pistol and that a few minutes later she heard shots. Rushing into the library she found Mrs. Powell lying from bullet wounds. A minute later another shot rang out and when police officers arrived Powell was found dead in an upper room with a bullet through his head.

Friends expressed the belief that Powell was suffering from temporary insanity. Mrs. Powell was the widow of the late R. H. White, a prominent Boston merchant.

FIRE CHECKED AFTER THREAT

Flames Attack Roof of Treasury Building. Sparks Swept by Light Wind in General Direction of White House.

Washington, May 3.—Flames which burst from the roof of the treasury department shortly after 1:30 a. m. today, eating their way through a superstructure and spreading to the central portions of the roof, were brought under control after threatening heavy damage to the building.

The flames lit up a large part of the downtown section and sparks were wafted across the street to the White House lawn. Awakened by White House attendants, President Wilson, Harding, and the cabinet watched the progress of the flames from a window.

The fire broke out at about 1:45 a. m. today. Rapidly gaining headway in a low superstructure on the roof, the flames in a few minutes were leaping 20 feet in the air.

Following an explosion of chemicals stored where the fire originated, the flames appeared to be rapidly gaining headway. Four alarms had been turned in 15 minutes after the fire was discovered.

Several smaller explosions occurred in quick succession as the flames rose to a height of 30 or 40 feet and appeared to be enveloping the entire central portion of the roof. Sparks from the fire were being swept by a light southeast wind in the general direction of the White House, but it was believed that structure was in no danger.

Thirty minutes after the fire began the glow of the leaping flames was lighting up the entire downtown section of the city, casting a dull light over the White House and the Washington monument.

WOMEN SWINDLE 'DYING SOLDIERS'

Veterans at Kenilworth and Otzen Army Not Immune. Bureau at Washington Has Taken Careful Investigation of Matter and Ordered Investigation.

Anneville, May 2.—Chief M. P. McInerney, of the postal investigating section of the United States veterans' bureau, Washington, who has been in Anneville and vicinity for the purpose of investigating reported schemes employed, particularly by women, to obtain the insurance money of soldiers at Otzen and Kenilworth hospitals, tonight stated he could not identify the names of those involved by the investigation, but stated he would make his report direct to Colonel Forbes, director of the veterans' bureau, and that action would be taken by the director.

It is alleged that persons, the cases investigated involving women only, have by various and sly methods induced men while on their death bed to make will designating all their property and insurance carried with the government and otherwise over to them. This practice is said to have existed in several of the government hospitals, and the veterans' bureau has expressed determination to exterminate such agencies of swindling the parents, wives and relatives out of money, which would have accrued to them, had not the sinister motive of preying persons swayed the good intentions of dying veterans while in weakened condition mentally and physically.

REFUGEES POURING INTO UPLAND STATES

Rain Adds to Suffering of Thousands Driven from Homes in Mississippi Valley.

New Orleans, May 1.—Relief organizations were continuing to work today to prevent hunger, exposure and disease among the tens of thousands of homeless in the stricken flood zones of Louisiana and Mississippi. Particular efforts were directed to the area in central eastern Louisiana where a lake of more than 100 square miles now exists on eroding fertile farm lands and intruding commercial dikes as a result of breaking of the levees of the Mississippi river near Ferriday, La. Harrisonburg, La., far west of the river but yet in the flood zone, continues to present the most serious problem. Food is the crying need of the thousands of residents and several thousands refugees who fled to that town or were brought there by their rescuers.

Stocks of local merchants have become exhausted. Today it was reported that some food has been brought by boat from higher elevations. It was reported that a boat will last until a boat with food which left New Orleans last Saturday arrives. In addition to those in need of relief, it was reported that boats laden with 1,000 more refugees were en route today.

Old men and women and children upon their arrival in Harrisonburg already showed the effects of undernourishment as the back waters of the rivers had been creeping into their homes for many days before they decided to flee.

DEFENSE BEGINS IN NURSE'S TRIAL

Case Against Sarah Knox Completed. Prosecution Has Two More Witnesses to Present in Virginia Court.

Montross, Va., May 2.—Taking of testimony in the trial of Miss Sarah E. Knox, Baltimore nurse, charged with the murder at Colonial Beach of Mrs. Margaret L. Eastlake, is expected to be completed tomorrow. The prosecution announced today it had only two more witnesses to present had defense counsel said they expected to rest their case before noon. Several defense witnesses were heard today because of the inability of the prosecutor's final witness to appear. The latter will testify early tomorrow.

Roger D. Eastlake, chief petty officer of the navy, who was acquitted of the charge of murdering his wife, was called by the defense twice today and identified letters written to him by Mrs. Eastlake. He was then permitted to cross-examine Mrs. Knox. It was stated that he held himself ready to return to Montross should he be needed.

Dr. Eastlake was asked to identify a bloodstained hand found near his wife's body, which was introduced as evidence, but said he had never seen it before.

Mrs. Helen S. Athey, wife of a Baltimore physician, and Miss Florence A. Hunt, a graduate nurse of the army, testified for the prosecution today. They said they had known Miss Knox for many years and that she had established a reputation for kindness and amiability. Mrs. Athey, under cross-examination, said the John Hopkins Nurses' association had contributed \$1,000 to help pay for her defense.

Defense testimony was interrupted by an argument over possession of certain letters and the court ordered all available exhibits allowed to have been written by Miss Knox to Eastlake turned over to her counsel.

C. A. Heintken, a veterinarian of St. Mary's Episcopal church at Colonial Beach, called by the defense, testified that he and other members of the church had charged Eastlake with maintaining a general store. This, he said, was emphatically denied by the naval petty officer. He also declared he had seen a hatchet similar to the one found at the scene of the crime in Eastlake's possession "one day when I met him on his way to cut mistletoe."

Thomas J. Nebbit, postmaster and proprietor of a general store at Dahlgren, where the proving ground at which Eastlake was stationed is situated, testified he had sold the petty officer a pipe similar to the one found under Mrs. Eastlake from Miss Knox.

Knut Hansson, the Norwegian groveler, Nobel Prize winner, inventor of the Nobel Prize in blooded stock and in improving his farm at Newby, Theodore Roosevelt, winner of the prize in 1906, gave his \$40,000 to the Foundation for Promoting Industrial Peace.

Advertisement for Plums and Prunes. The good things of this world have to be planned for, worked for, struggled for. There is no easy road to success. The plums are few—the prunes many.

SENATE HAS ITS FIRST VOTES ON TARIFF BILL

Efforts by Democrats to Reduce Certain Rates Are Defeated by Majority.

Washington, May 2.—The senate had its first vote today on the administration tariff bill, approving the committee rate of 5 cents a pound on acetone anhydride after rejecting 21 to 37, an amendment by Senator Brand, democrat, Utah, to cut the duty to the 2-1/2 cents in the underwood bill. The rate in the underwood bill was 8 cents.

Two democrats, Broussard, Louisiana, and Kendrick, Wyoming, voted against the Knox amendment, while one republican, LaFollette, Wisconsin, voted for it. The vote to sustain the committee rate was 47 to 2, King and Williams, democrats, Mississippi, casting the negative votes.

After disposing of this, the first committee amendment, the senate by an overwhelming majority, voted to meet tomorrow at 11 a. m., one hour earlier than usual, and republican leaders plan for the present at least, to extend the daily sessions by this extra hour in an effort to speed up consideration of the tariff measure.

FIRE FATAL SHOT DEFENDING MOTHER

Son Kills Prominent Physician. Slain Man Member of State Board of Medical Examiners—Active in Politics.

Athens, Tenn., April 30.—Dr. Gus Shipley, 52, member of the Tennessee board of medical examiners and well known local physician, was shot and instantly killed here tonight by his son, Jack Shipley, a deputy sheriff.

According to the story of young Shipley, his father was choking Mrs. Shipley, who is an invalid, when her son stepped up behind him and fired a shot into his neck. Father Shipley made a statement defending her son, saying that he was forced to shoot and pleading with officers not to arrest him.

Young Shipley surrendered immediately after the shooting but was not placed in jail pending an investigation by a coroner's jury tomorrow.

Dr. Shipley was one of the foremost physicians of the state and had for some years been a leader in Republican political activities.

HOOPER PLANNING TO REMEDY EVILS OF COAL INDUSTRY

Washington, May 2.—The first indication of the details of the plan now being worked out by Secretary of Commerce Hoover to permanently remedy the evils in the coal industry, was made today.

The report of the Hoover plan is a steady production at all seasons, came from Representative Brand, republican, Indiana, in a speech in the House today.

Mr. Brand held a long conference with President Harding yesterday. The president is understood to have outlined the ideas of Secretary Hoover. Mr. Brand is believed to have referred to this outline.

"Those who are thinking the deepest on this great national problem," he said, "believe summer production of coal is essential to solve the problem. This will be assured, first by making a summer freight rate on coal."

"Second, require the railroads, who consume one-third of the coal produced in the United States, to store their coal during the summer and encourage the public to do as much of it as possible. If the railroads would store their coal during the summer, the war shortage question would be largely settled and the inevitable scramble and profiteering at the approach of winter would not be so noticeable."

WANTED IN YORK FOR KILLING A POLICEMAN

Man Under Arrest at Asheville After Wavers Description of Escaped Criminal.

York, S. C., May 2.—A man suspected of being Frank Moore, who escaped from the York county jail serving a 10-year sentence for complicity in the killing of Policeman E. R. Penninger, of Sharon, has been arrested in Asheville, N. C., and is being held pending identification.

Frank Moore, according to testimony at his trial, held a revolver on bystanders and prevented their interference while his brother, Mills Moore, shot and killed Policeman Penninger. Both made a getaway, but Frank Moore was afterward captured in Raleigh, N. C., brought back and convicted of his part in the killing.

According to a report emanating from Greenville, where Mills Moore once lived, he is dead, but authorities think this report may have been circulated to throw them off the trail.

JEWEL CASE STOLEN ON RAILWAY TRAIN

Mrs. Mitchell Harrison Loses Gem Stones Valued at One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

New York, May 2.—Jewelry valued at \$100,000 was stolen from Mrs. Mitchell Harrison of Philadelphia by a band of crooks believed to have followed her to this city on a train, it became known today when the theft was reported to local authorities.

The case containing the gems, according to Mrs. Harrison, who is prominent in New York, Philadelphia and Washington society, was stolen as the train entered the Aquineta today.

Mrs. Harrison and her family left the Harrison country home in Nokerville, Va., Sunday for New York. She carried the case containing her jewels, which were insured. She placed the case beside her seat in the Pennsylvania station while she helped her daughter with her wraps. When she turned to regain the case it had disappeared.

HERE IS A GOOD ONE ON CUPPY SMITH

Borrowed a Golf Bag and It Began to Leak.

Albany, Ga., April 28.—It shocked the Rev. Dr. C. P. Smith, Jr., it embarrassed an official of the Methodist church, and to the third party of the story, who was actual owner of the "medicine" that was leaking from the borrowed golf bag carried by Rev. Mr. Smith here Thursday, it was nothing short of a dire calamity.

The evangelist and one of the pillars of the Methodist church in which Mr. Smith had been preaching went to the local course for a round of golf. The Rev. Mr. Smith did not own a golf club, so his host borrowed one from "one of the boys."

Soon after leaving the first hole the black cat began to drip. The evangelist tapped the evangelist on the arm and said confidentially:

"Boss, 'y' medicine is leakin' out on that bag."

EXCURSIONS IN THOUGHT.

R. N. Allen, Teacher of Manual Training.

N. B. The following article, written by J. M. Allen, is taken from Vol. 17 of the Educational Review, published by the National School of Vocational Education at Waynesville, N. C. Mr. Allen is a volunteer in the U. S. Army and saw service in France in the Sanitary Corps. He has just been released from the hospital at Orem, and is now preparing to be a journalist at the school mentioned above. This young man's ideas concerning the "flapper" may be read with interest.

THE MODERN GIRL AND FREEDOM.

John D. Allen.

"What is wrong with the modern girl? More and more this question is being asked. Anxious parents, earnest ministers and sincere but misguided social reformers concern themselves with the apparently grave problem. Long-haired and thick-lipped justice rant against the flapper, denounce the knee skirt and perfumed elegance as brazen symbols of total depravity. The wave of popular concern has penetrated even the labyrinthine depths of state legislative halls, and dignified lawmakers contemplate seriously the advisability of enacting laws to check the manifestations of this restless spirit which animates the girl of today.

But there is nothing wrong with the modern girl. She is now, as she always has been and will always be, the physical and spiritual complement of the other sex. That way lies her path of duty; and from it, by very nature, she can not stray far. She does not really desire to do so, cynics to the contrary. It is rather that something has happened to her, and that thing is freedom, freedom such as she has never known, and hardly dreamt of, before. She is always has been and will always be, the physical and spiritual complement of the other sex. That way lies her path of duty; and from it, by very nature, she can not stray far. She does not really desire to do so, cynics to the contrary. It is rather that something has happened to her, and that thing is freedom, freedom such as she has never known, and hardly dreamt of, before.

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COTTON CROP IS GIVEN SETBACK

Weather Conditions During the Week Decidedly Unfavorable. Generally too Cool for Germination and Growth with Excessive Rains.

Washington, May 3.—Conditions affecting the cotton crop during the week ending yesterday were described as decidedly unfavorable by the weather bureau today in its weekly weather and crop review. Reports summarized by the bureau in a review said that in general it was too cool for the best germination and growth of cotton and this was combined with excessive rains west of the Mississippi river.

"Cotton made fairly good progress in a few southern Texas counties where chapping was under way," said the review, "but elsewhere the advance was poor and the unfavorable conditions for germination will make much replanting necessary in both Texas and Oklahoma. The weather was somewhat more favorable east of the Mississippi despite the rather low temperatures, and planting made fairly good progress in most districts, although there was some delay in portions of this section also.

"Beneficial rains occurred in southern Virginia transmitted to good stand in southern Alabama, but the condition and progress are poor generally in Florida. East of the Mississippi the weather is progressing slowly to the northern limit of the belt."

Rains in Florida, the review said, improved citrus fruit in some localities, but the fruit is being damaged heavily in the central and southern portions of the peninsula. Southeastern Virginia strawberries are going well, but the crop is not very large. South Carolina, but it was too cool. Tobacco showed improvement in the lower Ohio valley. Truck crops were retarded by cool weather in the southeast.

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FRIDAY, MAY 5.

And another explanation of tight money is tax free securities.

At times we suspect that a "complex" is just highbrow for darned means.

In these days of self service eating stations, the good digestions also die young.

It isn't really a home unless the living room rug shows more wear than the automobile cushions.

If the man is clean shaven, it is much more difficult to tell whether he had egg for breakfast.

Success is three parts the will of get there and seven parts the conviction that you can make it.

The quoted price of champagne in France causes a pain on this side of the water that isn't sham.

Apparently half the world thinks opportunity consists in a vacant lot where, one may start a filling station.

England, France and Italy love one another and will fight. So they let Greece and Turkey do it by proxy.

About the only thing to be said for prohibition jokers is that they save us the affliction of more Ford jokers.

That electrician who can make a thunder storm at will can be of service when the fifth inning finds the home team hopeless behind.

Oh, very well. Let feminism have its way; and then some day there will be a war to establish freedom of the b's.

There's one good thing about bootleg whiskey. The chap who drinks it is usually dead before he gets to the quarrelsome stage.

The reason the old fashioned boy worked more than the modern boy was because of the history that lay in staid above the kitchen door.

About the only thing to be said for Polish cubans in a closed car is that the garage mechanic likes to use them for a towel.

We are not surprised that a cornet that has been played by the twentieth century. That's what a mat gets for not tooing his own horn.

It is the lot of man to strive; it is the fortune of intelligent men to strive for what is worth while.

The Bishopville Leader and Vindicator has been threatened with a suit unless it remits \$500 on account of an editorial which recently appeared in that newspaper.

With reference to parties who visited Bishopville endeavoring to sell both weevil exterminators.

The News judges from the editorial that the Chief of Police of Bishopville moved from the streets a man who was trying to sell some kind of a bull weevil machine.

However, the article does not state what kind of a machine it was the parties were trying to sell.

Near a small town in eastern Pennsylvania an underground fire has been burning some of the finest anthracite coal in the world.

More than 60 years ago the mine caught fire from the little lamp on a miner's hat, and so far as we know, no one has since succeeded in extinguishing it.

It has consumed more than 50 acres of valuable fuel, and more than a million dollars have been spent in trying to put it out.

A tremendous office of power there has been! What a world the coal might have done in the world! How many cities it might have run! What schools and churches it might have warmed! What hearths it might have cheered! Now it is gone; but the sad thing is not that it is gone, but that it was wasted.

All round us there are burning mines. Our Creator has endowed every life with wonderful powers that are capable either of benefiting the world or of consuming them.

Some of these powers, when they serve with their own lusts, think of the man whose heart has been kindled from a spark from a quarrel, perhaps with his own son; he vows that he will never forgive, and through the rest of his life hatred and bitterness smolder in his heart.

Sometimes the life catches fire from some little business transaction that was profitable but not quite honest. Then the talk for more money rather than for clean money runs hotter in the heart.

It is the very foundations of truth and honesty are burned out of it. How often the spark that kindles the life is merely a love of pleasure. Such a life is truly a waste of riches. God's resources must not be squandered.

dered but to put his purposes. "Sixty years, a burning mine" the words sum up 90 lives out of every 100. But if they to whom the lives were given had been willing to take Christ's yoke upon them and learn of Him, how He would have made the whole 90 cents for good! What people would have been cheered! What burdens would have been lifted! What heartaches would have been banished! What misery would have been saved to serve humanity.

COUNCIL MEETING.

Clerk, Chief of Police and Patrolman New Aldermen Sworn in—City Re-elected for New Term—Other Matters.

The regular monthly meeting of the city council was held last Tuesday evening with the following present: Mayor Byars and Aldermen Hamilton, Whitlock, Cole, Nichols, Peden, Lee, Tsey and White.

The treasurer read his monthly report after which he read the annual report for the fiscal year, which was received and ordered printed in the local newspapers.

The report of the Chief of Police for the month of April showed that only 20 arrests had been made and that the fines amounted to only \$254.60.

A veterinary bill amounting to \$21.00, which had been referred to a committee was brought up. This bill was on account of attention to the shoulders of the horses which pull the street flasher and had been taken up by the committee with Mr. Alex Frazer, from whom the horses were purchased. Mr. Frazer offered to pay one-half the bill, which was taken up and carried.

The report of the managers of the election held Tuesday was read and showed that Messrs. White, Davidson, Peden and Young had been elected from the various wards of the city. Mayor Byars then thanked the outgoing members of the council for their faithful operation and support for the past year, after which the new members were sworn in.

When the Dramland Theatre was rebuilt some time ago provision was made for colored people in the balcony but none have been allowed to go there on account of an ordinance which prohibited mixed seating in picture audiences.

A representative of the theatre appeared before council and asked that the ordinance be amended to allow colored people in the balcony, a separate place for buying tickets and also separate entrance being provided.

Council granted the permission. E. N. Isom, colored, appeared before council as spokesman for the colored council as spokesman for the colored council as spokesman for the colored council.

He requested that the city's street force and machinery would be used on the road not to exceed two days.

On the next matter to come up was that of election of officers for the ensuing year. On motion of Mr. Peden, Mr. O. A. Lee was elected as Mayor Pro-Tem.

On motion of Mr. Lee, seconded by Mr. Hamilton, Mr. J. H. McLure, was re-elected as city clerk and treasurer, at the same salary.

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The entire force of patrolmen, consisting of four, were also re-elected, all at the same salaries. Mr. H. L. Marion was re-elected as City Attorney.

Mr. Griger appeared before the council with reference to selling watermelons and fruits in Chester. The ordinance states that one must have a place of business in the city in which to do business and council did not see fit to make any changes in the ordinance and the request was not granted.

The City Clerk was instructed to take the matter of repairing several holes in the asphalt street up with the Hudson Construction Co., again and in a very forcible manner.

Dr. Boldridge asked permission to trade one of the horses in his department and permission was granted provided that not more than forty dollars was expended in the trade.

The master of a cement pavement on the south side of Saluda street was disbursed but no action taken in the petition has not yet been handed in and also the city's financial condition will not permit the expenditure at the present time.

Council adjourned.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

In accordance with the wishes of the citizens attending the County Democratic convention held in Chester, on Monday, May 1st, and also in accordance with a resolution passed by the Convention, the Chairman of the County Board of Directors hereby calls a mass meeting to be held at the Court House, in Chester, on Monday, May 15th, at eleven o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of discussing the working of roads, etc., in Chester county.

L. M. WOOTEN, Chairman, County Board of Directors. Chester, May 5th, 1922.

Freight Train Piles Up When Engines Leaves Ralls. Wrecking Crews From Columbia and Charlotte Descended to Scene.

One of the worst railroad wrecks in years occurred near Chester Wednesday morning at Ogden, six miles south of Rock Hill, when an engine and 29 freight cars were piled in tangled mass, the horses and the engine and another seriously injured. It was late Wednesday before two wrecking crews succeeded in clearing the track.

G. D. Miller, negro fireman, Columbia, was instantly killed when the engine fell on him. His body horribly mangled, was taken to Rock Hill and prepared for burial. Zell Brown, negro brakeman, also of Columbia, had his left hand badly mangled. It was stated the member might be saved, engineer Bill Pritch seemingly miraculously escaped with no injuries. Conductor F. B. Griffin, of Columbia, was in charge. A special, with physicians on board, was immediately dispatched, while wrecking crews from Columbia and Charlotte were summoned.

Special freight 4219 was running north at about 30 miles an hour. Engineer picking off the engine rock and applied the brakes. He said the engine stalled on the track. The trailing cars piled one on the other, scattering lumber and other commodities promiscuously. Four tank cars of gasoline were included, and the impact broke the tanks loose, which and the explosive trickled from their numerous streams, locking, however, the wreckage did not catch on fire.

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Winthrop College SCHOLARSHIP AND ENTRANCE EXAMINATION. The examination for the award of vacant scholarships in Winthrop College and for admission of new students will be held at the County Court House on Friday, July 7, at 9 a. m. Applicants must not be less than sixteen years of age. When scholarships are vacant after July 1 they will be awarded to those making the highest average in the examination, provided they meet the conditions governing the award. Applicants for scholarships should write to President Johnson before the examination for Scholarship examination blanks. Scholarships are worth \$100 and free tuition. The examination opens September 10th, 1922. For further information and catalogue, address Pres. D. B. Johnson, Rock Hill, S. C. 2-5 p.

FOR JUDGE OF PROBATE. I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-nomination for the office of Judge of Probate, and pledge myself to abide by the results of the Democratic primary. A. W. WISE.

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A special, with physicians on board, was immediately dispatched, while wrecking crews from Columbia and Charlotte were summoned.

Special freight 4219 was running north at about 30 miles an hour. Engineer picking off the engine rock and applied the brakes. He said the engine stalled on the track.

The trailing cars piled one on the other, scattering lumber and other commodities promiscuously. Four tank cars of gasoline were included, and the impact broke the tanks loose, which and the explosive trickled from their numerous streams, locking, however, the wreckage did not catch on fire.

L. M. WOOTEN, Chairman, County Board of Directors. Chester, May 5th, 1922.

EVANGELIST McLENDON JOINS BAPTIST CHURCH

Concludes "Greatest Meeting in the History of Fort Worth," Says Texas Pastor.

The following article is from the Charlotte Observer of Wednesday: After conducting "the greatest meeting in the history of Fort Worth," says Rev. Baxter P. McLendon, noted evangelist, has joined the First Baptist church of Fort Worth, Texas, according to a telegraphic dispatch received by The Observer yesterday from the pastor of that church, Rev. J. Frank Norris.

This announcement will be read with interest by thousands in this section of the Carolinas who have heard Mr. McLendon in meetings held at Spencer and many other places during recent months and years. Mr. McLendon's home is at Bennettsville, S. C. He is scheduled to hold an evangelistic campaign in the near future at Kinston, near Concord, N. C.

The telegram from Fort Worth, signed by the pastor of the First Baptist church of that city, reads as follows: "Evangelist Cyclone McLendon has just closed the greatest meeting in the history of Fort Worth. Sam Jones and Billy Sunday have been here, but McLendon held the greatest meeting."

The meeting was held in the First Baptist church and was held while the pastor, Dr. J. L. Frank Norris, was in New York city.

"Over four hundred have united with the church. The results will go over a thousand. Baxter McLendon is the greatest evangelist on the American platform."

"He joined the First Baptist church Monday night."

ALDERMAN, WARD 1. The friends of Mr. M. H. White, believing that he is a man who has his community's very best interests at heart and would render the best of service in any public capacity, hereby nominate him for Alderman from Ward 1, subject to the result of the municipal election in May.

FOR ALDERMAN WARD 2. The friends of Mr. Z. V. Davidson hereby announce him as a candidate for the office of Alderman from Ward 2, subject to the rules governing the municipal election to be held in May.

Fun Specialist Extraordinary at Redpath Chautauqua

One of the high spots of the coming Redpath Chautauqua will be the appearance, on the last night, of Jess Pugh, widely-known fun specialist extraordinary.

Jess Pugh is the entertainer and widely-known interpreter of the humorous comedy sketch. "The Snuff Stricker Reader" which has generated fun in countless communities throughout the country.

It has come to be a classic in character interpretation and improvisation comedy.

"The Snuff Stricker Reader" program on Mr. Pugh's Chautauqua program has been the greatest success of the season, together with other comic sketches, impersonations, dialect numbers and a sprinkling of serious interludes.

Those who hear Jess Pugh will figure one of the most popular of the Lycopodium and Chautauqua entertainers of today.

LEGAL NOTICE. State of South Carolina, County of Chester. I, A. W. Wise, Esquire, Probate Judge: Whereas, Mrs. Isabella H. Stringfellow made suit to me to grant her letters of administration of the estate of and effects of Jas. H. Stringfellow, deceased.

These are, therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said Jas. H. Stringfellow, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Chester, S. C., on May 11th, 1922, next, after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand, this 26th, day of April 1922. A. W. Wise, Judge of Probate.

TO THE TRADE. We are erecting two storage tanks for the purpose of handling motor oils in car lots. This will put us in shape to serve you better, in quality and price.

Consumers Oil Company

Consumers Oil Company

GOING INTO DAIRYING? If so, you will need a De Laval Separator. Sold By Carolina Electric-Machinery Company Chester, S. C.

Special Sale of Spring Dresses. We received by express today, a large assortment of SPRING DRESSES. The materials are Gingham, Linens, Eponges, Organdies, and Cantons. These dresses will be on sale Today and Saturday at special prices. We invite you to call and see these beautiful new dresses. The styles and especially the price will appeal to you. Joseph Wylie & Co.

Joseph Wylie & Co.

SEPARATORS

We understand the Creamery is to open in a few days and you want to be ready to sell them cream.

You cannot sell cream unless you have a Separator. We are agents for one of the best on the market,

The SHARPLES

It's cheaper than any other separator, it's simpler and is guaranteed to separate clean at any speed.

Come in and let us demonstrate it to you.

A Separator will pay for itself in a short time.

The S. M. Jones Comp'y

Moral and Personal

Have You Seen the beautiful ging-ham dresses they are showing at The S. M. Jones Co?

Rev. W. A. Tobin, of Rock Hill, spent last Tuesday in Chester.

Dr. W. E. Anderson and Messrs. M. R. Clark and K. H. Hough went to Rock Hill last Tuesday night to attend a Shriners' banquet at which the plans for the big meeting in Rock Hill on May 18th, were discussed.

Chalmers Union Suits, they are worth \$1.25, but are now selling them for 95 cents, Wylie & Co.

Mrs. H. C. Griffin, of Rock Hill, spent last Wednesday afternoon in Chester with Mrs. C. M. Rakestraw, on Academy street.

Mrs. W. E. Caughman, of Columbia, spent several days in Chester this week with Mrs. J. W. Peggam, on Wylie street.

Quality Tires and Tubes at good price. Chester Hardware Co.

Mr. Gus Reid, of Rock Hill, was a Chester visitor yesterday.

Material is being placed on the lot on York street for the erection of the Presbyterian manse and work will start on the new manse at an early date.

Mr. J. E. Hough went to Lancaster this morning to visit relatives.

For Sale—One fresh Grade Jersey milk cow, with second calf; calf one week old in splendid condition and a good milker. James H. Glenn.

Rev. W. A. Masabau, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. B. Clyde Carter, for several days, has returned to his home at Johnsonville. Rev. Masabau is thinking of making Chester his home.

We have received another shipment of Patent Leather strap pumps. Call and see them. The S. M. Jones Co.

Attention is called to a notice in this issue by Mr. L. M. Wooten, chairman of the County Board of Directors, calling for a mass meeting at the Court House on Monday, May 15th, at which time citizens will meet with the board to discuss roads, etc., in the county. This meeting is being called in accordance with a resolution passed at the County Democratic Convention held last Monday.

Miss Wylie Turner is spending a few days in Charlotte with her sister, Mrs. Ralph Wall.

Voices, Rattles, Organdies, etc. prettiest line in Chester, prices low and up. See them. Wylie & Co.

Mr. Chas. Taylor, formerly with White's Pharmacy, is now traveling for the E. L. Barton Shirt factory.

Mrs. Morris, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Carter, was called to her home in Petersburg, Va., on account of the illness of her mother.

A young son of Mr. Claud Collins, at Catawba Junction, had the misfortune to get his hand cut off in the mud mill at that pottery, at Catawba Junction one day last week.

Difficulties which have delayed the letting of contracts for two bridges across Lynch's river have been overcome, and the commissioners of Lancaster and Chesterfield counties will let the contract for W. Gregg. Mrs. Hunter is a very popular young lady with many friends in Rock Hill. Mr. Hunter is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Hunter of Lancaster, and holds a responsible position with Thomason & Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Hunter arrived in Lancaster Tuesday and will make their home here—Lancaster Citizen.

Miss Mary Frances Francisco, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Francisco, of Rock Hill, and Mr. James Everett Hunter of Lancaster, were married Sunday afternoon at four o'clock at Rock Hill by Dr. F. W. Gregg. Mrs. Hunter is a very popular young lady with many friends in Rock Hill. Mr. Hunter is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Hunter of Lancaster, and holds a responsible position with Thomason & Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Hunter arrived in Lancaster Tuesday and will make their home here—Lancaster Citizen.

Milwaukee firmers make old Ford run good and new Fords run better. Chester Hardware Co.

After one of the bitterest municipal campaigns ever held in Columbia, last Tuesday William A. Coleman, president of the Bank of Columbia, was elected mayor of the city, over John W. Richardson, former Chief of Police. Coleman's margin was 511 votes. The voters of Columbia took a very active part in the election. Mr. Coleman has quite a number of friends in Chester.

For Sale—One 3-4 Ton Truck. Reo speed wagon. Chester Laundry, 17.

The South Carolina Tax Commission has announced the time for making and paying state income tax until May 15th. The tax commission has issued an affidavit from every person who made a return to the federal authorities whether they had to pay an income tax or not.

Prestige Line of colored rollers in the city at Wylie's.

The department of agriculture at Washington has just issued a bulletin, No. 1016, entitled "Wild-Beetle-Tomatoes," in which the grower of tomatoes will find much valuable information. The bulletin may be had upon application to the department or to Clemson College. It gives a history of the development and a description of each of the will-resistant varieties and tells how such varieties may be originated. Growers are finding it a valuable guide in selecting the most suitable variety for their conditions and for selecting resistant seed tomatoes for their own planting.

J. H. White—Short and Long distance hauling. Phone 350-3. TII 515

Dr. J. E. Corwell has a supply of rabies antidote on hand and if you own a valuable dog they suspect of being liable to rabies they would do well to see Dr. Corwell.

"Collins Cuts The Price." You have paid \$1.50 for shirts we will now for 75c cents. Neat dress shirts, look 'em over. Big stock of Men's dress oxfords, \$3.50. Big stock of Men's Brogue oxfords at \$3.00. \$2.00 on Freight suits must go for \$1.75. 50c. Silly dresses \$2.50 and up. The J. T. Collins Department Store

"We Cut the Price for Spot Cash." \$1.50 dress shirts for 75c. Men's blue shoes for \$1.75. Men's union suits for 75c. 39 inch heavy Sealand sheeting for 8-13 cents. 36 inch Taffeta silk \$12.50. 36 inch Mercereized pongee \$35 cents. The J. T. Collins Department Store

On last Tuesday morning the condition of the large jeweler's safe of Mr. H. K. Hough refused to work and notwithstanding the fact that an effort was made to work the combination practically all day Tuesday the safe refused to come open. Wednesday an expert safe man from Charlotte was called in and he made an effort to bore holes into the combination but after getting a hole about three inches deep struck very hard steel which could not be drilled with the drills found around here. Mr. Hough has taken the matter up with the manufacturers of the safe and is expecting to get assistance from them.

Special Ladies' \$10.00 and \$12.50 overalls and pumps, brown, black and gray, all sizes at \$2.50 a pair. The S. M. Jones Co.

The News is in receipt of a report stating that it is estimated that there will be an increase in the cotton acreage of about 10 per cent this year over last year. It is stated that there can be no definite estimate made of the acreage until the early part of July. It is also shown that the sale of commercial fertilizer sales in Mississippi is 250 per cent above last year; in Alabama and Louisiana 50 per cent. There has also been a slight increase in the amount used in Georgia.

Something new for this section of the country will happen in Charlotte on May 20th, when spiffers will be placed at several points in the post office, the mammoth crowd, expected to attend the 20th of May celebration, in hearing every word by the speakers. The voices of the speakers will be magnified fifty times. Among the speakers will be General Pershing, Hanford MacNider, national commander of the American Legion, and Governor Harrison, of North Carolina.

According to an estimate of B. B. Hare, Agricultural Statistician in South Carolina for the Bureau of markets and crop estimates, the value of the leading crops in Chester county for the year 1921 was \$3,182,772. This is an average value of \$756 per farm and an average yield of 2,512 per acre. Hare stated Mr. Hare says that 4.4 bales of cotton were produced in Chester county per acre operated on farms. In value of products Chester county ranks thirteenth in the State.

The tent which the First Baptist church recently bought, has arrived and has been erected on the lot near the church. The platform and seats are being arranged and the tent will be used for the first time Sunday. The tent was purchased in Detton, Ga.

Notwithstanding the recent advance in the price of cotton every little bit is being offered for sale. The price is now ground 18 cents.

In this issue of The News Judge of Probate A. W. Wise announces himself as a candidate for reelection—Mr. Wise has served the county for several years to the entire satisfaction of the people and his many friends are no believers that he will have any opposing this year.

Mrs. T. W. Barrett is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hamill, of Hamlet, N. C.

The Civic Club will meet at the A. R. P. Church Monday afternoon at four o'clock. Members please note change in hour.

Mr. H. H. Bowen, advance man for the Redpath Chautauque, is in Chester today and is putting out the advertising matter of the Redpath. The tent is expected to arrive Wednesday and will be placed on the College street school grounds. This is the same location as that used last season. Those who have charge of the sale of tickets report that so far approximately \$400 has been taken in. The committee will meet again Monday afternoon to canvass the sale of tickets. Mr. E. B. Persons, of Detroit, Mich., will be the superintendent of the Chautauque this year. Mr. Persons has been with the Redpath people for the past eight years.

At The Churches

Sunday, May 7, 1922.

ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Regular services at 11:15 A. M. and 8 P. M. by the rector. Sunday School at 10 A. M. All cordially welcome.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
Preaching at 11:15 A. M. by the pastor, Dr. Robt. G. Lee. At the night hour there will be a service of thanksgiving for the past year's achievements, at which there will be a number of short talks by the pastor, deacons, and a few others along the lines just indicated. Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. at usual hours. Services in the new tent! All most cordially invited.

A. R. P. CHURCH.
Preaching at 11:15 A. M. and 8 P. M. by the pastor, Dr. D. G. Phillips. Sabbath School at 10 A. M. and Y. P. C. U. at 7:00 P. M. All most cordially welcome.

BETHEL, M. E. CHURCH.
Sunday School Day Program at 11:15 A. M. Preaching at 1 P. M. by the pastor, Rev. Henry Stokes. Sunday School and Epworth League at regular hours. All most cordially invited to these services.

Parity Presbyterian Church.
Services at Parity Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 11:15 a. m., evening services at 8 Sunday School at 10 A. M., Mr. A. M. Aiken, superintendent. Dr. Flournoy Shepperson, pastor.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH.
(Near City Hall)
Third Sunday after Easter, and first Sunday of month. Mass and sermon at 11 A. M. The subject of the sermon will be: "We shall all stand before the judgment seat of Christ" (Romans, 14:10). The public always welcome.

Jess Pugh
Fun Specialist

Q Jess Pugh presents, among numerous other fun specialties, "The Snuff Snicker Reader," which was originated by him and which has generated fun communities throughout the country.

Q Jess Pugh is one of the most popular Chautauque entertainers of the day.

SEVENTH NIGHT
Redpath Chautauque
7 Big Days
SEASON TICKETS \$2.75

Will be in Chester May 15 to 19.



"111" cigarettes
They are Good!
Buy this Cigarette and Save Money

New Council Committees.
Mayor Byars has announced the following council committees for the coming year:

Finance Committee—M. H. White, chairman, D. M. Peden, F. L. Whitlock.

Street Committee—J. W. Young, chairman, F. L. Whitlock, Z. V. Davidson.

Public Works—O. A. Lee, chairman, J. H. Hamilton, B. D. Refo.

Fire Department—J. H. Hamilton, chairman, O. A. Lee, M. H. White.

Public Buildings—Z. V. Davidson, chairman, D. M. Peden, B. D. Refo.

Camery—F. L. Whitlock, chairman, J. H. Hamilton, J. W. Young.

Hayes Wilkes, Chester; Thos. P. Wilkes, Abbeville; and John W. Wilkes, Monroe.

Death of Mrs. B. Frank Wilkes.
Many friends throughout the county will learn with sorrow of the death of Mrs. B. Frank Wilkes which occurred at her home on the Fish Dam road, about seven miles from Chester, last night about ten o'clock.

The funeral will be held tomorrow at twelve o'clock which the interment will be made in the graveyard at Calvary Baptist church.

Mrs. Wilkes was a devoted wife and mother and will be sorely missed by a large circle of friends in the county.

She is survived by her husband, Mr. B. Frank Wilkes, and the following children: Mrs. R. L. Hayes, Chester; Mrs. McLeaster, Gaffney; Mrs. Chas. Wilkes, Chester; Messrs. Hayes Wilkes, Chester; Thos. P. Wilkes, Abbeville; and John W. Wilkes, Monroe.

MARY V. ULMER WINNER.

The baby set to be given away by the Haverly-Rustin Furniture Co. and The Columbia Record was won by Mary V. Ulmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ulmer. She received the sum of 19,162 popular votes. James Bryant Chalk came second with 5,645 votes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Chalk Herman Neal, ran a close third with 3,251 votes, he is the son of Mrs. Mary Neal. The set consists of a vanity dresser and chair, crib, chiffonier and dresser. Little Mary, is the niece of Mr. P. Adelsheimer of this city.

THE OLD RESTAURANT
PLANTER'S C & C OR BLACK CAPSULES
REMEDY FOR MEN.
AT YOUR DRUGGIST.

DR. J. P. YOUNG
Acad. Building
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Glasses Fitted

Men's Tropical
Worsted
Summer Suits
\$16.50
JOS. WYLIE & COMPANY

Trade With Us
It Pays You!

Every purchase of \$2.00 and upward delivered anywhere in Chester.

Chester Cash & Carry Grocery Co.
"The Place To Trade."
Douglas Bldg. "In The Valley"

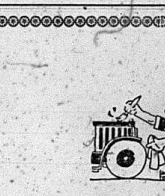
LOOK!
School Children
You can buy an excellent pencil tablet at our store for 4 cents. With each tablet we give a number. On Friday, May 12th, at 4 o'clock we will give the holder of the lucky number a 2-pound box of delicious candy, "Honey Boy" Ice Cream, in cones, 5 cents.

H. L. SCHLOSBERG
IN THE VALLEY

White's Pharmacy
Opposite Postoffice
TRY HYDRO
Hydro recharges any battery instantly, that can be charged by the old method in 36 hours. Hydro does away with the expense of a rental battery. Hydro lengthens the life of your battery.

Remember, if your battery needs recharging Hydro will do it in FIVE MINUTES.
Absolutely guaranteed by Hydro Manufacturing Co., Little Rock, Ark.
Call on us and let us tell you all about HYDRO.

Pryor Service Station



Paint! Paint!!
We are Headquarters for
PAINT AND PAINTER'S SUPPLIES
We handle paint for almost every imaginable job, including paint for all kinds of interior work automobiles, etc.
Don't Buy Before Seeing Us!
Chester Hardware Co.

H. L. SCHLOSBERG
IN THE VALLEY

"Honey Boy" Cream
We are now open for business and we solicit the patronage of the people of this section.
We want you to try our "Honey Boy" Ice Cream and be assured that it is just as good cream as you can find on the market.
We guarantee every gallon we make to be up to the standard.
Ask for "Honey Boy" Ice Cream made by

THE CHESTER ICE CREAM CO.
CHESTER, SOUTH CAROLINA

NEIGHBORHOOD PARTIES FOR KILLING NEBRASKA GOPHERS

The neighborhood idea has been successfully applied to gopher elimination in Furness County, Nebraska, under the direction of a specialist of the Biological Survey and the extension agent in co-operative work of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the State College of Agriculture. The eradication of pocket gophers is very difficult unless all the farms in a district are cleaned up in one campaign. A district two to three miles long is selected by the County Agent, and farmers in this district are invited to a gopher poisoning party. A full attendance is usually secured.

The morning session is given to a demonstration in casting the bait and applying the poison. Sufficient bait is prepared to supply the party for the day. In the afternoon, the party is divided into pairs, one person carrying the bait and placing it in the runways, while the other person uses a prod to locate and open the runways. The county agent or specialist spends some time with each pair, giving instructions. All the infested area represented by the farmers attending the party is covered and poison bait applied. If gophers can be believed, the cause to complete the work. The members of the party invariably stay with the job until it is finished.

In Furness county the work has been confined to the alfalfa fields. In the valley lands along three important streams, the Republican River, and the Beaver and the Sappa Creeks. All last summer, however, were constantly reminded of the importance of the work, and excellent results were obtained from the community field parties in the fall. Over the campaign 2,500 acres were covered. Figuring the advantage to the farmers in being rid of pocket gophers as a bait a ton of alfalfa per acre, this area would mean 1250 tons, or \$10,000 saved.

TREAT CAUSE, NOT SYMPTOM

"Be it enacted by the City Council of some city that it shall henceforth be a misdemeanor, punishable by fine and imprisonment, for any man, woman, or child to have a feverish or inflamed throat."

If any city council did pass such an ordinance, the country would laugh. Forbidding symptoms and leaving the cause untouched would be considered foolish to the point of insanity. Yet what shall be said of the ordinance of a southern city council which has passed an ordinance barring "Jazz" from the stage, public dance, and perhaps from all homes?

"If gophers can be believed, the authorities are now somewhat puzzled to know where ordinary music leaves off and jazz begins. Is jazz caused by symbols and drums? Waggoner music would come under the ban. Is it caused by piccolo notes, high and shrill? Church organs would be heavy offenders! If it jazz when a saxophone moans? Never a band in the country that hasn't a saxophone choir among its instrumentation! However, what is and what is not jazz may be determined by some plank the question is not so much that is prohibited to be jazz and there fore decided, but why prohibit music which system makes the cause untouchable!"

The particular instance will probably afford more amusement than anything else, and the closest of standards in a week. Public opinion would be of dry rot. Sectional hatred or prejudice only would flourish, and narrow-mindedness thrive.

It is the biggest distinctive business in the world and it comes near to the innermost interests of a greater number of men and women than any other institution on earth. No private business however widespread, touches so many lives so often or sharply; no church reaches into so many souls; church members so many, has so many members belong dependent on its maintenance.

"Postal Improvement Week" has just started for May 1, by the Postmaster General. This is the first general campaign of its kind in the Postal Service. It is a general campaign designed to give general education and their organizations, large users of the mail, newspaper, motion picture, advertising, and the entire organization of 320,000 postal workers are all saluted in this country-wide campaign.

Interest in postal improvements. Give your help in it. Address your letters plainly with pen or typewriter. Give street address. Spell out names of States, don't abbreviate. Put your return address in the upper left hand corner of envelope (not on the back) and always look at your letter before dropping it in the mail to see if it is properly addressed. This care in the use of the mails is for your benefit and it spends up the dispatch and delivery of mail matter.

If you have any complaints of poor service make them to your postmaster. He has instructions to investigate them and report to the department.

EVYLYN HANSEN

HELP AT LAST!

Life Insurance For Cattle, Horses, Mules, Hogs and Dogs

LIVE STOCK OWNER—COULD YOU CONVENIENTLY replace that fine cow, horse or mule, should they die from disease, or other causes?


MR. CREDITOR—Would you be protected from LOSS, if the horses, mules, and cattle should die from any cause, that you have as security?

SERVICE TO YOU—The Hartford LIVE STOCK CO. WILL PAY YOUR DOCTOR BILLS in case any of your cattle, horses, or mules are sick from disease or injury, regardless of the time, one day to 365, WITHOUT ONE CENT COST TO YOU.

THE COST—THE COST OF THE PROTECTION is about the COST OF ONE DOCTOR'S VISIT to the country. BETTER BE SAFE THAN SORRY. SEE ME TODAY.

THE HARTFORD LIFE STOCK CO. with its assets of more than \$63,000,000, will protect you from loss and may cause promptly in case of death, from sickness, accident, or any cause.

The Helping Hand is Extended, will you take it?



J. C. Cornwell,
Agent
Chester, South Carolina
"Anything Insurable"

POSTAL IMPROVEMENT WEEK IS OBSERVED

May 1 Sees Inaugurated First General Campaign of Kind in Service.

Without the Postal Service, business would languish in a day, and be set a standard in a week. Public opinion would be of dry rot. Sectional hatred or prejudice only would flourish, and narrow-mindedness thrive.

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COURTESY

It sticks in human relations like postage stamps on letters. THE OFFICE EMPLOYMENT SERVICE is to be used by its postmaster and employees in dealing with the public.

THANK YOU

HAMBONE'S MEDICATIONS

ONE CLOE SHINES JES' S EX MICH EZ NEW CLOS' POS, CEPH HIT'S BIFTUNJ LOOKIN' SHINE II!



This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS and FEVER. One six doses will break any case, and if taken it is quite the same as quinine. It is on the floor bottle, (see label) and does not give a sickish taste.

No. Six-Sixty-Six

This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS and FEVER. One six doses will break any case, and if taken it is quite the same as quinine. It is on the floor bottle, (see label) and does not give a sickish taste.

INCREASED COTTON ACREAGE REDUCES PRICE

So long as cotton is the money crop of the farm, and in many cases quarterly, the only money crop, this crop must have attention, and a large acreage must be planted. But surely there is ample proof for any doubting. Thomas, to show that cotton is a profitable money crop only when it brings a fair price and when the money obtained for it is not spent for corn, oats, hay, meat and other farm supplies, which could be more economically produced on the farm.

The corn acreage will be reduced not only in the South, but most certainly in the Corn Belt of the North. That means better prices or higher prices for corn. The cotton acreage will be increased, probably as much as 10 per cent over 1921. The yield per acre will almost certainly be increased over 1921. Never but once before in the last 60 years have we been as low a yield per acre as in 1921, and it is not within the bounds of reason to expect that we shall make another such low yield in 1922.

Those who claim that the low yields were responsible for the low yield of 1921 and that they will produce a much larger yield in the future, speak without thinking or without due regard to the facts. They should know that Texas has been completely infested with weevils for a dozen years and yet she made 4,200,000 bales of cotton in 1920, just one year before 1921, when she only made about 2,250,000 bales. A yield of 170.8 pounds per acre was added to the infested area in 1921, compared with the whole territory infested in 1920. This newly infested portion constitutes only about 5 per cent of the total cotton-growing area. It ought to be apparent that in 1920 we could make over 15,000,000 bales of cotton and a yield of 170.8 pounds per acre that we can surely make a large cotton crop again in 1922, if the acreage planted is large and the season is favorable.

A 10 per cent increase in acreage is spoken of lightly, as if it were a small matter. It is a tremendously large increase and has only been equaled seven times since 1881, or in forty-one years.

If we planted 32,332,000 acres in 1921 abandoned 2.8 per acre, we would have 3,233,200 acres, as the official reports show, then an increase of 10 per cent over the acreage planted in 1921 will give us a planting of 35,565,000 acres in 1922. We have never planted so large an acreage but five times in our history—the years 1911, 1913, 1914, 1915, and 1920.

With these facts before us, the almost certainty of a decreased corn acreage and higher prices, and an increased cotton acreage and hence prices, how can any farmer allow himself to be put in the position of having to buy corn and other feeds with cotton money, next year?

IT'S NOT WHAT IT COSTS TO GET IN THE NEWS—BUT WHAT IT COSTS YOU TO STAY OUT.

What Does It Cost to Stop Advertising?

You remember James Pyle's Pearl Line. It had been advertised regularly from 1873 to 1907.

Then the trustees of the estate saw a brilliant chance to save money.

They cut out advertising.

Sales dropped like a clap hammer—profits went where soapbuds and bubbles go. In 1914 Pearl Line, like Jess Willard, tried to come back. But it was too late. The business was sold at a price which is said to have covered barely the value of the machinery and inventory.

Moral: A business will grow as long as it advertises.

A salesforce will thrive as long as it TRIES.

You can't make progress against the current unless you keep rowing. But the harder you row, the faster you go.

How much will The News' readers spend in your store?

Doesn't the answer to that question depend upon you?

Advertise—means to sell. Not to advertise usually means to fail.

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Try just one and if it is not the best ribbon you have ever used we will make you a present of an Ekimko pie.

They do not cost any more than the ordinary ribbon and they last five times as long, to say nothing of the real satisfaction you get in using them.

Adequate Financing a Basic Need of Agriculture.

Southern agriculture is possibly the most backwardly undercapitalized. Indeed American agriculture and business enterprises are generally run on inadequate capital. As a result, the agricultural business has developed many enterprises on wind and nerve, or by shoe-string financing.

To meet this condition we have developed a system of banking which has been something more than a medium to aid the exchange of products, but has served in a large measure as a source of capital for many growing and struggling enterprises, in their up-building. It is a system of banking built upon deposit money and organized its function for supplying the needs of merchandising and manufacture. The basis of the system is the short-time loan, thirty to ninety days, which may be called at the end of the time.

It is claimed by some that one-half of the deposit money on which the system is operated belongs to farmers, but they are only able to obtain about 15 per cent in the form of loans.

The farmer must have loans of from three months to three years, without danger or threat of these loans being called in less time.

No country has ever secured adequate agricultural financing from a commercial banking system and America will not do so. Farmers will be for applying a part of their needs the commercial banks, as they are maintained for commerce, but in addition they must have large sums

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