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### Chester News

Thursday and Friday  
at CHESTER, S. C.

REGAN Editor & Owner

120 Main St. Phone 24

at the Postoffice at Cha-

stion Rates in Advance

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on Application.

DAY, MAY 22, 1925.

and while we come

man who seems to be get-

with life. Maybe he has

a considerable quantity of

and financially, he is pass-

for old age with its possi-

ties. This kind of fellow

is to talk to when you have

to do, but if you have

to have any "high aspira-

tion" do better fight the

purpose, because he will certainly

be a damper on anything but

of the ordinary.

never you find a man who

inferred you have found a man

glorious standing still or go-

backward. It is the desire

which makes men get up

and we like to see a man who

desire in his heart for some-

thing. Let a young fellow have

desire for an automobile and

house out of ten if the desire

is strong enough that fellow will

work and keep at it until

his strength money to get that

man resolve that he is

to own a home and if he

is strong enough he will get

home. He might not get it

in year or two but if he keeps

that desire he will eventually

get that home.

is the man who are dissatis-

fied with what they have and who

more that make towns and

Don't become dissatisfied

will become stagnant.

and speaking of desires. There

is a number of people in Ches-

ter who desire water works

and sewage improvements. Now,

if you get enough of our citizens

to desire this much needed

improvement we will

get that within a few

months. Chester will have this

improvement. But so long as

the people are satisfied with

the present state of affairs, we

will have no improvement

for many months ago. The News

started an article about Chester

and the sewage works

and our idea was to assist in

getting a desire among the peo-

ple for these things and we will

do that if we can get enough

Having noticed that the county

nurse over in Greenwood

is putting on a campaign through-

out that county for the purpose

of getting people to kill flies

and making it compulsory to

make it compulsory to read

the attention of our read-

ers.

Flies are a serious menace to

the health of every one and par-

ticularly to babies. The fly not

only breeds but fills, but it carries

its feet and disease germs on

its feet from garbage cans, outdoors

and stable to the babies' lips and

on their food and your food.

The fly is more deadly than any

single disease carrier. It is the most ac-

tive disease carrier.

Every house in Chester county

should be screened.

"Some people," may think they

are not able to screen their houses

and those who feel this way

should give the matter a little

thought and possibly they can

find a way to do it. If you have

around the windows and make a

screen door which will answer the

purpose.

Screening should be particu-

larly to keep the house clean and in

this way the flies will not be at-

tracted to the home.

Keeping flies out of the home

and away from the food may save

a big doctor bill. Get proby and

screen your house and protect the

health of your loved ones.

You know the story about peo-

ple who in places houses about

not throw rocks. Well, William

J. Bryan has found time to per-

secrate a teacher over here in

Tennessee who insists on teach-

ing despite the fact that there

is a state law against it. He

also has time to keep up a rum-

or in the General Assembly of

the Presbyterian church but he

notices that so far he keeps quiet

about it. It's a well known fact

that Miami is a wide open place. You

can get logs of almost any kind

down there and you will also find

plenty of games of chance and

almost anything else bad you

might wish for. But Mr. Bryan is

a Florida real estate developer.

He gets one hundred dollars a day

to talk up Miami real estate and

so far he has heard nothing

from him about the immorality of

Miami. Mr. Bryan is a very busy

returner and we wonder why he

does not do something for the "old

home town." Possibly his field

### HEAT RATE REDUCED.

Southern Public Utilities Com-

pany Makes Reduction in Heat-

ing Rates—Great Saving to Pa-

trons.

An announcement of direct in-

terest to a large number of fami-

lies in Chester, is that by the

Southern Public Utilities Com-

pany containing a new and re-

vised schedule of rates for elec-

tricity for electric ranges, electric

water heaters and similar appli-

cances where the connected load is

four kilowatts or more. This new

schedule, which applies in every

community served by the South-

ern Public Utilities Company, will

effect a saving of many thousands

of dollars a year for the electric

range and water heater customers

of the utilities company. The new

rate schedule is effective at once.

In fact, it applies to the service

for the month that is just pass-

ing. The June bill to be figured at

the new rates.

The new schedule which takes

the place of the old cooking rate

of four cents per kilowatt hour

for electric ranges, water heaters

and similar apparatus, where the con-

nected load is not less than 4 kil-

owatts.

Minimum charges \$2.00 per

month for which energy is sup-

plied up to and including 50 kil-

owatt hours.

For all over 100 kilowatt hours,

3c per kilowatt hour.

In making the announcement

of the new schedule of rates

which action he remarked was in-

line with the well defined policy

of the company to render to its

customers the greatest measure of

service possible at the lowest rates

consistent with sound business pol-

icy. President Marshall made an

interesting and enlightening

statement regarding the large

increase that has been shown re-

cently in the demand for electric-

ity for cooking, heating water,

and other household uses. This state-

ment follows:

"There has been a tremendous

increase recently in the volume

of electric current used for cooking

and for water heating in homes

on the Southern Public Utilities

system, and there is every indica-

tion that the increase in the de-

mand for electricity for these pur-

poses has but just started. This

demand which has already arisen

and the confident anticipation of an

even greater and constantly in-

creasing demand, warrants us, in

offering this lower schedule of

### McGOWAN TAKES CHARGE.

New Chief Highway Commission-

er Takes Charge of Office—

Wants Flat Top Decks Instead

of Roll Top—Too Many Private

Signs on Doors.

Columbia—Samuel McGowan,

newly elected chief highway com-

missioner—and as such the direc-

tor of the highway problems of

South Carolina—went to work

yesterday.

Officially he must take yet a

few steps before being fully fled-

ged commissioner, being a surety

bond, paying a commission, from

Gov. Thomas G. McLeod and take

the oath of office—but these de-

tails aside, the former paymaster

of the United States Navy has

gone to work.

"First, I am going to harden

myself and then harden the

roads of the state," the commis-

sioner said late yesterday after

he had made a partial in-

spection of the highway depart-

ment conferred for a few min-

utes with C. H. Mosfield, state

highway engineer, regarding the

road problems of the state and

gave attention to his correspond-

ence a vast amount of which

has accumulated since his election

acting as his special assistant will

be. As to just what changes of pol-

icy—if any will be made, Ad-

miral McGowan said frankly that

he did not know, for he must

first acquaint himself with the

problems at hand.

There will be a change, how-

ever, in the layout of the high-

way department quarters in the

1000 block of Main street, if the

new schedule of rates will permit

and the demolition of partitions,

the commissioner said. His expe-

rience in the navy has caused him

to place these—as well as roll top

decks, of which there are none at

the highway department, and use

of furniture—on the bar, as he

wants to be able to look out

over the offices and see "what's

going on."

Admiral McGowan has taken as

his office the room which has

been used by the state highway

commission as a meeting place.

Acting as his special assistant will

be W. F. Childers of Laurens.

The inspection yesterday, which

was confined to the executive and

engineering offices and those of

the motor vehicle division, were

made in company with Edgar A.

Brown of Barwell, speaker of the

South Carolina House of Rep-

resentatives. Carroll D. Nance of

son, where surplus war appar-

equipment and the like is in

store. Accompanying Admiral

McGowan will be Mr. Jones and

C. I. Wheeler of Marion, mem-

bers of the commission.

Admiral McGowan is making

his residence at present at the

Jefferson hotel.

### NOTICE OF LOST CERTIFICATE.

NOTICE is hereby given once

a week for six weeks that my Cer-

tificate No. 2487, Series No. 22

for five shares of the Capital

stock of The Chester Building &

Loan Association, dated October

7th, 1924, has been lost or de-

stroyed and has not been dis-

posed of by me in any manner, or pled-

ged or hypothecated; and that I

will make application to the

Chester Building & Loan Associa-

tion to issue a new Certificate in

lieu thereof on June 1st, 1925.

I, SIMPSON HOLLIS

Chester, S. C. Apr. 17th, 1925.

17-24-1-8. 15. 23.

### ITCH!

Itchy skin without question

is due to a skin disease

which can be cured by the

use of the famous

ointment of Dr. Ross.

Itchy skin is a common

trouble and is caused by

the action of the sun, dust,

and other causes. It can

be cured by the use of

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Young Johnson is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson in Royston, Ga.
Dress Specials—\$1.00 and \$1.50 printed and plaid ice crepe dresses, only 59c at The Robert Frazier Co.
Misses Overy Corlick and Helen Wood motored to Jonesville yesterday afternoon and spent last night there with relatives. They returned this morning accompanied by Miss Anne Corlick who has been visiting in Jonesville.
Misses E. E. Jones and W. S. Bingham, of Concord, N. C. are spending today in Chester with friends. Mr. Bingham was formerly of Chester.
Meadames Perry Carter and Keith Hagley spent yesterday in Rock Hill.
Miss Patsy Woods spent yesterday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woods, at Bates, S. C.
Mr. W. R. Spauld was at Rock Hill yesterday.
There is a Bostonian to fit every foot. Try a pair. The Robert Frazier Co.
Mr. Gordon Webb, of Atlanta, Ga., is spending a few days in Chester on business.
Mrs. Brick Kefauver and little son, of Fort Mill, are guests at the home of Mrs. J. R. Kealey, on Church Street.
Mrs. Alex Crawford and Miss Eleanor Crawford, of York, were guests visitors Wednesday.
Mr. N. W. Rice expects to spend this weekend in Madison, Ga., with relatives.
Have You Seen the new Panama hats they are showing at The Robert Frazier Co?
Miss Louise McFadden is expected to arrive today from New York.
Mrs. Irene Slogh, of Washington, D. C., is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Cox, on Pinckney Street.
Mrs. Raynor, of Asheville, N. C. is visiting Mrs. Robert Gager, on York Street.
We Sell The McCall Printed patterns. The Robert Frazier Co.
Messrs. C. D. Crosby and T. D. Atkinson returned yesterday afternoon from a business trip of several days to Hendersonville.
Mrs. W. R. Spauld is visiting relatives in Rock Hill.
The Chester Medical Society entertained at a luncheon at the Myers Hotel last night in honor of Dr. Marcus B. Heyman, of New York City, who is visiting relatives in Chester for a few days. Dr. Heyman is among the natives of Chester who has made good and the citizens of Chester are proud to claim him as one of Chester's native sons.
Quarterly Conference for the Chester Circuit will be held at Bethany Methodist Church, May 31st at 11 A. M.
The Rev. Newton Smith, of the Street of Virginia, will preach Sunday at 11 o'clock at Richmond Presbyterian Church; 3 o'clock P. M. at Cedar Shoals Presbyterian Church; and 8 o'clock at Fort Lawn Church.
The stores rooms in the Bales building on the corner of Main Street, occupied by Hough Jewelry Company and Dr. R. E. Abel, have been leased by Dr. R. E. Abel, and associates who expect to open an ice-cream parlor and confectionery store in the room; occupied by the jewelry company, and will probably rent the room back occupied by Dr. Abel, as a jewelry store. It is understood that one or more jewelers are looking over the Chester place since Mr. Hough has decided to leave Chester. The present leases on the building terminate the first of next January.
The commencement exercises of the Blackstock High School will be held on May 24, 27 and 28 at the high school auditorium. The baccalaureate service will be preached Sunday night by Rev. A. T. Allen, of Edgefield.
The members of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church, who have been worshipping in the President Theatre, are meeting on the Presbyterian church for several weeks during which time the church has been undergoing repairs, will on next Sunday worship again in the church, the work of remodeling having practically been completed. The repairs have been thoroughly overworked and improvements made on it. The new Sunday school building is also making completion and will be ready for occupancy at an early date.
Join The Chamber of Commerce this year.

WOMAN INJURED; THREE ARRESTED
Mrs. B. L. Simpson Struck by Stone. Other Arrests May Follow.
Rock Hill, May 26.—Three arrests had been made early tonight and two more are expected, when a woman in connection with the serious and perhaps fatal injury of Mrs. B. L. Simpson, who was struck by a large stone hurled at her from the trunk of a car, in which she and her husband, prominent farmer of near-by city, were returning from Charlotte at an early this morning.
Officers withheld the names of those against whom warrants have been taken out until additional arrests have been made. Ten or 12 arrests may result from the affair, they say.
The woman injured was reported as still in a critical condition. A surgeon told officers that the skull was fractured in three places and that further work was necessary in sewing the wound in her forehead.
Rock Hill, May 26.—Mrs. B. L. Simpson, wife of a prominent farmer of this section, lies seriously injured, awaiting a further skull fracture in two places—as the result of having been struck by a large stone alleged to have been hurled through the windshield of the automobile in which she and her husband were riding about 5 o'clock Wednesday morning, according to the report of city and police officers, who are conducting an investigation.
The automobile in question is about one mile from the city on the Rock Hill-Charlotte highway, as Mr. and Mrs. Simpson with their two children were returning to their home from Charlotte. A crowd of perhaps a dozen men, alleged by officers to have been drunk and in a bad way, were reported to have been engaged in a drunken brawl and to have hurled a large stone through the windshield of the automobile. Mr. Simpson escaped injury but glass from the broken windshield painfully lacerated the "child's" face, it was said. One eye has already been made, definite and additional arrests are expected.
The large rock, bloodstained and weighing more than two pounds, is held as evidence.
Va. Refund License Money
According to an announcement from State Treasurer Carter's office Tuesday it was stated that vouchers would be mailed Wednesday next to the various county treasurers in South Carolina for the refund of motor vehicle license paid by South Carolinians before the passage of the present automobile license law. The refunds will amount to twenty-five per cent.
The fund given to each county will be disbursed by the county treasurer to owners of automobiles who paid the license before the 1925 license for this year. If the legislature decided upon the decrease.
According to the voucher to each of the 46 counties in the state, will be a list, prepared by the state highway department, of those who paid license before the reduction went into effect.
The refunds in Chester county will be \$25,000, according to the announcement made by the state treasurer.
A MARRIAGE AT CATAWBA
(Continued).
An interesting affair was the party of which Mrs. W. H. Spencer and Mrs. A. E. McFadden entertained last Friday afternoon at the home of the former, at Catawba.
The decorations were sweet peas and pink posies, the color scheme being pink and white.
An interesting comedy, "A Shakespearean Romance," was engaged in for a night. The prize was won by Miss Vivian Martin, which she presented to the guest of honor.
There came the solving of a most interesting crossword puzzle," which announced the coming marriage of the hostesses, Misses M. H. Williams and Charles Murphy, of Edgeboro. The wedding will take place in June and will be of interest to many in the entertaining city.
The bride-elect was a lovely young girl of better class, with hair with hat to match.
Miss Williams is the daughter of Mrs. N. W. Williams, of Leslie, and has a number of friends and admirers. She was educated at Windsor College, Edgeboro, and is now at the State College, at Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
He holds a responsible office position in the Manetta Cotton Mills.

THE JUNIOR PLAY
The stars is all set for "Whose Little Bride A' You?" and the curtain rises promptly at 8 o'clock this evening. Since the Junior have their reception for the Senior at the play, there can be no delay; so everybody must come early to see the opening scene.
Reserved seat sale at Chester Irving Company.
Each member of the cast of "Whose Little Bride A' You?" was introduced in chapel exercises at the High School yesterday morning, and the pupils got just enough idea as to the nature of the play to insure their attendance tonight.
Such talent as is displayed by these young actors should draw a full house.
DIES BY OWN HAND
H. A. White of Winaboro Shot Self Through Head.
Winaboro, May 21.—H. A. White, until recently employed in the Winaboro mills, committed suicide Monday afternoon by shooting himself through the head with a 32 caliber pistol.
Mr. White shot himself while on the floor the bullet passing through his head and entering the nape of his left arm.
Mr. White, who was 63 years of age, had been in ill health for some time, and it was known that he was suffering from some mental derangement. It was thought necessary to hold an inquest.
NOTICE
On account of my general practice requiring my closest attention and not being able to give the time to the Trusteeship of The Pryor Hospital I have disposed of this Trusteeship to Dr. H. C. McEdden. My relation to the Pryor Hospital as one of the visiting physicians will remain the same.
GEORGE A. JONES,
Chester, S. C., May 18, 1925.

MY PRAYER
Lord, let me bring a little grace
To every dark and gloomy place;
Let me rejoice that I can give
Some splendor to the life I live;
A little faith when I am tried,
A little joy when I am hid,
A touch of friendliness, now and then
To mark my comradeship with men;
Lord, let me bring a little mirth
To all who share my joys on earth;
Let something I have said or done
Bring gladness from record-book;
To prove the man I tried to be
And made men glad they walked with me;
A flower, a smile, a word of cheer,
Make these my gifts from year to year.
For with high renown I ask,
Let me bring merit to my task;
A fair compensation I would be
For all who share life's toil with me;
When heavy burdens weigh me down
Grant me the courage not to frown;
As a soldier's eyes shall end
Let me not cease to play the friend.
Lord, let me carry where I go
A little joy to all I know
Let these into my life be wrought
A little mirth, a little grace,
To glorify the commonplace,
Lord, let some little splendor
Shine upon the affairs of the old state dispensary and made whole- some relief of corruption against a number of people, none of which he was ever able to prove. He was afraid to come into the state for several years, a Governor Blease had threatened to have him arrested and imprisoned for libel. Felner moved to New York some years ago.
Great Falls Schools Close
The graduating exercises of the Great Falls High school was held

Want Ads.
For Sale—Three large genuine leather chair cheep. Mrs. Alex Frazier, 146 West 2nd St.
Bargain—Four cakes Olive soap at Scholburg's for 25 cents.
Sweet Potato Plants—Millions ready for a shipment. Nancy at Hall and Porto Rico Plants at \$2.50 per thousand, 10,000 or more at \$200 per thousand. Plants grown from record-breaking potato and other varieties filled day received. Dean's Plant Farm, Box B, Alma, Ga. Tel. 7-1.
For Sale—Convenient, attractive 6-room Bungalow on Broadway Street ready for occupancy June 5th. See Mrs. Lizzie D. Melton. 19-26-3.
FELDER PASSES
A good many South Carolinians have read with peculiar interest the news that Thomas B. Felder has been barred from the practice of law by the New York appellate court. Felder was convicted of fraudulently receiving in the New York courts, along with Gaston B. Means.
Felder, who formerly lived in Atlanta, was at one time a centurion figure in South Carolina affairs. He was employed as attorney by one of the commissions that sought to reform the affairs of the old state dispensary and made wholesale allegations of corruption against a number of people, none of which he was ever able to prove. He was afraid to come into the state for several years, a Governor Blease had threatened to have him arrested and imprisoned for libel. Felner moved to New York some years ago.
Great Falls Schools Close
The graduating exercises of the Great Falls High school was held

in the school auditorium last night; the address being made by Dr. J. G. Clinebaker.
The class roll this year was as follows: Margaret Day, Zella Mae Curtis, Elizabeth Glass, Clara Johnston, Elizabeth Mann, Alice Gibson, Louise Gregory, Willie Johnson, Simpson, Mary James, Charlie Anderson, Arthur Gross, Paul Gibson, William Stevenson and Austin Yoncus.
The past year has been a trying success for one with the Great Falls' schools under the able supervision of Prof. E. H. Hall and the corps of assistants.
Box Lines From
Lancaster to Chester
Via Fort Lawn and Richburg
Lv. Lancaster, Hotel Royal, 8:00 A. M.
Lv. Lancaster, Hotel Royal, 1:00 P. M.
Lv. Hotel Chester, 10:30 A. M.
Lv. Hotel Chester, 4:00 P. M.
We operate every day
J. Boyce Coulson
15-19-22

The Pattern That Is Teaching Women How to Sew
Is Now on Sale in Our Store
YOU will be glad to know that we are now carrying Ladies' Home Journal Patterns—the popular patterns that are illustrated in America's Leading Women's Magazine, The Ladies' Home Journal.
A Teacher in Itself
The "Mystery Guide," which is furnished only with Ladies' Home Journal Patterns, teaches every thing one needs to know about sewing. It shows you how to cut out your dress to save material, what seam to have first, what edge to use next, how to make tailor-made buttonholes, etc. Details of construction are illustrated by pictures.
Besides teaching you how to sew, Ladies' Home Journal Patterns offer suggestions for selecting materials and combining colors. The styles are authentic and every pattern is guaranteed to fit perfectly to one-sixteenth of an inch.
Only Ladies' Home Journal Patterns Have the "Mystery Guide."

SCHLOSBERG'S DEPT. STORE

Dress Sale
Closing Out Small Size Dresses
1 lot of Silk Dresses, priced up to \$16.50 closing out at only \$4.98
1 lot Flannel Dresses, that sold up to \$24.75, closing these out at \$6.75
1 lot Jumper Dresses at \$4.95
1 lot of Broadcloth Dresses, sold up to \$7.50, closing these out at \$3.50
It will pay you to look these Dresses over. If you can secure your size you get a Bargain.
CHESTER MACHINES & LUMBER COMPANY

IT IS CHEAPER TO PAINT THAN NOT TO PAINT
It Cost Less To Paint Now
To Paint your house today will cost you a definite amount of money for labor and materials.
To paint your house a year from now will cost you the same amount plus another amount for repairs.
Estimates cheerfully given.
We carry a complete line of
PEE-GEE Paints
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The Ford Car Deserves Proper Treatment.
Transmission chatter can be eliminated by using SINCLAIR OPALINE "F" FOR FORDS
Just a little flivver with the tears rolling down. Peeping it's the worstest- used of any car in town. Soakin' fit to break it and wants to bust a run. Cause it's got a cussin' for a thing it never done.
The chattering rattle has been cured of its ill and yours can be done likewise.
Service of draining your crank case is free of charge. We only charge for the Oil.
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