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RAILWAY BILL IS PASSED BY HOUSE

Appropriates \$750,000,000 for the Revolving Fund—Vote 305 to 4—Democrats Urged Larger Amount, but Not Press for Amendment

Washington, June 10.—By a vote of 305 to 4, the house today passed the bill authorizing an appropriation of \$750,000,000 for the railroad administration's revolving fund.

Democratic members generally voted in favor of an increase, while republicans declared the fund would be sufficient until later in the year when future needs would be known.

Representatives from Kansas, Ramseyer, Iowa; Woodward, West Virginia, republicans; and Thomas, Kentucky, democrats, none of them urged his objections to the bill during the debate.

General Good, of the appropriations committee, in charge of the rail bill, explained that because of the \$1,200,000,000 requested by Director General Hines was declined by the committee because it was admitted that exact needs of the future were problematical.

The new fund, he said, would make a total of \$1,250,000,000, granted the appropriations committee, which were taken over by the government.

Representatives Byrnes, South Carolina, and Byrnes, Tennessee, democrats, again urged a larger appropriation, declared that such a measure is necessary to make prompt monthly payment of the administration's expenses, the delay in which, they said, would adversely affect general business conditions.

Senator Nelson, republican of Minnesota, protested against instructions of an amendment for the restoration of supervision to interstate rates. The amendment, he said, would leave interstate tariffs at the mercy of the railroad management.

Senator Pomeroy, democrat, joined in the statement of Senator Cummins and Nelson in the reason should be restored to private control at the earliest possible moment.

RAILWAY TO STOP UNNECESSARY WORK

Director General Hines Issues Order to Protect Government Against Over Expenditure

Washington, June 10.—Maintaining work on the railroads is being carried so favorably owing to the mild weather this year that Director General Hines has issued orders to all regional directors to protect the government against over expenditure of this kind and to stop all unnecessary work.

Under his contract with the various roads the government is obligated to furnish the roadbed and equipment in as good condition as when taken over, but is not expected to make improvements involving expense to the public.

"The weather this year has been so good that we have been enabled to do much more maintenance work than is usual," it was said by W. W. Tyler, chief of the division of operations.

PHILIPPINE AIR MAIL PLAN

Interland Routes Suggested as Means of Speeding Up Communication Service

Among the plans for aerial mail service with which forward-looking people are busy in various parts of the world, one which has promise of realization within a reasonable time is that of the comparative simplicity of the present project.

The full extent and nature of our overseas air mail service is not known to the American public because the war department has been so busy building up the system that it has had no time to describe it.

Before the armistice the war department had plans for educating the men in Europe and the U. S. C. A. was already conducting some schools in a very efficient manner.

There were several million American soldiers who could be quickly mobilized, but it would take a long time to return the overseas forces.

Accordingly the plans for an educational system were speeded up by the U. S. C. A. was placed under military charge and greatly expanded.

While a large part of the work of organization was done by these teachers, nearly all of the actual teachers were drawn from the army.

Washington, June 10.—Modification of the war time prohibition law so the workingman may have a drink of beer was urged today by representatives of organized labor at the first of the hearings by the House Judiciary Committee upon liquor measures.

Speaking as the representative of thirty-eight miscellaneous trades affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, J. J. Morgan said he could not conceive of intelligent and sincere men taking up the "no beer, no work" slogan, but he could conceive of their indulging in the government's refusal to let them have anything.

Kidnap Wallace, representing the United Mine Workers, said he was speaking in behalf of a man who had worked thirty-five years underground and told the committee miners had found a light stimulus to a kick in the old line, and that in dry territory many of such people had turned to bitter and extracts.

Washington, June 10.—Return to Germany of about 2,000 former officers and sailors taken from German ships by the United States Navy as enemy shipping at the outbreak of the war, will begin about July 1.

Forty other enemy aliens, at first taken into Panama and later taken in custody by the United States, will be returned next week to the preparatory to being sent back to Germany and Austria.

MAKING SCHOOL FOR ARMY MEN

Much Money Spent in Instruction—Wonderful Educational Opportunities Being Made Available by War Department in Europe

Washington, June 8.—Probably the greatest educational opportunity in the world is now being maintained by the United States war department in Europe.

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The French ministry of public instruction today to the teaching force by assigning to the American army several hundred teachers of French, who have taught this language by the direct method to 250,000 Americans.

The American school system in France is divided into four parts: the post schools, the divisional schools, the American Army University at Beaune and the detail of officers and soldiers as students at French and British universities.

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METHODS OF COMBATING THE PEACH TREE BORERS

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TWO COUNTRIES CLOSE TOGETHER

Americans and British Better Friends—Closely Meeting Face Brings Expressions of a Good Will from President Mead

London, May 14.—American and British friendship has become the theme of leading Americans and British, who tonight sang the requiem of the American Officers' Club in Chester.

Secretary Lansing declared in his speech that the spirit of the club was the spirit which, he believed, inspired both the United States and Great Britain.

"We have upon us, the English speaking peoples of the world, a tremendous burden," he continued.

"We believe we have entered upon this war with hearts joined together in a new peace."

"The tree should be examined before 'mounding' and if there are any borers present, they should be removed by taking a knife and pulling out or boring out with a wire."

"The mounds should be torn down from the 15th of August, and the trees examined for the borer."

"It is very important that this mound be pulled down at the proper time; otherwise it will be detrimental to the growth of the trees."

"The officials in charge of this department are doing their best to protect the good that has accomplished."

"The educational system in Europe is of course temporary, but education in the army is not temporary. On the contrary, it is intended to make the army more and more a great school, where the man who serves his country with security of his country will be fully compensated by educational opportunities."

Washington, June 10.—A meeting of the landowners of Colleton County has been called for Monday, June 16, at the court house, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of forming a county organization for the purpose of the upbuilding of this section of the county.

Washington, June 9.—A large representative crowd gathered at the court house in Winoona today to discuss the building of a permanent highway through Fairfield County, from Blackstock to Blithewood, and a countywide system of roads.

DECENNIAL CENSUS COMING NEXT YEAR

Forces of Eighty-five Thousand Employees Will be Needed for Quick Work

Washington, June 9.—Uncle Sam is rapidly getting ready to take the census. He has put more clear preparations are well along for the 14th decennial census, to be taken in 1920.

The census will include not only enumeration of the population of the United States, continental and insular, but also of the agricultural, manufacturing, and commercial, oil and gas and other interests of all the States as well as the District of Columbia, Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, Guam, Samoa and the Canal Zone.

"The actual enumeration will be completed in a few weeks, although it will be several months before the results will begin to be known."

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MEET NEXT MONDAY

Land Owners of Colleton to Meeting of the Board of Trustees

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LIST OF AUTO DRIVERS

The following is a list of the people living in Chester who have secured automobile drivers' licenses from the city clerk. Those who reside in Chester and who having secured their licenses, are also drivers of automobiles, are violators of the law and are subject to arrest and fine.

Austin, M. L., Anderson, F. W., Anderson, W. E., Astin, E. B., Austin, Lewis, Ayers, B. D., J. Anderson, Dr. W. E., Anderson, Ruth, Atkinson, Mrs. Rob., Adams, Albert, Adams, H. S., Atkinson, T. D., Auld, Dewitt, Allen, Dr. J. I., Adams, T. B., Smith, R. E., Anderson, A. F., Anderson, Mrs. A. P., Anderson, E. G., Atney, T. B.

Boney, H. C., Brice, "Blue", Bass, T., Bigham, J. B., Brown, L. E., Ball, G. R., Boulware, Geo., Eland, T. J., Boulware, M. L., Buchanan, Carl, Buchanan, Tom, Bell, Levi, Boggs, W. B., Bigham, E. Sam, Brice, Tom, Brice, Wm., Byrns, Geo., Barton, J. A., Brown, Eugene, Bell, James, Bigham, E. H., Brice, C. W., Balle, H. C., Burrier, W. L., Boggan, D. A., Bigham, Walter, Baldwin, O. P.

Carter, Sarah, Caldwell, R. E., Caldwell, Mrs. Lella L., Clark, M. R., Coburn, J. H., Chisholm, A., Glover, Inoa, Chisolm, Will, Carter, E. S., Carter, E. Clyde, Crockett, Sam, Carpenter, M. A., Chason, J. H., Cross, I. C., Cross, Mrs. J. C., Carpenter, J. C., Cooney, Joe, Cooney, H. E., Coal, Sam, Crosby, G. D., Crosby, Mrs. C. D., Cross, S. D., Connor, I. G., Caldwell, J. G., Caldwell, J. P., H. Collins, M. J., Davidson, Z. V., Doucens, Sam, Dye, Jim, Dunbar, J. E., Dixon, Jno., Douglas, Ernest, Delleys, Gaines, Delleys, Caldwell, Dodds, B. H., Dawson, L. B., Duncan, J. W., Duncan, Joe, Dove, C. W., Dye, Jno. R., Dickery, Ellie, Dann, A.

Estes, D. E., Edwards, C. E., Edwards, C. E., Ehrlich, M. J., Flanagan, Bill, Falwell, W., Fitzgerald, B. D., Frazer, Alex., Frazer, Annie, Fraser, Ruth, Fugate, C. C., Fudge, M. C., Frazer, Sam, Fryer, L. H., Fyrell, Stewart, Gentry, Harry, Tom, Faulkberry, H. Faulkberry, Ernest, Faulkberry, Frank, Fox, F. L., Fox, Wm. W., French, W. H., Fant, Robert, Grant, C. J., Guy, Robert, Ed. B., Gray, J. Lovry, Guy, Robert, Gage, Mrs. Robert, Gage, Robert, Glenn, J. W., Glenn, L. J., Glenn, H. G., Glenn, H. J., Grant, R. H., Gage, Wm., Gage, Mrs. Geo., Gage, Wm., Hudson, C. L., Hester, Wm., Hendrix, J. K., Jr., Hemphill, J. M., Hemphill, Mrs. Helen W., Hemphill, Paul, Hamrick, J. R., Hamrick, Edwin, Hamner, R. R., Hamilton, Dr. J. L., Hamilton, Miss Mary, Hamner, Miss Rebecca, Hamilton, Dugg, Paul, Harlin, Paul, Harlin, J. R., Harlin, Isabelle, Hang, I. C., Hardin, H. H., Hunter, Nick, Haggins, Vesper, Hamilton, Jno. H., Hornaday, L. B., Hargis, C. W., Hargis, G. A., Hall, McClure, Harrison, R. A.

Irwin, W. J., Jackson, Olin, Jones, Harris, Jones, James, Jackson, Willie, Johnston, O. H., Johnson, M. J., King, John, King, Richard, Key, J. T., Klutz, Claud F., Klutz, J. A., Lewis, J. Stanley, Lindsay, Wm., Lattin, G. G., Leck, F. J., Lory, W. M., Love, R. C., Lindsay, Wm. S., Lindsay, Mary, Lintner, Susie, Lowrance, S. E., Lowrance, W. H., Lowrance, M. H., Lowry, R. B., Livert, P. H., Lathrop, J. L., Ladd, Peter, Lidenzner, G. R., Lattimer, W. A., Ligon, by G. L. Ligon, A. B., Ligon, A. L.

May, J. D., Miller, Dr. S. G., Myers, Wake, Malone, Dr. H. B., Miller, W. C., Miller, Mrs. Hamilton, H., Melton, Lucius, Miller, L. H., Myers, Lucius, Melton, Will, McClure, D. B., McKinnis, W. R., McFadden, M. M., McConnell, F. A., McCollough, Jno., McCollough, A. McCandless, J. B., McCollough, W. C., McCollough, Margaret, R. H., McGowan, Hugh, Nail, W. R., Nelson, Robt., Nichols, J. A.

Oates, Miss Jennie, Fogam, W. W., Patton, Hugh, Peyer, C. D., Page, W. D., Peden, D. M., Peck, J. E., Perry, D. D., Ross, W. B., Ralley, T. W., Ryan, Will, Richardson, A. S., Robinson, M., Roof, J. B., Revels, M. M., Revels, Pelham, Richardson, H. F., Ramer, S. H., Robinson, Joseph, Russell, P. P., Sanders, J. J., Smith, Joe, Stewart, T. C., Strang, Mrs. M. M., Stone, W. B., Sticker, W. F., Stinson, J. M., Stinson, P. L., Stink, J. L., Stinson, Richard, Sanders, W. E., Sanders, Mrs. W. E., Smith, C. A., Stroud, Marie, Simmons, S. C., Sibley, R. E., Slick, W. P., Smead, J. B., Smead, Vander, Snipes, L. S., Sample, M. L., Tesous, C. W., Tupper, W. A., Turner, Mattie, Thomson, Will, Tisher, W. P., Tisher, Joe, Tisher, P. P., T. S. Terry, Henry, Tisher, Joseph, Wylie, A. M., Wylie, M. C., M., White, Shinson, Woodson, A., Wills, J. D., Wright, J. W., Wick, W. P., Walker, J. B., Walker, White, H., Wachtel, M. H., White, J. W., White, Jim, Westbrook, J. Woodland, Robt., White, Wylie, Williams, W. H., Walker, W. B., Walker, Wright, J. E., Watson, Charlie, White, Joe, B., Weir, L. H., Wilson, Wm., Walls, W. G., Wright, W. W., White, E. M., White, Geo., Walker,



A sign that a Regiment cheered

Just a painted sign on the wall of an ancient building in France! "Not much of a thrill in that," you'll say

Yet a regiment of American soldiers, dog-weary from a long hike, dripping wet from an all-day downpour, broke into cheers at sight of it. You'd have thought they had come unexpectedly on a Statue of Liberty in Brest.

That sign represented "God's country"—a glimpse of home that had gone across the sea to meet them.

When Hart Schaffner & Marx placed their signs in the prominent locations in Brest, Bordeaux, St. Nazaire, Nantes, and the other ports of embarkation in France, they hoped the signs would be more than merely messages that let the boys know they'd find Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes—stylish, all wool, guaranteed—ready for them when they got home.

The Rodman-Brown Company

Rock Hill Hotel Officers.
 The organization of a new hotel company which will be known as the City Investment Company was perfected at a meeting of the stockholders held in the Chamber of Commerce Wednesday night when a board of directors and officers for the company were elected.

J. B. Creighton, chairman of the board of corporators, presided at the meeting, which was attended by the majority of the stockholders and their representatives. On motion it was voted that five directors should be chosen for the company, and these were named as follows: J. B. Johnson, W. G. Stevens, J. B. Johnson, J. B. Creighton, T. A. Moore and D. C. Johnston.

At the close of the meeting of the stockholders the board of directors met and chose the following officers: W. G. Stevens, president; J. B. Johnson, vice president; and J. B. Creighton, secretary and treasurer—Rock Hill Herald.

RAILROAD MAN AT WAXHAW ENDS LIFE WITH A RAZOR
 Waxhaw, July 12.—Walter W. Black, section master of the Seaboard railroad at this place, slashed his throat with a razor yesterday afternoon and died a few minutes later. He left the supper table where his family were eating and went into his bedroom where he took a large dose of morphine. One of his boys saw him take the heavy dose and told his mother. Finding that he had been discovered, the man walked to the mantle and secured a razor. One slash severed the jugular vein and he soon died. Physicians were summoned, striving while the man was still breathing, but could do nothing for him. No motive can be ascribed for the deed. Black was a quiet and unobtrusive citizen. He had been section master for about 12 years. Surviving him are a wife and six children. He was about 40 years old.

FIVE NURSES TO WORK IN GREENVILLE COUNTY
 Greenville, S. C., July 11.—A three-fold plan of cooperation between the county health authorities, the State board of health and the American Red Cross has recently been worked out in this State for the protection of county health work, and the plan will be tried first in Greenville County. If the plan works satisfactorily in that county, it will be used in others.

Some time ago Mrs. Van DeVente, director of nursing services, Southern Division, Red Cross, held a conference with Dr. James A. Hayne, State health officer, and Mrs. Ruth A. Douthett, superintendent of county nurses. As a result of that conference Mrs. Douthett met with the Greenville County delegation last week and made a proposition to the members to the general effect that, if they would provide funds with which to finance a supervisory nurse for the county, five other nurses would be employed, two by the mills and three by the Red Cross chapter. All five nurses are to be under the immediate direction of the supervising nurse and the entire unit under the direction of Mrs. Douthett. It is the hope of Mrs. Douthett to establish county nurse units in many other counties. If the plan works successfully in Greenville it will be tried out in other counties which have appropriated funds to cooperate with the State board. At present time, the arrangements made call for the continuation of \$3,800 and 10 weeks old. Mrs. S. W. Fryer. 3-6.

DR. KOSER
 EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT.
 Commercial Bank Building.
 GLASSES FITTED.

FRIDAY, JUNE 13.

We notice an advertisement in the Columbia State where a party named Porter that is willing to work. We would advise the gentleman to discontinue the ad at once—there ain't no such thing.

The News has heard some people say that they believe it will be a hard matter to get enough freeholders to sign the petition calling for a bond election to decide whether or not Chester is to do permanent street work. Somehow or other The News does not feel this way about the matter. We believe when the facts are presented to the people, that in the manner in which the bonds are to be floated and the work done, that they will not hesitate to sign the petition. Of course, there will be some people who will not sign the petition, but The News has no quarrel with them. They have a mind of their own and if they do not care to expend their money for the improvements it is their business. However, we do not see how the improvements contemplated can fail to be other than a paying investment to the property owners of Chester. This fact has been demonstrated in hundreds of towns and cities throughout the country and why should Chester be different from the balance of the country?

COLD BLOODED FACTS

The News knows that Chester people, or rather merchants, don't like to hear about business in Rock Hill but The News is going to say something about it, whether they like or not.

A representative of The News spent Wednesday afternoon in Rock Hill and while there visited the printing establishment of the Rock Hill Record. We found a plant larger and better equipped than both the printing establishments in Chester added together. And understand The Record is only one of three printing establishments in Rock Hill. The Record has a force of about twelve people, who work in Rock Hill, live in Rock Hill and who spend their money with Rock Hill merchants.

After returning to our office in Chester, we took the trouble to look up our statements received from Chester merchants last month and we found that out of ten statements only two of them were printed by Chester printing establishments. It can be said as a basis it means that four-fifths of the printing matter used by Chester is done out-of-town. Just think of it.

We estimate that three men, giving their full time to job printing, can do all of the job printing that is now done in Chester. If all of the Chester printing was done in Chester it would be necessary to have fifteen printers in our town. The average pay for these men would be about one thousand dollars per year, so one can readily see that if Chester printing was done in Chester it would mean that Chester printing establishments would have to increase their annual payroll by approximately twelve thousand dollars. This money would be spent with Chester merchants and if they made twenty-five per cent profit on the goods they sold, their profit from these printers would be three thousand dollars per year.

There are some business houses in Chester who never once think of sending their printing out of town and there are some here who never once think of having it done in town. The latter class are "cutting off their nose to spite their face."

Yes, if Chester business houses would have their printing done in Chester they would do twelve thousand dollars more business each year and they would increase the population of the town by forty to fifty people.

Trades At Home.
 "Mutability of temper, and inconsistency with ourselves, is the greatest weakness of human nature."

NOTICE

We have filed the Final Return as Guardian of Oscar Wright, and will apply to the Probate Judge who will court to the Court House in Chester, S. C. at 10 o'clock on July 19, 1919, for Final Discharge. The Probate Court Company, Guardian of Oscar Wright, 13-20-271.

Beautiful Voile Dresses

We are showing a beautiful assortment of Flowered Voile Dresses. Just got them in by express. Very specially priced. Now is the time to make your selection before they are all gone. Prices \$6.00 to \$15.00.

Ladies' Coat Suits

We have a few Coat Suits left which we will close out cheap.

Ramie Linen Middy Suits

This is a great line of Middy Suits we have to show you. Colors white, rose, Copenhagen and reseda green. Special prices from \$3.00 to \$7.50.

Call and see these special values.

The S. M. JONES CO.

'The Keppenheimer House in Chester'

LOCAL and PERSONAL

We Grind Cast Iron points and machine blades, price reasonable. W. F. Burdett.

The Winooski photofits has been changed from a third class office to a second class office.

Miss Francis Gregg has returned to her home in Rock Hill after visiting relatives at Lovellville.

Mrs. J. B. Harrell has gone to Charleston to spend a few days.

Mr. J. L. Simmons spent a few hours in Rock Hill Wednesday afternoon.

Dr. F. W. White has returned to the city after spending Wednesday in Marion with relatives.

Miss Annie Ferguson and Master J. H. Ferguson, of Tampa, Fla., are expected this afternoon to visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Conley, on Lowryville Route 2.

Mr. W. H. Ferguson left last night for Philadelphia where he will visit Mr. Sumner D. Ferguson for several days.

Mr. R. W. Parks, a federal engineer, has arrived in Chester and will have his headquarters here until the completion of the Saluda road to the York county line, which has been let out by contract. We understand the road is to be completed by the first of December. Mr. W. L. Thompson, of Burlington, N. C., who has the contract to build the road, is expected to have a gang here to begin work some time next week.

Loss—By Mrs. M. D. Patterson between her home and Bethel, M. E. church, gold ribbon eyeglasses with chain. Finder please return and receive reward, 184 York street.

Lancaster has secured the necessary guarantors to have the Reophat Chautauque at that town next year.

Mrs. John T. Peay and daughters, little Misses Virginia and Margaret, left this morning for Greenwood where they will visit relatives for several days.

Lost—On road between Chester and Wilkesburg, yesterday afternoon, one blue serge coat. Finder please return to Robert Frazer at The S. M. Jones Co.

Miss Margie Kirkman has returned to her home in High Point, N. C., after spending several days in Chester with Miss Hallie Williams.

A telegram received from Sergeant Jennings Turner advised that he has arrived at Hoboken, N. J. He has been with the overseas forces for several months.

Mrs. S. L. Cassels is spending today in Columbia.

Mr. Andrew J. Orr Jr. and Miss Maude Green were quietly married at Great Falls May 24th. Rev. J. B. Kilgore officiating. Mr. Orr was with the famous 30th Division that helped break the Hindenburg line. They will reside in Great Falls.

Mr. Marvin Webb and Miss Willie Osbey were married at the home of the brides parents at Great Falls Saturday June 7th. Rev. J. B. Kilgore performing the ceremony.

Those who have contributed toward the baseball club are requested to attend a meeting to be held at the

Court House this evening at eight-thirty o'clock. The subscription list has been recently been circulated amounting to something like \$600. Uniforms and other equipment will be ordered at once and it is hoped to have the boys at work within the next few days.

The \$90,000.00 worth of city bonds, the money to be used in paving the streets of the city, were sold on last Friday to the Trust Company of Georgia for \$90,326.00, a premium of \$326.00. The bonds will bear 5 per cent interest and run for 20 years—Attabeville Medium.

Representatives of water and light boards, superintendents, chemists, engineers and others interested in public utilities will gather at Greenwood next Tuesday for a three day session of the Tri-State Water and Light Association of the Carolinas and Georgia.

It will be of local interest to many to learn that the laymen from Parity Presbyterian church who went to Atlanta a few days ago, received the pennant for having the largest representation at the meeting, other than sentinels at the meeting, other than Atlanta.

Lieut. William F. Caldwell, who was recently discharged from service after having served several months with the overseas forces, and who recently returned to the States, will leave tomorrow for Washington, D. C., where he will resume his work on the staff of the Associated Press.

Judge Jones and Miss Pauline Mason left recently for Yazoo City, Miss., to spend some time with Mrs. W. C. Henry—Lancaster Citizen.

Mr. J. P. Young of Chester spent the past week-end here as the guest of Mrs. Linnie Witherspoon, having come to attend the recital by the pupils of the music department of the central school—Lancaster Citizen.

Miss Mary Shedge, of this city, who received her diploma from the University of South Carolina, has been admitted to the practice of law in South Carolina. The prescribed oath having been administered by D. E. Hydrick, associate justice of the supreme court, yesterday.

Only 18 days until Uncle Sam will again accept all first class mail on the same postage rate effective June 1 to October 3, 1919, when the increased rates were put in effect, forcing patrons to pay three cents on letters and otherwise increasing the postage. Orders have been received directing the postmasters to call attention to the return of the old one and two cent rates. Postmasters are directed to refund all three cent stamps, two cent postal cards and three cent stamped envelopes at their full value, provided they are convinced such cards and envelopes are presented by the original purchasers the order says.

The Greenville Chamber of Commerce has asked the Chester Chamber of Commerce to assist in protesting to the State Tax Commission as to the forty-two per cent assessment the tax commission is placing on the merchants. The merchants are not protesting as to tax equalization but see no reason why they should be called upon to pay taxes on a forty-two per cent basis while many other businesses are allowed to go ahead on the old basis. In other words, they contend, and rightly, that it is a re-assessment of taxes if it ought to be effective at the same time.

Revision Of Thirtieth This Fall.

The Old Hickory Thirtieth Division Association, which recently opened headquarters at Georgetown announces a change in the date of the first reunion to be held at Greenville this fall. The original date set for the first reunion was September 28, but because of the fact that the date has been changed to September 29-30; the anniversary of the breaking of the great Hindenburg line by the Thirtieth Division, American expeditionary forces. All officers and men who have at any time served with the division, either in the United States or abroad, are eligible for membership in the association. All members of the division are urged to make application at the earliest possible moment for membership in the association, addressing the application to the secretary at Georgetown, accompanying same with 50 cents for membership fees from now until the first convention. Those who have already become members of the association will shortly receive membership cards and other information relative to the date of its first reunion, and headquarters at Georgetown will be open at all times to its members for any other information desired by them.

The Rock Hill—Chester Road.

The road from Chester to the York county line in the direction of Rock Hill will be completed by December first, according to contract. This road is to be built under Federal supervision, the government paying one-half the cost of the construction. Rock Hill has stated that they will take care of the end of the road. A representative of The News was talking to a Rock Hill citizen about the matter and he said, "Yes, we will take care of the end." When asked who WE he could not tell. As a matter of fact there does not seem to be any concerted action in Rock Hill about the road. They all say WE but you cannot locate WE. The traffic which now goes through Lancaster and Camden should go by way of Chester and the only way to get it to go to put the road in proper condition. The News would like to see some concerted effort made to get the road from Charlotte to Columbia put in proper shape to handle the traffic which should pass this way.

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A truck man from Gastonia has established a weekly truck route over into the Bethany, Ramah, and Piedmont Springs country. He deals in everything that is good to eat and takes out of the country each trip all the surplus products he can get in the way of chickens, eggs, butter, hams, honey, etc., at good prices. The ruling price for eggs up to last week was 40 cents a dozen; but the understanding was that there had been a decline to 37.12 cents. Blackburg buyers are also strong competitors for the chickens and eggs of that section. The price for chickens (frisers) is 35 cents a pound; but there is a story up there that some of the people have gotten even better prices in Yorkville—Yorkville Enquirer.

Mrs. J. M. Ferguson of Yorkville is undergoing treatment in a hospital in Greenville—Yorkville Enquirer.

Another Bank For Clover.

York, June 13.—There is to be another bank at Clover. It is to be known as the First National Bank and Trust Company. It is to have two charters, one state and the other federal. The bank is to be capitalized at \$25,000 and the Trust company at \$10,000. Mr. G. F. Hambricht of King's Mountain, and his brother Beatty Hambricht, are the prime movers. They have the backing of many Clover people. The enterprise has been under consideration for some time; but it began to take definite shape only last Monday, when Clover people quickly subscribed \$17,600, all that was asked for and a little more. The understanding is that the new bank will be organized and ready for business by the first of next September.

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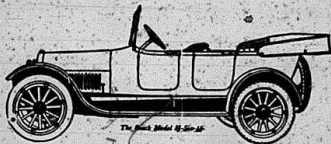
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GOVERNMENT MAY PROTECT POTASH

Appeal Made to Committee of Congress—Fifty Million Dollars in Industry Which Will Be Dissolved With No Act.

Washington, June 10.—Protection of the potash industry in this country through establishment of a government controlled licensing system, was urged before the house ways and means committee today by representatives of the industry, the bureau of mines and the geological survey. They declared the fate of the industry depended upon action by congress, as it had not been developed sufficiently to meet successfully foreign competition.

"There is \$50,000,000 invested in this industry," declared Myron M. Parker, attorney for the United States Potash Producers' Association. "And unless something is done immediately the entire industry will be dissolved and thousands of employees thrown out of work. Furthermore, the country will be dependent again upon the foreign countries for the material, as it was before the war."

Mr. Parker said arrangements were made sometime ago for shipment of large quantities of potash from Germany in exchange for food, but that the plan was abandoned after producers here had shown this would ruin the industry. He added that the situation once more was critical as contracts had been made for importing 20,000 tons from Alsace during the next three months.

A. C. White, of the bureau of mines, told the committee one-half of the potash needed by this country was produced here at a cost of about 25 per cent higher than the foreign product. He added, however, that within five years potash could be produced in the United States as cheaply as in any other country, because there are great deposits in the Western States.

The need for restrictions on the importation of oxalic acid was urged by Lewis Emery, Bradford, Pa., of the American Alkali and Potash Company, who declared this industry was in the same stage of development as the potash industry.

Representatives of other industries which arose up during the war will appear before the committee tomorrow to recommend favorable action on protective legislation.

BOOST CHESTER

HOMICIDE FOLLOWS DAMAGING OF FENCE

Laurie Fairly Fatally Shot by James P. Browning—Died in Charleston.

Orangeburg, June 10.—A fatal shooting took place near Branchville yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock, when James P. Browning shot Laurie Fairly, Mr. Fairly died at a Charleston hospital at an early hour this morning. It is alleged that Laurie Fairly was scraping the public road that leads by Browning's house and in some way struck the front fence, knocking a few boards off the fence and that Fairly told Browning that he would shortly get a hammer and nails and repair the fence. It is further stated that Browning replied that would not do, but went into the house, got gun and went up the road toward Fairly and shot him, inflicting a mortal wound.

Both were prominent white men and farmers. Some years ago an altercation took place between Browning and Fairly in which Browning lost an eye. Fairly was acquitted of the charge. Browning is now in the Orangeburg jail and can not be tried until September, unless a special term is ordered to try him.

BIG SPINNING MILL PLANNED FOR YORK

Citizens of Town Expected to Take Half of Capital Stock of Corporation.

York, June 10.—Definite steps toward the organization of a new 10,000 spindle cotton mill were taken at a meeting of York business men in the court house last evening. York people will be expected to furnish half the proposed capital stock of \$1,000,000, assurance being given that the balance can be readily obtained from outside sources. Committees were appointed to secure the necessary privileges and arrange other details incident to the organization. Much enthusiasm was manifested at the meeting and there is every indication that little difficulty will be experienced in obtaining the necessary subscriptions for the capital stock. York already has four cotton mills, all of which are in flourishing condition.

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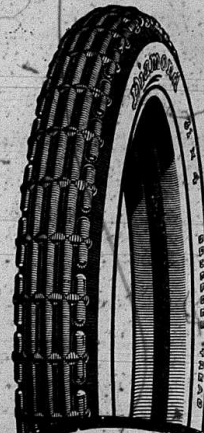
Mr. Marion Holcomb of Nancy, Ky., says: "For quite a long while I suffered with stomach trouble. I would have pains and a heavy feeling after my meals, a most disagreeable taste in my mouth. If I ate anything with butter, oil or grease, I would spit it up. I began to have regular sick headaches. I had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

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