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The Chester News

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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8.

We often hear that the supply and demand for cotton governs the price. We hear it but we do not believe it. The government controller report issued last Friday was a very hollow one, nevertheless cotton dropped about fifty points immediately after the report was issued. This drop was the efforts of speculators on Wall street, many of whom have never seen a cotton field.

Unless there is a decided change in the railway and strike strikes which is a short while the cotton farmer of the South is going to be forced to pay his share of the strike. Incessant coal supplies are now causing cotton mills to close down and there is also a probability of a shortage of equipment to move cotton this fall. Such being the case it is going to affect the price of cotton and it will cost the cotton producers of the South millions of dollars. If a strike did not effect any other than those who strike The News would not be interested but it is common knowledge that a strike such as treatment or miners affects the entire population and for that reason The News thinks that strikes should affect the public should be prohibited.

Many World War veterans were sorely disappointed when W. Banks Dancy defeated James C. Doster for secretary of the state in the primary election last Tuesday. They seem to think that the people of South Carolina have forgotten the soldiers.

The News does not believe that our people have forgotten what the boys did to the Hindenburg line.

The fact that Mr. Doster was defeated in his own faith. Mr. Doster made a mistake when he decided to run against Banks Dancy, one of the most efficient, if not the most efficient, officers of the State. There were one or two other state offices that Mr. Doster could have had with very little effort. As previously stated, Mr. Doster just made a mistake in picking his office, but The News hopes that the people of South Carolina will yet have the opportunity of showing Mr. Doster that they did not forget the soldier boys.

In a black on the front page of The Columbia State Sunday, George K. Laney, recent candidate for governor and who was defeated in the first primary, came out and endorsed Mr. McLeod for governor.

One infers from the article that Mr. Laney in endorsing Mr. McLeod, advises those who voted for him in the first primary, to vote for McLeod in the second primary. If Mr. Laney all but knew it the people who voted for him in the first primary know who they are going to vote for in the second primary and they do not need the advice of Mr. Laney or any one else.

Mr. Laney made the race and was defeated and if he had thanked those who voted for him The News would believe he would have done his part and enough. The News voted for Mr. Laney because it believed he was the only man in the race who had any idea of representing the masses if elected Governor. McLeod represents a faction and so does Blease and this means that the next Governor of South Carolina will be a factional one. Mr. Laney had absolutely no chance to become governor of South Carolina simply because he did not line up with a faction. If he had lined up with the same faction that Mr. McLeod has lined up with he would have been in the second race and would have defeated Mr. Blease by a handsome majority.

Bleas by a handsome majority. As the matter now stands the next governor of South Carolina is a matter of speculation and the result will not be known until the votes are counted.

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DR. D. C. PHILLIPS WILL BE CALLED TO CHARLOTTE

Congregation of First A. R. P. Church in Charlotte Will Extend Chester Pastor's Call—Reached for Them Later.

Chester people, and especially the members of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church of Chester, have lately been expecting the First A. R. P. church, of Charlotte, to extend their pastor, Dr. D. C. Phillips, a call. Sunday the Charlotte congregation unanimously decided to extend the call and the following from the Charlotte Observer of yesterday morning will be read with interest in Chester:

"An invitation to become pastor of the First A. R. P. church of Charlotte will be extended in a few days to Rev. Dr. G. Phillips, D. D. of Chester, S. C."

"The congregation unanimously voted to ask Dr. Phillips to become their pastor at a meeting held Sunday morning at the church just following the sermon of Rev. A. F. Laird, who was applying the pulpit for the day. A committee composed of L. M. McAllister, an elder; M. W. Woody, a deacon, and W. G. Erwin, representing the layman, was appointed to visit the minister and put before him the desires of the congregation. This will be done in a few days."

"Dr. Phillips is one of the most distinguished ministers of the A. R. P. church. He is very popular with the people of Chester, as he was with those of the two other churches he has had during his pastorate. He has been pastor of the Chester A. R. P. church for the past 13 years, and prior to going there had churches at Atlanta, Ga., and Newberry, S. C."

"Dr. Phillips is considered one of the most brilliant ministers of the church and possesses a rare charm of personality. He is a convincing speaker, a man of scholarly address, but a humanitarian above all. The local congregation had the pleasure of hearing him preach here two weeks ago, and so profound an impression did he make at that time that the church officers began to take steps to sound out the congregation regarding extending the call to him."

The pulpit of the First A. R. P. church here has been vacant about two months. Rev. W. E. Lindsay resigned early in the summer to devote his whole time to the work at Boh clark, the A. R. P. assembly ground near Hendersonville. It was

through his efforts largely that Bon

The committee on the supply called was established.

The committee on the supply pastors, W. G. Erwin, Jr. P. Ranson, and M. N. Coleman, had a number of ministers to preach here. Last Monday night the 21 church officers met and took a straw vote on the minister they wished to be here. Dr. G. Phillips was the unanimous choice, no other being considered. The result was that the congregational meeting was held Sunday morning and again the unanimous decision was for Dr. Phillips.

"The minister is a graduate of Erskine Theological seminary and is a man in his prime."

Meeting Of W. M. U.

The following is the program for the annual meeting of the Chester W. M. U. at Lowryville Baptist church, Thursday, September 7th, beginning at 10:30 A. M.

Prayer. Hymn—"How Firm a Foundation." Devotional—Rev. Geo. M. Rogers. Welcome—Miss Brakfield. Resolutions.

Introduction—Visitors, Pastor's Wives. Roll Call W. M. S. Report of Officers. Appointment of Committees. Presentation of Foreign Volunteers.

Hymn—"Jesus Calls Us." W. M. U. Address—Mrs. Mande McLeure. Adjourn.

Afternoon Session.

Devotional—Miss Aslie Wofford. Offering. Nicholas, Supt.

Sunbeam Session—Mrs. L. T. Y. W. A., G. A. Session—Mrs. S. H. Hardin, Jr. Supt.

Address—Mrs. Geo. E. Davis. R. A. Session—Mrs. C. C. Cornwell, Supt.

Address—Miss Aslie Wofford. Report of Committees.

Hymn—"Loyalty." Prayer.

Negro Women Dies in Lock-Up

Mary Osher Johnson, a young colored woman who was locked up in the city jail early last Friday morning, died Friday afternoon. Doctors Geo. A. Hendrix and O. L. Sharpe, who were called in by city officials, informed Coroner J. Henry Gladden that her death was due to acute alcoholism. No inquest was held.

From information it appears that the woman was found in the woods near and adjoining Hinton street in the neighborhood of the oil mill, and when found was in a highly intoxicated condition. It is also stated that at least two young white men and a negro man were or had been in the same neighborhood and that all of them imbibed freely of bootleg liquor. In fact, one of the young white men and the negro man paid fines in the Recorder's court, while the other young white man forfeited his bond or was fined in his absence.

The Johnson woman has been a very frequent visitor to the city court for several years. At one time she was required to publicly sweep the streets of Chester, but objection was made to the city authorities and the balance of her sentence, we understand, was in the jail.

The matter has been thoroughly discussed on the streets and if the facts have been stated, the entire affair was a very disgraceful one and is unfit for print in detail. Some citizens are of the opinion that the matter will come before the Grand Jury at the next term of court.

ORGANIZE UNITS OF MINUTE MEN

Charleston County Farmers Take Initiative. Election Might Show Support to Democratic Party and Disfranchisement.

Charleston, Sept. 5—A strong anti-Bleas movement among the farmers of Charleston county came to light here tonight, when it was announced that units of the Minute Men were being formed in the farming sections of the county.

This movement was said by the spokesmen of the farmers to be a result of the growing belief that the election of Bleas would mean Grace rule in this county and a serious blow to the Democratic party. The action of the faction of Mayor John F. Grace of Charleston in throwing farmer clubs out of the Democratic convention here last June was said to have caused a bitter feeling and the belief that Grace rule would mean the disfranchisement of the farmers.

The spokesmen for the Minute Men among the farmers said the organization stood for clean government, honest and fair elections, a white Democratic party, rule by the majority, law enforcement and against any connection with the Republican party.

"We believe the election of Bleas would mean a Bleas-Grace-Tolbert combination and a blow at our white Democratic primaries," said the spokesman, who pointed out that the organization would make every effort to bring out a full vote in the second primary.

Homes Needed

Chester is in need of homes. It is stated from an authoritative source that several families who have recently wanted to come to Chester have been forced to go elsewhere on account of an insufficient number of homes in Chester.

Our city will never grow unless homes are built for people to live in. Tents will do for a while but a tent is not a home. We venture the assertion that Chester could use twenty or twenty-five new houses at the present time without over-supplying the demand.

Doubtless some people are putting off building waiting for building material to reduce. The reduction in the prices of building material from the high mark has been much greater than most of other commodities, and we are frank to say that we can see or hear of no reason for a reduction in building material in the near future. In fact the market has a tendency to advance.

You cannot buy clothing at pre-war prices. You cannot buy shoes at pre-war prices. In fact there are very few things you can buy at pre-war prices, so why expect lumber at pre-war prices. Frankly we fail to see anything to indicate that building materials will ever sell at pre-war prices again. Labor is higher and the freight rates have been doubled in many instances and until these things reach a pre-war basis lumber will continue to sell above pre-war prices.

Let us have the plans for your new home and give you an estimate of the cost of the building material—you will be surprised at the low cost we can offer you on the material.

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Advertisement

Shall South Carolinians Betray The Faith of Their Fathers?

For generations Democracy has been the faith of South Carolina. Born in days that tested the hearts of men baptized in the fires of war, and purified through shameful years of suffering under the heel of Republican negro rule, it is a faith that every true son and daughter of our soil should be as jealous of as honor itself. It is our birthright, breathed into us by the arms of our mothers and mingled with the milk that fed our infancy. It was the birthright of Hampton, Butler, Gary, Tillman and the hosts of lesser men who supported them in their struggles. Shall this generation sell it for a mess of pottage?

Cole. L. Bleas is again a candidate for the office of governor of the State. It is the highest honor in our gift; it is an honor that should not be given lightly. The governor of a State is as a light set on a high hill, on whom all men look, seeing in him the spirit of the people who put him there.

This spirit is necessary to our very being as a self-governing white race. To uphold and keep it pure is a trust that we hold for the honor and safety of our women. Can we bear that should be betrayed? Can we submit that any man who seeks our offices should have stakes and meddling with this faith that carries our very political freedom at its core?

Has Cole L. Bleas kept this faith of pure Democracy without which no man is held worthy of our public offices? Or has he stained it by dealings with our political enemies who would weaken the firmness of the white man's government of this State?

Do we not recall his Allen University negro speech, in which he told the assembled audience of negro men and women to demand their rights, which he explained in detail to them? Do not all men remember his bitter abuse of Mr. Wilson during 1917 and 1918? Did he not attempt to run for Congress, in

1919, as an Independent—an individual denounced by Wade Hampton as worse than a Republican? He said: "Let my friends stay out of the primary."

There are few Democrats in South Carolina who do not know of Joseph W. Tolbert. He is the "boss," the overlord of Republican patronage, on whom the hands of Warren G. Harding have been laid in approval and blessing. He is the giver of all power, the ruler of "The Black and Tan." Is it thinkable that a Democrat who has at heart the good of his party and people would have any relations with this man in politics?

Cole L. Bleas wrote Tolbert, on May 21, 1921, a letter of approval of Tolbert's leadership of the Republican party in South Carolina; a letter strongly commending Tolbert's years of service and devotion to his party; a letter intended to strengthen Tolbert's position as Republican leader, which then seemed to be in danger. There was nothing secret, nothing private about the letter. Following his indorsement of Tolbert, Cole L. Bleas wrote:

"You are at liberty to read this letter to whom you please, or publish it if you wish, as I presume everybody knows that I speak what I think, regardless of consequences. I have written you freely as you requested me to do. I am a Democrat; not a Wilson so-called Democrat, but a Jeffersonian Democrat, who rejoiced at Harding's election and the downfall of idealism." Why this interest of Cole L. Bleas in Joe Tolbert? Can you point to any other Democrat showing the same interest?

No word of that letter has ever been denied by Cole L. Bleas. He can not deny it, he meant it. "I presume everybody knows that I speak what I think." What do the Scriptures say? "As a man thinketh in his heart, so is he." Was the thinking of Cole L. Bleas when he wrote that letter the thinking of a

sound and true Democrat? It stands in cold type, the most complete indictment ever written of the Democracy of Cole. L. Bleas—and he wrote it himself!

Are the white people of South Carolina, the political heirs of Hampton and Tillman, prepared to entrust their government to a man who is the confessed approver, adviser and comforter of Joe Tolbert, the political heir of the Scalawags and Carpet-baggers?

Shall a man sit in the governor's seat who dares not to answer the direct, simple question whether or not he voted in 1920 for the nominees of the Democratic party?

Shall we lift to our highest office a man who found it in his heart to rejoice with Joe Tolbert, leader at that time of the "Black and Tan" politicians of the State, over the election of Warren G. Harding and the downfall of Democracy?

The Governor of South Carolina is presumed to be the leader of the State's Democratic forces. Do the people of South Carolina want to set up a Democracy that is corrupted at its source?

These are questions that every loyal Democrat whose love is for his State should answer honestly at the bar of his conscience before he votes in the coming primary.

Proof is held of every statement herein made.

Contributed by Democrats of '76.

New Fall Ready-to-Wear

We are securing by express every day, new Coat Suits, New Coats, New Dresses, New Blouses, New Sweaters, New Fall Footwear and all New Fabrics in Silk and Woolens. Call and see these Wonderful New Fall Garments.

The S. M. Jones Comp'y

Local and Personal

Remember—we now occupy the store room next to G. W. Byars & Company, and handle an up-to-date line of groceries and the choicest of meats. Elliott's Market.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Glass who have been living in Chester for the past three years are moving to Clayton, N. C. this week. Mrs. Glass having accepted a position as traveling saleswoman with Bryson-Rodgers Hardware Co. of Winston-Salem.

Pay Cash And put the difference in the bank. Chester Cash and Carry Grocery Co.

The Office of the Clerk of Court recently compiled a list of the delinquent mortgages given in Chester county during the present year, for the co-operative cotton marketing association, which showed that 2,156 had been recorded in the office. Of this number 471 were for less than \$100.

Special Prices on all summer ready-to-wear. The S. M. Jones Co.

Miss Margaret White returned Monday from Camp Wyanogone, Denmark, Maine, where she was a counselor during August.

Fresh Shipments of Pennsylvania Cream Cup Tires at The Chester Hardware Company.

Politics in South Carolina are now assuming the proportions of 1918 when Blaise and Manning were in the second race, and at which time Manning defeated Blaise. Both Blaise and McLeod are organizing their forces; both candidates having the latter part of last week opened campaign offices in Columbia. Both candidates will endeavor to urge and bring out the 50,000 voters who are registered and who did not vote in the first primary. Each of the candidates is claiming that he will receive a majority of the votes not cast in the first primary.

Miss Jane Hough will leave tomorrow for Asheville where she will teach in the graded schools this year.

Mrs. J. M. Kelsey and Miss Nellie Kelsey, have returned to Chester after a visit to Edgemont.

Mrs. Theo. Timiney has gone to Lincoln, N. C. to spend a few days with relatives.

Miss Louise Simpson has gone to Chester where she will teach this year.

Miss Nettie Spratt left yesterday for Columbia.

Last-Lost Friday night, silver case gold fountain pen. Reward, W. H. Newbold.

Miss Hallie Williams left Saturday for Gastonia, N. C., where she will teach this year.

Mrs. R. C. McManus and daughter, Miss Bessie McManus, have returned to their home in Lancaster after visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

What You Save by trading with us will carry several shaves of building and loan. Try it and be convinced. Chester Cash and Carry Grocery Co.

Miss Annie Leckie has returned to Rock Hill after spending several days in Chester.

Mrs. W. T. Fuller has returned to her home at Rocky Mount, N. C., after visiting Mrs. W. B. Cox, on Pleasant street.

Miss Dora Holst has returned after a visit to Forest City, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hedgpath, of Laurel, Miss., are visiting relatives in Chester. They made the trip in their automobile.

Mr. John W. Gladden is a patient at the Chester Sanatorium.

Mr. R. B. Beckham, of Lancaster, flagman on the Lancaster & Chester Railway, and who had his leg broken some time ago, is reported as improving at the Chester Sanatorium, where he has been since the accident.

Mr. Robert Frazer has returned to the city from the northern markets where he went to buy fall merchandise for The S. M. Jones Co.

Lost—August 29th, 1922, around Chester on road to Spartanburg and Abbeville, N. C. Sunday, Miss Crosby went to Ridge Crest some time ago to spend a part of the summer and while there became ill and on Thursday was taken to the hospital at Asheville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McKewen, of Rock Hill, motored down and spent Sunday at Cornwell with the former's mother, Mrs. A. Mayo McKewen.

Mr. E. T. Anderson, who holds a responsible position with the Standard Oil Company at Charleston, is spending a two weeks vacation in Chester with his mother, Mrs. J. A. Jenkins.

A number of Chester people are expected to attend the Fordson tractor demonstration in Charlotte on September 7th and 8th. This is said to be a wonderful demonstration. In addition to the demonstration there will be radio entertainment, band concerts and night singing tours. There will be no charges for admission.

Mrs. Julia Hardin who has been making her home in Chester for some time, has moved back to Richburg and is occupying her home there which was recently vacated by Rev. Roy Brown, who has moved into the parsonage recently completed.

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ELECTION NOTICE
To Voters of Ward 2 Club, Chester, S. C.
Please take notice your voting place has been changed from opera house to Hardin's Hall, up stairs, on Center street, and that election for your precinct will be held there September 12th next, opening at 8 A. M. and closing at 4 P. M.
J. M. WISE,
County Chairman,
MARY G. SLEDGE,
Secretary.

Mrs. Margaret Triplett Oeas.
Friends throughout the county will learn with sorrow of the death of Mrs. Margaret Triplett of Chester the late T. N. Triplett, widow first at the home on Walnut street last night about twelve o'clock. Mrs. Triplett had been in declining health for a considerable time, but her death comes as a profound shock to the family and many friends.

Mrs. Triplett was a conscientious member of the Presbyterian church and was a Christian woman; a loving mother and kind neighbor. She was seventy-one years of age. The funeral services will be held at the residence tomorrow morning at eleven o'clock after which the remains will be laid to rest in Evergreen cemetery.

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Prize winners
Crown-Collecting Contest
Ward's Orange-CRUSH
Lemon-CRUSH
Lime-CRUSH

Listed below are the cash prize winners in the big Crown-Collecting Contest, recently closed. In addition, 20 merchandise prizes were awarded.

The object of the Contest was to make the public better acquainted with the deliciousness of Orange-Crush, Lemon-Crush and Lime-Crush.

To all who entered the Contest we extend our hearty thanks and appreciation. Following is the list of cash prize winners:

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| 1st Prize | W. L. Darby, Chester, 13,492 Crowns | \$40.00 |
| 2nd Prize | R. O. Nelson, Chester, 13,128 Crowns | \$20.00 |
| 3rd Prize | Sanitary Cafe (Pete Bralson), Great Falls, 9,338 Crowns | \$15.00 |
| 4th Prize | A. A. Love, Chester, 7,460 Crowns | \$12.00 |
| 5th Prize | U-Pick-Em Cash & Carry Co., Chester, 6,975 Crowns | \$10.00 |
| 6th Prize | Mrs. W. J. Drawdy, Great Falls, 6,000 Crowns | \$10.00 |
| 7th Prize | Geo. W. Byars & Co., Chester, 5,780 Crowns | \$10.00 |
| 8th Prize | G. W. Ruff, 2180 Gadsden St., Chester, 5,048 Crowns | \$8.00 |
| 9th Prize | W. G. Bigham, Chester, 4,697 Crowns | \$5.00 |
| 10th Prize | Durham Mercantile Co., Blakeslee, 4,500 Crowns | \$5.00 |
| 11th Prize | P. B. Brawley, Chester, 4,420 Crowns | \$5.00 |
| 12th Prize | Mrs. M. M. Starnes, Great Falls, 4,408 Crowns | \$5.00 |
| 13th Prize | J. A. Hinton, Great Falls, 4,154 Crowns | \$2.99 |
| 14th Prize | R. M. McIlroy, Woodward, 765 Crowns | \$2.50 |
| 15th Prize | Boston Cafe, Chester, 760 Crowns | \$2.50 |
| 16th Prize | W. M. Stevart, White Oak, 775 Crowns | \$2.50 |
| 17th Prize | W. D. Ashford, Chester, 657 Crowns | \$2.50 |
| 18th Prize | Geo. W. Morris, Chester, 588 Crowns | \$2.50 |
| 19th Prize | J. A. Orr, Jr., Richburg, 560 Crowns | \$2.50 |
| 20th Prize | R. T. Morris, Chester, 537 Crowns | \$2.50 |
| 21st Prize | Herbert Smith, Lovryville, 506 Crowns | \$2.50 |
| 22nd Prize | J. L. Pressley, Chester, RFD, 500 Crowns | \$2.50 |
| 23rd Prize | Mary Nelson, 109 Center St., Chester, 477 Crowns | \$2.50 |
| 24th Prize | J. P. Williams & Co., McConnellville, 457 Crowns | \$2.00 |
| 25th Prize | A. L. Dunn, Chester, 448 Crowns | \$2.00 |
| 26th Prize | T. M. Patrick, Chester, 408 Crowns | \$2.00 |
| 27th Prize | Floyd Peck, Chester, 387 Crowns | \$2.00 |
| 28th Prize | Bliss Collins, 116 Wall St., Chester, 321 Crowns | \$2.00 |
| 29th Prize | L. H. Miller, Chester, 285 Crowns | \$2.00 |
| 30th Prize | Mrs. J. T. Bland, Chester, 281 Crowns | \$2.00 |
| 31st Prize | S. Simpson, Richburg, 245 Crowns | \$2.00 |
| 32nd Prize | Lillie Holley, Chester, 151 Crowns | \$2.00 |
| 33rd Prize | J. W. Keistler, Great Falls, 149 Crowns | \$1.50 |

No contestants for remainder of Prizes.

The "Crushes" are sold in bottles by leading dealers; also served at fountains.
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CHESTER COUNTY BOARD OF DIRECTORS NOTICE
CONTRACTORS FOR COUNTY ROAD CONSTRUCTION.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SEALED PROPOSALS FOR HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT IN CHESTER COUNTY WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF COUNTY BOARD OF DIRECTORS, AT CHESTER SOUTH MARKET, N. E. UNTIL 2:00 (TWO) O'CLOCK, P. M. SEPTEMBER 11TH, 1922, AND THEN PUBLICLY OPENED.

Description of Work To Be Done.
1. THE FOLLOWING APPROXIMATE QUANTITIES ON WHICH BIDS WILL BE REQUIRED:
1,231 Cubic Yards Common Excavation.
150 Yards Rock Excavation.
9,985 Cubic Yards Top Soil.
17,200 Linear Feet of grading, machining and shaping subgrade and crowning top soil.
755 Linear Feet Vitrified Iron Pipe (Flacing only).
60 Linear Feet Corrugated Iron Pipe (Flacing only).
92 Cubic Yards Rubble Masonry Headwalls and culverts.

Detailed plans of the work may be seen for examination at the office of County Engineer and Board of Directors, in the Court House, at Chester, S. C. Complete set of plans will be furnished for \$5.00, which sum will be refunded if plans are returned in good condition, within thirty days after receipt at the office.

THE RIGHT IS RESERVED TO REJECT ANY OR ALL PROPOSALS AND WAIVE ANY TECHNICALITIES.

A certified check corporate surety for FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$400.00) must be payable to the order of A. T. Henry, County Treasurer, of Chester, S. C. Company proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes marked "Bids on the Construction of the Armada Road in Chester County."

Proposals may be sent by mail, and when sent by mail shall be enclosed in an additional sealed envelope marked as indicated above. All proposals otherwise submitted will be rejected as irregular. Unsealed bids will be considered.

All bids will be retained by the County Board of Directors.
L. M. WOOTEN,
Chairman.
H. H. KESTER,
County Engineer.

THE BEST OF MEAT will be found at Elliott's Market, in The Valley.

According to the estimate of the Department of Agriculture, in Washington, as of August 25th, South Carolina will this year make 87,000 bales of cotton, the condition being 46. The total estimate for the cotton belt is 1,575,000.

Last Thursday the North Carolina Highway Commission let contracts for almost five million dollars in road work and bridge building on various roads in various sections of North Carolina. Since last January North Carolina has let contracts for the building of more than twenty-two million dollars in roads. The majority of the roads being built are hard surface. A few sand clay roads are being built. Among those who were awarded contracts last Thursday was that of R. M. Hudson Company for 9.87 miles between Hillsboro and Rattapeska county line; the contract price being \$239,800.50. A good part of the contracts of last week were for stretches on the Williams-Charlotte-Asheville highway.

CARD OF THANKS.
I wish to express my sincere and heartfelt appreciation of the efforts made by my late friend, Augustus M. Gregory, to raise a fund, with which to build a home for me in my old age. I want to thank each person who so generously contributed to this sum, which has been turned over to me, and to assure each one that both the thought and the gift were received with a deep sense of gratitude and appreciation. May God greatly bless each one.
J. H. YARBROUGH,
Chester, S. C., Sept. 8, 1922.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Notice To Parents Chester City Schools - Registration. All new pupils, including children entering first grade, will be required to register at the Superintendent's office on Main Street, Jefferson building, Wednesday and Thursday, September the sixth and the seventh, from nine to one o'clock and from three to six o'clock.

EXAMINATIONS. All pupils wishing to take examinations through the fourth grade will meet at the College Street School building in the following order: Friday A. M. Sept. 8th at 9:30 Second Grade.

Friday A. M. Sept. 8th at 11:30 pupils for Third Grade.

Saturday A. M. Sept. 9th at 9:30 pupils for the Fourth Grade.

Saturday P. M. Sept. 9th at 11:30 pupils for the Fifth Grade.

All pupils wishing to stand examinations to enter sixth and seventh grades please report to Doris Jones and Flore Street, before Friday, Sept. 8th at 9 o'clock.

All wishing examinations to enter Eighth, Ninth, Tenth and Eleventh grades will report at the High School building Friday morning Sept. 8th at 9 o'clock.

All pupils who attended the summer school and passed the examinations given at the close of school will not be required to stand examination to go forward with their grade.

Teachers meeting Saturday afternoon September 11th at four o'clock High School Building.

Regular Fall session begins Monday morning September eleven at eight-thirty o'clock. Full attendance is urged the first day. School books at Hamilton's Book Store.

M. E. BROCKMAN, Supt. Chester, S. C. Aug. 31, 1922.

22-25-29-1-6-8

Notice of Drawing Petit Jury. In compliance with an act of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina approved the 7th day of February, A. D. 1907, by the Jury Commissioners of Chester county, in said State do hereby give notice that on Thursday, September 14, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the office of the Clerk of Court of Common Pleas and General Sessions at Chester, S. C. we will draw the following Jurors, to wit:

Thirty-six (36) petit jurors to serve during the first week of the Fall Term of Circuit Court, beginning Monday, October 2, 1922.

A. C. FISCHER, Auditor, A. T. HENRY, Treasurer, J. E. CORNWELL, C. J. Pleas.

Chester, S. C., Aug. 30, 1922.

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TRAIN SCHEDULES. Schedules of passenger trains of the various railroads, arriving and leaving Chester.

SOUTHERN. Northbound. No. 4 Lv. Chester 7:30 A. M. No. 32 Lv. " 5:39 P. M.

Southbound. No. 31 Lv. Chester 9:00 A. M. No. 5 Lv. " 6:40 P. M.

C. & N. W. RY. Northbound. No. 2 Lv. Chester 7:28 A. M. Southbound. No. 1 Ar. Chester 6:40 P. M.

L. & C. RAILWAY. Westbound. No. 14 Ar. Chester 8:30 A. M. No. 16 Ar. " 6:21 P. M.

Eastbound. No. 15 Lv. Chester 10:50 A. M. No. 17 Lv. " 6:45 P. M.

SEABOARD. No. 6 Lv. Chester 8:120 A. M. No. 29 Lv. " 12:05 P. M. No. 11 Lv. " 12:05 P. M.

Northbound. No. 12 Lv. Chester 4:23 A. M. No. 30 Lv. Chester 3:15 P. M. No. 8 Lv. Chester 7:17 P. M.

No. Six-Sixty-Six. This is a prescription prepared especially for MARIANA DE CAMERON. Five or six doses will break any case of malaria. It does not hurt the liver, will not cause dizziness or any other symptoms. Cabernet and does not give an after-taste.

WORST IS OVER.

But Boll Weevil Will be Plentiful Next Month Says White.

With August at end the worst is over. Boll weevils will be fairly swarming in the cotton in September, but most of the crop destruction is past. The boll is hardening in open and they are no longer suitable as egg-laying places of the boll weevil.

No longer is it worth while to pick up squares containing unatched weevils. If there is prospect of getting enough top crop or middle crop, as the case may be, to fight with the weevil about, then apply poison.

Over a great part of the southeast, the cloudy, rainy, cool, weather in August, gave the weevil a good boost. A cry of dismay was heard in

the land. Those who were having their first severe experience were utterly astounded at the destruction that came suddenly like a thief in the night.

The weather as a handicap to boll weevil fighting is now more fully appreciated by those who hitherto had not experienced it. It is also better appreciated now than ever before that to meet the weather handicap there must be a most thorough and complete destruction of weevils before and between the weather periods.

How has calcium arsenate stood up under the weather stress? The writer has been visiting the injured areas and everywhere the benefits are to be seen. At places where close observation and care has been given in applying the poison on a roll crop is assured. At other

places where close attention has not been given the yield in prospect is well above average. But where indifferent attention has been given the yield is not much better than those where only square picking is employed.

Even where rather close attention has been given, the daily rains have so much weakened the poison that the prospects of yields are but little above the average. But, the reports of success with calcium arsenate dust is general and gratifying.

A wet May and June has recently been showing how it can cut the middle and top crop. A wet May and June means a short crop as a rule. But weevils are also being charged up with losses which a wet May and June are responsible for.

The greatest thing that a farmer can do in combating the weevil this fall is to rip up or turn under the top in picked. The sooner the better. Cotton stalks just as soon as the cotton is picked, the sooner they will destroy the weevil's food. It will leave your premises for those of the man who does not kill the male crabs, there to "place him-selves" next year; or else the bugs will go into winter quarters early with such a long period of fasting ahead as to make the weevil no sort of a life insurance risk. It is difficult to believe it, but it is true. The weevil before it sees another cotton square. - C. A. White.

The Best Hot Weather Tonic. GROWER'S TABLETS OR TONIC carries the blood, cleanses the system and will give you strength and fortify you to withstand the demands of the hot summer. 50c.

WRIGLEYS

The children love Wrigley's—and it's good for them.

Made under conditions of absolute cleanliness and brought to them in Wrigley's sealed sanitary package.

Satisfies the craving for sweets, aids digestion, sweetens breath, always fresh and helps keep teeth clean.

Costs little, benefits much.

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A Tonic For Women

"I was hardly able to drag, I was so weakened," writes Mrs. W. P. Ray, of Easley, S. C. "The doctor treated me for some two months, still I didn't get any better. I had a large family and felt I surely must do something to enable me to take care of my little ones. I had heard of

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

"I decided to try it," continues Mrs. Ray. "I took eight bottles in all. I regained my strength and have had no more trouble with womanly weakness. I have ten children and am able to do all my household and a lot of outside work. I can now recommend Cardui.

Take Cardui today. It may be just what you need. At all drugists.

Devised Spanish Green Olives

Here's a little "hors d'oeuvre" that may be prepared in a few minutes. It's novel and tasty. You will enjoy it, and so will the guests. If you don't have "serrano" peppers that label your "diaz" "unique" and "charming."

Pit large green olives and fill with the yolk of hard-boiled eggs mixed with a little butter. Lay an olive on a bed of bacon sprinkle with paprika and a tiny pinch of cayenne. Tie with toothpick and broil just long enough to crisp the bacon. Serve on toast fingers.

BOYS RUN AMUCK SHOOT OFFICER

Police Detective Crabtree Victim of Lessor Escapade. Klutz Not Only Shot Off His Brow, but Also Over His Body After He Fell, Report.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 31.—Police Detective Tom Crabtree, victim of a whiskey-crazed white boy's wild escapade early this morning, holding his own at Rex hospital tonight, and physicians held hopes for his recovery, despite a punctured spinal chord, injured vertebrae, two broken ribs and other internal injuries.

Nineteen-year-old "Boogie" Klutz, who fired three shots into the detective and then ran an automobile over his body, is in the city jail nursing "bullet" wounds in his arm, self-inflicted while attempting to reload his gun after he had emptied the three remaining chambers at the officer's head.

Klutz started out to "get mean" last night. He hired an automobile, and when the negro driver, George Hamilton, had delivered him at his first-ordered destination he wanted to ride faster. Pressing the cold steel of his pistol against the negro's head he ordered him to "drive."

Not satisfied with the extensive joy ride he started trouble with the negro. First, after he had stopped the car in front of a closed service station, he directed the negro to go through a series of movements in front of the machine. He then announced he was going to kill him. At this the negro ran, shouting for help. Klutz fired twice at him, but the balls merely ordered him to "drive."

Crabtree arrived at that time. He stopped his car and was alighting when Klutz turned the gun on him. The officer fell to the ground. Klutz, jumping from the rear to the front seat of the car, grabbed the wheel and shoved in the gas. Two wheels passed over the officer's body.

He drove a dozen blocks and then stopped at a house to use a telephone to call his brother for help. The wound in his arm which he inflicted before leaving Crabtree, was hurting. Officers caught him as he was about to telephone. He was taken first to the hospital and then to jail.

Soaking today, Klutz denied he had shot the officer, but the police have Crabtree's own word that the boy is the man who fired on him.

Enough of "Muddling Through." The menace of a fuel and car shortage is the price the American people are paying for their trust in the policy of "somehow muddling through" their industrial disputes. It is time that this costly and futile policy be abandoned; time that a new and definite attitude was adopted for the protection of the public interests in the disputes between capital and labor.

Nation-wide strikes that disturb whole industries, that cause widespread losses and suffering, that result in murder and arson and in disregard for law should be recognized as exactly what they are—a form of civil war. And in this form of war, just as much as the kind that is openly called war, the noncombatants are the ones who must pay and who generally suffer the most. If it is, the hundred million who had no part in the rail and coal strikes, wrong—may increased costs, for the necessities of life, shipments delayed, lost or wasted, and in chill anxiety.

The whole spirit of democracy is supposedly based upon a decent regard for the rights of others. We have fought a war to sustain those rights on the seas and in Europe. But we have allowed them to be flouted here at home.

The responsibility for these conditions rests with the Government and those who constitute it. And it is a responsibility that cannot be shifted or denied. The only reason for government is to protect the individual, to insure him protection a-

Week End Fares From All Principal Stations to Principal Mountain and Seashore Resorts Announced by Southern Railway System

Effective May 20th to September 30th. Round trip tickets will be sold for all rates Saturday and Sunday limited for returning Tuesdays following date of sale.

Table listing fares to various resorts like Asheville, N.C., Arden, N.C., Brevard, N.C., etc.

For further information and Pullman reservations apply to Ticket Agents.

EAGLE "MIKADO" Pencil No. 174. For Sale at your Dealer. ASK FOR THE YELLOW PENCIL WITH THE RED BAND. EAGLE PENCIL COMPANY, NEW YORK.

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It takes money to operate a printing plant. It takes money to operate a mercantile business. In fact it takes money to operate any business—even a Ford business.

Printing is our business. We must have printing to do business and when we do print we must have money in order to continue to do business. No business can operate long unless it makes a profit on the business done. Every sensible business man knows that and should be willing to allow the other fellow a reasonable profit.

The News has long since quit guessing at printing prices—we have the prices figured out right ready for you when you offer the job to us, and on every job we do, a profit is figured. We are in the printing business to make money just like you are in the mercantile business to make money.

Some printers still hang on to the old style of guessing at every job of printing brought to them. John Smith brings them a job and they guess less than cost and give him a cheap job. Tom Jones brings in a job and they guess 100 per cent too high and Jones helps pay for the Smith job. That's not right. Every man pays for his own job. That's the way The News charges for printing. It lets every fellow pay for his own job.

There is no need of your sending a job of printing out to Chester. The News can and will give you a reasonable price on your work as any printer who does printing in a business way.

The News is a Home Establishment and every dollar you spend with us stays right in your town to help help town grow. In fact, the employes of The News spend more money in Chester each year than the total business received from Chester business houses. If we were not for "foreign business" The News would have more than the plant out of Chester. Looks funny, but the figures prove it.

Don't send your printing out of town. You might be able to get a cheaper price some where, but there is no printing house in the country which can do printing as a whole, cheaper than The News and stay in business very long.

We not only want you to buy your printing at Home but we want you to stay in town. We like to see Home. That's the way we must all do if we want to see Chester grow.

Large advertisement for Camel cigarettes featuring a man smoking a cigarette and the text: "I ought to know I grow tobacco. You can't beat a Camel, because you can't beat the tobacco that goes into Camels. That's why Camels are the choice of men who know and love fine tobaccos. They know what makes Camels so smooth, so fragrant and mellow-mild. They'll tell you that the expert Camel blend of choice Turkish and Domestic tobaccos makes a cigarette smoke you can't equal—no matter what you pay. But it doesn't take an expert to tell Camel quality. You'll spot it the very first puff. Try Camels yourself."