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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1920

Having saved the country again, why not get down to business?

A home without a refrigerator these days would be a queer home indeed.

Sweetly appropriate is the gradual slump in prices that we read about.

The fellow who measures 48, to 50 has no trouble keeping up front.

Despite the fact that all men are born equal and free they marry.

We think it all a lie about Terrance MacSwiney being fed on the sly. We believe he is being fed in the mouth.

Sugar is cut, clothing is cut, and now comes along the speculator to hammer down the price of cotton.

Harding forsook his front porch The next thing in order will be for him to change his hearse ideas.

We have with us no more the old-fashioned girl with spring-heeled shoes.

Don't worry about the wain-ies, even a puffed man can locate it.

Now that prices have begun to decline, the pocketbook is beginning to have a greater respect for itself.

Abie Martin tells us that horse sense used to be the thing, but that nowadays the thing we need is speed and vision.

The burning of cotton gins is not going to reduce the cost of bringing out the farmer any higher price for his cotton.

When paper suits have become in vogue, leaders ought to reap a profit by renting out advertising space on themselves.

As a rule the man who is not ashamed to wear patches on his pants is the fellow who can afford to have them without patches.

As yet our undertakers have advertised no reduction in the price of coffins. This being the case, they will not get an order from us just so long as we can keep from placing one.

ADDITIONAL SUBSCRIPTIONS TO STOCK IN COTTON CORPORATION.

C. E. Waters and W. B. Stevenson \$500 each; Dr. R. E. Abell, \$300; Lee Carter, W. L. Abernathy, J. B. Daniel, D. Ferguson, J. O. Crawford, J. A. Cuthbert, W. W. Stevenson and J. Simpson, \$100 each; W. H. Thompson, and Z. G. Darby, \$50 each; G. Harbo, C. L. Anderson, N. B. McVie, H. W. Grant, L. B. Threlkild, J. B. Crosby, P. H. Jordan, Paul E. Yongue, A. W. McWaters, G. W. Anderson, R. H. Jordan, A. M. Yonque, S. A. McWaters, J. G. Knox, J. T. J. W. and J. L. Ken-190; hats each; I. H. Walker, 100 hats; J. W. Whitehead, five hats; S. B. Clowney, six hats; Joe Frazer, five hats; John Frazer, 10 hats; one; later; F. and J. Walker, 10 hats; T. H. White, 20 hats.

Every landlord in Chester county is expected to do his or her part in this operation. It will start a few of the little mills to work that want cotton but have not the money with which to buy the raw product. England is trying to get Czech-Slovakia to take Indian cotton on six to nine months credit, but India cotton is very short staple and these people would have to change their spindles at great expense to spin this cotton, therefore they want our cotton if we can get it to them. If we do not get it we get quickly. Your share is one-twentieth of the amount actually produced on the land you own or control. Failure to assist in this project, unhelpful signs that his boy will repeat itself. We have been wanting to sell direct to the European spinners for many years. You have the chance now, if you do not help, Wall Street will buy our cotton at whatever price she wants cause we do not try to help ourselves but want some one else to do that for us.

Let's go over the top with that 3, 374 bales.

H. E. SANDERS, Sec.

DRUG DEATHS INCREASE

Sleep Producing Drugs Said to Be on Increase in New York.

The increase of deaths here from sleep-producing drugs, many of which are said to have been sold by many persons since the advent of prohibition, has led Health Commissioner Copeland to order an investigation of sales of such drugs says a recent New York dispatch. Additional restrictions may be placed on their sale, he said.

The investigation was ordered because of a statement by Chief Medical Examiner Norris regarding the increase in deaths attributed to this cause. He said that alcoholic addicts finding themselves nervous and sleepless in many instances, where they have been unable to purchase liquor for their customary "night-cap" before retiring and the "eye opener" on arising, had resorted to other artificial and dangerous ways of winning sleep. The desired relief, he said, was obtained through the use of the nerve-quieting effects of certain drugs.

Dr. Copeland, in instructions to the Bureau of Foods and Drugs to begin an investigation, specifically referred to most of the drugs mentioned in the complaint has been made officially as "treacherous somnifacients," 15 grains of one of which, he said, were sufficient to cause death. He stated that fatalities from the use of these drugs were altogether too frequent.

Dr. Morris declared that deaths from sleep-producing drugs occurred in hospitals and in what formerly were sanatoriums for treatment of alcoholism. Deaths from such causes also had been treated in sanatoriums, he said. Sale of such drugs, he added, should be governed by the same strict regulations as those covering the sale of poisons.

EXONERATES OFFICER.

Gaffney Policeman Shot in Self Defense.

Gaffney, Oct. 17.—Will Davidson, a negro, who was shot on the streets of Gaffney October 9, by a police officer of that city died in a local hospital last night at 9 o'clock as a result of his wounds. Coroner John B. Vinsett held inquest this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Cherokee county court house, at which time the jury returned a verdict to the effect that the Gaffney officer, in discharge of his duty in self defense. It is asserted that the negro was attempting to grab a pistol on a charge of carrying concealed weapons, and when he approached, the negro drew the weapon and the Gaffney officer is said to have fired in self defense. Immediately after the happening Chief Bryant surrendered to Sheriff Thomas.

Millions of native women in India are born, live, suffer and die in medical cases wholly preventable for the reason that their caste and customs forbid their being attended by a male physician.

SUMMONS FOR RELIEF.

(Complaint filed.)
State of South Carolina, County of Chester, Court of Common Pleas.
T. C. Phillips, Manager, Plaintiff, vs. G. W. White, et al., Defendants.
Phillips, Mrs. C. T. Tennant and John Phillips, Plaintiffs.

Whereas the undersigned, Plaintiff, and the undersigned, Defendants, are hereby summoned and required to answer complaint in this action, which was this day filed in the office of Clerk of said Court at Chester, S. C., and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint, on the undersigned at their office in Columbia, S. C., within ten days after the service hereof, assistance of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated October 15, 1920.
HENRY H. M'LEWEE,
Plaintiff's Atty.

Between the deserving poor and the undeserving poor there is a vast difference.

After a milliner retires from business he keeps in practice by pumping up his automobile tires.

A scientist is a man of learning among other things he is apt to learn that he is not blamable proof.

Large Charities for sale
Delta Hall, 137 Cemetery St., 186-190

Watch for Richards the Wizard. He is coming to Chester.

A \$175.00 Christmas Present FREE

Buy your Automobile Tires from us and with each Tire purchased will be given a chance to secure absolutely free a \$175 World Phonograph. Simply sign your name on a card. Easy, isn't it?

This does not apply to sales made at wholesale. Phonograph will be given away on December 20th.

Ask any of our Salesmen.

Chester Hardware Co.
"Quality First."



TO KILL THE CHILL
on these cool mornings nothing can take the place of an Electric Heater. They are also ideal for the bath room—no danger of exploding; no smoke; no ashes. We carry them in various sizes and prices and will be glad to show them to you.

Southern Public Utilities Co.



SAVE TIME AND LABOR

In the present age there is no excuse for a housewife to depend upon the old-style iron and stove in order to iron clothes. The old-style is slow and is very hard work.

Ironing at its best is a tiresome job and such being the case every one should have an Electric Iron in the home, even for the little jobs that come up almost daily. The cost is very small, so why do without such a convenience?

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WANTS TO KNOW CITY TAX RATES OF VARIOUS TOWNS

Columbia, Oct. 18.—Every one of the 275 incorporated towns in South Carolina is being solicited by the state tax commission from the Columbia office for information regarding the tax levies in their limits. A letter has been sent to each town and city of the state, asking the question: "What is the levy for city purposes in your town, including any levy for permanent improvements, or for the retirement of bonds, issued for municipal-owned utility?"

The tax commission is acting on request of the legislative commission, headed by Senator Mixson, of Chester, which is making a study of the taxation system of the state. The object is to ascertain what percentage of the tax income is from property taxes. It is stated that approximately 85 per cent of the tax income of South Carolina is from property taxes, the remainder being

LAST WEEK OF Klutz Department Store's Great Reduction Price Sale

Hundreds of people have attended this sale and have been richly rewarded by saving great money on their purchases. The extra low prices remain on the goods through this week; be sure you attend. You can save from 30 to 50 per cent on your wants. Your money back on anything found net as represented.

Extra Special Bargains for This Week

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| 35 to 40c drilling reduced to 15c | \$2.48 men's dress shirts with or without collars, reduced to |
| 35 to 40c gingham and curtain goods reduced to a yard 15c | Franklin white granulated sugar, a pound 15c |
| "Fashionette" hair nets this week at 10c | Best grade kerosene, a gallon 23c |
| \$2.50 men's ribbed union suits reduced to \$1.79 | 50c ladies' seam back stocking at 25c |
| 35c children's stockings, 6 to 9 1-2 sizes, Klutz price 25c | \$20 imported art squares, 9 x 12 feet, reduced to \$11.95 |
| 1.50 men's work shirts 99c | \$1.25 window shades 75c |
| 35c white homespun 15c | \$1.00 good sweeping brooms 45c |
| 40c dress gingham 20c | |

NO SUCH VALUES AS WE ARE OFFERING IN WOMEN'S COATS CAN BE FOUND IN CHESTER COUNTY.

Klutz has just purchased several hundred Women's Coats at a great reduction and we offer them accordingly.
\$20 to \$25 lovely coats for ladies reduced to \$14.25
\$30 to \$35 beautiful long coats for ladies reduced to \$22.50
\$35 to \$40 magnificent long coats for ladies at \$24.75
\$65 long coats reduced \$49.75
\$48.50 long coats Klutz reduced price sale \$35.00

LADIES' COAT SUITS PRICES CUT NEARLY IN HALF.

\$30 to \$35 coat suits \$19.50
\$45 lovely tricotine coat suits reduced to \$31.50
\$20 all wool coat suits reduced to \$10.98
\$40 coat suits special at \$27.00

KLUTZ REDUCED PRICES ON FINE DRESSES BRINGS THEM DOWN TO NEARLY HALF THEIR OLD PRICES.

Tricotine, serges, silks, kitten's ear crepe and satins.
\$22.50 to \$25 all wool tricotine and serge dresses reduced to \$16.50
\$20 all wool tricotine dresses reduced to \$13.88
\$35 to \$40 tricotine and serge dresses reduced to \$24.85

PRICES ON MEN'S, LADIES' and CHILDREN'S SHOES CUT TO THE VERY BOTTOM.

All Klutz big stock of shoes have been reduced in price for this sale.
\$7.00 ladies' comfortable walking shoes, soft and easy to tired feet reduced to \$4.95
\$3 high grade children's shoes special at \$1.98
\$12.00 to \$15.00 ladies' dress shoes reduced to \$9.98
\$10.00 men's regulation army shoes reduced to \$6.95
\$7.00 ladies' lovely dress shoes, high tops, special at \$4.98

KLUTZ GREAT CLOTHING STOCK REDUCED.

Young men's \$25 suits reduced to \$14.25
\$35 men's suits, Klutz reduced price \$19.95
\$11 Boy's suits reduced to \$7.48
60 to \$70 hand tailored suits reduced to \$39.75

No matter what you buy at Klutz Department Store, Chester, S. C., if you are dissatisfied, return it and get your money back.

Big Bargain In Hose Uneda

We are offering exceptional bargains in Ladies Hose in black, white and brown. Slightly imperfect hose which formerly sold for \$1.50 and \$2.00, we are now offering for the same amount of 95c



They will not last long, at this price. Better come early if you can buy.

Biscuit

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

Big Price Reduction

ON ALL COTTON GOODS, WOOL DRESS GOODS, SILKS, BLANKETS, COMFORTS, CURTAIN NETS, DRAPERIES, RUGS, MATTINGS, LINOLEUMS AND ALL OTHER FLOOR COVERINGS.

Greatly Reduced Prices

ON HOSIERY, LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S KNIT UNDERWEAR. NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY WHAT YOU NEED IN FALL AND WINTER MERCHANDISE.

The S. M. JONES CO.

LOCAL and PERSONAL

The matter of voting on a constitutional amendment as to the amount of bonds which can be issued by the City of Chester, which was overlooked when the notice of the general election was sent out, has been attended to and will receive attention in the election. This amendment, if passed, removes the limit at the disposal of bonds for certain improvements in Chester.

Greatly reduced prices on all ladies' and children's sweaters at The S. M. Jones Co.

Mr. and Mrs. George Baumgart and baby, of Atlanta, Ga. are guests at the home of Mrs. Baumgart's father, Mr. J. E. Wylie, at Knox Station.

Miss Bernice Harrell who is attending school at Bowling Springs, N. C. is spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Harrell, on Wylie street.

Messrs. Tom White and Fitz Hardin spent Sunday afternoon in Rock Hill with friends.

Rev. W. R. Jopling has been installed as pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Lancaster.

Henry Toole, one of Rock Hill's best-known colored citizens, was buried in that city Sunday. Toole was a Democrat and stuck to the white men through the reconstruction times and was highly respected by the people of Rock Hill. The honorary ballbearers were white men. A white undertaker also charged at the funeral. A large crowd attended the funeral, however, there were only about fifteen negroes present.

Mrs. W. R. Sims and Miss Lottie Barron were joint hostesses at a Miscellaneous Show at the home of Mrs. Barron, home on Oakland Avenue Saturday afternoon, as a graceful courtesy to Miss Emma Thomson, who will become the bride of Mr. John Lucy McLean, of Maxton, N. C., on October 26th.—Rock Hill Herald.

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At Chester on Friday afternoon the Wintrop "Traveling School" football team met defeat at the hands of the Chester high school team, 24 to 0. The Traveling School leads played a plucky game, but were outclassed by Collins and Mallon, two of Chester's backs, featured the game with end runs and plunges through the line and which Chester's aggression played first-class ball.—Rock Hill Record.

Why not SAVE the 20 per cent difference by INSURING your Automobile or BOAT with the American Fire, Transformation and Theft. The Saving will buy a good many gallons of Gasoline. J. C. Corwell, Agent, Chester, S. C.

Mr. Robert Wain of Atlanta, Ga. is spending a few days in Chester. His former home, Mr. Wain is now connected with the American-LaFrance fire truck company and has been traveling in the West for the past few months.

Mrs. W. A. McWhorter spent the week-end in Monroe with friends.

Miss Katharine Smith, Mrs. E. W. Pate and Mr. C. D. Pyle, returned to Charlotte Sunday.

Big reductions in all wool dress goods at The S. M. Jones Company.

Left: Between Mrs. M. J. Foy and H. H. Hough's jewelry store, formation on "Finger" plates from S. M. Jones office.

BOBBIE BROILLER COMING

With the Royal Scotch Highlanders Band Saturday Night.

One of the big features of Roy D. Smith's Scotch Highlanders Band which will play here Saturday, October 23rd, at the opera house is Bobbie Broiller, noted Scotch tenor and singer of tuneful and catchy songs of the Scotch Highlands. Broiller, who has made a distinct hit in America and in Canada is possessed of unusual versatility and as well as being a finished musician he is also a composer of light and descriptive songs. Scotch madrigals and clever imitations of Harry Lauder are also included in the program numbers of the versatile performer.

Bobbie Broiller will sing several numbers while here with the band, among the better known being "Do You Think I Love a Lassie," "It's Nice to Get Up in the Morning," "Ladies Who Fought and Won," and others.

Bobbie is a member of the MacCleod clan and is proud of it. He wears the MacCleod tartan both in his hair and on his shirt and those who are familiar with the Scotch dialect claim that he sings with a genuine burr. The band will wear the regular full dress uniform of the Royal Scotch Highlanders, with the Gordon tartan during their engagement here.

DESERTS FRENCH BRIDE

Search is Being Made For Soldier Who Deserted Wife.

A war romance that had its beginning in France culminated at Salisbury, Kan., Sunday, in a domestic tragedy which leaves a French bride and her month-old baby facing the world alone in a land of strangers. Described by her husband as "Chester" is being cared for by members of the local post of the American Legion and the Salina chapter of the Red Cross.

The Coopers made their home at Sharon Springs, after their return from overseas but shortly after that time their Cooper disappeared and a wife being sought to face a charge of desertion. Mrs. Cooper, who is unable to speak a word of English, is being cared for through a lawyer, who, as a member of the Legion, offered the services free of charge. She plans to return to her aged mother in France.

Salina Post of the Legion has offered a reward of \$50 for the apprehension of Cooper.

Have you seen the beautiful coats they are showing at The S. M. Jones Co.?

There will be a special convalescence of Chester Commandery No. 2, R. M. on Friday evening, October 23rd, for the purpose of conferring the order of Red Cross and Malta on a class of 25 candidates.

A representative of the American-LaFrance fire truck is in Chester today and is endeavoring to get some of the city councilmen to visit Atlanta, where they may see the fire truck in action. The matter of securing the fire truck for Chester has been before the council for several months and the condition of the present fire fighting equipment has reached the point where something must be done. Another matter that is being considered by securing city officials is that of securing equipment with which to keep the fire saved streets in good shape.

The Violet Glee Club will meet with Mrs. F. H. Hardin Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

Of course, it is the building that gave the strength the...

The sympathy of the entire community goes out to Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Dewey in the death of their 1133 three-year-old daughter, Bernice Lee, who died today about noon after having been seriously ill since Sunday afternoon. All that medical skill could do was done to save the life of this bright little child but it was the will of the Master God that it come to Him and at the hour above-mentioned it went away. The funeral services will be held at the home tomorrow morning at eleven o'clock.

A meeting in the interest of the Imports and Exports Cotton Corporation is being held at the court house today. The principal speaker is Dr. J. B. Johnson, of Rock Hill. At the beginning of the meeting about twenty-five people were present, about half being farmers and the balance composed of various business men of Chester. To date Chester county has subscribed to about one-fourth its share of the capital stock of the corporation. Chester county's share is 1274 bales of cotton, or its equivalent in cash or Liberty bonds.

"Katcha-Koo," the local talent play which was to have been staged at the opera house last Friday evening was postponed until tomorrow evening on account of the failure of the costumes to arrive. The ladies of the Civic League, under whose auspices the play is being given, and Mrs. Selbels, who has charge of same, regret the occurrence very much but were unable to avoid it. A rehearsal of the play will be held tonight and with this additional rehearsal and the arrival of the costumes the people of Chester will have the opportunity of seeing a very meritorious performance.

The remains of Miss Lizzie McNeill, who died at the Baptist Hospital in Columbia Saturday morning, were brought to Chester Sunday and laid to rest in Evergreen cemetery. Miss McNeill made her home in Chester for a number of years and was a life-long and devoted member of the Baptist church. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Sallie Hamilton.

Within a short time the fact that Chester has inadequate cotton wagon house storage room is going to be demonstrated and the people are going to be seriously inconvenienced by the fact. This is a matter that should have received attention by the business men and farmers of Chester months ago and one, we fear, they are going to wish they had looked after.

Mr. George Gregory spent the week-end at Ridge Springs with relatives.

The Cole Eight automobile of Mr. J. A. Klutz was considerably damaged by fire yesterday at a show at Lager from a short circuit on the Ashford ferry road. The fire evidently originated from a short circuit of the wiring system.

Want to rent store-room with plenty of space for one of largest department stores in the Carolina, which desires location in Chester. Will employ thirty to forty people. All inquiries to be made to the following confidential address "Department Store," care The Chester News, Chester, S. C.

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DREAMLAND THEATRE

Today Billie Rhodes in "THE LOVE CALL"

The story of a little rough-neck who found the wild country and love more appealing than college. Also Snob Pollard in "LITTLE MISS JAZZ"

A scream and "TOPICS OF THE DAY" WEDNESDAY

William Farnum in "THE JOYOUS TROUBLEMAKER"

A romantic story of battle for gold and a maid. Also Hank Mann in "LEAP YEAR"

Her first look at him required a lot of work and persistence, but she got the sight and likewise the man. Thursday Edith Roberts

"ALIAS MISS DODD" in "A beautiful young person who started out to reform the world but fortunately fell in love."

also BIC V COMEDY and "FOX NEWS No. 100"

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Great

Chester Fair

NOVEMBER 2-3-4-5

Excursion Rates On All -Railroads-

All That We Had Last Year With Many New Features

PLAN TO SPEND THE WEEK AT THE FAIR

Harry Lauder's only Rival

Bobbie Broiller Famous Scotch Singer with the Scotch Highlander's Band

OPERA HOUSE Saturday, Oct. 23rd. 8:30 P. M.

Feature Band at Atlantic City in 1914 Best Attraction Of The Season.

Seats on Sale Wednesday, Oct. 20

FORD LOSES OUT

IN SUIT BROUGHT BY COLUMBIA MAN.

Columbia, Oct. 18.—Damage in the sum of \$49,999 from the Ford Motor Car Company, and \$1 from the Union Auto Co. of Charleston, was the verdict in the case brought by H. B. McMaster, automobile dealer of Columbia, against the Ford organization.

The dealer verdict, found by the jury Sunday night, was opened in court this morning. The case went to trial a week ago and the jury got the case at 2:30 Saturday afternoon. Mr. McMaster sued for \$500,000, claiming damages from an order from the Ford factory against the sale by its dealer of a wide gauge attachment manufactured by Mr. McMaster. The damages awarded by the jury are within the limit.

Notice was given by attorneys for Henry Ford, of the appeal of the case.

They are showing a beautiful line of trappings and chessmen dressed at The S. M. Jones Co.

SEE

Katcha-Koo

8:30 WEDNESDAY, OCT. 20, Sure.

Holders of 75c tickets have 8c war tax ready at door of theatre.

Mrs. Roy Brown and baby returned to Richburg last Friday after a pleasant three-weeks visit to Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McVey, of Yemassee, S. C.

A French economic makes the statement that the war added ten million to the list of workers in France.

Dr. and Mrs. Glenn Lee Greenwood, spent Sunday in Chester with the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Lee, on Parkside street.

Misses Maggie and Mary Edwards, of Columbia, spent the week-end in the city with relatives.

Mr. Carl Edsall was called in Florence Sunday on account of the serious illness of his mother.

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Subscribes to The Chester News.

TAX NOTICE—1920.

In accordance with Law, the tax books will be opened on October 15, 1920, for the collection of taxes, and remain open to December 31 without penalty, and for the month of January, one per cent on delinquents, for the month of February one per cent additional on delinquents and for 15 days in March, 15 to 15th, five per cent additional on delinquents; on all real and personal property, as follows:

For State Purpose, twelve mills.
For Constitutional School Tax, three mills.
For Good Roads (Acts 1920), two mills.
For Ordinary County Purposes, five mills.
For Road Purpose, two mills.
For Payment of Interest and Retiring County Highway Bonds, Three and three-tenths mills.
For Retiring Railroad Bonds and for Sinking Fund and Interest, four-tenths of one mill.
For Outstanding Indebtedness and Interest, one mill.
And Special School Tax as follows:

Lansford School District No. 3, two mills.
Elberhol School District No. 26, 12 mills.
Port Lawn School District No. 17, 12 mills.
Baconville School District No. 18, eight mills.
Edmore School District No. 11, 12 mills.
Oakley Hall School District No. 20, 19 mills.
Richburg School District No. 19, 13 mills.
Lanika School District No. 31, 8 mills.
Levissville School District No. 2, 5 mills.
Great Falls School District No. 6, 12 mills.
Hopewell School District No. 26, 8 mills.
Mt. Prospect School District No. 33, 2 mills.
Walt Ridge School District No. 39, 4 mills.
Ball Run School District No. 37, 2 mills.
Tip Top School District No. 38, 12 mills.
Blackstock School District No. 24, 2 mills.
Bethlehem School District No. 30, 12 mills.
Cornwell School District No. 25, 11-1/2 mills.
Purity School District No. 28, 3 mills.
Douglass School District No. 7, 2 mills.
Oak Hill School District No. 27, 2 mills.
Leeds School District No. 15, 7 mills.
Halseville School District No. 16, 12 mills.
Bigg Rouge School District No. 5, 10 mills.
Wilksburg School District No. 14, 2 mills.
Broad River School District No. 12, 4 mills.
Armistead School District No. 29, 12 mills.
Laurysville School District No. 22, 17 1/2 mills.
Sandy Trier School District No. 10, 5 mills.
Rocky Creek School District No. 9, 1 1/2 mills.
Court House School District No. 1, 14 mills.

Also, one \$1.00 poll tax on all male persons between ages of 21 and 60 years of age, also a qualification tax of 50 cents on all dogs.

Also a commutation Road tax of \$5.00 on all male citizens between the ages of 21 and 90 years, except duly ordained ministers and teachers actually engaged in school work; payable between October 15th, 1920, and April 1st, 1921.

The office will be open during legal hours for collection of same.

A. V. HENRY,
Treasurer of Chester County, S. C.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF UTILITIES

Any utility company that is worthy of the confidence of its patrons and the public must have a proper conception of its responsibilities and duties to its patrons. Its executives and personnel must consider themselves quasi public officials; must be imbued with the passion and desire to serve.

Utilities, such for instance as electricity for light and power, street railway, gas service, must be efficiently operated to the end that their patrons may have service of a high quality and dependability and at the lowest possible cost commensurate with the services rendered.

The utility, in the interest of its patrons and the public good as well as in the interest of the holders of its securities, must have such rates as will pay operating costs and a reasonable return on the investment. A higher rate than this is impossible because rates are determined in practically every state by a regulatory commission.

To render its best service any utility must have the confidence, sympathetic interest and co-operation of its patrons. The attitude of the patrons is a more important factor in utility service than most of them appreciate.

The Southern Public Utilities Company has been able to maintain a high standard of service in its electric street railway and gas departments because it has enjoyed the confidence and had the interest and co-operation of its patrons, as well as the enthusiastic cooperation of its entire personnel, who have the same conception of their duties and responsibilities to the public as the executives of the company have. On the other hand we feel that our patrons have appreciated the policy of the company in dealing with them at all times frankly and squarely.

SOUTHERN PUBLIC UTILITIES COMPANY

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. 1920, we, the Jury Commissioners of Chester county, in the said State, do hereby give notice that on Wednesday, October 20, 1920, at 10:30 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, Nov. 1st, 1920.

A. C. FISCHER, Auditor.
A. T. HENRY, Treasurer.
J. E. CORNWELL, C. C. C. Pleas. Jury Commissioners.
Chester, S. C., Oct. 17, 1920.

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Thirty-six (36) petit jurors to serve during the second week of the Fall Term of Circuit Court, beginning Monday, Nov. 8th, 1920.

A. C. FISCHER, Auditor.
A. T. HENRY, Treasurer.
J. E. CORNWELL, C. C. C. Pleas. Jury Commissioners.
Chester, S. C., Sept. 26, 1920.

SUMMONS FOR RELIEF.

(Complaint filed.)
State of South Carolina, County of Chester, County of Common Pleas and General Sessions, do hereby summon and require the following named (all of whom are absent) you are hereby summoned and required to answer complaint in this action, which was this day filed in the office of Clerk of said Court at Chester, S. C., and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their offices in Chester, S. C., within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Dated Chester, S. C., Oct. 1, 1920.

HENRY A. MILLER,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

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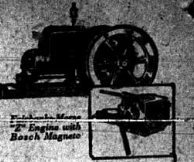
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