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## WILL HELP THE SOLDIERS

### Government Will Build Large Hospitals to Accommodate Those Disabled From Wounds.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 23.—In order to recall to life physically mangled and industrially the soldiers of the American army who have served abroad and who are invalided home, the War Department is rushing plans for the erection of the reconstruction hospitals that are to be built in different parts of the United States.

Places have been chosen though not yet approved, at Memphis and New Orleans for the southern soldiers, as the plan is to send men to the hospitals nearest their homes.

Other cities selected and yet to be approved are at New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Buffalo, Cincinnati, Chicago, St. Paul, Seattle, Denver, San Francisco, Kansas City and Richmond, Va., with others to be located hereafter.

These hospitals are to be patterned after those in other countries at war and the general outline that is being formulated might seem to be unimpaired. It is the fact that science has accomplished and is daily accomplishing in other lands, that makes it so to be undertaken in this country—the last to enter the war.

It is inevitable to everyone that the war must take its toll of men and that another has to come to the United States to take the place of those who have died.

The general idea is to eliminate industrial cripples. While the soldier is on the firing line he will be supported by the provisions of the United States and the soldier's family. While the soldier is in the hospital, he will be supported by the provisions of the United States and the soldier's family. While the soldier is in the hospital, he will be supported by the provisions of the United States and the soldier's family.

## CHESTERFIELD FEELS FORCE OF BIG FIRE

### Flames Destroy Three Stores and a Residence and Damage Another Business House.

Chesterfield, Oct. 22.—A fire which at the height of its intensity almost the entire business section of the town started about 11 o'clock this morning in the store of the Chesterfield Drug Company. The town being under water, no one organized method of fire fighting was demonstrated in the presence of a fire which quickly destroyed three stores and a residence and badly damaged another store.

The total loss is estimated at \$5,500 with only \$1,500 insurance. The losers in the fire are: The Chesterfield Drug Company, B. C. Moore, Neil Funderburg, Miss Belle Chaplin, residence; Teal & Jones, A. F. Davis and Mangum & Funderburg, the owners of the stores consumed by the drug company, Teal & Jones, a building destroyed and A. F. Davis slightly damaged. A movement is on foot to install a complete system of waterworks.

## NEW YORK FIXES PRICE OF SUGAR

### Plan Requires That Refiners Apportion Distribution on Basis of Available Supply.

New York, Oct. 23.—Refinery wholesalers and retail prices of sugar for granulated sugar were standardized in an agreement entered into today by representatives of the three branches of the industry at a conference called by Henry Monacovitch, commissioner of public markets. The prices follow:

Refinery—\$3.85 Major for bulk granulated; wholesaler, \$3.00 per 100 pounds for bulk granulated in the original packages to the retail trader; retail, 10 to 11 cents a pound for granulated sugar, the price to the consumer not to exceed 11 cents.

The conferees issued a statement saying that the cooperation of the consumer was necessary in working out the plan and that the sugar shortage is temporary.

"Relief," it added, "is forthcoming through the supply of United States beet and Hawaiian cane sugar."

The plan requires that the refiners apportion their distribution on the basis of the available sugar as follows:

- 1. Wholesale—distribution on the same basis as the refiners.
- 2. Retailers agree to sell not more than two, three and a half or five pounds at any one time to the regular trade—this quantity to take these consumers from ten days to two weeks according to the size of the family.
- 3. The wholesaler agrees to procure a quantity of sugar to be distributed on the same basis as the refiners.
- 4. Retailers agree to sell not more than two, three and a half or five pounds at any one time to the regular trade—this quantity to take these consumers from ten days to two weeks according to the size of the family.

## OUR ARMY IS NEAR ACTION

### Baker's Guarded Review Taken to Mean That Soldiers Soon Will Be in Trenches—Wants Go into War

Washington, Oct. 23.—Secretary of War Baker issued a formal statement to-night which is interpreted in Washington as meaning that the bulk of the American expeditionary force now in France will soon go into action in the trenches.

This is the construction placed upon the significant phrases in his weekly review of the military operations in Europe, guarded in its utterance and explained to the public by the American expeditionary force. He emphasized the status of the Pershing expedition by giving it the most prominent position in the analysis of the military equation. He declared that "our men in France, after three months of intensive training, are in splendid physical condition and efficient fighting trim."

"We feel that the time has come when we should be able to commit to the test our army in the trenches," he stated in his weekly report. "I have therefore placed upon my report the actual situation of the American troops into the fighting line."

What gives further emphasis to the interpretation is the fact that in his statement Secretary Baker says "it is not anticipated that the Allies will go into Winter quarters this year," and that "the most important of the battle in Flanders is beginning to be re-activated."

"The plan is to have the assignment of American soldiers to their places in the front an equivalent number of Entente forces will be released to reinforce the men already in the driving front of some of the enlarged wedges in Flanders."

"Our men in France are undergoing intensive training, are in splendid physical condition and efficient fighting trim. They have rapidly become acclimated and now feel at home in the war zone. Our troops have met with the most warm-hearted and ablest assistance from the part of the armies and people of France. The health of our men over the reported ascertainment."

"The relative quiet on all fronts is a 'bad weather' already prevents further offensive operations under conditions will soon set in. The terrain will become increasingly difficult for attacking troops. Nevertheless, the military situation is favorable. The accumulation of the technical means of combat, and the preparations which have been made, make it possible for the British and French commanders to triumph over the German army and with the next interval we may expect the offensive to be pressed forward."

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"The full importance of the battle in Flanders is beginning to be re-activated," the statement said. "The German people may consider briefly the German attacks in the Alps region, including the capture of Desal, Ducy, and other minor islands of the Finnish gulf."

## CLASSIFICATIONS GOVERNING DRAFT

### Information Picked Up at Big Dinner in New York City.

Washington, Oct. 23.—The five classifications into which men awaiting draft will be divided, under the regulations approved by President Wilson, have been made public before the time planned by the provost marshal general's office and are here published.

It was disclosed today that what was to have remained an official secret for a week or more was divulged Saturday night at a dinner in New York, which Secretary Baker and Provost Marshal Gen. Crowder attended. The provost marshal general discussed the new regulations, without intending to make public the classification, but some members of the classification are at present thinking to divulge the general's speech, printed the classification on the back of the men card.

The different classifications are as follows:

1. Single man without dependent.
2. Married man (or widow with children) who habitually fails to support his family.
3. Married man dependent on wife for support.
4. Married man (or widow with children) not usually engaged, but dependent on income independent of his labor.
5. Men not included in any other description of this or other classes.
6. Married man or father of motherless children, usually engaged, but family has sufficient income apart from his daily labor support.
7. Married man (or widow with children) not usually engaged, but dependent on income independent of his labor.
8. Skilled industrial labor engaged in necessary industrial enterprise.
9. Skilled farm labor engaged in necessary agricultural enterprise.
10. Necessary custom house clerk.
11. Persons necessary in transmission of mail.
12. Necessary employees in service of United States.
13. Highly specialized administrative experts.
14. Technical or mechanical experts in industrial enterprise.
15. Highly specialized agricultural experts in agricultural business of State or territory.
16. Assistant or associate manager of necessary industrial enterprise.
17. Firm manager or associate manager of necessary agricultural enterprise.

Class Four—

1. Married man (or widow or children (or widow with children) dependent on daily labor for support, and no other reasonably adequate support available.
2. Marines in sea service of merchants or citizens in United States.
3. Heads of necessary industrial enterprise.
4. Heads of necessary agricultural enterprise.

Class Five—

1. Officers of State or the United States.
2. Regularly or duly ordained ministers of any religion.
3. Students of divinity.
4. Persons in military or naval service of United States.
5. Alien enemies.
6. Persons morally unfit.
7. Persons of doubtful mental, permanent or mentally unfit.
8. Licensed pilots.

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## SAYS ALLIES ARE BENT ON CRUSHING GERMANY

### No Hope of a Compromise Peace—von Arnim Tells Prussian High Command.

Berlin, Oct. 23.—Count von Arnim-Bullenburg, President of the Prussian High Command (House of Lords), in his speech at the convention of that body yesterday, said that there is no hope of a compromise peace, but that the Allies are bent on crushing Germany.

"We are attacked," he said, "by a 'defeat' ourselves, with unswerving tenacity. As our soldiers at the front are every day receiving orders of 'advance' and 'no retreat' and 'no surrender' in our internal affairs."

"As last it has become apparent to everybody that the Entente will not have peace with us in our military and economic position, and our honor besides. That is the weather for our soldiers at the front. There is nothing left out of the program of the Entente. They are proceeding on the road to victory, not only by their nerve and powerful deeds, but by the fact which removes all the weaklings in the way of our future and which, in quote Hindenburg, 'lets them in for air into Germany,' will be called to order."

At the headquarters of the Fatheland Page at 30 Victoria Street, London, correspondent was told today: "We welcome any uncompromising speech by Lloyd George or Aquino because it always means a great improvement of our membership in the war. At these headquarters we wish things to go on as they are going on. We are well supplied with pamphlets and other propaganda literature, which is being spread broadcast over Germany. Some pamphlets contain the various letters to the press which the British statesmen mentioned, with certain lines in large type. In other booklets such documents as President Wilson's answer to the Papal note are printed with vitriolic comment in the sense of Pap. German war aims."

## MAKE 150 MILES AN HOUR IN AIR

### Six Scouts, in Trip From Norfolk, Made Pomilio's Record on Monday Afternoon.

Philadelphia, Oct. 23.—A third Italian airplane, carrying a pilot and observer, reached the Army aviation field here Monday afternoon. After flying 360 miles from Langley Field, near Norfolk, Va., in three hours and ten minutes, a record which was made by the Pomilio scoutplane yesterday when it flew 330 miles in two hours and fifty-five minutes. The average speed attained by the new aircraft was 100 miles an hour, and at times the Pomilio drove at about 150 miles an hour, according to the report of the observer who flew the plane at that speed of about 140 miles an hour, reached by the Pomilio machine yesterday.

The machine is larger than the Pomilio scout and is built in the Fiat factory at Turin with motors and propellers made in the same plant. It is a successful airplane in spite of the fact that it is a single-engine machine. It is a single-engine machine in spite of the fact that it is a single-engine machine.

## BONDS AS BUSINESS INVESTMENT

### Among Large and Long-established Investment Methods, Bonds Have Advantages Which Make Them Attractive to Investors.

Among large and long-established investment methods, bonds have advantages which make them attractive to investors. Bonds are a safe investment because they are backed by the full faith and credit of the issuer. They provide a steady stream of income and are highly liquid. Bonds are also a good way to diversify an investment portfolio.

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## POLICE SAVE TRUMP FROM FURY OF MOB

### Loos Disputed, Alleged Slurps. Loan Handed in Air When Help Came.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 20.—August Unger, a native of Germany, was held in the city of Pittsburg, Pa., after he was arrested by the police. Unger was accused of being a spy and was held in a cell. The police saved him from the fury of a mob that wanted to lynch him.

Loos Disputed, Alleged Slurps. Loan Handed in Air When Help Came.

## ITALIAN MAKES NEW FLYING MARK

### Three Hundred Miles Flight Completed by Italian Scoutplane Over Rome Yesterday.

Rome, Oct. 23.—An Italian scoutplane has set a new world record by flying 300 miles in two hours and 15 minutes. The plane was flown by a pilot named... (Name obscured). The flight was a triumph for Italian aviation.

## GERMAN SOCIALISTS GUILTY AS CHARGED

### North Dakota Defendants Convicted of Attempting to Interfere With Draft Law.

North Dakota, Oct. 23.—A federal jury in Grand Forks, N. D., has found German socialists guilty of attempting to interfere with the draft law. The defendants were charged with conspiring to obstruct the draft process.

## W. W. W. THREATENS DINERS

### Said Out Cautions Warning Them to Stay Away From Kohn Reception.

Washington, Oct. 23.—W. W. W. members threatened to disrupt the reception for the new recruits at the Kohn Hotel in Washington. They threatened to burn down the hotel.

## OFFICER SHOTS SELF.

### Pennsylvania, Takes Own Life at Camp Hancock.

Pennsylvania, Oct. 23.—A military officer shot himself at Camp Hancock. The incident was reported by the camp commandant.

## GERMAN SAILORS ESCAPE

### Atlanta, Oct. 24.—Ten German sailors escaped from the custody of the military authorities in Atlanta. They were seen leaving the city in a small boat.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26.



If the News had the money it would invest in more Liberty Bonds. If all our subscription accounts were paid we would have the money. By paying your subscription account you will help the boys in the trenches as well as yours truly. Look at the label on your paper and see when your subscription expires.

As to whether or not it will be easy to borrow money six months from now is a matter of speculation. If it is your custom to borrow money or to buy goods on credit it would be well for you to seriously consider buying Liberty Bonds while you have a little money in order to place yourself in position to be accommodated when you want that favor. You might have a good face but a Liberty Bond for collateral will beat it two to one. You will realize this fact if money should become scarce in this section.

Have you bought a Liberty Bond? Do you think this war will end before Americans are forced to fire a gun? If you do it is doubtful because you have not read articles written by the foremost men in this country who have visited the battle scenes. They say the war will never end until German towns have been devastated by the Allies. The French, British and Belgian soldiers say they will never stop until Germany reaps what she has sown. American boys are in the fight and they will go with

the other Allied troops into Germany. It can't be done in a few days. It means months of fighting and some of your boys will lay bleeding on the battle field.

Since you are not going don't you think you ought to buy a bond? A few years from now the white souls of soldiers, American boys, will be speaking to you from their graves on the battlefields of Europe, asking what you did ever here to stand for the cause of world liberty. Was it merely a matter of faking? Did you face any personal danger? You must answer them.

In the matter of subscriptions for the benefit of public affairs we have always made it a rule never to criticize those who do not give. We have always felt that if a man cared to subscribe money for the benefit of his fellowman, well and good, if he did not, well we considered that his business.

But, there is a difference between buying Liberty Bonds and subscribing to public affairs. A "black hand" is now placed upon the young man who fails to offer his life for the safety of his country but the man who has money and fails to subscribe for Liberty Bonds is deserving of a "black hand" than the young man. What is a few dollars compared to a man's life?

In the eighth chapter of Deuteronomy will be found some words that need to be studied by all who are making money, for they are applicable to this hour as they were to the people to whom they were directly spoken:

"And when thy herds and thy flocks multiply, and thy silver and thy gold is multiplied, and all that thou hast is multiplied, and thou art in thine heart, My power and the might of mine hand have gotten me this wealth, thou shalt remember the Lord thy God, for it is He that gives thee power to get wealth. And it shall be if thou do it all forget the Lord thy God, and walk after other gods, and serve them, and worship them, I testify against you this day that ye shall surely perish. As the nations, which the Lord destroyed before your face, so shall ye perish."

If those who in this hour of civilization's supremest tragedy and civilization's most awful suffering accumulate wealth, they say to themselves, "My power and the might of mine hand hath gotten me this wealth," and their selfishness retain it instead of devoting it to the service of humanity, "they shall surely perish" for unto them shall come the voice, "Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee."

Possibly you are extremely proud of the part your ancestors took in the Revolutionary war. Will your grand-children be proud of your record in the present conflict or will they look upon it in horror? You are the doctor-diagnose your own case.



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- An extensive assortment of Society Brand Clothes in sturdy all-wool fabrics and tailored as you would have YOUR clothes.
- A showing of suits and overcoats that embody these qualities of style and serviceability that insure satisfaction in every detail.
- A display of values in garments that you cannot duplicate at our prices.

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The Store That Sells Society Brand Clothes

**THE HOT HUSTLER RACKET**

**Look For the Red Front in the Valley**

Below we mention just a few of the many Bargains we have. If you don't see what you want, come in and look around. We have hundreds of Bargains all over the house from top to bottom. We can save you money on everything you buy.

**GOOD HEAVY OUTFIT, all colors, yard**

- Good Amoskeag Gingham ..... 15c yd.
- Good heavy Cotton Flannel ..... 15c yd.
- Good Flannelletts, all colors ..... 15c yd.
- Good Red Tickings ..... 15c, 17 1/2c, and 20c yd.

**MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS, all colors 50c**

- Men's better Shirts, all colors ..... \$1.00
- Men's good Outing Shirts ..... 75c
- Men's good Wool Shirts ..... \$1.25
- Men's better Wool Shirts ..... \$1.48

**MEN'S GOOD HATS, all colors 98c**

- Men's better Hats, all colors ..... \$1.25
- Men's still better Hats ..... \$1.48, \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.98
- Men's Caps, all colors ..... 48c

**MEN'S SHOES \$1.98**

- Men's better shoes in lace or button, Gun Metal ..... \$2.48
- Men's still better Shoes ..... \$2.48
- Men's still better Shoes ..... 3.98 and \$5.00

**MEN'S GOOD HEAVY WORK SHOES, plain or cap toe \$2.48**

- Men's better Shoes, tan or black ..... \$2.98
- Men's still better Shoes, black or tan ..... \$3.48
- Men's still better Shoes ..... \$3.98

WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY ON EVERY SHOE YOU BUY. GIVE US A LOOK IN ALL WE ASK.

**MEN'S GOOD HEAVY FLEECE-LINED UNDERSHIRTS 69c**

- Men's good heavy Fleece-lined Drawers to match ..... 69c
- Men's better heavy Fleece-lined Undershirts ..... 75c
- Men's Drawers to match ..... 75c
- Men's good Ribbed Undershirts ..... 75c
- Men's Drawers to match ..... 75c

Buy your underwears at the Hot Hustler and save money.

**MEN'S SOCKS, in black, tan, blue grey and white 10c**

- Men's good heavy Grey Socks ..... 15c or 2 for 25c

**CHILDREN'S SHOES, small sizes 75c**

- Children's large Shoes ..... 98c
- Children's large and better Shoes, all styles and colors ..... \$1.48 and \$1.98
- Children's large and still better Shoes, all styles and colors ..... \$2.48, \$2.75, and \$2.98

**CHILDREN'S UNION SUITS 48c**

- Boys' good heavy Fleece-lined Undershirts ..... 48c
- Boys' good heavy Fleece-lined Drawers to match ..... 48c
- Boys' heavy Fleece-lined Union Suits all sizes ..... 98c

**LADIES' GOOD HEAVY WORK SHOES, plain or cap toe \$1.98**

- Ladies' better heavy Work Shoe, plain or cap toe ..... \$2.98
- Let us save you money. Read on.

**LADIES' GOOD SUNDAY SHOE, made of gun metal in lace or button \$2.25**

- Ladies' better Shoes, all leather and all styles ..... \$2.98
- Ladies' still better Shoes ..... \$3.48

**LADIES' STOCKINGS 15c**

- Ladies' stockings in black or white ..... 15c
- Ladies' silk stockings ..... 35c

**LADIES' GOOD UNDERSHIRTS 48c**

- Ladies' pants to match ..... 48c
- Ladies' better Undershirts ..... 69c
- Ladies' Pants to match ..... 69c
- Ladies' heavy Fleece-lined Undershirts ..... 75c
- Ladies' good heavy Fleece-lined Pants to match ..... 75c
- Ladies' Union Suits ..... 98c
- Children's Union suits, all sizes ..... 48c

**CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS 15c**

- Children's Stockings in white and black ..... 15c
- Children's better Stockings in black and white ..... 25c

**LADIES' SWEATERS 98c**

- Ladies' better Sweaters ..... \$1.48
- Ladies' better Sweaters ..... \$1.98
- Ladies' still better Sweaters in all colors ..... \$2.48

**MEN'S SWEATERS 98c**

- Men's better Sweaters ..... \$1.48
- Men's still better Sweaters ..... \$1.98

**CHILDREN'S SWEATERS 39c**

- Children's better Sweaters ..... 48c
- Children's larger and better Sweaters ..... 75c
- Children's still better Sweaters ..... 98c

**LADIES' SKIRTS 98c**

- Ladies' better skirts ..... \$1.48
- Ladies' still better skirts ..... \$1.98 and \$2.48

**LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS, latest styles 98c**

**MEN'S OVERALLS \$1.00**

- Men's better Overall ..... \$1.50
- Men's Overall Coats ..... \$1.98

**BOYS' PANTS, all sizes 98c**

- Boys' Blue Serge and Corduroy Pants, all sizes ..... \$1.25
- Boys' better Pants, sizes 32 and 34, full leg ..... \$2.48

**MEN'S GOOD HEAVY PANTS \$2.48**

- Men's better heavy Pants ..... \$2.98
- Men's blue Serge and Corduroy Pants ..... \$2.98
- Men's full leg Pants, two watch and two hip pockets, with button ..... \$4.48

**LADIES' HATS, all colors and latest styles 75c, \$1.48 and \$1.98**

- Children's Hats ..... 48c, 75c and 98c

**BOYS' SUITS Norfolk style, \$3.48**

- Boys' better Suits ..... \$3.98

**LADIES' COATS \$4.98**

- Ladies' better Coats ..... \$5.98
- Ladies' still better Coats ..... \$7.48
- Ladies' better Coats, all styles and colors, \$4.48, \$9.98, \$10.48, \$12.48, 12.98, and \$14.98

**CHILDREN'S CAPS 25c**

- Children's Caps, all styles and colors ..... 25c
- Children's better Caps ..... 48c

**GOOD OIL CLOTH 25c yd.**

- White Oil Cloth ..... 30c yd.
- Good heavy Sheeting ..... 18c yd.

**GOOD TRUNKS, \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.98, \$3.48, \$3.98, \$4.48, \$4.98.**

Remember everything marked in plain figures. Be sure you get to the right place.

**Look for the Red Front in the Valley!**

More Goods for same money. Same Goods for Less Money!

**THE HOT HUSTLER RACKET**

D. E. ESTES, Pres. Chester, S. C.

**OUTLOOK FOR COUNTY FAIR IS EXCELLENT**

The Chester Chamber of Commerce has leased the Hemphill property and also the Fran property, which adjoins the Fair grounds, and will place a fence around same within the next few days. The grounds leased will be used during the coming Fair, November 6-9, since it has been found that the present quarters will be somewhat crowded.

Work is going ahead rapidly on the next exhibit building and those in charge do not doubt but that it will be ready in plenty of time for the fair. The new exhibit building will have forty-two booths and on each side there will be a passageway the full length of the building in addition to a passageway through the center. There is to be thirty-six windows on each side of the building which will allow plenty light through the entire building. The Metropolitan Shows, which is considered one of the best carnivals

**JOHN W. VOGEL'S BIG CITY MINSTRELS**

John W. Vogel's Big City Minstrels will be seen at the Opera House, November 1st. The company is strong and boasts of a roster second to none. Manager Vogel's reputation for being a standard bearer is enough to satisfy us that the performance will be in keeping with the heralding. The Radiant Palace, a new and very elaborate first part setting, will be presented here for the first time, and it is said to be the most beautiful and costly affair ever used by any theatrical company in this or any other country. The advance sale of tickets will open Tuesday 8 A. M. at Chester Drug Co. and the indications point to a unusually crowded house.

**ARMENIAN RELIEF NOTICE**

On Friday evening, October 26th at eight o'clock, in the Festal hall of the Presbyterian Sunday school building, the Christian Endeavorers will give a hall-of-an-entertainment for the relief of the starving Armenians. The public is cordially invited to come and bring a penny for each year of their age. Pennies will be received on no questions asked.

Mr. Wm. R. Lattimer has returned to the city from Wilmington, N. C. where he went to attend the Thomas King wedding.

**TAX NOTICE**

In accordance with law books will open for the collection of city taxes on the first day of November, 1917, and will remain open until the 31st day of December, 1917, with-out penalty. On January 1st, 1918, one per cent penalty will be added; on February 1st an additional one per cent penalty will be imposed and

**ONE CENT A WORD COLUMN**

For Sale—Good six-rail box wagon and lights in excellent condition. Located on Lucy street, Peter B. Harvis, Jr., pd.

Fine Large Chrysanthemums. All the leading colors. Prices on application. Come and see them in the city of Blackstock. Mrs. R. E. Shannon, Blackstock, S. C. 10-pd.

Notice—I have a new Great Mill at my shop near the City Hall and will thank the people for their patronage and will serve them the best of my ability. R. A. Smith, Chester, S. C.

\$1.00 street lat. \$2.50. JAMES HAMILTON, City Clerk and Treasurer, Chester, S. C., Oct. 19, 1917.

THE BIG STORE

JUST A REMINDER

It's overcoat time and ours is the overcoat store--we say that because our friends tell us we're leading in styles, value and service.

Hart Schaffner & Marx overcoats are helping us do it. Come in and we'll show you all-wool fabrics, high quality and fit.

\$15 to \$35

The S. M. Jones Company

LOCAL and PERSONAL

**Cotton** 23.30  
Mrs. E. R. Hanson, of Fort Lane, Route 1, says Chester visitor Wednesday.

Mr. Robert Gage, Chairman of the Chester county Liberty Bond committee, in receipt of the following telegram from Mr. E. W. Robertson, chairman of the South Carolina at Columbia: "All on all business and other organizations to help you in your financial needs of Liberty Loan so as to secure full allotment for your county. Only a few days for work."

We have sold paint to some of your neighbors recently. Why not let us sell you. Chester Hardware Co.

Acquainted A. C. Spicer, J. T. Biglan, C. B. Bette, J. W. Cowan, J. C. Dale and Miss Lucina Neal, are attending the Women's Missionary Union of First A. R. P. Presbytery in Charlotte this week, Oct. 21-25th.

Veronica and Victor Reicks at Klutz Department Store.

The expected sugar famine has hit Chester. Several of the grocers of the city are entirely without sugar, while others have only a few pounds in stock. It is doubtful if one could find 500 pounds of sugar in the entire town today.

Mrs. A. G. Brice will visit friends in Davidson College, N. C. for the week-end.

Save money by buying your work shoes at The Rodman-Brown Co. All leather or a new pair and five dollars in cash. Rodman-Brown Co.

The Episcopal rectory, in York, occupied by Rev. T. W. Walsh, was carefully inspected by fire inspectors this morning. The fire had gained considerable headway before discovered. The household furnishings were completely destroyed by water. The building was insured for \$10,000 and a like amount was carried on the furniture.

\$500 Cash—and a new pair of shoes will be given to the weaver of Freedman-Shelby work shoes who find paper in the heels, counter insoles, or outsoles of any of these shoes sold by us. The Rodman-Brown Co.

Royal Society Cooks at Klutz Department Store.

Mrs. John Lyle, of Edgemoor, was taken to the Fennell Infirmary, at Rock Hill, Wednesday for treatment.

Owing to lack of space in this issue we were unable to insert an advertisement of the Klutz Department Store featuring DUTCHESS trousers. This ad will appear later and in the meantime you might take a look at the display in the Klutz window.

Work Shoes at old prices at the Rodman-Brown Co.

Rev. J. O. Van Meter, of the Columbia Theological Seminary, will preach at Purty Presbyterian church next Sunday at the usual hour. The public is cordially invited to attend.

There is No Doubt but that your home would look much better if given a coat of paint. Come us during the next to-day Chester Hardware Co.

Dorothy Little, the infant daughter of Mrs. Letitia Drummond, Henry, died at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Deakin, Tuesday evening, October 18th.

ter a short illness from diphtheria and was buried at Pleasant Grove on Friday. Funeral by Rev. R. Roy Brown.

Wanted—Ticket sellers, ticket takers and a night watchman for the Big Chester County Fair, November 6-7-8-9, to be held at once at the Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Jennie Crosswell, of Atlanta, Ga., spent Wednesday in Chester with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Johns arrived in the city yesterday, from their matrimonial home at Mrs. S. D. Scarborough's, on East City Street.

Abbotter J. Harry Foster, of York, was a Chester visitor yesterday.

After a pleasant and profitable session, marked by a large attendance and deep interest in the proceedings, the regular fall meeting of the First Associate Reformed presbytery, which convened with the A. R. P. church of Sharon Tuesday morning, came to a close Wednesday afternoon. With only one exception, every minister in the presbytery was present, while the attendance of the laity was, as usual, good. Lancaster was chosen as the next place of meeting, which will be during next May, and Rev. W. H. Quinn of Charlotte, formerly of York county, is moderator-elect.

Mr. Karl Lehmann, of Chattanooga, Tenn., is coming to Chester on Friday, November 2nd, to give young men with a message for all young people and will make an address in the Sunday school room of the Presbyterian church at eight o'clock on Friday evening, November 2nd. Everyone is cordially invited to hear him.

Lost—in Chester county Thursday October 18th, two fox hounds, one blue spotted dog with black spots on back, tan head, one female, white and black spots, tan head. Reward offered for recovery of one or both. Had collar with Dr. A. T. Jeter's name and address when lost. J. P. Jeter, Santock.

LYLE-GILL

Of interest to friends in the county was the marriage, Wednesday evening of Miss Henrietta Lyle, of Leno, and George Gill, of Edgemoor. The ceremony was performed at 9:30 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's father, John Lyle, of Leno, the officiating minister, was Rev. A. R. P. pastor, Rev. R. A. Lummas. A number of relatives and close friends formed an interested group to witness the happy event.

Mr. and Mrs. Gill will make their home at Edgemoor, where the groom is a well known merchant. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Henrietta Lyle.

MANY SUBSCRIBE FOR LIBERTY BONDS

Many Lend Money For Liberty—County Will Short of Allotment—Only One More Day.

So far Chester county people have subscribed to approximately \$175,000 in Liberty Bonds while the amount allotted to the county is approximately \$287,000. This leaves the county about \$100,000 short of the amount allotted with only one day left in which to receive subscriptions to the loan.

Every effort will be put forth to make the amount asked for by the government and the people of Chester are asked to come forward with their dollars and assist the government in winning the war for democracy and humanity.

Many plans are being offered whereby people can be patriotic even though they are without the funds with which to pay for the bonds when they are delivered. One plan is to have the list of the three building and loan associations of Chester county who have an advertisement, explaining the matter in this issue of The News. The various banking institutions of the county also will liberal offers to make parties who desire to serve their country with their dollars.

The list of those who have subscribed for the bonds is printed below:

National Exchange Bank, \$12,500; Commercial Bank, \$12,500; Peoples National Bank, \$12,500; S. J. Jones, \$11,000; John G. White, \$10,000; G. B. Heath, \$2,000; M. H. Wachtel, \$1,000; Dr. S. B. Koser, \$1,000; B. A. Willis, \$1,000; Mrs. Lena W. Willis, \$1,000; Chester Building & Loan Ass'n, \$1,000; Spratt, Bond & Loan Ass'n, \$1,000; Home Bldg & Loan Ass'n, \$1,000; Chester Ice & Fuel Co., \$500; Mrs. Nora C. Wrenn, \$500; Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Carpenter, \$500; C. C. McAdoo, \$500; Robert Gage, \$500; W. McDonald, \$500; O. H. Johnson, \$500; R. B. Caldwell, \$400; Phillip Adkinson, \$400; A. C. Taylor, \$400; J. M. Bell, \$300; J. M. Murray, \$300; T. P. Buckley, \$200; W. A. Corbett, \$200; B. M. Spang, \$200; E. R. Caldwell, \$100; S. B.

Chowan, \$100; A. L. Gaston, \$100; Henry Norman, \$100; W. C. Newby, \$100; W. S. Robinson, \$100; Joy O. Barber, \$100; E. L. Gay, \$100; Dr. G. A. Hamilton, \$100; Joe Fraser, \$100; Dr. J. P. Young, \$100; Dr. D. C. Phillips, \$100; W. S. Dabham, \$100; Miss Maud Durham, \$100; R. A. Willis, Jr., \$50; J. H. Pittman, \$50; J. H. Stringfellow, \$50; Dratis Refo, \$50; W. T. McCasland, \$7,000; Hamilton McCandless, \$7,000; Mrs. M. W. McCandless, \$5,000; Carrol Baldwin, \$3,000; Mrs. R. J. Baise, \$3,000; T. H. White, \$1,000; P. W. McGarity, \$1,000; John Fraser, \$1,000; Mrs. M. J. Fraser, \$500; J. R. Estes, \$500; R. E. Hafner, \$500; C. C. Edwards, \$500; Col. Fred Walker, \$500; J. K. Henry, \$500; J. J. Stringfellow, \$400; W. S. McAllister, \$400; Mrs. E. E. Henry, \$300; J. K. Henry, Jr., \$200; Mrs. J. T. McGee, \$200; T. J. Coughlinham, \$200; J. D. Taylor, \$150; W. C. Miller, \$100; Dr. B. E. Abell, \$100; Dr. C. B. White, \$100; Mrs. J. H. Lewis, \$50; A. J. Helman, \$50; J. W. Bigham, \$50; D. S. Hollis, \$50; N. H. Stone, \$50; P. W. Lachcott, \$50; A. L. Gaston, \$5,000; W. A. Corwell, \$1,000; J. R. Hamrick, \$500; J. M. Hemphill, \$500; Sims & Carter, \$500; Paul Hemphill, \$500; Mrs. Geo. W. Gage, \$500; J. S. Stone, \$300; Geo. W. Gage, \$300; Chester Commanders Mrs. F. E. T., \$200; A. J. Balsler, \$200; W. L. Tractant, \$200; J. H. Craig, \$200; A. Ross Durham, \$150; Rev. J. R. Parrott, \$100; Mrs. A. Ross Durham, \$100; W. S. Donbar, \$100; Dr. H. B. Malen, \$100; David Hamilton, \$100; A. G. Brice, \$100; R. H. Clowder, \$100; Mrs. J. S. Hemphill, \$100; Alex. H. Craig, \$100; F. L. Hardy, \$100; M. Williams, \$100; P. G. Adams, \$50; Mrs. J. J. Stringfellow, \$50; Rice Estes, \$50; H. H. Harris, \$50; Mrs. Kate N. Wylie, \$50; R. C. Love, \$50; L. Adams, \$50; T. P. Cesar, \$50; H. W. Adams, \$50; O. P. Lyles, \$50; P. J. Kay, \$100; D. A. Macaulay, \$100; Miss Sallie H. Craig, \$100; Sam P. Brisson, \$50; W. P. Pezzan, \$50; Miss Lucile Cassick, \$50; James Hamilton, \$100; W. A. Lee, \$100; W. K. Kearney, \$100; Stewart Caster, \$50; Miss Mary Johnson, \$50; Dr. R. Farthing, \$50; M. R. Clark, \$200; Miss Cora Hardin, \$100; J. T. Collins, \$250; M. D. Gibson, \$250; E. D. Snyder, \$1,000; Homer Smyer, \$50; Miss Mary Johnson, \$50; Dr. R. Farthing, \$50; M. R. Clark, \$200; J. E. Anderson, \$100; Mrs. Ina V. Gaines, \$50; Dr. H. E.

McConnell, \$100; T. J. Corwell, \$100; Chester Gas Co., \$100; Co., \$50; John P. Young, Jr., \$100; Rosa J. Young, \$100; Mrs. J. P. Young, \$100; T. J. Cunningham, \$200; Rabo, \$200; McCandless, \$100; J. Ehrlich, \$100; W. J. Irwin, \$200; Miss Bertha Stahn, \$200; K. H. Patrick, \$200; A. C. Lynn, \$200; Jack Stewart, \$200; Mrs. C. A. Morrison, \$50; Mrs. W. A. Corkill, \$50; Alice Fraser, \$100; Geo. W. Byark, \$200; Mrs. Mary H. McCandless, \$200; McLean, \$50; Mrs. J. R. Eby, \$200; J. R. Eby, \$200; J. H. Glenn, \$100; A. E. Cleveland, \$100; J. C. McClure, \$50; Mrs. J. M. Wise, \$50; J. M. Wise, \$100; Mrs. Nora W. Corwell, \$100; Mrs. N. M. Wise, \$100; Dr. W. M. Love, \$1,000; B. D. Fitzgerald, \$50; Mrs. Mary McAnally, \$50; Mrs. Maude Sledge, \$50; W. W. Blair, \$500; J. W. Paris, \$100; Mrs. Sallie S. Smith, \$100; Cash, \$200; Dr. A. Smyth, \$200; Cash, \$2,000; Mrs. W. Pryor, \$500; Cash, \$2,000; Mrs. Emmie Knox, \$100; J. A. Wallace, \$100; Wallace-Gibson Lumber Co., \$200; Ez. W. Gibson, \$100; W. L. Abernathy, \$100; Mrs. A. O. Loyal, \$50; T. R. Veal, \$50; A. O. Lloyd, \$50; Lucius Howze, \$200; W. K. Hiram, \$100; W. C. Adams, \$100; F. J. Smith, \$100; Baldwin Getz, \$100; Mills, \$10,000; E. R. Lucas, \$200; A. M. Alken, \$300; T. H. White, Jr., \$200.

Mrs. M. C. Marshall, \$50; W. G. Knox, \$50; T. N. Triplett, \$50; Miss Emily Gales, \$50; W. H. Thompson, \$50; Miss Mable Johnson, \$50; Miss Maggie Johnson, \$50; T. H. Douglas, \$50; P. M. Nash, \$200; J. Carter, \$50; C. F. Williams, \$50; J. S. Caldwell, \$50; J. Y. & W. H. Murphy, \$50; W. D. Robinson, Jr., \$100; Miss Sallie Sanderson, \$100; Bank of Great Falls, \$10,000; J. H. McLeure, \$100; Mrs. J. H. McLeure, \$50; Mary Love McLeure, \$50; Betty M. McLeure, \$50; Ethel Ann McLeure, \$50; J. K. Henry Treas., \$50; Mrs. M. C. Brice, \$50; J. L. Williams, \$50; Miss Julia E. Williams, \$50; A. N. Webb, \$50; Mrs. A. N. Webb, \$50; Mrs. F. D. Miller, \$50; Miss Bigham, \$100; J. T. Perkins, \$50; J. S. Stambaugh, \$50; Dr. W. E. Anderson, \$50; Rev. C. C. Herbert, \$100; J. McF. Neely, \$200; Southern Mfg. Co., \$10,000; Mrs. A. G. Westbrook, \$50; W. D. Crawford, \$100; R. A. Lummas, \$100; Mrs. R. A. Lummas, \$100; Wm. R. Anselm, \$100; W. J. Ballard, \$50; Miss Myrtle Miller \$100; J. D. Glass, \$100.

HICKLIN-McIVER

On Wednesday afternoon at six o'clock Miss Frances Hicklin, of this city, was married to Mr. John Kubb McIver, Jr., of Savannah, Ga., the ceremony being performed by Rev. C. C. Herbert, pastor of Bethel M. E. church.

The bride is the second daughter of the late F. W. and Mrs. Hattie McIver Hicklin and is one of Chester's most attractive and accomplished young women. Mr. McIver is a prominent young business man of Savannah, Ga.

Mrs. W. G. Austin, Dr. R. C. Love and Mrs. S. C. Carter went to Greensboro yesterday to attend the funeral of Nathaniel Aldridge, son 1/2, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Aldridge. The young man is a grandson of Mrs. W. G. Austin.

Miss Pearl Redman, who has been undergoing treatment at the Physio Hospital, has returned to her home at Waxhaw, N. C., accompanied by Mrs. L. E. Brown.

Miss Annie Lee spent yesterday in Columbia with Miss Hannah Hood.

Mrs. H. V. Knight will leave tomorrow for Harroville where she will visit Mrs. Marion Thomas.

See our large stock of furniture that is going at prices to suit everybody.

Bed room suits from \$25.00 up.

LOWRANCE BROS

153 Gadsden St.

### DO IT NOW

#### Paint Your Home

While you can save money.

#### REMEMBER

Our Special Offer Will Last until The Fifteenth of NOVEMBER

#### ONLY 20 MORE DAYS

In Which to take Advantage of this special Offering.



WHY SUPPLIES CHESTER PAINTS & OILS FROM HARDWARE COMPANY QUALITY FIRST

PHONE 125

## WE HELP YOU To Help Your Country! BUY LIBERTY BONDS

### WHAT MR. McADOO SAYS:

"Shall we be more tender with our dollars than with the lives of our sons?" -Secretary Wm. G. McAdoo.

Your son, or your neighbor's son—is depending on the Government—the Government is depending on the people, and you can aid greatly by buying a Liberty bond.

WE'LL HELP YOU TO HELP YOUR COUNTRY.

SEE US NOW—the campaign CLOSES SATURDAY, Oct. 27th, at two o'clock.

#### Chester Building and Loan Association Spratt Building and Loan Association Home Builders' Loan Association

# Bigger and Better Than Ever--Worth Going Miles To See

**TUESDAY NOVEMBER 6**  
**AGRICULTURE DAY**  
 Farmers Congress with Dr. D. W. Daniel of Clemson College and other good speakers.

**WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 7th**  
**LIVESTOCK DAY**  
 First Race for purse of \$100.00 will take place during the afternoon.

# The Big Chester County Fair

Chester, S. C.  
**November 6-7-8-9**

**Thursday November 8**  
 Merchants and Manufacturers Day

**FRIDAY NOVEMBER 9**  
 Educational Day

School Children of this section guests of Fair on this Day--Watch for Program of field meet.

**12 Shows-3 Free Acts-Races-2 Bands-4 Riding Devices FIREWORKS**

## Opera House

JOHN W. VOGELS BIG MINSTRELS

**November 1st.**



NICK GLYNN

SEAT SALE CHESTER DRUG CO. OPENS TUESDAY 9 A. M.  
 Prices: Parquet \$1.00  
 Dress Circle 75c.  
 Gallery 50c.  
 Children under 12 25c.

### SAYS GERMAN AGENTS ARE ACTIVE IN LONDON

Englishman Asserts Their Influence in Social Circles Amounts to a Scandal.

New York—Walter K. Morrison, an Englishman, who arrived here recently on his way to Southern California to look after interests there, said that the German influence in social circles in London had developed into a serious scandal. He formed efforts had been made by Englishmen of high standing, he said, to fight this social German propaganda, but with no avail.

"Just before I left London," said Mr. Morrison, "one of the best known clubs in the St. James' section had to call a special meeting of all its members to vote upon a motion barring certain German members, one of whom was a well-known lion from the club premises for the duration of the war. It hardly seems credible that Englishmen should have tolerated Germans admitted in the club window and German members in their midst, some of whom were flying over the land and dropping bombs on women and children. These German members upheld the actions of the League and the Zeppelin raids over England, and defied the club committee to oust them from their premises, until some leading Englishmen got together and determined to put a stop to the scandal. Try to imagine my Englishmen allowed to be at large in Berlin and being one of the best clubs over three years since the commencement of the war and criticizing the letters of the Germans in the language of an enemy nation."

"When the meeting of the members was convened the Germans, led by the baron, made a fight and insisted that the club had no right to suspend them. Some of the English members belonging to pacific factions actually spoke up for the enemy. Agents said it would be a little hard, don't you know, to bar them from the privileges of the club just because they were Germans. It was pointed out with some fervor that 'news of value to the enemy could be obtained easily in a club where members treated each other's honor and spoke freely. Finally the Germans were voted out.

"Loyal Englishmen look upon a socialist as being more dangerous in the country than a German, because the latter is regarded as an enemy and a watch is kept upon his movements, while the socialist goes about proscribing disloyalty against his country under the pretense that he is doing it for the good of humanity.

"German agents are working as actively in London as they are in New York and all over the world. With the entry of the United States into the war, we all believe that the end is in sight."

## By Midnight

### Wednesday Sept. 12th

Up to midnight, September 12th, during a period of 84 months, we sold and delivered to tire dealers more United States Tires than we sold to dealers during the entire 12 months of 1916.

This phenomenal sales increase was made notwithstanding our epoch-making sales increases of 1916 over 1915.

These record-breaking sales increases of 1917 over 1916 and our record-breaking sales increases of 1916 over 1915 definitely and finally prove three facts:

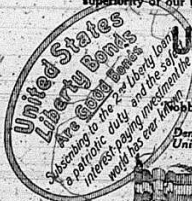
1. The supremacy of United States Tires.
2. The fact that the vast army of automobile owners who used United States Tires in 1916 are using them in 1917 on the sheer merit of their experience.
3. The fact that another vast army of automobile owners have been won over to the use of United States Tires in 1917 on the sheer superiority of our tires over other tires that they have tried.

IF YOU are troubled with dandruff, itching scalp, and your hair coming out, we ask you to try



on our guarantee that it will give you relief and satisfaction or money refunded. Sold only by us, 50c and \$1.00.

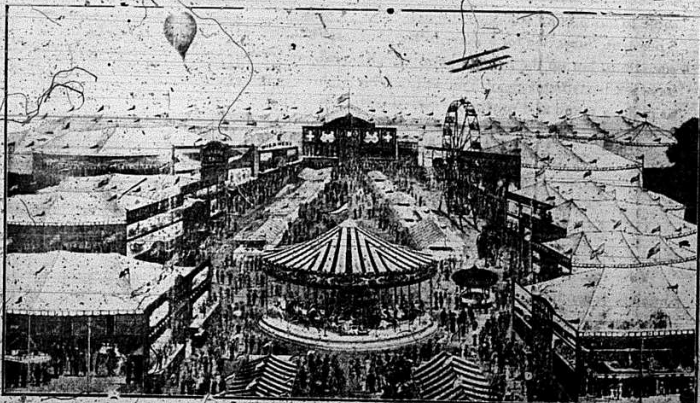
Shelton Drug Co., Chester, S. C.



## United States Tires Are Good Tires

'Chain' 'Uco' 'Royal Cord' 'Plain'

Demand that your Tire Dealer supply you with United States Tires—or go to another dealer.



One of the features of this year's fair will be the midway, the Metropolitan Shows, furnishing all the attractions which include 12 big clean Merry-widow swings, ocean wave and a number in Chester early Monday and will be ready Tuesday, November 6.

United States Tires are carried by the following Sales and Service Depots—whom can tell you which of the five types of United States Tires exactly suits your needs: FENNEL-YOUNG-MOTOR COMPANY.

### LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF CHESTER.

By A. W. Wise, Esquire, Probate Judge.

Whereas, Mrs. Cornelia H. Williams, made suit to me to grant her letters of Administration of the Estate of and effects of Joseph J. Williams, deceased.

These are, wherefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said Joseph J. Williams, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Chester, S. C., on Monday, October 15th, 1917, next after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand, this 28 day of September, A. D. 1917.

A. W. WISE,  
 Judge of Probate.

## CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BEDSIDE

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Practices Cardui For Her Recovery.

Royce City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kill, the mother, that was six years ago and I am still here and am a well, strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardui. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less... I continued right on taking the Cardui until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life. I have never had any trouble from that day to this.

To you suffer from headache, backache, neuralgia, or other discomforts, each through Cardui, you feel weak, nervous and fatigued. It is Cardui, the Women's Doctor, that

For Rent—A furnished room for five or two young men, steam heat, hot and cold water. Phone 41.