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BRITISH TANKS LEAD THE DRIVE

Messes Of Tanks Open The Way For Infantry's Charge... Tanks and Guns Moved at Night... From the Front, Nov. 21st...

through the thicket, while the tanks... through the fire of machine guns... through the fire of machine guns...

Behind me were our field batteries... Behind me were our field batteries... Behind me were our field batteries...

to attack against our wire has... to attack against our wire has... to attack against our wire has...

EXPECT SOLDIERS TO AID DEPENDENTS

Government Expected to Aid Dependents... Government Expected to Aid Dependents... Government Expected to Aid Dependents...

Some of them were helped down... Some of them were helped down... Some of them were helped down...

Behind me were our field batteries... Behind me were our field batteries... Behind me were our field batteries...

to attack against our wire has... to attack against our wire has... to attack against our wire has...

SUGGEST CHANGE IN COTTON BASIS

Government Expected to Aid Dependents... Government Expected to Aid Dependents... Government Expected to Aid Dependents...

Some of them were helped down... Some of them were helped down... Some of them were helped down...

Behind me were our field batteries... Behind me were our field batteries... Behind me were our field batteries...

to attack against our wire has... to attack against our wire has... to attack against our wire has...

COUNTRY'S HOG SHORTAGE PLACED AT FIVE MILLION

Gap Between This and Big Increase... Gap Between This and Big Increase... Gap Between This and Big Increase...

Some of them were helped down... Some of them were helped down... Some of them were helped down...

Behind me were our field batteries... Behind me were our field batteries... Behind me were our field batteries...

to attack against our wire has... to attack against our wire has... to attack against our wire has...

GENERAL WAR NEWS DIGEST

War Demand For Cotton... War Demand For Cotton... War Demand For Cotton...

Some of them were helped down... Some of them were helped down... Some of them were helped down...

Behind me were our field batteries... Behind me were our field batteries... Behind me were our field batteries...

to attack against our wire has... to attack against our wire has... to attack against our wire has...

WOULD HAVE PERCENTAGE OF LAND IN FOOD CROPS

War Department Defense Think... War Department Defense Think... War Department Defense Think...

Some of them were helped down... Some of them were helped down... Some of them were helped down...

Behind me were our field batteries... Behind me were our field batteries... Behind me were our field batteries...

to attack against our wire has... to attack against our wire has... to attack against our wire has...

STATE QUARD FORMED

Gov. Wm. Thomas Captain of... Gov. Wm. Thomas Captain of... Gov. Wm. Thomas Captain of...

Some of them were helped down... Some of them were helped down... Some of them were helped down...

Behind me were our field batteries... Behind me were our field batteries... Behind me were our field batteries...

to attack against our wire has... to attack against our wire has... to attack against our wire has...

DON'T FORGET

to keep your eye on this space for announcement of opening of White's Pharmacy. Beautiful line of goods arriving every day.

WHITE'S PHARMACY

Opposite Postoffice.

Wanted To Buy

Any and all kinds of second-hand furniture and stoves. Will be located in the Douglas Building on Gadsden street next to A. H. Wherry's garage.

O. K. FURNITURE & STOVE CO.

PHONE 459

VULCANIZING

We are now in position to vulcanize your automobile tires. All work guaranteed to be first class and at reasonable prices.

It is much cheaper to have us repair your automobile tires than it is to buy new ones. We are located in the Glad-den Building on Valley Street.

CHESTER VULCANIZING WORKS
VALLEY STREET

MURDER CHARGE FAILS

New York, Nov. 25.—A rather unusual case tried in the court of general sessions here last week was that of Dan Hames, a negro, charged with the murder of his wife at their home in the Bullock's Creek section on the night of July 22. The negro claimed that shortly after midnight a number of unknown men, whose color he was unable to tell in the dark, came to his house and took him about a mile away, after which he was released with the command to keep going. His wife, according to the negro's story, said that they did not want

him but that they were after his wife, who had several times been in trouble with white people as a result of his aggressiveness. Hames stayed out all night and early the next morning returned to his home in company with several white men he had aroused. The lifeless body of his wife was found lying on the floor, a pistol wound in the region of the heart having caused her death. A shotgun, which had not been discharged, was across her chest. The only testimony of a damaging nature to the defendant was that given by Dr. J. M. Saxe of Sharon, who was summoned to the scene of the crime. Dr. Saxe said he saw a

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK

No. 16682
At Chester, in the State of South Carolina, at the close of business on November 20th, 1917.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$216,613.91
Total Loans	216,613.91
Overdrafts unsecured	446.98
Liberty Loan Bonds unpledged, 3-1/2 per cent and 4 per cent	58,900.00
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks)	84,867.59
Owned unpledged	2,350.00
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank	10,000.00
Equity in banking house	3,900.00
Furniture and fixtures	3,500.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	23,778.00
Real estate owned with Federal Reserve Bank	115,561.71
Cash in vault and other banks	1,261.98
Checks on other banks	\$117,123.69
Checks on banks located outside of city of reporting bank and other cash items	7,107.28
Interest earned but not collected (approximate)	500.00
Total	\$527,187.90
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	27,500.00
Undivided profits	\$14,543.72
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	9,758.56
Profits and account collected but not earned (approximate)	560.00
Amount reserved for taxes accrued	4,900.00
Amount reserved for all interest accrued	1,000.00
Net amount due to banks, bankers, and trust companies (other than included in 30 or 31)	1,714.75
Total of items 31 and 32	222,986.46
Individual deposits subject to check	1,872.58
Banker's checks outstanding	14.00
Dividends unpaid	224,852.64
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	65,463.90
Other time deposits	141,781.54
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve	207,244.54
Liabilities other than those above stated	117.01
Total	\$527,187.90

State of South Carolina—County of Chester—
I, W. A. CORNELL, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. A. CORNELL, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of November, 1917.
J. R. DYE, Notary Public.
Correct Attest:
D. W. FRAZER,
G. B. WHITE,
M. H. WHITE,
Directors.

Takes Good Light and Good Eyes

The steadiness of Rayo light—neither flicker nor flare—makes it almost as easy to do delicate, particular tasks by lamplight as daylight.

RAYO LAMPS

Are as easy to light as a gas jet. You don't take off either the chimney or shade. Merely raise the gallery and touch a match. A Rayo is easy to re-wick and easy to keep clean. It is artistic and ornamental.

If your dealer doesn't carry Rayo Lamps write our nearest station.

Aladdin Security Oil guarantees best results from lamps, stoves and heaters.

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BALTIMORE, MD.
Washington, D. C.
Charleston, S. C.
Chester, S. C.



Special Notice

TO

HUNTERS

Your attention is directed to the fact that it is unlawful to hunt partridges in Chester county before December first.

All parties who intend to hunt are requested to purchase a license.

All constables are authorized to arrest parties who do not comply with the law.

JOE WYLIE,
County Game Warden.

of a nature to give color to Hame's version of the affair. A verdict of not guilty was rendered.

NOTICE.
You are invited to a box supper at Wellidge School on Nov. 30th. The proceeds for the benefit of the school.

NOTICE

Our new garage is now open, and we are ready to take care of any work that may come. Have a complete line of genuine Ford parts, and an expert Mechanic. When your car needs to be given attention or any adjustment made bring it in and give our man a trial. Prompt, efficient service at all times. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Vestal Motor Co.

Ford Automobiles, Supplies & Accessories
Columbia Street
Chester, South Carolina.

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National MAZDA LAMPS
And save your eyes as well as your money. A brighter light for less current.

Electric Irons

See our window display of Cinderella (Westinghouse) electric irons, \$3.50 each. Heating element guaranteed forever. Call for a demonstration of other electric appliances.

SOUTHERN PUBLIC UTILITIES CO.

Chester Branch Pryor Building Main Street

AN ORDINANCE

As it Ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Chester in Council Assembled and by the Authority of the Same, That Section 129 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Chester, relating to fire limits be and hereby is amended by inserting after the word "kind" on the fourth line of said section the words "within two hundred fifty feet of the site of any railway-passing station or" Done and ratified in council this 13th day of November, 1917.
Z. V. DAVIDSON,
Mayor.

Attest:
JAMES HAMILTON,
Clerk and Treasurer.

New Seaboard Schedule
The following schedule became effective on the Seaboard Air-Line Railway Sunday:
No. 5, Southbound, 10:38 A. M.
No. 29, Northbound, 12:53 P. M.
No. 11, Southbound, 12:13 A. M.
No. 6, Northbound, 8:32 P. M.
No. 30, Southbound, 1:42 P. M.
No. 12, Northbound, 9:42 A. M.

TO PROBE ALLEGED WASTE AT CAMPS

Committee Cooperating With Q. M. General's Department and Food Administration.
Washington, Nov. 22.—The appointment of Surgeon Gen. William G. Clegg, U. S. A., as head of a committee selected by the War Department to investigate food conditions at army camps, was made known tonight in a joint statement by Secretary Bakers and Food Administrator Hoover, answering complaints of waste at army camps. The committee is cooperating with the quartermaster general's department and the food administration in efforts to eliminate whatever waste there may be.
"A great deal of complaint has arisen throughout the country as to waste at army camps," said the statement. "These camps have been in the main but recently organized, and many of the complaints occurred during the time that they were in the hands of contractors. The War Department has already directed the appointing of a committee under Surgeon Gen. Clegg, which is cooperating with the quartermaster general's department and the food administration and is now actively engaged in investigation and the devising of means for the prevention of waste."
"The food administration has made no suggestions as to needless or wasteful days in the camps and has in no way attempted any regulation or control either directly or indirectly for the feeding of American soldiers."
"While it is necessary for the civilian population to reduce the consumption of foodstuffs at every point and eliminate waste in order that the soldiers and our allies may be fed, it is yet felt that the country wishes the American soldiers to receive every particle of food necessary to his adequate nourishment and comfort, and the food situation in the camps is good. A bountiful supply of wholesome and well prepared food is furnished.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on December 15th, 1917 at 11 A. M. I will make my final return as Administrator of the Estate of John B. Fessenden, Sr. deceased and apply to the Probate Court of Chester County to be legally discharged as such Administrator.
J. M. FESSENDEN,
Administrator.
November 16th, 1917.