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THE NEW YORK NEWS

CHESTER, S. C. FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1917.

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MANY ARRESTS A WAR CONGRESS COME WITH WAR

Washington, Dec. 1.—Congress ready to take up again its part in the prosecution of the war.

The second session of the sixty-fifth congress began today at noon with brief routine sessions marked by the receipt of appropriation estimates for next year's war and ordinary expenses aggregating the total sum of \$13,000,000,000.

Tomorrow the senate and house will meet in joint session at 12:30 p. m. to hear President Wilson deliver his address. Guidance of the President in the work ahead is awaited for by both houses. Congressional leaders tonight admitted that his recommendations, amplified with profound force by the chief, virtually would outline the session program.

Discussion as to the nature of the President's address centers largely upon whether it will be a general declaration of war against Germany or a declaration of war against Austria-Hungary.

For several months government agents have been gathering information on the activities of Americans and those connected with them who are working for the benefit of the enemy.

Nearly 100,000 Austro-Hungarian subjects in the United States are expected to be arrested by the government.

Since most Austro-Hungarians in this country are harmless and ignorant of the war, it is particularly important that they be treated with leniency.

Department of Justice officials who pleaded today with the president's recommendation for legislation to exempt enemy alien restrictions to exempt some of them are expected to have their views set forth in the German espionage system.

COL. HOUSE MAKES SPEECH
Man of Few Words Says Some Fluent Things.

Paris, Dec. 1.—The latter Allied war conference closed today with a brief address by the French minister of war, Raymond Poincaré.

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CAMP SEVIER TO HAVE BATTLE GIGANTIC SHAM BATTLE

Whole Thirtieth Division Will Make Advance Along East-Mid Front to "Mos Up."

Camp Sevier, Greenville, S. C., Dec. 1.—A great sham battle, planned for a front of four miles, will be fought on the Thirtieth division for the next few days.

The attack will start by a false retreat, which is the wider area of the division will be called upon to defend its actual battle. The attack will converge as it moves forward to a front not over a mile in length.

In the advance many tactical points will be met and decided. At one point in the advance, for instance, the engineers will be called upon to bridge a stream in short order.

In the attack the enemy will be a falling back, upon the Paris mountain. The Thirtieth division will attack the imaginary force to show the retreat and "mos up."

At the proper hour, the advance upon the enemy will be begun. In the advance many tactical points will be met and decided.

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GENERAL NEWS TO DECLARE WAR ON AUSTRIA

Whole Washington, locally dry, says that there is plenty of snow here, though not in the mountains.

Officers in Greenville county located a large, well equipped illicit distillery plant in Greenville county, S. C., last night.

The Greenwood Educational Association, at a special meeting Monday night, arranged the indebtedness of the school district.

Capital E. S. Kewey, president of the Greenville Educational Association, has called upon the board of trustees to consider the indebtedness of the school district.

As performed by the house committee, the report of the committee on the subject of the proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States.

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BAKER ORDERS INVESTIGATION

Of Alleged Discrimination Against Negroes. Consider Mail of the Complaints Unwarranted and Work of German Propaganda.

Washington, Dec. 1.—In ordering an investigation of complaints of alleged discrimination against negroes in the United States army, Baker today made it plain that he considers most of the complaints unwarranted and due to German propaganda.

The inquiry is to determine whether the war department's investigation has been carried out to the satisfaction of the military law officer.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7.



Parties who are in the habit of keeping large sums of money in safe...

If we had a hog or certain would have his life insured...

For the information of amateur gardeners it may be well to announce that the experiment...

One bell which will support a couple of weeks after her marriage...

Mr. U. M. Welch, chief roadman for the American Automobile Club...

Naturally, all Americans would like to know just how many...

TILMAN. Human nature always runs true to form. A child does not care...

OUR ALIEN ENEMIES AT HOME. According to the census bureau...

about 4,602,000 enemy aliens, made up as follows: Austria 2,249,000, Germany 1,776,000, Hungary 738,000, Turkey 118,000, Bulgaria 11,000.

These people deserve a severe punishment than the out-and-out enemy within the limits of our country.

UNLOAD THE CARS.

Prompt removal of food by the owners of it from cars at points of delivery will relieve some of the car shortage which Mr. Hoover says is causing 'extreme' distress.

Every car should be released if returned to service without delay, the railroad commission says.

GREAT FALLS HONOR ROLL.

- The following is the honor roll for the Great Falls school for November: High Honor: Mamie Peirce, Hugh Gaddy, Honor: Willie May Hill, Sara King, Evelyn Roper, Willie Young, Conley Veiter, etc.

CHESTER FOLKS AND THINGS.

Mr. Fitz Hardin, one of the efficient dispensers at The Standard Pharmacy...

Our friend Jack Simmons has been up against 'Spidy' Owing in the competition of freight on the various railroads...

We heard a farmer discussing the farming business the other day and he certainly was 'settin' 'em out'!

A number of Chester merchants will place a Red Cross stamp on your package, provided you will carry the package home instead of to the office...

Manager Wagner of the Dramatic Theatre is somewhat of an artist when it comes to depicting the lobby of the theatre in advertising pictures...

TODAY'S GENERAL NEWS.

A declaration of war with Austria-Hungary will in all probability be voted by Congress today.

General Pughin reported by the war department yesterday that the judgment and twice enlisted men had been wounded in action.

STRIKE ON IN ST. PAUL.

St. Paul, Dec. 5.—Ten thousand union men from the Twin Cities packed the municipal auditorium today as the 'continuous convention' of union men held today.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the late A. Ehrlich, deceased, are required to make immediate payment to my attorney, W. H. Newbold, Esquire...

JUST ARRIVED. Stout-Coat-Suits for Stout Ladies. Also big lot sample Coats. Each, different style and make. A chance to get one not like others have bought. \$10-00 Dependable Suit or Overcoat. Why wait. Hurry for your choice. J. T. Collins Department Store

Prepare For The Boll-Weevil. My Herd of Registered Hereford Cattle. DAIRY HERD OF GUERNSEYS, JERSEY, HOLSTEINS. 15 HEAD OF HOGS. 6 Mules. 2 and 4 year old horses, one mare, Ford truck, wagons, dairy equipment. 6 horse gasoline engine. 2 corn mills. 1 Blizzard silage and stover machine. 1 disk plows. 2 horse turners, cultivators, corn and cotton planters, etc. DAIRY DECEMBER 17th. commencing at 9 o'clock. Dinner on the ground at 12 o'clock continuing sale at one. TERMS OF SALE CASH. S. D. CROSS CHESTER, S. C.

LOWRANCE BROS. 153 Gadsden St. Administration Notice. All persons indebted to the late A. Ehrlich, deceased, are required to make immediate payment to my attorney, W. H. Newbold, Esquire...

FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR. Eat More Corn, Oats and Barley Products, Fish and Poultry. Bake, Boil and Broil Foods. Eat less Meat, Wheat, Sugar and Fats. FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR.

THE BIG STORE

Nobody's Hard to fit in Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes

For men who think they're hard to fit, we have a way of showing you how easy it is, Hart Schaffner & Marx have made a scientific study of the subject...

Big men, tall men, short stout men, extra tall slender men, tall stout men; stoop-shouldered, sloping shouldered, round or square shouldered; your size is here.

The S. M. Jones Company

LOCAL and PERSONAL

eighty-three years of age and had been declining health for several months. Greatly reduced prices on ladies' dresses at Elliott's Market. Remember we have fresh meat of all kinds at all times. Elliott's Market.

before they could be put out. He left for war badly harmed. All kinds of Christmas presents for children at Roman-Brown Co.

Christmas Presents suggestion at Roman-Brown. Bath Robes, Handkerchiefs, Manicure Sets, Home Slippers, Persian Ivory, Dolls, Jewelry, Hand Bags, etc.

We are in receipt of a letter from the Local Board of Trustees of the Thorpe Hospital, at Clinton, asking that we call the attention of our readers to the fact that the institution has about 200 orphan children.

Ladies, see our coats, very much reduced price at Clonds. Rev. D. M. Douglas, D. D., president of the Presbyterian College, at Clinton, will preach at Purty's Presbyterian church Sunday at the usual hours.

Let Call on Coat Suits, Coats and Dresses. Call and see them at Clonds. Those who registered on January 15th, and who have not been entered into the service, are expected to keep the local exemption board informed as to their address.

Miss A. H. Gregory, of Chester, who has been at the Chester Sanatorium for some time, is now undergoing treatment, expects to be able to go home about the first of next week.

Red Cross Christmas Membership Campaign. Mr. M. S. Lewis has been appointed Campaign manager for Chester County, and will announce in Monday's paper lists of his committees for Chester and the County.

WAR TUBERCULOSIS FUND TO FIGHT WHITE SLAUGHTER

To Raise \$3,000,000 by Sale of Red Cross Christmas Seals. How many Red Cross Christmas Seals did you buy last year? Will you buy three times as many this year?

Unless every purchaser of Red Cross Seals triples his order, purchase this year, the creation of a \$3,000,000 War Tuberculosis Campaign Fund will not be possible.

The American Red Cross and the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis are making a drive for the creation of this fund because America's contribution to the war is the largest of any nation.

Tuberculosis is as deadly a foe to our troops as German bullets and bombs. It is undermining the confidence of the country and putting men for service in the army.

The members of the Chester County Local Board of Exemption and Registration, Messrs. Z. V. Davidson and Miss Marie Corwell have been busy for the past several days classifying and arranging to mail the list of questions to the various registrants.

Friends will be interested in the fact that Miss Emma Spelman and Mrs. Jesse E. Wright, which took place last Tuesday evening at the Baptist parsonage, in this city, the ceremony being performed by Rev. R. A. Bagby.

Stronger Than The Law Shoes. This is the most wonderful work shoe that is on the market today, the shoe that will give the longest wear of any shoe that has ever been manufactured.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Farm Loans - Long term loans negotiated on farm lands at exceptionally low rate interest. No expense to the bank in advance by borrowers and no inspectors' fee. Mr. J. F. Davis, Loan Correspondent, Chester, S. C.

The Well Known firm of W. H. Holmes, Hartin & Co., is now installed in the Pryor Mill, rear of the Pryor Building, bringing us your corn to grind, to large and small mill. Can give quick and good service.

For Sale - 24-1-2 acres land with 1-room house, barn and well, side mile from city limits. Easy payments. J. L. Collins, 30-4-7.

Wanted - Two masonry inspectors. Must have experience and good references. Write Watere Power Company, Danport, S. C. 7-1114.

Wanted - Competent painter for family residence at Conestoga plant. New building completely equipped; fuel, lights and water furnished. Write Watere Power Company, Danport, S. C. 7-1114.

For Rent - Blacksmith and paint shop near Pryor Building. Apply to S. W. Pryor, 417-1.

NEXT STOP CHRISTMAS. Let Your Gift be a Gift of Service. Our Line of Christmas Goods Will be on Display next week. Shop Early and Avoid the Rush.



Ford THE UNIVERSAL CAR. It is most important when your Ford car requires mechanical attention that you place it in charge of the authorized Ford dealer.

Vestal Motor Co. Columbia Street.

Red Cross Members. For November during November 69 names were added to Chester county's Red Cross membership, 15 of which compose a branch chapter at Blackrock. Chester purposes to publish monthly list of additions, and with the Christmas drive so soon at hand, a very long list will probably be printed for December.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE CITY Property On York and Brawley Streets Tuesday December 11th, 1917 at 10:30 A. M.

Thirty-five acres of the most desirable property in the City of Chester and one 8 room house has been consigned to us to be sold on the above date. We have spent neither time nor money in developing this beautiful property, subdividing and running streets through it and we are going to sell it to you at your own price, when you are through bidding you own it. Come out to our sale, hear our land concert, see our big balloon ascension man 2000 feet in the air and get a chance at the valuable prizes to be given away absolutely free. You don't have to buy to get a chance at these prizes. Every one on the grounds has an equal chance just so your name is on one of our cards.

Residence lots, Manufacturing sites with R. R. frontage on two R. R. Small truck farms will be sold at your price, not ours. Sale will be conducted on the grounds by

American Realty and Auction Company
Thomas Bros. Auctioneering Force, Greenstore, N. C.

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 Gladden Building on Valley Street.

CHESTER VULCANIZING WORKS
VALLEY STREET

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

IN SENATE, January 11, 1917.
I, H. H. WADSWORTH, Clerk of the Senate, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the report of the Committee on Finance and Administration, as reported to the Senate on January 11, 1917.

OUR LOANS TO OTHER NATIONS

The United States has loaned to other nations a total of \$1,000,000,000. This is a record for any nation. It is a record of our generosity and our confidence in the future of the world. It is a record of our faith in the power of our money to bring about peace and prosperity for all nations.

Mustang Liniment

Good for the Aches of Horses, Mules, Cattle, Etc.
Good for your own Aches, Pains, Rheumatism, Sprains, Cuts, Burns, Etc.

RETURN NOTICE FOR 1918

In accordance with the law, tax returns for the years of all real and personal property for the year 1918 are due on January 15, 1918. It is the duty of every owner of real and personal property to file a return of the same. Failure to do so will result in the property being sold to satisfy the tax. The following is a list of the names of the owners of real and personal property in the City of Chester, as reported to the City Clerk on January 11, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that on December 21st, 1917, at ten o'clock A. M. at Chester, S. C., I will make my final return as guardian for Julia Griffin, minor, to the Probate Court for Chester County, S. C., and will make my final return as guardian for Julia Griffin, minor, to the Probate Court for Chester County, S. C., and will make my final return as guardian for Julia Griffin, minor, to the Probate Court for Chester County, S. C.

ITALY'S RESISTANCE

The Italian resistance which comes around the Piave was apparently doomed to defeat. It was quite impossible for a greatly outnumbered army to defend that position permanently. Therefore the early reports of the fighting were received with a certain skepticism. The fighting action fought on the Piave was as long as possible the retreat to the next position. But as the day followed by night, and each morning we have read nothing of the expected retreat, but only of a furious and sustained resistance, it has become to seem possible that the Piave is as far as the Germans will get.

The Germans, of course, understand this situation, and it explains their present tactics. They must force a decision before the Italians are sufficiently weakened to establish an equality of strength. They are, of course, followed by superiority. Allied superiority has been German defeat. It is a fact that Italy could not be expected to stand up to the Germans in a conventional battle. The situation is, therefore, a matter of fighting in which the Italian have shown that when they begin to roll up an army belonging to one of the weaker Allies it goes to pieces. It is a fact that Italy is as a matter of fighting in which the Italian have shown that when they begin to roll up an army belonging to one of the weaker Allies it goes to pieces.

**NATIONAL Short Days
MAZDA LAMPS Long Nights**

USE
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 Cindersella (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

STOMACH TROUBLE
I have suffered with stomach trouble for many years. I have tried many remedies but nothing has helped. I have been told that I should try Black-Draught. I have tried it and it has helped me. I feel better and my stomach is normal. I have been told that I should try Black-Draught. I have tried it and it has helped me. I feel better and my stomach is normal.

BLACK-DRAUGHT

ONE CENT A DOSE

No. Six-Sixty-Six

This is a descriptive report, especially for MALDEN or CHALK or FEVER. It is a report of the results of the investigation of the cause of the disease. It is a report of the results of the investigation of the cause of the disease. It is a report of the results of the investigation of the cause of the disease.

Noting Our Services

Most of us spend a great deal of our time in the office. We are busy with our work. We are busy with our work. We are busy with our work. We are busy with our work. We are busy with our work.