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AS I intend closing out my business at Alcolu, I'm going to give the people of this vicinity some bona-fide Bargains. Beginning on Saturday, November 17th, and lasting until December 25th, I will offer my Entire Stock of

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Don't Forget the Opening Date, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17th, 1917.

JOS. S. DICKSON, Alcolu, S. C.

MANNING MAY GET COMPANY OF STATE DEFENSE TROOPS

Editor of The Manning Times:

Some time ago it was being advocated in the State, that while the State Militia was in the national service, it would be well to form a regiment for home defense.

Governor Manning went to Washington and took up the matter with the War Department, and as a result he designated Col. Henry T. Thompson to organize in the State a regiment of South Carolina State Troops.

The day after Governor Manning appointed Col. Thompson to organize this regiment, I was in Columbia, saw Col. Thompson and told him that I was quite sure that the people of Clarendon County would like to organize a company of State Troops here. He stated that requests were coming in from all over the State, but that if there was any possible chance to do so, he would like to have a company from this County.

Last week I received the following letter:

"Headquarters First Regiment South Carolina State Troops.

Henry T. Thompson, Colonel, Commanding (Lieutenant-Colonel of Volunteers, Spanish-American War).

Nov. 7, 1917.

S. Oliver O'Bryan, Esq., Manning, S. C.

Dear Mr. O'Bryan:

You spoke to me some time ago about organizing a company of State Troops at Manning, and I am writing to know whether it would suit you to have me visit Manning and look over the situation with you. What do you say to some day toward the latter part of next week?

Please let me hear from you in regard to this matter as soon as possible, addressing your reply to Florence, S. C.

Yours very truly,
Henry T. Thompson,
Colonel, Commanding."

I immediately wrote to Col. Thompson that we would be glad to have over next week and look over the situation.

Those eligible to become members of the South Carolina Troops are persons from eighteen to forty-five years of age. The State Troops would be subject to the call of the Governor and the President at any time, for duty only within the limits of the State. They could not be sent beyond the borders of the State. These Troops would do the service in the State that has heretofore been other words, they are troops for home defense.

We should by all means have such a company here. With several large saw-mills in the County and for other reasons, it seems to me that we would be losing a splendid opportunity if we did not take advantage of the chance now given us to have a military company here.

I want every person in the County who would like to join the company to immediately notify me, either by letter, phone or telegram. It is very necessary that this be done at once, so that I can show Col. Thompson, when he comes next week, that we have a sufficient number of men, in the County who will join the company. It will take about sixty-five men.

I would advise the young men in the County who are subject to draft to join this company. It may be some time before they are called into active service, and in the mean time they could receive some military training which would assist them when sent to Camp Jackson to secure better positions in the army, and otherwise be of great benefit to them there.

According to my understanding, the Government will furnish uniforms and equipment.

None of the officers have been selected and all of this will have to be done when the company is organized. What I desire at this time is for the young men of the County who wish to join this company to immediately let me know, and I will advise them the day Col. Thompson is here, so that they can meet and talk with him and be fully advised as to what will be expected of the company. I trust that there will be a ready response and that we will have no trouble whatsoever in organizing a company of South Carolina State Troops in Clarendon County.

S. Oliver O'Bryan,
Manning, S. C., Nov. 13, 1917.

FOR MEN ONLY.

Throughout the United States the call has been made for the men of the Nation to support the war work of the Y. M. C. A. What is that work? The answer is found by looking over a great army camp or naval station, both at home and at the front. The Nation arms the soldier and sailor and sends him to fight. If he is wounded or taken sick the army doctors and the Red Cross minister to him. But if he is a stalwart, vigorous fellow abounding in vitality, what does he find when off duty? After the strain and confinement of the camp or the trench where does he relax? The Y. M. C. A. offers him a place or relaxation, a place of wholesome

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surroundings with books, magazines, games and music. That is for our boys. Men crowded together need this atmosphere of cheer and good-fellowship.

Clarendon County is asked to do its part for the boys. Uncle Sam's soldiers and sailors, but even nearer to us, for they are our own boys now. Rallies will be held throughout the County as stated below:

Sunday.
3:30 P. M.—Summertown School House.
7:30 P. M.—Manning Baptist Church.

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Monday.
7:30 P. M.—Pinewood Methodist Church.

Tuesday.
7:30 P. M.—Paxville School House.
7:30 P. M.—Sardinia Presbyterian Church.
7:30 P. M.—Turbeville Methodist Church.

Wednesday.
7:30 P. M.—Andrews Chapel.
7:30 P. M.—Oakdale School House.
At each of these meetings prominent speakers will present the Y. M. C. A. work to the audience. Dr. Thomas L. Bolger, religious workers at Camp Wadsworth and Secretary Rankin will be in the Clarendon County Campaign. Two sailors and a soldier will also attend the rallies. Let everybody and these meetings. Clarendon ways does her part; she will not fail now. These meetings are for men only. J. K. Breedin, Publicity Chairman.

PRIVATE MITCHUM WRITES

Chattanooga, Tenn., Nov. 7, 1917.
Mr. I. I. Appelt,
Manning, S. C.

Dear Sir:

As a private in the United States Army I have had the privilege of enjoying some of the things that the "Young Men's Christian Association" is providing and doing for the soldier boys. With its large hall well furnished with seats, desks, writing material, musical instruments and different games, also the movies, it is at once a parlor, a club room and a church for the boys. I feel sure it is the means of many a mother hearing from her boy who would not hear if he had to provide his own writing material and desk. It furnishes some of the best sermons by some of the best ministers in the country, and all of its amusements and entertainments are clean and helpful to the boys, morally and spiritually. It has certainly meant a great deal to me. I feel that I cannot say too much in favor of it. This building is only one of 450 buildings serving the American soldiers and sailors in our country. Hundreds more are in operation or projected for American overseas forces and for our Allies, Italy, France and Russia.

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To continue this work in America and overseas until July 1st, 1918, the sum of \$35,000,000 is required. As you know, this association is kept up by voluntary contributions. To raise this money a nation-wide campaign is to be conducted from Nov. 11 to the 19th. I can't write a letter fit for you to publish in your paper, but I want to ask your editorial support. To the one who wants to do something for the soldier boys, I would like for them to have this association held up for their consideration.

Hoping this matter will have your hearty support, not for my own personal benefit, but also for thousands of boys who for the lack of good wholesome amusement and entertainment will insist on being entertained possibly at the cost of their soul, I remain,

Yours truly,
Jos. D. Mitchum,
Military Branch Co. "E" 51st, Inf.,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Death of a Colored Man.

Theodore Harvin died at his home, three miles west of Paxville, last Wednesday evening after a brief illness. He was about 55 years of age. Besides a number of sons and daughters he leaves a widow, Rebecca Harvin. The funeral services which were in charge of the colored Masons, of which order deceased was member, were held from Mount Zero Baptist church, Rev. Mose Parson preaching the sermon. Interment in Mount Zero Baptist cemetery.

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