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## ROUTE FROM ATHENS, GA., TO CHERAW, S. C. IS SELECTED

### ROUSING MEETING IS HELD AT CLINTON TUESDAY AFTERNOON

### Permanent Organization Effected With J. F. Jacobs, Sr., of Clinton As President

Clinton, S. C., June 14.—The Calhoun Highway association was formed at Clinton this afternoon when the Commercial club of Clinton entertained delegates from every county on the proposed route, which stretches from Athens, Georgia, through, Elberton, Calhoun Falls, S. C., Abbeville, Greenwood, Clinton, Whitmirt, Carolina, Chester, Fort Lawn, Lancaster, Page, and to Cheraw. The route was officially designated and is incorporated in the constitution adopted and can only be changed by a two-thirds vote of all the members of the association.

The meeting was called subsequent to a meeting held at Clinton several weeks ago when a temporary organization was perfected and was for the purpose of permanently organizing. J. F. Jacobs, Sr., of Clinton, was elected president; R. E. Hanna, of Cheraw, vice president for South Carolina; and Martin J. Abney, of Athens, vice president for Georgia; Wilson W. Harris, of Clinton, secretary and treasurer.

A vice president was elected for each county along the route as follows: Chesterfield, J. E. Egerton; Lancaster, George B. Craven; Chester, R. O. Atkinson; Union, M. C. Deaver; Newberry, D. E. Child; Laurens, James R. Copeland; Greenwood, Kenneth Baker; Abbeville, J. S. Stark; Elbert, G. S. M. Orr; Madison, Dr. H. H. Hampton; Oglethorpe, A. P. Dunaway; Clark, Jno. T. Pittard. These vice presidents are ex-officio members of the board of directors, and, in addition, one director was elected from each county, as follows:

Chesterfield, C. C. Douglass; Lancaster, D. Reese Williams; Chester, A. L. Gaston; Union, C. A. Jeter; Newberry, W. M. Sherrard; Laurens, C. W. Stone; Greenwood, Thos. W. Cotton; Abbeville, J. M. Nick; Elbert, G. A. Arnold; Madison, F. B. Smith; Clark, W. G. Griffin; Oglethorpe, E. J. Ervin. These, with the county vice presidents, the secretary and treasurer, the two state vice presidents and the president composed the board of directors.

The meeting at Clinton was held at 3:30 this afternoon in the Masonic hall, and it was remarkable and unusual that so much interest and enthusiasm was displayed by the delegates representing every local association along the route, every one of the 12 counties between Athens and Cheraw being represented by from one to eight delegates. In addition to these there was a representative from the Georgia state highway commission and one from the South Carolina state highway commission, the federal aid commissioner for South Carolina, and several county engineers. If the association were not a "ging concern," so many men, mostly business men and farmers, would not have taken the trouble and gone to the expense of attending the meeting.

In the adoption of the constitution the route is definitely established, and the possibility of its being changed except perhaps in minor details is remote, and the working machinery of the association was immediately put in motion after the formal organization. A total of 1,800 members were reported from the different local organizations along the route, and many places are yet to organize. Cupty Engineer Kester, of Chestert, promised for his county, when formally organized, 800 to 1,000 members. At present, Clinton has the largest membership, about 300. The Lancaster

Bennettsville & Cheraw Railroad Would Discontinue Part of Line Rate Questions Up.

Three hearings will occupy the attention of the state railroad commission Wednesday, according to the announcement of Frank W. Sheen, chairman of the commission. The petition of the Bennettsville & Cheraw railroad for the discontinuance of a portion of the company's track will come up at this time, both the company and the shippers and all other persons interested being requested to send representatives to the hearing. The track which is proposed to be discontinued connects Brownsville and Sellers and is 11 miles in length. The railroad company bases its petition upon the fact that traffic has declined to such an extent as to almost make the operation of the line a physical impossibility.

delegates reported 75 members only fairly begun. Others ranged from 40 to 20.

After the business session, the delegates were driven out to the country club where light refreshments were served and where the newly elected board of directors held an informal meeting. Returning to town about eight o'clock a banquet was served to the delegates and the members of the commercial club, by that club. After a really delightful dinner, delightfully prepared and delightfully served by one of the ladies' organizations of Clinton, several short talks were made among the speakers being Judge Geo. C. Provan, of Elberton, Ga., R. E. Hanna, of Cheraw; J. S. Stark, of Abbeville, Martin J. Abney, of Athens, Ga., and J. F. Jacobs, Sr., of Clinton.

The delegates were the guests while in Clinton of the Commercial club and they were received with the frank and open hospitality characteristic of the people of Clinton.

The above article was taken from the Lancaster News of June 18th and explains fully the recent organization of the Calhoun Highway which is to run from Athens, Ga., to Cheraw, S. C. and connects the Bankhead Highway with the Quebec-Miami Highway at Cheraw.

Last week a meeting was called by R. E. Hanna the efficient secretary of the Cheraw Board of Trade who was largely instrumental in getting this Highway routed to Cheraw. He explained to the meeting the results of his efforts and what was expected of Cheraw.

After a general discussion of the whole matter it was decided that Cheraw organize a Good Roads Association to work for the upbuilding of all roads in and around Cheraw and to primarily work for the Calhoun Highway until it was an established highway.

A committee composed of S. T. A. McManus, G. W. Duvall and Joe Lindsay was appointed by the chair to solicit members of his association at a membership fee of \$2.00 and to call a meeting of the citizens to complete a canvass of the town.

Those present at the meeting were very enthusiastic over the proposed new highway and expressed confidence that Cheraw would have a membership of 500 citizens.

Style News Right off Fifth Avenue. They are Wearing.

Lace caps and pleated chiffon capes, collared with fur or ostrich feathers, are being worn these sultry nights at the theatre.

Sleeveless jackets, sometimes of bright red flannel, are popular at resorts.

Black crepe de Chine dresses with monkey fur fringe in perpendicular rows from waist to hem are much worn.

Monkey fringe is used not only to trim crepe and satin dresses and coats, but is occasionally seen on organdy and lace gowns.

Printed chiffons are being worn by many a hot day sojourner in town.

Self printed black crepes are gaining in favor with the woman who has acquired the plain black gown habit.

Red and orange shades continue to be reported from resorts as the colors most often chosen.

Crepe de chine capes trimmed with hemstitching or with flat cabbage rose motifs of the crepe, ribbon, or like decoration, are worn to a great extent.

Knitted woolen dresses are well represented at any gathering out of town.

French handdrawn dresses in either handkerchief linen, voile, or crepe have come out in astonishing numbers with the hot weather.

Blonde hosiery increases in popularity each day, most women wearing black slippers, usually strapped, with them.

A dark haired woman wore hairpins headed with a single large pearl; one pinned in her hair at the back of the head and two more worn high in the coiffure and at the side.

Bright heels on dark slippers are a new note; one woman wearing a navy taffeta frock had black satin slippers with bright red heels.

A striking gray net, with narrow cherry red velvet hip panels reaching to the hem of the plain full skirt, had a short sleeveless box coat of the velvet opened in front to show the net, which was centered with small velvet buttons. Completing this costume were matching gray hose, and suede slippers, and a soft gray satin turban with drooping feathers at the side.

All black costumes of net, charmeuse and Canton crepe with solid black accessories, are much worn. Bodices are transparent and sleeves short.

### STEVENSON SPEAKS TO CHESTER CROWD

### Fifth District Representative Discusses Economic Depression at Celebration.

Chester, July 4.—The Fourth was celebrated in Chester in great style, one of the largest crowds on record being gathered here for the celebration, which included a track meet in the forenoon between Chester and Rock Hill. Horse racing, an oration by Representative W. F. Stevenson, and a base ball game between Chester and Rock Hill. Chester won both the ball game and the track meet.

Mr. Stevenson discussed the depression that exists throughout the country and the world today, and defined the causes therefor. Mr. Stevenson rasped the Republicans for their campaign promises, which they have failed to carry out, and carefully enumerated the conditions that have contributed to the basket suffered by business, and which are of such serious nature, he declared, that a year or more at least must elapse before there will be any noticeable recovery.

At noon Mr. Stevenson was the guest of honor at an indoor service by Postmaster Thomas M. Douglas and the postoffice force in the basement of Chester's handsome postoffice building.

### AMERICAN LEGION TAKE NOTICE

### Chateau-Thierry May Be Made Gambling Resort.

Paris, June 15.—A curious development following the recent Paris edict prohibiting gambling within a radius of 100 kilometers from the metropolis, is the possible selection of Chateau-Thierry to succeed the famous Casino d'Enghien, which recently fell a victim to the decree. Chateau-Thierry is just 101 kilometers from Paris. The municipal council recently voted a grant of land for a casino which will cost in the neighborhood of 25,000,000 francs. Considerable speculation is heard as to whether gambling in their casino.

### So There!

A woman writing in answer to a housemaid's advertisement received this missive: "Madame—You have a good name and address, but you write on a meesy half-sheet of paper, which shows me you are no lady, and as such and considering the paper you write on the place would not suit me, being accustomed to things being different."—Miami Herald.

### Happy Ending.

"I have just heard of a woman, who went to a hotel unaccompanied and discovered that the acoustic properties of her room were such that every time she spoke aloud there was an echo. She then made a bold attempt to get in a last word, and in so doing talked herself to death."—Portland Express and Advertiser.

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## BIG JULY CELEBRATION IN CHERAW.

World War Veterans Will Hold Jamboree, Tuesday, July 12th.

BRASS BANDS, BASE BALL, DANCING.

Dr. E. W. Sikes, Orator.

The American Legion Post No. 23, Cheraw has arranged to put on what they hope will be the biggest Big Day Cheraw has yet seen. It is to be a general reunion of all World War veterans and every service man in this and other counties are urged to lay aside their work on this day and come and join in the celebration. Also every man, woman and child in this immediate vicinity is expected to come and make this day one long to be remembered.

The program for the day includes Brass Band Concerts, Base Ball, Morning and afternoon by two of the fastest clubs in this section, Speaking, Motion Pictures, open all day, and a Big Script Dance at Duvall's Hall. Dr. E. W. Sikes, president of Coker College, Hartsville, a man who needs no introduction as a speaker in South Carolina, will be the orator of the day. Flashes of Action, a noted official moving picture, which shows the boys of the 81st, 42nd, and 30th Divisions in the thick of the fight will be shown at the Lyric Theater throughout the day and this feature alone will be well worth coming to Cheraw to see. It is the Government Official Picture and has caused widespread satisfaction and comment in places where it has been shown. The Script Dance at night will be a fitting finish to the day's fun. A celebrated Orchestra will furnish the music and Duvall's Hall will be appropriately decorated for the occasion. All proceeds from all attractions will be for the benefit of American Legion Post No. 23, World War Veterans, so let's get busy and make their day a success.

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## Cheraw Chronicle Changes Ownership

### Joe Lindsay Buys Paper and Job Plant

It will be of interest to the people of this community to learn that J. N. Stricklin, who has edited the Cheraw Chronicle for 25 years, has sold his interest in the Paper and Job Plant to Joe Lindsay, who will hereafter be the editor and manager of the Chronicle, beginning with this issue. Mr. Stricklin will continue with the new management for the present having charge of the mechanical end of the paper.

### One Difference

The cook was having a day off, and she came down wearing a very stylish frock.

"Why, Mary," said the lady, admiringly, what a nice dress. It would be hard to distinguish the mistress from the cook."

"Not at all," said Mary, the cooking would tell.

Be True to Yourself.  
I look upon the simple and childish virtues of veracity and honesty as the root of all that is sublime in character. Speak as you think, be what you are, pay your debts of all kinds.—Emerson.

Pleasant Dreams!  
To dream of seeing a great number of fireflies, deceit; that you are following a phantom, your wife is false, and unless you are very careful your living will be taken away from you.

### Cutting Children's Ears.

It is a senseless practice to cut children's ears, and arises from a foolish superstition. Many years ago it was thought that backward children could be cured by making an incision in a certain part of their ears. The belief exists in some parts of the country today, the operation being performed usually by a woman at the change of the moon. Needless to say, it results only in pain and misery for the child.—London Tit-Bits.

Virtue.  
Virtue is not to be considered in the light of mere innocence, or abstaining from harm, but as the exertion of our faculties in doing good.—Butler.

Man's Ingratitude.  
"De man dat trusts to Luck," said Uncle Eben, "is always so ungrateful as to give his own smartness all the credit when Luck helps him out."

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