1918. Let us hear from you promptly.

SAYS FOOD MOST IMPORTANT

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It is necessary to feed our armies

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MAYSVILLE

Messrs. D: E. and B. H. Burch were

t the home of Mr. L. E. Griggs last

The fifteen-year-old son of Mr.

Messrs. J. T. Davis and Wilbert

Tucker were in Ruby last Monday.

Mrs. W. P. Gulledge is rapidly im-

Mesdames D. E. Burch and H. A.

Jackson, of Mt. Croghan, visited at

the home of Mr. W. P. Gulledge Sun-

Miss Frauline Burch, of Elizabeth,

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Mr. E. K. Smith and two of his

Mr. J. T. Griggs was in Ruby one

Mr. B. H. Burch was in Mt. Crog-

Messrs. D. E. and B. H. Burch

spent last Friday night at the home

of Mr. Wilson Teal's near Wades-

boro. Mrs. Teal is seriously ill with

Mr. R. K. Pittman, of Wamble Hill,

Master Preston Burch spent the

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Messrs. E. D. Myers and J. W.

Adams spent Thursday in Wadesboro.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Tucker are very

Best wishes to The Advertiser.

UNITED STATES TREASURY

CERTICATES INDEBTEDNESS

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Palmer Armfield Hendrix, Joseph Evan Gulledge, Ru Jessie Smathers, McBee. Jno. Benj. Gaddy Johnso

Sam P. Jones, Cheraw,

Sylvester B. Poston, jr., Cl

James Albert Steen, Ruby

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Raymond T. Snipes, Angel

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Daniel Dixon, Middendorf. Fulton Lynch, Cheraw. Clarence L. Coe. Chesterfield. Robert L. Parker, McFarlan, R. 1.

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ERSHING'S MEN

LEAD CLEAN LVES Washington, Jan. 22. - There never has been a similar body of men to lead as clean lives as the American soldiers in France, General Pershing said in a cablegram today to Secretary Baker in reply to inquiries as to the truth of reports of immoderate drinking among the men.

General Pershing's message was made public by Mr. Baker in this letter to Governor Capper of Kansas:

"You may recall writing to me several days ago concerning persistent reports as to the immoderate sale of liquor among our forces in France. My impression was that these rumors were not well founded in fact; but I felt it my duty to convey their content to General Pershing and to ask him to communicate with me as to' that I have just received the following words from the commander of the American expeditionary forces: "There has never been a similar

body of men to lead as clean lives as our American soldiers in France. They have entered this war with the highest devotion to duty and with no other idea than to perform these duties in the most efficient manner possible. They fully realize their obligation to their own people; their friends and the country.

"'A rigid program of inspection i carried out daily with traditional American enthusiasm. They are engaged in interesting exercises in the open air with simple diets, officers and men, like trained athletes, are ready for their task. Forbidden the use of strong drink and protected by stringent regulation against sexual evils and supported by their own moral courage, their good behavior is the subject of most favorable comments, especially by our allies:

## For Fertilizer Use

CHESTERFIELD, S. C., THURSDAY, JANUARY 24 1918

Notice has been received by W. J. Tiller, agricultural agent for Chesterfield county, that the United States Department of Agriculture been sent to the Clerk of Court of will sell at cost a supply of nitrate every County. Owners can obtain of soda to farmers in Chesterfield

The nitrate was purchased through the War Industries Board under the authority of the Food Control Act as a part of the program for stimulat- style, the model, and such informaing agricultural production. It will be unloaded at Atlantic ports and the price will be \$75.50 a ton, free on board cars at port of arrival. Farmers are to pay in addition freight from port of arrival and the State fertilizer tag fee.

How to Obtain Nitrate

Applications for a part of the 100,000 tons of nitrate bought by the government will be received only from actual farmers or owners or holders of farms for us on their land, and may be made through County Agent W. J. Tiller, or through any member of a local committee consisting of J. H. Ratcliff, Mt. Croghan; J. A. Turner, Pageland; L. S. Horton, Jefferson; T. M. Beatie, McBee; W. P. Pollock, Cheraw; F. H. Gillespie, Patrick.

No money will be required with the application but upon notice from the County Agent farmers who have signed applications must deposit with a local bank, association, or individual, designated by the Secretary of Agriculture to act as the farmers agent for that purpose, money to cover the cost of the fertilizer except the freight charge. After the money is transmitted to Washington the nitrate will be shipped to the farmers. If applications for the nitrate exceed the supply of about 100,000 tons the government will allot the supply on a pro rata basis among those who applied. Applications must be received by February the 4th, 1918. a

#### SQUARE DEAL DRUG CO. HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the stocknolders and directors of the Square Deal Drug Co. was held in their office on January 22d. The report of the year's business for 1917 was deolared by the stockholders to be very satisfactory.

The following board of directors was elected: A. A. Douglass, Sr., M. S. Watson, W. C. F. Harris, Walter Teal, Sam White.

After the meeting of the stoskholders the board of directors met and forests of France and manufacture Chesterfield. Watson, president; A. A. Douglass, include experienced men of every spent several days of last week in vice-president, and W. C. F. Harris, class required in lumber camp oper manager. Dr. Harris was complimented for

his past management of the store and for his painstaking care at the prescription counter.

#### CHERAW

Special to The Advertiser:

The Rev. Thomas, who is captain of the local home guards, has resignd as rector of St. David's Episconal Columbia, where he has accepted the pastorate of the Church of the Good Shepherd. Rev. Thomas will be greatly missed by all the people of the town.

Quite a great deal of interest is being evidenced among the traveling men in the matter of distinguishing between the McFarlan twins, who are clerks at the Hotel Covington. They are more alike than the proverbial black-eyed peas. Mr. Crawey never knows which is tother.

Word has been received from Lieut. Dan Spencer, who is now seeing active service "somewhere in the facts. You will be glad to know France." From the kodak picture sent by Dan, he seems to have sprouted a misplaced eyebrow, as a partial protection against the German gasses.

> All of Cheraw's manufacturing enerprises are following closely the orders by Fuel Chief Garfield.

On account of the fact that farm abor will be unusually scare it is rumored that the District Exemption Board will furlough a good many of February 15th.

Lieut. L. C. Wannamaker, from Camp Jackson, was at home for the week-end.

C. L. Prince, Esq., who has been almost entirely cured, to the delight and contracts are supplied." county.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Crawley have reen spending a week in Columbia. Red at the home of Mr. Isaac Boat-The C. & L. jitney is furnishing right Sunday.

WHERE TO GET APPLICATION **BLANKS FOR 1918 AUTO LICESES** 

For the information of automobile Highway Department states that a supply of application blanks for 1918 same by applying to these dealers, or considerable time, as in most cases formation as to the horse power of their automobile, the motor number, tion required by the Highway Department before the license can be 1917 license number is not sufficient and an application must be filled out and sent in for each motor vehicle.

As the time is getting very short and no authority is given any one man in the State, or to any group of men, save the Legislature, to extend the time limit it would be wise for all owners of motor vehicles to make application promptly so as to get their license plate at the earliest possible moment.

Up to Saturday night, January 19th, less than half of the licenses issued for 1917 have been taken out for 1918, and though the Highway Department is working over time well and in view of the increasing Henry, accompanied by Mr. J. H. they will not be able to issue all licenses before February 1st. How- production we shall be unable to do Bettie Ratliffe. ever, this will be no excuse for automobile owners and under the law vails this spring and unless extraor- writing. Hope he will soon be in they cannot operate their motor vehicles without the 1918 license plate on same, whether they have made application for their license or not.

#### ROAD BUILDERS NEEDED

and roadbuilders for immediate service in France that the War Department has made an exception to its previous ruling, and will now allow experienced men of draft age to enlist, under certain conditions.

Any man between eighteen and forty-one years of age, who is qualified physically and by experience, may enlist for this service; but they must obtain permission to do so from Major C. E. Clarke, Chief of Engineers Office, War Department, Washington, D. C., by mail or telegraph. The men required will be sent to France as soon as they are assembled, without being held here for military training.

Tremendous quantities of lumber are required by the American troops A special regiment, in France. known as the 20th Engineers, is being recruited to cut timber in the elected the following officers: M. S. it into lumber. This regiment will

The 20th Engineers needs immedi ately 2,000 woodsmen, sawmill men, machinists and others who have worked at lumbering. It also needs 3,000 men who have worked at road building. These men are to construct road from the woods to the mills and from the mills to the distributing depots. In connection with both the lumbering and road-building opera-Church, and leaves in February for tions complete crews of men experienced in the great variety of machinery used and in the camp and repair work involved are required.

#### GOVERNMENT WILL MAKE CONTRACTS TO PAY WELL

for lubricating the aeroplanes which are expected to play a big part in winning this war. The supply is short, and this section can produce castor beans, and the government means to make it profitable to the farmers

Mr. Evans, in speaking of the matter, said, "Castor beans are an easy crop to produce in this section. Women and children can harvest the crop. It is a crop that is good for the land, and I am ready to give the farmers in this section a contract for all the beans produced by them to pay them \$3.00 a bushel at their sta-

I will furnish the seed for plantthe contingent called to the colors ment, plus the cost of transportain the Baltimore hospital for about ism, can write to me at Hamlet, N. six months, has returned to Cheraw C., and I will see that information

> (00) Treasury Certificates of Indobt-idness, payable April 22, 1918, with interest at the rate of 4 per cent Mr. Dock and Winford Turnage in the Center Point section per annum from January 22, 1918. Applications will close at close of

RESE MILK COWS

wners who desire to take out their to take out their license for 1918 the have been forwarded to every dealer in the State, and also a supply has to the Clerks of Court, and thus save they can obtain th enecessary inissued. A simple reference to the

### LUMBER MEN AND

Washington, January 21 .- So urgent is the need for lumbermen

ations.

## FOR CASTOR BEAN CROPS

The government needs castor oil to plant castor beans.

ing at an exact cost to the Governtion, to the farmer, and will give full directions as to how to plant and care for the crop and harvest. Any farmer that wants to take advantage of this offer and prove his patriot-

tion at par and accrued interest, through the Federal Banks, Four Mr. T. L. Melton and family vis-Hyndred Million Dollar (\$400,000,

Please watch the date on your label. It will tell you when

your time has expired. For instance, 10 Jan. 18 means Jan 10,

MATTER BEFORE ALLIES NOW Mr. and Mrs. Japhus Moore visited in the Wexford community Saturday night and Sunday. "Food is the most important matter now before the allies," David Lu-

Miss Frauline Burch left Monday to take up her work as assistant international institute of agriculture, teacher in the Wexford graded

**ELIZABETH** 

Mr. J. L. Burch made a flying trip to Chesterfield Saturday in his John consumption of food and decreasing Burch, Miss Frauline Burch and Miss

this unless exceptional weather pre-Mr. H. J. Hendrix is sick at this good health again.

reporting to the States department Mrs. M. F. Sellers, Miss Hattie Seland also to congress that Europe's lers and Mrs. Japhus Moore visited crops may be worse than last year's, at the home of Mr. A. P. Allen Fri-

and that the mobilization of men in day. Mr. H. W. Hancock is recovering be necessary. We should also con- from an attack of pneumonia.

Glad to report that Mr. J. S. Sellers, who is in the Columbia Hospital, is rapidly improving. Sunday school next Sunday at

2:30. Preaching by our regular pas-"Our allies are dependent upon tor immediately after Sunday school. the United States. Without its help Everybody is invited. they would reach a condition similar Mrs. B. R. Sellers and daughter, to that in Germany and Austria in Mrs. Mary Hancock, of Ruby, visited

which there is merely food enough at Mr. Cyrus Sellers' Friday night and Saturday. Mr. Andrew Allen has been very

sick with measles. Mr. and Mrs. Japhus and Miss Florence Moore and Mr. Hughs, Miss Mr. D. E. Burch, of Mt. Croghan, Hattie and Master Claudie Sellers spent several days of last week in visited at Mr. John Moore's Sunday Mr. L. L. Jordan and son Vester

#### FRIENDSHIP

Mr. August Lowery, of Wexford, spent Sunday here, the guest of Mr. Jesse L. Lowery.

Mr. Eugene Jones was in Morven Mr. Oscar Sellers spent Sunday in this community. Messrs. Thomas Rivers, Oscar and Mr. John Gaddy, of Morven, spent

Lonnie Hunter spent last Friday in Sunday here the guest of Mr. Jesse Gaddy. Mr. E. B. Smith, of Mt. Croghan, The fittle daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. John Merriman is slowly improv-Sunday school next Sunday at 10

clock. Preaching at 11 o'clock. We are glad to say that Mr. Sowell is abel to be out again.

Miss Otis Griggs, assistant teacher of the Vaughn school, has been sick for the past week. Mrs. Allie Adams has been acting in her stead.

#### CITATION NOTICE The State of South Carolina.

Mr. E. D. Myers took dinner with County of Chesterfield. By M. J. Hough, Probate Judge:

WHEREAS, J. A. Knight made has been appointed as third teacher suit to me to grant him Letters of Administration of the Estate and effects of J. T. Lee, deceased.

.These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and Creditors of the said J. T. Lee, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Chesterfield, S. C., on the 7th day of February 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 22d day of January, Anno Domini 1918. M. J. HOUGH. Probate Judge.

WOOD CUTTERS WANTED Wanted 100 cords of wood cut. Will pay \$1.00 per cord. See-

W. J. PERRY. FOR SALE OR RENT

House and lot on Lucas Heights, near Chesterfield High School, for sale or rent. See me or C. L. Hun-R. E. HANNA.

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