

**THE CAMDEN CHRONICLE**

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Bishopville has secured hydro-electric power to light the town and to operate plants needing electric power. If Sumter could obtain power at a reasonable rate it would be an advantageous arrangement for the municipal plant to obtain current from the same source and retain the steam plant for use in case of emergency. The town of Dillon has recently made a very advantageous contract for power for lighting the town and operating the several cotton mills and other manufacturing plants in and around that town. If this city is ever to hook up with the hydro-electric power lines that are being established throughout this section of the state now is the time to get in. The prospect is that coal will continue high in price and go higher, and to produce power from coal will cost more than by water power.

Robert Wicker, a white man, aged 25 years, was slain near his home at Pomaria, in Newberry county, Monday night by Clarence and Manuel Setzler. Manuel Setzler has been captured and placed in Newberry jail but the other negro escaped.

The daylight saving plan, under which the clocks of the country are turned forward an hour in March and moved back in October, will be continued, indefinitely.

**OPERA HOUSE PROGRAM**  
Moving Pictures

Today Friday, July 18th  
**"THE HICKORY NUTS"**  
With Soldiers of the 30th Division  
No pictures on this night

Saturday July 19th.  
CHARLIE CHAPLIN  
In his third million dollar comedy  
**"SUNNYSIDE"**  
Also a new episode of  
**"THE TIGER'S TAIL"**  
With Ruth Roland

Monday July 21st.  
Thomas H. Ince Presents  
CHARLES RAY IN  
**"THE BUSHER"**  
Also a Lanesome Luke Comedy

Tuesday July 22nd.  
William Fox Presents  
PEGGY HYLAND IN  
**"TOWARDICE COURT"**

Wednesday July 23rd.  
THE GLAS FAIRBANKS IN  
**"The Knickerbocker Kangaroo"**  
His Greatest Picture  
In 7 reels of thrilling action, up-  
perous fun and feats of daring that  
make you gasp for breath.

**Waterree Team Wins Again.**  
The Waterree team won a fast game from Hagood at Hagood on Saturday, by the score of 11 to 2. The Waterree team is one of the fastest teams in this part of the state, being composed of several former college players, and veterans of the former Waterree teams. So far the team has won eight out of eleven games. Saturday the team plays Wimsboro on the Waterree diamond. Both teams are working hard for this game. Wimsboro has a fast team and has already won two games out of a series of six to be played. Keen interest is being taken in this game, and a large crowd is looked for. The new grand stand at the Waterree diamond will add to the comfort of the spectators.

**Park View Inn Now Open.**  
Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Williams moved this week to the Park View Inn which they recently purchased from Messrs. Savage and Crocker. They opened for business Wednesday morning and the house is already having a good patronage.

Frank Moore, charged with complicity in the killing of T. R. Penning, policeman at Sharon, was convicted of manslaughter in York court Tuesday. Mills Moore, whom it is claimed, fired the fatal shot is still at large. Frank Moore is 28 years of age and is married.

**COMMUNITY NURSING**  
Public Health Organization Formed by Camden Red Cross Chapter.

As the Red Cross is helping promote the establishment of community nursing a public health organization was effected by the Camden Chapter with the following members as suggested by the Southern Division Headquarters:  
Dr. S. F. Brasington, Mayor  
Mr. John Wilson, Health Officer  
Miss Tillie Geisenheimer  
Mrs. A. W. Burnett  
Miss Helen Phelps  
Miss Corinne Jones  
Miss Dornell  
Mrs. F. H. Harding  
Mrs. Margaret Miller  
Mrs. E. C. von Treackow  
The purpose is to obtain a nurse as soon as possible who will visit the sick, protect the well and teach the principle of good health to all. Clinics for mothers and children will be held weekly. A meeting will be held at an early date and the above mentioned are urged to accept and attend.  
The Community Nurse is a form of insurance which no community can afford to be without because:  
She watches over the expectant mother, and advises her in those matters which contribute to her comfort and safety, and which promise "sound mind and limb" to the little new-comer.  
She cares for the sick in her community, bringing trained skill and gentle, deft hands to supplement the doctor's knowledge and the family's devotion.  
She is the guardian of all babies. Ignorance of proper treatment is the biggest factor in the high baby death rate, and by informing the mothers of the latest scientific principles of child care, many little lives are spared. "Saving a baby costs the public so little; losing a baby costs the mother so much."  
She is the defender of all school children in her community.

**CHANGES WROUGHT BY WAR**

Many Things Have Been Brought to Pass That Would Shock Old-time Observers.

Quite a number of things have happened during or in consequence of the war which never happened before. No British king had ever passed under Napoleon's Arc de Triomphe until King George's recent visit to Paris. No British army had before helped to defend France against an invader. British and Prussian troops had never previously tried conclusions. Never before the war had armies from India, America, Canada, Australia, New Zealand or South Africa landed in Europe. Until Mr. Wilson, no "reigning" president of the United States had crossed the Atlantic during his term of office, though ex-presidents have done so.  
Jerusalem, Damascus and Bagdad had never before been captured by modern European armies, nor had British soldiers ever previously marched through Mesopotamia. The British flag is the first standard of a Christian nation to float over Constantinople as that of a conqueror since the taking of the city by the Turks over four centuries ago. No king of Prussia had ever lost his throne or been driven into exile before; and no war had ever brought misfortune on so many rulers or led to so many new states being set up.

**GOODBY TO FATHER WINTER**

No Doubt That Spring is Here, With All the Joyousness That the Season Should Bring.

The harbingers of spring are numerous, though often obscure. It does not take many warmish days at this time of the year to make the heart of animate nature, including man, to throb with hope. We have been filled with forebodings. All of our mild December we said that the autumn was lingering long this year. In equally mild January we prognosticated that we would "get it" in February. We are still a little fearful that old Father Winter may have some ice and snow for us in his storehouse and so we try not to be too forward looking.  
But a complete plan of the garden drawn to a scale, with every radish and bean and cabbage located is not rushing the season, and it is a mighty pleasant thing to make out these days. Stewart Edward White says he always gets out his book of files in February, furishes up the old ones and replaces the missing favorites, and dreams, the while, of pools and rapids. The house-keeper sighs at the sight of grimy wall paper and then hopefully begins to hope clean the spare room. A few hopeful robins came back this week, as well as some blackbirds. They say the skunk cabbages are blooming along Big Darby's rocky shore. Spring is on the way!—Ohio State Journal.

**Healthy Men Defied "Flu."**

An observant hospital corps man of the navy became so thoroughly convinced that lowered resistance was always the determining factor in contracting influenza that he and some of his mates volunteered to test the truth of his theory. The offer was accepted and 100 enlisted men who volunteered were submitted to exhaustive experiments by naval surgeons the outcome of which seems to confirm the theory. These men were all in the best of physical condition, and during the experiment their health was looked after carefully. Live cultures of influenza bacilli were sprayed in their throats and noses hourly. The germs were introduced into their food. They were kept in close contact with patients suffering from the disease. Some members of the group received various preventive inoculations, but others were not thus protected. Not a single case of influenza was developed.

**"Great Tom" Not in Abbey.**

Westminster abbey bells, which are now being overhauled against the celebration of peace, do not, as many people think, include the famous bell "Great Tom of Westminster," which was formerly rung on all important occasions.

Great Tom hung for centuries in the clock tower of the royal palace of Westminster, but when in 1715 the tower was no longer strong enough to stand the vibration and was taken down the bell was sent to St. Paul's cathedral instead of being taken to the abbey.

Great Tom's duties are now confined to striking the hours and tolling for royal and important deaths and burials.

**Merely Wanted to Know.**

Alvin comes to see me daily. On each visit I usually give him something, candy or whatever I have. Hoping to have an exceptionally good box of sweets I gave him a piece, whereupon he returned the second time that day and inquired: "Have you got any more of that good candy?" Reproving him for asking for it he replied, "I didn't ask to gub me any; I just want to know if you dot any more."—Chicago Tribune.

**Contradictory Emotions.**

"Something I can't understand," mused Senator Sorghum, "is the way contradictory emotions simultaneously develop."

"Referring to what?"  
"Every time I begin to talk about unifers; peace some suggestion occurs that warms up my fighting blood."

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

Mrs. F. N. McCorkle is visiting at Monroe, N. C.  
Mr. and Mrs. Devant Bostick are visiting in the mountains.  
Mr. T. D. Ancrum spent several days last week in Charleston.  
Mr. Marian Williams spent Saturday and Sunday in Rock Hill.  
Mr. Harry Porter has returned from a two weeks visit in Boston.  
Mr. Richard Richardson is visiting at the home of Mrs. P. T. Villepique.  
Little Miss Mildred Gardner is visiting her aunt in Washington, D. C.  
Messrs. John T. Mackey and Nettles Lindsay spent last week end in Lancaster.  
Lieut. Shannon Heath of the U. S. Navy is visiting his mother Mrs. Ida S. Heath.  
Miss Beth Green of Spartanburg is the attractive guest of Miss Ellen Douglas Boykin.  
Messrs. Jimmie Hagood and Stuck Stevens of Charleston were visitors here last Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Carrison are touring the mountains with headquarters at Waynesville.  
Miss Lucile Mickle is the guest of Miss Fleming at Carlisle, in Union county this week.  
John Bell Towell, Jr., of Batesburg is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Blakeuey.  
Mrs. Charles C. Withington left Monday for Greenville to spend several days with her family.  
Mrs. M. E. Halsall and son, Mr. Will Halsall left Wednesday for Charleston where they will make their home.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hoffer are at home again after a visit of several weeks to Mr. Hoffer's parents in Pennsylvania.  
Mr. Steve Perry returned Monday afternoon from Cleveland, Ohio, where he went to drive a Chandler car back to Camden.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goodale, and daughter, Mary Edna, and Mrs. F. N. McCorkle made an automobile trip to Monroe, N. C. for the week end.  
Mr. and Mrs. Carter and little daughter, Jean, after visiting Mrs. Carter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Dixon have returned to their home in Orangeburg.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bates who have been visiting at the home of the latter's parents Col. and Mrs. M. L. Smith have returned to their home in Orangeburg.  
Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Stevenson left this week for the mountains of North Carolina, where they will spend a couple of weeks, during which time Dr. Stevenson's dental office here will be closed.  
Mr. W. A. Shaw of the Bank of Camden, has returned from a two weeks vacation spent at Tibithia, Va. Mrs. Shaw and children accompanied him and will remain there for a month.  
Sheriff Grover Welsh, Constable J. E. Bateman, Magistrates S. N. Nichol

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son of Camden, and John Hinson of Blaney, attended the meeting of sheriffs and magistrates called by Governor Cooper Wednesday.  
Mrs. John Oantey is visiting at the home of her sister Mrs. James Burns. Mrs. Oantey seems much pleased with her new home in Orangeburg but her friends there are loth to give her up, and she always receives a warm welcome "back home."  
Rev. and Mrs. F. H. Harding, and daughters, Estelle and Lucy, left Monday evening for Baltimore and points in Maryland where they will stay until the last Sunday in August. There will be no service at Grace Church during his absence.  
Mr. Robert C. Johnson, accompanied by little Miss Elizabeth Fowler, older daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Fowler, left yesterday through the country for Camden, S. C., to spend the week-end with Mr. Johnson's parents. Miss Fowler has frequently visited Mr. Johnson's parents.—Sunday's Charlotte Observer.  
Miss Addie Dreher, aged 28 years, ended her life in Columbia Monday morning by drinking concentrated lye.  
Mr. M. J. Thomas, a prominent farmer living two miles from Cope, and three of his hands, Jeff Henderson, Ernest Curry and Henry Footy, were killed by lightning Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Thomas had been looking after some wood cutting and was on his way home with the three other men in a wagon. A storm came up and a stroke of lightning killed immediately the occupants of the wagon and the pair of mules drawing the wagon. Someone near by witnessed the tragedy and immediately gave the alarm, but the men were dead when assistance reached them.  
S. B. Deitrich, a deserter from the navy, was captured last week in Charleston, having in his possession a stolen Cole car. Deitrich murdered the negro driver named Washington and threw his body in a well near Charleston. He has made a complete confession to the chief of police, at Charleston and says the negro driver attacked him while in a dispute over the fare to be charged.  
Henry C. Plowden, a well known citizen of Clarendon county, was drowned in Home Lake while in bathing with a party of friends Tuesday afternoon.

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**SOUTHERN RAILROAD LINES**



A reproduction of the check that Mary Pickford paid Klaw & Erlanger for the motion picture rights to "Daddy Long Legs," to be seen at Majestic July 24th.

**AT YOUR SERVICE**  
ALL THE YEAR ROUND

The unusual generally appeals to the public. We desire to say to our friends, patrons and to the public at large that we truly appreciate the patronage they have given us in the past, and it is our desire to so cater to their wants at all times that we may retain their good will and patronage continually.

It is the custom, as we all know, for all or the majority of the meat markets in our city to close down or suspend handling fresh meats during the summer months. Due to this custom on their part our patronage is greatly increased, as we are always at your service, Spring, Summer, Autumn, Winter—the year round.

Now, here's where the unusual comes in—  
Instead of taking advantage of a practical monopoly and making higher prices, we desire and propose (in view of the increased bulk of business) to give the public the benefit of reduced prices which appear below. And it is my intention to give such satisfactory service and reasonable prices as will enable me to retain my regular line of customers and to merit the continued patronage of those who have favored me with their patronage during the summer.

Look at the prices quoted below:  
Beef Steak, formerly sold for 35 and 40c, now selling at ..... 30 and 35c  
Roast Beef, formerly sold for 30 and 35c, now selling at ..... 28 and 30c  
Stew Beef, formerly sold for 15 and 22 1-2c, now selling at 12 1-2 and 20c  
Hamburger Steak, formerly sold for 30c, now selling at ..... 25c

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