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COMMITTEE REPORTS ON WATER RATE

Committee Appointed by Chamber of Commerce Makes Report To Lynch

FIVE ON COMMITTEE

The following is a detailed report | 1st many complaints next-all over 100,000 gallons .10 net the water system of the emposed of five prominent citizens who were to try and revise the meter rates that were con-

Mr. Chas. J. Lynch, Pres., Chamber of Commerce. Fryon, North Carolina

canvassed all phases of anyone. th, situation, with a view to offering bmits the following as its findings: lection of water bills. The Mayor and Comissioners of

The fixed annual interest charge ule of rates. indebtedness is

water bonds, \$1,8000.00. From the same audit it was ascerplant for the fiscal year

meter rates fixed by the Mayor and water revenues is adopted.

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th All	11/4/7	100,000	.22	.20

We remained a revision of the dov. meter rates and minimum con-

BUSINESS IS PICKING

and Mis. Oliver of Jack-

otton Mills. intendent at the

5,000 gal. per m. gal. .50 net 10,000 gal. per m. gal. .40 net 20,000 gal, per m. gal. .25 net

Supplemental to the revised rates per thousand gallons, we recommend of the recent bond issue the following as the minimum charge per month for water connections:

> Unsewered, spigot only \$1.50 2,500 Sewered, spig. and toilet 2.00 Sewered, spig. t., bath 3.00 Boarding h., 5 rm. for. g. 5.00 9,000 10.00 22,000

Above rates all subject to ten percent increase when water bills are not paid by 10th of following month. Your committee recommends further that no lower rates than above revised rates be made and that no concessions therefrom be granted to

We approve of the requiring from solution that will be equitable to each water user of a deposit of \$4.50 all water users, and it respectfully as a minimum for securing closer col-

Water users living outside the Town of Tryon, realizing the water town limits are not assessed for paysupply was inadequate to meet the ment of water bonds, and for that needs of Tryon, submitted, reason we approve of charging them through publication (four weeks in an advance of 50 percent over the

MOO six percent water bonds, to be in figuring the minimum con- quested by the President. ed in extending water lines to new sumption; that each apartment arces of water supply, in improve in an apartment house tent of and purchase of water rights considered as an individual user, talked of water situation will be pressive and the most mysterious of laying lines, etc., as said Com- with the proviso, that in case it is the mayor deemed desired to use water for several to provide a sufficient apartments, it will be permissable to The supply, and also to anticipate install one meter for all. For example WATERS IS STILL UNCON- gins. houre requirements. This issue of Should 20 sewered connections with ded a premium of \$1, bath be put on one meter, the minimum monthy water bill would be Previous to the \$150,000.00 issue, \$60.00, with an allowance to the 20 En percent water bonds in the sum houses or apartments of 100,000 galwere outstanding, mak- lons of water; any additional water Little Hope for Man Hit Over Head but that is not so as life is just beused to be charged for at the rates stpulated in the above revised sched-

While the revised and lowered water rates submitted, permit of a We find from audit made by H. S. very appreciable increase in the min-Blanton for fiscal year ending June imum of water that can be used, it sum of \$1,800.00 must is the firm opinion of your commitbe raised during this year for re- tee, after careful figuring, that these rates will produce revenue equal to, and more than likely in excess of to be Claude Phillips, during a brawl operating expense of the rates fixed by the Mayor and at Tryon, was expressed at the Gen-Commissioners.

In conclusion we recommend that regained consciousness. be tried out for three months from to the effect that Phillips had not that anyone might wear; and instead miles from Philadelphia, it will be tensive demand for transportation and without costly delays. The abilpurpose of comparisons August 1st, 1926, and before any oth- yet been arrested in connection with We first present the schedule of the er method of raising the needed the matter. Officers have not been ful converses of childhood. The world, ranking next below Niagara.

Yours very truly, JULIAN CALHOUN, A. L. BERRY, MAE I. FLENTYE, W. R. MEHAFFEY,

Committee. Mr. Nelson Jackson, Jr., was un-5 able to participate in the deliberations of your committee, owing to absence from the city.

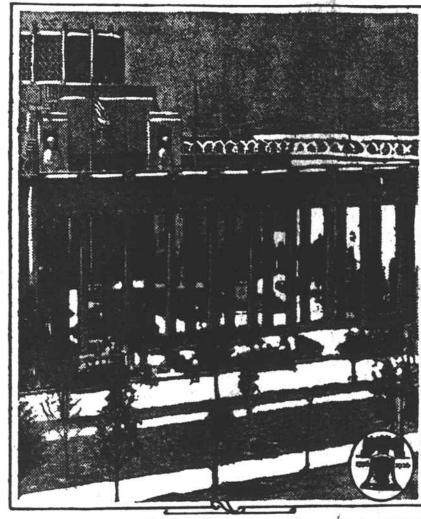
BLANTON AND STEARNS HAVE BOOTH AT THE

Mr D. C. Stearns of the firm of Blanton and Stearns of Columbus, N. C., is in Ohio this week attending near Landrum, S. C., yesterday mornthe Ohio State Fair where this coning about eleven o'clock, when a its final resting place, there was already operating. cern have a large Real Estate Booth Ford touring car skidded and ran nothing to show that the Grim Reapthe Polk Realty circles advertising, Columbus, Tryon and the into a car parked on the side of the hew life from the re- whole of Polk County. This display road near Collins store. Both cars roses took the place of freshly turn-Sales reported by Blanton and is being put on at a great expense were damaged, two young ladies ed clay, and the pathetic gash in the estate dealers of Colum- and no doubt will be the means of from St. Petersburg, Fla., were slight- breast of mother earth was hidden They report the following attracting many people to this sec- ly injured, who were driving the car by more flowers.

Contracted for 20 tion of the country. Blanton and Stearns are the most who porpose to estab- exensive real estate advertisers in MAYOR PUBLISHES NOTICE a summer Y. M. C. A. colony in Polk County and are considered one 3 lots to Grady Lind- of the most progressive concerns in in Thermal View. Sold one lot the whole county. The firm used to Martin, to H. G. Tarleton of Char- recently changed to Blanton and this weeks issue of the News a no-Tarleton is an Stearns with the addition to the tice to the citizens and taxpayers of As I rode home through the twilight Mrs. A. S. Caldwell, Supt. Intermedto locate in Co firm of Mr. Stearns. Mr. Stearns Tryon inviting the people to inspect I could not believe that I had been late and Senior Dept., Supt. Adult sixth position. an early date. The sale pays a great deal of attention to the the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather that I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather that I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather that I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather that I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather that I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather that I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather that I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather that I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather that I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather that I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather that I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather that I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather that I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather that I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather than I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather than I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather than I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather than I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather than I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather than I had below the annual appropriation ordinance to a funeral but rather than I had below the annual appropriation ordinance the annual appropriation ordinance than I had below the annual appropriation ordinance the annual appropriat belonging to W. Y. Wil- business, and the selling end is hand- for the fiscal year beginning, June walked a little way with one who who walked a little way with one walked a little way with one who walked a little way with one walked a little way with one who walked a little way with one walked a little way with one who walked a little way with one walked a little way walked a little way walked a little way walked a little way walked a lit near Columbus, N. C., led by C. R. Blanton who has been the 1st, 1926 for the town of Tryon. was going Home. J. M. Phillips who is the making numbers of successful sales The public is invited to inspect this Mrs. Barnes was the mother of Sunday School meets each Mrs. Barnes was the mother of Sunday at 10:00 a m in the Strand

country.

Pennsylvania's Contribution to the Sesqui



Here is the Keystone State's building at the great Sesqui-Cantennial Inter national Exposition at Philadelphia, celebrating 150 years of American Independence. In this huge structure Pennsylvania is displaying her progress from the arrival of Penn to the present day. The building is one of the handsomest on the big exposition grounds and has proved a rendezvous for hundreds of thousands of people who have come from near and far to see the title magnificent exhibits established by forty-three of the leading nations of the world. The Exposition continues until December 1.

CHAMBER TO HOLD AN IMPORTANT MEETING

A meeting of much importance will be held Friday night by the chamber headquarters on Trade St. ful than the peaceful ending of, a the French government. the Polk County News) as required rates current within the town limits. Many matters of great importance perfect summer day. roposition to advertise We further recommend that each will be laid before the members and The fading glow in the west; the an additional \$150, house be count as a separate user a full attendance is earnestly re-gathering shadows, the holy hush

be to attend this meeting. The much combine to make this the most im-

SCIOUS; NO ARREST YET MADE

Is Held at Hospital

Woodburn Waters, 18-year-old Melrose, N. C., youth, who was hit over that ever came my way-and I the head with a gun about 11 o'clock eral hospital last night. He has never

able to find him, the sheriff said adn it is feared that he had fled.

The sheriff also stated that he knew nothing about the alleged alteration between the two men, other than that he had heard that the incident occurred at Phillips' home and that he had ordered Waters out

The youth was brought to the General hospital about 9 o'clock Tuesday night in an unconscious condition and has remained that way

AUTO ACCIDENT HAPPENS NEAR LANDRUM

An automobile accident happened that skidded.

TO CITIZENS AND TAX PAYERS OF TRYON

Mayor Greene has appearing in Colum- in this prosperous section of the ordinance and make such protests as Mrs. C. T. Price, who is now living Sunday at 10:00 a. m. in the Strand known as "Net Railway Operating South because its earnings enable they deem proper.

WALKING A LITTLE WAY WITH ONE WHO WAS

1841-Mrs. S. J. Barnes-1926 By CHAS. A. BROWN

GOING HOME

There can be nothing more beauti-

that precedes the Lying was and the The general public is also invited imperceptible coming of the night the twenty-four. The change is so gradual that one can not say just when the day ends and the night be-

> The ending of some lives are much the same. There is the reflected glory of the sunset; the lengthening shadows-and then the night, and we say the person has died-

> A few days ago it was my priviledge to be present at a funeral service in the little town of Williamston that was entirely different from any I had ever attended. It was the most beautiful occasion of the kind came near saying it was one of the

There were none of the usual trappings that we associate with death; instead of crepe, a clusted of white flowers hung from the door-knob; of weeping there the sounds of cheer- the second largest power unit in the service throughout the territory instead of tears there were smiles, in the havily populated coast sec- nues: for tears had no place there.

parable loss sustained, and remem- wil have a dam 300 feet longer than bered that there would always be a that at Muscle Shoals and a generavacant chair-that a loved voice had ting capacity one-third greater. stilled forever, and that the family A village of two hundred people circle could never be the same will be moved, as well as fifteen again, but somehow they had the miles of railroad track, a wagon feeling that it was no place for grief bridge and considerabe farm imor regret but rather a time for provements to make room for 8,thanksgiving and praise.

Her life-work was finished-the capstone placed on the edifice, and by the Philadelphia Electric Power every chamber in order, and nothing Company an dis fifteen miles below remained except to receive the plau- a power plant that supplies Baltidit, "Well Done!"

er had passed that way; heaped up PRESBYTERIANS NEW

in Tryon, N. C.

IS BEING SUED

Last Winter

Fannie Hurst who was a visitor in Tryon last winter, is being sued by W. Seymour charges that the play 'Mannequin was taken from her story "Resemblance," And asks for an injunction restraining its further she asks that she be awarded damages to the sum of \$600,000, and also plays theatre showing.

Awarded \$25,000 Prizes From Liberty

It will be remembered that Fannie Hurst received \$25,000 from The Liberty Magazine for this prize winning story, in addition to this prize Miss Hurst was awarded an additional sum of \$25,000 for novelizing the story, and the Famous Players had paid her a royalty under the priviledges of filming it. The plaintiff alleged that in her bill of complaint that in May, 1925, she submitted to the defendant a story under the "Resemblance" for considera-She declares that the story

was rejected and returned to her the following October. Shortly afterwards the picturized play called 'Mannequin' was released throughout the entire world.

Only by a card system can be

ican oil can, and he probably won't.

THIS WEEK

FARM NEWS. COUNTY NEWS. SOCIETY NEWS. WEATHER REPORTS. ILLUSTRATED FASHIONS SPORTING COMMENTS WEEKLY CARTOONS. FEATURE STORIES. WEEKLY COMICS. CHURCH NEWS STATE NEWS

MUSCLE SHOALS

Third Larger

over such gatherings was lacking and to the inter-connected pool of power systems led in total operating revetion and will save three-quarters of Of course, each one felt the irre a million tons of coal annually. It Road

100 acres of reservoir.

The project is being constructed more. These water powers are de-When the still form was carried to veloped to supplement steam plants

SUNDAY SCHOOL ORGANIZED

The Presbyferian congregation or-And when the notes of that old ganized their new Sunday School refrain, "The Half Has Never Yet the first Sunday in August with steel, ranks fourth. Fifth in the Been Told," throbbed and thrilled thirty-six enrolled. Last Sunday list comes the Southern Railway Systhe words took on a meaning they the attendance was forty-three. The tem serving the territory east of the never had before and I felt as if I officers and teachers are: Prof W. Mississippi and south of the Ohio was standing on holy ground, seeing A. Schilletter, Supt., David Caldwell, and Potomac rivers with over 9,000 System into the front rank of great over the edge of things and catch. Sec.-Treas., Mrs. W. A Schilletter, miles of road. Atchison, the second American railroads has been steady

FANNIE HURST TRYON SCHOOLS OPEN SEPTEMBER SIXTH

Was Visitor in Tryon All Patrons and Friends Invited to Be Present For the Opening Exercises

open its doors for the 1926-1927 ses- North Carolina Schools. sion on September 6th. All pupils | Miss Marf Harper, teacher of First are asked to assemble in the school Grade. Miss Harper is from Forsfprojection be issued. Miss Seymour auditorium by nine o'clock on the th, Ga., she has taught for the pass names Fannie Hurst, Fomous Play- above date. We are especially in three years in Sherrill's Ford School ers Laskey Film Corporation and viting all patrons and friends of at Sherill's Ford, N. C. Liberty Magazine, Inc. as defendants our school to be present for the Below is the complete faculty of opening exercises.

asks the court that an accounting of green back song books to the open-teacher of Science. all of the profits accuring from the ing exercises so we may have a few

We are very glad to welcome into Mrs. E. M. Preston, teacher of our midst the following new faculty English and French.

and his pupils have always been pre- Mrs. Walter Jones, teacher of pared to enter any of the leading Music. Eastern Universities.

English and French. Mrs. Preston comes to us from the Saluda School grade where she has made an excellent relord for the last three years.

Miss Lillah Hayne, tearher of Mathematics and History. Miss grade. Hayne is from Columbia, S. C. though she is familiar with the North grade. Carolina school system as she was teacher of Mathamatics in the Fass- 2nd grade. ifern School at Hendersonville, N. C.

Miss Addie Daniel, teacher of Lifth Grade. Miss Daniel has had grade. five very successful years as la Mrs. C. W. Kittrell, teacher of 1st t Fountain Inn S C

teacher in the Fountain Inn School grade.

The Tryon Graded School will taught for several years in the

the Tryon Graded School. Pupils are requested to bring their Mr. W. A. Schilleter, Principal and

Miss Lillah Hayne, teacher of Mathematics and History.

Mrs. Lois Preston, teacher of 7th

Miss Lucy Monday, teacher of 6th

Miss Pearl Keenan, teacher of 5th

Miss Addie Daniel, teacher of 4th Mrs. Allen Jervey, teacher of 3rd

Mrs. Richard Watson, teacher of

Miss Mary Harper, teacher of Advanse 1st grade.

Miss Leita Finch, teacher of 1st

Grade. Miss Finch is a native of was made necessary by the great Spartanburg, S. C. though she has increase of pupils in the Tryon

SOUTHERN ROADS SHOWS GROWTH

Moved Huge Amount of Freight During Past Six Months

During the first six months of dition of other non-operating income 1926, Southern Railway System mov- such as income from investments, ed a volume of revenue freight must cover all fixed charges and diviequivalent to carrying 7,239,320,000 dends, and provide a surplus for imtons a distance of one mile. This provements and additions to the immense tonnage-made up of agrit property. As general business excultural products, raw materials and pands there is a growing demand for IS OUTRANKED finished goods—is the token of gen-transportation service. The railroad eral prosperity in field and factory

Plant On Susquehanna Will Be done by a railroad as a transportation machine is represented by the time known as "gross operating rev-It will add 350,000 horsepower months of 1926 the following large

> First Half First Half (000 Omitted) \$336,816 \$317,799 Southern (..... 110,288 103,012 Atchison 109,091 106,402 The Pennsylvania Raailroad with

> its heavy trunk line traffic, serving

the highly industrialized state of Pennsylvania and the steel and coal regions, stands first in gross operating revenues. New York Central, the second largest eastern trunk line, also serving a thickly settled industrial territory, stands next. Southern Pacific, covering the entire southwest from New Orleans to the Pacific Coast with over 13,000 miles of line, stands third ,Baltimore and Ohio another of the large trunk lines serving the industrial east and carrying a heavy tonnage of coal and about 12,000 miles of road, stands in the awakening and lusty growth of

must provide more freight cars and The total amount of business larger locomotive to haul them. It must build more freight yards and repair shops. It must install heavier rail and ballast stronger bridges and When the new hydro-electric plant enues. When a railroad continues to automatic signal systems. It must is completed four miles from the receive large and increasing reve do these things in order that it The reading, incidentals, estimate, minimum consumption set forth above sheriff of Polk county last night was sheriff of Polk county last night was a shade of gray mouth of the Susquehanna river, 75 mues, it is clear that there is an exmay move a greater tonnage freely mouth of the Susquehanna river, 75 mues, it is clear that there is an exmay move a greater tonnage freely mouth of the Susquehanna river, 75 mues, it is clear that there is an exmay move a greater tonnage freely mouth of the Susquehanna river, 75 mues, it is clear that there is an exmay move a greater tonnage freely mouth of the Susquehanna river, 75 mues, it is clear that there is an exmay move a greater tonnage freely ity to create a surplus and to pay fair dividends and thus maintain its credit. And so "net railway operating income" is of direct interest to levery shipper and every person who directly or indirectly uses transpor-

For the first half of 1926, Pennsylvania and New York Central stand first and second respectively in net railway operating income. Southern Railway System ranks next to these two great eastern trunk lines thus establishing its premier position in the business of furnishing good transportation to the states of the South Baltimore and Ohio, Southern Pacific and Atchison rank fourth, fifth and sixth respectively. The net railway operating income of

First	Half F	irst Ha
Road	1926	1925
0.1	(000	Omitted
Penn. R. R \$4	4,568	\$38,023
N. Y. Cent	33,170	30,547
Southern	22,854	21,901
B. and O	20,814	15,718
Sou. Pac	19,346	15,150
Atchson	19,008	15,385
This advance of So		
- management and the straightful and the second		그 사무를 제계되었다.

the new South. The prosperity of The amount earned by a railroad this favored region and that of its