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ST. STEPHEN, SOUTH CAROLINA

FACTS ABOUT ST. STEPHEN, SOUTH CAROLINA

HISTORY: Settled as St. Stephen's Parish, usually called the "English Santee" in 1754. Known as the "Garden Spot of South Carolina." The Town of St. Stephen was incorporated in 1913.

LOCATION: Forty-five miles north of Charleston on Highway 52. Twenty-five miles south of Kingstree on Highway 52.

TRANSPORTATION: Atlantic Coast Line Railroad.
Greyhound Bus Line.

COMMUNICATIONS: American Telephone & Telegraph.
South Bell Telephone Company.

St. Stephen Telephone Company.

Western Union.

Citizens Band Radio.

GOVERNMENT: Mayor and Six Town Councilmen elected every two years.

SERVICE ORGANIZATION: Volunteer Town and Rural Fire Departments.

ECONOMY: Farming, Mercantile, Business, Forestry products, Fishing.

UTILITIES: Electricity—South Carolina Public Service Authority.
Water—St. Stephen Waterworks, operated by Town.
Gas—Pargas, Berkeley Gas & Electric Company.

EDUCATION: Two Eementary and two High Schools.

RECREATION: Fishing, Hunting, Town Softball team, Swimming and other water sports, Golf Course at Moncks Corner.

HEALTH AND WELFARE: Two Local General Practitioners, Local Branch of County Health Center County Hospital at Moncks Corner.

CIVIC CLUBS: Lions, Ruritan, Jaycees, two Garden Clubs.

ORGANIZATIONS: American Legion and Auxiliary, Masons, Eastern Star.

SITES FOR INDUSTRY: 87 Acres with access to railroad formerly occupied by Santee River Hardwood Company. Also 4 sites, estate of Arthur Orvin, approximately 5 acres each.

INDUSTRIES: Albany Felt Company.

Highland Crate Corporation.

Russellville Lumber Company.

BANK: Allen's Depository.