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WASHINGTON, Feb. 21--The Rural Electrification Administration announced today that a loan in the amount of $57,000 was approved for the Citizens Telephone Company, Lexington, S. C., to be used to modify the Company's plant so that subscribers can be connected with Columbia, S. C., without toll charge.

Mr. Sam A. George is president of the Company, which serves over 1200 subscribers in Lexington County. The Company has plans for serving 1350 subscribers, and this is the third loan approved by REA for the Company's use.

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