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THE LANTERN.

TRIMS OF SUBSCRIPTION: TWO DOLLARS A YEAR, CASH. FRIDAY, JAN. 10, 1908.

The Georgians are taking the drought philosophically. They appear to have found that water is not so hard to drink as all that.

Electric lights are more certain for Conway than they were before—Conway Field.

In Chester they are more uncertain than ever before about the water, but they will be more reliable a little later on.

The charming editor of the Fairfield News and Herald says: When we depicted the last issue of your paper we had that feeling of having forgotten something and I turned round to find that we had forgotten to note that this was leap year.

During the money panic the newspaper of the county has certainly done their full share of whitening to keep up the morale of the people.

The editor of the Augusta Herald gives his fellow citizens this bit of consolation to help them bear up under the tribulations of the position.

Now they say there is a movement to abolish bridesmaids and admit to the smartly dressed boys.

With that there is a silver lining to every cloud and in nearly all wrecks some salvage. The good can be used.

The maiden who has been waiting for three long years to be asked to tell her troubles to the County Lantern.

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THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

First Monthly Meeting of the New Year—Superior's Report on Chain Gang

The county commissioners met Monday in the office of the superior for the regular monthly meeting.

On motion it was decided to follow the precedent established last year in requiring bonds of the superintendent of the chain gang.

An arrangement was made with Dr. R. L. Douglas, of Rodman, to serve as physician at the county home this year.

It was ordered that what spare fodder is on hand at the county home be sold at \$2 per hundred.

The following report of the work done by the county chain gang during the last six months of the year was read by Supervisor Shannon.

On July 3rd the chain gang was moved from Cedar Shoals, a distance of 17 miles to the corporate limits of the city of Chester to resume work.

On motion of Mr. Walker Mr. J. C. McClure was employed to draw up a suitable contract for the lease of the opera house property.

Mr. A. L. Gaston was present on behalf of some of the local blacksmiths, who are asking for certain alterations in the hack ordinance.

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CITY FATHERS MEET.

Opera House Leased For Three Years—An Interesting Session

The city council held the first meeting of the year Tuesday evening, the mayor and all of the aldermen being present.

The report of the chief of police was read, showing fines collected during the month of December amounting to \$152.22.

The first matter that came up for consideration was the leasing of the opera house.

Two bids were submitted, one from Mr. Joe B. Wylie offering to pay \$407.50 annually for the property for a period of three years.

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Annual Clearance Sale

AT Joseph Wylie & Co's.

Beginning Friday, January 3rd, and continuing for 15 Days, we will have our Annual Clearance Sale of DRESS GOODS, Men's, Youths' and Boys Suits and Overcoats.

We make it a rule to carry over nothing Winter Goods. We will not spare the knife.

Winter Goods Must-Go Regardless of Price!

Our Clothing Department is second to none. We carry the largest and most complete line of Clothing in this part of the State, and while we have had the best trade in the history of our business, we find we still have too many goods.

Here is where you win. These Suits and Overcoats must go, not at our price, but at yours.

It will pay you handsomely to attend the Clearance sale, and you want to be in a hurry about it, for when we say "Clearance Sale" the public knows we mean business.

Sale Commences Friday Morning, Jan. 3rd and Continues 15 Days

Yours for Business,

JOS. WYLIE & COMPANY,

Chester, South Carolina.

FOR THE LATEST Fancy Groceries

WALKER'S

New crop New Orleans Molasses. Oat Flakes, only 5c per pound.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between B. B. Hester and John A. Hester...

WHY SUFFER FROM RHEUMATISM?

Do you know that rheumatic pain can be relieved? If you don't this is the best medicine...

FOR ALL CREAMS

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JUST RECEIVED 2,000 Bushels Red Rust Proof Oats I am offering at 75c. One Car Bran, \$1.20. Sugar, 25 lbs. \$1.30. Flour, Meal, Meat and Lard at Lowest Wholesale Prices.

REEMS Ivery, Feed and Sale Stables You will find at my stables nice horses and buggies and harnesses...

Messrs. Patterson & Crutcher will be at my stables this winter with horses and mules for sale. W. D. CROWDER.

An Explanation What the Merchants Say About Chester Wholesale Grocery Company. They sell goods so cheap; they are continually raising the cotton seed market...

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PINEULES 30 DAYS TREATMENT FOR \$1.50 Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. FOR ALL KIDNEY, BLADDER, TROUBLE, RHEUMATISM AND LUMBAGO...

BACKACHE CHESTER WHOLESALE GROCERY CO. Cured of Lung Trouble. It is now eleven years since I had a severe attack of lung trouble...

Beware of Contaminated Catarrh that Contains Mercury. As a necessary will multiply the amount of small and completely damage the mucous surfaces...

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