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Notice!

Having sold my dry goods department to take effect Jan. 1st, 1908, and the purchaser having failed to comply with the terms of the sale, I will sell

AT PUBLIC AUCTION

to the highest bidder as a whole at No. 127 Gadsden St., Chester, S. C., the entire stock of Dry Goods, Ladies' and Children's Shoes, Notions, Cloaks, Children's Clothing, etc. Everything in the Dry Goods Building on JANUARY 17TH. at 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

Actual invoice prices and inventory will be furnished any one desiring to see same. TERMS OF SALE—CASH.

Privilege of Store Granted to Satisfactory Purchaser.

Chester, January 3, '08.

J. T. COLLINS.

THE LANTERN,

PUBLISHED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.

J. T. BIGHAM, Editor and Prop.

Entered at the Postoffice at Chester, S. C., as second-class matter.

TUESDAY, JAN. 14, 1907.

LOCAL NEWS

MY TAILOR, representing Kahn Bros., will be with me Jan. 13 and 14 taking measures for Spring suits. Guarantees perfect fit. J. A. Hauger, Dr. W. Dek. Wylie, of Richburg, and his son William are to town today.

The magistrates of Chester county sat "en banc" yesterday in the office of Judge McClure.

Miss Nannie Rothrock, who has been visiting in Yorkville, returned home Friday night.

Mrs. Foster Hamilton and some of her children, of Columbia, are visiting Mrs. J. K. Henry.

THREE ROOMS to rent, No. 120 Church street.

Miss Nettie Bigham, teacher of the Poplar Spring school, came home Friday afternoon and returned yesterday morning.

Mr. John S. Douglas, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. F. Martin, returned to Columbia yesterday morning.

Mr. J. Frank Lattimer and little daughter Rena visited his sister, Mrs. Bena Bradley, at McCormick, two or three days last week.

Mr. C. R. Hopper, of Yorkville, who has been spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. Ellen Rothrock, returned home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam'l McCrorey, of Richburg, visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. S. E. and Mrs. Yangle Wylie, from Saturday until yesterday.

TEN PER CENT DISCOUNT on all White Goods, Embroideries, Laces and Muslin Underwear, until Friday, at S. M. Jones & Co.

Rarely does so much rain fall here in the course of a day as fell last Saturday, and it seldom rains so hard in winter as it did that part of that time.

Grip seems to be epidemic. Mr. W. H. Turner, carrier on No. 5, reports the malady prevalent along his route, as many as five being down in a single family. About the same condition prevails in town.

Mr. E. L. Mobley, formerly of Blackstock, is now in the grocery department of S. M. Jones & Co. and will be glad to have his friends call there when in town.

WHITE GOODS, Embroideries, Laces and Muslin Underwear Sale, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, at S. M. Jones & Co.

Mr. W. T. Allen had a case against the Southern railway in Judge McLoone's court yesterday, claiming \$2000 in damages to furniture in shipment. The jury gave him a verdict for \$600.

By an agreement between Messrs. E. M. Jones and J. G. L. White, both will remain as the house they now occupy until Mr. Jones gets his house built. It will be remembered that Mr. White bought Mr. Jones's present residence several months ago.

OWING to the high prices of new suits and low prices of old, I will make 15 cents a suit and I will make 10 cents a suit. I will make 10 cents a suit. I will make 10 cents a suit. I will make 10 cents a suit.

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W. H. Newbold, Esq., went to Columbia today on business in the supreme court at the Gun Lee case.

Mr. W. T. Wair has moved from Blackstock R. 2 to Chester, and is occupying rooms with Mr. W. J. Crawford.

Mrs. M. L. Duffie has moved from Blackstock to the home of her brother, Mr. Wm. McCarty, at Blackstock.

Mrs. Mayo McKewen went to Gastonia this morning in response to a telegram announcing the critical illness of the little son of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Gamble.

Miss Jessie Bigham, the industrious local reporter for The Lantern, has been quite sick for nearly a week. Of course readers have noticed that something was wrong. We beg their indulgence.

It is said that the Rev. W. A. Hauger, of Bowling Green, is in favor to succeed Dr. Thornwell as pastor of the Presbyterian churches of Fort Mill and Eberhart.

Mr. Grier Moffatt, who spent the holidays at his old home in Tennessee returned a few days ago, accompanied by his mother, who is visiting her three sons here, Messrs. Robert, Walter and Grier.

Notwithstanding the great number of houses that have been built within the last year, when people move to town now it means in most cases that they must secure rooms in the houses of other families and wait for a house to be vacated.

The Rev. and Mrs. B. B. Jordan have moved to town and for the present occupy rooms in the house in which Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Frazer live on Columbia street.

Mr. Jordan will preach at Blackstock and Woodward Baptist churches. This is a very desirable addition to Chester's citizenship, as they raise per average much more than they did annually.

Representative A. G. Brice and Solicitor J. K. Henry went to Columbia this morning to be present at the meeting of legislators. We suppose Mr. McKewen would go from Cornwell. Mr. Hemphill has been sick and has not gone yet. Senator F. L. Hardin has been visiting the state schools at Charleston and Orangeburg and was absent in Columbia.

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Junior Missionary Union Entertained.

Mrs. W. H. Newbold entertained the Junior Missionary union at the Evening in China" at her home on Valley street Friday, Jan. 10th.

During the evening a salad course was served by Misses Virginia Morris, Maude Crowder, Pauline Crosby and Sallie Stone.

An interesting program had been arranged with questions and answers about the people of that beautiful land.

Mrs. Newbold is an enthusiastic missionary leader. Under her leadership the union has been led along progressive lines, manifesting more and more the spirit of the Master when he said, "Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature."

Meeting of School Trustees.

Despite the heavy rains eleven trustees, representing school districts 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 20, and 21 were in attendance at the trustee's convention, which met at the court house Saturday morning in response to the call of W. D. Knox, county superintendent of education. Among the themes discussed were: Teachers' registers; teachers' certificates of qualification; moral support of teachers by trustees and patrons; pay of teachers; length of school term; attendance.

Those present displayed a lively interest in all of the subjects discussed; and there is no doubt that the meeting will be fruitful with good for the schools of Chester county.

Demonstrators.

Mr. T. J. Cunningham, supervisor of demonstrators, has secured the consent of the following farmers to act as demonstrators, to plant and cultivate a plot of ground under direction of the agricultural department, as has already been outlined in The Lantern:

S. B. Clowery, Blackstock R. 2; H. W. Miller, Chester R. 1; C. M. Atkinson, Lowryville R. 1; J. G. Lee, Lowryville R. 1; J. G. Lee, Lowryville R. 1; W. B. Lee, Chester R. 2; R. E. McDill, Cornwell R. 1; C. E. Post, Chester R. 2; T. F. McClure, Lowryville; J. Martin Grant, Chester R. 2; T. C. Strong, Cornwell; W. A. Triplett, Chester R. 4; Jim S. McKewen, Cornwell; S. D. Cross, Chester; J. B. Wylie, Chester; J. E. Tronwell, Chester; E. G. J. & B. Reid, Richburg R. 2; J. L. Miller, Cornwell R. 1; J. J. Curry, Cornwell R. 1; Walter Simpson, Chester R. 2; E. A. Casah, Chester R. 2; B. O. Tennant, Chester R. 2; J. B. Atkinson, Lowryville R. 1; J. J. Hardin, Chester R. 2; T. J. Ford, Richburg R. 1.

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THREE DAYS ONLY!

We will show you the most elegant display of White Goods, Embroideries, Laces and Muslin Underwear ever brought to the City of Chester. Come and feast your eyes on this beautiful display. We have Edgings and Flouncings from one-half inch to 54 inches wide. Embroidery, Insertion and Bands from one-sixteenth inch to 10 inches wide. English, French and German Val. Laces in all the new patterns. White Goods and Waistings in all the new designs.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR—Our Spring line of Muslin Underwear cannot be surpassed.

TEN PER CENT DISCOUNT.

During this sale we will allow you a discount of 10 per cent on all White Goods, Embroideries, Laces and Muslin Underwear. Remember the Dates:

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AT THE BIG STORE

S. M. Jones & Company

Examination for Carrier.

Applicants for carrier on route 6 to succeed Mr. J. W. Moore, resigned, can get necessary blanks and information at the postoffice. The age limit is 18 to 45. The examination will be Feb. 8th.

E. of P. Officers Installed.

The following officers of Rathbone Lodge K. of P. were installed last night: Mr. W. H. Knox, commanding; G. E. Lattimer, chancellor; J. B. R. Iyer, vice chancellor; W. B. Boney, preacher; W. R. Marlowe, recorder and secretary; M. H. W. White, master of work; J. M. Wise, master of finance; J. A. Walker, S. E. Wylie, master at large; J. W. Martin, inner guard.

The County Union.

The Chester county Farmers' Union met yesterday. Mr. J. R. Reid was elected organizer of local unions, and resolutions were passed asking the legislature to repeal the lien law, and we understand that they did not ask for any substitute. A resolution was also adopted in favor of having Chester county held under the same laws as other counties in which public cotton weighers are required. It is said that there is little if any opposition to the public weighers.

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Want Column

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STRAYED OR STOLEN Jan. 6—Red cow; left horn turned down; switch off of tail giving milk. Notify George Walton, Chester, S. C. 1-14-08

NOTICE—On account of the high price of cattle and the low price of hides, I will be forced to charge more for meat, the prices will be as follows: steak 15c, roast 12c and 10c, pork 12c and 15c. J. A. Klutz.

WANTED—From 1 to 100 cords of 2 foot oak or hickory wood. Will pay \$6 per cord. A. M. Hardie. 1-14-08

NINE-ROOM HOUSE and six rooms on Lucy street for rent. Miss Sallie Wilson. 1-14-08

Honour—You are charged with breaking a chair over your wife's head

