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# THE LANTERN.

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CHESTER, S. C., TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1906.

PUBLISHED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.  
Subscription Price, \$2.00 Cash.

## The Time Has Come The Most Sensational Spring Opening Sale of the Age!

**36 INCH Bleaching 5c.** J. T. COLLINS' entire \$35,000 stock, located at Chester, S. C., is at the mercy of the people for ten days, beginning **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11th, at 9 a. m. sharp.** Be on hand to get your share of the bargains. **Calicos 4c**

The most sensational sale of the age is destined to reduce this stock to its natural point. We have now thousands upon thousands of dollars worth of Goods more than we want and need therefore we offer the people of Chester and surrounding country, such bargains as they positively have never seen before.

It is a sale that will challenge the attention of every man, woman and child for a radius of 100 miles around Chester.

### UNPARALLELED! UNMATCHABLE! COLOSSAL!

We assert with all the emphasis that pen and ink can command, that **THE GREATEST VALUES ON EARTH STARE YOU IN THE FACE** that competition can or dare not meet the offerings of this occasion.

## The Bargain Flood Gates Open April 11, 9 a. m.

With a whirlwind of majestic bargains at every turn. Annihilating regular prices without cessation. Use good common sense with which nature has endowed you. Come and see for yourself and be convinced that this is

### The Twentieth Century's Most Stupendous Event

It will pay you to come 100 miles to attend this sale, so **let nothing keep you away.** The purchasing power of your dollars will be doubled. Come and bring your whole family and dress them all up for what it usually costs to dress one.

**DON'T HESITATE! DON'T FALTER!** The golden moment is at hand. It is for you to decide whether you can afford to miss a sale that will bring thousands upon thousands of people to Chester. Read every line of the quotations, and, no matter how much you may expect no matter how ridiculous these prices appear in print, the values you will find will be greater. Every statement herein made will be backed up to the letter. Not a single line of exaggeration being permitted. The opening day, April 11th, will find the City of Chester crowded. Remember, this sale lasts for ten days, offering each day the rarest bargains in the newest and best styles of Dry Goods, Shoes, Clothing for men, women and children.

Store Closed Monday and Tuesday to Mark Down Prices and Arrange Stock

- #### Staples.
- 1 lot 8 1/2 Outing, at 4c
  - 1 lot standard Calicoes, at 4c
  - 1 lot standard Calico, all colors 5c
  - 1 lot Apron, Gingham, 5c
  - 1 lot A. F. C. Gingham at 9c
  - 1 bale Check Homespun at 4c
  - 2 bale 36 inch wide Homespun 5c
  - 1 piece yard wide all Wool Flannel 30c
  - 1 lot 27 inch Draper Cloth at 60c
  - 1 lot 36 inch Rubber Sheetting 41c
  - 1 lot 36 inch Sulfaline Drapery 11c
  - 1 lot 28 inch Drapery, big val. 7c
  - 1 lot 36 inch Percalae, all color 9c
  - 1 lot 36 inch Lonsdale Cambric 9c
  - 1 bale 36 inch Poe Mills Bleach 7c
  - 1 bale 32 inch Bleaching at 5c

- #### Linen Dept.
- 10 Dozen Towels, 4c
  - 25 Dozen Towels, 8c
  - 20 Dozen Extra Large Linen Towels, 14c
  - 5 Dozen Extra Large Bath Towels, 21c
  - 1 lot Pillow Cases, 42-36, at 11c
  - 1 lot Sheets, 94, Hemmed, 47c
  - 1 lot White Bed Spreads, 69c
  - 1 lot 82.50 White Bed Spreads, 1.39
  - 1 piece Table Linen, Turkey Red, 22c
  - 1 piece Table Linen, white, 22c
  - 1 piece Table Linen, 72 1/2 inch Bleached, 47c
  - 2 pieces Table Linen, 72 inch Satin Damask, 47c
  - 1 piece Table Linen, 72 inch all Linen, 69c

- #### Wash Goods Department.
- 12 1/2 36 inch Lawn, at 9c
  - 8 1-30 Bookfold White Lawn, at 5c
  - 10c Nainsook Checks 7 1/2c
  - 12 1-2c Nainsook Checks 9c
  - 12 1-2c Check Dimity 9c
  - 20c Dotted Swiss 13c
  - 20c Check Dimity 14c
  - 12 1-2c 36 inch Linen Suitings 9 1/2c
  - 8 1-3c Colored Lawn 5c
  - 12 1-2c Batist, all colors 20c
  - 50c Mousseline, all colors 20c
  - 27 inch black Batist Lawn 9c

- #### Silk Deptment.
- 1 piece each black and white Jap Silk 25c
  - 300 yards China, all colors, at 41c
  - 1 lot Peau de Messilina at 61c
  - 1 lot Jap Silk, 36 inch, white and black 47c
  - 1 lot 36 inch Chiffon Taffeta 69c
  - 1 lot 36 inch warranted Black Taffeta 89c
- Ask to see our Colors.

- #### Men's Pants.
- Men's 1.50 Black Pants at .98
  - Men's 1.75 Worsted Pants at 1.19
  - Men's 2.50 Worsted Pants at 1.48
  - Men's 3.00 and 3.50 Worsted Pants at 2.19
  - Men's 4.50 "Peg Top" Pants 2.08
  - 1 lot 6.00 "Dutchess" Pants 3.48
  - Men's 2.50 "Dutchess" Striped Pants 1.98
  - Men's 3.00 "Dutchess" Gray 2.17

- #### Men's Clothing.
- Greatest variety of clothing in Chester to select from. All the latest styles and colors. Blue Serge, single and double breasted, light and dark gray; Peg Top pants with cuff buttons, center vent in coat, slim and stout:
- 1 lot each of the following 50 during this big spring opening sale:
- Men's 5.00 Suits, sensational price 2.98
  - Men's 7.00 Suits, sensational price 3.48
  - Men's 8.50 and 10.00 Suits, worsted 4.98
  - Men's 11.00 Suits, sensational price 7.17
  - Men's 15.00 D. B. dark gray worsted 9.48
  - Men's 16.50 Gray Suits, sensational price 10.17
  - Men's 5.00 two-piece Suits, sensational price 2.48
  - Men's 11.00 two-piece D. B. Suits, sensational price 6.89
  - 1 lot extra size in gray, 12.00 seller, sensational price 7.11
  - Youths' 12.50 two-piece Blue serge, D. B. and S. B., price 8.89

- #### Dress Goods.
- 200 yds. Cashmere, all colors, 30c quality 21c
  - 400 yds. 36 in. Cashmere, plain colors 25c
  - 500 yds. 50 in wide Brilliant-line, brown, garnet, grey, blue and green, 75c value, at 47c

- 300 yds. Panama Cloth, black, grey and blue, 50 in. wide, worth 85c, sensational sale 69c
- 36 in. White Cashmere, sensational sale 19c
- 36 in. White Danish Cloth, sensational sale 23c
- 36 in. White Mohair Muss. Veiling and all cross 45c
- 44 in. White Henrietta, 1.25 value 89c
- 27 in. White Mohair 21c

- #### Men's Furnishings.
- 1 lot 10c Men's Hose, sen. price 4c
  - 1 lot 15c Men's Hose, sen. price 8c
  - 1 lot 25c Men's Black Cat Hose, sensational price 14c
  - 1 lot 25c Men's Show Knt Hose, sensational price 17c
  - 1 lot 20c Fancy Hose, sen. price 9c
  - 1 lot 10c Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, sensational price 4c
  - 1 lot 25c Suspenders, sen. price 13c
  - 1 lot 35c Suspenders, sen. price 19c
  - 1 lot 40c Men's Shirts, sensational price 21c
  - 1 lot 65c Men's Shirts, sensational price 30c
  - 1 lot 1.25 and 1.50 Men's Shirts, sensational price 90c
  - 1 lot 15c Linen Collars, sensational price 4c
  - 1 lot 35c new shape 4 in-Hand Ties, sensational price 20c
  - 1 lot 75c Extra Broad, newest out, sensational price 45c
  - 1 lot 25c String Ties, all colors, sensational price 10c

- #### Specials.
- One paper Pins .01c
  - Men's Sleeve Holders .04c
  - Ribbons, all colors and all prices.
  - 100 doz Handkerchiefs, plain and fancy borders .03c
  - 50 doz Handkerchiefs .07c
  - Ladies' Gauze Vests .05c
  - Ladies' plain blk Hose, 15c val .08c
  - Ladies' 25c lace & fancy Hose .10c
  - Children's Hose, 10c sen. price .08c
  - Children's Hose, 25c quality, sensational price .10c
  - 1,000 yards Embroidery Edges, sensational price .04c
  - 3,000 yds Swiss and Nainsook Embroidery, sen. price 9c
  - 2,000 yds wide Swiss & Nainsook Embroidery, sen. price 27c
  - All new designs in Laces. .04c
  - Talcum Powder, (Eastman's) .11c

- #### Men's Shoe Department.
- 1 lot 2.50 Pat, Oxfords, sensational price 1.48
  - 1 lot 2.00 Vici Oxfords, sensational price 1.19
  - 1 lot 3.00 Vici and Pat. "Security" Shoe 1.98
- We are showing the largest stock of fine Shoes in the city—all the newest styles—in "Barry" Shoes and Oxfords and Stetson Oxfords. Trunks, Valises and Suit Cases—We can suit you in this department. Ask the prices.

- #### Ladies & Children's Shoes.
- 50 pr. Ladies' 1.50 Oxfords, sensational price .98c
  - 100 pr. Ladies' 1.50 white canvas Oxfords, sen. price .98c
  - 50 pr. Ladies' 2.00 Shoes, sen. price 1.19
  - Space won't allow us to quote more prices. We carry the largest stock and smallest prices.
  - Baby Shoes 35c values, sensational sale 19c
  - Children's Shoes, all kinds, from 48c to 1.08

- #### Boys' Suits.
- 1 lot worth 1.50, sensational price .98
  - 1 lot worth 2.50, sensational price 1.68
  - 1 lot worth 3.00, sensational price 1.98
  - 1 lot worth 3.75, sensational price 2.19
  - 1 lot worth 4.50, sensational price 3.17
  - 1 lot worth 5.50, sen. price 3.48

- #### Boys' Pants.
- 200 pair, worth 35c, sensational price 19c
  - 150 pair, worth 75c, sensational price 39c
  - 100 pair, worth 90c, sensational price 45c
  - 75 pair, worth 1.25, sensational price 85c

**\$10 Men's Suits \$4.98**

**OUR GUARANTEE**  
J. T. Collins, Chester's leading store, guarantees that every statement and every single ad. concerning this **SENSATIONAL SALE** will be carried out to the letter regardless of cost or profit. Any article proving unsatisfactory from any cause whatsoever will be exchanged or money refunded. This unparalleled, matchless sale opens Wednesday morning, April 11th, at 9 a. m. and lasts ten days.

**Men's Shirts 21c**

**Wanted—25 Experienced Clerks**



TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1906.

**A Charming Place.**  
To one constituted as some of us are, there is nothing more charming than an interview with a man of the cultured, courtly, patriotic who in their early years commingled with veterans of the War of Independence and able to recall the many scenes of that struggle rendered by them directly from the lips of the women of the Revolution. Such was our privilege yesterday, in a visit to the venerable Mr. George Hill of Carlisle.

On approaching the place, a half mile north of the little town, attention is attracted to the stately dwelling situated upon an eminence and reached by a fine carriage road. A railway through a wide avenue opened through the native growth of trees, shrubbery and vines. The extensive elevation is covered by a woodland of the finest quality, showing a growth, preserved to this day by the spirit that has worshipped there and enforced the permanent injunction.

Woodman, spare that tree. Here is found a cherishing and loving spirit of the utilitarian, the iconoclast, the vandal, who looks upon every tree as only so much lumber or fuel, disregards it the ground upon which it stands and cuts it down to be brought the house in order that he may plant cotton to the door.

In the household is the aged father, the son, Mr. Roland G. Hill, the latter a young man, and his two sons and their two sons of six years, so much alike that when he sees one of them you don't know but he is one of them. There is the air of happiness in the home and the hospitality dispensed is unmistakable.

The old gentleman is perhaps the oldest living graduate of South Carolina College, and is still enthusiastic in his admiration of the old college. Thornwell and his associates, Mr. Hill lay in possession of his mental powers, and retains his memory of earlier statements and scholars. His recollection of Revolutionary characters and traditions is a treasure that is passing. He is identified with the Glenn, Lyles and other prominent families, and has extensive knowledge of local ancestry and the ramifications of family connections, with some of which our visit had to do but that is another story.

Dowd should join the Hyde and McCurdy group, for he has been deposed and his position as head of Zion City voted to another.

It is rather expensive on the county to get the cumbersome court machinery in motion for such brief and infrequent sessions as those of the past three weeks.

**Speaker Cannon announces that he has but two ambitions and that when these are gratified he will retire to private life.** The first of these is to be re-elected to another term as speaker of the house, and the other is the increase of the salaries of senators and representatives to \$15,000 a year.

One of the crying needs of this city is diversified industries. A number of small industries, each working a small force, gives a community a cosmopolitan air as well as provides employment for its citizens. It is possible to secure it here. Let some of our public spirited citizens take up this matter and agitate it. The result will be a complete transformation in the city's aspects.

It is a pity that some people are so short sighted as to destroy wantonly what has been carefully conserved only as the result of toll and pains on the part of others. The uprooting of the young shade trees on Depot street a few evenings ago, at first sight, appearing to be a mere act of vandalism, but occurring at the hour it did we feel sure that some one of mature age was the offender. It may have been an attempt at retaliation, an effort to draw the attention of some fancied grievance against the city. Be that as it may, the affair has a more serious aspect, for it indicates a deliberate disposition to destroy the public property of the city of an official or set of officials, but belongs to the entire community. Such a spirit should be curbed, and any one who has any information whatsoever would do well to report the location of the guilty party he should at once produce it.

The paragraph as to Dapo, from a South Carolina paper, suggests a comparison with that civil war barbarity, that of Lenoir massacre. Ever hear of that? A regiment of Federal troops and a detachment of Tennessee Cavalry were ordered to disband the Confederate troops under Gen. Forrest. The Confederate loss was about twenty-five men. The Federal loss was about twenty-five men.

We will gladly answer these questions relating to the latter part of an intelligible line of what "paragraph as to Dapo" is talking about, and will promise to print our answer. We suppose the News is published for the good of its readers, and not simply for the editor's own entertainment. We would take pleasure and pride in enlightening the readers of the News, without taxing their space of columns. We would never think it worth while to print anything in The Lantern, no matter how wise, for the edification of a single individual.

**Honor Roll of Sunshine School.** Girls—Agnus Anderson, Marie Wright, Lucille Wright, Sallie Wilkes, Ethel Wilkes, Jessie Wright.

**Pleasant Grove Alliance.** The annual meeting of the Pleasant Grove Alliance at the Pleasant Grove school house on Saturday, April 14th at 4 o'clock p. m. The object of the meeting is to dispose of the funds contributed to the State Exchange by this Alliance. J. Reid, trustee.

**Communion at Uric.** Communion service will be held at Uric on Sabbath morning, April 15th, at 11 o'clock, preaching on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock.

**A Jolly Egg Hunt.** On a bright Saturday afternoon Miss Ellen Hambrick entertained some of her girl friends at her home on York street. Among the amusements prepared for the entertainment of her guests was an egg hunt.

**RED GOLF** Last Male, 4 months route. J. G. Colvin, Chester Route No. 2.

**The Jolly Seven Entertained.** The Jolly Seven, a club composed of seven young people of the city, were entertained by Miss Louise Oehler at her beautiful home on Church street Friday evening. The following program was rendered for the entertainment of the guests: Miss Louise Carpenter and Miss Susie Lindsay—Vocalists; Miss Mayme Colvin—Tyrone; Miss Catherine Macaulay—Autumn Leaves; Miss Susie Lindsay—Warblings at Eve; Miss Elizabeth Dickson—Chasing the Sun; Miss Louise Oehler—Love's Happy Dream; Miss Virginia Johnson—Reading "Old Billy"; Miss Helen Seven—Song; Miss Louise Carpenter—The Sailor Boy's Dream.

The following were present in addition to the club members: Misses Jennie Hays, Jennie Hays, and Messrs. Edward White, Edward Morrison, Fred Murphy, Angus Macaulay, Clarence Williams, Charles Brice, W. H. Hays, and Albert Henry. Delightful refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cakes, were served by Miss Lizette Latimer.

**TOMORROW** is the opening day of J. T. Colvin's Sensational Spring Openings at the corner of York and Market streets. He has secured an advantage of the many bargains.

**Gotton is selling at 11.50.** Mrs. A. W. Kittz and daughter took to the water the latter part of the week visiting friends in Monroe, N. C. Don't forget Betty Hamilton at the opera house tonight. She'll make you laugh.

**Oak Hill Alliance** will meet at N. J. Colvin's Saturday, the 15th, at 2 p. m. All interested are asked to take notice.

One of the grass widowers requests us to announce that the members of that fraternity are asked to meet Friday evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of mutual consultation.

**SAMPLE COPIES.** We are sending sample copies of The Lantern to a number of persons who are interested in the work of the paper and who believe with us to be informed about what is going on in their own section of country. We know of no better way to gratify their interest than by subscribing for The Lantern.

If you, dear reader, are not a subscriber, we trust that you will enjoy a few visits of the paper, and will be glad to receive a sample copy. The price of the paper is a very small amount compared with the enjoyment—and possibly profit—which you can get out of it.

Terms: \$2.00 a year in advance. Agents may have it for \$1.00. The best time to send subscription is NOW.

**UNION SETS** and all kind of printing done at Chester Iron, Coal & Gas Building, 212-1/2 S. Main.

**Supt. Had to Conduct School.** Greenwood, April 9.—All the plans for the eighth district school for teachers here this summer have been completed. Five counties will compose the district—Greenwood, Saluda, Laurens, Newberry and Abbeville. Reports have been received from many of the members of the faculty selecting the positions they accepted. The head of the new school will be Prof. W. H. Hand, assistant of Davidson, N. C. of the Chester schools and a member of the faculty of the University of South Carolina. The full list of the faculty will be given out very soon.

**Edgemoor Jollings.** Edgemoor, April 7.—Mrs. R. Gaston and Miss Milla Lynn attended the Saturday Evening Club which met this afternoon with Miss Anna Fiolis. After a short business meeting delightful refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cake, were served. Miss Carrie Chambers spent Saturday night at Saturday with her friend, Miss Mrs. Chambers.

**Misses Willette Walker and Helen Hicklin** spent Saturday with their little friends, Rosa Seale Hoke and Elizabeth Gaston.

**Mr. and Mrs. G. G. McGreigh** entertained a few of their friends Tuesday at dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Crook, Mrs. Dickey, Mrs. Chambers, Miss Milla Lynn and Ray. B. A. Lutzman.

**Mr. Robert Pope**, who has been with J. D. Glass for the past three years, has accepted a position in the Manetta mill store.

**Notice Democrats.** The presidents of the various Democratic Clubs throughout the county are hereby ordered to assemble their clubs at the usual meeting places on Saturday, April 28, 1906, next, for the purpose of reorganizing and electing delegates to the county convention, which will meet in this city on May 17th, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m. The date of the convention which will meet in the city of Columbia on May 17th, 1906, has been notified to one delegate for every twenty-five members, or majority fraction thereof.

By order of the State Democratic Executive Committee.  
R. C. CALDWELL,  
County Chairman,  
Chester, S. C., April 10th, 1906.

**Visiting Hours.** Visiting hours at Magdalen Hospital are 10 to 11 a. m. and 4 to 5 p. m.

**NOTICE.** I am now with the Chester Machine and Lumber Co., in charge of the blacksmith department, and am ready to do all kinds of blacksmithing and repairing. Will find my prices reasonable and work first-class. Give me a trial.

**WHOLESALE.** Bananas—Big lot on the way for next week's trade. New Cabbage—Fresh and excellent. Irish Potatoes—Eating Irish, seed Irish; eating sweet, seed sweet. See me, I shall sell must and will. Give me a trial.

**W. J. CRAWFORD,** Broker.

**Trespass Notice.** All persons are hereby warned not to walk, ride, or drive or allow their live stock to come upon, hurt, fish, cut timber, or in any way trespass upon the lands owned and controlled by either of the undersigned. All persons regarding this notice will be prosecuted.

Miss L. G. LYNN,  
W. B. LYNN.

**THE CAREFUL MAN.** When his watch needs repairing will take it to a watchmaker that understands his business and will give him honest work.

**W. F. STRICKER, The Watchmaker.** Fill this bill to satisfaction.

**HEADACHES** are generally caused by defective eyesight. Have your eyes fitted by W. F. Stricker, who sells the best glasses that money can buy. Call on him as 108 Gadsden Street.

**SPECIAL Bargain Sale!** While in New York the Wall-worth great 10-cent Stores were making a run on decorated American China.

**Regular 25c Goods at 10c Each.** I hunted up the manufacturer and secured the same goods at the same price as those big New York stores have, for my Chester customers. Call early before they are picked over.

**E. C. STAHN.**

**Our Easter Display Is Excellent** See the PRETTY EASTER CARDS and beautiful assortment of NOVELTIES to be given as Easter remembrance.

**No Wonder That Fool W. R. NAIL, THE RED RACKET STORE MAN,**

Can sell goods cheap when he has been stationed North, East, South and West wearing for him. It does not require very much business capacity to sell dead loads of stolen goods. These and kindred criticisms made by some of our crippled competitors point to our ears occasionally. It is enough to make a horse laugh. We do not claim to know it all; not by a long ways, but we do claim to know a few things. We do not claim to know how to preach a sermon, we do not claim to know how to argue a case before a bar of justice; we do not claim to know how to farm. But listen! When Bargains, stripped of the chaff, are offered, we pounce upon them quick as a flash of lightning. Then in turn we have not got any better sense than to sell cheap after we have bought cheap. The Best Values For The Least Money, sweeps, scatters and annihilates opposition and competition in whatever shape like an April day in the path of a whirlwind. The stiff neck one hundred per cent. aristocratic anti-diluvians of this town who have successively or otherwise outlived the mercantile storms of the last 20 years will be of our concern that it is a mystery that any concern, smashed as we had been, could possibly march from beneath the ruins of annihilation back to Main street and simply beat the world selling goods. Bargains reach your eyes at every turn in our store. Furniture, Notions, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Umbrellas, Groceries, Wares, Glass, Agate, Tin Ware, and Candy; the good kind we sell at 20c, and the bad kind at 10c. Fresh lot just received.

**W. R. NAIL'S Red Racket Store.**

**Refrigerators Refrigerators**



**A Good Refrigerator is a Guard to Your Health.**

Much disease is caused by putrid meat and food soon becomes unwholesome without a refrigerator. Our modern built refrigerator is a BRIGHT GEM among food preservers. Keeps ice longer and food better than any refrigerator made.

**NO DAMPNSS, NO MOISTURE.** Has dry air circulation and carries off all odors immediately. Why buy the cheaper kind when you can get the best to be had for the same price? Come, let us talk to you about it.

**The Hahn-Lozrance Co.** No. 155 Gadsden St. In the Valley. Phone 292. Freight prepaid on all goods amounting to \$10 and over.

**OWN YOUR OWN HOME!** Books are now open for subscriptions to the Capital Stock of The Spratt Building and Loan Association, New Series Opened 3rd Tuesday in Feb. Any one wishing to make improvements, purchase real estate or secure a home, start now, with this Series. Over 400 homes have been secured through this Association on easy monthly instalment, about the same as rents. Lists and full information will be cheerfully given by calling on either of the undersigned.

**Start an Account in the Savings Dept. \$5 and up taken.** G. B. WHITE, President. B. M. SPRATT, Treasurer.

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**Our Easter Display Is Excellent**

**High Art CLOTHING**

**A NEW SPRING SUIT**

**YOU HAVE GOT TO HAVE IT, SO WHY NOT GET IT FROM US AND GET THE RIGHT THING THIS YEAR!**

When it comes to fit, style and quality, Strouse & Bros. High Art Clothes are decidedly in the lead. They are tailored by skilled craftsmen, made of reliable fabrics and the price is in reach of every one.

We are proud of these goods, and you'll be likewise, if you wear them. Come in, we will welcome the opportunity of showing you through our Spring Stock.

**See the PRETTY EASTER CARDS and beautiful assortment of NOVELTIES to be given as Easter remembrance.**

**WANTED—FOR U. S. Army, absolutely unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35, of United States birth, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Office, 18 West Trade St., Asheville, N. C., Bank Building, Hickory, N. C., or Glenn Building, Spartanburg, S. C., 1-12-30**

**Announcements FOR SUPERVISOR.** We, the undersigned, recognizing the duty we owe to our fellow citizens for public office, hereby announce him as our choice for the position of supervisor of the Democratic party in the town of York, S. C.







# HAFNER BROTHERS

SEE OUR LINE OF WHITE HAND BAGS

Everything that is new in Ladies' Neckwear we have it.

Just received, Big lot of Ladies' White Belts.

Saturday the 7th,

we will sell TUSSAVE SOAP for 10c a box, worth 25c.

Big lot Ladies' Hand Bags, worth 25c., going for 19c.

Don't buy your Easter Dress until you see our line.

We can suit the most fastidious with Dorothy Dodd Slippers.

Ask to see our 79c yard wide black Taffeta Silk, others get \$1.00.

Saturday, the 7th, we will sell Girdle Corsets worth 35c for 21c.

# HAFNER BROTHERS.

## THE LANTERN.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION:  
TWO DOLLARS A YEAR, CASH.

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1906.

### LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Agnes Douglas spent Saturday and Sabbath with her sister, Miss Kate Douglas, at Blackstock.

Mrs. C. I. Irwin and family have moved into the house on the corner of College and Church streets.

Miss M. J. Hignam went to Blackstock Saturday to spend a few weeks in the old home neighborhood.

Mrs. Mary Jordan and son, of Fort Mill, passed through Saturday morning on their way to Fort Lawn to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Carter.

Rev. J. M. Hignam was in the city Saturday on his return to Huntersville from a visit to his parents near Weddridge.

Mrs. Sallie McDaniel, of Knox Station, came over Saturday afternoon and spent until yesterday with her son, Mr. J. K. McDaniel.

Mrs. Jane Brawley and granddaughter, little Miss Beesle Brawley, returned Sabbath evening from a visit to relatives in Columbia.

Mrs. Fannie Green and little son Wylie returned Saturday evening from a visit to relatives in Columbia and Anderson.

Chief of Police W. S. Taylor and daughter, Miss Florence, left for Newberry yesterday morning to spend a few days.

Miss Sadie Thrallhill came up from Columbia Friday afternoon and spent until yesterday morning with her mother at Ilesburg.

Dr. and Mrs. S. G. Miller and Messrs. S. M. Jones and John Williams attended the funeral of Mr. Leon Moore at Bethesda church yesterday.

Mr. J. L. Simmons left the city Sabbath night for New York to spend ten days and two weeks with his sister Mrs. Isaac Gunhouse.

Misses Fannie Hutton, of Saluda, S. C., and Edna Hutton, of Washington, D. C., have come home in order to be with their grandmother, Mrs. Isabella Curtis, who is very ill.

WHEN in doubt about your eyes consult W. F. Stecker, Optician, 108 Gadsden St.

Miss Vivian Gregory is confined to her room with an attack of measles. Master Willie McDowell is spending a few weeks with relatives at White Oak.

E. C. Elder, of Atlanta, is in the city to conduct the Great Spring Opening Sale at J. T. Collins'.

Mrs. M. E. Duncan and children and Mrs. A. E. Isom, of York county, arrived Saturday morning to visit their sister, Mrs. Long, at the Wylie mills.

Mrs. Isabella Curtis is dangerously ill at her home on Saluda street. Yesterday, however, some slight improvement was noticed in her condition.

Mrs. Lizzie Ehrlich and Mrs. David Ehrlich left Saturday afternoon for a short visit to relatives at Fort Mill and Charlotte. They returned yesterday.

Masters Erskine and Bynum Betts, of Rock Hill, came down Friday evening to visit their father, Mr. C. B. Betts, and returned Saturday afternoon.

Miss Clara Belle Williams, of Winthrop college, spent on Saturday evening till this morning in the city with her mother, Mrs. F. D. Williams.

The supervisor informs us that the two prisoners on the chain-gang who have been stek and unable to work for several weeks are now better and are with the squad again.

The trap on Depot street, which were pulled up by the roots a few nights ago, have been replaced. The police have been unable to find any clue to the vandal or vandals who committed the act.

Mrs. S. M. Drennan and grandson, Master Rudolph Drennan, of Baltimore, left for Rock Hill Saturday afternoon to spend two or three days on their return home after a month's visit with Mrs. P. A. Mills and other relatives here and in the county.

WANTED—First-class wood workman on wagon and buggy repairing. Willit Spence, Blacksmith Dept. Chester Machine & Lumber Co.

The Buffalo Lick Springs Company has received another big order by wire. This time the order comes from the Charleston Coca Cola Bottling Works for 20,000 gallons of Buffalo Lick water, this amount to be supplied each month for a year.

EVERYTHING for almost nothing at the Big Sale, opening April 11th, at Collins'.

### Death of a Little Boy.

Jessie Herbert, the three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. McManus, died at the home of his parents in the Springtown village Sabbath evening after a short illness. Rev. J. S. Snyder conducted the funeral at the home yesterday afternoon, and the little boy was laid away in Evergreen cemetery.

TOMORROW, April 11th, 9 a. m., Rev. K. Collins' will be opened.

### Changes At the Eureka Mills.

Mr. M. W. Driver, of Canton, Ga., has been elected superintendent of the Eureka mills to succeed Mr. J. M. Ward, resigned. Mr. Driver has experienced and capable mill manager. He will go to Georgia Saturday to begin his family over to Chester.

Mr. Ward has not fully decided what he will do. It is probable that he will remain in Chester and engage in some line of work.

Mr. W. E. Gossett has also resigned his position as spinning room boss to take a similar position in the Buffalo mills at Union.

CABBAGE PLANTS—30c per hundred. W. R. Brown, 308 Columbia street. 4-10-2.

### Insane Woman Sent to Columbia.

Lizzie Anderson, a colored woman from the Corwell neighborhood, who has recently lost her mind, was taken to the asylum in Columbia Saturday morning by Deputy Sheriff Carroll.

Thad Witherspoon, colored, who was mentioned in Friday's issue as having been confined in the county jail awaiting the arrival of the York jailer, was sent home Saturday morning on the train. The negro is said to be a splendid farm hand, and as his mind is all right at times it was thought best to send him back to the farm.

Mrs. F. B. Coogler, of Brooksville, Fla., accompanied by her little boy and Miss Mamie Hutton, who has been spending several months in Florida, arrived home yesterday morning in response to a message informing her of the critical illness of her grandmother, Mrs. Isabella Curtis.

AMONG the extra sales-ladies at J. T. Collins' Big Sensational Spring Opening Sale are Misses Ethel Harned, Fannie Ehrlich, Ada Carroll, Chic Marshall, Saunders and Marion Neely.

Mr. W. R. Nail will close his Red Racket Store at 6 o'clock from April 11th until September 1st, Saturdays excepted.

### In the Mayor's Court.

About the usual crowd filed into the mayor's court yesterday morning when that place of business was thrown open for the morning session. Wash Wade, an eminently respectable negro, was charged with brandishing a razor in front of a neighbor's gate and accompanying the demonstration with sundry profane expressions, much to the fear and discomfort of the inmates. Wash told a very plausible story, assigning as the cause of his warlike exploit that a quarrel had arisen between one of his offspring and his neighbor's boy and that, he, at the solicitation of his wife, although he was in the act of shaving, rushed out to throw oil on the troubled waters. He didn't make any mention of the violent language attributed to him, contenting himself with explaining why he had the razor with him. The mayor took a very charitable view of the occurrence, and dismissed Wash with a fine of five dollars.

Jim Howard, Tom Howard and Peter Wilson, all of them well known in Georgetown, allowed their zeal for business to run away with their judgment and were arrested for trespassing beyond that line of demarcation which the police have laid off at the railway stations as marking the grounds beyond which these industrious workers must not go. Of late there have been many offenses of this nature, and the mayor is determined to stamp it out. Five dollars, or \$2.50 with a week's lay off, was the dose prescribed.

Will Tisdale, who gave his address as Cedar town, Ga., but who lives here and has been giving the police the dodge for some months, was charged with passing street tax. Though a great lousy strapping boy of about twenty summers, Tisdale asserted that he was only sixteen and produced his mother to prove the statement. The latter went one better and swore that the boy was only fifteen. The mayor put an end to the case without introducing any more expert testimony. Five dollars or thirty days on the gang was the verdict.

A. C. Bridgman of Chester, assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of North and South Carolina, was in the city yesterday and called upon a number of Newberrians for contributions in aid of the cause. He met with a liberal response from many—Newberry Observer.

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### Death of Leon Moore.

Mr. Leon Moore, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moore, who lived in this city several years ago, died in Asheville Saturday evening after an illness of several months from lung trouble. The remains were brought to Rock Hill yesterday morning and from there taken to Bethesda church for interment. Rev. K. Hall conducted the funeral exercises.

Mr. Moore was an exceptionally bright young man. He was in his twenty first year and thus just entering into the full possession of his powers. He had almost completed the junior year at Davidson college when his health began to fail about a year ago, and he was compelled to withdraw from the institution. Shortly thereafter the family left Rock Hill, where they had been residing and went to Asheville to live. For a time it seemed that the bracing mountain air would restore young Moore's health, but at last the tide turned and death swiftly came.

COLLINS' is the place. See his page ad in this issue.

### Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Library Association will be held Thursday, the 12th, at 6 p. m. A full attendance is desired.

### The Funniest Thing That Ever Happened.

A short clever edition of "The Old Maid Convention" as it will be put up by Anna L. Dunkel, of Philadelphia, at the opera house, Friday, April 13, for the Library and Free Kindergarten.

THE SECOND PART OF THE PROGRAM. The Giddy Girls and a series of Beautiful Statue Poses under colored lights will please you. You will get a lot of opera house Friday seats and besides help two worthy causes. So don't fail to go. Tickets on sale tomorrow morning at Robinson's Jewelry Store. 30c, 35c.

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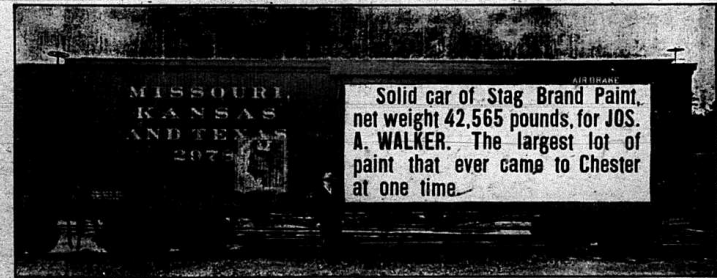
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### Three Qualifications of a Minister.

By Rev. A. H. Atkins.  
(Continued.)

**Thorough Preparation.**

The second thing that Paul urges Timothy to do is to "give attention to reading, to exhortation to doctrine." Parallel passages show that the reading he has special reference to is that of God's word. Calvin claims that he adds "to exhortation," to doctrine lest Timothy should think that careless reading was sufficient. The instruction in these verses is that he should read with a view of communicating the knowledge he thus acquires to others. Clearly are we caught the importance of learning the word and preaching it. The word and nothing else reveals to man a Savior well suited to his wants. It is the sword of the Spirit—the only instrument that he uses to reach the heart and to build up God's people in their most holy faith.

Full of meaning, was our Savior's answer to Satan, "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God." As essential to spiritual life is the word of God as food and water are to physical life. Of greater value would you be guilty if, instead of giving the word and preaching it, you should give him some. Of greater folly arguists guilty when instead of preaching the simple gospel, they preach science or philosophy or something else that contains no part of the Gospel.

Since Paul adds "to exhortation," to doctrine, he advises Timothy to study God's word to study it diligently, critically and with unflinching perseverance. This is how every minister and every candidate for the ministry should study it. They do well when they study it, but they do better when they study it as they would seek for hidden treasure. If its mysteries are such that angels desired to bow down and look into them, and that the prophets inquired diligently into them, surely it should thus bedusted.

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### DISEASE CARRIERS.

#### Insects Are Transmitters of Disease. Houses and Yards Should Be Kept Clean.

When the germ theory of disease was first brought into public prominence there was much ridicule heaped upon those bold enough to advance such unheard of ideas, but gradually with advance of knowledge there has been a revision of feeling, until now the public at large, with the same matter of fact spirit that they accept the telephone, the telegraph, and the automobile in other scientific facts which play their part in every day life, accept as a matter of course the minute organisms, demonstrated by patients microscopic work as the cause of the vast majority of diseases. In the same manner much scepticism was displayed when first it was stated that such apparently insignificant, even if annoying, things as flies, mosquitos, or other insects, could act as the transmitters of some of our most dread diseases.

Now, however there is much less scepticism, and there has been a marked advance in the enlightenment of the public with regard to the role played by hitherto despised organisms. All of us grant that the fly may carry typhoid fever, some of us acknowledge that the mosquito is able enough to carry anything, though many of the lay are still in doubt as to whether it really transmits malaria or not, and it is especially regrettable that an array of facts in support of this major fact. Numerous diseases whose origin was formerly shrouded in mystery have been shown to be insect borne.

It is easy enough to understand the means by which flies carry disease germs—anyone who has noticed them collecting around heaps of filth and their going directly to our tables and crawling on our food and plates, can see for themselves their possible roles, but with some of the other insects and with certain diseases it is not so easy to see in this respect. In fact, insects prove dangerous to our health. Such germs as those of typhoid fever, cholera, malignant pustule (anthrax), ergotism, scarlet fever, or those of conjunctivitis may be carried on the feet of a dog. It is possible, and indeed probable, that many of the numerous intestinal parasites—the hookworms, for example, may get away in addition to the other well recognized ways. These can be laid against the account of the common house fly, but there are other varieties of fly, and again one or two of these are grave carriers of disease. One is a fly called the tsetse, which has kept whole areas uninhabitable for certain domestic animals, especially in the tropics. The tsetse has been an even more serious carrier laid to its account with regard to man—namely, the transmission of the deadly and insidious sleeping sickness, a disease which is decimating large areas in Africa today, and which is slowly but surely spreading. There are several varieties of the trypanosome—the fly borne organism—supposed to cause the sleeping sickness, which like malaria is a deadly disease, and there will probably be discovered other insects which transmit these.

In close competition to the fly comes the mosquito, to which are ascribed the malarial fevers in which we are especially interested as well as some other less familiar diseases. The two in question are malaria and yellow fever, among the others may be mentioned typhoid, the intestinal worms, whose young getting into the circulation, cause elephantiasis. (This is a disease which, so far, has caused little trouble in this community, but which causes a terrible scourge in the islands of the Pacific, and which may spread to other warm countries.) As we have so far found reason to fear the mosquito, our efforts should be earnestly directed to its extermination. The experiments of the board of Havana, and of the English and Italian observers have quite satisfactorily proved the charge against the mosquito with regard to the diseases mentioned above, and the great success of the sanitary commission to Havana and at Panama, have shown as the possibility of successfully fighting these pests.

Please likewise do their part as transmitters of disease. Like the mosquito, the flea, the beetle, and certain other vermin, and living hyperdermic syringes, which may fill themselves with blood from a sick person, and then, filled with micro-organisms from that blood, infect a healthy one. For long times the means of the spread of bubonic plague—"the black death" or "The Plague," as it is called—was in obscurity. Now it has been shown to be conveyed by an insect, especially rats and mice. These become infected from some one with the plague, possibly by insects, as fleas, possibly from coming into contact with the animal, or from the soiled dressings from the patient, possibly in the sewers, and then, going to other houses, carry the disease with them. When they travel thus from house to house they deplete with the plague, and are fed on by fleas. One or more of these insects, full of the infected blood, bites a healthy person and inoculates him with the fearful disease. Fortunately this means of transmission has become well recognized among sanitarians, and as a result of this recognition, and of the methods employed to prevent such spread of disease, the plague has been restricted more and more each year in its ravages.

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