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THE LANTERN,
PUBLISHED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.
J. T. BIGHAM, Editor and Proprietor.
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FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 1904.

The editor of the Fairfield News and Herald published some spring poetry in his last issue. He does not claim that it is original, however, but credits it to a man by the name of Timrod.

Now that there is on a movement for a spelling reform, the schools are vying with each other for the honor of being the first to go back to the old blue-back speller. While they are going forward in spelling by going backwards, there are unlimited possibilities for a reading reform by going back to first principles. Teachers of the new freedom will not be afraid of retracing their steps.—Fairfield News and Herald.

But it will take brave teachers to withstand the ridicule of education journals published by the publishers of books which are based on fact methods. Haste the day when teachers and people will arise in their might and repudiate the unnatural "natural methods" which has ruined a whole generation of spellers, readers and writers.

The Epworth League Conference. For the first time since its organization this conference of the young people of the Methodist church is to meet in this section of the state. The president of the conference is Rev. Peter Stokes, of Donalds, S. C. It may be of interest to our people to know that he and Capt. Marcus Stokes, U. S. A., are brothers.

It is not probable that all the Leagues in South Carolina will send delegates, but it is almost certain to be about as well attended as any previous session. The number of delegates already reported reaches a total of 107. The opening service will be held on Thursday evening of next week, beginning at 8:30 o'clock.

The church, for a long period, seemed content with prohibition: "Don't, don't," don't has been dinned into the ears of young people until it has become a burden. The purpose of the Epworth League and similar institutions is to change the command from the negative to the positive and to imbue the command with the sense of an appeal to the loftiest and noblest ideas. Devotion to duty, with this motto, "All for Christ," is taught as a holy principle. A right enjoyment of innocent pleasures, in which the time speedily passes and the conscience is kept free from stain, is a vast improvement on the old time idea that "it is sin to laugh."

Following this service, the conference will adjourn from the church to the armory, where a reception will be tendered to the visitors by the Methodist congregation.

Social Club. Miss Eva Hall entertained the social club yesterday afternoon. Twenty-six enjoyed Miss Hall's hospitality. It was a nut-cracking occasion literally and metaphorical. Various kinds of nuts were served, nuts entered into the making and flavoring of the refreshments, and the names of nuts were used in questions and answers. Cinderella slippers and nut-crackers were presented as souvenirs.

Col. Wm. A. Turk is Dead. WASHINGTON, April 9.—William Armstrong Turk, passenger traffic manager of the Southern railway died here tonight of pneumonia. He had been ill three days.

M. Turk, who formerly was general passenger agent of the Southern, had been passenger traffic manager about a year. He had been with the Southern and its affiliated properties 21 years. He also was an ex-president of the American Association of General Passenger Agents.

He was born in Virginia in 1851. He leaves a wife and two children, Miss Margaret Turk and Randolph Turk. His remains will be taken to Raleigh, N. C., tomorrow, where the funeral services will be held Monday.

Lytle Letter.
LYLE, April 12.—Early Monday morning the sad, and news spread abroad of the death of Isabella, the youngest child of Mrs. Margaret Chambers, of Edgemore. Little Isabella was in Rock Hill when she breathed her last, having gone there to spend two months with her mother, Mrs. Will Neely. Oh, such a sad thought to us all! She was brought back at the close of six weeks, a lifeless form. Her condition wasn't thought to be dangerous but a short while before her death.

Isabella was only six years and six months old, but had endeared herself to all who knew her. The new-made mound was covered with beautiful flowers by friends and loved ones.

We extend our deepest and heart-felt sympathy to the bereaved mother and entire family. The funeral service was conducted by Pastor Rev. L. T. Preddy, assisted by Rev. A. S. Rogers, of Rock Hill. The burial was about 1 p. m. in the cemetery of Edge-moore.

Miss Julia Kilian has returned to her home near Fort Lawn. The Harmony school will continue one month longer. W.

A Card.
April 11, 1904.
Mr. Editor: I noticed in Friday's Lantern an item of the closing of Ford's school, saying the school had been taught very satisfactory. I know not who the writer was, but I am glad to know that the school was not taught satisfactory. I think it my duty as a patron to say what I have and there are others to whom it was not taught satisfactory. R. L. STROUD.

Items from Rock Hill Record. G. B. Greene was up from Chester Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Mag McFadden has returned from a visit to relatives in and around Edgemore.

Mrs. Morgan returned to Chester yesterday after spending a few days with Mrs. Louise Rhea.

J. T. Gill returned to Lewis Turnout Saturday night after spending a week with his brother, W. W. Gill.

Mrs. N. H. Caldwell of Chester, the aged mother of H. A. Caldwell, is visiting at the home of the latter near this city.

Explosion on Battleship Missouri.
PENSACOLA, Fla., April 13.—By the explosion of 2,000 pounds of powder in the after 12-inch turret and in the handling room of the battleship Missouri, Capt. Wm. S. Cowles commanding, 20 men were instantly killed and five injured, two of whom will die.

The Missouri was on the target range with the Texas and Brooklyn at practice about noon, when a charge of powder in the 12-inch left hand gun exploded, ignited from gases, and dropping below ignited four charges of powder in the handling room and all exploded, and only one man of the entire turret and handling crew survives.

But for the prompt and efficient work of Capt. Cowles in flooding the handling room and magazine with water, one of the magazines would have been exploded and the ship would have been destroyed.

Club Meetings.
The Carmel Hill Democratic club will meet Saturday afternoon Apr. 23d. S. C. CARTER, Pres.

The Lansford democratic club will meet at Fort Lawn on Saturday afternoon, the 23rd, inst., at 5 o'clock for the purpose of re-organizing and electing delegates to the county convention.

S. E. KILLIAN, Pres.

The Court House Democratic Club is hereby called to meet in the court house on Saturday afternoon, April 23rd, at 4 o'clock, for the purpose of re-organizing and electing delegates to the county convention.

By order of the County Democratic Executive Committee.
R. B. CALDWELL, Pres.

Disaster to Russians.
On Wednesday morning the Russian battleship Patroyevsk struck a mine laid by the Japanese in the outer entrance to the harbor of Port Arthur, and was destroyed, together with Admiral Makaroff and 600 men. According to the Japanese reports, they laid the mines early in the morning and lured the Russian ship upon them. The affair has caused great grief in St. Petersburg. Another battleship was crippled and a torpedo boat destroyer sunk Wednesday night.

A span of a steel bridge in course of construction over Seneca river 12 miles west of Anderson fell yesterday. One man was killed and two others painfully injured.

SPECIAL COLUMN.
FOR RENT—3 rooms over post office perfect repair, water in building. Miss Lella DeVege.

Card of Thanks.
I wish to express my appreciation to my friends for presenting my name to the office of Alderman of Ward No. 3, but I am not a candidate and cannot consent to run. The announcement was made without my knowledge or consent.
W. A. RUDY.

REGISTRATION NOTICE
Mr. E. P. Moore has been duly appointed to open books of registration on Friday and Saturday, April 22nd and 23rd, next, for the registration of voters in the municipal election to be held the first Tuesday in May for one Alderman from each of the four Wards of the city of Chester.
W. H. HARDIN, Mayor.

For Alderman.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for Alderman in Ward Three.
C. B. BETTS.

We are authorized to announce Paul Shephill as a candidate for re-election as Alderman from Ward Three.

H. S. Heyman is hereby nominated for re-election as Alderman from Ward Four.

We are authorized to announce W. H. Munnage as candidate for Alderman from Ward Three.

Ward 1.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for Alderman from Ward 1.
R. L. DOUGLAS.

A. C. Fichel is hereby nominated for re-election as Alderman from Ward One.



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FOLEY'S HONEY-TAR
The New Jersey convention yesterday elected delegates to the presidential convention at St. Louis and determined to send them unopposed. The Hearst group, comprising a small minority, bolted.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 1904.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. J. S. Cohen, of Savannah, was in the city yesterday.
 Mrs. J. O. Barber, of Richburg, was in the city Tuesday.
 Miss Clara Chapman, of Hallettsville, was in the city Wednesday.
 Mrs. Fannie Meacham Willis, of Yorkville, spent a few days this week with Mrs. John Hood.
 Mrs. Mary Orr, of Columbia, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walker.

Miss Belle Hood, of Blackstock, spent Wednesday in the city, guest of Mrs. Mary McDill.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Steele and little son Ross, of Blackstock, spent yesterday in the city.
 Mrs. T. W. True went to Columbia Tuesday to spend a few days visiting friends.
 Mr. Ernest Moore, of Lancaster, spent a few hours in the city yesterday morning.

Mrs. J. P. Marion and Mrs. James Drennan, of Richburg, spent Wednesday in the city.
 Mrs. Alma Crosby Jordan and Mrs. Howze, of Fort Law, were in the city Wednesday.
 Mr. S. A. Rodman and daughter, Miss Bessie, of Rodman, were in the city yesterday.
 Miss Mary Hafner went to Newberry yesterday to visit her friend, Miss Clara Langford.

Mrs. Frank Gladden and daughter, Miss Lella and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dixon, of DaWitt, were in the city Wednesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McFadden and daughters, Misses Maud and Amelia, of Lewis Turnout, were in the city Wednesday.
 Mr. Rudolph Hamilton came home from Columbia Wednesday to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hamilton.

Mr. Ed Fant and daughter, Miss Janie, and Mrs. Ross Durham, of Hallettsville, were in the city Wednesday.
 Mr. R. H. Ferguson and son, Paul, of Wylies Mill, spent Monday night and Tuesday with Mr. W. F. McCullough.
 Dr. Wylie Moore left Tuesday night for New York, after a visit of a few weeks to relatives in the city.

Miss Fannie Hale, of Savannah, Ga., who has been visiting Mrs. J. C. Robinson, went home Wednesday.
 Rev. J. A. White, of Blackstock, went to Hutersville yesterday to assist Rev. J. M. Bigham with a communion meeting at Gilead.
 Lieut. L. H. Eberhart, of the U. S. Navy, and sister, Miss Adelaide Eberhart, passed through the city yesterday morning enroute from Charleston to Decatur, Ga.

Mr. C. S. Hipp, who has been night operator at the Southern depot for a few months past, has been promoted and is now assistant agent at Clinton. Mr. W. J. Connor, of McCormick, is here to take his place.
 Dr. W. J. W. Corwell and daughter, Mrs. May Holler, were in the city yesterday from Cornwall. Mrs. Holly and children have been spending a week with her parents but expect to leave today for her home at Scotts, Hampton county.

Mr. A. P. Perkins, who was one of the Lantern force a few years ago, but now editor of the Johnston News, spent Friday night and Saturday in the city with his brother, Mr. J. T. Perkins, and was a pleasant caller at the Lantern office.
 Miss Edna Castles accompanied by Mrs. James Castles, of Hickory Grove, went down to Blackstock Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. G. Castles, and spent a few hours in the city yesterday morning, guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wright on their return to Hickory Grove.

Auction Sale commences Saturday at 1 o'clock sharp. Bargains for your life. Sawney Hardware Co.

A Tourist Hotel for Chester.
 We hear some talk of an effort on the part of some of our enterprising young men to build a tourist hotel in or near our city. We have nothing definite on the subject, but are prepared to say to our readers in confidence that the enterprise is not only a possibility but a probability. We haven't given the matter much thought, but we can not conceive of any reason why such a thing should not be just as successful and as profitable to Chester as any other Camden or Columbia. Situated as we are upon the new main-railway systems between the north and the south, and with a climate, and, in fact, every local condition that could be desired, it seems to us that this should be an ideal place for the northern tourist. Let everybody give this movement encouragement. The rich northerners spend money wherever they go, and if Chester can persuade a colony of them to go into winter quarters here every winter—and a first class tourist hotel is all the persuasion we need—every material interest of the city will be benefited greatly. Here's wishing success to the movement.

Patterson Library Annual Meeting.
 The annual meeting of the members of the Patterson Library will be held in the library room on next Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 p. m. New officers will be elected and other important business will come up. Every member is urged to be present. A. G. BRICE, Pres.

Mrs. Sam Burdell, of Charlotte, spent Monday in the city.
 Mr. and Mrs. T. B. McKown, of Blackstock, are in the city today.
 Mrs. L. P. Pee, of Buckhead, spent yesterday in the city with Mrs. R. W. Crowder.
 Mrs. H. S. Heyman and Miss Hannah Heyman spent Wednesday in Charlotte.

Mrs. M. E. Macoy, of Knoxville, Tenn., arrived last night to spend a while in the city.
 Richmond Pearson Hobson has been defeated in his race for congress in Alabama.
 Mrs. E. H. Hall and little son returned Tuesday from a visit of a few weeks to her parents in Spartanburg.

Mrs. F. M. Gale, Mrs. E. M. Cartledge and Miss Sadie Thrall, of Richburg, are in the city today.
 Miss Mary Gibson went to Rossville this morning to spend a while with her father, Mr. Abraham Gibson.
 Mrs. J. M. Daniel, of Columbia, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. G. Williams, will go home tomorrow.

Mrs. Ross Dye and daughter, Miss Eunice, and son, Gladden, and Miss Lella Gladden, of Rossville, are in the city today.
 Mr. C. H. Carter has returned to his home at Fort Mott after spending two weeks with his father, Mr. D. B. Dickens.
 Stover now has telephone connection with Chester. Mr. W. S. McDonald, Jr. tells us he can talk directly to his father's home.

Mr. J. W. Bigham, of Wellridge, is in town today. He says Mrs. Bigham, who has been quite sick, is somewhat better.
 Miss Frances Lee spent last night in the city with Miss Mary Sledge on her way from Lancaster to her home in Anderson.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jason Grant spent Tuesday afternoon in the city with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ferguson and left on the night train for their home in Atlanta.

The pickpockets, Banks and Paik, convicted in Columbia, have been sentenced to five years at hard labor.
 Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Galling and baby, spent Wednesday night in the city on their way from Mississippi to Lancaster to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Payson.
 Mr. P. E. Taylor and family moved to Waxhaw Monday and Mr. C. J. Starone and family who have been living in one of Mrs. Stewart's houses on Columbia street have moved into the house vacated by Mr. Taylor on Church street.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Richardson and two children and daughter, Mrs. M. Starone, who have been living at Liberty, S. C., have moved into a part of the same building.

At Mt. Zion Sunday.
 11 a. m. The Devil. 7:30 p. m. Good Angels. A. MCLEES.

Episcopal Church.
 Services next Sunday. Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon 7:30. The Rev. Mr. Johns, of Rock Hill will officiate at both services.

Crosses of Honor.
 The following veterans will receive Crosses of Honor on the 10th of May: Isaac Heyman, Jno. B. McWatters, A. H. Rosell, R. H. Stringfellow, J. M. Smith, W. B. Wyle.

Rev. A. G. Kirkpatrick Dead.
 The Rev. A. G. Kirkpatrick, who is known to many of our readers, died at 12:10 a. m. yesterday in Due West. His remains are to be buried in Due West this morning.

Thomason-McFadden.
 Mr. W. Harper Thomason has issued invitations to the marriage of his daughter, Irene, to Mr. Claude B. McFadden, Wednesday afternoon, April 27th, at half past three o'clock at his home at Fort Law.

Hicklin-Moore.
 Miss Ella Hicklin, daughter of Mr. J. R. Hicklin, of Richburg, and Mr. Claude Moore, of Sandy River, were married Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist parsonage at Richburg, by Rev. W. A. Fairry. They spent a few hours in the city yesterday enroute to Mr. Moore's home.

Marriage at Lando.
 Married, Sunday, April 10, 1904, at Lando, Mr. Samuel H. Ramsay and Mrs. Retta Sapps, Rev. Mr. Wilkes officiating. Mr. Ramsay is overseer in the card and picker room of the Lando mills. The ceremony was witnessed by a number of the relatives and friends of the contracting parties.—Lancaster Enterprise.

Wanted 100 Men to work on dam and power house at Neal's Shoals on Broad River. Wages added to \$1.00 per day. Geo. O. Tenney, Contractor. 4-5-14

Mrs. Wyatt Aiken Dead.
 Mr. A. M. Aiken received a telegram yesterday from his brother, Congressman Wyatt Aiken, bearing the sad intelligence that his wife had died in Providence Hospital, Washington, D. C., from peritonitis. She was sick only a few days. The remains were carried to Abbeville today over S. A. L. and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Aiken left on same train to attend the funeral, which will be held from the Abbeville Episcopal church Saturday morning.

Notice to the Public—Good ice cream in Chester for sale has long been wanted. In making our cream it takes experience, attention and pure cream. We use these things. Give us a trial, Johnaten Drug Store.

Go to Thermal City.
 Mr. R. J. Castles, who has been night operator at the S. A. L. has given up the job on account of his health and moved Wednesday to Thermal City, McDowell county, N. C. For the present he will have charge of a telegraph office in the city in place of his brother who is sick but we understand he expects to work for a lumber company. Mrs. Castles and baby would stop over at Smyrna, York county, for a few weeks to visit their mother before going to Thermal City.

Door Key Found—Apply at Lantern office. 15 2t

Grenville Policeman Dead.
 Policeman J. P. Tucker, of Grenville, was killed Tuesday night by Ellis Sanders, night watchman at the Southern, who had a room over Wilson's beer dispensary. Sanders also slightly wounded Policeman Z. J. Brown, who in turn shot Sanders, mortally it is thought. Sanders was drinking and attacked the policeman because they had arrested a notorious negro wench that afternoon, who was drunk and disorderly. The circumstances were almost exactly similar to those connected with the murder of Policeman W. A. R. Wilson in Chester 13 years ago.

Mr. John M. Sterling, of Blackstock, was in the city yesterday.
 Mr. Arthur Darby, of Lowryville, lost a good family horse Wednesday night. She was plowed all day; at night she lay down and refused to eat and in a few hours was dead.
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J. R. Alexander,
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Announcements

For Representative.

We are authorized to announce S. A. Rodman as a candidate for election as representative from Chester county, pledged to abide the result of the democratic primary.

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(If we were we would be out of business) but whatever you buy of us must be as we represent it to you or you get your money back. In all the years that we have been selling goods to the people we have never had one person to say we cheated them or misrepresented our goods. WE NEVER MAKE A STATEMENT WE CAN'T BACK UP and we want to make one right now.

We Can Save You One-Fourth on Your Furniture Purchases.

Come to see us. Get our prices and let us show you how we get goods at such a big discount below our competitors. There is a way to prove our statement too: Compare our prices with those of our competitors.

EXAMPLE: Man came in our store the other day, said he wanted some furniture, picked out a bed, but was fifty dollars; Man was surprised and said: "Why, that bill was a duplicate of a list I had picked out at a Furniture Store down street only your goods are much newer and they wanted seventy odd dollars." He had made twenty dollars in just a few minutes. We have his name if you want to know. Also that of men of others who have had similar experiences. Moral is shown in our illustration.

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KLUTZ' FIRE SALE

A deeper cut in price on everything left here now to sell everything out quick.

Silks, Dress Goods, Brilliantines, Ribbons, Corsets, Kid Gloves, Laces, and

And many other articles at a most low price.
 You must be double quick now if you want to get some of these great bargains at

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 Cures Colds, Prevents Pneumonia

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Future have an expert piano tuner with me from the well known house of Thomas & Barton Co., Augusta, Ga.

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Horse Health!

For putting in prime condition any horse or mule the best of all remedies is Ashcraft's Condition Powders.

Ashcraft's Condition Powders consist of small doses, prepared from the purest and highly concentrated ingredients.

Ashcraft's Condition Powders—always high grade—are not to be classed with the many bulky, good-for-everything powders now on the market.

Ask for Ashcraft's, the kind put up in doses and good for horses and mules only!

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Our Reputation

is stated on the assertion that the first case of the

GROVER'S GRAHAM'S DISPENSIA REMEDY

will instantly remove all distress due to a faulty digestive system.

In Justice

to yourself try it to-day. It insures perfect relief and a permanent cure of the most chronic and severe cases of Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Gastritis and all forms of Stomach Distress.

25 YEARS

In the private practice of one of the foremost specialists of Europe and an expert of unsurpassed success as a Proprietary Medicine, that is the record of our valuable preparation.

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purifies the blood by eliminating the matter and other impurities and by destroying the germs and microbes that pollute the blood.

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FIRE SALE

Did you know there was a big fire sale going on at our store below H. W. Hamer's?

Hard to believe. Officer J. R. Anderson is now fully convinced however.

Remember the name—Dean's Kidney Pills—when you buy.

Bewley Hardware Co.

S. R. LATHAN, FIRE INSURANCE

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Also Purifies the Blood. Don't be deceived. There is a cure for this. It is necessary that Dr. Fenner's Kidney Cure be used.

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As it stimulates the heart, increases the circulation and invigorates the whole system. It strengthens the urinary organs and gives you new life and vigor.



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