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THE LANTERN.

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CHESTER, S. C., TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 1906.

PUBLISHED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.
Subscription Price, \$3.00 Cash.

BIG REDUCTION SALE CONTINUES!

Hundreds hourly securing the most Gigantic Bargains Ever Before Dangled in the Face of a Chester County Public.

100 Doz. White Bordered Handkerchiefs 1c

\$25,000

Worth of High Grade dependable merchandise, Dry Goods, Notions, Ready-to-Wear Clothing for Women and Children. Must be sold in 10 Days at less than actual cost of raw material.

SHOES

Judging from the way the Ladies are buying our Oxfords they must be the correct styles and remarkably cheap, as the season has hardly begun, they are a good investment. Don't fail to get in on the ground floor. Few more furious selling days which will end April 28th, 9 p. m. E. A. Crawford, Chester, S. C., where the White Canvas sign adorns the front.

**MILLINERY
37 per ct
REDUCTION**

I have received the newest and latest creations in Ready-to-Wear Street Hats; also Milan's, in all shapes, latest colors.

RIBBONS---The kind that has never been seen in this part of the country before, will, like everything else, be sold at a 37 per cent reduction.

E. A. CRAWFORD, CHESTER, S. C.

Ladies' Black and Tan Lace, and Plain Hose, worth 15c pair, during this gigantic sale.....4c

This is my first Reduction sale and when I say your dollar does double its duty you can rest assured it's true. The best and greatest value on earth stares you in the face. The only question is can you, dare you, in justice to yourself, overlook a chance like this to save two-thirds the price you will be obliged to pay the regular dealer in high grade merchandise for men, women and children. Use good common sense with which nature has endowed you. Come and see with your own eyes and be convinced. Never again will you have such a golden opportunity to dress in such rich raiment at a trifling cost. The opening day will be a gala day. Bring the children. It will pay you, to come 100 miles to visit this sale. We shall put forth such offerings that no matter what the weather conditions may be, you must and will be here and get your share. When you take into consideration that this sale is of still more importance to the people ever held in Chester County, and also the very largest sale, it will convey to you some idea of the marvelous bargains that we offer to the public. The prices we quote below are only a few of the many thousands of bargains, but will give you an idea of the many values that await your coming. Remember, no postponements. This Gigantic Sale will positively close in ten days. All goods herein priced can be brought back at any time during this sale and exchanged, or our money refunded for the asking.

**Clark's Thread
8 Spools
19 Cents**

37 cts ON THE DOLLAR 37 cts

Millinery	Staples	Specials	Shoes	Men's Hats
Milan Straw Sailors and fancy shapes that are the prevailing style of the season, positively worth 1.25, now..... 70c	10000 yards of Checked Home-spreads, best colors, positively worth 5c, now..... 3c	Two papers of Pins, positively worth 5c, now..... 3c	Ladies' Viet Pat Tip Oxfords, positively worth 1.25, now..... 80c	Men's Cig. Hats in all colors, positively worth from 50 to 75c, your pick..... 25c
Neapolitan Hats, prettiest creation of the millinery art, in all shapes and shades, a trimmed dress hat, positively worth 3.00, now..... 2.25	10000 yards of Checked Home-spreads, best colors, positively worth 5c, now..... 3c	10000 White Bordered Handkerchiefs, positively worth 1.25, now..... 80c	Ladies' Viet Pat Turn Sole Oxfords, white tips, positively worth 2.00, now..... 1.60	Men's Old Dominion Hats, positively worth 2.00, now..... 1.25
Horse Hair Braided Turbans, the crown of the age, all trimmed, positively worth 3.00, now..... 1.83	10000 yards of Checked Home-spreads, best colors, positively worth 5c, now..... 3c	10000 White Bordered Handkerchiefs, positively worth 1.25, now..... 80c	Ladies' Pat. Leather Bin (a) fords, positively worth 3.00, now..... 2.10	The Famous Jefferson Special, the 3.00 hat the world over, now 1.80
Chiffon Shapes, positively worth 2.50, your choice at..... 1.43	10000 yards of Checked Home-spreads, best colors, positively worth 5c, now..... 3c	10000 White Bordered Handkerchiefs, positively worth 1.25, now..... 80c	Ladies' Hand made Pat. Leather Hats, latest style, positively worth 3.50, now..... 2.25	Our One Piece Silk lined Special, positively worth 1.25, now 80c
Dress Goods	Wash Fabrics	Linens	Ladies' Viet Kid Lace Shoes, positively worth 1.50, now..... 1.10	Imitation Panama Hats, positively worth 1.25, now..... 80c
Voiles, in the most beautiful shades, positively worth 20c, now..... 11c	Dotted Swiss, positively worth 11c, now..... 7c	40 doz Towels, positively worth 8c, now..... 5c	Ladies' Viet Pat Tip Lace Shoes, positively worth 1.75, now..... 1.20	Straw Hats, positively worth 1.50, now..... 1.04
Silk Voiles, assorted colors, 20 inches wide, positively worth 25c, now..... 13c	Mercedized Washings, positively worth 20c, now..... 12c	40 doz Towels, positively worth 8c, now..... 5c	Men's Pat. Viet Bl. low quarters, positively worth 1.40, now..... 2.80	Straw Hats, positively worth 1.50, now..... 1.04
40 inch Jacquards, in all patterns and latest shades, positively worth 30c, now..... 18c	Lace Striped Lawns, positively worth 15c, now..... 11c	Imperial White Bed Spreads, positively worth 1.00, now..... 60c	Men's Pat. Viet Bl. low quarters, positively worth 1.40, now..... 2.80	India Linen, positively worth 1.50, now..... 1.04
One yard wide and the prettiest all wool Gray Dress Goods, positively worth 35c, now..... 17c	Dotted Swiss, positively worth 11c, now..... 7c	White Bed Spreads, beautiful patterns, positively worth 1.25, now..... 80c	Ladies' Dainty White Canvas Bl. Oxfords, positively worth 1.50, now..... 1.20	White India Linen, positively worth 1.50, now..... 1.04
41 inch Sevilla Crepe that makes a beautiful Dress, positively worth 30c, now..... 17c	Silk Organizes, the most beautiful designs, positively worth 40c, now..... 26c	White Bed Spreads, beautiful patterns, positively worth 1.25, now..... 80c	Men's Gun Metal Shoes, positively worth 5.00, now..... 3.10	White India Linen, positively worth 1.50, now..... 1.04
Black Serges, positively worth 20c, now..... 11c	Viola's Satins, in all colors and designs, positively worth 8c, now..... 5c	Turkey Bed Table Damask, positively worth 2.00, now..... 1.09	Men's Light Weight Underwear, positively worth 1.00, now..... 60c, your pick at..... 37c	India Linen, positively worth 1.50, now..... 1.04
24 inch all wool Tapes, in all shades, positively worth 30c, now..... 19c	Organizes, in all colors and assorted patterns, positively worth 1.00, now..... 60c	White Table Linen, bleached, positively worth 2.00, now..... 1.10	Men's Underwear, in all colors and sizes, positively worth from 50c to 75c, your pick..... 37c	India Linen, positively worth 1.50, now..... 1.04
28 inch Broadies, nice patterns, 28 inches wide, positively worth 25c, now..... 16c	Organizes, Versailles, assorted patterns and shades, positively worth 1.00, now..... 60c	72 inch Satin Damask Table Linen, positively worth 3.00, now..... 1.60		India Linen, positively worth 1.50, now..... 1.04
36 inch Melrose Chertons, in all colors, positively worth 30c, now..... 18c	Thous de Luxe Organizes, in all colors and assorted patterns, the world's prettiest creations, positively worth 30c, now..... 19c	Superior Pure Linen, positively worth 75c, now..... 50c		India Linen, positively worth 1.50, now..... 1.04
36 inch wide Brillantine, Michalm, Henriettes, in all the latest patterns and plain colors, consisting of white, gray and blue, positively worth from 50c to 75c, your choice at..... 28c	Laces and Embroideries	Flowers		India Linen, positively worth 1.50, now..... 1.04
22 inch Opens Crepe, in all colors, positively worth 20c, now..... 10c	At prices that will astonish you. They are too numerous to mention. Write to me, for full list. Don't fail to supply yourself.	They are too numerous and too pretty to mention, for lack of space. Don't fail to see them.		India Linen, positively worth 1.50, now..... 1.04

Fare Paid to Chester and Back to Every Purchaser of Twenty-Five Dollars and Over. Look for the Big White Canvas Front.

OUR GUARANTEE---We assure each and every purchaser **ABSOLUTE SATISFACTION**. We guarantee every garment, every price and every statement here made. One price to all. Every article in the house marked in plain figures. You know our reputation for fair dealing; we need no introduction.

Let Nothing Keep You Away
The hour is set, the date you know. The greatest sale ever held in South Carolina is on at Chester.
Ending Sat. April 28th.

This is my First Big Reduction Sale---Don't fail to come and I will show you what I say is true.
E. A. CRAWFORD, CHESTER, S. C.
Look for the Big White Canvas Front.

White Canvas Oxfords 89c.
A sale without a counter-part or parallel. A sale that will blaze a trail through the tangled meshes of competition, annihilating high prices. Do not miss this sale.



THE PUBLIC

Is fast finding out that WE are the people to buy the BEST FITTING and the BEST QUALITY of Clothing from for the LEAST MONEY.

Our Clothing is ALL NEW, no old goods to select from. If you buy from us you are sure to get Up-to-Date Styles for LESS MONEY.

HAFNER BROTHERS



YOU SEE IT'S LIKE THIS

When Robinson repairs your Watches, Clocks and Jewelry you are satisfied, If not your money is cheerfully refunded.

Have Robinson Do Your Repair Work AND BE SATISFIED

Decorate Your Homes

Nothing is so pretty and inexpensive as Glasseine.

W. R. Nail's Red Racket Store.

Are You Tired? Eat A Pound of Candy.

WHAT IS GLASSEINE?

Glasseine is an imported article, a new discovery, by which your windows, doors, private apartments, etc., both in dwellings, churches and offices, can be decorated, giving the same effect as expensive cathedral glass, at one-tenth its cost.

By Scripps-McRae Press Association.
New York, Feb. 6.—If you get that tired feeling, eat a pound of candy or take a line of cooking soda. This is what Prof. F. S. Lee advised in a lecture to the biology section of the Academy of Sciences Monday night at the American Museum of Natural History.

HAMILTON'S BOOK STORE.

Remember the price is only 10c per pound.
W. R. Nail's Red Racket Store.

Dr. T. L. Davis, Osteopathic Physician.

FOR MILLINERY

Remember the price is only 10c per pound.
F. M. Nail's Valley Racket Store.

Your Lawyer Drinks
Pike's
"IT SATISFIES"

Our stock of Millinery is better this spring than ever before and we have secured the services of **MISS MARY HARRISON**, who is an artist in the millinery line. We guarantee up-to-date styles and work.
F. M. NAIL.

THE LANTERN.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION:
TWO DOLLARS A YEAR, CASH.

TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 1906.

LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Maggie Gladden spent yesterday as her home as Fort Lawn.

Mrs. Mary Conley and son, Floyd, went to Rock Hill Saturday to spend a few days.

Miss Lita Smith has returned from a visit of several weeks with her sister in Spartanburg.

Mrs. Annie Ward went to Bessemer, Ga., Saturday to spend a few days with relatives.

Miss Mollie Fincher has returned to her home at Rock Hill after a visit of several days with Miss Maggie Ogilvie.

Mrs. F. M. Hicklin and baby, of Bessemer, have returned from a week's visit to her son and Mr. Hicklin's sister in Charleston.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson, of Charlotte, who have been visiting relatives at Lenoir, passed through yesterday morning on their return home.

Mrs. Emma Hollis and baby, of Greenville, came over Saturday to spend a week with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Simpson, on West Lake street.

Mr. W. R. Brown returned Saturday morning from Grover, N. C., to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. E. C. Gladden.

Mrs. J. B. Simpson and Miss Agnes Simpson, of Bessemer, came over yesterday to spend a few days with relatives and will return this afternoon.

Mr. Ernest Gladden has returned to his work in Klutz's store, after a absence of about three weeks at his home at Grover, N. C., on account of the illness and death of his mother.

Mr. J. K. McDaniel has given up his position at S. M. Jones & Co.'s store on account of his health and moved back to the farm at Knox Station yesterday.

Mrs. Sallie McDowell, of Knox Station, came over Friday morning on account of the illness and death of Miss Allen Wylie and returned yesterday morning.

HOUSE TO RENT—Apply to Mrs. J. B. Anderson, 117 1/2 N. 10th.

Dr. W. M. Crawford, who is generally known, has been in bad health for the past few months, had to undergo a surgical operation last Wednesday, his left leg being amputated midway between the knee and ankle. The operation, which was made necessary by the dangerous condition of the limb, was successfully performed by Dr. Fryor at his sanatorium in Chester, where Dr. Crawford has been under treatment for some time.—Lancaster News.

TO THE PEOPLE.

As a great many farmers have been too busy planting cotton to visit my store, I have decided to continue through the week. While I have not plenty of dry goods, clothing and hats, most of the best goods have been brought from the city of Chester and the neighboring towns, some come with a long distance, returning much more heavily laden with bargains and better quality. Yours for the people, J. T. Collins.

BLUE SERGE, single and double breasted, two piece suits, Rag pants—Collins' big Spring Opening Sale.

Messrs. B. A. Mangum & Co., have decided to conduct a restaurant along with their grocery business, and have begun to make preparations. It is their purpose to conduct a first class cafe, and they propose to make a strong pull for their part of the business.

NOW is the time to get your Oxford, the "Harry," the kind that's sold in reduction at the Big Spring Opening Sale. J. T. Collins.

Messrs. Crawford Brown and Albert Ferguson, who have been working for the Mutual Benefit Association for several months, have accepted positions with the Metropolitan Life Insurance company. The former left for Lancaster yesterday morning and the latter for Yorkville this morning to begin their new work.

NOW is the time to buy your Oxford, the "Harry," the kind that's sold in reduction at the Big Spring Opening Sale. J. T. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gibson, of Oakridge, were in town yesterday.

Mr. C. H. Alexander, of Union, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. T. B. Woods.

Mr. S. H. Sherer and sons, Masters Luther and Moffat, of Sharon, S. C., spent yesterday in the city.

Mrs. A. E. Holler and son, of Cornwall, were among the visitors in town yesterday.

Mr. J. L. Simmons has returned from a two days' visit to relatives in New York.

Mrs. J. D. Hoopang and children returned yesterday from a visit to friends at Richburg.

Mr. J. M. Coleman and mother, Mrs. Mattson returned yesterday morning from a few days' visit at Woodward.

Mrs. S. B. Stevenson, of Blackstock, spent yesterday and last night with her sister, Mrs. William Kennedy, on Branch street.

Miss Mabel Johnson returned to Charlotte Saturday, after a week's visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Johnson.

Miss Eugenia Walker returned to Bethany High School yesterday afternoon after a few days' visit with home folks.

Mr. F. M. Hicklin, of Bessemer, who has been confined at home for several weeks with a severe attack of grippe was in town yesterday.

Miss Sallie McCarty, of Blackstock, came up Saturday to visit Mr. Hugh McCarty's family a few miles north-west of town, and returned yesterday morning.

Mrs. J. M. McConnell, of Davidson college, went to McConnellville yesterday morning to spend a while with Mr. McConnell's parents, after a few days' visit with Dr. and Mrs. H. B. McConnell.

The York street juveniles went down impudently Friday afternoon before the heavy buzzing and the falling of the Pinokay street team. The score for the full nine innings was 19 to 6.

Lands will become a branch point for the Life Insurance Company of Virginia in this city. Mr. W. S. Chaplin will give one or two days of each week to the work, and the business will be carried on the books of the company in this city.

ONION SEEDS and all kind of garden seeds at the Chester Drug Co., 215 N. 10th.

Mariner Visits Printing Office. During the still hours of Sabbath night or the early watches of yesterday morning some mariners raised one of the rear windows in the mechanical department of The Lantern and proceeded to inspect the place. It seems to have been an inspection merely, for nothing so far as we have yet discovered was stolen, the mariner, perhaps new to a printing office, continuing himself with looking around. However, it was some time before we came to this conclusion as to the safety of our apparatus, and we prefer to let the future that such visits be made in the day time.

BOGS FOR SETTING—From one single comb, white and brown Leghorn, 100 for the lot. Warren H. Frazier, Williamsboro, S. C. 2-20-1m-24

Death of a Little Girl. Little Allen Wylie, aged 8 years, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wylie, died at her home near the Southern depot Friday night after a brief illness. The little girl was in her usual health until just a day or two previous, when she was seized with a deadly yellow chill, through which everything was done to save her life the result could not be changed, and the little life had to go. Allen was a beautiful child, and her parents and two sisters are sorely grieved. The body was taken to Union church near Richburg Saturday afternoon and interred there, Rev. H. A. Lomax conducting the funeral.

An Engagement Announced. In the Charlotte Observer appears the following announcement which will be of interest to Chester people. Dr. and Mrs. W. G. H. Wylie, of New York, announce the engagement of their niece, Miss Edna Harris McClure, to Mr. Thomas Branch McKee, of Richmond, Va. The wedding will take place in October. Miss McClure has lived in Charlotte for the last year, making her home with Mr. and Mrs. George H. Brockert, on South Tryon street. She is a charming young woman and has made a large number of friends since coming here. Mr. McKee is a young business man of Richmond.

HENLEY SERGE. Sensational price this week at F. Collins' 13c.

Another Store Closed. The store of Mr. J. W. Wix, in the Valley, was entered, presumably Saturday night or early Sabbath morning, and though none of the stock could be missed there was ample evidence to show that there had been an intruder in the building. The marauder was evidently in search of money, as he had opened the cash drawer and had also made efforts to open the safe. Mr. Wix had fortunately placed all of his cash in the latter receptacle and in consequence nothing was taken.

The burglar evidently had a key to the place as he went in at the front door. He was evidently frightened away before completing the job, as he left the door ajar.

LOST—Flash caps, between post office and Springfield, N. C. Reward if left at this office. 24-2p-2d

When the time for the throwing of the free goods arrived Saturday morning, the crowd made wise by the program of the morning several hundred gathered in such numbers in front of E. A. Crawford's as to block the street. As an introduction to the events of the morning several announcements were made through a megaphone, and the fun was on. And there was fun. As the proceeds came hurrying down through the air the eyes of the crowd glistened with excitement and the breast heaved with hope. The sons of Ham captured almost everything that was coming. A whirl in the air as a pair of shoes descended in meteoric flight, and in a puff the African was upon them. The fun lasted for several minutes, and then the crowds went into the store for the attack on the bargain.

WANTED—By U. S. Army, able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages 18 and 35, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, in West Trade St., Raleigh, N. C., or to Recruiting Officer, in Ashville, N. C., or to Glenn Building, Hickory, N. C., or Glenn Building, Spartanburg, S. C. 1-15-2p

LUMBER, SHINGLES

AND ALL KINDS OF BUILDING MATERIALS

FOR SALE BY

John C. Stewart

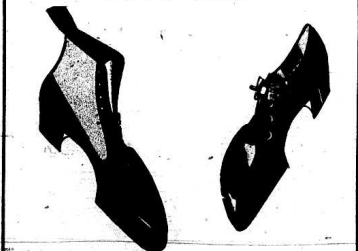
Rear McCullough & Ferguson's Phone 13

All the new \$1.50 copy-righted novels are sold in other stores at \$1.08 Klutz's price 98c.

CHESTER'S LARGEST STORE

Keith's Konqueror Shoes SPECIALS

FOR MEN FOR THIS WEEK



- Octagon Soap, 4 cents a bar.
- Yard wide White Homespun, 5 cents the yard. Same quality other merchants get 6 1/2 and 7 cents the yard.
- Arm and Hammer Brand Soda at 4 cents the package.
- 5 cent Gingham at 2 1/2 cents the yard.
- Nottingham Lace Curtains, worth 65 cents, Klutz's special price 38 cents; this week only.
- 10 cents Decorative Paper, this week only 5 cents the roll.
- Ladies' 50 cents Underskirts reduced to 25 cents.
- An excellent Undervest, 5 cents.
- Nice Tablet, good paper, only 1 cent.
- Tape Measure, one cent.
- Paper Pins, one cent.
- Package Needles, excellent quality, one cent.
- A serviceable Coat hanger, one cent.
- Buggy and Carriage Bolt, one cent.
- Door Latch, one cent.
- 3 bars Ark Soap, 5 cents.
- Excellent Matting, worth 15 cents, our price 10 cents.
- 20 cent Matting Samples, Klutz's price, 5 cents a sample.
- Half Wool Carpet Samples reduced to 25 cents a sample.
- Boys' Suspenders, 5 cents a pair.

Prices \$3.50 and \$4.00
Linings moulded to normal lasts, no wrinkles, a wide tread, full play for all the toes, body weight evenly distributed.

MILLINERY

Our Ready-to-wear Millinery is the talk of the town among the ladies. We have almost any description of hats. Sold from one-fourth to one-fifth less than any millinery store in Chester.

Millinery that will please—that's what we sell. Unfashionable gewgaws—mere conglomerations of straw and feathers and flowers that no lady would desire have no place in our stock. We make a specialty of Trimmed and Ready-to-wear Hats. We can certainly save you money on a beautiful Spring Hat.

These Fleisher Clothes

Are Full of the Know-How of Good Tailoring.

They're built with brains and judgment as well as with thread and shears. Made of the same good materials as any other good clothes, but it's the way they're put together that makes them better value than any other at like the prices around town.

We guarantee the Clothes to live up to every claim we've made for them. A good suit for as little as \$6.00.

BAD COPY

Accidents Will Happen Use SLOAN'S LINIMENT

For Sprains, Bruises, Sore Muscles, Cuts, Burns & Scalds

AMI Dealers Price 25¢ 50¢ 1.00

Dr. Earl S. Sloan

IN BUYING NOTE THE PACKAGE, THE NAME TELLS THE QUALITY. IF IT'S CHASE & SANBORN'S HIGH GRADE COFFEE IT'S THE BEST

McKEE BROS.,
Sole Agents.

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Coughs, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

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ATTORNEY AT LAW
Office Over the Exchange Bank,
Chester, S. C.

Government Ownership.

"I do not insist that permitting the private ownership of railroads was an irreparable mistake in fact, but it is a miscalculation of judgment in the opinion of the writer that under private ownership the roads were developed faster and better than they are under public ownership. And we may say that, without at all prejudicing our case, that in the evolution of railroad private ownership was best at the start. This is not a capital of demonstration—but we need not quarrel over it.

"Railroads are a highway, and a highway is one of the attributes of sovereignty. Whoever owns the highway, the road is to that extent a sovereign. And under our aggravated system of laissez faire ownership and control ways of a doctor, except with the slightest modification. Hence, with private ownership of railroads, it was inevitable that we would reach just such a state of affairs as the following pictures. Why shouldn't representatives of these railroads and their allied purveyors sit here together? The state of things looks like a state of things which the state should supervise over the principal avenue for the distribution of commodities, and under our highly developed system of production, with extreme division of labor, a great distribution of commodities is absolutely essential. With power to tax at will users of highways their owners can control, in a great measure, all productive industry. Charles G. De France, in April Watson's Magazine.

Statistics show that Georgia and South Carolina are now using more commercial fertilizers than were used by the whole southern section ten years ago. **Excluded Advertiser.**

COFFAGE FOR SALE—Five rooms, Lancaster street, near South end depot. Enquire at Lancaster office.

Announcements

For Alderman.

Ward 1.
R. L. Douglas is hereby announced as a candidate for Alderman from Ward 1.

Ward 2.
J. C. Robinson is hereby announced as a candidate for Alderman from Ward 2.

Ward 3.
We are authorized to announce W. H. Murray as a candidate for reelection as Alderman from Ward 3.

The friends of S. D. Scarborough hereby announce him as a candidate for Councilman from Ward 3.

Ward 4.
J. S. Booth is hereby announced as a candidate for Alderman from Ward 4.
H. S. Heyman is hereby nominated for reelection as Alderman for Ward 4.
MART VOZZA.

DOCTORS IN TRUST?

The "National Druggist" Says, Register, "Being Made on Proprietary Medicines."

St. Louis, Mo., April 17.—The National Druggist, published in this city, has just issued its regular drug trade, expressed in its issue for March what it purports to be a confidential review of the medicine business in this country.

"In an article in the Journal of the American Medical Association, September 1, 1906, page 100, doctors are told that there is a risk that proprietary medicines should be delisted from the market. In the present issue of the Journal, the article is repeated, and it is stated that this is the real animus of the attacks being made, at the instigation of physicians, on 'patent' or proprietary medicines.

"The National Druggist in order to show that the physicians, instead of one or two Eastern magazines, are really the moving power in magazine attacks and legislative raids against 'patent' or proprietary medicines, prints the resolutions adopted by the American Medical Association calling on physicians everywhere to assist in securing legislation that would make it impossible for manufacturers of 'patent' or proprietary medicines to conduct business, except under conditions dictated by the physicians. These resolutions are as follows:

"Resolved, That the committee on legislation of the American Medical Association be and is hereby directed to bring the influence of the entire medical profession to bear in securing the enactment by the various state legislatures of an act, as nearly as possible uniform, providing that all 'patent' or proprietary medicines shall carry an exact formula of their contents plainly printed on each original package and make the contents conform to the formula.

"Resolved, That the said committee memorialize congress to enact a law which shall prescribe that all 'patent' or proprietary medicines and all advertising matter relating to the same which shall fail to comply with the foregoing conditions shall be excluded from the United States mails and from interstate commerce."

After publishing these resolutions the journal publishes extracts from several medical journals to substantiate the charge that the agitation is caused by necessary motives. Some of these extracts are as follows:

"The Medical Mirror, January, 1906, says: 'Conditions of medical men in the big cities are appalling. In this city (St. Louis) there are more than 1,000 doctors who are not making a decent living.

"Doctors who are sober, honest, well educated and talented are living on ten-cent lunches in the saloons, go unshaven and with shabby clothes on their backs.

"But a link is gained for us when all these facts are taken as things which are being done to us by the proprietors and patent medicines is going meretriciously in several states."

"The Medical Times, April, 1906, page 117, in a leading editorial on proprietary medicines says: 'This is a matter, not to every physician. We will merely repeat here the specific statement we have already made to the effect that in one year \$62,000,000 has been expended on patent medicines in the United States, enough to give every practitioner in the country a year's income of \$7,000."

"The fact of these facts as these all testify of love of humanity, altruism, self-sacrifice and the like become cheap and nauseating."

"It appears to us that such bombast should give place to homely common sense."

"Dr. Horace G. Wood, Jr., one of the leaders in the present crusade in

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MUNN & CO., 361 Broadway, New York

Life-Journal of the American Medical Association, June 10, 1906, makes a scathing attack on the present system of advertising proprietaries, and says the advertising represents just so much as coming out of the pockets of the patient.

"In an article in the Journal of the American Medical Association, September 1, 1906, page 100, doctors are told that there is a risk that proprietary medicines should be delisted from the market. In the present issue of the Journal, the article is repeated, and it is stated that this is the real animus of the attacks being made, at the instigation of physicians, on 'patent' or proprietary medicines.

"The National Druggist in order to show that the physicians, instead of one or two Eastern magazines, are really the moving power in magazine attacks and legislative raids against 'patent' or proprietary medicines, prints the resolutions adopted by the American Medical Association calling on physicians everywhere to assist in securing legislation that would make it impossible for manufacturers of 'patent' or proprietary medicines to conduct business, except under conditions dictated by the physicians. These resolutions are as follows:

"Resolved, That the committee on legislation of the American Medical Association be and is hereby directed to bring the influence of the entire medical profession to bear in securing the enactment by the various state legislatures of an act, as nearly as possible uniform, providing that all 'patent' or proprietary medicines shall carry an exact formula of their contents plainly printed on each original package and make the contents conform to the formula.

"Resolved, That the said committee memorialize congress to enact a law which shall prescribe that all 'patent' or proprietary medicines and all advertising matter relating to the same which shall fail to comply with the foregoing conditions shall be excluded from the United States mails and from interstate commerce."

After publishing these resolutions the journal publishes extracts from several medical journals to substantiate the charge that the agitation is caused by necessary motives. Some of these extracts are as follows:

"The Medical Mirror, January, 1906, says: 'Conditions of medical men in the big cities are appalling. In this city (St. Louis) there are more than 1,000 doctors who are not making a decent living.

"Doctors who are sober, honest, well educated and talented are living on ten-cent lunches in the saloons, go unshaven and with shabby clothes on their backs.

"But a link is gained for us when all these facts are taken as things which are being done to us by the proprietors and patent medicines is going meretriciously in several states."

"The Medical Times, April, 1906, page 117, in a leading editorial on proprietary medicines says: 'This is a matter, not to every physician. We will merely repeat here the specific statement we have already made to the effect that in one year \$62,000,000 has been expended on patent medicines in the United States, enough to give every practitioner in the country a year's income of \$7,000."

"The fact of these facts as these all testify of love of humanity, altruism, self-sacrifice and the like become cheap and nauseating."

"It appears to us that such bombast should give place to homely common sense."

"Dr. Horace G. Wood, Jr., one of the leaders in the present crusade in

A Lucky Postmistress

Miss Alexander, of Cary, Me., who has found the winning ticket in the 11th to be the best remedy she ever tried for the Stomach, Liver and Bowels in perfect order. You'll agree with her if you try this pathetic sufferer from the life. It was sent by the Chester Drug Co. and is sold by C. G. Wood, Jr., 370 S. 25th St.

Half of His Fee.

John had the name of being the jolliest man in town. But tonight, when he was apparently the worst night in the year, he was in a long face, and he was his cab door open for the minister to enter. John's chief amusements was so noticeable that the minister inquired if he were thinking of the work of cleaning of the mud in the morning.

"No, it is not the work that I'm thinking of. It could make as much as you this evening I wouldn't mind a bit."

"Well," replied the minister, "I am to marry a couple this evening, and I'll give you half of my fee for driving me out and back."

"It is a deal," replied John.

After an hour of dainty driving through cold and rain John drew up in front of a small house in which the service was to take place. It was two long hours of cold waiting before the minister entered the cab, and the noise drove was made. With a spirit of expectancy John once more opened the cab door in front of the minister's house. The minister stepped out, and as he entered his own door he turned and said to John:

"Five hundred thanks, John," leaving the bewildered cabman to figure out what his exact fee had been—San Francisco Chronicle.

Is the Moon Inhabited.

Science has proven that the moon has an atmosphere, which makes it habitable for man. It was two but not for human beings, who have had enough time on this earth to know that Electric Bitters cure Headache, Nervousness, Stomach and Liver Troubles, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Torpid Liver, Kidney complaints, General Debility and Female weakness. Unequalled as a general Tonic and especially for the aged. It induces sound sleep. Fully guaranteed by the Chester Drug Co. and Johnston & Gay's Drug Store. Price only 50c.

Mica Mining.

Mica mining is one of the greatest industries in North Carolina. Mica is found in all sorts of blocks of various thicknesses and shapes and can be split and split almost at infinitum until it becomes the thin, flexible water of commerce. The material is by nature imbedded or scattered through the feldspar in masses large or small, close together or far apart, and is blasted from the rocks by means of dynamite, the purer veins being found between walls of slate. From the mines it is taken to the shops, where it is split into thin sheets, trimmed into regular forms and made ready for the market, the price varying with the size and color of the sheets. The average size is about 4 by 8, though rare sizes of 2 by 12 inches are sometimes found.

—Sick.

—Sick headache results from a derangement of the stomach and is cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, sold by all Druggists.

Stopping The Paper.

"I've stopped my paper, yes I have. I didn't like to do it. But the editor got so smart. And I allow he'll rue it. I'm a man as pays my debts. An' I won't be insolvent. So when an editor gets so smart, I want to be consulted. I took his paper 'leven years, An' he helped me out 'leven times. An' when it comes to dunnin' me, I didn't think he would, sir; But that he did, an' you can bet it made me not so at all. He says I, I'll stop that sheet, I will if I can't stop this one under! I hunted up the money whelp, And for his credit's sake, I paid them 'leven years an' quit. Yes, sir, I've stopped his paper!"

—National Printer-Journalist.

REFRIGERATORS

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J. R. Alexander,
The Cut Price Grocer.

Very Low Rates to New Orleans via Seaboard Air Line Railway Account Confederate Veterans Reunion.

Account of the Confederate veterans reunion to be held in New Orleans April 20-27, 1906, the Seaboard Air Line Railway will sell round trip excursion tickets at rate of one (1) cent per mile, plus twenty (20) cents for the round trip. Tickets to be sold April 25, 26 and 27, good to return until April 30, 1906, or by depositing ticket with special agent, Theatre Arcade, New Orleans, La., not earlier than 9:00 a. m. April 28, nor later than 9:00 p. m. April 30. The minimum amount of a fee of fifty (50) cents, return limit may be extended until May 21, 1906.

Side trip tickets will be sold from New Orleans to all points in the territory east of the Mississippi River, or south and west of a line drawn from Memphis, Tenn., through Norfolkville, Bowling Green, Ky., Nashville, Tenn., Atlanta, Augusta and Savannah, Ga., at rate of one first-class fare, plus twenty (20) cents for the round-trip, return limit of side trip tickets May 15, 1906.

For further information regarding rates and conditions of travel, apply to Seaboard Air Line Ticket Agent, Mrs. E. B. Christie, 115 Exchange Street, New Orleans, La., or Gen'l Passenger Agent, 115 N. Canal Street, New Orleans, La.