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THE LANTERN

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION: TWO DOLLARS A YEAR, CASH. Telephone - - - No. 64. FRIDAY, JULY 29, 1904.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. W. S. Robinson, of Richburg, spent Wednesday in town. Oliver Timmie spent Wednesday in Rock Hill. Miss Net Spratt has gone to Charleston to visit friends. Mr. T. M. Hughes, of Lancaster, was in town a short while on his way to Rock Hill. Mr. Bruce Patrick, of White Oak, is visiting relatives in Chester. Mr. William Fayasou, the youthful hypnotist, of Gastonia, spent Tuesday night here. Mrs. Robert Smyer and children went to Lenoir Wednesday to spend a few days. Miss Lucile and Master Willie Timmie left yesterday morning for Yorkville to spend a few weeks. S. E. McFadden, Esq., went to Cleveland Springs Wednesday to spend a few days. Miss Minnie Boulware spent Wednesday with Miss Macie McAldley. Messrs. W. S. McDonald and Mack Neely spent Sabbath at Stover. Mr. J. L. Richmond, of Winoboro, spent Wednesday night in the city. Mrs. W. A. Cranford and children are spending two weeks with relatives at Cabat. Major and Mrs. J. W. Wilkes, of Wilkesburg, were in town shopping yesterday. The Southern railway has erected a waiting shed at Evans station for the accommodation of the public. Mrs. Lena Samuels and daughter, Miss Adeline, left Tuesday for an extended trip to New Orleans, San Francisco and New York. Mrs. A. R. Long and mother, Mrs. M. S. Gordon, went to Rock Hill Wednesday and returned yesterday evening. State Constable B. E. Wright returned to Charleston yesterday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Wright and child. Mrs. McBryda Smith and Miss Nettie Stricker went to Rock Hill Wednesday to attend the encampment. Mrs. E. B. Lipford, of Baton Rouge, is spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayfield. Jim Tallford, colored, was pined on the changing Tuesday afternoon for 15 days for failure to pay his poll tax. Mr. R. L. Patrick, of White Oak, spent several hours in Chester Tuesday on his return from the teacher's summer school at Rock Hill. Rev. James Russell went to Rock Hill Wednesday to assist Rev. Thomas Spence with a meeting at the White Memorial Mission church and will return Monday. Mrs. Elizabeth Ehrlich and Miss Fannie and Mr. Morris Ehrlich returned Tuesday night from a visit to Mrs. C. R. Gladden, at Salisbury, N. C. Mrs. Rhett Sanders and son, Mr. Charles Sanders, of Houston, Texas, who have been visiting Mrs. Robert Smyer, have gone to Wilkesburg to visit other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hammond and little daughter and Miss Lilly Hook, of Columbia, who came up to attend the True-Eskew marriage, went home yesterday. Little Miss Cecie True accompanied them. Rev. J. L. Oates, of Hickory Grove, passed through yesterday morning on his way to Hopewell A. R. P. church, where he began a meeting, which will continue through Sabbath. Dr. J. M. Brice went on the excursion to Atlanta this week. The excursionists returned Wednesday tired and sleepy. Not the best order prevailed on the return trip. Miss Oney Corliss has returned from a visit of several weeks to friends at Albemarle, N. C. She was accompanied by little Miss Estelle and Merna Crowell, when she accompanied to Yorkville Wednesday.

Dr. W. DeK. Yellie spent yesterday in the city. A. G. Brice, Esq., spent Thursday at Hickory, N. C. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Alexander returned Wednesday afternoon from Hots Springs, Ark. Miss M. J. Bigham went to Cornwell Wednesday to spend a few weeks with relatives near there. Miss Carrie Poag has returned to the city after a two months stay in Columbia. Miss Eunice Simpson went to Rock Hill Wednesday to spend a few weeks with relatives. Miss Alma Wise, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Keller, left yesterday for Gaffney. Miss Mary Gibson has returned from a very pleasant visit to Cherryville and Cleveland Springs. Mrs. G. B. White left for Baltimore Wednesday night to see her sister, Mrs. I. G. Patrick. Mr. Clarence McCroary, of Cornwell, spent last night at Richburg with his father, Mr. J. T. McCroary, and returned this morning. Mrs. Emma Fulton and two children, of Larrington, arrived yesterday afternoon to visit her sister, Mrs. Joseph Lindley. Mr. N. P. Johnston has been appointed health officer, the position formerly occupied by Col. E. I. Atkinson. Capt. Hinnant, of Winoboro, passed through yesterday afternoon on his way to Baskinville to see his son, who is sick. The Chester German club gave an enjoyable german in the armory Wednesday evening, complimentary to the young ladies visiting in the city. Miss Augusta Spelt, who has been visiting Miss Belle Simril, which she returned from St. Louis, left this morning for her home in Spartanburg. Miss Bessie Westbrook is spending this week at Catawba Springs, N. C. on her return she expects to stop over with relatives in Clover. Rev. J. S. Moffatt went to Lancaster yesterday to help install Rev. P. A. Pressly pastor of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church at that place. Mrs. Raymond Ginn, of Hampton county, passed through yesterday afternoon on her way to Fort Lawn to visit her father, Mr. Peter Brunson, who lives four miles from there and who is quite sick. Rev. J. H. Yarbrough went to Jenkinsville Monday to visit his mother and to be present at the James-Scates marriage. He returned yesterday afternoon. His little daughter Kate accompanied him. Prof. L. W. Dick, who was principal of the school at Blackstock a few years ago, and who has been elected superintendent of the graded school in Abbeville, spent a few days in the city this week. Messes Oia and Estelle Gregory are visiting relatives at Fort Lawn. Misses Bass and Mammie Jones are visiting their sister, Mrs. Dr. Young, at Richburg. — Lancaster Ledger. Mr. T. W. Culp, a clever young farmer from near Fort Mill, was in Chester Wednesday on his way to Fort Lawn to visit Mr. W. C. Shurley. He will also visit at Mr. Andrew Morrison's, at De Witt, before he returns home. Mr. Zeb Mangum, who has a prominent position in a cotton mill in Greensboro, N. C., spent Tuesday in Chester with relatives. He went to Antreville, in Abbeville county Wednesday, where he will spend the remaining days of this week with Mrs. Mangum's people. Mr. J. A. Barron, undertaker for Mr. L. D. Childs, was called to his home near Triana last Saturday on account of the serious illness of his mother. On Tuesday she died. The body was buried yesterday. Mr. Barron has the sympathy of many friends in Chester. Mr. Ralph E. Grier is expected in Chester next week. He will be employed by Mr. R. R. Moffatt in the brokerage business. For the past few months Mr. Grier has been taking a business course in Columbia, preparatory to entering upon the work he is soon to take up. Just arrived, a fine assortment of fresh turnip seed, all kinds, at Jos. A. Walker's.

Episcopal Church. Services next Sunday. Morning, 11 o'clock, evening 6 o'clock. Uriel and Ford's. There will be preaching at Uriel's next Sabbath at 11 and at Ford's school house at 4 o'clock. Armenia Grave Yard. The Armenia grave yard will be cleaned off on Wednesday, August 3rd. All who are interested are requested to be there and help with the work. Committees Meet. Members of the different committees appointed for good roads picnic, will meet for consultation and hear reports at Caldwell and Gaston's offices, Monday August 1st at 4 o'clock p. m. J. M. DANIEL, chairman. Picnic near Midford. There will be a picnic at Bethesda church, near Midford, August 28th. The public is cordially invited to come and bring well filled baskets. A committee has been given exclusive right to serve refreshments on the grounds. Wilkesburg Picnic. On the occasion of the campaign meeting at Wilkesburg, Tuesday, August 2nd, there will be a barbecue and picnic. All the candidates, including those for congress, are expected to be there. The people of the regions around are invited, and the inevitable "well filled baskets" are especially solicited. James-Scates. Miss Lydia James, of Buckhead, and Mr. R. S. Scates, of Carlisle, were married in Salem Presbyterian church, Fairfield county, Wednesday evening, July 27th, at 8 o'clock. Rev. J. H. Yarbrough, of Fort Lawn, a cousin of the bride, performed the ceremony. There were eight couples of attendants and the large church was filled with friends to witness the ceremony. Mr. Scates is the superintendent and chemist of the Buffalo Lick Springs Co., at Carlisle, and they will make their home there. Mr. J. A. Owen's Father Dead. Mr. J. A. Owen received a phone message from Charlotte Wednesday evening stating that his father, Mr. W. C. Owen, had died during the day. On account of not being physically able, Mr. Owen did not go to Charlotte for the funeral. Besides Mr. J. A. Owen, of Chester, two sons and a daughter, Mr. B. O. Owen, of Orangeburg, Mr. O. J. Owen, of Lynchburg, Va., and Mrs. E. O. Nall, of Charlotte, survive their parent, who was in his 80th year. Route Number Four. Service will begin on rural free delivery route number 4 Sep. 1st. It goes out Saluda street by Eureka cotton mills, to Lynn's corner, one-fourth mile from Lewis Turnout, 6 1/2 miles; thence westerly 2 1/2 miles; north to W. O. Guy's 1 1/2 miles; west to E. L. Guy's, 1 1/4 mile; north-west and west to Little River, 2 1/2 miles; south and south-east to Chester, 8 miles—22 3/8 miles in all. It is not yet known who the carrier will be. He will leave Chester at 9 o'clock and return at 3. True-Eskew. Miss Pearl True, of this city, and Mr. John Haskin Eskew, of Greensville, were quietly married Wednesday afternoon, July 27th at 5:30 o'clock, at the home of her brother, Mr. T. W. True, on Gadsden street. The ceremony, which was performed by Dr. J. S. Moffatt, was witnessed by only a few near relatives and friends, and Mr. and Mrs. Eskew left on the 6:48 north bound train for St. Louis. The bride was married in a dress of white organdy trimmed in lace and ribbon and traveled in a suit of gray silk with lace trimmings. On their return they will make their home in Greensville. Mr. Barringer Transferred. Mail Agent D. F. Barringer, who lives on Gadsden street, has been transferred from the runs between Chester and Lenoir and Chester and Lancaster to the run between Salisbury, N. C., and Chattanooga, Tenn. He went to Greensboro yesterday to make preparations to take the new run. Mrs. Barringer and Miss Lola went to Newton, in the same time, where they will visit for a few days. A little later Mr. Barringer will move to Newton, which is on both his old and new runs. He has been in Chester for the past five years. Chester regrets to lose this family, but wishes them well in their new home.

Social Functions. About fifty young people were entertained at Mrs. Claudia Kee's last Tuesday evening in honor of her visiting young lady friends, Misses Margaret McLean, of Gastonia, and Miss Mayme Lee Grist, of Yorkville. Refreshments were served during the evening. All present enjoyed the occasion immensely. Quite a number of young people held a very delightful sociable at the home of the Misses Johnson, on Columbia street, Wednesday evening. The young people were entertained on the lawn. Those attending say that the evening was very delightfully spent. Elected Manager. At the meeting of the Springtime band Tuesday night, Mr. Abe Smith was elected business manager of the band. He will hereafter make all engagements for the band, both within and without the city, look after communications and all business connected with the band. An engagement has been made with the committee to furnish music at the Wilkesburg political picnic next Tuesday, August 2nd, and the band will be there in full force, twenty-three pieces strong. The Springtime band makes excellent music, and no doubt many will be attracted to the Wilkesburg picnic next Tuesday just to "listen to the band." Returned from Exposition. Misses Mary and Leta Hafner, Belle Simril and Augusta Spatt, and Messrs. H. W. Hafner, Walter Waters and H. H. Shannon returned Wednesday morning from St. Louis. Mr. Hafner in speaking of the trip said they had a grand time. The weather was not oppressively warm, as might be supposed, but very pleasant. They boarded with Southerners, Democrats, and felt perfectly at home. They were impressed with the sights of the exposition. On the way to St. Louis the party went by the Mammoth cave. Some of those who hadn't been there before enjoyed seeing the Mammoth cave even more than the sights of the exposition. Mr. Hafner says that he saw some of the finest crops on the way he ever saw. Restaurant Entered. Two colored boys, Boss Stitt and Joe Green, did not succeed altogether in their game Tuesday night when they entered the Whiteside restaurant, in the Valley. Mr. Sidney Fudge, who is acting policeman there days, caught them at their play. Joe Green was occupying the inside white box, west on the outside receiving the chewing gum and tobacco his partner handed out. About the time Mr. Fudge was passing along that way Joe jumped out upon the side walk. Mr. Fudge captured Boss Stitt, Joe Green made good use of the time thus allowed, and succeeded in getting away. He is thought to be still dodging about town, and doubtless will soon be picked up. Boss was given 60 days on the changing. It is very probable that these are the same persons who entered the Lindsay Mercantile company's store about a week ago. A Trip up the Road. A trip made last week up the C. & N-W. railway to Lenoir afforded a great deal of satisfaction. In the first place, there was a feeling of safety. In all the history of the C. & N-W. we believe no passenger has ever been killed or crippled. This record can hardly be attributed to chance. It can come of nothing but care in the inspection and repair of the track and rolling stock, care in the employing of the men and unceasing vigilance in every detail of every day's run. An immediate source of confidence on the trip was the fact that Capt. H. S. Russ was in touch with the bell cord and was doing the courtesies in the coaches. Capt. R. D. Smyer, in guiding the engine and Lieut. Adam Wilkes was protecting the rear. So the run was made safely as it had been made for months and years before. At Lenoir, the party stayed at Capt. Johnson's, the home of Chester people in Lenoir, and it is a delightful home. The foregoing was intended for an issue two weeks ago or more, and we had other things to add, but they are out of date now. Hair Work — Switches and braids made from hair combings. Also switches of braids ready made. — Mrs. Virginia King, nee Miss Virginia Davis, Church St. 29 1/2

AGAIN

We wish to call your attention to the fact that we are doing our part to see that the good people of Chester do not want for something good to eat and at the right price. We have to offer now a fresh stock of the following: Genuine Imported Swiss Cheese. Fin Money Pickles. "Kaiser" Syrup. Fresh line of National Biscuit Co's Package goods and Saratoga Flakes. Canned Meats of almost every description.

Do not forget that our store is THE PLACE to buy your Groceries, both Staple and Fancy.

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Just think how much you might get for your money.

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Lot of Damaged Corn Cheap—good for Hog Feed.

Closing out a lot of Corn King Peaches at 15c a can. Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk at 15c a can. Fresh fine Republic Brand & all other Peaches at cost. Also a lot of Canned Sweet Potatoes delicious, cheap. Whole grain, old Fashion Lane Hominy, 10c a can. 4 years 25c. Fresh fine Chocolate Candy 2c a lb. and 4c per lb. Fresh new fine National Biscuit Co's Crackers and Cakes. Still selling Full Cream Cheese 15c. Fresh Vegetables and Fruits. Sugar, Coffee, Grains, Corn, Meal and all the very lowest. Come and see before buying anything in our line.

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Now is a good time to have your Machinery OVERHAULED at the Country Machine Shops.

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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 not 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 lot, bill 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 lots of others who have had similar experiences. Moral is shown in our illustration.

THE NICHOLSON FURNITURE STORES

**A LITTLE DEFECT**

In the eye sight corrected in time... Watch stopped? SMERING can fix it BEST because he is a practical workman.

**FAMILY CARES.**

This information may be of value to many a mother in Chester. When there is added to the many cares inseparable from the rearing of children that affliction of weakness of the kidneys and auxiliary organs...

**An Impressive Scene.**

It was a sad ten minutes Wednesday morning... Editor of The Lantern.—Capt. MacCabe corrects a mistake that appeared in the Medium about Gen. Pender and was published in the Lantern.

**General Pender.**

ABBEVILLE, S. C. July 25, 1904. Editor of The Lantern.—Capt. MacCabe corrects a mistake that appeared in the Medium about Gen. Pender and was published in the Lantern.

**Announcements**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Chester county, subject to the result of the democratic primary. J. HENRY GLADDEN. We are authorized to announce D. Earle Colvin, a candidate for sheriff of Chester county, subject to the result of the democratic primary.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of coroner of Chester county, subject to the rules governing the democratic primary. H. M. SHANNON. The friends of D. M. Mobley, Jr., announce him as a candidate for coroner of Chester county, subject to the result of the democratic primary.

**The Longest National Convention.**

The longest political convention in our political history was the democratic national convention which was held at Charleston, S. C., in 1860. At the end of ten days it had accomplished nothing, and adjourned to meet in Baltimore.

**Strike in Eastern Cotton Mills.**

By a vote of 1,510 to 395, the Textile Workers' Union of Fall River, has decided to order a strike of cotton mill operatives on Monday next unless the spinners agree to maintain the old schedule of wages.

**For Railroad Commissioner.**

Remember on the day of the primary election that W. BOYD EVANS, Columbia, S. C., candidate for Railroad Commissioner, is the man to vote for. Unanimously endorsed by the Democratic Convention of Marion, his open hostility, and by his people who know him as the disbarred attorney, courageous and uncompromising integrity, he is in every way qualified to guard the interests of the people.

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**County Supt. of Education.**

We are authorized to announce W. Jay Williams as a candidate for county superintendent of education, subject to the result of the democratic primary. I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Education of Chester county, subject to the result of the democratic primary. W. D. KNOX.

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It accumulates the Principal sum at TEN per cent. each year. It gives claimants the option of payment of the Principal Sum in 4 per cent. 20 YEAR GOLD BONDS or Cash. It pays the Insured specified amounts for surgical operations in addition to other indemnity.

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**OSTEOPATHY IN CHESTER.** Dr. R. S. Collier, OSTEOPATH. All chronic diseases treated without knife or drugs. Examination without charge. Offices, corner Saluda and Valley Streets. R. L. DOUGLAS, Attorney at Law, with J. B. Marion, Office over The Exchange Bank, Chester, S. C.

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