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# THE LANTERN.

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CHESTER, S. C., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1908.

Made By  
Hackney Bros., Wilson, N. C.

COMPANY A, 17TH REGIMENT.  
Sketches of the Men and Movements  
of the Company From Enlistment to  
the End of the War.

(Continued)

I will here relate an amusing incident. At Messy hall a station on the railroad where we camped. We bought a young goose. I got an old woman near by to cook it. I had a small fire and she cooked it. I thought Magell would like it, so I took the goose with me and went to see it. I told him I had a goose for breakfast and he said he would like to eat it. I told him I had a goose for breakfast and he said he would like to eat it. I told him I had a goose for breakfast and he said he would like to eat it.

with his rail. It was costly and accomplished nothing so far as injury to the Confederacy was concerned. It is true we lost a few good men, but we lost more in land and wounded than we did. In two days the railroad was running as usual. They had a duplicate of the bridge already made, and commenced to erect it the next morning.

**How to Avoid Appendicitis**  
Most victims of appendicitis are those who are violently constipated. Orin Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels, and restores the natural action of the bowels. Orin Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or grip and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Letcher's Pharmacy.

**In the Grand Stand.**  
Shortly after Bob and Nellie had finished their meal, Nellie started to go to a ball game. "I just got on baseball," she told Bob. "You like to sit on the benches, where he could see better and seats were cheaper. When a fellow is out of the game he'll be better off in the grand stand. The cost of everything else is less."

"What's that?" asked Nellie, as a batter poked up a little fly ball at the catcher. "That's a foul," said Bob. "A foul? Oh, my. And what's that?" "That's the plate, the home plate." "Oh, Bob, what did he do then?" "Oh, Nellie, he hit the ball with his hands, so he was out of the game." "That's a foul," said Bob. "A foul? Oh, my. And what's that?" "That's the plate, the home plate."

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**The New Pure Food and Drug Law.**  
We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Syrup is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug Law. This law is designed to protect the public from harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. Letcher's Pharmacy.

**Hiring Political Workers.**  
They say that a candidate for one of the minor offices in this county hired four men to work for him. In one of his small villages at the first primary, at \$1.50 a day, and that he got exactly four votes at that box. The returns show that he did get the four votes on that day. It was not a bad investment, that happened to a candidate in this county before the war. In those days one could vote anywhere in the county he pleased. This candidate went from Newberry to Pomaria on election day, carrying along a friend to work for him. When he got to the polls he was found that the candidate had only one vote at Pomaria. The friend took an early opportunity to see him and said, "If I had been for me, I would not have got a single vote at Pomaria." The candidate replied with considerable disgust and some heat that he put his vote in himself, and this friend was caught.—Newberry Observer.

**Barbecued Ham.**  
Cut rather thick slices of cold boiled ham and lay them in a frying pan. Cook on both sides until they begin to crisp. Add the slices and then pour a hot dash. Add 1/2 lb of fat in the pan four tablespoons of vinegar, a salt-spoonful of English mustard, and a dash of Tabasco. Then pour a dash of black pepper. Roll up once over the ham, let it stand covered for a couple of minutes and add the Tabasco. Then pour a dash of black pepper. Roll up once over the ham, let it stand covered for a couple of minutes and add the Tabasco. Then pour a dash of black pepper. Roll up once over the ham, let it stand covered for a couple of minutes and add the Tabasco.

**From Evans' Home.**

John Gary Evans has been defeated for United States senator for a fourth time. His defeat is by an overwhelming majority perhaps the greatest that has ever been cast for a candidate for a major office in the history of the primary system in South Carolina. He is defeated by a man previously unknown in politics. He carried only two counties of the 12 in the state. One of these is the county of his residence, where his majority is only one. As compared with 3,000 votes for him and as compared with 120 received in his last previous race. His defeat is crushing final and conclusive.

His conduct seemed unwise and impudently from the beginning. He announced last winter before the death of Senator Latimer, who was a candidate for reelection and in the opinion of most people a deserving of reelection and fully deserving of such recognition. Latimer would have defeated him probably worse than Smith did. Smith did not announce until after Latimer's death.

Either of the six candidates in the race with him, with the exception of Grace would have defeated him in the second primary. The people of South Carolina absolutely will not, under any circumstances, acquiesce in the nomination of John Gary Evans to office. They have four times refused to make him senator. His only chance of election was in a caucus when he ran against Kirtz, a powerful backer that he has never been able to command here. He failed then. And has failed three times since. He has a larger majority. McLaughlin beat him 15,000 votes. Latimer beat him 17,000 votes. Smith has lost him 25,000 votes. Surely the people will not be called for a fourth pronounced verdict against him.

**They Take the Kings Out.**  
They have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for many years, with increasing satisfaction. They take the pills out of the stomach and bowels without food or friction," says N. H. Brown, of Pittsford, N. Y. Guaranteed satisfaction. Sold by Letcher's Drug Co. and T. S. Letcher, S. C.

**A Country of Dukes.**  
Among the races this year none was more interesting than that of sheriff of Orangeburg. He had 100 votes. He was defeated there for 12 years, but he was defeated there for Mr. John H. Dukes, who held the office continuously those 10 years.

**Catarah Is Curable**  
Successful Experiments in Abating and Curing this Disease.  
Catarah is an entirely unnecessary disease and should not be tolerated for a single day now that Hyponal is so widely known and the trade so many cures in Chester and other towns.

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**INTERESTING STATISTICS.**

**Presbyterianism in South Carolina.**  
Presbyterianism is represented in the state of South Carolina by organizations organized with four distinct branches of the Presbyterian family of churches. The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod of the South (Seceders) has a number of churches, composing largely its First and Second presbyteries, and embracing about Lancaster, York, Chester, Laurens and Abbeville counties. The Presbyterian church, T. S. A. (Northern Presbyterians) has a number of negro churches, consisting chiefly of the colored people connected with our white congregations before emancipation. The (Pro-American Presbyterian church) embraces a small number of colored Presbyterians, who have affiliated with the Southern Presbyterian church and still work under its patronage and help. But the oldest body of Presbyterians in this state are those belonging to the Presbyterian church in the United States. Southern Presbyterian and it is especially of this branch that I now propose to speak.

The synod of South Carolina embracing the synod composed of six presbyteries—Bethel, Charleston, Ennore, Harmony, Pee Dee and South Carolina. These tables show that 1,000 members were added to the churches last year on profession of faith and 900 certificates or transfer from other churches.

The reports to the assembly also show that these Southern Presbyterians in South Carolina contributed last year \$30,500 for foreign missions, \$13,700 for home missions, besides \$1,600 for the evangelization of the colored people, \$2,770 for education and \$95,000 for the support of their pastures. The figures given in the reports indicate an average contribution per member of 20 for foreign missions, 10 cents for missions at home and something over \$11 for all church objects.

The distribution of these Presbyterians over the state presents some interesting facts. A recent report from Mr. E. J. Watson, commissioner of agriculture and immigration, who is preparing a revised handbook of South Carolina, to furnish him the number of ministers, churches and members located in each county. We have had careful investigation of this matter. Well, Presbyterianism, numerically small in comparison with Baptists and Methodists, are more generally distributed over South Carolina than most of our Southern states, yet this distribution is very unequal. For example the counties of Beaufort and Berkeley have no churches at all. There were two very weak churches at Beaufort and Port Royal a few years ago, but their names have disappeared from the rolls. And Salisbury was divided into Orangeburg, a Union and Saluda have but one church each, and most of them very small. On the other hand, York and Chester have 2,400 members, Spartanburg, 2,100, with 1,500 members; Anderson, 15, with 1,500 members; Abbeville, 15, with 1,500 members; Greenville, 15, with 1,500 members; Laurens, 15, with 1,200 members.

The larger cities of the state have Presbyterian churches with an aggregate membership of 968. Columbia 2 churches, with a membership of 763; Greenville 3 churches, with a membership of 608, and Spartanburg, 3 churches with a membership of 653. The five largest churches are: Greenville, First, with 630 members; Rock Hill, First, with 525 members; Spartanburg, First, with 508 members; Columbia, 1st, with 420 members; and Purdy, Chester, with 420 members.—Dr. T. H. Law in Sunday News.

**A Sure-nowin Knocker.**  
J. C. Goodwin, of Feldville, N. C., says: "Buckley's Arnica Salve is a sure-nowin knocker. It is a sure cure for any ailment, but a wonderful salve knocked it out in a few weeks. Not even a scar remained." Guaranteed for piles, sores, burns, etc. At The Chester Drug Co. and Letcher's Pharmacy.

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**For Sale by John Frazer, Chester, S. C.**

**HACKNEY BUGGIES.**  
I have the exclusive agency in Chester and Chester County for the Hackney Buggy—the best buggy in the world for the money. It is light running, well built, handsomely finished, beautifully proportioned—qualities combined in no other make of buggy.

**John Frazer, Live Stock, Vehicles, Harness, Etc.**

**Foreign Motor Laws.**  
Some motorists fancy that the laws of the various states are drastic and unjust to the automobiles. These, however, should take a tour of Europe and some of the European countries, if they wish to learn what absolute rule is in regard to the machines.

**A Paying Investment.**  
Mr. John White, of 23 Highland Ave., Houlton, Maine, says: "I have been troubled with a cough every winter and spring. Last winter I tried many advertised remedies, but the cough continued until I bought a 50c bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery. Before being gone a long time, it came with his hands full of clods of dirt. I can't find any switch," he said, "there. I know that's her."—Declinator.

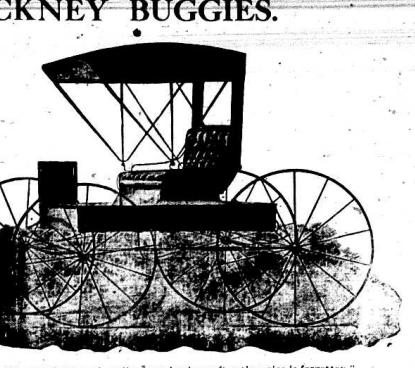
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