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THE LANTERN.

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CHESTER, S. C., TUESDAY OCTOBER 30, 1906.

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

GREATEST REDUCTION SALE

LOOK FOR THE SIGN ACROSS SIDEWALK "IN THE VALLEY."

CLOTHING, DRY GOODS, DRESS GOODS, LADIES' RAINCOATS, CLOAKS, SHOES

Greatest Reduction Sale Ever Held in the City of Chester

BEGAN THURSDAY MORNING AT 8:30 O'CLOCK.

My stock is entirely too large. I have bought too many goods. So, in order to reduce my stock one-half within 15 days, I have marked prices on everything in these two big stores that will move them out in the next few days. I have recently closed out several big lots in Men's Suits at about half the original price. Lots and lots of jobs in Suits, Overcoats, Raincoats, Pants, and Ladies Cloaks and Raincoats will be sold for about half what you are paying every day for the same goods. This is not idle talk. Come and see for yourself.

Bring This Price List and Call for the Goods.

Dry Goods	1.50 Men's Heavy Shoe..... 1.15	10c Men's Handkerchiefs..... 4c	15.00 Men's Suits, sale price..... 8.75	Ladies' Raincoats and Cloaks
7c White Homespun..... 5c	We have all kinds from 6.50 down to the Cheapest Ladies' Misses and Children's	8c Men's Hose..... 4c	12.50 Men's Suits, sale price..... 7.18	12.50 Raincoat..... 8.25
8cingham, sale price..... 7c		10c Men's Suspenders..... 12c	8.00 Men's Suits, sale price..... 5.00	8.50 Cloak..... 4.75
10c Cheviots, sale price..... 7c	Overcoats	10c Men's Hose..... 7c	7.00 Men's Suits, sale price..... 4.18	7.00 Raincoat..... 4.25
10c Mottie Outing, sale price..... 8c	10.00 Overcoats..... 6.48	10c Ladies' Hose..... 4c	4.00 Men's Suits, sale price..... 1.98	
10c Lamb's Down..... 8c	8.50 Overcoats..... 5.69	8c Ladies' Hose..... 4c	Boys' Suits	
7c Outing..... 4c	7.50 Overcoats..... 4.39	10c Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs..... 4c	6.00 Boys' Suits..... 3.00	
	6.50 Overcoats..... 3.48	12 1/2 Hosiery..... 2.50	4.00 Boys' Suits..... 2.00	
	5.00 Overcoats..... 2.98	1 Paper Pins..... 1c	3.00 Boys' Suits..... 1.50	Dress Goods
Shoe Department		5c Tablets..... 2c	2.50 Boys' Suits..... .80	1.00 Silks, all colors..... .50
Every Shoe in this Store Shall Share in the Reduction.	Notions		1.25 Boys' Suits..... .50	1.25 Silks, all colors..... .50
1.25 Ladies' Fine Shoes..... .68	5c Men's Handkerchiefs..... 2c	Men's Suits	2.50 Hats, sale price..... 1.50	1.50 Dress Goods..... 1.00
1.25 Ladies' Heavy Shoes..... .68		18.00 Men's Suits, sale price..... 9.50	1.25 Hats, sale price..... .80	40c Dress Goods..... .25
			3.00 Hats, sale price..... 2.10	25c Dress Goods..... .15

These are bargains that appeal to the people who wish to save a dollar. Greatest buying opportunity ever offered to any people at this season of the year. Too Many Goods—Must Get Rid of Them Now. So come and claim your share of the bargains. Look for Big Sign Across Sidewalk.

15 yards Black Pop Mills, Barker or Androscoggin St. **J. T. COLLINS** THE PEOPLE'S CLOTHIER. 8 Cakes of the Celebrated OCTAGON SOAP for 20c.

Balloons Outran Autos.

Race at Pittsfield, Mass. Won by the balloons. October 22—Two balloons, Centaur and L'Orion, which remained here after the aero-automobile race between balloons and automobiles for the Hawley Cup, had been declared off last Saturday, participated in an endurance contest today, which carried them many miles over Northwestern Massachusetts and Southern Vermont. The balloon L'Orion outlasted the Centaur by about three hours and a half, finally landing in the little mountainous town of Jamaica, in Windham County, Vermont, 57 miles from the start. The Centaur came down in Bennington, Vermont, thirty miles from this city. The balloon rose from here at 10:30 A. M. The Centaur carried Chas. T. Walsh, pilot, and Major Samuel Reber and Capt. Chas. A. Chandler, of the Signal Corps. U. S. A. L'Orion was piloted by Leo Stevens, who had as his companion Capt. Homer W. Hedge, president of the Aero Club of America.

Attorneys Follow Them.

The balloons were in sight of each other for about three hours and after they had spent three automobiles, which had been entered in the Hawley Cup contest, on Saturday. The Centaur was slightly behind L'Orion in crossing the Vermont border, and after getting over Bennington, Pilot Walsh decided to land. The descent was piloted by Leo Stevens, who had successfully accomplished on the slope of Woodford Mountain. The occupants of the Centaur said on landing that they considered their object accomplished, and that their trip had been highly successful from a scientific standpoint. The Centaur reached reported a height of 6,300 feet. WAS NINE THOUSAND FEET HIGH. After seeing the Centaur descend, Pilot Stevens, of L'Orion, decided to keep on. He saw a more miles of Southern Vermont was traversed, and at 3:30 L'Orion came down in Jamaica. Mr. Stevens said after landing that L'Orion went 8,000 feet into the air. Above the clouds the heat was so intense that all outside clothing had to be discarded. At one time the thermometer registered 106 degrees. Twenty-five minutes after the Centaur landed in Bennington an automobile driven by Floyd Knight, of this city, stopped by the side of the car. Half an hour later an automobile, owned by O. F. Bishop, of Lenox, arrived on the scene. Both these machines had followed the balloons, as an experiment, although both air ships were out of sight most of the time.

Killed To Save Others.

Spartanburg, Oct. 20.—Newton Tillotson, 56 years of age and for 22 years the employ of the Southern railway, was killed today by plunging in front of a fast passenger train to save the lives of an aged man and woman who were crossing the track in a buggy and in which he was successful. Tillotson's act was cheered by a crowd of eye witnesses, unaware for the moment that his heroism had cost him his life.—Special to The State.

A Young Mother at 70.

"My mother has suddenly been made young at 70. Twenty years of intense suffering from dyspepsia had entirely disabled her, until six months ago, when she began taking Electric Bitters—which have completely cured her and restored the strength and activity she had in the prime of life," writes Mrs. W. L. Gibbick, of Danforth, Me. Greatest restorative medicine on the globe. Seta Stomach, Liver and Kidney Regulator, purifies the blood and cures Malaria, Biliousness and Weakness. Wonderful Nerve Tonic. Price 50c. Guaranteed by the Chester Drug Co. and Standard Pharmacy.

The People's Lobby.

Washington, Oct. 21.—The People's Lobby has passed through the throes of organization and by December it is expected to be in perfect running order and hot on trail of not only every iniquitous measure presented to Congress, but also every member of the national legislature. Mark Sullivan, temporary head of the lobby, said this morning that the purpose of the institution was to make congress an open book. One of its main objects is to have legislative sessions of the senate and house committees abolished. Agents of the lobby will always be on hand to see or just when it is made the position taken by congressmen and the utterances of persons interested in legislation and then give their inside information to the lobby. Commitments of congressmen will be kept duly posted so that dodging promises will be dangerous to their political life, besides acting as a "prod to keep them busy."

Danger From The Plague.

There's a grave danger from the plague of Congress and only the people are so valiant, unless you take Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Mr. Geo. W. of Forest City, Me., writes: "It's a Godsend to people living in climates where coughs and colds prevail. I find it quickly ends them. It prevents pneumonia, cures LaGrippe, gives wonderful relief in Asthma and Hay Fever, and is the strongest remedy known enough to ward off Consumption, Coughs and Colds. 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed by the Chester Drug Co. and Standard Pharmacy. Trial bottles free."

John Robinson Shows.

A Big Historical Spectacle—The Battle of Wounded Knee.

To speak of the merits of John Robinson's Ten Big Shows Combined is merely "love's labor lost" with the people of this nation. There is not an amusement lover on the continent that is not cognizant of the fact that it is now and has ever been the best among the best. Everybody does not know, however, that during the last winter's vacation the show has relieved augmentation so vast and so important as to dwarf by comparison even its own great exhibitional excellence. We allude to the grand reproduction of the Battle of Wounded Knee in which innumerable people are active participants, and which is complete in scenographic effect, typical personages and events profile in dramatic and professional features, and not conspicuously portraying events, scenes and incidents of the famous battle. This eminently historical spectacle will command itself to every lover of the historical. One thousand soldiers, Indians, scouts and horses are used. The John Robinson Shows is to exhibit here on Friday Nov. 9th.

A Badly Burned Girl.

Of boy, man or woman, is quickly out of pain if Buckhorn's Arnica Salve is applied promptly. G. J. Welch, of Tokeland, Mich., says: "I use it in all my cases of burns and all skin injuries, and find it perfect." Quick relief. File cure known. Best thing ever made. 25c at the Chester Drug Co. and Standard Pharmacy. U. S. Pat. 1,100,000.

When lovely woman thinks she'll marry.

And on the man she gets her eye, The only chance for him, beggary, To save his bacon is to die. From the Philadelphia Record.

Blood Poisoning.

results from chronic constipation, which is cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills. They remove all poisons, without griping or discomfort. 25c. Guaranteed by the Chester Drug Co. and Standard Pharmacy. U. S. Pat. 1,100,000.

The "Girl Knitting" Was Stolen.

New York, October 23—A valuable oil painting entitled "Girl Knitting," which was stolen from the art gallery in Eden Park, Cincinnati, on October 6, was recovered here today. A young man who gave his name as Clarence Henri was arrested when he attempted to dispose of the picture to a 5th Avenue art dealer. Henri first visited the dealer last Saturday and suspicion was aroused when he demanded \$250 for a painting which apparently had been sent from his frame. The dealer told Henri that he did not have the money at that time, but that he would have it if the young man would call today. When Henri had left the store the dealer made an investigation and learned that the picture had been stolen. Then he notified the police and detectives were waiting for Henri when he called at the 5th Avenue establishment to-day. Henri told the police that the picture was given him by a man in Berlin, Germany.

A Card.

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Kidney and Urinary Cure fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. Cures the grippe, cough and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Lettner's Pharmacy.

For goodness sake, whar's that noise?

The noise next door is having her voice cultivated. "Huh! Apparently the process of cultivation has reached the narrow season."—Philadelphia Ledger. Foley's Kidney Cure will cure any case of kidney trouble that is not beyond medical aid. Lettner's Pharmacy.

Value of Fingers In Law.

The different fingers are far from having the same value in the eyes of the law with reference to their functional utilization. Much the most important is the thumb, for without it apprehension would be very imperfect. The hand is no longer pliable, but merely a claw, when deprived of the thumb. It may be estimated that the thumb represents fully a third of the total value of the hand. The French courts allow 15 to 25 per cent. value for the right hand and 10 to 15 for the left; the Austrian shude give from 15 per cent for the left to 25 per cent for the right; in Germany 20 and 28 per cent, and even as high as 33 per cent has been awarded. The percentage is based on 100 as the total industrial value of the hand previously to the accident, a loss of 50 per cent representing half of the value etc.

The total loss of the index finger causes an incapacity estimated at 10 to 15 per cent.

In Austria, 16 to 20 per cent in Germany, 15 per cent for the left and 20 per cent for the right; in Italian courts, the French allow 15 per cent. The middle finger is of much more importance than the index, states Dr. Meighan, whom we are citing, and who is no small authority, for a great loss of force is observed in the hand when the finger is amputated. Yet almost all the authorities ascribe less importance to it than the index. The Italian law allows 3 per cent, the Australian 3 to 10 per cent.

The ring finger is the least important.

Its total loss often does not cause incapacity. The Australian tariff assimilates this finger to the middle one. The Italian law is liberal, with 8 per cent. The French and German tribunals often refuse indemnity, considering the incapacity resulting from the loss as very slight. The little finger may be compared to the ring, except in the professions in which it serves as a point of support for the hand. It may be remarked here that the artist has not been taken into consideration in these cases.—Columbia Record.

Henry E. Jones, of Tampa, Fla.

writes: "I can thank God for my present health, due to Foley's Kidney Cure. I tried doctors and all kinds of kidney cures, but nothing done me much good till I took Foley's Kidney Cure. Four bottles cured me, and I have no more pain in my back and legs. I am 62 years old, and suffered long, but thanks to Foley's Kidney Cure I am well and can walk and enjoy myself. It is a pleasure to recommend it to those needing a kidney medicine. Lettner's Pharmacy." The reason a girl doesn't scream when a man tries to kiss her is something might hear.

Have You Tried Our "EUREKA" Flour?

If not, then you have been paying from 50 to 75 cents more per barrel for your bread than your neighbor and not getting as good a value for your money. We have only three more cars that we can offer you for the next week at \$2.00 per Sack. It will pay you to buy what you will need for the next two months at these prices.

- 95 lb. Bolated Meal at \$1.35 per Sk.
- Red Rust Proof Seed Oats at 55c per bu.
- Second Hand Bagging 3c per lb.
- Second Hand Ties, not spliced, 90c bundle
- Best 2 1-4 lb. Jute Bagging 8 1-4c per yard.

We also buy cotton seed and always pay the top price or above. We are the people that raised the price from 19 1-2 to 21c per bushel. When in town don't fail to visit the place where everybody buys their groceries at wholesale prices in original packages.

CHESTER WHOLESALE GROCERY



HAVE YOU SEEN

Our New Line of Fall and Winter Clothes?

The swellest garments of the season are here—all, the late styles and fabrics. If you don't see them you'll miss something. Come here and let us fit you in the STROUS & BRO'S "HIGH ART" CLOTHES. There is pleasure and satisfaction in wearing them. Give us a call and look through our line.

Look in our large window when passing. See if the clothes and prices in there do not appeal to you.

JOSEPH WYLIE & COMPANY
 DELICIOUS
French Candy
 Just Received at W. R. Nail's Red Racket Store

Here is a list of our new arrivals: Lemon Balls, Florida Oranges, Gooseberries, Wild Cherry Gum Drops, Sea Shells, Peppermint Starlight Kisses, Imperial Cherries, Burnt Peanuts, Assorted Jelly Beans, Butter Dairy Drops, Southern Beauties, Cream Dainties, Raspberry Creams, Assorted Coconut Bon Bon's, Vanilla Ice Cream Kisses, Little Butter Cups, Harlequin Jellies, Vanilla Newport Creams, Marshmallow Drops.

REMEMBER—This candy is just as fresh, nice and crisp as it possibly can be, and is going at 10c per lb.

W. R. NAIL'S Red Racket Store
CLARKE & BUTT,
 Cotton Factors and Commission Merchants
 843 Reynolds Street, AUGUSTA, GA.
 Bagging, Ties and Best Fertilizers.
 Liberal Advances. Charges Reasonable.
 Personal Attention to All Business.
 Special Attention Given to F. O. B. Sales. 2-19-

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK
HOW CHEAP WE ARE SELLING GOODS

Well, come in and see for yourself. We have something nice in Fine China Vases, Statuary, Etc., for the Fall and Winter Weddings.

Our last week free gift went to Mrs. J. W. Wix, she being the lucky person. No. 69 was the winning number. Watch and read our ads, carefully, you may be the next winner.

Yours for Fair Business.

The New Crockery Store
 Two Doors From Postoffice

Prof. Moncreiff Stabs President Miller.
Anderson, Oct. 21.—The Atlanta Constitution this morning contained the following article, which will be read with much interest in South Carolina:

"Jackson, La., Oct. 20.—Following the exchange of heated words between Rev. C. C. Miller, president of Centenary college, a Methodist institution, and W. F. Moncreiff, professor of physics and principal of the preparatory department, the Rev. Mr. Miller was stabbed six times, one wound near the heart, by Moncreiff, but attending physicians say his wounds are not necessarily fatal. "The difficulty arose over the service of meat, alleged to be the 'heaviness' of a negro haricote, which had been purchased by Moncreiff, who, in addition to his other duties, had charge of the mess. The students presented a protest to President Miller. His interview with Professor Moncreiff on the subject led to a mix-up between the men, in which the college president is alleged to have wielded a chair with considerable effect.

"Moncreiff was arrested and later released on bond. He came to Jackson from Rock Hill, S. C., where he is also taught school. He claims his act was in self-defense. "Mr. Moncreiff was superintendent of the Anderson city schools several years ago. He was also a professor of Winthrop college at Rock Hill. He is well known throughout the state. Special to The State.

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Pikmeup
 "IT SATISFIES"

Chewers of Tobacco
Will find all they possibly desire in the celebrated
Stars and Bars
For sale at the following named places by

McCullough & Ferguson, H. S. Heyman, T. E. Whiteside, J. A. Owen, Wylie Mills, Chester Drug Co., A. C. Fischel, Henry Oehler, Lindsay Mer. Co., H. W. Hafner, Chas. W. Dove, Sanders & Co., B. D. Refo, Chester, S. C.
J. B. Daniel & Co., Fort Lawn, S. C., S. T. Proctor & Co., Richburg, S. C., R. H. Cousar, Eureka Mills Store, Mrs. Lillie Arthur, Starves & Co., T. L. Shiver, Chester, Wolving & Co., Leeds, R. T. Varnadore, Heaths, L. M. Ford, Bascomville, Sanders Bros., Chester.

J. C. Jordan, Bascomville, A. A. Owens, R. F. D. 1.
For Sale to the Trade Only by
J. W. REED, Chester, S. C.

ACORDIAL INVITATION
Is extended to all to call and inspect my line of

HIGH GRADE CLOTHING, SHOES and HATS
for fall wear. Come let me take your measure, fit guaranteed. 500 patterns to select from

Jno. W. Wix

LOCAL NEWS.

Master Davis Thumbe has returned from a week's visit in Columbia.
Mrs. Lilly McNeill and son, Master Clyde McNeill, of Edgemoor, were in the city Saturday.
Miss Dollie Melroy went to Yorkville Saturday to spend a few days with her cousin, Mrs. Mason McConnell.

Little Miss Bessie Marion Wylie, of Guthrieville, is here spending a month with her aunt, Mrs. J. G. Darby.
Mrs. T. L. Nelson left her home at Lenox Saturday, after a visit of two weeks with her sisters, Mrs. J. T. Anderson and Mrs. J. C. Carpenter.

Mrs. J. Lee Hahn, of Hickory, N. C., who has been visiting her son, Mr. E. N. Hahn, left for her home yesterday morning.
Mrs. L. W. Henry and two children, of Rodman, went to Stevenson, Fairfield county, Saturday to spend a few days with her father, Mr. James Leneman.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Elder and baby, of Birmingham, Ala., who have been visiting his sister, Mrs. J. Palmer Moore, at Guthrieville, passed through yesterday morning on their way to Columbia.
Mrs. Paul Hardin and children went to Cheraw Friday afternoon, where the children will stay with her parents while she and Mr. Hardin take a two weeks' trip north. Mr. Hardin left Saturday afternoon to join her.

Mrs. Thos. P. Moore and her daughters, Misses Margaret and Corrine, and sons, Masters Joe and Tom, left Wednesday afternoon for San Francisco. They will be joined in Atlanta by Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Tate, who will also make California their future home.—Yorkville Enquirer.

Mrs. W. C. Jordan, of Fort Lawn, who underwent an operation at the hospital in Rock Hill several weeks ago, spent a while here Saturday morning on her return home. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. S. C. Steedman and little daughter, who will spend a few weeks with her.

Joe is a mess. Ofttimes he asks me aside and in a low tone pours a tale of woe or trouble into my ears. Then a favor or some bottle is desired. A denial is made, then follows an enumeration of the chores performed and a promise of many more to come, and a declaration of how much he thinks of me, etc. The deed is done, Joe is supplied and I am "bored for the samples" again. So it continues. Joe is ahead of the game at the end of every deal. It is small consolation to know that Joe works others with his tricks.

Joe's capacity to earn money does not correspond with his desires and ability to spend it. A half dozen men of his ilk could not keep him in pocket change. He does not dream like a dude nor do table comforts cut much figure with him. He is a good hand and commands fair wages, yet he never lays up a penny; his pocket is always empty. Joe alone knows where his money goes, and he won't tell.

Joe is fond of parties and does not mind walking several miles after a day's hard work to attend some social function and spend his last brownie. The party number he enjoys most is two, he and a woman.

Joe corresponds with his next door neighbor women through the post office. His letters are effusive and to the point. Notwithstanding Joe's follies and short comings, I like him. He does much for me another would not, and promises me more which he never does. And then he takes all the abuse I heap upon with good nature and talks me into a good humor before quitting.
Joe is a full blooded nigger and likes the "white folks," especially those he can fleece, "one of whom I am which." Old Buckra.

Death of a Bright Little Boy.
On the morning of Oct. 19, 1906, at 3 o'clock, the angel of death visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Glasgow and took away little Edwin, who had been sick nearly six months. He was a dear, sweet little boy of nearly six years. He was always so bright and happy and his suffering so cheerfully and patiently.

Another bright gem has gone from earth to heaven, there to live forever with Jesus. His going away has cast a shadow that will linger long upon the hearts of his parents and loved ones.

Blessed is the household through which the feet of a little child have danced on their way to heaven. Blessed are the children who have a little brother among the angels, and oh! blessed above all is the father who has seen him waiting at the end of the way.
Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Yarbrough at Fort Lawn Baptist church and the remains were laid to rest in the cemetery there.

"Our heartfelt sympathy and love is with the grief stricken parents, but may they be substantially to the will of him who does all things well."
Good bye dear little Edwin we hope to meet you in that happy home above some sweet day by and by.
"Did the audience applaud when Mrs. Hyman sang?"
"No, when she stopped singing."
The Bohemian.

COLD WEATHER

Will be welcomed when you are prepared for it. Have you put in your heater yet? Or maybe it's a grate. Anyway we have Heaters for coal and wood; Grates and Basket Grates, Coal Vases, Coal Hods, Fire Sets, Andirons, Stove Mats and Pipe. We are fully prepared to fix up your home so the cold winter will be a comfort. Let us show you our Heaters. Wood \$1.25 up; Coal \$3.50 up.

Moody was the embassy of President Roosevelt in the negotiations conducted with Senators Tillman and Bailey on the railroad rate bill, which led to the senate speeches by Tillman, denouncing both the president and Moody for entering into a combination with democrats and then throwing them down. Tillman is known to have an unfriendly feeling for Moody. It is intimated that the entire democratic side of the senate may oppose the nomination for many reasons.
A prominent democrat today said that Moody should not be allowed to go on the bench as he was almost generally regarded in Washington as a ready to the president and liable to become a tool of the latter on the bench. Some harsh terms were used in connection with the proposed appointment, the president being accused of trying to stack the supreme court for his own purposes.

DeHAVEN-DAWSON SUPPLY COMPANY

DOWN TO DATE

WOOD MOWERS and RAKES, WOOD-RUFF HAY PRESSES, GASOLINE ENGINES, BUILDING MATERIAL, all kinds; LUMBER, SHINGLES, FLOORING, CEILING, SIDING, LIME, CEMENT, SASH, DOORS, PIAZZA WORK, Etc. WAGON REPAIRING, COLD TIRE SETTING while you wait ————
5 BUCKEYE MOWERS to close out at once, less than cost. Secure one before they go.

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Near Southern Depot. 9-21-3m

WHAT YOU NEED FIRST

Is a man with business capacity enough to buy goods cheap and the next thing is to be willing to sell them at a decent margin. I have maintained my reputation for being a cut price grocer. I have now cut out the middle man and come to you offering to sell you

Splendid main style Sugar Corn at 7c a can, as good as you can buy any place at 10c.
Standard Tomatoes at 9c a can.
A tremendous pile of the justly celebrated P. P. P. Tobacco, reduced from 40c to 35c pound—by the box or plug. If you chew you must not miss this.

You will find everything you need at Alexander's. Kind, courteous and prompt service.
Yours for Business.

J. R. Alexander,
The Cut Price Grocer.
OEHLER'S.

Will Oppose Wood's Confirmation.
Attorney General Moody is to be named as associate justice of the supreme court of the United States. It is practically certain that Senators Bailey and Tillman will lead the fight against his confirmation in the senate on the grounds of unfitness and give Massachusetts two places on the supreme bench, Justice Holmes having been appointed from that state by President Roosevelt.

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ELECTRICITY IS THE PROPER POWER TO USE.

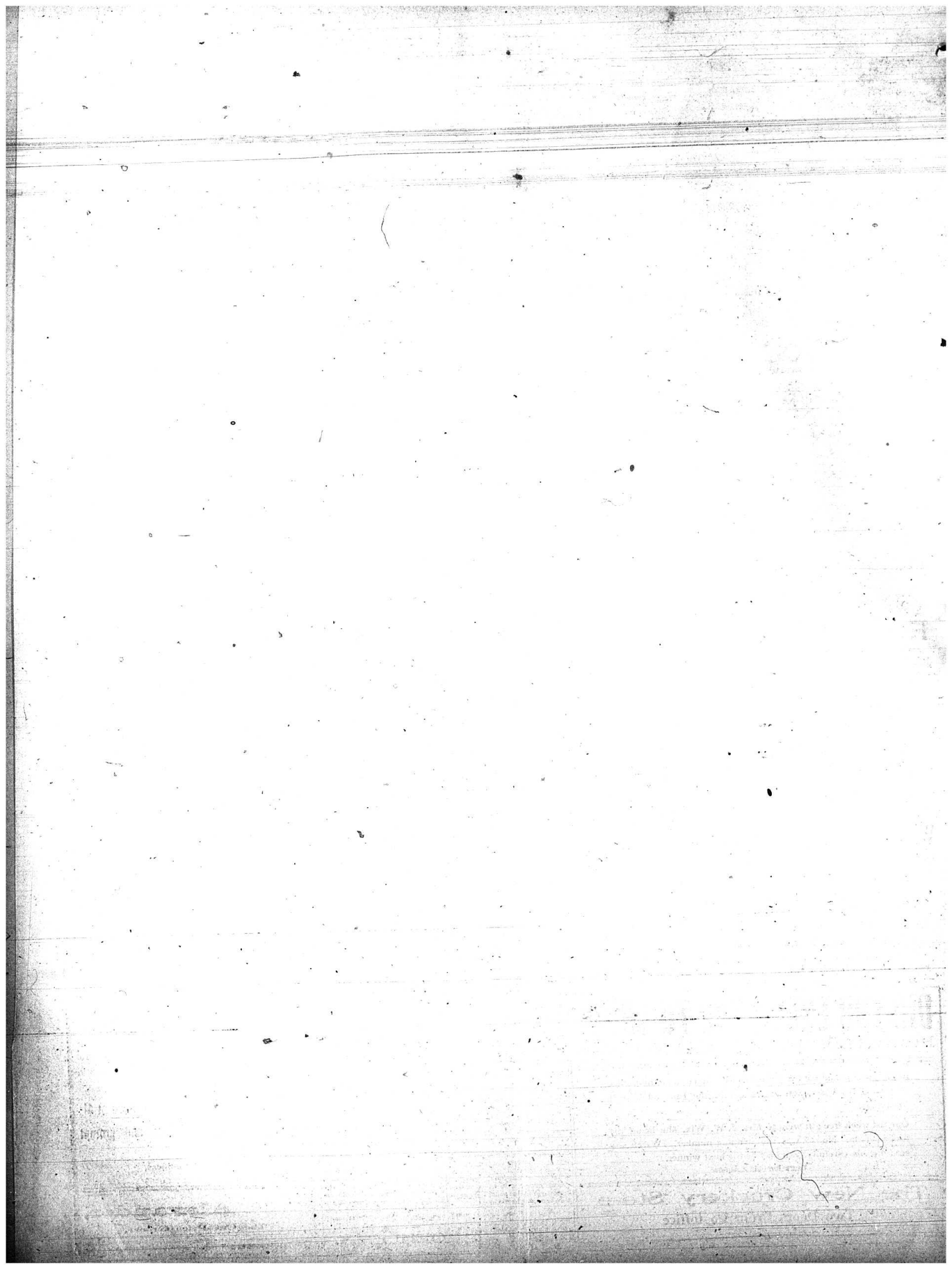
Possibly you are satisfied with your present power equipment. Probably you are not. Would you welcome a proposition from us to equip your plant for using electric power?
Would you, if we could prove that such power would be cheaper, and save you real hard dollars and cents?
Would you, if we could prove to you that such power would save you worry, bother, insurance, danger, dirt, coal, etc.?
Would you, if we could show you that electric power would reduce the chances of breakdowns and loss of time?
Would you, if we could show you that it would mean more and better work from your employees?
If this kind of money-saving proposition will interest you, just write us. We can wire your place for using electric power from an outside source, or we can install a complete plant for you that will generate your own power and make you independent for power and light.

We are waiting for your invitation to show you—send it today. All kinds of electrical repairing given prompt attention.

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Refreshments for Company
On sultry evenings will be appreciated best if they consist largely of ice creams and water ices of the quality of ours. Whatever enters into them, cream, sugar, flavon, ice, water, etc. is perfectly pure, the proportions are correct, and our skill and long experience make our ice cream and water ices delicious dishes for warm weather eating.



Every purchaser will receive 2 lbs of Sugar for 8 cents during the Sale

The Great Ten Day's Challenge Sale

of the Stock of Clothing from Applefield, of Baltimore, will
Begin Wednesday Morning, October 31, 1906,

At 9.00 O'Clock, at

Cousar Mercantile Company's Store on Main Street

LOOK FOR THE YELLOW SIGN.

A sensational purchase of clothing from Baltimore, bought at about 60 cents on the dollar, a few days ago, has paved the way for the greatest trade event that has ever occurred in Chester's history. This is to be a sale without a parallel, and will bring thousands to Chester, who will reap their share of magnificent values. These bargains are passed to you just as we bought them---at a great sacrifice, which will eclipse any opportunity offered you for money saving, either past or present. Hence we name this sale our "Ten Days' Challenge Sale," because its magnitude, its money saving opportunities challenge and defy all competition, and dwarfing in comparison all other attempts.

Our Entire Stock Added to The Baltimore Purchases.

Our entire stock of beautiful and fashionable merchandise joins hands with the famous Baltimore purchases to make this indeed Chester's greatest bargain event. Everything is included, the most exquisite ready-to-wear apparel, Clothing, Dress Goods, Shoes, Millinery, Laces, Embroideries, Small Wares, etc. Bear in mind that the Cousar Mercantile Co. makes no misrepresentations. Every statement made to the people will be carried out to the letter. The confidence of the public has been won through our strictly adhering to our rule never to disappoint, nor make assertions verbally or otherwise that could not be substantiated. In placing such a sale before the people it was necessary to engage a sales expert to assist us; one who through experience knows how to display and arrange stocks most advantageously for the convenience and comfort of shoppers; one who has had wide experience in systematizing sales force for properly serving the crowds in a satisfactory way. So we have engaged Messrs L. Kirstein & Co., of Portsmouth, who has had wide experience in Metropolitan Department Stores in conducting special sales.

There Will Be No Music Or Speech-Making.

But the very air will be permeated with the Bargain Spirit, which is undoubtedly a charming sensation to the lord of the home or the economical housewife. The sale will be conducted upon a plan in keeping with the store's reputation. It will be necessary to close the doors on Monday and Tuesday in order to mark the new goods received and arrange the stock. The sale begins promptly Wednesday morning, Oct. 31, at 9 o'clock.

All Lines Join in the Bargain Chorus.

Clothing, Dress Goods, Shoes, Hats, small wares---such as Neckwear, and Notions of every description, Handkerchiefs, Ladies' and Children's Underwear. Everything in Ready-to-Wear Department, and Piece Goods of every description, Nothing escapes the pruning knife.

Clothing From the Baltimore Purchase.

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| <p>One job lot men's dress shoes at 1.17.
 Men's 2 1/2 dress shoes, challenge 1.49.
 Vicid kid men's dress shoe, 2.50 kind, challenge price 1.69.
 Men's dress genuine vicid kid, 3.50 kind, challenge price 2.39.
 Men's dress fox calf shoes, 3.50 kind, challenge price 2.48.
 Men's pat. leather dress shoes, sold at 2.50, challenge price 2.39.
 Ladies' oil grain, sold at 1.75, challenge 1.19.
 Ladies' Bluebird oil grain, sold at 2.00, challenge 1.29.
 One lot ladies' fine vicid, sold 1.75, challenge price 1.09.
 One lot ladies' dress shoes, sold 2.00, challenge price 1.39.
 Ladies' dress shoes, 1.50 kind, challenge price 95c.
 Dress vicid kid Cuban heel, sold at 2.50, challenge price 1.69.
 One lot men's soft hats, 75c kind, 43.
 One lot men's dress hats, 2.00 kind, challenge price 98c.
 One lot men's 2 1/2 hats, at 1.29.
 One lot men's caps, sold at 20c, challenge price 11c.
 One lot men's caps, sold at 50c, challenge 37c.
 5000 men's blue handkerchiefs, sold at 5c, challenge price 3c.
 5000 men's white handkerchiefs, sold at 5c, challenge price 3c.
 5000 men's white hemstitched handkerchiefs, sold at 10c, challenge price 3c.
 5000 men's white hemstitched handkerchiefs, sold at 16c, challenge price 8c.
 100 youth's suits, sold at 10.00, challenge price 3.77.</p> | <p>100 men's suits, sold at 9.00, challenge price 3.97.
 100 men's suits, sold at 10.00, challenge price 3.29.
 100 pair men's pants, sold at 2.50, challenge price 1.99.
 100 pairs pants, sold at 3.50, challenge price 1.99.
 50 overcoats, sold at 5.00, challenge price 2.47.
 50 overcoats, sold at 7.00, challenge price 3.99.
 50 overcoats, sold at 8.50, challenge price 4.69.
 50 overcoats, sold at 10.00, challenge price 6.79.
 25 boy's suits, sold at 1.25, challenge price 66.
 25 boy's suits with belts, sold at 2.00, price 1.29.
 25 boy's suits, sold at 3.00, challenge price 1.99.
 25 boy's suits sold at 3.50, challenge price 2.19.
 25 young men's suits, sold at 4.50, challenge price 2.93.
 25 young men's suits, age 14 to 20, sold at 6.00, challenge price 3.27.
 50 doz knee pants from 19c on up.
 50 doz pants overalls, sold at 50c, challenge price 30c.
 Gents' coats, fancy trimmed 3 and 4 dollar value, challenge price 1.79 and 1.98.
 One lot men's wool fleeces lined shirts and drawers 50 and 75c kind, challenge price 39.
 One lot ladies' fleeces lined vests, sold at 25c, challenge price 12c.
 One lot ladies' heavy fleeces lined vests, sold at 50c, challenge price 21c.
 One lot boy's fleeces lined vests, sold at 25c, challenge price 12c.
 One lot ladies' lined suits, sold at</p> | <p>90c, challenge price 39c.
 One lot misses fleeces lined union suits, sold at 25, challenge price 21c.
 One lot ladies' walking skirts, blacks, blues, grays and fancy cashmires at one half price.
 One job lot pants, challenge, price 98c.
 One lot sample pants, tailor made, 6 and 7 dollar value, challenge price 2.98.
 One job lot lazes, to yard and up.
 One lot embroidery, 3c and up.
 One lot men's bow ties, black and fancy colors, 25c value, challenge price 6c.
 Men's four-in-hand ties, 25 and 30c kind, challenge price 19.
 One lot children's hose, sold at 10c, challenge price 7c.
 One lot boy's suspenders, sold at 7c, challenge price 4c.
 One lot men's suspenders, sold at 10c, challenge price 7c.
 One lot men's suspenders, sold at 15c, challenge price 7c.
 One lot men's suspenders, sold at 20c, challenge price 11c.
 One lot 500 yds spool cotton, sold 5c, challenge price 4c.
 One lot 500 yds spool cotton, sold at 5c, challenge price 4c.
 One lot men's collars, sold at 10c, challenge price 4c.
 One lot ladies' kid gloves, sold at 1.00, challenge price 60c.
 One lot American Beauty corsets, sold at 1.00, challenge price 50c.
 One lot American Lady corsets, sold at 1.00, challenge price 50c.
 500 yds red wide domestic, sold at 9c, challenge price 5c.</p> | <p>5000 yds domestic, sold at 6c, challenge price 4c.
 5000 yds Century cloth, sold 10c, challenge price 7c.
 5000 yds linen finished Century cloth, sold at 10c, challenge price 8c.
 5000 yds drills, sold at 10c, challenge price 7c.
 5000 yds hickory shirting, sold at 10c, challenge price 7c.
 2000 yds ticking, sold at 10c, challenge price 7c.
 1000 yds ticking, sold at 15c, challenge price 9c.
 1000 yds ticking sold at 20c, challenge price 14c.
 1000 yds canton flannel, sold at 10c, challenge price 7c.
 1000 yds canton flannel, sold at 12c, challenge price 8c.
 1000 yds canton flannel, sold at 15c, challenge price 11c.
 2000 yds checks, sold at 6c, challenge price 4c.
 2000 yds checks, sold at 7c, challenge price 5c.
 1000 yds white waist goods, sold at 8, challenge price 6c.
 One lot white quilts, sold at 1.00, challenge price 70c.
 One lot white quilts, sold at 75c, challenge price 50c.
 500 yds red flannel, sold at 35c, challenge price 19c.
 500 yds red flannel, sold at 40c, challenge price 20c.
 One lot button hole twist, sold at 4c, challenge price 1c.
 5000 children's handkerchiefs, sold at 5c, challenge price 1c.
 5000 ladies' handkerchiefs, sold at 5c, challenge price 1c.
 5000 ladies' hemstitched handkerchiefs, sold at 6c, challenge price 2c.</p> | <p>500 towels, sold 20c, challenge price 15c.
 5000 yds apron gingham, sold at 6c, challenge price 5c.
 5000 flannellette, sold at 12c, challenge price 8c.
 5000 yds outing, sold at 6c, challenge price 4c.
 5000 yds outing, sold at 10c, challenge price 7c.
 5000 yds outing, sold at 10c, challenge price 8c.
 One lot negligee shirts, sold at 50c, challenge price 30c.
 One lot negligee shirts, sold at 1.00, challenge price 75c.</p> |
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