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The Semi-Weekly News
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 W. W. PEGRAM
 STEWART L. CASSELLS
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 S. C., as second-class matter.
 FRIDAY NOVEMBER 17.

We have been censured because of a paid advertisement which appeared in our advertising columns some time ago, which probably was somewhat of a personal nature. This advertisement was signed by the party who wrote it.

The manner in which some people think a newspaper should be handled is somewhat puzzling to us. We fear a great many people do not appreciate the position of a newspaper in this modern age. The conception undoubtedly dates back to ancient times when men who had something to "put over" or possibly some "axe to grind" launched into the news-paper business. In those days the owners of a newspaper advanced their ideas and positively ignored the ideas of those opposing them, no matter what they might be.

In later days the newspaper has been more or less placed on a commercial basis. The man who enters the newspaper field today expects to make money, just as the man who enters any other commercial field—by selling his wares.

When a man enters a newspaper office and wishes to buy advertising space he can see no reason why he should be refused that space so long as the language used in same is within the bounds of decency. Of course, if a party wishes to "put over" something "crooked"—it is a different proposition.

We can truthfully say that the present management of this paper has never assumed a dictatorial attitude in any manner. We endeavor to place facts to the best of our knowledge and belief, before our readers believing that an intelligent enough to know right from wrong, when facts are stated. We have no "axe to grind," hence there is no reason why we should conduct a one-sided newspaper.

While we are on the newspaper subject we would like to state that during the last State campaign we published some "dope" for Manningites, some even being so narrow-minded as to place us in the same class when any man of ordinary intelligence should have been able to see that we were for Robert A. Cooper first, last and always, but we had many "Blasphemous" subscribers and we felt it our duty to print "Blasphemous" and several "Blasphemous" knowing we were for Cooper, commended us personally for our fairness.

Of course, this is somewhat away from the main subject, but we wish to say that when other people refuse to sell their wares to the public we stand ready to do likewise.

THE ELECTIONS COLLEGE AND ITS PURPOSE.
 The electoral college and the functions it performs in presidential elections is brought to the public attention once only in every four years, and even then no general notice is given it unless the contest is close, as in the election just passed. Many citizens, therefore, do not understand why it is that the voters of all the States are not added together and the candidate who gets the most votes declared elected. Instead they find the news dispatches which give the returns, speaking of this State having so many votes, with the assurance that the successful candidate must receive a majority of these votes before he is elected.

The explanation lies in the fact that the people of the United States do not vote directly for the president at all. The names of the presidential candidates may be on the tickets, but if only these are voted, then the vote is invalid and will not be counted. The voter casts his vote for a list of men called electors, and these men in turn cast their ballots for president. Each State is given as many electors and therefore as many electoral votes as it has congressmen and senators. The number of congressmen it has depends on its population, but every State has two votes for its senators, regardless of the size of its population. Some States are so small in population that they have only one congressman, but have two senators and, therefore, their vote is three times larger in the electoral college than would be allowed by population alone.

The provision in the constitution of the United States was made recognition of the sovereignty of the States, and further borne out in the

having two representatives.

The founders of the Republic were afraid to give the people too much direct power. They thought that the people could not be trusted with the duty of electing their ruler. They, therefore, provided that the people should choose electors in each of the States, and that these electors should meet in the State that selected them and cast their ballot for president. The result should then be sent to Washington and there counted, and the man having a majority of the votes should be declared elected president, and the one having the next highest, vice president. After several elections were held under this arrangement, it was found to be unsatisfactory, and the constitution was amended so that the president and vice-president should be voted for separately by the electors. The electoral machinery, however, has otherwise remained unchanged to this day. Candidates now are put in nomination, and electors of the party preferring them are pledged to vote for the party nominees, though they are not legally so pledged or obliged.

There have been cases where the president received the majority of the electoral college, but not a majority of the popular vote. This situation has brought complaint against the electoral system as being antiquated and not in accordance with true Democratic ideas. This agitation has been renewed following the recent election. The New York World, the leading democratic paper of the United States, in a recent editorial, pronounced in favor of abolishing it. Many of the Republican papers have expressed themselves likewise. On the other hand, the electoral college is thought by many to be in line with the old Democratic doctrine of States rights because of the fact that in so large a way it recognizes the sovereignty of the States and makes effective the power of this sovereignty.

THE RAN A NEWSPAPER.
 The preacher at the close of one of his sermons said:
 "Let all in the house who are paying their debts stand up."
 Visiting every man, woman and child, with one exception, rose to their feet.
 The preacher seated them and said:
 "Now, every man not paying his debts stand up."
 The exception, a careworn, hungry-looking individual, clothed in his summer's suit, slowly advanced a perplexed position.
 "How is it, my friend," asked the minister, "you are the only man not able to meet his obligations?"
 "I run a newspaper," he answered, "and the brethren here who stood up are my subscribers, and—"
 "Let us pray," exclaimed the minister.
 "If this question was asked in your congregation, what would you do—stand up or sit still?"

Many of our readers who were in arrears have recently written us. We have quite a number of others who are behind in their subscriptions and who have doubtless neglected to take the time necessary to mail us a check or money order.

Of course, the amount due by each individual subscriber is small, but when several hundred are added together, you can readily see it makes quite a sum.

We have no desire to cut any of our subscribers off the list and we feel that we should accept the paper from the postoffice you designate and intend to pay for it.

Don't delay the matter any longer; it will only take a few minutes to mail us a check or money order.

CLERK'S SALE
 STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
 COUNTY OF CHESTER
 My virtue of a Decretal order to me directed, I will sell before the Court House door at Chester, S. C. on Monday, December 4, 1914 at 11 o'clock A. M. the following described real estate, to-wit:
 (1) All that lot or plantation lying, being and situate in said County of Chester, containing one hundred forty nine (149) acres, more or less, bounded by lands of the Estate of A. D. Darby, Sr. deceased. John Wesley Wilks, W. Holmes Harlan and J. H. Gregory, being the identical lot conveyed to J. W. Gregory by Wm. F. Smith by deed recorded in Vol. 68 page 222.
 Only the right, title and interest (whatever the same may be) of Sallie E. Smith, Lot, H. Smith and O. D. Smith, in and to the land above described is to be sold.
 (2) All that lot or plantation lying, bounded by lands of J. R. Bates, by lands of W. H. Lucas and by Smith lands above described, and being the identical land conveyed to Wm. F. Smith by deed recorded in Clerk's office, Chester County, S. C. Terms of Sale, All cash and the purchaser to pay for suit of J. E. Hamilton vs Mrs. Sallie E. Smith et al. for collecting debts.
 J. E. CORNWELL,
 Clerk. C. C. Pleas, Chester, Co. S. C.

CASTORIA
 For Infants and Children
 In Use For Over 30 Years
 Always bears

DAY OF ACTIVITY IN YORK MEETING
 A. C. Bricc Does Well in Position
 (Calling for Still-D. P. Post Speaks.)
 York, Nov. 16.—The activities of the second day of the meeting of the synod of the Associate-Reformed Presbyterian church commenced at 9 o'clock with a business session in which various matters of a routine nature came up for consideration and discussion.
 At 11 o'clock a sermon was preached by the Rev. I. I. Scholz of Raleigh, Va., the discourse being strong and scholarly and delivered with earnestness characteristic of the speaker.
 An executive session was held in the afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock and in the evening at 7:30 o'clock a layman's conference began. It had been planned to hold a conference on some and foreign missions at the opening session but on account of the failure of one of the principal speakers to arrive in time, the conference on layman's work, scheduled for tomorrow, was held instead.
 The principal speaker of the evening was the Rev. E. M. Poter, president of Farmay university, Greenville. Dr. Poter outlined in an effective manner the work of the church that devolved on the laymen and reviewed past accomplishments in this line and touched on future aims.
 Tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock a sermon will be preached by the Rev. J. H. Grier of Cambridge, Va., who from 1893 to 1904 was pastor of York and Tirzah Associate-Reformed Presbyterian churches.
 At 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the moderator for the next session will be elected and the place of meeting chosen. Already there has been friendly rivalry among representatives of several churches for the honor of entertaining the next high court of the denomination and synod's decision in the matter is being awaited with interest.
 Visiting preachers will fill the pulpits at the churches of other denominations Sunday, announcement to this effect having been made this morning.
 A. G. Bricc, who is moderator of synod, has proved an ideal presiding officer and while he is the first layman in the history of the church upon whom this high honor has been conferred, his rulings and decisions have been such that it is the consensus of opinion among the delegates that a wise selection for this important post could not have been made.
 NOW is the time to buy your Blankets and Comforts at The S. M. Jones Co.

CHESTER CITIZEN IN WRECK
 Southern passenger train No. 32, the Augusta-New York special, was wrecked near Charlottesville, Va., last Tuesday morning, about four o'clock, when the train collided with a string of freight cars in the yards at that place.
 The dead are: Jason J. Goodwin, engineer, and James Trumbull, fireman, both of Alexandria, Va.
 Seven passengers were injured but none seriously. Dr. D. B. Johnson, president of Winchester College, sustained several contusions and a sprained neck.
 Col. L. T. Nichols, General Manager of the Carolina and North-Western Railway of this city, was a passenger on the train but was not injured.

ACHING TEETH RELIEVED AT HOME
 Sloan's Liniment Rids Toothache of Its Terrors; Pain Vanishes in a Few Minutes.
 No need to pace the floor all night with the agony of a throbbing tooth. Sloan's Liniment will quickly relieve the pain and give you rest. A single application and the pain usually disappears. Sloan's Liniment gets right to the root of the trouble. Like a warming balm it relieves congestion, and in a few minutes toothache is reduced.
 To soothe the throbbing of a tooth that pains with neuralgia, apply Sloan's Liniment externally. Aching muscles, rheumatism, sore throats, sprains, lumbago, chilblains, sprains and stiff neck can also be most effectively treated with Sloan's Liniment. Clearer than many plasters or poultices, Sloan's Liniment at drug stores in 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 bottles.

Sloan's Liniment
 KILLS PAIN
 Sing a song of Europe,
 High civilized;
 Two and twenty nations
 Wholly hypnotized.
 Then the battles open,
 The bullets start to sing;
 Isn't that a silly way
 To act for any king?
 The kings are in the background,
 Their commands;
 The queens are in the parlor,
 Per etiquette demands.
 The bankers in the counting
 house;
 Avo-hoo multiplying,
 The common people at the front.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that triffr with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

CASTORIA is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, All Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS
 Bears the Signature of
Dr. J. C. Fletcher
 In Use For Over 30 Years
 The Kind You Have Always Bought
 THE GENUINE COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.


The Micawber spirit of "waiting for something to turn up" has kept many a business in swaddling clothes and landed many another in limbo. The merchant who is waiting for "better times" will eventually realize that the "best time" is past.

Go after business when it is hard to get, because that is when you need it most. Keep after it during busy times, for then is when you reap the harvest. The time to advertise is all the time.

Banish the idea from your mind that to make an impression with advertising you must spend a "barrel of money."

JOSEPH WYLIE & COMPANY

A MICHAELS-STERN SUIT, OUR BIG MIRROR—YOUR EYE FOR STYLE AND VALUE—



are all that are necessary to convince you of the merit of **Michaels-Stern Clothes.**

The combination never fails to work, if given a chance. Give it a chance today. Come in and see our tremendous line of **Michaels-Stern Clothes at \$15 to \$30.**

JOSEPH WYLIE

RODMAN-BROWN COMPANY

MONDAY

Nov. 20, 1916

Beginning Monday, November 20th, there will be one of the biggest SHIRT SALES that has ever been pulled off in Chester.

MONDAY—All Shirts size 14 will be on display.
 TUESDAY—All Shirts size 14 1-2 will be on display.
 WEDNESDAY—All Shirts size 15 will be on display.
 THURSDAY—All Shirts size 15 1-2 will be on display.
 FRIDAY—All Shirts size 16 will be on display.
 SATURDAY—All Shirts size 16 1-2 to 20 will be on display.

The newest patterns and all colors guaranteed absolutely fast. All shirts will be sold for cash.

Rodman-Brown Company

HOT BLAST HEATERS

going this week at 20 per cent discount. Only a few left to go at these prices. Dr. W. R. Wallace was awarded the prize November 11th.

Lowrance Bros.
 153 Gadsden Street.
 Phones Store 292 Residence 136 and 356
 Undertakers and Licensed Embalmers.

Dreamland

TODAY---FRIDAY

Owen Moore and Marguerite Courtot in "The Kiss" a 5 act Paramount play also Pathe News picture

SATURDAY

Wm. S. Hart in "The Primal Lure" a 5 act Triangle Western drama

Also Joe Belmont in "The Love Comet" A screaming 2 Reel Keystone Comedy.

All Next Week Easley's Orchestra

HOW are people to know unless you tell them? The Semi-Weekly News

THE BIG STORE

Suits, Coats and Dresses

We have just received another shipment of Suits, Coats and Dresses, and they are beautiful. The Season's latest creations in Wool Velour and Silk Plush Coats. Satin Charmeuse and Serges in the newest styles.

- Suits from \$10.00 to - - - \$25.00
- Coats from 5.00 to - - - 37.50
- Dresses from 5.00 to - - - 25.00

We are showing a beautiful line of Waists in Silks, Voiles and Organdies.

- Georgette Crepe Waists - \$3.50 to \$5.00
- Crepe De Chine Waists - 2.00 to 5.00
- Voile and Organdy Waists - 1.00 to 2.25

See our line of Ladies' Bath Robes, Kimonos and House Dresses Children's Coats and Wool Serge Suits. Come and see us before buying. We will save you money.

The S. M. Jones Company

LOCAL and PERSONAL

Cotton 20c
Seed 1.00

WANTED-To rent 7 or 8 room dwelling house, desirably located with large lot and out-buildings. Possession Jan. 1st. In answering, state location, price etc. Address "Home News" 27.

CALL AND SEE our Children's Serge Dresses, The S. M. Jones Co.

The Chester County Colored Fair Association is holding their annual fair this week and have on display a fine lot of exhibits. A number of race horses from various points are here and some excellent races are being pulled off. A brass band from one of the colored orphanages is furnishing the music for the occasion.

SPECIAL PRICES on Coat Suits and Dresses at The S. M. Jones Co.

Drs. W. R. Wallace and H. E. McCone are attending a meeting of the Southern Medical Association in Atlanta this week.

CHILDREN SHOES bought from us wear longer. Try a pair. The S. M. Jones Co.

There will be preaching at Orr's Station Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, by Rev. J. E. Jones.

Mr. Bert Massey, of Rock Hill, is a Chesaw visitor today.

Many Chester friends and acquaintances of Mrs. T. C. Lucas, wife of Dr. T. C. Lucas, a former resident of Chester, will regret to learn of her death which occurred at Morristown, N. J., Wednesday, after several months illness. Before marriage Mrs. Lucas was Miss Lella Fowles, of Chester. The interment was made at Cheraw, today. She is survived by her husband and two daughters, also her mother, two brothers and one sister.

Mr. T. T. Lucas received a telegram yesterday informing him of the death of Mrs. Carrie Dollah Lucas, widow of the late Capt. W. H. Lucas, of this county, which occurred yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. S. Webb, at Morehead City, N. C. The funeral was held today at Wadesboro, N. C.

WE ARE SHOWING a great line of All Wool Blankets and All Wool filled Comforts. Call and see them at The S. M. Jones Co.

Notice of Land Sale

We will sell for division at Richburg, S. C. at ten o'clock on Friday November 24, about 90 acres of land known as the old Nelson Ford place and hundred (100) acres known as Zack Bishop place about 4 miles from Richburg.

We will also sell on the same day at twelve o'clock the Hartwell Jackson place containing about 375 acres. This place is cut into three tracts and will be sold by the tract which will be shown on plat of day of sale. This will be sold on the place about four miles above Great Falls, S. C.

Terms of sale ten per cent on day of sale, balance cash January 3rd 1917. Parties buying will pay for all necessary papers.

R. E. ANDERSON J. W. ANDERSON
J. W. JORDAN W. E. GLADDEN
Executors of the will of R. E. Anderson, deceased. Any infor-

TALK OF DULL BUSINESS IN TOWN OF ROCK HILL

The Herald wants to see Rock Hill as busy as it was in other years, and there is no reason why it should not be. The right kind of spirit and a reasonable amount of eighteen cartrac hauled combined, will make things hum here as they should be. Three years ago. Why not together and get busy and put Rock Hill on the business map again? We hear too much talk of dull business and hard times here. This is a matter of importance to all the people—laborers, salaried men, mechanics, business and professional men. Gentlemen, do a little thinking and see if you can't see if you agree with the Herald's conclusions.—Rock Hill Herald.

The Catawba River Bridge.

The York county board of commissioners and about 200 citizens of York county held a meeting at Fort Mill Wednesday for the purpose of hearing arguments as to the location of the bridge over Catawba river, which has been away during the July freshet.

The old bridge was located just below the plant of the Catawba Power Co., at what is known as "Foster's bridge." This is a matter of importance to all the people—laborers, salaried men, mechanics, business and professional men. Gentlemen, do a little thinking and see if you can't see if you agree with the Herald's conclusions.—Rock Hill Herald.

LOCAL TALENT PLAY ENJOYS LARGE PATRONAGE

One of the best local talent plays staged in Chester of late was that of last night, "The Girl Who Dared" which drew an audience of several hundred. The play was staged by Misses Beattie and Florence Barkheimer, of Charlotte, and was under the auspices of St. Mark's Episcopal Guild.

CHESTER SOLDIER WRITES HOME

To my friends of Chester county: I take this means of writing to all my friends in Chester county. I wish so much at least that a few were here in this God forsaken country with me. This is some country, believe me.

There are only two shade trees in southern Texas and Mexico and they are very busily engaged at present. The shade of one is occupied by Villa and the other by General Pershing, who is in Mexico.

In Chihuahua City, Mexico. The general opinion in camp is, we will be in Mexico before winter past passed. If the United States army is to fight Mexico now is the time as Mexico is practically out of food and ammunition.

I go over to El Paso, Texas, about twice a week. I attended a W. O. D. meeting there last Wednesday night. I wish so much I could be in South Carolina to vote for President Woodrow Wilson but it is impossible.

The South Carolina Infantry and other corps are considered almost as regular on the border as we have during a good showing in every department.

Respectfully,
W. Lindsay Guy, 1st S. C. Field Hospital, Cooper, El Paso, Fort Bliss, Texas.

SHERIFF'S EXECUTION SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed issued by J. E. Cornwall, Clerk of Court of Common Pleas in case of J. R. Hamrick vs Bethel Baptist Church I will sell before the Court House door at Chester, S. C. at eleven o'clock A. M. Monday December 4, 1916:

All that lot of land together with the church building situated thereon, in the county and State of South Carolina, containing one fourth of an acre near the York road bounded on the north by church street or road, on the east and south by lands of Geo. Solomon on the west by land of Geo. Tidwell, said property being commonly known as the Bethel Baptist church, Levied and sold in pursuance of a writ of writ of execution in favor of said Baptist church.

Terms of sale cash purchaser to pay for papers.

D. E. COLVIN,
Sheriff Chester Co.
Sheriff's office, Nov. 16, 1916.

GERMAN SUBMARINE LEAVES

The Deutschland, the German submarine, which arrived at New London, Conn., on November 1st, slipped out of the harbor at that place on an early hour yesterday bound for Bremen.

The Deutschland arrived in New London, Conn., on November 1st, for her second trip to this country bringing a cargo estimated at ten million dollars. It is stated that the submarine is taking a cargo back to Germany worth half million dollars.

CONFIRMED TESTIMONY

The Kind Chester Readers Cannot Doubt.

Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test of time—the hardest test of all. Thousands gratefully testify.

To quick relief—to lasting results. Chester readers can no longer doubt the evidence.

It's convincing testimony—twice confirmed. Chester readers should profit by these experiences.

Mrs. H. B. McKeown, Mill House No. 10 Chester, says: "I was dizzy and times I became almost blind. The action of my kidneys was irregular and the kidney secretions were unnatural. My feet and ankles were swollen. I had backaches and headaches and if I turned around suddenly, I had to grasp hold of something to keep from falling. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from the Chester Drug Co., relieved me in one day." (Statement given March 29, 1911.)

OVER THREE YEARS LATER, Mrs. McKeown said: "I am a strong friend of Doan's Kidney Pills today as before. They gave me lasting cure."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the name is prominently recommended. Foster-McBirren Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. J. R. Dye is entertaining at an auction party this afternoon, the honor guests being Mrs. R. E. Abell and Misses Eliza Mabry, of Abbeville, and Hazel Killian, of North Carolina.

DON'T NEGLECT YOUR COLD.

Neglected colds get worse, instead of better. A cold in the head, tight chest must be relieved at once. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is Nature's remedy. Honey and glycerine heal the irritated membrane, antiseptic air loosens the phlegm, you breathe easier and your cold is relieved. Pleasant to take. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is an ideal remedy for children as well as grown-ups. At your Druggist, 25c.

Saved Girl's Life

"I want to tell you what wonderful benefit I have received from the use of Theford's Black-Draught," writes Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky.

"It certainly has no equal for its grippe, bad colds, liver and stomach troubles. I firmly believe Black-Draught saved my little girl's life. When she had the measles, they went in on her, but one good dose of Theford's Black-Draught made them break out, and she has had no more trouble. I shall never be without

THE FORDS BLACK-DRAUGHT

In my home." For constipation, indigestion, headache, dizziness, malaria, chills and fever, biliousness, and all similar ailments, Theford's Black-Draught has proved itself a safe, reliable, gentle and valuable remedy.

If you suffer from any of these complaints, try Black-Draught. It is a medicine of known merit. Seventy-five years of splendid success proves its value. Good for young and old. For sale everywhere. Price 25 cents.

For Christmas

Your Friends can buy anything that you can give them except your photograph.

Go to JOYNER'S today and see his pretty line of new Christmas folders.

Prices to suit Everyone.

Joyner's Studio

131 1-2 Deane Street.

THE LABEL on your paper indicates the date on which your subscription expires.

Kuttz Department Store

15c. yard wide best grade percale. \$1.00
\$1.00 best grade calico \$1.00
Kuttz has a great stock of woolen goods that we offer at old prices. We bought before the rise in price.

No matter what you want in Dry Goods Kuttz Department Store will sell it to you on the basis of 10c a pound cotton.

DRUGS.
\$4. Jap art square, 9x12 feet, beautiful patterns and rich colors, special \$2.96
\$8 big room size wool art squares in colors and patterns that will certainly delight you, sale price \$4.99

Kuttz Department Store carries the largest stock of rugs in this section of the State. Don't buy before you get Kuttz's prices.
\$1.75 Congoium, 2 yards wide, this is the extensively advertised floor covering, Kuttz price 98c. Kuttz sells all kinds of Crex floor coverings. We undersell the world on Crex goods.
\$1.75 to \$2 large hearth size Smyrna rugs, double-sided, rug, bright and handsome colors, sale price \$1.29
\$18.00 best grade Tapestry Brussels art square made special \$14.95
10c window shades 25c
50c guaranteed window shades, the world's best 35c
Matting at less than cost. Great lot of it to close out. Less than cost.

CLOTHING.
You just must come to see those \$15 wool suits Kuttz sells at \$10. Nothing like them ever shown before in Chester.

We have something great in \$12.50 men's suits that we are today counter men's \$10 suits at \$8.50

ADVERTISED GOODS HERE
\$17.00 Styelyst \$17 clothing. Griffin clothing. Emery men's shirts. Dudson men's and boy's trousers. Ralston men's shoes. LaFrance ladies' shoes. Peter's Diamond Brand shoes. Educator's shoes. Battle Axe and Craddock shoes. Frot. Moc. Back to Nature shoes for the family. Stetson hats. Tux floor coverings. Cheney neckwear. Phoenix hosiery.

AFTER/ELECTION SPECIALS.
\$1 big nickel boxes of guaranteed to strike matches 10c
15 large nutmeg 10c
1 cake big 6c size Armour's Wash tub soap 10c
1 packages washing powder, 5c 10c
10c "Ox" jolt tobacco, no better 10c
10c tobacco made special 10c

BOY'S CLOTHING.
Yes, Kuttz has boy's clothing of all kinds at prices way under other stores' prices.

50c. WARM UNDERWEAR 37-1-2. Keep warm ladies and gentlemen in Kuttz's 50c warm underwear reduced to 37-1-2c

GLOVES.
Gloves of all kinds. Gloves to keep your hands warm at prices that are astonishingly low.

75c. SWEATERS 50c. Look Here folks, great stock of ladies' and children's warm sweaters worth 75c, Kuttz's price 50c

ARBUCKLE COFFEE 25c. The famous Arbuckle coffee, ground or bean, pound package 25c

KLUTTZ DEPARTMENT STORE

Chester, S. C.

**GERMANS EATING
BREAKFAST WHEN
BRITISH CHARGED**

...in the Ancre Valley Camp without warning and tens of thousands of British soldiers were captured.

With the British Army in France, Nov. 13.—The Germans were apparently completely surprised by the morning's attack in the valley of the Ancre. An evidence of this was found in the fact that the garrison of the trenches around Beaumont Hamel were preparing for breakfast at the very moment when the British infantry stormed the position. The British, after partially clearing the underground galleries and rounding up 700 prisoners proceeded to eat their prisoners' breakfast, and captives they would be fed when they arrived within the British lines.

A total of nearly 4,000 prisoners has so far been sent to the cages, including a regimental commander who was captured in a dugout with a major, an adjutant and a number of other officers. The majority of the prisoners are British and are considered by the British officers very inferior fighting material. The German higher command depended apparently on the supposedly impressive character of the old front line and its strongly fortified villages rather than on the stamina of the troops. The British officers believe the Germans withdrew their best men for service elsewhere on the British front where the new and shallower positions to which the defenders have been forced demand greater resisting power on the part of the infantry.

The British losses were unusually light owing largely to the unexpected feeble character of the German machine gun fire at Beaumont Hamel and St. Pierre Divion. Large numbers of German trenchers were found in the wrecked trenches along the original main line. This line consisted of four parallel roads of trenches, the last being flush with the western face of Beaumont Hamel.

For some days past the sector attacked today and the area behind have been subjected to successive bombardments which were telling the British yesterday and resulted in the demolition of a large part of the defenses. The garrison accepted the morning's deluge of shells as part of the usual daily galling and did not fully realize their danger until the British infantry was seen approaching in the darkness.

The British advance north of Beaumont Hamel was held up on a front about 1,000 yards west of Serre. The first detachment captured some German trenches and passed aheadward toward the village. Suddenly hidden machine guns and infantry snipers scattered in great profusion in the craters and other shelter began firing in the backs of the attacking troops and necessitated their withdrawal. North of Serre the British gained ground but owing to the failure of the advance immediately south, the position was affected to an enflading fire from higher ground in the neighborhood of the village.

A number of isolated pockets are being cleared of Germans in the intervening ground between Beaumont Hamel and Beaucourt-Sur-Ancre. The British are firmly established on the western outskirts of the latter hamlet. The remaining fragments of the old German line immediately south of the Ancre which were "pinned out" by the British flank pivoting to the northeast around the elbow of the stream had been partially isolated since the capture of Schwaben redoubt. Three hundred Germans, the only survivors of the bombardment were captured in this extensive system of river-side caves. Prior to the attack the only communication between these caves and the German rear, was by a cable-way across the Ancre which could only be traversed at night.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday the 2nd day of December, 1918 at 10 o'clock A. M. I will make my Final Return as Guardian of Maggie McDaniel deceased, and will apply to Probate court of this county and State for Discharge and Letters Dismissary.

J. K. McDANIEL, Guardian,
Chester, S. C. Nov. 4th, 1918.

NOTICE OF FINAL RETURN.
On Tuesday, December 3, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M. I will make my final return as Guardian of Bee Brawley to Hon. A. W. Wise, Probate Judge in Chester County, S. C. and will thereupon apply for Letters of Dismissal.

A. L. GASTON,
Chester, S. C.
November 4, 1918.

COLD WEATHER SPECIALS AT CLOUD'S

Now that winter has arrived in force with her chilly blast, it behooves people who have themselves as well as their children to buy Shoes and Clothing for to look about and see where they can get the best Merchandise at the most reasonable prices. Let us impress upon you at the outset that we are amply prepared to take care of your every want in the way of Shoes, Dry Goods and ready made goods for every member of the family. We have on hand the largest stock of goods we have ever had, and in most cases the goods were bought away ahead at the the old prices. Now we have only five weeks till Christmas and we want to reduce our stock before that time.

SHOES

We have just received an invoice for the last big shipment of our fall shoes, from the Brown Shoe company, the biggest makers of good all-leather shoes in the country. We have every dollar's worth of shoes in the store bought at the old price. We know that shoes were going to be high, so we bought them heavily last January before any advance. We are not asking any more for shoes, except a few fancy ones, than we did last fall.

NOTE THE PRICES

- A good leather work shoe for women in 3 styles for \$1.50
- A good dress shoe for women in vic kid lace with patent caps, a shoe that you will certainly pay from \$2.00 to \$2.50 for elsewhere. Our price while they last \$1.75
- Also two other good styles at this price.
- Good all solid leather shoe built for service and dress wear, in patent leather, gun metal and kid. Comes in both button and lace at \$2.48
- Better shoes for women at \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50

CHILDREN'S SHOES

We will not go into detail in describing our children's shoes. The people of Chester know what kind of children's shoes we carry. All that it is necessary to say that we have plenty of them, and can give you the sizes.

MEN'S WORK SHOES

- Men's "Stump of the World" the best solid leather shoe for hard wear to be found in Chester, price \$3.50
- Men's Brown's Barnyard shoe for wear around the lot, ammonia proof and soft and flexible \$3.50
- Men's "Nugget" tan, chrome grain not so heavy, but tough as white leather and has flexible sole at \$3.50
- Men's Hornet in tan and black. This is an all solid leather shoe and cannot be equaled at the price \$2.48

DRESSES

- We have about six beautiful new fall silk dresses, that we want to close out. They are crepe-de-chine and charmeuse, colors navy and black, sizes 16 to 28. These are \$25.00 dresses, but we offer them now for \$14.75
- A good line of dresses in satin and crepe-de-chine at \$8.50 and \$9.50
- A great line of silk poplin dresses in all colors and sizes at \$5.00 to \$6.50.

SKIRTS

Our line of ladies' dress skirts is unsurpassed in size, quality and style. No matter what your wants may be in the line of a dress skirt we can supply you. We have them in all colors, all sizes and all styles, at \$1.98, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$7.50

Ready-To-Wear Bargains

Lot No. 1, 30 good all-wool coat suits, full satin lined, well tailored and good fitting, come in black, navy, brown, green and opea. Materials: serges, poplins and gabardines. These suits are being sold at from \$12.50 to \$15.00, our special price! Now only \$9.98.

Lot No. 2, 15 coat suits in whipcords, poplins, serges and gabardines, all colors and sizes that sold from \$17.50 to \$19.75, now your choice \$14.75

All better suits that sold at \$22.50, \$25.00, \$27.50 to \$35.00 now you can have choice at \$19.95

COATS

Good all-wool coats in mixtures, checks and plaids, all having the new wide flare at bottom and come in both belted back and plain backs. Our bargains in coats of the better kind are too many to mention in detail, but we can truthfully say that our coat business has already far surpassed our expectations, and the coat season is not half over.

Good all-wool coats in plaids and mixtures, \$5.75, \$6.50 \$7.50, \$8.75, \$10.00 and \$11.75.

Good substantial wearing sport coats in dark plaids, light plaids, stripes and mixtures at \$3.50, \$5.00, \$5.75, \$6.50

One lot of young ladies' good heavy weight black Astrakhan coats, just six in the lot, that are exceptionally good values. They are, all one size that we bought cheap and will close the same way, price \$5.75

One lot good black \$5.00 coats that are exceptionally good values. There is just about twelve in the lot, and when they are gone there will be no more. While they last we offer them very special at \$3.98

One lot of 15 good heavy pong skin coats that we bought at a bargain. These are coats that certainly cannot be had for less than \$6.50 or \$7.50. We now offer them at \$4.98

Two lots of extra heavy good warm coats that are unusually good values, ordinarily sell for \$10.00. We now offer them special at \$6.98

We have the biggest and best line of good serviceable coats for all the family to be found in Chester, and we can certainly make the prices right.

Wool Serge Middy Dresses

Middy dresses are very good this season. We have them in several good styles, which we have found popular. All navy blue. Comes with white or red trimmed with size and neck. They are all wool, sponged, and shrunk, sizes 13-15 and 17-14, 16 and 18 at \$8.50, \$9.50, and up to \$12.50.

CHANUT

Our second big shipment of these excellent kid gloves will arrive just in a few days, and we trust that those whom we cannot fit will wait until they arrive. We don't have to write about these gloves. Just ask your neighbor about them. Colors black, white and brown in plain and with stitching, plain, \$1.25 fancy, \$1.50.

Sweaters

We have entirely too many Sweaters and will now close them out at reduced prices.

- Children's Sweaters at \$25c to \$1.50
- Misses' Sweaters at \$1.00 to \$3.00
- Boys' Sweaters at \$5c to \$1.50
- Ladies' Sweaters at \$5c to \$5.00
- Men's Sweaters at \$5c to \$5.00

Holeproof Hosiery

Just arrived another big shipment of these hose. Comes in lace thread with rib top at \$35c
Comes in silk and linen with rib top for wear at \$5c
Comes in pure silk thread with rib top at \$75c
Pure silk in black and white in regular and out sizes at \$1.00
Also for children and men. Buy hose that will give you wear for your money.

Underskirts

A good line of pure silk taffeta underskirts in all colors, at \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, and \$5.00.
Skirts of quality.

Blankets

Our blanket stock is still in good shape, and we can give you blankets of any description at very reasonable prices.
Cotton blankets at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.
Wool mixed blankets in good size at \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50 and up to \$3.50.
All wool blankets in full 11-4 size in plaids and plain white at \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, and up to \$10.00.
A good full size extra heavy comfort \$7.98
Better comforts at \$2.98
See us for good warm underwear for all the family.

Outing Gowns

Good heavy warm outing gowns in plain white and stripe at \$5c and \$1.00
Children's good warm outing gowns at \$5c
Little children's good warm slippers \$25c

Wool Goods

Wool and cotton serges in all colors at 89c
Wool serges in all colors at 50c and 65c
Extra wide heavy serges sponged and shrunk, \$2.98 and \$1.00
Also fancy dress goods in cotton and wool at 25c, 50c and \$1.00

Waists

1 lot real heavy China silk waists. A good semi-tailored style and comes in pink and white. All sizes. A regular \$2.50 value for \$1.98
1 lot crepe-de-chine waists in a good weight, comes in pink and white at a good value at \$2.25
We have a beautiful selection of waists of the better kind in crepe-de-chine, silk and georgette. Unusually good values to be found in the lot at \$2.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00, and \$5.50.

E. E. CLOUD, Chester, South Carolina.

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The man with money in the bank always has the lucky string out for opportunity. Come in and talk it over.

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Good for the Ailments of Horses, Mules, Cattle, Etc.
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Stiff knees, aching limbs, lame back make life a burden. If you suffer from rheumatism, gout, lumbago, neuralgia, get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment, the universal remedy for pain. Easy to apply; it penetrates without rubbing and soothes the tender flesh. Cleaner and more effective than mustard ointments or poultices. For strains or sprains, sore muscles or wrenched ligaments resulting from strenuous exercise, Sloan's Liniment gives quick relief. Keep it on hand for emergencies. At your Druggist, Etc.

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Neglected cold get worse, instead of better. A stuffed head, a tight chest must be relieved at once. Dr. Bell's Fine-Tar-Honey is Nature's remedy. Honey and glycerine heal the irritated membrane, antiseptic lar loosens the phlegm, you breathe easier and your cold is broken up. Pleasant to take. Dr. Bell's Fine-Tar-Honey is an ideal remedy for children as well as grown-ups. At your Druggist, Etc.

No. Six-Sixty-Six
This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and it takes them at a cost the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not grip or sicken. 25c

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