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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10.

THE SOURCE OF OUR LINEN.

Linen is scarce and high in price these days, mainly because Russia, the great flax-growing country, is no longer furnishing the raw material.

The Austrian housewife wonders why it is necessary to send abroad to get good linen. Our grandmothers were expert with spinning-wheel and cottage loom, yet this generation has no such linen as is made by the Scotch, Irish, Belgians and French.

Cotton is the chief reason why. Prolific production of that vegetable fiber made cotton king, and flax "lost out" in the competitive market.

Another reason is that in our country labor costs too much to make flax-growing profitable. In a very long time Scotland and Ireland have produced more of the linen used by the English-speaking world.

The most important reason of these regions is favorable for bleaching. In former days the Irish and Scotch raised their own flax, but in recent years they have imported it in enormous quantities from Russia (until that source of supply was cut off) and from Belgium and Germany.

Belgium flax is not inferior to that which is raised in Ireland and Scotland, but it is far superior. To be a linen designer demands an artistic skill not inferior to that required of a designer of lace. One thousand dollars was the price paid not long ago for table cloth and 24 napkins in the pattern of which the Rape of Proserpine was depicted.

The French and Belgians are famous for their fine damask linens, which when finished in silk are called "silk damask." That kind of weave gets its name from an ancient cloth of Damascus. The designs are exquisite, and in convents and schools children study calligraphy for napkins, tablecloths, etc.

AN ORDINANCE.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Chester, in Council assembled:

1. That it shall be unlawful for any person to delay, interfere with, or impede the progress of the fire truck on any other apparatus of the Fire Department, when same is going to or returning from a fire.

2. The driver of the fire truck going to a fire shall give warning of the approach of said truck by whistle, horn or bell. Upon the approach of such truck it shall be the duty of all pedestrians upon the street to get upon the sidewalk immediately.

Every person driving, or operating, any vehicle upon such street shall immediately drive to the right-hand curb, stop, and remain standing until the fire truck has passed. If in going to a fire such truck passes over a street without curbs or sidewalks, all persons shall clear the street upon approach of said truck.

3. It shall be unlawful for any person to park any automobile or leave any team or vehicle standing on either side of West End Street between the corner of Columbia Street and the building now occupied by the Chester Laundry.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be liable to fine of not over ten dollars (\$10.00) or not over thirty days (30) imprisonment.

Done and ratified in Council this 7th day of February 1922.

G. W. BYRNS, Mayor.

Alders:

J. H. McLeary, City Clerk & Treas.

Milk Diet For School Children.

We have been working on a scheme for some time leading to better nourishment for school children. Quite a good many schools in the country serve hot lunches to the children. This plan in a school system like ours crowded as we are for room is impractical. We have been studying this question for a good many months, and have reached the conclusion that the best plan to follow is to weigh and get weight of each child periodically, use the means furnished by the Government Bureau of Education, which tell what each normal child should weigh for certain ages and heights, report the result of this to each parent at least once a month, so that they may know exactly the condition of their child.

Our plan is to get each and every child in the Primary and Intermediate grades to bring a little bottle of milk, preferably a sterilized bottle, to school each day. We will check the bottles at school, and when they are

we can get under the present circumstances. We feel that, every parent should be interested in this movement since it means so much for their children. We want your co-operation. Please do not misunderstand us. In the above respects concerning your child. Statistics have proven that children from the wealthiest homes are undernourished. Some days ago I read an article from the National School Digest which stated that after the survey of one of the schools in the millionaire district in Philadelphia had been made twenty-five per cent of the children from those homes were suffering from malnutrition.

To further substantiate what I have had to say in regard to milk diet, I want to quote in toto an editorial which appeared in one of our leading daily papers entitled, "MILK FOR BODY AND MIND."

"In practically every school in South Carolina and the rest of the nation there are children who are undernourished and underdeveloped, mentally and physically.

"Asheville, North Carolina, has been supplying a limited number of public school pupils with a half pint of good milk every day with remarkable results, proving that milk is a builder of both body and mind.

"In almost every case the children have been brought up to normal weight, gaining anywhere from 3 to 14 pounds.

"In addition, each pupil regularly drinking milk has shown marked improvement in school work. For example, one boy's marks went to average 75, but now have gone to 90. Generally, these pupils show more energy and their attendance is better. Nervous and excitable children have become more composed.

"In Asheville, as elsewhere, it was found that the undernourished pupils belonged to rich as well as poor families, showing that what was the matter was not so much lack of food as dearth of nourishing diet.

"(Steady diet of good, suitable to adults, has been shown to give children but partial nourishment. The addition of milk has brought about a decided change for the better."

M. E. BROCKMAN.

At The Churches

Sunday, Feb. 12, 1922.

ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Services at 11:15 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. by the rector, Rev. A. E. Morgan. Morning topic, "The Fellowship Of The Holy Ghost." Evening topic, "The Obedience of Lent." Sunday School at 10 A. M. All cordially welcome.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Preaching by the pastor, Dr. Robt. G. Lee, at 11:15 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. At the night services the second of a series of sermons for February and March, topic "Kissin' Sunday School and B. Y. P. U." at 10 o'clock. All most cordially invited.

A. R. F. CHURCH.

Preaching by the pastor, Dr. D. G. Phillips, at 11:15 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath School at 10 A. M. and Y. P. C. U. at 6:30 P. M. All most cordially welcomed.

BETHEL M. E. CHURCH.

Preaching at 11:15 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. by the pastor, Rev. Henry Stokes. Sunday School at 10 A. M. and Epworth League at 6:30 P. M. All most cordially invited.

First Presbyterian Church.

"A Plea for Extravagance." Mark 14:8, will be the theme and text for Dr. Freeman Shepperd's Sunday morning, at 11:15, and Sunday evening at 7:30, "The Mind Of Christ." Pall 2:30 Sunday School, 10 A. M. Free pews and a cordial welcome is extended to all to be present.

QUERY TO HEAD THE STATE TAX COMMISSION

Columbia, S. C., Feb. 7.— Walter Graham Query of Wellford, Spartanburg county, a member of the South Carolina tax commission since 1915, was elected chairman of the body today by the other two members, J. Frazer Lyon of Columbia and J. P. Derham of Conway.

Mr. Query comes to his new position with years of experience and a broad knowledge of the tax problems of the State. He has studied the situation from every angle, not only as a member of the commission, but before he became identified with that body. His whole training has been a business one. He has been engaged in the mercantile business in his home town since his graduation from the Wellford high school, and his career has been a successful one.

The new chairman is a native of Lancaster county, where he was born 44 years ago. His father, J. W. Query, was a minister of the Presbyterian church there. He moved to Wellford, his father's home town, when he was seven years old.

Bible House Stages Printing.

For more than 100 years the American Bible Society has been printing Bibles in New York City. During almost seventy years its present plant at Astor Place, Bible House, has grown to be as familiar a landmark as its neighbors, Cooper Union, in New York. It has developed three generations of polygot printers and proofreaders whose amazing linguistic accomplishments are a wonder to all Christendom.

And Bible House is going to quit printing Bibles! The Bibles will still be printed, but by contract, and outside of New York City. It is a question of economy. The society has been experimenting with direct production through branches placed in Agia Minor, China, Japan and Siam, but such long-range production, though cheap in theory, has its drawbacks. Anyhow, the Astor Place work is to be done outside of New York. The cost of Bible paper handicaps the society, but that factor is uniform throughout the country. Labor cost and fire insurances are given as among the reasons for the change in policy.

It is well known in the book and magazine publishing business that much of the printing work directed in New York which is not of a nature to demand quick deliveries, as in the daily press, is done at a distance. Still, when a business which has been a fixture in New York for more than a century, and whose output is known

to all Christendom, pulls up stakes and leaves the city, regrets that are mingled with wonderment, whether for business reasons there is any thing beyond remedy in local conditions which compel such a removal.—New York World.

PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN



The Big-Fishing Gink is laying down the law again. Every remark is a statement; every step a strut; every frow a frown. He takes himself seriously and pretends to be the Brain Trust, but personally we think he's full of brass.

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SENTIMENT SALE!

The Rodman-Brown Co., Chester, S. C.

Comes forward the second time in 1922 with a Gigantic Mid-Winter Season Sale

WHEN! WHY!! WHAT!!!

Friday, 10:00 O'clock A. M., Feb. 10th, Through Saturday, Feb. 25th.

Think as you may, public sentiment molds to a large extent the future of everybody and everything. From the smallest individual to the powerful affairs of nations, the opinion of one person combined with that of another, another, and still another forms a chain that creates a prestige that cannot be overcome, each within itself surmounts any and all obstacles known to the human race. Realizing that this strength is regulated by the public at large, these ever alert minds in one accord refuse to longer pay for the necessities of life the unreasonable prices which have been out of proportion. Recognizing this fundamental fact to which we fully agree, being convinced by the manner in which the people came and bought during our January sale, that lower prices will induce the public to buy, we again offer our assistance in getting back to normalcy by throwing our entire stock of our three large stores before the public at a sacrifice beginning Friday, February 10th, continuing through Saturday February 25th.

Unfortunately, the last week of our January sale, the weather was so severe, cold and so much sleet and snow that many in the country were not able to get here to supply their needs. This offers another and larger opportunity as since that time, we have received thousands of dollars worth of new spring goods that will be included in this sale. Pardon our saying so, but our reputation is such that when a statement like this appears above our name, every one knows that all set forth will be carried out to the letter, so come one, come all and get the benefit of this golden opportunity. Every article in our store is a wonderful value and is priced within the reach of all, from the buyer of the smallest article to the largest purchaser, who will have the satisfaction of getting what they want at a price that is gratifying that will meet the desires of the most careful buyer. The expressions of our friends and patrons as to how well they were pleased with our last sale was indeed gratifying, and we mean to continue this feeling if possible, even more so during this sale. We list below some of the values we will offer. Every article will be low priced, and we ask you to come and see, whether you buy or not.

John B. Stetson hats new spring blocks \$6.50 and \$7.00 values, Sale price ----- \$4.50	100 outing gowns ----- 48c 100 outing gowns ----- 98c	200 men's felt hats \$5.00 to \$6.50 values to close \$2.50 each. 1 cap with each of these hats.	Leonard Shaw & Dean high shoes, tan and black pair ----- \$6.50
100 pairs men's pants \$3.00 to \$5.00 values, Sale Price ----- \$2.00	100 all wool blankets \$4.50 values, on sale \$1.95 All ladies' wool hose 1-2 price.	All corsets at greatly reduced prices.	MEN'S WORK SHOES.
100 men's suits \$30.00 to \$45.00 values. Any suit in lot ----- \$15.00	Ladies' spring oxfords \$7.50 to \$10.00 values to close, pair ----- \$2.50	Drapery and curtain scrim at exceptionally low prices.	75 pairs \$8.00 value Lion brand, pair ----- \$4.00 50 pairs men's heavy \$6.00 value, pair ----- \$3.00 50 pairs men's high boots \$15.00 value to close out, pair ----- \$7.50
Tough nut work gloves \$4.00 value ----- \$2.00 \$3.50 value ----- \$1.75 \$3.00 value ----- \$1.50 \$2.50 value ----- \$1.25 \$2.00 value ----- \$1.00	All spring suits, coats and dresses on sale, greatly reduced.	LADIES' ALL WOOL DRESS SKIRTS.	WHITE WASH SKIRTS.
Men's kid gloves 1-2 price.	Ladies' spring 1922 oxfords, all colors go in sale at very low prices.	1 lot \$12.50 skirts ----- \$4.25 1 lot \$10.00 skirts ----- \$4.00 1 lot \$7.50 skirts ----- \$3.75 1 lot \$5.00 skirts ----- \$2.50 1 lot \$3.50 skirts ----- \$1.75	1 lot ----- \$6c 1 lot ----- \$1.48 1 lot ----- \$1.98 1 lot ----- \$2.48 1 lot ----- \$2.98
Last call for 75 overcoats closed in 3 lots. 1 lot \$10.00 to \$15.00 values ----- \$5.00 1 lot \$25.00 to \$35.00 values ----- \$15.00 1 lot \$37.50 to \$50.00 values ----- \$25.00 All Hart Schaffner & Marx coats included.	Carhartt overalls, all sizes up to 44, sale price \$1.50 \$4 to 50, sale price ----- \$1.65	Ladies' shirt waists cut to the core. Look at counter.	Middy Blouses, wonderful values, 1 lot ----- 49c 15,000 yards ginghams in all bright new patterns just received, going on sale. Ask to see them.
All ladies' Bradley wool sweaters \$11.50 to \$15.00 values to close, each ----- \$5.98	600 men's \$1.25 work shirts Sale price ----- 75c	LADIES' KNIT UNDERWEAR.	White goods, nainsooks, Dimities, voles, organdies, batiste, all specially priced for this sale.
8000 yards Indian head, yard ----- 19c	50 men's wool skirts \$5.00 and \$6.00 values. Sale price ----- \$2.00	We are going to sell every garment. See them. Every article as represented. Satisfaction or money back.	Colored tissues, voles and organdies on sale.
2000 yards heavy outings, all colors, yard ----- 8 1-3c	Edwin Clapp high shoes, tan and black, \$8.50 pair while they last.	Men's heavy fleeced underwear that sold for \$2.00 sale price ----- 75c Lee Unionalls, Sale price ----- \$3.00 True shape men's hosiery all colors ----- 25c \$1.75 men's wool hose ----- \$1.00 \$1.00 men's wool hose ----- 50c 50c men's wool hose ----- 25c	
	Howard & Foster high shoes, tan and black, pair ----- \$6.50		
	BOYS' CLOTHING.		
	\$10.00 to \$12.50 suits ----- \$5.00 \$15.00 to \$20.00 suits ----- \$10.00 \$22.50 to \$25.00 suits ----- \$12.50		

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Chester, South Carolina