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THOROUGHLY VINDICATED OF ALL THE CHARGES

INVESTIGATION INTO THE HOSE DEAL SHOWS NAUGHT

THE MATTER AID BEFORE CITY COUNCIL

Council Passes Resolution Expressing Their Sentiments - Shows That No Craft Was Involved

City Council met in special session yesterday morning to investigate certain rumors in connection with the purchase of 1,000 feet of hose for the city.

Alderman Lindsay made the following report: I had stated at the former meeting of council, that owing to rumors that there was graft in the present council, in connection with the purchase of hose, I demanded an investigation, and this is the object of this meeting.

Mr. J. G. L. White stated that he wrote to the Eureka Fire Hose Co. and got a price of 65 cents a foot for Eureka hose. Alderman Lindsay stated that he had had 300 pound pressure hose for 65 cents a foot; and for 400 pound pressure, trumpet jacket, double air hose, 90 cents a foot.

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ORDERS ELECTION FOR OCTOBER 28TH

MAYOR WILL DE GHOBEN THAT DAY

License Bill Up - What Was Done at Council Meeting Tuesday Evening.

City council met in regular monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon at 8 o'clock. Present, Mayor pro tem Hardin, Aldermen Brice, Wix, Coatsworth, Stewart, Lindsay and Moffat.

The resignation of Henry Stewart as mayor was read and accepted. It was the opinion of City Attorney McLeod that council would have to order an election to fill the vacancy in the mayor's office and also to have the books for registration open twenty days before the election and remain open ten days after the election.

A petition was received from the property owners from the lower end of an election to fill the vacancy in the mayor's office and also to have the books for registration open twenty days before the election and remain open ten days after the election.

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Supervisor's Registration

Mr. John M. Hemphill has been appointed by the City Council, supervisor of the city registration books. The books were opened yesterday morning in the office of chief of police, and will close on Friday, Oct. 22.

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C. & N-W PLAYS IMPORTANT PART

OF VITAL INTEREST TO CHESTER EVERY WAY

Constitutes Nearly 10 Per Cent of Population and Turns Loose Much Money

The Lantern man dropped into the office of General Manager L. T. Nichols yesterday afternoon to get some information about that railroad with the idea of showing to the people of Chester what an important and instrumental part it is in the life of the city.

The head quarters of the C. & N. W. Railroad and the Caldwell & Northern railroad are located here. The shops of this road are also in Chester.

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Barn Burned Last Night

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WYLIES MILL NEWS BUDGET

THUNDER STORM OF SO MUCH MAGNITUDE

Special to The Lantern: Wylies Mill, Oct. 5 - Every one is busy picking cotton and hauling up.

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RECEIPTS: Receipts-Water Works 68.20, Light Taxes 133.70, Sanitary Collections 650.98, Street Taxes 328.43, Dog Tax 1.00, License 1.00, Fines 101.00, Dispensary 42.24, Public Health 10.00, Cemetery 43.00, Miscellaneous 10.00, Bills payable 1,000.00, 43,410.78

COTTON IS KING

PRICES ARE
DOWN

MACAULAY'S

VALUES ARE
UP

GRAND COTTON CARNIVAL

Beginning Saturday, October 9th, 8 A. M.

Old King Cole was a Merry Old Soul and
So Is King Cotton

He will reign supreme at our store beginning SATURDAY, Oct. 9th, for 30 days, and we believe that no time could be more fitting than the present to bid you come to our COTTON CARNIVAL. With the utmost appreciation of the favors of the past, we beg you to come to this great big BARGAIN ATTRACTION, for we are lubricating the wheels of business with rare chance inducements in new seasonable fall and winter merchandise.

DON'T STOP TO FIGURE IF YOU CAN AFFORD IT
BUT FIGURE IF YOU CAN AFFORD TO DO
WITHOUT IT AT THE PRICE.

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This Biggest Of Sales

Means the most startling bargains, this town has ever known. 25 days that will be "Doing days"; if you would enjoy a feast of merchandise bargains in all kinds of good wearables--a jolly crowd--the joyous music of COTTON CARNIVAL PRICES, join the happy throng. The very air breathes it, and far be it from us to be laggards in the fields of activity--instead being ever to the front, we have arranged at this great fall and winter event the very essence of all that's worth while in bright new merchandise.

COME TO THE CARNIVAL. You will not only be right royally entertained, but you will find the greatest display of genuine bargains ever offered a discriminating public.

When Money Talks People Stop To Listen

And Every Dollar you spend at this Great Sale will talk good and loud. Never before in the history of Chester have you had the opportunity to buy merchandise right at the beginning of the season at such prices as we will make for the next 30 days.

A FEW DON'TS--Don't get mad if some one tramps on your corns. Don't be broke next Saturday. Don't fail to be here when the doors open. Don't leave the store until you have seen everything. Don't think of staying away even though you don't want a thing.

DON'T FAIL TO GET ONE
Of our double page circulars. They're interesting reading if you would make your dollars stretch. If the boy misses you call at the store and get one.

NO CRITICISMS OF RIVALS CAN STOP THE CRUSH OF PEOPLE
which this store will know for the next 30 days.

You will buy Merchandise at virtually your own price. Make your arrangements right now and don't let anything keep you from being here Saturday morning, October 9th. Will be a grand and glorious event and we want you all to be with us.

THE CLIMAX
OF
VALUE GIVING

D. J. MACAULAY
CHESTER, SOUTH CAROLINA

BE HERE
SATURDAY
MORNING

NEW FALL Styles in Correct Clothes for Gentlemen.

We cordially invite you to call and examine the handsome new fall styles in Men's Clothes for 1909. Just in, fresh from the makers. They have been carefully tailored to our special order from the most approved designs and are of a style and attractiveness never before seen in ready to wear clothes for men.

Now is the time to look them over, while the stock is complete.

We are exclusive agents for Schloss Bros. Co., the great clothes makers whose productions are world renowned. We have selected the best styles and they are now ready for your inspection. Besides these famous garments, we have a splendidly chosen stock of other fine and medium priced clothing, for men, youths and boys, that you should see.

Mens Suits from \$5.00 to \$25.00 Youth's Suits from \$5.00 to 15.00
Boys Suits from \$2.00 to 7.50.

At the Big Store

S. M. JONES & CO.



T. L. SHIVER
Just Opened. New Barber Shop.
Under Nail's Mammouth Furniture
31 one on Columbia St. Been in busi-
ness 22 years. Call and see me.

Notice

Having failed to Dispose of my Stock of Medicines and Fixtures, I have moved them to a room in my yard, at 126 York St., and will continue to retail them at reduced prices. Friends and patrons would do well to call. I guarantee every medicine to be pure and reliable.

J. J. Stringfellow.

Twenty-five Cigars Free!

The Standard Pharmacy announces to its patrons, a chance to get absolutely free, 25 good cigars. With each purchase of a set of cigars, a ticket entitling the holder to one chance at 25 set cigars, will be given. The drawing will take place every other Saturday night, and the 25 cigars awarded to the holder of the lucky number. The contest begins tomorrow, and the first award will be made Saturday night, Oct. 16th.

Buy Cigars and get Tickets, at
The Standard Pharmacy.

The Small Depositor is Welcome at This Bank

A hundred small accounts make a bank stronger than a dozen large ones. This is one of our reasons for urging the man of limited means to transact his business with us. Large accounts are welcome too, for it is our purpose to serve ALL the people, whether their business be small or large.

The Commercial Bank
Chester, S. C.

Galvanized Ware

Pails. Tubs. Well Buckets.
Extra Heavy Well Buckets.
Measures. Oil Cans. Oil Tanks.
Sprinklers. Foot Tubs.
Chamber Pails. Garbage Cans.
Fire Pails.

PRICES RIGHT.



THE LANTERN

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION,
\$1.50 per year, cash.

LOCAL NEWS

Chief of Court J. E. Cornwall and Deputy Sheriff Dye were in Columbia yesterday on business.

Mrs. Ada Thomason, of Yorkville, arrived in the city yesterday evening and is visiting friends and relatives in the city and at Landon.

FOR RENT—Rev. R. W. Boyd's plantation, 4 miles from Cornwell. Apply to S. J. Curry, Cornwell R. F. D. No. 4.

Chester Chapter U. D. C. will meet Monday, Oct. 11th, at 4 o'clock, with Mrs. W. H. Newbold, important business. All members urged to attend.

There will be preaching at the Baptist church on Sunday by the Rev. H. W. Williams, of Commerce, Ga.

Mrs. C. M. Ferguson, of Pine Bluff, Ark., is visiting Mr. W. L. Ferguson and other relatives in the city.

Little Matthew White, the five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. White, who lives about one mile from the city, was badly hurt Wednesday afternoon by falling out of a persimmon tree. He fell on his head, causing concussion of the brain and was in a serious condition. Dr. Pryor was summoned at once and made medical treatment. Mr. and Mrs. White's many friends will be glad to know that their little son is resting easy this morning and will likely recover.

Among the Chester people who were present at the dedication of the Kings Mountain monument yesterday were: Misses Kate Glenn, Annie Hardin, Misses Oates, Mrs. J. J. Stringfellow and Messrs. A. L. Gaston, R. E. Harner, G. B. White, A. G. Brice, Paul Hardin, Robert Jace, R. B. Moffat, J. K. Henry and Hays. D. G. Phillips and D. M. McLeod. Most of his party went from here in automobiles and quite a nice time was reported by all.

NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Sarah J. McDaniel dec'd will present to the undersigned, J. K. McDaniel, Administrator

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Duckworth-Husbands.

Cards have been received in the city as follows:
Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Duckworth request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Corrie to

Mr. Lawrence DeWitt Husbands Thursday afternoon, Oct. fourteenth at four o'clock
First Baptist church
Williamston, South Carolina.

Whiskey 36 Years Old.
Spencer, Ind., October 2.—Workmen engaged in tearing down the old Owen county courthouse found a gallon jug of whiskey buried in a crevice in the foundation stones under the building. The jug was sealed with wax and bore on one side a discolored paper label inscribed as follows:
"Deposited" by Joseph Freeland, 1820, distilled in Owen county, 1823."
About half the contents had evaporated. The liquor is now in the possession of the county auditor, who has purchased a new spoon preparatory to distilling the liquid out. In heated quantities to the county officials and others.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 4.—Mrs W. B. Scott, wife of a banker of this city, was found in the woodshed of her home yesterday gagged and suspended by the wrist from the rafters so that her toes just touched the floor.

"The woman had been hung there by two masked men and had been tied for more than two hours when her husband and neighbors found her exhausted and suffering severely from the shock.

According to the story told by the police, after Mrs. Scott was bound and gagged and hung to the rafters, the men entered the house and searched for money.

Athens, Ga.—Condensar Kennon, aged 25, a white farmer living a few miles from Watkinsville, was robbed and it is believed murdered in this city on the night of Saturday, September 25, and his body thrown in the Coocotee river at the cemetery bridge.

He left home on that day to go to Atlanta to have his eyes treated. He had with him \$65. He was here on that date and was not later seen alive. This morning the body was found with a blunt instrument.

The coroner's jury is making a sweeping investigation.

NEW STORE OPENED UP AT FUDGES

FARMERS ARE BUSY PICKING COTTON

Boys and Girls Have Returned to College—Other Matters of Interest

Special to The Lintern:
Fudges, Oct. 5.—Our farmers are busy picking, ginning and selling their cotton as fast as they can get it out, taking advantage of the good price. The cotton crop is rather short in this community. Some are gathering corn this week.

Mr. R. H. Fudge has opened a store at Houlog. Messrs. David Jordan and W. S. Garrison have charge of it. The Jordan school closed last Tuesday and Prof. Notes has returned to his home in Newberry.

The new Methodist church at El Bostel is nearly completed. They will have a neat little church of which they should be proud.

Mrs. E. N. Killian and three children have been right sick also little Miss Mattie Sloan, but all glad to report they are all convalescent.

Mrs. J. M. Hough has gone to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. G. Ashcraft in Charlotte.

Mr. J. Neal Jordan, of Columbia, who has been visiting relatives here for the past week expects to return to his home tomorrow.

The most of our girls and some of our boys have gone off to school. We miss them very much.

The following have gone to Winthrop, Misses Jo and Katie Yarbrough, Jessie McCullough, Lily Bell and Ora Jordan, and Ira Jordan to Limestone. Messrs. Will Hough to Furman, Marion Cox to Wolford, Ernest Crosby to Orangeburg, Judson Kelsey to Kingston, N. C., and Ben Garrison to Watkins, N. C.

Miss Ruth Thomas, of Edgemoor, R. F. D. No. 2, who has been visiting relatives here returned home yesterday.

Miss Minnie Kelsey is spending a while with her sister, Mrs. J. Q. Thomas near Lyle.

A little four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Tensent died Friday afternoon and was buried at Harmony Saturday.

See Our Famous
Barler Oil Heater
The Best on the Market, and Costing no more than any other good heaters.

We carry a full line of all kinds of heaters, cook stoves and ranges, from the cheapest to the best. Get our prices on Furniture before buying. It will pay you.

Lowrance Bros. Phone 292 153 Gadsden St.

Jos. Wylie & Co. THE NEW FALL SUIT.



IF YOUR Suit be chosen from our stock of HIGH ART Clothing, your money will have been wisely and profitably spent. HIGH ART CLOTHING makes good the material of which it is made makes good, being chosen with a critical eye and rigidly tested before, finally cut: the workmanship is good because only good tailors are permitted to have a hand in the fashioning of HIGH ART Clothing: the fit is perfect as a try on will readily convince you, and the style of a garment bearing the HIGH ART label is marked by character, distinction and good taste.

Special Prices for Fall Opening.
Make the buying of your HIGH ART suit most timely right now.

Joseph Wylie and Co.

It is bad to lean against a falling wall.
Trespass Notice.
All persons are hereby warned not to fish, hunt, ride, cut timber, allow cattle to run at large, or otherwise trespass upon lands owned or controlled by the undersigned.
C. T. Stroud

J. B. Westbrook
Attorney at Law
First Floor, Agura Building

Men's Shoes
Edwin Clapp Shoes,
All styles and leathers, \$8.00
Hurley's Shoes
All styles and leathers, \$5.00
Howard and Foster Shoes,
All Styles and leathers, \$3.50 & 4.00
The above shown style is one of our new last in Clapp called "Hi Daddy." Ask to see it.
Our guarantee goes with every pair of shoes sold under our name.
Strange-Robinson Shoe Co.
Fitters of Feet.

FALL STOCK NOW COMPLETE

Klutz is loaded as never before with the largest stock of Fall Goods in the history of the store. Every department is loaded to capacity with the prettiest and best bargains Chester has ever known.

75 Cents to \$1.00 Men's Shirts at 38 Cents.

Klutz bought the entire sample line of men's shirts from the great firm of H. B. Claffin Co., New York, at an underprice, and is going to offer the lot to you at only 38 cents each. This is a remarkable collection of shirts, some in the lot are sold regularly at 75 cents to \$1.00, and none worth less than 75 cents. Best shirt bargain we have ever offered.

Men's Pants
We have the sample lines of five of America's largest men's pants factories. Klutz closed each lot at his own price. Listen at this:
Regular 4.00 to \$5.00 Pants 2.95
Regular 3.00 Pants 1.98
Regular 2.00 Pants 1.45

\$1.50 Smyrna Rugs at 98c

We have just received another bale of 50 of those \$1.50 "Acme" Smyrna Rugs, large size, exquisite colors, which we will close out at only 98 cents each. This is the last bale of these "Acme" Smyrna rugs to be sold at 98 cents. Everybody in Chester, except Klutz, always get \$1.50 for this excellent "Acme" rug. We are selling them at 98 cents simply to advertise our big RUG AND CARPET DEPARTMENT. Klutz wants to show you the best assortment of Matting, Rugs, Art Squares, Linoleum, Lace Curtains, Wall Paper and Window Shades in Chester.

Klutz Department Store

