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TUESDAY, JULY 6, 1909.

"General Green" whom we read so much about these days is not the American general whom we know of in the city with all reports of his being a worthy successor of that famous Revolutionary commander.

**WHY FRIDAY'S LANTERN MISSED.**

It was reported at this office on Saturday that Friday's Lanters for the rural routes from this city and for some other places couldn't be found and no one was able to account for them. The negro boy who carries them from the Lanters office to the postoffice swore that he took them and put them down there, saying how often he had seen any one in the office but he didn't see any one at the front desk. It was a pity that he had the papers and turned them over to the person in charge. Hereafter he will do that.

Saturday afternoon the missing sack of papers turned up, having been delivered to Charlotte instead of being distributed. They came in this morning Monday with a holiday with the R. F. D. men and hence the issue of Friday did not reach the country until today.

We are sorry that the day occurred. It was through a mistake that the papers were sent to Charlotte but we are glad that they were not lost or afraid.

To make this explanation so our readers might understand the cause of the delay. It was reported that our press broke down and we couldn't get the paper out but that was a mistake. Although the gasoline engine was obstinate and did not want to run at all Friday afternoon.

**BY PRECEPT AND EXAMPLE.**

The everyday grind of life at times gets very monotonous. The same work, day after day, tires the good man and makes him long to get out of the routine and into something more exciting and vigorous. It is hard to keep doing the same thing over and over again as if it were at a blank wall, and not able to see over it. Some such experiences come into the life of all.

As the poet has truly said "Into every life some rain must fall, some days must be dark and dreary." We must get our own ideas on the way of our neighbors we often think that we have the hardest lot. We see them at their best with smiling faces and cheerful ways. But when we see them at their worst we often think that we are the luckiest of mortals. It is often we would be startled at the misery and the burdens which they carry. We can not give to others the right inspection which we give to ourselves and hence it is not for us to judge by outward appearances.

In starting life our ideals are high and our hopes boundless. We have the patience with the statement of the elders about the pitfalls and the byways which we must traverse. We think that we have our own way and our distinct goal and that to reach it we only have to apply ourselves. This is as it should be and the right way. But the "eye opens" which year after year often take us farther and farther from the goal. One of the hardest things is in living up to the standards which we know to be right. At the best we are often we are lured. First ambition, greed, and the human passion for "us and against" indeed is the human being who is able to overcome them all and face steady to the front.

These come in the guise of friends and are hard to detect. False friends lead us on to ruin by smiling faces and cheerful patter of the lips on our backs. In some, where we expect to see only the best qualities, we find the worldly ambitions and the selfishness. Careless of the impression which they make on their surroundings they go on. Attractive, and good to look upon they know that they have what they want and hence grow indifferent to some of the noblest things of life.

But patience and perseverance will win. Not probably what we first thought and planned. Often that would be the worst thing for us but the end will be perseverance and patience is practical. We see this illustrated day after day in the hearts and lives of men and it would be well for the young man as he pursues his way along life's journey to stop and consider those around him and their mode of living, their hopes, ambitions, and their failures.

**REGRET TO SEE THEM LEAVE.**  
Like the other people of this city who are sorry to see that Mr. McKinnell and family have decided to return to their home at Balabait, Scotland, in the near future. They will probably go about the first of September.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinnell are universally popular and their going will be a general regret to the people of this city and entered the employ of S. M. Jones & Co., where by his faithful application to his duties he has risen to a commanding position. Mr. McKinnell has also been prominent in church work. He is a local member of Purty's Presbyterian church and he and his good wife have followed his Christian teachings in their daily lives.

It is such citizens as Mr. and Mrs. McKinnell that Chester needs and that we wish to see in the ranks of our daily lives. We send our best wishes for their there only happiness and prosperity.

But charming Columbia's weather can't begin to compare with "Pulsed" Chester's "Delightful Breezes."

Chester really looks good to the outsiders and it is a pity that the city is so diverting columns. The Lanters to see the bargains now being offered in Chester, Pa.

**Lewis Turnout Events.**

Lewis July 1.—Mr. W. N. Higgins, of Lamesa, Tex., recently. He said there are acres and acres of cotton planted that has never come up on account of extreme drought. It is reported there will not be more than a half crop made anywhere. Farmers, who not raise the crops needed at home and for export, will have to buy them.

There is no financial calamity that can envelop a farmer with his crib full of corn and a field well supplied with supplies. If this method was pursued and all unite under one leadership we could withstand the encroachments of the "shakes" who are trying to buy our corn for nine cents a bushel. How stupendous a thing it would be to convert the "whole round world" into one way of thinking. Sweet potato is a splendid crop. The dairy industry is one of the most reliable and remunerative of any branch of farming. See Mr. A. H. Wherry of the dairying. He sells cream and butter and says he makes good money out of it.

Those who attended the reunion in Chester were: Mr. A. H. Wherry, Mrs. Annie Jones, Mrs. Hamilton Courtney, Messrs. Reid, Lucius, Ike and Dick Howes and William and Charlie Wootan. They report the largest crowd they ever saw in Chester and a delightful time shaking hands with old friends and veterans.

Mr. Reid Howes is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Howes, from Florida.

We are glad to note that Dr. R. L. Douglas, of Rodman, is out again. He has been sick and unable to work. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones, of Charlotte, visited the former's mother, Mrs. Annie Jones, recently.

Mr. Chas. Wootan, who graduated from the University of Clemson college in June, will go to Chicago the 15th of July to begin work with the General Electrical company.

Miss Sattie Marie of Chester, spent Saturday and Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Annie Jones.

Miss Bettie Howes is at home from Washington and will be home this week.

Mrs. Lydia Wootan, of Blythwood, S. C., who attended the reunion in Chester, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wootan.

Mrs. A. V. Diehl is visiting at Mrs. Bill Triplett's and Mrs. Annie Jones' enroute to her home in Rock Hill from a pleasant visit to Chester to the reunion. Mrs. Diehl is a beloved woman and has many warm friends here, having made this her home previous to moving to Rock Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wootan, who were called out recently to see Mr. and Mrs. Courtney's baby, who has been very sick but is now convalescing.

Miss Susan Howes, who returned after a delightful visit to her aunt, Mrs. Legrande, of Charlotte.

**GLORIOUS FOURTH PASSED QUIETLY**  
**NOT MUCH ATTENTION PAID TO IT**

Day Passed Without Any Accident or Far Reported—Colored Boys Play Ball

The "Glorious Fourth" passed off rather quietly in Chester. The postoffice observed Sunday hours, the carfare had holiday and the banks of the city were closed, but being the extent of the observance of the day among the white population. And yet no one of the colored boys was to be seen in the streets. The boys were in their places at 9:30 o'clock with the exception of one or two, the clerk and the janitor. The judge his deputy together with the bailiffs were all in court at the appointed time but the judge failed to show up. He was being the clerk to adjourn the court this morning as yesterday was being observed as a holiday and hence he would not be hand until this morning. So the names of the grand jury and of the petit jurors were called and then court was adjourned until this morning at 9:30 o'clock. The Hon. R. W. Memminger, clerk of the court, presided. Judge, Court Stenographer McLaw, of Yorkville, was on hand yesterday morning ready for court to convene but when he found that the judge had not arrived he took the train and went back home to "read the day."

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**LANDO AGAIN VICTORIOUS**  
Defeated Chester at Lando—Ice Cream Supper—Personal Mention.

Special to The Lanters: Lando, July 5.—Lando crossed the water with the Chester team being the first to land on the shore. Lando had a very nice game ending with the favorite score of 2-1 in favor of Lando. The batteries were Robinson and Mason for Chester and Mobley, Proctor and Glenn for Chester, and Joe Drake, it was a nice game and enjoyed by all.

Mr. J. L. Morrow, of Lancaster, spent Sunday visiting his wife's people here.

Mrs. L. S. Nunnery has returned home after spending a few days visiting her parents in Rock Hill, S. C.

Miss Belle Campbell has returned home after spending a few days visiting relatives in Chester, S. C.

Miss M. M. Merritt, of Chester, has been spending a few days here visiting Misses Myrtle and Lella Miller.

Mr. J. B. Miller spent Saturday in Chester.

Lando baseball team gave an ice cream supper on the lawn in front of Mr. C. A. Davis on Saturday last, and had a nice time with plenty of food and a very large crowd was out, this was the first ice cream supper that he had given and it was well enjoyed by all, and it is hoped that he will have another soon.

Mr. John Ramsey and family of Pineville, N. C. are spending a few days visiting his father, Mr. Wade Ramsey.

**ALL AROUND TOWN**

**Happenings and Incidents of Two Days in and Around the City**

The Southern Northbound train, formerly due here at 8:00 A. M. now reaches here at 7:30 A. M. The N. W. train which formerly left at 8:00 A. M. now leaves at 7:55 A. M. No other changes have been made recently in the schedule of either road.

There has not been very much doing in the Police Court lately. The people do not seem much inclined to break the law.

The martial art seemed to have struck the youth of the city. The other day a number of young fellows in their teens were seen coming from a dance where they had been making a "bang" with shovels and picks on their heads and with a military tread, their leader shouting: Hee! Hee! Hee! There were about eight of them and some of the neighbors were wondering what military company was doing in town at midnight.

"Glad the backbone of the hot weather has been broken" is the remark commonly heard on the street now.

Three large glass electric globes have been ordered and are at the new Postoffice building. It is said that they cost \$80 apiece. They will hang in the lobby and will make the light position.

The confederate flags have been taken down from the monument and Commercial Club and the decorations for the late reunion have disappeared.

There was a proposition made to council to sell the city town clock. If they would remove it to the tower in the city hall. The matter was discussed in council once or twice but nothing has been done in connection with the matter. The writer the other day about the matter and the inquiry is passed on to council.

**Barber Absconded With the Cash**  
Mr. A. DuLong, a barber who was running the shop adjoining the store of Mr. E. C. Stain, absconded on last Saturday night with the cash, paying the bar bill and leaving with his wife for parts unknown. It is known that he bought a ticket for Columbia and it is thought that he is in Augusta, Ga. A warrant has been issued for his arrest and he will no doubt be apprehended and brought back here for trial.

The barber shop in question was the run jointly by Mr. T. W. Higgins and DuLong. Mr. T. W. Higgins was forced out in partnership with Mr. Higgins but he disposed of his interest to DuLong and moved to Sumter, and DuLong had charge of the shop. He had been running it about six weeks and everything seemed to be getting along smoothly when suddenly last Saturday he pocketed the cash in the office and absconded with Chester from here.

Mr. T. D. Atkinson arrived from Sumter last night and he and Mr. Higgins, after consulting over the matter, have arranged for the return of DuLong and he will in all probability be in custody before many more hours pass. The shop will be continued at its present place, minus the DuLong.

**Mrs. Rice Dead.**  
Mrs. Mary Rice, wife of Mr. Fox Rice died this morning at 8:30 a.m. after a long illness. She was buried in the Reals Shoals in violation of the law and they were arrested. Messrs. Gilmore and McDaniel are witnesses in the case which will come up for trial either this afternoon or tomorrow morning.

**Auction Sale Tomorrow**  
Tomorrow, in front of the Court house yard promptly at 3 o'clock, Mr. J. Edgar Ford will begin his sale of building lots, lying on Hempfield Avenue and Hampton Streets.

This property has been fully described and mapped in special advertisement and notice of the same previously issued. The lots will be sold by number, each bidder has the privilege of purchasing as many lots as he desires.

The people of Chester are familiar with this property and know that it is within a very desirable portion of the city and all who are interested in the progress of the city desire to see the sale succeed.

Mr. Fox is looking for a great day and under all persons, who were interested in purchasing a lot, whether for a home, or for speculative purposes, to attend the sale and see for themselves what bargains he has for them.

**In the Matter of the Fish Laws**  
Messrs. A. W. Gilmore and Sims McDaniel, both prominent farmers of Santue in Union County, are here as charged in the case of the sea slug, Edward Chick of Chester, who was charged with violation of the fish laws. It will be recalled that game warden J. G. L. White some weeks ago caused the above party to be arrested in Reals Shoals in violation of the law and they were arrested. Messrs. Gilmore and McDaniel are witnesses in the case which will come up for trial either this afternoon or tomorrow morning.

**JAMES CANTOS IS IN TROUBLE**  
Charged With Assault and Battery of a High and Aggravated Nature.

James Cantos was given a preliminary hearing yesterday morning in the office of Judge J. C. Moore and bound over to court on the charge of assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature. He was released on his own recognizance.

The offense with which Cantos is charged is hitting Mr. T. H. Hoff over the head with a hatchet. Mr. Hoff stated that he went into Cantos' candy store on Sunday and bought a coca cola. That without any cause whatever Cantos hit him over the head with a hatchet inflicting a painful and terrible wound. It was brought out that several stitches were taken to set it up and that the wound was pretty severe. He wanted a warrant against Mr. Cantos for assault with a hatchet.

Mr. Cantos could not speak English and another Greek acted as interpreter. He stated that he lives in the block of his store and that he had opened the front door to get some air. That Mr. Hoff and another man came along and entered and did a good deal of damage to the store and that he had opened the front door to get some air. That Mr. Hoff and another man came along and entered and did a good deal of damage to the store and that he had opened the front door to get some air.

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Mr. W. D. Bewley is in Union on a visit.  
Mr. T. Butler Woods is at home from the Citadel for the summer.  
Mr. R. M. Stevens, of Charlotte, spent Sunday in the city.  
Dr. J. S. Moffatt, of Erskine College, was in the city yesterday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Adelsheimer and baby spent yesterday in Yorkville.

The regular monthly meeting of the County Board of Commissioners was held yesterday in the office of the superior. \$2.00 a month was voted to Mr. Roberts, of Fort Linn, as outside pauper aid. Mr. L. T. Grant reported that he had examined several negroes, Highland county had for sale at \$150 each and had found them in good condition. The negroes are used with a traction engine. Mr. Grant was authorized to go to Columbia and purchase two of these cars at the highest price.

Mr. W. H. White spent on Saturday until this morning with his uncle Mr. T. G. Patrick at White Oak.  
Mr. W. C. Miller, of Statesville, N. C. spent several days last week in the city with friends having yesterday morning for his home.

Messrs. J. T. Perkins and W. F. Caldwell left today for Greenville to attend the meeting of the State Park association which will be in session there all week.

**Midnight Picnic.**  
Last night quite a party of young people from the city went on a moonlight picnic to Hardin's mill pond, which is about two miles from the city. Mr. Holmes Hardin, on the Sandy River road.  
The night was ideal for such an outing, being very cool and pleasant, and the full moon being only slightly hidden by clouds. The picnic was a great success and all report a very pleasant evening.

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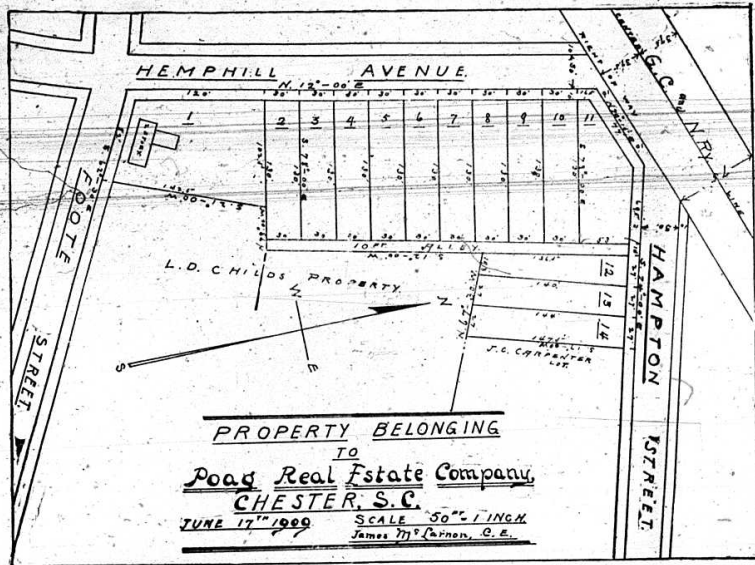
## Wednesday, July 7th, '09

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|  |  |      | All misses 2.00 tan oxfords                      | 1.49 |
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|  |  |      | All misses 1.50 tan oxfords                      | 1.29 |

Remember this sale is strictly cash, and lasts for 15 days only, so come early and get the pick of the bargains.

At the Big Store **S. M. Jones & Co**

### Court Proceedings.

Court convened at 9:30 o'clock this morning with Judge Memminger on the bench. Judge Memminger's charge to the grand jury was brief and to the point.

It stated that since Monday was unilaterally observed as a legal holiday court had not been convened on that day. He was aware that this time of the year is a very busy season with the farmers and some can ill afford the time from their work. However the docket is light and everything should be dispatched without unnecessary delay. The solicitor was complimented upon the orderly arrangement of the cases and plans for trial.

The grand jury was urged to give each indictment their careful consideration and to return a bill according to their best judgment. However in an indictment for murder it is usually best to return a true bill in order that the petit jury may have an opportunity to pass upon the case.

After listening to Judge Memminger's able and interesting charge Solicitor Henry handed out bills of indictment and the grand jury made the following reports:

Zeke Anderson, assault and battery with intent to kill, true bill.  
James Stevenson, murder, true bill.  
Monroe Mills, burglary, true bill.  
Charles McIlwain, assault and battery with intent to kill, true bill.  
John Howe, assault and battery with intent to kill, true bill.

San Brown, Jr., assault and battery with intent to kill, true bill.  
Zeke Anderson was arraigned and tried for assault and battery with intent to kill before a jury with Mr. A. A. Holt as foreman and was found not guilty. He was represented by Mr. W. H. Newbold.

John Howe pleaded guilty of the charge preferred against him and was sentenced to three months in the penitentiary or on the public works or to pay a fine of \$25.

Chas. McIlwain, under indictment for assault and battery with intent to kill, pleaded guilty of assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature. The trial of Jim Stevenson, who killed his wife in the Mt. Prospect section about three months ago, was set for Friday.

The case of Monroe Mills, who entered a house on the Sprigfield will still bill about two weeks ago and greatly frightened the inmates, was continued, the chief witness for the state not being able to attend at this time. Court adjourned at one o'clock to meet again at three, when the case of San Brown, Jr., will be taken up.

With only \$55,000 to be spent in preparing the white house for their use, the Talis must have spent many sleepless nights in contemplating. When the Rough Rider was president he spent half a million, rather than miss his sleep. -Charleston Post.

### Maver's Court.

Saturday Tom G. Kerlieis, a Greek restaurant keeper in the valley and George Brown, colored, appeared before the mayor to answer to the charge of disorderly conduct and fighting. The case against Kerlieis was dismissed and Brown was given three or thirty days on the public works. Kerlieis is unable to handle the English language and had to plead his case through the medium of an interpreter.

Monday Alice Massey, disorderly, failed to show up and forfeited bond of \$5.00.

John Adams, drunk and disorderly, forfeited bond of \$5.00.  
In Friday's issue of The Lantern in reporting the case of Mrs. M. A. Gladden vs. Charlie Masseul, we were in error as to the mayor's ruling. We should have stated that the mayor's decision was that Mrs. Gladden was entitled to amount for the three or four days on the week in which Mr. Masseul left, in addition to amount already paid.

Get DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve when you ask for it. There is a great many imitations, but there is just one original. This salve is good for anything where a salve is needed to be used, but it is especially good for piles. Sold by Standard Pharmacy.

### Inspector general Hornaday, of the G. A. R., was reading incidents of famous national encampments.

"I remember a little Japanese who attended one of our banquets," he said, smiling, "and a queer compliment that he paid to a colonel's wife--'sit between the two and the lady said across me.'"

"Mr. Takashira, you compress the legs of feet in your country, don't you?"  
"Oh, no madam; that is a Chinese custom," said the Japanese. "We Japanese allow our ladies' feet to grow to their full size. Not that!"

"And he bowed and kissed in the polite Japanese way."  
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### LOCAL NEWS

Cotton today 11.50  
Miss Lottie Klutz is in Lancaster attending a house party.

Miss May Carpenter is visiting relatives in Leonor, N. C.  
Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Cross left yesterday morning for Saluda, N. C. to spend a month.

Mrs. T. H. Hardin, of the Capers Chapel neighborhood, has returned from a visit to her parents at Batesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Marquis and daughter, Miss Margaret, left yesterday afternoon for West Bridgewater, Penn., for a visit.

Mrs. W. M. Leckie and daughter, Miss Marion, left yesterday morning for Saluda, N. C. the former to spend two weeks and the latter the summer.

Mrs. W. H. Lawrence left yesterday for Groves, N. C., to attend the wedding of Miss Jennie Mae Turner and Mr. W. V. Tompkins tomorrow. The ceremony will occur at 9:30.

### SPECIAL SALE now on at S. M. Jones & Co. See their advertisement.

Married, at the residence of Mr. L. W. Henry, July 4, 1909, Mr. Thomas J. Proctor, to Miss Malissa D. Proctor by Mr. L. W. Henry, N. P., all of Chester.

Miss Mary Owens has accepted the position of stenographer with Lawrence Bros. and entered upon her duties yesterday morning. Miss Owens has been working in Columbia and her friends are glad to know that she will come back home to work.

LADIES, ask to see the pretty line of Kimonos we are showing. S. M. Jones & Co.

Miss Janie Colvin left Saturday, noon by way of Laurens and Spartanburg, for Charlottesville, Va., to attend the summer school there. Prof. Hand is to be one of the instructors.

Messrs. F. M. and Pinkston Hall returned to the city Saturday evening after a month's stay in Hot Springs, Birmingham and Memphis.

Dr. LeGrand Gerry, of Columbia, was in the city yesterday.

FOR SALE--Remainder stock cheap at the warehouse of Reed & Crenshaw, Cash on delivery of goods. J. W. Reed, Chairman Committee.

### Mr. A. N. Webb spent yesterday in Yorkville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Page are visiting relatives at Santee. They expect to be absent one month.

Mr. DeWitt Klutz returned yesterday from a trip to Monroe, N. C., where he went to help that city play ball on Friday, Saturday and Monday.

Messrs. W. W. Bewley and DeWitt Klutz are attending the Filene's Tournament at Union, S. C. Quite a number will attend the Tournament's last two days. It will continue three days, beginning with today.

### Special Notice.

Patrons of Roanville school are requested to meet on Saturday, July 10th at 3 p. m. for the purpose of electing a teacher. Meeting will be at the school house. Patron.

### Mayor's Court.

This morning W. D. Roof and T. Roof appeared before the mayor to answer to the charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Both plead guilty and were fined \$10.00 each.

Alvin S. C. July 5--Joseph Crews, the negro who killed his wife at Waterson Thursday, committed suicide Saturday by placing himself in front of a train and being run over. The body was identified last night.

### OPERA HOUSE

CITADEL MINSTRELS COMING  
The Charleston News and Courier of April 17th says, "The best minstrel show of the season was enjoyed last night." That was the verdict of all who saw the Citadel Minstrels--and the house was packed with an audience whose appreciation was well worth courting.

The company numbers 40 people with brass band and orchestra. They will play Chester Thursday, July 15th.

Bristol, Va., July 5.--Late yesterday near here W. D. Hall, of Sutherland, Tenn., was fatally stabbed by John McKinney, of Wilkes county, N. C. who was rushed to the Abingdon jail.

### Want Column

Advertisements under this head twenty words or less, 30 cents; more than twenty words, 1 cent a word.

FOR SALE OR RENT--On Hampton street a modern planned dwelling, water, lights and steam heat. Apply to L. T. Nichols. 6-15 P.

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