

HOW TO GET VOTES.

Some Pointers for Those who Want to Work for Subscriptions.

Any one interested in our bug-gy contest and intends to make an effort to secure the prize should proceed as follows:

Get a supply of sample copies of the WATCHMAN and hand them to your neighbors and friends whom you hope to secure as subscribers; but if you haven't enough samples keep one to show. Explain the merits of the paper and make him the cut rate to join your club. Nine times out of ten you will land him. Every subscriber is entitled to 1 vote for every cent paid on subscription and the agent is given the same for his trouble. As a rule the subscriber will not object to voting for the agent, so this generally means, with every full year's subscription the agent will get 100 votes. Voting coupons will be issued at this office when the subscription is paid. Renewals will be counted in the same way.

Sample copies will be furnished to all free of charge.

Agents should be very careful to get the proper name and address of every subscriber obtained.

Any one intending to make a canvass should drop in and see us as soon as convenient, it may be that we can give them more assistance. It would be a good idea to send us the name and address of every man in your neighborhood and let us send them sample copies and some special information to agents. There may be some too stingy and mean to take a newspaper at any price, but there are none too poor to take their home paper at the figure the WATCHMAN is now being offered. In your rounds don't overlook any one.

If other information is desired, write us.

Soldiers in Court House.

Lexington, Ky., March 5.—When court convened today for the trial of Judge James Hargis, charged with the assassination of Dr. D. B. Cox, Judge Carnes ordered all present to leave the court room and be searched as they re-entered the court house.

Hargis refused to request a change of venue, and the 40 men of Company A, Second Kentucky Infantry, of Frankfort, under command of Adjutant General Henry Lawrence and Captain W. C. Longmire, arrived here on a special train today and went to Jackson, Breathitt county, to remain there during the trial. The soldiers reported to Special Judge William Carnes, who is trying the case, and were placed in the court house.

This was in Connecticut.

Hartford, Conn., March 8.—The Supreme Court of the State has just handed down a decision to the effect that barbers in the State need not shave colored men. The decision was reached on an appeal from a superior court decision in Bridgeport by Henry H. Foulkner, a colored man, who instituted suit against Thomas Solazzi, a barber of that city. Solazzi refused to shave Foulkner, claiming that his barber shop was not a place of public accommodation within the meaning of the law. The Supreme Court upholds that contention.

Progressive Manufacturers.

The New York Musical Courier says: "Whatever is attempted by the Weaver Organ & Piano Co. is done in the best possible way. Their factory system is complete as far as modern appliances and modern ideas can make it. The instruments are up to date in every detail of their construction. Their business methods are perfectly satisfactory to their large clientele. They are a live house and are manufacturing fine instruments." If interested send for catalogue of the celebrated Weaver Organs or their superior high grade Weaver Piano. WEAVER ORGAN & PIANO CO., Manufacturers, York, Pa.

PADDED THE PAY ROLLS.

Employee of Southern Goes Wrong and gets into Serious Trouble.

Spencer, March 7.—N. T. Maxwell, an accountant in the employ of the Southern Railway Company at Charlotte, was lodged in Rowan jail today under the charge of grand larceny, having padded the pay rolls at Spencer, where he was formerly employed as foreman of the coal chute. It was in the capacity of foreman that he reported a number of bogus employees and drew their pay checks himself. The arrest was made by Chief Detective Conly and assistant C. A. Moyer, of Gastonia, who have been working on the case for a week.

Maxwell stoutly denied his guilt at first and walked the detectives over town trying to find the supposed workmen. Finally he broke down and confessed his guilt and gave the officers a list of the bogus names corresponding to the list held by the detectives. Maxwell, who formerly stood well here, went to jail in default of a bond of \$1,000. He has a family. The arrest caused a sensation and it is expected that others will follow. The amount involved is about \$1,000.

The News—No Pure Drug Cough Cure Laws would be needed, if all Cough Cures were like Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure is—and has been for 20 years. The National Law now requires that if any poisons enter into a cough mixture it must be printed on the label or package. For this reason mothers and others, should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison marks on Dr. Shoop's labels—and none in the medicine, else it must by law be on the label. And it's not only safe, but it is said to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Take no chance particularly with your children. Insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Compare carefully the Dr. Shoop package with others and see. No poison marks there! You can always be on the safe side by demanding Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Simply refuse to accept any other. Sold by Grimes Drug Store.

"Preventics" will promptly check a cold or the Grippe when taken early or at the "sneeze stage." Preventics cure seated colds as well. Preventics are little candy cold cure tablets, and Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., will gladly mail you samples and a book on Colds free, if you will write him. The samples will prove their merit. Check early Colds with Preventics and stop Pneumonia. Sold in 5c and 25c boxes by Grimes Drug Store.

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Represented Eye Headaches sap one's vitality and bring about a general nervousness break down.

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Save your Eyes and nervous energy.

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We have a job lot of harness which we will close out at a very close price. Now is the time to get a bargain.

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Wishes to say to his many customers and friends, and the public in general that he has this fall one of the largest and most complete lines of Merchandise to be found in the city, and, he asks, that you call and look through this mammoth stock.

Children's and Misses Coats.

If you are looking for a Ladies' Coat, he has them in all the new styles; coverts, shadow plaids, tan and castor kerseys, black kerseys, rain coats, all up-to-the-minute. Big lot of Children's and Misses' Coats. Something that is real nobby and stylish.

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If you are looking for the most up-to-date styles in Dress Goods, simply see his line. He has all the new shadow effects, in all colors, and in black.

His stock cannot be surpassed. See his Poplins and Panamas, Serges and Po

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Our line of black and

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Guaranteed.

Have no equal. They are just from the loom. No starch, soft and pliable, still having the rustle.

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All new and up-to-date. Big line of Lace Curtains. Bought in a job. Can save you from 25c to 50c a pair.

BIG LINE OF Sample Carpets, Comforts and Blankets. Short ends of Percals, Domestic, Flanneletts. All cheap and good styles.

If you want the Best Shoes for Men;

See his line.

If you Want a Good Hat:

See what he has.

A. W. WINECOFF.

\$4,500.00 SACRIFICE SALE!

We will commence closing out one of the best, newest and most up-to-date lines of Shoes that has ever been closed out at any sale in this town on

Thursday, February 21st.

These are not odds and ends or Sample Shoes or odd sack, but everything is New, Fresh and up-to-date goods, but we have made up our minds to go out of the shoe business and these Shoes must go out. Our prices on these Shoes will be the manufacturer's, plus the freight. None of these goods will be charged or taken back. We want to close out this stock inside 80 days if we have to sell them bulks to some merchant. Don't wait if you want the best.

Another line we are going to close out is our **Art Squares and Rugs.** We have a big line of them bought direct from the mills. These are all new fresh goods of the very latest make and the Newest Patterns.

Our 9x12 Ingrain Art Squares, worth \$6.00 to \$8.50 will be closed out at **\$4.25.**
Our 9x12 Saxony Art Squares worth \$10.00 at **7.00.**
Our 9x12 Alma Art Squares worth \$10 to \$12 at **\$7.00.**
Our Royal Axminster 9x12 worth \$25.00 at **\$18.00.**
Our 9x12 Shiraz worth \$18.00 at **\$13.00.**
Our Oriental Art Squares worth \$80.00 at **\$21.00.**

We have a big line of small Rugs to match these Art Squares that will be reduced in the same proportion. We also have a lot of Hall Runners that will go in at Manufacturer's Cost.

Brittain & Campbell.

AT REID'S.

WE begin February with an array of values destined to make it a banner month. The people certainly came our way in January. They seemed to appreciate the special efforts made to save them money and we had many nice things said which pleased and encouraged us. Yes, even merchants like to have nice things said about them once in a while. * *

Silks

CREAM JAP SILKS—An excellent line of these in 27 inch and 36 inch at **30c, 50c, 75c and \$1 the yard.**

COLOR D TAFFETA—Excellent value all best colors, at **35c yard**

COLOR D TAFFETA—75c grade at 65c yd. Colored Taffeta, 36 inch, at **\$1.00 yard.**

GREPE DECHENE—Pink, blue and cream, at **58c yard.** We would like for you to compare ours with that sold by others at 75c yd.

PEAN DE CYGNE—27 inch at **75c yard.**

BLACK TAFFETA—Now we can talk to you in dollars and cents. We do not like to say our \$1.00 grade of black Taffeta is the \$1.25 grade of some one else or is worth \$1.25 a yd. but we can honestly say that our **\$1 grade is worth the fast red cent we ask for it.**

Extra value in 36 inch black Taffeta at **\$1.25.**

BLACK PEAU DESOIE, 36 in. wide

BLACK HABUTAI, at 50c yard.

CREAM MOHAIR, at 50, 75c, \$1 and \$1.25 yard.

CREAM SERGE, 44 inch at \$1.00

CREAM EOLEAN, at \$1.25 yard

PRINTED WOOL CHALLIES.

Long Silk Gloves

BLACK AND WHITE.

NEW RUCKING.

Coat Suits

A few of them left and we will continue to sell them at **half price** until the lot is gone.

Rain Coats and Children's Cloaks

Some excellent values in these and we are selling them one-third less than regular price.

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