

J. C. Burns & Co.'s Red Iron Racket

Spring Opening Sale

12 1-2c quality Bleaching, yard wide 10c
 12 1-2c quality Gingham 10c
 15c quality Gingham 12 1-2c
 Men's Pants by the thousands, prices
 98c up to \$4.98
 Caps 25c, 39c, 48c, 75c
 Children's Shoes 83c, 98c up to \$1.98
 Boy's Shoes \$1.39, \$1.69, \$1.98 to \$2.89
 Girl's Shoes \$1.25, \$1.48 up to \$2.48
 Men's Dress Shirts 48c, 69c, 98c
 Men's Ties, four in hand 10c, 25c, 48c
 Men's Linen Collars, worth 15c for 10c
 Men's Linen Collars, worth 20c, for 15c

Don't fail to see the bargains in the basement—Tin, Glass, Crockery, Enamelled Ware, Trunks, Suit Cases, Rugs, Wall Paper.

Big line of Men's Fur Hats at way down prices 75c, 98c, \$1.48 up to \$3.48

Our Hats cover the heads of the Piedmont section like the dew covers Dixie.

Special value in Towels, Handkerchiefs, Lace Curtains, Counterpanes, Rugs, Wall Paper, Dress Goods, Silks, Outings, Flannelets, Percales.

Big values in Hosiery and Underwear, Corsets, Middy Blouses, Dress Skirts, Shir Waists, Men's Overalls, Work Shirts, Dress Shirts, Ties, Collars.

BOY'S CLOTHING—SPECIAL VALUES
 900 Suits, ages 4 to 8, for \$1.98,

\$2.48, \$3.39 and \$4.48

1 lot Gingham and Chambrays 7 1-2c
 10c quality Bleaching, yard wide 9c
 Ladies' Shoes \$1.48, \$1.75, \$1.98 up to \$4.39
 Men's Shoes \$1.75, \$2.25 up to \$4.39

Baby Shoes 15c, 25c, 48c, 75c
 Special lot Men's heavy gray mixed
 Hose, per pair 10c
 Embroideries, yard, 5c, 10c, 15c up to 89c
 Special values in Silks, yard 39c,
 48c, 69c up to \$1.19
 Shirt Waist Special 48c, 69c, 98c to \$2.39

WHY PAY \$1.00 FOR THE SAME MEDICINE WHEN YOU CAN BUY IT AT RED IRON RACKET FOR 84c. BUY IT HERE AND YOU SAVE 25 PER CENT. FIGURE IT FOR YOURSELF.

\$1.00 bottle Wampole's Cod Liver Oil 84c
 \$1.00 bottle McElree's Wine of Cardue 84c
 \$1.00 bottle Warner's Safe Cure 84c
 \$1.00 bottle Hood's Sarsaparilla 84c

\$1.00 bottle Mystic Wine of Life (guaranteed for dyspepsia) 84c
 \$1.00 bottle Three S. S. for blood 84c
 \$1.00 bottle Mrs. Joe Pearson's Remedy, guaranteed for blood diseases 84c
 50c bottle Kilmer's Swamp Root 42c
 50c bottle Electric Bitters, Spring tonic 42c
 50c bottle Dodson's Liver Tone, guaranteed 39c
 50c bottle Grove's Chill Tonic 42c
 50c bottle Warner's Safe Cure 42c
 \$1.00 bottle Breeden's Rheumatic Cure for 84c
 25c bottle Dr. Spencer's Healing Oil for pains 22c
 25c bottle Goose Grease Liniment 22c
 25c bottle Goose Grease, Mother's Joy 22c
 25c pkg. Black Draught 15c
 25c bottle Menthol, for croup and colds 10c
 50c bottle California Fig Syrup 42c
 35c bottle Fletcher's Castoria 29c
 50c bottle Grove's Chill Tonic 42c
 35c bottle Pritcher's Castoria 15c
 25c box Chamberlain's Liver Tablets 22c
 25c bottle Chamberlain's Diarrhoea Remedy 22c
 25c bottle Chamberlain's Pain Balm 22c
 25c bottle Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for baby 22c
 25c bottle Dr. William's Kidney Cure 22c
 25c box Dr. Tutt's Pills 22c
 25c bottle Indian Root Pills 22c
 1 bottle Lemon Extract, pure 10c
 1 bottle Vanilla Extract, pure 10c

ALSO PURE EXTRACTS IN BULK—LEMON AND VANILLA. (BRING YOUR BOTTLE.)

1 large flask Castor Oil 10c
 1 large flask Turpentine 10c
 100 Fish Hooks 10c
 25 Clothes Pins 5c
 Mountain Pen Ink 8c
 Writing Pen Ink 4c
 1 large bottle Shoe Polish 10c
 Combination Shoe Polish 10c
 Rubber Balls .5c and 10c
 1 large Tablet 5c
 2 good Lead Pencils 5c
 1 best Lead Pencil 5c
 1 large Ink Tablet 5c
 1 box Paper and Envelopes 10c
 Mixed Tea (good), pkg. 5c and 10c
 25c pkg. Simmon's Liver Regulator 20c
 1 good Alarm Clock 98c
 1 Call Boy Alarm Clock \$2.48
 1 large Eight Day Clock \$2.75
 1 large Family Bible \$1.48
 1 Scholar's Bible, soft limp back \$1.48
 Shoe Polish, red, black, tan, white 10c
 1 large Day Book 25c

1 Guitar, fine toned instrument \$2.98
 1 large cake Glycerine Toilet Soap 5c
 1 nice Pocket Memoranda Book 5c
 3 cakes fine Toilet Soap 10c
 1 box Shoe Blacking 5c
 7 Twists Tobacco (old time) 25c
 7 cakes best Laundry Soap 25c
 7 pkgs. (full lb.) best Soda 25c
 2 cakes (Polo) Laundry Soap 5c
 4 pkgs. Celluloid Starch 15c
 3 plugs good Tobacco 25c
 1 lb. Smoking Tobacco (good) 25c

SMOKING TOBACCOS—R. J. R., VICTORY, BOB WHITE, DUKES, STUD, STAG, AND PRINCE ALBERT. SOVEREIGN AND REYNO CIGARETTES. PICKNICK TWIST, COB PIPES AND FRENCH BRIAR PIPES.

1 Wash Board 25c
 1 large Dish Pan, Agate Ware 25c
 1 large Pie Pan, Agate Ware 10c
 1 large Stew Kettle, Agate Ware 25c
 1 large Sew Kettle, Agate Ware 25c
 1 nice Dipper, Agate Ware 10c
 1 nice Dipper, White Enamelled 25c
 1 Wash Pan, Agate Ware 10c
 1 large Pie Pan, Tin 5c
 1 large Wash Pan, Tin 10c
 2 Tin Cups 5c
 1 Dish Pan, Tin 15c
 1 large Dipper, Tin 10c
 1 Milk Strainer 10c
 Sifters (wood rim) 10c and 15c
 Lamps (glass) 25c up to 89c
 6 nice Tumblers 25c
 6 Ice Tea Tumblers 39c and 50c
 2 nice Flower Vases 25c
 6 White Plates 45c
 6 White Cups and Saucers 45c
 1 flowered Plate 10c
 1 flowered Cup and Saucer 10c
 1 flowered Cup and Saucer 10c

FULL LINE OF FLOWER POTS, JARDINEERS AND CHURNS.

WINDOW SHADES, CURTAIN POLES, RUGS, TRUNKS, SUIT CASES.

1 package Envelopes 5c
 1 can Spotless Cleanser, fine for household cleaning 5c
 1 box Luster Cleaner for cleaning brass, silver, mirrors, white shoes and general house cleaning 10c
 1 can Household Paint or Stain 10c
 1 Curry Comb 10c
 1 Buggy Whip (6 foot) 15c
 Other Whips 25c, 39c, 48c, 75c
 1 Horse Brush 10c
 5 Balls Thread 5c
 1 double Roll Wall Paper 15c
 1 lb. Epsom Salts (worth 10c) 5c

1 lb. Sulphur (worth 10c) 5c
 12 Nutmegs, (worth 10c) 5c
 1 nice Counterpane \$1.25
 25c quality Table Oil Cloth 20c
 Lace Curtains 48c, 75c, 98c to \$1.98
 1 large Bowl and Pitcher \$1.25
 1 covered Steak Dish 45c
 1 Coffee Mill 25c and 69c
 2 spools (good) Thread 5c
 1 spool best Thread 5c
 3 boxes Matches 2—500, 1—200 10c
 500 Tacks 5c
 6 cans Spotless Cleanser and 1 Brush free 25c
 1 big jar Vasoline 10c
 1 jar Vasoline 5c
 1 cake William's Shaving Soap 5c
 1 cake Tar Soap 5c
 25c can Colgate's Taleum Power 15c
 15c can good Taleum Powder 10c
 1 lb. can Airfloat Taleum Powder 10c
 Special values in Hand Towels 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c to 60c
 Special values in Silk Ribbon, per yard 5c, 8c, 10c to 35c
 40-inch Sea Island 9c
 Druid L L Sea Island (best) 12 1-2c

SPECIAL VALUES IN SPRING DRESS GOODS—LAWNS, VOILES AND SILK STRIPED. WIDE STRIPED SKIRTING AND SILKS. GINGHAMS, PERCALS, CHEVIOTS, TICKING, TABLE DAMASK, CURTAIN GOODS, FLY NETTING.

WE HAVE THE BIGGEST LINE OF SHOES, SLIPPERS, SANDALS AND FOOTWEAR FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY. BRING THEM IN AND FIT 'EM UP.

\$1.50 Men's Overalls (Indigo Blue) \$1.25
 65c value Men's Work Shirts 50c
 Big line of Men's Dress Shirts going at 48c, 65c, 75c, 98c, \$1.25
 4,000 pairs Men's Pants bought before the advance, going now at 98c, \$1.25, \$1.48, \$1.75, on up to \$4.98 for the \$6.50 kind.
 Big line Boy's Knee Pants going at 39c, 48c, 69c on up to \$1.98

BEAUTIFUL LINE OF MILLINERY SHAPES, FLOWERS, RIBBONS AND TRIMMED HATS. OUR PRICES ARE SO LOW YOU CAN AFFORD TO BUY TWO HATS THIS SEASON. COME AND LOOK THEM OVER. WE LEAVE IT TO YOU.

MEN'S STRAW AND PANAMA HATS AND PALM BEACH SUITS FOR SPRING AND DSUMMER DRESS.

We Cannot List Our Whole Stock —6 BARGAIN DAYS EACH WEEK 6— This Newspaper Would Not List Our Stocks

No. 1 Store 210 W. Laurens St. No. 2 Store O. B. Simmons Block, Next to Laurens Hardware Co.

J. C. Burns & Co.'s Red Iron Racket

WAR TALK.

(By Wm. G. S.)

This is an unpleasant subject to think about. It calls too forcibly to mind the days of secession, when we had too much fight in us, just as we have today, too little fight. I am sorry to say that I never saw patriotism at as low an ebb as it is with us here in Laurens. I deplore the mob spirit that is rising up in our cities. We boast of living in a land of freedom, where our people can meet and discuss all vital subjects. In the sixties, we had a band of leaders who run rough shod over the people. They took the stump and would brook no opposition. Secession was a one-sided thing; the other side was allowed no part in the discussion. Our men that attempted to address the people were called all kinds of opprobrious names, and even threatened with tar and feathers. Our orators fooled the people, that there would not be much of a fight. Six months would see our army in Washington city. They even would not stand gun fire and a Southerner would whip half a dozen Yankees any morning before breakfast. They would drink all the blood that would be spilt in this war. Our people were carried off their feet. They

hunted up the little Colt's five shooters and went into the blacksmith's shops and made bowie knives to hew the enemy into pieces. We soon learned that our opponents would not throw down their guns and let us march up and stick our bowies into them. The pistols were useless as a war gun, the rust ate them up and we could not get close enough in battle to shoot them. We soon had some respect to the fighting ability of our Northern men; they were of the same stock as our Southern people. Let our peace party meet and calmly and quietly discuss the war situation. They have as much right to their opinion as we have, so they don't disturb the stability of our United States. Let them talk! talk is cheap and don't cost much. Who wishes to see four more long years of bloodshed and destruction of property? War would be a terrible calamity to us. The Confederate soldier knows the effect of war. If we have to fight I do hope our young men will bravely meet the call to arms. No sane man wishes to see the return of the conscript officer, backed up by his company of butter-milk rangers. The Book says: Young men for war and the old men for counsel. See our line of Flower Stands, special at 40 cents, S. M. & E. H. WILKES & CO.

GOLDVILLE IS UNITED.

United States Flag Hoisted, Accompanied by Cheers.

Goldville, April 8.—Friday afternoon in the presence of 500 or more loyal citizens of Goldville, the American flag was hoisted amid a thunderous applause. Preceding the hoisting of the flag a rousing patriotic speech was delivered by George M. Wright. A significant feature of the hoisting of this flag was the presence of 100 or more negroes who showed their loyalty to the flag and to the nation by their loud cheering. The people of Goldville realize that this is no time for differences. They stand united as one in support of the president and nation.

New line of Crockery on our 10c counter.
 S. M. & E. H. WILKES & CO.

Constipation and Indigestion.

These are twin evils. Persons suffering from indigestion are often troubled with constipation. Mrs. Robert Allison, Mattoon, Ill., writes that when she first moved to Mattoon she was a great sufferer from indigestion and constipation. Food distressed her and there was a feeling like a heavy weight pressing on her stomach and chest. She did not rest well at night, and felt worn out a good part of the time. One bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets corrected this trouble so that she has since felt like a different person.

FRIENDSHIP NEWS.

Friendship, April 9.—The farmers have had a nice rain for planting. Most all of them will be busy planting corn this week, that is, if the weather continues favorable.

Mr. W. H. Pitts and daughter, Miss Leila, motored to the city last Saturday afternoon from this place.

Misses Janie and Lucile Pitts and brother, Mr. Marvin, from this community, were in Laurens last Saturday afternoon, shopping.

Messrs J. L. and W. M. Pitts made a business trip to the city last Monday afternoon from this place.

Messrs Edd and George Pitts were business visitors in the city last Friday.

Mr. Murphy Pitts from this place, was a business visitor in the city last Friday.

Mr. T. J. Pitts was among the business visitors in the city last Saturday.

Mr. Will Pitts is having a barn built on days that's too wet to farm. He is getting along very well with his work.

Messrs Edd and George Pitts and sister, Miss Lucile, were the guests of Misses Jessle and Lidle Tinsley last Sunday, of Trinity Ridge community.

The weather for the last few days reminds us of hog-killing time. Mr.

Will Pitts killed a right nice shoat last Friday. He sure did have a fine day for it.

Among those Mr. Abe Coats motored to the city last Saturday were Misses Lidle and Bernice Coats, Eunice Carter and Mary Bagwell.

Mr. J. H. Sullivan from Laurens,

came up to his place last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Irby Owings from Oakville community visited her daughter, Mrs. Murphy Pitts last Sunday.

Mrs. Lou Coats spent last Sunday with Mrs. Ben Coley of this community.

FEEL BILIOUS? CALOMEL SICKENS! CLEAN LIVER AND BOWELS MY WAY

Don't lose a day's work! If Constipated, Sluggish, Headachy, take a spoonful of "Dodson's Liver Tone."

Listen to me! Take no more sickening, salivating calomel when bilious or constipated. Don't lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with sour bile crashes into it, breaking it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. If you are sluggish and "all knocked out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone.

Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a spoonful tonight and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous by morning I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it can not siltivate or make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't grip and they like its pleasant taste.