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We respectfully request our friends to send in their Advertisements as early in the week as convenient; and if possible, let us have them by Thursday evening. By this means, we will be able to issue at an earlier hour on Saturday, and will be enabled to give more of the tatest news, up to the time of our going to press.

> "Don't view me with a critic's eye, But pass my imperfections by."

We request our friends and contributors to overlook any inaccuracies which may be found In our present or last issue; since owing to the Spring Term of Court, we have been unable to give to our proof sheets, the usual Editorial

#### Religious.

REV. R. J. EDWARDS-At Branchville, 1st and 3d Sundays in each month. Santee, 2d and 4th Sundays of each month.

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#### • The Clarendon Press.

We hail with much pleasure the debut of this new paper in an adjoining District. The graceful Salutatory of J. Witherspoon Erwin, Esq., who occupies the Editorial Chair, is an indication that it will be conducted with marked ability, and take a high position at once among the hebdomadal periodicals of the State. The Clarendon Press is published by Messrs. Lucas, David & Lucas, and the typographical execution is excellent. We wish our neighbors a prosperous career.

We have on hand a number of Blank Fi. Fa's., printed in the most improved style, which we will dispose of at Charleston Prices. Apply at this Office.

#### New Advertisements.

AS The Goddess of Liberty is now on exhibition at the Old Post Office. See advertise-

Ber Three large and airy Rooms to rent over KEITT & BROTHERS.

[FOR THE OBANGEBURG NEWS.] Walternord, S. C. Apr. 12, 1867. Dear News: The Court of Common Pleas for Colleton District, has been in session during the week. A few criminals have been before the Court, and the State making out a plain case, they were severally convicted and sentenced. Judge Moses delivered a lengthy and in some respects, an eloquent charge to the Grand Jury, in which he defined the position of the Courts to the country, and to the new regime under which we have been placed by recent Congressional legislation. He counselled forbearance and a faithful discharge of economical duties as a condition of success and even peace. With reference to the status of the freedmen and the obligation of the superior class, his advice was sound and practical. He said the Southern people understand the character of the negro and the Yankee do not. That the elective franchise has been extended to them without regard to their capacity for its exercise; that their votes must and will be controlled, if not by Southern men by Northern quen. Now it would be a tame expression to term our re. al to take part in the momentous proceedings of the hour, apathy. It is a want of patriotism. We are to be governed by the ballot box, and if we refuse to mount upon and direct the stormy current, which we cannot resist, and thus shape the political future of the South, Yankees of the filthiest type will do it for us, and an humble submission to laws in the enactment of which we have had no woice, will be the result. It is a part of duty therefore to act and with a soul that trembles not at the magnitude of the task,

Our duties towards the ignorant freedmen. blinded and overwhelmed by a too sudden transition from native darkness into the splendid noonday of liberty, are plain. Policy, justice and humanity require that no distinction be made between our sable citizens and those whe have herotofore enjoyed the paramount privileges of law. We have made them citizens, and in that act have acknowledged their rights and defined our reiprocal duties. His Honor was quite happy in allusion to the prospects of Young America. The status here also is changed. Formerly it was possible and customary to surround young men with the gildings and paraphernalia of affluence and luxury. But this baleyon time is no more. Rich they are badly fed, badly protected, and that or poor, there is no distinction. Absence of they suffer from want of cleanliness and of all

lars and cents as of old. It matters little whether they cut their teeth on the edge of a sceptre or on the handle of an iron spoon, nor wheresoever they may have been cradled, merit only, strenuous, well-timed application, will insure the coveted success. The diction of Aristotle-the beautiful gyrations of modern metaphysicians may have elevated the mind with an ambitious hope, but the dictum of the hour is "work or starve," and an old aphorism which has acquired new directness and energy:

"In sudore vultus tui comedes panem tuum."

Junius commending his furious letters to his printer by way of advice as a superior, said : 'Let your views in life be to a solid, however moderate independence, without it no one can be happy or even honest. How important then that we in quest of happiness and respectability direct our aims steadily, unswervingly to that solid independence. It is a rock upon which may be surely rested individual and national character. Let us not build upon the

The unhappy condition of many kept in the agony of believing that their entire estates were to be wrested from them to satisfy debts contracted in better days, was thought by the Grand Jury of sufficient' importance to be incorporated in their presentment. I append a copy of this paper with a bare expression of opinion that a general continuance will be

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Colleton District ..

To the Hon, Franklin J. Moses,

The Grand Jury beg leave to make the fol-

lowing presentment :. The unfortunate condition of the honest debtors, whom circumstances beyond their control, have deprived of the means of liquidating pressing demands against them, has been thought a proper an important subject for consideration. True these demands are just, but the importanity of creditors in pressing their claims as allowed by law, at a time when thousands must be reduced to homeless penury in the event of summary prosecution, is the hardship of which complaint is made, and in fact so resembles injustice as to require serious n tice. It appears that this policy must be even detrimental to the interest of creditors. Grant executions now open upon the estates of these unfortunate delinquents, and in many cases even a moiety of the real amount of indebted. ness can be realized, while all hope that the dobtor will retrieve his fortune, and fully indennify his creditor, which would be dshould the element and magnanimeus policy which we suggest, be adopted-vanishes with the small means which alone can establish his interest and foster the desire to settle there de mands in such manner and at such times as will not create absolute want and suffering in their family. We present this as an appeal to humanity, to every generous patriotic However, we do not ask that the lenity we have thought proper to recommend, he without slaves, faithful slaves, now thrown out without limitation, but that a communic of all case. protectors. These form now a part of the apport i this character be granted to the Fall Term of this Honorable Court, to allow as far as possible, a respite to the oppressed. By that time, with the help of God, they will be better prepared to make a sacrifice which now could blast their future prospects and only in part plan for binding out Apprentices among the satisfy the inexerable demands held over them. Respectfully,

P. S .- I may state that since the above was written, it has been decided by the Court to defer all civil suits as recommended by the Grand Jury.

With a few exceptions good order and de corum have been strictly observed.

CECIL GRAY.

#### OFFICIAL.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. Orangeburg District.

Spring Term C. C. P. and G. S., 1867. To the Honorable F. J. Moses, the Presiding Judge of the Court of Common Pleas and General Sessions.

The undersigned constituting the Grand In juest of the Country for Orangeburg Distrist at the present Term, beg leave respectfully to report to your Honor and present in the discharge of their assigned duties as follows: They have visited and carefully inspected and examined the Jail of the District and the wall around the same. They present this Jail, built of wood, as insecure, unsafe and uncomfortable for the prisoners confined therein, and utterly unfit for the purposes for which it was built in every respect. The Grand Jury have learned that this Jail was built under a contract made by the Commissioners of Public Buildings with the Sheriff (who was the only person who responded to their proposals) for the sum of \$1000. And while the contract on the part of the Sheriff has been badly fulfilled, and very miserable work done for a very large price, the Grand Jury hold that the Commissioners of Public Buildings are in great fault and to be blamed for eatering into such a contract without knowing that it would be fulfilled by the other side, and for paying for the same without being satisfied that the work was in strict fulfilment of the undertaking, The Grand Jury report that they have seen by the Act of the Legislature that 40 cents per day are allowed to each prisoner, and they consider this amount as abundant for furnishing the necessary comfort and food for the prisoners, and yet the complaint is universal and general throughout the whole of those confined, that

mental wealth cannot be countervailed by dol- comfort. As to the last, the appearances of the premises warrant the Grand Jury in the belief that the complaint is not unfounded.

.The offices of Clerk, Sheriff and Commissioner in Equity are kept in as good order as could be expected in the small offices in which they are at present necessarily located. The Grand Jury report the roads in a very

good condition generally, and assafe and well worked as is usual at this season of the year.

The Grand Jury have learned from the Commissioners of Public Buildings, that they have arranged for the lease of another larger building to be used for a Court House; but that the lease of the present house does not expire until November 1868. In view of the great want of necessary arrangements in the present small building, the Grand Jury would call the attention of the Commissioners to some change and improvements, and among other things would suggest some cheap matting or carpeting on the floor, as tending to order and juiet in the building, instead of the noise and echo from every move and whisper in the

The Grand Jury have received no report from any Commissioners of Poor, if such a board exist at all. There is no Poor House and the poor and destitute have increased in this District to a fearful extent. It is submitted that the Commissioners be ruled or required to show cause why their duty in this respect has not been attended to, and, that they report their means for aiding the poor, and also what has been done and is now in contemplation for them, irrespective of color.

With regard to the system of free labor lately inaugurated in this State, the Grand Jury say, that the sudden change produced in the economy of labor, together with the deprivation of their property in the liberation of their slaves, (and the investing them with new and universal rights and privileges) produced at first the utmost gloom and despair among the people of the District. And there was but little disposition to adopt the new system: and FAMILY GROCERIES to work on any other plan than the old beaten track of slavery. But time as usual, has effectgreat charge in the popular feeling and faith, and the planters are as a general thing using the system of free labor with great success and great satisfaction to themselves and employees throughout the District. The freedmen after the first excitement and exhibitation of their new life passed away have become civil and disposed to understand their position and are mixious to make contracts and to labor. And the Grand Jury believe and urge it on their fellow-citizens, that their true policy, and the true humanity is to treat these people with forbearance, good faith and kindness; that all contracts should be carried out to a letter, even with more strictness than otherwise, because these people are ignorant.

. If this course be pursued the Grand Jury are satisfied that the new labor will accomplish wonders, and will after all be a blessing and not a carse to all.

The Grand Jury argo upon the people that there are a number of old people, formerly protectors. These form now a part of the poor of the District, and should be cared for, as well as others. In fact they have a stronger claim upon thier old masters than all others.

They the Grand Jury can recommend no colored people (through they think it very much needed) because they do not know that any plan could be ever insisted on or enforced without interruption.

> Respectfully submitted, J. W. SUMMERS, M. D., Foreman. JACOB COONER, E. A. PRICE. J. H. O'CAIN, J. D. RICKENBAKER, J. F. SMITH, W. P. West. THOS. L. DANTZLER, J. L. WATT, RUFUS LIVINGSTON. W. M. HOOKER, I. P. DANTZLER, THOS. GRIFFITH. JACOB RUCKER, DAVID GRAY, MIDDLETON DANTZLER,

#### COMMERCIAL.

ED. ARGGE.

l	Office of the Orangeberg News,
1	April 19, 1867,
	COTTON.—The market is still declining. We quote:
	Ordinary         17           Middling         18           Strict Middling         19
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	Peoples Bank
	Planters Bank Fairfield 5
	Planters & Mechanics Bank
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THE EXERCISES OF THIS SCHOOL WILL BE Resumed on Tuesday, April 16th, in the Basement of the Presbyterian Church. An acquaintance with the class of Scholars who may be expected to attend the School has led to a slight change in the Price of Tuition, as follows:

Infant Scholars \$7.00 per term of 10 weeks.
Primary Advanced \$8.00 per term of 10 weeks.
Class, and Math. Segimers \$10.00 per term of 10

Classical advanced \$12,00 per term of 10 weeks.

Miss E. D. WOODHULL will assist as before.

A. F. DICKSON.

#### Dissolution of Copartnership. The Firm of G. D. KEITT & CO., is this day dis-

G. D. KEITT, J. W. KEITT,

·GEO. S. SHIRER. Orangeburg, So. Ca., April 4th, 1867.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE FORMED A COpartnership, and will carry on their business inder the firm name of KEITT BROTHERS.

G. D. KEITT, J. W. KEITT. Orangeburg, S. C. April 4th, 1867.

### NOTICE.

OFFICE ASS'T ASS'R INTERNAL REVENUE.

ORANGEBURG C. H., S. C., March 15, 1867. In accordance with the recent Changes made in the Internal Revenue Law, all Special Taxes, (previously called Licenses,) as also Incomes for 1866, Carriages, Billiard Tables, Plate, of either Gold or Silver and Watches, are to be returned Immediately. Unless Returned within time specified by law a penalty of ten per centum, will be added. Persons neglecting to make returns for any business or occupation for which a Special Tax (or License) is imposed, are liable to a fine of \$500.

I will be at my effice at Orangeburg C. H., on Tuesday and Saturday of every week, and will give all desired information. Other days I will visit the different Precincts or Polls, of which due notice shall be given.

GEO. W. STURGEON, mar 16-2m Assistant Assessor. N. B .- My Office is at the Store of C. S. Bull &

Administrator's Notice.

# LL PERSONS HAVING DEMANDS AGAINST

A the Estate of Wade II. Gaskin, will present the same properly attested, and those indebted will make payment to either of the undersigned Administrators by the first day of May next, as we want to settle the Estate on that day,
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E. J. W. MYERS, Branchville, S. C.

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## Commissioner's Sales

'ORANGEBURG DISTRICT-IN EQUITY.

Watson O'Cain. Adm'r, ) Under a Decree in Equity. Mary Bair et, al.

Pursuant to an Order made in the above stated case, will be sold before the Court House in Orangeburg on the first Monday in May, A Tract of Land situated in the Fork of the Edistos, containing three hundred and ninety-three Acres, more or less, lying on Duck Branch, and granted to Rhoda Hetheringten on September 4th,

So much cash as will defray the costs of these

proceedings, and the balance on a credit of six months, the purchaser giving bond bearing interest from the day of sale, with good sureties and a mort-gage of the premises to secure the payment of the purchase money, and to pay for papers and Revenue V. D. V. JAMISON, Com'r.

## Sheriff's Sales:

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. Orangeburg District.

By virtue of sundry writs of fi. fa., to me directed. I will sell to the highest bidder, at Orangeburg Court House on the first Monday in May next the following property, viz:

One Tract of Land containing 485 acres, more or less, lying on the West side of Dean Swamp, bounded by lands of H. H. Salley and estate of P. H. Fanning, levied on as the property of Uriah S. Corbit, at the suit of Jacob II. Corley.

Conditions eash, and purchaser to pay for pape and Revenue Stamps. Sheriff's office, Orangeburg C. H. J. W. H. DUKES. April 6, 1867.

ALSO Inder Decretal Orders from the Ordinary of Orangeburg District, I will sell at the Court House on the first Monday in May next between the usual hours of sale, for partition among the parties in interest the following tract of land, viz:

One Tract of Land situated in Edisto Fork, and

unded by lands of Elizabeth Livingston, estate of II P. Pou and others, containing 323 Acres, being the estate lands of W. G. W. Pou, deceased, on a credit of 12 months.

Purchasers to give bonds with good security and mortgage of premises, and pay cash sufficient to pay costs. Revenue stamps and papers extra. Orangeburg C. II., ) J. W. H. DUYES

April 11, 1867. S. O. D.

#### Selling Off! Selling Off!! John S. Rowe, et. al. Orangeburg

L. W. Dash, et. al.

in Equity. DY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF THE COURT of Equity in this cause, I will sell at the Store of L. W. Dash & Co., in this place, the entire Stock of the said Firm, for Cash, at Reduced Prices, until Sale Day in May next; upon which day and the days succeeding. I will sell for Cash, at Public Auction, the residue of said Stock.

Orangoburg, S. C., 1 April 10, 1867. B. WILLIAMSON,



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#### Administrator's Notice.

LL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ESTATE of J. H. Wolfe, deceased, are requested to e forward and settle the same; also, all persons come forward and settle the sall to render them having demands are requested to render them bronerly attested.

J. H. INABINET, Administrator.

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