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A. M. At Bethlehem, 1st and 3d Sundays, 31 P. We will be glad to complete this list, and respectfully invite the Clergymen of various denominations to send in their appointments, and they will

### MISCELLANEOUS

be inserted with pleasure among the above.

Philadelphia has more citizens of African descent than any other place in the countrythe present number reaching 28,000. They support seventeen churches, worth \$225,000. with a membership of 5440, and 1700 Sundayscholars. They have twelve or fifteen free schools, with a daily average attendance 22000. There are thirty-four negroes in the city whose combined wealth amounts to \$1,358,000. The richest man is Stephen Smith, a lumber merchant. He owns seventy five houses in fee simple, and is worth not less than \$300,000. Harris Lindsay, a bounty broker during the war, is worth \$250,000. Five artists and a number of excellent musicians receive distinguished mention. Among the latter is the "Black Swan."

Mr. B. M. Brawn, eighty-fours years and a resident of Dayton for the last thirty years, is undergoing the process of voluntary starvation. According to the Journal, of that city, he and his family assert that he has taken no food since the 28th of Febuary. He feels no pain from his long fast, and asserts that he has no appetite. He is reduced to a skeleton, expects death, and is satisfied with the expectation; but believes that "guardian angels" have, by some spiritual essence, protracted his life.

### HUMOROUS.

[FOR THE ORANGEBURG NEWS.] Bob Withers.

"Whoa! Jim! what on airth are you a roaring and taring about now, just subside now, will you. Thar now, Mister, that are horse is jest a leetle of the best piece of horseflesh that ever mashed clay in Spring-time-jest 5 years old to a day, for Pap folded him, an he nevermade but one mistake in breaking him, and that thar was, that he larnt him to be too gentlelike and fond of the family. You see, Mister, Pap had a homesomish kind of a way about him, as my Patsy says-and in a raising of things they would naturally take after him. That's the way he comed to git inter that scrape with Squire Morgan.-You see he went to the O, H. on special business, and thar, you know, they let hogs an sich cattle stray round town, to the disgust of the citizens Whoa! Jim. An Pap he filled the dimijohn an started home-now you see, Mister, right thar Pap missed it, the old fool, stead of letting the store-keeper put a stopper in the dimejohn he 'lowed as how he could hold the spirituous fluid in with his thumb, an the consequence was that Pap hadn't got five miles afore he was so overcome that he kinder had to git off his horse, an in doing so spilt in the road, what, after examination he found to be about half of the contents of the dimejohn, mixed up kinder

ing at Pap's persition a heaving in the road that day.

"But, Bob, tell us about the scrape your

father got into with Mr. Morgan." "Oh, yes! well, you see after Pap had taken short nap of about.3 hours in the rain he felt a leettle better-but kinder obfusticated about the head and stomach, but howsomever he riz an started agin for home. Now, you know, Mister, Squire Morgan, he lives on the 4 Notch road, kinder up on the hill sorter like, with a turnip patch jest on the right, which always was notable for having good turnips in it. Well Pap says to himself, says he-'I wonder if one of Squire Morgan's turnips wouldn't help me'-an with that he puts down the bars an walks into the patch an pulls one an sits down on a stump to cat it-an right thar agin the dadratted old skunk overdid the thing for instead of jest cating the turnup an then leaving for home, he jest slid down rite side of the stump an whistled, hard times come agin no more'-when Squire Morgan hears it an comes to the door an says, says he-"Hello! Mister Withors, (that's Pap) please tell me what on airth are you a doing in my turnip patch a whistling of 'Hard times come agin no more'an with that he jest steps out in the road where Pap. horse (that's Jim) was a standing, an Pap'he made his way thar too, an then Squire Morgan he says to Pap, says he, 'I say Mister Withers whats that you've got in that ar dimejohn? Says Pap, 'Vin-vin-egar, Squire.' 'An Mister Withers whats that you've got in that ar bag' says the Squire. 'why that's a pu-pupup for m-m-my son Bob,' says Pap. 'Why I never knew pups to grunt like a hog Mister Withers,' says the Squire. 'Oh! that's a ne-ne-new spe-species,' says Pap. 'A new species, laws alive! jest lets see it, says the Squire; with that he cuts the string and out drapt a leetle white boar pig. 'Why, Mister Withers!' says the Squire. 'Jerusalem! Squire,'

comed back it was a hangin on the pummel of my saddle, and I thinkin it was the pup Bob told me to fetch him, jest rid off with it.' Well, now, that's all jest as clear as mud,' says the Squire. 'I sold that pig with its mate to Capt. Y-s, at the C. H., for 20 dollars; but jest tell me, Mr. Withers, how that ar pig got inter that ar bag, an how that ar bag got hitched to that ar pummel of that ar saddle?" 'Now you've got me, Squire,' says pap; without that ar pig'got to rooting inter that ar bag

says Pap, 'I see how it is. Bob, (thats my son,)

put some of my raising of corn in that ar bag,

an I noticed that same pig a nosing around it,

an I jest turned it wrong side out kinder like

an shook the grain outen it, an laid it down to

tend to some important business, an when I

for some more of that ar corn of my raising, an turned it kinder rightside out, an couldn't git out agin, an that ar notable family horse thar, Jim, seeing the fix he was in, jest slung him onto the pummel of that ar saddle.' Whoa! Jim. You tarnation mischevous critter, you-whoa! I say, Mister, come out an see us. Patsy'll make you a hoe-cake. Can't

### A Notorious Ventriloquist.

go now. Well, come soon-good by. Now

Jini show the gentlemen how you can travel.

At the depot in Chicago, a few days since there was great excitement over a traveler's trunk. It seems that the baggage-master was about to check it, when a voice within ex-

"Let me out or I will smother here!" The baggage-master looked astonished for

while, when the voice again exclaimed: "Will you let me out, or must I die in this enclosure?

"Hold on, I will look up the owner," said he baggage-master, and off he started in great haste, and in the meantime a large crowd of excited people had gathered around. He returned—the owner of the trunk could not be found: He was about to break the lock, when the voice quickly said:

"Oh, don't do that; you will kill me, Here comes my master; but don't tell him I am smuggling my way." At this juncture a gentleman stepped up and

claimed the trunk.

"Is this your property, sir?" said the bag-

"Yes, sir, it is," replied the gentleman. "Well, sir, you are smuggling a man in it."

"A man in my trunk! What do you

Voice in the Trunk .- "He means I must get out and pay my way." Gentleman .- "How came you in my trunk ?"

Voice .- "You put me in here yourself to void fare."

Gent .- "No, I did not." Voice .- "You lie!"

Baggage-master .- "No use talking, sir; you must open that trunk."

Gent .- Do you intend to insult me sir ?" Baggage-master .- "Not at all; but the trunk

nust be opened." Voice .- "Yes, for God sake, let me out-I'm

Gent. - "To gratify you and the crowd, I will pen the trunk.'

While the owner was adjusting the key to he lock, the crowd gathered around with the expectation of seeing a suffocated man; but ! their great astonishment when the lid was raised, the trunk contained nothing but the wardrobe belonging to Don Juan the Ventriloquist, who perpetrated the trick.

The baggage-master took with a "sudden leaving," and the crowd shouted, "sold again."

"Sure," said Patrick, rubbing his head with delight at the prospect of a present from his employer, "I always mane to do my duty." "I believe you," replied his employer, "therepromiscuously with fried eggs, ham, an mashed potatoes. Whoa! Jim—jest stand still will fore I make you a present of all you have stolen from me during the past year."—"Thank yer honor," replied Pat "and may all your you-seems like you never will git done laugh- friends and acquaintances trate you as liberally"

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In the matter of \( \) February Sittings, 1867 Guardians and Trustees. 1 at Orangeburg. The Commissioner having reported that all the Records of his office were destroyed during the recent war, and that he is unable to report even the names of all the Guardians and Trustees: It is ordered, that he do publish a notice to all persons who were appointed Guardians or Trustees, or were in any way liable to account as such in this Court prior to the 15th May, 1865, to appear before him and ener into new bends on or before the first day of June ext, and in every case in which he can obtain evidence to satisfy himself that any person so liable to account has failed to comply with this notice, he shall issue a rale against such persons to comply.

It is also ordered. That in addition to their giving new bond, that thay be required to file in the Commissioner's Office, within the time aforesaid thair

Signed. March 1, 1867. WM. D. JOHNSON, Commissioners Office, ) V. D. V. JAMISON, March 2, 1867, Commissioner.

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Tuesday. 2, "Four Holes

" Wednesday, " 3, " Jamison's, " Bull Swamp. " Gleaton's. " Tuesday, " Wednesday, " Brown's. " Friday, " Saturday, " 12, " Corbitisville, " 10, " Easterlin's Mill. " 15 to 20th at Ovangeburg.

"Monday, April 29, at Cedar Grove,
"Tuesday, "20, "Rowe's Pump,
"Wed'y & Thursday, May 1 & 2 Branchville,
I will also attend at Orangeburg daily, during the
vecesk ending May 14, when the General Tax Books
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be Double Taxal.

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Every Employer will make Returns of the names of all Persons that are employed by him.

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All Returns of Property will be made in person and under Oath, and paid in the District where the Property is located, and no returns will be received by mail, or otherwise unless sworm to according to

Taxes will be paid only in Gold and Silver coin, United States Treasury Notes, or notes declared to be a legal tender by the Government of the United States, or notes of National Banks, or the bills re ceivable of this State, or pay certificates of Jurors and Constables for attendance on the Courts.

[End Residents of the Town of Orangeburg are requested to make their Quarterly and General Re-turns on Wednesday and Thursday of Court Week.

P. W. FAIREY,
Assessor and Tax Collector of Orange Parish.

### IN EQUITY. ORANGEBURG DISTRICT.

The State of South Carolina In re lost documents. Solicitor Southern Circuit.

Application having been made by James W. Reed and wife and others, for leave to prove the existence loss and contents of a Deed of Conveyance in Trust, made under order of the Court of Equity in February, 1850, to Levi S. Tyler for the use of J. W. Spirits Turpentine, Kerosine Oil, Varnish, for life, and afterwards to the issue of the wife-On motion of Hutsons & Legare, Solicitors for Applicant, it is ordered. That all persons who desire so to do, may appear and cross examine the evidence produced and introduce evidence in reply, before me on the 17th day of November next.

Commissioner's Office, V. D. JAMISON, Orangeburg C. II. Mar. 27, 1867. | XII

### IN EQUITY, ORANGEBURG DISTRICT.

The State ex relatione Solicitor Southern Circuit, In re-lost Documents. perpetuate Testimony.

Application baying been unde by Mrs. Cely Metts prove the Existence. Loss and Contents of the last Will and Testament of James D. Meits, deceased. On motion of Messrs, Izlar & Dibble, Solicitors, it is ordered. That all persons who desire so to do. may appear and cross examine the evidence produced, and introduce evidence in reply before me on the 26th day of June next.

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