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The Episcopal Church in the United States.

The most of our readers will remember the meeting of the Triennial Episcopal Convention, which assembled at St. Paul's Church, in Richmond, the year previous to the war. It drew together much of the most eminent talent in the United States, both clerical and lay, and the debates were listened to by thronged audiences with the profoundest interest. We well recollect the scene that transpired on the morning of the consecration of Bishops Gregg, Odenheimer, Bedell, Whipple and Lay. That grand old composition of Martin Luther's, "Old Hundred," was sung by several thousand voices, and the effect was truly sublime. Another Triennial Convention is to assemble in Philadelphia in October next, and accounts represent that it is to be one of more than ordinary importance. It is stated that the Convention has never had, in its memorable history, such a burden of ecclesiastical legislation as will then fall on its shoulders. As far as memory serves us, the case of Bishop Onderdonk was the most prominent subject before the House of Bishops in the Convention of 1859. This House of Bishops, including those from the South, is now composed of thirty-five prelates. An interesting paper upon the Convention thus announces some of the more important business which will engage its attention:

THE HOUSE OF LAY AND CLERICAL DEPUTIES

Is composed of nearly three hundred members, who are sent to represent each diocese. The desire for unity among New York churchmen is amply shown in the selection of Governor Seymour as a delegate. He and kindred gentlemen will lead the house against any attempt the radicals may make to prevent the admission of the Southern Church. The mere orison for the President of the Confederate States, which supercede for the time being the prayer for the lawful President of the United States, is happily no part of the discipline or worship of Southern churchmen; and it is justly urged that the civil authorities alone have the right to take cognizance of such an innovation. This question will, however, create doubtless a lengthy debate, if the presiding divine does not rule the subject, as anticipated.

THE SOUTHERN EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

In the second year there was an independent Convention of the Southern Episcopal Church. It was then resolved to meet triennially. By unanimous agreement the next sessions were to be held next November in Mobile. The triumph of the national arms, however, have so disarranged the plans of the Convention that no preparations are being made to meet at the time stated. An anticipation that the Convention to assemble in Philadelphia will deal uncharitable with Southern churchmen has led some of the Southern bishops to revive the agreement to hold another independent Convention in Mobile. By this strategy they will be enabled to know the temper of the Philadelphia body before agreeing to any terms of union. In order to affect this plan, a mischievous suggestion has been made that all Southerners should keep away from the Triennial Convention. This premature opposition can be overcome by ratifying the two main acts of the Southern Convention since the war—the creation of Arkansas as a new diocese, and the consecration of the Right Rev. Dr. Wilmer as Bishop of South Carolina.

COMMUNION WITH THE RUSSO-GREEK CHURCH.

This will be another subject of great contention among the house of clerical and lay deputies. The Greek services which took place in Trinity Chapel some time since created considerable excitement in the Low Church branch of the Episcopacy. Some of the divines of that branch have maintained that the Greek service is, virtually, the Roman Catholic mass, and that true fellowship with the Greek Church cannot be effected except at the expense of the leading doctrines of the Episcopal Church. The committee who have been charged with the duty of considering the feasibility of communion between the Episcopal and Russo-Greek Churches, will present a report on the subject to the Convention. The Committee consists of Bishops Williams and Whitehouse, Rev. Drs. Thrail and Mahan, Rev. Dr. J. F. Young, and Messrs. Samuel B. Ruggles and S. Elliott.

These are the principal questions to be decided by the Convention.

We have noticed, with very great satisfaction, the marked change for the better which has recently taken place in the tone and temper of many of the leading journals of the Republican party. They now use much more conciliatory language towards the people of the South than they have ever done since the unlucky day when the people of Virginia were grossly wronged by those in our midst who misrepresented the Norfolk and Richmond municipal elections.

To our surprise, the bloody-minded and ferocious old savage, Thaddeus Stevens, meets with no encouragement from the *Times*, the *Tribune*, the *Chronicle*, the *Press* and the *Herald*, papers of great circulation and influence with the influential and intelligent members of the Republican party. The extreme radicals having at last made a direct issue with the President, nearly all of their most respectable and rational associates have left the Bedlamites in charge of the old Fejee Stevens, and have enlisted in the great conservative army, of which the President is the Commander-in-chief.

The New York *Times*, heretofore almost as credulous as Horace Greeley, with reference to the Munchausens of the "correspondents from the South," now turns the contemptuous cold shoulder upon the luckless Gullivers, rates them in very severe terms for their abominable mendacity, and kicks them out of doors. The *Tribune*, whilst pitching into Thad. Stevens for his cannibalism, is also very much disposed to belabor the President, but seems to hold in wholesome dread that remorseless old gentleman, Thurlow Weed, who not only warmly sustains the President, but is ready at a moment's notice to accommodate the battered Greeley with any additional amount of flogging which he may require. Mr. Forney, of the *Chronicle* and *Press*, after following all manner of false gods, and worshipping a number of golden idols, is now giving modest signs of returning affection for that section of the Union which, in his younger days, he used to woo with protestations of the most ardent affection. He holds, we know, the President of the United States in great esteem, and will support eventually his wise and generous policy of reconstruction.

At no time since the collapse of the Confederacy have the prospects of the Southern States been brighter than now. The supremacy of the military over the civil authority in Mississippi has been broken down by the express order of the President, who is steadily engaged in reducing the army to the economical dimensions of a peace establishment. An order for the disbanding of a large portion of the negro troops has been issued, and the expenses of the Government have been of late rapidly curtailed.

[Richmond Times.

DEATH OF DR. S. K. TALMAGE.—The sad announcement of the death, on the 2d inst., at Midway, near Milledgeville, of this eminent divine, will be received with sorrow and regret throughout the country. For nearly thirty years, Dr. Talmage devoted all his energy and ability to the building up of Oglethorpe University, and to him mainly is the church and the country indebted for its prosperous condition until the war had caused the separation of that as well as most of the other institutions of the land. It seemed as if the closing of the University, to which he was so fondly attached, and to which he had given the best years of his life, was to indicate that his work on earth was done, for simultaneously almost his health gave way, and the things of this world lost their interest. For some time before his death, the intellect became clouded, and it seemed fit, indeed, that he should be relieved by a transfer to a sphere more consonant with his happiness. Through the medium of Oglethorpe University, Dr. Talmage has been the instrument of sending throughout the South some of its best educated men, some of its ablest preachers, and his influence must long be felt through those who owe to him all that makes them useful members of society.—*Atlanta Intelligencer, 14th.*

The first cotton manufacturing company organized on the Pacific coast have commenced operating a mill in San Francisco, with a paid capital of $100,000, and will commence manufacturing in November with thirty-two looms and thirty operatives. They will manufacture drills and standard sheeting.

STOLEN,

FROM my premises, on the 2d instant, a medium-sized Bay Mare MULE, blind in right eye and both fore hoofs split. She was taken by a black man named Jerry, formerly a slave of Mr. John Beard, of this place. His right arm is artificial, and he wears a glove on the hand. I suppose him to be about Charleston, S. C., or Augusta, Ga. I will give a reward of FIFTY DOLLARS for his arrest and delivery to proper authority, and a liberal reward for the recovery of the mule.

W. S. SLOAN,
Sept 22 10* Columbia, S. C.

FLOUR!

JUST received and for sale.
ZEALY, SCOTT & BRUNS.
Sept 22 3

CIGARS!

A CHOICE LOT, just received, and considered very fine.
Sept 22 3 ZEALY, SCOTT & BRUNS.

SHOES!!

FOR BOYS.

2 CASES BUFF BALMORALS, selling at a very low price.
Sept 22 3 ZEALY, SCOTT & BRUNS.

ENGLISH

Dairy Cheese.

JUST received, a choice lot of the above. Will be sold low by the box.
Sept 22 3 ZEALY, SCOTT & BRUNS.

FOR SALE,

A FIRST-CLASS SPRING WAGON, newand in good order, with good cover and comfortable seats. It may be drawn by two or four horses, and carries eight or ten passengers. Apply at this office.
Sept 21 5*

GOLD,

GREENBACKS OR COTTON!

WILL be taken in exchange for 50 MULES, young and healthy; for 50 sets HARNESS, in good order; 12 WAGONS, almost new. Any person buying all the above articles, six months time will be given, approved note, payable to the First National Bank, at Charlotte, N. C.

For further particulars, inquire of
JOHN S. WILEY,
Express Office.
WM. J. WILEY,
Sept 21 3* Columbia, S. C.

Coupons for Taxes.

COUPONS OF BONDS of the city of Columbia, for sale by
Sept 21 3 HUTSON LEE & CO.

HOSIERY, GLOVES, SHIRTS AND DRAWERS.

10 doz. LADIES' WHITE COTTON HOSE.
25 doz. Misses' and Children's COTTON HOSE.
20 doz. Men's COTTON HALF HOSE.
10 " " MERINO UNDERSHIRTS.
10 " " DRAWERS.
10 " Ladies' " VESTS.
Just received and for sale by
J. G. GIBBES,
Sept 21 3 Store next to Court House.

BLACK FELT HATS.

1 CASE GENT'S FINE BLACK FELT HATS.
1 case Gent's fine COLORED FELT HATS.
Just received and for sale by
J. G. GIBBES,
Sept 21 3 Store next to Court House.

CLOTHS

AND

CASSIMERES!!

5 PIECES FINE BLACK CLOTHS.
5 " " Black DOESKIN CASSIMERE.
10 pieces COLORED CASSIMERES.
10 " TWEEDS, for gent's and boys' wear.
5 pieces V ENTIA, for vesting.
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Sept 21 3 Store next to Court House.

Security Insurance Company of New York.

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RISKS taken at reasonable rates by
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Sept 21 6 Assembly street.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

THE undersigned, having associated with him in business his son, EUGENE R. WALTER, the firm will hereafter be known as GEORGE H. WALTER & SON.

The new firm will continue to receive and forward promptly all MERCHANDIZE and PRODUCE confided to their care; and they hope the patronage so liberally extended to the old house will be continued to the new firm.

GEORGE H. WALTER.
Orangeburg, September 11, 1865.
Sept 14 12

DR. ZIMMERMAN'S INSTITUTE FOR YOUNG LADIES,

RESUMPTION of EXERCISES on October 2. BOARDERS received as heretofore.
Sept 9 81*

SOLE LEATHER!

2,000 LBS. very superior ENGLISH and HEMLOCK SOLE LEATHER, just received and for sale low by
Sept 12 6* E. POLLARD.

New Store

AND

NEW GOODS.

THE subscribers have just received, direct from New York, a full supply of Ladies' and Gent's FALL and WINTER GOODS, of all kinds, such as CALICOES, DELAINES, MERINOES, FLANNEL, Balmoral Skirts. Ladies' Cloaks, Long cloth, Linen, Handkerchiefs and Fancy Dress Goods, &c

GENT'S WEAR—Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Under-shirts, &c.

ALSO,

A good assortment of CROCKERY and GLASS-WARE.

Citizens and persons generally would do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

Sept 13 1mo P. LYONS & CO.,
Corner Assembly and Washington sts.

Haynesworth, Reese & Co., Barbers,

WOULD inform their friends and customers that they can be found at their new BARBER SHOP, on Plain street, opposite Mr. Bedell's store, where they are prepared to CUT, SHAVE and SHAMPOO in the most fashionable style.
Sept 16 6*

Railroad Iron, Mill Iron Fencing

AND

FENCINGS OF EVERY VARIETY.

THE Petersburg Iron Works are prepared to furnish every description of the above named at Northern prices. Orders left with W. A. HARRIS, Agent, or JACOB LEVIN, Auctioneer and Commission Agent, will meet with prompt attention.
Sept 9 12

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE BY

L. C. CLARKE,

At his New Store, Washington Street, just Opposite the Old Jail.

DRESS GOODS, Colored and Mourning, consisting of:
Plain, Plaid and Striped ALPACAS.
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Also, CALICOES.
BROADCLOTHS and CASSIMERES.
TWEEDS, &c.

ALSO,

UMBRELLAS, BALMORAL SKIRTS.
CRASH, for Towelling.
LOVE VEILS.
LINEN SETTS, with and without Lace, and with Mourning Edges.
Black Silk and Colored Silk Cravats.
Elastic Garters, Men's Buck Gloves.
Ladies' Gauntlets and Gloves.
Embroidered Handkerchiefs.
Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs, for Ladies and Gentlemen.
Gent's Linen Collars.
Fancy Hair Nets, for Waterfalls, and plain Silk Nets.
Hair Brushes and Combs.
Scent Papers.
Irish Linen, of all qualities.
Longcloths, Ladies' Undervests.
Rubber, Coat and Vest Buttons.
Gent's Half Hose, of excellent quality.
Men's fine Felt Hats, black and colored.
Colored Woolen Shirts and Drawers.
Corsets, China Dolls of all sizes.
Hoop Skirts, Perfumery.
Castile Soap, Suspenders.
Head Handkerchiefs.
Fancy Dress Buttons.
Belts of every variety, Belting Ribbon.
Scissors, Tooth and Nail Brushes, &c.

GROCERIES.

White and Brown SUGAR.
Green and Black TEA, COFFEE.
Starch, Soap, Candles.
Molasses, Brooms, Herrings.
Sardines, Matches, Blacking.
Ruta Baga Turnip Seed, &c. Sept 20

Notice.

THE copartnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firms of BLAKELY & WILLIAMS, Charleston, and J. M. BLAKELY & CO., Columbia, is dissolved this day by mutual consent. Either partner is authorized to settle the affairs of the late concerns.

All parties indebted to the late firms of Caldwell, Blakely & Co., Blakely & Williams, J. M. Blakely & Co., and to the estates of Richard Anderson and Lyles & Anderson, are requested to make payment to either of the undersigned.

J. M. BLAKELY,
Columbia, S. C.
W. B. WILLIAMS,
Sept. 1, 1865. Charleston, S. C.

A Card.

W. B. WILLIAMS will continue the Factorage and Commission Business in Charleston, and offers his services to the friends and customers of the late firms of Caldwell, Blakely & Co. and Blakely & Williams.
Sept 14 9

F. CONNER & CO.,

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AND

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76 EAST BAY,

Two doors South of North Atlantic Wharf

CHARLESTON, S. C.

HAVE constantly on hand a full supply of GROCERIES, at lowest market rates.
Sept 17

W. T. BURGE & CO.,

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FANCY DRY GOODS AND YANKEE NOTIONS,

41 *HAYNE ST., CHARLESTON, S. C.,*

ARE now receiving their FALL and WINTER STOCK, to which they invite the attention of dealers.
Sept 21 7*

School Furniture.

TEACHERS' DESKS and CHAIRS.
Tables, Bank and Office Desks, &c.
Lecture Room and Sabbath School Settees.
All kinds of School Material.
ROBERT PATON,
Sept 17 1mo 24 Grove st., New York.

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MRS. EMMA ROE has opened an EATING HOUSE, on Lincoln street, one door from Lady, where gentlemen can procure their REGULAR MEALS, LUNCHES, etc., at all hours. The very best of everything in the market will be furnished.
Sept 14 11*

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On Gervais street, near Gates. Meals served at all hours.
Sept 17