

PREDICTS OF WEATHER

THE "DUTCH PROPHECY" TELLS US WHAT TO EXPECT.

Says the Temperature for October Will Be Above Normal, but Good for Gathering Crops.

The "Dutch Weather Prophecy" herewith gives a forecast of temperature, precipitation and killing frost for the South Atlantic section—the killing frost embracing the region north of the parallel on which Columbia is located.

The temperature of the month of October will be much above normal, with the probability of an extension of October temperatures into the first week in November.

Killing frost will occur in the region as above named on the period which is central around November 13. Killing frost occurred last year about three weeks earlier than the above date.

There is a double importance to the date, as above given, on account of the fact that the equinoctial storm period occurs in November this year, or at least the most stormy conditions of the equinoctial period, for the tropical storms sometimes do occur even as late as December 1st.

The date for such tropical storm this year is November 18. Such a storm, I believe, will effect both the Gulf and South Atlantic coasts at the period named here. In connection with this forecast it will be observed that no storm of a tropical character has so far occurred during the equinoctial period of 1911, the Charleston storm being semi-tropical in nature and not within the course of the regular tropical storms.

Thus my forecast of March 10 was not misleading, and yet at the same time, that forecast named August 29 as a period of greatest precipitation, and it was to be expected at such a season in the summer it would partake of severe character, but being difficult to locate as to where it would be more or less destructive. The fact that it was confined to a comparatively small area shows that it would have been difficult to forecast, but yet, at the same time, very severe on account of its confined limits.

The peculiar meteorological conditions which have prevailed in 1911 will continue, and in a number of respects account for the abnormal temperatures, placing the amount of heat about 500 degrees above normal for the year so far. And the end is not yet.

October will be a favorable month for harvesting crops. The periods of greatest precipitation are 12-15, with cool wave; 23-27, with cool wave. The indications are that the week of the State fair, beginning October 30, will be fair and warm.

The precipitation for the winter and spring will be much above normal. The indications are that the average amount of rainfall will have a good balance on the right hand side of the weather ledger when the farmer begins to plant cotton in 1912.

The winter of 1911-12 will be generally moderate in temperature. The dates of the colder periods will be given later in a special forecast. Two snows east of the Blue Ridge are included in the probabilities of the winter of 1911-12.

Wm. P. Houseal.

Trains on Pregnall Branch.

The Ellore correspondent of the State says: "The Orangeburg Chamber of Commerce appears to be dissatisfied with the present schedule over the Pregnall's Branch of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, and it is understood that efforts will be made to have this schedule changed. Some time ago, at a meeting of the railroad commissioners, the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad officials and the passengers along this line, a schedule was agreed upon and directly afterwards put into operation. As far as can be learned from the patrons along the line this schedule is giving eminent satisfaction and is the best since the passenger train was put into operation. The connection and mail service with four trains are sufficient and there is no need for a change think some of the people who patronize the road."

Hope They Will Come.

Among the guests to be invited to the Dollar Supper to be given by the Chamber of Commerce are President Finley, of the Southern Railway, President Emmerson, of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway, Secretary Hamby, of the Columbia Chamber of Commerce, Secretary McKeand of the Charleston Chamber of Commerce, Mr. J. B. Finster, of the Land and Industrial Department of the Southern and Mr. Clark of the Land and Industrial Department of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway. All the gentlemen named are interested in the development of the State and have done much in that direction. We hope they will all be here.

Shot Boy by Mistake.

A negro named Mackey Oliver has been placed in the county jail, charged with shooting and probably fatally wounding Wash Houser, a negro boy about 14 years of age. The shooting occurred in the Middlepen section and it is understood that Oliver was attempting to shoot another negro and fired into a crowd walking along the road. His aim was not so good, it seems, and the shot took effect in young Houser.

Moderate Weather Promised.

Moderate temperature for this section is promised by the weather for this week. Light snow fell in the upper part of New York on Saturday, and the weather bureau predicts frosts in the Northwest and Northern States from the upper Mississippi valley eastward this week.

TO GET THE BEST SHOWS.

Some of the Very Best on the Road Booked for Orangeburg.

The theatre season for Orangeburg this year is going to be the greatest in the history of the opera house. Alread Manager O'Dowd has booked some of the leading attractions to be brought South this fall and winter. Among them there is Madam Sherry, which is in Columbia Friday night of this week. The Girl in the Taxi, the Lyman Twins, Polly of the Circus and Buster Brown all return this season. Creator and his wonder band will again play for us. The complete list booked so far is printed below:

- Oct. 5—Jolly John Larkin, in Royal Sam.
Oct. 16—The Clansman.
Oct. 21—The Millionaire's Kid.
Oct. 25—The Girl and the Tramp.
Oct. 30—The Girl in the Taxi.
Oct. 31—Frederick, the Great.
Nov. 3—Crater and his band.
Nov. 6—The Firing Line.
Nov. 7—The Private Secretary.
Nov. 13—When a Woman Wins.
Nov. 14—J. A. Coburn's Minstrels.
Nov. 17—The Girl from Rectors.
Nov. 21—Peck's Bad Boy.
Nov. 22—Country Boy.
Nov. 25—Arrival of Kittle.
Nov. 27—Fair Co-Ed.
Nov. 29—Beverly of Graustark.
Dec. 15—The Traitor.
Dec. 27—Fennegan's Honeymoon.
Dec. 28—The Thief.
Jan. 8 and 9—Mildred and Roulcar.
Jan. 22—The Third Degree.
Feb. 8—The Chorus Lady.
Feb. 8—The Chorus Lady. Miss Rosa Stall starring.
Feb. 9—Madam Sherry.
Feb. 16—The Night Rider's Co.
Feb. 19—Black Patti.
Feb. 26—The Lyman Twins.
Mar. 15—Buster Brown.
April 22—Polly of the Circus.
April 25—Travelling Salesman.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Convened Here Yesterday With Judge DeVore Presiding.

The Court of Common Pleas for this county convened here yesterday morning with Judge DeVore presiding. The officers of the Court were in their places and the court moved in a business like manner.

Second Week Jurors.

- The following jurors have been summoned for the second week of the present term:
W. F. Robinson, City.
T. W. Zeigler, Zion.
C. D. Morgan, Goodland.
J. F. Shuler, Middle.
E. Hubert Livingston, Elizabeth.
H. C. Kirkland, Willow.
W. Berry Boles, Rocky Grove.
J. M. Albergotti, City.
W. E. Atkinson, City.
J. H. Jennings, Edisto.
J. M. Pearson, Willow.
L. K. Etheridge, Elizabeth.
O. K. Wilson, City.
W. M. Ritter, Union.
O. L. Collier, Providence.
L. A. Livingston, Elizabeth.
L. E. Stroman, Orange.
T. F. Bonnett, Liberty.
J. W. Hart, Holly Hill.
C. P. Fanning, Goodland.
C. B. Stroman, Orange.
F. A. Fairley, Orange.
A. C. Bates, Willow.
E. B. Carter, Orange.
W. R. Pou, Hebron.
J. F. Bozard, Orange.
J. H. Schacte, City.
W. D. Hughes,
W. F. Stroman, Middle.
W. F. Binniker, Liberty.
J. L. Strook, Ellore.
S. Sanford, Willow.
J. McB. Bean, Springfield.
Jno. P. Moseley, City.
J. S. Earley, Orange.

Passing of a Good Citizen.

In the death of Mr. Joseph B. Traywick, which sad event occurred on last Friday at his home near Cope, the County loses a good citizen. He had reached his fiftieth year when he was stricken down with typhoid fever. He was a member of the Methodist Church, and was highly esteemed by a large circle of friends. He is survived by his wife and one little boy, to whom he was devoted. They have the sympathy of all in their deep sorrow.

Stables and Barns Burned.

Mr. W. H. B. Fairley, who lives over in the Fork a few miles from this city, lost his barns and stables Friday night by fire. The stock was sheltered from the stables but the feed stored away in the barns was lost. The fire was under considerable headway when discovered about 9 o'clock and the buildings could not be saved. This is quite a heavy blow, but Mr. Fairley is a prosperous, energetic farmer, and will soon have his burned buildings restored.

Fine Hay Crop in Sight.

The Orangeburg correspondent of The News and Courier says "at one period of the extremely dry season, it was not thought that there would be any hay crop, but since the rains the latter part of July and during the month of August, grasses of all kinds have sprung up in large quantities and have grown very rapidly; so now there is prospect of a very fair hay yield." Now let it be carefully gathered and housed and it will help out the short corn crop.

Wants Sunday Trains.

There is some talk of a Sunday train on the Pregnall Branch of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway. Some think it would pay handsomely and would fill a long felt need, while others take the opposite view. A Sunday train has never been operated on the road and it is understood that there are some obstacles in the way, barring them, however, some of the patrons would be glad to see one put into operation.

HINTS FOR THE LADIES.

From the Agricultural and Weekly Augusta Chronicle.

To remove potato, onion and other vegetable stains from the hands, rub with ripe tomatoes.

Get the stoves in order for the first cold-snap, when you really feel the cold more than in winter weather.

Be sure to keep a pair of old scissors in the kitchen for the purpose of cutting raisins, lettuce, celery, etc. Skim the fat off the chicken broth and use it to shorten biscuits. These are much more delicious than when you use lard.

At the altar: "I, thee, with all my worldly goods endow." Two years later: "More money? Where's the dollar I gave you last week?"

A bank lately received the following note from a lady: "Please stop payment on the check I wrote out today, as I accidentally burned it up."

Save all your coffee grounds; rinse them and use them to stuff pin-cushions. They will hold shape indefinitely and the pins push in easily.

If a teaspoonful of sweet milk is added to each yolk of egg when making custards, the mixture will not curdle when added to the boiling milk.

When cake icing is too hard so that you can not spread it on, add a little water, a drop at a time. When it is too thin, add sufficient powdered sugar, first rubbing out the lumps.

When paring vegetables, especially the humble tuber and odorous onion, slip over the forefinger of the hand a kid glove finger cut from an old glove. It will save the hand from an unsightly stain.

By inspecting the canned fruit occasionally, the housewife will be able to save any that has begun to spoil, by carefully removing that which is tainted and cooking the rest over, re-canning it as in the start.

Use worn-out white stockings for wash rags. Cut away the foot. Fold the top double and hem or overcast the edges. The edges may be bound, and a strap fastened across the center to slip the hand through.

To cook egg-plant, cut into slices half an inch thick and let them lie for an hour in salted water to remove that bitter taste. To fry, put the slices in the frying-pan with a small quantity of butter; turn when one side is done.

Have you tried baking eggs? Break a baking-dish with butter, break eggs into it, cover with cream. Add salt, pepper, and a tablespoonful of butter. Set it in a moderate oven a few minutes. Length of time depends on whether you like them soft or well-done.

Bull Swamp Items.

The community was deeply saddened when the news of the death of Mrs. J. H. Sanford reached here early Sunday morning. In the absence of our Pastor, the funeral was conducted by Rev. Edwards. The remains of Mrs. Sanford were laid to rest in Bull Swamp Cemetery.

Misses Isabelle and Kathleen Wannamaker are visiting relatives here.

The fields are white with the fleecy staple. Pickers are very scarce. Mr. Doyle Mack left several days ago, to be present at the opening of the Orangeburg College.

Prof. C. E. Reed, who is now engaged in business in Abbeville will return in a few days to resume his former work at St. George.

Miss Julia Reed will leave the 2nd of October to take charge of her school at Salem, where she taught last season. We wish her a successful term.

Mrs. H. M. Hydrick has gone to visit relatives in Sumter.

Mr. L. K. Etheridge, who is engaged in an excellent ginny, has been greatly rushed with cotton, ginning daily about forty-five or fifty bales of cotton. N.Y.Z.

Presbytery Meets This Morning.

The Charleston presbytery, which comprises all the Presbyterian churches in Richland, Calhoun, Orangeburg, Bamberg, Barnwell, Berkeley, Colleton, Dorchester, Charleston and Beaufort Counties, will hold its next session at the Presbyterian church in this city, beginning this morning. The meeting will continue a few days. A number of eloquent speakers will be present and the sessions promise to be interesting and instructive.

Give a Helping Hand.

When you pull down the town in which is your home, you are pulling down yourself, and when you build up you are building up yourself and your neighbor. Try and banish from your mind the mistaken idea that all good things are away off in some other locality. Give your town all the praise it can legitimately bear. It certainly will do you no harm and will cost you nothing; and above all patronize your home institutions—including the newspapers.

Visit the Public Schools.

Few people have any idea what an incentive it is to both teacher and scholar to know that parents and outsiders are taking a lively interest in their work. We believe the "little folks" at school appreciate such interest more perhaps than the larger ones. Still the effect is not lost on any of them, and we hope every parent will take a hint from this and place the public school on their visiting list.

Give Us All the News.

Have you any news, tell the reporter and he will serve it in a la mode. In case you do not happen to meet him, use the telephone or the mail. You will be helping to make your town paper of greater interest and thereby serve the general community. Whatever news may interest you, must surely interest many others.

TAX NOTICE

Office of County Treasurer, Orangeburg County, S. C., October 2nd, 1911.

The regular tax duplicate will be open for collection of all taxes due, State, County and School for Orangeburg County, from the 15th day of October to the 31st day of December, 1911.

The following levy:
State taxes . . . . .5% mills
Ordinary county . . . . .5 mills
County road . . . . .1 mill
Constitutional school . . . . .3 mills

Total . . . . .14% mills
Also the following local special taxes:

Table with columns for District No. and Tax Amount. Includes districts 3 through 86.

Commutation Road Tax will be received at same time and place. The time for payment of Road Taxes will expire March 1st, 1912.

A. D. FAIR, County Treasurer, O. C.

First Faculty Concert.

The first faculty concert by the music faculty of Orangeburg College will take place in the Chapel of the College Friday night next, October 6th, at eight thirty o'clock. The chapel has been greatly enlarged during the year, and a large crowd can be accommodated. There will, of course, be no admission charge, and the public are cordially invited to attend this recital. The music this year is unusually strong, and the members for Friday evening have been very carefully chosen, and will doubtless please the audience very much. Those who will take part in the recital on Friday evening are: Professor Tinsley, piano; Miss Milhouse, piano; Mrs. Gilbert, voice; and Miss Markin Reader.

Orangeburg Teachers Association.

The Orangeburg Teachers' association was reorganized at a meeting held at the court house Saturday, Prof. J. Burley Koon, principal of the Holy Hill School elected president, Prof. C. J. Rast of the Bowman school, vice-president, and Miss Jessie Dukes secretary and treasurer. At a meeting several important questions were discussed, among these whether or not there should be a sudden change of text books or a gradual change. The next meeting will be held on the fourth Saturday in October.

Jewish Day of Atonement.

Yom Kippur, the Jewish Day of Atonement, one of the most important holidays in the Jewish year, was ushered in at sunset Sunday and continued until sundown Monday evening. All the Jews of this city, as well as those of every community the world over, celebrated the day by fasting and offering prayers in atonement for whatever sins they have committed during the past year.

Ellore Wants Better Depot.

A petition is being circulated at Ellore asking the railroad officials to give a better depot and platform facilities and as soon as completed it will be forwarded to the proper authorities. As that is said to be one of the best paying branches of the Atlantic Coast Line the people feel that they are entitled to these accommodations.

Dixie Club Carnival Postponed.

It has been found expedient by the management of the Dixie Club Carnival to postpone the affair, having it on Friday, October 13, instead of on the 6th, as previously announced. Arrangements are going along smoothly and everything will be in readiness for a good time on the 13th.

The Court of Common Pleas.

The Court of Common Pleas for the transaction of civil business met Monday morning at the usual hour with Judge J. W. DeVore presiding. Because of the fact that no court was held in June the present term is likely to continue through next week, as the docket is quite heavy.

Interdenominational Revival Meeting.

In the town hall at Eutawville, S. C., beginning Monday night Oct. 9 at seven-thirty. A twenty minutes song service. Rev. J. L. McLees, of Orangeburg and local Ministers will preach.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

PICKED UP ALL OVER TOWN BY OUR REPORTERS.

What is Happening Here and There.

Local Items of Personal Interest to Car Readers.

The cotton fields are truly white unto the harvests.

Miss Freda Cooper, of North, has returned to Virginia Intermont College, Bristol, Tenn., to finish in music.

The Branchville High School opened with a fine attendance last week, and a good year's work is looked for.

Moultrie Chapter, D. A. R., will meet this afternoon at five o'clock at the residence of Mrs. E. J. Wannamaker.

The Greenwood merchants are the most liberal advertisers we know of. That may account for Greenwood's rapid growth.

Don't let this little cold spell fool you. There are some warm days yet to come before frost comes to nip the tender plants.

Mr. Mike N. Perryclear is a delightful singer, and the many patrons of the Theatro who heard him sing there last week will agree with us.

October the 26th has been set as the day for the unveiling of the Confederate monument at Bamberg. Senator E. D. Smith will be the orator for the occasion.

Dr. Sprunt, of Charleston, will preach the opening sermon of the Presbytery this evening at the usual hour of evening service at the Presbyterian Church.

If cotton was held off the market for two weeks the price would go up about as fast it came down. Suppose you give this a trial, farmers, just to see how it would work.

After a full discussion of the subject on Saturday the Orangeburg Teacher's Association gave it as its opinion that there should be a gradual change of text books.

Mr. Frank Seignous has resigned his position with the Farmers' Union Bank and Trust Co., and, it is understood, will engage in the life and fire insurance business.

Mr. Melvin Hatch requests us to thank his friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness tendered him and children during the recent illness and death of his wife.

Eutaw Chapter, D. A. R., meets this afternoon at half-past 4 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Clafly. Members are requested to be prepared to pay their per capita tax.

When Mr. W. H. B. Fairley's barn caught fire the other night he and all the family were in bed asleep, but were awakened by the noise the rats made in leaving the burning building.

Any business is more respectable than what is termed loafing. A young man had better sell claims by the painful than hang around public resorts, murdering time and his own reputation.

The pictures at the Theatro this afternoon will be especially good. The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist Church will have a benefit there this afternoon and it is hoped the crowd will be large.

The Mendelsohn Choral Club will meet with Mrs. M. G. Salley next Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock. All members are urged to be present as the club has been invited to sing at a very important occasion.

Williamburg County farmer in the Kingstree Record says three acres in tobacco netted him \$628 and another three acres netted him \$402, making \$1,030 on the six acres. That beats cotton all to pieces.

Reports from all sections of the State are that mosquitoes are unusually bad this year. One theory is that they were blown inland from the coast by the recent Charleston hurricane. Orangeburg has her full share.

The Newberry Observer says: "One of our town farmers went out a few days ago and joined his hands in pulling fodder, and lost a four dollar fountain pen that he had just bought and a fine gold signet ring that his wife had given him."

Manager Gambati engaged Mr. Douglas Dunford, a fine baritone, of Chicago, to sing at the Theatro for the next two weeks. He will sing twice at the matinee and from seven to half-past ten o'clock. He commenced his engagement on Monday afternoon.

A Marion County farmer thinks the foolkillers should work on all farmers that pay sixty cents per hundred for picking cotton with the staple selling at the low price it now sells for. In this section pickers seem to be scarce at that high price for picking.

"The Special Messenger" is one of the best of pictures and will be shown at the Theatro this week. The scenes were all taken in Charleston and the Citadel Cadets, are in all the war effects. This picture is fully described in text and pictures in the Motion Picture Magazine for September. A few copies left at Sims' Book Store at 15c each.

Imagined He Was Pursued.

Tom Williams, a negro, was examined Saturday for lunacy and declared to be mentally deranged. Williams was one of a party of gamblers that attacked and stabbed Fletcher Varn of Branchville a few days ago. He was arrested at Bowman, where he went Friday, claiming that he was being pursued by a mob from Branchville. The negro displayed a gash in his neck, from which blood was flowing. Upon investigation it was found that the negro was not being pursued but only imagined that he was.

Kohn's Theodor Kohn's Attractions Are Quality And Moderate Prices Russell Street, Orangeburg, S. C.



A SUM AS SMALL AS \$12.50 Will Buy a Woman a New Fall Suit

The serge in this \$12.50 model is of good quality and either blue or black. Plainly tailored model with short taffeta lined coat and well cut skirt.

We scarcely believe our own eyes when we look at the price ticket on another suit—a mannish worsted in blue, black or brown with exceedingly smart little coat or street skirt. It is a suit that might walk proudly beside a \$40.00 model and yet its price is only \$18.75.

At \$25.00 are two extremely good chevrot models, one plainly tailored, the other finished with deep sailor collar and trimmed with black satin and braid. A button here and there adds to the effect.

For Prices So Modest We Have Never Seen Better Values.

Advertisement for CRAIG'S PURE FOOD STORE featuring an illustration of a child with a cheese wheel and text: 'Dear Friend: Mama says you ought to trade at a store that sends your goods home quick. They have two Phones at the PURE FOOD STORE, so Central can't tell you "line's busy" any more. You can always get CRAIG'S PURE FOOD STORE. when you are in a hurry for things for dinner. Your friend, JACOB.'

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