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ORANGEBURG, S. C., MARCH 21, 1879.

Supervisors of Elections.

In a previous issue while treating the matter of the repeal of the Test Oath, we asserted that this, together with the appropriation bill and the repeal of the law allowing the appointment of supervisors of elections, were then under consideration by Congress. Neither of these questions were settled and still remain as matters of the first importance to be decided by the present Congress.

Mexico.

This unfortunate Republic so often disturbed and so long kept in a state of political excitement and civil revolution by disorders arising from ambitious leaders of factions, seems to find some time to at least dream of peace and prosperity.

The Proper Way.

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Hon. J. H. Evins.

On the 28th of February, this gentleman, a member of Congress, from Spartanburg in this State, made one of the ablest, most exhaustive and at the same time conservative speeches in vindication of the campaign of 1876, delivered upon the floor of Congress in the last two years.

tie of the man, moved that it be made unanimous. No truer principle, or one more vital to the successful working of our party, exists than that enunciated by Mr. Blackburn in these remarkable words: 'I am a party man. I am a politician, not for the sake of a party, but because I honestly believe that the best interests of my country are to be subserved by the triumphs of my party's principle.'

The political influences at work in the country for the last eighteen years have been gradually drifting the government toward a centralism which, if they continue to operate, will certainly undermine and eventually overthrow every principle of a co-operative and insipid self-government in America.

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Immediately on arriving, he stabled his steeds, made for the house, closed doors, and got the good Book. I am told he has carried his gun with him every since to work. They are getting to be so numerous that foot-travel is almost at a stand-still. Nearly every man is carrying his wooden weapon for Mr. Canine. There should be some law to prevent dogs from rambling at large. Every man should either chain or drag his dog.

Once the minds of the people can be diverted from the usual excitement incident to sectional strifes, and the ambition of the leaders turned into other channels besides success as leaders of factions, there may be some hope of the permanent peace and ultimate prosperity of the nation.

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HYDROPHOBIA

IN THE HIGHEST STATE MAD-DOGS RAVISHING THE COUNTRY! DOG-EATING DOG.

About two weeks ago one of the most remarkable occurrences in the way of Mad-dogs happened in this community on what is known by the local name of the O' Cain Place, on the Five Chop Road. Mr. H. S., who has the place in charge, left in the morning for preaching, and on his return found that his puppy-house had been visited by a mad canine and one of his puppies missing. On examination it was found that one had been eaten entirely up, and another almost destroyed. It was learned from one of the spectators that the dog seemed to be in a state of perfect sensibility until seeing one of the puppies, when it commenced to go on at a fearful rate, growling, howling and snapping at everything it came in contact with, even trying to bite itself.

An amusing incident happened in Orange Township a few weeks since. A certain Mr. T— while hauling rails to repair fence, saw in the road a little dog amusing itself by jumping to and fro over the rail. Imagining the little fellow had caught the disease, he stuck spur, but finding the dog to be gaining ground too rapidly he dismounted, switched and with the velocity of a Dexter made tracks for his rustic rendezvous.

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Master's Sales.

W. A. MACRAY, Auctioneer. State of South Carolina—County of Orangeburg—In the Common Pleas.

By virtue of Judgment Orders of Foreclosure and Sale and Decretal Orders in the causes below stated respectively, I will sell by public auction, before the Court House, in the town of Orangeburg, on the First Monday in April, 1879, during the legal hours for Sheriff's sales, the several Tracts, Lots and Parcels of Land below described, all situate in the County of Orangeburg and State aforesaid, viz: By virtue of a Judgment Order of Foreclosure and Sale in the case of Narcissa Gardner vs. C. E. Parker, all that Tract of Land situate in the County of Orangeburg and State aforesaid, containing eighty-one (81) acres, more or less, and bounded on the East by lands of N. A. Hiddel and John G. Fanning; and on the West by lands of Martha E. Gardner, and known as a part of the Estate of the late Martha Gardner, represented on a Plat thereof by L. G. Jabinet, D. S.

By virtue of a Decretal Order in the case of Mary E. Dukes, wife of Wm. W. Dukes, against John M. Myers, the husband, and Augusta, Lewis, Sophia and Frederick Myers, the children of Eleanor Myers, deceased, and Wm. W. Dukes, as executor of the Will of Sophia Myers, deceased, all that Tract or Parcel of Land, situate in the County and State aforesaid, containing one hundred and ninety-two (192) acres, more or less, and bounded on the North by lands of Daniel Dantzer, on the East by lands of Middleton Dantzer and Anderson Dantzer; and on the West by lands of L. E. Myers.

By virtue of a Judgment Order of Foreclosure and Sale in the case of Morgan J. Keller, Executor, and Frances E. Keller, Executrix of Joseph A. Keller, against James Van Tassel, Patrick Doyle and C. R. Jones, Administrators of J. McNamara; All that Lot or Parcel of Land, situate in the town of Orangeburg, in the County and State aforesaid, on the Northern side of Railroad street, fronting on said street forty (40) feet, and running back from the old front line on said street one hundred and three (103) feet and bounded on the Northeast by lot of Mrs. Bertha Ruh; on the Southeast by said street, and other sides by lands formerly of W. A. Meroney, Jr. Also, on the West by lands of L. E. Myers.

By virtue of a Decretal Order in the case of Elizabeth B. Myers, formerly Elizabeth B. Barnett, as administratrix, against W. A. Meroney, Jr. Also, on the West by lands of L. E. Myers.

All that Plantation or Tract of Land containing one thousand and seventy-nine (1,079) acres, more or less, and bounded by lands now or formerly of M. Dantzer, S. P. Wells, L. E. Myers, Mrs. Elizabeth B. Myers, Franklin Shuler, O'Bryan Shuler, Wm. Hutto and Frank Rust.

All that other Tract or Parcel of Land, containing sixty-six (66) acres, more or less, and bounded by estate lands of Dr. Lewis Dantzer and lands of John Moore and M. Dantzer.

All that other Tract or Parcel of Land, containing ninety-seven (97) acres more or less, and bounded by lands of John Moore, Jacob Moore, Elizabeth B. Myers, S. P. Wells and estate lands of Dr. Lewis Dantzer.

By virtue of a Decretal Order in the case of W. M. Hutson, Master, against the heirs of W. M. Hutson, deceased, all that Tract of Land containing one thousand and seventy-nine (1,079) acres, more or less, and bounded by lands now or formerly of M. Dantzer, S. P. Wells, L. E. Myers, Mrs. Elizabeth B. Myers, Franklin Shuler, O'Bryan Shuler, Wm. Hutto and Frank Rust.

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Notice.

The undersigned will file his final account as Guardian of Mary A. Fogie, Ella E. Fogie, Olivia E. Fogie and Cornelia H. Fogie on the 21st of April next, with the Hon. Judge of Probate of Orangeburg County, and ask for Letters Discharge. F. F. FIELDER, Guardian. March 21-5

Notice of Dismissal. All concerned will take notice that in one month from date I will file my final account as Guardian of GEORGE M. CLARK in the Probate Court for Orangeburg County, and will apply for my discharge. D. LOUIS, Guardian of Geo. M. Clark. March 21, 1879-4

The State of South Carolina.

By C. B. GLOVER, Esq., Probate Judge, W. HERLES, WILLIAM S. PROHLER and others, Administrators of the Estate of CHRISTINA KELLER, late of Orangeburg County, deceased, that they be and appear before me in the Court of Probate, to be held at Orangeburg, C. H., on the 22d of March next, for publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand this seventh day of March, Anno Domini 1879. C. B. GLOVER, March 14-2 Judge of Probate O. C.

APPEAL TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE ORANGEBURG AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL ASSOCIATION.

The Directors earnestly appeal to you as a Shareholder of the Orangeburg Agricultural and Mechanical Association to aid them in making the proposed Floral Fair, to be held in May next, and the Annual Fall Fair successful, financially and otherwise; this can be done if EACH Shareholder would interest himself in preparing and exhibiting articles, and in urging their neighbors and friends to do likewise; to come himself and bring his family with him. If this is done your Directors feel sanguine that in a short time your property will be relieved of debt. We hope, therefore, our appeal to you will not be in vain. Let each one therefore go to work, and work honestly and faithfully for the success of our Fair. This debt we do not fear the result. W. F. BARTON, President. H. RIGGS, W. S. BARTON, J. C. PIKE, JOHN L. MOORE, JOHN C. HOLMAN, JAS. F. IZLAR, Directors. J. E. HEIDTMAN, Sec'y. Mar 7-1

STILL THEY COME!

I take pleasure in informing my friends and the public generally that I will receive another CAR LOAD OF HORSES! HORSES! SUNDAY, MARCH 9. B. FRANK SLATER. March 7

W. A. MERONEY,

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The Improved Water Elevator and Purifier.

Orangeburg, S. C. If you would enjoy good health you must use pure water. To the citizens of Orangeburg, Aiken, Edgefield, Hampton, and Barnwell counties: Having purchased the exclusive right of said counties for the Improved Water Elevator and Purifier, we offer the same for sale. This Elevator has no superior. It is simple, cheap and durable, having no wooden tubing to decay and pollute the water. No iron tubing to rust or corrode. No flanges or valves to wear out or to get out of order. Requires no attachment below the platform and will last THREE TIMES as long as any pump. Will make bad water good, and good water better. A thorough investigation is all that is necessary to convince you of its merits.

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