

Church Directory.

METHODIST.—Rev. O. A. Darby, Pastor. Services every Sunday morning at half-past 10 o'clock and at night at half-past 7 o'clock. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday evening at half-past 7 o'clock. Sabbath School every Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Children's meeting every third Sunday.

ORANGEBURG, S. C., AUGUST 22, 1879.

Those huge tree roots on the railroad avenue are both dangerous and unsightly.

Miss Annie A. Albergotti will resume the exercises of her school on Monday, September 1st, 1879.

When a young fellow goes fifteen or twenty miles in the country to attend preaching the reasonable inference is that there is a young lady in the case.

We heard a gentleman say the other day that the lot of horses which Mr. B. Frank Slater now has in his lot is the finest ever brought to this market.

The Orange Light Dragoons, Capt. N. N. Hayden commanding, were on parade last Saturday morning. Both the turn-out and drill was creditable to officers and men.

What about the opposition ticket for Mayor and Aldermen? Speak out gentlemen! We'll take your "no sir, I thank ye" in our next. Take your side so we may know it.

Mr. W. N. Scoville, of the firm of Bull & Scoville, left for the Northern market on Tuesday morning to purchase the fall stock of his house. We wish him a pleasant trip and a safe return to his family and friends.

ATTENTION ORANGE LIGHT DRAGOONS.—There will be a company drill on the 30th instant at 10 o'clock A. M. Members will be punctual. By order of N. N. Hayden, Captain commanding, J. S. Rowe, Secretary.

Mr. Theodore Kohn left our town on Wednesday morning last for the North for the purpose of buying full supplies of fall and winter goods. As enterprising and successful merchants none excel these gentlemen. We wish for them a successful trip and a safe return home.

Our readers are informed that a large supply of lamps of every variety and style, will be received in a few days by Mr. S. A. Reeves. These lamps are fine and will be sold cheap. Those wishing to buy will do well to want and purchase one from Mr. Reeves.

An interesting protracted meeting is in progress at Rocky Grove Baptist Church. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Barton, assisted by Revs. Baggett and Sawyer, are in attendance. Considerable interest is being manifested and it is to be hoped that great good will be accomplished.

Kortjous's wagon has been busy this week hauling in quantities of goods shipped on consignment to this place through the efforts of Friend Dick, who has been North for that purpose. His orders are to sell at once, which will be done at low figures in order to make room for more.

We learn that Dr. T. Raysor is carrying on a revival meeting at Bethel, in his charge with good results. Also that Rev. Gotsinger is seeing his labors culminating in a gracious revival at Antioch, a Baptist Church in St. Matthews. Verily the strong-holds of Satan are being environed.

The excursion train of Wednesday day was a holiday affair. Rushing from the Atlantic where sweltering days and mosquito hunted nights are seasonable, it enters the high mountain regions where blankets and thick clothing ensure comfort. We can afford to stay where we are, as it is getting pleasant here now.

We call the attention of little boys and foolish men who are in the habit of using sling-shots in the street to the evils of so dangerous a pastime. There is an ordinance of the town, we believe, against the use of these dangerous toys and policemen are required to make arrests where this is violated.

Mr. B. Frank Slater is selling off his fine stock of horses very rapidly, and those who may want to invest in horse flesh had better give him an early call.

The rice crop at this stage of its growth needs rain to develop and mature the grain. If the desired season comes the crop will be an abundant one throughout the county.

The public will bear in mind that the School of Miss C. M. Evans will open on the first of September at the residence of P. V. Dibble. The favorable reputation of Miss Evans, based on a long and successful experience in teaching, needs no comment from us. She deserves and ought to get a liberal share of public patronage.

Mr. J. R. Norris, formerly of Orangeburg and son of the minister, had his store house, at Abbeville, entered on Wednesday night of last week and robbed, and a quantity of goods taken away. Entrance is supposed to have been made by a false key. No traces of the robber so far but the matter is being worked up by competent hands.

THE FIRST BALE.—On Monday last, the 18th instant, Mr. J. F. Way brought to market the first bale of cotton of this year's crop. It weighed 440 pounds, classed middling, and was sold to Messrs. Bull & Scoville for 11 1-2 cents. This is ten days later than last year, the same gentleman having brought the first bale to market on the 8th of August, 1868.

We learn that the dwelling of Mr. Henry L. Smoak, just across the river, was entirely destroyed by fire on Wednesday night last at 1 o'clock. Little or nothing was saved from the flames. The fire is said to have originated from a faner of ashes, which was left unemptied. This is a warning to our citizens as the same act of carelessness is common in the county.

It is rumored that the Republicans have nominated the following ticket for Mayor and Aldermen: George Boliver, Mayor; W. M. Sain, D. E. Smoak, J. A. Williams and John Thompson, colored, Aldermen. Messrs. Sain, Williams and Smoak are Democrats and we hope they will promptly repudiate this mongrel ticket by refusing to allow their names to remain on it.

FOR THE TEETH.—Many of the powders and pastes now in the market contain ingredients like pumice stone, charcoal, &c., which ought never to be used for the purpose. The Saponaceous Tooth Powder is warranted to contain nothing in the least injurious, and has no equal for its purpose, as its flavor is pleasant, is perfectly soluble in the mouth, and contains nothing gritty or rough for the teeth. For sale by Dr. J. G. WANNAMAKER.

Our readers of St. Matthews and of the county are reminded that the school at St. Matthews' Academy will be open on Monday the 8th of September under Mr. J. B. O'Neal's management. This is a first grade high school where pupils, boys and girls, will be prepared for college or business at as low rates as is possible in this country. Mr. Holloway's ability as a teacher is well known and needs no comment. Send your children, it is the best legacy you can leave them.

Our readers who indulge in the luxury of a fine cigar are directed to the drug store of Mr. S. A. Reeves, who has just received a lot of the best we have ever tested. These cigars though fine, are cheap and sold by Dr. Reeves at \$1.25 a box. The flavor is equal to that of cigars usually sold for five cents a piece. He has excellent tobacco at 40 cents and up to suit everybody who wishes a good article. The best mustard we have ever tried is kept here and cheap.

BARBARA Wright was brought before the Mayor's Court on Wednesday morning on a charge of keeping a disorderly house. She was sentenced to ten days imprisonment or pay \$5. The fine was paid.

Mily Hancock, before the same court on a charge of fighting received the same sentence.

Jinney Baltzgar, who was found cursing on the streets, was exhorated by his Honor, the Mayor, to do better and sent adrift.

Dr. Thos. A. Elliott took advantage of the excursion and left for Greenville on Wednesday. May he enjoy his visit and come back refreshed for these labors which to him are discharged in love as much so as in duty to his profession. Among the other excursionists were Mr. Jas. H. Fowles and family, Capt. M. Glover, Mr. Sam. Rickenbaker and daughters, Mr. L. H. Wannamaker, Miss R. S. Albergotti, Mrs. W. P. Brunson, and others whose names we did not learn.

We are glad to note that a very successful protracted meeting has just ended at Hebron Methodist Church, near Boiling Springs Camp-ground. Eight accessions to the Church and several conversions are the results of this meeting through the labors of Revs. Melton, John Inabinet and T. B. Boyd. We also learn that a similar meeting is in progress at Union in the charge of Rev. Mr. Clifton with the prospect of great benefit to the community and Church. Let the good work go on.

GREENVILLE, Chester and other towns have their "Building and Loan Associations" which tend to build up these towns, foster home enterprise, secure instructions, and give comfortable homes to men of small means on the system of the "many a nickle makes the muckle." Can't we have a building and loan association? The "Home & Dower" agency with headquarters in Atlanta, an institution of the same kind, is lending money to improve farms and build homes.

WE call attention to the school notice of Miss R. S. Albergotti in another column. This school claims the right of seniority in Orangeburg, having been in successful operation during and since the war, and has graduated a large number of young ladies throughout the county, who willingly bear testimony to the thoroughness of instruction and plan of study pursued by this able teacher. Parents can do no better than patronize this well-known and first-class school.

THE worthy and efficient agent of the South Carolina Railroad at this place, Mr. T. O. Dawson, deserves the thanks of the excursionists on Wednesday for his unremitting efforts in behalf of their comfort whilst in waiting for the train. This is especially just when it is considered what an amount of labor is involved in carrying out the instructions of Mr. Receiver Fisher. Report after report must be made daily, weekly and monthly on the same subject, necessitating long lines of figures, all tallying and balancing to the letter.

Mr. R. M. Pulsifer, of the Boston Herald quotes the statement that the people of the United States pay \$700,000,000 a year for spirituous and fermented liquors and only \$95,500,000 for education, and \$48,000,000 for religion. "I had no idea we were such a thirsty people," he says; "but I have heard a good deal of virtuous indignation expressed because church property is exempted from taxation, and some of the States have come very near ruining themselves with expensive common schools. Suppose we should all swear off for three years and wipe out the public debt."

THE revival which has been in progress at the Methodist Church in this place was brought to a close on last Wednesday night amid the most solemn scene it has ever been our fortune to witness. So deeply was the people impressed with the sermon on "Be ye also ready," preached by the Rev. Manning Brown, that when the call was made for penitents, very nearly half of the congregation went up for prayer and one joined the Church. We regret the necessity which closes a meeting so full of promise for future good, but we trust the work begun may continue until every one is brought within the pale of the Church.

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How to KEEP UP A TOWN.—Sell your building lots at reasonable figures; if you can afford to do so, donate a building lot for some large business enterprise, and thereby enhance the value of town property; induce business men to locate in your own town; patronize the merchants of your own town; speak well of worthy public enterprises; if anything should be undertaken that may be of benefit to the town, do not speak ill of it to others because you happen to be prejudiced against it; speak well to strangers of your town and its people; encourage your local newspaper by subscribing for it, advertising in and paying for it.

ABOUT twenty-five of our citizens, ladies and gentlemen, joined the excursion for the up-country and mountains on Wednesday last. We saw among them the venerable Dr. Elliott, and trust that the strengthening atmosphere and the delightful scenery of the mountains will improve his physical condition and enable him to return with the promise of many years added to his valuable life. A large crowd of friends and relatives were at the depot to see the excursion off and bid them God-speed in their search after recreation, health and pleasure. We wish them a quick passage, a delightful sojourn and a safe return to their homes and dear ones.

THE election for Mayor and Aldermen of the town of Orangeburg to serve for the ensuing two years from the 9th day of September, 1879, will take place at the Engine House on the 9th of September. The Board of Managers, consisting of Messrs. T. C. Albergotti, C. L. Jones and Henry F. Dickson, will also constitute the Board of Registration of the voters of the town. Books for registration purposes will be opened at the Engine House on the 5th, 6th and 8th days of September. All bar-rooms will be closed at 6 o'clock P. M. on Monday, the 8th day of September, and remain closed until 6 o'clock A. M. on the 10th day of September.

WE learn that Maj. J. J. Salley visited the counties of Lexington, Edgefield and Laurens last week and brings back flattering and cheering reports of matters and things generally. Both cotton and corn are small but the former has time enough to make a satisfactory yield. Maj. Salley reports the farmers of the up-country as being highly pleased with the "No Fence Law." The people make more milk and butter than they ever did before. One of the blessings of the law, not a mean one either, is that one knows exactly where to find his cows without losing ever so much time hunting them. One man will make two bags of cotton on his old fence rows.

"Ye Old Folk Concerte," as advertised, came off on last Friday evening at the Court House. As was expected a large crowd had gathered long before the time announced for the opening of the exercise. The object for which it was the benefit of the Edisto Rifles, was a leading and taking advantage of a brilliant success. There was expectation more than met than in this instance. The programme was admirably conceived and splendidly executed by every one to whom a part was assigned. The appearance of the room carried one back in the past more than one hundred years and called vividly to mind the manners, customs and habit of a people and an age we have learned to venerate because of the simplicity that characterized them, and of a history which is the foundation stone of our present civilization and material progress. To see and live even a few hours amid such surroundings was worth the fee charged for admittance, and so every one who witnessed the concert considered it. We have heard no other opinion expressed but that it was "a grand affair," "brilliant success," "happily conceived," and "did credit to the noble actors who took part in the affair and sustained those parts so creditably throughout the evening. Of course the community is indebted to Mr. Obidiah Primrose, whose musical genius could be seen in every one of them second only to their ancient "Songe Teacher." The community, however, will pardon us for our making special mention of Mrs. J. A. H. and Miss B., whose voices were plaintively sweet and wonderfully full yet musical throughout their pieces. We don't know that we have ever heard better singing and so general throughout the company. The little boys and girls deserve special mention for the excellent manner in which they performed their part which was no inconsiderable item in the programme and afforded Obidiah Primrose a splendid opportunity to display his wonderful talent. Orangeburg is peculiarly blessed with musical talent and why may we not have frequently such occasions of amusement here as elsewhere. We can and the public will appreciate it.

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