

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. SEPTEMBER 19, 1879.

Mr. King will remove on Monday from Doole's corner to Mr. Sain's old stand.

Mr. F. L. Stanton does not clerk in Mr. Boliver's office as we erroneously stated last week.

Our streets are dry and the air is filled with dust, which render traveling a most disagreeable task.

It is the easiest thing in the world to "kick up a dust" in town. In the absence of a street sprinkler, we need a rain.

We don't want to be personal, but the next man that asks us to change a five dollar bill will need medical advice.

COLDS are becoming very prevalent in town and country, caused by the cool nights which now prevail and the dusty state of the atmosphere.

SWEET potatoes, from this year's crop, are becoming quite plentiful. The DEMOCRAT is the recipient of a fine lot from a friend, too modest to have his name in the paper.

A colored woman while pecking cotton in the field of a Mr. Myers fell dead on Wednesday last. Cause of death is unknown. We suppose an insect over the body will be held.

We learn that a lecture will be delivered at Pine Grove School House on Saturday, the 20th instant, on the subject of Phrenology, Distance and the Telephone. Teachers and ladies admitted free.

WHAT is the difference between an Independent Democrat and a Radical? None, except that the Radical acts up to his profession by voting with his party, while the Independent professes to be a Democrat but votes with the Rads.

Now that the time has arrived for buying seed cotton, those interested should remember, that the law strictly forbids the purchase of the staple after sunset and before sunrise. Those failing to comply with the law, subject themselves to heavy fine and imprisonment.

Our streets are crowded with wagons from the country loaded with cotton and other farm produce, which speaks well for the increased trade of the town. Prices are firm and the probabilities are that the present activity will continue through the season.

THE Quintette Musical Club of our town is prepared to furnish music for parties, entertainments, &c., at reasonable prices. This Club needs no commendation at our hands, as its musical talent is well-known. Address Quintette Club, Orangeburg, S. C.

ATTENTION ORANGE LIGHT DRAGONS.—You are hereby ordered to meet at the Fair Building on Saturday, the 27th instant, at 10 o'clock A. M. for the election of officers and other business. Members will bring lunch. By order of Capt. N. N. Hayden.

REPRESENTATIVES from the lodges of the Knights of Honor in the Sixth District will meet at this place on next Tuesday to be instructed in the ceremonies of the Order by D. D. G. D Lawton H. Wannamaker. The meeting will be held at Odd Fellow's Hall, at 11 o'clock A. M.

This is the best season for delicious rolls, sweet light bread and fresh pies, all of which may be obtained at the People's Bakery, kept by Mr. T. W. Albergotti. Campmeeting goes may be supplied here with everything needful on such occasions at the lowest cash prices. Confectionary and fancy goods to suit the most delicate taste can also be found here. Be sure to call at Mr. Albergotti's Bakery.

The regular monthly meeting of the Sunday School Missionary Society of St. Paul's Methodist Church will be held next Sunday afternoon at five o'clock. The teachers and scholars of the School are earnestly requested to attend. The public are also cordially invited.

We learn that the popular house of Messrs. Sorrentruer and Loryea have secured the services of Mr. Adam Stroman as salesman in their establishment. This gentleman has a wide circle of relations and personal friends and will doubtless increase the business of his employers.

The Edisto River at this point is lower now than at any other time during the year. The branches and creeks of the county, we learn, are drying up and there is great difficulty in some localities in providing a supply of water for stock. We hope the much needed rain will come in a few days.

The legitimate result of the repeal of the duty on quinine is now being felt in a substantial manner. At first home manufacturers refused to supply the market, except at a higher price, but the imports increasing, the price of the drug has fallen twenty-five cents per ounce, and will undoubtedly go yet lower.

We hear great complaint about sore eyes. This troublesome and at the same time painful disease seems to be an epidemic in the county. We have heard of several cases where temporary blindness was produced. The dusty state of the atmosphere has, doubtless, much to do in causing so severe a type of the disease.

We hear fire has been burning in the woods in several localities of the county. In Middle St. Matthews in the neighborhood of Messrs. David Rush, M. T. Ketter and J. L. Rush about 2,000 acres of woods lands were burned and four or five hundred panels of fence. The fire was occasioned by the carelessness of negroes while hunting at night.

Mr. Copps has had a neat iron railing put up around his window in the Courthouse. This will facilitate the collection of taxes, and add much to the convenience and comfort of the taxpayers, as in future there will be no crowding. The work was done by Mr. Thomas Ray, and reflects considerable credit upon his skill as a master workman.

Mr. James Van Tassel has been appointed agent for one of the largest distillers of corn whiskey in the up-country, and will be able to supply everybody with the same at greatly reduced prices. He is selling a genuine pure Havana cigar at five cents. We acknowledge the receipt of a sample of his cigars and pronounce them all right.

REMOITS from all parts of the country agree that the drought now prevailing is most disastrous to the rice crop. In some sections it is an entire failure. The yield of cotton is also being affected and many crops will fall short of the expectation of the owner. Rain will benefit potatoes and peas yet, and we hope it may come in time and in copious showers.

POMONA GRANGE.—The next quarterly meeting of Pomona Grange will be held at White Cane Grange on Saturday, October 4th, 1879. A large attendance is earnestly requested, as the meeting will be an important one to the order. Masters and secretaries will please have their reports ready. Hour of meeting 11 o'clock, A. M. KIRK ROBINSON, Sec'y P. G. No. 17.

An old man fell dead in Mansville, Penn., one Sunday night recently, while sitting in the parlor where his daughter and her young man were sparring. It may be that the conduct of the young couple sickened the old man and caused his death, but it will do no harm, and perhaps much good, to cut this paragraph out and show it to the old folks who are addicted to sticking in the parlor on Sunday evening when their daughter's beau wants to tell her a great many secrets, and so forth.

We learn that Dr. E. Cooke, President of Claflin University, will return to-morrow and that the exercises of his College will be resumed on the 7th of October next. After a three months' visit to his Northern home and friends, he returns to his field of labor refreshed and better prepared for the arduous duties of his office. Dr. Cooke is doing a noble work for the colored race and by an eminently consistent course of Christian conduct has won both the confidence of the colored and respect of the white people of this community. We wish for him a successful and pleasant year's work.

We are pained to hear of the extreme illness of Mrs. J. C. Arant of St. Matthews. We earnestly hope she may be restored to health and soundness of body again. Mr. W. L. Glaze, the assistant teacher of Sheridan's Classical School, was sent for on Tuesday night last to attend his mother in her severe illness. We hope he may be able soon to return to his post and duties.

Mr. J. C. Pike's store is full of customers from morning until night, attracted there by his unusually large and well selected stock. His polite assistants vie with each other in their attentions and efforts to please customers and none go away without feeling satisfied with the bargains obtained. If you desire to buy all you want at one place of the best kind and at the lowest prices go to J. C. Pike's store.

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.

COMMISSIONER Hayden has been at work during the week on the River Swamp Causeway, and will soon have a dry passage over that hitherto wet and rough section of the road. We learn that the Commissioners are paying special attention to the roads of the county, and many of them are in better condition now than at any period since the war. For this the Board deserves the thanks of the communities, for nothing conduce more to the prosperity of a people than good roads.

If you have cotton to sell bring it to Orangeburg, and you will not regret it. Our cotton buyers are live, progressive business men, and pay the highest market price for the staple. If you want to buy goods come to Orangeburg. Our merchants, ever alive to the progress of the times, are prepared to supply your wants on as advantageous terms as any merchants in the State. We extend a cordial invitation to every farmer in Orangeburg and adjoining counties to give our merchants a trial.

KORRISON'S store is full to overflowing both with goods and customers. During the week he has received large consignments from New York, Baltimore, Boston, Charleston and Augusta, and are offering them low down—in fact cheaper than they can be made; but when his orders are to "sell at once as we need the money," of course he has no alternative, and away they go to delighted buyers at half their value. Farmers, their sisters and aunts are advised to call early and secure some of these unheard of bargains. His Five Cent Counter, that new idea in the business world, is replenished every day and articles sold by regular dealers at twenty-five cents are found on this counter at five. No toys or useless things, but good substantial useful articles. Our young friend Rizer is kept busy from morning 'till night waiting on customers in this department.

On Thursday morning, between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock, when Mr. Fred. Livingston, the jailer, unlocked the first door on the second floor of the jail to see if the cells had been attended to, and while standing in the door, Adam Green, a colored prisoner concealed behind the door, struck Mr. Livingston a severe blow in the face with his fist. Before he could recover from the blow, Green and two others jumped upon him dealing blow after blow and attempting at the same time to wrest the pistol from the hand of the jailer. The scuffle continued down the flight of steps to the lower floor where the door was locked, when Mr. Livingston fired four shots with the hope of doing some execution. Already exhausted, however, his aim was of no effect, and the ruffians succeeded in obtaining the keys, and, unlocking the door, two of them made their escape, the third Mr. Livingston forced to return to his cell. Several citizens, white and colored, were attracted to the scene and made immediate pursuit, which was followed up until one of the ruffians was overtaken in Mr. Pike's stables and brought back. This man had a wound in the palm of his left hand, which he said was made by one of the shots fired by Mr. Livingston in the scuffle. Adam Green, the leader, and a notoriously bad character, is still at large. We hope he will be yet recaptured and made to suffer the penalty of his crime.

Miss Merrill, a teacher in Claflin University, who visited her home in the North at the end of the last scholastic year, was married on the 16th instant, and will not return to resume the duties of her office. We regret this decision which deprives the College of one of its best instructors and our community of one of the most exemplary young ladies that has visited our section since the war. In Miss Merrill were combined those peculiar qualities of heart and mind which won for her the respect and esteem of every one with whom she came in contact. May her future life be as prosperous and happy as her merits deserve.

We called at the office of Mr. Geo. H. Cornelison on Wednesday last, and in company with his chief clerk, Mr. John M. Danner, made a tour of inspection through his mammoth establishment. Entering the sample room, we saw one of each piece of furniture conveniently arranged to attract the purchaser's eye, but were scarcely prepared by this introductory ceremony, for the huge stock awaiting us in the adjoining rooms. Ascending a flight of stairs we entered a room in which chairs of every description, size, quality and price were piled literally mountain high—enough we thought to supply two such counties as Orangeburg. Single chairs for babies and children; sets of a dozen or dozen for parlors, bed chambers, offices, stores and halls; rockers of every size, make and quality—even John Danner himself could find one to suit his dimensions—combining beautifully comfort with cheapness and the ornamental with the useful. Across the passage way we found the same endless variety of chamber furniture, consisting of wardrobes, drawers, tables and indeed every conceivable article adapted to the convenience and comfort of a well appointed parlor or bed chamber. Adjoining this room was another filled to the ceiling with bedsteads of every pattern and degree of beauty, ranging in price from \$2 up to the finest. Moving carefully through the mass of furniture we were ushered into the clothing department, where long tables were loaded with large piles of every article of wear necessary to man's comfort. Full suits of gentlemen's clothing—no shoddy cloth—may be had here at remarkably low prices, ranging from \$3.50 to \$20.00 per suit; single coats of excellent fabric \$1.90, pants at similar prices and the best assortment of youths' overcoats we have seen in any county market. Descending to the store proper, we saw upon the counters on the left bank of blankets, shawls and cloaks; upon our right on riders were saddles to supply every horseman in the county, and further on, harness for buggies, carriages and wagons. A splendid assortment of hardware was attractively arranged on shelves presenting the appearance of a wholesale hardware establishment. Across from these was the boot and shoe department, embracing every quality and size from the tiny baby shoe and neat lady's gaiter to the no. 12 brogan. Heavy domestics to suit the season lay around in the same abundance and variety inviting purchasers to provide themselves against the winter's cold. Next in order come ladies' dress goods, and here the fancy has full scope and the purse any latitude. Every style known in the fashionable world may be seen, every quality from fine to the finest may be examined and every price from sets per yard to the bottom of the purse may be paid. A look at the groceries and a peep at the fancy articles closed the inspection, and we bowed "good-evening to proprietor and clerks, thinking as we passed out that Mr. Cornelison had brought a little of everything from New York to Orangeburg.

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ATTENTION!!

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Whiskies and Tobaccos we make a specialty, and it shall ever be our aim to give you the worth of your money.

We have just received a fine lot of Canned Sausage, put in 5 lb. cans, full weight, at 12 1-2 cents per pound.

OUR NEW BEER REFRIGERATOR is now completed and you can get a large Ice Cold glass of Beer for 5 cents. An examination of our stock is respectfully solicited.

D. E. SMOAK & CO. Orangeburg, S. C. June 27th

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St. Matthews S. C. DEALER IN DRY GOODS, BOOTS & SHOES, HATS CAPS &c. I buy my goods from first hands and sell them at Charleston prices. Highest CASH price paid for cotton and country produce. Full and General Stock always on hand. W. P. CAIN, St. Matthews.

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CHEER UP!

GOOD NEWS!

At the Fashionable resort of THEODORE KOHN, THEODORE KOHN, THEODORE KOHN, THEODORE KOHN.

I would call the attention of my friends and patrons to my large and well selected stock of fall and winter goods, which I am receiving by every steamer from Northern Markets, consisting of

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All I ask is a call, feeling confident that you can save 25 per cent. on every dollar's worth of goods bought of me.

Our assortment is larger and more complete than it has ever been before. Our prices are marked down with a view to disposing quickly of our stock. Call early to secure bargains and be convinced as to the truth of my assertions. THEODORE KOHN.

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A FULL STOCK OF

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WHICH WILL BE SOLD CHEAP FOR CASH.

All my Old Friends and as many New Ones as will favor me with a call are respectfully invited to examine my GOODS AND PRICES. April 18

ICE CREAM! ICE HOUSE. ICE CREAM!

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STOP and Refresh yourself at the New and Elegantly Fitted up Ladies' Refreshment Saloon!!

ICE CREAM at 10 and 15 cents, Cakes and Pies Fresh every day. The largest and finest assortment of Confectionery. Fruits of all kinds, Groceries, and the best grades of Flour. The choicest brands of Cigars and Tobaccos. Everything sold at bottom prices.

ICE FOR SALE

In any quantity and at any time of the day. Sundays from 8 till 9 o'clock and from 12 till 1 o'clock. A call is respectfully solicited by JOSEPH EROS, At Captain Briggswan's Old Stand.

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES!!

At the CALIFORNIA STORE. Stock consisting of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, SHOES, SEGARS & TOBACCO. To be sold at REDUCED RATES. TRY "LEACH'S DELIGHT" Chewing Tobacco, and you will use no other, for cheapness and its lasting qualities can't be surpassed. For sale only by SORENTRUER & LORYEA, Russell Street, Orangeburg, S. C. June 27-17

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FINE WATCHES, American and Swiss, Latest Styles. RICH JEWELRY Of New and Elegant Designs, and exquisite workmanship.

DIAMONDS, PEARLS, CAMEOS, As well as less costly sets, in great variety.

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This School opens on the First Monday in September annually, and continues uninterruptedly until the last of June. TERMS PER MONTH. First Grade, beginners.....\$2.00 Second Grade, Grammar pupils..... 2.50 Third Grade, advanced English..... 3.00 Latin, Greek, and German each extra..... 50

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