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To-day, the second of the Christmas festival, is being observed to the ends of earth. One glad jubilee, (noisy and apparently meaningless with the children, social and possibly intemperate with the older ones, grave and perhaps too ritual with the severe) girdles the world as a zone of light, and wakes it as with a free song from millions.

The attention of our readers is directed to notice in another column of an entertainment to be given by the ladies of St. Matthews' circuit on the 31st instant at St. Matthews Academy for the benefit of their parsonage. This is a most worthy object and it is hoped that every one in reach of the academy will attend and thus aid our St. Matthews' friends in their laudable undertaking.

THE FAIR IN AID OF THE PRESBYTERIAN PARSONAGE was opened on Monday evening last, and we are pleased to know that it has been a grand success. This gratifying result, however, is no surprise to us, as the ladies having the different departments in charge was a sufficient guarantee of this.

THE HELL OF THE BIBLE.—Rev. Dr. Teasdale will preach on the Bible Hell on Monday night in the Baptist Church at half-past 6 o'clock. Those who think there is no hell, had better attend this service, and listen to the argument of this learned divine on this subject.

Market Report. CORRECTED WEEKLY BY J. C. PIKE. COTTON. Middling 11 a 11 1-2, Low Middling 10 1-2 a 10 3-4, Ordinary to Good 9 a 9 1-2. COUNTRY PRODUCE. Corn 70, Peas 50, Rice rough 81 10, Fodder 75, Oats per cwt 75, Potatoes sweet 75, Butter country 25, Eggs 15, Poultry 15 @ 25.

Notice of Dismissal. THE undersigned will file his final account as Executor of the Will of Christian A. Gates, deceased, with the Probate Judge of Orangeburg County, on the 5th day of January, 1880, and ask for Letters Dismissory. WM. C. WHEATSTONE, Dec. 5, 1879—4t Executor.

THEODORE KOHN'S FASHIONABLE DRY GOODS EMPORIUM!! Grand Invitation! We are opening every day New Goods. Beautiful Cashmeres in Black and in all the New and Fashionable Shades, Hattings, Silks, Satins, Diagonals in all the leading colors.

Senator Wade Hampton was asked Wednesday whether he meant to reply further to the charges preferred by General Gary a few days ago and repeated by him in the New York Herald. The Senator replied that he did not desire to add to what he has already said in the Herald, and that as the three letters referred to in his previously reported conversation will probably be republished at early date, it will not be necessary for him to do so.

It is estimated that this little globe of ours has a population of 1,121,000,000, and that 25,693,359 worth men, women and children die annually, or about 37,790 persons each day. It is gratifying to add that about seventy new beings are opening their eyes to the sunlight every minute, which gives 105,800 per diem showing, that doctors are busier than the undertakers.

And yet there is some pleasure in the airy castles and dreamy scenes of a hopeless love—some beauty in the gossamer fabric woven by love in the loom of fancy, whose woof is the golden wire of unworldly and whose web the silver threads stolen from the sunlit realm of imagination and hope.

CURE YOURSELF. Take Hall's Hepatic Panacea for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Sick and Nervous Headache, and all diseases arising from a torpid Liver. It is purely vegetable, and satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Price 50 cts. per bottle. For sale by S. A. Reeves.

THE author of "Grandfather's Clock" is at last meeting his punishment. One of his daughters, not able to stand the tick any longer, recently stopped short before a clergyman with a runaway young man, promised never to go single any more and the old man nearly died.

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Cosmopolitan Shirts at the old low figures. CLOTHING For old and young at the most reasonable figures. CARPETS In large variety and low prices. Come and take a look at the WILSON Lightning Sewing Machine, The cheapest and one of the best Sewing Machines in the market.

At a regular meeting of Orangeburg Lodge, No. 1,462, Knights of Honor, held on last Monday evening, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing term: Bro. L. H. Wannamaker, Dictator; Bro. Jas. I. Sims, Vice-Dictator; Bro. John L. Heitman, Assistant Dictator; Bro. F. DeMars, Reporter; Bro. J. G. Wannamaker, Treasurer; Bro. C. R. Jones, Financial Reporter; Bro. W. P. Brunson, Guide; Bro. O. A. Darby, Chaplain; Bro. R. H. Wiles, Guardian; Bro. W. A. Edwards, Sentinel; Bro. A. S. Hydrick, Medical Examiner; Bros. J. C. Bell, J. C. Pike and D. E. Smoak, Trustees; Bro. Henry Kohn, Representative to the Grand Lodge, and Bro. Hugo G. Sheridan, alternate.

HILL'S HEPATIC PANACEA. The Liver is the king imperial organ of the whole human system, as it controls the life, health and happiness of man. When it is disturbed in its proper action all kinds of ailments are the natural results. The digestion of the food, the movements of the heart and blood, the action of the brain and nervous system, are all immediately connected with the workings of the liver. To keep the liver in a healthy condition take Hill's Hepatic Panacea. Only 50 cents per bottle. For sale by S. A. Reeves.

On Sunday night last while the family were asleep, burglars entered the dwelling of Dr. W. F. Barton by raising the sash which admitted them into the dining room. The pantry, closet and safe were broken open and everything eatable taken away. The robber lighted a candle and searched the rooms, it is supposed, for money and finding none, quietly retired.

THE Bible reading given by Dr. Teasdale at the Baptist church every morning at 10 o'clock are concurred by everyone who has attended them to be the most interesting ever witnessed before in this community. Preaching every night until further notice.

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Christmas Festival! No come off the 22nd, and that 5 cent Express will carry any article of Jewelry with perfect safety: so avail yourself at an early day by calling to see my select stock of Plated Spoons, Forks, etc. also another lot of Gold and Plated Jewelry just received, of the latest patterns. I have the cheapest Silver Stem Winders in town, and last but not least the largest set of Carbuncle Rings in the State. All watches on hand for repair over one year will be sold on the first Monday in January. W. F. Robinson, Watchmaker & Jeweller, Oct. 17, 1879—3m

THEODORE KOHN'S Emporium. Orangeburg, S. C., Oct. 10, 1879. THE COUNTRY has not been favored with propitious seasons it is true, but there will nevertheless be sufficient made to produce peace and comparative contentment in our land, and also allow our good patrons a margin for pocket change. In view of this fact I recently had my already capacious store renovated and enlarged, and am now receiving the LARGEST STOCK ever offered for sale in Branchville in the line of DRY GOODS

Seldom has it fallen to our lot to record the death of one more universally esteemed and loved than that of Mr. Calvin Hayden, which occurred in the Fork on the 20th instant, in the 85th year of his age. Few men live to this age and fewer still performed the duties of life more punctually and met its responsibilities more bravely than Mr. Hayden. His great moral worth had attracted about him the friendship of every one capable of appreciating sterling virtues, and his death, therefore, is universally regretted as the severance of one of the links that held in close contact the virtues of the present with the worth of the past. Mr. Hayden was perhaps one of the oldest affiliated Masons in the United States, having been made a master in his twenty-first year and in 1821 a Royal Arch Mason, which makes him a master of sixty-four years' standing, and a Royal Arch of fifty-eight years. He was a Methodist from principle and choice, and was as firm as a rock in his devotion to the church and faithful to her pledges. As a Christian and a Mason he has left no blot upon his fair name but in the purity of his character transmitted it as a glorious inheritance to his children. His remains were buried in the grave yard near Zion church on Sunday last with Masonic honors, in the presence of the entire surrounding country, Gen. Jas. F. Izlar, Master of Shiloh Lodge, officiating.

Singular, isn't it, that somebody hasn't suggested the name of that distinguished politician and publicist, J. Madison Well, of Louisiana, for Chairman of the National Republican Committee. There was a time when Mr. Wells was called upon to hole up the Republican party by the tail, and he did it like a little man. But now he is, in a measure, a neglected statesman, cast off and forgotten like an old pair of boots that have served their day and are worn out. John Sherman should see to it that Old Mad is recognized.

THE Farmer's Aid Association will hold its fourth annual meeting in the basement of the Presbyterian church on the first Saturday in January next, at 11 o'clock, A. M. Members are requested to be punctual in their attendance as business of importance will be brought before the Association, and each to bring an application of membership for a new member.

WE are glad to announce that the Rev. O. A. Darby has been returned to the Methodist Church at this place, none of the preachers in this district were changed, but remain the same as last year.

THE Insurance Agency OF John A. Hamilton represents the leading FIRE INSURANCE COMPANIES of England and the United States. London Assurance Corporation, Royal Fire Charter in 1720. Queen of Liverpool and London, capital £2,000,000. Western of Canada \$1,750,000. Home of New York \$3,000,000. Niagara of New York 1,000,000. Lynchburg, Virginia 350,000. Two and three years' rates on dwellings at attractive figures. Stocks of merchandise, stores and personal property covered at equitable rates. JOHN A. HAMILTON, Insurance Agent, Oct 10

HORSES! HOSES! I WILL RECEIVE ON OR BEFORE Saturday, Nov. 29th, 1879, ONE CAR LOAD HORSES. I will also keep constantly on hand during the season, a well selected stock of HORSES AND MULES at prices to suit the times. Those needing stock will do well to call at my Stables before purchasing elsewhere. CINCINNATI PIATONS and BUGGIES always on hand. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED. B. Frank Slater. Orangeburg, S. C., Nov. 28, 1879—3m

THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE Paid For COTTON and PRODUCE! Thinking my friends for past favors, I shall continue to strive to merit a continuance of the same. A. F. H. DUKES, BRANCHVILLE, S. C. Sept 26-2m

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.

Cincinnati made a lamentable failure of it in attempting to secure the holding of the National Republican Convention in that city, but is not discouraged. She has already filed a claim for the Democratic Convention and will no doubt have a powerful lobby present when the committee meets on the 22d of February.

OUR townsman, Mr. Greer Albertotti, on a hunt last week in the Caw country, killed a fine buck and in consequence was initiated into the mysteries of the Hunting Club by the ceremony of blood.

MARRIED on the 18th instant by the Rev. J. S. Hayden, Mr. R. Thomas to Miss. Mary A. Sturky all of Orangeburg County.

To stop an itching head use Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Remover, a sure cure.

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