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ORANGEBURG, S. C., Dec. 17, 1880.

Out and In.

The readers of the DEMOCRAT were informed two weeks ago that it was the purpose of Geo. Boliver to hold the office of clerk of the court, notwithstanding the verdict of the people, as declared in the late election, was overwhelmingly against him. Indeed he had so long been accustomed to rule here that he began to think the office, fixtures and profits were his by possession or some title which even the people could not annul. Hence to defend that right his last drop of blood and cent of money stood pledged. From this bold position assumed by Boliver and these defiant threats the people expected war to the knife, and Mr. Robinson, the clerk elect, fortified himself behind the best of surities and the Governor's Commission before making the demand for the surrender of Boliver's stronghold. Preparations being completed, the demand was made on Saturday last for the unconditional surrender of office and contents. This was refused, or a compliance, evaded by a request for time to consider as to his best action. Nothing more was heard of the matter until on Monday morning, about 11 o'clock, Mr. Robinson with his chief clerk Mr. L. H. Wannamaker, and a few friends, finding the door opened, walked into the clerk's office, told J. G. Boliver and Dr. Malone, who were writing at their desks, that he had come to enter upon the duties of the office and that he had no use for them or need of their services. This was a bombshell in the camp, suddenly exploded and effective, and these gentlemen, taking in the situation, at once retreated, leaving Mr. Robinson master of the field. The work of making an inventory of every thing in the office was immediately begun and finally completed. During the day a notice was served on Mr. Geo. Boliver personally that Mr. Robinson had assumed the management of the office and was ready to give a receipt for the property. This was answered by a long, pointless and aimless protest which served only to excite a pleasant smile upon Mr. Robinson's features, because he knew Boliver was out and he was in. Every thing necessary to conduct the business of the office successfully was found except the seal which is locked up in the safe, the key of which Boliver refuses to surrender. This, however, does not materially matter as the general routine business can be performed without it. Mr. Robinson is now ready to wait upon our citizens who may have business in his office.

Lynching.

Three young colored demons, two boys and a girl, aged respectively 15, 16 and 18, murdered Mrs. Ada Kennedy of Clarendon County on the 4th instant in a most brutal and horrible manner. A short while after Mr. Kennedy left home to secure the presence of his mother with his wife during a three days visit to Charleston, these fiends appeared, demanded money and, being refused, brutally attacked Mrs. Kennedy with hoes and finally killed her by cleaving her skull with a hoe. One of the boys having been arrested, confessed the crime and told who engaged with him in committing the deed. The other boy and girl were forthwith arrested and by a vote of one hundred and fifty white men and fifty colored men and women, the young murderers were lynched and hung to a tree until they were dead.

We are no advocates of extreme measures and certainly not of any mode of procedure which takes the life of a fellow being; but there are circumstances and occasions when the slow processes of the law do not meet the emergency and, to save society from panic, it becomes proper and necessary to deal summarily with offenders against its peace and safety. This seems to be a case, the

circumstances of which evidently justify the means employed. The same course would have been followed in any community of the North against the safety of which the same crime had been perpetrated. We desire to see our society free from even the apprehension, of such outrages, but this can never be while contemptible political leaders, such as we have, are suffered to poison the very elements of that society by exciting hatred and enmity between the races. Rid our country of these political vipers and we will hear of no more such crimes as the Clarendon and Branchville outrages.

The Legislature.

This body continues at work and notwithstanding the purpose to adjourn before Christmas are cutting out new business every day according as each member thinks best for the interest of his county and State. Among the matters perfected and passed is the bill introduced by our Senator Gen. J. F. Izlar to fix the bond of County Commissioners at \$2,000 instead of \$500 as heretofore. We suppose the Commissioners lately elected will be required to give this bond. A special bill for certain counties, among which is Orangeburg, has passed to its second reading prohibiting the buying of seed cotton, except for manufacturing, in settlement between landlord and tenant and under process of law. It is likely now that this bill will become a law unless it be killed on passing its third reading which is not usual. A bill has been introduced to amend an act to prohibit persons from living together in adultery. We hope its provisions are sufficiently defined and severe to put a stop to the evil and that the bill will pass. The bill to utilize the labor of prisoners in jail was rejected. Two petitions: one from 5000 ladies of Charleston and one from 3000 ladies of Anderson, asking for a law prohibiting the sale of liquor in the State, were unrolled in the House and measured respectively 30 and 10 yards in length. These petitions were referred to a special committee of which our representative, Dr. Summers, is a member. The bill prohibiting the carrying of concealed weapons has occasion one or two hot discussions but has not yet assumed a form to allow an opinion of its final result. The appropriation and supply bills are being perfected rapidly and their provision indicate about the same tax levy as last year.

Our Legislators.

Among the important matters introduced and likely to become enacted laws by our legislature are the following measure. A bill by Gen. Izlar creating a public guardian to all such minors as inherit property not under a will and constituting the Master as such officer; also a bill to make the office of Master general throughout the counties of the State; also a bill by Dr. Summers to limit the sale of intoxicating liquors including bitters or other drinks with alcohol as the base; also a bill to provide public scales at all points of trade where heavy products are weighed. These are all matters of general and local interest and look directly to the benefit of the State. Some of them we heartily endorse and hope they may be pushed successfully through. We are glad to see our members moving forward in such matters making a history for our county and a reputation for themselves.

Judge Kershaw.

The General Assembly has again elected Gen. J. B. Kershaw to the position of circuit Judge by an almost unanimous vote. Judge Kershaw is one of the purest men in South Carolina and the General Assembly honors itself and the State by his election to this position.

An occasional Washington correspondent of the Louisville Courier Journal writes thus: "It is not probable that Kellogg will be turned out. It is certain that he never should have been turned in. He was no more entitled to a seat in the Senate, as an original proposition, than Bob Ingersall is entitled to a seat beside the angel Gabriel."

Some one says that "memory is the most valuable attribute with which divinity has endowed man." Memory may do very well in some things, but when it comes to running a newspaper on time we vote for hope every time. We hope those owing us for their paper will see the point.

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JUST RECEIVED

60 BUGGIES

WHICH ARE OFFERED FOR SALE AS FOLLOWS:

OPEN.....\$55.00
TOP.....65.00

Call at once.

B. Frank Slater.
Dec. 10

Master's Sale.

In compliance with the orders of the Court of Common Pleas, I will sell the several tracts of land mentioned in the following cases, at Orangeburg Court House, on the first Monday in January next, viz.:

1. Charles G. Dantzer, administrator of the estate of Florence Glover against Margaret Glover and others. All the right, title and interest of the late Florence Glover in the following tracts of land:

1. One tract containing two hundred and two acres, more or less, in the County of Orangeburg and State of South Carolina, bounded on the South by tract No. 3, and marked No. 4 in a plat made by L. G. Inabinet, a surveyor, March 30, 1874, situate in Amelia township on High Hill Creek and branches of Raglehead, waters of Congaree river.

2. One tract situated in the county and state aforesaid, containing seventy-six acres, more or less, and bounded Southeast by lands of Hane, and Northwest by lands of D. McKensie.

Terms—Cash; purchasers to pay for papers and recording.

3. John C. Pike, Trustee, against Josiah D. Smoak and others. All that tract or parcel of land, containing two hundred and twenty acres, more or less, situate in the Fork of Edisto and County of Orangeburg, bounded on the North by lands now or formerly of Paul A. McMichael, East and South by lands now or formerly of the estate of Sylvester Beach, and West by lands now or formerly of Josiah Baltzger.

Terms—One third cash, and the balance payable in twelve months, secured by a bond with interest from the day of sale, payable annually, and a mortgage of the premises. If the purchaser shall fail to comply the premises will be resold at his risk, on the same terms, on the same or on some other convenient day after wards. Purchaser to pay for papers and recording.

4. John C. Pike, administrator, vs. John S. Tyler and others. A tract of land situate in the County of Orangeburg and in the Fork of Edisto, containing four hundred acres, more or less, and bounded on the North by lands now or formerly of C. T. Dowling, on the East by lands of A. A. Gue, on the South by lands of Ratchell Walker, and on the West by lands of A. E. Dowling.

Terms—One third cash, and the balance payable in twelve months, secured by a bond bearing interest from the day of sale, payable annually, with a mortgage of the premises. In case the purchaser shall fail to comply, the premises will be resold at his risk, on the next day, on the same terms. Purchaser to pay for papers and recording.

5. John C. Pike against Jane R. Stephens and Richard Hartwell. That certain plantation or tract of land situate in the county of Orangeburg in the Fork of the Edisto, containing six hundred and seventeen acres, more or less, and bounded now or formerly on the North by lands of Dr. B. H. Knotts, South by the South Edisto River, East by lands of the estate of John S. Jennings, and of Sarah and Mary Graves, and on the West by lands of Dr. B. H. Knotts and John F. Ficken.

Terms—Cash. If the purchaser shall fail to comply the premises will be resold at his risk on the succeeding day on the same terms. Purchaser to pay for papers and recording.

THOS. W. GLOVER, Master.
Dec 10

ORANGEBURG MARBLE WORKS.

C. MAYHEW & SON.

Manufacturers of and dealers in all kinds of

AMERICAN AND ITALIAN

MARBLE WORK,
TOMBSTONES,
MONUMENTS,
MARBLE AND SLATE
MANTELS, &c. &c.

ALSO,
Polished Granite Work.

At the lowest possible prices.

Correspondence solicited with those in want of anything in the above line.

FLOUR! FLOUR!! FLOUR!!!

The City Mills of Nashville, Tenn., is represented in this County by

JAMES A. HAMILTON.

Best Flour by the car load for the least money of the following brands: Express, Belle, Royal Gem, Spray and Magnolia.

ANDREW C. DIBBLE,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
Corner St. Paul and Church Sts.
ORANGEBURG, S. C.
April 3-3mos.

Notice.

OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASURER,
ORANGEBURG COUNTY,
ORANGEBURG, S. C., Dec. 1, 1880.

In accordance with section 3. of the Act of Assembly No. 255, 17th State, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of the indebtedness of the school districts of the county of Orangeburg," I hereby certify that I have collected for School District No. 1—Vances.....\$43.40
School District No. 2—Poplar.....76.27
School District No. 3—Pine Grove.....75.99
School District No. 4—Amelia.....204.15
School District No. 5—Providence.....51.77
School District No. 6—Goodbys.....64.39
School District No. 7—Lyons.....143.04
School District No. 8—Cow Castle.....63.89
School District No. 9—Middle.....109.81
School District No. 10—Orange.....606.90
School District No. 11—Caw Caw.....141.46
School District No. 12—Branchville.....162.51
School District No. 13—New Hope.....72.86
School District No. 14—Elizabeth.....115.19
School District No. 15—Edisto.....55.62
School District No. 16—Union.....68.48
School District No. 17—Zion.....76.12
School District No. 18—Willow.....89.91
School District No. 19—Liberty.....129.05
School District No. 20—Goodland.....129.05
School District No. 21—Hebron.....53.75
School District No. 22—Rocky Gr.....29.41

Total amount collected.....\$2,434.77
ROBT. COPEL, Treasurer O. C.

OFFICE OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONER,
ORANGEBURG COUNTY,
ORANGEBURG, S. C., Dec. 1, 1880.

All persons having claims past due are hereby called upon for sealed bids for payment from the said fund at a discount to be specified on such bids. The said bids to be filed with the School Commissioner of the said County within thirty days from the first advertisement.

All persons are notified that all bids made in compliance with the above act will be opened at the office of the School Commissioner in public on Saturday, January 8, 1881.

All persons interested must take notice that this advertisement is dated December 1, 1880.

D. L. CONNOR, School Com'r,
D. R. BARTON, Co. Auditor,
ROBT. COPEL, Co. Treasurer,
School Claim Board of Orangeburg Co.
Dec 3-3t

Christmas is Coming!

Now is the time to buy from

THEODORE KOHN'S DRY GOODS Emporium.

All styles of Shetland Shawls and Sacks, also Cloaks and Dolmans, a large and fine assortment of Children's and Misses Cloaks.

Also, offering Extraordinary inducements in all styles of DRESS GOODS,
SILKS, SATINS,
PERANS, ALPACAS,
CASHMERE,
BROCADES;
&c., &c., &c., &c.

I have added largely to my stock and am now offering the finest assortment and Largest Stock ever exhibited in Orangeburg.

The attention of all Parents is called to my fine selection of BOY'S AND YOUTH'S CLOTHING, comprising both Dress and School Suits. Also, Elegant OVERCOATS for the present cold weather.

Prices lower than ever. A call is solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

Men's fine CLOTHING at prices that will please everybody's views.

BUY DALSHEIMER BROS. PHILADELPHIA FINE SHOES

for whom I am the sole agent. All sizes and quantities of Children's, Misses, Boys, Ladies, and Gent's Fine Shoes and Boots. The Light Running

DOMESTIC SEWING MACHINE.

Also Needles Attachments, Parts for all the different machines for sale.

In conclusion would state that I am now offering inducements in all of my different departments. I shall be pleased to have you call and examine stock and prices, and are confident that you will be convinced that

THEODORE KOHN

Has the largest Selection, lowest prices, and neatest styles at the Great

Dry Goods Emporium.

Notice.

OFFICE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS,
ORANGEBURG COUNTY,
ORANGEBURG, S. C., Nov. 24, 1880.

In accordance with section 2 of an act of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina entitled "An act to provide for the past due indebtedness for Orangeburg County," ratified December 23, 1879, all persons having past due claims against the county of Orangeburg are hereby notified to file with the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners for said County on or before the 27th day of December, 1880, their bids upon the same. Such bids to be sealed and endorsed, "Bids on the past due claims, &c.," and shall specify the discount agreed to be taken by the person so bidding.

That the Board of County Commissioners will meet at their office on the 28th day of December, 1880, for the purpose of opening and acting upon the bids filed.

That there is in the treasury to be applied to the past due indebtedness the sum of two thousand four hundred and fifty-six 77-100 dollars as per treasurer's report, Nov. 15, 1880.

By order of the Board,
L. H. WANNAMAKER,
Nov 26-5 C. B. C. C., O. C., S. C.

Christmas is Coming!

The Latest Novelties in Dress Goods, A full line of Colored Cashmeres, Black Cashmeres, Silks, Satins, Brocades, Nomie Cloths, Tamis and Crepe Clothes.

THE LATEST OUT.

Grand Display of New Goods at

Henry Kohn's.

Bought after the decline in prices.

New Dress Goods 20 per cent. lower than opening of season.
Novelties in Trimming 25 per cent. lower.
New Zephyr Goods, cheaper than ever.
New Opera Cloaks in Zephyr from 75 cents to \$3.00.
New Cloaks and Dolmans.
New Hats for Children—Nobby styles.
New Hosiery for children, for misses, for ladies, for gentlemen.
New Buttons, New Buttons—all kinds.
New Traer Kid Gloves, 2 and 3 button, every pair warranted.
Our Globe Corsets—a mammoth stock—all prices.
New Cassimere and Jeans.

TALK IS TALK

But Henry Kohn has the Clothing

Store of Orangeburg.

Overcoats, Overcoats,
Overcoats, Overcoats,
Overcoats, Overcoats.

Business Suits,
Business Suits,
Business Suits.

Dress Suits, Dress Suits,
Dress Suits, Dress Suits,
Dress Suits, Dress Suits.

Now is your time, as we are selling our Big Stock fast.

Everything in the line of

Boys' and Gent's Wear.

We handle the Celebrated Baltimore

HAND MADE SHOES.

Fine Shoes to be sold at a bargain.

MONEY SAVED IS MONEY MADE.

Cotton and all Wool Flannels,
Rugs, Blankets,
Kentucky Jeans,
Cassimere,
Tickings,
Prints, &c., &c.

We respectfully invite you to call and see our

Elegant Christmas Goods,
Fancy Boxes, Toys, Dolls, &c., and last, but not least, if you want to make the ladies happy get a

WHITE

Sewing Machines.

HENRY KOHN'S

BAZAAR OF FASHION.

CHRISTMAS!

Christmas!! Christmas!!!

FRENCH CONFECTIONERY,
MANTELPIECE ORNAMENTS,
CHINA TOILET GOODS,
PRIZE BOXES,
FANCY GOODS,
FIRE WORKS,
&c., &c., &c.

Everything in the Christmas line. Unheard of bargains. Come and examine my stock so that you may know where it is best to invest your money. I have also a fine stock of

SWEET MEATS AND FANCY GROCERIES

At prices which defy competition. Polite and attentive gentlemen to show and sell you goods.

Could any one stay away, In county, state or town, I don't think they would. So call around—yes, call around. Suppose you should stay away, The truth is simply this, The bargains that others get You'll be sure to miss.

A. B. WALKER,
Dec 10 CHAMPION GROCER.

ATTENTION HERE!

Call at the long established

PEOPLES' BAKERY,
and get

Bread, Rolls, Cakes, Pies, &c.,
Also,
Raisins, Currants,
Citrons, Nuts,
And Canned Goods
Of all kinds, &c. &c.

A fresh lot of Confectionery now on hand, and a full assortment of Christmas Goods, viz.:

Cups and Saucers, Vases,
Toilet Sets, Dolls, Teasets,
Mugs, Children's Chairs,
Tin Toys, all descriptions,
Rocking Horses,
Wagons, &c., &c.

Call at once and get what you want for Christmas.

Parties wishing articles for Christmas Trees will do well to come now while they can make a good selection.

Don't fail to call at

T. W. ALBERGOTTI'S

And be convinced that Santa Claus will soon be here. Dec 10

OFFICE OF

J. C. PIKE.

MY FALL STOCK

OF

New Goods

Is now opened and offered to the people of Orangeburg at such reduced price as will convince them that I regard their interest.

THE CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

Occupies the entire second floor, and consists of Men's and Youths' Suits in new styles and cuts.

The interior of my Store has been greatly improved and the capacity enlarged by the addition of shelving rendered necessary to place the extra large purchase in every line of goods.

THE LADIES' DRESS GOODS

was purchased with great care, and the selection of colors and material made especially for this market. This line of goods will be shown to the ladies by gentlemen of taste as to selection of trimmings and experience in dry goods business.

THE HATS AND CAPS

are displayed in a large new Glass Hat Case at prices to suit everybody.

THE FURNITURE STORE

Is stocked with full lines of Chairs, Bedsteads, Crib, Cradles, Sofas, Lounges, Parlor, Bedroom and Dining Room Sets. This is a separate store.

I am prepared to pay the highest CASH PRICE FOR COTTON and all COUNTRY PRODUCE.

I have an

ACCOMMODATION HOUSE

in my store yard, which is at the service of persons with teams remaining in town over night.

I wish my customers to know that all of my goods was purchased by myself with care in order to get the best quality. I think I have succeeded and invite all to come and examine my Stock of Goods. Especially my assortment of SHOES.

J. C. PIKE.

Hotel For Sale.

The eligibly located Hotel, containing 23 rooms, known as the "Meroney House," is offered for sale on reasonable terms.

ALSO,
The new Cottage, containing five rooms all necessary conveniences, on Brighton street, between the Meroney House and Mr. D. Louis' residence is offered for sale on accommodating terms. Apply to
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