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POST OFFICE DIRECTORY.

The P. O. will be opened for business from 9 A. M. to 6.00 P. M. The Money Order Department will be opened for business from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

On account of the severe, stormy weather, Gallagher Bros will keep their gallery open until Monday, January 7th.

This issue was delayed by reason of the fact that the paper was three days late in getting to our office.

Mrs. M. M. T. Smith has gone to Goodman, Miss., to visit relatives and friends. She will be gone about a month.

The county government was passed to the hands of Mr. J. V. James, County Supervisor, this week. We wish him the very most success, and believe the law will have a fair trial under his administration.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Union County Alliance will be held in the Court House at Union, on the 11th day of January, 1895.

The different Sunday Schools of our town had their entertainments last week and the little folks were given a good time generally.

MARRIED—Mr. J. T. Rose, formerly chief of police here, but now conducting a general grocery business, to Miss Annie Briggs, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Briggs, at the home of the bride's parents, on Wednesday the 29th day of Dec., 1894, Rev. B. Allison officiating.

ONE of the nicest things of the season was the Knights of Pythias banquet. It was held at the Union Hotel on last Friday night. The weather was quite inclement, but with the aid of carriages, we got out and home again without difficulty.

THE supper being ended, led by Mr. E. Nicholson, we all pledged in pure, cold water, good faith and earnest support of the cause of Pythianism.

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In this issue we give the material facts about the inquest concerning the death of Mr. Camillus Gregory. A great deal has said of this case, and we thought it would be well to give the whole of the testimony.

Before, and indeed during, the inquest there was something that we could not understand and that was how it happened that Gregory was shot in the back every time.

It seems that there has been a good deal of feeling exercised over the matter, and it has given rise to expressions, hasty and unwise, and no doubt regrettable now.

Mr. Gregory was put in jail Monday evening for being drunk. Now the Mayor has a custom, not absolute, that when a man is put in jail drunk in the evening, he is not let out until next morning.

That was all the Mayor had to do with it. The Mayor did receive a note about an hour after Gregory was out, in which the author stated that he thought the policemen must be drunk.

On the day after Mr. Camillus Gregory was killed here, the particulars concerning whose death was given in our last issue, deputy coroner, Chas. Bolt, summoned a jury of twelve men and commenced an inquest.

Some of the marshals appeared in answer to the summons, and were proceeding to testify when they were stopped by their counsel, on the ground that they could not be compelled to testify in the case, inasmuch as they had been accused of killing Gregory.

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The Police men were accordingly arrested and lodged in jail, but were admitted to all after staying one night in jail, in the sum of \$2,500 each.

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Remaining in the Postoffice at Union, for the week ending Jan. 4th, 1895. A. W. McMahan, Miss Hattie Deak, Mr. Alexander Work, Mr. Q. Thomson, Mr. Strick Tucker, Mr. F. H. Sheehan, Mrs. Martin Rice, Mrs. Abbie Louis, Mr. Joe Hardy, Miss Mary Harris, Will Beckner.

Stockholders Meeting. THE regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Merchants and Farmers National Bank will be held in the Directors room of the Bank on Tuesday, January 8th, at 12 o'clock, M.

The State of South Carolina. COUNTY OF UNION. By JAMES M. GEE, Probate Judge. WHEREAS, L. J. Browning has made application to me to grant him Letters of Administration with Will Annexed on the Estate and effects of Francis W. Sheldon, deceased;

MEETING OF TOWNSHIP Boards of Commissioners. OFFICE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS UNION COUNTY, S. C. JAN. 2, 1895. UNDER the new County Government law which went into effect on January 1st, 1895, it became my duty as County Supervisor, for Union County, S. C., to call a meeting of the Township Boards of Commissioners of the respective townships of said County, and as a subordinate organization of the County and Township Boards is absolutely essential for the protection and safety of the county affairs, I hereby notify all members of each Township Board to meet at my office at Union Courthouse, S. C., on Monday, January 7th, 1895, at 11 o'clock, M., in order that we may get organized at the earliest possible day.

Notice of Final Discharge. NOTICE is hereby given that on the 22nd day of January, 1895, I will apply to the Probate Court, for Union County, S. C., for final discharge as Guardian of Harper Porter.

Notice to Tax Assessors. THE books will be open for the Assess ment of taxes from 1st of January to the 20th of February, 1895. For the convenience of the tax assessors, I will attend the following places on the dates designated below.

Office at Union, Jan 1st to 6th. Gibbs, Jan. 7. West Springs, Jan. 8. Cross Keys, Jan. 9. Minter's Store, Jan. 10. Goshen Hill, Jan. 11. Fish Dam, Jan. 12. Santee, Jan. 14. Mr. Taber, Moorhead's Store, Jan. 15. Office, Jan. 16. Gowleysville, Jan. 17, 18, 19. Wilkingsville, Jan. 21. Draytonville, Jan. 22. Timber Ridge, Jan. 23. T. D. Littlejohn's Store, Jan. 25. Jonesville, Jan. 27. Office at Union, from Jan. 28 to 29th Feb. 1895. JOHN G. FARLEY, County Assessor.

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