

Our Readers must forgive the dearth of reading matter in this issue. In lieu of it, we ask attention to the numerous land sales advertised. If subscribers continue to remember us, as in the past week, our paper will soon be enlarged.

SALE-DAY.—On Monday last there were more people in town than has been since the "Barbecue." "Why, Sir, the place was jammed." Of course a crowd, in Orangeburg, at this time of year, meant jollification. The brisk cool weather, the feeling of satisfaction at the results of the farmer's year of hard work, the conversion of the cotton into the greenbacks, and their conversion into all the wants and comforts of home, the approach of the Christmas season, all this stirs glad feelings of content in the breasts of the throng. These feelings beam in the eye, are reflected from face to face, and express themselves in the strong, hale tones of cheer and hope. These occasions are the farmers' jubilees, and never has one been more enjoyed than was Monday last.

The sales of real estate were large, and prices good. The lot and store of Keitt, Brothers, sold for \$1850 in gold. Horses and mules sold well.

THE CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION.—A meeting of persons interested in this enterprise was held on Friday evening of last week. Dr. Ohyers was called to the chair, and Mr. Chas. H. Hall, chosen Secretary of the meeting. The Chairman stated the object of the meeting, and, advocated strongly the organization. Addresses in favor of the enterprise were made by several citizens present. A Committee was appointed to draft a Constitution and By-Laws for the Association to report at the next meeting to be held on Wednesday evening next at "Engine Hall."

It is hoped that Col. Wm. Hutson of the Committee, will deliver an address upon the Benefits and Practical Working of these associations.

The Friends of Samuel Dibble Esq. will be pained to hear of his accident in Columbia on the 6th inst. He was riding in a buggy, when the horse took fright and ran away, throwing Mr. Dibble out, breaking his left arm, and bruising his face.

MAMMOTH TURNIPS.—Mr. S. D. Rickenbacker, near Four Hole Church, astonished and delighted his friends in Orangeburg last Saturday by bringing in a lot of the hugest, red top turnips that we have ever beheld. One of those which fell to "our" share weighed six pounds. It is a matter of worthy pride with the farmers, to excel in all branches of producing and raising and it is with pleasure that we chronicle such successes.

Attention is called to the notice of Agricultural Society.

"Christmas is the season of merry making to the young, and of gratulation to the old, as around the blazing hearth the loved ones meet, and share the children's glee and not yet expended in praise of St. Nicholas. 'Tis the season when the strong and brave invoke the "Wassail bowl" to recall "Lang Syne" its glorious past, or absent friends. The depths of sorrow or gratitude, tears or joy are stirred as memory to each breast brings its peculiar recollections, and the carnival of rejoicing is mockery to the stricken and the poor. They too were once happy! Friends remember the "Widow's Home" of Charleston. Who will take a step to lift a shade of the gloom that rests over that sorrow stricken asylum. Share the abundance of your store with them, and let comfort gladden their loneliness on "Christmas Day."

Office-County Commissioners

ORANGEBURG, Nov. 30, 1899.

Hereafter all CLAIMS against the County must be made out strictly in accordance with the Form prescribed by law, as no Bills, &c., will be received or put upon file unless the same is duly sworn to before the Clerk of the Board or some officer authorized to administer oaths.

Blanks will be furnished at this Office. By order of the Board County Commissioners.

CHAS. S. FULLER, Clerk County Commissioners.

INSURE YOUR LIFE.

THE EQUITABLE LIFE CONDUCTS ITS BUSINESS ON THE PURELY MUTUAL ALL CASH PLAN.

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AS in anything else. Its NEW BUSINESS in the year 1900 expected that of any "CHECK" "NOTE" or "MINUTE" COMPANY by upwards of Twelve Millions.

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N. AUSTIN BULL, Local Agent. June 26—apl 3—tt

PORT ROYAL.—The Secretary of the Navy, in his report to be laid before Congress next week, recommends the establishment of a Navy Yard at Port Royal.

A better selection could not have been made on the South Atlantic Coast, as the depth of the water on the bar, her magnificent bay and her rapidly extending railroad connections make Port Royal a most desirable and convenient port for ship building and repairs.

The people of Ireland are beginning to go to Africa to live, believing that they can do better there than at home, should even the land bill pass. We believe that the French Government takes them out to Africa free of cost. To what portion of the world will the Irish emigrant be a stranger soon? Not one. It is a great pity—not to say shame—that these poor people cannot be enabled to live in comfort upon the soil of their nativity.

The Princess of Wales, the ex Queen of Naples, Princess Margaret of Italy, and the Duchesse de Parma are all expecting to become mothers this month. The Empress of France had her "mal de mer" on the way to Suez.

A little boy had his first pocket-knife and for several days used it himself, and extended the privilege of the occasional use of his treasure to his little playmates. One evening he was kneeling at his mother's knee, saying his customary prayer, which he closed in these words: "And please, God, give little Johnny Bailey a knife of his own, so he won't want to borrow mine all the time."

HOME INFLUENCES.—Home! it is the paradise of infancy, the tower of defense to youth, the retreat for manhood, the city of refuge for old age. Recollections, associations cluster around it—O how thickly! Enjoyments are tasted there whose relish never dies from the memory. Affections spring and grow there, through all the turns and overtures of life, and which last on, stronger than death. The thought of its early innocence has kindled anew the flame of virtue—almost smothered beneath a heavy mass of follies and crimes.

COMMERCIAL.

MARKET REPORTS.

OFFICE OF THE ORANGEBURG NEWS, December 10, 1899.

COTTON—Sales during the week 100 bales. We quote: Ordinary.....\$17.25 Low Middling.....\$17.00 Middling.....\$16.75 Rough Bales.....\$1.35 per bushel. Com.....\$1.20 per bushel. Cow Peas.....\$1.15 per bushel. Peas.....\$1.00 per bushel. GOLD.....25 SILVER.....20

CHARLESTON MARKET.

CHARLESTON, FRIDAY MORNING, December 9, 1899.

Ordinary.....\$23 Good Ordinary.....\$21 Low Middling.....\$21 Middling.....\$21

HYMENEAL.

MARRIED.—On the 21 December, 1899, by the Rev. T. E. Wannamaker, Mr. WM. T. RIVES to Mrs. M. A. BUTLER. All of St. Matthews, S. C.

MARRIED.—On the 5th December, 1899, by the Rev. J. M. Herlong, Mr. J. R. M. BOZZARD, of Orangeburg County, to Miss C. M. HERLONG, of Edgfield County, S. C.

MARRIED.—On the 24 December, 1899, at the residence of Dr. O. N. Bowman, by the Rev. L. J. Gunn, Mr. F. O. PAREY to Miss MAGGIE A. EDWARDS, all of Orangeburg County.

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Our Stock consists in part as follows:

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BLANKETS, SHAWLS, CLOAKS, BALMORAL SKIRTS, DRESS GOODS, WHITE AND BLACK Alpaca, Black Silks, White, Red, Grey, Blue and Opera Flannels, Broad Cloths, Cassimers, Satinets, Kentucky Jeans, Damings, Tickings, Stripes, Plaids, Lindseys, DeLains, Calicos, Long Cloths, Bleached and Brown Sheeting and Shirting, Irish Linens, Bleached and Brown Linen, Damask, Russia Bird Eye Napier Towels, Breakfast Shawls, Nubias, Hoisery, Gloves, Dress Trimmings, Buttons, Linen Cambric Hdk's, Edgings, Insertions and a Large Variety of Fancy Articles, Toilet Soap, &c., &c.

BOOT, SHOE, HAT AND CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

LADIES, GENTS AND CHILDRENS SHOES, GENTS DRESS AND HUNTING BOOTS, FRENCH FELT Hats of the Latest Styles, Black Cassimer Sacks, Fancy Cassimer Suits and Gents Shawls.

HARDWARE DEPARTMENT.

GUNS, TABLE AND POCKET KNIVES, RED JACKET AND COLLINS AXES, HATCHETS AND Claw Hammers, Butt Hinges and Screws, Shoe, Finishing and Cut Nails, Trace Chains, Hand Saws, Drawing Knives, Cotton and Wool Cards, Steel Corn Mills, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Caps, Powder and Shot, Table and Tea Spoons, Seives, Pots, Ovens, Kettles, Saucepans, Bakers, Frying Pans and Spiders.

GROCERIES, WINES, LIQUORS, &c.

SUGARS—Crushed, Clarified and Brown, SYRUP and MOLASSES, COFFEE—Rio and Java, Green and Black Teas, Flour, Lard, Bacon, Sugar Cured Hams and Shoulders, Cheese, Mackerel, Herrings, Biscuits, Eggs, Boston, Butter, Water and Ginger Snaps, Can Oysters, Lobsters, Green Peas and Tomatoes, Peaches, Pine Apple, Straw Berry, English Chow Chow, American Pickles, Brandy Peaches and Preserved Ginger, Jellies, Dried Figs, Candies and Fruit.

WHISKEY—Neat, Bourbon, Rye, Sherry Wine, Ales, and White Wine Vinegar. A Large and Select Stock of

CROCKERY, GLASS, TIN AND WOODWARE.

Will buy COTTON and all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Mr. J. M. BANNER is with us, and will be pleased to see his friends.

CARTMILL & VINCE,

RUSSELL-STREET, ORANGEBURG, S. C.

NOTICE TO LIEN CREDITORS

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the District Court of the United States, for the District of South Carolina.

In the matter of HENRY J. SMOAK, Bankrupt, Ex parte P. V. DIBBLE, Assignee.

Persons holding liens against the Estate of Henry J. Smoak, bankrupt, are required to establish the same before J. C. Carpenter, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, No. 72 Broad-street, Charleston, S. C., on or before the 20th December next.

By order of the Hon. George S. Bryan, Judge of the District Court for the United States for South Carolina.

P. V. DIBBLE, Assignee H. J. Smoak, Bankrupt.

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Persons holding liens against the Estate of Caleb G. Stephens, bankrupt, are required to establish the same before J. C. Carpenter, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, No. 72 Broad-street, Charleston, S. C., on or before the 1st January, 1900.

By order of the Hon. George S. Bryan, Judge of the District Court for South Carolina.

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IN THE COURT OF PROBATE.

Whereas, Martha M. Straman, of the County of Marion, South Carolina, and Margaret M. Buford, both applied to me for Letters of Administration on the Estate of Mary McClure, late of Orangeburg County, dead.

These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased, to be and appear before me at a Court of Probate for the said County, to be holden at Orangeburg on the 15th day of December, 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause if any, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Court, this 20th day of November, A. D. 1899, and in the ninety-fourth year of American Independence.

THAD. C. ANDREWS, Judge of Probate.

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WORK entrusted to him will RECEIVE his PERSONAL ATTENTION. All Work Warranted.

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Are prepared to make LIBERAL ADVANCES on Consignments to them of COTTON, RICE, TIMBER, LUMBER, &c.

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OFFICE OF THE

Richman Fertilizer Company,

Augusta, Ga., Nov. 12th, 1899.

Having on hand a Fair Stock of No. 1 P. P. F. L. V. A. N. G. U. A. N. O., and a hope of being able to keep up the supply, we reduce the price of

DICKSON'S COMPOUND

to Sixty-Five (\$65) Dollars per Ton of 2,000 lbs. for Cash.

And on time till November 1, 1899, at \$75 and interest, for approved City Acceptance. Druggists, in all cases, shall pay Cash. Bids, etc., etc., may also be made by the following firms of Orangeburg, at 10 o'clock, on the 1st day of December, 1899, in exchange for Cash, or by the receipt of 100 pounds of the compound for 100 lbs. of seed, or 250 pounds of seed for 250 lbs. of seed also furnished free of charge.

Address: E. P. ALEXANDER,

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The State of South Carolina,

Orangeburg, IN Equity,

T. Glenn Shuler, Plaintiff,

vs.

L. D. Myers, E. P. Alexander, et al., Defendants.

By an order made in this cause, the creditors of J. D. W. Collier are required to prove their claims before me by the 30th day of January, 1899.

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NOTICE.—All Persons In-

debted to W. L. RILEY as a Merchant in Orangeburg Village, will please come forward and SETTLE UP, as longer indulgence can not be given.

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JOHN DAVIS, Agt.

This 10th October, 1899.—29—4f.

Orangeburg Bakery,

V. PITTHAN,

PROPRIETOR.

HAVING procured the services of a FIRST CLASS BAKER,

MR. THOS. W. ALBERGOTTI,

I am now prepared to do all kinds of BAKING at a moment's notice, and to furnish customers and the Trade generally, with a good article of a Crisp and moist bread, at wholesale and retail to Merchants and Families.

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The following list of Bread, Cakes and Crackers kept constantly on hand, and fresh:

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Round Cake Large and Small.

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Scotch Cake, Lafayette Cake.

French Tea Cake, Lemon Cake.

Lady's Fingers, Large Ginger Nuts.

Butters and Thick Cakes.

CRACKERS:

Traction Crackers, Butter Crackers.

Sugar Crackers, Large Biscuits.

BREAD:

Wheat Bread, Graham Bread,

French, Twist, Split and Cap Loaves.

The highest cash prices paid for BUTTER and EGGS.

The Subscriber respectfully returns his thanks to the citizens of Orangeburg for their patronage in the past, and respectfully solicits a continuance of the same.

apl 21—14 V. PITTHAN.

In the Circuit Court.

IN EQUITY.

ORANGEBURG COUNTY,

R. W. Pates, Administrator, vs. Bill (on Restraints annexed) for Injunction and Relief.

P. A. McMichael, et al., Relief.

Pursuant to an Order of the Court in this case, the Creditors of Bennett M. Shuler, deceased, are hereby notified to present and prove their demands prior to the 1st day of January next.

GEO. BOLIVIER, Nov. 6th, 1899. C. C. C. P.

ORANGEBURG.—IN EQUITY.

Attorney A. Connor, Administrator, et al., vs. Bill for Sale of Real Estate to pay Debts, for Injunction and Relief.

Margaret McMichael, et al., Relief.

By virtue of an order in the above named case, the creditors of the late Deat A. McMichael, deceased, are hereby notified that they are required to present and prove their respective demands, before the undersigned, the special Referee, at Orangeburg, South Carolina, on or before the first day of January next, or they will be debared payment.

Clerk of the Court, GEO. BOLIVIER, Orangeburg, S. C. C. C. P. October 27, 1899. oct 29

NOTICE.—Is Merely Given to

the Public, that I have this day discontinued BUSINESS as a MERCHANT in the Town of Orangeburg.

All persons indebted to me as a Merchant will make payment to JOHN DAVIS, and all persons holding claims against me as aforesaid will present them to him for settlement, he having assumed the payment thereof.

W. L. RILEY. This 10th October, 1899.—29—4f.

FRESH ARRIVALS

AT M'NAMARA & JONES.

HAVE RECEIVED THIS WEEK FROM NEW YORK, A SECOND SUPPLY OF NEW Goods, consisting of Ladies Dress Goods, DeLains, Calicos, Flannels, Balmoral Skirts, Cloaks, Shawls, Brown and Bleached Homespuns, &c. Also another supply of the CELEBRATED FREDERICKSBURG, VA. CASSIMERE,

Broad Cloths, Tweeds, Jennis, Kerseys, Blankets, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Ready Made Clothing, &c. Also a complete stock of

GROCERIES, HARDWARE AND CROCKERY.

The above goods were bought low on account of the great fall in gold; and we suit our friends to call on us before buying elsewhere.

COUNTRY PRODUCE bought at the highest Market prices.

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