

SATURDAY, JUNE 14, 1873.

The French Theatre in New York sold for \$100,000. Exchange. The proposed German theatre to be built in New York city will cost \$500,000. —E.

Consequently, German must be just five times as difficult as French. It is said that there is not a citizen of Maine worth a million of dollars. —E.

A strict regard for veracity compels us, regretfully, to say the cause of Orangeburg. Sandwich Islanders have sent over two thousand dollars to the destitute in France. —E.

Having no old clothes they were obliged to send the cash. Married women in Pennsylvania have the exclusive right to their individual earnings. —E.

The law would be more humane to give the unmarried women a right to their individual earnings. Queen Victoria's butter commands the highest price in the London market. —E.

We were disposed to doubt this until we remembered that her Majesty's babies are all weaned. Aurora, Ill., is to have a Fourth of July speech from Ben Butler. —E.

Hope it won't prove an "Aurora Bore" &c., or a—roaring Bore, or anything similar. We should think any State would be "ill" after hearing Ben.

The Rev. Dr. Beard, of Manchester, is engaged on "An Autobiography of Satan," which will be published in the Autumn. —E.

As the devil's history began, so should it properly end, in the Fall. The Board of Trial of the Massachusetts Medical Society has found the two physicians charged with practicing homoeopathy, guilty of unbecoming conduct, and recommends their expulsion from the Society. —E.

Whether upon the interesting question arises: If physicians who give medicine in small quantities are guilty of "unbecoming conduct," how much medicine must a doctor give to be *non reproche* in his profession? And what depths of ignominy are reserved for those physicians who are fortunate (or unfortunate) enough to cure with no medicine at all?

HON. A. J. RANSIER—Has our thanks for a copy of the Ninth Census and other valuable light summer reading.

HON. JOHN J. PATTERSON—Will please accept our thanks for a copy of Senator Logan's speech on the Election of Senator Caldwell.

CHURCH ITEM—Service in the Episcopal Church tomorrow and regularly thereafter on the 2d and 5th Sunday of each month. No service on a 5th Sunday when the month is too short to hold one.

JUDGE COOKE—The Hon. Thompson H. Cooke, Judge of the Eighth Circuit, was in Town yesterday. The Judge has been doing some brave work in the up-country lately, for which he has deserved and received the almost universal commendation of the press.

DECEASED—Mrs Samuel Clark the wife of an old citizen of this place, and a sister of Mr. D. Louis and Mrs. J. P. Harley, died early last Wednesday morning after a long and painful illness. Her numerous relatives and friends have our sincere condolence in their bereavement.

MITEN—Mr. Wesley Snell was severely bitten last Wednesday, by a snake whose species was not ascertained. Mr. Snell was almost completely paralyzed by the effects of the virus. Dr. Dukes was called in who succeeded in relieving the sufferer.

THE NEW STREET—We have conversed with a number of the leading tax payers and find that the proposition for opening a new street to connect the Five Chop Road with Market Street meets with general approbation. Let the Council attend to the matter at once. The sooner a good thing is done the better.

INSURANCE—The practice of sending home capital to further enrich already wealthy and plithoric Northern corporations is about played out. Every cent we have we need right here, and more too. Millions of dollars are sent North every year for the single item of life insurance—all of which could be invested here to the great advantage of every interest of our section—both commercial and agricultural.

Entertaining these views we were very glad to see in Town last week, Col. A. R. Waring and Jas. R. Randall, Esq., who visited us in the interest of the Southern Life Insurance Association, one of the staunchest and most reliable Insurance Companies in the South.

These gentlemen wrote policies for some of our leading citizens, by whom a meeting was called and local Trustees elected to look after the interests of the Company in this County.

We desire to call particular attention to their advertisement which appears in another column.

ICE—In large or small quantities, at J. H. Wahler's Enterprise Saloon, at only three cents a pound. Think of a fat man of some 250 lbs avoidingois cooling himself for 3 cents! Why, its at the rate of nearly a hundred pounds for a cent! Those who can't take off their flesh and sit in their boxes of a hot day, as Sidney Smith advised, will do well to call straightway at the Enterprise.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE—

The following will give some idea of the amount of labor annually performed in the County Auditor's Office:

1st. There are about seven thousand tax-payers in this County, whose respective names have to be transcribed three separate times before the payment of taxes commences.

2d. The real and personal property is entered in stems, and the value of each item is entered in designated columns opposite each taxpayer's name, the last column showing the total amount of the different items of real property and their values.

3d. The "Auditor's duplicate" contains sixty columns to each taxpayer's name which are filled by the various kinds of property and the different tax levies, such as State, County, School tax, &c.

4th. In making up the books preparatory to collecting taxes, forty five columns is an average number required for the name of each taxpayer, and when it is considered that these entries have to be three times made it will be readily seen that the labor must be immense. Nor is this half. Now comes the work of adding up and correctly footing each column, making out four separate kinds of tax against each taxpayer, and balancing the amount of assessments, with reference to the various tax levies.

5th. The County Auditor is *ex officio* Secretary of the Board of Equalization and has to perform the clerical work of that Board, which is adding to, or taking from, each item of property as the Board may direct, and is equal, in amount of labor, to making the original assessment. In addition to these services he has to make the assessment of the real and personal property in the County for which he receives \$1000. This work formerly required 24 assessors at an expense of between \$30 00 and \$4000.

Beside performing all these arduous duties he serves without compensation as a member of the Board of Jury Commissioners, and does a hundred and one other things incident to the office.

James Van Tassel, Esq., our present County Auditor, has occupied that important office since the fall of 1868, except for a short interval of five months, and we know of no person in the County better fitted for the position.

The new postal law, which goes into operation on the first day of next month, prevents the free transmission of newspaper exchanges, and compels the payment of postage upon newspapers, even when published in the county within which the subscriber resides. Letters addressed to initials, or to a boy, are not obliged to be delivered by the postmaster. These points are worthy the attention of our readers.

ARE ADVERTISEMENTS READ?—In the course of a spicy article, answering the question, the Mobile Register says: "If any man affects to believe that advertisements are not read, let him advertise that he wants to buy a dog, for instance. If he is not furnished with every variety of animated sausage that morning before breakfast, and, besides, with one or two sound grounds for suits against him for assault we will break our golden rule and deadhead his advertisement. And it is fair to infer that any man who wants to sell a dog also wishes to buy something with the proceeds of his canine venture. And so up to the man who wishes to sell his cargo, that he may buy a cargo of Western produce."

DECISION ABOUT DEBTS.—The Supreme Court of Tennessee has rendered a decision which announces a new rule in regard to acknowledgments of debt. Heretofore it has been accepted as law that, where a payment had been made upon a note, such payment took the instrument out of the statute of limitations. According to the late decision, no note can now be collected after six years, on the ground that partial payment has been made. The payment is to be considered as an acknowledgment *pro tanto*, and not for the entire debt.

Sam Edwards met with a serious loss in a novel and astonishing way last week. While plowing in the Lebanon section the ground suddenly gave way and the horse and plow disappeared from view. Mr. Edwards being a man of nerve, took a sensible view of the case, came to Abbeville and sent a dispatch to the Emperor of China to offer a reward and have the team taken care of until he calls for it. He will start for China when he hears from the Emperor.—Abbeville Medium.

At the session of the Grand Lodge A. F. M., of New York, held Wednesday, Grand Master Fox stated that non-intercourse with the Grand Orient of France and the Grand Lodge of Hamburg still continued, but amicable relations exist with all other grand lodges in the world. An edict of the Grand Lodge of Canada, cutting communication with the Grand Lodge of Vermont, and an edict of the Grand Lodge of Vermont, cutting from communication the Grand Lodge of Canada, were received.

Patrons of Husbandry have increased in Kansas within the last year from 600 to 6,000.

COMMERCIAL.

MARKET REPORTS.

OFFICE OF THE ORANGEBURG NEWS, June, 13th 1873. COTTON—Sales during the week 12 bales. We quote: Ordinary.....10 1/2 Low Middling.....11 1/2 Middling.....12 1/2

NOTICE.

OFFICE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, ORANGEBURG COUNTY, S. C. May 4th, 1873. Bids will be received for Rebuilding the bridge over "Ball Swamp" below Knotts Mill, until the 9th day of June next.

By order of Board, GEO. BOLIVER, Clerk Board County Commissioners, May 17th 3t

ESTATE NOTICE—All persons having demands against the Estate of the late LAURENCE D. CLARK, deceased, will present the same, properly attested, to me, at St. Matthews P. O., S. C., and all persons indebted to said Estate are required to make immediate payment to me, at the same place. ROSA V. CLARK, Qualified Administratrix, May 24th 3t

NOTICE—The Copartner-SHIP heretofore known by the firm name of LIGHTFOOT & CANNON, at Lightfoot's Old Stand, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to said firm will please make immediate payment to J. W. Cannon at the above stand. W. T. LIGHTFOOT, J. W. CANNON. 24-3t May 18th, 1873.

Thanking my friends for past favors, I hope to merit their patronage by strict attention to business and keeping constantly on hand a FRESH and COMPLETE STOCK of GROCERIES, LIQUORS, SEGARS, TOBACCO, &c. Call and examine my Stock. J. W. CANNON, May 24 3t

MRS. C. S. MAULE,

RUSSELL STREET, Takes pleasure in announcing to her Customers and the Public in general that she has opened her SPRING STOCK consisting of the LATEST STYLES of MILLINERY GOODS. Thankful for past favors, she respectfully solicits a continuance of the same. A SPECIALTY—Dress Making, Cutting and Fitting Carried on as usual by Mrs. I. S. CUMMINGS. Country Orders respectfully solicited and will meet with prompt attention. May 17th 1m

Southern Life Insurance Company.

PRINCIPAL OFFICES—MEMPHIS TENN., and ATLANTA, GA. Memphis Office.—T. A. Nelson, President. A Woodruff, Vice-President, Benjamin May, Secretary. Atlanta Office.—John B. Gordon, President, A. H. Colquitt, Vice-President. J. A. Morris Secretary. BLACK & WARRING, General Agents, Columbia, South Carolina. J. A. HAMILTON, Resident Agent, Orangeburg, South Carolina.

ASSETS January 1st, 1873 \$1,534,483.97 ANNUAL INCOME \$1,000,000.

ORANGEBURG BRANCH OF SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT.

TRUSTEES: Robert Copes, Dr. W. W. Wannamaker, W. J. DeTreville, Thomas Zimmerman, John L. Mooror, Henry Mooror, James F. Izlar, E. Russel Zimmerman, George Boliver, James Van Tassel, Samuel Dibble.

Executive Committee. Dr. W. F. BARTON, Chairman, JOHN A. HAMILTON, Secretary, PAUL S. FELDER, JAMES F. IZLAR, GEORGE BOLIVER.

This Company issues policies on all approved plans and pays losses promptly. For further information, apply to JOHN A. HAMILTON, Resident Agent, Orangeburg, So. C. 17 3m

June 12, 1873

In Medicines, Quality is of the First Importance. E. J. OLIVEROS, M. D., DEALER IN DRUGS, MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISH, NON-EXPLOSIVE LAMPS, GARDEN SEEDS, &c., &c.

PRESCRIPTIONS prepared with ACCURACY and FIDELITY, for which purpose a full and complete assortment of PURE CHEMICALS and GENUINE DRUGS will be constantly on hand. Long experience—a successful business career of more than eight years in Orangeburg, a good knowledge of the DRUG MARKET at home and abroad, will afford a sufficient guarantee that all goods sold or dispensed at my establishment will be GENUINE and RELIABLE.

Appreciates the success which in the past has attended my efforts, I have determined to spare no pains to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed. E. J. OLIVEROS M. D. No. 100 Russel Street Orangeburg.

Spring Arrivals AT McNAMARA'S Great reduction in prices of Spring Goods bought in the last ten days.

IF YOU WANT TO GET THE BEST AND CHEAPEST ready-made Spring Clothing, go to McNAMARA'S. IF YOU WANT LADIES AND CHILDREN'S Shoes of the best quality and at low prices, go to McNAMARA'S.

IF YOU WANT LADIES DRESS GOODS Cheap and Stylish, go to McNAMARA'S. IF YOU WANT GENTLEMEN'S CASSIMERES, Cloths, Tweeds, Meltons, Drab'd etc., Summer drills and cottonades, etc., all of the best quality, and the largest Stock in town, and at low prices, too, go to McNAMARA'S.

IF YOU WANT GOOD SUGAR, 8 LBS For \$1, go to McNAMARA'S. IF YOU WANT GOOD BROWN HOMESpun one wide, at 12 1/2 cents, go to McNAMARA'S.

IF YOU WANT TO BUY CHEAP FOR Cash, go to McNAMARA'S. Being thankful for the liberal patronage bestowed on me in the past, I respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. J. McNAMARA, April 25, 1873 ly.

NOTICE.

In accordance with an ACT of the General Assembly passed on the 20th February 1873, all persons HOLDING CLAIMS against the County of Orangeburg prior to the first day of November A. D. 1872, will present the same to George Boliver, Esq., Clerk of the Court of said County, for Registration, on or before the first day of October, A. D. 1873, and all Claims not Registered within said time will not be paid. E. T. B. SMOAKE, Chairman Board County Commissioners. GEORGE BOLIVER, Clerk. May 8 1f

NOTICE TO SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

A Convention of each of the several School Districts of this County will be held at the Court House on the first Monday in June next, and at 11 o'clock, for the purpose of considering matters. All Trustees are invited to be present. F. R. MCKINLAY, County School Commissioners, Orangeburg S. C. May 17th 1m

THEODORE KOHN & BROTHER,

In consequence of, and notwithstanding the general depression in trade, and the stringency of available cash funds, in order to facilitate sales will offer for Cash, WITHOUT REGARD to PROFITS and WITHOUT RESERVE, UNUSUAL and SPECIAL BARGAINS. In their various Departments, Purchasers are invited to Call to be convinced of the above facts.

THEODORE KOHN & BROTHER.

W. T. MULLER,

Is offering his ENTIRE STOCK of Groceries, Liquors, Boots, Shoes

And all other in Store at COST!

All in want of BARGAINS will do well to call just 'ROUND THE CORNER

may 24 00

Messrs. LAZARUS & MORRIS, OPTICIANS & OCULISTS, HARTFORD, CONN.



Have, with a view to meet the increasing demand for their CELEBRATED PERFECTED SPECTACLES APPOINTED E. EZEKIEL, DEALER IN WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, SILVER AND PLATED WARE, &c., SIGN OF THE BIG WATCH Orangeburg, S. C.

As their Sole Agent for this Place. These Spectacles are recommended by any for their STRENGTHENING qualities, producing a CLEAR and DISTINCT VISION, as in the Natural Healthy SIGHT. They are the only Spectacles that PRESERVE the SIGHT, and ASSIST the SIGHT! And are the Cheapest because the Best, always lasting Many Years without change being necessary. CAUTION.—E. EZEKIEL, Sign of BIG WATCH, Orangeburg, S. C., Agent for Orangeburg, S. C. We employ no Peddlers. may 17 00

DOES

Everybody in this Town and County know of the GOOD THINGS in the Grocery and Provision Line to be found at C. D. KORTJOHN'S Popular Store. If not the announcement will be of more importance to Housekeepers and Farmers than the news of

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To the humblest Householder of the land. Flours, Sugars, Teas, Coffee, Bacon, Lard, Segars, Tobacco, Fine Cognac, Brandy and Pure Whiskey for Medicinal purposes. All to be had for the asking at

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As FUNDERBURK'S OLD STAND. may 17 00

J. W. PATRICK & CO.

(SUCCESSOR TO) T. G. VINCE.

Respectfully call the attention of the Public to their NEW ADDITION of SPRING GOODS just received and for sale at EXCEEDINGLY LOW PRICES. Our stock consists in part of LENOS, JAPANESE, GRENADINES, OIL COLORED PERCALES POLKA DOTS, LAWNS, CROCHET NAINSOOKS, PLAIN and CHECK CAMBRIC, WHITE and COLORED ORGANDIES, SWISS, PIQUE.

NOTIONS, PARASOLS, &c.

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We have brought to this Market the CELEBRATED STAR SHIRT which we guarantee to FIT and WEAR better than any other kind. Measures taken and made to order. Having for a long time seen the necessity of introducing a FIRST CLASS SHIRT and SHOE in this Market, will make this Department a SPECIALTY, where one can find any kind of Boots and Shoes desired, from the most Philadelphia made to the more common grades. Call and inspect our stock before you purchase and see if we can please you. J. W. PATRICK & CO. April 26 1y