

MASONIC



Potomac Council No. 11, R. & S. M. Will meet each Thursday at 6 o'clock P. M. from 1st October to 1st April, and at 8 o'clock from 1st April to 1st October, on the following dates, June 24, July 22, Aug. 19, Sept. 16, Oct. 21, Nov. 18, and Dec. 16. J. E. IZLAR, T. T. G. W. BRUNSON, Recorder.

Eureka Chapter No. 13, R. & S. M. Will meet during the present Masonic year at the usual hours, the following dates: March 10th, April 7th, May 5th, June 2nd, August 4th, September 1st, October 27th, November 24th, December 29th. J. E. IZLAR, M. E. H. P. J. M. BRUNSON, Sec.

Shiloh Lodge No. 28, A. F. & M. S. Will meet each Tuesday at 7 o'clock, from 1st Oct. to 1st April, and at 8 o'clock from 1st April to 1st October, on the following dates, April 4, May 2, June 6, July 4, Aug. 8, Sept. 5, Oct. 3, Nov. 7, Dec. 5. JAS. F. IZLAR, W. M. Geo. W. BRUNSON, Sec. may 29 1876 7m.

I. O. O. F.

Edisto Lodge No. 33. Meets at Old Fellows Hall, every Friday evening at 8 o'clock, from 20th March to 20th Sept. and at 7 1/2 o'clock from 20th Sept. to 20th March. J. HERMAN WABLERS, Sec. Rebecca Lodge—Meets 8 o'clock every second Wednesday after sale day. F. DEMARS, N. G.

TOWN COUNCIL.

This body meets June 8, Sept. 7, Dec. 7. Mayors Court, held whenever occasion requires.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE. Orangeburg Division No. 24, meets every Monday evening in the basement of the Presbyterian Church.

Y. M. C. A.—Hall and Reading Room over Store of Mr. J. C. PIKE—open every night from 8:30 to 10:30 p. m. Prayer Meetings this month June 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th at 8:30 p. m. Business Meeting June 22nd at 8:30 p. m. every Fourth Thursday in each month at 8:30 p. m. M. GLOVER, President. F. S. DUMBLE, Secretary.

South Carolina Railroad. OFFICE HOURS AT ORANGEBURG DEPOT. From 8 o'clock A. M. to 2 1/2 P. M. From 3 1/2 o'clock P. M. to 5 P. M. Goods received and delivered only during office hours.

LOCAL.

The weather is cold now as ice almost.

Call on Franz Briggmann. He has what you want.

Hermann Wablers was seen riding horse back on Thursday last. He was a courier.

The cotton is in the field yet in a great many places. The election is now over, and men should go to work.

Times have changed. The spirit of the people is not what it used to be, else they would have done other than they have.

We never before witnessed the anxiety which prevailed in this County for the week before the election. It is over now and let things drift down to their old state.

August Briggmann has all that one can want. His stock of wines, ales, etc. are the best this side of New York. You can have a private room at August's. Call at Briggmann & Crook's and ask for him.

Capt Hamilton has one of the best stores in town. His stock of dry goods, groceries, &c. are among the best in this place. For architectural beauty his building is the *bi-jou* of the city. Call on Capt. Hamilton, next door to Cornelson's.

You may say what you please. You may dispute between yourselves. You may curse your mistakes in the past. You may regret some day of your past life. You may say and do what you please; but unless you call on Franz Briggmann, at Mullens, old stand, you will never be happy.

Dr. A. C. Dukes, M. D. is giving away a handsome book entitled "Pearls for the People," containing much valuable information and many interesting articles. It also contains a history of the discovery of the "Hepatine;" for diseases of the liver, dyspepsia, constipation and indigestion, &c. and gives positive assurance that when the Hepatine is used it effects a permanent and lasting cure of these diseases, which prevail to such an alarming extent in our

country. Take the Hepatine for all diseases of the liver.

RENNEKER--

This is just the place. A finer assortment of goods was never displayed in this County. His store is large, but there is not a vacant shelf in it. And he deserves, as he receives, the patronage of the County. The accommodating and courteous Jessen, and the clever John English are with him. For a square honest trade, call on Renneker.

ADVICE GRATIS--

The Hon. Alexander H. Stevens says:—"The Globe Flower Cough Syrup has proven a most valuable remedy to me."

Gov. James M. Smith, of Georgia, says:—"I shall always use it with perfect confidence, and recommend it to the public as a remedy which will afford that satisfaction experienced by me and mine. It excels everything for coughs, colds and obstinate lung affections."

Ex-Gov. Brown, of Ga., says: "He finds the Globe Flower Cough Syrup a most excellent remedy."

Such endorsement by our great and good men deserves the attention of the afflicted. Those suffering from cough, colds and lung affections should use the Globe Flower Cough Syrup. It will positively cure consumption.

For sale by Dr. A. C. Dukes.

Never before, nor for years after November 22d will our readers have a chance to see such a grand, imposing exhibition as will be given on that day by Robinson's Great World's Exposition. Its immense proportions this year, are said to baffle description, and it bewilders an ordinary mind to contemplate the vast concern Mr. Robinson is, no doubt, the wealthiest showman in the world, and that he may not be excelled by any one in the profession, he has this season stripped every former effort by making unparelleled additions to his Menagerie, Aquarium and Circus. The brilliant splendor of the entire outfit is described as something dazzling, and the press everywhere seem to be in the process of the gigantic enterprise, with clergymen, church members, teachers and families have endorsed it as an exhibition of unparalld merit. The street parade will repay a day's journey to witness it, and we expect people to come to it from miles around. Do not fail to see the grand exhibition, and remember it will be in Orangeburg on Wednesday November 22d for one day only.

The ingenuity and resources of engineers of the present day find their highest manifestation in tunnelling the earth and bridging the water. A wonderful achievement is being performed in spanning the Kentucky River with a bridge for the Cincinnati Southern Railroad. A suspension bridge was at first intended, but the idea was changed to that of an iron truss; not, however, until two towers, 1,125 feet apart 285 feet high had been erected. The contractor saw a way of making use of them, and to day there is presented the wonderful spectacle of a massive iron truss bridge growing out from the side of a precipice over a great abyss, to rise in section after section, and to rise along its length, with a long bridge-bench beneath it—a marvel in the eyes of any spectator. And it is wonderful to see moving along this structure a locomotive "traveller" that weighs thirty tons, whose huge arms try with great iron girders and joists; and to see, all over the work, swarms of mechanics who labor there in perfect security apparently even while it would seem, to obey the inexorable law of gravity, the growing bridge ought to crash into the gulf beneath it. And as this "baseless fabric" has added to itself panel after panel, or section after section, the wonder of beholders not pooled has grown from

day to day. The north half of the bridge has been growing out from the river. The south half will soon start to meet it. It requires an exceedingly close and exact calculation to tell what amount of weight a truss will bear as it is pushed out, but so far the engineers have never made a miscalculation.

It has been a question with marksmen whether the recoil of a pistol or rifle occurred before the ball left the bore. Many have contended that it did not, and that the tendency of a pistol to "throw up" did not affect its accuracy. A recent experiment seems to have shown conclusively that the recoil occurs before the ball leaves the bore and does affect its direction. The experiment was this: A rifle barrel twelve inches long for convenience, was secured to a solid bed in such a way as to prevent any movement, but that of recoil directly to the rear and upward. In this situation it was fired a number of times, and the balls followed each other into the same hole in the target. An incline or wedge was then made fast upon the bed at the rear of the barrel in such a way that the breech would be raised as it slid back in the recoil. Fired in these conditions it sent the balls lower than before. This showed that the recoil and consequent elevation of the breech occurred in season to affect the direction of the ball, that is, before it had left the bore. Of course the length of the barrel has an effect in several ways upon the degree in which the recoil affects the accuracy of the shooting.

A Burlington man was observed whittling a pine stick with an air of contented idleness and a satisfied smile playing around the corner of his mouth.

"Hain't at work to day, eh?"

"No," was the reply. "Made a lay's wage to day though."

"Why, how's that? How much did you make?"

"Made two dollars and a half for a gun," responded the whittler, the pilot smile deepening and giving vent to a chuckle. "Wish 'e all do as well every day."

"How'd you make two lolla's and a half and not do anything?" said the Free-poker.

"Easy 'nough. Paid my poll tax."

"Paid your poll tax? How did you make two dollars and a half by paying your poll tax?"

"Easy 'nough, I tell you. If I hadn't paid it pretty soon it would have cost more, wouldn't it?"

"Yes of course it would. But you had to pay two dollars. How did you make that?"

"Oh," said the whittler, brushing the shavings from his clothes. "I borrowed the two dollars."

FIVE CHILDREN LOST WITHIN A WEEK.—A Massachusetts paper says that a fatality almost unprecedented in the history of a single household occurred last week in the family of Peter Reeves, North Andover. One of his children died Monday of diphtheria; a second died on Tuesday; Friday two others died, and on Saturday, while the four who had previously died were lying unburied in the receiving tomb at the house, the death of the fifth occurred. The mother, however, was as usual, five of the children was said at the same time, and they were buried together at the cemetery. The only remaining one of the family and the father and mother, are now ill with the disease. The cause is believed to be defective drainage.

It is proposed to introduce round playing cards as being more easy to manipulate than the time honored square shaped, originally invented for the amusement of a sick French king. Instead of having the suit merely colored black and red, they are to be red hearts, green diamonds, black spades and yellow clubs.

WHAT IS A CAR-LOAD?—Nominaly a car load is 20,000 pounds. It is also 70 barrels of salt, 70 of lime, 90 of flour, 60 of whiskey, 200 sacks of flour, 6 cords of soft wood, 18 to 20 head of cattle, 50 to 60 head of hogs, 80 to 100 head of sheep, 9,000 feet of solid boards, 17,000 feet of siding, 13,000 feet of flooring, 40,000 shingles, one-half less hard lumber, one-fourth less of green lumber, one-tenth of joists, scantling, and all other large timbers, 340 bushels of wheat, 400 of corn, 680 of oats, 400 of barley 260 of flax-seed, 360 of apples, 430 of Irish potatoes, 360 of sweet potatoes, 1,000 bushels of bran.—Boston Transcript.

The remains of the late Baron de Palm will soon be turned into ashes, as directed by his will. The body will be taken from New York to Washington, Pennsylvania, where a cremation furnace has been constructed. The ceremonies will be conducted by the members of the Theosophic Society, of which the deceased Baron was a member, and will be witnessed by a number of distinguished men and scientists.

Savannah physicians are accusing each other of unwise treatment of patients during the yellow fever epidemic.

NOTICE.

On the 15th day of November next, I will sell at the Plantation of L. P. Collier to the highest bidder for cash: 38 Bushels Rough Rice, 100 Bushels Corn, 1 Lot of Cotton Seed, 300 lbs. of Hadder, more or less.

A150

By virtue of chattel Mortgage, I will sell the following property, viz:

- One (1) Two horse Wagon. One (1) Bay Mare. One (1) Bay Horse. Eight (8) head of Cattle. Six (6) head of Hogs.

Levied on as the property of L. P. Collier, at the suit of D. R. Johnson, maker and Mortgagee.

J. H. EDWARDS, Sheriff.

November 15th 76. 11 o'clock a. m.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. In the County of Orangeburg.

Whereas, W. O. Collier, late of said County, died on the 14th day of October, 1876, leaving a will, the validity of which is not in dispute, and the same is on file in the Court of Probate, to be held at Orangeburg, C. H., on 14th November next, after publication hereof at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand this 27th day of October Anno Domini 1876.

AUG. B. KNOWLTON, Judge of Probate, O. C.

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ALFRED JONES. 10 KEYS WROUGHT NAILS AT 50 CENTS PER 100. Store. of the best quality, and other articles generally kept in a first class Grocery. and IT DOORS. FAMILY GROCERIES. TOBACCO, SEAGARS. Respectfully inform their friends and the public generally that they have opened at the store recently occupied by Mr. Izard with a full stock.



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GENERAL HAMPTON

Is the candidate of those who are in favor of an HONEST GOVERNMENT. And my STORE is the place for those to visit who favor LOW PRICES. Knowing the STRINGENCY of the times I have resolved to sell goods at figures to suit them. Never before have such

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Calicos, Homespuns, Cloths, Linens, &c., While my stock of

GENTS CLOTHING is superb and Complete.

I have also SHOES and BOOTS of all sizes, Styles and Prices. GROCERIES I offer in large or small quantities, and at a small advance upon cost prices.

CROCKERY, WILLOW and TIN WARES, and every other article kept in a well conducted Store can be had LOW DOWN.

In a word, I congratulate myself that I have, and am still receiving, a complete stock as was ever offered to the public. Let my friends give me a call and ascertain for themselves. My motto is

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Can be found at Slater's Hotel, where my instruments can be inspected, and where I will always be glad to give any information on the Piano Organ, Violin, &c., required.

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LADIES RIDING SADDLES and his assortment of SHOES. Prices lower then ever. Good Saddles at \$3.50.

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