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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1879.

The State Debt.

The decision of the Supreme Court has at last been rendered on this important subject, which we trust will put an end to all agitation of the question in the future.

The judgment of the Court of Claims has been set aside and the cases remanded to it for such proceedings as may be necessary under this decision.

We have not the space to give a minute synopsis of the decision in this issue, but will endeavor to inform our readers of the conclusions.

The consolidation bonds are recognized as negotiable securities. Contracts, however, to be legal, must be in accordance with the Constitution.

Under these principles the Court decides, that the Act to redeem the Bills Receivable of the State, the Act authorizing the funding of the bills of the Bank of the State, the Act to provide for the appointment of a Land Commissioner, and the Act to authorize a loan to pay interest on the public debt, are all in conformity to the provisions of the Constitution, and therefore the bonds issued under them are valid obligations of the State.

But the second issue of bonds under the last Act amounting to one million of dollars is pronounced illegal. The Act to authorize a loan for the relief of the Treasury is also pronounced unconstitutional, and therefore what are known as the Treasury bonds are declared invalid.

The arguments upon which the above conclusions were reached we think are eminently just and sound, and we hope that a vexed question is now removed from the political arena.

Row at a Camp Meeting.

One of the most disgraceful scenes that have ever occurred in South Carolina took place Sunday being last at the Sandy Springs Camp Meeting in Anderson County.

There was preaching in the morning at the church and at the shed, and much feeling was manifested. In a short time, however, the crowd became so boisterous that it was deemed advisable to discontinue the meeting.

In the afternoon the trains being delayed, the mob became perfectly outrageous at the Railroad crossing. Cider was sold at five cents for a cup full. The most indecent language was used in the presence of the ladies who could find no place of refuge.

If the good people of the country would stamp their condemnation more severely upon such vices, such scenes would not be enacted. We agree with the "Abbeville Medium," that "better home training, a more practical christianity, and a sterner enforcement of the law will do something to reform the situation."

The Charleston Democracy.

We are glad to notice that the Ward Presidents have all issued calls for Ward Meetings for the election of a new Executive Committee for the City Democracy in consequence of the illegal action of a majority of the old Committee by which persons who are not Democrats are intended to be admitted to a voice in the selection of candidates and in shaping the course of the party.

This firm and dignified stand taken by the genuine Democracy, and so correctly announced, we hope will have the effect of demoralizing what appears to us to be a silly and criminal conspiracy to Radicalize the party, and we hope, will restore that harmony which is so essential to success.

Orangeburg Now and Then.

To the brief sketch of the early settlement of Orangeburg District furnished heretofore, I will add a few remarks respecting the Territorial divisions of the State, which may be interesting in connection with the history of our County.

Counties were marked out at an early day, and were far more extensive than those now established. There were four: Berkeley, Craven, Colleton and Granville, named after some of the proprietors of the Territory. Berkeley County extended along the ocean, from Seewee Creek (near the mouth of theantee River) to the Stono, and embraced Orange Parish. Parishes were established in 1704, and the number was increased in 1706, and subsequently. Their original institution was ecclesiastical, but as early as 1716 they were made elective precincts, and the church wardens were appointed managers.

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The Legislature of South Carolina assembled at Charleston, until the Capitol was removed to Columbia in 1788. The members from Orange, and other Parishes of the interior, attended on horse-back with their saddle-bags, and were billeted and provided for in the most primitive manner, as will appear from the following report submitted to the House by a Committee: "Your Committee sent for Mr. Chitty, who informed them that he had accommodated the country members with lodging, and most of the articles in quantities as heretofore, with which, in kind and quality, they were satisfied, said articles consisting of rations of meat, bread, butter, rum, sugar, coffee, candles, pepper, salt, wood, rice and short and long forage." It would appear from the foregoing bill of fare, that whiskey was not distilled at that early period.

For the Orangeburg Times. A Question.

Mr. Editor: Why is it that the Barnwell and Colleton boys all come to Orangeburg to get wives? I don't see any of the Orangeburg boys going to Barnwell or Colleton for their better halves. I can't see why it is, unless Orangeburg affords the best looking young ladies.

THE CLERK'S REPORT

To the Honorable the Town Council of the Town of Orangeburg:

Gentlemen: I have the honor here with to present to you the Biennial Report of the Treasurer of the Town Council of the Town of Orangeburg for the two years ending September 20th 1879.

RECEIPTS. To Balance \$3,02 60 Real Estate Tax 2 858 77 Business Tax and Licenses 3,942 04

TOWN PROPERTY. One Mule, one Cart. DISBURSEMENTS. Marshals \$3,099 80 Street 1,841 72

Sept. 16th To Balance 846 77 Respectfully submitted, T. R. MALONE, Clerk of Council. J. W. MOSELEY, Mayor.

Approved. JAS. F. IZLAR, Chair. Finance Com. J. S. ALBERG, MTL.

A. H. LEWIN, Barber and Hair Dresser. Nearly opposite Bull & Seoville, Guarantees Satisfaction in his line of business. Patronage respectfully solicited.

STRAYED OR STOLEN. From the subscriber about the 10th inst., one tan-colored bound Dog with a rear on the forehead running over left eye.

Estate Sale. The Lands of the late W. M. Hutson can be treated for at private sale on a liberal credit. They consist of the Office Lot, which will be sold as a whole or in parcels to suit purchaser.

Notice. HEADQUARTERS 3RD BRIGADE, Orangeburg, S. C., Sept. 26th 1879. General Order No. 1, Series 1879.

Notice. All persons holding old school claims are requested to have them registered during the month of October or otherwise they will be declared registration until October 1880.

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NOTICE. OFFICE COUNTY COMMISSIONER'S, ORANGEBURG COUNTY, Orangeburg, S. C., Sept. 17th 1879. We hereby notify all persons not to remove any sand or dirt from the public highways in the County, and if any person or persons is found violating this order they will be dealt with according to law.

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Sheriff's Sales. Hugh L. Greene, vs. Bill Fair. By virtue of an Exemption to me directed, I will sell at Orangeburg C. H., S. C., on the first Monday in October next, for cash, during the legal hours of sale, all that tract or parcel of land containing fifty acres, more or less, situate in Orangeburg County and State of South Carolina, and bounded on the East by lands of Pinckney Ayinger, South by lands of Harry Welfair, West by lands of F. W. Vought, and North by lands of Jacob Snell.

Homestead Plantation of nine hundred (900) acres, more or less, and bounded North by lands of Fred Edwards, East by lands of Peter Shuler, South by lands of William Grimes, and West by lands of Melton Berry.

Two lots (2) in the Town of Branchville, one known as the Maonic lot, measuring 60 feet by 100 feet more or less, and the other occupied by John W. Fairry, measuring 30 feet by 200 feet more or less, the whole bounded North and West by lot of Thos O R Edwards and Abraham J L Edwards, East by Main street, south by Mullery or Edward street. Levied on as the property of Richard Edwards, deceased, at the suit of Lewis M Oct. Guardian, against N C Whetstone, Executor.

All that tract of land, situate in the County of Orangeburg, containing 490 acres, more or less, bounded by lands now or lately of John Hayden, William M Mount, Estate of S Fair, William C W Moss and Bolton, and other lands of John McMichael; being the same tract of land represented in a plat of M L Baldwin, Deputy Surveyor, recorded in the Register's office, in Book 3, page 119; and being the same tract conveyed by George Boliver, Receiver to Thaddeus C Andrews, by his deed dated December 4, 1871, and recorded in the Register's office in Book 12, page 376 and 377. Levied on as the property of Thaddeus C Andrews, at the suit of Lydia Williams and others.

Master's Sales. ORANGEBURG--IN COMMON PLEAS. Elizabeth B. Myers, formerly Elizabeth B. Barnett as Administratrix, vs. testamento auzeco of James R. Mooror, deceased, Against Mary E. Mooror, James W. Mooror, Jacob R. Mooror, Ella J. Mooror, wife of John Mooror, Irene E. Shuler, wife of Samuel Shuler, Pelham Mooror, Hayward Mooror, Wm. Hutto and Samuel P Wells.

By virtue of the Order of the said Court in this cause, I will sell at public auction before the Court House in Orangeburg, within the legal hours of sale, on the first Monday in October, 1879.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. IN COMMON PLEAS. Charles M. Wilder, vs. W. W. Moye & W. S. Monteeth.

By Order of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Orangeburg and State aforesaid, in Judgment of Foreclosure in the above case, I will sell at Orangeburg Court House on the first Monday in October next, the following plantation, situate in the County and State aforesaid, known as the Fort Motte tract, at the point on the South Carolina Railroad, known as River Turn Out, containing five hundred and forty-nine acres, more or less, bounded by the Congaree River, lands late of Thomas, now of Amaker, and lands of A. D. and T. J. Goodwyn.

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NOTICE.

CLERK'S Office, TOWN COUNCIL OF ORANGEBURG.

There will be an Election for Clerk of Council on the 1st. Tuesday in October 1879. Candidates will hand in their application, together with a bond in sum of \$1000 with two (2) approved Sureties, on or before that day.

NOTICE Mrs. J. Oakman, having occupied the commodious residence of Capt. F. H. W. Briggmann on Amelia street, will accommodate a few Boarders. Rates reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed.

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