

Postoffice Hours.

Open from half-past 8 to 10 o'clock A. M., and from half-past 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

The trains arrive at Orangeburg as follows: FROM CHARLESTON. No. 1, Day, 9:05 A. M.

ORANGEBURG, S. C., APRIL 16, 1880.

NOTICE.—We have made arrangements with the proprietors of the News and Courier to club their mammoth Weekly with the DEMOCRAT at \$3 per annum, for both papers, cash in advance.

If you would have a good thick head of hair, use Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer. No other like it.

If you wish the best Sewing Machine go to Mr. Jas. A. Hamilton and purchase the Wheeler & Wilson with late improvement. It is the best.

COUNTY Commissioner Connor's resignation has not yet been accepted by the Governor, and the Executive Committee are urging Mr. Connor to withdraw it.

The body of a Mr. Socks was found in a field a few miles from town. It is supposed that death was caused by exposure while under the influence of whiskey.

The State Medical Association will meet in the city of Columbia next Wednesday. Drs. M. G. Salley and W. W. Wolfe will represent the Orangeburg Association.

The Floral Fair will be held on the 14th of May. We hope all of our people, ladies especially, will take a lively interest in the Fair and make it a complete success.

Don't let your wife wear out her life sewing with her hand, but go at once to Mr. Jas. A. Hamilton and get the improved Wheeler and Wilson Sewing Machine. It is the best.

The Silsby Manufacturing company has sent three handsome photographs of "Uncle Joe" to the Young Americans. Also, a handsome freeman's trumpet for the use of chief of our fire department.

TAKE that buckeye out of you pocket, and make an application of Tabler's Buckeye Pile Ointment, if you are suffering with piles. You will certainly be cured. Price 50c. For sale by Dr. J. G. Wannamaker.

Mr. J. Lucas broke ground on Wednesday last on the Durham place owned by Mr. J. H. Fowles. The place is to be remodeled and when completed will be quite a handsome residence and an ornament to the town.

The Young Americans have paid the handsome sum of twelve hundred dollars on their new steamer. So much to the credit of energy on the part of our citizens.

CAN any thing be better? I can't think so, as Cousen's Honey of Tar is the best cough remedy I have been able to get. One dose alone is worth 50c., but you can buy a whole bottle at that price. For sale by Dr. J. G. Wannamaker.

Mr. J. P. Harley is appointed fish warden for Orangeburg County by the State Commissioner of Agriculture. His duty is to enforce the fish law, which those of our readers, who may be interested, can read on the first page of this issue.

Our energetic townsman, Mr. J. W. Patrick, who recently graduated in pharmacy, has opened a very neat drug store on Rugsel street near Railroad Avenue. Mr. Patrick deserves success and we hope he may realize his most sanguine expectations.

Mr. R. Fuller Woodward, who is here with Prof. B. F. Evans, colored some pictures for us, and we take pleasure in saying that the work was beautifully and handsomely executed. Give him a call over Wilcock's store, and have your pictures colored and beautified.

The recent cold snap ended with a heavy white frost on Monday night last. As far as we have heard but little damage was done the young corn. Irish potatoes and a few tender vegetable were cut off but not seriously injured.

The weather has assumed a mild spring temperature, and we have reason to believe that Jack frost has taken his final leave for the season. The two freezes that did the mischief last year occurred on the nights of the 4th and 5th of April.

Our farmers have finished their corn, rice and Sweet potatoes planting, and are only waiting to feel sure of continued warm weather to put the cotton crop in. If the seasons be favorable there is every prospect of a large crop both of provisions and cotton.

FOR SALE.—A large 14 stop Barretto Organ, good as new and in perfect order. It originally cost \$435 but will be sold for \$185, including stool. To a responsible party it will be sold on accommodating terms. Address Rev. S. T. Hallman, Orangeburg, S. C.

We understand that Messrs. W. B. & B. F. Thompson have purchased the stock of goods belonging to Mr. J. W. Moseley, and will open their store on Monday next at Mr. Moseley's stand on Railroad Avenue. We wish them abundant success in their new venture.

SPRING is here and the garden needs attention that the summer's supply of vegetables may be provided. Good, fresh, reliable seed is the first consideration and where can they be obtained? Why, at W. F. Robinson's on Russell street. Call and supply yourself with the best.

CURE YOURSELF. Take Hall's Hepatic Panacea for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Sick and Nervous Headache, and all diseases arising from a torpid Liver. It is purely vegetable, and satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Price 50 cts. per bottle. For sale by S. A. Reeves.

Mr. C. M. Van Oradell, the Photograph Artist who recently located in our town, is now prepared to take first class pictures. An examination of his specimens will convince the most skeptical that he is an artist of rare taste. Work entrusted to him will be promptly and artistically attended to. His pictures are as fine as any we ever saw. Give him a trial.

LORENZ'S BLUSH FACE POWDER.—A harmless promoter of beauty, imparting to harsh, pallid, and bronzed complexions the fresh bloom of health and vigor. Being an article of such delicate fineness its skillful application produces a rich exquisite blush so true to nature that its use escapes detection by the closest observer. Price 25c per box. For sale by Dr. J. G. Wannamaker.

Mr. J. J. Street, chairman of the Committee on subscriptions for the new engine, requests us to say that a small balance is still due on the first payments, and that the Committee will give those who have not been called on yet an opportunity to contribute in a few days. As soon as these parties have been approached a list of names of the contributors will be published.

At a regular meeting of the Independent Elliott Hook & Ladder Company held April 8th, 1880, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

RESOLVED, That the thanks of this company be tendered the ladies who so kindly furnished refreshments at the late fire of April 3rd, 1880.

R. F. BRYANT, Sec. I. E. H. & L. Co.

ATLANTA, GA., April 22d, 1879. Gentlemen.—I have made a chemical examination of biscuits made with your "Town Talk Baking Powder," and find no deleterious or unwholesome substance in the same. Very respectfully, Wm. J. Land, State Chemist, member American Chemical Society and New York Academy of Science. Purchase the Powder fresh and good at the agent, C. D. Kortjohn.

HAIL storms have occurred recently in several sections of the State. The Carolina Spartan speaks of a storm in Spartanburg County that was very severe. Wheat and oats were beaten down to the ground, trees were stripped of their leaves, and in one portion of the County pigs and chickens were killed by the stones, some of which were larger than hen's eggs. In town window glasses suffered badly. The storm occurred Monday; and there was another Tuesday almost as severe.

Dors.—Where art thou, oh, spring. Never expose your disappointments to the world.

Kortjohn continues to lead the town in low prices.

We regret to learn of the continued illness of Dr. Elliott.

Rev. W. R. Richardson paid our town a flying visit this week.

Beautiful corsets and corset skirt supporters at Kortjohn's.

Postmaster Webster has a colored clerk. We are progressing.

Mr. N. A. Neuffer is said to be the editor of the Charleston Democrat.

Mr. P. G. Cannon has put a new pump in the well near the engine house.

Love is potent but money is omnipotent. At least with managing mammas.

MATTING, Matting for sale in different grades at popular prices at Theodore Kohn's.

Straw hats, dress goods, notions, buggy whips, the best family flour, &c., at Kortjohn's.

The turpentine woods near the farm of Mr. J. H. Livingston was on fire on Tuesday.

Dr. W. W. Wannamaker, of Charleston, spent several days recently in town visiting friends.

This world without woman—lovely woman—is like a blank sheet of paper—not even ruled.

The young man who wants to get up with the sun must not set up too late with the daughter.

BARCAINS this week at Theodore Kohn's in Embroideries, Buttons, Laces, Parasols and Ribbons.

Divine service will be conducted in the Episcopal Church next Sunday morning and afternoon by the pastor.

If you want a first-class Sewing Machine call on James A. Hamilton and get the latest Wheeler & Wilson.

A good book and a good woman are excellent things for those who know how to appreciate their value.

The grain crop, oats and wheat, in many sections of the county will be short in consequence of rust and blight.

E. W. M. Mackey, the notorious Radical sealawag, has announced his intention to run for Congress in this District.

The Grand Lodge, K. of H., meet in Sumter next week. The lodge here will be represented by Past Dictator Henry Kohn.

We have received a spiritual dispatch from Diogenes. He wanted to know why we was't around when he had the lantern.

The venerable Dr. T. A. Elliott, in consequence of failing health, has resigned the Presidency of the County Medical Association.

A twenty dollar counterfeit treasury note is in circulation. It is of the series of 1875, letter C., and is printed on imitation paper.

Mr. H. O. Smoak, the mail carrier between this point and Vances' Ferry has resigned, and Mr. W. W. Livingston takes his place.

The Charleston Democrat uses a "patent" inside, and if its managers will take our advice they will "patent" the outside as soon as possible.

Col. R. M. Sims, the present Secretary of State, has been renominated by an exchange for that office. We nominate him for Lieutenant-Governor.

It is very much the same with popping corn as with popping the question. It is usually accompanied by some agitation and a good deal of warmth.

Gov. Roberts, of Texas, who is more than 70 years old, at a recent leap year ball danced with seven young ladies. How in the world did he do it?

Joseph Eros gives notice that he will be ready to dispense ice cream on and after Saturday next. This being leap year the ladies are expected to foot the bills.

Modern maidens do not care as much for hearts of steel in their woosers as they do for bulky bank accounts. A big balance on the right side outweighs the entire lack of heart and brain; a sensible result of living in a practical age.

HILL'S HEPATIC PANACEA. The Liver is the king imperial organ of the whole human system, as it controls the life, health and happiness of man. When it is disturbed in its proper action all kinds of ailments are the natural results. The digestion of the food, the movements of the heart and blood, the action of the brain and nervous system, are all immediately connected with the workings of the liver. To keep the liver in a healthy condition take Hill's Hepatic Panacea. Only 50 cents per bottle. For sale by S. A. Reeves.

Mr. Thomas Collier Jr. of Lower St. Matthews, while riding on a wagon loaded with straw was thrown to the ground and in falling the tine of a pitch fork entered at the knee and ran up the thigh its full length making a ghastly and painful wound. When last heard from Mr. Collier was doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

The store of Mr. Geo. H. Cornelison is literally crammed from top to bottom with goods in every line necessary for the needs of a thriving community. New arrivals of fresh goods are reported to fill up the vacancy made by every day's sale. A full force of clerks are kept busily engaged opening, placing upon counters and delivering to customers. There is life and business here.

On last Wednesday afternoon we were the recipients of a beautiful bouquet of flowers from our little friend, Virgil Dibble, and on Thursday morning Mrs. G. W. Brunson also sent us a handsome bouquet, to both of whom we return our grateful thanks for these kind remembrances. The flowers composing these bouquets were rich and beautiful, and evidently came from gardens abounding in all that is worth cultivating in the floral kingdom.

Messrs. N. B. and D. C. Stoudenmire and S. W. Sullivan while going to the Santee River on a fishing excursion were fired into by Mr. J. W. Mack one day last week. A pine tree fortunately caught the shot and prevented the wounding of some of the party. The passing of parties by Mr. Mack's place with fire was the cause of the shooting. Before resorting to such an extreme measure parties should be hailed distinctly.

"EMMA R." asks the Springfield (Ohio) Tribune this extraordinary question: "Do you think it right for a girl to sit on a young man's lap, even if she is engaged to him?"

Whereupon the editor gets off a very extraordinary lie. We have had no experience in the matter referred to. Why didn't he say, "if it was our girl and our lap, yes; if it was another girl and our lap, yes; but if it was our girl and another fellow's lap, never."

The Southern Operatic Company gave an entertainment in Boliver's Hall on last Monday evening in accordance with previous announcement. The audience was small and the acting below the standard, but, with all, quite enjoyable. The management claimed that the company was laboring under a disadvantage in not being able to procure a first class piano, and this fact must be taken into consideration in passing judgments on the Company.

Gossip.—Gossip is always a personal confession either of malice or imbecility, and the young should not only shun it, but by the most thorough culture relieve themselves from all temptations to indulge in it. It is low, frivolous, and too often a dirty business. There are country neighborhoods in which it rages like a pest. Churches are split into pieces by it. Neighbors made enemies by it for life. In many persons it degenerates into a chronic disease, which is practically incurable. Let the young cure it while they may.

The colored fire companies, Independent and Comet, were on parade Monday afternoon and gave excellent proof of their efficiency in drill and management of their engines. A trial was made of the old engine of the Young Americans with a view of utilizing it by placing her in the hands of the Comets instead of their old fashioned machine. This arrangement would be beneficial to the town, as it would give the Comets a machine with which they can do some execution in case of fire. The Independents are endeavoring to raise money to buy a hose reel.

Last week we printed a little paragraph which read in this wise: "The weather is as changeable as the average young lady." Without intending it we have given offence to some of our fair readers by publishing this little item, and they appointed one of their number to give us a blowing up about it. "Lulu," we did not mean to insinuate that the ladies were not to be trusted, as you charged us with doing in your communication. Oh, no! We only meant to say that they changed their style of dress quite often. That is all and nothing more. We plead guilty to every word you utter about the men. We know they are a hardened set of sinners, and nothing will save them but the gentle and refining influence of angelic woman. Forgive us this time, "Lulu," and you shall never have cause to complain again.

A REQUEST.—We find the following in an exchange: "I do prayerfully hope that all preachers or teachers of the Gospel will preach a sermon on the first Sabbath in May, 1880, at 11 o'clock, A. M., from St. John's Gospel, chapter 17, verses 20, 21; and further, that all newspapers having the promotion of our Lord's kingdom at heart will publish this request for four weeks."

A CHRISTIAN.

March 12, 1880.

We have examined samples of the new process of painting pictures known as the Convex Miniatures, patented by Messrs. Evans, Ideson & Co., of Baltimore. These specimens are certainly beautiful and life-like, and quite an ornament for the parlor. Prof. B. F. Evans, of the firm, is here, and is prepared to paint pictures or give lessons to any one who may desire to learn the art. Specimens of his work can be seen at his rooms over Mr. Wm. Wilcock's store. Those wishing to avail themselves of the advantages now offered to learn this beautiful art will call early as the stay of Mr. Evans in our midst is limited.

We learn that the Rev. S. T. Hallman has resigned the pastorate of St. Matthews and Mt. Lebanon Lutheran Churches to take effect on the 4th Sunday in May proximo. Mr. Hallman has been pastor of these churches for more than six years and has, by a course of consistent Christian conduct, won for himself the esteem and well wishes of every one of that community both in his own and other denominations. He will leave behind him many dear friends whose prayers will follow him to whatever field he may be called to labor. We trust his talents and zeal for the Master will meet with the same success in his new field as in this. We learn he goes to Concord, N. C.

An editor's business is to write editorials, grind out poetry, sort and rewrite communications, listen to all kinds of complaints, offer advice on all subjects, from prescribing for a baby with the colic to specie resumption, keep a wastebasket, steal matter fight other peoples' battles, take beans, pumpkins and green wood, when he can get them, on subscription, work eighteen hours out of twenty-four, always be in a good humor and witty, be alike impervious to flattery and censure, and be criticised and damned by every squalid head who don't like "his paper." Finally to wear out in the service, and at last to hear the pleasing plaudit, "Tis enough; come up higher."

The grand annual spring excursion to Charleston has been arranged by all the Railroads in the State connecting with the South Carolina road to begin on Tuesday 20th of April and end on Saturday 1st of May inclusive, 1880. Tickets will be sold at all the stations by the agents on Tuesday 20th and continue selling until Wednesday 23rd instant, at the following rates from all points in this county: From Blackville to Charleston \$2.60; Graham's 2.45; Bamberg, \$2.30; Midway, \$2.15; Edisto, \$2.00; Fort Motte, \$2.60; St. Matthews, \$2.60; Jamison's, \$2.60; Stilton, \$2.50; Orangeburg, \$2.40; Rowesville, \$2.15; Branchville, \$1.85; and Reeves', \$1.55. Half these rates will be charged for children between six and twelve years of age; under six, free. Excursionists must provide themselves with tickets before taking the train. Tickets will only be good for a continuous trip—going to Charleston on day of purchase—and return on or before the day of expiration. Special attractions have been provided such as Floral Fair on April 21 for three days; grand tournament, April 22d; exhibition by Capt. Paul Boynton, the renowned swimmer off the Battery, April 23d; grand Scheutzenfest, April 26, three days; and a splendid Theatrical Troupe for one week from April 19.

The life infused into our town by the arrival of the Steamer and the subsequent Firemen's parade was kept up on Tuesday afternoon last by the quarterly parades of the Edisto Rifles under Capt. Samuel Dibble and his efficient Lieutenants, Geo. W. Brunson and F. S. Dibble. Orangeburg may well boast of the military spirit of her young men, when such a creditable display of skill, as that of Tuesday afternoon last, can be made. It is seldom ones fortune to see a better looking set of young men so well and tastefully uniformed as the Edistos, and their efficiency both in the manual of arms and maneuvering will compare favorably with more practiced commands. Not the least noticeable feature of this drill was the first appearance of the new brass band with the company. After only two months' instruction and practice under our young townsman, Mr. B.

The undersigned would respectfully inform the public that he is every day receiving large additions to his already large stock in all the different branches and that the same will be disposed of at his old motto, "Large sales and small profits."

I am also receiving now and have in store the following popular brands of Manures: Etivan Dissolved Bone, Etivan Guano, Atlantic Fertilizer, Atlantic Acid, Kalnit or Potash Salt. Which will be sold at lowest prices. I have also been appointed agent for

B. F. Avery & Sons, Louisville, Ky., (The largest Plow and Wagon Manufactory in the world.) and have received a lot of their One, Two and Three Horse Wagons, also Plows this week. Give me a call and see for yourselves. Respectfully Yours, GEORGE H. CORNELISON. Sept. 19, 1879.

B. Owens, the band is able to appear in public in full force and to play with all the sweetness and accuracy of older bands. Mr. Owens certainly deserves any amount of praise for the gratifying success which has attended his patient efforts and unusual care in preparing his band for such a thorough test of skill. Orangeburg now is fully abreast with her sister towns in her fire department, military spirit and brass band. All praise to the projectors of these necessary features to the good name of our town and the enjoyment of her citizens.

Standard of the World.

LABORATORY OF STATE ASSAYER AND CHEMIST, RICHMOND, VA.

The Rye Whiskey known as the "Standard of the World," of which Messrs. D. O. Davis & Co., of this city, are sole proprietors, has been subjected to a careful chemical examination by me, and found to be free from impurities. Physicians and others requiring a whiskey of the best quality may use this with confidence. The same used in this was selected by myself. Wm. H. Taylor, State Chemist.

Besides the above celebrated whiskey we have the finest home made North Carolina Corn Whiskey, and many other whiskeys of the best brands, which we offer exceedingly low. Having given up the bar business, all of our old friends and customers and as many new ones as may honor us with a call, will find it to their interest to visit our house whenever they want a bottle of good whiskey, brandy, wine, gin or rum. D. E. SMOAK & Co.

Market Report.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY J. C. PIKE. COTTON. 12 a 12 1-2 Low Middling..... 11 3-4 12 Ordinary to Good..... 10 3-4 11 1-4 COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Corn..... 80 Peas..... 75 Rice, rough..... \$1 30 Fodder..... 75 Oats, per cwt..... 75 Potatoes, sweet..... 25 Butter, country..... 25 Eggs..... 15 L. country..... 15@ 25

Steamer! Steamer!

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LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEEDS

of every variety, warranted

FRESH AND GENUINE,

and No Water

NEEDED TO BRING THEM UP.

Try a few

BEANS, CORN, CUCUMBERS,

and tall this time,

TRY AGAIN.

Watches and Clocks

attended to.

NO BOOM

IN PLAIN RINGS.

W. F. Robinson,

Watchmaker and Jeweller.

Russell Street, Orangeburg, S. C.

Jan. 16, 1880—1y

OFFICE OF

GEO. H. CORNELISON,

ORANGEBURG, S. C.

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Something New!

In addition to the large and elegantly assorted stock of Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hats, &c., &c., also.

Groceries

of the best quality, cheaper than can be bought any where else. The finest and best stock of Whisker, Brandy, Wines, Gin, Rum, &c., &c., The prices of which have just been reduced 25 to 50 cents per gallon.

D. E. SMOAK & CO.

Have fitted up their upstairs and laid in a stock of \$5,000 of the finest, best and cheapest assortment of

CLOTHING

to be found between Columbia and Charleston. If you are in need of a suit at any price. Pants, Coat or Vest, don't fail to see them before buying. Just received, 150 barrels of

FLOUR,

Which will be sold cheaper than the same quality can be bought in Charleston, make room for

200 Barrels

to be in by the first of November. The Best

RUST PROOF WHEAT & OATS

on hand. D. E. SMOAK & CO Orangeburg, S. C. June 27 if

A. F. H. DUKES,

BRANCHVILLE, S. C.,

Offers a large and varied stock of GENERAL MERCHANDISE

at the Lowest Cash prices to make room for a large

SPRING STOCK.

I have also on hand a lot of the best

Fertilizers,

At the lowest possible figures.

Don't fail to come and examine my stock before buying elsewhere.

A. F. H. DUKES,

BRAN HVILLE, S. C.,

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IMPROVED PATENT LIVER PADI

NEVER GETS HARD. CAN BE MADE ANY STRONG OR DRINK. LARGELY USED BY THE WEAK AND SICK.

These Pills Cure all Diseases by Absorption. No Noxious Pills, Oils, or Poisonous Medicines are taken into the Stomach. The Pills are worn over the Liver and Stomach, covering the Great Nervous Centre, also the Liver and Stomach. A gentle Vegetable Juice is absorbed into the circulation of the Blood and Liver, purifying the Blood, stimulating the Liver and Kidneys to healthy action, and neutralizing the Stomach to digest food. Price of Pills 60 Cts. 25 Cts. Sold by ALL Druggists, or sent by Mail on Express. Manufactured at 59 & 61 North Liberty St., WASHINGTON, D. C.

For Sale by

S. A. REEVES.

Jan 30, 1880—1y

SAMUEL DIBBLE,

Attorney and Counsellor at Law

(Cor. Church & St. Paul's Street.)

ORANGEBURG, S. C.

Dec 13-1f

A. B. KNOWLTON. A. LATHROP

KNOWLTON & LATHROP,

Attorneys and Counsellors.

ORANGEBURG, S. C.

Dec-13-1f

PAUL S. FELDER,

FACTOR and COMMISSION MERCHANT,

Charleston, S. C.

I will handle all cotton consigned to me for \$1.25 per bale. The above to include all charges except freight. Jan. 2, 1880—1f.

L. S. WOLFE, D. D. S.,

Graduate of Baltimore Dental College.

Office over D. Louis' Store.

Offers his professional services to the citizens of Orangeburg and adjoining counties.

Teeth extracted without pain by the use of Nitrous Oxide Gas, the safest and most reliable known to science. Satisfaction guaranteed. Jan. 30, 1880—1y

WOOL,