

Snowdrops.

God's love has broken winter's chain, The earth's paradise again; A smile of sun, a kiss of showers, Stars nature's firmament with flowers.

Have you forgotten, love, last year Our springtime smiled without a tear; That night when we went out and kissed The roses folded up in mist;

Have you not felt as yet—you will— That wild reaction and the thrill, When, like some resurrection day, There comes a prelude to the May?

Let's turn another leaf, forget The tear-stained pages, my pet; That checked chronicle of time That died in sorrow, born in rhyme;

The County Convention.

OFFICE OF COUNTY CHAIRMAN OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF ORANGEBURG COUNTY.

ORANGEBURG, S. C., March 29, 1880. By and with the advice of the County Executive Committee, J. Malcolm I. Browning, County Chairman, do hereby call a Convention of the Democratic Party of Orangeburg County to meet on the second Saturday in May proximo, being the eighth day of the month, at ten and a half o'clock A. M., for the purpose of transacting the following business then and there to be brought before the Convention:

First, to elect six delegates to represent the County of Orangeburg in the State Convention to be holden at Columbia on the first day of June next.

Second, to express the sense of the Democratic party of this County upon the question of "the repeal of the two thirds rule now of force in National Conventions."

Third, to express the sense of the party in this county upon the question "whether the nomination of the State ticket should be made at the June Convention or at a subsequent time."

Fourth, to elect a County Executive Committee to serve for the next two years.

Fifth, to elect a County Chairman to serve for the same period.

Sixth, and to do and transact such other business as may properly be brought before said Convention.

The basis of representation in said Convention will be one delegate for every club, and an additional delegate for every twenty-five enrolled members. Fractions of twenty-five will not be entitled to representation.

Presidents of Clubs are hereby directed to call their clubs to meet on or before the first Saturday in May, the first day of the month, for the purpose of electing delegates to the aforesaid County Convention, and of re-organizing their clubs. It is urged upon the clubs to elect as delegates only those who can and will attend the Convention. At these meetings of the clubs, they will proceed to elect their officers to serve for the next campaign, and also each club will nominate a member of the County Executive Committee to be elected by the County Convention.

The retiring County Chairman has requested our local papers to publish the Rules of the Democratic Party so that the Convention, the clubs and the people may be fully and intelligently informed as to the method of organization. The plan being thus furnished forth, the interest and attention of all are invoked to its details. The clubs will organize and elect their officers as in the said Rules is provided. Secretaries of clubs will furnish to one of their delegates, the list of officers, delegates and members of the County Executive Committee chosen at the meeting aforesaid.

Let this publication of the "Party Rules" and this call for organization under them be the bugle-blast whose clear and cheery notes will command attention! Full attendance and deep interest should characterize these primary meetings of the clubs for these are the primal steps, which, well taken, go very far towards promoting satisfaction in the work ahead of us, and towards assuring harmony throughout the campaign, and successful issue out of all its events!

MALCOLM I. BROWNING, County Chairman. J. L. HEDDYMAN, Sec. County Ex. Com. It is so in politics, business and everywhere else in life, The man whom you boosts up the tree not only forgot to toss you down some of the fruit but is as likely as not to peit you with the clawings!

GRAND OPENING!

HENRY KOHN'S

DRY GOODS BAZAAR.

SPRING AND SUMMER

- NEW DRESS GOODS, NEW HUSBANDRY, NEW MILLINERY, NEW CASSIMERS, NEW STRAW GOODS, NEW CLOTHING, NEW WOOL and FUR HATS, NEW CHILDREN'S SUITS, NEW LADIES' SUITS, NEW SHOES, NEW SLIPPERS,

HENRY KOHN

Everything new and fresh from New York. Call early and often.

HENRY KOHN HENRY KOHN HENRY KOHN

Hosiery! Hosiery! Hosiery!

50 DOZEN

Ladie's White Hose,

Including 25 Dozen Seamless, all of a very fine quality, to be closed out within the next thirty days

Regardless of Cost.

SOLID COLORED HOSE.

Superior quality at 20 cents a pair, worth 35 and 40 cents. Before going elsewhere, purchasers will find it to their advantage to examine the above article at

J. I. SORENTUE

Where can also be seen the best, cheapest and largest stock of Lamps and Illuminators in the town of Orangeburg.

JOSEPHEROS,

Fancy Baker

CONFECTIONERY,

At Captain Briggman's Old Stand.

Still keeping the finest lot of Candies, Bon Bons French and American Mixtures Cakes, Ornamented or made to order. Fresh Raisins, Currants, Citron, Figs, Sweetmeats and Canned Goods of every description. Dealer in

Fruits and Produce.

A large assortment of

CIGARS, TOBACCOS, PIPES

And Smokers' articles of all description. A call is solicited. Orders promptly attended to—Goods delivered in any part of the city.

JOSEPHEROS,

Orangeburg, S. C., Sept. 24 1879

P. G. CANNON,

Gun and Locksmith,

and dealer in

Guns, Pistols and General Hardware,

ORANGEBURG, S. C.

KEEPS constantly on hand a full and complete stock of Guns and Pistols of every description, Pocket Knives, Table Knives and Forks, Spoons, Scissors, and in fact almost anything in the Hardware line. I make a specialty of Carpenters' Tools, Farming Implements, Cooking Utensils, Fishing Tackle, Sportsmen's Goods, such as Shot, Powder, Gun wads, etc., also

THE LIGHT RUNNING REMINGTON SEWING MACHINE,

The best and cheapest Machine manufactured.

The public are cordially invited to examine my stock before purchasing as I am determined not to be undersold. Repairing of all kinds done with neatness and dispatch. F. G. CANNON. Orangeburg, S. C., Jan. 30, 1880-19

J. C. PIKE,

FRESH ARRIVALS

New and Desirable Goods

JNO. C. PIKE'S STORE.

Dry Goods and Groceries

The Dry Goods embrace Ladies and Mens Dress Goods, White and Colored Cotton Goods, Prints, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Hats and Caps,

Boots and Shoes,

To suit all classes. Also full lines of

GROCERIES AND TOBACCOS.

And in fact everything to be found in a first class store.

Thanking the public for their generous patronage in the past, I respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, promising to sell everything at the lowest possible price. The highest market price paid for

Cotton, Corn, Peas, Rice, &c.

And all other Country Produce. A call solicited. No trouble to show goods.

JOHN C. PIKE,

Orangeburg, S. C., Mar 28-19 Corner Church and Russell Streets.

The Improved Water Elevator and Purifier.

Orangeburg, S. C.

If you would enjoy good health you must use pure water. To the citizens of Orangeburg, Aiken, Edgefield, Hampton, and Barnwell counties, having purchased the exclusive right of said counties for the Improved Water Elevator and Purifier, we offer the same for sale. This Elevator has no superior. It is simple, cheap and durable, having no wooden tubing to decay and pollute the water. No iron tubing to rust or corrode. No valves or levers to wear out or get out of order. Requires no attachment below the platform and will last THREE TIMES as long as any pump. Will make bad water good, and good water better. A thorough investigation is all that is necessary to convince you of its merits.

SAIN, MERONEY & CO.

March 14-6m

ADVERTISE a large and varied stock of Goods, consisting in part of Sugar, Tea, Soap, Tinware, Lemons, Butter Nuts, Coffee, Spice, Saffron, Stone ware, Oranges, Cocoa Nuts, Bacon, Ginger, Washing Soda, Glassware, Apples, Pecans, Flour, Pepper, Lye, Crockery ware, Cabbages, Almonds, Lard, Nutmegs, Potash, Wooden ware, Confectionery, Currants, Hams, Copperas, Starch, Sitters, Candy, Prunes.

In fact the largest and best variety of Fancy and Staple Groceries kept in Orangeburg, at prices Ten to Twenty per cent less than any house in town.

I mean just what I say, I'll sell for less than any one, Or give my goods away.

A. B. WALKER,

Orangeburg, April 4, 1879. Leader of Low Prices.

NEW STORE NEW STORE

IN THE TOWN OF

ST. MATTHEWS.

D. A. SAIN NOTICES THE CITIZENS OF ST. MATTHEWS. AND THE public generally that in the old stand of Clark's, near the Depot, will be found a choice and rare selection of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Tobaccos and Segars, Liquors both Foreign and Domestic, Hardware, &c.,

And solicits a share of trade. Mr. J. PHIL SAIN, who is in charge of the store will be glad to greet any all of his old customers, and new ones too, whom he guarantees bargains as good as can be had in Charleston. Highest market price paid for all kinds of country produce.

D. A. SAIN.

St. Matthews, September 6, 1876.

LIGHTNING SEWER

THE NEW WILSON Oscillating Shuttle SEWING MACHINE



to wonderful in its conception, unprecedented for doing a large range of sewing in textile fabrics and leather. Its motions are continuous, admitting of an extraordinary rate of speed, either by steam or foot power. Every motion of the treadle makes six stitches, thus producing about one-third more work in a day than other Sewing Machines. It has no stop motions, and tightens the stitch with the needle out of the fabric. It uses the well-known Wilson Compound Foot on both sides of the needle. It has two-thirds less parts than any other first-class Sewing Machine. Its arm is fully eight and one-half inches long and five and one-half inches high, and the whole Machine is very compactly and scientifically constructed in proportions, elegance, design and appearance. Its simple, powerful and perfect mechanism places it as far in advance of all other Sewing Machines as the telephone is superior to the tin speaking tube. The WILSON WINDING ATTACHMENT, for repairing all kinds of textile fabrics WITHOUT PATCHING, is furnished FREE with all WILSON SEWING MACHINES, together with a Tucker, Ruffler, Cordor. Set of Mommers. Binder, etc.

These Machines are on exhibition and for sale by THEODORE KOHN, AGENT FOR Orangeburg County. Orangeburg, S. C., Nov. 7th, 1879.—19



HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR RENEWER. Has been in constant use by the public for over twenty years, and is the best preparation ever invented for RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS YOUTHFUL COLOR AND LIFE.

It supplies the natural food and color to the hair glands without staining the skin. It will increase and thicken the growth of the hair, prevent its blanching and falling out, and thus AVERT BALDNESS.

It cures itching, Eruptions and Dandruff. As a HAIR DRESSING it is very desirable, giving the hair a silken softness which all admire. It keeps the head clean, sweet and healthy.



BUCKINGHAM'S DYE FOR THE WHISKERS will change the beard to a BROWN or BLACK at discretion. Being in one preparation it is easily applied, and produces a permanent color that will not wash off.

PREPARED BY R. P. HALL & CO., NASHUA, N. H. Sold by all Dealers in Medicine.

October 3, 1879.—19

THE WHITE SEWING MACHINE THE BEST OF ALL.

Unrivalled in Appearance, Unparalleled in Simplicity, Unsurpassed in Construction, Unprecedented in Popularity, And Undisputed in the Broad Claim OF BEING THE VERY BEST OPERATING, QUICKEST SELLING, HANDSOMEST, AND Most Perfect Sewing Machine IN THE WORLD.



The great popularity of the White is the most convincing tribute to its excellence and superiority over other machines, and in submitting it to the trade we put it upon its merits, and in no instance has it ever yet failed to satisfy any recommendation in its favor.

The demand for the White has increased so much in extent that we are now compelled to turn out Complete Sewing Machine every three minutes in the day to supply the demand.

Every machine is warranted for 3 years, and sold for cash at liberal discounts, or upon easy payments, to suit the convenience of customers.

AGENTS WANTED IN UNOCCUPIED TERRITORY. WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO., No 259 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, Ohio. For Sale by

Henry Kohn.

CALL CALL

At the People's Bakery,

ESTABLISHED IN 1871, BY THE PRESENT PROPRIETOR Who is still ready and willing to

BREAD, ROLLS, PIES

AND CAKES. of all descriptions.

GUNGERS

by the barrel or box. ALSO BREAD FOR CAMP-MEETINGS, or Any other meetings at short notice.

JUST RECEIVED FRESH CONFECTIONERY, FANCY GOODS AND NOTIONS, which will be sold as low as any that can be bought in Orangeburg. Thankful for the past patronage of my friends and the public I still solicit a continuance of their custom.

T. W. ALBERGOTTI, RUSSELL STREET.

Next door to Mr. J. P. Harley, Orangeburg, Sept 13, 1878

D. F. FLEMING, JAS. M. WILSON August, 1878.

We are now opening, direct from the Manufacturers, a large and new stock of Boots, Shoes, and Trunks,

FOR FALL TRADE.

Orders solicited and promptly filled. All goods with our brand warranted.

D. F. FLEMING & CO. WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

BOOTS, SHOES AND Trunks.

No 2 Hayne street, Cor. of Church street, Charleston, S. C. sep 27-3

CHICAGO LEDGER. Established 1873. The Leading Literary Paper of the West. Only \$1.50 a Year. THE CHICAGO LEDGER is now approaching the close of the seventh year of its existence, having been established in the winter of 1872. The Ledger was started by its present proprietors with some miscellaneous aims as to the success of the enterprise. Many literary ventures of a kind that have been abandoned, and which have failed miserably, were attempted. The success of the Ledger is due to the fact that it has been the most extensively advertised newspaper enterprise. Others that were living, but struggling for a previous existence, have since yielded to inevitable fate and ceased to exist. The Ledger has now reached its seventh anniversary, and to-day the only weekly story paper printed in Chicago. The Ledger has not attained the plane of success upon which it now holds its position without earnest, well-directed effort. Its conductors have labored earnestly and persistently to do so, and have succeeded in making it not only an excellent literary paper, but also a most interesting and readable work acquainted with it. The Ledger has from thousands of dollars been expended in bringing its merits to the attention of the reading public. In fact, the Ledger has been the most extensively advertised newspaper in the West. The publishers have a feeling of pride in the success that has attended their efforts to build up a first-class literary paper in the capital city of the West. The circulation of the Ledger has rapidly grown, and by the 1st day of January will be not less than 25,000. The publishers do not mean to relax their efforts to make the Ledger the best weekly newspaper in the West, but intend to increase its work, and during the coming months will still further increase its value and usefulness. The weekly contents of the Ledger embrace, in addition to its serial novels, several short stories, a Home and Family Doctor department, embracing letters from women of experience on household management, household and kitchen economy, home and garden management, and also biographical sketches, historic papers, travels, poetry, and a mass of short articles on miscellaneous topics. Address: THE LEDGER, Chicago, Ill. Subscriptions to the THE CHICAGO LEDGER will be received at this office.