

GOOD SHOWS COMING

MANAGER O'DOWD HAS A NUMBER BOOKED.

"Buster Brown" the First.—Then "The Sins of a Father" and These Are to Be Followed by Others.

"Buster Brown," whose name is a household word almost all over the world will come to the Academy of Music on Friday, Jan. 27th, and it is hailed with delight and one grand exhilarating hurrah, for he comes this season with a splendidly equipped and new edition of the always popular musical comedy of the same name, "Buster Brown" which is always a success with a capital S. This season the play has been revised and equipped with an entirely new scenic dress, new and elaborate costumes, together with popular songs that are the latest and new music throughout. The cast, which is headed by Master Harold as "Buster" and Al Brady as "Tise," is said to be by far the best of any one of the many seen in the comedy. "Buster" needs no introduction, his face is too well known and the mirth provoking elements of the play have been too thoroughly tried.

"The Sins of the Father." Coming. A new Thomas Dixon play, in which that author leaves the historical field and pictures the life of the South today, is the interesting announcement at the Academy of Music for Monday, Jan. 30th. "The Sins of the Father"—for that is the title of the play—tells a story of love and hate, of lawless passion and its direct consequence, in the home of a gallant Confederate officer thirty-five years after the war. In it Mr. Dixon strikes the race problem at an entirely new angle, for on a member of Major Norton's household rests the suspicion of a taint of negro blood.

Creator's Italian Band. One of the largest and most brilliant audiences ever assembled in the Academy of Music will be present to welcome the famous Italian Band, Master Creator and His Band of fifty instrumentalists. Many doubtless will go out of curiosity to see whether Creator really does go through all those sensational stunts in directing his band with which he is credited. Others will go for the sake of the music, for no one can deny that the program surpasses any band program ever offered in this city. It includes great overtures which have thrilled music lovers throughout the world as well as daintier selections that make it well nigh impossible to keep the feet still. It will be a great event for this city and a treat that comes only too rarely.

"The Climax." It is a fortunate thing for local playgoers that the struggle between the two great theatrical forces has not deterred Joseph Weber from again sending out that charming idyl of Edward Locke's "The Climax" which last season was the dramatic delight of the country. The work of the Pittsburgh playwright is so homely, so gentle, so pure, with such a powerful grasp on the heartstrings of every human being capable of feeling any of the primal passions, that it will live long in the souls and brains of those who see it, even though the astute New York manager places it in the storehouse. With a forethought which is remarkable in this age of commercialism in things theatrical, Mr. Weber is sending out "The Climax" with a cast even better than that seen last season. Thomas Sinclair is cast as Dr. Raymond; Chester Barnett is the music-loving Pietro; Florence Weber is the budding prima donna; and Arthur Coglier is the maestro, Luigi. "The Climax" will be seen at the Academy of Music on February 2nd.

"The Cow and the Moon." Miss Hazel Rice, of "The Cow and the Moon" company which comes to the Academy of Music on February 8th, is one of the most interesting little personages in present day theatricals. She is known as the Dresden Doll of musical comedy; scarcely four feet in height, but perfect in form and figure, most pleasing features, and a personality that reaches out over the foot lights and fairly grasps one, she is most magnetic and charming. Miss Rice in the part of little Miss Ingeance, the maid who has never seen a man, has a role that suits her perfectly and she is said to be making the hit of her career. With a most pleasing voice, her singing of "Bridal Bells," "They All Look Alike to Mable," and "If They Are All as Nice As You" displays her talents as a comedienne most favorably. The "Cow and the Moon" is a companion play to "The Cat and The Fiddle" and is also wound on Nursery Rhyme lore, which made the latter so entertaining.

Should Be Vaccinated. On account of the close proximity of a case of small pox to this city steps are being taken to vaccinate the children attending the graded school as an act of precaution. All children attending the school may have to be vaccinated or show that they have been vaccinated or leave the school. This is the State law on the subject and all the children should be vaccinated to prevent them taking the disease should they come in contact with it.

No Small Pox Here. The statement that there was a case of small pox in this city is not true. There is a case out at a Gypsy camp near this city, but every precaution is being taken by the Board of Health to prevent it from being communicated to others. The camp where the case has developed is most strictly guarded day and night, and no one is allowed to visit it but the attending physician and members of the health department.

DEATH OF MRS. JULIA SALLEY.

One of Orangeburg's Oldest Citizens Passes Away.

After a long and tedious illness Mrs. Julia E. Salley, relict of the late Dr. A. S. Salley, passed quietly away at the home of her son, Mr. D. J. Salley, just beyond the city limits on the Belleville Road, on Tuesday morning, at the advanced age of eighty-six years. Many relatives and friends in all parts of this county will mourn the death of this sainted woman, who has gone to join the companion of her long married life in that world where sorrow and parting are not known.

Mrs. Salley before her marriage was Miss Julia Murrow, and her mother was a Miss Gramling, of this county. Her kinship as connection with many of the oldest and most prominent families of this county. It is now recalled that the land now owned by St. Paul's Methodist congregation of this city and on which stand the church buildings, was a gift from the father of Mrs. Salley to the struggling Methodists of his day.

Mrs. Salley connected herself with the Methodist church in early life and has been a consistent member ever since. For years she had her membership at St. Paul. She was a bright and cheerful spirit, indulged no despondent moods, and shed light and inspiration wherever she went.

As the wife of a physician, whose sympathy for suffering humanity caused him to sacrifice much to relieve distress in whatever form he found it, she was content to be always a copartner in those sacrifices, sharing with her husband whatever of sorrow and of joy came to them. Mrs. Salley leaves surviving her, besides a number of grandchildren and great grandchildren, five sons and one daughter, as follows: A. McQueen Salley, sheriff of this county; Dr. M. G. Salley, Julian A. Salley, and D. J. Salley, of Orangeburg and B. J. Salley, of Texas, and Mrs. James S. Heyward, of Columbia. Her funeral services took place at three o'clock yesterday afternoon and her remains were laid to rest in Sunnyside cemetery beside her beloved and lamented husband who had preceded her to the better land several years ago.

First Observation Car. The Carolina Special of the Southern Railway had the first observation car on Tuesday morning which it has yet carried. This addition was made by the officials of the road in response to many demands for it. The train is reported as being the most popular one on the branch of the Southern which includes this section, and its patronage is large and exclusive. The train now consists of one combination car, two first-class coaches, one Pullman drawing room, sleeper, dining and one Pullman observation car. One of the latest innovations in this fine train is the placing on every Pullman of free stationery, with the name Carolina Special engraved on both paper and envelopes. This stationery will always be at the disposal of the passengers.

Missionary Meeting. The Orangeburg Missionary Union will meet with the Bowman Baptist church on Saturday before the fifth Sunday in this month at ten o'clock. Rev. W. H. Gleaton will preach the introductory sermon and Rev. J. R. Fizer will preach the missionary sermon. The following queries will be discussed:

First—What is a pure and vital religion? Opened by J. W. Patrick. Second—What does the Bible teach us to do to our faith? Opened by Rev. J. W. Fizer. Third—Are professed Christians letting their lights shine before the world? Opened by Rev. W. H. Gleaton.

F. C. Metts, Clerk.

Change of Schedule. On and after next Monday the schedule of the Southern Carolina Special will be changed to leave Cincinnati at 6:30 p. m. instead of 5 p. m., in order to make all of the connections from Chicago and the Northwest. Corresponding changes at other points will be made, arriving at Columbia at 4:35 p. m., instead of 3:55 p. m., and Charleston, 8:45 p. m., instead of 8 p. m. Under the new schedule this train will reach Orangeburg about half-past six o'clock instead of a quarter to six o'clock as at present. There will be no change in the schedule of the west bound train.

Alluring Spring Catalogues. Are our merchants ready for the competition of those alluring spring catalogues from the metropolitan department stores? Of course the bargains at home are better, when you consider that the home merchant gives you his personal attention and the chance to return goods that are not what was represented. But the public forgets this, trade has to be drummed, and the only efficient salesman is the home newspaper.

Through to Charleston. Trains No. 22 and No. 35, now running between Augusta and Branchville on the Southern, will be extended to run between Charleston and Augusta after next Monday. No. 22 will leave Augusta at 3:45 p. m. and arrive at Charleston at 9:15 p. m. No. 35 will leave Charleston at 8 a. m. and arrive at Augusta at 1:40 p. m. This means additional service between Branchville and Charleston.

Governor Bleasie's Message. We print all of Gov. Bleasie's message in this issue except that part in which he goes for the editors in general and Editor Gonzales of The State in particular. We will print that portion of the message in our next issue, so as the people can read all of this somewhat remarkable document.

STARTLING STATEMENT.

Tree and Bird Expert Say English Sparrow a Nuisance.

John Davey, a noted tree culture and bird expert delivered a lecture in Charleston the other night on the culture of trees. Perhaps the most startling statement made by the famous tree surgeon came near the close of his lecture, while he was discussing the relation of trees to birds and the good work that the latter do in keeping down the hordes of pestilential insects which would otherwise destroy all green things.

The English Sparrow, he said, is so real a menace that it actually threatens humanity with extinction. It is estimated that there are five billions of these birds in America today. At the normal rate of increase, this number will have increased to thirteen trillions in the next five years, and should this increase continue in the same ratio, starvation and death will stare the human race in the face.

The English Sparrow does nothing to thirteen trillions in next five years, but it does have a disastrous effect upon all other birds that are useful in this respect. We must do something to check it, or else suffer the consequences. At present, it is doing what King George tried and failed—conquering America.

ATTENTION, MERCHANTS!

Reasons Why Advertised Goods Are Preferred.

"I buy advertised goods by preference," says G. H. Lorimer, editor of the Saturday Evening Post, "but I never write to the advertiser."

Millions of others do the same, and the advertiser has no idea how wide he has influenced the public save in the rising tide of his sales. Advertising has become such an essential of modern business that most people have come to regard it as the inevitable accompaniment of a successful enterprise.

To persuade the public to patronize Jones' store out at Lone Cross Roads would be a difficult task. People would not believe that a store thus located could get business enough to afford good bargains. Similarly a business that does not advertise usually lives in isolation and dullness like the remote cross roads store. The public argues that it cannot have volume of trade enough to offer good assortments of substantial goods or to sell at a close margin of profit.

Baptist Union Meeting.

Union No. 2 of the Orangeburg Association will meet with the Two Mile Swamp church Saturday before the fifth Sunday in this month.

Saturday morning at ten o'clock devotional exercises will be conducted by the moderator. The other exercises will be as follows:

- 10:30—Organization.
11:00—Introductory sermon by Rev. Paul A. Bolen.
12:00—Woman's place in church work, by Rev. E. M. Foreman.
1:00—Recess of one hour for dinner.
2:00—What claim has the world on us, by Rev. J. W. Kinney.
3:00—Is the devotional paper a power for good or not, by P. W. Hughes.
Sunday, 11:00 a. m.—Missionary sermon by Rev. J. R. Smith or Rev. W. H. Simpson.
12:00 m.—Miscellaneous business.
Adjournment.
J. B. Sheppard, Clerk.

Will Appeal Jones Case.

Attorney for J. J. Jones, the Branchville lawyer, who was convicted of manslaughter before Judge Memminger and sentenced to ten years and one month, for the killing of Abe Pearlstine at Branchville on December 15, last, will appeal in the Supreme Court Monday in habeas corpus proceedings and seek bail for Jones, pending an appeal notice of which has been given. Sentence of ten years and one month removes the question of granting or refusing bail from the Circuit Judge's jurisdiction, and the Supreme Court must consider the matter.

Will Get Here Earlier.

The regular way passenger train on the Southern will reach Orangeburg earlier on and after next Monday. No. 14 will leave Columbia at 3:15 p. m. instead of 4:20 p. m., arriving at Charleston 8:10 p. m., instead of 9:15 p. m. No. 13 will leave Charleston at 7:05 a. m., instead of 8 a. m., arriving at Columbia at 11:45 a. m., instead of 12:45 p. m. The train from Charleston will arrive here about ten each morning instead of at eleven o'clock, and the evening; from Columbia will arrive here about five instead of after six o'clock as at present.

Notice.

On the 24th day of January, 1911, at 11 o'clock, I will let out to the lowest responsible bidder, a contract to repair the bridge over the South Edisto river on the new road leading from North to Livingston, in Elizabeth township. Specifications will be made known at the time and place of letting the contract. The right is hereby reserved to reject any and all bids.

F. J. D. Felder, Supervisor.

Revive Edisto Rifles.

A meeting was held last night for the purpose of reviving the Edisto Rifles, which was mustered out of service a few years ago because of some friction with the late Adj. Gen. Boyd. Gen. Moore is very desirous that this military organization, which is one of the oldest in the State, become at an early day a part of his command, and it is understood will do all in his official capacity possible to effect its reorganization.

THEY HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

Two Farmers Tried to Shoot Balloonists in Passing.

J. Cowan Hulbert and Paul J. McCullough, the aeronauts of St. Louis, whose flight from that city last Sunday terminated when the balloon landed near Scooba, Miss., on Monday, after being fired at twice, arrived in New Orleans Wednesday morning. They will take a ship from here to New York.

"High winds drifted us southward," said Mr. Hulbert, "and instead of landing in New York we had to come down in Mississippi to avoid being blown out over the Gulf."

"After leaving St. Louis a strong wind got us and we were blown across Illinois. Near Mount Vernon, when less than 800 feet high, we heard a shot, and a bullet whistled through the basket, barely missing us. In Kentucky another farmer fired at us, but we were out of range."

"We passed over the Wabash river into Indiana and were blown to the southeast across Kentucky and Tennessee, into Alabama, passing near Birmingham."

THEY DIVIDED THEIR LOOT.

Robbers Had Money Spread Out on Bed and Chairs.

The tale of a negro bellman at a Hot Springs, Ark., hotel of great piles of money lying about a room led to the arrest of Charles H. Everett, charged with having secured \$1,800 from the People's Savings bank of Seattle, and for whom detectives had been searching through a half dozen states. Four men occupied a room, according to the negro, and when he was summoned to bring them liquid refreshments he saw huge stacks of bills distributed on the bed and chairs. When the police arrived the men had disappeared, but memorandums were found showing that various groups of figures, in the aggregate \$286,000, had been divided into four parts. Circulars brought bank detectives here post haste and the arrest of Everett, who had engaged the hotel apartments, followed.

Assessment Notice For 1911 Personal Property.

Notice is hereby given that I, or deputy, will be at the following named places on the days specified for the purpose of taking returns of personal property for taxation in Orangeburg County for the fiscal year 1911.

All taxpayers must give the number of School District in which property is located. Special care should be taken in locating property in or near special school districts. School trustees in the different townships are requested to meet the Auditor at these appointments and assist in the proper location of special school and poll taxes.

All personal property owned on the first day of January, 1911, must be returned and all transfers of real estate noted.

All persons whose income exceed \$2500.00 per annum (clear of business expenses) are liable to the State income tax. Blanks for income tax returns will be furnished upon application to the Auditor.

- Bowman, Tuesday, Jan. 3.
Branchville, Wednesday, Jan. 4.
Rowesville, Thursday, Jan. 5.
Cope, Friday, Jan. 6.
Canaan Church, Saturday, Jan. 7.
Holly Hill, Monday, Jan. 9.
Eutawville, Tuesday, Jan. 10.
Ferguson, Wednesday, Jan. 11.
Vance, Thursday, Jan. 12.
Parlers, Friday, Jan. 13.
Livingston, Monday, Jan. 16.
Dru Sawyer's, Tuesday, Jan. 17.
Springfield, Wednesday, Jan. 18.
Gleaton, Thursday, Jan. 19.
Norway, Friday, Jan. 20.
Elloree, Monday, Jan. 23.
E. E. Bull's, Tuesday, Jan. 24.
Woodford, Thursday, Jan. 26.
North, Friday, Jan. 27.
Phillips, Saturday, Jan. 28.
Orangeburg Court House from Jan. 1st, to Feb. 20th, inclusive.
Office hours from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.
T. M. McMichael,
County Auditor, O. C.

Takes a Fatal Leap.

At St. Louis H. E. Whitmore, aged 68, leaped from a window in the eighth story of the Marquette Hotel to the pavement below, killing himself instantly. Despondency over his continued illness and the death of his wife is given as the cause for the act. Whitmore was a member of one of the wealthiest and best known St. Louis families.

Gold on Georgia Farm.

While at play on the farm of John W. Harris, four miles from Tallapoosa, Ga., a day or two ago, a child discovered a large nugget of gold and further search by older persons led to the finding of a considerable quantity of the yellow metal. The farm is in the center of the Georgia gold belt and the discovery is regarded here as an important one.

Hold Posse at Bay.

Armed with revolvers and firing scores of shots, two boys, Charles and Henry Roberts, 18 years old, who escaped from the Tennessee industrial schools on the Murfreesboro pike, held at bay a posse of more than 100 men yesterday afternoon. After a miniature battle lasting a good portion of the afternoon they made good their escape.

Used Much Beer.

Greater New York consumed 8,500,000 barrels of beer during the year 1910, according to a report just made public. This is about an average of two barrels a year for every man, woman and child in the city. Throughout the United States, the year's consumption reached a total of nearly sixty millions.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

PICKED UP ALL OVER TOWN BY OUR REPORTERS.

What Is Happening Here and There.

Local Items of Personal Interest to Our Readers.

The indications are that we are about to have a "spell" of weather. It would be well for all who have not been vaccinated to be vaccinated at once as a precaution.

Look at the address label and if you are behind in paying for your paper come up and settle.

The Orangeburg College has had to turn away students for the want of room to accommodate them.

If you do not get your Times and Democrat regular kick so as we will know about it and remedy it.

There is danger of small-pox being spread all over the State by the Gypsies and the carnival companies.

There are many who think the sentence imposed on Jones, under the circumstances of the killing, is excessive.

When Judge Memminger congratulated Jones on the light sentence he received, he must have been speaking ironically.

We publish nearly all of Gov. Bleasie's message to the legislature on the first and third pages. Read it and see what he has to say.

The Carolina Special now stops at St. Matthews and St. George. The people of these hustling little cities will find it a great convenience.

If any of the lawyers in this city or elsewhere have any law briefs they wish printed they would do well to see us before giving it out.

L. Bascom Rast died recently after a long and painful sickness. He was about 50 years of age and a highly respected and useful citizen of Swansea.

No one need hesitate to visit the city for fear of catching the small pox. The only case about here is at the Gypsy camp and is being closely guarded.

Senator Lide is pulling for a thirty days' session of the legislature. While that is plenty long enough to do all that is necessary to be done, we fear that the Senator will have a hard time getting his really meritorious measure through.

Health Officer Schifley has visited the Gypsy camp where the case of small pox is confined several times, and has been liberal in the use of disinfectants and the use of other precautionary measures to prevent the spread of the disease among the other members of the band.

The quarantine at the Gypsy camp, where the case of small pox developed, will be maintained until all danger of the spread of the disease is passed. Then the Gypsies will be allowed to go, but their bedding and other things that is likely to spread the disease will be destroyed by fire.

TAX NOTICE.

Office of County Treasurer, Orangeburg County, Orangeburg, S. C., October 1st, 1910.

The regular Tax Duplicate will be open for collection of all taxes due State, County and School for Orangeburg County, from the 15th day of October to the 31st of December, inclusive.

The following is the levy: State Tax 5 3-4 mills. Ordinary County 4 1-2 mills. County School Tax 3 mills. Road Tax 1 mill.

Total 14 1-4 mills. Also the following special local Taxes:

Table with columns: District No., Special Tax, Bonded Debt.

District No. 27 4.
District No. 28 4.
District No. 29 3.
District No. 34 3.
District No. 36 6.
District No. 8 3.
District No. 11 3.
District No. 18 2.
District No. 12 2.
District No. 13 2.
District No. 20 4.
District No. 21 2.
District No. 22 2.
District No. 23 2.
District No. 26 5.
District No. 37 2.
District No. 38 2.
District No. 40 4.
District No. 41 4.
District No. 42 2.
District No. 43 3.
District No. 44 3.
District No. 46 3.
District No. 47 1.
District No. 48 4.
District No. 49 2.
District No. 55 3.
District No. 64 3.
District No. 65 5.
District No. 68 4.
District No. 70 5.
District No. 71 4.
District No. 72 4.
District No. 74 4.
District No. 75 2.
District No. 76 3.
District No. 78 3.
District No. 82 3.
District No. 83 3.
District No. 86 2.

Commutation Road Tax will be received at same time. The time for payment of Road Taxes expires March 1st, 1911.

A. D. FAIR, County Treasurer, O. C.

Fooling With Gasoline.

At Madeira, Cal., Hold Miner, aged 8 years and Horace Russel, aged 16, were burned to death when a fifty-gallon gasoline tank was exploded by matches with which they were playing. Both boys ran three blocks with their clothes blazing. Then they were stopped and the fire extinguished.

The Great Clearance Sale

at Geo. V. Zeigler's is giving more real bargains than any sale ever given before.

This fact is shown by the large crowds in attendance. Many going away on Saturday not being able to be served. Come again friends, and we will give you goon service and save you more money on your purchases during this month.

Remember this sale continues through the month of January.

A DELIGHTFUL COMPANION. Any one of these especially desirable novels heretofore published at \$1.50 may now be had at the Special Price of 50 Cents per Volume. The maximum of pleasure for the minimum of price. The Man from Brodney's, The Firing Line, The Daughter of Anderson Crow, The Lure of the Mask, The Man in Lower Ten, Lavender and Old Lace, Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm, The Garden of Allah, The Fly on the Wheel, The Lion and the Mouse, Rosalind at Red Gate, The Bishop's Carriage, Lady Rose's Daughter, The Other Side of the Door, Diana of Dobson's, Old Chester Tales, The Virginian, Gretchen, Jewel, The Post Girl, The Riverman, Together.

SIMS BOOK STORE Orangeburg, S. C. Mr. F. N. Rickenbaker, of Orangeburg, now represents The Southern Marble & Granite Co of Spartanburg, S. C. The Leading Manufacturers and Dealers in Monuments, Coping and Headstones. This firm has erected some of the largest and most handsome monuments in the Orangeburg Cemetery, and we ask your careful inspection of same. See their designs and get their prices.