The Weekly Clarion.

Thursday - - - - April 6. 1871

The professional card of Messrs. A. G. and J. A. Brown, will be found in our columns to day.

Sheriff Lake has removed to his ff. ier office in the Capitol adjoining the Supreme Court room.

One glass lamp, filled with coal oil, cost the town of Batesville, Miss., $50,000 last Monday. There is no town there now to see the lamp.

Directors for the N. O. J. & G. N. Railroad are to be elected on Monday, 18th. See official notice of the Secretary.

The New Yorkers—or at least the Southern element in New York—is anxious to transfer Rev. Dr. Palmer of New Orleans to that city. We have no idea they will succeed. He cannot be spared.

It will be seen by our advertising columns that the Cooper's Wells property is for rent or lease. What a pity that this property cannot be suitably improved as a summer resort. The health restoring properties of the water have been demonstrated in thousands of instances. The location is certainly desirable.

The bill for the incorporation of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Mississippi, has passed both houses of the Legislature, and, when approved, will be published in the Masonic Department of this paper. This accomplishes the incorporation of all Subordinate Lodges holding charters from the Grand Lodge.

Central Female Institute honored our city on Saturday last with a large delegation of beautiful shoppers. We had the pleasure of observing some of them extracting from our friend Bob. Saunders some of his best smiles as he displayed the new and the beautiful goods now on the shelves and counters of Robinson & Stevens. Moral: The CLARION is read at the Institute, and Robinson & Stevens advertise in it.

The widow of a clergyman who died recently in Copiah county, received two thousand dollars a few days since in full payment of a policy in the Piedmont and Arlington Company, which is represented in this city by Capt. John T. Buck. It is one of the soundest Companies doing business among us. Its payments on policies last year were quite heavy, but its Annual Statement indicates substantial popularity and steady increase.

POISONING.—We are informed that on Monday last a trial of negroes was in progress at Brandon on a charge of poisoning members of the family of Mr. Jos. Raines of Rankin county.

The Presbytery of Central Mississippi, which convened at Durant on Friday evening last, adjourned Monday evening, after a delightful meeting. The next meeting of Presbytery is to be held at Raymond. Rev. D. McInnis, of Oxford, and Hon. Geo. T. Swann, of this city, were chosen as delegates to the General Assembly, which meets in Huntsville, Ala., next month.

CAPT. T. S. HARDEE, whose labors in the map line have not only been persevering, but successful, favored us with a call yesterday, and exhibited sections of the new Map of Mississippi, including the new counties. The map will not be completed until after the adjournment of the present session of the Legislature, so as to embrace all new boundary lines that may be established. The engraving, and general execution of this map is the best that we have ever seen. The land sections are indicated by squares and numbers. Those who purchased the old map will receive this at half price. We trust the Captain's labors will be suitably appreciated by the Legislature and the public.

It affords us pleasure to give the following well deserved compliment to our friend J. A. Brown, Esq., from the Meridian Gazette, inserted in our columns:

PERSONAL.—In conjunction with District Attorney Walker, J. A. Brown, Esq., was retained by Gov. Alcorn to conduct the investigation of the events of the late riot. It is but due to him to say that he performed his part with great credit to himself, in the interests of justice, the dignity of the commonwealth and the rights of the persons accused. He is the son of ex-Governor A. G. Brown, whose name is a household word among us, and whose fame is the peculiar pride of all true Mississippians—especially those of the "Mighty East." The son, we England to say, is worthy of the sire, and is possessed of all the high qualities that ennoble man, and insure success in life.

"VOUDOOISM."—A gentleman brought to our office yesterday a peculiar roll of feathers, taken from one of the pillows used in his family bed-room. The roll is about eight inches long and three or four inches in circumference and is made up of feathers of various domestic fowls. The attention of the family was first directed to an examination by a neighbor who had herself discovered similar curiosities; she observed the end of a pillow had been ripped open and sewed up again in rather clumsy style, this led to an examination, and the disclosure of several packages or bunches of feathers. The gentleman who brought the roll to our office instituted a search on his premises and is satisfied that he found half a bushel of the curiosities. The only solution arrived at is that they were put there by the house servants to "conjure" the occupants, for it is known that the vagabond gypsies that infest the country at present, deal largely in this style of goods. In some instances poisonous weeds and berries have been used, causing painful illness to the unfortunate occupant of the bed that had been thus "hoodooed."

MARRIED.

Near Jackson, Miss., on the 16th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, G. W. Sullivan, by the Rev. W. C. Crane, D. D., Dr. L. W. HALL, of Frederica, Del., and Miss ANNIE E. SULLIVAN.

Missouri Republican and Mexico Ledger please copy.

OBITUARY.

The death of SAMUEL DONNELL occurred on Sunday evening last. As the sun was setting, he sank quietly to rest. He had been an invalid for some years, but awaited the final dissolution with much resignation. The funeral obsequies took place yesterday afternoon from the Episcopal Church. The Masonic fraternity, and many friends of the deceased, accompanied the remains to the spot which he had selected for his resting place. The deceased had attained the thirty-fifth year on the 4th January last, and grew from boyhood in our city. He leaves a large circle to mourn his departure. Mr. Donnell was the Chancery Clerk of this county, and discharged the duties of that office acceptably to the public.

DIED.

At the residence of Mrs. Sallie D. Watkins, in Rankin county, Miss., on the 24th inst., at fifteen minutes past two o'clock, P. M., after a long and painful illness, MARIAN SHELBY WATKINS, wife of W. E. Ross, aged 38 years, two months and nine days.

Brandon, Holly Springs, Memphis and Huntsville, (Ala.) papers please copy.

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Jackson as Seen by a Visitor.

We make the following extracts from a letter written by Rev. B. G. Manard, during a tour through our State, to the Mississippi Department of the Memphis Baptist of which Rev. (Gen.) M. P. Lowery is editor:

JACKSON, Miss., March 3, 1871.

Our last letter was from this place, and contained notes of observation as to the *status* of churches and Sunday-schools from Holly Springs to this point. Here we were most hospitably entertained by Bro. Hackett, in whom we found a warm friend and an ardent well-wisher of our work. While his pastoral charge is not large, in many respects it is an exceedingly interesting one. His people are fond of him, and as far as consistent with their means contribute liberally to his support. Bro. Hackett is a live Sunday-school man—one from theory and not impulse. He appreciates the great need of this grand auxiliary to denominational success, and especially in order to bring the children and youth to Jesus. Enjoying, as he does, the confidence and esteem of the brethren of this portion of the State, he has not failed to exercise his utmost influence in the furtherance of this great enterprise of our denomination. As we were in the city only a day, at our last writing, we did not have an opportunity to visit his Sunday-school, but learned that it was a very interesting one, and, as is usually characteristic of Baptist schools, was much larger than the church membership. Bro. Hacket is a strong man, and admirably adapted to the responsible relation which he sustains to our cause in this city and country. While of acknowledged ability, he commands not only the esteem and respect of his own people, but that of the world, who are not in sympathy with him denominationally.

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THE LEGISLATURE.

We took a peep at this body of Solons—the law-makers and givers of Mississippi. Such a sight! Sad, indeed, was the contrast with the high standard which she sustained in *ante-bellum* days. To say nothing of the absence of the distinguished talent that then made her immortal, gave her a prestige as wide as the hemispheres, the utter disregard for all order or decorum, for all parliamentary dignity, was most humiliating and shameful. The occupation of the Speaker's chair in the House of Representatives by an adventurer, who has no sympathy with the people, the jabberings and rantings of the illiterate freedmen, and the vociferous shoutings of disapprobation, by the negroes, of all measures not in harmony with their low instincts and prejudices, the seconding of all this vulgarity by their equals, the so-called Republicans—was a scene that beggared description. In the Senate the scene was but little better. These bodies seem to rival each other in an effort to not only break the spirit of the proud and chivalrous Mississippian, but to fleece, to rob and bankrupt him and his noble State; and unless there is an early change of legislators the latter will be effected; the former, never. We hope that the earnest expectation of Mississippi's best citizens may be realized at an early day, in throwing off of this yoke of despotism, and that she shall resume her wonted prosperity and freedom.

Blair On Morton..

EXTRACT FROM SENATE DEBATE.

Mr. Morton proceeded to read from what he stated to be an official list of murders and outrages committed in Kentucky.

Mr. Stevenson inquired what official list he meant? Mr. Morton replied it was an official record prepared by the Freedmen's Bureau. (Derisive laughter on the Democratic side.)

Mr. Stevenson. We do not recognize the Freedman's Bureau as an authority in Kentucky.

Mr. Morton. You do r notecognize any authority. You do not allow negroes to testify. If you could succeed in excluding all testimony, it would be easy for you to prove that Kentucky is a law-abiding state.

Mr. Blair desired Senator Morton to answer, candidly, the question—whether negroes had not been entrusted with the ballot in order to obtain Republican votes?

Mr. Morton replied it was well known that reconstruction would not be accomplished on a white basis. The white people of the South would not accept the situation.

Mr. Blair, emphatically: They did accept the situation. They did abolish slavery, and never lifted a hand against the goverment since, and any one who asserts the contrary asserts that which is false. (General applause in the galleries)

The chair (Mr. Anthony) warned the galleries that a repetition of such a demonstration would cause them to be instantly cleared.

Danger Ahead.

A single spark may kindle a flame that will consume a city, and small ailments neglected, may end in fatal disorders. Bearing this fact in mind, let the first symptoms of debility or nervous prostration be met promptly with invigorating treatment.—Foremost among the vegetable tonics of the age stands Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, and whenever the vital powers seem to languish, or there is any reason to suspect that the animal functions essential to the sustenation and purification of the body are imperfectly performed this invaluable invigorant and antiseptic should at once be resorted to. Indigestion always produces weakness of the bodily powers. Sometimes it happens that the appetite demands more food than the stomach can digest; though not more, perhaps, than is required to keep up the full strength of the frame. The object under such circumstances, is to increase the digestive capacity of the assimilating organ, so as to make it equal to the duty imposed upon it by the appetite, and capable of supplying the *building material of the system* as fast as it is required. This object is fully accomplished by the use of the Bitters.—They tone and gently stimulate the cellular membrane which secretes the gastric juice, and the result is that the solvent is mingled with the food in sufficient quantity to convert all its nourishing particles into pure and wholesome element. If, on the other hand, there is a deficiency, of appetite, without any corresponding deficiency of digestive power, the effect of the tonic is to stimulate a desire for food. In nineteen cases out of twenty, headaches, nausea, nervousness, fainting-fits, spasms, and, indeed, most of the casual aches and pains to which humanity is subject, proceed primarily from indigestion complicated with biliousness; and for both these complaints Hostetter's Stomach Bitters are recommended as a speedy and certain remedy.

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Smith County has a Rival.

From the Coffeeville Times.

Old Yalobusha is an out and out Democratic county—she owes no debt but what can be liquidated as soon as presented. Our county treasurer calls for more warrants, and none are presented. "How is that for High?" Where is your radical county that can say as much? If the reins at Jackson were in the hands of Democrats, not only one but every county in the State would be able, in a very short time, to show the same statement that Yalobusha now does: and the State itself could do the same thing.

The Last Spike Driven...Completion of the Memphis & Little Rock Railroad.

The last rail on the Memphis & Little Rock railroad was laid on Thursday. This important work, after nearly twenty years' delay, is p actically finished, with the exception of White river bridge, which will be completed ready for running trains, within ten days.

Trains can now run from Madison to Oe Vall's Bluff, on White river and thence with transfer, to Little Rock.

DO YOU THINK IT A SIN?

Do you think it a sin in the gloaming
To sit near a neat fitting dress,
With the daintiest of maidens within it,
And lilly-white fingers to press?
Or to peep into eyes that are glancing
From darkly fringed eyelids below?

Or to see just beyond where she's sitting
A something you ought to repair.
And pass your arm round her and fix it,
And then to forget your arm there;
Or, just in the fit of abstraction,
To tell her there's something you miss,
And while she's helping you to find it,
To steal from her mouth a sweet kiss?

And as she's reproving you mildly,
You draw in your arm rather tight;
And tell her you're sorry you did it,
If she does not think it quite right;
And then in your penitent moment
You say that to you it is plain
You ought, as a matter of honor,
To give her the kiss back again.

Yet how to do so is the puzzle.
For in viewing the matter all o'er.
If I give back the kiss I have stolen,
She might say I'd taken one more!
Oh, I am sadly perplexed and confounded,
I want to be just and polite,
Don't you think that 'twere better to coax her
To give me to kissing the right?

I'm afraid I've committed a blunder,
And acted somewhere like a dunce:
I think I must get up my courage,
And ask her to wed me at once.
I've done it—and she has consented—
What a fortunate man I have been!
And now you may keep your opinion—
I don't think I've committed a sin.

Grammar by Rhyme.

1. Three little words you often see,
Are articles *a*, *an* and *the*.
2. A noun's the name of anything,
As *school* or *garden*, *hoop* or *swing*.
3. Adjectives tell the kind of Noun,
As *great*, *small*, *pretty*, *white*, or *brown*.
4. Instead of Nouns the Pronouns stand—
Her *head*, his *face*, your *arm*, my *hand*.
5. Verbs tell of something to be done—
To *read*, *count*, *sing*, *laugh*, *jump* or *run*.
6. How things are done the Adverbs tell,
As *slowly*, *quickly*, *ill* or *well*.
7. Conjunctions join the words together,
As men *and* women, wind *or* weather.
8. The Preposition stands before,
A Noun, as *of* or *through* a door.
9. The Interjection shows surprise,
As, *Ah!* how pretty—*Oh!* how wise.
The whole are called Nine Parts of Speech.
Which reading, writing, speaking teach.

Col. Harris, of Livingston, Alabama, is in the city, and is to-day engaged in getting up the papers to prefer a claim to the Governor, on behalf of Adam Kennard, negro, for the reward offered in the Ku-Klux proclamation, for catching Dan. Price, white, Republican, on the charge of Ku-Kluxing him, the said Kennard.—Meridian Mercury.

We regret very much that the nomination made by Governor Alcorn of Col. E. D. Thomas, District Attorney for this District, was not confirmed by the Senate. They rejected him by one vote. We hope that the Senate will reconsider the matter and confirm his appointment.—Valonian.

YOUNG AMERICA.—A couple of boys aged respectively, fifteen and sixteen, had an altercation on last Tuesday which resulted in "pistols and coffee." We think milk and switches would have been more appropriate weapons, to be used by their parents.—Holly Springs South.

From the Carroll Conservative.

"How is this for High."

Dr. Bernard Hicks sends us his tax receipts for 1869 and 1870. The one of 1869 is for $12 50, and that of 1870 for $20, and both on the same property. The question is what is the necessity for such an increase, and will it stop at this in the hands of our present rulers.

There was quite a youthful marriage in Lawrence, Tennessee, on the 5th instant; Mr. Gibbons, aged fifteen, to Miss Griffith, aged thirteen.

Spank 'em and put 'em in their little bed.

The New Republican Party Movement.

CINCINNATI, March 26.—The Central Republican association, the formation of which was announced last week, completed their organization on Saturday by electing a full list of officers. Public meetings, both English and German, will be held early in April. The executive committee was instructed to arrange for a series of political lectures by George William Curtis, Carl Schurz, Lyman, Trumbull and others.

A Loyal League Ex-Official in Hockley.

From the Meridian Mercury.

Wes. Twilley, ex-Supervisor, a black negro, who was put under arrest and brought here on a charge of being engaged in an insurrectionary plot, and released on bond, was detected, night before last, in an effort to get away on the Jackson train, and detained. He is now in jail at Marion.

Masonic Department.

CONDUCTED BY J. L. POWER.

Contributions to this Department are solicited from the Craft throughout the State.

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ANCIENT AND ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE.—During the session of the Grand Lodge in January last, a Council of Kadosh (30th degree) was organized in this city. A warrant of constitution having been received the following list of officers elected is made public:

Fredric Speed, 32d, Vicksburg, venerable commander-in-chief.
William A. Fairchild, 32d, Vicksburg, first-lieutenant commander.
Benjamin Springer, 32d, Vicksburg, second-lieutenant commander.
J. M. Howry, 32d, Oxford, orator.
William Cothran, 32d, Carrollton, chancellor.
William L. Coakley, 32d, Vicksburg, treasurer.
William K. Douglas, 32d, Early Grove, almoner.
A. G. McN. Russell, 32d, Vicksburg, master of ceremonies.
James Watts, 32d, Meridian, grand marshal.
John Armstrong, 32d, Meridian, expert.
Andrew J. Dirr, 32d, Vicksburg, standard bearer.—Vicksburg Herald.

PHILADELPHIA LODGE, No. 93.—The Grand Lodge having restored the Charter of this Lodge, it was re-organized on the 21st of February—the following elected officers having beeen installed by R.·. W.·. H. C. Robinson Grand Lecturer:

H. C. Greer, W. M. W. W. Smith, Treas.
J. Q. Adams, S. W. J. C. Wilson. Sec'y.
S. T. Durant, T. W. J. F. Arlidge, S. & T.

HAZLEHURST LODGE, No. 25.—Gallatin Lodge, 25, and Hazlehurst Lodge, No 245, having, by the consent of the Grand Lodge, consolidated under the name and No. of *Hazlehurst Lodge*, No. 25, the officers for the new Lodge were elected March 5th, and installed by Past Master John A. Hull. The officers are as follows:

W. W. Cook, W. M. Geo. Rea, Treas.
W. J. Rea, S. W. J. C. Pitts, Sec'y.
J. A. Hull, J. W. P. W. Harper, Tyler.

EARL DE GRAY AND RIPON.—The Grand Lodge of the District of Columbia, desiring to extend a fraternal welcome to this distinguished craftsman, who is the Grand Master of Masons in England, propose a banquet at the Masonic Temple, in Washington, on Monday evening, April 10th, to which the several Grand Masters throughout the United States are being invited. We hope Grand Master Fearn will make it convenient to attend, and that on his return he will report the result of his observations through this Department.

Another Imposter.

The Grand Secretary has been advised by Bro. M. M. Moore, P.·. M.·., of Columbus Lodge. No. 7, Columbus, Ga., that a chap calling himself W. H. Derwort, has been imposing on the good natured fraternity in that vicinity. He is described as "a small, red-faced English looking person, about 40 years of age, and slightly limps from feet being contracted with rheumatism." He made a number of false representations among others, that he was a member of Manhattan Lodge, Brooklyn, and Globe Lodge, New York. Derwort kept a boarding house in Washington City in 1865 and 1866, and enjoyed the reputation of cheating all with whom he had dealings. He is evidently a "dead-beat." Look sharp for him.

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An election for Eighteen Directors of this Company, will be held at the office of the Company, on Camp street, opposite Lafayette Square, on Monday, April 17th, 1871, from 9 to 3 o'clock. PROVIDED a majority of the stock of the Company is represented at said election. But if a majority of the stock be not then represented, the election will be held on Monday, April 24th, 1871, at same hour and place.

R. S. CHARLES, Secretary.
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In the Chancery Court of the First District at Rules, Feb. 21st, 1871.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, HINDS COUNTY.

MRS. SALLIE G. BROWNE, by her next friend, &c., vs. JAMES M. F. BROWNE,

UPON opening the complainants Bill in this cause, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant, James M. F. Browne, is not a citizen of the State of Mississippi, but resides beyond the limits thereof so that the ordinary process of this Court cannot be served on him It is, therefore, ordered that he enter his appearance herein on or before the next term of this Court, to be holden at the court room in the town of Jackson, the 3d Monday in April next ensuing, and plead, answer or demur to complainants bill or the several allegations thereof will be taken for confessed as to him. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the Weekly Clarion, a newspaper published in the city of Jackson once a week for one month.

SAMUEL DONNELL, Clerk.
GEO. DONNELL, D. C. March 2, w4t

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