Educational.

To the Public.

PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT OF THE

LaGrange Synodical College.

THE Trustees and Faculty of the LaGrange Synodical College, are at length enabled to publicly announce that the Preparatory Department will be opened for the reception of pupils on MONDAY, 1ST DAY OF FEBRUARY.

The Principal of this department is appointed by the Faculty, and the discipline of the school, and the whole curriculum of instruction are under the general supervisionship of the President of the College and the Principal of the Department.

At the period of the establishment, as stated by the name, of a preparatory students for college, the studies pursued will be confined to such a course as will embrace the requisite for admission to the Freshman Class.

The terms of this department will be as follows: Tuition $40 per scholastic year. One-half payable first of February, the other first October.

Contingent fee payable as above. feb4-6tw

Shelby Military Institute.

THE Eighth session of this Institution will open on MONDAY, the 1st of February next.

TERMS:
(Payable in advance.)

Tuition	$20 to $25
Modern Languages (extra)	$10
Board, per month	$10
Lights and Washing, "	$1

FACULTY.

Col. A. M. SAFFER, Supt. and Teacher of Greek.
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Major J. S. EVANS, Professor of Latin.
Maj. S. H. COLEMAN, Professor of Mathematics.
Rev. R. R. EVANS, Professor of Moral Science.
O. L. THORDON, Professor of French.
Lectures will be delivered semi-monthly or monthly. jan24-dawtiw

Brownsville Female Institute.

THE Spring Session will commence on MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8TH. Prof. Hawkins has been elected Principal, and Prof. Wendel, "the well known teacher and composer," will continue at his post. The Principals and Professors in the Male divisions of the Institute will be at their posts to the school as usual. The Institute is delightfully situated in a healthy locality, and is equal to any other in the South. The Principal and Professors have spared no pains to make their school attractive to the patronage of the public. Board can be obtained in the city at reasonable rates. For catalogues containing terms, &c., address

W. W. HAWKINS.

Andrew College,

Trenton, Tenn

THIS SPRING SESSION of this Institution will commence on the FIRST MONDAY in FEBRUARY NEXT. Students will find it to their interest to be in at the opening of the session.

J. W. SLIDER, President Board Trustees.

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Cumberland Female College,

McMinnville, Tenn.

THE next session of this Institution will commence on the FIRST MONDAY in March next.

The Board of Trustees take pleasure in announcing that they have secured the services of D. M. DONNELL, A.M., of Florida, as President of the College, who will be assisted by an able corps of accomplished teachers in the various departments.

TERMS OF TUITION.

Preparatory Department	$8 00	$10 00
Academic "	12 00	15 00
Collegiate "		15 00
Music "		25 00
Ornamental Branches		10 00
Contingent Fee		1 00
Boarding at the College, including Lights, Fuel and Washing		80 00

The best option is supplied with a superior Chemical and Philosophical Apparatus, Maps, Globes, &c., affording every facility for the study of the Sciences.

The Institution is situated at a point remarkable for its healthfulness, and good society, and is accessible by railroad to the whole South.

With the attractions enumerated, and having a large and well arranged College building, capable of accommodating from three to four hundred pupils, the Trustees feel confident that the institution is only merits, but will receive an increased patronage.

THO. C. SMART,
Secretary Board of Trustees.

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Trust Sales, &c.

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a Deed of Trust, executed on the 16th January, 1856 by William L. Mitchell, as trustee, and recorded in the Register's office of Shelby county, Tennessee, on the 21st day of January, 1856, in book 22, pages 410 and 411, for the purpose of securing the payment of certain debts therein specified, I shall, as trustee, on the said deed, on WEDNESDAY, the 16th day of March next, proceed to sell at public auction, for cash, on the premises, about three miles east of Memphis, on the new State Line road, the following described lands, or so much thereof as will satisfy the claims secured in said deed of trust. To wit: Two Lots of Land situated in Shelby county, Tennessee, on the new State line road, about three miles east of Memphis, containing in the aggregate, about thirty-nine acres of land, which will be bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake, on the northeast corner of Hicks' premises, running north with a boundary of said premises 17 chains and 46 links to a stake; thence east 10 chains to a stake; thence north 31 chains and 67 links to a stake in the center of the new State Line road; thence west 3 dec. north with the center of said road 10 chains and 3 links to the beginning—known as Lots No. 1 and 2 in Mr. Cooper's survey and sub division.

The title to the above property is believed to be undoubted, but the right of redemption being waived, I shall only convey such title as is vested in me as trustee.

JAMES T. PETTIT, Trustee

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Notice.

IN pursuance of the power and authority vested in me under a Deed of Trust, executed to me and recorded by Thos. Hall, on the 10th of May 1856, and registered in the Register's office of Shelby county, Tennessee, in Book 22, pages 38, 39 and 40, for the purpose of securing to James Jenkins, the payment of certain debts therein mentioned, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for Cash, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of February next, in front of the office of the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Side of the Chancery Court of the city of Memphis, a certain tract of Land, situated in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, about four miles above the city of Memphis on the Mississippi river, known as Hopson's Point, and bounded as follows, to wit: On the North by seven-small tracts of land, conveyed by Thomas R. Carter; on the south the northern boundary of the estate of Sarah Carter; on the East, it is bounded by a tract of 800 acres granted to Melanchton A. Carter; and on the West, it is bounded by the meanders of the Mississippi river, and contains fifty acres, more or less, including a grand Bluff, formerly conveyed to Daniel Sabastian, but which never had, from high water mark on the river is excluded from the tract. I shall also sell the tract of land conveyed to the said Mitchell by the said Jenkins on the said 16th day of May, 1856. The title to this tract of land is believed to be good, but as I am a trustee, I can only convey such title as I have to the purchaser.

ABEL N. SHAW,
Trustee in said Deed.

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Trustee's Sale.

IN pursuance of a Deed of Trust executed on the 6th day of January, A. D., 1852 by the undersigned as Trustee, and recorded in the Probate Clerk's office of Marshall county, Mississippi, on the 14th day of January, 1852, in Book R, pages 144, 145, 146 and 147, for the purpose of securing the payment of certain debts specified in said deed, on TUESDAY, the sixteenth day of February next, I shall proceed to sell at public out cry to the highest bidder, for cash, in the corporate limits of the town of Thomas Hall, in Marshall county, Mississippi, the following property, or so much thereof as will be sufficient to pay the said debts, to-wit: The west half of section No. 34, township 1 north, and range 1 west, section 3, and the east half of section 34, and sec. 27, township 1, all in range 1 west, situated and being in the county of Marshall and State of Mississippi. Also the following negroes, to-wit: Harry Jimmy, Jonathan, Adam, Dorcilla, Susan, Antonia, Jerry, Dolly, George, Jim, Lewis, Margaret, Charles, Hale, Charlie, Jerry, Jake Martin, Tom, Hector, Andrew, Ann, Lucy, Nady, Parthenia, Sam, Job, Cornelia, Robert, Joseph, Ned, Sally, Bell, Sarah, Martah, Eliza, Henry, Anne, Ellen, Fill, Francis, Lila, Betsy, Henry, George, Frank, Willis, Jim, Sally, Sarah, Lisa, Sophia, Sam, Peter, Mary, Esther, Jim, Sam, Agnes and child Matilda, Sam, Ada, Tom, Dick and Margaret and child, together with their increase if any. Also, the entire boat of Mules, Horses, Sugar Plantation Wagons &c.

The title to the above property is believed to be undoubted, but I shall only convey such title as is vested in me as Trustee. The sale will be continued from day to day until the whole is disposed of, or enough to be sufficient, to pay said debts. Take notice, this 27 January, 1858.

C. M. PACKER, Trustee.

N. B.—Cash currency or Bank notes of Tennessee, Planters' and Union Bank of Tennessee will be received in payment.

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Memphis Democrat copy till day of sale.

House and Lot for Sale.

TO be sold on terms very advantageous to the purchaser, that desirable lot and house situated on Lamar street, near Dr. Walmsley's, now inhabited by Mrs Wilson. It is over a hundred feet front, and extends back to the alley, twenty-six feet in depth. The lot contains 65 acres, on which are a porch and split cedars. The whole can be seen by applying on the premises.

J. C. WILSON,
At the Master's Office.

J. J. WILSON,
Clerk of the circuit Court.

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I BEG leave to call the attention of dealers and consumers of goods in the above line to the immense large stock of above-mentioned goods, resting constantly that I can sell the closest buyers. Merchants from the country are particularly invited to examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere. I have a very extensive stock of Wines and Ale TOPS, and a several assortment of fancy articles suitable for the approaching holidays, which I will sell at cost to dealers.

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ESTRAY'S

SHELBY COUNTY.

TAKEN up by A. F. McKINNEY on the 24th day of December, 1857, a BAY FILLY, about four years old, branded on the hind thigh, with a white patch in the forehead; valued at $65. Said McKinney resides in the Tenth Civil District, about 20 miles north west of Memphis.

Taken up by J. J. JARMAN, on the 26th day of January, 1858, a BLACK HORSE, about 10 years old, fifteen hands high, nine feet front, hind feet white, valued at $12 50. Said Jarman resides in the Tenth Civil District.

Taken up by E. TIG LEE, on the 11th day of January, 1858, two ROANS, one a SORREL HORSE about ten years old, fifteen hands high, star in his forehead, left eye out; valued at $40. The other a BAY, about ten years old, fourteen and a half hands high, both crowed and the weather, with saddle and collar; valued at $30. Said Tatlie resides in the Memphis Civil District, near Wythe depot.

A. S. THOMAS,
Recorder Shelby County.

Raleigh, Feb. 2, 1858 —janl7-w4t

T. M. MOORE, G. W. HUGHES.

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Have associated themselves for the transaction of a

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IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

THEY will PAY TAXES on lands, and attend to the enlistment of delinquent lands.

They will make personal examinations and surveys of land, in any part of the State, and report to parties the character of the soil, timber, quantity of arable land upon any particular tract, and any desirable information in regard thereto; and in cases where persons wish to bring their land into market, they will contract to have timber destroyed upon it, and will for a compensation for either the plantations or wild lands of those who desire to sell.

Much fine land in this State has been reserved from sale for the last five years, having been reported as swamp and overflowed, and which, by an act of the last Congress, was confirmed to the State, and will be subject to entry in a few months. The lists of these lands contain a great deal that is become valuable since its reservation, and the above firm, from their experience in practical surveying, one of whom has been engaged in the public Surveys of the State for many years, and the other an Engineer and Land Surveyor, and from the data gained as valuable knowledge of land throughout the State, will be prepared to make good bargains for persons desiring to invest money, when this class of lands or Swamp Lands is offered for sale, or subject to entry, either for a stipulated share of the land or a commission upon the money invested.

Persons residing beyond the Mississippi River, and in other cities, will find it to their interest to address us, or farmers, wishing to purchase, or locate, or have surveyed, or their improvements, quality, health, &c., so that they can be at once directed to cheap and eligible places.

They will buy and sell Land Warrants or locate them for holders, and transact business in the above line in all the branches promptly attended to.

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CEMENT ROOFING.

WE would respectfully announce to the citizens of Memphis, and the surrounding country, that we are prepared to contract and put on, our FIRE and WATER PROOF CEMENT ROOFING, it being the only article yet invented, that will successfully resist the action of the atmosphere in every climate. It is perfectly Fire and Water Proof, and in point of durability, equal if not superior to any metallic roofing. We can put it on over old tin, tar or shingle roofs, it making no difference how flat or steep the roof may be. We put on our roof for seven dollars per hundred square feet. We will apply our cement on tin and iron roofs for two dollars and twenty-five cents per square, it being on account of its elasticity and durability, the cheapest paint that can be used. Our cement is the best thing extant, for patching around gas walls, chimneys, skylights, &c. We warrant all our work.

We provide all that want new roofs, or their old ones repaired, to call at Rich's store above, No. 364 Main street, and examine specimens and satisfy themselves of the durability and practicability of using this roofing.

N. B. We are prepared to fill orders for our cement, to those residing at a distance, with printed directions for using it.

Those wishing roofs or repairing done, will please call at Rich's store, or address us through the Post Office.

☞ County rights for sale.

HUTTERWORTH & RASTMAN.

REFERENCES:

Rev. C. D. Elliot, E. R. Glascock, D. T. Wilkins, Warren Brown, William Stark, M. Maj. A. J. Rodman, J. N. Willard, Nashville; Col A. J. Polk, Athens; Maj. J. H. Anderson, Superintendent Nashville and Chattanooga Railroad.

Read the following certificates:

CINCINNATI, January 7th, 1858.

We have W. E. Childs & Co.'s Cement Roofing upon some of our buildings. It gives entire satisfaction, and we consider it the best material with which we have any knowledge. We are extensively engaged in tin, tin ware in this city, and have within the last five years, covered buildings with all the various metals and other roofing which have been introduced, and from experience and investigation, we, without hesitation, pronounce Childs & Co.'s, preferable to any other.

MERRIT & SAYRION, Builders.

CINCINNATI, O., May 29th, 1857.

W. E. Childs & Co.—The roof on our pork house gives entire satisfaction. It has proved itself both Fire and Water Proof.

Some four months since, a large fire occurred directly adjoining us, and our roof was severely tried by the flames and burning brands, but stood the test unharmed. We cordially recommend this roof as a good thing.

JOHN RICE & CO.

OFFICE OF CINCINNATI, HAMILTON AND DAYTON RAILROAD.

CHILDS & Co.'s Patent Cement Roofing, is now used here on our best class of buildings. We are covering our freight cars with it, and our Master mechanic reports very favorably to it.

S. S. L. HOMMEDIEU, President.

CINCINNATI, May 5th, 1857.

We have fully investigated W. E. Childs & Co.'s, Patent Cement Roofing, and are confident that it is superior to any other kind now in use, not excepting the metallic. We recommend it to all who wish a cheap, durable and excellent roof. J. A. D. DECAMP, Builders.

LITTLE MIAMI & CIN & COLUMBUS & XENIA R. R.,
Superintendent's Office, Cincinnati, Oct. 3, 1857.

This company have adopted Childs & Co.'s, Patent Elastic Water and Fire Proof Cement Roofing, for covering buildings, also for painting tin and iron on bridges, depot, and water stations, and covering cars, and we are well pleased with it.

C. H. KILBOURN,
Superintendent.

The Greatest Invention of the Age!

PERFECT PROTECTION FROM THE ELEMENTS.

WEST'S

PATENT GALVANIC CEMENT

FOR ROOFING.

THE subscriber is now prepared to cover roofs of buildings, with a new and better article than ever before offered to the public, and he feels assured that our department has had scientific were experimenting, and that it has been the study of Architects and Builders for years, to discover an article for roofing purposes, that would stand the sudden changes of the weather, and be impervious to fire and water, and remain a permanent fixture. As yet, nothing has been attained without coming more than the people wish. The contraction, expansion and rolling of metal roofs, are a great in changeable climates, that they become useless, mines being repaired at great expense yearly. Shingles are not fire proof, and cannot be used on flat roofs, and the various Compositions and Cements that have been brought into use for roofing, do not stand the action of the weather, but they run when it is warm, and crack when frosty, and after one or two years become crumbly, and worthless; whereas, the inventor of the Galvanic Cement has labored to say years to compose articles to obviate those difficulties, and can testify from his long experience, and numerous testimonials from reliable persons, who have had the combination applied to their buildings, that his Cement is the cheapest and most durable article ever offered to the public. Of this Cement is such that it is calculated for entire new roofs, flat or steep; covering over old shingles without removing them; for repairing old tin roofs, covering gutters, bathlements, chimneys and steep flates of all sorts. Covering car tops, steamer decks, &c. This Cement, by its non-conductor and salvanism, prevents roofs from rusting and undermining, and resists the extremes of heat and cold better than anything ever invented, for entire roofs or for covering metal and the outside of wood buildings, making them fire proof. Its appearance is like slate; beautiful for the rich palace or the humble cottage.

The undersigned having secured the right to the State of Tennessee, will sell rights of Territory, by Counties or towns, on reasonable terms.

The subscriber is also prepared to cover roofs of buildings, in any part of the State, at short notice.

This cost is now being placed on this city, for the benefit of all concerned, and warranted to excel all other roofing, and to be the most economical roofing in the city of Memphis one year, and has had his mode of roofing tested as to its qualities, which has proved satisfactory to all, which is a number of the most prominent citizens can testify.

See testimonials of the following gentlemen who have used it, with best of others.

For further information enquire at the office, where samples may be seen in J. L. Morgan's Architectural Rooms, No. 3 Walker's Block, Memphis, Tenn., or address,

C. W. STURDIVANT & CO., Proprietors,
[Successors to W. S. Bennett.

Attached is a note from John L. Morgan, Esq., Architect, by which may be seen the opinion of Mr. Samuel Sloan, the celebrated Architect, and writer upon Architecture, whose experience with this mode of roofing, without a doubt, is satisfactory to all.

MEMPHIS, March 12, 1857.

MR. W. S. BENNETT: When in Philadelphia, Pa., a few days since, I called upon Mr. Samuel Sloan, the celebrated Architect, and author of the Sloan Work on Architecture. I asked his opinion as to the durability &c., of Wells Patent Cement Roofing, which I put on the city of Memphis, and he told me that he had no hesitation in saying to me that it was the most durable roof, and in all that his advocates claim it to be; I further saying that it is using it on a fine building for himself.

Respectfully, JOHN L. MORGAN, Architect.

MEMPHIS, March 2, 1857

W. S. BENNETT, Esq., *Dear Sir*: The facts within my knowledge, relative to the Galvanic Cement Roofing Cement, are these: The building you covered for me last Spring, we are happy to state has answered our expectations. We can recommend your Galvanic Cement for all roofing purposes; as a light, cheap, fire and water proof material, for gutters and flat roofs, and the effects of the heat of the sun; for does it harden and crack from the effects of the cold. Any person wishing to know more of this article, can call at our Manufactory.

N. S. BRUCK & CO.,
Carriage Manufactory, Monroe St., Memphis, Tenn.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: This is to certify that W. S. Bennett, covered two roofs for me last Spring, with a composition called "Wells Patent Galvanic Cement," one of them was a new deck, the other an old shingle roof, which was rotten and leaking badly. He also repaired a dormant window, which leaked badly, and had battled the skill of carpenters to prevent its leaking, which he completely stopped, and it has kept dry. I do most cheerfully recommend his mode of roofing to the public, for all roofing purposes, and believe it to be a permanent fixture and a durable article.

Proprietor Commercial Hotel.

SUPERINT'S OFFICE, MEMPHIS & OHIO R. R.
MEMPHIS, Feb. 19, 1857.

MR. BENNETT, *Dear Sir*: Our Company having been troubled very much with leaky cars, some of which your Patent Paint upon them, and so far as my knowledge extends, I can cheerfully recommend it to any who wish a dry roof of any sort.

H. COFFIN, Superintendent.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Jan. 14, 1857

TO THE PUBLIC: W. S. Bennett made application to me last summer to cover one buildings with West's Galvanic Cement; it being a new finish thought we would try it. I had it applied to our Machine Shop and Engine House attached to the Foundry. They have proved all required of a water proof roof, having withstood some of the greatest changes, and is entirely free from soot collection. We can only add, try it and you will be satisfied.

CURTIS & ARMSTRONG, Proprietors.

Mr. Bennett has done some small amount of roofing for me and he pronounces it a good roof, which coated with a preparation the basis of which appears to be Coal Tar. It is a very effectual and light roof, and appears to promise well for durability. I have seen specimens of the qualities of the composition, which penetrates the cloth and protects it from the influence of the air and water. The Composition does not blister and run from the effects of the heat of the sun in summer; nor does it harden and crack from the influence in the cold of winter.

A. P. WRIGHT.

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CHARTERED by the Legislature of Tennessee, Session of 1856-'58, to make Fire, Life and Marine Insurance and to cause themselves to be reinsured when deemed expedient. In view of which they have arranged with the following Companies, for re-insurance by means of Policies:

British Commercial, London	Capital	$3,000,000
Equitable "	Fire, "	2,000,000
Continental "	Life, "	2,500,000
Knickerbocker Fire, United States,	"	300,000
Connecticut Fire "	"	300,000

At the annual election on Tuesday, the 19th instant, the following Directors and Committee were elected for the ensuing year:

DIRECTORS.

JAMES R. THOMSON, L. J. DUPREE,
GEO. R. GRANT, THOS. MCADAM,
STEPHEN E. CURTIS, J. H. MULFORD,
HENRY S. KING, JOS. BARBIER, Jr.,
JAMES SORO.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

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Medical Examiner—GEO. R. GRANT; *Solicitor and Attorney*—J. S. THORNTON, Esq.

Assisted by—A. P. BANKHEAD, Esq.

And at a meeting of the new Directory on Wednesday, the 11th inst., the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

JAMES R. THOMSON, *President*.
GEO. R. GRANT, *Vice President*.
THOS. MCADAM, *Secretary*.

OFFICE—No. 8, Madison street, corner Front Row.

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Dyeing and Scouring.

THEODORE FRANKE,

DYEING ESTABLISHMENT,

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FOUR DOORS SOUTH OF UNION STREET,

Formerly Purchaser at Commissioner's for Mr. Tendale's New York Dye House.

CLEANS Ladies' and Gentlemen's Clothes of Silk and Woolen, Crapes and Cashmeres, Shawls of every description, and finishes equal to new, and better than any Dyeing Establishment in the South. Dyes every kind of Woolen, according to patterns, and finishes them equal to new. Renovates spots or stains from Silk Dresses in a few hours, without injuring the color or silk. Re dies Coats and repaints Curtains, in Silk and Worsted, Dyes in Fast and Fine Colors.

Lotteries.

SWAN & CO.'S LOTTERIES.

Authorized by the State of Georgia,

70,000 DOLLARS

FOR TEN DOLLARS.

THE following Scheme will be drawn by S. Swan & Co., Managers of the Sparta Academy Lottery, in each of their Single Number Lotteries for February, 1858, at AUGUSTA, Ga., in public, under the superintendence of Commissioners.

CLASS 1,

To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on SATURDAY, February 6, 1858.

CLASS 2,

To be drawn in the city of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on SATURDAY, February 13, 1858.

CLASS 3,

To be drawn in the city of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on SATURDAY, February 20, 1858.

CLASS 4,

To be drawn in the city of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on SATURDAY February 27 1858, on the plan of

Single Numbers!

5,485 Prizes!!

Nearly One Prize to Every Nine Tickets.

MAGNIFICENT SCHEME,

TO BE DRAWN

EACH SATURDAY IN FEBRUARY.

1 Prize of	$70,000	4 Prizes of	800
1 " "	25,000	4 " "	570
1 " "	10,000	4 " "	500
1 " "	6,000	4 " "	300
1 " "	4,000	80 " "	250
1 " "	2,000	100 " "	200
1 " "	1,800	100 " "	125
4 " "	1,000	220 " "	100

4 Prize of $400 Approximating to	$70,000	Prize are	1,600
4 " " 300	"	30,000	" 1,200
4 " " 200	"	10,000	" 800
4 " " 125	"	6,000	" 500
4 " " 100	"	4,000	" 400
4 " " 75	"	2,000	" 300
4 " " 50	"	1,800	" 200
8,000 " " 20	"	220	" 160,000
8,485 prizes amounting to			$320,000

Whole Tickets, $10; Halves, $5 00; Quarters, $2 50.

PLAN OF THE LOTTERY.

The Numbers from 1 to 80,000, corresponding with these Numbers on the Tickets printed on separate slips of paper, are enclosed with small tin tubes and placed in one wheel.

The first 487 Prizes, similarly printed and enclosed, are placed in another wheel.

The wheels are then revolved, and a number is drawn from the wheel of numbers, and at the same time a Prize is drawn from the other wheel. The Number and Prize thus drawn are opened and exhibited to the audience, and registered by the Commissioners; the Prize being placed against the Number drawn. This operation is repeated until all the Prizes are drawn out.

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.—The two preceding and the two succeeding Numbers to those drawing the first 7 Prizes will be entitled to the 28 Approximation Prizes. For example: If Ticket No 17250 draws the $70,000 Prize, those Tickets numbered 17248, 17249, 17251, 17252, will each be entitled to $400. If Ticket No. 500 draws the $25,000 Prize, those Tickets numbered 498, 499, 501, 502, will each be entitled to $300, and so on according to the above schedule.

☞ The 8,000 Prizes of $20 will be determined by the last figure of the number that draws the $70,000 Prize. For example, if the Number drawing the $70,000 Prize ends with No. 1, then all the Tickets where the number ends in 1 will be entitled to $20. If the Number ends with No. 2, then all the Tickets where the number ends in 2 will be entitled to $20, and so on to 0.

Certificates of Packages will be sold at the following rates, which is the risk:

Certificate of Package of 10 Whole Tickets	$80 00
" " 10 Half "	40 00
" " 10 Quarter "	20 00
" " 10 Eighth "	10 00

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To the Public.

BYRD'S

Incorporated Commercial College

AND

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THIS Institution is now in successful operation. It is the intention of the Principal to make it preeminent in this city, for the benefit of all concerned, and warranted to excel all other Business Colleges in the Southern Country. It is the only Academy of Memphis one year, and has had his mode of roofing tested as to its qualities, which has proved satisfactory to all, which is a number of the most prominent citizens can testify.

See testimonials of the following gentlemen who have used it, with best of others.

For further information enquire at the office, where samples may be seen in J. L. Morgan's Architectural Rooms, No. 3 Walker's Block, Memphis, Tenn., or address,

C. W. STURDIVANT & CO., Proprietors,
[Successors to W. S. Bennett.

Attached is a note from John L. Morgan, Esq., Architect, by which may be seen the opinion of Mr. Samuel Sloan, the celebrated Architect, and writer upon Architecture, whose experience with this mode of roofing, without a doubt, is satisfactory to all.

MEMPHIS, March 12, 1857.

MR. W. S. BENNETT: When in Philadelphia, Pa., a few days since, I called upon Mr. Samuel Sloan, the celebrated Architect, and author of the Sloan Work on Architecture. I asked his opinion as to the durability &c., of Wells Patent Cement Roofing, which I put on the city of Memphis, and he told me that he had no hesitation in saying to me that it was the most durable roof, and in all that his advocates claim it to be; further saying that he is using it on a fine building for himself.

Respectfully, JOHN L. MORGAN, Architect.

MEMPHIS, March 2, 1857

W. S. BENNETT, Esq., *Dear Sir*: The facts within my knowledge, relative to the Galvanic Cement Roofing Cement, are these: The building you covered for me last Spring, we are happy to state has answered our expectations. We can recommend your Galvanic Cement for all roofing purposes; as a light, cheap, fire and water proof material, for gutters and flat roofs, and the effects of the heat of the sun; for does it harden and crack from the effects of the cold. Any person wishing to know more of this article, can call at our Manufactory.

N. S. BRUCK & CO.,
Carriage Manufactory, Monroe St., Memphis, Tenn.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: This is to certify that W. S. Bennett, covered two roofs for me last Spring, with a composition called "Wells Patent Galvanic Cement," one of them was a new deck, the other an old shingle roof, which was rotten and leaking badly. He also repaired a dormant window, which leaked badly, and had battled the skill of carpenters to prevent its leaking, which he completely stopped, and it has kept dry. I do most cheerfully recommend his mode of roofing to the public, for all roofing purposes, and believe it to be a permanent fixture and a durable article.

Proprietor Commercial Hotel.

SUPERINT'S OFFICE, MEMPHIS & OHIO R. R.
MEMPHIS, Feb. 19, 1857.

MR. BENNETT, *Dear Sir*: Our Company having been troubled very much with leaky cars, some of which your Patent Paint upon them, and so far as my knowledge extends, I can cheerfully recommend it to any who wish a dry roof of any sort.

H. COFFIN, Superintendent.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Jan. 14, 1857

TO THE PUBLIC: W. S. Bennett made application to me last summer to cover one buildings with West's Galvanic Cement; it being a new finish thought we would try it. I had it applied to our Machine Shop and Engine House attached to the Foundry. They have proved all required of a water proof roof, having withstood some of the greatest changes, and is entirely free from soot collection. We can only add, try it and you will be satisfied.

CURTIS & ARMSTRONG, Proprietors.

Mr. Bennett has done some small amount of roofing for me and he pronounces it a good roof, which coated with a preparation the basis of which appears to be Coal Tar. It is a very effectual and light roof, and appears to promise well for durability. I have seen specimens of the qualities of the composition, which penetrates the cloth and protects it from the influence of the air and water. The Composition does not blister and run from the effects of the heat of the sun in summer; nor does it harden and crack from the influence in the cold of winter.

A. P. WRIGHT.

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Sailing of Steamers.

SCHEDULE

OF THE DAYS OF SAILING OF THE UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMERS, BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE, FOR 1858.

LINE.	From N. York	From Liverpool	From Southampton	From Havre.	From Bremen.
Havre	Jan. 9		Jan. 18	Jan. 15	
Collins	" 16	Feb 2			
Bremen	" 23			Jan. 29	
Havre	Feb. 6		Feb. 15	Feb. 9	
Collins	" 13	March 3			
Bremen	" 20			Feb. 26	
Havre	March 6		Mar. 18	Mar. 9	
Collins	" 13	Mar. 31			
Bremen	" 20			Mar. 26	
Havre	April 3		April 7	April 6	
Collins	" 10	April 28			
Bremen	" 17		April 23		April 17
Collins	" 24	May 19			
Havre	May 1		May 5	May 4	
Collins	" 8	June 16			
Bremen	" 15		May 19		May 15
Collins	" 22	June 30			
Havre	" 29		June 2	June 1	
Collins	June 5	June 28			
Bremen	" 12		June 16		June 12
Col ins	June 19	July 7			
Havre	" 26		June 30	June 29	
Collins	July 3	July 17			
Do	" 10	Aug. 4			
Do	" 24	Aug. 14			
Do	" 31	" 18			
Do	Sept. 11	" 25			
Do	25	Oct. 9			
Do	Oct. 9	" 27			
Do	" 23	Nov. 10			
Do	Nov. 6	" 24			
Do	" 20	Dec. 8			
Do	Dec. 4	" 22			

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