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MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.
OFFICE south side Court street, first door westof Main, up stairs, will practice in all the Courts of Memphis, in Shelby and the Sixth and Seventh Federal Courts at Jackson. Prompt attention given to the collection of claims in West Tennessee and North Mississippi. jy25-3aweow

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Those wishing to avail themselves of the services of Dr. Brock, are informed that his stay in Memphis will eliminate this summer.
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☞ Office corner of Main and Union streets. jun1-daw-1y

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DR. JONES & MARABLE
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OFFERS his professional services to the citizens of Memphis and vicinity. Office on Main street in Greenlaw's Building, between Union and Gayoso streets. jy31-3dw*

DR. A. W. WRIGHT,
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DR. ORVILLE R. EARLY
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HAVING located permanently in Memphis, offers his professional services to the citizens and persons in the surrounding country. Special attention will be given to diseases of the eye and ear, and to women and children.
Residence on the corner of Hernando street and Brown's Avenue. Office, 86 Madison street. may2-1y

J. ROSS WALKER.....W. L. M'CONNICO
WALKER & M'CONNICO, Lawyers, Memphis, Tennessee. Office, No. 22 South side Court Square. apl3

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Verger, Farrington & Verger,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW, MEMPHIS, TENN. apl3-6m

WM. R. ARICK,
PERRYVILLE, Bolivar County, Mississippi, General Land Agent for Arkansas and Mississippi.
REFERENCES.—Gen H. S. Foote, Memphis; Brooks & Sneden, Vicksburg. apl1-6m

THEODORE C. CONE,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, Memphis, Tenn. Office on Main street in Gee-Saw's Building, between Union and Gayoso streets. nov2-tfy

JOHN HALLUM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, and General Collector for West Tennessee. Office on Jefferson street, Post Office Building. apr6

WILLIAM KENNEDY, Jr.,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Gayoso Bank Building, Madison street, Memphis, Tenn. my13-1y

DR. CREIGHTON'S
OFFICE HOURS
For attending Diseases of the
EYE AND LUNGS!
ARE from 9 to 11 a. m. and 2 to 4 p. m. The balance of his time will be devoted to general practice.
N. B.—Persons wishing Dr. Creighton's services must secure this arrangement. feb25-tf

DR. T. F. PEYTON.
OFFICE on the corner of Jefferson and second streets, in Turner's Building. jan22-1y

DR. THOS. TATE,
OFFERS his services to the citizens of Memphis and surrounding country. Office corner of Second and Washington streets. mar21-1y

ISAAC M. STEELE.....E. T. MORGAN.....WM. D. STEELE, Covington, Tenn. Memphis, Tenn. Memphis, Tenn.

STEELE, MORGAN & STEELE,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW, AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW, Memphis, Tenn., will practice in the Courts of West Tennessee. Office on Market, in Walker's Block, No. 4, 2nd Story. Special attention paid to the collection of Claims. ms31-1y

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AT THE
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Southern Mail via River, due daily at 7 A. M.; closes at 11 A. M.
Southern Mail via Mississippi Central Railroad for New Orleans, Vicksburg and Natchez, arrives daily at 8 P.; Closes at 9 A. M.
Mail via Mississippi Central and Tennessee Railroad, arrives at 8 A.; Closes at 9 A. M., for Somerville, Bolivar and Jackson, Tenn.
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WM. H. CARROLL, P. M.

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THE completion of the Mobile and Ohio and the Memphis and Ohio Railroads, during the next fall, will open a new and extensive market for trade with Memphis to a large section of West Tennessee, which it has not hitherto enjoyed. It is important then that the business men of Memphis, who wish to secure this trade to themselves, should make known their business in advance through the country press as well as the city papers. The "Trenton Independent Journal" has an extensive circulation in the northern tier of counties, and as a permanently established 4-page, folio, weekly, on the 5th year of its publication, commends itself as a suitable medium through which to advertise. All communications addressed to the "Editor of the Independent Journal, Trenton, Tennessee," will be promptly attended to.

REFERENCES:
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MEMPHIS APPEAL.

SATURDAY.....SEPTEMBER 4, 1858.

OUR WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENCE.

WASHINGTON, August 29, 1858.

The Atlantic Telegraph has proved entirely successful, and on Thursday and the day before dispatches were received direct from London giving the latest news. There can be no sort of question now as to the sending of messages, and cranks and moneyed men give away; but as to its being a paying concern, on account of the slowness with which messages are transmitted, is another matter. I see a movement was made in Parliament relative to giving the United States equal control over it with Great Britain, which should be the case, otherwise the seventy thousand dollars per annum which this Government agreed to pay should not be "forked."

The prospects of the Democracy in the fall elections in the North, for Congressmen, are improving, but in no Northern State are they better than in Indiana, where, from reliable accounts received here, there are chances of a Democratic gain in the Congressional delegation. The Democrats in several of the Congressional Districts in New England are quite sanguine of electing their candidates. In Pennsylvania everything is working well with the exception of the city of Philadelphia. In the district represented by Hon. Thos. B. Florence, (who has been renominated by the regular Democratic Convention), the Douglas-boliters, under the lead of Forney, have nominated a candidate. The Black-Republicans and Know-Nothings, it is presumed, will, as they did in the last election, fuse on a candidate, and in the event the Douglas-boliters remains in the field, there is a strong probability that Florence will be defeated, an event to be deplored by the South, as he is one of the most reliable Democrats from the North in the House on all questions of a sectional character. In New York the fusion between the Know-Nothings and Black-Republicans is not yet fully ratified, but as those parties are to hold State Conventions on the same day at the same place, in this coincidence it does not require the gift of prophecy to predict the result—and the only surprise will be if the bargain and sale is not perfected. It is, however, believed, with even a fusion of all the ends and ends under whatever cognomen they may see proper to select—"Peoples party" or what not—the Democrats will not lose any Congressmen there, as some combination existed in the last Congressional race. In Ohio the prospect is the Democracy will hold their own, if not gain several members. In short, the prospect everywhere is good in spite of the defection of Douglas, owing to the influence the course of the present Administration has had upon the public mind. Mr. Buchanan's Administration has had more difficulties and vexed questions to encounter and settle than perhaps any other, which have been met firmly and disposed of to the honor and interest of the nation. In view of its course, what Southern man—yea what national man—does not see that the path of duty lies in the support and sustaining of his Administration. The verdict of the people, if left to their own unbiased judgment, and uninfluenced by the sophistry and wiles of disappointed ambition, would be overwhelmingly in its favor, and should its enemies for the once succeed in their deception, it will be but short-lived, as "the sober second thought" will demonstrate.

The contest in Illinois from the present position of affairs has assumed an important aspect, and all eyes are turned on it. Between Douglas and Lincoln it waxes warm, while the Democrats there who support the Administration regard it more in the light of a personal contest between themselves, and are taking no interest in their personalities, but making every effort to return Administration Democrats to the Legislature. The probabilities are, if the Black Republicans are in the minority in the Legislature, the Administration Democrats will hold the balance of power, and will not vote for Douglas, but Judge Bruce, or some other Administration Democrat. The Administration was disposed to let by-gones be by-gones, inasmuch as Douglas, when he left here, declared that such would be his course, and that he was going home, not to attack the party, but to run as a Democrat. This he has totally failed to do; has not only attacked the Administration, but those Democrats who voted for Lecompton.

The present Commissioner of Pensions has been very active during his administration of that Bureau, in discharging its duties, which he has done to the satisfaction of those having business before it. He has been especially vigilant in the detection of frauds, and prompt in bringing the perpetrators to justice. In almost every State in the Union persons have been prosecuted and convicted of transmitting forged Bounty Land and Pension applications, sufficient for the ends of public justice and to deter evildoers from such practices. This has been done in all cases, regardless of the positions, socially or politically, of the parties, and without fear or favor. But the most extraordinary case, that has yet come within the line of his duties, was that of J. W. White, of Chattanooga, who was arrested for transmitting forged Bounty Land claims, under the assumed name of Farquharson. When the agent was sent to ascertain who had transmitted the fraudulent claims, the Commissioner of Pensions did not suspect White; but the testimony of the Postmaster at Chattanooga and others was positive that he had taken the letters from the office, addressed to Farquharson. Upon such testimony he was arrested, and before the examining court, further facts were elicited showing his guilty knowledge, but the court admitting that fraud had been perpetrated, upon the ground that *there was a mystery about the whole affair* did not deem it proper to hold him over for trial. Mr. White being of opposite political sentiments to the Administration, and of an aspiring disposition, himself and friends now charge the Government with persecuting him to prevent his election to the next Congress! This is all gammon, and if he can blind the people of any Congressional district in Tennessee, I am much mistaken. Such a charge, however, is about on a par with the old one I have repeatedly heard from opponents of the Democratic party—viz: "that Gen. Jackson removed the deposits to break certain individuals whom he had in his mind at the time."

Washington is exceedingly dull at this time, being the recess of Congress, and as many of its citizens are "out of town"—the Virginia Springs have been well attended, but as the weather has become quite cool the greater portion of visitors who do not reside in the extreme South, will be packing up and leaving. I am glad to see this increased patronage to the Virginia Springs, and all other Southern springs, as it shows that the Southern people are discontinuing the old plan of spending all they make at the North. The success of the Virginia Springs this summer, may in a great measure be attributed to the increased facilities in reaching them from the Southwest by the Memphis and Charleston Railroad and its connections.

As you are aware the meeting of Congress is looked for here by *purely disinterested* parties (*i. e.* hotel, boarding-house, restaurant, faro-bank and *et-cetera* keepers and the quid nunes among the politicians) with some anxiety, as they all "have their axes to grind;" but this session, especially, they wish to congratulate the successful candidate with the unsuccessful in the fall election, and to ascertain from the "killed and wounded" themselves how the thing "was did." Congress with its influx of members, borers, newspaper correspondents, visitors, &c., changes Washington greatly, but I cannot say for the better. But still with all its drawbacks, I cannot but wish that the Congress of these United States may continue to assemble here, or elsewhere, without a sacrifice of the rights or honor of any member of the Confederacy, for a thousand years.

There has been an attempt in the newspapers to galvanize into life again that miserable hotch-potch of humbuggery and sickly sentimentalism the Blount-Rivviere affair. It has already occupied quite a sufficient space in the public prints, much more in fact than common sense or common decency would justify. Like the John Dean affair, let it die out, and the parties concerned retire into the same obscurity. But the pertinacity with which such affairs are paraded, and re-paraded in the press, and the eagerness with which the public devour the details, does not speak well for the times. It happens though that anything of the sort that occurs in or is connected with New York in its inciptency or culmination creates more furor than if at any other place. Had the Riviere and Dean affairs occurred in your city, the sum and substance would have been a paragraph or two in your city papers, without any excitement among your citizens outside of the relatives and friends of the parties, but the remark would have been general, "is such matters every body is their own taste."

Secretary Toucey has returned from his visit to his home in Connecticut, and as the President was willing to confer with him relative to the Paraguay expedition, it is presumed the Commissioner will be appointed shortly.

Gen. Cass has also returned from Connecticut after a flying trip, whither he went to attend the nuptials of his daughter.

Secretary Floyd has gone to Fortress Monroe, on an official affair, and is expected to return about the first of the month. J.

MISSISSIPPI NEWS.

ELECTION DAY.—The Mississippi election for county and judicial officers takes place on Monday, October 6th.

NEW MAIL ROUTE.—Samuel and Joseph Irby, contractors, have commenced carrying the mail weekly on the New Route from Grenada to Friars Point. The line comes through Charleston, crosses at McCrackens Ferry on Cold Water, and passes through Delta, arriving at Friars Point at 11 o'clock, A. M., Wednesday, and leaves at 12 same day. Our friends between this office and Cold Water, should apply to the department for the creation of at least two new offices, as they are much needed. Get up a petition and forward it on to the department.—*Coahoma Citizen.*

The same paper has the following well timed exhortation to guard against future overflows:

THE LEVEE.—Time is gliding off swiftly; before long high-water will be here; a few short months and the spring rise will be upon us, and unless our levees are rebuilt we will have no crops next year. There is no time to be lost. It is the duty of the planters to come forward and take contracts on the levee. There should be no inaction. With a levee your lands are invaluable—worthless without. Come down to the work, gentlemen.

LEVEE CONVENTION.—The planters of the river counties have agreed to meet in convention at Greenville, Washington county, Miss., on Monday, the 11th of October next, for the consideration of matters connected with the Mississippi levee. The important interests involved will, no doubt, call together a large number of persons.

MARSHALL DEMOCRAT.—An announcement appears in the *Democrat* of the 31st ult., to the effect that our young friend, Mr. SAMUEL M. THOMPSON, had become interested in its subscription list and good will, and will for the future have control of the mechanical department of the paper; also an assistant local editor.

ROUTE AGENT.—Mr. SAMUEL HENLOW has received the appointment of Route Agent on the Mississippi Central Railroad from Water Valley to Grand Junction.

A VILLAINOUS ATTEMPT.—On last Saturday, when the mail train on the Mississippi Central Railroad was going south, just one-half mile this side of Hudsonville, there were two fence rails across the track of the road, and another was drove in between them for a wedge to hold them together, but, however, it was observed by some one in time to stop the cars, consequently no injury was done. We have been told that the same thing was done on Friday, but we are glad to say the block-headed villain failed in his murderous attempt. This is not the first attempt that has been made to throw the cars on this road off the track, by several, but the villain or villains have failed, as yet, to do but very little injury.

We think there should be a good watch kept out in search of the rascals, and if they should be caught, it would be a good idea to swing them from a tree. Yes, any man or set of men who would be guilty of such a crime as trying to throw the cars off the track, should be tried without judge or jury. Keep a lookout, and if you catch them, hang them, for that is the death all such wicked devils out to die.—*Holly Springs Democrat.*

MR. SURATT, OF TISHOMINGO, FOR SPEAKER.—We notice that a number of leading Mississippi papers are favorably mentioning the name of our old friend Surratt, in connection with the speakership of the House. We know of no one who would make a better speaker. His long experience, his general information upon topics of public importance, and his intimate acquaintance with parliamentary usage, would make him a most excellent presiding officer.—*Jaka Telegraph.*

MR. SURATT has represented Tishomingo county in the Mississippi Legislature for a number of years, is a gentleman of excellent sense, and would make an impartial and acceptable presiding office of the House.

ALABAMA NEWS.

We regret to learn from the Marion *Commonwealth*, of the 26th ult., that Gov. A. B. Moore had suffered so much with inflammatory rheumatism as to be forced to leave Montgomery. He was at the house of a relation near Marion, and was improving.

The Talladega *Reporter* says the Montgomery Copper Mining Company, have recently paid $2,000 for one 40 acre tract, $8,000 for another, and $10,000 for one of 120 acres.

A Wine Company has been organized in Mobile under the name of the Mobile Wine Company.

The Sumpter *Democrat*, of the 21st ult., hears of complaint of the black tongue among cattle in the neighborhood of Lincoln, and says the disease is said to be subsiding in the country below there.

The Bellefonte *Era*, of the 26th ult., says there will be average crops of corn and cotton in Jackson county this fall.

The *Era* is pained to hear of the very sudden death of Menifee Scruggs, a respectable young citizen of Jackson county.

Mrs. Virginia W. Holt, wife of Dr. John W. Holt, of Montgomery, died very suddenly in that city on the 20th ult.

Mr. N. H. White, editor of the Moulton *Democrat*, in trying to get on the cars of the Memphis and Charleston Railroad, as they started from Decatur, on the 19th ult., lost his foothold, was thrown from the cars and badly injured. He has our regrets and sympathies.

The Uniontown *Herald* says the fowls are "pegging out" right pretty about there, from some disease, probably "pip."

James W. Shea, La been re-appointed Surveyor of Customs at Tuscumbia, Alabama.

A revival has been progressing in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Huntsville for some time. We learn that twenty odd persons have professed and been received into the Church.

The Selma *Reporter* says, a letter from Mr. Parham, dated Bellville, 17th ult., reports that $50,000 had been subscribed to the Selma and Gulf Railroad up to that time.

A young chap, named Whitehead, entered Morris' boot shop in Selma, on the night of the 17th ult., and stole $100 worth of boots. He was arrested, confessed and implicated several negroes.

The Clayton *Banner* notices a well on the premises of Jos. Horne, seven miles northeast of that place, which is cool, palatable and strongly impregnated with iron, and has traces of other minerals. Mr. H. says, his horses and cattle are very fond of it. He has used it seven years, and has not had a sick horse on his place during that time.

The iron for the Alabama and Mississippi Railroad was lost on the voyage from Philadelphia to Mobile. It was insured—another lot was ordered.

Our South and Middle Alabama exchanges, generally, complain of cattle disease—and many of them give discouraging accounts of the cotton crop.

The Camden *Republic* speaks of a hog disease in that vicinity—symptoms: a cough, inflamed eyes, &c. *Post mortem* examinations disclosed worms as the cause.

The Talladega *Watchtower*, of the 18th ult., says that numerous cases of the "black tongue" have occurred in that town and the surrounding country.—the best preventive, we have seen, is to give cattle plenty of salt.

M. M. Slaughter, who has, for some time past, edited the Talladega *Watchtower*, with real and ability, has retired from the editorial chair.

The *Watchtower* acknowledges the receipt of peaches of very remarkable size from Dr. Spence—one of them measuring nine inches round.

The Selma *Sentinel* says a gentleman from Talladega county, recently shipped 2 000 bushels of corn from that point to New Orleans. A good move we think.

The Montgomery *Confederation* of the 26th ult., one of whose editors has been for a few weeks in Autauga county, says that fifteen days ago, the prospect for a fine yield of cotton had never been surpassed, and a ten days rain has blasted it. The cotton ran to weed enormously and throw off forms and blooms until scarcely one remained. In some instances the greater part of large fields were taken by rust, and others by the worm or grasshopper. The *Confederation* learns on extensive inquiry, that the same causes, effects and complaints are universal in the neighborhood of Montgomery, and other parts of South and Middle Alabama.

The Mobile *Advertiser* says Mr. Abraham Wool, a resident of that city since 1815, universally beloved by his acquaintances as an upright and generous man, died recently at the Virginia White Sulphur Springs.

The Mobile *Mercury* says the black tongue is prevailing extensively among the cattle in Clark county, and a solution of blue stone and copperas has been found a sovereign remedy.

The Tuscaloosa *Observer* of the 25th ult., says the black tongue has appeared among the cattle in that neighborhood, and learns that it readily yields to a swabbing of the mouth three times a day with a solution of copperas and bluestone. Swabbing with soft soap is also said to be a good remedy. Sulphur and lime mixed with food is said to be a preventive.

The Florence *Gazette* of the 27th ult., announces the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Jenkins, an aged and highly respected lady of that town, on the 26th ult., and of Mr. Geo. Roach, an esteemed citizen of Lauderdale county, a few days before.

Miss Harriet J. Kane, daughter of John Kane, near Florence, has accepted the situation of instructress in painting, drawing, &c., in the Corona Female Institute, Corinth, Miss. The *Gazette* speaks of her as a lady of remarkable taste and talent—an accomplished artiste—a genius.

EX-PRESIDENT PIERCE.—The Washington Union has been favored with the subjoined extract of a letter from Ex-President PIERCE, received in that city by a friend of this distinguished gentleman. It is dated August the 10th, at Hotel Byron, near Villeneuve, Switzerland. It communicates most gratifying intelligence to the many friends of Gen. PIERCE and lady in this city:

"You will be gratified to learn that Mrs. Pierce's health has improved decidedly since we left the United States. Nothing could have been more agreeable than our six months in Madeira. The climate in winter is, I believed, unrivalled—the atmosphere at once bland and bracing, and the scenery extremely grand and beautiful. That we were especially refreshed by the complete repose which it was our privilege there to enjoy, you will readily understand. We left Funchal on the 12th of June, but lingered by the way, visiting Lisbon, Cadiz, Seville, Gibraltar, Marseilles, Lyons and Geneva, and arrived here only a week ago. With constant care to avoid over exertion and exposure, Mrs. P. has been able to enjoy a good deal, and now we find this place of rest quite charming. The hotel, which is at the northern extremity of Leman, is spacious, clean and airy, and commands magnificent views of the lake and the mountains. The castle of Chillon is close by—"Clarens, sweet Clarens," within the range of a pleasant walk; Vevay, Lausanne, Berne, &c., in the neighborhood. We may travel a little during the remainder of August, and then perhaps proceed to Interlaken by the way of Berne. If the weather is favorable we may cross the Simplon or Spluegen, and pass into Italy in September."

THE ZOUAVE FRATERNIZING WITH LOLA MONTEZ.—It is stated that Mons Riviere is making arrangements with Lola Montez to give a series of lectures on morals and fashions early in the ensuing fall. The Captain is said to be staying temporarily with Lola at her cottage out at Yorkville, N. Y. It is also stated that a day or two ago he received letters from Mrs. Blount and Emily, postmarked Mobile, Alabama. The latter says she is sharply watched by her father, and that it was only by bribing one of his watchmen that she could get a letter in the post office at all.

MISS AVONIA JONES.—This talented young tragedienne has just completed a successful engagement at the Theatre Royal, Montreal. On the occasion of her benefit, which was under the patronage of the officers of the 17th regiment, they paid her a most flattering compliment, the shore as because it was by the English to an American. Being called before the curtain, they crowned her with a coronet composed of thirteen stars, and dropped from top of the private boxes a pair of pure white doves, tied with American colors. Miss Jones is now playing in Toronto.

Chancery sale.

BY virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the United States, sitting at Jackson, Tennessee, rendered at Oct. Term, 1857, and renewed at April Term, 1858, in a suit pending in said Court, between Thomas Pope Weatherred, the administrator, Clerk and Master of said Court, on SATURDAY, the 25th day of September next, at 10 o'clock A. M., on the premises, will sell the following parcels of land, lying in Shelby county, near Mount Pleasant, known and designated on M. A. Kerr's plan of subdivision and survey of Mt. Pleasant, of date the 29th of May, 1855, viz:

Lot No. 4, in subdivision A, on said plan, containing 11 2-10 acres.

Lot No. 6, in same subdivision, containing 11 4-10 acres.

Lot No. 11, in subdivision B, on same plan, containing 21 6 acres.

Lot No. 12, will be divided and sold in 14, in two equal parts.

These lands will be sold upon the following terms: One-fourth cash; the balance at one, two and three years, with bond and two good securities, and a lien retained on the premises.

Lots No. 4 and 6 will be sold at a minimum price of $600 per acre. Lot No. 11 will be sold at a minimum price of $1000 per acre. JAMES L. TALBOT.

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Memphis Races.

Memphis Course.

THE races over the Memphis Course will commence on TUESDAY, the 19th October, 1858, and continue five days.

The Proprietors have chosen with the following entries:

FIRST DAY—TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19.

The Walker Stake for three year olds, $200 entrance; $50 forfeit; mile heats.

1. Bulwhack name ch colt by Sly Fleria Bonnett, 3 years old, by Pettigrew's Priam; dam by Chevalier.

2. D. M. W. Calay enters Polk's 3 year old by Glencoe; dam, imported Stamps.

James L. Bradley names chestnut colt by imp. Glencoe; dam Lady Leah, by imp. Leviathan. Also, bay filly Des Chiles, by imp. Glencoe; dam, Howard's filly, by Birmingham.

W. F. Harper names Hemphazd, 3 year old colt by imp. Yorkshire; dam, Hinkley, by Mockle John.

W. M. Moore names chestnut colt by imp. Glencoe; dam, Sally, by Priam. Also, chestnut colt by Third Boston; dam, Sally Jones. Also, bay filly by imp. Shamrock, the dam of Little Carolina.

James Jackson names chestnut colt Sachem, by imp. Albion; dam by imp. Alderby. Also, black colt Black Hawk, by Albion; dam, Eliza, by imp. Leviathan.

W. Roundtree names Laura Williams, by imp. Glencoe; dam, Jane Watson. Also, chestnut filly by Albion; dam Sonora.

Same day, Jockey Club, purse $600; three mile heats.

SECOND DAY—WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 20.

Two year old Stake, dash of one mile, $200; $50 forfeit.

Thos. R. Poindexter names bay colt by imported Yorkshire; dam, of Sally Morgan by imported Emancipation.

W. F. Harper names two year old filly by Lexington, out of Nannie Mansfield.

W. F. Cheatham names 2 year old chestnut colt by Glencoe; dam, Sonora. Love by Leviathan.

Hill Odom names bay filly by Albion; dam, Sovereign.

James Jackson names chestnut filly Fanny Burr, by imp. Ambassador; dam, Ida.

W. Roundtree names chestnut colt by Sportsman; dam by imp. Glencoe.

Same day, Jockey Club, purse $700, mile heats, 2 in 3.

THIRD DAY—THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21.

The Harper Stake for 3 year olds, $400; $100 two mile heats.

James L. Bradley names bay filly Des Chiles, by imp. Glencoe; dam, Sweet Lady, by Birmingham.

D. and N. Coleman names Polk, 3 year old; dam, imported Stamps.

Hill & Stewart names black colt Hawatha, by Albion; dam, Warner. Also, filly Dean, bay filly by Albion; dam, Glencoe.

W. Roundtree names Laura Williams, by Glencoe; dam, Jane Watson. Ala, chestnut filly by Albion; dam, Sonora.

James Jackson names brown filly Sly Brown, by Glencoe; dam Obello. Also, black colt Mark Young, by Albion; dam, Eliza.

Tom Moore names bay filly by imported Shamrock, the dam of Little Corporal. Also, chestnut gelding by third Boston, dam Sally Jones.

W. F. Harper names Hemphazd, by imported Yorkshire; dam, Hinkley, by Mockle John.

FOURTH DAY—FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22.

Jockey Club, purse $400, two mile heats.

FIFTH DAY—SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23.

Jockey Club, purse $1,000, four mile heats.

A walk over the above course, will claim the horse to the full amount of Jockey Club purses.

WM. T. ROUNDTREE, Proprietor.

aug28-eo17 Memphis, Tennessee.

$500 Reward.

WILL be paid for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons, who SHOT the Dwelling on the night of the 23d inst.

aug29-dtw JOHN A. HUGHES.

For District Attorney,

WE are authorized to announce THOS. H. CLAYTON, Esq., of Vicksburg, as a candidate for District Attorney of the Third Judicial District of Mississippi. jy11-tc*

Notice.

LOST by the undersigned on the 23d inst., in Tunica county Miss., one bay chart drawn by J. A. Foster in Sample, Mitchell & Co., of Memphis, Tenn., for one hundred dollars, and made payable to S. P. Allen, the undersigned, and endorsed by him. I the other forward the said Sample, Mitchell & Co. from paying the aforesaid draft to any person or persons, unless hereafter duly instructed so to do, and also any person from trading for the same. T. POPE.

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City Schools.

THE City Schools will be opened on MONDAY, the 6th of September. I will commence admitting pupils on Tuesday next, the first inst., and will continue to admit them every morning, between the hours of 8 and 11 o'clock, at my office on the South side of Court Square. The Female Department will be opened on the 1st of October, when pupils will be admitted only on every Monday morning, between the hours of 8 and 10 o'clock. It is very desirable that pupils should be prompt in procuring their tickets.

aug27-1m L. POPE,
Superintendent, &c.

For Sale.

A DWELLING HOUSE on Monroe street with seven rooms, kitchen, &c., and a small DWELLING COTTAGE with Three Rooms. Each for sale. Inquire of

aug24-1m H. M. GROSVENOR.

THE CITY DISPENSARY.

IS OPEN EVERY MORNING from 8 until 9 o'clock, where the destitute sick may receive gratuitously, medicine and surgical assistance. Those wishing themselves or children vaccinated can have it done by applying. Prompitude requisite.

J. A. LOVE, M. D.
aug25-tf R. R. TAYLOR, M. D.

LAND FOR SALE.

PERSONS desirous of purchasing good homes within from 1 to 4 half miles of Court Square, would do well to call on H. Tutwiler, in the Commercial Hotel. He will sell 140 or 150 acres in lots to suit purchasers—at from $20 to $50 per acre.

aug14-6tf H. TOLLINTIER.

Clerk's Sale.

Jesse L. Harris, Adm'r of } Petition in County Court
James H. Markham, dec'd, } of Shelby County to sell
vs. } Real Estate for payment
Martha Markham, et al. } of debts.

BY virtue of a decree in the above cause, rendered in the Chancery Court of Shelby county, at the August Term, 1858, of said Court, I will offer at public sale to the highest bidder, in front of the County Clerk's office, in Memphis, on THURSDAY, the 30th day of September, the following valuable town lots belonging to the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, lots Nos. 212, 213, 222 and 223, on the east side of Third street, and lots 214 and 215, front 165 ft. on Fifth street, running back between parallel lines at right angles with said street, 165 feet to an alley 24 feet wide, and Nos. 202 and 203 front 165 feet on Sixth street, running back at right angles with the street between parallel lines 165 feet to an alley 24 feet wide.

TERMS—One-third cash, the balance in equal installments on a credit of 12 and 18 months, the purchasers giving bond and approved security, and a lien reserved until final payment. JOHN P. TREZEVANT, Clerk.

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