Local Matters.

Thursday Morning, February 3, 1859.

TAXATION.—The amount of taxes collected during the month of January, by Collector Newson, was $43,420 81.

MARKET FEES.—The amount of market fees paid to the city during the month of January was $17 90.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—An A No. 1 Cook. Also two nice rooms, for families for boarding. Apply to the "Woodruff House," Poplar street, between Second and Third. feb2-1w

THE COURTS.—The Criminal Court commences the February term next Monday week; the Common Law Court commences the first term on the first Monday in March.

INSPECTOR'S REPORT.—The City Inspector's report for January states that he received, during the month, for weighing coal, $217 90, weighing hay, $134 30. Other items increased the sum total to $446 31.

THE CONVEYSEETER.—J. B. Hutchinson, who was arrested on Tuesday, with bogus money upon his person to the amount of over $1700, was yesterday examined by Esq. Horne, who committed him to await in default of $2500 bail.

ANOTHER CLUB FOR OUR MAMMOTH WEEKLY.—Yesterday we received from Mr. A. J. Howard a club of ten subscribers to our MAMMOTH WEEKLY, to be sent to Senatobia, Miss., for which we return our thanks.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—The prospects of our Public Schools, at the present time, are gloomy in the extreme. Legislative action has so crippled our school funds that there will not be money enough on hand to pay the current expenses to the end of the year by several thousand dollars.

COURT SQUARE.—The recent improvements in Court Square have greatly added to its attractions. Under the fostering care of its presiding genius, it is fast becoming a gem of beauty. Council refused to pay the last bill of expenses for these last excellent additions, on account of some informality. It is to be hoped that matters will be so arranged that no difficulty will exist in making this place all the people of Memphis wish it to be. It is already a pride with our citizens, and if continued to be well attended, it will become more worthy of admiration every year.

THE END OF A SCRAPEGRACE LIFE.—On Tuesday night, station house keeper Copeland found Robert Company, who is well known in the city, lying on the pavement on Front Row. As he had often sent him in similar situations, from the effects of liquor, he took him into the station house and locked him up. He was taken sick soon afterward, and early in the morning he breathed his last. Esq. Horne held an inquest over the body, when a verdict was rendered of "died from dissipation and exposure." The deceased appeared to be about forty-five years of age.

Mr. Company was formerly of Clarksville, in this State; he was a respectable merchant, dealing in corn and wheat. He removed to Nashville, where he became wealthy, and moved in the first society in that place, and was much respected for his inflexible integrity and general uprightness. As acquaintance ripened with life, he expended his money, his character dissolved, and at length insolvent. He gave up all to his creditors, and was a ruined man. He had, unfortunately, no family ties, not having married; for, although there is a pang in knowing that those we love are pierced by the misfortunes that wound ourselves, yet the sympathy of an affectionate wife, and the hopeful participation of our children, prove a tower of strength in the hour of adversity. Mr. Company had no such ties; he care for, or to be his comfort and support; and he was himself stripped of the competence he had toiled all his life to gain, he turned to the destitution of liquor, and sought relief from sorrow in the bottle.

He there found his direst enemy, for respectability, his good name, his honorable standing, none of which had been touched by his misfortunes, were stripped from him by the enemy he clasped to his bosom. He came to this city some years ago. His old friends should show him much kindness, but in vain; his habits of intoxication made it impossible to assist him effectually, and he sunk into a complete sot, often appearing among the abandoned and hardened characters that are every morning arraigned at the Recorder's bar. Yet, in the midst of all, his integrity of character never forsook him; honesty of action and upright simplicity of demeanor clung to him even in his degradation. The jewel of his soul was obscured, its brightness was dimmed, but the native excellence of the metal was still there, even when he had made himself an outcast from the esteem and kind services of fast friends.

On becoming aware of his situation, on Tuesday night, he expressed no useless regrets at being called from a world that to him had been a scene of disappointment and grief, but at once addressed himself to the only source of help that was left him. In moving accents his last breath was spent in asking the Father of Mercies to heal his backslidings, and to wash away in a Savior's blood the errors and weaknesses of his erring course. And so he died; he who had enjoyed the luxuries and the pomp of life, perished in a prison. Here is another sad, dreadful lesson on intemperance. Who will reap wisdom from the melancholy fate of Robert Company?

GRAVEL AND BOULDERS.—During the dreadful and long continued infliction of mud, with which Memphis was so sorely afflicted last year, a warm discussion was carried on in the public papers upon the subject of street pavements; the debate was not confined to the press, but wherever citizens collected, the relative merits of gravel, limestone, boulders, and other substances for paving, were warmly canvassed. So strong did the interest upon the subject become, that a public meeting was held to exchange Hall upon the subject, and the whole matter was fully discussed. In opposition to all that was urged respecting the advantages of "a bed of pure gravel," the virtues of "rounding up," and the imperishableness of "a firm substratum of concrete," the AVERAL unanimously contended that gravel, however managed, would never make a good, enduring street pavement, and that the only material accessible in the part of the country, of which a scientific pavement could be made, was the boulder, the material that has been so successfully tried in several of the cities on the Ohio river. The result of the whole discussion was a determination on the part of the city authorities to "give the gravel a chance." As gravel lay close at hand in inexhaustible quantities, and as it was cheaper than any other article that could be obtained, it is not surprising that a strong desire should exist to put that material to a test, and to be experimentally satisfied upon the subject. Our principal streets have been covered with gravel; the contractor, Mr. Greenlaw did the work well, and put down deep beds of well screened "pure gravel;" here should we see and "round up," but the entirely desired formation of "fine concrete," did not arrive. The well rounded and symmetrical surface of the gravelled streets lost rapidly its fair proportions, and instead of a smooth road bed, we have a miniature representation of the Alps, in which the hillsides and valleys, the precipices and gorges are very well portrayed, but the "concrete" cement had for their only substitute, the stubbed mud, in its various states of "slush" and "jobbility."

The consequence has been that for some weeks past gravel, as a material for street pavements, has been pronounced a failure, and on Tuesday night the dethroned favorite received its *coup de grace* at the hands of Col. Douglas, chairman of a special committee on Wharf Improvements, who—in a report presented to Council, and received by that body without a dissentient voice—declared that "recent experience has clearly and conclusively demonstrated the insufficiency of gravel, either upon the streets, or upon the wharf," and that, "the committee are of opinion that the best, least expensive, and most durable style of improvement for the wharf is *boulders*."

To boulders then we must evidently look, for good streets we must have; a sleepy, stationary town, with little energy and less trade, may get along—or rather stand still—with ill paved streets; but a stirring, prosperous, go-ahead, business city, like Memphis, cannot dispense with these necessaries of active and progressive civilization. We must either pay for boulders or horse flesh, and the former will, in the end, prove the cheaper. Mud and misery, or good streets and comfort, are our alternatives, and our citizens will not hesitate in the choice. The report we have mentioned asks the Board of Mayor and Aldermen to commence the good work of solid and enduring improvement at the wharf, and there can be no doubt but the wharf presents undeniable claims to preference. The wharf is the great source of our prosperity, it is upon the commerce there carried on that brought Memphis "out of the woods," and it is that commerce that makes our railroad connections sources of aggrandizement and wealth, by making our city a railroad terminus, in place of being a railroad depot. The boats arriving daily at our landing, pay annually a large sum for wharfage, and strict justice, as well as sound policy, demands that the wharf should be put in unexceptionable good condition, and not remain at every rainy season, a vast repository of mud, as at present. Much more remains to be said upon this subject, for which the action of Council, when it comes to consider the report of the committee, will give us opportunity.

Port of Memphis.

No advertisements of Steamboats taken in report through Agents in this city, who will be held responsible for advertising fees.

River News.

The river was moving but slightly yesterday. It showed signs of receding. The weather was beautiful and the landing busy.

The first class boat, McLellan, is the regular packet to day for Louisville. She is commodious, has a company of gentlemanly officers, and keeps a good table. She starts at 4 o'clock.

The favorite Kate Frisbee leaves at noon at 2 o'clock this afternoon for Napoleon. She is punctual and swift, and carries the United States mail.

The celebrated J. H. Lucas, for St. Louis, will leave at until 6 o'clock this evening. She has recently been overhauled, and is now in first rate traveling condition. Such a boat and such officers will give everybody satisfaction.

The handsome and convenient boat, Evansville, Captain Baird, will leave at her regular time, 8 o'clock, for White river, and travelers for that direction will do well to secure a berth aboard her.

The H. R. W. Hill, Captain Newell, is the boat for New Orleans to-morrow.

The Return, the popular White river boat, will start on Saturday at her usual time for her accustomed destination. Captain James is his popular commander.

The splendid packet boat Victoria, having been purchased for the purpose, will for the future be one of the men line of packets randing to Vicksburg, leaving with her the United States, Memphis and Vicksburg mail. The St. Louis reports of her to be the highest terms. She starts on her first trip at five o'clock on Saturday evening. Capt. Welton is in command; her clerk is the popular A. G. Folger, than whom a more complete gentleman does not drive a quill. The St. Louis Republican says upon this subject, "we were yesterday gratified to meet Capt. Folger, formerly clerk of the Aunt Letty, New St. Paul and Daniel Boone, at this port, and for a year past of the Kate Frisbie, in the lower Mississippi. Capt. F. looks well as ever, and says the Southern climate agrees with him. He has taken charge of the office of the Victoria, about to enter the Memphis and Vicksburg line of mail passenger packets."

The St. Louis Republican, of last Friday, supplies the following items:

The rains have swelled eight inches in the twenty-four hours ending at this last evening, and continued to rise slowly. There is, doubtless, nine feet in the channel out to Cairo. A small quantity of ice made its appearance yesterday morning, and continued to come down all day. It is above ice, set afloat by the rise of the river.

The officers of the Bruinfels, from Chester, yesterday morning, report the Henry Chouteau, bound for New Orleans, hard aground opposite Salem Island. They pulled at her three hours, and hope to get her off at high water, commencing lightening her of freight, and took 400 barrels of pork to Bogg's Landing. They left Bogg's Landing for St. Louis on Sunday evening, leaving the Chouteau still aground, but she would be able to spar off the bar. The rise now coming down from the river has doubtless lifted the Chouteau off the bar. The Morrison arrived up above the Island, and her pilots were out aboard last night.

The Grapeshot, coming up the Ohio on Saturday night, when near Madison, encountered a snag which carried away a portion of her forward guards, and knocked up the floorings of cotton. The boat was detained six hours hunting for the lost cotton—ten bales of which were recovered.

Columbus is getting to be a pretty good shipping point for tobacco and cotton. The Illinois got 140 bale tobacco there on Saturday, and several bales of cotton. The Grapeshot left with the short line road at Columbus, Ky., were taking yesterday of buying the Lady Pike, to run between Columbus and Cairo. The price, $10,000, stagger not Mr. Bogg.

The following is from the Cincinnati Commercial of Monday:

I was a passenger on the Jacob Traber from Cairo to this place, on Wednesday. While lying at Stewart's Island, about 20 miles above Smithland, the crew of Wilson's barge passed up, having three or four barges in tow. A few minutes afterward we started out, and had proceeded but a short distance when we heard an explosion, and, looking on the river, behold the low-boat on fire. By the time we reached the spot, the flames had set the hull and sunk. Captain Davidson, of the Traber, immediately gave orders to go alongside the barges, which were now adrift—the lines having been burnt in two. After taking up all the crew, we turned the barges to shore, and made them fast, and then loaded the pilot and his mother, who had lost all, at Mr. Murphy's Landing, on the opposite side of the river. They being acquainted there, preferred stopping there to going up to Golconda, where we took the balance of the crew, except the Captain, who went up to Cincyville, his home. The engineer was badly scalded, and it was doubtful if he would be able to stand watch. This is the worst case, and it is very doubtful whether he will recover. Only one man is missing, a fireman on duty, who was doubtless killed. The other three were in bed, together with the first engineer, and was badly scalded. Those on duty, except the missing fireman, had time to escape with the captain's clothes and hands were badly burnt. Their wounds and burns were dressed in the best possible manner, by Mr. Hatcher, the clerk, and Mr. Sheldon, the first engineer of the Traber, who showed themselves to be, what they always have been, kind-hearted and true gentlemen. Mr. Martin, Captain Davidson, and all the crew, used every exertion for their comfort. They were landed at Golconda, and placed under the charge of physicians of that place. The boat was valued at $8,000, and had been used as a tow-boat for many years about Pittsburg, and was lately bought by the Transfer Coal Company, to tow their barges to Pulaski. They had only owned her about six weeks. Although her boilers were old and worn out, yet the immediate cause of the explosion was the scarcity of water, so far about she contained no injury. J. ALEX. SEYMOUR.

CITY FINANCES.—The statement of the receipts of the City Treasury for the past week, reported to Council on Tuesday night, by Register Richards, informs us that the amount collected of city tax was $137,316 23; wharfage, $14,175 67; fines at the Recorder's court, $8,686 18; City Marshal's receipts, $439 20; City Inspector's receipts, $332 21; Expense account, $15; interest account, $1 29; station house, $22 05; bills receivable, $538 73; Criminal and Common Law courts, $480 90; Tate, Brinkley and others' account, per bond interest, $6,750; Navy Yard, $19; real estate, $200; bills payable, $286,245 17; loaned to the city by individuals, $10,229 16. Total, $211,474.

THE GAIETY.—Among the performers at the Gaiety, Mr. Whalley has been a favorite from his first appearance. To-night he takes a benefit, and a bill of no common interest is offered on the occasion. For the first time for many years in this city, R. T. Conrad's great tragedy, written expressly for Edwin Forrest—*of Jack Cade*—will be performed, Mr. Whalley taking the part of "Jack Cade." That established favorite, Mike Lawler, has kindly volunteered his assistance, and will appear as "Lord Clifford." The ever favorite *Wife of Mr. and Mrs. Peter White* will close the performances.

JUST NOW.—Just now is the time to get the genuine Baltimore oysters at Parcoast's, in their best condition. The weather has been cold, and he has got a prime lot at his depot, corner of Second and Monroe streets; in the lower order. These oysters are not only a luxury, but for persons debilitated by sickness, a restorer to strength and vigor.

SUFFERERS.—E. M. Nonley, for stealing a horse from Mr. Goodwin, was sentenced at Raleigh, to three years in the penitentiary, and T. Isam, for stealing a mule, to five years in the penitentiary. The two prisoners were brought to the city, yesterday, and put on board a boat for Nashville.

RECORDER'S COURT.—The Recorder had only six cases before him yesterday. James Minton, of Gayoso street, for being abusive to two females, his tenants, was fined twenty-five dollars.

MEMPHIS AND TENN. RAILROAD.—The following are the receipts of this road for the month of January: Passengers, $6,966 70; Freights, $12,907 67. Total, $20,617 37.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH—CONFIRMATION.—Grace Church will be opened for morning prayer and preaching, this morning, at 11 o'clock.

A GREAT MEDICINE FOR FEMALES.—Hundreds of testimonials have been received and sold, purporting to be specific in the various diseases and derangements to which the delicate frame of woman renders her subject. The result is, these stimulants has been to impart momentary activity to the nervous system, and false vigor to the muscles; but this relief has been succeeded by a depression and prostration greater than before; and the repeated attempts of invalids to build themselves up by those *false remedies*, have finally ended in destroying what little vital organization was left. But in using "*Barbour's Helmbold Bitters*" you will find no such disastrous results. It is a purely vegetable compound, prepared on strictly scientific principles, after the manner of the celebrated Holland Professor, Boerhaave. Under its influence every nerve and muscle recovers its strength and vigor, appetite and sleep return, and, finally, perfect health. See advertisement in another column.

S. F. ALFORD,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, Memphis, Tenn., will attend with promptness and fidelity to all business entrusted to his care in this and adjoining counties. In the Chancery at LUCY, Feb 28th, 1858. Office south side of Court Square. feb3-dw

S. P. LEFLORE,
Law Office in Mount, Lawson & Lindsey, Col. C. S. Bowen, Colton, Miss.; Gen. Patrick Henry, Madison county, Miss.; Hon. Robert Mayo, Memphis, Tenn.; Hon. George N. Fiske & Co., Jackson, Miss.; W. W. Covington, Mount, Mississippi; Hon. Jos. Lindsey, Mor. Hon. G. S. Yerger, Judge of the Third Judicial District of Miss.; Gen. A. K. Blackburn, Brandywine county, Miss. Rowan, Prudhomme & Fisher, Napoleon, Ark.; C. A. & A. Rose & Co., New Orleans, La.; Hon. Henry A. Tarbe, R. M. Avery, Esq., Memphis, Tenn. 29-dw-1y

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Business Notices.

See F. H. Clark & Co.'s column.

Refer to Speed, Donaho & Strange's column.

Read Cleaves & Vaden's holiday advertisements.

The certificates of cure produced by Turf Oil are from parties well known in Virginia. It is no humbug. See advertisement.

HARDWARE, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, &c.—If you are in want of such goods, read advertisement of Lowner, Orgill & Co., on fourth page.

SEED OATS.—Two Hundred Bushels in store and for sale by

R. H. ATKINSON & CO.,
21 Madison street.
feb2-1w

FOR SALE.—A likely negro girl, a good house servant and laundress. For information apply to Dr. Jameson, No. 138 Main street, under Worsham House. feb1-3t

SUPERIOR BOURBON.—Nineteen barrels "John Baker" whisky in store and for sale by

W. JAS. JOHNSON, No. 282 Main st.
jan18-1m

GO AND SEE.—Go and see the plan of taking three hundred portraits daily, at the great depot of Art, opposite Odd Fellows' Hall. Prices of portraits from 50 cents to $20. Tyler & Co., Artists.

Eagle Flouring Mills are running. Choice brands of flour, made at the above mills, can be bought at the mills or at 300 Main street. The highest price paid for wheat.

Memphis, Feb. 1, 1859. dtw

TYLER & CO.'S AMBROTYPES.—The public have at length discovered that these works of art are the finest portraits ever made in Memphis; and the consequence is Tyler & Co.'s Gallery, opposite Odd Fellows' Hall, is daily crowded by the talent and elite, to obtain pictures.

TO THE PUBLIC.—COACH WORK.—I have a nice lot of work on hand, at Mr. Fletcher's stable, on Main street, consisting of two rockaway barouches, three Jersey or Light Market wagons, and one very fine express wagon, which I will sell very cheap for cash. I can be seen at the stable, or at Messrs. Cayce & Son's. [feb1-2t] JOHN SLICER.

OUR SUBURBAN PROPERTY.—Is still on the market. The tract contains eleven and one-half acres, all under fence, is delightfully situated on the new State Line road, 24 miles from the city, and is susceptible of being divided into three handsome building sites. For terms apply to R. B. Lee & Co., or to

McCLANAHAN, THURMALE & DILL.

THE SENATE—STEVENSON IN THE FIELD.—The undersigned, having purchased the above celebrated house, will open the same immediately, with the choicest *Wines, Old Crow Whiskey, Fine Brandies, Gin, Rum, etc., etc.* All choice custom-house importations, cigars, tobacco etc.

Frank Mallon Esq., will attend to the wants of all my old friends, and afford them something pure and unadulterated.

WM. STEVENSON.
jan28-1w

We were much surprised to see so many of our friends with new clothing, upon inquiring, learn they had been PRICE'S guests. Price sells C. O. D., at cost—we also repair, dress, and founds goods at cost, but a great many keep them cost. As the business must be closed in a few days, we advise all those requiring clothing, dry goods, boots and shoes, gold and silver watches, to call at once on Southgate & Co., No. 16 Front Row. ab-3m

RHEUMATISM.—Any person afflicted with acute or chronic rheumatism, neuralgia, pains of the frame, joints, back ache and similar pains, will find a never failing remedy in the use of "Wadsworth's Rheumatic Liniment," to be had of Ward & Jones, 229 Main street. Try it, the result will be satisfactory. ab3-3m

THE IMMENSE DEMAND
FOR
SINGER'S SEWING MACHINES.

HAS rendered more expensive accommodations necessary. THE UNDERSIGNED have taken the store No. 323 Main st. (up stairs) No. 190 Main street, next door to McKinney's Piano Rooms, where they will be pleased to see their friends and the public.

The superiority of SINGER'S SEWING MACHINES, over all others, is so manifest, that it needs only an examination upon the merits, especially since it is customary to advertise every thing under the sun, and some things besides, and especially, as of most equal to all others. Machines are sold on the easy terms of from $5 to $10 per month, which is a perfect advertisement, while he can avail himself of the opportunity of testing the merits of the machine, and thus be satisfied before purchasing.

It is impossible for the purchaser of a Singer Machine to be disappointed, as the agent of Machines is not with the purchaser of necessity, as in a short time it is should be, and is, in most instances, the case.

We, in addition, we could point to a volume of testimonials, but will refer the reader to the testimony of Mr. Bell, who will further tell the reader that I, N. Ward, and E. Ward Clark, have been in the habit of using the Singer for a long time, and can testify to its superiority. It is an undeniable fact, that Singer's Machines have always commanded a higher price than any other, and the demand for them from all quarters of our country, and that Sabbath, of these machines, is so great, that we have to send them from a year, being still in good condition.

The Singer Machine, Family Sewing Machine, is considered a remarkable structure, even in that city of marvels, Philadelphia, yet with all these immense facilities they are unable to meet the demand. The Singer has more than doubled since the public has discovered the inefficiency of other machines, and the superiority of the Singer, which the whole country is indebted.

Those who wish to see a Sewing Machine made, would do well to make a thorough examination before buying.

Prices of Singer's Machines from $65 to $150.

EDWIN DEAN, Agent.

CATHARTIC PILLS

OPERATE by their powerful influence on the internal viscera to purify the blood and eliminate from the system the morbid matter whose obstructions of the stomach, bowels, liver, and other organs of the body, and, by restoring their irregular action to health, restore, where they can reach, such derangements as are the first causes of disease. An extensive trial of these pills by the Medical Profession, and Patients, has shown cases of dangerous diseases cleared beyond belief, were they not substantiated by persons of such exalted position and character as to forbid the suspicion of falsehood. Their certificates are published in our American Almanac, which the Agents below named are pleased to furnish free to all inquiring.

Annexed we give DIRECTIONS for their use in the complaints for which they recommend themselves.

FOR CONSTIPATION.—Take one to two pills, in such quantity as to gently move the bowels. Purgative medicine is frequently the exciting cause of PILES, and the cure of one complaint is the cure of both. No person need fear the PILES in connection with PILES. Remove the cause, and the effect ceases.

FOR DYSPEPSIA, which is sometimes the cause of Costiveness, and always uncomfortable, take half dose—from one to four—to stimulate the stomach and live into healthy action. Food will do it, and the heartburn, heaviness, and anthers of dyspepsia will rapidly disappear. When it has gone, don't forget what caused it.

FOR A FOUL STOMACH, or *Morbid Inaction of the Bowels*, which produces general depression of the spirits and total ill health, take two to five PILLS at first, and smaller doses afterwards, until activity and strength is restored to the system.

FOR DISORDERED LIVER, Side or Shoulder, NAUSEA, *Pain on the Stomach, Back, or Side*, take from four to eight pills on going to bed, and on the next day small dose may be taken to suit the case. The symptoms will be apparent enough to guide the patient. Don't wear these pills and kindred disorders because your stomach is foul.

FOR SCROFULA, ERYSIPELAS, *and all Diseases of the Skin*, take the Pills freely and frequently, to keep the bowels open. The eruptions will generally soon begin to diminish and disappear. Many of these cases of the worst form have been healed up by the purging and purifying effect of these Pills, and some disgusting diseases which seemed to saturate the whole system have completely yielded to their influence, leaving the sufferer in perfect health. Patients your duty to society forbids that you should parade yourself around the world covered with pimples, blotches, ulcers, sores, and all or any of the unclean diseases of the skin, because your system wants cleansing.

TO PURIFY THE BLOOD, they are the best medicine ever discovered. They should be taken freely and frequently, and the impurities which, now the seeds of miserable disease, will be swept out of the system like a flood down the vale. By the prompt they do so much good in preventing sickness as by the remarkable cures which they are doing every where.

LIVER COMPLAINT, JAUNDICE, *and all Bilious Affections*, arise from some derangement—either secretory, congestion, or obstruction of the liver. Torpidity and congestion vitiate the bile and render it unfit for digestion. If disorders follow, the bowels become costive, and the constitution is frequently under attack by another cause. Indigestion is the symptom. Obstruction of the liver which impedes the flow of bile into the stomach causes the bile to overflow into the blood. The produces jaundice, with a yellow and disagreeable skin, a coated tongue, and many unpleasant symptoms. Costiveness is alternately costiveness and diarrhea, prevails. Feverish symptoms, hurried, low spirits, wretchedness, melancholy, with sometimes inability to sleep, and sometimes great drowsiness, sometimes there is severe pain in the side, the skin and the white of the eyes become a greenish yellow, the stomach sold, the bowels sore to the touch, the whole system irritable, with a tendency to fever, which may turn to the bilious or nervous, bilious diarrhea, dysentery, &c. A medium dose of three or four Pills taken at night, followed by three or four in the morning, and repeated a few days, will remove the cause of all these troubles. It is wicked to suffer such pains when such remedies can be had.

INFLAMMATION, GOUT, *and all Inflammatory Fevers*, are rapidly cured by the purifying effects of these Pills upon the blood and the stimulus which they afford to the vital principle of life. For those and all kindred complaints they should be taken in mild doses, to open the bowels gently, but freely.

AS A DINNER PILL, this is both agreeable and useful. No Pill can be made more pleasant to take, and certainly no one can be more useful in promoting health and strength. Dose, one or two pills at the purpose for which a dinner pill is required.

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DR. J. C. AYER & CO.
Practical and Analytical Chemists
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R. P. FARNSWORTH & CO.,
S. MANSFIELD & CO., Memphis,
and Wholesale and Retail Dealers everywhere. 29-dec4-ly

$25 Reward.

RANAWAY from the subscriber, on the night of MONDAY in November, my negro JACK. He is 21 years of age, a little gray, some of the teeth out in the front, and is a good shoemaker. Jack is a mechanic trade; has a scar on one of his arms, and is a very quick spoken man. I purchased him in Richmond, Virginia, some two months since. He was raised in Amherst county, North Carolina, and no doubt will make for some place in that direction. I will give the above reward for his delivery to me at Dodge & Co.'s Store, Memphis, or give the above reward. My post office is Tulip, Dallas county, Arkansas.

dtf-6tw R. S. WESSON.

Latest News by Telegraph.

TO ASSOCIATED PRESS OF MEMPHIS.

Congress.

WASHINGTON, February 2.—Senate.—A resolution was adopted appealing Minister Reid's decree of February, 1858, regulating the Chinese consulate.

Mr. Broderick introduced a bill to establish a line of steamships from San Francisco to Shanghai, via the Sandwich Islands; referred to the Post Office Committee.

The House bill for the punishment of forgery or counterfeiting military land warrants, passed.

The Agricultural College bill was recommitted.

The Indian Appropriation bill was discussed; adjourned.

House.—The Legislative, Judiciary, Executive and Appropriation bills were up.

Mr. Bocock moved that the House cannot be opposed to protection, and passed resolutions declaring that it is inexpedient to disturb the compromise tariff. They appointed a committee to report on Saturday, a committee of inquiry into the expenses of the Government.

Two hundred thousand dollars for mileage was stricken out of the Appropriation bill.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, February 2.—The reference of the French Spoliation bill to the Committee of the Whole, is considered an indication of the defeat of the bill.

The Committee on Territories have agreed to report a bill organizing Jefferson Territory, and admitting Pike Peak Territory. F. J. T.

In the Supreme Court, in the case of Nathaniel T. Edson versus A. Young, appealed from the Circuit Court, in the Eastern District of Louisiana, on certificate of a division of opinion, the case was dismissed.

Troubles at Salt Lake.

St. Louis, February 2.—A private letter from Salt Lake City of the 7th ult., says Judge Cradlebaugh had adjourned the Grand Jury sine die, because nine members thereof declared their inability to examine the witnesses in consequence of the excitement and violence manifested. The Jury was composed of nine Gentiles and twelve Mormons. The factious spirit ran so high that revolvers were drawn, and a general fight, which was prevented by the better sides, that the idea of an impartial Jury, or of having justice obtained, is preposterous. Martial law will probably be established.

Opposition Line for California.

New York, February 2.—Vanderbilt has advertised an opposition line to California.

The Northern Light is to sail on the first of March for Aspinwall. She connects with the *Uncle Sam* on the Pacific side.

Telegraphic Markets.

NEW YORK, January 2.—Cotton closed with a declining tendency, and had declined ⅛@¼; sales 1500 bales at 11¼@11¾ for lots; 11¾ to arrive, at 11¾@11¾. Flour dull; sales 11,200 bbls. Corn firm; sales 4500 bushels at 80@83c. Pork closed buoyant; prime $13 50@13 62½. Lard firm; sales at 12¼@12½. Sugar 7¾@7¾c. Lard 11@11½.

Louisville, February 2.—Mess pork, sales 600 bbls., at $13. Bacon in kegs, sales 1000, at $13. Clear sides 11½.

CINCINNATI, February 2.—The net excess of hogs packed in the West over last year equals 1,000,000 to 21 per cent. Flour dull; quotations nominal. Whisky, 25c. Mess pork $13.

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Jailor's Notice.

COMMITTED to the Memphis Jail, December 29th, a Negro Man, about 25 or 30 years old, 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, weighs about 180 pounds, calling himself HENRY; says he belongs to John Sutton, of Clarksville, Tennessee. C. A. MALLORY,
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ATTACHMENT.

G. W. RANDLE, State of Tennessee, Shelby county. In
vs. the office of J. Yerkes, Esq., in the
Thos. Edmondson, city of Memphis.

THIS attachment is this day levied upon the following property, to wit: One Bay Horse, about 5 years old, levied on as the property of said Thos. Edmondson