Local Matters.

Tuesday Morning, July 19, 1859.

Arrivals and Departures of Trains.

MEMPHIS AND CHARLESTON.—Trains arrive at 9:30 A. M. and 9:00 P. M. Depart at 1:45 A. M. and 2:00 P. M.

MEMPHIS AND OHIO.—Trains arrive at 11:00 A. M. and 4:30 P. M. Depart at 5:45 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.

MISSISSIPPI AND TENNESSEE.—Trains arrive at 10:30 A. M. Depart at 3:00 P. M.

☞ Messrs. Kirk & Williams have placed upon our editorial table the August number of Godey's Lady's Books.

☞ Paul Eugene, a fugitive from the chaingang, was re-arrested yesterday, and sent back for a period of twenty-three days.

☞ A fine of $25 was assessed against Mollie Mitchell, by the Recorder, yesterday, for keeping a disorderly house.

☞ Mr. T. H. Monks, of the extensive liquor establishment of J. Monks & Co., of Louisville, is in the city on business connected with the house in Louisville.

PERSONAL.—Among the strangers in St. Louis on Saturday last were Messrs. I. J. Cartright, W. P. Goodwin, D. O. Johnson and Capt. P. G. Kennett, of this city.

PUBLIC SPEAKING.—The candidates for Congress speak at Raleigh to-day, and the candidates for Fleater will speak at Exchange Buildings to-night. Turn out and hear them.

HONOR TO WHOM HONOR IS DUE.—The plan to form cut-offs in the Mississippi, which seemed to be the popular idea entertained by the late levee convention at Vicksburg, is original with Col. L. J. Dupree, of this city.

RECORDER'S COURT.—Yesterday was a busy day before the Recorder, who disposed of twenty-nine cases. Fines to the amount of $205 were assessed, $65 of which was paid. Sixteen additions were made to the chaingang.

SUCCESSFUL CATTING.—A great many fishermen are spending the heated term in the solid amusement peculiar to fishing for cats in the vicinity of the city wharf. They met with considerable success, too, for numbers of very large cat-fish were taken yesterday. This description of fish is very cheap, but should be deemed dear at any price, as the flesh of the fussy tribe is unfit for use at this season.

DEATH FROM SUNSTROKE.—A dissipated man, named James McCode, was found by a policeman lying in Main street, near the Jewish Synagogue, yesterday afternoon, in a very low condition, from the effects of dissipation and exposure to the sun. He was at once conveyed to the jail-yard, and died in a few short time. Esquire Horne held a inquest over the body, and a verdict was rendered by the jury in accordance with the above facts. The deceased had on laborer's clothes, and had a fresh wound near the left temple.

BLOODY AFFRAY.—Two men named John Hardknot and John Noonan engaged in an affray in the Navy Yard on Sunday evening, which affray had a sanguinary termination. Noonan's nose was bit on entirely off by Hardknot, and other serious injuries were inflicted upon the unfortunate man. Hardknot was arraigned before the Recorder yesterday, and fined $10, and the case was then sent before the Grand Jury of the Criminal Court, which was in session. The charge was, however, we presume, passed over by the jury, as that body adjourned yesterday without returning an indictment. Hardknot was committed to prison.

COWARDLY AND WANTON ASSAULT.—A gentleman from Virginia, whose name we could not learn, was the passenger to this city by the City of Memphis on Sunday evening, was the subject of a most cowardly and assassin-like assault on the lower wharfboat as that steamer was rounding out Sunday evening. The assault was made by some unknown person on the steamer, who threw a heavy lump of coal, which struck the traveler on the head, inflicting a very serious injury. The unfortune man was attended by Mr. Duffy, of the wharfboat, and subsequently left for his home in Virginia by the train. He was accompanied by a brother and a party of three slaves.

THERMAL.—The thermometer, as observed in this city, in accordance with the rules of the Smithsonian Institute, stood on Saturday at 7 in the morning, 83°, and at 2 and 9 in the evening at 95° and 85°; at the corresponding hours on Sunday at 77°, 95°, and 87°. The night at 9 on Sunday night, 87°. Was greater than had been observed at the same hour since the observatory was established, two years ago. The greatest night on these two days, 95°, is lower than many persons suppose who have been observing by instruments placed against walls, etc., the instrument, to give a correct indication, should be placed in constant shade, yet where the air has perfectly free access, and should be free from the influence of heat radiating from surrounding objects.

CONCERT OF VOCAL MUSIC.—During the course of next week the young lady pupils under the instruction of Prof. Chase, will give a grand musical concert at the Gaiety Theater. The number engaged in the concert will be about one hundred, and the piece to be performed, an entirely new thing in Memphis, is "Flower Queen, or the Coronation of the Rose," the argument of which is, that "The flowers meet in a secluded dell in the forest, to choose their Queen. A person discontented with the world, seeks, in the same place, retirement from its cares and disappointments. The flowers tell of love and duty, and the recluse—learning that to fill well the station allotted by Providence, is to be happy—resolves to return again to usefulness and contentment among his fellow creatures."

The piece is one of rare merit and beauty as a musical composition, and our citizens have in store for them one of the rarest musical treats ever offered in Memphis. Further notice of the concert will be given hereafter.

MEMPHIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—LeRoy Pope, Esq., Superintendent of the Public Schools, has published his annual report for the past scholastic year, which we have been compelled to defer noticing earlier from press of business. The report sets out with a notice of the strange fact that even now, with all our progress, there are people who call in question the utility of public schools. People with such contracted notions exist we know, but the absurdities they endeavor to promulgate only provoke the smiles of the more rational and better informed.

Again the attention is called to the fact that our city is yet without one of those proud monuments of American superiority—the school house. Education in this city is now conducted in ill ventilated and badly arranged rooms, often placed in very undesirable localities. There is no economy in this "shiftless" way of attending to an important piece of public business. During the year $1900 was paid for repairs and improvements, and $1450 for rent for buildings owned by private parties. As the tenements rented by the city are wanted by their owners for other purposes, the schools have to be moved and brought to a standstill for a long or shorter time, and alterations and fixings have to be done and paid for in some new place, from which in a year or two the school may again be driven forth.

Recent amendments to the charter have so reduced the school revenue, that it will be necessary to seek some legislative provision as a means of obtaining relief from the consequent embarrassment. The Superintendent is of opinion that three school buildings, a northern, southern, and central one, will be required for the city.

The number of pupils admitted during the year was 1501; how this "compares with previous years the report neglects to inform us. The Superintendent says: The teachers have generally performed their duties well; the pupils exhibited creditable proficiency at the examinations. Complaints have been made against the schools by ignorant or prejudiced persons who took no trouble to investigate facts. The distribution of prizes is recommended; also a more extensive cultivation of vocal music. Towards the close of the school term there was a considerable falling of in attendance, caused principally by a desire to avoid the school examination, where no satisfactory excuse can be given, it may be proper at the next term to refuse admission to delinquents. There were six deaths among the pupil during the year, two of which were from accidents.

The total expenses for the year were $20,469.99, $15,792 of which were for salaries. The expenses for the ensuing year, it is estimated, will amount to $21,275, as the corporation accounts for the year are not yet balanced, it is impossible at present to tell what there is to the credit of the schools. We may here observe that the School Fund ought to be kept separately from the general fund of the city, so that the new Board of Trustees, on entering upon their duties, can be made fully aware of their pecuniary position. Among the measures required for the next year is the establishment of additional schools in the south and south-eastern portions of the city.

Copies of the report will be presented to any citizen who may apply at the book stores, or at the Superintendent's office on Monroe, near Main street.

School Board.

The School Board met last evening, the President Judge Noce in the chair, Jas. McKinnis, Esq., Secretary.

The principal business transacted was the election of a Superintendent. Le Roy Pope, Esq., was re-elected to the place.

After some further proceeding in connection with the subject of organizing schools for the next year, the Board adjourned to meet at the Superintendent's house at 4 o'clock next Monday afternoon, when the permanent committees will be appointed, and other important business transacted.

A TRIO OF RAILROAD ACCIDENTS.—No less than three very annoying accidents have occurred recently on three of our leading railroads. The splendid bridge over the Tombigbee river, at Decatur, on the line of the Memphis and Charleston road, was litterally blown away by the storm on Saturday night. We furnish the particulars of the disaster in a communication elsewhere. Arrangements were made at once for temporary crossing by steam ferriage, and no extraordinary detention to cause loss of connection. The trains will be run to time as usual until the bridge is rebilt. This announcement may be relied upon—it is made by the President, Col. Tate, who is now at the scene of the disaster. The afternoon express train on the Memphis and Ohio Railroad, when about sixty-six miles north of this city, was thrown from the track Saturday evening, by coming in contact with some cattle. The locomotive was injured to some extent, and the track torn up for several yards. The locomotive and tender of the eastward grain, on the Memphis and Little Rock Railroad, were thrown from the track Friday evening, when about twenty miles from the city. No serious damage was done.

CRIMINAL COURT.—In this tribunal yesterday the case of J. Washington Williams, alias Dr. Hines, for obtaining goods under false pretences; that of Jas. Berry, for rape; that of John Mitchell; that of Maurice Daugherty, for assault, with intent to kill; that of John O. Greenlaw, for assault with intent to kill; those of R. B. Deharc for larceny and attempting to suborn a witness, were continued until the next term.

Nolle prosequis were entered in the cases of Henry Williams and John Moran, charged with larceny.

The grand jury returned forty one bills of presentment against parties for unlawful gaming and retailing. Bills of indictment were also returned against Crocket, a slave, for arson, and Henry Hardin, for larceny.

The following persons were sentenced to the penitentiary: Sahl. Harris, three years, for larceny; Jas. Welsh, larceny, one year and Jas. H. Jones, five years, larceny. John Milton was sentenced to six months imprisonment in the county jail for larceny.

The Criminal Court then adjourned for the term.

☞ Although very many of our active business citizens are now absent, and many others are preparing to leave, to pass the warm months in other and more northern parts, still there is considerable activity in real estate, and we hear of a number of sales at prices even in advance of those which were received a month or two ago. To those wishing to purchase, we refer them to our advertising columns. They will find a considerable amount of desirable property seeking buyers.

MR. COFFIN.—It was stated in the streets yesterday that Henry Coffin, Esq., the popular and much respected Superintendent of the Memphis and Ohio Railroad, would probably not continue to be connected with the road. Much disappointment and regret was expressed, but we were glad to learn last evening that Mr. Coffin is likely to continue in the situation he fills with such honor to himself and such advantage to the road.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.—This Association hold their first meeting as a regularly organized body, at the church this evening, at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church on Court street. The principal business will be the election of officers for the ensuing year. We are glad to hear that this Association stands on its rate of usefulness under promising auspices. They have taken a good work in hand, and we wish them abundant success.

DROWNED.—An individual known to the loungers about the wharf as "Scotty," was drowned off Messrs. J. J. Smith & Co.'s wharfboat at an early hour yesterday morning. He was attempting to make his escape from the wharfboat, with a chicken that he had stolen and placed in his breast, and fell from the staging into the river, sinking to rise no more.

SUN STROKE.—Yesterday was the most oppressively hot day of the season, and the heat of the sun was really painful. We regret to learn that Mr. Samuel Croft, an attache of the Bulletin Office, was stricken down as he was returning from dinner. He was in a very critical condition for some hours, but was deemed convalescent last evening.

LADIES' BOOK.—Godey's favorite Ladies' Book for August is out, and it is a number the ladies will dest upon. Patterson & Co. have it for sale.

J. Warren & Co.

A. WARREN & CO.
MANUFACTURERS' AGENTS,
Commission Merchants,
AND
GENERAL PRODUCE DEALERS,
87 Front Row,
MEMPHIS, TENN.
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Wheeling Nails.
500 KEGS best brands Nails, all sizes, on hand and for sale at
NO. 37 FRONT ROW.

Soap and Candles.
450 BOXES German, Chemical, Palm and Family Soaps;
60 boxes Star Candles;
70 half boxes do.
For sale low at
NO. 37 FRONT ROW.

Window Glassware.
400 BOXES Window Glass on hand and to arrive;
120 boxes Flasks, all sizes;
100 " Cut Tumblers, assorted—very low;
100 " Silk, White, Porter, Scotch Ale and Lemon Syrup bottles.
For sale low by A. WARREN & CO.,
my24 37 Front Row.

Wrapping Paper, Tubs, Buckets.
150 REAMS Straw and Rag Paper;
100 reams Manilla Tea
30 doz. Buckets;
20 " Tubs;
Window Glass, Butters, Corn, Oats, etc.,
For sale low by A. WARREN & CO.,
my24 37 Front Row.

Tobacco and Cigars.
20,000 FINE CIGARS;
30 boxes Tobacco;
For Sale at COST, to close out, at
my24 A. WARREN & CO.'S, 37 Front Row.

Dissolution.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in this day, by mutual consent, dissolved.

J. Tucker assumes all the liabilities of the partnership, and to settle the business of the late firm, and receive the accounts due the partnership.

J. M. WOODWARD,
JULIUS TUCKER.

IN withdrawing from the co-partnership of WOODWARD & TUCKER, I would recommend Mr. Tucker to the public as a man of integrity, capacity and great perseverance, and would ask for him the continuance of your patronage so heretofore. Respectfully,

J. M. WOODWARD

Caution.

I HEREBY notify all persons against trading for a note of hand given by me to Mrs. Mary Wheeler, for Mr. Baker, formerly of the firm of Wash & Baker, Memphis, Tenn., Book note is for Eight Hundred Dollars, dated March, 1856, due one day after date, and indorsed by M. W. Wheeler.

I have Mr. Baker's acknowledgment of the receipt of three hundred dollars I paid him on the note in January, 1858, which amount the note was credited up note with. The remainder of the note and interest I owe, but have already due more than the original the amount, and will not pay the same except to John C. Baker.

THOS. B. WHEELER.

Statement of the Lamar Fire Insurance Company.

MEMPHIS, January 1, 1859.

Amount of Capital Stock (all paid in in cash)...	$200,000.00
Amount of Surplus in hand Jan. 1, 1858.....	20,069.34
Total.....	$220,069.34
ASSETS.	
Amount Cash in hand and in Bank.....	$19,664.15
Bank Stocks, viz: 128 shares Bank of Commerce, N. Y., 110 shares N. Orleans Bank, Sixty Bonds and Mortgages, first liens on property in New York and Brooklyn, nearly dwelling houses, worth double the amount, 100 per cent. more than loaned.....	19,400.00
Loans on demand, secured by good stocks as collateral.....	27,700.00
Uncollected Premiums of Insurance.....	560.10
Interest accrued on bonds, etc., not yet due.....	2,267.00
Total.....	$220,069.25
LIABILITIES.	
Amount liabilities to Banks and others, due or not due.....	none.
Amount losses unadjusted, due or not due.....	none.
Amount losses in suspense, waiting further proof, due.....	none.
Amount all other claims against the Company.....	none.

The greatest amount allowed to be insured in any one risk, or at any one fire, was $5,000; lower in villages, as governed by circumstances; but it is not intended to have in jeopardy, for any one fire, more than $15,000.

New York, March 9, 1859.

N. B.—The Capital Stock of this Company has been increased $100,000 by subscription of the stockholders—all paid up in cash—making the entire capital, at this time, $200,000.

EDWARD ANTHONY, President.

I. R. ST. JOHN, Secretary.

Edward Anthony, President, and I. R. St. John, Secretary, of the Lamar Fire Insurance Company, of the city of New York, being duly sworn, do severally depose and say that the within is a true and correct statement of the affairs of said Company on the first day of January, 1859, to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Witness our hand this day of Mar. 9, 1859.

EDWARD ANTHONY, President.
ISAAC R. ST. JOHN, Secretary.

Sworn before me this 28th day of March, A. D. 1859.

THOMAS S. THORNELL,
Commissioner of Deeds.

STATE OF TENNESSEE, CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, NASHVILLE, May 2, 1859.

This is to certify that the Lamar Fire Insurance Company, located at the city of New York, in the State of New York, has complied with all the requirements of an act passed by the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, in March, 1856, entitled "An Act to regulate the agencies of Insurance Companies not incorporated by the State of Tennessee," and that J. S. CHADWICK is the legally authorized agent of said Company in the town of Memphis, State of Tennessee.

J. T. DUNLAP, Controller.

SECOND-HAND PIANOS
For Sale.
WE have a number of Second-hand Pianos, which we will sell very cheap.
my24 McKINNEY CO.

Port of Memphis.

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

River News.

STEAMBOATS LEAVING TO-DAY

[*For Particulars See Advertisements.*]

For Vicksburg.....KATE FRISBEE.....Leo
For St. Francisville.....ST. FRANCIS No. 5.....Bowman.

ARRIVALS SINCE SATURDAY.

Woodford.....New Orleans	Universe.....New Orleans
N. W. Thomas...Cincinnati	W. T. Nelson...Cincinnati
City of Memphis...N. O.	Hickman.....Cincinnati
R. Fitzhugh.....Cincinnati	St. Francis No. 5.....St. F. R.
Philadelphia.....St. Louis	Kate Frisbee...Vicksburg
Kentucky.....Louisville	W. H. Langley...White R.
Fanny Bullitt...Louisville	

DEPARTURE SINCE SATURDAY

Woodford.....Louisville	Universe.....Cincinnati
N. W. Thomas...N. Orleans	W. L. Nelson...N. Orleans
City of Memphis...St. Louis	Kentucky.....Louisville
Philadelphia.....St. Louis	Fanny Bullitt...N Orleans

Latest News by Telegraph.

Arrival of the Steamship Indian.

TWO DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

SIEGE OF PESCHIERA PROGRESSING.

FRENCH THREATENING VERONA.

Great Scarcity of Provisions in the Allied Army.

NEW YORK, July 18.—The steamship Indian arrived at Partridge Point, C. R., yesterday, (Sunday) from Liverpool, with dates of the 6th inst.

LONDON, July 6.—The weather has been favorable for crops.

The latest advices received from the seat of war, previous to the sailing of this steamship, state that no battle had as yet taken place.

The siege of Peschiera was progressing.

The Allied army was threatening Verona.

The headquarters of the Emperor Napoleon was said a few leagues from Peschiera.

The Sardinians were vigorously besieging Peschiera. Cannonading was heard in that direction night and day.

The advanced post of the Austrian army was but a short distance from the Villa Franca, which is occupied by Gen. Nadi's corps.

It is stated that the Austrian army is so demoralized that it is doubtful whether they will attempt a battle.

It was rumored that 10,000 French troops had disembarked.

The bridge at Cattego was destroyed.

The French army including prince Napoleon's army corps, will operate against Verona.

A portion of the Sardinian army continues the siege against Peschiera.

The Austrians have withdrawn from Brescia.

The Piedmontese were advancing towards Stelio Pass.

It was rumored at Castiglione that the Austrians had retired into Venetia.

Twenty thousand troops from Milan, and 10,000 from Turin have been ordered into Brescia.

There was a great scarcity of provisions in the villages occupied by the Allies.

The Berlin correspondent of the London Times says:—"The new proposals of Prussia are now in the hands of the representatives of Russia and England."

Probably in the course of the week the Prussian army will be in full march. One Corps D'Armee will be placed to guard the Belgian frontier against Russia, and one hundred and forty thousand Prussian troops are to be stationed on the Inner and middle Rhine. When these preparations are completed, Prussia will probably make proposals which France will reject.

THREE DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMER CITY OF WASHINGTON

A BATTLE EXPECTED.

Aston Declared in a State of Siege.

NEW YORK, July 18.—The steamship City of Washington arrived at this port to-day, from Liverpool via Cork, with dates of the 7th inst.

The latest advice received from the seat of war states that a battle was expected at some point on the river Adige.

It was reported that the British mail steamers had been requested to prepare to carry armaments.

Aston is declared to be a state of siege.

PARIS.—The official moniteur issued by the French government of the article published in the Siecle affirmed respect for the Papacy and forms a part of the Emperor Napoleon's programme.

A letter from Count Cavour to the Bologna Junta says Victor Emanuel will not accept of the union of Romagna with Piedmont, but he will direct the Roman forces and concur with them to obtain their independence.

General Pellisier's corps which are to observe the frontiers on the Rhine will be in the cantonments on the 15th inst. The corps consists of 16,000 Infantry; 12,000 Cavalry; and 4000 cannon.

The Vienna correspondent of the London Times says Austria is maintaining a strict neutrality between France, Russia and Turkey. I would not be surprised if Turkey would take arms against Austria. A Russian corps has already been put on a war footing, and the officers on unlimited leave of absence have been ordered to join the army.

ENGLAND.—Lord Lyndhurst in a speech in the House of Lords, strongly advocates vigorous measures for the defence of England by sea and land.

He said he regretted the assertion that France had no wish to invade England undeserving of consideration. England might live in perfect independence of French forbearance, relying only on the vigor of her people.

Charles Dupuis has been appointed President of the Poor Law Board.

Milner Gibson has accepted the Presidency of the Board of Trade.

It was rumored that Cobden will again be offered the Presidency of Canada.

It was reported that the Emperor Napoleon would return to Paris during the middle of July.

COCHIN CHINA.—Advices received from Cochin China state that the French troops had defeated the enemy at Anhain, and captured the forts and twenty guns. The loss of the enemy amounts to 800 men, and that of the French 140 killed and wounded.

JUDEA.—Advices received from Judea state that Syria and Palestine are at the mercy of the insurgents, the ministry had been defeated and dispersed at Tiberias pass.

CHINA.—The transactions in tea at Hong Kong had been stopped by the exhorbitant demands of the holders.

The following telegraph dispatch was telegraphed from London to Queenstown:

LONDON, July 7.—The London Times says that the French Minister of War and Marshal Pelliasier had another conference for the purpose of concerting measures for the reorganization of the army of the east.

The Eight Division of the army is being organized at Lyons to reinforce the army of Italy.

A telegraphic dispatch from Trieste, dated the 7th inst., states that preparations have been instituted against a recent political society at Messina; also that several arrests had been made.

ANCONA, June 30.—Gen. Galleravvilar has taken command of the town, and a general disarming of the citizens has been ordered.

The Sardinian Admiral has issued an address to the people of Messina. It was believed that Austria had 200,000 troops in the line, and that a fresh battalion was organizing. The Times says that the Austrians are acting only on the defensive.

Gen. Garibaldi has entered the Tyrol pass. Prince Windischgratz has been sent to Berlin to announce this fact.

The following proposals were at the Prussian Federal Diet: "A junction of the ninth and tenth corps d' armee to the Prussian army—the appointment to the command—to place all the reserve contingent force in readiness—to march to Rhenish Bavaria.

A corps of 3000 to 3000 Tyrolese Chasseurs had been threatening the Valtoline, but several columns of Garibaldi's and Cialdinis' corps repulsed and drove them from Odesca to the first Cantons of St. Elvia pass. The Tyrolese suffered severely in the engagement.

M. Kossuth has issued a proclamation to the Hungarians in which he says he will soon be with them.

The Invalide Russe says: Prussia has called out an army of two corps, to be reinforced by 150,000 of the Federal Contingent under which she proposes to offer her mediation to France and hasten a peace.

Additional Intelligence per Steamer Tennessee.

NEW ORLEANS, July 18.—Vera Cruz dates July 12th, inst. Marquez has retreated to the surrounds of the five million specie Conducta alias served. A few hours later Gen Robles received peremptory orders from Gen. Miramon, seconded by the English Consul Gloster, and Gabinetto—to fall back upon the Indian Vera Cruz. Gen. Robles has captured Pinolcion from the Liberals. Marquez has pronounced in favor of himself at Guadalajara.

The decree promulgated by Zuarez, confiscating the Church property, consists of twenty-five articles, and is signed by all the Ministers.

Arrival of the Overland Mail.

ST. LOUIS, July 19.—The Overland Mail arrived in thirty-to-day with San Francisco dates of the 20th ult. The Lecompton Democrats in convention have nominated M. S. Latham for Governor, and Messrs. Burch and Scott for Congress. The rivers were very high, the whole country was submerged between the Cascades and Vancouver.

Fugitive Slave Case at Boston.

BOSTON, July 18.—Mr. Holmes and wife, of New Orleans, who are stopping at Plymouth, were served with a writ of habeas corpus to-day to deliver up a slave girl named Martha Goskins. She has been brought to this city for trial. Her chief complaint is that she has been treated better than her owner Colonel Holmes. The hearing of the case has been assigned for to-morrow.

The Pacific Railroad.

NEW YORK, July 18.—Advices from Marshall, Texas, of the 8th inst. state, that the District Attorney has officially notified the Pacific Railroad Company that the State suit will be dismissed upon the payment of the first instalment of $50,000 as provided in the Compromise with the new Company.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—The opinion of Attorney General Black, in the Earnest case, overthrows the portuguese assumed in Gen. Cass' letter, and maintains that no foreign power has congenital claims against a naturalized citizen of the United States.

River News.

ST. LOUIS, July 18, M.—The river at this point is falling at the rate of six inches during 24 hours.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY!
SIR JAMES CLARKE'S
Celebrated Female Pills.
THIS invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure of all those painful and dangerous diseases incident to the female constitution.
It moderates all excesses and removes all obstructions, from whatever cause, and a speedy cure may be relied on.
TO MARRIED LADIES
It is peculiarly suited. It will, in a short time, bring on the monthly period with regularity.
CAUTION.
These Pills should not be taken by females that are pregnant, as they are sure to produce miscarriage; but at every other time, and in every other case, they are perfectly safe.
In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections, Pains in the Back and Limbs, Hysterics, Fatigue on slight exertion, Palpitation of the Heart, Lassitude of Spirits, Hysteria, Bile Headache, Whites, and all the painful diseases occasioned by a disordered system, these Pills will effect a cure when all other means have failed.
Full directions are contained in every such package, which should be carefully preserved.
A bottle containing 50 pills, and circled with the government stamp of Great Britain, can be sent post free for $1 and 6 postage stamps.
Sole agent for the United States and Canada,
JOHN MOSES, Rochester, N. Y.
Druggists and Dealers in Medicines throughout the United States, Canada and Cuba, will find it to their interest to keep this medicine.
☞ Chandler & Co., Memphis, Wholesale and Retail Agents, and sold by all respectable druggists.
☞ Beware—some unprincipled dealers try to sell other pills on which their profit is much more profit. Be not deceived. Buy Sir James Clarke's and no other.
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Memphis Female College.
THIS INSTITUTION, chartered in 1854, was founded expressly to afford superior accommodations and the very best scholastic facilities to a limited number of young ladies. The oldest teachers are secured in all the departments. All the departments are in the third and fourth stories; and on one of the boarding pupils, numbering from fifteen to twenty, has required the attention of a physician—the health has been perfect.
In order to secure situations, persons designing to patronize the College, should make application early in the beginning of the ELEVENTH session, on the SECOND MONDAY IN SEPTEMBER.
For full particulars, apply to
jy6-diwkow C. G. MACPHERSON, President.

Notice.
HAVING disposed of our entire interest in the house of O. COLEMAN & CO. to J. G. TANNER, who will continue the business at the old stand, we take pleasure in recommending him to our patrons as one worthy of all confidence.
O. COLEMAN & CO.
By the preceding card it will be seen that I have undertaken the WHOLESALE TOBACCO AND CIGAR BUSINESS, heretofore conducted by O. Coleman & CO. I enjoy all the facilities and advantages possessed by this firm, and shall be happy to merit for a continuance of the liberal patronage extended to them.
J. G. TANNER.

Business Notices.

Hardware, Agricultural Implements, Mill Machinery. Read advertisement of
ORGILL, BROS. & CO.

LADIES! INSCRIBERS NEWS! COST! COST! As we wish to open our new store on the 1st of September, with an entire new stock, we will sell the balance of our splendid stock of Dress Goods, Millinery, Lace Mantillas, Shawls, etc., and in fact everything that a lady wants for her wardrobe, at cost, and no humbug.
STILLMAN & CO.,
jy15-4m 265 Main street, Memphis.

Refer to Strauss, Lehman & Co.'s column on fourth page.

Lands for sale—see Hopkins & Kirby's card on the first page.

Refer to Speed, Donoho & Strange's column.

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

Watches, clocks, jewelry, silver and plated ware, fancy goods, etc. See advertisement of A. J. Warren & Co, 292 Main street.

In another column, see the advertisement of GEORGE PATTISON & Co., Booksellers and Stationers, 263 Main street, near Madison street.

STODART'S PIANOS! STODART'S PIANOS!—Having succeeded the late P. Flavie in the agency of these celebrated instruments, I take pleasure in informing the public that I have just received a large addition to the stock and will sell them, as heretofore, at New York prices. Every instrument fully guaranteed.
jy16&w 1m. C. W. ALEXANDER.

NEW FIRM.
T. L. BEARD.....J. C. HEDRICK.
BEARD & HEDRICK,
REAL ESTATE BROKERS,
No. 333 Main street, up stairs,
MEMPHIS, TENN.
PARTICULAR attention will be given to the sale of
City and Country Property.
We have for sale a large amount of City Property, improved and unimproved. Among them is several beautiful
Family Residences,
which can be bought without cash on long time!
We have also a large number of lands in
TENNESSEE,
ARKANSAS
LOUISIANA,
AND MISSISSIPPI,
Improved and unimproved. Several large plantations with negroes, etc., which can be bought on the most favorable terms.
We also wish to buy unimproved Arkansas Lands.
ap26-3m BEARD & HEDRICK.

ATTENTION!
THE WIDE, WIDE WORLD
FAR AND NEAR, EVERYBODY, EVERYWHERE WHO BUY
DRY GOODS!
CANDEE, MIX & CO.
GRAND CLOSING OUT SALE!
TREMENDOUS ONSLAUGHT UPON THE
DRY GOODS!
$150,000 *Worth of Goods to be Turned into Money.*
THE GRAND SALE COMMENCES
6TH OF JULY,
And will continue for the next two months, during which time we shall break down PRICES so low that no one can hesitate to buy. Our object is to clear our stock to make room for the Fall Trade.
Come One! Come All!
Our forte is more Money and less Goods. We shall offer customers every description of goods in our stock at 25 to 50 per cent. less than cost.
Our friends will find it to their interests to call early. We are determined to close out our summer stock by the first of September next.
IF LOW PRICES WILL DO IT.
☞ We offer, in addition, $25,000 worth of CLOTHING and over 100 pieces of CARPETING at a sacrifice.
Candee, Mix & Co.,
jy6-diwkoMy 227 Main street, Memphis, Tenn.

Latest Novelty.
SINGER'S TRANSVERSE LETTER A SHUTTLE
FAMILY SEWING MACHINES!
SINGER'S new issue A Transverse Shuttle Family and Plantation Sewing Machine is constructed upon an entirely new principle, whereby the faults of all other family sewing machines have been repudiated and avoided. Thoroughly simple of furniture is decorated in the highest style of art.
The machine is rapid and nearly noiseless, while it is exceedingly easy to operate. It is capable of the heaviest as well as the finest kind of work, sewing the strongest linen or fine thread with the same facility as the very finest cotton, and is adapted to the manufacture of a New York critic, "it combines beauty, lightness, strength, simplicity and durability with the most comprehensive utility, realizing for the first time our idea of a PERFECT SEWING MACHINE." It is, without doubt, the very best, as well as the CHEAPEST family sewing machine ever yet invented.
☞ Send for a circular.
EDWIN DEAN, Proprietor.
MEGG, DEAN & STRONG, Agents,
No. 190 and 192 Main street, Memphis, next door and connecting with Moses, McKinney & Co.'s extensive furniture ware rooms.

NEW GOODS.
SHIRTS, Very Superior,
DRAWERS, Cotton and Linen.
SHIRT FRONTS, COLLARS & CRAVATS.
Light Linen Clothing.
Boys' Clothing.
Children's Clothing.
HOOPS, All Sizes, White and Grey.
DUSTERS, FANS.
MOSQUITO BARS.
MISSES' FLATS.
PINK AND BLUE RIBBONS.
LABORER'S GOODS.
HEAVY BLUE OVER-SHIRTS AND PANTS.
CHECKED AND BICKORY SHIRTS.
UNSOUND KIP SHOES.
HEAVY AND MEDIUM OSNABURGS.
HEAVY STRIPED DRILLS.
LINSEYS AND TWEEDS—all wool filling.
Taylor & McEwen,
Main street, near Worsham House.
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Pure Apple Brandy,
DIRECT from Southampton county, Virginia, received and for sale by
jy8-2w G. W. JONES & CO.
50 BELS. LINSEED OIL, raw and boiled;
10 Bbls. Turpentine;
10 tons Zinc, white;
For sale by G. W. JONES & CO.,
jy8-2w 228 Main street, Opposite Odd Fellows' Hall.

Chemicals.
1000 OUNCES SULPHATE QUININE;
50 ounces Sulph. Morphine;
50 lbs. Chloroform;
100 ozs. Sulph. Strychnine.
For sale by G. W. JONES & CO.,
jy8-2w 228 Main street, Opposite Odd Fellows' Hall.

Spices.
10 BAGS ALLSPICE, 20 bags Black Pepper, 100 lbs. Nutmegs, 500 lbs. Cassia Bark, for sale by
jy8-2w G. W. JONES & CO.

Wheat Bags, Wheat Bags.
100 WHEAT BAGS, for sale at 18 cents each.
CREWS & SHRYOCK,
jy8-2w Madison street.

W. H. SEABROOK & CO.,
COTTON FACTORS,
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING
MERCHANTS,
No. 11 Madison Street,
Memphis, Tennessee.
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Administrator's Notice.
HAVING obtained letters of administration on the estate of Spencer C. Bunyon, at the April term, 1859, of the County Court of Shelby, we, the undersigned, give notice to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them duly authenticated within the time prescribed by law, otherwise they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment.
ap27-12m G. HUNTYN, Adm'r.

ELEGANT RESIDENCE FOR SALE.
WE will sell, on the most accommodating terms, one of the most elegant and desirable residences in the city. It is situated on Shelby street, within a few minutes' walk of the business part of the city, and has a few squares beyond the "depot." The house is finished with all the modern improvements. The yard is beautifully set with shrubbery and shade trees.
jy16 MONBARRAT, DUPREE & CO.

For Rent.
I WISH to rent the place where I now reside. There is a good garden and excellent water on the place, outhouses for servants, stable and carriage house.
J. W. ELDRIDGE,
jy12-1w At Freeman, Eldridge & Co.'s.

Traveling Dusters,
AND other new goods, received and for sale by
jy12-1w W. R. MILLER,
Fire Dry Goods Warehouse,
corner Main and Madison street.

Fresh Supplies of Choice Family Groceries.
AN NEW Sugar cured Cincinnati Hams, Butler's Lard in bbls. and kegs, breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef, etc., just received at
J. S. MITCHELL & Co.'S,
jy7 346 Main street.

Extra Fine Teas,
CHOCOLATE, Coffee, etc. Old Whiskies, Brandies, Wines, Segars and Tobacco. Just received at
J. S. MITCHELL & Co.'S,
jy7 346 Main street.

Dissolution.
THE Partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of KEMP & TRAPICE, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The name of the firm will be only used in liquidation. T. H. Trapice alone has authority to settle up the outstanding claims.
JOHN KEMP,
jy7 T. H. TRAPICE.
Memphis, July 7, 1859.—jy8-1m*

Sugars.
MOLASSES, Flour, and Fancy Groceries of all kinds, at
jy7 J. S. MITCHELL & Co.'S, 346 Main street.

Commercial Affairs.

MEMPHIS DAILY APPEAL OFFICE, TUESDAY, July 19, 1859.

Our merchants generally are literally doing nothing but laying in goods for the coming season; the heads are full with fall papers, but take little away with them.

The cotton market has been much duller than on any previous week since the opening of the season. There was a slight show of activity yesterday, but nothing was done beyond filling a few orders. In consequence of the receipt of several unsatisfactory letters, the extent of falling prices on cotton has been considerably the most we present our readers with some communications upon the subject.

As to little has been done during the week, and so there is so small a stock on hand to do anything with, we shall not at time over analyzing the trivial business that has been done. The cotton and its condition are now the principal object of attention. We have given full information respecting it elsewhere.

The New Orleans Picayune, July 14, reports: The demand continues very limited, and only about 300 bales have been disposed of to-day, do several small lots. We quote as before:

Inferior.....	8 @ 7	Middling.....	11 @ 11½
Ordinary.....	9 @ 9½	Good Middling.....	12 @ 12½
Good Ordinary...	9½ @10½	Middling Fair.....	12½ @ —
Low Middling.....	10½ @10½	Fair.....	— @ —

Domestic Markets by Telegraph.

NEW ORLEANS, July 18.—Cotton—The sales to-day were from 10 to 15 bales at 11½ cents.

NEW YORK, July 18.—The cotton market closed firm; sales of 600 bales. Corn firm; sales of 12,000 bushels at 80@85c. Sugar dull at 4¾@5½c for Muscovado. Lard dull 8@9c. Coffee steady.

CINCINNATI, July 18.—Flour $4.75@4.80; Corn closed steady at 75@80, and Oats 40@45c. Whisky 24c.

Foreign Markets by Telegraph.

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