Local Matters.

Wednesday Morning, February 22, 1860.

$10 Reward.

[illegible] will be offered for the apprehension, with sufficient proof to convict, of every thief engaged in stealing BLANKS from the Book of Original Entries. [illegible] MCDONAGHAN, THORNBLATE & DILL.

February 7, 1860.

☞ Mr. J. M. Wall, of this city, was in St. Louis Monday.

RECORDER'S COURT.—Four additions were made to the chain-gang from this tribunal yesterday.

ASH-WEDNESDAY.—Inappropriate as Ash-Wednesday is pronounced to-day, which is the inauguration of the period of Lent.

TAX PAYERS.—We are indebted to Mr. Ed. Worsham, the enterprising news agent at Messrs. J. J. Smith & Co.'s school-book, for St. Louis papers in advance of the mails.

MULE DROWNED.—A courageous drayman drove his mule into the river on Sunday morning, at the foot of court street, and the animal was drowned. The dray even was recovered with difficulty.

DONATION PARTY.—The friends of the First Baptist church are informed that there will be a donation party at the church this evening, for the benefit of the pastor.

TO THE AFFLICTED.—Those afflicted with bad teeth will be gratified to read the Card of Dr. Hewett, in another column. It will be seen that that skillful dentist has made a great reduction in his scale of prices.

THE CITY SCHOOLS EXHIBITION.—The exhibition of city schools numbers 7 and 18, which was postponed from Wednesday of last week in consequence of inclement weather, will be given to-morrow evening.

STEAMER ARTILLERY BALL.—The directors of the Steamer artillery ball, which takes place this evening at Odd Fellows' Hall, have spared no pains to make the occasion one of unusual enjoyment.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.—The Nashville Banner, of Sunday last, says: "Mr. Walker, being the choice of two justices of the peace from each ward in this city and one from each ward in the city of Memphis, passed on its third reading in the senate yesterday."

"AN OFFENSIVE."—We are informed that the water in the public cisterns, in the vicinity of the late fire, at the corner of Second and Jefferson streets, is very low, if not entirely exhausted. The citizens alluded to should be replenished at once.

A BRACE OF HAMLETS.—It is a coincidence that the two great modern representatives of Shakspeare's Hamlet appeared simultaneously in that piece Monday evening. Mr. Barry Sullivan was cast for the part at a St. Louis theater, and Mr. Edwin Booth commenced his engagement at our theater in the same play at the same time.

TRUE SHAM.—Friend Spicer, at the Useful Place, has just received a lot of fresh sod and Norfolk oysters in ice, which are rapidly disappearing before the assaults of the various customers. Friend Spicer receives these luxuries daily, by express, and selling sod at one dollar—cheap as the cheapest, and good as the best. Give him a call.

☞ "A thing of beauty is a joy forever"—so says the poet, and so say the ladies when speaking of Gilbert's pianos, for they so unite with beauty, harmony and durability, we have perfection itself. We understand there are a few more of those splendid instruments left at E. Whitesides & Co.'s, 192 Main street, opposite the Worsham house.

CRIMINAL COURT.—In this tribunal, yesterday, Nathaniel Facun, charged with an assault upon Adaline Farley, with an attempt to commit rape, was fined fifty dollars, and sentenced to thirty days in the county jail. The case of W. D. Bell, charged with the murder of Benj. Rice, will be taken up this morning.

FIRE.—The alarm of fire about nine o'clock last evening proceeded from the building lately occupied as a clothing house, adjoining the Planter's house. The flames were slightly extinguished, but no other damage was done to the building, and no occupant, but was undergoing repairs, the fire was no doubt the work of an incendiary.

NEW MEMPHIS THEATRE.—Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather, there was a fair attendance last evening at the new theater. Mr. Booth appeared as Sir Giles Overreach, in *A New Way to Pay Old Debts*, and played to very general enjoyment. The entertainment this evening will embrace *Richard the Third* and *A Day Well Spent*.

THE BIRTHDAY OF WASHINGTON.—Our military will celebrate that auspicious event in our country's history, the anniversary of the birth of Washington. The day will be ushered in by the firing of a grand salute by the Steuben artillery, after which there will be a public parade. The exercises will close with a ball given by the Steuben artillery at Odd Fellows' Hall in the evening.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL SALE.—By an error of the types yesterday, we were made to say that Attorney-General Sale had gone to Louisville, Tennessee, to hold a court. He has gone to Louisville to conduct the prosecution against Bowles, charged with the murder of Hammerskin, in this city. Gen. Sale is familiar with the case, and his presence at Somerville was rendered absolutely necessary at this time.

BOBY-SNATCHERS AT WORK.—A butcher, whose business called him through Elmwood Cemetery at a very early hour of the morning one day last week, was surprised to encounter two or more persons who seemed to have been engaged digging in the burying ground. The butcher's presence frightened the party away, and in their flight they left a body behind, which they had evidently disinterred. Our informant could not take charge of the body at the time, intending to cause its restoration after the appearance of daylight. When he returned, however, at an early hour, there were no traces of the body. It had evidently been borne away, and now, no doubt, adorns the table of some dissecting room.

A CONVERTED OF FAR-SEE MAN.—A number of dignitaries connected with that cosmopolitan institution, the Adams Express company, are in the city at present, among them E. S. Sanford, Esq., of New York, vice-president and general superintendent of the company; Mr. H. B. Plant, superintendent of the south-western division; A. Gaither, of Cincinnati, superintendent of the western division; Jas. Slater, Jr., of Chattanooga, assistant superintendent, and D. G. Elwood, of New Orleans, also an assistant superintendent. They were at the Gayoso house last evening, guests of Mr. H. Border, the agent of the company in this city. They are all intelligent and enterprising gentlemen, worthy representatives of the great enterprise which they represent.

A NEW ENTERPRISE.—Many of the liquor dealers and grocers are well acquainted with the old established house of Rice, Thompson, of Baltimore, and will be gratified to learn that a branch of that concern has been established at No. 98 Front Row, near Washington street, in this city, under the immediate supervision of Messrs. Enoch Wood and Wm. Veazy. For the purpose of supplying parties from the United States custom house stores, Mr. Thompson has shipped in bond to the custom house in Memphis, a varied assortment of the different grades and vintages of Cognac, Rochelle and Bordeaux Brandies, giant wines, imported cigars, and other pure articles, which will be sold in bond, or duty paid, at the option of buyers. The trade, and indeed consumers, thus have an opportunity to obtain their supplies from first hands, while they have an assurance that the articles they purchase are genuine and unadulterated. All that is wanted is a trial.

MANSFIELD'S SELF-ACTING SHOWER BATH.—This is a very ingenious application of a well-known principle in hydrostatics to the use of every day life. By means simply of atmospheric pressure, produced by the weight of a volume of water acting through an air chamber, the water in the bath is forced up through a tube to a distance of two or three feet above the reservoir, and descends in a gentle shower, not unlike that of the ordinary bath. We yesterday witnessed the operations of one of these baths, and were forcibly impressed with the neatness, simplicity and convenience. It is operated by simply turning a faucet, and may be used with either warm or cold water. It is light and portable, not exceeding ten or twelve pounds in weight, and may be removed from place to place with ease and safety. It is not liable to get out of order and is withal cheap and durable. The agent may be found at the Commercial hotel, and will take pleasure in exhibiting his invention to those who may wish to examine it.

The "niggers," who do the "work" at the Capital, are a shrewd set of fellows. Tuesday one of them was standing by one of the doors of the House, looking in at the members. The door-keeper said, "Jim, they're talking about niggers there." "Well," was the response, "dat's der business. Lor bless you, if it wasn't for de niggers dere wouldn't be no Congress."

The priest who christened the new-born child of the Queen of Spain deserves a fee, for the infant received sixty-one names.

Council Meeting.

Council met last night in regular session, the President, Ald. Kercheval in the chair. The minutes of last session were read and on the motion of Ald. Hendrix were dispensed with.

STEAMER RAILROAD.

Ald. Rider moved that the regular order of business be suspended that Mr. Hamilton, Street Commissioner be required to inform the Board of his views in regard to the street railroads, used by Mr. Hill, might be heard.

Mr. Hill—Generally speaking I do not be a good political politician, and that the taxing duties of a street railroad upon the property on Main street.

Mr. Hill said there he was—that did not come in opposition, but merely to defend their property from injury. It was a fact that in other cities the street railroads which railways passed were third and fourth class streets. If the railroad were laid down on Main street, the merchants would be injured. There were locations where they would be driven from the new railroads owned, and the splendid hotel was injured, and so there would be deserted.

Ald. Farris moved that the consideration of the petition and the claims of the company be postponed. The board had numerous petitions before it, and he wished the subject to be informed until the matter could have a fair consideration.

Ald. Fryman said much anxiety was felt in the community upon this subject, and he thought the board should of now allow the public to know what attempting would be paid to their reasonable protest.

Ald. Lottier said that he was a citizen he wanted to a special hour, who claimed under with the City of the street railroad. Also, that the board should adopt it as a principle governing all propositions of this kind, that no railroad should be allowed to any claim which would be of the property owners in the street upon their consent thereto.

Mr. Farris adopted Mr. Lottier's resolution as his own.

The minutes were then referred to the following committees, with the mayor and city attorney, to report on Tuesday night next—Messrs. Lotzet, Nelson, James Burnett and Drew. The account of Mr. Lottier's trade bitters was referred to the same committee. A communication from Mr. Kirk, president of the street railway company was also referred to the same committee. Mr. Schneider expressed the readiness of the company to comply with their contract.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Ald. Nelson, from the committee on finance, reported bill of $182 72 for medical attendance on Samuel Hobs, a lunatic. Ordered to be paid.

The same recommended that the loan belonging to the city be put in good condition. Adopted.

The same reported that the committee deemed the propriety of appropriating money to have a lock duck put on the Jefferson Hall. The board concurred, and the city would do without the stamp.

EXAMINE AND IMPROVEMENTS.

The same reported upon a resolution calling upon them to state whether the city treasury would allow proposed improvements, now before the improvement committee, to be made, and if so, what amount. Also, to state what is the value of the financial condition of the city, the money not having yet made, the last year's annual report, in consequence of the condition of the treasury, and authorize no more than said work and improvements.

Ald. Hamilton said he understood these things were now arranged, and the report would soon be made—he wished Gardwell to be made fully acquainted with the financial condition of the city.

Ald. Rider moved the indefinite postponement of the report.

Ald. Hamilton wished some general system of improvement should be adopted, and that we should be informed upon the subject, and know what we are about.

The report of the Finance Committee, recommending that provision of $450 be made, about Hernando, on a market in Poplar, and on Market and Fulton streets to the City clerk, was adopted.

Ald. Rider reported, recommending a decrease in the assessment of the property of Mr. S. C. Nelson on Shelby street. Adopted.

Ald. Nelson in reid that he heard new officers, as a matter of respect to the city register, on account of the death of his son.

Ald. Street selected to the Superintendent, as did also Ald. Farris.

Ald. Tomlin, Wilkes'ex his resolution.

Ald. Street, from the improvement committee, handed in certain profiles of streets.

Two commons, amounting to $2710 75, in favor of Mr. Greenlee were adopted.

A report in favor of gutterings Water street from Adams to Madison was adopted.

The same committee reported against gutting Jefferson street. Adopted.

The same reported against traveling Court street to the Pigeon Roost road. Adopted by the president's casting vote.

Same reported against allowing Adams, beyond the bacon. Adopted.

Same reported in favor of paving both sides of Monroe street from Main to Hernando. Adopted.

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Same reported in favor of having all gutters for the future laid in stone, provided it can be done for $1 25 a square yard. Adopted.

Same reported against straightening the bayou between Beale and Linden streets, as petitioned for by J. S. Williams and others. Adopted.

Same reported in favor of laying down brick pavement on Beale street. Adopted.

Also in favor of filling grade on Vance street at the intersection of Orleans street. Adopted.

Also against Mr. Solomon Andrews paving two alleys from front row to Front alley, between Madison and Court, and between Washington street and Adams. Adopted.

Also against letting both market from the top of the alley to the roof. Adopted.

Also in favor of Mr. Gaston putting down a stone sidewalk on the north side of Maple street, from Dubois to Hernando streets. Adopted.

Also in favor of paving a 20 on Washington street between Adams and Winter street to the lowest bidder. Adopted.

Also in favor of guttering Linden street from Hernando to the bayou with stone. Adopted.

Also in favor of building a public cistern at the intersection of Market and Adams.

Also in favor of a public market house. Adopted.

For hauling a horse $12 was allowed.

The lock and ladder complaint report taken was adopted.

The vigilance committee reported in favor of a larger room for the recorder's court. The committee were instructed to obtain a proper room.

Some further business was transacted and council adjourned.

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It is the cleanest and best selected stock ever offered to the public in this city.

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Attachment for Debt.

CHARLES BOUTLE, Law Office of the Common
vs. Pleas and Chancery Court of
HERMAN A. OG. the city of Memphis.

IN this cause it appearing to the chancellor that the defendants are non-residents of the State of Tennessee. It is therefore ordered that publication be made for four successive weeks in the Memphis Daily Appeal, requiring said defendants to appear before the Judge of said Court, when sitting at the court-house in the city of Memphis, on the first Monday in March next, to defend the suit brought against them in their behalf or judgment will be rendered against them.

MANFRED WRIGHT, Clerk.
By Chas. W. Johnson, Deputy Clerk.
Harris & Wilson, Attys. for Comp'l. 2000-dw

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500 BUSHELS best black;
500 bushels best white;
500 bushels pure white Oats;
Hay, Bran, etc.,
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Fresh Butter, Eggs, Chickens, Turkeys, Game of all kinds, etc. Call and see.

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W. P. LEWIS,
Sign of the Big Horse.
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Commercial Matters.

MEMPHIS DAILY APPEAL OFFICE,
WEDNESDAY, February 22, 1860.

COTTON.—The market for cotton has manifested no material change from the previous condition of things. The weather was wet, and very unfavorable to business. Receipts came in 64, was sold to our mills. The sales were: 9 at 5, 59 at 6¾, 7 at 7, 19 at 7¼, 20 at 7½, 15 at 8, 8 at 8¼, 45 at 8½, 387 at 8¾, 425 at 8¾-9, 7 at 10¼, 17 at 10¾, 10 at 10¾, 10 at 10¾, 10 at 11, 10 at 11¼, 10 at 11¾, 12 at 12¼, 12 at 12½—total, 1,175 bales.

Receipts—Per R. M. R. R. 64
Per steamer Ben Sherrod 1,111
Total 1,175
Stock January 1 11,000
Total receipts to date 11,000
Last year 12,000

The report for the week ending to day is 64,701 against 64,000 last year. The receipts for the week ending this date, are 3,000 against 2,000 last year.

Our receipts for the month of January were 11,000 against 12,000 last year. Summer sales total 400.

EXCHANGE AND BANK NOTE LIST.

CORRECTED DAILY BY THE SAVINGS DEPOSIT INSTITUTION.

Gold and Silver being the Standard.

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Domestic Markets by Telegraph.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 21.—Flour—the market quiet and steady—the sales to local trade and to retailers at $4 75 for Mining Company. Superfine sales of 60 bbls at $4 50;