LOCAL MATTERS.

FRIDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 18.

LIEUT. CREWS.—It is stated that Lieutenant Crews, who was shot in the woods beyond Columbus on the 11th, was a gentleman from St. Louis.

☞ Rev. C. A. Davis left this city last evening to attend a synodical meeting of the Church at Troy, Tennessee. There will, therefore, be no preaching at Odd-Fellows Hall on next Sabbath.

☞ We were yesterday shown one of the largest, most beautiful and tastefully arranged bouquets we have ever seen. It was from the flower garden of Mr. Joseph Etcheverne, below Fort Pickering, and may be seen at the store of Messrs. Speed, Donobo & Strange. It is worth a visit to get a look at it.

MEMPHIS AND OHIO RAILROAD.—We learn by a communication from Mr. Dodamead, superintendent of the Memphis and Ohio railroad, that the restrictions as to passengers running to Paris, only, are removed, and that their trains are now making connections with Clarksville, Bowling Green, Nashville, etc., as usual. Travelers will take notice.

☞ We had the pleasure of a call yesterday from our friend, Col. J. Knox Walker, at present stationed with his regiment at Columbus, Ky. We are gratified to perceive that he is recovering from his late severe attack of fever, and that in a short while he will again be in the full enjoyment of robust health. He represents also that his regiment is in the enjoyment of excellent health.

DEATH OF MR. KEHOE.—In another paragraph we record the death of Dr. Shanks. It is our melancholy duty to add the name of another old resident of Memphis to the list of the departed. Yesterday morning John Kehoe, residing on Commerce street, breathed his last, in the 68th year of his age. He was one of our oldest citizens, and father of Wm. Kehoe, the present chief of the fire department. For several years he was one of the Aldermen of the First ward, and has also filled the office of street commissioner. In all departments of life he bore the character of a good citizen, kind, warm hearted and true. He was a man who won for himself a host of friends, and wherever known he was respected.

COUNTERFEITS.—Under the head of "more counterfeit Confederate bills," the New Orleans *Crescent* of Wednesday has the following which our citizens will do well to notice: It appears that a dangerous counterfeit of the small bills of the Confederacy is in circulation in the city and likely to create trouble. Yesterday morning a gentleman showed the teller of the Bank of New Orleans a $5 Confederate bill, which bore the Richmond stamp and appeared all right, but which, on close inspection, proved to be a photograph most cunningly done. We would advise our readers to look well to those bills before taking them. On close inspection, the paper will be found to be inferior, and in nearly every case the traces of the acids can be detected.

CONCERT TO-NIGHT.—The ladies have made arrangements for a very agreeable concert and exhibition of tableaux at the theater to-night. In addition to the attractions already announced, Mr. Henry Farmer, who has just returned from the army, will give one of his fine solos on the flute. Among the novelties is a new song and chorus, written for the occasion by our Memphis poet, Signaigo; it is a beautiful piece, and the writer should have credit for it. The money raised on this occasion will be expended by the ladies who have got up the concert, in comforts and necessaries for such of "our own boys" as are sick in the camp at Columbus. This is an object in which every man and woman in Memphis should take an interest, and a large audience is expected. Reader, when you go, take another with you that did not mean to go; that is the way to crowd the house and get money for "our own boys."

CRIMINAL COURT.—State vs. Weiners: Tried and found guilty of delivering liquor to slaves; fined by the jury $75, and imprisoned by the court six months. The punishment is severe, but the offense is a great evil, and the court is resolved to suppress it, with all the powers provided by the law. The law does not allow any person to sell or give liquor to slaves in any quantity or under any circumstances. The practice of treating slaves, or giving them drams, is a public grievance, and an injury to master and slave, as much almost as selling them liquor. The evil consequences are the same, no matter how or from whom they get the liquor. A few such cases as the above, will prove a warning to all persons, whether grocery keepers or other individuals. Attorney-General Eldridge, for State, Walter Coleman, for defendant. A number of cases were disposed of on the misdemeanor docket. In the afternoon, the case of the State vs. Clements, for an aggravated assault and battery, was up, and submitted to the jury, who had not agreed at the adjournment of court. The case was stoutly contested by Attorney-General Eldridge, for the State, and Sale for defendant. The felony docket will be taken up as soon as the misdemeanor docket is finished, when the jail cases will be first called and tried, and then the other cases, in their order—excepting such as may be set for certain days, under the rules of the court.

On 'Change--Business News.

The daily telegram from New Orleans showed an improvement in the flour market there, and that together with the stoppage of arrival here, made a nominal advance, but there were no sales to test the amount. A rapid and considerable advance in the article is looked for. A general hope was expressed that the Confederate troops would before long be able to open such communications with Kentucky as would extend the area from whence supplies for the valley of the Mississippi are drawn. Private letters from New Orleans have been received by merchants here showing that in that city there exists an expectation that this event will occur so early as to prevent more than a temporary advance on present rates. It was remarked on 'Change that indications do not justify the expectation. If the military authorities at Columbus expected at a very early day to be drawing large supplies from that quarter, they would scarcely have prohibited the transport of wheat and flour by which the great staple of life will become greatly enhanced in price.

The receipts of cotton have so greatly diminished since the official appeal was made to planters, accompanied with the information that if the appeal proved vain, more stringent measures would be put in operation, that scarcely more is heard on 'Change of this staple, in the way of business, than if it had never been the leading article on our markets. In New Orleans there are no receipts since the proclamation of Gov. Moore prohibited importations. The stock of cotton in that city is nominally 11,907 bales, but secret shipments to Spain and Mexico, and small amounts taken by southern manufacturers, have reduced the real stock to 11,300 bales.

The papers in the sugar districts state that preparations are everywhere making for grinding. Attempts made in some quarters have not resulted well, more cold weather for maturing the cane being required. The approach of large receipts from the new crop is telling upon quotations. The question was asked on 'Change, what are the necessary steps to be taken to bring before Council the subject of a sugar levee if the merchants should agree to apply to have one constructed? All that is required is to write a short petition stating what is wanted, and asking Council to pass an ordinance appropriating a space on the river as a sugar levee, and providing for the safe keeping from theft of the property deposited there, and also the system on which such space as merchants might require from time to time should be allotted them. Place this on a desk in the Chamber for signatures—when the signatures are appended, let it be handed over to a member of Council for presentation to that body, and Council will then take action upon it.

River News and Steamboat Business.

The river fell two inches during the twenty-four hours ending last night; during the same time the day before it fell eight inches. Business was dull. The weather was cloudy but fair.... The only arrival was the Louis D'Or, which came in last night with a moderate trip. She returns to-day, and shippers and passengers will find her a handsome, well furnished, and convenient boat. Capt. Cheney Johnson, and R. A. Gregory, the clerk, are experienced gentlemen, who will attend to the safety and comfort of their passengers. Morton & Co. agents. ....The Ashley left for the Arkansas river; also the Lelia....The Grand Duke left for New Orleans; also the Alonzo Child....The Rose Douglass is being put in trim, and will be brought to the landing to leave for New Orleans to-morrow. She will go into the New Orleans and White river trade....The Lizzie Simmons, one of the fine New Orleans boats, was due last night and will leave to-morrow. Bourne agent. ....The splendid Gen. Quitman, one of the noblest boats that ever glided over the Western waters, leaves to-night for New Orleans. All who love a spacious state-room, a good bed, a luxurious table, attentive waiting, a swift boat, and that is polite and careful, will choose the Gen. Quitman, commanded by Capt. Smith. She will "fill the bill."....The New Orleans Crescent, of Wednesday, says the Magenta, Ed. J. Gay, and the Prince of Wales, left for Memphis on Tuesday evening.

BOATS LEAVING.

FOR NEW ORLEANS.—The splendid passenger packet Louis D'Or, Johnson, master, leaves as above this evening at 5 o'clock. Wolf & Co., and Morton & Co., agents.

FOR NEW ORLEANS.—The packet Gen. Quitman, Cannon, master, leaves as above this evening at five o'clock. Larry Harbstreit, agent.

FOR COLUMBUS.—The fine packet Kentucky, Lockett, master, leaves as above this evening at 5 o'clock. J. C. McManus, agent.

A Card.

Since my last card of acknowledgment, the following contributions have been received for the Missouri soldiers, under command of Gen. M. Jeff. Thompson:

From the ladies of Huntsville, Ala., through Prof. H. B. Todd, one box and three barrels, with contents as follows: 11 sheets, 35 yards osnaburgs, 8 pair drawers, 4 cravats, 12 packages starch, 15 shirts, 8 bottles wine, 3 bottles jelly, 1 bundle bandages, 7 pillow slips, 6 pair shoes, 6 boxes mustard, 2 parcels crackers, 3 bars soap, 44 yards flannel, 1 sack white sugar, 1 bundle towels, 11 cakes tallow, 3 caddies tea, 1 piece sponge, 9 blankets and 2 quilts, 13 undershirts, 11 pairs pants, 55 pairs socks, 5 bottles blackberry cordial, 2 vests, 6 towels, 3 table cloths, 4 pair drawers, 13 calico shirts, 2 white shirts, 2 bundles bandages and 2 cravats, 7 calico shirts, 10 blankets, 2 vests, 8 coats, 1 pair pants and 1 bundle bandages, 3 coats, 4 blankets, 5 pair socks, 3 shirts, 4 pair drawers, 5 bottles blackberry wine, 1 bottle tomato catsup, 1 bottle English grape cordial, 1 jar vinegar, 1 jar peach pickles, 2 vests, 2 cushions, 1 bundle bandages and 1 parcel red pepper.

From the ladies of Zion Church, Maury county, Tennessee, also, by Prof. N. B. Todd, 3 boxes with contents as follows: No. 1—blankets, 3 coats, 7 pair pants, 20 pair drawers, 21 shirts, 2 linsey jackets, 82 pair socks, 2 towels, and lot of bandages and lint. Box No. 2—2 blankets, 4 coats, 5 pair pants, 14 pair drawers, 15 shirts, 1 vest, 6 pair socks, 5 towels, 4 lbs. starch, 2 lbs. sage, lot of pepper, soap, buttons and thread, 3 sheets 1 suit for the sick. Box No. 3—8 bottles blackberry wine, 1 gallon blackberry cordial, 4 bottles blackberry cordial, 1 bottle peach cordial, 5 bottles pickles and 1 bottle cucumber catchup

Deposited with W. Howard & Co.: By Mrs. M. McIntosh, Memphis, 2 blankets and 1 pillow.

Deposited with Speed, Donobo & Strange: By Mrs. M. E. Cochran, Memphis, 120 pair wool socks, and 4 blankets; by Mrs. Fanny Jones, Panola county, Mississippi 11 pair socks.

From ladies and gentlemen of Natchez, Mississippi, and vicinity, forwarded by Mr. O. Kibbe, four boxes and one bale, with contents as follows: 12 hickory shirts, 125 pair wool socks, 37 pair drawers, 9 flannel and knit shirts, 14 white shirts, 1 superior double-barreled shotgun, 1 pocket knife, 2 dirks, 1 bowie-knife, 2 dozen tin plates, 20 pair pants, 1 India rubber blanket, 15 carpet blankets, 100 blankets, lined, etc., 13 pillows, 9 towels, 4 table cloths, 1 box sage, 32 bottle sundries, 3 pair mits, 1 jar pickles, 2 bundles old shirts, soft linen, etc., 1 box lint, 1 package alum, 4 small tin cans, 1 cloak, and 18 comforts.

Profoundly grateful for the very remarkable generosity of the people of Tennessee, Mississippi, and Alabama toward the Missouri soldiers, that has in a few week's time, upon a simple statement of their condition, drawn forth substantial responses in clothing, and money to procure other needed supplies, to an extent that has gone very far toward putting the men of the command that I represent in a comfortable condition—especially in all under clothing, and having effected an arrangement with the agent of the Confederate government, by which I expect to procure all the additional supplies that may be needed by our men, I take pleasure in withdrawing our wants from the public, that they may be the better able to meet the demands upon their patriotism and generosity in behalf of their own husbands, sons and brothers.

For the many courtesies and evidences of kind consideration extended to me personally and in my official capacity by the citizens of the place and surrounding country, I will ever bear a lively gratitude toward them, and hope that circumstances (though of a less embarrassing character to me I trust) may so transpire as to renew, at no distant day, the, to me, agreeable associations.

M. H. MOORE,
Div. Q'r-Master 1st Div. M. S. G.

[CORRESPONDENCE.]

HERNANDO, MISS., Oct. 14, 1861.

Col. Moore—

RESPECTED SIR: Permit me to present you with a flag, for Gen. Jeff. Thompson's division of Missouri State troops.

I hope you will receive this as a small testimonial of my earnest desire for the redemption of your State from oppression, and her speedy deliverance from the chains of tyranny which her invaders have thrown around her. I hope the day is now dawning when the crimson cloud of war shall pale before the sunshine of enduring peace, and friends who have been separated by the stern necessities of conflict be reunited in happiness complete. With an unceasing confidence in the bravery of southern hearts, and for the justness of our cause, I invoke the blessing of the ruler of nations, and pray that the Lord God will cover your heads in the day of battles.

With many wishes for your personal safety and happiness, I am, sir, very respectfully,

S. A. BRETT.

MEMPHIS, October 17, 1861.

Mrs. S. A. Brett, Hernando, Miss.

RESPECTED MADAM: Your very patriotic and truly eloquent favor of the 11th instant, together with the splendid flag presented by you to "Gen. Jeff. Thompson's division of Missouri State troops," was received in due time.

Permit me to congratulate you on your complete success in drawing and painting the coat-of-arms of the State of Missouri. The combination is difficult, but you have succeeded most admirably in sketching it, and the painting is of the finest style of the art. Be assured, madam, that your gift will be highly prized and blessings pronounced upon your name by the whole army of our division.

Relying on the gallantry of Missourians, I pledge you that this flag—your elegant handiwork—shall never be trailed in the dust before the enemy, but that it shall be unfurled to the breeze and proudly borne through the State until it shall have *flapped* triumphantly from the respective domes of the capital of the State and court house of St. Louis.

Sincerely trusting that your invocation and wishes in behalf of the southern cause, our State and myself may all be realized, and that you may enjoy a long, useful and happy life, I am, madam,

Very respectfully,
Your obed't serv't,
M. H. MOORE.

DIED.

In this city, on Wednesday evening, 16th instant, Dr. LEWIS SHANKS.

The funeral services will take place THIS (Friday) MORNING, at 10 o'clock, from Calvary church.

Died, in this city, on Thursday morning, 17th instant, Mr. JOHN KEHOE, in the 68th year of his age.

The funeral will take place THIS (Friday) MORNING, at 10 o'clock, from the late residence of the deceased, on Commerce street.

LETTER FROM GEN. PILLOW.

HEADQUARTERS DIVISION,
COLUMBUS, KY., Oct. 14, 1861.

To the Conductors of the Memphis Press:

I inclose you for publication a letter to which I invite the attention of the good people of your city, whose right of property and liberties are protected by the army under my command. From this letter you will see that the families of the brave men composing the army are suffering for the necessaries of life.

I am aware of the liberal appropriations made by your county courts to provide for them; but yet there is suffering, and I fear a want of proper attention to the distribution of the fund.

But be that as it may, I cannot turn a deaf ear to the voice of wants sent to this camp from the wives of the brave men composing its rank and file—nor can I refuse to allow those whose duty it is to provide for their families to go back, and provide them bread.

If I am compelled to grant such applications, it is easy to see that (combined with disease) this army will melt away until your city may be humbled by the tread of the tyrant's mercenary soldiers in your streets.

I know the public spirit and patriotic devotion of the people of Memphis to the cause of popular rights and a free government, and believe that the proper authorities will apply the corrective

This is only one of many cases that have come up before me.

I cannot and will not hold the brave men of this army to the post of duty when I hear the cries of their wives and children for bread, from your streets.

With great respect,
Your ob't serv't,
GID. J. PILLOW,
Brigadier General C. S. A.

CHELSEA, September 28, 1861.

MY DEAREST CHARLIE: I will write again to you, and perhaps you may get this one, but I do not know. I have written several letters to you, and get no answers. Why don't you? Here I might starve and die, and you never would hear of it. I think it very hard that I should be almost destitute of the necessaries of life, and none to help me, and not even a helping hand to assist me, and the one I have so earth has been taken from me to go off and fight for the property of others that stay at home, and see the poor women suffer for the mere want of bread; they care not for that, self is all they care for. Oh, for God's sake show this to the colonel, and if he is a gentleman he will have some feeling for the female sex. I hope he is not solely destitute of sympathy for women. Oh, Charlie, please come, for I need your presence at home to make some provision for me and the baby. If I were not unable to do anything I would not think of it being so hard, but I am sick, and have had Doctor Bailey tending on me ever since you left, and for my sake come home and let me see you once more. I really need your assistance at home. The baby is well. I shall look for you if not sooner. I do not get one cent from the county, and what am I to do? Write soon. Your wife, MOLLIE.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS.

At an adjourned meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, held yesterday evening, October 17, 1861: Present, Hon. John Park, Mayor; Chairman, Merrill; Ald. Farmer, Cochran, Morgan, Townsend, Kortrecht, Greenlaw, Patrick, Anis, Ayres and Vollintine.

A quorum being announced, the Chairman took his seat and called the Board to order, when the roll of Aldermen was called, and the unfinished business continued, by the presentation by Ald. Patrick, of an account in favor of L. Wangenheim, for repairing flat-lock muskets, amounting to fifty-five dollars, which was allowed by the Board.

CITY SCHOOL TAX.

Ald. Kortrecht presented the following ordinance in relation to levying a city school tax, for the 35th Corporate year, which was, by a suspension of the rules, passed upon its final reading, by the following vote: Ayes—Aldermen Cochran, Morgan, Kortrecht, Anis, Ayres, Townsend, Farmer, Patrick, Vollintine and Merrill. Nays—Ald. Greenlaw.

Be it ordained, etc., That a tax be, and is hereby assessed for the city schools for the present Corporate year, on the taxable property of the city, which will produce the sum of eight dollars per head of the scholastic population of the city, according to the recent report of the City Assessors.

IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE.

Upon a petition asking a pavement to be laid on High street the report of the committee was, that a plank walk had already been ordered on said street, which was all that they could recommend for the present. [Report adopted.]

Upon the petition of T. C. Oakley asking damages for the encroachment of an alley on his property, the report of the committee was, that the petition be referred to the City Engineer, Street Commissioner and Secretary of the Board for report whether any such alley has been run as the petition asserts, etc. [Report adopted.]

Upon the petition of A. Slaughter, for the allowance of an account for work on the city scales, the committee report as follows:

We recommend that the City Inspector be requested to pay the amount from inspection fees, so he is allowed them, and that the city gets nothing, contrary to all former practice of the city, or if he prefers, that he be requested to resign his office. [Report adopted.]

Upon a resolution, by Ald. Morgan, in relation to repairing gutters on Union street, the M. and C. railroad to pay one-half the expense, the report of the committee was as follows:

The committee recommend the doing of the work in connection with the railroad company, provided, and to the extent the city's share of the work can be done for the ordinary street fund, but they, but recommend no further outlay or expense at the present. [Report adopted.]

Upon a resolution ordering brick sidewalks on the south side of Linden street, from DeSoto to Wellington street, the report of the committee was, that action on the same be postponed. [Report adopted.]

Upon a resolution providing for repairs on the bridge across the bayou on Chickasaw street, the report of the committee was, that the work had been already ordered. [Adopted.]

Upon a resolution providing that R. C. Brinkley and others, owners of the ground between Exchange and Market and between Chickasaw street and the river, be required to fill up the same within the next sixty days so as to correspond with the street, etc. the report of the committee was as follows: "Recommended in view of the present condition of the country the postponement of the resolution." [Report adopted.]

Upon resolutions providing for the pavements on the north side of Chickasaw street, and the south side of Winchester street, the report of the committee was that action on the same be postponed. [Report adopted.]

Upon an account of Jonison & Bro. for paving an alley, amounting to $68, the committee made no further report than a statement under which circumstances the account was denied. [Account allowed for $60.30]

AMENDMENTS TO CITY CHARTER.

The following proposed amendments to the City Charter were adopted by the Board:

I.

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen shall have power to declare by law or ordinance, how, and in what manner accounts of every description against the city of Memphis shall be made, and how such accounts shall be audited, proved, and presented for payment.

II.

There shall be a City Recorder, who shall be elected by the Board of Aldermen, and shall hold his office for one year, or until his successor shall be elected and qualified according to law.

III.

There shall be a Wharf-master, a Chief of Police, one or more Tax Collectors as may be determined by the Board of Aldermen, a City Treasurer, a City Controller, a City Engineer, a City Inspector, a City Attorney, two Market masters, a Captain of the Day Police, a Captain of the Night Police, and such number of Day and Night Policemen as may from time to time be determined by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen—all of whom shall be elected annually by the Board of Aldermen.

On the nomination of the Mayor, they shall perform such duties as shall be prescribed for them by ordinance, and shall hold their offices for one year, unless sooner removed therefrom by the Board of Aldermen.

IV.

Every city officer, who, by this charter, is elective by the people of the city, may at any time be removed from office for misdemeanor therein by a vote of two-thirds of the Aldermen elected.

V.

Every city officer who, by this charter, is elective by the Board of Aldermen on the nomination of the Mayor, shall hold his office on such terms and conditions, and shall be removable therefrom for such causes and in such manner as shall be prescribed in the ordinances of the city, which shall define his duties.

VI.

No person who heretofore has been, or may hereafter be, a collector, holder or disburser of the revenue of the city, shall hold a seat in the Board of Aldermen until he shall have accounted for, as required by law, or paid into the city treasury, all sums of money for which he may in his official capacity be accountable or liable.

VII.

Nor shall any person, other than the inspector appointed by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, or his deputies, exercise the powers or perform the duties of Inspector within the corporate limits of the city.

VIII.

No person who shall be removed from office (whether elected by the people or appointed by the Board of Aldermen on the nomination of the Mayor) in accordance with the provisions of this charter, shall be eligible to any office under this charter or the ordinances of the city during the corporate year in which such removal shall take place.

A proposed amendment, making the prepayment of poll tax necessary to a vote in city elections, was, after a protracted debate, rejected by the following vote: Ayes—Ald. Cochran, Ayres, Greenlaw, Townsend. Noes—Ald. Morgan, Kortrecht, Anis, Merrill, Farmer and Patrick.

Ald. Merrill presented the following, and the same was adopted by the Board:

XIII.

A general election for all city officers who, by this charter, are made elective by the people of the city shall be holden on the last Thursday in June of each year; and the officers thus elected shall take the oath of office required by this charter, and enter upon the performance of their duties on the first day of July, thereafter, and this election shall include the Visitors of the City Schools who shall hereafter be chosen at the said general election.

Ald. Kortrecht moved that a proposed amendment to the City Charter, previously adopted by the Board, in relation to the ages of children admissable to the city schools be withdrawn. [Lost.]

Ald. Kortrecht moved then that it be amended so as to make the ages from 6 to 18 years. [Carried.]

To an amendment to the City Charter restricting the authority of the Board in making appropriations, except to such objects as are enumerated in the Charter, and which require appropriations of money to carry them out, etc., Ald. Merrill proposed the following amendment: "Excepting for the purpose of repelling invasion or suppressing insurrection." [Adopted.]

By Ald. Greenlaw:

A requisition for four barrels lime and one dozen brooms. [Allowed.]

By Ald. Farmer:

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board, under the supervision of the Ordinance Committee, be required to transcribe and arrange the city charter, with the proposed amendments passed by this Board, in order that the Board may be presented in full and complete form to the present Legislature of Tennessee for its action; and that the said Secretary be allowed for such service such sum as the Board may hereafter appropriate. [Adopted.]

By the same:

Resolved, That so much of the resolution of this Board, adopted on the 9th day of August, 1861, requiring the Chief of Police to summon before the Recorder such delinquent property holders as had failed to pave their side walks, and (being therein required) so relates to the north side of Linden street between Main and Shelby, be suspended until further action by this Board. [Adopted.]

By the same.

The petition of Walt & Johnson. Referred to Improvement Committee.

By Ald. Kortrecht.

The petition of Wm. Morrison in relation to a fee paid the Recorder for preparing an appeal bond; also the following resolution:

Resolved, That the petition be referred to committee on Police, to inquire and report.

By Ald. Townsend.

Resolved, etc., That the day station-house keeper go on duty at half after six o'clock in the morning and remain till half after six in the evening, when he will be relieved by the night station-house keeper, and that each keeper shall remain on duty till he be relieved by the other. [Adopted.]

A motion of Ald. Townsend, to reconsider the vote adopting a resolution in relation to paving on Second street, between Exchange and Market streets, was carried, and the resolution referred to the Improvement Committee.

In relation to the boundaries of the city, Ald. Merrill submitted the following, which was adopted by the Board by the following vote: Ayes—Ald. Greenlaw, Cochran, Morgan, Merrill, Farmer, Townsend and Patrick. Nays—Ald. Kortrecht and Anis.

The boundaries of the city of Memphis are hereby changed, and established as follows:

Beginning at a point, to be established by running a line at right angles with Second street, along the center of Court street, two miles eastward from said Second street; running thence at right angles with said line southward two miles, and thence at right angles westward to the middle of the Mississippi river. Beginning again at the point established two miles eastward of Second street, and running northward at right angles with the line westward from Second street two miles, and thence at right angles westward to the middle of the Mississippi river. The boundary on the west, connecting the two lines thus extended to the middle of the Mississippi river, shall be along said river corresponding with so much of the western boundary of the State of Tennessee.

The territory and population thus added to the city of Memphis shall be subject to all the laws, and be entitled to all the privileges of said city, except that for ten years from and after the first operation of this act, no tax shall be levied upon said territory and population for the payment of bonds heretofore issued by said city, or for the payment of interest on said bonds.

By Ald. Cochran:

The petition of M. Jones, asking permission to use powder in removing the stock of the wharf boat. [Referred to Wharf Committee, with power to act.]

By the same:

A portion of the Mayor's message in relation to the Wall river bridge. [Referred to Committee on Landing o report east.]

Ald. Anis moved a reconsideration of the vote fixing the market hours. [Carried.] The morning market hours were then made from 4 to 9 o'clock, a. m.

By Ald. Anis:

Resolved, That the resolution passed December 9th, 1859, authorizing evening markets from the first of November to the first of March, be and the same is hereby rescinded. Provided that nothing in this resolution be construed to abolish Saturday evening market. [Adopted.]

By Ald. Morgan:

The petition of E. M. Apperson & Co., asking the refundment of money erroneously paid on a lot. Referred to Finance Committee.

Thereupon the Board adjourned to Thursday night next.

W. H. BERRIEN, Secretary.

Wanted—For Immediate Service.

Fifty-two drivers for light artillery battery.

Two buglers for light artillery battery.

Ninety-six cannoneers for light artillery battery.

Pay from day of enlistment as allowed by the Confederate States army regulations.

Quarters will be provided and transportation will be allowed to all recruits coming from a distance. Apply to

Capt. JAS. P. PARKER, C. S. A.
Lieut. WM. T. HOWARD, C. S. A.
W. HOWARD & Co.,
No. 4 Howard's Row,
o10-2w Memphis, Tenn.

☞ We call attention to the advertisement of Mr. J. B. Sharpe & Co., tobacco dealers.

COMMERCIAL REPORTS.

DAILY REPORT OF THE MARKET.

FURNISHED FROM THE MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.

MEMPHIS, October 18, 1861.

COTTON.—No demand and no sales. Receipts none. Shipments 7 bales.

TOBACCO.—There was some inquiry in the market but we did not hear of a sale. Quotations continue nominal.

MEMPHIS TOBACCO QUOTATIONS.

Inferior Lugs	2@3
Good Lugs	4@4
Common Admitted	5@6
Fair	7@7
Fine	8@9
Choice and Selections	—@—

WHEAT—There is a good demand, and buyers are disposed to pay full prices, but the blockade having effectually checked shipments, there were no offerings in the market yesterday, and consequently no sales.

FLOUR—The upward tendency of prices in New Orleans, added to the very light receipts, caused holders to advance their quotations 50 cents per barrel, at which there is great firmness. The only sales reported were 160 sacks country extra superfine at $8.00, 60 Excelsior Mills extra at $9.00, and 25 Star Mills extra at $9.00.

HAY, CORN, OATS AND BRAN.—There is a brisk demand for these articles, but the market is comparatively bare of stocks, and we hear of no sales save in a small retail way.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES—Light sales at previous rates.

CORN MEAL.—100 bushels sold at 90c.

SALT—Sales 80 sacks coarse from levee at $4.50, and 100 at $4.40.

New Orleans Market.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.]

NEW ORLEANS, October 17, 1861.

FLOUR—There is a good demand, and the market is firm and advancing. Moderate sales reported at $8 ℔ barrel for superfine, and from $8.50 to $9 for extra, according to quality.

BRAN—The market is less active, and prices have declined. We now quote at $2 ℔ cwt.

CORN—There is a good demand and considerable firmness among holders at 95c ℔ bushel for white.

OATS—Quiet at 85c ℔ bushel.

SUGAR—There is no change in the market, which is quiet at former prices.

MOLASSES—Sales at from 19 to 21c ℔ gallon for good and prime.

WHISKY—Selling slowly in small lots at 90c ℔ gallon for rectified.

EXCHANGE AND BANK NOTE LIST.

CORRECTED BY E. M. AVERY, CASHIER OF THE GAYOSO SAVINGS' INSTITUTION, MADISON STREET.

Bankable Tennessee Money being the Standard.

Bank of Tennessee	par	Exchange Bank Tenn.	—
Union Bank	par	Citizens' Bank	—
Planters' Bank	par	Agricultural Bank	—
Bank of West Tenn.	par	Bank of East Tenn.	—
Bank of Chattanooga	par	Bank of Jefferson	—
Bank of Memphis	par	Bank of Trenton	—
Commercial Bank	par	Bank of Tiptonville	—
Southern Bank	par	Bank of Clifborne	—
Bank of Nashville	5 dis		
Bank of Commerce	5 dis	OTHER BANKS.	
Merchants' Bank	5 dis	South Carolina	par
Brock's Bank	5 dis	N. C. Banks	2 dis
Bank of the Union	5 dis	Georgia (except William)	par
Northern Bank Tenn.	5 dis	Missouri Banks	5 dis
Bank of Paris	5 dis	Wisconsin Banks	—
Trader's Bank	5 dis	Illinois Banks	—
Farmers' Bank	5 dis	Louisiana Banks	3 prem
Bank of Middle Tenn	5 dis	Kentucky Banks	3 prem
Dandridge Bank	10 dis	State Bank of Ohio	—
Dresser Bank	10 dis	State Bank of Indiana	—
Shelbyville Bank	10 dis	Alabama Banks	3 dis
City Bank, Nashville	par	Virginia Banks	par
Bank of Knoxville	par		
Bank of America	—		

Exchange--Selling Rate.

New York	—	Cincinnati	—
Philadelphia	—	Baltimore	—
New Orleans	4 prem	Gold	16 prem
Louisville	10 prem	Silver	15 prem

JULY 14, 1861.

GEO. W. JONES & CO.,

229 Main Street,

Memphis.....Tennessee,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

30 brls. Lard Oil,
75 brls. Lubricating Oil--equal to best Sperm Oil.
50 brls. Alcohol,
2 brls. Pure Cream Tartar,
1000 ozs. Sulph. Quinine,
50 ozs. Sulph. Morphine,
100 lbs. Blue Mass,
100 lbs. Calomel,
3000 boxes Window Glass!

Which will be sold as low as the condition of things will admit.

G. W. JONES & CO.,
229 Main street.
jy14-daw

THE VOLUNTEERS' FAMILIES!

I WILL, on THURSDAY, next, at the same place heretofore used, (the Clerk's office), commence giving orders for the money due the wives of the Volunteers. The blank forms for the Commissioners they will find in possession of Mr. Powell, at the Sheriff's office.

Such families as do not reside in the city, but in the suburbs, in the Fifth and Fourteenth Civil Districts, will make themselves known to me immediately.

J. W. A. PETTIT,
Memphis, October 15th, 1861. Judge, Etc.
oc16-3t

Notice to Absent Soldiers.

FORT PILLOW, September 28, 1861.

ALL soldiers absent on leave from this post belonging to the 13th Regiment of Arkansas volunteers, are hereby notified to report at headquarters immediately. By order of

J. C. TAPPAN, Col. Commanding.
G. WEBB, Adjutant Post. se29

SPECIAL NOTICES.

INSURANCE COMPANY OF THE STATE OF VIRGINIA.

Authorized Capital....$1,000,000.

Cash capital and surplus paid up..... 380,000.

Office on Madison street, opposite the Bank of Memphis.

J. T. WEST,
oct-1y Agent.

Messrs. Clark, Gregory & Co.,

Inclosed please find pay for one dozen bottles of your Amb osial Oil, the same I had in December last—sent in haste by express. You need not be surprised to hear of a good deal wanting in this section.

Yours truly, WM. U. JAGOWAY.
Stevenson, Ala., March 31, 1860.

Messrs. CLARK, GREGORY & CO.: I have used your Ambrosial Oil in a case of ulcer on my leg of five years standing, which soon effected a cure.

CHAS. B. HIDE.

For sale by Potter & Merwin, Mansfield & co., Fleming & Gilbert, Ward & McClelland, G. W. Jones & Co. o 11-dawtw

CHEROKEE CURE!

An unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Nocturnal Emissions, Impotency, Loss of Power, Pains in the Back, Stone in the Bladder, Obstructed and Difficult Menstruation, and all diseases caused by deviating from the path of nature, and indulging in Self Pollution.

By the use of this Cure all improper discharges are removed, the weakened organs of generation are speedily cured and full vigor restored.

Either sex, contemplating marriage, should reflect that a sound mind and body are necessary to promote connubial happiness.

In the Cherokee Cure the poor, debilitated, worn down and despairing devotee of sensual pleasure, will find relief.

It is safe and pleasant in taste, but immediate in its action; containing no mineral poison, but is prepared from pure vegetable extracts, in the form of a delicious syrup.

Price $1 per bottle, or three bottles for $5, and forwarded by express to all parts of the world.

Sold by all respectable druggists everywhere.

POTTER & MERWIN, Proprietors.
Sole Proprietors, 65 Jefferson street, near post office, general dealers in all popular family medicines, Memphis, Tenn.

☞ Sold in Memphis by all responsible druggists. mr26-dtwawly

M'LEAN'S CORDIAL.

As may be seen, we insert this week the advertisement of McLean's Cordial, etc.

It is very well known we are not particularly favorable to patent medicines, and, as a general thing, eschew the whole of them with but little ceremony, and with these sentiments we declined inserting this advertisement until we knew what were the ingredients of the medicine, and how compounded. This we have learned and believing, as we do, that the ingredients are good, and the compound judiciously made, we recommend it as a mixture worthy of public confidence.

The above is from the St. Louis Christian Advocate edited by the renowned Rev. Dr. McAnally, which speaks volumes in favor of McLean's Cordial. We say to all, try it. See the advertisement in another column. feb6-daw

DR. EDMONDS, Homeopath and Hydropath.

Residence north side of Beal street, second house west of the Medical College. Office over S. Mansfield & Co.'s Drug Store, Main street. Office hours 8 to 9 A. M., and 2 to 3 P. M. no29-1y

☞ See F. H. Clark & Co.'s column.

DeSoto Savings' Institution,

OF MEMPHIS,

NO. 273 MAIN STREET.

H. LAIRD, President.
W. B. ROSS, Cashier. ap17-6m

☞ See advertisement of Ward & McClelland, wholesale and retail Druggists, 175 and 177 Main street, opposite Worsham House. se9

☞ The attention of the readers of the APPEAL is directed to the advertisement of G. W. JONES & CO., Wholesale Druggists, No. 229 Main street. ap12-1y

MEMPHIS NOVELTY WORKS!

THOMAS LEECH & CO.,
CORNER MAIN AND MCCALL STREETS.
Memphis.....Tennessee.
MANUFACTURERS OF

ARMY CUTLERY
AND
BRASS CASTINGS
OF ALL KINDS.

WE are now prepared to receive and fill orders for the following articles, viz:

Infantry Swords,
Cavalry Swords and Sabers,
Artillery Cutlasses and Knives!
BOWIE KNIVES

Of every description.

Bayonets for Shot Guns and Rifles,

ARTILLERY AMES,
STIRRUPS AND SPURS

Of the latest and most approved patterns, Bullet Moulds of all kinds, Brass Mountings for Gunsmiths, Brass Mountings for Saddlery.

Special attention paid to repairs of

Printing Presses,
Light Machinery and Machine Blacksmithing Generally.

We have engaged the services of competent workmen and will warrant our work to give complete satisfaction. All orders will meet with prompt attention.

We will pay a high price for all the old Copper and Brass you can send us. oct8-3m

For Tax Collector.

WE are authorized to announce ISAAC R. MERCER as a candidate for County Tax Collector, at the ensuing March election. oc16-*

$50 REWARD!

FOR the apprehension of the Italian JOHN CELLA, who murdered D. Ra to, on Madison street, on the 15th of September last. Said Cella is of dark complexion, small stature, we ghs about one hundred and thirty pounds, about five feet eight inches in high. I will give the above reward for his safe delivery in jail at Memphis.

THOS. RATTO,
At L. Rocco's, No. 299 Main street,
oct12-1w* Under Odd Fellows' Hall.

LOST OR MISLAID!

ON or about the 15th of May last, the following articles of property, belonging to Dr. Thomas H. Williams, formerly of the United States army, and marked with his name—

One Mess Chest,
One Liquor Case,
One Round Tent.