MEMPHIS APPEAL.

SUNDAY.....MARCH 25, 1866.

Office—No. 13 Madison Street.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Mr. G. W. Trueheart is our authorized agent to extend the circulation of the APPEAL, and receive subscription and advertising for the same in West Tennessee and North Mississippi. We bespeak in his behalf the kind attentions and courtesies of our patrons and friends, and hope they will render him any assistance in their power to promote the object of his mission.

THE Rev. Mr. James will preach in Grace Church, Hernando street, this morning, at 11 o'clock.

THERE will be Divine Service at the Central Methodist Church, on Union street, this morning at 11 o'clock. J. T. C. Collins, Pastor.

IN ESQUIRE CREIGHTON'S OFFICE, yesterday was an unusually quiet day—only five peace warrants issued, against as many cyprians.

CHANGE OF MARKET HOURS.—We are informed that market hours will hereafter be from 4 to 8 o'clock a.m., and on Saturday afternoons from 4 to 8 o'clock p.m.

SPIRITUAL HALL 356 MAIN STREET. Dr. L. P. Griggs, Inspirational Speaker and Healing Medium, will address the friends this morning at 10½ o'clock, and at night at 7½ o'clock.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.—Rev. S. H. Ford, LL.D., will preach at the Baptist Church, corner of Second and Adams, this forenoon at 11 o'clock, and lecture at night. Seats free.

PERSONAL.—Rev. J. W. Rogers has returned after an absence of some months, soliciting subscriptions for a monumental church. He will preach at St. Mary's Church, on Poplar street, this morning at 11 o'clock.

PERSONAL.—Our friends Messrs. J. V. Powell, J. C. Egrich and T. H. Cocke, Delegates from the Young Men's Division No. 60, Sons of Temperance, to the Grand Division at Nashville, returned from that city yesterday morning.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH.—Mercadante's celebrated Mass will be sung in St. Peter's Church to-day at 10½ o'clock, a. m. The choir will consist of Mrs. J. Rhett Miles and Mrs. H. T. Tomlinson, soprano; Mrs. Clary, contralto, Mrs. Sabatzky and Mr. Harper, basso; Mr. Whaples will preside at the organ.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.—An advertisement in another place calls for the members of the Chamber of Commerce to meet at their chamber, Odd Fellows' Hall, to-morrow at 12—at the conclusion of 'Change. Our commercial operations certainly require the close and serious attention of merchants at this moment, and the meeting should be well attended.

Acknowledgment.

Mr. Ed. O'Neill, Chief of Fire Department:

Dear Sir: Permit me, in behalf of the Orphans, to thank you and the members of the Fire Department, for your generous donation of one hundred dollars given them some ten days ago. This liberal offering cannot fail to elicit for the donors the sincere prayers of the poor Orphans and good Sisters in charge of them.

THOS. L. POWER.

RECORDER'S COURT DOCKET.—On yesterday eight persons were arraigned for fighting, and fines imposed to the time of $40, an average of $5 each, for indulgence in this "rough" luxury. Fifteen others were tried for various lesser offenses—as drunkenness, misdemeanor, concealed weapons, etc., and mulcted in a fine varying from $5 to $11 each. Mrs. Johnson, for keeping a disorderly house, was assessed by the Recorder $51, and $11 additional for disorderly deportment; so she seems to be altogether a "disorderly" person.

NEW MUSIC.—We have received by mail, from Messrs. McCarrell & Meininger, of Louisville, Ky., a new and beautifully gotten up "Dirge for the Confederate Dead," which we think an exceedingly fine composition of the kind, as well as a touching tribute to the memory of the heroic dead, whose courage and devotion will not be forgotten, while brave deeds attract the admiration of mankind. The title page contains the faithful likenesses of the most prominent of the fallen Confederate Generals, and are alone worth the price of the music—75 cents a copy.

ARRESTS BY THE POLICE.—Yesterday the following named became involuntary inmates of Castle Reilly: Kate Kane, disorderly conduct—Officer McCarthy; D. L. Hill, drunk and disorderly—Officer McCarthy; Anna Louis, proprietress of a disorderly house, with the following of her boarders: Mary Richmond, Bella Purdy, Alice Smith and Bella Ford, all of whom were arrested by Officer McCarthy. Dudley Browning and Ralf Simmons, two colored "gentlemen," indulged in too rapid driving, and became the prey of Officer McDermott, who lodged them in a slower coach—ycleept "station house."

TELEGRAMS.—The following telegrams remain unsalled for, in the telegraph office in this city: H. D. Bulkley, J. W. Morrison, Mrs. M. Mobearty, Patrick Maloney, A. R. Howe, F. S. Davis, E. M. Avery, T. R. Farnsworth, John Ainslee, J. M. Gregory, Corono, Tausig & Co., R. C. Gist, Jas. Hornsley, McKinney, Brison & Co., L. Appenheimer, Hart & Co., J. B. Weld, G. W. Maxwell, W. P. Campbell, B. H. Campbell, Joshua Turner, Jerome Taylor, D. J. Weatherbee, Edward W. Norton, Fred'k Smith, Robt. Leech, C. J. Harlan & Co., Jas. Henderson, Henry Magruder, C. S. Anderson, M. McGavock, G. Timon & Co.

SALE OF THE OVERTON HOUSE.—This fine but unfinished hotel was sold at auction yesterday, by Messrs. E. McDavitt and F. Titus, Trustees and Commissioners, to Mr. J. M. Keating, for the handsome sum of $181,000. He complied with the terms previously announced, and paid $75,000 cash, the balance to be paid in six, twelve and eighteen months, with six per cent. interest from date of purchase. We trust the parties who have thus become the purchasers of this fine property intend to fit up and open it, with as little delay as possible, and in a style which will not be surpassed by any similar establishment in either of the Eastern or Western cities. Memphis is rapidly developing every day, week, and month, and although several good houses are in successful operation, a new first-class hotel will pay its proprietors a large bonus on their investment.

SABBATH REFLECTIONS.—The seventh of the week, the *should be day of rest* from all worldly cares and thoughts—if we have spent the week days as our consciences tell us we should have passed them—comes to the mind of the care-burdened man of business, and all who win their daily bread by the sweat of their brow, as an invigorating cordial to the body of an exhausted invalid; and, if not abused—if passed in reading some useful book, in healthful but innocent out-door exercise, or work of kindness and charity to others less fortunate than ourselves—reinvigorates all our energies, and fitly prepares us for a return to those practical duties which properly enough engages our attention six out of the seven days of the week, (and with too many individuals, the seventh also), but which a suitable regard for bodily health as well as religious propriety, should make us wholly and completely ignore on the Sunday. Who is there of us all that would not be improved by occasional reflection and self-examination? And what time so appropriate for this purifying influence, as the day of rest, appointed by the All-wise, All-benificent, for the good of his creature, man? To counsel the spending a part of the Sabbath day in innocent out-door exercise, can only seem inappropriate or objectionable to the self-righteous bigot or modern Pharisee, since what more natural than the transition from contemplating the tiny herb or lowly daisy—created by His hand—to thoughts of the creating source of all things; or to turn from studying nature to look upward to to the dwelling place of Nature's God.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.—*United States Circuit and District Courts.*—The case of Leslie *vs.* Smith *et al.*, was taken up yesterday morning. The argument being opened by Mr. McRae of counsel for defendants. This case, as well as a large number of similar cases now pending in this court, is one involving the validity of the title of the defendants, acquired under a purchase of property at the Government sales for direct taxes in 1864.

The bill charges that the act of Congress, of June 7, 1862, entitled "An Act for the collection of direct taxes within the insurrectionary districts, and for other purposes," was unconstitutional and void; and that the proceedings of the Tax Commissioners were illegal and irregular, and the title of purchases void, and prays the court to decree the tax title a cloud upon the title of complainants, and to cancel and remove the same as such.

A demurrer was filed by defendants to the jurisdiction of the court, and for general want of equity in the bill. Mr. McRae spoke for over two hours, and cited a large number of authorities. His argument will be recommenced on Monday, and will probably occupy the whole of that day, if not longer. Speeches will be made against the demurrer by a number of counsel interested in other similar cases.

Common Law Court.—Thos. R. Smith, Esq., having been specially appointed to hold the February term of this Court, the same will open on Monday, the 26th inst. The following notice to jurors has been issued:

OFFICE CLERK OF COMMON LAW AND CHANCERY COURTS OF CITY OF MEMPHIS, MEMPHIS, TENN., March 24, 1866.

The jurors summoned for the regular February term of the law side of the Common Law and Chancery Court of the city of Memphis, are hereby notified to appear at the special term of said Court on Friday, the 30th day of March, at ten o'clock in the morning.

JOHN C. DONOVAN, Clerk.
MASON HYDE, D. C.

Chancery Court.—This court closed its session yesterday, adjourning to the second Monday in May next.

Criminal Court.—The arguments of counsel upon the question of law mentioned in yesterday's issue were closed yesterday, and the decision of the court will be rendered on Monday. His Honor Judge Hunter ordered that the misdemeanor docket would be again taken up on Monday, and continued throughout the week, and that parties defendant in misdemeanor cases must make their appearance promptly, or fines and forfeitures would be entered against them, and their rearrest immediately ordered.

Adjourned Meeting of the Johnson Club, Saturday Night.

Judge Marvin L. Perkins called the meeting to order, and announced that in the absence of the Secretary, it would be necessary to elect a Secretary *pro tem.*

On motion, Mr. Nalty, of the *Commercial*, was requested to act in that capacity, and it was duly seconded and carried.

Mr. R. K. Becktel, Chairman of the Executive Committee, reported that the committee was not prepared to report, and that they requested further time to perfect the business intrusted to their care.

On motion, they were allowed until the next regular meeting of this Club to report.

The President remarked that the committee had been selected as *working men*, and hoped it was the last time they would ask a longer time to complete any business before them.

The President reported the following additional applicants for membership: J. M. Provine, Moses Levy, John Keril, Wm. Harson, A. C. Kennan, J. C. Jacobi, Thos. Lewis, Robt. O'Hearn, Chas. Bennett, C. W. Turner, W. L. Lawrence, W. Armour, jr., A. W. Stoddard, T. Fader, N. R. Pendleton, T. M. Haight, J. McSmith, E. M. Yerger, J. C. Nagle, Geo. L. Nichols, Geo. P. Zeigler, A. F. Wood, J. W. Hawthorn, A. D. McLemore, P. W. Smith, Wm. Ryan, James Swan, J. W. Polk, J. E. Lanford, J. W. Ramsey, F. B. Russell, W. H. McClure, D. H. Hays, Dan. Hanley, T. Burke, J. C. Brookes, J. F. Hasley, C. M. Carroll and E. H. Cicalla, and added he had been asked by several politicians of this city to propose their names for membership, but he preferred their presence and personal application, and therefore would not assume the responsibility of naming them.

Mr. Synott requested a report from the Chairman of the Executive Committee, as to what progress had been made in organizing auxiliary clubs.

In reply, Mr. Becktel, Chairman of the Committee, said auxiliary clubs had been organized in the 6th, 7th and 8th Wards, and in the 15th or Chelsea district.

Col. Heart moved that some gentleman present address this meeting, and Col. Martin was called for. Col. Martin thanked the meeting for the compliment conferred, but he was not prepared to make a speech to-night, and begged to defer it until some future meeting, when he would be enabled to impart some definite information. He had conversed with a number of the people of Shelby county, and almost universally they said they were with this movement, and, if in order, he would now move that this meeting adjourn until next Wednesday evening.

Judge Perkins moved that an invitation be extended to Col. Holman, of Indiana, to address the Club at the next regular meeting.

Col. Heart moved that a committee be appointed to wait upon Col. Holman to-night, and invite him to address this meeting. Adopted. And the President appointed as that committee, Col. Heart, Capt. Cameron, and Mr. Becktel.

On motion, duly seconded and carried, the gentlemen who had applied this evening, were all admitted to membership in this Club.

The committee returned and reported that Col. Holman was not in his apartments.

On motion of Col. Heart, the invitation to Col. Holman to address this Club at its next meeting was revived, and the Committee instructed to extend it accordingly. Adopted.

The President requested Mr. Ferguson to take the chair.

Col. Nabers moved the adjournment of this meeting until next Tuesday night, at this place. Lost.

The President, Judge Perkins was loudly called on to make a speech, which, in a few brief remarks he declined, saying that whilst prepared to do everything in his power to advance the purposes of this organization, and work in every way to advance it, he did not propose to make a political speech here or elsewhere. He was not a politician, (but hoped he was patriotic), only a citizen, and was not seeking any office.

On being repeatedly called for, Mr. Cameron responded in an eloquent endorsement of the action of Messrs. Poston and Walker in withdrawing from the Legislature, and the policy and measures of President Johnson. He was frequently interrupted by repeated and loudly expressed applause.

Hon. Samuel P. Walker, being loudly called on, came forward, and said that at that late hour it was not his intention to delay his friends by making a speech. He indorsed all Capt. Cameron said in opposition to the franchise bill. He paid no attention to the Governor of Tennessee, when that individual characterized the act of the conservative members of the Legislature as a revolution, for Brownlow had gone so far as to say the President of the United States was leagued with traitors. He would stand by President Johnson, who was bearing up bravely against a radical Congress that was stretching out its arms to destroy the liberties of the people. Massachusetts was speaking to Tennessee as Great Britain was speaking to Ireland. Popular government was in danger; the rights of the people were invaded, and it became the duty of every patriot in the land to assist the President. The great principle of our fathers was no taxation without representation. On that principle he stood, and would stand by it as long as he lived. The Constitution guaranteed to the people of the States a Republican form of Government; but can we have it under radical rule? (Cries of "No, no!") The doctrines of Andrew Johnson will bring us through our troubles safely. He is our only hope—our safe and trusty pilot. [Cheers].

Mr. Moses White being called on, made a few happy remarks, after which the Club adjourned to meet on next Tuesday evening at Greenlaw building.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.—Fifty-two miles shorter than any other route to Grenada, Jackson, Vicksburg and New Orleans. Trains leave daily at 12:45 a.m. Time to New Orleans, 48 hours. through tickets for sale at the Mississippi and Tennessee Depot, foot of Main street, and at No. 5 Jefferson street, under Commercial Hotel.

A. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Supt.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.
mar25-tf

Notice to Families.—We have the best assorted stock of Groceries and Provisions this side of New York, and prices are in accordance with gold at 125. Drop in and convince yourself. Goods delivered promptly and free of charge.

TVINSON & GILBERT,
280 Main street.

Gilbert's General Alterative cures suppressed Menstruation.

Gilbert's General Alterative relieves Females of chronic pains in the Loins.

Gilbert's General Alterative invigorates the entire system.

Gilbert's General Alterative cures chronic Leucorrhœa.

Gilbert's General Alterative removes chronic inflammation of the bladder and kidneys.

The blood purified by Gilbert's General Alterative.

Liver complaints relieved by Gilbert's General Alterative.

White swellings reduced by Gilbert's General Alterative.

Scrofula remedied by Gilbert's General Alterative.

Gilbert's General Alterative changes the sallow complexion of unhealthy women.

Diseases of the skin cured by Gilbert's General Alterative.

Hereditary taints removed by Gilbert's General Alterative.

Mercurial taints relieved by Gilbert's General Alterative.

Swelling of the glands reduced by Gilbert's General Alterative.

Blotches removed by Gilbert's General Alterative.

Eruptions cured by Gilbert's General Alterative.

Pimples removed by Gilbert's General Alterative.

Sallowness of complexion changed by Gilbert's General Alterative.

Tetter, Itch, Ringworm, cured by Gilbert's Tetter Ointment.

Old Sores cured by Gilbert's Healing Ointment, manufactured by

GILBERT & HIGBIE, Druggists.
For sale by all Druggists.

Cheap Dry Goods, a fresh arrival at greatly reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bro's.

Ladies, do not forget to attend the great reduction sale to-morrow, at B. Lowenstein & Brothers.

The place for elegant goods, at L. Kremer's.

Jaconets, Muslins, Cambrics, and other white goods of our own importation, at Elson Bros., 297 Main street. mar25-tf

Ostrich Feathers—Cleaned and curled at Mrs. Shuttleworth's, 125 Union street. mar25-1w

Prints and Domestics at reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bro's.

Linen table cloths and napkins at greatly reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bro's.

Straw Goods, beautiful styles of hats at very low prices, at L. Kremer's.

Sprague and other popular Calicoes, 20 cents, at Elson's, 297 Main street. mar25-tf

Poplins and Metaxalines at greatly reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bro's.

French and German Corsets at greatly reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bro's.

Gipsies and Continentals, and all new styles of hats, at L. Kremer's.

Grenadines and Lawns at greatly reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bro's.

Ladies' Hem-Stitched Handkerchiefs, 50 cents each, Elson Bros., 297 Main street. mar25

Remember the great reduction sale at B. Lowenstein & Bro's to-morrow.

Ribbons, Trimmings and Notions at greatly reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bro's.

Of Interest.—Ladies can buy the elegant importations of L. Kremer's, at lower prices than they pay for ordinary goods at other houses. He is determined to sell at low prices.

Silks and Barges at greatly reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bro's.

Current talk among the ladies that the prettiest and cheapest dress goods in the city are at Elson Bros., 297 Main street. mar25-tf

Alpaccas and Bombazines at greatly reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bro's.

Spring Balmorals and Hoop skirts at greatly reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bro's.

Mantles (silk) the richest ever brought to Memphis, at L. Kremer's.

Ginghams and French and English Prints at greatly reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Brothers.

Messrs. Elson Bros., 297 Main street, are daily in receipt of New Goods, which they offer at great bargains. mar25-tf

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Curaby Valentinnes and point Applique Laces, at L. Kremer's.

White Goods, embroideries and laces at greatly reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bro's.

Ladies, Misses, Gents' and Boys' Hose at greatly reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Brothers.

Lace Mantles, Handkerchiefs and ties, most approved style, at L. Kremer's.

Silks, Barges and Linen Ginghams at greatly reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bro's.

Alexander Kid Gloves at reduced prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bro's.

Paris Bonnets, richest and newest style, at L. Kremer's.

The husband leaves a staff on which his wife and children may lean for support, when the head that planned and the hand that toiled so gladly for them is cold in the grave, by insuring in the Ætna Life Insurance Company. Moore & West, agents, 324½ Madison street

Magnificent stock of finest French flowers, at L. Kremer's.

Window Glass.—No house in this city can sell window glass lower than G. W. Jones & Co., 257 Main street. mar25-1w

Paints and Oils—Can be bought as well from G. W. Jones & Co. as from any house in this city. mar24-1w

Ladies.—Dress Goods and tear selling at cost, to make room for clothing, at Hollingshead & Co's, 413 Main street. mar25-1w

Wanted.—By an experienced business man, a situation as clerk or assistant bookkeeper. Good city references given. Address E. R. B., Appeal office.

Drugs and Medicines—Sold in this city by G. W. Jones & Co., at prices to justify country dealers in trading in Memphis. mar24-1w

Millinery—Cheap and fashionable Millinery, at Mrs. Shuttleworth's, 125 Union street. mar25-1w

Large stock of Dress Trimmings and Buttons to be sold at low prices, at L. Kremer's.

For Rent.—New and second hand Pianos and Cabinet Organs for rent, at F. Kalzenbach's, 327 Main street.

Cheap! Elegant!—Seventh octave, iron frame, patent overstrung Pianos, at $350 and upward, at F. Kalzenbach's, 327 Main street.

We take pleasure in announcing to the reading community that a new medical journal is about being started in New Orleans, entitled "Southern Journal of Medical Sciences." The gentlemen composing the editorial corps are noted for their talent and medical skill. Geo. Palmer & Co., are the agents for this place.

Job Printing.—Our job department is replete with all the latest and newest styles of type and presses, and we are prepared to execute all classes of printing at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. Bring in your orders to 13 Madison street. mr4-tf

Extraordinary Inducement.—$75,000 worth of goods at cost. J. H. Waggener & Co., 264 Main street. I wish to retire from the trade, and will positively sell at cost my entire stock of ready made clothing and furnishing goods until the first of May. Wholesale and retail.

mar9tf J. H. WAGGONER.

Pleasant Weather.—The present spell of pleasant weather brings us usually that immense rush of the Ladies to Messrs. Mark Bros. & Rohm's, who have on hand the finest stock of dry goods, silks, sashes and spring materials in our city. If you wish to see the latest novelties, call on them.

Knabe & Co.'s Pianos.—A fine assortment of these superior instruments, warranted to be unaffected by any climate, are on sale at the Musical Depot of Mr. Leopold Gospel, sole agent, No. 325 Main street, who has also a splendid lot of musical instruments of every description, cheap for cash. Call and see for yourselves.

Strakosch, speaking of the Knabe Piano, remarks: "I cannot but congratulate you upon the immense progress and improvements which you continually make on your Pianos, which, in my opinion, rank among the very best in the country." M. STRAKOSCH." A full assortment of the above Pianos just received at Leopold Gospel's Piano Rooms, No. 325 Main street.

These neat fitting clothes worn by a large number of gentlemen about town, were all purchased at the Southern Clothing Emporium, 272 Second street, kept by war-worn veterans of Lee, Johnston, Beauregard, etc. They are clever and affable gentlemen. Call not to call on the B. m. Messrs. Robison, Mitchell & Co., opposite Court Square.

Teeth Like Pearls.—Secured by the use of Caswell, Mack & Co.'s "Destine" Tooth Powder. It is absolutely free from all substances injurious to the teeth, and is used by the best dentists.

CASWELL, MACK & CO.,
Sole manufacturers, New York.
G. W. JONES & CO.,
257 Main street.
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Fine Work.—The attention of architects is called to the fact that all kinds of galvanized iron Cornice, Door Caps, Brackets, etc., are manufactured at short notice by Mr. H. Gertel, No. 41 Jackson street. Metalic Roofing and Guttering also done at short notice. Parties desiring such work are invited to call and examine his specimens.

Important Notice.—Caution.—Buyers of Dupler Elliptic Skirts should examine the hoop to be sure they get the genuine article, which is the only skirt with double springs in each hoop—therefore, unquestionably the best consulting made. See advertisement of J. W. Bradley's Duplex Elliptic Skirt. mar7dawtf

Groceries.—Messrs. J. F. Frank & Co., No. 282 Front street, are again in receipt of a large lot of fresh Groceries. Parties in want of good and cheap groceries should call at the house of these gentlemen. They are reliable men, and we take pleasure in recommending them to our community.

Notice to Passengers Going South of Corinth. They should leave Memphis at 5:45 a.m., arrive at Corinth at 2:45 p.m., and leave Corinth at 4 p.m. for the South. By this route passengers have the advantage of a route 61 miles shorter than any other route, and are sure never to miss any connection. Fare to Corinth, $4 75. The Memphis & Charleston Railroad has trains leaving daily, Sundays excepted. For tickets and further information apply at No. 11 West Court street, between Main and Front streets, or at the office of the Memphis & Charleston Railroad Depot. ADOLPH BERNARD,
mar24tf Ticket Agent.

Steinway & Son's Pianos are now acknowledged the best instruments in America as well as in Europe, having taken thirty-two first premiums—gold and silver medals—at the principal Fairs held in this country within the last two years, and, in addition thereto, they were awarded a first prize medal at the great international exhibition, London, in 1862, for powerful, clear, brilliant and sympathetic tone. Over 20 Pianos from this firm are in use in Memphis, which, 317 Main street, is the agent for this city, who has at present a complete assortment on hand, and sell at regular New York rates, saving to the purchaser freight and cost of drayage and cover.

Groceries and Liquors.—The times being hard and greenbacks not very plentiful, the firm of Messrs. J. & J. Hoffheimer & Co. have arrived at the magnanimous conclusion to put their stock of Groceries and Liquors within the reach of everybody, by largely reducing their prices. Their object is to sell goods for cash only during the present stagnant season. These gentlemen are honest dealers and perfectly reliable in every transaction. We take pride in recommending them to the public generally. Their liquors are pure and ancient, and those desiring good and genuine wines and whiskies, should call at 273 Front street.

The Attention of travelers and the public generally is directed to the important announcement in our columns of the Memphis and Ohio Railroad. This favorite avenue to all parts of the United States has recently enhanced its claims to public patronage by the addition of superb and elegantly finished passenger coaches, and attachment of the celebrated Rip Van Winkle sleeping cars to all night trains, affording travelers the luxury of undisturbed rest from Memphis to Columbus, Ky. Close connections are made at Cairo with the Illinois Central Road, leading to all important points in the North, East and West. Through tickets by this route can be had at the Gayoso House, and of Larry Harmstead, Agent, 14 Jefferson street, and at the Depot, head of Main street.

Mr. John H. Taylor.—By reference to our new advertisement, it will be seen that this gentleman has connected himself with the large and wealthy firm of Walker Bros. & Co. Mr. Taylor is one of the old Memphian "standbies." He has been living here seven twenty years, and by his kindness, affability and straightforward dealings, has won the respect of every old resident of the Bluff City. Intermixing with these goodhearted gentlemen and old customers in our business walk of life, a gleam of joy passes through our mind and with it come up thoughts of auld lang syne that are pleasant even to a half "reconstructed" U. S. citizen. Mr. Taylor would beg to inform his old friends that he is now with Messrs. Walker Bros. & Co., 279 Main street, in the Day Building, and that he would like for them to drop around and give him a call.

RIVER MATTERS.

Weather and Business.

The weather yesterday was clear, calm, and invigorating, yet, notwithstanding this, it was the dullest day upon the levee that we have seen this year. Freights have become so scarce that some of the regular packets have resorted to the plan of outside boats, that is, to lay over from day to day, so long as there is any hope of a bale of cotton, and then cut on the rates to get it.

The river at this point is shoaling, and our advices from above state that it is falling rapidly.

All the lower streams are in fine boating color.

Arrivals.

Steamer Julia, from New Orleans.
" Ruth, from New Orleans.
" Harry Dean, from White river.
" Dora, from Vicksburg.
" Henry Ames, from St. Louis.

Departures.

Steamer Julia, for St. Louis.
" Belle St. Louis, for St. Louis.
" Dora, for St. Louis.
" Ruth, for St. Louis.
" Northwest, for St. Francis river.
" Silver Moon, for Cincinnati.
" R. M. Helena, for Arkansas river.
" Louisiana, for Louisville.
" Henry Ames, for New Orleans.

Boats in Port.

Lloyd, above River. Nevada, Glenmore, St. Hood. Harry Dean, City of Cairo.

Miscellaneous.

The Marble City will be down this evening and leave for St. Louis to-morrow evening. She belongs to the "old reliable."

The Silver Moon shoved out for Cincinnati last night with the staple piled up to her roof. She had a big load.

The splendid packet Harry Dean goes out for White river to-morrow evening.

The Gleaner is posted for Arkansas river to-morrow evening. She is perfectly reliable.

Jimmie Durf backs out the St. Cloud to-morrow evening for New Orleans without fail.

The peerless Ruth passed up last night crowded with people.

The Belle St. Louis brought down R. B. Rivington, the popular passenger agent of the St. Louis Central Company, Johnny Garland, the energetic and efficient passenger agent of the Illinois Central R. R., and S. Gifford, the well known freight man of Cairo, who are stopping at the Commercial. We do not like to be selfish, but we would like to know what it takes "Sly" up the river so often.

The great Continental will go down this morning and leave for New Orleans at noon. All aboard at that hour.

The City of Cairo broke her doctor just as she was shoving out last night with a fine trip, which will compel her to lie over until to-morrow evening, when she will sail for the Crescent City.

The Henry Ames passed down last night with all the freight she could carry and an old fashioned passenger trip.

The Webb sisters—Misses Ada and Emma—wind up on the Belle St. Louis last night, to fill an engagement at Lucy's Hall.

The Rivers Above.

The Louisville Courier of the 23d says:

The river was slowly rising yesterday, with only 4 feet six inches water in the canal in the evening by the mark. During the previous twenty-four hours the river rose 3 feet five inches at the head of the falls and fifteen inches at Portland. The weather has presented all the inclemency of the season in the time one day, from temperate to torrid, then to frigid, with rain, sleet, hail, lightning and thunder. The thermometer fell from 79 down to 36, with two heavy falls of rain, accompanied by a terrific wind storm from the west, southwest, and a shower of hail of immense proportions.

On the falls last evening there were 5 feet deamdraft water down the Indian chute, and a good deal of difficulty in getting boats in the middle chute, and the river slowly rising. We expect the river to be falling pretty fast to-day.

The Cincinnati Commercial of the 23d says:

The weather has undergone a wonderful change since our last report. On Tuesday night the mercury indicated 30 degrees above zero. About 11 p.m., the same night, a tornado of wind swept over this section, accompanied by heavy thunder, vivid lightning, and a storm of hail and rain,—one of the most terrific storms we have ever witnessed in this latitude. Several steamers were blown loose, and damaged. We give the particulars elsewhere.

Yesterday the weather was cold, with the mercury down to 38 degrees last night—a variation of 42 degrees in 24 hours.

At Pittsburg the river is rising, with 19 feet in the channel. Hope, it is swelling slowly, with 3½ feet below in Louisville. The falls are navigable for the largest class of steamers. The river falls at Cairo last night.

The St. Louis *Republican* of the 23d says:

Yesterday was very pleasant and spring like. On the levee yesterday there was a slight improvement in offerings of freight for the Mississippi. Boats leaving for the Upper Mississippi and the Missouri have fair offerings.

Our reports from all streams are falling.

Gleanings From Our Exchanges.

STEAMER JENNY LIND.—Yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, the large and splendid steamer Jenny Lind, bound from Cincinnati for Wheeling, when opposite Straight Creek, two miles from Louisville, was caught in a furious gale. She was immediately landed on the Kentucky shore. The hurricane, however, caused her to careen until the water stood several feet on her starboard guard. Her starboard chimney was blown overboard and lost, while the larboard chimney fell on the furnace deck, breaking in a portion of the deck. Fortunately, no one was injured. Capt. Muhlman realized her way assistance and freight on the Annie Laurie and Telegraph, and cutting the stump of her larboard chimney in two, made a smoking pair of smoke stacks. She arrived here yesterday, at 4 p.m., resilipping her through people on the lower levee, and towing in tandem tight in the Lady Nye. She will remain here for repairs, receiving a pair of new chimneys in the meantime. In addition to the loss of her trip, the damage will not fall short of $1,000. Capt. Little having laid over here until a late hour, repairing a portion of her machinery, was without steam. The wind carried her lights, together with those of the Mail Company's wharfboat, at the foot of Vine street. Much wreckage was blown out in the stream. There was great consternation among the passengers for fear the Lydia's chimneys would come in contact with the Covington bridge. Fortunately, however, the current of the Ohio river was sufficiently swift to check her career. The Lydia and wharfboat were both safely landed, without injury to either. The Navigator was also blown from her anchorage in the Seventeenth Ward, and giving the usual signal of distress, by tapping her bell, was safely landed by the Newport ferry boat. The flange top on the Newport's pilot house was blown off. This is all the damage we could hear of along the levee. The Ohio No. 3 was caught in the gale at the foot of Brush Creek, turning her completely around and driving her up stream as far as she had previously been going down. She sustained no injury, however. Our dispatches indicate the storm prevailed all along the river, from Pittsburg to Cairo. As there is a large fleet of coal and lumbers afloat between Pittsburg and this city, we fear a number were swamped and lost in the gale. We await particulars with anxiety. Here, the river rose 12 inches yesterday, leaving a space of 7 feet between the bottom of the bridge and the surface of the river.

The new Upper Mississippi packet, Peter Balen, commanded by Capt. Williams, attracted considerable attention whilst at the levee yesterday. She is a queer looking craft. Being constructed especially for the mountain trade, her upper works can get down, or compressed, in order to fight the stiff winds or hurricanes so prevalent in that region. She has one full cabin, room, and is superbly furnished. She is capacity for 700 bales, her hull being heavy and extra double. She is provided with a couple of lightening flatboats constructed of iron. These are built in sections of three each, 30 feet long, 11 feet wide, and 32 inches deep. She carries her lighters on board. They can be easily launched and rendered serviceable. The Peter Balen is owned by M. G. Mapham & Bro., for St. Louis, and is named after a prominent citizen of New York.

St. Louis.—Capt. Thomas C. Holmes, formerly of the New Orleans and Vicksburg packet line—the Natchez and Princess—is about to resume his old business, on the same line. The hull is to be 300 feet in length, with 32 beam, and 9½ feet depth of hold, with machinery to match; the cylinders 40 inches in diameter, with 8 feet stroke; water wheels 32 feet in diameter, and buckets 12½ feet in length.

FINANCIAL.

The Money Market during the past week has been characterized by a state of inactivity bordering on a panic, and closed last evening dull and flat.

Exchange is quiet and firm at ¼ off buying, and ¼ on selling.

Gold is drifting in the market at 25c, and news from the East does not improve the feeling.

Currency is daily growing closer, and more difficult to obtain.

Government Stocks are firm and quiet, Sixes, with the interest added, being firm at par.

In Uncurrent Notes there is literally nothing doing.

Other Markets.

The Louisville Courier of the 23d says:

Money continues in good supply, and rules easy at 6 per cent. on first class paper. Good commercial paper can be negotiated at 10 to 12 per cent., but the banks are not willing to go to every accommodation to keep up their regular customers.

Gold was firmer to-day, with a slight advance. The opening rate in New York was—At 9:30 o'clock a.m. it was quoted 125½, at 1 p.m. 125¾, and at the close, 126.

There being some indications of a stiff market in advance, we little Gold was offered to-day. Dealers quote it buying at 125½, selling at 125¾.

Government securities are without change in New York. Here, the demand for Seven-Thirties to-day was greater than for some time past, and a round lot of the large notes of the first or second issue could have been sold at par and interest. Brokers' quotations were 99½ buying, par to ¼ premium selling.

Exchange was in good request to-day; banks were offering 1 to ½ premium, and, in some cases, asking ½ premium.

Southern money is dull.

Compound interest notes are in demand, and for large amounts a fraction over quotations could be obtained.

The Cincinnati Commercial, of the same date, says:

Gold was ¼ higher at 3 o'clock in New York than it was at the same hour yesterday. With this upward turn the demand for regular business appears to have ceased, the holders have narrowed their margins a little. The buying rate is now quoted at 125 cash regulars, and the selling at 126, gold premium. Bankers get in but little in their counter business.

Exchange is in steady demand, with only moderate receipts in the regular course of business.

QUOTATIONS.

	Buying.	Selling.
New York Exch.	par@50c per M.	100c per M.
Philadelphia	par@50c per M.	100c per M.
Boston	par@50c per M.	100c per M.
Baltimore	par	par
Silver	20@25 pr.	22@25c pr.
Gold	25@par pr.	par@25c pr.
Certificates	99@par	par@¼ pr.

The Money market does not ease up, in any material degree, notwithstanding the talk we hear about all that the banks place on the discount side of their counters.

The demand for Seven-thirty Notes is as strong as it has ever been, and full rates are maintained.

Five-twenties are firm at ¾@1 premium, and sold at ¾ premium. Ten-forties at 90c, paying 5½ interest.

COMMERCIAL.

Weekly Review.

COTTON.—The last day of our last week's Review of the market closed on a gloomy and indecisive market. The previous day's New York quotation was 42 cents and nominal; on the closing day no public dispatches arrived. Private ones quoted "dull at 40 cents." Holders did not consider this an authorizing a diminution in their demands, while buyers objected to give the asking rates, and consequently no lots were sold—only small lots changing hands on basis of 39@40 cents for Middling. The past week opened dull, in the middle of the week holders continued to decline, and for a couple of days there was some Cotton sold. Then came news of an advance in Liverpool, with a buoyant market, followed by another in New York, with an excited market. This led holders to raise their demands, but buyers, either dissatisfied with the margin against New York, or having few orders, and those limited below asking rates, after some what active inquiry, closed aloof, and left the market in dull and lifeless condition at the commencement of the week. The tone of the intelligence from Liverpool is more encouraging than we have for sometime been accustomed to. Are we justified in regarding it as the commencement of a firmer market and better prices? There are several reasons that appear to furnish grounds for such an expectation. The market for manufactured goods in England is active, and prices are satisfactory. The spinners there, continued by enlarged business transactions, are satisfied that had been anticipated, have for a considerable time been buying only sufficient Cotton to supply immediate wants, and their stocks are small. The preference for American Cotton is so great, that on the occasion there was an advance in American at the very time at which there was a decline in all other kinds; and the necessities of spinners is so great, that about three weeks ago, heavy purchases were made on a falling market, it being impossible for them to wait until the decline "touched bottom." Add to these things that in the last advance, mentioned above, and the buoyancy accompanying it occurred at a time when it was well known that failing crops and commercial embarrassments were making New York a very weak market, giving prices a continued downward tendency, even in the face of partial advances in Liverpool. These facts, as far as they concerns us, are not doubtful or encouragement—how stands the matter on this side the ocean? We have, as length, a certainty of decreasing receipts—the most important of all facts as security for a steadier, firmer, and higher market. In