## ANNOUNCEMENT.

PLEASE announce my name as a candidate for the office of County Register for Shelby county, at the ensuing March election.
sc 16 J. W. KING.

WE are authorized to announce AMOS H. DUBLIN as a candidate for Sheriff of Shelby county at the ensuing March Election, 1868.
Memphis, July 31, 1867. au1 tc

## BOARDING.

BOARDING—
Two or three small families can have board, with comfortable rooms, near the terminus of the Poplar street railway.
For particulars apply at the
se11 LEDGER OFFICE.

## LOST--FOUND.

FOUND—
On Main street, a small sum of MONEY, which the owner can have by proving property and paying for this advertisement.
E. F. RISK,
oct9 2t 356 Main street.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—
From the north-east corner of Overton and Third streets, October 8th, a sorrel HORSE, blaze face, about sixteen hands high, sway backed, broad hoofs, and white long black tail. A liberal reward will be paid for the recovery of the animal, by
MRS. MARGARET DONNELLY,
oct10 Corner Overton and Third sts.

$500 REWARD—
Five Hundred Dollars will be paid for the arrest and conviction of either one or more of the two burglars that entered my dwelling, 2½ miles from Memphis, on the Memphis and Charleston Railroad, Friday night, the 27th inst. "One, a thick heavy set man, is supposed to be wounded, either from pistol shot or from cutting himself leaping through the window sash and shutters, as traces of blood were discovered.
T. COLAY KING.
Office Ayres Building.
Memphis, September 30, 1867.
☞ Avalanche and Post copy three times. oct

## WANTS.

WANTED—
A Competent Engineer, at present running on the railroad, wishes a situation as engineer on some steamboat or plantation. Would take charge of an engine either in city or country.
Address "Engineer," Appeal office. lock 1w

## Agents Wanted.

WE want an active energetic Agent in every civil district at $50 to $80 per month, to canvass for and deliver our very popular Southern Historical Work. For full particulars address, inclosing three cent stamp,
J. B. SUTTON & CO., Publishers,
244 Third Street, Memphis, Tenn.
☞ Give name in full—District, County and State plain and distinct. se22 1m

WANTED—THE PATENT
AURORA OIL.
We want men everywhere to study their own interest. The right to manufacture and sell the Patent Aurora Oil in a single county will yield more money to the purchaser in three months than the largest farm in your state will produce in a whole year. The Aurora Oil is fully safe, less than one-half the price of Coal Oil, and the illuminating power of the Aurora Oil is as much superior to the Coal Oil as the Coal Oil is to a tallow candle, and is so much cheaper than a tallow candle. Any lamp that will burn Coal Oil will burn the Aurora Oil. It does not smoke the chimney—it does not smell—it will not gnaw or stain the finest linen or silver cloth. The material for its manufacture is inexhaustible. One man can make seventy-five barrels per day. No machinery needed. We will pay freight on lots of ten barrels to any place in the United States. A single county is a small estate to the man of enterprise, and the right to a State is a fortune worth.
For further information address or call on
M. C. Hewitt & Co.,
24 Madison street, corner Main.
lyr Memphis, Tenn.

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—
Store Houses Nos. 356 and 358 Shelby street. Also, a large office in the Walker block.
Apply to THOS. H. COOKE,
oct9 tf 276½ Main street, up stairs.

FOR RENT—
I wish to rent 200 acres of rich Big Creek LAND, in the Northern portion of Shelby county, Tenn. It will be rented in large or small tracts. Address
CHARLES LAYNE JONES, Sr.,
oct9 1m* Care Wormeley, Joy & Co.

FOR RENT—
One-half of a most desirable Office, suitable for a Lawyer. Also, a sleeping room for rent and furniture of same for sale. Address G. C., Appeal office. oct

FOR RENT—
A centrally located business house on Front Row. Possession given immediately.
oct4tf J. W. PAGE, JR.

FOR RENT—
A Residence, corner Mulberry and Talbot streets, with four rooms and all necessary outdoor conveniences. Apply to
M. L. MEACHAM,
se22 No. 8 Union street.

TO RENT—
Two large and splendid Halls at No. 261 Second street, in Adams Block, suitable for literary associations, balls, private parties, clubs, lectures, fairs, etc. Will be rented reasonably. Inquire of M. Hill, Main street, Webster block, or Adams, Lane, on the premises, from 7 to 10 o'clock p.m. se11

TO RENT—
A great opening is now offered to parties who may desire to embark in the Produce Business. The large warehouse, No. 249 Front Row, Front street, is now for rent. There is a large cellar, and some 40 or 50 rooms in the building available for offices and warehouse purposes. For particulars apply to Bartlett, Gould & Blakemore, or to D. Jamieson, through Post-office. se13

FOR RENT—
TWO OFFICES, formerly occupied by the Metropolitan Police Commissioners, No. 17 Madison street. Inquire at Police office, 41½ Madison street.
Memphis, June 16, 1867. jel tf

## TO LEASE

FOR A TERM OF
FIVE YEARS,
THAT most desirable and centrally located Hotel, called "HOTEL DE EUROPE." The Furniture, of the best kind, now used in the Hotel, will be sold with the Lease if desired. For terms of Lease apply at the office of
KENNY & FORTUNE,
Kit Williams' Block,
oct tf Corner Second and Madison sts.

FOR RENT—
STORES and OFFICES in Bethel's New Building, on the corner of Main and South Court streets, and in the building to P. C. BETHELL, or S. P. WALKER, Jr., in room No. 1 and 2. my22 tf

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—
Twelve No. 1 Billiard Tables for sale. For particulars, inquire at D. H. EVANS',
oct4 1m 12 Monroe street.

FOR SALE—
A good Second-hand BUGGY and HARNESS (little used) will be sold cheap. Apply to Taylor, Gay & Rutland, 264 Front street, or
au23 tf W. S. BURTON, Monroe street.

## Piano for Sale.

A FINE KNABE PIANO, 7-octave, nearly new, cost over $600, for sale at a bargain. Part cash and part time. Apply to N. K., Appeal office. aug 17

## ENGINE AND BOILER
### For Sale.

ENGINE sets on Iron Bed. Plate, has three feet stroke, thirteen-inch cylinder, reversing engine, Boiler is thirty feet long, forty-two inches in diameter, two flues, and rear of the boiler is made to contain water space, two front and grate bars. All complete, nearly new and in good running order.
Inquire of W. P. Fox, foot of Jefferson street, or to CUBBINS & GUNN, Adams st. se22 1m

## Land For Sale.

AN undivided one-half interest in 50,000 acres of Red river bottom land, in Lafayette Co., Arkansas, near Columbia.
This interest, the title to which is perfect, will be sold at a low figure, for one-third cash and the remainder at one and two years, without interest.
Also, 2300 acres of magnificent Arkansas river bottom land, above all overflow, and the finest body of land in the State, in Crawford county, Arkansas.
These lands will be sold together or in parcels, for cash.
Apply to PIKE & ADAMS,
Attorneys at Law,
se13 tf 262 Main street, Memphis.

## Dissolution.

THE partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of KENNEDAY & SNEED was dissolved on the 2d instant by mutual consent. T. F. SNEED having purchased the entire assets and assumed all the liabilities, he only is authorized to collect and settle the old business.
W. H. KENNEDAY,
T. F. SNEED.
September 25.

THOS. F. SNEED,
Successor to Kenneday & Sneed,
WILL continue the Grocery, Cotton and Commission Business at the old stand, No. 322 Main street, where he will be pleased to see all his old friends and customers.
T. F. SNEED.

TITUS & CO.,
Cotton Factors
—AND—
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
No. 10 Jefferson Street,
MEMPHIS, : : : : TENNESSEE.
WE respectfully solicit a share of the business of the planters of the South. We thank our former customers for their patronage, and would be pleased to have them continue business with us. Our charges are the same as heretofore. All Cotton consigned to us will be insured, unless otherwise instructed.
se23 3m

GAYOSO SAVINGS INSTITUTION,
MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE,
Banking House 19 Madison St.
This institution, organized in 1856, has been in continuous and successful operation for the past ten years, continues to transact a
GENERAL EXCHANGE AND BANKING BUSINESS,
Will Receive Deposits, Buy and Sell
Foreign & Domestic Exchange,
Gold, Silver and Uncurrent Money.
SELLS Exchange in sums to suit purchasers, on London and all leading cities of the United States, and will make collections on all accessible places in the North and West.
E. M. AVERY, Cashier.
JOHN C. LANIER, President.
oct 3m

# MEMPHIS APPEAL.

Office—No. 13 Madison Street.

WEDNESDAY, : : : : OCTOBER 16, 1867

## CITY MATTERS.

### Memphis and Ohio Railroad.

| | ARRIVE. | DEPART. |
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| Mail Express | 3:00 p.m. | 11:00 p.m. |
| Express | 10:45 a.m. | 4:00 p.m. |

SAM. H. JONES, Gen'l Sup't.

### Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

| | ARRIVE. | DEPART. |
|---|---|---|
| New Orleans Express, daily | 8:45 a.m. | 10:30 a.m. |
| Mail, " | 8:45 p.m. | 6:00 p.m. |
| Freight, daily (except Sunday) | 3:45 p.m. | 4:30 a.m. |

To commence Wednesday, June 26th
A. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen. Ticket Ag't. my4

### CLOSING OF MAILS.

Until further notice the Mails will close as follows:
For Cairo, Chicago, St. Louis, Nashville, Louisville, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Pittsburg, Philadelphia, Buffalo, Albany, New York, Baltimore, and all cities North and west, at 8½ p.m.
For Chattanooga, Richmond, Washington, Augusta, Columbus, ga., Montgomery, Mobile, Ala., New Orleans, Nashville, and all cities south and east, at 5:30 p.m.
For New Orleans, Baton Rouge, Jackson, Miss., Vicksburg, Natchez, and all cities south, at 4 p.m.
All locations on Mississippi and Tennessee, Southern, New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern railroads at 2:30 p.m.
All Stations on Memphis and Louisville and branch railroads at 4 p.m.
All Stations on Memphis and Charleston, Mississippi Central, Mobile and Ohio, Nashville and Decatur, Nashville and Chattanooga and East Tennessee railroads at 8 a.m.
For Little Rock, Pine Bluff and all Landings on Arkansas and White rivers, (semi-weekly), Tuesdays and Saturdays.
Mississippi river—north, (semi-weekly), Tuesdays and Saturdays.
Mississippi river—south, (semi-weekly), Tuesdays and Saturdays.
Mississippi river—north, (semi-weekly), Mondays and Fridays.
R. C. GIST, Postmaster Memphis.

FIVE CENTS.
We request that our patrons will not pay the newsboys more than five cents a copy for the APPEAL. It is sold over the counter at that price, and we allow the newsboys a sufficient margin to make a handsome profit by selling the papers at five cents per copy.

TO THE PATRONS OF THE APPEAL. Subscribers are requested to report any irregularities in the delivery of the APPEAL at the counting room. Carriers will be furnished weekly with certificates authorizing them to collect subscriptions.
ED. MANSFORD,
Supt. of Circulation.

IN TOWN.—Capt. Ed. A. Garland, editor of the Water Valley *Courier*, is in town, putting up at the Gayoso. He represents Water Valley as growing fast, and the *Courier* in a good condition.

CONTINUED.—The case of William O'Donnell, who was charged with shooting Regan, was up before Justice Miller, and was continued till Friday, the 18th, when it is supposed a full investigation will be had.

THE JAPANESE.—This troupe arrived yesterday evening by steamer, but too late to give a performance last night. They will positively appear at the Greenlaw Opera House to-night. "We shall see what we shall see."

GREAT REDUCTION.—$88 25 from Memphis to New York; $44 25 to Boston, via Atlantic and Great Western Railway. Through tickets can be secured at 237½ Main street, Overton Hotel, and Depot of Memphis and Ohio Railroad.

INQUEST.—Coroner Cotton held an inquest last evening on the body of a man who had been reported as being found near the old race track, but up to a late hour last night, the Coroner had not returned, therefore we could obtain no particulars.

OFFICIAL MORTUARY REPORT.—For twenty-four hours ending at 5 p.m., Oct. 15, there have been six interments from yellow fever. Twenty-eight new cases reported for twenty-four hours.
W. E. ROGERS, M. D.,
Sec'y Board of Health.

BACK AGAIN.—The many friends of C. P. Oakley, Esq., the popular and gentlemanly general freight and ticket agent of the Mississippi Railroad, returned yesterday from Niagara Falls, where he has been attending the General Ticket Agents' Convention. Our friend looks as well as ever, and will be found at his post, as usual.

WE were pleased to meet yesterday our old and esteemed friend, John M. Carmack, Esq., who has just returned from a visit to Hot Springs, Ark., whither he went to recruit a debilitated system. We are glad to see that he has improved in appearance, and that he will continue to regain strength until he acquires more than youthful vigor.

EMMONS & SON, No. 10 Jefferson and 353 Main street, have received the Waverly Magazine, Wilkes' Spirit of the Times, Albion, The Irish Citizen, London Punch, Judge, News, Demorest's Monthly Magazine for November, and also a lot of Writing Paper and Envelopes and Blank Books, wholesale and retail. Call and examine their stock.

CLEANING THE PAVEMENT.—We noticed yesterday that the prison gang were being employed cleaning the pavement on Second, between Jefferson and Adams streets. This is right. We hope that the regular street force will be employed in like manner. The cleaning of the pavement not only tends to preserve the same, but makes it more pleasant to travel on, either by foot or horse.

WE have received a note from a planter, whose*s: "Allow me to trouble you with a few queries in regard to an invention called 'A B Wood's Improved Gearing for Machinery,' to increase power and speed. I wish to know if you have heard anything of the same, and whether, in the opinion of practical machinists, there is any merit in the invention." If any one of our readers can give the information asked for, we shall publish it with pleasure.

ADMITTED TO PRACTICE.—J. W. Blackburn, Esq., who has resided in Memphis for the past few months, and is known as a young lawyer of promise, was this morning admitted to practice in the Chancery Court. Mr. Blackburn is a Baltimorean, but has made Memphis his home. He is represented to us as a gentleman of fine intelligence and culture, who will in time make his mark at the bar. We congratulate him upon passing the required ordeal, and wish him abundant success in his profession.

REDUCTION IN FARE.—It will be gratifying to travelers to know that the Memphis and Louisville Railroad have made a reduction of six dollars on the fare from Memphis to New York, with a corresponding reduction to Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia and Boston. Their ticket office is at 237½ Main street. Tickets can also be had at the depot, head of Main street. The popular passenger agent, Capt. Ass Hill, is always on hand, and will ticket to all points as low as the lowest.

BOARD OF HEALTH.—The Board of Health held the usual meeting yesterday at the Gayoso House, (one of the parlors having been generously placed at their disposal by Col. Cockrell). About twenty physicians outside of the Board were present and reported, others sent in reports. The meeting was informal and a good deal of discussion was had as to the symptoms and treatment of the disease. We publish the official report of the Secretary, Dr. W. E. Rogers.

ASTONISHING DEPRAVITY.—Some one between 4 and 9 p.m. of the day before yesterday, stepped into the hall of the house, 47 Pontotoc street, and helped himself to a new light grey cloth frock coat, belonging to the Editor in-Chief of the APPEAL, and which he had worn but one day. In the breast pocket of the coat was the key of the Editor's law office. As it can be of no use to the gentleman who borrowed the coat, perhaps he will kindly return the key. We hardly expect it, since he must have arrived at an unexampled pitch of depravity to steal the only decent coat of an Editor who pretty nearly works for nothing and finds himself. We would offer a reward for the arrest of the *chevalier d'industrie* who has made so serious a fray on our wardrobe, if we supposed it would avail anything. In the performance of a public duty we have notified the police; and our domestic, Hannah, proposes to consult an African fortune-teller, in which we have helplessly acquiesced.

SEWING MACHINES AT THE PARIS EXHIBITION.—"There seems to be considerable contradiction among the successful exhibitors as to the awards made in this department. The recipients of the two gold medals severally advertise that theirs is the only gold medal, thus contradicting each other, while all the other prize-holders concur that no gold medal was awarded to any sewing machine whatever. Happily, it is not our duty to decide this knotty question; but, be it as it may, the Grover & Baker sewing machines have received the very highest prize—above all medals—their representative in Paris having been decorated by the Emperor with the Cross of the Legion of Honor." We find the above in one of our English exchanges, and transfer it to our columns with satisfaction. It is gratifying to find that the Grover & Baker machine, which stands so high at home, should also receive the highest honor abroad. When it is remembered that one thousand gold medals were awarded at the Exposition, and only one hundred and fifty decorations, it will be seen that the Cross of the Legion of Honor was considered by the judges as a much higher award of merit than the gold medal. No other sewing machine at the Exposition received this distinction, showing that, in the opinion of His Imperial Majesty, and the judges, no other was equally deserving. This award place the Grover & Baker machine first in order on the official catalogue of the Exposition, as it is first in the estimation of the public on both sides of the Atlantic. —*N. Y. Express.*

## MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

MEETING OF THE BOARD YESTERDAY.

Main Street to be Paved.

Injunction Against the Issuance of Bonds for the Gayoso Gas Stock.

Present, Hon. Mayor Lofland, Chairman Hulbert, Aldermen Glancy, Johnson, Wickersham, Amis, Hill, O'Donnell, Shaw, Lemon, Ruffin, Smith, and Passmore. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and ordered to stand as recorded. The Mayor stated that from a personal interview with Gen. Forrest he had been misunderstood. He wished to right himself in the matter. The members of the firm of Forrest, Mitchell & Co. had asked him for bonds. The demand was made for $171,000. He thought there had been an error in the estimate by the engineer, and he was willing to pay $125,000. He had done what he believed to be right in the matter, and his desire was to protect the interests of the city. He was not in the room at the time the debate took place, or he would have set the matter right, and all parties, the contractors included, would have been satisfied. Gen. Forrest, by permission, addressed the Board, and expressed himself satisfied with the explanation of the Mayor, and he desired to withdraw any offensive remarks he might have made, and regretted the occurrence. He was irritated at the time and thought he had cause. He desired that the explanations should be satisfactory, not only to the Board but to the citizens.

Report from the City Attorney:

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 15, 1867.

To the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, etc.

The United States Court has issued an injunction against the city, restraining it from passing an ordinance for the issuance of $250,000 bonds, to be subscribed to the Memphis Gayoso Gas Company. It is proposed to carry the case to the Supreme Court at Washington. I ask for instructions from the Board. My convictions are that the decree of the Court below will be reversed; and if the city wishes the question tested, I will take the proper steps to do so

Very respectfully,
R. J. MORGAN, City Att'y.

Referred to Mayor and Finance Committee.

A communication was read from the acting City Engineer recommending the erection of a fence around the Park at Charleston avenue. The attention of the Board was called to the fact that in many places awnings and shade trees obstructed the light from the street lamps.

The writ of injunction against the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, in reference to the gas matter, was read to the Board.

Alderman Hill, Chairman of the Finance Committee, reported upon a number of petitions. The reports were adopted.

By the same—a report in reference to the modification of the paving contract, entered into with Messrs. Forrest, Mitchell & Co.

By the same—an application from Messrs. Forrest, Mitchell & Co., asking that the name of Messrs. Taylor, McBain & Co., be inserted in their stead. Application complied with.

The committee reported adversely on the petition of the Wax Flower man. Report adopted.

Alderman Passmore, Chairman of the Committee on Accounts, submitted his usual report, which was adopted.

Alderman Shaw commenced to read a lengthy report on gas matters. The Chairman stated that the matter had been disposed of for the present, by the granting of an injunction, and suggested that the report be received and published as a part of the proceedings, which was agreed upon.

Alderman Ruffin, from the Special Committee appointed to investigate the matter as to the suspension of Mr. Foster, reported that the error occurring in the report was entirely a clerical one, and recommended that Mr. Foster be reinstated in his office as City Engineer.

Alderman Johnson moved that the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration. A lively discussion took place, which was participated in by almost every member of the Board. The motion to recommit was lost, and the report adopted.

Alderman Passmore, from the Special Committee appointed to take into consideration the best means of paying off the city debt, submitted a report suggesting that the Legislature be petitioned to levy a special tax for the purpose of paying off the city debt. Report received and adopted.

By the same—a report adverse to the ordinance introduced by Alderman Wickersham, in reference to the reduction of the tax on theaters. After some little discussion, the Board adjourned to meet at 3 p.m., to-day.

DONATIONS TO THE HOWARD ASSOCIATION—CONTINUED:

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| H Fitzgerald & Co | $10 00 |
| Schoenfeld & Hanauer, weekly | 10 00 |
| Bugg & Frazier, weekly | 10 00 |
| Harris, Cochran & Co | 10 00 |
| F M Apperson & Co., weekly | 10 00 |
| Sprague & McCown | 10 00 |
| Merriman, Byrd & Co | 10 00 |
| Eb A Richter, weekly | 10 00 |
| Wiley P Walker | 10 00 |
| W K Hill, Strange & Co | 15 00 |
| Atlas Life Insurance Company—More & West | 25 00 |
| L F James | 5 00 |
| H Daw, weekly | 5 00 |
| Joe P Hill & Co | 5 00 |
| Robeson, Sneed & Co., weekly | 5 00 |
| B Bayliss, weekly | 5 00 |
| D A Clarke | 5 00 |
| W B Galbreath | 5 00 |
| Jas Robeson Hill | 5 00 |
| J H Lowenstein & Bro | 5 00 |
| W Y Glisde | 5 00 |
| Chas H Galloway, weekly | 5 00 |
| J C Hounsley & Co., weekly | 5 00 |
| J P Frank & Co | 5 00 |
| J H Pickard | 5 00 |
| James Smith | 5 00 |
| J C Davis, weekly | 5 00 |
| James Norton, weekly | 5 00 |
| K P Bates, weekly | 1 00 |
| Cash | 1 00 |
| Citizens' Union Bank | 20 00 |
| Memph's City Savings Institution | 10 00 |

GAS HERE AND ELSEWHERE.—The people of Cincinnati and St. Louis complain of the enormous price that they are charged for gas. They say that their gas companies, which are private corporations just as the Memphis gas light company is, charge far too much for the article. They want their city authorities to buy stock in their gas companies, so that controlling they may reduce the price of gas. The municipal authorities of Cincinnati and St. Louis have again and again tried to buy stock in the gas companies, and have offered immense sums for it, but they can't get it. Those gas companies will not sell to the cities of Cincinnati and St. Louis, however much the people of those places desire them to do so, that the price of gas may be reduced. Here in these cities of Cincinnati and St. Louis, the price of gas is only two dollars and a half per thousand cubic feet. Here the Memphis gas light company charges six dollars per thousand cubic feet, and when the Gayoso gas company offers to sell to the city a controlling portion of its stock, which would secure both to the city and private consumers gas at a very low rate, there are aldermen who pretend that they can't see any advantage in the city securing such control, and try to convince people that the Memphis gas light company is selling gas very cheaply when it only charges nearly three times as much as the people of Cincinnati and St. Louis pay for the gas they use. Who are these Hessians of the gas company?

EASTWARD TRAVEL.—Now that the season is at hand when commercial and business travel sets in most strongly, it becomes a matter of some interest to those contemplating a trip to the Eastern markets to know which of the many routes claiming public favor is in reality most desirable. From the almost unanimous voice of the press, as well as from its rapidly increasing patronage, it would seem that the Atlantic and Great Western Broad Gauge route is second to no other in popular estimation. This being a Broad Gauge route, having Cincinnati for a starting point, crossing the State of Ohio diagonally in almost an air line, and striking the Erie road at Salamanca, thence over the Erie to New York city. Both these roads being six foot gauge, enables the Atlantic and Great Western to run its baggage and passenger cars directly from Cincinnati into New York without change. Memphis passengers arriving in Cincinnati by the Louisville mailboats are landed within one block of the Atlantic and Great Western depot, while those arriving by way of the Ohio and Mississippi road merely step from one train into the other, as the two make connections at a junction depot. It will thus be seen that by this route an expensive transfer through the city is avoided. In Ohio, the road lies through the most fertile and beautiful regions of the State, while on the New York end of the line the scenery of the Delaware and Susquehannah is widely known as the most grand and romantic on the continent. In equipment, the Atlantic and Great Western Railway is unsurpassed; its cars of the most approved and elegant description; its sleeping coaches are unrivaled for magnificence and comfort. They are seventy feet long, eleven wide and nine high, and furnished with hair mattresses, linen sheets and pillow slips. The ladies' and gentlemen's dressing rooms are good sized rooms, and furnished with every appliance for the toilet. Entire sections of the line have, during the past summer, been relaid with new rail, making it one of the smoothest riding roads of any in the country, while as a crowning excellence wide cars secure comfort unattainable by any of its rivals. To many readers the above comments will present nothing new, for the Atlantic and Great Western has long stood in high favor with the Southern traveling community. But to those who have never been eastward over this great broad gauge route, the foregoing hints may not be amiss.

*Handsome* Poplins at 35c per yard at B. Lowenstein & Bros. oct3-2t

## FIRE YESTERDAY MORNING.

LOSS ABOUT TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS—MOSTLY INSURED.

For the main particulars of the fire yesterday morning, we are indebted to an evening cotemporary. About four o'clock yesterday morning, flames were discovered by Mr. J. W. Penn, the bank watchman, issuing from the rear of A. G. Vaccaro's saloon, in the alley running eastwardly from Front, between Madison and Monroe streets. West of the saloon, on Front street, are the auction house of P. L. Bierce & Co., and grocery and liquor house of Riggins & Fisher. The former was damaged to only a slight extent, but the latter sustained considerable loss, both by fire and water. At the junction of the two alleys was Saunders, Jones & Co.'s printing office. The roof was considerably damaged, and the material in the office was injured to some extent by water. Their loss will amount to several hundred dollars. They were, however, insured in the Planters' Insurance Company for $2500. Fisher's saloon, adjoining the job office, on Bank Alley, was damaged also by fire and water, but to no great extent. North of Fisher's was the Jimplecute saloon. There was scarcely any loss by fire, but many articles were stolen. W. L. Stewart & Co.'s cotton office, north of the Jimplecute, sustained a small loss in broken windows, damage by water, etc. The rooms over one of the saloons were occupied by Mag. Hayden, as a house of ill fame. Her carpets, furniture, etc., were worth probably $700. Nothing was saved, except her trunk which Mr. Penn threw down stairs. The following, as nearly as could be ascertained, was the insurance: Riggins & Fisher, Washington Company (Tomlinson), $5000; Ætna, $5000; Hartford, of Hartford, $10,000; Phœnix, of Hartford, $3500 on building. The extent of their loss has not yet been ascertained. It is principally by water. P. L. Bierce & Co., Phœnix, $4000; Hartford, $3500; Ætna, $5000—$12,500 in all. Their stock was valued at $25,000, and the damage, which is light, is by water alone, which stands several inches in their cellar. Mag Hayden, loss $7000; insured for $3000 in Ætna. We have heard of no other insurance on her property. A. G. Vaccaro, $2500 on stock, fixtures and furniture in the Phœnix of Hartford. The fire was first discovered by Mr. J. W. Penn, who at once gave the alarm. But for his efforts doubtless everybody in the second story of the buildings fronting on the alley would have been suffocated by the smoke and flame. Mr. Rose went for engine No. 4, and in a short time all the engines were on the ground. They did efficient service, and by their exertions the firemen prevented a general conflagration. Had the wind been from the west, it would have been difficult to save either Elson Brothers' or the adjoining Main street stores. Five bales of cotton were saved by the exertions of Mr. Charley Straus, a watchman, who rolled the bales to the north side of Madison street.

GREAT REDUCTION.—$88 25 from Memphis to New York; $44 25 to Boston, via Atlantic and Great Western Railway. Through tickets can be secured at 237½ Main street, Overton Hotel, and Depot of Memphis and Ohio Railroad.

WATCH THIEF.—A negro named Jos. Owens was brought before Mr. Justice Black, yesterday, charged with stealing a watch from one of his colored neighbors in South Memphis some days since. The evidence against the accused was very conclusive. No persons being found willing to give bail in the sum of two thousand dollars, Joseph was sent to the Criminal Court for trial.

NEW MEMPHIS THEATER.—A very good audience was in attendance last night at the New Memphis to see the popular play of *Guy Mannering*, in which the favorite, Lady Don, played "Henry Bertram" very acceptably to the audience, but a little less *dash* would probably be better suited to the taste of a critic. On her appearance she was well received and heartily applauded. Mrs. Allen seemed quite at home in the rather difficult character of "Meg Merrilies." She dressed the part well and played it admirably. The singing, incidental to the piece, was very fine. It could not be otherwise, both Lady Don and Miss Fanny Pierson being in excellent voice. The selection of Scotch ballads and tableaux finished the evening's entertainment. To-night *Don Cesar de Bazan* will be produced, with Lady Don as "Don Cesar." The house should be filled.

## THE COURTS.

UNITED STATES COURT.—On yesterday the following business was transacted: Messrs. Gerrald F. Griffin and M. B. Trezevant were admitted as Attorneys of this Court. C. Canning Smith, Esq., was appointed United States Commissioner. The injunction case of Dean vs. the Mayor and Aldermen of Memphis, and the Memphis Gayoso Gas Company was decided by Judge Trigg, so far as granting the injunction prayed for. The following order was entered of record in this case: Thompson Dean vs. the Mayor and Aldermen of Memphis and the Memphis and Gayoso Gas Company. This cause coming in to be argued after due notice to the defendants upon the bill and pleadings filed, it is ordered that the plea to the jurisdiction be overruled, and the Court takes jurisdiction of the parties and the subject matter of the Bill, and, upon the presentation of the record from the Chancery Court of Memphis, it is considered that no prior suit is pending between these parties, and for this subject matter and the plea of prior suit pending, is overruled. And upon argument it is further considered, and it is so ordered, that upon Complainant entering into bond with good and sufficient security in the sum of ten thousand dollars to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Memphis, conditioned to save harmless the said corporation from all loss and damage by reason of the prosecution of their injunction prayed for in the bill, and upon the complainants entering into a further bond to the Memphis and Gayoso Gas Light Company in the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars conditional to save harmless the said corporation from all loss and damage by reason of the prosecution of the injunction prayed for in the bill, the Clerk will issue a fiat of injunction to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Memphis, restraining them from holding any election to test the sense of the voters of the city of Memphis upon the question of subscribing stock in the Memphis and Gayoso Gas Light Company, or for issuing bonds therefor and restraining the said Board from making such subscription or issuing such bonds, and a further fiat of injunction to the Memphis and Gayoso Gas Light Company, restraining the said company, its agents and employees from using the streets of Memphis by laying pipes therein, or from constructing works for the manufacture and sale of gas in the city of Memphis by the means of such pipes, conductors or other apparatus laid through the said streets, or lanes or squares of said city, or from selling gas to the public authorities or inhabitants of Memphis, by means of such public works, until the further order of this Court. The Milliken habeas corpus case will come up to-day for decision, after which the Court will probably adjourn for several weeks.

CHANCERY COURT—Stands adjourned until the first Monday, the fourth day of November next. The cases set for hearing on yesterday being demurrers and pleas, will be heard on Tuesday the 5th day of November next. The other cases specially set will be set for the first week when Court convenes.

MUNICIPAL COURT.—The cases set for yesterday, the State vs. Stillmand and Kate Stoner, from 151 to 169 inclusive, will be taken up to-day, after which the following cases will be tried: 5, The State vs. David Carroll, attempt to draw an Arkansas *tooth pick*; 7 to 34, inclusive, the State vs. Slegle, unlawful gaming; 225 to 228, inclusive, the State vs. John Carnes, unlawful retailing.

LAW COURT—Stands adjourned until the 28th day of October, 1867. Jurors summoned will attend promptly on that day, or forfeitures will be taken against them.

TRANSFER OF REAL ESTATE.—H. W. Sebree to Elizabeth Sebree, deed of gift, easterly one-quarter of lot No. 11, block 38 on north side of Linden street, east of St. Martin street, 30 by 150 feet; J. T. Carnes to Samuel May, trust deed, lease hold part of lot No. 500 on Jefferson street extended—one year to run—to secure $867 99.

GREAT REDUCTION.—$88 25 from Memphis to New York; $44 25 to Boston, via Atlantic and Great Western Railway. Through tickets can be secured at 237½ Main street, Overton Hotel, and Depot of Memphis and Ohio Railroad.

*All Ladies* will be pleased to learn that B. A. Hollenberg, proprietor of the Memphis Steam Dyeing Establishment, No. 212 Beal street, has opened a convenient office at 250 Second street, where all kinds of goods, old, faded and soiled, will be elegantly Dyed and Renovated. Gentlemen's wear cleaned and dyed in superior style. oct2 eod1m

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IN consequence of the prevalence of yellow fever in the city of Vicksburg, we feel compelled, by the duty we owe to ourselves, our families and employees, to postpone the second preliminary distribution of the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Aid Society from the 15th day of October to the 20 of November, 1867.
To give our patrons and the public, at a distance, the necessary time for renewal of Certificates, the third preliminary distribution will be drawn November 20th, and the Grand Scheme, December 26, 1867.
We trust that a kind and indulgent public will both excuse and approve of the short postponement.
Correspondents, and persons ordering certificates, are requested to direct their communications to the Secretary at Meridian, Miss., to which place