MEMPHIS APPEAL.

Office—No. 13 Jefferson Street.

CITY MATTERS.

ERMINE FURS—Francisco & Wiggin's. 3t

500 pieces standard prints at 12½c, at Rice & Engel's, 233 Main street. tf

TO-DAY elegant lunch at 15 Jefferson street. 1m

BANKRUPTS DISCHARGED DECEMBER 8, 1868.—Joseph Croom, Adolph Solomon, Thomas B. Norment, Robert B. Allen.

CARPETS AND FURNITURE—Just received and for sale cheap by Ames, Beattie & Co., 395 Main street. tf

FREE LUNCH every morning, from 10 to 12 o'clock, at X 10 U 8 Saloon, corner Main and Exchange streets. 3t

FOR SALE.—A good paying business. Only a small cash capital required. Address "R. S. T.," this office. 6

LARGE numbers of wild pigeons congregated in the woods around the city yesterday, and the hunters had great sport in shooting them.

JOE LOCKE, 236½ Main street, has all the latest monthlies, weeklies and dailies from everywhere. New Orleans Picayune, Times and Price Current on file. t

ABE JOHNSON, alias Huggins, was sent up yesterday by 'Squire Elliot, in default of $500 bonds, to answer to the Criminal Court on charge of fraudulent breach of trust.

LADIES! All kinds of Dress Goods, lower than any place in the city, at Rice & Engel's. nov28 tf

Handsome Poplins at 35c per yard just opened at Herzog & Bro.'s, 294 Main street, Clark's Marble Block.

IF YOU want to see a splendid assortment of chamber, parlor and dining room furniture cheap, and no humbug, call at E. Fegan's, 256 Second street, Irving block. 1w

FINE TOBACCO.—S. Steinberg, No. 200 Front street, keeps a full supply of tobacco, both smoking and chewing. Call and get a box of the *Grand Duchesse* smoking tobacco. 1w.

"PEABODY" HAT—Francisco & Wiggin's. 3t

50 Dozen good Men's Hats at $1, at Rice & Engel's, 233 Main street. nov28 tf

A FIRE occurred at Paris, Tennessee, Monday night, consuming an unoccupied store near the office of the Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph Company and burning their wires in two. The loss was trifling.

THE PEABODY HOTEL is now open for the reception of transient guests and boarders. Price per day, $4 00. Day Board, $40 per month. We will be glad to welcome our old friends and guests. tf D. COCKRILL & SONS.

DULL.—The Justices who depend on "State cases" for a living will shortly, we understand, petition the county to establish a soupshouse for their benefit. They have not had a case—some of them, in ten days.

Six thousand dollars' worth Window Shades and Wall Paper, at New York prices, at 375 Main street. nov22 tf J. GRIESHABER.

IRISH Poplins, best quality and all shades, at $1 25 per yard. tf RICE & ENGEL.

LADIES' FURS—Francisco & Wiggin's. 3t

CORNS! CORNS! CORNS!—Dr. J. Lindsman, Surgeon Chiropodist, at St. Louis, has arrived for the purpose of curing Corns, Bunions and ingrowing nails. He cures without pain or drawing blood, by a new process. Give him a call at the Overton Hotel for a few days. 3t

JOHN LILLY has removed his large and select stock of staple and fancy groceries, wines, liquors, etc., to No. 351 Main street, where his friends and the public generally will find a superior stock of all goods in his line, *at lowest market rates for cash.* 1w

COLD.—The first real cold snap of the season came on us night before last, and yesterday morning the gutters were full of ice, the streets frozen hard, and the window panes covered with a net-work of frost. The sun, though it shone bright and clear, did not move the ice one day, and the evening yesterday was colder cold.

The theaters continue crowded with people. The throng of ladies on Main street daily from 10 to 3 o'clock is quite dazzling. We have rarely seen a city of the size of Memphis where so many pretty faces and handsome figures greet the eye at every turn, as in our own city. "Long may she wave!"

WALL Paper and Window Shades, to be closed out positively before January 1, at 375 Main street. nov28 tf J. GRIESHABER.

200 Nice Overcoats, from $7 50 to $15, at Rice & Engel's, 233 Main street. nov28 tf

THE "Peabody" and "Alpine" hat continue to lead the fashion. You can buy them at Francisco & Wiggin's. 3t

A NEW SOUTHERN BOOK.—Miss Nellie Marshall, of Ky., well known in our city, is, we are pleased to learn, about to give to the world a new novel. It is a story of the war and is entitled "As by Fire," and will be issued from the press of Geo. S. Wilcox, (successor to Bielock & Co.) New York.

AN AFFRAY occurred yesterday evening about six o'clock, on the steamer Magenta, lying at the levee, between a fireman and a deck hand, which came near being very serious, but which resulted in a few pretty severe bruises only. The deck hand struck the mate with a slung-shot several times and ran, the slung-shot severe as he did so, but missed mate firing at him. No arrests were made at the time. No arrests.

THE LATEST FASHIONS.—Our young men who desire to be up with the times and the fashions should call on A. McCoy, the merchant tailor, 283 Second st., and examine his elegant assortment of cloths, cassimeres, vestings and overcoat material. McCoy's is the handsomest stock in town, and he is prepared to make perfect fits in every style of garment. We advise our readers to call and see him without delay and make their selections. tf

THE Supreme Bench of Tennessee is, we learn from reliable sources, filled at last, and will be organized to-day or to-morrow. The Court consists of Judge Henry G. Smith, of our city, Judge J. O. Shackleford, of Nashville, (appointed to represent Middle Tennessee), and Judge George Andrew. Judge Shackleford has already been on the Supreme Bench, and also presided in the Chancery Courts of Montgomery and Davidson counties. Judge Andrew is appointed from East Tennessee, and has only resided in the State since the war.

LADIES' FURS—Francisco & Wiggin's. 3t

100 Dozen pairs Cotton Half Hose at 10c per pair, at Rice & Engel's, 233 Main street. nov28 tf

CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS IN MISSISSIPPI.—The following appointments were made by the Mississippi Conference: Yazoo District, W. P. Barton; Yazoo City Station, E. M. Mounger; Yazoo, T. N. Shelton; Mount Olivet, J. W. Jones; Carrollton, P. Howard; Sunflower, T. W. Flowers; Lexington, J. D. Newsom; Richland, H. Townsend; Durant, T. C. Parish; Black Hawk, to be supplied by L. J. Boyle; Mt. Zion and Elon, G. W. Boyle.

HEAVY ROBBERIES.

The Mackerel Brigade on the Foray.

The Mackerel Brigade, after a period of inactivity and quiet, suddenly made matters quite lively in police and detective circles last evening. The immunity from the depredations of these juvenile but daring offenders, which the public has enjoyed for some time back, was the result of the action of 'Squire Griffith and the Police Commissioners, who, about a month ago, banished some of them and retired several others to the County Jail for a period of thirty days. Those who were run away from the city, thinking matters had blown over, have again returned to the city, just about the time that their partners had served out their time and were released from jail. Three of these latter class, Jack Ackerman, Wm. Saunders, and Pat. Callahan, came to grief yesterday afternoon in a most summary manner, having only been allowed to bask in the sunshine of liberty a couple of days, before being gobbled a second time. An ancient African who had made a little crop of cotton came to town yesterday morning and sold it, drawing a snug little sum, and after buying his groceries and truck, started home last night with seven hundred dollars in his pocket. By some means just before getting on board the boat that was to carry him to the bosom of his expectant spouse and pickaninies, he fell into the hands of the three young thieves above mentioned, who lighted his wallet of every cent it contained. He soon discovered his loss, and, like a sensible darky, made for police headquarters and told his story. Detective Connel was given the case to work up, and in a very short time he had not only arrested the thieves, but recovered the money, every cent of it, and the old darky, "happy as a big sun-flower," was sent on his way rejoicing. Ackerman, Saunders and Callahan are now in the First district stationhouse, whence, if we are not much mistaken, they will go to the penitentiary. The second case is of a mule trader, who arrived on the steamer Liberty No 2, and engaged a hack driver named Jocky Eagan to carry him and his family to the steamer Clifton. While about the levee his pockets were lighted of a roll of six or seven hundred dollars. Eagan was arrested immediately, but nothing was found on him, and he will be discharged. There is no doubt that the mackerels got this sum also, for they swarmed around the landing at the time. The case will be worked up to-day; meanwhile, all citizens should keep a sharp lookout for these young rascals.

IRISH Poplins, best quality and all shades, at $1 25 per yard. tf RICE & ENGEL.

A RUNAWAY MATCH.—The daughter of an old and well-known citizen, lately deceased, a maiden of fifteen summers, and, as the novelists say, "just budding into womanhood," disappeared from her boarding house on Second street, on Monday afternoon. It was shortly afterwards discovered that a certain ex-hotel keeper, from Adams street, who was in the habit of visiting her frequently, had also disappeared—having been last seen wending his way toward the Louisville Railroad depot. The mother of the young lady, who is as shrewd as mothers with marriageable daughters proverbially are, or ought to be, "putting this and that together," at once smelled a large sized mice, and put out for the train also, but too late to catch it. She returned to her residence, determined to make the rifle and follow the runaways, next day, to Brownsville, where from certain circumstances she was confident of finding them. While awaiting another train, however, a letter came addressed to the mamma from the daughter; informing her that she was married to the man of her choice the evening before in Brownsville. The letter was received first with considerable indignation, but on due reflection, and after receiving the consolation of her friends, who assured her that "what was done could not be undone," and it was "no usecrying over spilled milk," she became reconciled, and wrote for the couple to come home, and they should be forgiven. The successful denouement is a matter of congratulation to the happy pair, who, we are informed, had made two unsuccessful attempts previous to the one which terminated so auspiciously.

PERSONAL.

Sheriff Curry left yesterday for Nashville, to be gone a few days only.

Col. Moss Parish, of the Bolivar *Bulletin*, is in the city.

CALISAYA BARK.—It is said that Messrs. Drake & Co. (proprietors of the Plantation Bitters) are the largest importers of Calisaya Bark in this country, and that, with the exception of an occasional sale, all they import is used in the compounding of their celebrated Plantation Bitters—to which they undoubtedly are indebted for their wonderful health-restoring properties. As a Tonic and Appetizer they are not surpassed, and we sheerfully recommend them. All first-class Druggists keep them for sale.

MAGNOLIA WATER.—Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price. 3td&1tw

FREE LUNCH daily at Raggio's, 15 Jefferson street. 1m

LADIES! If you want a good Cloak for little money, go to Rice & Engel's. nov28 tf

THE COLUMBUS INDEX of the 4th inst. says that Dr. Kingsbury, of our city, was in that town and delivered an address on Sunday last. Dr. Kingsbury is Corresponding Secretary of the Sunday School Board of the Southern Baptist Convention; and is now on a tour through the States, receiving subscriptions for the establishment of a library of pure Sunday School literature. We hope that his co-religionists will help him in his enterprise, and that a noble library may be the fruits thereof.

Manufactured Cigars and Tobacco.

The following letter from Commissioner Harland, relative to shipping tobacco and cigars previous to offering them for sale, is an important document:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE INT. REV., WASHINGTON, December 2, 1868.

On and after the 23d instant all cigars and tobacco in the hands of the manufacturers before being removed from the place of manufacture must be stamped as provided in the new law. The simple inspection of tobacco and cigars prior to the 23d instant, does not relieve them from liability to stamp in the hands of the manufacturer. A manufacturer is not obliged to stamp tobacco and cigars immediately after packing. He must, however, stamp them before selling, offering for sale, or removing from the place of manufacture, for sale, use or consumption.

THOMAS HARLAND, Actg. Commissioner.

500 Ladies' Cloaks, latest styles, and elegantly trimmed, from $6 50 to $35, at Rice & Engel's. nov28 tf

Children's Gloves at 25c a pair at Herzog & Bro.'s, Clark's Marble Block.

THIRD WARD DEMOCRACY, ATTENTION!—There will be a meeting for the nomination of candidates, at the Engine House, corner of Adams and Second, to-morrow (Thursday) evening at 7½ o'clock.

CAPT. P. S. SIMMONDS, of the First District Police, yesterday moved into the new house lately presented to him by the men of his command. The house is a neat cottage, situated on Second street near the bridge, in Chelsea, and has quite a large garden attached to it. The Captain deserves the handsome testimonial, and we hope he may live long to enjoy it.

THEATRES.—The *White Fawn* again drew a fine house last night, and was put on the boards with the usual elegance and effect. It is repeated to-night for the last time. Every one who has not seen it, should not fail to improve the last chance offered them of seeing it, this season at least, in Memphis. To-morrow the spectacle of *Cinderella* will be presented.

MEMPHIS.

Her Past and Future—Railroad Progress, etc.

To the toast "The City of Memphis," at the late dinner to Mayor Leftwich, Judge Swayne responded in the following eloquent terms:

Sir: I have heartily joined in this toast, in the use of a very fine article. Now, had you announced, instead of "The City of Memphis," the continent, or South America, or Europe, or Asia, or Africa, and called on me to respond, the task were not so great, because then there were more room to spread or to scatter; or, had you said the United States only, then, since the war and yet, the United States are *so disunited* by the politicians that the theme would be merely *numerically* large. But here, as a city, never divided nor dividing, we have been lately enlarged three-fold, so that now, within our boundary-arms might live and move and trade and thrive the teeming thousands of that great commercial world, New York, and a million spindles and whizzing wheels, and ten thousand anvils and resounding hammers, and lumbering drays might commingle their noises to make the grand hum of a vast city. And you see that my subject is certainly heightened and not less adorned when we consider the Mayor we have—a gentleman, a Christian gentleman, a lettered man, a man of dignity and grace and comely mien, whose mind and heart and tongue and pen and spotless life adorn the station that he holds, as the representatives of all parties here tonight do heartily concede. What city claims a Mayor of more intelligence or purer character, or conferring greater honor? Of our people and their choice, known to them and knowing them, he lives in their hearts and they in his; servant and people together illustrating the beautiful form of government our fathers left us. And our "City Fathers"—are they not fathers of dignity and wisdom and eloquence, as well as rotundity? Do they not sedulously study and devote their time, very eagerly and thanklessly, to the interests of the city? And have they not elevated her name and her credit?

Sir, you touch me keenly and awake my pride when you name the name of Memphis, my home on the Bluffs for over twenty years. About so long ago, the census then taken showed us but a respectable town of five or six thousand inhabitants; the business was all transacted on Front Row, and chiefly in very common houses; scarcely an insignificant factory was operated; not a locomotive thundered near on its iron track; father Cayce essayed to run an omnibus on the streets, but the idea was too huge, and it failed. On the two miles of Main street was not a single business house, and (excepting two or three hazardous adventures) only a few shoemakers' shops and stables—mine lordly host of the "Peabody" being the hero of one of them, a rickety old frame—and several drinkeries, occupied that thoroughfare.

To-day, behold the city of Memphis! Sixty thousand inhabitants dwell here; her business is done on many streets and cross streets, that are walled up heaven-ward with bazaars of trade and palatial mansions that would shame no city in the world; nine miles of streets are beautifully if not substantially paved on the Nicholson plan, and on six and two-third miles of streets, cars go to and fro laden with human freight; long trains on railroads arrive and depart from and to all points of our great country; manufactures, the arts, science and industry are in every direction; the finest and largest packets are multiplied on all our waters; and all around us are the marks of a city, and the signs of increasing power and wealth and greatness.

But, sir, we must remember that this day is a day of progress, and we must not—can not—stand where we are. Revolution has shaken from slumber all the energies of the country. The people are in motion, heart, head and hand. We, too, must be in motion—must go onward or be crushed in the march of events, and under the unrelenting wheel of progress. A part of our work is to remedy errors. At first, and years ago, we justly earned a proud name—second only, in all the Union, considering population, to that of Savannah for railroad enterprise; but in our rapid and splendid march we made a few important blunders that have since marred our great achievements, and which we have now to correct, and without further delay. Had a branch of the Charleston road been built to Holly Springs, or the Somerville branch extended to Jackson, Tenn., neither the Mobile and Ohio nor the Mississippi Central would have been constructed to pass us by on the east, with their wealth of trade and travel; and now, failing to take wise action and prompt, the vast trade of Arkansas and Texas may be turned to the Cairo and Fulton road, and so cause us to be passed again on the west, leaving to us but a narrow belt between and the lone majesty of the river, whose facilities are exceeded by the railroad as its speed is by the iron horse.

How are we to defeat these dangers, and maintain the growth, power and supremacy of the Mississippi? Consolidate our roads, and checkmate those that, coming from the South, carry trade and travel past us, by opening lines from the south, *through the city*, northward; building the Selma road, so soon as practicable, into the broad and fleecy fields that now yield us nothing. On the west, construct the Memphis and St. Louis road, which, connecting here with the roads from the south, will extend another air line northward through Memphis, and bring down the iron from those vast mountains of ore to our foundries, the pine from those vast forests, and the breadstuffs from those abundant plains, and whose roadbed, forming also a levee and barrier to the Mississippi, extending to Helena, will be the only sure protection to the Memphis and Little Rock road, and reclaim, for the benefit of Memphis and mankind, like the dikes of Holland, the millions of acres, as rich as human eyes ever saw, lying east of the St. Francis river and west of the Mississippi; and lastly, but of chief importance, finish the Memphis and Little Rock road. It will prevent the divergence to Cairo, and will bring to and through Memphis northward, the trade and travel of Arkansas and Texas. I say, this road is of chief importance. It is to be our Pacific road, and a thoroughfare for the commerce of the world across the continent; it is to open to us the vast trade of the West. And, it is well for us to consider that, though preferring Memphis, the people West and Southwest prefer, before any given point, some point of connection East or North. Finish, then, the Little Rock road. It will give them their choice and Memphis the benefit, and be a connection for them by the roads converging here, including the St. Louis road, with all points East, North and South; it will be to all these roads a Pacific road—an extension for them West and Southwest, and supercedes the necessity to them and to the people of the Cairo and Fulton.

I might allude, also, to the necessity to our city of enlarging our manufacturing interests, and other interests, if time allowed.

Sir, we have only to behold and press forward to our destiny, forgetting all the bitterness and healing all the wounds of the past and present, cultivating peace and unity, elevating, mentally, morally, and religiously—every class, color and race among us—rendering implicit obedience to law, and inviting to our untilled acres and growing mart, all, from any part of our own or foreign lands, who may add to our growth and prosperity.

Oh, what a country we have in this South land! God has given us a crop worth $400,000,000, and He has given us a great and beautiful country, all over, from the lakes to the Gulf, and from ocean to ocean. This city is in the midst of it, and on the banks of the Great River; below impediments from ice and low water; in the most temperate and healthful latitude; and in the highway of Nature and of nations, through the passes of the mountains East and West, between the two oceans. We have only to be true to ourselves, and Memphis on the Mississippi will succeed in splendor, power and renown, the ancient Memphis on the Nile.

500 No. 1 Satinet suits, $7 50 per suit, at Rice & Engel's. nov28 tf

THE SCHOOL TAX.

Can District and Sub-District Directors Collect it?

Judge Shackleford Thinks Not, and Enjoins them.

A bill has been filed in the Chancery Court of Clarksville, which is of interest to every tax payer in the State. It is filed by the tax payers of a Civil District to enforce the collection of taxes assessed, under the provisions of section fourteen of an act passed the 14th of March, 1868, entitled "An act to amend an act to provide for the reorganization, supervision and maintenance of free common schools, passed March, 5, 1867."

Under a provision of this law the School Directors submitted to the voters of a sub-district in the county of Montgomery an appearance of three mills on the dollar, which assessment was paid by a majority of the voters of the sub-district. The taxes were assessed in pursuance of the law, and the officer proceeded to the collection of the sums so assessed. The tax payers, believing the law, authorizing the assessment not warranted by the Constitution, filed a bill to enjoin the collection of the sum. In the absence of the Chancellor of the district, the complainants presented their bill to Judge Shackleford on Thursday last for an injunction. The Chancellor was clearly of the opinion the Legislature had no power to submit the question of taxation to district or sub-district of a county, and granted the injunction. Previous to the Constitution of 1834 the question came before the Supreme Court of the State, and in the case of Mart vs. Euslee, 1 Yer., 458, it was held "representation and taxation are of necessity, in our Government, inseparable, hence, the right of taxation cannot be delegated. This decision produced the adoption of the twenty-ninth section of article second of the Constitution, which declares that the General Assembly shall have power to authorize the several counties and incorporate towns in this State to impose taxes for county and incorporate purposes, respectfully, in such manner as shall be prescribed by law, etc. Under this provision, the Judge was of opinion that the Legislature had now power to submit the question to a fractional vote of the county. It is a matter of much interest to the people of the State, and, as it may seriously affect the interests of the common schools, the attention of the Legislature is called to the matter, that such provision may be made by law as will enable the directors of common schools to carry out the system that has been adopted.

THE WEEKLY APPEAL is ready for delivery, neatly done up in wrappers for mailing, at the counting room of the Daily APPEAL, No. 13 Jefferson street, this morning.

OUR INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES

On Saturday last there were meetings in Nashville of three Societies for the advancement of the economical interests of Tennessee. The first was a meeting of the Directors of the State Agricultural and Mechanical Society. They passed a resolution requesting the people of the State at large to take stock in the society, and appointed parties to solicit subscriptions. Mr. Cockrill, one of the Directors, offered a resolution, which was adopted, that publication be made of the objects and intent of the Directors, the place proposed to be purchased, number of acres and places; also, that, in view of the necessity of at once taking action in securing and laying out the grounds, and in view of the importance of the objects to be attained, that the newspapers of the State be requested to announce that the public will be immediately called upon for subscriptions, and to urge upon the various County Associations to become stockholders.

The second meeting was the Tennessee Apiarian Association, who had under discussion the question "bee raising, hives, etc."

The third meeting was that of the State Horticultural Society. The *Banner* of Sunday, in speaking of its proceedings, says: "The Corresponding Secretary read a letter from Geo. Hussman, of Herman, Mo., acknowledging a special premium for the 'Rulander' wine. After stating that this wine has since received the first premium from the Wine Growing Association, he says of the grape: 'The Rulander, though not very productive, (yielding only two hundred and fifty gallons of wine to the acre), more than makes this up in its fine qualities.' In this climate he thinks it will do even better. The vine is not subject to mildew or other disease."

The report so anxiously looked for by practical farmers, on the "fruits adapted to this State," was not quite finished and was not presented. We look for it with interest.

We were pleased to learn that it is the intention to publish that enterprising agricultural weekly, the *Dixie Farmer*, in Nashville, after the first of January, and will welcome it as a great acquisition for Nashville in that department. The progress of the society is evidenced by the fact of their having over three hundred members and the number is increasing.

100 doz late style ladies' linen collars, from $2 to $3 per doz at Rice & Engel's. tf

THE COURTS.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT AND CIRCUIT COURTS—*Hon. Connally F. Trigg, presiding.*—The civil docket will be called on to-day and to-morrow.

The criminal docket will be taken up again on Friday.

The motion made to dissolve the injunction in the case of Anderson vs. Hunt, was refused.

The case of the United States vs. Fisher, and the same vs. Roper, were continued.

A number of persons under bond, failing to answer the call of the criminal docket, forfeited them.

CHANCERY COURT.—*Wm. M. Smith, Chancellor.*—The argument in the Nicholson paving cases, on demurrer, was not concluded yesterday. The argument will be resumed this morning. These cases will probably occupy the attention of the court the remainder of the week.

MUNICIPAL COURT—*Geo. W. Waldran, Judge.*—Only a few cases on yesterday's calendar were disposed of. The cases not disposed of yesterday will be called for trial to-day. No. 1296 is the first case to be disposed of this morning. There will be no informal call of the docket.

CRIMINAL COURT.—*J. E. Bigelow, Judge, etc.*—The trial of the case of the State vs James Brown, indicted for murder, was going on at a late hour yesterday evening. It is likely that this case will continue for two or three days.

WE WOULD call the attention of country merchants and retail dealers generally, to the advertisement which appears in another column, of the house of Messrs. Allison Brothers, wholesale dealers in hardware, guns, cutlery, etc., 270 Front row. Messrs. Allison, although they have been in business in Memphis but a short time, have established a reputation for fair dealing that might well be the work of years, and we cordially and confidently recommend them to our friends and patrons. In addition to their large and complete stock of hardware, cutlery, guns, etc., they are the agents of Carver & Co.'s cotton gins, fire proof safes, Tennessee charcoal, and Kentucky iron.

100 doz late style ladies' linen cuffs, from $3 to $4. tf RICE & ENGEL.

WE ARE INDEBTED to the Rev. Wm. K Douglas for the following list of appointments of the Right Rev. Bishop Green to the churches of North Mississippi:

Oxford, (Ordination) December 20,		
St. Andrew's, near Lamar, December		22.
St. John's Early Grove,	"	24.
Holly Springs, Christmas,	"	26.
Corinth,	"	27.
Iuka,	"	28.
Tibbee Station,	"	30.
Columbus, (Ordination) January		3.

THE MOST acceptable attention that a commission or other merchant can pay his customers and correspondents, is to send them a copy of a well-filled, interesting weekly newspaper like the Memphis WEEKLY APPEAL.

PATENTS GRANTED to Southern inventors for the week ending November 24, 1868, as reported by F. Stith, Solicitor of Patents, Kit Williams Block, Memphis, Tenn.

84 273. Type Setting Machine, F. G. Foster, Eagle Rock, N. C.

84 348. Horse Power, Milton Fisk, Sparta, Tenn.

84 349. Millstone Dress, Jas. W. Gaines, Clarksville, Tex.

84 356. Hot Air Furnace, S. J. Hare, Louisville Ky.

84,358. Machine for Cleaning Entrails, John A. Hall, Louisville, Ky.

84 362. Door Fastening and Alarm, A. F. Kitchen, Shelton Depot, S. C.

84,372. Baggage Check, Enoch H. Paine, Louisville, Ky.

84,392. Saw Cotton Gin, Wm. Sutton, Washington, Ga.

84,394. Water Wheel, S. J. Thomas, Dawson, Ga.

84,403. Printing Press, Samuel J. Baird, Staunton, Va.

84,416. Clover Harvester, Paul Dismukes, Gallatin, Tenn.

84 447. Pneumatic Street Railway Car, C. W. Nally, New Orleans, La.—English Patent to Southern Inventor.

3,131. Revolving and Repeating Firearms, F. A. LeMat, New Orleans, La.

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW MEMPHIS THEATER

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Manager and Treasurer.....C. D. STEINKUHL
Stage Manager.....ROBERT McWADE

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SCALE OF PRICES.—Dress Circle and Parquette, $1; Orchestra Chairs, $1 50; Family Circle, 50 cents; Colored Boxes, 50 cents; Colored Gallery, 25 cents.
Doors open at quarter to 7 o'clock; curtain will rise at 8 precisely. Box-book open from 10 o'clock a.m. to 5 p.m.

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—TO—

CASH BUYERS!

MENKEN BROTHERS,
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DRY GOODS.

A CARD TO THE PUBLIC

—AND—

ESPECIALLY TO OUR PATRONS.

OUR facilities by the late great decline of all kinds of Dress Goods and Fancy Articles, and through our purchases we are enabled to sell our well selected stock of Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods, Fancy Articles, Boots, Shoes and especially Clothing, which we intend to close out regardless of cost at such prices as to excel all other houses in this city.

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WHICH WILL SAVE YOUR MONEY.

Ladies of Memphis and Vicinity,

CALL AND EXAMINE OUR STOCK. Our prices will at once, convince you that we are STILL MASTERS OF THE FIELD.

SAVE MONEY! BUY CHEAP!

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No. 280 Main St.,

Opposite the Clay Building.

GREAT DECLINE OF PRICES

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Just Received and Purchased at Panic Prices:

BLACK SILKS! BLACK SILKS!

Bombazines,

Irish and French Poplins,

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A Splendid Line Plain and Changeable Alpacas---very cheap;

Chameleon and Waterproofs,

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All Wool Delaines.

500 dozen Merino and Cotton Hosiery,

Lad and Child Underwears.

HOOP SKIRTS

In style to suit the humblest, and

In Prices to Defy all Competition.

Lad and Gents' Hemstitched, Plain and Embroidered Handkerchiefs.

Bonnet Ribbons, 40 cents per yard.
nov21 1m

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No. 294 Main Street,

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Are offering to the public at

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES

Their entire and well assorted Stock of

DRY GOODS

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—FOR THE—

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Sterling Silver Wares,

Very Superior Watches,

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(In Marble and Gold Bronze).

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(Successors to Pooley, Barnum & Co.)

dec6 1m s 265 MAIN STREET.

Notice of Dissolution.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of Rawlings & Postal is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The debts due the firm will be collected by E. C. Postal, who will also liquidate all outstanding liabilities. E. C. Postal will continue the business in the same stand.

E. C. POSTAL,
R. M. RAWLINGS.

Mr. R. M. Rawlings has been engaged to assist in conducting the business.

E. C. POSTAL.

December 8, 1868. dec1 1w

SILKS, SILKS, AT GREAT BARGAINS

FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS!

VELVET CLOAKS. CLOTH CLOAKS.

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Cheap as the cheapest. Orders from the country promptly filled.
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IN EVERY QUALITY. ALSO,

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Especial attention of Merchants and Dealers generally is called to examine ours, the Largest and Best Assorted Stock in this city. We do not intend to be undersold by any house in this city, or by any one this side of New York.
oct8 WALKER BROS. & CO.

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I am daily receiving all the new styles of Parlor, Chamber, Dining Room, Hall and Office Furniture, which I will sell at Louisville and Cincinnati prices (adding Freight only), and offer unusual inducements to cash customers.
nov1 1m

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MURRAY & RIDGELY,

MERCHANT TAILORS,

31 Madison Street,

HAVE just received their magnificent and beautiful assortment of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS

The best and handsomest ever brought to this market. Our friends and the public will please accept our thanks for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon us. Hoping to merit a continuance of the same in the future, we invite them all to call and examine our stock.

We have engaged the services of Major J. H. RIDDICK, formerly of J. H. Waggoner & Co.'s, and he will be pleased to see and wait on his numerous friends. sep19 3m

POWHATAN ROBINSON. WILLIAM S. MOON

ROBINSON & MOON,

Civil Engineers and Surveyors,

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WORK intrusted to us attended to promptly. Will furnish information of the value and location of lands. On order, surveyors supplied with instruments and materials of the best manufacture.

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Established in 1840.

A LARGE variety of Ornamental Trees, Shrubbery, Evergreens and the finest varieties of Fruit Trees; also, a full assortment of Hot House Plants and Flowers, and everything usually found in a first class Nursery, which I offer for sale at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

The stock of land having accumulated for the last few years, it becomes necessary, on account of a want of room, to dispose of the surplus, which I will offer at greatly reduced prices, and cheaper than any Nursery north or south of this point can possibly furnish them.

They are the selections of the late Dr. Wheaton, whose long experience is the best guarantee of their being not only what they are represented to be, but as being peculiarly adapted to the Southern climate—a market for which he devoted his especial study.

In addition to the above, I have a very large stock of Magnolias, which I can offer at greatly reduced prices, and which will be carefully packed for transportation by an experienced gardener.

Catalogues, with prices and any information wanted, will be sent on application to

WADDY THOMPSON,
P. O. Box 120, Memphis, Tenn.
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J. M. GOODBAR, J. R. S. GILLILAND,

GOODBAR & GILLILAND,

Exclusive Wholesale Dealers in

BOOTS AND SHOES

HATS AND CAPS,

No. 304 Main Street, Webster Block,

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Our Fall Stock is now complete, to which we invite the attention of all Merchants.
sep8 3m

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WE are the Sole Agents for the sale of those unrivalled Gin Stands. For beauty of STAPLE, LIGHTNESS OF DRAFT, AND QUANTITY OF LINT COTTON turned out per day, they are unsurpassed. Reference can be safely made to every planter who has given them a fair trial. Where mule power is used, they make a saving of from one-quarter to one-third the draft OVER ANY OTHER GIN. We are also agents for SFRAGUE'S GRIST MILLS, and WHEELER, CLEMSON & CO.'S CIRCULAR SAWS.

McCOMBS & CO.,
nov26 1m 322½ and 324 Main Street, Memphis, Tenn.

STONEWALL FOR SALE.

OWING to the failing health of JAMES STEWART (who has been in charge of the premises as manager and partner for the last twenty-five years), STONEWALL, a farm embracing about 1250 acres of the choicest portion of the estate of the late DAVID CRAIGHEAD, situated in the bend of Island No. 34, Arkansas side, is now offered for sale.

There are on the place about 150 acres cleared, well