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FIFTH AVENUE HAT—Francisco & Wiggin. 3t

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.

50 Dozen good Men's Hats at $1, at Rice & Engel's, 238 Main street. nov28 tf

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. COCKRELL & SONS.

THE SUPREME COURT.—The Supreme Court convened at the Capitol yesterday morning. We understand that the docket is very large and that many important decisions will be rendered during the term.

THE SALE OF THE HOLME'S PLANTATION ON BIG CREEK, which takes place on Tuesday next, will doubtless attract the presence of many persons, and for the convenience of such as wish to attend from the city, Messrs. Royster, Trezevant & Co., the auctioneers, will furnish conveyance, to leave their office at 2 p.m., on Monday, returning next afternoon.

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

TENNESSEE DENTAL ASSOCIATION. At a meeting of the Nashville Medical Society Monday night, the use of their hall, corner of Church and Vine streets, was tendered the Tennessee Dental Association, which assembles there on the 16th inst.

CHILDREN'S FURS—Francisco & Wiggin. 3t

TO THE LADIES.—We have just received our sixth lot of Ladies' Cloaks this season, which for style, elegance, beauty and cheapness, surpasses any thing ever made in or brought to this market. We invite special attention to our fancy colored Chinchilla Cloaks trimmed after the latest Parisian styles. tf RICE & ENGEL, 238 Main street.

SOME BEEF.—We saw yesterday in a stable between Monroe and Union, on Second, the largest specimen of the ox kind that has ever been brought to this country, and perhaps now the largest animal of his kind in the world. Its weight is four thousand five hundred and forty (4540) pounds. It is eighteen hands high, thirteen feet in length, eleven feet four inches in girth, and three feet nine inches across the rump. It is five years of age, and was raised by Mr. J. A. Smith, in Bourbon county, Kentucky.

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

THE FRANCHISE LAW IN THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.—A fund was invested in Nashville on Tuesday to assist in testing the constitutionality of our franchise law, before the United States Supreme Court. Judge Jeremiah Black, of Pennsylvania, will probably be employed. Why should not Memphis also, in this cause which affects her moving interest in Tennessee? Who will commence the movement?

THE LATEST FASHIONS.—Our young men who desire to be up with the times and the fashions should call on McGeoy, the merchant tailor, 338 Second street, and examine his elegant assortment of cloths, cassimeres, vestings and overcoat——McGeoy's is the handsomest store 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

"PEABODY" HAT—Francisco & Wiggin. 3t

SENT HOME.—The remains of Mr. J. T. O'Brien, who was killed near Erin, on the Memphis, Clarksville and Louisville Railroad, on the 5th inst., passed through Nashville, per the Adams Express, Monday night, en route for Knoxville, where his friends reside. It is said he was knocked off the train by a bridge, while he was, as conductor of the train, admonishing others to avoid, and was thrown upon the track, where he was cut half in two by the passing of nine cars over his body. He was, for a long time, Express Agent at Vicksburg, and was well known among railroad men.

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THE WEATHER.—We do not hesitate to say it, and we say it openly and above board, without fear of contradiction, that yesterday was a cold day—in fact, a very cold day. The citizens were astonished when they got up in the morning, by seeing the surface of everything covered with a very thin mantle of snow, which, however, vanished as the day wore on. Towards night the temperature again decreased, and the wind sprang up from the north, making windows rattle and teeth chatter. At midnight the sky was very cloudy and wore the appearance of more snow.

A GREAT CONVENTION.—We learn, says the *Press and Times* of Wednesday, that the Governors of all the States drained by the Tennessee river will probably, at an early day, issue proclamations inviting the people of the different cities and towns to hold meetings and select delegates to a grand convention to be held in Chattanooga at some specified date to take action in relation to the great national work of improving the Tennessee river. There is scarcely any matter of greater interest to our whole nation than the improvement of the Tennessee river, and the holding at Chattanooga of the convention to further it is a fitting recognition of the central position of that city.

"PEABODY" HAT—Francisco & Wiggin. 3t

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

MERCHANTS' MEETING.

A Call from Gen. W. Y. C. Humes.

A call issued in the papers of yesterday evening for a meeting of the merchants, at the Chamber of Commerce, was responded to by two gentlemen, Gen. Humes, consequently, did not lay before them the matters of which he wished to consult the merchants. After waiting until half past four the General adjourned the meeting, and addressed the following call to the merchants, which we hope will bring a few of them to the Hall this evening.

MEMPHIS, December 10, 1868.

To the Merchants of Memphis:

You were requested to meet this evening at the Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of considering again the subject of the merchants' tax. Judge Lee, of the Common Law Court, during the present week, decided the case of Toof, Phillips & Co., unfavorably to the merchants; but his opinion of the law fully sustains the proposition, that the State cannot tax imports from other States or foreign States, in the hands of the importer, or sales of such imports by him in the original package. True, he afterwards comes to a conclusion directly in conflict with his opinion, and says they can tax importers as merchants; but I think this a most palpable and strange error following so able an opinion, and I am still confident that the Supreme Court will reverse his decision, and relieve the merchants of this oppressive taxation, and save to each of them thousands of dollars per annum. If the Court should decide the levying of such a tax *unconstitutional*, then the matter will be finally and permanently fixed, and no subsequent Legislature can disturb it, or repeat the oppression.

I entreat the merchants not to abate their resistance, but act as a unit. I am confident I can relieve them, and I earnestly desire them to permit me to do so. I would be glad to see them at the Chamber of Commerce at four o'clock p.m., on the 11th of December, 1868.

Very respectfully, your obedient serv't,
W. Y. C. HUMES.

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

MINK FURS—Francisco & Wiggin. 3t

MISSISSIPPI RIVER RAILROAD.

Meeting of the Board of Directors.

Important Orders—A Beginning to be Made Forthwith.

A meeting of the Directors of the Mississippi River railroad was held on Thursday, 10th instant, at the office of the company in this city. There was present a quorum, to-wit: A. S. Mitchell, President; A. T. Lacey, and Dr. A. H. Kerr, of Shelby county; Col. John T. Douglas, of Tipton county, and Dr. A. Harris, of Dyer county.

There being a vacancy in the Board, occasioned by the death of Col. W. D. Ferguson, the Board proceeded to fill the same by the election of Maj. S. W. Cochran, of Obion county, who was present and took his seat as a Director.

After full explanations by the President, and by Maj Cochran, of the surveys and stock subscriptions recently made under their direction in Obion county, the following orders were entered.

Ordered, That the President and Chief Engineer be instructed to put under contract forthwith the work of preparing the road bed of the Mississippi River railroad between Paducah Junction and the town of Troy, and that a call of twenty-five (25) per cent on the stock subscriptions in Obion be made to meet the cost of the work.

Ordered, That a Committee of five, consisting of the President and Vice-President, and Messrs. A. H. Kerr, A. Harris and J. T. Douglas, be instructed to wait upon the County Commissioners of Shelby County, and urge upon them a subscription to the stock of the Mississippi River Railroad; and also that the same committee be constituted, with the co-operation of such citizens of Memphis as they may be able to obtain, to solicit from the City Council a subscription of $300,000, so that the construction of the road may be commenced forthwith at Memphis, and conducted energetically from each end of the road.

The following resolution was submitted by the President and unanimously adopted by the Board:

Resolved, That the Mississippi River Railroad Company, while intending to prosecute the construction of their road with all energy, relying on the aid of the city of Memphis and the county of Shelby, and the liberal support of the people along the line, will gladly welcome foreign capital to their support, and they hereby distinctly invite the co-operation of any and all capitalists who are willing to *put in their money* and help build this, the most important and valuable line of railroad in the Southwest.

The Board then adjourned.

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THE NATIONAL BOARD OF TRADE.

Report from Memphis Delegates.

MEMPHIS, December 10, 1868.

T. A. Nelson, Esq., President Chamber of Commerce, Memphis:

Sir: On returning to Memphis, this morning, we beg leave to say that we found the large Convention of the National Board of Trade at Cincinnati, to which we were lately accredited as delegates from Memphis, as intelligent and practical a body of men as we have met in years. From Portland to Milwaukee, and from Charleston to New Orleans, we found all actuated by an apparently earnest wish to suggest such measures to Congress as would enlarge the area of kindness, confidence and prosperity throughout the Union. The Southern delegates were listened to with that marked attention evincing a desire on the part of Northern delegates to learn what the South most needed, to restore confidence and prosperity; and, for ourselves, we will say that we think Memphis interests were considered with much liberality. Among the measures which the Convention recommended to Congress, almost unanimously, was aid to the Southern Pacific Railroad, from Fort Smith, Ark., to San Diego, Cal; also, aid to a line from Shreveport, up Red river, and from Kansas southward to that main trunk. Individually, we would have preferred aid also to another route further South, but, as we did not go to the Convention to reject anything because it might not suit us in all respects, we acted with the body in recommending the line on parallel thirty five. It is for Memphis and Arkansas now to attend to that matter in Congress. We also got the Convention's recommendation that Congress should endorse the bonds of Mississippi, Arkansas and Louisiana, to the amount of $10,000,000, for leveeing the banks of the Mississippi in those States. The development of the wonderful resources of the fertile valley below us, will depend upon Congress granting this aid. We also obtained the endorsement of Memphis being made a port of entry, like New York and New Orleans.

The kindly interchange of opinions, among the members of the Convention, will be a powerful lever for that *just* and *liberal* "reconstruction" which we of the South so much desire and need; and we cannot close this communication without urging our principal Southern cities at once to organize "Chambers of Commerce," so that they may hereafter be hear in the Conventions of the National Chamber. Respectfully,

R. TOPP,
J. F. TREZEVANT.

SIX ARRESTS at the Adams Street Station last night. The notorious Annie Gallagher was arrested twice for disorderly conduct yesterday. The second time she was locked up.

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

INTERESTING MASONIC SERVICES.

Consecration, Dedication and Constitution of Albert Pike Lodge F.·. A.·. M.·.

Albert Pike Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons, was yesterday constituted in due form by Deputy Grand Master A. J. Wheeler, assisted by Bro. George Mellersh, Deputy Senior Grand Warden, and Bro. B. M. Levy, Deputy Junior Grand Warden, at White's Station, on the Memphis and Charleston Railroad. The brethren constituting the Lodge have been working for some time past under a dispensation granted them for that purpose, and have only very recently received their charter. The Deputy Grand Master, after examining their records and finding them correct, gave the Lodge the Warrant granted them by the Grand Lodge. The officers elect were then installed, and the Lodge dedicated, and constituted in due form. The following are the officers, viz: G. O. Buntyn, W. M., R. M. Mason, S. W., Andrew Moore, Jr. W., J. T. Willis, Treasurer; R. B. Haynes, Secretary; J. McBrook, S. D.; A. J. Brooks, J. D.; J. G. Harvey, Tiler.

After the customary services the brethren and their guests adjourned to a bountiful dinner and refreshments of solid and fluid description. The Albert Pike Lodge is now a duly constituted Lodge. Henceforth they will meet as a regular body, constituted in conformity with the rites of the Order and the charges of the ancient and honorable fraternity. May the Supreme Architect of the universe prosper, direct and counsel them in all their doings.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Condensed Report of the Proceedings of Tuesday.

NASHVILLE, December 8, 1868.

Senate.

The Senate met at ten a.m., Speaker Senter in the Chair, and eighteen members present. Prayer by Senator Wyatt.

NEW BUSINESS.

Mr. Garner introduced a preamble and resolutions pledging all the power of the State, and the last dollar the State can raise, toward the suppression of the Ku-Klux, and providing for the facts set forth being laid before Congress and the Governor of the State. Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Henderson: An act to amend an act passed September 10, 1868, to enforce the laws of the State. Passed first reading.

By Mr. Fason: Bill appropriating $10,000 for the benefit of the Hospital for the Insane.

By Mr. Elliott: Resolution instructing the committee to whom was referred Senate bill No. 235, to investigate the manner in which bonds have been issued to railroads, and whether or not the companies who have drawn the bonds have complied with the laws of the State in regard to that matter. Laid over.

RESOLUTIONS LYING OVER.

In regard to the penitentiary. Adopted.

In relation to the question of franchise. Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING.

To incorporate a Board of Education at Memphis, to have full charge of the city schools. Passed and referred to Committee on Education.

To compensate Judges of the Supreme Court by increasing their salaries to $4000 per annum. Passed and referred to Committee on Finance.

Adjourned until to-morrow at ten a.m.

House.

The House was called to order at 10 a.m., Speaker Richards in the Chair, and sixty-three members present. A memorial was read from H. R. Helper, urging in the name of the Western North Carolina Railroad Company, the speedy completion of the Cincinnati, Cumberland Gap and Charleston Railroad; also a letter from W. D. Rankin, of Asheville, North Carolina, on the same subject. Ordered transmitted to the Senate.

NEW BUSINESS.

By Mr. Brewer—Bill to abolish the Chancery Courts of the State, and transfer their business to the Circuit Courts. Passed first reading and referred to Judiciary Committee.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS OF YESTERDAY.

To incorporate Westwood Cemetery at Memphis. Rejected on second reading—ayes 20, noes 39.

STATE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

Mr. Doughty called up the bill for the establishment of an Agricultural College, on second reading.

Pending the discussion, the House adjourned to 2 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The consideration of the Agricultural College bill was resumed, the discussion being on the motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Doughty moved to lay the motion to recommit on the table. Carried by 35 to 31.

The Committee on Education, to whom the original bill and the bill in lieu had been referred, recommended the adoption of the latter, said bill in lieu providing for the proposed College being located at Knoxville.

A lively discussion then ensued, participated in by Messrs. Doughty, Williams, Roach, Jordan, and the inevitable Mynatt. The East Tennessee speakers contended for Knoxville, on the ground of the peculiar loyalty of that section.

On motion the report of the committee was concurred in, and then before the bill was taken up on its third reading it was referred to the Committee on Common Schools.

Adjourned until 10 o'clock to-morrow.

THEATER.—The intensely disagreeable cold weather prevented anything like a full house assembling at the New Memphis last night to witness the spectacular play *The Burlesque Cinderilla*. As to the plot of the play, it is known to all, but the acting demands more than a passing notice at our hands. Mrs. Cline, who took the part of "Prince Poppetti" was charming, as she is in all things. She is, however, rather too *petite* to "fill the bill" to perfection. The "star of the evening," truly, was Mrs. Nellie Taylor. Her acting, make up, voice, in fact the *tout ensemble*, as "Clorinda," was exquisite. We do not believe that in the role she could be excelled; though Miss Plunket, in the counterpart, "Thisbe," was also admirable. The scene between these two loving sisters, where they "go for" each other, is one of the richest things that we have ever witnessed of the sort. Mrs. Nellie Taylor especially carrying out the combat to the life. Miss Carman, as "Cinderilla," has the same fault that Mrs. Cline has, only in another way—her legs is not suited to the part. The one is as much too large for the role as the other is too small; though, perhaps, as the whole thing is a burlesque, this very unfitness of the parts is their fitness. Mr. Lanagan as "Baron Balderdash," was most capital, as was Mr. Malmburg as the valet, and Mr. White as "Alsdora." The dancing was, as ever, ravishingly graceful and beautiful—many new charms having been added to it in the last few nights. We are sorry to note the continued illness of M'lle Sanda, and hope she may soon recover. M'lles Diana and Laura took the house by storm as usual. *Cinderilla* is to be repeated to-night with new attractions.

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 cheerfully recommend them. All first-class Druggists keep them for sale.

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THE COURTS.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT AND CIRCUIT COURTS—*Hon. Connally F. Trigg, presiding.*—The criminal docket will be taken up peremptorily this morning.

The case of Garvin, Bell & Co vs Rice, was dismissed at defendant's cost.

In the case of Pope, Levy & Co, vs Henry Wyle et al, dismissed as to H. Wyle, judgment by default rendered against Wm. Wyle et al; also judgment rendered in case No. 591.

In case No. 589 a writ of inquiry was taken, returnable at this term of the court; same in case No. 590.

In the case of Ragland & Bro., bankrupts, an order of compromise was granted to the assignee.

The case of Southern vs Arnold having been set by agreement for to-day, was then taken up. It appears from the evidence that Southern went to Arnold's in the summer of 1862, and made a contract to take Arnold's cotton in the fall; that the contract was made in secresy, because Southern offered him more than at that time was the market rates; that afterward Arnold sold the same cotton to other parties for a larger consideration than was offered him by Southern; that in this he violated the contract, and for this act suit is brought by plaintiff, laying damages at $8000. After the evidence was closed, pending the argument of counsel, the court adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning.

BANKRUPTCY COURT.—*T. J. Latham, Register.*—Bankrupt discharged December 10, 1868—Theophilus W. Allen.

LAW COURT—*H. S Lee, Judge.*—Only three or four cases were disposed of yesterday. The following cases are set for to-day:

1444 Whitmore et al vs Woodward.
1445 Elliot et al vs Watt et al.
1446 Marple, use vs Downs et al.
1448 Dean et al vs Vaughn et al.
1449 Neil vs Wilde.
1450 Park vs City of Memphis.
1451 Besthoff vs Able.
1452 McBain vs Hubbard.
1454 Tarpenik vs Brinkley.
1217 Lake vs Foley.
1275 Cash vs Deloach, adm'r.
1305 Ames et al vs Cogswell et al.
1323 Wildeberger vs Brown.
1261 Memphis and Charleston Railroad Co vs Mumford, et al.
1456 Jackson vs Cannovan, ex'r.
1457 Montroy vs Robinson, Trustee et al.
1458 Caldwell vs Mahan.
1459 Arnold vs Trigg.
1460 Cullum, adm'r vs Stewart & Bro.
1461 Mack Bros & Bohm vs Hicks & Co.
1462 Swayne, adm'r vs Rice.
1463 Bernard vs Walker.
1464 Union Bank vs May.
1465 Hopkins vs Woodward.
1466 Patton vs Whitney, sen. part.
1467 Moore vs Edgington, et al.
1468 Doyle vs Anderson et al.
1469 Hill vs Baker.
1470 Swan vs Christian & Baugh.
1302 Morrison vs Smith.
1329 Harris vs Mellin.

CHANCERY COURT.—*Wm. M. Smith, Chancellor.*—The argument in the Nicholson Paving cases was not concluded yesterday. To-day being motion day, the argument will not be resumed until Saturday morning. The roll of attorneys will be called, commencing at letter A. The Clerk and Master will take account to-day in the case of Pleasants vs. Kortrecht et al.

CRIMINAL COURT.—*J. E. Bigelow, Judge, etc.*—The Jury in the case of the State vs. James Brown, indicted for murder, had not agreed upon a verdict up to a late hour yesterday morning. To-day the Court will take up the case of the State vs. Spillman, charged with cotton stealing.

PERSONAL.

Manager Steinkuhl, we are glad to learn, is doing very well, and is rapidly recovering. We hope soon to see him around again, as lively as ever.

We had the pleasure of shaking the hand of our friend A. S. Cummings, Esq., who returned home yesterday to spend the Christmas holidays with his family. Mr. Cummings has been all the fall and winter in Galveston, Texas, whither he proposes to return after New Year's.

George S. Plummer, Esq., formerly a well known merchant of our city, but now of the house of Chamberlain & Co., of St. Louis, is in town.

We had the pleasure of meeting last evening Maj. Woodruff, of the Little Rock (Ark.) *Gazette*. The Major is in town on business, and will remain several days.

[Advertisement.]

WHAT RAILROADS DO FOR MEMPHIS. There is a palpable fact incident to the discussion of the Paducah railroad question. Even the possibility of its construction and the discussion of the geographical and commercial advantages of Memphis have given an impetus to the growth of values, and added perceptibly to real estate prices. This fact induces every citizen to say that the road must be built on the shortest possible line, in the shortest possible period, and with foreign capital, which we would have expended among our farmers, laborers and mechanics. A million dollars of Eastern wealth expended here and along the line of the Paducah road during the next two years, would stimulate trade and business activity to a wonderful extent. There is no doubt now that the road will be built; that the Little Rock road will be finished at once, and that it will be extended to the Pacific. Memphis must, therefore, become a great city, and those who invest in property centrally located, like that sold to-day at 12 m., by Monsarrat, Lanier & Co., at the corner of Court and Fourth streets, in the very heart of the city, will realize vast profits. Don't forget the hour or fail to attend.

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