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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.—We are authorized to announce JAMES HALL, Esq., as a candidate for County Commissioner at the ensuing election. feb23

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

WE are authorized and requested to announce GEORGE C. HOLMES as a candidate for County Commissioner at the ensuing March election. feb 16

WANTS.

WANTED—A situation as Private Watchman by one just out of the business. Good references given. Address at this office. Citizen. feb25

WANTED—Everybody to know that the Patent Pine Drive Well is no humbug. Rights for sale at Monsarrat & Lanier's, 376 Second street. Specimen well to be seen on Alabama st., opposite J. C. Griffin's. feb25

WANTED—AGENTS—$75 to $200 per month, everywhere, male and female, to introduce the GENUINE IMPROVED COMMON SENSE FAMILY SEWING MACHINE. This Machine will stitch, hem, fell, tuck, quilt, cord, bind, braid and embroider in a most superior manner. Price only $15. Fully warranted for five years. We will pay $1000 for any machine that will sew a stronger, more beautiful, or more elastic seam than ours. It makes the "Lock Stitch," every second stitch can be cut, and still the cloth cannot be pulled apart without tearing it. We pay Agents from $75 to $200 per month and expenses, or a commission from which twice that amount can be made. Address, SECOMB & CO., PITTSBURGH, PA.; BOSTON, MASS., or ST. LOUIS, MO.

CAUTION.—Do not be imposed upon by other parties selling off worthless cast-iron machines, under the same name or otherwise. Ours is the only genuine and really practical cheap machine manufactured.

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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A house, three rooms and kitchen. Apply to M. C. Kennedy, 47 Mosby street. feb23

FOR RENT.—A Front room in the house, No. 14 Jefferson street, suitable for cotton broker, lawyer or doctor. It adjoins the editorial room of the Appeal. Inquire of JOHN AINSLIE, at the Appeal office. jal8

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—Ear Corn, cheap. Plows, Farming Tools, Wagon and Harness, etc.
W. A. WHEATLY, 5 Bethell Block,
feb26 Agent for P. C. Bethell.

MEMPHIS APPEAL

Office—No. 13 Jefferson Street.

CITY MATTERS.

COVERLIDS.—A new supply just received at B. Lowenstein & Bros. †

If you want good old Megibben whisky, go to Megibben & Bro., 281 Main st. †

ORDINATION.—The ordination of H. M. Akin will take place at the Chelsea Baptist Church this evening, at 7½ o'clock. The public are invited.

Buckeye Salve.—The great remedy for the cure of Piles, just received and for sale by W. N. Wilkerson & Co., Druggists, 310 Main Street.

WATCHES, DIAMONDS, ETC., AT AUCTION.—W. H. Passmore, of the firm of W. H. Passmore & Co., having returned to the city will this morning offer to the citizens one of the most elegant assortments of Watches ever brought to this market. These goods are all guaranteed as represented by the Auctioneer. The sale will commence at ten o'clock, and we advise parties desirous of making purchases to call and examine the stock prior to the sale.

HOWARD ASSOCIATION.—There will be a meeting of the above Association at the Circuit Courtroom, in Waldran Block, on Saturday, 27th inst., at 7½ o'clock. All members are expected to be present, as the charter will be read and arrangements made to organize under the charter.
JOHN PARK, President.
J. P. GALLAGHER, Rec. Secretary. †

LECTURE.—By reference to the correspondence, and advertisement in another column, it will be seen that Mr. John Everitt has consented to deliver a lecture for the benefit of the St. Lazarus Church fund, on next Tuesday evening. The subject—"The Philosophy of Little Things"—is a very suggestive one, and we have no doubt Mr. Everitt will handle it ably. Every one should help in the laudable enterprise.

WE desire to suggest the name of Judge Swayne as a proper person to nominate for County Commissioner—a person that all can vote for with certainty that the interest of the county will be cared for. A TAX-PAYER.

THE sale of hardware yesterday at Royster, Trezevant & Co.'s auction room resulted in immense bargains to the fortunate buyers, and will be continued today, with the best portion of the stock. Merchants will gain by being present. The sale is positive and unreserved on every article.

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EUROPEAN EXCHANGE.—Quite a number of our readers have occasion to remit money to their friends in Europe, and to do so safely, and with certainty, is quite an important consideration. The German National Bank of our city has arrangements made so as to draw *direct* on all the principal cities of England, Ireland and Scotland, as well as on the principal cities of the European continent. Those wishing to remit money to Europe, could not do so more safely or expeditiously than by buying exchange from the German National Bank. †

BUCKEYE SALVE.—The great remedy for Piles, just received and for sale by MANSFIELD & HIGBEE, Wholesale Druggists, 301 & 303 Main St.

BUCKEYE SALVE.—A fresh supply of the justly celebrated article for the cure of Piles, received and for sale by G. W. JONES & CO., Wholesale Druggists, 257 Main street.

GARDEN and Flower Seed just received at Goodyear & Fall's Drug Store, 281 Main street. †

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THE OVERTON HOTEL.—A report has been circulated in Memphis and on the various trains coming into the city for sometime past, that the Overton Hotel was about to be closed, or to be sold for use as a courthouse. The rumor was doubtless started by interested parties, with the view of injuring the business of the hotel, but we are glad to learn that there is no foundation for the report, and that this elegant hotel will be kept in the future as it has been in the past, in first-class style, as the proprietors have special price of sustaining its reputation as *the* hotel of Memphis. †

[Communicated.]

The citizens of Memphis and Shelby county, regardless of party, are requested, in protection of their own manhood and self-respect, to meet to-morrow evening, at three o'clock, at the Chamber of Commerce, for the purpose of nominating a proper person for County Commissioner. It is hoped that every man that feels an interest in Shelby county will be present.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL—Corner of Jefferson and Front streets.—The Messrs. Allen continue to gain in popularity, and are doing a good business with the Old Commercial, at the very low rate of $2 50 per day. All they ask is a trial. The table is as good as the market affords, and their servants polite and attentive. Comfortable rooms. When you visit the city try it.

THE DAILY APPEAL is delivered by faithful carriers, Seven times a week for twenty-five cents.

ARKANSAS.

MORE DEVILTRY.

Seizure of the Tug Nettie Jones.

The Arkansas tyrant, Clayton, continues to play his hand heavily. We learn by dispatches from Devall's Bluff, yesterday, that he caused the tug Nettie Jones, lying at that point, to be "tied up" yesterday morning, and all the officers and crew to be placed under arrest. Capt. John Ford, we understand, made his escape, but the balance are held in close confinement. In order to prevent any chance of the tug being moved the cylinder heads have been removed. The Nettie Jones is the vessel, it will be remembered, that, some months ago, was seized by a band of disguised men and used to follow the Hesper, laden with the arms which were destroyed. She is owned in this city by Brown & Jones. We await further developments with interest, as there are some curious points of law involved in this seizure—points that never rose before in this country, and perhaps never will rise again.

Taxation and Wasteful Expenditures.

Editors Memphis Appeal:

A movement has been recently set on foot having for its object the reduction of taxes, the retrenchment of expenditures and the prevention of abuses. Being but a very small taxpayer in comparison with many, and yet unable to live and pay the taxes which are demanded of me, I hardly know whether I am at liberty to join an organization into which taxpayers alone are admitted. But I have a common interest with the public, and with all men of small means, in what so nearly concerns the interests of every citizen of Shelby county, whether rich or poor. And having the leisure to do so, and knowing that "what is everybody's business is nobody's business," I infer that this is my business, and that I have as much the right to speak on this subject as any one else. If there are any two sides to be seen, it is undeniable that citizens, voters, taxpayers and the whole people should hear both sides. I protest that the rich should not grind the faces of the poor, that the poor should not delight in calamity to the rich, and that no man has any exclusive right to fatten on tithes wrung from honest labor, or from capital—which is but the reward of industry, to the possession of which the rich and the poor alike aspire. An honest penny is the only one any man can honestly turn. And my memory is not so short as to have forgotten the day when not one among us dared to look honest men in their faces, without at least feeling able at the same time to stand without blushing, in the full consciousness of ability to vindicate at will, before all men, their individual and personal integrity in the execution of any public trust confided to them. If this is not so now, the times are sadly out of joint, and we have the evidence of a demoralization which approaches the bounds of a public degradation, involving the disgrace and personal responsibility of every citizen. With your permission I may, in future, give you some details, which will show that the citizens' organization to resist wasteful and corrupt expenditures of the public monies is not established without the most cogent reasons, and that it is compelled by a stringent necessity.

It is a first duty of the citizen to support his government. And it is equally the first duty of the Government to make and execute laws so that all honest men can make an honest living, and so that rich and poor alike may be able to prosper in the receipt of the rewards of their capital and labor. Without this, capital will fly from the country. No country can prosper in which the taxes equal the ordinary earnings of labor and capital, and leave the citizen no surplus. You may tell much and truly of the wonderful resources and fertility of your heaven-favored and sunny Southern land; you may boast as you will how its vast plains yield returns to the husbandman; how the sea reaches out its many arms, seeking the staples and the harvest, and how mechanics, farmers and manufacturers may be enriched in your section, and invite immigration with all the glowing language of eulogy and eloquence, but you will have few immigrants. Emigration will be in excess of immigration, and these Southern States, which are big and fertile enough to furnish the staples, and at the same time be a garden sufficient for the whole world, will lie fallow, and be drained of population and impoverished. Thus it is that over exactions of tyrants have, in times past, killed the goose which laid their golden eggs, and compelled them to subsequent economy and lenity. How soon we are to reach such a consummation remains to be seen. Certainly, pending the trial of this issue, we are not reasonably to expect capitalists to invest their means in this section. When Shelby county pays an amount of taxes as great as the amount formerly found sufficient for the support of the whole State Government, can any sane man expect capital will come in? Stop the waste, the stealage and the extravagance altogether, and the taxes may be reduced three-fourths. Reduce them one-half, and give suitable security to property interests, and this city and county and State will leap to greatness at a bound. Half the amount of taxation will yield more than the whole does now. Capital will come in, with money to buy labor, and labor will go, like commodities, only to the market which has the means to buy it. Mechanics and laborers fly, as from a pestilence, from a country which is so ill-governed or impoverished by taxation that monied men seek other localities for manufactures and agriculture. When the rich men are driven off, the poor will go with them, and then your city and country will go to the devil with swift and railroad speed. We have been traveling that way some time. Two mechanics, two laborers, and two capitalists have left us during the last year, for every one of either that has come in. Every poor man now sees that he is damaged by all oppression of the rich; and every rich man sees that he is damaged by the causes which have rendered it unprofitable, or perhaps impossible, to give employment to labor. Property is now only worth half the price of two years ago. And yet, because of enormous taxation, men will not invest at the reduced rate! They are not quite sure that we have reached the bottom of the hill. Surely, if in the common interest, anything can be done by the citizens' organization, every man should bid it good speed. There is no great deal to be gained by getting lower down. And since the work of ruin may be stayed by the measures proposed by the "Citizens' Union," the shoulder of every man should be at the wheel, who cares a copper for himself or family, or the interests of his fellow citizens. We doubt whether a beggar would not find it worth fifty dollars a year to him if we had a good government and economy, so that all might prosper together. If the laboring men will manage to put down the waste which is going on, and stop the official thieving, it will put a hundred dollars in every one of their pockets, and make many of them prosper again. Building, manufactures and agriculture will thrive. The rich may be able to take care of themselves. But the poor will do well to stop the abuses of this tax-cursed country, or they will soon find themselves even more straitened for means than they are. More anon. F. A. TYLER.

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CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE.

The dockets were again devoid of an item of interest yesterday. There were but seven arrests in the lower, and ten in the upper districts, all for trivial offenses.

Ben Lewis and John Henry, two confidence darkies, beat an old darky out of seventy-five dollars yesterday, and were arrested therefor.

Another John Henry was caught with his hand in another darky's pocket, and goobled. He was sent up for sixty days.

VALUABLE DISCOVERY.

Another Development of Vast Mineral Wealth.

Some weeks ago Col. M. J. Wicks, President of the Memphis and Charleston Railroad Company, keenly alive to all the interests of his road, sent to Dr. Theodore Hoerner of this city for analysis several specimens of a reddish substance, found in lumps and mass, in vast quantities along the line of the road. This substance gives off freely to the touch a beautiful deep red pigment, and it occurred to Col. Wicks that it could be utilized as a mineral paint.

Dr. Hoerner immediately instituted a series of experiments with this end in view chiefly, and the result was the development of the fact that the substance was an argillaceous iron ore, most valuable not only for that purpose, but for several others.

An analysis of one hundred parts of this ore, dried at a temperature of 100° *Celsius*, show that it consists of

Oxide of Iron	62.50
Silica	18.36
Alumina	18.40
Traces of Magnesia, Lime, etc., and loss	.25
Total	100.00

Dr. Hoerner, in his able report to Col. Wick's says:

There are several ways in which this ore may be utilized. The percentage of oxide of iron (62.5) is equivalent in the present combination, to 43.75 of iron. The ore could, therefore, be worked to advantage for its percentage of metal, as are many in Europe not so rich. Tennessee, however, contains so many rich deposits that this would hardly pay.

If a *polishing powder*, in large quantities, were merchantable, this ore, simply reduced to a powder, could be used in that way, for it is equal in this respect to the artificial oxide of iron, called *caput mortuum*, or *jeweler's rouge*. It could, however, be used only in very limited quantities in this form.

But the great use to which the mineral could be turned is as a *pigment*. By simply roasting the crude ore, the minute shining *spiculae* of ore are all reduced to the same color, and the lumps and masses become extremely friable, requiring very little force to crush them to an impalpable powder of a dull red color. The oxide of iron and silica give it a splendid body for covering, and by the admixture of whiting or clay, it can be reduced to any shade of brown or red.

There is no telling the value of this discovery, and we hope that Col. Wicks, who has so far shown himself a man of enterprise and advanced views, will lose no time in putting it to service. Dr. Hoerner, who made the examination and analysis, is a finished chemist, and we understand has several other specimens of oxis, minerals, etc., under examination, and is thus actively engaged in developing the mineral resources of Tennessee. Such a man is a valuable acquisition to any community.

LECTURE.

Mr. Everitt Consents to Give a Lecture for St. Lazarus Church Fund.

CORRESPONDENCE.

MEMPHIS, February 22, 1869.

John Everitt, Esq.:

Dear Sir: The ladies of St. Lazarus Parish are asking contributions towards the building of a church that shall be an ornament to the city. Confiding in your ready sympathy with every such good work, and believing that a public lecture, by one so popular as yourself in this community, on any subject your admirable tact and judgment may select, would be attractive to the public and promotive of our enterprise, we would respectfully solicit that favor of you.

If you can conveniently comply with our request, dear sir, be pleased to say at what time you can do so, and we shall make the necessary arrangements.

Very Respectfully,
Mrs. H. B. Cole, Mrs. W. F. Boyle,
Mrs. W. S. Pickett, Mrs. D. S. McCree,
Mrs. Jno. Apperson, Mrs. Ralph Wormley,
Mrs. Walter Goodman, Mrs. W. C. Thomeson,
Committee.

[REPLY.]

MEMPHIS, TENN., February 23, 1869.

To the Ladies of St. Lazarus Parish: Mesdames Bayless, Pickett, Goodman and others:

Ladies: In reply to your note of yesterday's date, desiring me to give an address in aid of your church-building fund, it gives me much pleasure most cheerfully to acquiesce. It gives me real satisfaction at all times, and any way in my power, to lend a helping hand to every denomination of devout persons seeking permanently to establish Christian institutions, believing they are the most powerful auxiliaries and the most impregnable bulwarks of national progress and prosperity. As you desire me to suggest a topic, I propose to speak on the following: "The Philosphy of Little Things." A subject, as you will readily see, addresses itself to the youth of nations and cities, and every kind of organization, especially to the personal and individual growth of character of the young of both sexes. The latter in particular I should be much interested in speaking to on so momentous a subject.

Any day next week will suit my convenience, and I leave it for your appointment. With every sentiment of the highest esteem and respect, I am, ladies, your obedient and faithful servant,
JOHN EVERITT.

STRANGE COINCIDENCE.

Assassination of Fenelon Ragland.

Alabama papers contain the account of the assassination of Fenelon Ragland, Esq., which occurred a few days since, at or near Somerville, Ala. The deceased was well known to a great many persons in Memphis, and was very much esteemed. He served under Gen. Hindman, in Arkansas, and his murder, like that of his chief, was a most cruel mode of taking off. He was sitting at home, surrounded by his family, at the fireside, and the assassin fired through a window, killing him instantly. The deceased was a young lawyer, a scholar, soldier and gentleman.

COVERLIDS.—A supply of coverlids just received at B. Lowenstein & Bros. †

AMUSEMENTS.

THE NEW MEMPHIS THEATER.—Mayo's *Cadet la Perle* last night was a gem. This is one of his best characters, and one in which he appears to much advantage. The house was well filled, and interspersed with some of the most beautiful brides and belles of the city. The characters were generally well sustained, and the audience delighted. Mayo is certainly an author of no common merit. His chief fault is in giving too often and too much the sepulchral and monotonous tone. His reading is in the main distinct, emphatic and excellent, though sometimes a little too protracted and deliberate in its pauses. All in all, however, he falls not very far behind Forrest or Booth. The play to-night is *Blow for Blow*.

THE CONCERT TO-NIGHT.—A splendid programme is announced for the concert at the Greenlaw Opera House to-night, and all who contemplate attending can anticipate a rich musical treat. The names on the programme comprise the best talent of our city, and the selections reflect credit on Prof. Sabatsky. The programme is published in full in our advertising columns. The power of the new organ for St. Patrick's Church will be fully displayed at the concert. We anticipate a full house.

GAIETY.—Miss Hindle continues to be a great and drawing card at the Gaiety, and manager Ettley has every night a full house to hear her songs, and to see *Can-Can* as it is. Miss Lilie Beckett, Madlle Henriette, and other ladies, also hold their own and are great favorites.

THE VARIETIES.—This old "stand by" was never better patronized or better managed than at present, and the house is filled every night by crowds of pleasure and fun hunters who never leave disappointed.

TELEGRAPHY.

The Southern Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph Company—Meeting Yesterday.

A meeting of the stockholders and local directors of the Southern Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph Company was held yesterday at the First National Bank. About thirty-five persons were present, and Geo. H. Thurston, Esq., explained to them the workings and operations of the line, in a few brief remarks, and announced that a dividend of 2½ per cent. for the last quarter (at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum) had been declared, and that he was ready to pay it. The eagerness with which this last announcement was received by some of our public spirited citizens, and the readiness with which they stepped forward to receive their share of the installment was truly refreshing.

After this interesting ceremony was over Mr. Thurston made a few further remarks, showing the advantages that would be derived by extending the lines, stating that Louisville and Cincinnati had taken additional stock for this purpose, and expressing the hope that Memphis would awaken to the necessity of doing the same.

Mr. Thurston will remain in the city a few days longer, and we hope that our citizens will give the matter placed before them for their consideration the attention that it deserves.

County Commissioner.

Editors Memphis Appeal:

In answer to a call upon me in your issue of the 23d inst. to become a candidate for County Commissioner at the ensuing election, and signed "Many Taxpayers," allow me to reply through your columns to "Many Taxpayers." My name is at your command, and if elected I will serve you to the best of my ability. I will promise you nothing but what I will endeavor to perform. "To retrench" will be my motto from the first day of my election. And not being bitterly opposed to the county of Shelby, having lived in said county for the last twenty years, and her interests being my interests, she being in form as it were, the golden goose, and which it appears, by the way, that the scrip that she has issued has fluctuated up and down, ranging from thirty-five to seventy-five cents, and sometimes ninety-five cents, and at par—but not since the poor magistrates were turned away from it by an act of the Legislature at Nashville; and it now must appear to any taxpayer that there is or has been a terrible plucking of that goose, the County Treasury, and that it is well nigh plucked out, and nothing left but the body with all the golden feathers gone. Gone where? Into the hands of the money mongers, bankers and stock jobbers; and they almost think that Shelby county and the city of Memphis are inexhaustible like the United States Treasury at Washington, on the issuing of bonds and scrips, etc., and working upon the suggestion of a good and a wise alderman from the Eighth Ward, when he stated in the Council Chamber, "Beware, gentlemen; I never knew a man that was too fond of sending his notes to market that did not go to grass himself." If elected I propose to put a stop to all this issuing of bonds and scrip, and making all the taxpayers pay in Treasury notes of the United States or gold and silver, and paying off the indebtedness of the county in the same kind of money. Not jurors, with a county warrant, dollar for dollar, worth only from thirty-five to seventy-five cents, after shaving it close, and said warrant paid back to the county by some sharper, dollar for dollar; and, when all this is done, there will be no bringing men from New York upon charges of forging county warrants or coupons. I promise you this, and any one that knows Esquire Hall, for the last twenty years, knows that what he promises he will endeavor to have accomplished. JAMES HALL, Esq.

THE COURTS.

CHANCERY COURT—*Wm. M. Smith, Chancellor.*—The cases set specially for to-day are as follows:

715 Hill vs Ball.
716 Overton vs Glover.
717 Miller vs Caldwell.
720 Ketchum vs Dew.
723 Jones vs Sharpe.
724 Bolton vs Kerr.
725 Patton vs Wells.
726 Brooks vs Bettis.
728 Terry vs Leonard.
729 Milton vs Robertson.
730 Owen vs Nooe.
731 Mount vs Hemstock.
732 Rice vs Chambers.
733 Bartlett vs Ruleman.
735 Bates vs Cohn.
736 Waggoner vs Winters.
738 Boro vs Hartley.
740 Friedenwald vs Mullen.
741 Apperson vs Lundy.
742 Sims vs Simpson.
743 Hodges vs Bank of Memphis.
744 Seny vs Street.
745 Byrne vs Finn.
746 McKenney vs Beehn.
747 Wicks vs Leftwich.
748 Coston vs Street.
749 Boyd vs Same.
750 Cone vs Ford.
752 Knapp vs Southern Ex. Co.
753 Isaacs vs Stillman.
754 Dickenson vs Beer.
755 Mills vs Farris.
756 Block vs Cohn.
757 Swayne, ex-parte.
758 McBride vs Grant.
759 Norris vs Lamb.
760 Noxon vs Haughwout.
761 Chambers vs Crenshaw.
762 Hill vs Dimmick.
763 Hiedelbach vs Mullan.
764 Terry vs Jones.
765 Norris vs Witt.
766 Cash vs Curlin.
767 Hallum vs Starks.
768 Brinkley vs Hopkins.
769 Blackwell vs Bartlett.
770 Laird vs Beard.
771 Williams vs Monsarrat.
772 Riddle vs Werner.
773 Rhodes vs Meyers.

LAW COURT—*H. S. Lee, Judge.*—The case of Johnson vs. Wicks et al., now before this Court, made very little progress yesterday. The evidence for the plaintiff was concluded late yesterday evening, and that of the defendants began. There are a good many witnesses for the defense, and it is likely that the whole of to-day will be occupied in examining the same. The above case will consume the remainder of the week. All Jurors, except those empanneled in this case, were discharged until Monday next.

CIRCUIT COURT—*George W. Reeves, Judge.*—The argument in the motion of State vs. Philip Garvin and his securities, George W. Cheek, John Donovan and Jesse Page, Jr., was closed last evening about six o'clock. Owing to the lateness of the hour, the Jury were discharged until nine o'clock this morning, when the above matter will be submitted to their consideration. To-day the Attorney-General, in behalf of the State, will move the Court against Garvin and his securities, upon the county bond, to recover monies collected by said Garvin, as Tax Collector for Shelby county in 1867, and which he has failed to pay over. This motion will engage the Court the entire day.

MUNICIPAL COURT—*Geo. W. Waldran, Judge.*—Yesterday's calendar being composed of cases based upon judgments found against the defendants, as deputized Constables, for the unlawful service of criminal process, was disposed of by submitting said cases to the Court, which imposed a fine of one dollar upon each defendant.

Only two cases are set for trial to-day, which are as follows:

2208. State vs McAuliff, extortion.
2230. State vs Pepper, assault and battery.

CRIMINAL COURT.—*Wm. Hunter, Judge.*—The case of State vs. Coyne, charged with the murder of James Ford, engrossed the attention of this Court yesterday. The evidence for the State has not yet been concluded. Messrs. Gantt & Thorne appeared for the State, Bullock and Anderson for the defense. This case will likely engage the Court for a day or two.

BANKRUPTCY COURT.—*T. J. Latham, Register.*—The following cases are suspended, awaiting correction: Samuel Clements, Joseph J. Tinkler, Jas. A. Choate and L. P. Osborne.

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Honest men are easily bound, but you can never bind a knave.
Plantation Bitters cures Dyspepsia.
Keep no more cats in the house than will catch mice.
Plantation Bitters cures Fever and Ague.
War makes thieves, and Peace hangs them.
Plantation Bitters cures Liver Complaint and Nervous Headache.
There is a fire that wears and makes no noise.
Plantation Bitters cures the effects of Dissipation and Late Hours.
Better have one plow going than two *cradles*
Plantation Bitters are an antidote to Change of Water and Diet.
Fools and obstinate people make lawyers rich.
Plantation Bitters Purify, Strengthen and Invigorate.
A kind wife makes a faithful husband.

MAGNOLIA WATER.—superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price. †

THE AMERICAN HOUSE, Boston, has large and airy family rooms, quiet and retired, although in the center of business and places of amusement. This house has no superior in New England.

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Valuable and Reliable.—"Brown's BRONCHIAL TROCHES" will be found invaluable to those exposed to sudden changes, affording prompt relief in cases of Coughs, Colds, etc. For public speakers and singers, and those who over tax the voice, they are useful in relieving an irritated throat, and will render articulation easy. As there are imitations, be sure and obtain the genuine.

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW MEMPHIS THEATER
Last Nights of the Student Actor, FRANK MAYO.
Thursday Evening, February 25.—For one night only, the great sensational play, entitled BLOW FOR BLOW—Henri Desart, Frank Mayo.
Saturday afternoon, at 1 o'clock p.m., farewell MAYO MATINEE; admission, 50c.
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.

GRAND VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT, at the Greenlaw Opera House, THURSDAY, February 25th, for the purpose of paying for the new Organ recently procured for St. Patrick's Church. H. A. Sabatzky, Musical Director.

PROGRAMME—PART I.
1. Overture—William Tell—Rossini—Prof. Sohnitze, F. Kaizenbach and H. A. Sabatzky.
2. Ballad—La Manola—Hention—Miss Marie Guyon.
3. Duo—Stabat Mater—Quis Est Homo—Rossini—Mesdames George Keller and L. Chapsky.
4. Cavatina—Figaro's Marriage—Can't I My Love Resign—Mozart—Miss Emma Wilkinson.
5. Duo—See the Pale Moon—Campana—Miss S. Lynch and H. A. Sabatzky.
6. Ballad—'Tis the Last Rose of Summer—Flotow—Mrs. L. Chapsky.

PART II.
7. Duet—Martha—Lost, Proscribed, A Friend—Flotow—Messrs E. Jakowitz and H. A. Sabatzky.
8. Grand Cavatine—Deep in My Heart—Centsmeri—Mrs. George Keller.
9. Duo—Semiramide—Dark Day of Horror—Rossini—Miss S. Lynch and H. A. Sabatzky.
10. Grand Aria—Barbie of Seviglia—Uno voce poco fa—Rossini—Miss C. Enols.
11. Solo and Quartette—Rigoletto—Bella Figlia—Verdi.—Mesdames G. Keller and L. Chapsky and Messrs. Jakowitz and Sabatzky.

Admission, One Dollar.
Tickets at Kaizenbach's and at the Catholic Bookstore, 388½ Second street. feb25

LECTURE
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ELECTION.

BOND ELECTION.
(Judges, Clerks, etc.)
MAYOR'S OFFICE, February 19, 1869.
THE following will be the places for voting and the Judges and Clerks at the Election, on Monday, March 1, 1869, for the issuance of Time Bonds for the purpose of Funding the Past Due Debt of the city:

FIRST WARD—Engine House.
Judges—John Newsom, J. D. Davis and W. O. Leftwich. Clerks—D. W. Richard and A. J. McLinden.
JOHN DOLAN, Deputy Commissioner.

SECOND WARD—Engine House.
Judges—B. D. Nabors, J. C. Mills and J. J. Butler. Clerks—Charles C. Baugh and H. C. Watson.
F. H. CARROLL, Deputy Commissioner.

THIRD WARD—Engine House.
Judges—John Park, Louis Amis and John W. Taylor. Clerks—James A. Newsom and W. James McKeon.
GEO. R. POWELL, Deputy Commissioner.

FOURTH WARD—Stillman Block.
Judges—A. T. Shaw, R. B. Hawley and Thos. O. Smith. Clerks—William Armour and John Wilkerson.
J. W. HINCHES, Deputy Commissioner.

FIFTH WARD—Engine House.
Judges—J. Backman, A. H. Douglass and Felix LeHere. Clerks—J. C. Powers and W. J. Ayres.
JAMES SWANN, Deputy Commissioner.

SIXTH WARD—Waldran Block.
Judges—H. B. Childs, James Banks and W. M. Harvey. Clerks—H. W. Johnson and W. F. Dickinson.
J. H. KELLY, Deputy Commissioner.

SEVENTH WARD—Engine House.
Judges—J. D. Wimberly, Martin Kelly and P. M. Dickinson. Clerks—S. E. Hoy and John C. Bridges.
JAMES RYAN, Deputy Commissioner.

EIGHTH WARD—Market House.
Judges—D. Pante, N. B. Holt and John Gunn. Clerks—J. W. Murray and G. C. Hessen.
S. W. WILKINS, Deputy Commissioner.

NINTH WARD—Brick Church.
Judges—J. D. Danbury, D. P. Goldsmith and John Cubbins. Clerks—F. C. Schaper and W. B. Gibson.
JAMES HALSTON, Deputy Commissioner.

TENTH WARD—Bailey's Church.
Judges—W. L. White, M. J. Pendergast and Thomas Fleming. Clerks—A. H. Merrill and J. L. Sharpe.
MOSES NORTON, Deputy Commissioner.

Polls will open at 10 o'clock a.m., and close at 5 o'clock p.m. Judges will see that the existing franchise laws are complied with. The Judges and Clerks will be qualified at the polls at each precinct, at ½ o'clock. The Deputy Commissioners will meet at the Mayor's office at 8½ o'clock, to be sworn in by the Mayor. The Judges, Clerks and Deputy Commissioners will please notify me of their inability to serve, on or before the Saturday preceding the election.
By order of J. T. SWAYNE, Mayor pro. tem.
C. T. SMITH, Sergeant-at-Arms.
Approved J. J. SEARS, Commissioner of Registration for Shelby county, Tenn.
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OFFICERS OF THE COMPANY.
At a meeting of the stockholders, held at the St. Charles Hotel in New Orleans, in pursuance to notice, on the 20th day of January, the following named gentlemen (in accordance to terms of charter), were elected Directors for the ensuing year:
Thomas A. Adams, New Orleans.
Alfred Moulton, New Orleans.
D. DeHaven, New Orleans.
Wm. Creary, New Orleans.
Howard Millspaugh, New Orleans.
John Paul Baker, New Orleans.
John A. Graw, New Orleans.
J. Santlinz, New Orleans.
D. W. Flowerree, Vicksburg.
Dr. J. R. Watsins, Memphis.
N. S. Otis, Memphis.
Dr. J. W. Rogers, Memphis.
J. Edward Montgomery, Memphis.
John R. Davies, Louisville.
A. Baker, Louisville.
Samuel H. Patterson, Jeffersonville.
John Cobb, Madison, Ind.
Gen. T. T. Crittenden, Madison, Ind.
D. G. Martin, St. Louis.
Capt. H. E. Carson, St. Louis.
At a meeting of the Directors, held for the purpose of electing officers the following named gentlemen were elected:
D. DeHaven, President, New Orleans.
John A. Graw Vice President, New Orleans.
H. Millspaugh, Treasurer, New Orleans.
N. S. Otis, Secretary, Memphis.
John R. Davies, Chief Engineer, Louisville.
R. S. Kirk, Superintendent, Madison.
C. S. Stewart, Assistant Secretary, New Orleans.
J. T. Winnemore, General Agent, St. Charles Hotel, New Orleans.
F. Y. ROCKETT has been appointed Agent, with office at Memphis, to whom application may be made for exchange of lands for stock in the Company.
Office No. 43 Madison street.
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NOTICES.

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