ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ATTENTION, EX-CANDIDATES.

We have taken out the announcements of all candidates who were defeated before the County Convention. Those whose announcements are then taken out, wishing to run as independent against the nominees, can have their announcements republished without extra cost.

FOR SHERIFF.

SHERIFF.—I hereby announce myself as an independent candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff, at the ensuing March election.
A. P. CURRY,
ja11 Sheriff of Shelby county.

FOR COUNTY TRUSTEE.

COUNTY TRUSTEE.—We are authorized to announce Capt CHRIS. STEINKUHL a candidate for County Trustee of Shelby county, at the ensuing March election. fe

ATTORNEY-GEN CRIMINAL COURT.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL OF THE CRIMINAL COURT.—We are authorized to announce JOHN S. KERR as a candidate for Attorney-General of the Criminal Court, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention. ja27

ATTORNEY-GENERAL OF THE CRIMINAL COURT.—We are authorized to announce E. NEWT. HART for Attorney-General of the Criminal Court, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention, to be held in May. ja6

ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE CRIMINAL COURT.—We are authorized to announce M. D. WELCH as a candidate for Attorney-General of the Criminal Court. de

FOR JUDGE 1st CIRCUIT COURT.

JUDGE FIRST CIRCUIT COURT.—We are authorized to announce P. T. S. RIGGS as a candidate for the office of Judge of the First Circuit Court of Shelby county at the election, May 5th. fe6

JUDGE FIRST CIRCUIT COURT.—*Editors Appeal:* In response to the very complimentary call in your paper of yesterday, I signed "One of the Bar." I hereby announce myself a candidate for Judge of the First Circuit Court of Shelby county.
de11 C. W. HEISKELL.

FOR CLERK 2d CIRCUIT COURT.

CLERK SECOND CIRCUIT COURT.—*To the People of Shelby County:* I am a candidate for Clerk of the Second Circuit Court of Shelby county, at the ensuing March election.
fe6 HOLMES SAUNDERS.

CLERK SECOND CIRCUIT COURT.—I are authorized to announce E. R. HAGHI as an independent candidate for the office of Clerk of the Second Circuit Court, at the ensuing March election. fe6

FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK.

COUNTY COURT CLERK.—We are authorized to announce J. P. STRANGE as a independent candidate for the office of County Court Clerk, at the ensuing March election.

COUNTY COURT CLERK.—I hereby announce myself as an independent candidate for Clerk of the County Court.
ja11 J. J. SEARS.

COUNTY COURT CLERK.—We are authorized to announce JOHN P. BURGESS as an independent candidate for the office of County Court Clerk. ja30

COUNTY COURT CLERK.—We are authorized to announce J. S. CARRIERE candidate on the independent ticket for Clerk of the County Court of Shelby county at the ensuing March election. ja30

CONSTABLE 14th CIVIL DISTRICT.

CONSTABLE.—In reply to a very complimentary call in the APPEAL, signed "Citizen," I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Constable of the Fourteenth Civil District, pledging myself, if elected, to perform my duty to the best of my ability.
fe04 Respectfully, B. N. G. GARRETT

FOR MAGISTRATE.

MAGISTRATE.—W. L. STEWART is the regular nominee of the democratic convention, for one of the Magistrates of the 14th Civil District. Election March 5th. fe

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

Notices under this head will be inserted at Ten cents per line, each insertion.

HOUSEKEEPER.—A lady who has had several years' experience in a hotel wishes a situation in a first-class hotel. Reference given. No objection to leave the city. Address "Housekeeper," for three days, this office. fe04

RARE CHANCE.—To planters generally: A first-class planter, of limited circumstances, is desirous of working a plantation on shares for the ensuing year. For information apply at No. 32 Main street, within six days. fe01

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

Notices under this head will be inserted at Ten cents per line, each insertion.

STALLION.—One thorough-bred Stallion, at Brackett's Stable. [fe03] P. MITCHEL.

WOOD LAND.—60 acres wood land to sale—fine stock range, six miles north east of Memphis, near Hatchie river, will answer timber, rich and above overflow. Apply to W. Benjes, corner Second and Jackson, or W. A. Wheatley, Bethel Block. ja18

FOR RENT—FARMS.

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MENKEN PLACE.—Our place on Brinkley avenue, suitable for a beer-garden or other purposes. [fe03] MENKEN BRO'S.

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BOARD.—A well furnished room and board to be had at 198 Second street. fe01

OFFICES AND ROOMS—In Commercial Block, on reasonable terms; apply to J. ANDREWS, 290 Front street. ja11

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RESIDENCE.—The "Cherry Place," on Bayburn avenue.
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FOR SALE OR RENT.

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IRON WORKS. The "Helena Iron Works," at Helena, Arkansas. For particulars address
BARBAROUX & CO.,
Louisville, Ky
Or F. H. DADE,
ja30 daw Helena, Arkansas

LOST—REWARD.

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SILVER POCKET-BOOK—Between the Popular Street Market and Orleans street market "Lids." The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning the same to Brooks, Neely & Co., 276 Front street. ja11

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MASONIC DIRECTORY FOR 1870.

LODGES.

SOUTH MEMPHIS, No 18—meets 2d Friday of each month—Hall cor. Madison and Second. W. S. Matthews, W. M.; Ben. K. Pullen, Sec.

ANGERONA, No. 168—meets 1st Monday in every month, at Odd-Fellows' Hall, corner Court and Main. John Zent, W. M.; John Beamish, Secretary.

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ROYAL ARCH.

PENN CHAPTER, No. 2—meets 2d Monday of each month—Odd-Fellows' Hall. D. C. Treat, M. E. H. P.; C. G. Locke, Sec.

MEMPHIS CHAPTER, No. 86 U. D.—meets at Odd Fellows' Hall. Henry J. Lynn, M. E. H. P.; R. C. Grover, Secretary.

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EUREKA COUNCIL, No. 6—meets 3d Monday of each month—Odd-Fellows' Hall. John Zent, Th. Ill.; N. J. Wiggins, Rec.

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CYRENE COMMANDERY, No. 4—meets 4th Monday of each month. Geo. Mollenn, Com.; T. J. Bamber, Rec.

CALVARY CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX, 18th, No. 1. Charles W. Adams, 32d, M. W.; H. T. Tomlinson, 32d, Sec.

I. O. O. F. DIRECTORY.

GAYOSO ENCAMPMENT, No. 1, I. O. O. F.—meets on the 1st and 3d Thursday nights of each month, at 8 o'clock. A. F. Davis, C.P.; D. C. Walker, H. P.; Thomas Bacon, Scribe.

MEMPHIS LODGE, No. 6—meets every Tuesday night, at 7½ o'clock. J. W. Waynesburg, N. G.; J. R. Campbell, V. G.; Thos. Moffet, Secy.; G. W. Campbell, Treas.

CHICKASAW LODGE, No. 9—meets every Monday night at 7½ o'clock. A. Hunn, N. G.; Jas. Hoffman, Secy.; G. L. Leon, Treas.

SCALPING.

A Party of Emigrants said to have been Scalped by "Transfer Agents."

The Scalpers Arrested and Locked Up

The following is the statement of Mr. Johnson, the party who figures as the leader of the emigrant band, in the complaint at the First District Station:

Night before last, on the Charleston train, due here at 10:40, a man named A. L. Dougherty, passed through the cars, and coming upon a party of emigrants, asked them if they wished to be transferred from the depot, on arrival, to a steamboat. He was referred to the leader or spokesman of the band, a Mr. R. M. Johnson, who, with the balance, is from Gordon county, Ga., and who in reply said that they did wish to do so. Dougherty told him that there was a steamboat waiting for the train, and that he would make arrangements to transfer the whole party aboard of her immediately on arrival. This assured Mr. Johnson asked his terms, and made a bargain with him to transfer the party, baggage and all, for $7—there being thirty-three whole tickets and some small children in the crowd. Mr. Johnson paid the money and Dougherty left the passenger.

After he was gone, Johnson got to thinking about the transaction and became afraid that it was not all right and allowed him into the baggage car, where he asked him to refund the money and take back his check, promising that he (Johnson) would make arrangements with him and give him the money for the transfer on arrival. Dougherty refused to do this, and with rough words ordered him out of the baggage car. Johnson went, but remained where he could watch Dougherty until the train arrived at the depot. As soon as it did so he jumped off, and approaching Dougherty reminded him of his bargain, and after much trouble succeeded in getting the greater portion of his people and baggage on the omnibuses. He saw them off, and returned at the depot until the omnibus came back for the last lot, with which he went.

On arriving at the passenger agent's office of S. H. Shook on the Promenade at the foot of Jefferson street, he was told to dismount.—Mr. Johnson demurred, saying that the bargain was to put him and his party on board a steamboat. He was answered that there was no steamboat going out and he would have to stay there all night or go to a hotel—Dougherty adding that he would "only be charged fifty cents for his night's lodging, like all the rest." On going up stairs as he was directed, he found the balance of his party huddled together in one room, with no conveniences for sleeping or even resting—the baggage was stored in a cellar under the office.

Yesterday morning the emigrants paid fifty cents each for the privilege of being huddled up in this bare room, and learning that the steamer Mary Boyd was going down the river to their destination, wished to get out their baggage and send it aboard, but to their chagrin and astonishment *were told that they would have to pay twenty-five cents storage for each package!*

This new drain on their already slender purses caused the poor people to seek the advice of our good Mayor, Mr. Johnson, who immediately put the case in the hands of Chief O'Donnel, with orders to see full justice done them.

Meanwhile some of the emigrants, afraid of being left, scraped from their scanty means enough to pay the charge on their baggage, and went on board; but some could not do so and were left, among them Mr. Johnson, the leader of the party. He was questioned by Chief O'Donnel, who immediately, on hearing his tale, ordered the arrest of A. H. Dougherty. Orders to other arrests were made, and, we suppose, will be executed.

The case will come up before the Recorder this morning, and as Mr. Johnson and other emigrants are here, to appear as witnesses, we hope the very heaviest punishment of the law will be enforced against the guilty parties. Meanwhile we also hope that some arrangement will be made by the Railroad and Transfer companies to protect emigrants and travelers generally from scalping and extortion of all sorts.

CONSIGNEES WANTED.—For the following freight per City of Alton, February 2: G. & Co., 10 boxes crackes; Diamond R., 50 half barrels flour, 25 barrels flour branded Eagle 4 ace; Diamond J. W. B., 12 half barrels butter; Diamond D., 50 half barrels flour, at St. Louis Packet Company's wharfboat.

E. H. CORBYN, Treasurer.

REV. DR. ISAAC M. WISE, of Cincinnati, will officiate Sunday morning at the Temple, corner Main and Exchange streets. Saturday evening he will deliver a lecture on the subject, "Jews and the Apostles," to which the public is invited.*

MERINO underwear for ladies and children, less than cost.
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OUR BEAUTIFUL twenty five cents dress goods are going fast.
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JOE LOCKE, 236½ Main street, has all the latest literary, scientific, literary, sporting, sensational, police, German and Irish weeklies, and all the latest dailies and monthlies.

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J. STOLTS,
56 Jefferson street.

BEAUTIFUL TOWELS at a great bargain.
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LAW REPORTS.

Shelby Circuit Court---Judge Swayne.

The following business was transacted yesterday:

State vs. James Matthis, sr.—a motion to quash the indictment was overruled by the Court. A plea of not guilty was then filed on behalf of the defendant.

The following calendar has been set for trial:

The case of the State vs. Shelton, indictment for murder, set for trial on Wednesday next.

The case of the State vs. Matthis, murder, set for trial on Monday next.

The remainder of this week will be devoted to the civil docket. The following cases have been set for trial to-day: From No. 110 to No. 145, inclusive, which cases have been heretofore published in the APPEAL.

Law Court---Judge J. A. Anderson.

Yesterday the following cases were continued:

State vs. Radigan, extortion.

State vs. Haley, larceny.

The cases set for trial to-day are:

State vs. Slagle, keeping gaming house.

State vs. Schooles, keeping gaming house.

All prosecuting witnesses must appear immediately, to give evidence before the Grand Jury, or forfeitures will be taken against them.

Law Court---Judge Anderson.

The decision of the Court in the case of Weatherbee vs. Lodgie has been reserved until the next term, in consequence of the importance of the questions involved.

To-day Court meets at 1 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of signing the minutes of Court, and adjourning over to "Court in course."

Chancery Court---Chancellor Morgan.

In consequence of the illness of the Chancellor, Judge Anderson presided on yesterday.

The following decrees were filed:

McKnight vs. Dill, interlocutory order.

Tommy vs. Eaton, order on Receiver.

Smith vs. Smith, decree for sale.

Provine vs. Stewart, decree vesting title.

To-day being motion day the roll of Attorneys will be called, commencing at letter N.

Criminal Court---Judge Hudson.

The Dickens case is still on trial. The examination of witnesses progresses slowly—the time of the Court being taken up in hearing the argument of counsel upon objections raised as to the admissibility of testimony sought to be introduced for the defense.

JOE LOCKE, 236½ Main street, has the Cincinnati Commercial and Enquirer, St. Louis Times, Republican and Democrat, Chicago Times and Tribune, New York Herald, World, Times and Tribune, Louisville Courier-Journal, and a host of other late dailies and illustrated weeklies.

High and low neck, long and short sleeves, Merino vests for ladies and children, very cheap.
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OUR 10-4 BLEACHED SHEETING is the bargain in the city. Look at the goods at
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DIE MODENWELT for February, and a host of other fashion, literary and scientific magazines, at Joe Locke's, 236½ Main street.

THE PAVING QUESTION.

Another Practical Letter on Sewerage and Drainage.

Editors Appeal: The spirited manner in which you have taken hold and given publication to communications pertaining to the welfare of our city, has put us in mind of the good old times when the APPEAL was the paper *par excellance* of the whole southwest, and from the ardent desire you have manifested of late, the attainment of the olden status of your paper, if not already, will be soon accomplished.

But to the point: we will submit to the public another plan of under-drainage for foundations for the streets of Memphis. The ghost of departed tens of thousands of dollars stand looming before us as we look on at the untimely destruction of the Nicolson pavement. We are told that it will be all but the destruction of our beloved city, but we will hope for the better, and as it decays let us be ready with well digested plans of a practical character to replace it with something as good, if not better. The city authorities are turning their attention to gravel again, and we would impress upon them to be very careful how they go to work to do so.

My plans are to sink the center of the street below the sides, clear of the curb, using which the street or road way being, say 40 feet in the clear, will give a watershed of one foot in twenty to the center of the street.

In the center of this bason and in line with the street, dig a trench four feet and a half in the clear, five feet two inches in depth, with an inverted curve in the bottom of say four inches. Put in the bottom with four inches well wet, hard bricks and grouted, build up the sides with a nine inch wall two feet in hight with a center of a curve of nine inches; a nine-inch arch for a crown of the sewer, the drainage holes in the crown to be one foot in diameter, at the distance of ten feet apart, ready to receive a cast grating, the bars of which are to be not over one inch apart, so that coarse gravel will be prevented from dropping into the culvert, the brickwork to be laid in good cement mortar, set close and true. It is now ready for the filtering gravel, brickbats, or other durable substances, preparatory to the street gravel. The Engineer will see to the dip of the sewer at the proper drainage necessary.

The objects of this sewer are two-fold. One is to receive the surface drainage, and, if necessary, by laying two or three courses of dry brick towards the bottom of the culvert, to drain the ground and every cellar not too deep in the neighborhood. The other is, to receive the mains of gas and water pipes (for we must put a stop to having our streets torn up to have these pipes put down, and then torn up incessently to have them repaired). These pipes being in the culvert can be got at at all times when necessary, and the form of the culvert can be constructed egg shape or any other form to receive the pipes and to facilitate a workman to work at them. The sanitary effect of this system of drainage is seen at a glance.

THOMAS CUBBINS.

P. S.—The cost of this sewer for excavation, which will contain 85 cubic yards per hundred feet, at, say 40 cents per yard, will be $34; 20,000 of brick at $15 per thousand, will be $300, equal to $334 per hundred feet, (contingencies excepted) this estimate will be about the thing. If my time permits, I hope to be able to submit to the APPEAL some other plans, that I hope will give well drained and healthful thoroughfares.

BUY WOOD of Scheuber Bros. Leave orders with L. Roescher, 326 Main street.

HERZOG'S POPULAR kid gloves.
HERZOG & BRO.

THE members of the 154th Senior Regiment Relief Association are requested to meet punctually at half after seven o'clock this evening, at their hall on Poplar, between Main and Second streets.
FRED. G. GUTHERZ, Secretary.

PERSONAL.

Rev. Dr. Isaac M. Wise, of Cincinnati, arrived in this city yesterday and will remain here a few days. He is the guest of Rev. S. Tuska.

WE WILL CLOSE OUT a lot of shawls, cloaks and boubleard skirts at a less than cost price, to close out stock.
HERZOG & BRO.

BLANKETS of all sizes, less than can be bought in the city.
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CONFEDERATE RELIEF AND HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION.

Their Meeting, Proceedings, Etc., Etc.

A quorum being present, on motion of Henry Moode, Dr. R. W. Mitchell was called to the Chair.

The Secretary, Col. John W. Dawson, being present, the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Committee on Credentials reported favorably on the applications submitted at the last meeting, which report was approved and the names ordered enrolled.

Chairman Adams, of the Relief Committee, reported $130 expended on charitable objects for the past two weeks, and referred to the Association, the petitions of Mrs. Catharine Temple and W. A. Perry, for instructions, whereupon the Association approved the expenditure and referred back the petitions of the above persons for further investigation and final action.

The petition of M. Ryan was referred to the Credential Committee and the Committee on Relief for action.

The Committees on Auditing, Entertainment, Monument, Historical, Finance and Employment, reported, which reports were of minor importance, and stood approved by the Association.

A communication was read from Gen. J. L. T. Sneed in reply to the invitation extended by the Historical Committee, to deliver an address, and furnish certain documents. His indisposition at the present time prevented his complying, but promised an early attention.

On motion of Capt. McFarland, Col. Logan and Capt. Loudon, of the Employment Committee, were relieved from further duties, and Capt. J. G. Barbour and W. L. Scott appointed in their places.

Col. Frayser offered a resolution calling upon the Treasurer for a full report of all moneys received and paid out since the organization of the Society, and the Secretary was instructed to inform the Treasurer of the wishes of the Association.

The names of Col. J. P. Strange and Capt. Jo. Barbiere were proposed for membership, and referred to the Committee on Credentials.

Other matters of minor importance were transacted, when the Association adjourned until their next regular meeting, hoping for a full attendance.

In connection with these proceedings, we are requested by Henry Moode, Chairman Finance Committee, to inform all members of the Society now in arrears for dues, initiation fees, assessments, etc., that he has the accounts from the Secretary, and hopes that the members will come forward and settle up at once. He can be found at the Ledger composing-room.

BLANKETS at four dollars and fifty cents.
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NOTICE.

Congregation Children of Israel, Divine service will begin this evening at 7 o'clock, Rev. Dr. J. M. Wise, from Cincinnati, officiating. By order of the Vestry.
E. LOWENSTEIN, Pres't.
LEW WEXLER, Sec'y.

OUR TWENTY CENTS all linen Handkerchiefs are received again.
HERZOG & BRO.

GO TO JOE LOCKE'S, 236½ Main street, for the latest news.

FLANNELS.—We will sell, to close, at less than cost.
A. SEESSEL & SON.

TO THE PUBLIC.

On Wednesday night I was robbed of my pocket-book, containing $3000 in cash and bonds, and also a large amount in value of private papers. The private papers were returned to me by Mr. Jas. J. Downs, of No. 11 McCall street, to whom I am under many obligations for his kindness, and also his liberality in refusing one thousand dollars which I offered him as a reward. JOHN W. KELLY.

REMNANTS OF EMBROIDERIES at half price.
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TO ADVERTISERS IN THE APPEAL.

After this date, advertisements will not be received from any but regular customers and well-established houses, unless accompanied by the cash. The enforcement of this rule is rendered necessary by the difficulties of collection and the demands of a business that requires a *cash outlay in all its departments*, for its proper and profitable conduct. Business men will understand and appreciate the necessity for this basis for our future.
KEATING, ENGLISH & CO.
November 30, 1869.

FIRES AT COLLIERVILLE.

What is the Reason of the Mysterious Conflagrations?

COLLIERVILLE, TENN.,
February 3, 1870.

Editors Appeal: Our quiet little town was startled by the alarm of fire this morning about three o'clock. Upon investigation we found that the fire proceeded from the storehouse of Mr. George Scott; and inasmuch as this is the third *mysterious* fire that has occurred in Collierville since the war, it requires more than a passing notice.

The first of these was the residence and storehouse of Mrs. E. M. Dunn, a widowed lady, who is entirely dependent upon her own exertions for a livelihood for herself and several little children.

The next was the storehouse of Capt. E. J. Kindred, who lost almost his entire stock of goods, and no one could ever account for the incendiary propensities of his secret enemy, for he stood before the public unblemished, seemingly without an enemy or a foe.

There is some unknown individual who infests our town or its vicinity, who resorts to this method of avenging what he considers private wrongs by burning the houses of quiet and peaceable citizens. Who this individual is, no one knows; but a strong suspicion rests upon a certain *person*, who had better be very circumspect in his future conduct.

Mr. Scott's storehouse and entire stock, with a very slight insurance, was completely destroyed; and his salesman, Mr. Jones, who was sleeping in the room, came near losing his life by strangulation.

The whole community deeply sympathize with Mr. Scott in his loss, as he was a high-toned gentleman, a gallant Confederate soldier, and one whose name stands as high upon the roll of honor, for conspicuous bravery, as any who sacrificed their all for the "lost cause."

He intends reopening soon, and the citizens will, without a doubt, show their sympathy and friendship by patronizing him more liberally than ever before.

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WE sell more domestics, and at less prices, than any house in the city.
A. SEESSEL & SON.

A BEAUTIFUL LOT of Velvet Ribbons very low.
HERZOG & BRO.

A GOOD 2-plait Shirt for $2, at Wiggins & Thorn's, 233 Clay Building.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Dust continues to fly in clouds.

—The Nicholson has not been so dry in months before.

—The police force are getting beautifully into harness.

—Strangers continue to pour into the city. The hotels are full.

—There were forty-six arrests in the First district up to midnight last night. Good day's work.

—St. Valentine's Day is at hand, judging from the number of gaudy prints in the shop windows. Also, for old customs!

—The river is still on a stand-still. We may soon hope for a decline, and that Happy Hollow may soon be on *terra firma* again.

—Chief O'Donnell informs us that he intends to put a summary stop to racing and rapid driving through the streets. Good idea.

—Main street was densely thronged yesterday afternoon from two till five o'clock with ladies. Where do they all come from?

—The morning opened yesterday dark, cold and lowering, but by eleven o'clock the sun had scattered the clouds and showed his glorious face.

—That grand ball of the Italian Society is now much talked of among our Italian fellow citizens, and we doubt not it will be a magnificent affair.

—The Richmond Head Light has "doused its glim." Thus one by one vicious publications go under. We can only say, as Visher's friend, be *virtuous* and you'll be happy.

—There were seven arrests in the Second district yesterday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Quite a contrast between the present dockets and those of the late so-called!

—James Smith, the darkey who caroted an old man day before yesterday and robbed him of $460, was arrested yesterday and lodged in the First District stationhouse.

—The army of thieves that congregated in this city during the latter days of the defunct Metropolitans, have since the accession of chief O'Donnell to power, "jumped the town."

—A young man, name unknown, traveling for the house of Young & Bro., St. Louis, committed suicide at Helena on Tuesday night. His body was brought up to town yesterday on the Lorena.

—We would call the attention of our new police to the ordinance prohibiting the hanging of signs, goods, wares, commodities, etc., over the sidewalks, at less than a given hight. Some days the banquettes of Beale street are almost impassable without stooping.

—The show-saloon-keepers have determined to test the constitutionality of the late laws in regard to liquor in shows, and also the recent ordinances in regard to waiter girls. We rather opine that the overzeal of the Legislature has carried them beyond their limits.

—The reporters of the morning press owe a debt of gratitude to the station-house keeper of the First District, who furnishes them with reports from the Beal street station up to midnight. This is a great convenience to those who have so much walking "around town" to do during the day.

—If the tide of immigration continues to pour through our city, as it has done for months past, it will be necessary for our Police Board to appoint an immigration agent to protect these strangers in a strange land from the villainies of the scalpers. The report in another column of a late transaction shows the importance of this.

—The Nashville papers of Tuesday are full of horrors. To-wit: the Union and American has an account of the lynching of two negroes at Lebanon; a railroad hand run over by a train and horribly mangled; the sudden death of a negro woman; and a youthshot and dangerously wounded.

—A Natchez paper states that "a jealous husband in Memphis broke his wife's nose because he thought her beauty attracted too much attention." One broke his wife's jaw for the same reason yesterday. Jack Ford was his name, and he got locked up for it in the First District stationhouse.

—We learn that numerous accidents have occurred with the city oil lamps, under the Hinzfield contract. Ex-Alderman James Gallagher informs us that a night or two ago, while the lad was trying to light one on Butler street, between Shelby and Tennessee streets, it exploded with a report like a gun, and the boy narrowly escaped being set on fire with the burning oil. If this is so, the city did not abrogate its contract any too soon.

—The sore-heads are becoming healed, and, with convalescence, sense is returning to men who in their momentary chagrin and disappointment at the defeat of their political aspiration, would have forsworn their party and kind, and given us back to Radical and negro dominion. Stick to your party, men, that glorious old Democratic party, which though it has of late years met with many a sore defeat in the conflict against wrong, oppression and usurpation, has never for a moment faltered, and now is rearing its head again and showing its strength all over the land!

—Messrs. Rogan and Gen. Fizer will call upon merchants and other citizens during the day and to-morrow to collect enough money to pay the expenses of an agent who will traverse the State of Arkansas along the route of the Kansas City Railroad and secure the subscriptions of counties and of individuals, the first issuing bonds and the latter subscribing lands. Maj. Eldridge, President of the Company, is assured that enough subscriptions can be thus obtained with the State aid to build the road at once.

—If the Ledger Local will only possess his soul in patience, we will endeavor to show him that the *stealing* of "those certificates" was a big thing. The "attorney" who gave him the "explanation" of the affair, also tried that dodge on us, but it didn't work. We had the "dead wood" on him; and we say, now, to the Local of the Ledger, and all other good Democrats, that unless we are on our guard, hundreds of those certificates will be voted against our nominations in the approaching election. Radicalism, which has for so long held its iron hand tight clenched on the throttle of Shelby county, does not intend to release its grip without a struggle, in which it will use all of its old weapons to defeat us.

OUR WATERFALLS for thirty-five cents.
HERZOG & BRO.

ATTEND our great clearing sale of all kinds of dry goods.
A. SEESSEL & SON.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

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LETTER LIST.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the Memphis Postoffice and not delivered by carriers yesterday.

All letters directed to street and numbers, will be delivered promptly by carriers.

LADIES' LIST.

Bettis mrs F
Balchrope mrs M
Collins miss A
Clinton mrs E Y
Cole mrs E A
Crouch miss E
Duncan mrs M
Dickson mrs E J
Duncan mrs L S
Dunn mrs D
Dilahan mrs E
Gift miss S J
Hamner mrs M M
Jones R (col'd)
Johnson miss M
Lake miss E D
Little miss M
Morgan A
Moore mrs A E
Mason L
Moore mrs M
McFarlan mrs M
Pryor miss J
Read mrs M E
St. Leon miss K
Stalley mrs M
Scott P (col'd)
Simpson mrs M
Steele mrs S
Thompson mrs W
Williams miss A
C A W mrs

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Anthony H D
Anderson Reid
Allen T C
Alexander T
Ames R
Allen J R
Bennett J W
Black E W
Bryant T R
Burrows G W
Bibbi G L
Blelock G
Burk C
Billings dr J
Clark B
Chew col R S
Clay C C H
Collins W J
Clarke J W
Chambers H L
Conn J H
Coleman S G
Coleman H H
& Co
Collins B
Dorsey S
Duke J J
Dunham H R
Dickens S
Dill T J
Devore A M
Ellis D
Earle G
Fields J H
Fowler capt D G
Gleason H
Gardigin J
Gilden J E
Hayward dr C H
Hamilton W N
Hayden G S
Hartford P G
Harris J W
Hudson C E
Hare W H
Jones R P
Judd C N
Lee J E
Lemenski J T
Lake T
Lanning T W
Maulding W F
Murphy C
Myers D
Morris M D
Murphy J H
Marshal col J
S
Moon J N
McIntyre A
McClaine P
McCoy W
McMurray A
Norris F
Nolan R R
Pryor W T
Prescott J A
Paine W
Packer capt W
K
Polk W A
Peck N
Rayner W E
Richardson H
Rolford W L
Reynolds J De G
Roberts H
Shankle A
Shaw t
Steger R
Trainer H
Taylor A
Totten J C
Waldron J D
Wall H (col'd)
Wilson dr K
Webster J J
Willis J B
Watts F M
White col C
Ward R D

RIVER NEWS.

BOATS LEAVING THIS DAY.

St. Louis.....ST JOSEPH.....5 p.m.
Forked Deer.....SALLIE V.....
Friar's Point.....GEN. ANDERSON.....5 p.m
Ouachita River.....MARY MCDONALD.....5 p.m
New Madrid.....GALLATIN.....5 p.m
White River.....FAIRY QUEEN.....12 m
Cincinnati.....LORENA.....5 p.m

ARRIVALS.

Colorado.....St. Louis
Anna.....Cincinnati
Alice Dean.....Cincinnati
Sallie V.....Dyersburg
G. W. Cheek.....Friar's Point
P. W. Strader.....New Orleans
Lorena.....New Orleans
Leonidas.....New Orleans
Commonwealth.....New Orleans

DEPARTURES.

Colorado.....St. Louis
Commonwealth.....St. Louis
Legal Tender.....Evansville
P. W. Strader.....Louisville
Leonidas.....Cincinnati
G. W. Cheek.....Friar's Point
Mary Boyd.....Arkansas river
Anna.....New Orleans

IN PORT.

Alice Dean, Lorena, Sallie V, Fairy Queen, Gallatin.

RIVERS, WEATHER AND BUSINESS.

MEMPHIS GAS WORKS, February 3

River rose ½ inch in past 24 hours
Below high-water mark of 1867 1 foot and 2 inches.
CHAS. GOODWIN,
Superintendent Gas Works.

Our dispatches give the latest news from above. The river at this point is at a stand and will be falling at our next. This is good news for the people living below who are liable to inundation. We have no later news from the Arkansas or White rivers. Weather cool with high winds. Business brisk.

CINCINNATI, February 3.—Departed: Messenger for New Orleans. The river is falling with 20 feet in the channel. The weather is clear.

VICKSBURG, February 3.—Up: Kilgour, 8 p.m.; LaBarge, 4 a.m. Down: M. J. Wicks, 6 p.m. The river is rising slowly. Cloudy and cold.

LOUISVILLE, February 3.—The river is falling with 9 feet in the canal.

NASHVILLE, February 3.—The river is falling with 7 feet on Harpeth Shoals. The weather is clear.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The levee is crowded up with freight—much of it cotton bound for New Orleans. A steamer could pick up an 8,000 trip here at any moment for below. There is some growling at the Wharfmaster for permitting the cotton to be so loose, but we do not see how he can remedy the matter, without making extreme hardship to the owners of the cotton in forcing its removal at so much expense. We learn that every effort is being made to secure a boat to take it away, which it will no doubt be done in a few days.

Capt. Geo. Lenox takes command of the City of Cairo, and will start her out in a few days in splendid condition. Sleep Lightner, an old St. Louis and Memphis pilot, takes command of the Adam Jacobs, in place of Capt. Lenox.

Boats at St. Louis are preparing to enter Illinois river for Spring business. They expect, if favorable weather continues, to start out next week. Boats are already running to Keokuk.

The Shreve arrived from Shreveport last Sunday and left Wednesday, on her return for St. Louis.

The Lorena had on board as freight for the Ohio a hundred bundles of mantle scraps, neatly packed in bags and engaged to Memphis parties in the upper Ohio. The hoop ends are savings from the cotton presses at New Orleans. She also has about 250 tons of sugar and molasses.

There are ten feet on Harpeth Shoals in Cumberland river, and dwindling.

The Leo went into Mobile last week with 1200 bales of cotton—the largest load of the season.

Red river is in good boating order its entire length. At Shreveport, last week the water was sixteen feet above low water mark, and rising. There was plenty of water in the lakes and bayous above.

The Lizzie Hopkins sunk in Soda lake above Shreveport, on the 21st of January, with 1500 bales of cotton on board. She was raised next day, with slight injury to boat and cargo.

The Fairy Queen, Capt. Milt Harry, leaves to-day at noon for all points on upper White, Black and Red river. The Queen is as fascinating and pretty in appearance as her name indicates. The general overhauling she has received, with her splendid new outfit, makes her as neat and handsome as as it is possible for any steamer to be.

The General Anderson, Capt. Stack Lee, leaves for Friar's Point, Delta, Helena, and all way landings. The Anderson is an especial favorite along the river, has excellent passenger accommodations, and is as fleet as a race horse.

The Sallie V. leaves for Dyersburg and all way landing on the Obion and the Mississippi to Italia's Point. Capt. G. B. Miller is in command, and W. R. Parker is clerk.

The steamer B. L. Hodges went into New Orleans last Sunday with 2625 bales of cotton, the heaviest Red river trip since the war.

Island No. 10, so famous during the war, is now a resort for river pirates.

The Gudon sunk a barge loaded with a locomotive and tender and a number of cars, on Tuesday last, six miles above Pine Bluff. The barge went down in nine feet of water, and will be troublesome to raise. It was being towed to Little Rock for use on the Fort Smith Railroad, and its loss at this juncture is particularly unfortunate, as it was much needed to assist in constructing the road. Aside from its value, it will retard the progress of the work considerably.

The Alice Dean, Capt. Shunk, is the regular packet for Cincinnati next Saturday evening. L. Harmstad & Co. are agents.

The Louisville Commercial says: Mr. Mock Levi, who was shot and badly wounded by a desperado on board the Nick Longworth, at Napoleon, Ark., last Friday, is at his home in Louisville, under the skillful treatment of Dr. W. D. Yandell. He is suffering from the dastardly assault, but will soon recover. It is supposed that one of the assailants whom Mr. Levi shot is dead. The other would-be assassin is in jail at Napoleon, in default of $5000 bail.

The Lorena, Captain Sherman in charge, and James Vandergriff in the office, leaves for Cincinnati and Pittsburg this afternoon at 5 p.m., taking all eastward bound cotton.

The St. Joseph will get away to-day for Cairo and St. Louis. She connects with trains North and East.

The Mary McDonald, Captain John Greenough, passes down to-day for Red river and the Ouachita. She goes through to Camden.

To-day the Gallatin will start out on her first trip for the Memphis and New Madrid trade, where she intends to become a fixture. She has