RELIGIOUS SERVICES TO-DAY.

REV. DAVID WALK, having sufficiently recovered from his late illness, will preach in the Linden Street Christian Church to-day at 10½ a.m. and 8 p.m.

CALVARY CHURCH.—A discourse will be delivered in this church this morning, by the Rector, on the Infallibility of the Pope.

PREACHING at the First Baptist Church by the Pastor, Dr. Burns, at 10½ a.m. and 8½ p.m. Sabbath school and Bible class at 8½ a.m.

FIRST Presbyterian Church, corner Poplar and Third streets. Services at 10½ a.m. and at 8 p.m. Rev. F. H. Bowman, Pastor.

PREACHING at First Cumberland Presbyterian church at 10½ a.m. by Rev. Mr. F. G. McLean, a graduate of the Theological Department, at Lebanon—class of 1870.

THE Rev. Father Garess, the eminent divine from St. Louis, will preach at St. Peter's this morning, at 10½ o'clock.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR CHANCELLOR 10TH DISTRICT.

CHANCELLOR OF THE 10TH DISTRICT.—We are authorized to announce JAMES PENTIESS, of Bolivar, as a candidate for Chancellor of the Tenth District, composed of the counties of Madison, Haywood, Lauderdale, Tipton, Fayette and Hardeman jl0

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.—J. J. BUTLER is a candidate for Justice of the Peace in the Fifth Civil District. Election first Thursday in November. jy9

ATT'Y-GEN'L 14TH JUDICIAL CIRC'T.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL OF THE FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.—W. D. WILKERSON, Jr., of Lauderdale county, is a candidate for Attorney-General of the 14th Judicial Circuit, composed of the counties of Hardeman, Fayette, Shelby, Tipton and Lauderdale. Election 4th August next. jy1

FOR JUDGE OF PROBATE COURT.

JUDGE PROBATE COURT.—*To the Qualified Voters of Shelby County.*—I am a candidate for Judge of the Probate Court, subject to the voice of the people at the ballot-box. Election the first Thursday in August next.
THOMAS LEONARD.
jy7

JUDGE PROBATE COURT.—We are authorized to announce J. K. P. RAY as a candidate for Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby county. jy29

FOR COUNTY REGISTER.

COUNTY REGISTER.—I am a candidate for County Register. Election first Thursday in August. [jel6] JNO. BROWN.

JUDGE SUPREME COURT MID. DIV.

JUDGE SUPREME COURT MIDDLE DIVISION.—We are authorized to announce P. TURNEY as a candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court from the Middle Division. m28

JUDGE SUPREME COURT EAST. DIV.

JUDGE SUPREME COURT EASTERN DIVISION.—In response to the published call of members of the Bar in various counties of East Tennessee, and numerous solicitations of friends, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Bench of the Supreme Court of the State.
JAS. W. DEADRICK.
my19

JUDGE SUPREME COURT EASTERN DIVISION.—We are authorized and requested to announce Hon. T. A. R. NELSON as a candidate for Supreme Court Judge from the Eastern Division. The election is to be held on the first Thursday in August; and the Judges from each of the three divisions of the State are to be elected. my19

JUDGE SUPREME COURT WEST. DIV.

JUDGE SUPREME COURT WESTERN DIVISION.—We are authorized to announce THOS. J. FREEMAN as a candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court for the Western Division. Election August 4, 1870. my24

JUDGE SUPREME COURT WESTERN DIVISION.—The friends of Hon. JOHN LEWIS SNEED, of Fayette county, are authorized by him to present his name to the people of Tennessee as a candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court for the Western Division. Election August 4, 1870. m r12

ATT'Y GEN'L 14TH JUDICIAL CIRC'T

ATTORNEY-GENERAL OF THE FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.—In response to the flattering assurances of support which have been tendered to me, I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Attorney-General of the Fourteenth Judicial Circuit. Election first Thursday in August next.
WALKER WOOD.

FOR JUDGE 14TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.

JUDGE 14TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.—Hon. P. T. SCRUGGS is a candidate for the Judgeship in the 14th Circuit, consisting of the counties of Hardeman, Fayette, Tipton and Lauderdale, and that part of Shelby county outside the corporate limits of Memphis.

JUDGE 14TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.—At the request of a respectable portion of the bar and of the people of the Fourteenth Judicial Circuit, I announce myself a candidate for Judge of that Circuit. The election is to be held on the first Thursday, being the 4th day of August next.
ISAAC M. STEELE.
jy25

WANTS.

CLERK.—A situation as clerk in a drug-store by a young man who speaks German and English, and has had three years experience; satisfactory reference given; address B. SCHACHT, 194 Federal street, Allegheny City, Pa. jy22

DRAUGHTMAN.—A situation as draughtman, by one who has practical experience in the drawing office and in the machine shop. Address G. O. E., Appeal office. jy22

COTTAGE RESIDENCE.—To buy a cottage of residence and lot, on a lot only. Address, stating location and terms, A. B.,
jy22 Memphis Postoffice.

TEACHER.—At Olive Branch, Mississippi, a teacher of good moral character, and qualified to fit boys for college. Apply soon.

AGENTS.—To sell the HOME SHUTTLE SEWING MACHINE. Price, $25. It makes the "Lock Stitch" with no bobbin-shuttle and is the only licensed under-feed Shuttle Machine sold for less than $60. Licensed by Wheeler & Wilson, Grover & Baker, and Singer & Co. All other under-feed Shuttle Machines sold for less than $60 are infringements, and the seller and user liable to prosecution. Address HOME SHUTTLE M'F'G CO., Boston, Mass., Pittsburg, Pa., Chicago, Ill., or St. Louis, Mo. je22

AGENTS.—To sell the OCTAGON SEWING MACHINE. It is licensed, makes the "Elastic Lock-stitch," and is warranted for 5 years. Price, $15. All other machines with an under-feed sold for $15 or less are infringements. Address OCTAGON SEWING MACHINE CO., St. Louis, Mo., Chicago, Ill., Pittsburg, Pa., or Boston, Mass. je21

AGENTS WANTED—($10 PER DAY)—by the AMERICAN KNITTING MACHINE CO., Boston, Mass., or St. Louis, Mo. je22

LOST—REWARD.

MULE—$10 REWARD—On the 15th July, 1870, a black mule, with Foot Trade, 6 years old, roached mane and tail, swinnyed and collar marked. H. COBB,
jy21 One mile from city, Randolph road.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE.—That new and convenient two-story dwelling house, No. 86, corner of Pontotoc and St Martin street, with all necessary out-buildings. Apply to
S. S. LLOYD,
jy24 No. 321 Main street.

STORE.—The very desirable store, No. 222 Main street, between Adams and Jefferson. Apply on the premises. jy21

TAKEN UP.

COW AND CALF.—One fine red cow and calf, which the owner can have by identifying and paying charges. A. MORTI,
jy22 at Trotting Park.

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. E. Pullen, Sec.

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LEILA SCOTT, No. 28—meets 1st Friday of each month—Hall corner Madison and Second. R. W. Mitchell, W. M.; S. Sturm, Sec.

DESOTO, No. 299—meets 3d Friday of each month—Odd-Fellows' Hall. J. D. Beaird, W. M.; R. W. Shelton, Sec.

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MEMPHIS CHAPTER No. 56 U. D.—meets at Odd Fellows' Hall. Henry J. Lynn, M. E. H. P.; R. C. Steever, Secretary.

R. AND S. M.

EUREKA COUNCIL, No. 6—meets 3d Monday of each month—Odd-Fellows' Hall. D. B. Forster, Th. Ill.; N. J. Wiggin, Rec.

TEMPLARS.

CYRENE COMMANDERY, No. 4—Meets 4th Monday of each month. Geo. Mellersh, Com.; T. J. Barchus, Rec.

CALVARY CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX, 18th, No. 1. Charles W. Adams, Eld. M.; W.; H. T. Tomlinson, 33d, Sec.

I. O. O. F. DIRECTORY.

GAYOSO ENCAMPMENT, No. 3, I.O.O.F—meets on the 1st and 3d Thursday nights of each month, at 7½ o'clock. D. C. Trader, C. P.; A. Hunn, H. P.; Thomas Bacon, Scribe.

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E. E. E. SPECIFICS.

ALL THESE SPECIFICS RECEIVED PREMIUMS AT THE VIRGINIA STATE FAIR NOVEMBER, 1869. The undersigned proposes introducing them in this city, and intends curing all patients suffering with Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sciatica, and all pains of the limbs and joints, Dysentery and Diarrhea, FREE OF ANY CHARGE WHATEVER, at his rooms in the Lehmer House, where certificates can be seen.

For diseases requiring private and confidential consultation, from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. These diseases will be successfully treated without requiring change of diet or interference with ordinary business.

The Specifics to be found at G. W. Jones Drug-store, Main street.
ISRAEL ELIAS.
jy22

LOCAL NEWS.

—Storage cheap at 37 Union street.

—W. Z. Mitchell's school, 303 Third St.

—But one white marriage last week—weather too hot.

—Cleaning and Dyeing to perfection, at Hollenberg's, 262 Second street.

—Great bargains in Chickering and other pianos at Hollenberg's, 233 Main.

—To-day is the seventh Sunday after Pentecost, and to-morrow the feast of St. James the Apostle.

—Hollenberg, 233 Main, rents pianos, also has second-hand pianos for sale, and does tuning and repairing.

—Six card pictures for fifty cents. Photographs, $1 per dozen, at Armstrong's Gem Gallery, 211 Main street.

—The first of August is the limit set to the dog days, or, rather, the days of all dogs without licenses, by the Sanitary Sergeant.

—The Recorder disposed of twenty-four cases yesterday morning. Fines to the amount of $259 were assessed, and $85 were collected.

—Broom's Opera House will be the grand point of attraction next week. New "bills of fare" have been provided, and something fresh will be presented every night.

—Yesterday was close and sultry, with threats of rain during the morning. The barometer has slowly declined for two days past, standing at 29.7 in. (the fair weather standing being 29.9 at this point).

—Have you seen those elegant Carriages, Rockaways and Phaetons received from St. Louis by Wilde, Collins & Co? And so cheap, too! Stop to-morrow and look at them.

—The Central Methodist Church, on Union street, has lately been furnished with a new organ, built expressly for the church, in Gothic style. It is said to be a very fine instrument.

—A letter came to us yesterday by mail from Bayou Bartholomew which had been two weeks on the way. At the same time we received one by hand from the same place the third day after it was written.

—Parties from the other side represent fishing in the lakes to be remarkably good. We saw two negro men returning yesterday morning from Ten Mile Bayou with a string of perch almost as heavy as they could carry.

—Steamboat pilots at present in the city are invited to meet at Felix Fransiola's, corner of Union and Main, at eleven o'clock this morning, for the purpose of considering matters of interest to every pilot.

—Owners of valuable pups would do well to be making arrangements to have them licensed, collared and muzzled, as Sanitary Sergeant Smith informs us he intends soon to commence a vigorous campaign against the dog population, under the new ordinance.

—It is no longer a matter of doubt that a political *coup d' etat* of great importance will be attempted by the Radicals at the coming elections. Their plans are well conceived, and, thus far, have been kept very secret. Enough, however, has leaked out to forewarn and therefore forearm our leaders.

—Knowledge Moore is the name of a darky who was arrested by the police yesterday, on suspicion of knowing more than he would tell about some stolen property found in his possession. Knowledge Moore will have more knowledge after being weighed in the Scales of justice on Monday morning. He'll be found wanting—to get out, without the whereabouts to get.

—On Monday the grand tournament comes off at Humboldt Park. The prizes are a splendid patent lever hunting case gold watch, worth $200, for the best gentleman rider; a diamond ring, worth $100, for the most graceful lady rider; and a lady's gold watch for the best lady rider. The grounds have been thoroughly prepared for the comfort and pleasure of the numerous guests which are sure to attend, and we therefore look for a most brilliant affair on Monday.

—There is but a small French population in Memphis and its suburbs, but they are quite as enthusiastic and patriotic for *La Belle France* and the great "Nephew of his uncle" as our German fellow-citizens are for King William and Prussia. One of our best known French citizens says he has $10,000 to stake on the result, and invites bets from enthusiastic Prussians who wish to make a little money by backing their favorite.

—The days of chivalry which Burke regretted, have not all gone if one should judge from the preparations for the grand tournament at Humboldt Park on the 25th inst. Several valuable prizes will be tilted for, and even fair women will enter the lists. Two fine gold watches, a diamond ring, and other valuables are the prizes, and already there are some twenty-five knights entered for the lists. A great crowd is expected on next Monday to see and share the frolic and fun.

—The Hon. Jefferson Davis, before leaving for Europe, addressed the following letter to the Rev. Samuel Boykin, Macon, Ga.: "*Dear Sir*—Accept my thanks for the copy of your memorial volume of General Howell Cobb, whose virtues, services and ability you have in no wise exaggerated. I had full opportunities to know the self-sacrificing spirit and zeal with which he sustained his country's cause in all the varied positions to which he was called during our eventful struggle. Early in the war the Confederate Congress recognized his merit by voting to him a sword, and I had no more pleasing duty to perform than that of presenting it to him. You could not have selected a better example to set before the young men of our country for the purpose you avow. Again thanking you for giving me the opportunity of reading your book, and gratefully acknowledging your kind expressions in regard to myself, I am very respectfully and faithfully yours," etc.

—The attention of our readers is called to the advertisement of St. Agnes Academy, which appears in another column. To those of our readers who live in or near the city, anything further is unnecessary, as the merits of this institution are too well known to need a word of approbation from us. To our country friends and friends at a distance, we most heartily and cordially recommend "St. Agnes," as one of the best, most complete, and withal one of the pleasantest and homelike institutions for the education of females in the South. It is conducted by the Sisters of the Dominican order—an order famous the world over as teachers of the young; it is delightfully situated, near the city, yet so retired as to seem a part of the country, in a healthy neighborhood famed for its health; the buildings are commodious, and situated amid grounds which remind one of an earthly paradise; the course of studies embrace all the useful and ornamental branches of female education. In short, St. Agnes is all that can be desired as a first-class educational institution. Read the advertisement on the first page carefully, for terms, etc.

—From the New York *Clipper* received yesterday, we notice that Messrs. Spalding, Bidwell & McDonough, lessees of the Memphis Theater, have engaged the following troupe for the coming season: J. Clinton Hall, leading man; Harry A. Ellis, juvenile; Harry Ryner, first old man; George Morton, heavies; J. B. Pike, second old man; O. W. Blake, low comedian; Charles Frye, walking gent; W. J. Gilbert second comedy; J. C. Percy, J. McGregor, S. Norman, utility; Eugene Eberle, prompter; Mrs. O. W. Blake, leading; Isabella Preston, heavies and old woman; Amelia Waugh, *soubrette*, and juvenile; Ida Raymond, walking lady; Jeanie Abbott, second *soubrette*, and Mrs. Hall, utility. Several of these "artists" were here last year, and *those* are the only names that we recognize—the balance are "to fame unknown." Those posted in such matters say that the stock is not as good as last season. We suppose that the management propose to make up all deficiencies by the extraordinary brilliance of their *stars*.

—A savage fight occurred in front of Angelo Marre's saloon, under the Commercial hotel, yesterday morning about nine o'clock, between two hackdrivers, John McGinnis, *alias* Fatty, and Pat. O'Sullivan, which resulted in the latter being frightfully punished and mangled. The fight was caused, so we are informed at the station-house, by one accusing the other of having "gotten away with" a watch, chain and fifty dollars in money, stolen from a tipsy man whom they "scalped," the night previous. "Fatty" got the best of the fight from the word "go in," and when he got through with Mr. O'Sullivan, that gentleman's face presented a fearful spectacle. His nose was minus a large piece bitten off the end, leaving only about half the cartilaginous portion of that handle to the human face divine, to tell that it ever existed; a large mouthful had been taken from one cheek, and a smaller one off one ear—in short, Fatty proved himself a first-class operative dentist, that is, if inserting teeth is any proof of skill in that line. The combatants were separated with considerable difficulty, as Fatty held on like a snapping-turtle. A policeman informs us that "if it hadn't thundered just then, he don't believe that he ever could have broke his grip." Dr. Taylor dressed Sullivan's wounds, which, spoil aside, presented a ghastly spectacle. Both were locked up in the station-house, and the case will be heard Monday morning.

—The telegraphic dispatch received yesterday or day before announcing the expulsion of Don Carlos from the French borders, and the present uproar in Spain, reminds one that to-day three hundred and two years ago (24th July, 1568), the original Don Carlos deceased at Madrid—whether by the ordinary course of nature or at the hands of the executioner time has never revealed. His is another striking exemplification of the uncertainty which surrounds the fate of historic personages. The popular account—and that given by most historians, is that he died by violence by the order of his father, King Philip I. The real truth of the story must ever remain a mystery; but enough has transpired to invest the life and death of the gallant and unfortunate prince with a romantic interest. It has been the subject of at least two dramas—one by Campustron, who transferred the scene to Constantinople, and in the room of Philip I, substituted one of the Greek Emperors, and the other the noble tragedy of Schiller, now known in every tongue as one of the most imperishable monuments of that mighty genius. What will be the fate of the present Don Carlos?—aye, of all those whose ambition is now drawing them to grasp at the Spanish crown? Another anniversary is also recalled to us by the present complications in Europe, and the probable attitude of England and Spain in the struggle between France and Prussia—we allude to the capture of Gibraltar by the English on the 24th of July, 1704—a feat of arms achieved by Great Britain, whose influence has never ceased to be felt, not only by Spain, but by the whole world. The attack commenced on the 21st of July and ended on the 24th—a fact which proves one of two things—or maybe both—the vast superiority of the English force; or that the Spaniards under estimated the value of the stronghold.

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DRESS GOODS MARKED EXTRA LOW.

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SPECIAL REDUCTIONS.

A splendid line of Striped Linen for BOYS' WEAR,

AT

TWENTY-FIVE CENTS PER YARD.

We will not be undersold; so be on hand at the great closing sale, Monday, July 25.

A. SEESSEL & SON.,
259 Main street.

FIVE HUNDRED boxes Candles just received by Wilde, Collins & Co., to be sold at prices that defy competition.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Judah, nurse and children, of this city, were at Washington Hall, Saratoga, on Sunday last. Mr. Judah is the partner of our friend Mr. Tomlinson, in the management of the Southern business of the Globe Life Insurance Company, of New York.

LAW REPORTS.

Second Chancery Court---Yerger, Chancellor.

Pursuant to the provisions of the court bill, the Chancellors divided and apportioned the unfinished business of the Chancery Court of Memphis, between the First and Second Chancery Courts of Shelby county, giving to the Second Chancery Court rule dockets Nos. 9, 10, 11, 12 13 and 14, embracing all causes instituted in said court since July 23, 1868, commencing with No. 2824, and also all causes which have been transferred from said rule dockets to the hearing docket.

All attorneys having any papers belonging to the Second Chancery Court will please return them to this office, as I am compelled to make up new dockets, and cannot get along without them.

M. D. L. STEWART,
July 22, 1870. Clerk and Master.

Second Circuit Court--Judge Halsey.

The motion docket was called and disposed of yesterday. Owing to a prior interchange made between Judge Heiskell and Judge Flippin, the announcement heretofore made that Judge Heiskell would sit and hear cases in which this Court is incompetent, on yesterday, was not fulfilled. On Monday Judge Heiskell will sit as aforesaid, after which Judge Halsey will hear motions for new trial, sign bills of exception, etc.

Criminal Court----Flippin, Judge.

All persons under indictment were arraigned yesterday and entered their pleas. A jury was called in the case of P. L. Doyle indicted for perjury, but up to the hour of adjournment of court only nine jurors were obtained.

First Chancery Court---Morgan, Chancellor.

Met and adjourned without transacting any business. Meets on Monday at 10 a.m.

First Circuit Court---C. W. Heiskell, Judge.

To-morrow the cases set for trial and published for yesterday will be tried; also the case of Jordan et al against Ragland et al, specially set.

Attorneys are reminded of the fact that this court will adjourn next Thursday, to court in course, and that all bills of exceptions must be presented and appeal bonds given on or before Wednesday next.

IMPORTANT QUERY.

Editors Appeal: Will you enlighten the tax-payers of Shelby county on the following subject: In June, 1861, the County Court, anxious to prevent suffering among the families of Confederate soldiers, appropriated $20,000 in scrip to issue payable at six months, to be negotiated with the banks of Memphis, and to be checked out by the Tax Collector, the money being deposited to his credit. October 7, 1861, $7000 per month out of Courthouse fund was ordered, bonds therefor to be issued by County Judge and negotiated with the banks and disbursed as above. February 28, 1861, $12,000 in bonds ordered same as above. April 7, 1862, $12,000 more in bonds ordered same as above. Committees were appointed for each ward and district to ascertain worthy parties.

Can you or any one else state the amount of warrants and bonds issued, with what banks negotiated, at what price, and if the deposits were exhausted; also, what became of the warrants and bonds, whether outstanding, and if unpaid how much. INQUIRER.

A. M. ERNST, Electro Gold and Silver Plater, 379 Main street, Jackson Block, room 10, second floor, Memphis, Tenn.

Being convinced that Mr. Ernst is a practical plater, and capable of doing good work, we recommend him to the people of Memphis and vicinity.

F. D. BARNUM & CO.
F. H. CLARK & CO.
W. C. BYRD.

THE SAFEST COUNTRY LOTS at the Picnic or Cottage Grove. Place takes place on Wednesday morning next at 10 o'clock. Parties desirous of securing a homestead in a delightful part of the suburbs should be at the salesrooms of W. H. Passmore & Co., on the morning of sale at 9 o'clock, the hour designated for the omnibuses to start to the ground. The terms of sale are the most liberal offered this season. We refer our readers to the advertisement.

A LUSCIOUS DESSERT—Schepp's Cocoanut at

WILDE, COLLINS & CO'S.

A. SEESSEL & SON'S

Great Closing Sale This Week.

We have marked our entire

SUMMER STOCK OF DRY GOODS

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EXTRA LOW FIGURES!

All goods as advertised.

Dry Goods lower than during the season.

A GENERAL CLEARING SALE OF ALL

SUMMER FABRICS!

Don't fail to be on hand Monday, July 25th.

259 MAIN STREET,
Opposite Court Square.

JOE LOCKE has the largest assortment of dailies on his counter at 236½ Main street.

CONNUBIAL FELICITY.—Nothing tends more to connubial happiness than cheerful and healthy infants and children. Mrs. Whitcomb's Syrup is the great children's soothing remedy.

THE effect of Simmons' Regulator on the stomach, liver and kidneys is prompt and effectual.

HITE & CORWINE, proprietors of the Job Printing establishment in the APPEAL Building, 14 Union street, are now prepared to execute orders for Job Printing on the shortest notice. The patrons of the APPEAL will bear this in mind and act accordingly.

SEE advertisement of Dr. Butts' Dispensary, headed, Book for the million—MARRIAGE GUIDE—in another column, it should be read by all.

HALF-DOZEN first quality Wamsutta F. Y. Shirts made to order for $18.

WIGGANS & THORN,
233 Main street.

LADIES' JET JEWELRY

LATEST STYLES,

AT J. ROESCHER'S JET PALACE,

328 MAIN STREET.

All Jet Goods bought in my establishment will be repaired without charge.

J. ROESCHER, Jeweler.

FOR CONGRESS.

A Suggestion from an Old and Honored Citizen of Memphis.

Editors Appeal: We have had so many elections during the present year that the minds of our people almost revolt at the thought of others and further excitement. Still we have a duty to perform as good citizens and well-wishers of our country, and must go through with what we have undertaken, viz.: To establish and continue the great Democratic party in power in this our beloved country. We may congratulate ourselves that when our August and fall elections are over excitements from that cause will be few and far between. A strong effort will be made throughout our broad land, at the November elections, to drive from power the party under which we have lived and struggled since the close of the war. If we can get control in either house of Congress, we can stop President Grant in his wild career of squandering the people's money and so conducting the affairs of this great nation as to bring us in disrepute in the eyes of the civilized world.

Since the close of the war this District has had almost no voice in the halls of the lower house of Congress. From this we have deeply suffered and borne our wrongs as best we could. When Dr. Leftwich represented us, he did all he could for our people. He was inexperienced, his health was feeble, and no more attention was paid to his appeals by the party in power than would be by a tornado to a flock of blackbirds which might be in its course. His successors, D. A. Nunn and the immortal W. J. Smith, although belonging to the party in power, had no more tact or influence in carrying out the wishes of their constituents than would a good sized schoolboy. We are tired of this, and want some one to represent us in Congress who has industry, experience and capacity to know what we want, and be able to exert the proper influence and management to obtain it. In casting my mind over the District for a good man, and one who could be admitted to his seat, I can think of none so eminently suitable as Capt. Alfred T. Lacey. He is a gentleman well known, worthy and well qualified. In the good old days of Democracy and Whiggery, he belonged to the latter party, and, although living in a Democratic district in Missouri, he was time and again elected to the legislature over his Democratic opponents. Political campaigns were in those days conducted as honorable warfare. In the case of Capt. Lacey, it shows the estimate in which he was held by the people. He greatly distinguished himself as a leading member of the body to which he was repeatedly elected. He was ever foremost in whatever was likely to contribute to public good, and was ever watchful of the wants of his immediate constituents. He is just such a man as we want to represent this district in Congress. When the two great parties know a Radicals and Democrats were forming after the close of the war, he at once identified himself with the Democratic or Conservative party, and was one of the warmest supporters of the liberal policy of President Johnson in the latter part of his administration, which come so near costing him a forfeiture of the office which he held. When the war broke out Captain Lacey was a citizen of Missouri. His warm feelings in sympathy with the people of the South were well known to Federal soldiers in his region. They at once commenced acts of oppression and destruction of his property, which caused him to sell out and flee to Memphis, with whose people he has since that time been intimately associated in their pursuits, and all the public enterprises which are likely to redound to the benefit of Memphis and West Tennessee. His active co-operation with the Democratic party is well known to the people of this District. Captain Lacy is just such a man as we want, to represent us in Congress. He is a man of few words, bold and decisive in his thoughts and actions, and by his extensive acquaintance with legislative affairs and public men, he can, in my opinion, do more for us than any other man whom we could send to Washington. It would be extreme folly in us to send a representative to Congress who would not be admitted to his seat. We have already felt the effects of such a course, and should not repeat an error in that respect. *There is no question about the eligibility of Captain Lacey.* He, perhaps, contributed more largely to the relief of Confederate prisoners, and Southern people who were in trouble during the occupancy of Memphis by Federal soldiers, than any other individual in our midst. His position and influence enabled him to do so, and he did it freely and without reward except the consciousness of having done a good act for an oppressed people. These things came within my personal knowledge, and I think a suitable reward is due for disinterested services thus rendered. I hope that Captain Lacey's modesty will not cause him to shrink from a compliance with what I believe to be the wish of a large number of our people, and that he will permit his name to go before the Convention which assembles in due time to make a nomination.

We must have an experienced and reliable representative in Congress to assist in getting the necessary aid for building the Southern Pacific railroad with Memphis as a terminus, and also aid for our Kansas City railroad, the building of which is of such vital importance to our people. For these and other reasons we want just such a representative as Capt. Lacey would make. I hope he will unhesitatingly announce himself as a candidate subject to the approval of the Convention.

DEMOCRAT.

ONE MORE WEEK IN JULY

AND

Greater Bargains than Ever Before.

We Will Close Out Summer Stock Entire, During the Next Few Days.

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Lace shawls, black and colored grenadines, and a complete assortment of dry goods, at the Southern Palace Bankrupt Sale.

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The St. Louis Bell Treble Piano the Pride of the South.

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THE RIGHT WAY TO DO WHAT ALL ARE ANXIOUS TO HAVE DONE.

The National Land and Emigration Company of the United States, recently chartered by the State of Mississippi, with a capital stock of $6,000,000, has decided to locate its parent office in Memphis. It proposes to confine its operations more immediately to the States of Tennessee, Mississippi, Arkansas and Texas, with the purpose of offering the millions of acres of cheap and productive lands, now unoccupied in these States, to the settler and emigrant, and to give information and furnish facilities so as to enable this class of citizens to secure for themselves advantageous locations, and become active producers, thus adding immensely to the wealth and prosperity of this section.

Governor Alcorn has been made President, and Colonel F. M. White and Col. D. C. Cross, Vice Presidents. E. McDavitt, Esq., has been chosen Treasurer. Dr. A. T. Shaw has charge of editing the publications of the Company, which are expected to be numerous and voluminous, as one of the means of accomplishing one of the objects of the enterprise will be the dissemination of information concerning the advantages and characteristics of the various localities which it is proposed to assist in settling.

Gentlemen of large experience from the North are connected with the Company, and it would appear that the enterprise has all the combinations necessary to insure success.

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THE WAR.

The Irishmen of Memphis on the Situation.

Enthusiastic Meeting Last Night at the Criminal Court-room.

There was a large and enthusiastic meeting of our Irish fellow-citizens at the Criminal Court-room last night. The body was composed of the most influential and respectable Irishmen in our city, and their deliberations, though fervent and enthusiastic, were characterized by dignity, sobriety and earnestness. Each one seemed to feel that an era was approaching which might offer a chance for the display of all of the long pent fires of Irish patriotism and devotion.

The meeting was called to order about 8½ p.m., by Mr. Doyle, who nominated Thomas Moffatt, Esq., to the chair, which was unanimously carried.

On taking the chair Mr. Moffat made a few neat remarks, thanking the meeting for the honor etc. Maj. Jos. Barbiere was then elected Secretary, on motion, declaring that although he was the son of a Frenchman yet as the Irish, French and Spaniards were descended from one people he presumed he might venture to serve.

On motion the Chair appointed a Committee of five to adopt suitable resolutions.

While the Committee retired the Chair announced that according to agreement Col. Geo. R. Phelan would now address the meeting. Colonel Phelan commenced by stating that it was necessary for the objects and sentiments of this meeting to be so distinctly understood that there be no chance of mistake. That it was positively not to array the Irish Americans in antagonism to either France or Prussia, but simply to consult as Irishmen as to the probability of England becoming involved in the war, and to declare our faith that "England's foe is our friend, and her difficulty our opportunity." This was received with cheers. He then went on to speak of the notorious fact of Ireland's wrong and suffering under English rule, comparing its present condition with that of the days when, if uncivilized, they at least were Irishmen free and happy in their own country. He dwelt upon the weakness of England in comparison with that of other great powers, "that she was but the bare point, without breadth, strength or capacity upon which the glories of her former greatness cast the splendor of their recollections, and by the mere glitter of their associations, dazzled the minds of the doubting and incredulous." Declaring his sentiments true, and would be filled with love to Ireland, warning against the evil effects of dissension and factious quarrels among Irishmen, and advising that money and not men was needed from this country, he closed by a peroration declaring that "the giant fabric of the venerable English constitution was already rocking and reeling beneath the powerful blows of Republican principles. The drum beat which encircled the world had grown faint, and the sun which never set upon the crimson glories of her flag had grown dim in the rising clouds, and mists of his setting. Soon the final crash of her overthrow, shall leave but a lonely ruin on the site of her glory, and from amid the broken fragments of her destruction, the long sought boon of Irish independence, should arise in beauty and strength, like some tall palm which waves its verdant shadows over the deserted ruins of Palmyra, on Baalbec." The close of Col. Phelan's remarks were received with cheers and applause.

Mr. P. L. Mitchell was the next speaker, and delivered an eloquent and forcible speech, frequently interrupted by applause, in which he indorsed Col. Phelans views, and in a clear resume of European politics showed the impossibility of England's remaining neutral in the present contest. He expected Irishmen to be ready to seize the moment when it should arrive to strike a blow for Irish independence and declared his belief that the opportunity would soon offer. Mr. Mitchell took his seat amid warm applause, and the Chair then announced the reception of the report of the Committe on resolutions, which consisted of Messrs. Doyle, Sweeney, League, Pendergrast and Meehan.

The resolutions were to the effect that Ireland is no country's foe save her hereditary tyrant, England, and that should *she* become involved, the Irish-Americans would pledge their money and support to their brothers in Ireland. The resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Mr. Mulvihill being loudly called for, made a neat and felicitous speech which was received with applause, after which the meeting adjourned in the best possible timber and disposition.

PO ITIVE CLEARING SALE.

Extra Inducements---The Balance of Our Summer Stock at a Sacrifice.

We are determined to close our entire stock of Spring and Summer Goods, and will offer same at prices to insure sale.

A splendid line of Scotch Ginghams will be closed out at extra low figures.

Don't fail to price our

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Great inducements.

A. SEESSEL & SON,
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RAILROAD NEWS.

It is just sixty-nine years ago to-day, July 24, that a joint-stock undertaking was completed which marked an era of the world's history, scarcely less important than that of the invention of the steam engine, or the discovery of the electric telegraph—the completion of the Surrey *iron* rail-way from Wandsworth to Croyden. We should regard it as a very trifling affair if witnessed now. A train of donkeys drawing cars laden with stone along a very narrow guage railway, but its significance is to be estimated in reference to things of that day. It was from seeing how small a motive power was necessary to draw vast loads along this Surrey *iron-road*, as it was then called, (for an abbreviation of the name of Benjamin Outram, who was one of the projectors), that led engineers to speculate and experiment on the use of steam-power, on similar roads, and the wonderful railroad system of the present day was the ultimate result. It is worth noticing in this connection that after a disuse for several years the narrow-guage is again being revived, and is daily growing in favor among engineers.

THE recent destruction by fire of the bridge of the Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St. Louis railroad over the White river, at Richmond, Indiana, suspended all traffic on the road, and it became a necessity to reconstruct the bridge in the shortest possible time. The efforts put forth succeeded in accomplishing the quickest feat in bridge-building on record. The structure consisted of three spans, each one hundred and eighty-five feet long, making a total width of five hundred and fifty-five feet, and the height of the rails over the water was seventy-four feet. No less than three hundred and twenty thousand feet of lumber were required, and so prompt were the managers of the undertaking that on Saturday and Sunday seventy-four cars were dispatched to the scene of operations with lumber. Then two hundred and twenty-five men went