WANTS.

EVERYBODY to know that now is the time to plant fruit trees, grape vines, etc., and that I have as fine a stock as there is in the country, which I will sell cheap for cash. Call and examine, corner Washington and Third sts. [fe21] R. F. BABCOCK.

BOY.—An intelligent trustworthy boy, from 15 to 18 years of age, for the office. Apply this day at room 35, 40 North Court st. [fe21

SITUATION—By a young man, 18 years of age, in a grocery store. Salary no object; good reference given. Address at this office [fe21 G. R.

PORTER—At 186 Front street.

PARTNER—Of intelligence and steady habits, at Grand Junction, Tenn., who is acquainted with the people and country, to begin the business of selling and renting to Northern men, property in the adjacent counties. W. J. LEAK.

A GENTLEMAN or LADY, a good Vocalist and Performer, from private life, to travel with a party of the first respectability. A gentleman or lady amateur would find the situation all that could be desired. Address [fe19] J. T. ELLESMERE, 210-212 Front Row.

POSITION—By a thoroughly competent bookkeeper in a first-class commission or wholesale house. Best references given. Address B. W., Appeal office. fe18

SITUATION—As Superintendent of a Farm by a young man of life-long experience in the business. Address J. R. BASS, 55 Poplar st. fe17

A ACTIVE PARTNER, with a capital of two thousand dollars, to run a Saw Mill, already established, close to Memphis. Address A. J., this office.

PERSONAL.

IF Mr. Bland will call on Captain George Mellersh, he will hear of something to his advantage.

TO LOAN.

$500.—Address F. A., Appeal office.

MEDICAL.

DR. W. K. DAMERON, HOMEOPATHIST, Office—278 Second street, Memphis, Tenn. Office hours from 7 to 10 a. m.; from 1 to 3 p. m.

FOR SALE.

60 HEAD of Plantation Mules; also a lot of large No. 1 Mules, Plantation Horses and Mares, second-hand Buggies and Harness, at Armstrong's Commission and Sale Stable, Union st., near Main. fe17

HOUSE AND LOT—No. 69, corner of Main and Overton streets; 24 feet 9 inches front, by 75 feet deep. Apply at No. 13 Overton street. fe14

NON-EXPLOSIVE LAMP.—The Perkins & Rouse Non-explosive Kerosene Lamp is now offered to the citizens of Memphis as a perfect protection against all the dangers accompanying the use of coal oil in other lamps. In addition to its absolute safety, under all circumstances, it emits no odor it burns; and it gives more light, with less consumption of oil than any other lamp in the market. It challenges comparison with all other patents, new or old. Retail depot in Memphis, No. 313 Second street, southwest corner of Monroe, up-stairs.

R. G. PATTON, General Agent.

Canvassers wanted for Shelby and surrounding counties. fe14

ENGINE—A second hand engine, 12 by 16 inch cylinder, five flue boiler. Also a circular saw frame. Address, T. L. CAREY, Como, Miss. feb19

BLUFF CITY MILLS, 197 Poplar street; in good repair; will sell on easy terms, or rent. D. P. MYERS, fe9 297½ Main street.

LEASEHOLD—Of sixteen years on a fine brick Residence, well suited for an extensive boarding-house, and offering unusual advantages in ground-rent and taxes. Will be either sold, rented or traded, at a great bargain. ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO.

LOT AND COTTON SEED—142 feet on old Madison st., between Bayou and Charleston depot, now occupied by J. W. Walker. Also—LOT on east side of bayou, between Gayoso and Madison streets. Inquire of THOMAS WICKERSHAM, 76 Jefferson st.

SECOND-HAND COTTON MACHINERY FOR SALE—Consisting of Openers, Lappers, Cards, Drawing Frames, Speeders, Spinning Frames, etc. This machinery is now in use, but in good condition, and will be sold cheap. For description and price, apply in person or by mail to THOMAS SHAW, Agent Fremont and Suffolk Mills, ja15 eodaw Lowell, Mass.

FOR RENT.

ROOMS furnished, at 379 Main street. fe21

WITH BOARD—A furnished room, suitable for a family or a gentleman. Apply at No. 16 Madison street. fe18

ROOM—Three large front rooms over my store, 355 Main street. S. G. RHINE. fe18

ROOMS—The suit of rooms (3) lately occupied by Heath & Frayser in the brick building southwest corner of Union and Second streets. Apply to B. RICHMOND. fe18

MAIN STREET STORE—No. 224, lately P. H. Heinrich's. Apply for one week. fe18 W. A. WOLF, Bethel Block.

HOUSE—With 8 rooms, kitchen and servants' room, spacious yard and cistern, No 24 Union street. Apply to C. W. VOORHIES, No. 9 Union street, up-stairs. fe18

PLANTATION TO RENT.—On the 22d day of the present month I will rent the Brown Plantation, on the St. Francis river, and will sell the stock (or rent their use) and other property with the place. Notes, with approved security, required. Steam-power Gin and Saw Mill on the place.

G. M. J. PILLOW, fe10 Agent of Receiver.

Helena Clarion copy twice.

CHICKASAW COTTON.

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CLAYTON ALONE RESPONSIBLE.

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Governor Clayton has by his own indiscreet and persistent persecution of Lieutenant Governor Johnson, brought himself to the unenviable attitude he now occupies. He was elected to the United States Senate by one of the most complimentary votes ever accorded any mortal man for

TORE—No. 37 South Court street, a few doors from Main street; store-room and basement; each 27 by 74 feet, for lease. Possession given immediately. Apply to R. C. BRINKLEY, fe18 No. 38 Madison street.

FOR RENT OR SALE.

FARM—A valuable farm of 201½ acres—70 cleared and very productive; good houses, orchard, garden, fuel, etc., etc., on Lagrange road, one mile south of Raleigh, and near M. and O. R. R. Will sell cheap, or will lease the same for 1871. For particulars call on M. D. L. Stewart, Memphis.

ja15 ANDREW STEWART.

CHANCERY SALE OF REAL ESTATE ON TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1871.

No. 2315—Second Chancery Court of Shelby county, Tenn.—Mary A. Schoonover vs. Sarah W. Banks.

BY virtue of an order of sale made in this cause, I will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, in the front door of the Clerk and Master's office of the Second Chancery court of Shelby county, in the city of Memphis, Tennessee,

On Tuesday, March 14, 1871,

within legal hours, the following described real estate, lying and being situate, lying and being in Shelby county, Tennessee: Situate on the south side of the German-town road, about 4½ miles from Memphis. Bounded on the east by D. Cockrill's farm; on the south by the lands formerly sold by James C. Jones to Knox Walker; on the west by county avenue, and on the north by the Germantown road—containing 105 acres, more or less, and being the place formerly the residence of the late James C. Jones, deceased, and the dwelling-house thereon.

TERMS OF SALE—Upon a credit of seven months; purchaser executing note with security; lien retained to secure purchase money. Equity of redemption waived. This February 20, 1871.

M. D. L. STEWART, Clerk and Master.

Beecher & Belcher, Sols. for complaints. fe20

Graham Flour,
Cracked Wheat,
Oatmeal,
Rye Flour,
Corn Starch.

OLIVER, FINNIE & CO.

LOCAL NEWS.

—Leddin's College.

—Attend Robertson's College.

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

—J. J. Suter, Furniture, 282 Second st.

—Gold and silver plating at 42 Monroe st

—Cleaning and dyeing to perfection, at B. A. Hollenberg's, 262 Second street.

—THE DAILY APPEAL, five cents per copy, can be had of all newsmen in the city.

—Fine lunch spread daily at Hole in the Wall. Don't fail to call on George, No. 19 Monroe, opposite Peabody Hotel.

—Will. Mansford, at his book and periodical store, has all the late magazines and illustrated and weekly papers.

—The DAILY and the WEEKLY APPEAL can be had of all the newsmen in the city—Joe Locke, on Main street, Mansford, on Second, and Emmons & Son, on Jefferson street.

READ Walker Bros. price list.

GAS FITTING, 315 Second street.

SEE advertisement of Dr. Butt's Dispensary, headed "Book for the Million—Marriage Guide," in another column. It should be read by all.

AVOID QUACKS—A victim of early indiscretion, causing nervous debility, premature decay, etc., having tried in vain every advertised remedy, has a simple means of self-cure, which he will send free to his fellow sufferers. Address, J. H. TUTTLE, fe19 78 Nassau st., New York.

CITY PARAGRAPHS.

—A beautiful high altar will soon adorn St. Patrick's Church.

—Lent begins this year to-morrow, the 22d instant, and ends April 9.

—The verdict of the jury in the Graves-Poston murder case, pronouncing the defendants guilty, is approved by the public judgment.

—Many a property holder who owes taxes will be "distressed" to-day by a quiet little billet doux, signed by the City Tax Collector.

—Mrs. Mulloy, an editress of an Indiana paper, is coming here to lecture on "marriage." She is not the girl that Pat went home to marry.

—There are four million acres of untaxed land in this State. The Comptroller should direct a share of attention to this broad leak in his empty till.

—Soft, balmy breezes, last evening, swept along the river shore, inducing a multitude of people to spend an hour or two among the cotton bales that adorn the promenade.

—Many sales of real estate, of the aggregate value of $60,000, have been declared inoperative and void by special Chancellor Wilson, in the suit of Machika vs. Rocco *et al.*

—Van Pelt & Gibson sell boots made of anaconda skin at sixty dollars per pair, while a fellow can have snakes in his boots for twenty-five cents. They must make money.

—McKenzie is becoming prosperous. The boarding-houses are eight in number, while the saloons are only six. In a population of eight hundred there are sixty mechanics.

—The plantation proposed to be exchanged for Memphis railroad stock is on the Arkansas river, forty miles above its mouth—the finest in the valley of the Mississippi.

—The Parisians will probably say neigh to all future wars. They devoured seventy-three thousand horses in the past three months, and at the dinner table will never more be hobby-horsical.

—A mission will commence next Sunday, in St. Bridget's church, corner of Overton and Third streets. The redemptionist fathers, from St. Louis, will conduct the mission during two weeks.

—The man killed at Germantown, by an explosion of kerosene, was not, as stated, using the non-explosive kerosene lamp at the time. As its name implies, this beautiful lamp is really non-explosive on the Davy principle.

—The little earthquake of last week at San Francisco did not disturb the bubbling of Hot Springs, but Clayton has been making the country boil over there. He and his whole Legislature are in hot water, and Arkansas may be swallowed up by a political earthquake at any moment.

—The Sisters of St. Peter's Orphan Asylum return their thanks to the friends of the institution who so kindly secured the services of Dr. Rogers to lecture in behalf of the orphans. The net proceeds of the occasion amounted to $42.

—Jujube paste, of which pretty girls in this city are exceedingly fond, is made of glue and molasses, and of the same composition with printers' rollers. When we stated the fact to our devil he proposed to buy the old roller of the Hoe press as "long sweetening" for his bright-eyed sweetheart.

—There is a valuable life-size portrait of the late Hon. Wm. Mowry Yancey at the Clark Gallery. It should be more carefully preserved in some public or private collection of paintings. Mr. Peabody, a famous artist, is making from this portrait an admirable cabinet likeness of Mr. Yancey for a gentleman of New York.

—The following gentlemen constitute the standing committees of the Memphis Agricultural and Mechanical Society, viz: Ways and Means—John C. Fizer, A. J. Hays, Nathan Adams. Fair Grounds—R. Bayliss, C. D. Anderson, A. B. Haynes. Premiums—N. C. Perkins, A. B. Haynes, Joseph Bruce. Invitation and Reception—A. J. Hays, John C. Fizer, N. C. Perkins. Printing—R. Bayliss, C. L. Anderson, Joseph Bruce.

—There were eight drunks tried before His Honor the Recorder yesterday morning. There were also eight lewdnesses, and about three times that of a miscellaneous character. The fines were light. There was one case of some magnitude, that of Copeland, who was charged with robbing a lady of the name of Lizzy Clarke of eighty-five dollars. Copeland roams up in the Gayoso building, and had a great wad of dentists' tools, which the court considered burglarious. Copeland was bound over and turned over, and then the court adjourned over.

—The capstone of the new building on Madison street, belonging to the Planters' Insurance Company, was placed on top Saturday evening. There was also a wreath, flags and flowers raised above it, which fluttered gayly in the breeze all Sunday. The great derrick was taken down yesterday, so that the magnificent front presented a bold appearance to the delighted gaze of the architectural connoisseur.

—A tall, well-looking, slouchy and rather handsome country girl was found wandering round Second street yesterday morning, carrying a little black bag full of varied articles. She was taken to the station-house by a policeman to be looked after, as she did not appear in a fit condition to take care of herself. She remained in the antechamber of that little penitentiary all day, enjoying the sights with much gusto.

—The election for School Commissioners, for the Fourteenth District, took place yesterday at the court-house, corner of Union and Second streets. The following received a majority and are, therefore, "duly elected, etc.": A. D. Witherspoon, A. C. Treadwell and J. J. Rawlings. There was no opposition. These gentlemen had been School Commissioners before the war, and will resume their duty with it.

—A lady named Wilson, lost her pocket book on Fourth street, between Poplar and Washington, yesterday. She was coming from the market and encountered a number of boys, one of whom cried out to her: "Hello, mistress, look here, your spillin' your milk," and as the lady inclined over to wipe the milk from her dress, one of the scamps snatched her pocket-book containing $5.75. The police did not find the youth up to last night.

—Republicans as are our people, and sympathizing with France, few question the propriety of restoring the monarchy. In fact neither the Napoleonic empire nor a republic will be re-established. Republicans and Imperialists combined constitute hardly one-third of the French Assembly. France is not the only country that philosophizes about freedom and self-government, but is utterly incapable of its maintenance. We might cross the ocean, leaving the old world, and find states in the new, even at our doors, whose people, as represented by their law-givers, seem incapable of wise self-government.

—A statement has been going the rounds of the press to the effect that the boilers of the Judge Wheeler, which exploded recently, were made of Tennessee boiler iron of Hillman Bros.' make. We have been at some pains to learn as to the reliability of this statement, and are able to say that it is not true. The boilers were made here by Peter Lawless, from iron made by parties in Cincinnati. So Mr. Lawless states. Messrs. Orgill Bros. & Co., 340 and 342 Front street, are agents for the sale of Hillman Bros. iron in this section of country.

—An unemployed clerk in Montgomery, Alabama, was told that he could do well on a farm, but was only too lazy to work. "Try me," said he. He was offered $200 to drive a dray for a month, and has robbed the money. He made a capital drayman and continues the business. There are between fifty and one hundred young men in this city seeking clerical positions, and the fact should be made known in order to prevent a further depopulation of the country. Thousands of the same sort are unemployed in each of the great Northern and Western cities.

—Iron boats, in great numbers, will soon navigate the Mississippi. Captain Adams proposes gradually to convert his steamers of wood into those of iron. Of the excellences of the latter he is well satisfied, but he proposes to move cautiously. Eight hundred thousand dollars are invested in the business of iron boat building at Milwaukee. Cincinnati has an iron boat building company with a capital of half a million dollars, and a company of the same sort is organizing at Pittsburg. We need one or two additional boats for the rivers of Arkansas to conduct the augmented business begotten by railroads.

—The Memphis pulpit boasts of some of the most learned men in the country. Dr. Wheat, the courtly and elegant gentleman, of whose ability we have on other occasions spoken, is an ex-Professor of the University of North Carolina, and Mr. Walk for many years was a Belles Lettres Professor in a Western university. Hence the simple elegance and purity of his diction. He began life very poor, and, like Andrew Johnson, read books while seated on a tailor's table. He has declined the proffered Professorship of a flourishing college because he deemed it his duty to "go about doing good." The productions of his pen have often adorned the pages of literary quarterlies. Dr. Ford has won great fame as a *litterateur*; and one of the most tasteful belles lettres scholars of the country is the rector of Grace Church. There is a Catholic priest of the city distinguished for his critical classical taste and learning. Of others we may speak hereafter.

—Ruth & Corwine, proprietors of the Job Printing establishment in the APPEAL Building, 14 Union street are now prepared to execute orders Job Printing on the shortest notice. Th patronat of the APPEAL will bear this in mind and act accordingly.

GUILTY.

The Verdict in the Case of the Murder of Schofield.

Yesterday morning the jury in the Cuba prisoners' case returned this verdict:

"We, the undersigned jurors, find the within named Samuel Poston and Frank Graves guilty of murder in the first degree, as charged in the indictment, and recommend them to the extreme mercy of the court."

They had agreed to this verdict about 10 or 11 o'clock on Saturday night, but could not then return it, as the court could not be convened. They had been working on the case three weeks, and felt good when the Judge said briefly, "Gentlemen, you are discharged."

Poston and Graves were sitting at the table in their usual places, looking as usual, except that they evinced a trifle more indifference in their appearance than on any day during the trial. On some occasions during the trial there might have been observed a certain buoyancy, and even cheerfulness, in their manner that was entirely gone yesterday. It was a dull repose; it was a stated indifference not incompatible with a full knowledge of what was coming. They were not startled, not moved, not even surprised, but prepared. Graves' wife and children were not present. They were in the clerk's room, at the other end of the hall; the shock of the announcement might have been too much for them, and they were kept wisely back. When the verdict had been read General Sale demanded a poll of the jury. Their names were read by the clerk, and after each he asked the question, "Is this your verdict?" and each answered in a distinct tone, "It is, sir." When the jurors left their seats, and mingled once more with their fellow-citizens, General Sale said the prisoners wished a motion for a new trial entered, which was accordingly done. In a short time the court recessed to two o'clock, and the prisoners returned to the jail. It is not expected that sentence will be passed until the end of the term. The argument on the motion for a new trial is set for Saturday.

LAW REPORTS.

Second Circuit Court—Halsey, Judge.

The case of Clarke (for use, etc.) vs Jackson Insurance Company et al is still on trial, and will be resumed this morning at the usual hour of opening of court.

Second Chancery Court—Scott, Chancellor.

To-day is motion day. All motions must be tried or stricken from the docket on the third call.

First Chancery Court—Morgan, Chancellor.

Decrees passed yesterday: Bickford vs Coleman, report confirmed; Bickford vs Gleason, deliver note; Waddell vs Stewart, referred; Page vs Commercial Bank, distribution; Cockrell vs Andrews, appeal; Bryant vs Carlton, final.

The unfinished cases of the last calendar will be taken up this morning.

Criminal Court—Flippin, Judge.

The following cases are set for to-day: Nos. 787, W W Kingdon, keeping gaming house; 835, Willis Jones, larceny; 843, Jerry Bolton, carrying concealed weapons; 853, Emanuel Williams, larceny; 757, Rachael Richardson, assault and battery; 880, John K Brown, assault and battery; 1007, Isaac Hopkins, assault and battery; 1016, Merry Sherry, keeping house of ill fame; 1022, D H McFall, carrying concealed weapons; 1023, Ambrose Copperwood, carrying concealed weapons; 1024, Walley Pickett, ——; 1025, D. H. McFall, assault and battery; 1028, Jacob Levy, assault and battery; 1033, Sam Dickens, carrying concealed weapons; 1057, Henry Clark, carrying concealed weapons; 1059, James Diggs, assault and battery; 1063, Albert Cash, assault with intent to murder; 1070, Bettie Grant, assault and battery; 1075, Moses Bolton, malicious trespass; 1077, Wm Bridgwater, larceny; 1088, Anthony Berton, assault and battery; 1094, Lewis Jackson, assault and battery; 1095, James Henniger, robbery; 1097, Fortune Walker, ——; 1099, J W Jones, larceny; 1099, John Ewing, larceny; 1099, James Hays, assault and battery; 1092, John Bell and Wright, burglary; 1100, John Kelly, larceny; 1105, Charles Smith, larceny; 1107, George Stewart, larceny; 1109, Richard Miles, larceny; Raymond, larceny; Eliza Stanfield, larceny.

First Circuit Court—Heiskell, Judge.

About thirty-five cases were disposed of yesterday.

The following is the calendar for to-day: 777, Mickle et al vs Greishaber; 857, Jackson vs Wellhe; 829, Herring vs Stoddard & Co; 860, Byrne vs Sutton & Joyner; 861, Lambeth & Co vs Sims & Co; 863, Mayor and Aldermen of Memphis vs Peres; 864, same vs Caro; 866, Cosgrove vs Harmstad; 867, McGregor & Co vs Jones; 868, Fahnstock vs Wade; 869, Staples vs Humes; 870, McComb vs Atkinson; 871, Hunter vs Shelby county; 872, Laski, use, vs Mayor and Aldermen of Memphis; 873, Voorhies vs Patrick; 874, Eakin vs Jefferson; 832, Montgomery, surviving partner, vs Devine; 792, Wickersham vs Chenault; Colon Bank vs Wilding Paper Co vs Bielock & Co; 837, Wallace & Sons vs Malatests; 844, M Combs, jr, vs Trader and wife; 875, Stillman, administrator, vs Schoonover, admx; 878, Mayor and Aid of Memphis vs O'Donnell; 879, Mayor and Aldermen of Memphis vs Henck; 881, same vs Moffatt; 883, Alexander vs Sale; 890, Walsh vs Bruder et al; 893, Mayor and Aldermen of Memphis vs Lindemann; 894, Mosby, surv. part. vs Speed, Donoho & Co; 895, Parrott & Bush vs Block & Bro; 896, Mahon vs Grain and wife; 897, Brummer vs Wadell; 898, Reid vs Wells & Coll; 899, Woodward vs Jefferson; 900, Stovall vs Saint et al; 901, Walker Brothers vs Gans; 902, Mosby, receiver, etc., vs Glassick; 903, Alexander vs Dillard; 904, St. L. Montreal L. Insurance Company vs Fletcher; 905, Wright vs Spicer, ex'r, etc; 906, Cloalts vs Taylor et al; 907, Raines vs Heiskell; 908, Dent vs Dickinson et al; 909, Grieshaber vs Ames, Besty & Co; 910, Armstrong vs Grinrod & wife; 911, Trice vs Wimer; 912, Doriack vs Duprey; 913, M & A of Memphis vs Solbert; 914, Tardy, agent, vs Roberts; 915; Hardwick vs Hughes.

Go to JOE LOCKE's for the latest news from all sources.

READ Walker Bros. price list.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE, Demorest, Peterson's and Godey, for February. Also, the largest variety of pictorials, Northern, Southern, Western and Eastern dailies in the city, at Joe Locke's, 236½ Main street.

BROWNE & BROWNE, 315 Second street.

SEA MOSS Farine, from pure Irish moss, for blanc mange, pudding, custards, creams, etc., etc. The cheapest, healthiest, and most delicious food in the world.

GAS STOVES for Restaurants, at Browne & Browne's, 315 Second street.

For Coughs, Bronchitis and Consumption, in its early stages, nothing equals Dr. Pierce's Ait. Ext. or Golden Medical Discovery. It is also a great blood purifier and strength restorer or tonic, and for "Liver Complaint" and costive conditions of the Bowels it has no equal. All scrofulous and skin diseases, as pimples, blotches, salt rheum, erysipelas and eruptions, yield to its wonderful curative properties. Sold by druggists.

AN EXTENDED POPULARITY.—"Brown's Bronchial Troches" have been before the public many years. Each year finds them in new localities in various parts of the world. The Troches are pronounced universally superior to all other articles used for similar purposes. For relieving coughs, colds, and throat diseases, the Troches have been proved reliable.

STEAM FITTING, 315 Second street.

AMUSEMENTS.

MEMPHIS THEATRE.—The Gaitlie Comique Company arrived yesterday from St. Louis, and appeared last evening to a full Monday night house. Pete Lee, Sheridan and Mack, Billy Carter and Sam Collins are all excellent in their line and were repeatedly encored, while Miss Jennie Engel, M'lles Ada and Rose Boshell and M'lle Elise do very well. Miss Angela, the "strong woman," performed some wonderful feats of strength. Mons. D'Atlie did not appear, as he is suffering from an attack of typhoid fever. The house will be crowded to-night.

SURPRISE DOLLAR STORE,

209 MAIN STREET.

"WHAT have you taken for it?" said Mrs. Laura Thompson to her friend, Miss Lake, referring to a sick headache wish which the young lady was continually afflicted. "Oh," said Miss L., "I've taken cathartic pills enough to load a cannon." "Discard them," said her friend, "and try my medicine, Plantation Bitters. Bile is the cause of your difficulty; and I know by experience the bitters are a certain cure for biliousness."

Miss Lake adopted Mrs Thompson's advice, and was cured within a fortnight. She is now at the Metropolitan Hotel, and will confirm this statement.

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NASHVILLE *Union and American*, also *Banner*, at Joe Locke's 236½ Main street.

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THE PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY, OF SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.

We call attention to the annual exhibit of this sterling company, in to-day's issue, showing net assets, IN GOLD, over one million seven hundred thousand dollars. The Pacific is one of the soundest institutions in the country, and in addition to the large capital of the company, by the laws of California and the charter of the company, each stock-holder is individually liable to the policy-holder. The Atlantic branch of the company is managed by Messrs. Frame, Hare & Lockwood, of New York, represented through the Southern States by M. A. Stearns, Esq., and in our city by the old established firm of H. T. Tomlinson & Co., at No. 17 Madison street, and its affairs, in every detail, are carried out upon none other than the most undeviating business principles. Its terms are as low as the nature of the hazard will permit; its security, undoubted, and its losses honorably adjusted and paid promptly without quibble. As an additional security to policy-holders, the company has on deposit with the State authorities in the Southern States alone the sum of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS—merits worth weighing when you wish to insure your property. Call on Colonel Tomlinson, at his office, No. 17 Madison street, insure your property, and if misfortune, in the shape of the fire fiend, overtakes you, you will not regret our advice.

SURPRISE DOLLAR STORE,

209 MAIN STREET.

NEW BOOKS.

In our book notices of yesterday we were made to give the title of a new novel as "Talvi," which was the *nom de plume* of the deceased author. The title of this work is "Fifteen Years. A Picture from the Last Century." It is from the press of D. Appleton & Co., of New York, and is for sale at Boyle & Chapman's, 279½ Main street. We repeat: "When we say that it is the most absorbing interesting book of the kind now before the public, we say no more than a careful reading of it will discover to those who may set themselves to the pleasing task. Once taken in hand, we can safely promise that this work will not be laid down until finished. It is a story to rivet attention and possess the mind long after it has been put away in a permanent place on the book shelf. It has the approval of the poet Bryant."

HOBBY HORSICAL.

The toast of Duncan MacLean, of the Bay Horse saloon, where all true Scots are wont to congregate, pronounced at the Burns Festival, was—

The taste of liquor, clearness, odor, shade, are living proofs of their specific grade.
You'll find all these that are of highest source,
Freeport, fair, frigid, foaming, fresh with force
And hence the name of the famed Bay Horse.
Rich, heavy wines, that are both sweet and white,
The body's size increase and even its light,
Art sick from vinous surfeiting at night,
Try at noon the Bay Horse, you'll set you right.
Who water drinks at meals, hath mischief brewed,
Then stomach chilled, voids undigested food,
Avoid cold water, since once was drowned therein,
All sinful beasts and men of sin,
and it was the Bay Horse that went ashore unharmed, and still stands at the corner of Monroe and Second.

SURPRISE DOLLAR STORE,

209 MAIN STREET.

PERSONAL.

Edmund Orgill, Esq., of New York, the genial English gentleman who has so many friends in Memphis as any exsubject of Queen Victoria, is at the Peabody.

The Superintendent of the San Francisco gas works, is at the Overton, making drawings of the Memphis gas works, with a view to the erection of works of the same character on the Pacific coast.

Mr. Ed. Shloss, a well-known citizen of Memphis, now connected with the liquor house of Jacob Mayer, Philadelphia, leaves to-day on a business trip through out Mississippi, Alabama, etc.

Mr. Stearns, general travelling agent of that reliable and solid fire insurance company, the Pacific, of San Francisco, is in town on business for his company. We publish elsewhere an abstract of the condition and growth of the Pacific, which we think one of the most flattering that has come under our notice.

We had the pleasure yesterday of meeting Colonel Lara C. Baker, Division Superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Company, of Little Rock, ark. He is a guest at the Peabody Hotel. Colonel Baker, as an officer of the leading telegraph company of the world, is regarded with high favor by the President and officers, and is justly esteemed by the people of Little Rock, who speak of him as among the most promising and advancing of their rising young citizens.

POSTAL AFFAIRS.

LIST OF UNCALLED FOR LETTERS.

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.

Anderson miss E	Boyd miss H
Chisam miss E D	Cisam miss U E
Dyson miss C	Dean miss E
Davis miss M	Ganter mrs M
Harris Missouri	Jones mrs A
McKinney mrs M	Moon Sarah (col'd)
Neal mrs R	Wynn mrs R

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Bobo W G	Guion J L	O'Brien S
Barker E	Goodrich A	Quinlan M W
Bilocke & co	Grant J	Parrish J r
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BOY DROWNED.

Yesterday a young boy—a child, in fact—only five years old, son of Mr. Reed, of the firm of Reed & Buckham, Front row, was drowned in a vault in a vacant lot, on Hernando, between Vance and Elliott streets. He was playing round there with a number of other children, and, having occasion to stoop for something, he tumbled into the hole and was drowned. The lot is open, so that unthinking children, in pursuit of fun, may rush in there to amuse themselves. There are three cisterns in that immediate vicinity uncovered and on open lots, each ready to serve as a trap in other cases like this. On DeSoto street, also, between Elliott and Vance, there are two uncovered cisterns, not over two hundred yards from those named above. There is a law in the charter against open cisterns. Who has charge of its enforcement?

The verdict of the jury summoned by Coroner Moffat was "that the boy came to his death from effects of drowning, by falling into a privy vault on Hernando street, situated on the Harris estate. We find, from investigation, that the property owners and sanitary police are much to blame, inasmuch as they have failed to have sunk privy vaults and cisterns covered; and most respectfully recommend that the matter be fully investigated by Coroner Moffatt."

RIVER NEWS.

BOATS LEAVING THIS DAY.

Napoleon	A. J. WHITE	12 m
Friar's Point	GEO. W. CHEEK	5 a m
White river	LEGAL TENDER	5 p m
Evansville	ST. MARY'S	5 p m
St. Francis river	ST. FRANCIS	5 p m

ARRIVALS.

Phil Allin	Friar's Point
H. S. Turner	New Orleans
St. Francis	Wittsburg
Belle Memphis	St. Louis
Legal Tender	White river
Alice Dean	Cincinnati
A. J. White	Napoleon

DEPARTURES.

H. S. Turner	Louisville
Mollie Able	New Orleans
Nightingale	Cincinnati
Mary Boyd	Arkansas river
Phil Allin	Friar's Point
Belle Memphis	St. Louis
Shannon	Cincinnati

IN PORT.

St. Francis,	St. Mary's,	A. J. White
Alice Dean,	Legal Tender,	G. W. Cheek

RIVERS, WEATHER AND BUSINESS.

The river at this port is swelling slowly and the upper streams are also swelling, but our dispatches give the latest news from all points. The Arkansas and White river are reported rising a very little with plenty of water to all points. The weather is very pleasant and spring-like, and business is active on the levee.

BY TELEGRAPH.

CAIRO, February 20.—Port list: Sam Brown, from St. Louis and return, 9 p.m.; Armadillo, from New Orleans to Cincinnati, 10 p.m.; Indiana, from Louisville to New Orleans, 11 p.m.; Minnie, from St. Louis to Arkansas river, 1 a.m.; Pauline Carroll, from New Orleans to St. Louis, 8 a.m.; Grand Tower, from Memphis to St. Louis, 10 a.m.; Bismarck, from Mound City to Cairo, 11 a.m.; Silver Bow, from St. Louis to Shreveport, 11 a.m.; Petral, from Pomeroy to Memphis, 1 p.m.; Valid, from St. Louis to Louisville, 3 p.m. The river rose 2 feet. Weather cloudy. Mercury, 50.

VICKSBURG, February 20.—Up: Potomac, eight o'clock last night; H. C. Yeager, 7 a.m.; Natchez, 12 m. River falling. Weather clear and pleasant.

NASHVILLE, February 20.—The river is falling, 11 feet on Harpeth Shoals. The weather is fair and pleasant.

NEW ORLEANS, February 20.—Arrived: John Kilgour and Mary Houston from Louisville; Mary Alice and barges and John Kyle, from St. Louis; John T. Moore, F. W. Strader, from Cincinnati. Departed: Virginia, for Louisville; Imperial, Mary Alice and barges for St. Louis.

LOUISVILLE, February 20.—The river commenced to decline this evening, 7 feet 1 inch in the chute, 9 feet 1 inch in the canal. The weather has been pleasant all day. Mercury, 60. Shipments light. Arrived: Warner and barges, from Cincinnati; Mary Ann, from New Orleans. Departed: Warner and barges, for New Orleans. The barge Red Stocking, which was sunk on the falls in December last, was raised to-day and brought through the canal and will be towed to Cincinnati for repairs. The falls pilot will take 28 boats of coal through the canal to-morrow for the South. The John H. Groesbeck for New Orleans, waited till to-day to go over the falls, but the river falling, compelled her to take the canal. The damages of the Glasgow have been repaired, and she is advertised for Little Rock and Forth Smith to-morrow.

ST. LOUIS, February 20.—Arrived: Bon Accord, from Mound City. Departed: City of Chester, for Memphis. River rising, about 10 feet to Cairo. Weather quite warm.

CINCINNATI, February 20.—River fell to 22 feet 6 inches, and rose to 24 feet. The weather is clear and pleasant.

PITTSBURG, February 20.—The weather is very mild. Monongahela 10 feet 3 inches and falling. The Emperor leaves on Friday with nine hundred thousand bushels of coal. Shipments last 1,777,000 for Louisville, 182,000 for New Orleans, 80,000 for Madison. This comprises shipments already made, and several boats to go yet.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Shannon was in port loading cotton for the upper ports, but it was not known that she would get out before to-day.

The Minnie, Nortkwestern, Kate Kinney, City of Cairo, City of Quincy, were all due from above last evening.

The A. J. White came in last evening with an excellent trip, and was compelled to lay over until to-day at noon, when she will back out for Helena, Friar's Point, Napoleon, and all way landings. Captain John Washington commands, and Charley Smither is chief clerk.

The Geo. W. Cheek, with Captain Mark Cheek on the roof, leaves to-day for Friar's Point and all intermediate landings. She is a popular and safe packet. Frank Gentermain is her chief clerk.

The St. Marys, Captain Andy Robinson, will back out this evening for Cairo and Evansville. Mr. Henderson has charge of the office.

Mr. Sterling Whitehead, who is well known in this city, is now one of the clerks of the Geo. W. Cheek.

The United States mail packet Legal Tender, Captain John Elliott, will get away this evening for all landings on White river to Jacksonport. She connects with the Little Rock train, and with the Fort Smith for Black river. Ed. Postal, Arthur Field and Dan. Sullivan are her competent clerks.

The Potomac leaves to-day for Louisville and Cincinnati at five p.m. Shunk, master.

The United States mail packet Celeste, with John Hartlin on the roof, leaves tomorrow for Little Rock and all way points on the Arkansas. The Celeste is an elegant passenger packet.

The Shannon will leave to-day for Louisville and all way landings. Beaty is master.

The fine passenger steamer City of Quincy will leave for New Orleans to-day at tour p.m. J. T. West, master.

The splendid steamer St. Francis, Captain Tobin Shannon, leaves to-day for all landings on St. Francis river to Wittsburg. Sam Palms, Berry and Clark are her clerks.

Messrs. Mills, Dent, Ledbetter & Cooper, of Vicksburg, have purchased the Lizzie for $16,000. She goes into the Yazoo trade.

We are indebted to Dan Sullivan, clerk of the Legal Tender, for a manifest of that steamer.

James Howard, the bo