AMUSEMENTS.

MEMPHIS THEATER.

Spalding & Pope.....Proprietors

COMMENCING MONDAY, OCT. 9,

SAM SHARPLEY'S SILVER SHOW,

Combining the talent of

LOGRENIA,

The London Eccentoteur; the European troupe of Trained Canaries, Java Sparrows, Paroquets, White Mice, Russian Cats and Carnival of Crosses! Or, a present for every one that attends. The presents range in value from 50 cents to $50, consisting of gold and silver watches, barrels of flour, silver plated ware, furniture, fancy goods, cutlery, etc.

Admission, 25 cents with present; Parquette and Dress Circle, 75 cents with present.

GREENLAW OPERA HOUSE

Saturday Night, October 14th.

ONE NIGHT ONLY.

ORPHANS' CONCERT!

By Thirty Children,

From Lauderdale Springs, Mississippi, Orphans' Home.

Fellow-citizens of Memphis!—By the urgent solicitation of the Trustees of this House, we have been conducting a series of concerts for the benefit of helpless children of the Confederate dead. This year we provide for 20 children. About 80 more are now asking for admittance into the Home. Will you help us provide for them? While most of these are the children of fallen Confederate soldiers, a majority of them are children of Masons and Odd Fellows. Our boys are now making the brick, and we are endeavoring to raise means to build substantial houses that the children may be taken from their old shanties before another winter, and that these houses may stand to bless orphans yet unborn. Come out and hear the children. The scene will awaken the better emotions of your heart.

A. D. TRIMBLE, Ag't.

Admission, 50 Cents | Children, 25 Cents

Doors open at 7 o'clock; Concert commences at 7½ o'clock.

"When thou cuttest down thine harvest in thy field, and hast forgot a sheaf in thy field, thou shalt not go again to fetch it; it shall be for the stranger, for the fatherless and for the widow; that the Lord, thy God, may bless thee in all the work of thine hands."—Deuteronomy 24-19. octlesond

WANTS.

BOARDERS—Unfurnished rooms, with board; and day boarders can be suited at 164 Court street; good room and central location. oct1

BOARD—With a room, in a private family, by a young man; best of reference given. No boarding-house need apply. Address, stating terms, R. J. H., Appeal office. oct3

BOY—An active boy, for dining-room and general housework. Apply at the Southern House, Second st., Chelsea. oct1

SITUATION—In a grocery house, as salesman, or partnership in a commission business; can command money and cotton. Address (octl) CLYDE, Appeal office.

SITUATION—As porter, driver of delivery wagon or watchman, by a young man who can give good references. Address J. K., at this office. octl

100 BEEF CATTLE—To graze a penfield. Apply to E. R. Sharps, on Dunn Place, four miles southeast of the city. (oct1

SITUATION—In any capacity, from porter to bookkeeper, by a competent person; salary not so much an object as employment. Address "C." Postoffice, Memphis, Tenn. octl

SITUATION—By a young man (Canadian) who is a memphis citizen; is a professional and has good references. To acquire knowledge of Southern trade, will give his services for his board. Address R. E., this office. (oct

SITUATION—As bookkeeper, or assistant. Address R., Appeal office.

SECOND-HAND Furniture, Feathers and Household Goods of all kinds bought at 332 Second street. E. T. SIMONS.

TAILORS—Twenty No. 1 tailors to go to Little Rock, Ark. Apply to HOWES & WOOLDRIDGE, 280 Front street. octl1

FOR SALE.

THE CHARLESTON HOUSE—At Depot of Memphis and Charleston railroad. This is a large, commodious hotel building, now the property of a gentleman abroad, who will sell, if not sold privately, will be offered publicly, on Saturday, October 14th, to the highest bidder for one-half cash; balance in twelve months, with interest. Apply at Room 2, Planters' Exchange Building, Madison street.

GEO. W. WINCHESTER.

MERCHANT'S LICENSE—Having nine months to run; will sell it for $10. Address J. M., this office.

COTTAGE—A handsome new story and a half cottage, containing six rooms, convenient to street cars, and in a good neighborhood; price, $2000; will rent for $30 per month. Address P. A. R., Appeal office. o12

MULES—A fresh lot of mules arrived last night; a good lot of mules and horses on hand at all times, at FARRIS & JAMES' Stable, No. 353 Second street. oc7

LOTS—On five years' credit, ten beautiful building lots in South Memphis, on Bayborn avenue and Broadway street. Why rent? The same money will buy you a home. Address No. 7 Monroe st. T. T. W.

LOT—Fine residence lot on Wilkerson st., 50x150 feet, for $350 cash; good location; convenient to street cars. D. A. McOMBER, Room 8, County Court building. se27

LOTS—On Walnut street, on time. Apply at 38 Union st. GEORGE DIXON.

ANO. 1 COUNTER AND SHELVING for a grocery store. Also, one Stearns & Marvin's Fire-proof Safe. Apply to se28 PARTEE & HARBERT, No. 11 Union st.

RESIDENCE.—A desirable residence, No. 438 Jefferson street; 8 rooms and Kitchen; good servants' house, stable and carriage house, coal and wood house, excellent cistern under new shed, all in good repair; price low and terms easy. Apply on premises. se27

SAW-MILL.—One A No. 1 Steam Saw-Mill, complete, with Grist attached (forty-horse power). Apply to J. A. ONLEY, jy4 No. 266, Second street, Memphis.

BLUFF CITY MILLS, 167 Poplar street; in good repair; will sell on easy terms, or rent. D. E. MYERS, se6 267½ Main street.

FOR RENT.

OFFICES—Two first-class cotton offices; also, storage. E. ACKERMAN, oct4 6 and 7 Howard's row.

ROOMS—Two nice front rooms on Main street, suitable for offices; also, 3 or 4 nice rooms, suitable for sleeping rooms. Inquire at No. 23 MAIN STREET. oct4

HOUSE—One two-story frame house, No. 212 Tennessee street. Apply to M. S. THEZEVANT, oc3 No. 7 Madison street.

348 MAIN STREET—Second and third floor, suitable for wholesale business or a millinery store.

COTTAGES—At Looney's Switch, Hernando street railroad. Apply to B. F. Smith, 36 Front street, up stairs. oct1

RESIDENCE—An elegant and convenient residence for rent, and furniture, handsome and complete, for sale at a bargain. Inquire or address office No. 81 Lee Block, Union street. oc29

RESIDENCE—A first-class cottage residence on street cars, commodious and shady. Also a nice two story brick, fine grounds. W. A. WHEATLEY, 280 Main. oct

COTTAGE—A comfortable cottage, containing five rooms, on Adams street, east of Orleans. Apply at 36 Union street. oc6

HOUSE—No. 286 Union street; 8 rooms in good repair; large cistern; spacious yard. Apply to MINOR MERIWETHER, oc5 95 Union street.

STORE—A No. 1 Store on Main street, and rooms over same suitable for offices and sleeping rooms. Also, a first-class residence on Court street. Apply to R. DUDLEY PRAYSER, oct No. 7 Madison street.

ROOMS—Three desirable rooms in Stanton Block, suitable for cotton offices. Apply to GEO. D. CROCKETT, se30 No. 7 Union street.

HOUSE—No. 82 Manly street, containing 9 rooms, all in good condition. Inquire of se28 W. M. BOOTH, No. 43 Second street.

ROOMS—Suit of rooms, one furnished, corner of Madison and Main. Address C., this office. se28

RESIDENCE—An elegant suburban residence on Walnut street, dwelling with six rooms and two acres of land; accessible to street railroad. The land is well set with the most choice fruit trees. Apply at No. 38 Union street. (se26) GEORGE DIXON.

COTTAGES and other Houses in North and South Memphis, for rent. se15 W. A. WHEATLEY, 280 Main street.

2 STORE-HOUSES, Nos. 363 and 365 Main street, now occupied by Bering & Lotze, and Hite & Shotwell.

One of the finest suite of rooms in the city, corner Madison and Front streets, now occupied by the Surveyor of Customs.

Offices and rooms on Main, Madison and Union streets, for rent. Apply at se13 36 UNION STREET.

HOUSE—A two-story dwelling-house, with six rooms, two dressing rooms, kitchen and servants' room, on the corner of Pontotoc and St. Martin streets. Apply to jy22 S. S. LLOYD, 351 Main street.

STOLEN.

MARE—From my residence, three miles west of Mount Pleasant, Mississippi, a small bay mare; star in face, branded on left hip with letter W, and on left off foot; 15 or 16 years old. Will pay liberal reward for her delivery to me. Any information please leave with John N. Ware & Co., 178 Front street, Memphis, Tennessee.

oct1 OBEDIAH HOUNDS.

SEE advertisement of Dr. Pensery, headed Book for the Million—Marriage Guide—in another column. It should be read by all.

HEAT, COMFORT AND ECONOMY.—This you will get by having your grates set with Lemon's Improvement. Call at 216 Second street.

BOARDERS.

BOARDERS—Several nice unfurnished rooms, with board; also, a few day boarders wanted at 71 Union street. oct2

ROOMS AND BOARD.

ROOMS AND BOARD—No. 1 rooms, with large closets, and first-class fare, at 57 Court street. octl

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

PLANTATION—An unsurpassed plantation in Arkansas, improved soil, within five hours' ride of the city, to sell or exchange for property in the city, or on the Memphis and Charleston railroad, within 25 miles of Memphis. Apply to octl MALONE, THOMAS & CO.

LOST.

MULE—A medium size black mare mule, with small white spot on her forehead and one also on her jaw; the letter "P" is branded on her jaw, and is about 6 years old; $25 will be paid for her return to octl H. B. SHARPE, 4 miles S. E. of city.

FOR LEASE.

DWELLING—With 5½ acres of land, on Bass avenue. Apply to se28 F. A. CHIALLA, 435 Shelby street.

☞ The city subscribers who fail to receive their papers promptly, will oblige us by sending word to this office.

THE MAMMOTH SUNDAY APPEAL is certainly the best advertising medium ever presented to the attention of this public. Its large circulation is distributed among a class of readers not reached by the every-day editions, while its broad pages enable us to give proper display to the cards of our patrons without trenching upon the space demanded for reading matter.

DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The members of the Executive Committee of the Democratic party of Tennessee are requested to meet in Nashville on Tuesday, the 31st inst.

D. B. THOMAS, Chairman.

CITY PARAGRAPHS.

—The city hospital is nearly full of patients.

—Yesterday Noslis complained of being without a boarder at the station-house.

—Mansford is selling about a hundred tickets daily for the fair drawing.

—The fire department replenished the empty city cisterns about town yesterday.

—A barge with two or three thousand bushels of coal sunk at the foot of Poplar street yesterday.

—The Southern Express company will transport all contributions to the Chicago sufferers free of charge.

—There was a meeting of the Emmet guards held last night, to consider the aspect of the Pembina question.

—We certainly owe the editor of the Canadian (Ark.) Democrat one for his expression of good will toward the APPEAL.

—There were more marriage licenses issued this week by our county clerk, than during any previous week in several years.

—It is said there is a stock of coal in the city at present which amounts to about 1,200,000 bushels. It is likely to be dear during the winter.

—Eason's case was given to the jury at noon yesterday. Up to sundown no verdict had been found. The court adjourned and the jury was locked up.

—This is motion day in the criminal court. A verdict in the Eason case is looked for this morning, after which the judge will hear motions from counsel.

—Would it not be a proper move for our merchants to close business in the afternoon of Tuesday, and thus allow their employes a chance to participate in the great drawing at the fair?

—Thomas Keely, of Second street, who subscribed $20 to the sufferer's fund, was spelled Kely by the collectors and got into the papers, which was not doing justice to the generosity of Mr. Keely.

—Mr. John Celia, of the Invincible Saloon, the noted "cocktail" man, will return from Chicago in two days, Sunday, just the morning young men want cocktails. "You know how it is yourself!"

—The best arguments that have been advanced yet on the tariff question are vented at the weekly meetings of the Irish literary association. Free trade is the opinion up for discussion at present.

—Mr. William Booth, a prisoner confined in our county jail by order of the United States authorities, on a charge of kn-kluxing, died early yesterday morning. He was from Obion county.

—A telegram from Gus Signaigo, now at Nashville, to the interests of the liquor dealers, says that the measures of relief sought are likely to be accorded by the general assembly.

—One gentleman bought fifty tickets for the fair drawing yesterday. He remarked that he never won anything in his life, but he would have the satisfaction of helping along a great industrial enterprise.

—An anonymous correspondent writes us, that the person ejected from the cars of the Mobile and Ohio railroad was not a Louisville drummer, but a drunken vagabond. If so, why did the writer withhold his name from us?

—The drawing of prizes amounting to $10,000, at the fair, next week, constitutes one of its most attractive features. The great number of tickets sold assures a large attendance, each ticket-holder being admitted to the fair grounds without further charge.

—The committee appointed by the county court to investigate claims of holders of the Barbour-Lewis warrants, will go to work at once and conduct the investigation with vigor. Those who have claims had better be looking after them.

—The fund raised here for the relief of the Chicago sufferers, which amounts to over $21,000, will be sent to the chairman of the relief committee to-day. That part of the fund which was collected in the hands of Mr. Davis, of the First National bank, and foots up nearly $15,000.

—The large suit which came up for investigation before Judge Heiskell of the first circuit court, on Monday, involves damages to the amount of $400,000. It is a suit brought by the Bayou gas company against the sureties of the Memphis gas company. There are half a dozen wealthy gentlemen on the defensive side of the suit.

—We learn from Messrs. Forster, Kealhofer & Co., on Front street, that the Tanner sisters, of Lonoke, Prairie county, Arkansas, took a $500 premium for the best bale of Arkansas cotton at the State fair in St. Louis. Lonoke is a thriving, prosperous, healthy, go-ahead town on the Little Rock railroad.

—We learn that the story brought about to the effect that a patient at the county hospital, who stabbed a patient there with a pocket-knife, was not suffering from delirium tremens. On the contrary, the certificate on which he was admitted states differently. It was a personal quarrel, a fight in which the debilitated patient used the knife in a hand-to-hand encounter.

—The sublimity of absurdity is at last reached. The manager of a variety show in this city is running it on the "high moral tone" style. The can-can is danced with a decorum only equalled by the Shakers in their terpsichorean devotional saltations, and the bruisers, Joe Coburn and Dwyer, appear in a set-to between the scenes of the panorama "A Journey to the Holy Land."

—The New York Democrat of Saturday says that Mr. Edwin E. Overall, lately of Memphis, Tennessee, claims to hold the "copyright" of the newspaper title, "The South," having published a journal with that title in Memphis, in January, 1871, and secured the copyright. Mr. Overall claims that the recent appropriation of that title by some publishers in that city, is a violation of his legal rights, and asserts his intention to recommence the publication of the South in New York on the first of January next.

—Early yesterday morning a drove of mules were running down Third street following a "whooping," wild-looking young man, who was mounted on a horse. While passing the corner of Market, one of the mules that happened to be hungry, rushed at a man who was going out country-wards with a green sign upon his shoulders. The sign looked like grass, and as all grass is hay, there is no doubt but the mule thought it to be hay. He seized it in his jaw and ran along among the drove about five squares before he dropped it. The hoofs of a score of ranting animals soon reduced the elaborate sign to the condition of "mashed fodder."

—If all accounts are true, there are believers in spiritualism hereabouts who are willing to back their faith with greenbacks. Rumor says that one of the mentioned magnetic of the secular doctrine proposes to put up a thousand dollars that Professor Van Vleck cannot explain, on other than spiritualistic theories, the manifestations of genuine mediums. Van Vleck, in answer to a card published the other day in this paper, has a letter in another column, in which he makes a seemingly fair proposition, to which we call the attention of the faithful.

—Mr. David M. Philp's admirable and full report of every incident and of all the testimony given by witnesses and of speeches made at Oxford, Mississippi, during the pendency of the Ku-klux trials, is before us. The pamphlet contains 100 pages of closely printed matter, and is amusing, ridiculous, often eloquent and altogether a most interesting contribution to current political literature. Especially is the volume creditable to the skill, accuracy and energy of Mr. Philp. Every lawyer in Mississippi must have a copy, and the whole edition will be devoured with delight in the caverns of the Ku-klux by brimstone lamplights.

—Among the thousand-and-one gift enterprises and lotteries before the public, we know of none conducted on more straightforward principles than Golladay's monthly distributions in Kuxtucky. The next is to be made at Hopkinsville, on the 23d inst. $1,000 in gold is the leading prize. For tickets, send $1 to Golladay & Smith, Bowling Green, Kentucky.

—Exhibitors at the fair are urged to make their entries to-day at the office of the chamber of commerce. They will avoid much confusion on the fair grounds and great delay to themselves by going to the secretary's office and attending to this important matter. They should also see that their articles are delivered at the fair grounds to-day, as the halls will be opened and superintendents and guards will be on the ground to receive and take care of them.

—The Young Men's Terpsichorean Society gave one of their enjoyable soirees last night, for invitations to which the APPEAL is indebted to the courteous attentions of Mr. F. J. LeClerc, Jr., President of the Society—the acceptance of which was alone prevented by a press of office duty. That their refreshment committee was made up of the right material we have the most convincing evidence.

—The dying man, who makes his first aerial excursion among the clouds from the fair grounds, next Tuesday, has almost perfected, we are told, his curious and vast machine. He has evidently been reading Munchausen's curious book, entitled "The Coming Race," since, as we are told, electricity constitutes the motive power. It is to be hoped that Commodore Maury will adopt measures to control, in behalf of our mighty friend, these wind currents, and that the clerk of the weather will watch their precise course, so that we may know in what direction to telegraph for information, when the mighty balloon has disappeared in the dim distance.

—Commodore M. F. Maury, one of the most eminent scientific men in the world, known in Europe or wherever civilization has blessed mankind, as one of the purest and wisest of men, will arrive in our city to-day, on the invitation of Memphis Agricultural and Mechanical Society, to deliver an address at their fair on Monday next. His address will be on a topic which will be of interest to every person in our broad land—the forecast of crops. In honoring him, we honor ourselves. Let Memphis and Memphis citizens give him such a reception as shall proclaim her one of the foremost of cities in the Union, in appreciating eminent merit and honoring intelligence and virtue. We look for one of the largest crowds ever assembled in our city, to hear his address at the fair on Monday.

—Captain R. M. Brown, editor of that racy, sprightly and unique paper, the Mississippi Central, published in Water Valley, is in the city. Our cotemporary is singularly reticent, but we presume his visit has something to do with an affair of honor impending between him and Mr. Jno. M. Bowen, of the Coffeeville Times. We understand that a feud has existed between these gentlemen for some time, which culminated a few days since in a challenge from Mr. Bowen. According to the various written codes of honor the challenged party has the sole right to name the place of meeting, and in the exercise of this right we understand Captain Brown named Memphis and is here to renew the correspondence if necessary. We presume the affair will be amicably settled in a few days, and earnestly trust our friends will adjust the matters at variance between them without an alternative which hazards the life of two good but mistaken men.

—Chelsea is all agog on the subject of street railway extension. The people that dwell in that delightful suburb are not addicted to carriages or buggies. They don't travel in that way. A very pretty little infantry regiment marched down from Chelsea into the city every morning, while from away down south the people come up in all sorts of wheeled instruments of locomotion. It would be well for the people of Chelsea to hold a convention, and see to what extent material aid may be given to the street railway company. The company would be well pleased to have the patronage of Chelsea, but Chelsea must pay her first and fair share of Chelsea's money. But Chelsea need only be patient. The street railroad company sees money in every biped that toddles down diurnally from the heights of Chelsea, and many weeks will elapse before the people of Chelsea will nevermere be footsore.

—We admire that kind of secretiveness, which, in bestowing alms, refuses to "let the left hand know what the right hand doeth;" but we have a stolid and undying aversion to a lady's leaving an editor a bouquet without disclosing her name. Yesterday a handsome lady glided into our counting room, looking like a floral goddess that had strayed from where the soft magnolias blow, and left for the editor a bouquet which still "breathes aromatic fragrances around." Who is the donor? We are told that in her dark eyes truth, holy truth, in its freshness dwelt, that her sweet voice sounded like the music of dreams, that her lovely cheeks were crimsoned with the rich glow of the warm blood, that her lips were as red as her own sweet roses. May no shadow ever rest upon the brow of our unknown friend.

HERZOG & BRO.

HAVE OPENED THIS MORNING

NEW KID GLOVES,

LADIES' TIES,

GROS GRAIN VELOURS,

for trimming.

CALL.

THE VERY best manufactured Hats at Leidy's

MR. W. S. WHITEMORE, Whitemore House, Memphis, Tennessee—Everything testified before Judge Heiskell of the first circuit court, on Monday, involves damages to the amount of $400,000. It is a suit brought by the Bayous gas company against the sureties of the Memphis gas company. There are half a dozen wealthy gentlemen on the defensive side of the suit.

THE LADIES OF THE CHURCH ORPHAN'S HOME will open a refreshment booth on the fairgrounds, where, during the week they hope to see their friends and the friends of the poor and needy children under their charge. At this booth refreshments of all kinds and in all styles will be supplied, including oysters, cold meat, sandwiches and hot coffee—a thousand times better than wine or whisky and harmless in its effects. This booth will be situated opposite Floral Hall and will be neatly and comfortably arranged. All ladies belonging to the Church Orphan's Home association or society are requested to send contributions during the week, and all the ladies of the Episcopal church as well as other good christian women, are expected to send meats, pies and other good things.

DOMINICK MURRAY and the dramatic company from St. Louis, open at the theater on Monday. This may very properly be regarded as the opening of the theatrical season.

OUR COUNTY FAIR will be the grandest occasion of which Shelby county has ever been able to boast. We expect not less than 30,000 strangers to visit it. The $10,000 worth of prize tickets are going off like hot cakes and there is a general interest upon the part of our citizens in the great event.

THE entertainment at the Olympic Varieties, on Washington street, for the benefit of the Chicago sufferers by the recent fire, will be given Tuesday night, when a committee of citizens, designated by President Frank Davis, will receive the tickets at the door. The managers of the Olympic promise to make this the best exhibition they have ever given.

THE LARGEST assortment of Hats in the city at Leidy's.

JUST received, a large stock of Boy's Clothing, in all styles and colors to fit boy's from three to fifteen years old, at the Mammoth Clothing House, 288 Main, corner Madison street.

ECONOMY.—Take your fall clothing to the Steam Dyeing and Cleaning House (Hunt & Hanson's old stand), 246 Second street. HANSON & WALKER.

THE VERY latest Hat styles at Leidy's.

TICKETS FOR THE "FAIR DRAWING" ARE FOR SALE

—AT—

J. C. Eyrich's news depot;
Mansford's news depot;
Joe Locke's news depot;
George Bergman's cigar stand;
Leubrie's cigar stand;
Byrd's jewelry store;
Barnum's jewelry store;
Memphis and Charleston ticket office.
Chris. Steinkuhl's Capitol Saloon.

B. A. HOLLENSBERG'S Memphis Steam Dyeing Establishment, 262 Second street. See advertisement elsewhere.

THE cheapest and best Dyeing and Cleaning House in the city is at 246 Second street (Hunt & Hanson's old stand). HANSON & WALKER.

BOY'S clothing, from three years old up, at the Mammoth Clothing House, 288 Main street, corner Madison.

LOCAL NEWS.

—Leddin's College.

—Attend Robertson's Business College

—Thos. Cabbins, bricklayer, 234 Main st.

—Armstrong's Photographic Gallery, No. 211 Main street. Three faultless gem pictures for fifty cents.

ST. JOSEPH'S INFIRMARY—In charge of the Sisters, corner Third and Jefferson streets.

GO to Joe Locke's, 236½ Main street, for your reading matter.

SEE OUR style Hats—Leidy's.

WE beg to call attention to the sale of the Charleston House, advertised in our columns. It is admirably situated, near the Memphis and Charleston depot, and affords an opportunity for a rare investment.

THE CHICAGO CONFLAGRATION.

Joe Locke, the enterprising news dealer at 236½ Main street, has on his counters the "Cincinnati Commercial" containing a diagram of the burnt district in Chicago with full explanatory notes and facts relative to the great calamity. Also, Godey and Peterson's Magazines for November and late northern dailies and weeklies.

MURDEROUS ASSAULT.

A Traveler Attacked on the Road while Riding Home.

A deliberate shooting with intent to kill took place in the Nonconnah bottom, Thursday evening, about sundown. Fred. Cole was the intended victim. He had been to Memphis attending the trial of Early J. Eason, who was charged with killing a young man by the name of Lyles, in that neighborhood last spring. Mr. Cole was riding home on horseback, and as he had passed a wagon loaded with cotton, which was moving citywards, he felt a shot enter his back near the middle seam of his coat, and went out through his vest in front. He instinctively felt, if the wound had not warned him of the fact, that the shot had proceeded from the men who were riding on the wagon he had passed. Though severely shot, he had grit and strength enough left to pull out his pistol and show fight. He fired at his murderous assailants and they fired at him as long as there was any ammunition left. He was of opinion that he shot some one of the three or four men who were in the wagon. Having emptied his pistol, he rode on his way home till he reached the house of a Mr. Kelly, where he was attended by Dr. Raines, who succored him with all necessary medical and surgical aid, but, at the same time, gave it as his opinion that the wound was very dangerous.

Another account states that there was a regular quarrel between the parties in the wagon and Mr. Cole. Words of the wagon cried out insultingly, "Get out of the way." An altercation ensued, and then firing commenced with the result above stated.

Captain Gray yesterday arrested a man upon suspicion, at the instance of Cole's brother, but it turned out that he was not the person sought. He said, however, that he understood it was a man by the name of Lewis, of Desoto county, Mississippi, that shot Cole. Lewis was in town yesterday with a cotton wagon.

AMUSEMENTS.

ORPHAN'S BENEFIT TO NIGHT.—The benefit for the Orphans of Lauderdale, Miss., comes off this evening at the Greenlaw Opera House. Thirty little performers, who are travelling the country for the benefit of their institution, will present themselves on the stage and delight the numerous audience that we hope will attend the meritorious entertainment. The object of this entertainment is to assist in paying off a heavy debt that hangs over the orphanage, where two hundred little ones find homes and proper attendance.

Editors Appeal—At the close of the war in 1865, when our southland had been laid in ruins by the modern Duke of Alva, the cry of famine—gaunt, hollow-eyed famine—was heard from the people of South Carolina and North Alabama, and the heart of Greeley was made glad, and his hearts of the generous made sad. In answer to their wail for bread Chicago tendered them arsenic and bullets. In the presence of the great calamity which has laid her in ashes and driven forth a hundred thousand people, naked, hungry and penniless, our people forget the cruel mockery, and send liberally of food, clothing and money to save them from starvation and death. This is noble and worthy their ancient renown. But people of Memphis, will your liberty and noble deeds stop here? Will you turn a deaf ear to the appeal of the orphans of the dead soldiers who gave their lives to defend you from the ruthless invader? Tonight, at the Greenlaw Opera, the orphans give a concert to raise funds to build a house to shelter them at Lauderdale, Mississippi. Memphis contributed $30,000 for the relief of Chicago. Will our people give one tithe of that sum to the support of the children of the men who died to give us freedom? We shall see. Let the opera house be filled from pit to dome.

MINOR MERIWETHER.

CHURCH CONCERT.—The concert for the benefit of the Alabama Street Presbyterian church at the Greenlaw Opera House last night was a greater success artistically than financially. Mr. Farmer succeeded in producing an entertainment that deserved a house filled to the top gallery. The attendance was very good, and there must have been realized for the benefit of the church a respectable sum; but the merit of the entertainment was such that we were astonished a larger audience did not appear. The following was the programme:

1. Trio, flute, violin and piano, "Pollitto," Wagner. Messrs Tomlinson, Hollenberg and Levy.
2. Vocal duet, "Darkled," Mr. Peterson.
3. Flute solo, fantasie, "La Somnambula," Remusat. Mr. Farmer.
4. Tenor solo, Mr. Martin.
5. Cavatina, "My Prayers shall rise to Heaven," Donizetti. Mrs. Boyina.
6. Flute solo, "Le Babillard," Terschak. Mr. Farmer.
7. Vocal duett, "The Laurel and the Rose," Messrs. Martin and Gideon.
8. Vocal solo, "Waiting," Millard. Miss Muller.
9. Flute solo, "Last Rose of Summer," and "Home, Sweet Home," Farmer. Mr. Farmer.
10. Guitar solo, "Military Quickstep," Barbiere. Mr. Bischoff.
11. Finale, "Medley of Home Airs for Two Flutes," Messrs. Farmer and Tomlinson.

THE MENDELSSOHN CONCERT is the fashionable affair for next week. Musical quidnuncs are on the qui vive to hear Miss Goodwyn.

THE FAIR AND FESTIVAL of the ladies of the Alabama street Presbyterian church, which will be held at Hocco Hall and commences next Monday, must not be lost sight of; nor the other fact that the same ladies will have a booth at the fairground during the fair week, where they expect to see their friends.

SAM SHARPLEY, who has held forth at the theater for delighted audiences during the week, will appear at a matinee this afternoon and again in the evening. To say that he is a prince among legerdemainists is but to do justice to one who performs his tricks in a neater style and with more wonder-producing effect than any wizard of them all save the renowned master, Anderson. Sam's birds, his mouse, and his cat are so admirably trained as to leave nothing more to be desired by way of illustrating animal sagacity. Of course, the theater will be crowded on both occasions to-day.

SPURGEAN.—Van Vleck will be in the city on Monday, and on the evening of that day will hold forth at the Assembly hall, to elucidate the mysteries of the "pink ghost."

THE MEMPHIS AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL SOCIETY will open a refreshment booth on the fairgrounds, where, during the week they hope to see their friends and the friends of the poor and needy children under their charge. At this booth refreshments of all kinds and in all styles will be supplied, including oysters, cold meat, sandwiches and hot coffee—a thousand times better than wine or whisky and harmless in its effects. This booth will be situated opposite Floral Hall and will be neatly and comfortably arranged. All ladies belonging to the Church Orphan's Home association or society are requested to send contributions during the week, and all the ladies of the Episcopal church as well as other good christian women, are expected to send meats, pies and other good things.

DOMINICK MURRAY and the dramatic company from St. Louis, open at the theater on Monday. This may very properly be regarded as the opening of the theatrical season.

OUR COUNTY FAIR will be the grandest occasion of which Shelby county has ever been able to boast. We expect not less than 30,000 strangers to visit it. The $10,000 worth of prize tickets are going off like hot cakes and there is a general interest upon the part of our citizens in the great event.

THE entertainment at the Olympic Varieties, on Washington street, for the benefit of the Chicago sufferers by the recent fire, will be given Tuesday night, when a committee of citizens, designated by President Frank Davis, will receive the tickets at the door. The managers of the Olympic promise to make this the best exhibition they have ever given.

THE LARGEST assortment of Hats in the city at Leidy's.

JUST received, a large stock of Boy's Clothing, in all styles and colors to fit boy's from three to fifteen years old, at the Mammoth Clothing House, 288 Main, corner Madison street.

ECONOMY.—Take your fall clothing to the Steam Dyeing and Cleaning House (Hunt & Hanson's old stand), 246 Second street. HANSON & WALKER.

THE VERY latest Hat styles at Leidy's.

S. KAUFMAN & BRO., 47 Jefferson street, offer a lot of "Pancake" tobacco of superior quality at reduced prices to the trade.

FIG tobacco of extra quality and make at S. KAUFMAN & BRO., 47 Jefferson street.

AID FOR CHICAGO.

The following sums were handed in to the president of the First National Bank yesterday, collected by Messrs. Porter and Craig for the victims of the great flame:

Ford, Porter & Co $50, D T Porter 50, G A Macrae 25, various cash 30 75, J D Keys 5, M Hemdekberg 5, G A Wilson 2, Rubsch & Durch 10, Martin Cohen 1, P J Quigley 5, Thomas & Guess 10, by gentlemen whose names we could not make out, 18, Mrs Holland 1, Simon Lacle 2, Arnstrong, Neill & Co 25, A Lowenthal 3, S Jentges 1, S G Rinet 5, J H Voegli 5, A M Stoddard & Co 10, William Walker & Co 25, H Rosenthal 5, Samuel Mosely 25.

This makes a total of $15,291 collected, to which the mayor will add $5000 appropriated by the general council, making $20,291. The proceeds of the Olympic theatre last night are added. Mr. Davis will send this respectable sum to the mayor of Chicago to-day.

The members of the general committee are requested to meet at the First National bank this morning at ten o'clock.

INTOLERABLE EVILS.

An Immediate Remedy Demanded.

The necessity for the immediate adoption of means for the speedier and cheaper transfer of freights between this city and Hopefield becomes an imperative public necessity. The complaints that come to us from Little Rock and other towns in Arkansas burden the newspapers of that State, and we receive letters enough denouncing the present condition of affairs to furnish banking capital for a first-class lunatic asylum. Everybody in Arkansas is made to pray for immediate connection with St. Louis, and either Memphis or the Memphis and Little Rock railroad company should remedy glaring evils that offer a premium for the destruction of our trade by rival cities. The difficulty consists in the enormous cost of handling freights here, on the river and in Hopefield. Each box and package from the Louisville road is handled twelve times before it leaves Hopefield for Little Rock. This is ruinous to Memphis and to Little Rock, and cannot be endured. When will wisdom in local legislation enable the railroads to establish central depots, and when may the Little Rock road transfer its trains bodily on a steamer to and from Memphis? This end must be accomplished, and at once.

COLONEL W. R. GREENLAW'S LETTER.

Present public calamities arise from no want of energy on the part of the managers of the Little Rock road. The people of Little Rock demand, and, properly, direct the unbroken connection with Louisville, Norfolk, Charleston and New Orleans. They are not content to pay charges incident to these endless transfers of freight at Memphis. They properly ask that goods and passengers shall not be subjected to all sorts of exactions to the profit of middle-men and the ruin of merchants and cities. Mr. Greenlaw has bought ten locomotives, nine passenger, and one hundred freight cars of the gauge of the roads on the eastern side of the Mississippi. These will be here within thirty days. Within the same period boats will be provided on which whole trains from Louisville or Charleston, or New Orleans can be transferred, without breaking bulk, to Hopefield and Little Rock. Meanwhile a massive body is to be moved; a Mont Cenis tunnel is to be dug; the Mississippi is to be thrumed up, and turned backward; in other words the city councils require a month for laborious cogitation. At the end of that month Mr. Greenlaw will have the gauge of his road changed, his railway ferry will be perfected, his road will be supplied with all needful rolling stock, and will the laborious city councils even then have reached a conclusion? Meet these insufferable exactions imposed on Little Rock, and Memphis, and the country intervening, still be borne? They have cost Memphis and Arkansas perhaps one hundred thousand dollars, and before the great question is adjusted, winter and spring may come and go, and the paralysis of trade may still afflict States and cities, because forsooth, men can't make up their minds. It does not signify so much what conclusion is adopted, but this should be definitively settled and announced at once. If the Little Rock road may not have

THE NAVY YARD,

there is territory enough in Fort Pickering or Overton tract. Let the several roads, wherever the point of concentration may be fixed, have a common central depot, or better than that, let the property of

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be maintained by a centralization of three railways in the navy yard, and of the other three at the foot of Beale on Clinton street. Sectional municipal jealousies will thus be allayed, and north and south Memphis will have in the two great depots, to be connected by an elevated trackway, fixed centers, about which, immutable prosperity will rear workshops, storehouses and palaces.

TIME IS THE ESSENCE

of success. Memphis and Little Rock are, commercially, as one. The prosperity of the one city promotes that of the other. Whatever militates against the fortunes of Little Rock, so does this insufferable tax, involved in eleven handlings of each package, injure Memphis. The road to Hopefield, is also ruinous to Memphis. It therefore becomes our city rathers to accept or reject, at once, propositions submitted by the Little Rock railroad company. It is madness to hold action rather than unwise action that is to be dreaded. Arkansas and Memphis have suffered enough. If the navy yard cannot be appropriated to purposes defined, let the fact be known, and other measures of relief may be adopted at the very moment that the new rolling stock of the road reaches Memphis.

PERSONAL.

Elder W. W. Keep, a Baptist minister, especially well known in Mississippi and throughout the South, is announced as associate editor and general agent of the Baptist, heretofore conducted exclusively by Dr. Graves. It is needless to commend Mr. Keep to the people of Memphis. Reserved a large, prosperous church years ago in this city, and the many will ever greet with welcome this excellent gentleman, and devout christian minister. The success of the Baptist, Methodist and Presbyterian papers of this city is wonderful, and has resulted from the fact that the best men, like Mr. Keep, are proper representatives of the morals and intelligence of their churches and of their newspapers.

Colonel Kinlock Falconer is in town. He gives a good and cheering account of the labor of the Democracy of Holly Springs and vicinity.

Ex-mayor A. H. Douglas, General Ruffin and Colonel W. L. Duff have been appointed a delegation by the mayor, chamber of commerce and railroads to visit Shreveport and there represent us at the railroad convention to be held there next week. We commend these gentlemen to the favorable consideration of the people of Shreveport, Colonel Douglas especially. He was mayor of our city in the years before the war, when our growth threatened to outstrip that of sorrowing Chicago, and knows as much about Memphis, Shelby county and West Tennessee as any man in the State. Messrs. Douglas, Ruffin and Duff will represent us well, and will see to it that Memphis' interests are protected amidst the multitude clamorous to advance those of other important points.

Mr. James Brent, formerly connected with the mechanical department of the APPEAL, is now, in connection with Mr J. M. Hines, publishing a Democratic paper in Rowling Green, Kentucky. We wish him every success.

Mrs. Myra Clark Gaines, whose most peaceful moments have been full of exciting romance, and whose life has been a consecutive illustration of the flexibility of purpose, who has been the foremost figure for thirty years in the most wonderful suit that ever perplexed lawyer and excited the earnest attention of profound jurists and wisdom, who has appeared at the bar the most eloquent of all her learned advocates. This excellent woman, as much beloved for her feminine virtues, by those who know her well, as she implied malice that has lived aloof from the world, is now a guest of the family of ex-mayor Leland.

Commodore Ed. Montgomery