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CLOSING RATES

Yesterday of cotton and gold: Liverpool cotton, 6 1-2d. Memphis cotton, 10 5-8c. New Orleans cotton, 10 7-8c. New York cotton, 11 7-16c. New York gold, 103 1-4.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WAR DEPT., OFFICE OF SIG. OFFICER, WASHINGTON, October 14, 1 a.m.

For Tennessee and the Ohio valley, increasing cloudiness, and at west stations rain areas, warmer southerly winds, and stationary or lower pressure.

OBSERVATIONS YESTERDAY.

WAR DEPT., SIGNAL SERVICE U.S. ARMY, SATURDAY, October 13, 1877, 3:43 p.m.

Place of Observation.	Bar.	Ther.	Wind. Dir.	Wind. Force.	Weather.
Galveston	29.92	77	S.E.	Fresh.	Cloudy.
Indianola	29.88	78	S.E.	Brisk.	Fair.
Louisville	30.10	61	S.	Gentle.	Clear.
Memphis	30.08	63	S.E.	Fresh.	Clear.
Nashville	30.14	59	S.E.	Light.	Fair.
New Orleans	30.04	71	E.	Fresh.	Cloudy.
Shreveport	29.94	71	S.E.	Fresh.	Cloudy.
Vicksburg	30.07	67	S.E.	Fresh.	Clear.

W. M. MCELROY, Sergeant.

OUR Washington dispatches this morning contain the gratifying intelligence that the meeting of the caucus of Democratic members of congress resulted in the almost unanimous nomination, on the first ballot, of Hon. Sam Randall for speaker of the house. This result is an emphatic denial of the calumny that Mr. Randall was the candidate of Tammany hall, and in the complete overthrow of the desperate attempts to organize combinations to defeat him, is unquestionable evidence that the spirit of fair dealing and justice toward all will rule the deliberations of the house during the next session of congress.

THE President yesterday appointed Wm. L. Macmillan pension agent at New Orleans.

THE pressure upon our columns by advertisers necessitates the exclusion of several articles intended for this issue.

A MEETING of the Nashville board of trade was held yesterday, at which Secretary Sherman's policy of contraction was condemned.

THE widow of the late Hon. John Bell died at the residence of her son, in Maury county, this State, on Friday night, in the eightieth year of her age.

AT yesterday's session of the Triennial Episcopal convention in Boston, the question of shortening the morning and evening prayers was discussed at length, resulting in the rejection of the proposition. A largely attended children's missionary meeting was held in the afternoon.

MR. BEECHER discussed the trials and tribulations of Wm. C. Gilman at the regular prayer-meeting of his church in Brooklyn, yesterday, during which he explained the relationship that the great check-raiser was his nephew by marriage, he having married a nephew of Mrs. Perkins, Mr. Beecher's sister. Such an enlightenment happily relieves Beecher, but how does it stand with the niece?

AMUSEMENTS.

The Bohemian Girl.

The opera of *The Bohemian Girl* will be rehearsed by amateurs, with a full orchestra, at the Memphis Theater Saturday night. This opera will be rendered November 5th and 6th, with full choral effect.

John Dillon.

Mr. John Dillon closed his engagement last night at the Memphis Theater. Mr. Dillon during the week has given a number of characteristic impersonations in which he has firmly established his claims to the confidence and appreciation of the public.

Our Boarding House.

This interesting and most excellent play begins at the Memphis Theater to-morrow night. It is useless to say that there will be a very large and appreciative attendance, since it has received so many favorable encomiums from the press in cities where it has appeared. The St. Louis *Times* speaks of the play as follows: "Mr. Leonard Grover's very successful comedy, which was so well received here last season, was greeted with at least equal approbation at the Olympic theater last night. The house was well filled, and the demonstrations of applause and laughter were abundant. The comedy well deserves the success it has met with, as it is a genuine American comedy, filled with characters that grow only on our side, and with scenes that could not occur elsewhere. Indeed, it may be questioned whether a similar assortment of good and bad breeding of doubtful and undoubted reputations, of genteel adventuress and gas-blown speculators, abounding in brass and deficient in capital, could be found outside of Chicago, where the scene is located. One or more of the types described in *Our Boarding House* may be visible in all large cities, and it is easy enough to pick up in various parts of the country an "Elevator," a "Shouter," a "Gillypod," or an "Eligible;" but the mass could hardly be agglomerated outside of the great city of extensive enterprises and third mortgages. If it is true, as Mr. Boucicault tells us, that the value of a comedy is found in the development of peculiar characters, rather than in its plot or dramatic point, *Our Boarding House* must be ranked as a first-class comedy, for life is in its character-portraits, and the plot, although by no means uninteresting or ineffective, is quite subsidiary to this rather exaggerated but realistic portraiture. As the comedy is brought to us this year, it is calculated to win even a fuller success than it had last season, as the company which has been formed to play it is, in some respects, stronger and, as a whole, more harmonious than that which previously produced it in St. Louis."

"Some Schnibes on Toast."

It was a large envelope, with two inverted three-cent stamps over these words: "Der Sinnese Vashingtons shdooding on deir heads." Then came the address:

To dot Boshmister:

By Memphis, Shdate of Tennessee, Dere vas dot man John Rickaby Der Obera House dot vas der place Vere you kin saw his shmiling face Go in und hand to him dis ledder Und always I vill peen your debter Dill some dime I kin bay you bedder.

OOFTY GOOFT.

Inclosed was a fine photo of Gus Philips, or "Oofty Goft," the author of "Schneider's Ride," and the manager of George Knight, the famous Dutch comedian, and the Worrell Sisters.

On the picture were the words:

"Forgot me ven I dee forgot Dill den forgot me not yet. Yours for sure

OOFTY GOOFT.

Then came the Dutchman's letter:

Frent Chon:

Dold dem beebles dot ve vas gomming on gwick like anyding mit der vold. Dold dem dot ven ve got in Memphis dee first night und der odder dwo nighds und der madinee po hindt id de pews in der deender mus'd all peen full mit beebles. Gafe our goot records to efry bersons und keeb also a fimall leedle shlice for your own seif. Yours for sure.

OOFTY GOOFT.

These festive Tentons are due here the last three nights of next week.

Stop! We turn over the envelope and see a rough pen-sketch of cranes stalking on a sand-bar, and read: "Some schnibes on doast."

SATISFACTION guaranteed at Cleaves's, 326 Main street.

THEY ALL DO IT, by the Danbury *News* man, is a very amusing book. You are bound to laugh over it, even if you are pledged to never smile again. For sale at Cleaves's cheap store, 326 Main street.

THE CAUCUS

Of Democratic Members of Congress Nominate Hon. Sam Randall on the First Ballot Almost Unanimously.

The Nomination Made Unanimous—Mr. Randall's Speech of Acceptance—The Other Nominations.

WASHINGTON, October 13.—A large number of persons interested in the results of the Democratic caucus were in the lobbies of the house to-night. This afternoon the New York delegation voted and withdrew the name of S. S. Cox as a candidate for speaker, Willis and Potter only voting in the negative. Cox was not at the meeting. This action left but three candidates—Randall, Goode and Sayler.

Shortly after the caucus was called to order by Mr. Clymer, Mr. Stephens, of Georgia, nominated Mr. Randall as a candidate for speaker, referring to his past record in public affairs and his qualifications for presiding officer of the house. Mr. Goode, of Viaginia, and Mr. Sayler, of Ohio, were then respectively placed in nomination, the former by Mr. Douglass and the latter by Mr. Ewing, but neither gentleman was at the caucus. Mr. Sayler was in the lobby, Mr. Goode was in the room of the committee on ways and means, and Mr. Randall was in that of the committee on appropriations. This room was crowded with friends, and as soon as seventy-seven votes had been read out for him his friends rushed in with the news which everyone said secured his election, and Mr. Randall was congratulated. As soon as the result of the balloting was brought in—Randall 109, Goode 23, Sayler 12, and one blank—congratulations were renewed with a general shaking of hands, Mr. Randall bowing and smiling his thanks. The caucus made the nomination unanimous, and appointed Messrs. Wood, Goode, and Sayler a committee to communicate the result and invite Mr. Randall into the hall. When he appeared he was greeted with a hearty round of applause. Mr. Randall said:

MR. CHAIRMAN AND REPRESENTATIVES—I thank you. Your action to-night is most grateful to me. I will, in administering the high office to which I shall be called, endeavor to do my full duty to my country, believing that in such a course I will best promote the interest and success of our party, secure your confidence, and receive the approbation of my countrymen. [Applause.]

Sergeant-at-Arms Thompson was then nominated by acclamation for re-election.

Hartridge, of Georgia, nominated Colonel Adams, present incumbent, for clerk, and Forney, of Alabama, nominated Colonel Caldwell, of that State. On ballot, Adams received 79, and Caldwell 69 votes, and the former was chosen candidate.

There were three ballots for doorkeeper, the last resulting: Colonel Polk, of Missouri, 101; M'Coy, of Maryland, 21; Barnum, of New York, 13; Patterson, of New Jersey, 12. Colonel Polk was warmly congratulatad.

J. M. Stewart, of Virginia, was nominated for re-election postmaster of the House, receiving 79 votes; Goodall, of Illinois, 43; Snyder, of New York, 32.

Rev. Dr. Poisel, of the Southern Methodist Episcopal church, was nominated for chaplain, receiving seventy-eight votes. Rev. Mr. Townsend, chaplain of last congress, received thirty-two votes. Other clergymen were voted for, including Henry Ward Beecher, who had ten votes.

The caucus was in session nearly three hours, and it was reported most harmonious.

FRANCE.

Public Interest in the Election Increasing—Due [Decazes Admits No Distinction between Republicans and Communists.

Victor Hugo's Faith in France—He is Certain of Victory to the Republicans—Another Manifesto from the Left.

PARIS, October 13.—Public interest in the election is becoming manifest in the streets. Republican comments on President MacMahon's last manifesto are very severe. The expulsion of Bedell, an American, for canvassing for Menier, radical republican, at Montrouge, has been made so much of by the republican papers that the foreign office has addressed a reproving and admonitory *communique* to the *Bien Public* and *France*, and the same to the *Rappel*. Agents of the London papers are required to produce a written license for the delivery of their bundles at the station. The sale of papers thus depends upon the pleasure of the government.

The *Daily News* was seized at the post and the railway yesterday.

Duke Decazes, in a speech at Libourne, admitted no distinction between the republican party and the communists.

At a meeting last night supporting Grevy's candidature, Victor Hugo presided, and said that France is of age; she knows what she wants; Montesquieu would hesitate to say to her, "My Policy." Washington would not dare say, "my will;" at the feet of universal suffrage the clouds will disperse; France will give her orders, and no matter who it may be, he will obey. I will not offer anybody the insult of doubting his obedience. The victory is already certain; we feel some pity, and we will not push our great victory beyond reasonable bounds, but the triumph of law and right is certain. Have faith in the country, and never despair. France has her predestined mission. Bleeding, mutilated, put to ransom, given up to the factions of the past, she smiles superbly, and works miracles in the field of ideas and in the field of events. She makes even her catastrophes serve as a foundation for the future. Yes, you may expect everything, for she makes use of the most formidable revolutions to found the most stable of governments."

The following manifesto has been addressed to the electors by the members of the left of the senate.

DEAR FELLOW-CITIZENS—At the last moment a supreme effort is about to be made to influence your votes to the advantage of the official candidates. If you are told that republican institutions are not imperiled, you will demand why the Broglie-Fourtier ministry have only the adversaries of the republic for their agents? Why that ministry leave unpunished and encourage the insolent attacks of which it is the object, while they prosecute with all their power the men who defend it? And you will reply, "No we do not believe it." If you are told that this ministry is not subject to clerical influences you will remember that indulgences and prayers placed publicly at the services of official candidates, and you will reply, "We do not believe you." If you are told the republican electors would plunge the country into trouble and danger, you will snow them the official candidates, all enemies of the republican *regime*, and concealing neither their aims nor their hopes, and you will reply: "We do not believe you." If you are told the government guarantees order and peace, you will reply that the most profound order prevailed before the sixteenth of May, and that it has not since then ceased to prevail, despite much provocation, and you will repeat, with the late Thiers, that the only fermenters of discord are these men characterized as anarchists and perturbators. Electors, you will will vote for the three hundred and sixty-three, and you will everywhere protest against the official candidacies, which are an insult to your liberty, to the dignity of universal suffrage, and to the sovereignty of the nation.

MISSISSIPPI POLITICS.

Grand Mass-Meeting of the Democracy at Grenada Yesterday—Eloquent Addresses by Governor Stone and General Walthall.

The Colored People Largely Participate in the Demonstration—Judicious Advice to the Friends of Honest Political Reform.

Special to the Appeal.]

GRENADA, MISS., October 13.—To-day was a glorious event in the annals of Grenada county. The canvass was ushered in amidst the cheers of thousands, the sound of music and the booming of cannon. The weather weather was fine, and the crowd enthusiastic.

THE MASS MEETING

was a triumphant success, and augurs a magnificent victory for the Democracy of Grenada county in November next. There were at least fifteen hundred or two thousand people present, and from the untiring interest manifested inthe speech, they are thoroughly alive and heartily enlisted in the good cause of honesty and reform. One of the most striking features of the occasion was the large number of colored people present. They listened with marked attention, and throughout the speeches gave frequent and hearty manifestations of their genuine approval. Governor Stone is a great favorite with our people. His

UPRIGHT, FIRM AND EMINENTLY JUST

administration has fortified him deeply in the hearts of Mississippians. He was received at the depot last night with music by the Grenada brass band, and the cannon was fired in honor of the arrival of our distinguished visitor. His address to-day, though unmarked by any extraordinary display of oratory, was none the less appreciated for its solidity and manly, patriotic utterances. It was a complete review of the political history of our State for the last ten years. He contrasted the State government under Democratic rule with the Radical administration, and showed the inestimable benefits resulting from the Democratic victories of 1875 and 1876. He said that much remained yet to be done, and that, although the Democratic party had

REDEEMED EVERY PLEDGE

made, that there would be further benefits derived in the way of a reduction of expenditures and lessening taxation; he referred to the spirit of patriotism and unity that led to these glorious results, and urged our people to stand by the regular nominees and warned them against the result of supporting Independents. He spoke for about one hour and closed amidst cheers, when General E. C. Walthall, the Warwick of his day, and a man loved among men, was clamored for and his very name seemed to arouse the most intense enthusiasm. General Walthall spoke for about one hour and a half, making one of the happiest efforts of his life. His address was full of pith, and as the character of the man would indicate, to the point. He did not deal in personalities, but by the

COGENCY OF HIS REASONING

sought to convince our erring Independent brethren of the folly of their way. His speech was not only eloquent and filled with happy illustrations, but convincing. He spoke of the wrongs we had endured at the hands of the Radicals, and pointed to the glorious record of the Democratic party in this State since 1875. He urged our people to be united, and warned them against the dangers of going off after Independents, which he compared to the stragglers in an army. His address was purely extemporaneous, and being the offspring of a motion, was truly eloquent.

THE COLORED PEOPLE

were highly pleased, and from their manners we judge that they were convinced that the Democrats are their best friends, and that they could not risk their chances with Independents—men without party or moral support, and only actuated by selfish motives. Other prominent gentlemen were present, but, owing to the lateness of the hour, did not speak. After the speaking there was a general hand-shaking by both white and colored with Governor Stone. The meeting broke up amidst great enthusiasm and with the best possible feeling. Our people are determined to elect the entire regular Democratic ticket, and you may say that the campaign has fairly begun in Grenada county. Governor Stone is still here, and the guest of General Walthall.

J. W. B.

SECOND DISPATCH.

Special to the Appeal.]

GRENADA, MISS., October 13.—The Democracy of Grenada county were out in full force to-day to listen to the candidates on the State ticket. All save Governor Stone were prevented from attending by previous engagements. Governor Stone, who is a general favorite in this county, was received with cordiality and enthusiasm. For more than one hour he entertained the audience, happily sketching the incalculable blessings brought to the State by Democratic ascendancy; pointing out the dangers of division in our ranks, and urged upon our people the duty of supporting the regular nominees. His speech was a fine one, and was enthusiastically received. He doubly endeared himself to our people. General E. C. Walthall yielded with reluctance to repeated calls, and followed the governor in a speech of an hour and a half, every word of which was pregnant with meaning, and every sentence told upon the audience. It was after Walthall's style—bold, piercing and incisive. His demonstration of the folly of the Independent movement was overwhelming; and while no word was said to wound the feelings of any, he fully convinced the few supporters of the Independent movement in our county of the impropriety of their action. The general was especially happy in his address to the colored people present, who were enthusiastic and warm in their applause. His speech, in every sense, was a ten-strike, and drove the last nail in the coffin of the Independents of this county.

Six New Cases of Yellow-Fever at Fernandina.

FERNANDINA, FLA., October 13.—Six new cases of yellow fever to-day. No deaths reported. Dr. Herndon is critically sick.

Base-Ball To-Day.

Riversides *vs.* Eagles, at Central park, 3 p.m. Admittance, 25 cents.

Memphis Employment Agency.

We call attention to the advertisement in another column of a long needed institution in this community—an agency for the introduction of first-class labor. The labor question has given the whole country great trouble, our negro labor being unreliable and there being no means of procuring other to take their places. The establishment of this agency is a step in the right direction, and we bespeak for it great success and the accomplishment of much good. We are personally acquainted with the managers of the agency and know them to be responsible and reliable. Our friends in the country who want relief from the general "cussedness" of the negro cannot do better than to give Messrs. Lonsdale & Co. a trial.

Our Cassimere

Suits selling from sixteen to twenty dollars embrace those nobby styles only to be found at merchant tailoring establishments. Go and examine them at the Great Western Clothing House.

CLEAVES, at 326 Main street, is not trying to undersell his brother booksellers, but the fact is becoming to be understood that in his new store, with a reduced expense, he is selling remarkably cheap.

DR. PRICE'S special flavoring extracts have the taste and odor of the fresh fruits from which they are made, strong and pure.

KREMER, HERZOG & CO.

Just opened—Lovely new hats.
Just opened—One hundred new overdress patterns, at $3, $4, $5, $6, $7.
Just opened—100 beautifully trimmed hats, at $3, $4, $5, $6, $7.
Just opened—100 new cloaks, at $4, $5, $6, $7, $8.
Just opened—100 elegant hats, from $7 50 to $10, as pretty as the pattern hats.
Black silks at 75c, $1, $1 25, $1 50, up to $5.
Just opened—New felt and straw hats; new shapes; extremely cheap.
Just opened—New colored silks, 90c.
Just opened—1000 pieces ruchings, at 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c.
Just opened—Beautiful black silk velvet, at $1 00, $1 75, $2.
Just opened—New alpaca and sateen skirts, cheap.
Just opened—Kid gloves, handkerchiefs, corsets, ribbons, etc.
100 French pattern hats at cost.
A few French costumes at cost.
50 suits and overdresses, extra cheap.
Children's hats, very cheap.
Black cashmeres, 65c, 75c, 85c, $1; cheap.
Black alpaca, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c.
Beautiful dress-goods, 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 60c.
1000 styles of new dress-trimmings, at 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, etc.
Just opened—Elegant overdress patterns.
Elegant evening overdress patterns.

We will positively sell this season
The cheapest millinery,
The cheapest dress-goods,
The cheapest cloaks and suits,
The cheapest dress-trimmings in the city.

Our stock of new goods is immense, and prices will be popular.

KREMER, HERZOG & CO.

FRENCH MILLINERY.

All the Latest and Most Elegant Styles at F. Lavigne's Enterprising Emporium—Something Worth Knowing.

Perhaps the best and most enterprising dealer and importer of French millinery, fancy goods, hats and bonnets, is Mr. F. Lavigne, whose elegant establishment at No. 250 Main street is daily thronged by the most fashionable ladies of Memphis and the surrounding country. Reared in Paris, the home of fashion itself, Mr. Lavigne long since learned to recognize and appreciate the merits of the French millinery art, which finds subjects in all parts of the civilized world. His acquaintance and intimate relations with the leading milliners and manufacturers in Paris enable him to secure the very latest novelties. In fact, his present stock embraces the most elegant and beautiful styles ever brought to Memphis. In the line of hats and bonnets Mr. Lavigne cannot be equaled by any house west of New York. He has a complete stock of the very latest and most fashionable styles. In ribbons, laces and fancy goods generally, including jewelry, he also takes the lead and evidences the refined taste to be seen in the selection of his other goods. Owing to his facilities for purchasing and importing direct, Mr. Lavigne secures goods which no other firm can get, and offers them at remarkably low prices. He also makes a specialty of human hair goods.

25,000 BALES OF COTTON

Short!—No Money in the Banks, and Everybody Busted!

Hence the general retail trade of the city is dull, and merchants look blue. We know of one establishment, however, which does not seem to be affected by the scarcity of money, and which does a rushing business, and this is the Globe Clothing House, No. 288 Main street, corner Madison, with the thorough-going Jules Behr as its presiding genius. Jules Behr & Co. sell their clothing, which is made of the best material and in the latest styles, at so small a profit that buyers cannot fail to see the decided advantages which they derive in buying from the Globe Clothing House, and they are not slow to avail themselves of the opportunity. Messrs. Jules Behr & Co. have found that "success lies in low prices," and propose to continue their popular plan. The attention of the ladies is called to their department of boys' and youths' clothing, which is complete. Everybody in Memphis knows the Globe Clothing House advantageously, and we can only say that the people of the surrounding country, who do not know it yet, would do well to price the goods which this popular house offers, and to make their purchases there.

John Lilly.

Attention is called to the card of John Lilly, the well-known importer and dealer in wines, liquors and cigars, at No. 15 Union street. Mr. Lilly is one of the oldest and most reliable merchants of Memphis. He has always given satisfaction in his dealings, and never misrepresents his goods. He imports direct, and has facilities for securing the purest brands of wines, liquors and cigars. Mr. Lilly is enabled to offer wines, liquors and cigars of the purest quality at lower prices than can be had at any other house. He keeps and imports a great variety of liquors and wines, including the oldest to be had. Give Mr. Lilly a call and you will be satisfied as to the quality of his liquors, wines and cigars, and also as to price. He is a reliable and enterprising merchant.

New Style Abdomen Corsets,

Extra-strong long corsets (for stout ladies), nursing corsets, corsets for school misses, invalid's corsets, colored corsets, and low-priced corsets of superior shape, all sizes, now ready at the manufactory, 383 Main street.

Notice.

All meat shop butchers are requested to meet at Cochran hall this day at three o'clock. By order of the committee.

READ Kahn & Freiberg's proclamation.

"You dress your children *so* elegantly, and yet do all the work at home?" said one lady to another. "Yes," was the answer, "for I take *Andrews's Bazar*, where I get the most beautiful cuts and patterns, in addition to fine magazine reading." "I'll send ten cents to Cincinnati to-morrow for a specimen copy," was the rejoinder. Sensible lady! Reader, go and do likewise.

No. 8

Has been on exhibition for some time. We do not mean a No. 8 brogan, nor the eighth marriageable daughter of any of our city dowagers. No. 8 is very delicate; she is beautifully formed, and a considerable belle among the beaux. She is frequently at church, but is invisible whilst within the sacred walls. She is generally to be seen, and always attainable at 312 and 326 Main street, they being the only points where she is willing to make engagements to be saluted by the lips of young gents. Try Sol Coleman's No. 8 cigar; it is the best in the market.

Latest Models from New York

Just received, after which I manufacture the celebrated "uncrushable" for the support of the empress dress. Ladies will please remember that these truly uncrushables can be purchased of me only. All sizes will be ready this week. Sent C. O. D. Louis Lange's southern hoopskirt and corset manufactory, 383 Main street.

Ladies,

That charmingbook, *How I Managed My Husband*, should be read not only by married ladies, but also by those expecting to be so fortunate, for it teaches that strategy which no wife can afford to be without. 'Tis essential to domestic felicity. Ask your husband to call at Cleaves's, 326 Main street, and get it for you—only fifty cents.

School Books and Slates,

For public and private schools, at Mansford's, corner Second and Monroe.

OUR $5 pants beats the town. Come and examine them. Jules Behr & Co., Globe Clothing House.

EXCELSIOR BED SPRING.

Something About the Great Invention—The Factory in this City—A Word to the People.

Messrs. Drury & Staley, at No. 223 Second street, are manufacturing the celebrated Excelsior bed spring, which has already become popular, and is fast supplanting all others now in use. This invention commends itself to every person in the land, for it forms by far the best bed ever made. It is not only noiseless, but for simplicity, durability and cleanliness defies competition. In point of economy no bed approaches it, for the prices range from five dollars and fifty cents to nine dollars. This bed, since its invention by E. W. Grafton, has become well-known throughout the country, and wherever introduced has given satisfaction. The springs dispense with slats, and touches the bed only in four places, so that it can be taken to pieces, cleaned and replaced in five minutes. In point of durability, it is equal to, if not superior, to any invention for beds ever made. Combined with this invention, though separate when desired, is Grafton's new invalid spring bed, known also as the asthma or sick bed, and especially recommended by all the practitioners of medicine as the only one suitable for persons who have been prostrated by long and continued sickness. It is acknowledged by the medical faculty in New Orleans, Charleston, Columbia, South Carolina; Atlanta, Savannah and Nashville as the best adapted bed ever invented. It supplies a want long felt, as by its use an invalid can be placed in any desired position, and raised or lowered by simply pulling a cord, thus giving ease to the afflicted and helpless. Being of simple construction, the bed will not get out of repair, and can be operated by a child. These beds are not sold by furniture dealers in the city, but by agent only, and on weekly payments when desired. For rights of territory, terms of royalty, etc., apply at the factory, No. 223 Second street. County rights are now for sale.

OUR PRIVATE RESIDENCES

vs.

"OUR BOARDINGHOUSE."

Our Boardinghouse is to be well displayed this week at the New Memphis Theater, and will undoubtedly be a fine representation of that class of institutions; but who can picture the scenes that take place in many of private residences in this city? We will try to sketch a few:

Scene 1st.

THE CHANGED CHILD.

A gentleman (we decline to give names) went home a few evenings since, and was astonished to meet a manly little urchin, who cried out, "Pa! Pa!" He looked well at the child, and could hardly recognize the little three-year old he had left in the morning in frock and petticoats. Johnnie's ma had bought him one of those cheap and useful suits sold at the Famous clothinghouse, 327 Main street, for four dollars.

Scene 2d.

THE SHARP LAWYER.

The hour was eight o'clock. Breakfast had been discussed, and an honest and steady lawyer was about to leave for his office. Wife—"George, I wish you could get a neater suit; your clothes are getting threadbare." Husband—"I would do so, Mary, but really where forty dollars to buy it is to come from I do not know. House-rent to pay, and provisions to buy, will take all that I can see coming in this month, except he fifteen dollars I now have. You know our agreement, that neither were to run in debt for dress or display." Wife—"Well, I should like to see you better dressed." Six p.m. The door opens, and in walks a gentleman, neatly dressed in a nice business suit, with a bundle under his arm. Wife—"Oh, George, you look so well; but what good luck brought you the money to buy that fine suit?" Husband—"The good luck was keeping my eyes open for a bargain. As I went down town I saw all along the sidewalk, 'Go to the FAMOUS clothinghouse, 327 Main street.' I tried not to notice, but still it appeared, and I followed its advice, and found the place to be Buxbaum's establishment, where I purchased this suit for fifteen dollars."

Scene 3d.

THE MECHANIC'S HOME.

"Henry, I have tried to make your shirts look well, but they are almost past repairing, and I have barely time to make you new ones now." "Well, Mollie, I can hardly spare eighteen dollas to buy a new set now." Evening. "Mollie, how do you like those?" said the husband, as he passed her a bundle. She unrolled it, and found six nice unlaundried shirts. "Oh, Henry, those are so nice and well made. Where did you get them?" "I bought them at Buxbaum's, 327 Main street, and they only cost eighty-five cents apiece."

New Hats.

Messrs. Wiggin & Co., (successors to Franciso & Wiggins), wholesale and retail hatters and furriers, at No. 318 Main street, have just received one of the largest and most elegant stocks of goods ever exhibited in Memphis. A call at this store will convince any one of the excellence of these goods.

MARRIED.

STACY—VAN BROKLIN—On Thursday, October 11, 1877, at the residence of Rev. Dr. Stainback, FRANK STACY and Miss LILIAN VAN BROKLIN, all of Memphis. No cards.

FLETCHER—LANIER—On the evening of October 11, 1877, at the residence of M. B. Hardaway, Esq., Lamar, Mississippi, Mr. W. R. FLETCHER and Miss DORA M. LANIER.

May your voyage down the river of life be one of continued love and happiness; your dearest hopes fulfilled, and may all the blessings of this life shower upon you and yours.

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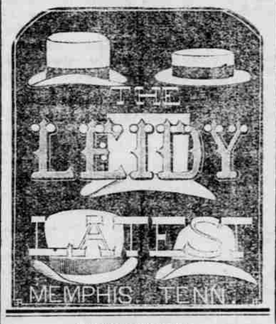

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