ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Clerk of Circuit Court.

J. S. GALLOWAY is a candidate for Clerk of the Circuit Court, at the ensuing August election, subject to the action of the Democratic and Conservative Convention.

DABNEY M. SCALES announces himself as a candidate for Clerk of the Circuit Court of Shelby county, at the August election, subject to the action of the Democratic-Conservative Convention.

Judge of the Criminal Court.

P. T. SCRUGGS is a candidate for Judge of the Criminal Court of Shelby county, at the ensuing August election.

For Clerk of Criminal Court.

OSCAR WOOLDRIDGE is a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Criminal Court, at the August election.

A. G. HARRIS is a candidate for Criminal Court Clerk at the ensuing August election.

For County Register.

J. C. BUSTER is a candidate for County Register, at the election in August, 1878; subject to the action of the Democratic-Conservative Convention.

CHAS. A. BEEHN is a candidate for County Register at the ensuing August election, 1878.

For Clerk of the County Court.

R. J. BLACK is a candidate for Clerk of County Court at the ensuing August election.

DR. S. L. RAINES, of White Haven, is a candidate for Clerk of the County Court at the ensuing August election; subject to the action of the Democratic and Conservative Convention.

For Clerk of Bartlett Circuit Court.

FELIX M. JONES is a candidate for Clerk of the Bartlett Circuit Court, subject to the nomination of the Democratic Convention.

DANIEL G. SHELBY (present Deputy Clerk), is a candidate for Clerk of the Bartlett Circuit Court, at the ensuing August election, subject to the action of the Democratic-Conservative Convention.

For Chancellor.

T. B. MICOU is a candidate for Chancellor of Shelby county, at the ensuing August election, subject to nomination by the Democratic and Conservative Convention.

I HEREBY announce myself a candidate for Chancellor of the Chancery Court of Shelby county, at the next August election. W. P. WILSON.

For Attorney-General Criminal Court.

J. A. ANDERSON announces himself a candidate for Attorney-General of the Criminal Court; subject to the Democratic and Conservative Convention.

G. W. GORDON is a candidate for the office of Attorney-General of the Criminal Court of Shelby county, at Memphis; subject to the nomination of the Democratic and Conservative Convention.

LOST.

POCKETBOOK—A red morocco pocketbook, containing tax receipts, railroad ticket to Oakland, Mississippi, and other papers. A liberal reward will be paid on delivery of same to JOHNSTON & VANCE, 305 Main st.

TERRIER—$10 REWARD—A small rough Scotch terrier bitch; ears and tail cut; gray color. Return to PHIL J. MALLON, 204 Main st.

STOLEN.

STALLION—Last January, a small, rough dark bay stallion, 6 years old, blind in right eye, branded under the mane with the figure of a diamond; right hind foot white; overreaches when trotting, and paws with the fore foot when feeding. A reasonable reward will be paid for his delivery to me, at 15 Webster st., Memphis, or for any information that will lead to his discovery. JAMES GALLAGHER.

FOR SALE.

PIANO—Fine Weber Piano, almost new, at low price. W. K. THIXTON, 256 Second st.

WOOD—Oak and ash wood. Leave orders with C. A. GASTON, 83 Madison street.

STOCK—25 shares First Series Clerks B. and L. stock. Address best bid ARCHER GIFFORD, No. 7 Howard's Row.

KNIFE-PLAITERS—For knife, side or box plaiting. Also, plaiting, in any style, neatly done at DOMESTIC SEWING MACHINE OFFICE, 63 Madison st., bet. Second and Third.

ROOMS AND BOARD.

ROOMS—Desirable; furnished; cheap; also, day board, at NO. 417 MAIN STREET.

FURNISHED room, with board, for gentleman and wife, at 218 Hernando street; $40 per month.

ROOMS—Furnished rooms, with board. Apply at 111 Washington street. Terms moderate.

DESIRABLE front rooms and good board, at Mrs. ANDERSON'S, 69 Jefferson st.

ROOMS AND BOARD— at 85 Adams street.

BOARD—For good board call at 65 Union street.

ROOMS—First-class meals furnished, if desired. Inquire at No. 139 Madison street.

WANTS.

SEWING—By the day or week; can give references. Address MRS. N. H. WILLIAMS, southwest corner Main and Beale streets.

SITUATION—By an experienced business man, either as book-keeper or local or travelling salesman; best of references; salary no object. Address P., this office.

SITUATION—By a young lady as instructress in a private family; best of references given. The applicant has a liberal English education, besides being acquainted with music. Address M. C., Appeal.

50 TIE-MAKERS—18 cents per tie at stump. Also twenty CHOPPERS, to work by the day, at $1 50. No delay in payments. Apply at work near 29 Mile Post on M. and L. R. R. R. JOHN MORGAN, Contractor.

HOME—By a young girl; would prefer the country. Address Mrs. Williams, southwest corner Main and Beale streets, Memphis.

PERSONAL.

DR. R. L. LASKI has removed his office and residence to No. 206 Main street, just opposite his former office.

DR. LA PIERRE, PROFESSOR OF MEDICAL ELECTRICITY, cures all chronic diseases; will diagnose the disease without asking a question or touching the patient. 235 Second street.

MRS. O'TOOLE, DRESSMAKER, being fully prepared for the Spring Fashions, will be pleased to see her city and country ladies. Give her a call at 154 Hernando street.

MRS. FLEMING AND DAUGHTERS, Fashionable Dressmaking, next door to Goodyear's Hat and Bonnet Bleachery, 314 Second street.

W. L. DUFF, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, No. 31 Adams street.

FOR RENT.

SECOND AND THIRD FLOORS—Of 302 Main street. Inquire at the premises, opposite Peabody Hotel.

SEVERAL DWELLINGS AND COTTAGES—Rents low. Apply at 41 Madison street. STURM & HIRSCH.

BOARDING-HOUSE—First-class furnished; centrally located; rent taken in board. Address A. B., this office.

RESIDENCE—Five rooms, kitchen and servants' room, at 88 Alabama street. Apply to M. C. KENNEDY, 47 Mosby street.

RESIDENCE—A nice 2-story brick, No. 68 St. Martin street; 8 rooms, with gas and water. Apply to A. J. VIENNA, 345 Main st.

RESIDENCE—100 Market street, cheap, to good prompt paying tenant. Apply at 110.

COTTAGE—A frame cottage, with four rooms, newly built, and with all modern conveniences. Apply at 57 North Second street.

HOUSES—LANDS— MCCALLUM, Agent, 19 Madison st.

RESIDENCES—Several desirable suburban residences, at bargains. W. D. M'CALLUM, Agent, No. 19 Madison st.

ROOMS—Desirable rooms, with board, at 117 Court street.

NOTICES.

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MISSISSIPPI AND TENNESSEE RAILROAD COMPANY, Secretary and Treasurer's Office.

COUPONS, due 1st April, 1878, from consolidated bonds, series A, of this company, will be paid at the Union and Planters Bank, Memphis, or at the Importers and Traders National Bank, New York, as holders may elect. S. H. LAMB, Secretary and Treasurer.

Memphis, March 22, 1878.

NOTICE

THE understanded hereby gives notice that all the estate, real and personal, of the firm of Shane, Harris & Co. was conveyed to him, as trustee, on the 27th ult., for the benefit of all the creditors thereof. I therefore notify all creditors of said firm of Shane, Harris & Co., and also their separate creditors, to meet at my office, No. 56 East Court street, on the 15th inst., to prove and file their claims, and to take such other action in the premises as they may deem necessary. W. W. McDOWELL.

Memphis, Tenn., March 5, 1878.

Quinine and Arsenic

Form the basis of many of the Ague remedies in the market, and are the last resort of physicians and people who know no better medicine to employ for this distressing complaint. The effects of either of these drugs are destructive to the system, producing headache, intestinal disorders, vertigo, dizziness, ringing of the ears, and depression of the constitutional health. AYER'S AGUE CURE is a vegetable discovery, containing neither quinine, arsenic, nor any deleterious ingredient, and is an infallible and rapid cure for any form of Fever and Ague. Its effects are permanent and certain, and no injury can result from its use. Besides being a positive cure for Fever and Ague in all its forms, it is also a superior remedy for Liver Complaints. It is an excellent tonic and preventive, as well as cure, of all complaints peculiar to malarious, marshy and miasmatic districts. It acts directly on the Liver and biliary apparatus, thus stimulating the system to a vigorous, healthy condition.

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Another car-load Magnolia Hams, very best quality, at 8½ cents a pound.

50 half-barrels New Potomac Roe Herring.

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LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

—DeWitt's *Base-Ball Guide*, for 1878, at Mansford's.

—It will soon be time to open suburban beer-gardens.

—The chancery court stands adjourned until Monday morning next.

—The fresh northwesterly wind yesterday had an elevating effect upon hats and skirts.

—The jury in the case of the State *vs.* Robt Drury, for murder, has not as yet reported a verdict.

—The Eckfords and Riversides play another game of base-ball at Central park, Sunday evening.

—The Beurer-Rogers shooting with intent to kill case will be investigated before the recorder to-day.

—*Southern Cultivator* and *Scientific Farmer*, for April, have been received by Mansford, corner of Second and Monroe.

—The second annual session of the Grand lodge of Ancient Order United Workmen, opened up at Nashville on Wednesday.

—Twenty new postoffices were established in Tennessee recently, none of them, however, in the western division of the State.

—Charles Dickens's famous novel, *Little Dorritt*, can now be had complete for twenty cents, at R. H. Spangler's, 386 Main street.

—Last Monday night a gray mare was stolen from the farm of Mrs. Carroll, who resides on the Pigeon-Roost road, some two miles from the city.

—Local weather prophets say that the danger of a heavy, fruit-destroying frost has passed away, and the prospect of a big fruit crop is bright once again.

—*Retribution*, a play of rare merit, never yet produced in Memphis, will form the attraction on Easter Monday night, at the hall of the Sodality dramatic association.

—During the month of March, according to Immigration-Commissioner Killebrew's report, three hundred and eighty-eight persons from other States settled in Tennessee.

—Dick Goss, for fraudulent breach of trust and larceny, was put on trial at the criminal court yesterday afternoon. The jury retired to consider a verdict, and will report to-day.

—Last night the German Casino club gave a theatrical performance and hop at their hall. The entertainments were largely attended and were highly enjoyed by the ladies and gentlemen who participated in the festivities.

—The county quarterly court was occupied yesterday in passing on accounts. Court adjourned over to Wednesday next, when the matter as to assessments will be specially considered.

—Yesterday George W. Murphy was arrested and placed under four hundred dollars bonds to appear and answer, on the charge of personating a United States detective and making arrests, etc.

—Counterfeits of the new silver dollar have been received at the treasury department. They are exceedingly well executed and have the weight and the ring of the true metal. The country will soon be packed with them.

—Millions of young caterpillars, says the Somerville (Fayette county) *Reason*, have made their appearance, and the forest trees, apple trees, etc., will be stripped of their foliage again by these pests. They did immense damage to timber, as well as to fruit trees, last summer.

—Yesterday a deputy-sheriff from Bolivar county, Mississippi, arrived in the city from Cairo, Illinois, having in charge a negro named Alfred King, who, some two months since, shot and killed Martin Carey, colored, at Carson's Landing, Mississippi, for which murder he stands indicted.

—At two o'clock yesterday afternoon a fire broke out in the one-story frame residence of Mrs. Robinson, colored, which residence is situated on Clay street, east of DeSoto, South Memphis. The fire, which was caused by a defective flue, was suppressed by the neighbors before any material damage was done. No alarm was given to the fire department.

—Tennessee is put down for the following amounts in the river and harbor bill: Tennessee river above Chattanooga, $15,000; Tennessee river below Chattanooga, including Muscle Shoals, $300,000; Mississippi river, at Memphis, $40,000; Cumberland river below Nashville, $45,000; Cumberland river above Nashville, $70,000. Total, $470,000.

—A petition for the incorporation of the Memphis cooperage and manufacturing company was filed yesterday at the county register's office. The incorporators are Messrs. Colton Greene, John Gunn, C. Weatherford, M. H. Reilly, W. J. M'Dermott, Jacob Thompson, M. Gavin, N. Fontaine and J. R. Miller.

—The selected article giving a series of anecdotes concerning Forrest and Kean, the great actors of the past, which article was published in the APPEAL not long since, was from the pen of the well-known Dr. Kane, who is not a stranger in this city. Dr. Kane is now acting as agent for a great moral show, in which the great "Baby Sampson" is the attraction.

—At Nashville, Monday last, the following decree was entered in the case of the State of Tennessee, etc., *vs.* the Bank of Tennessee: "In this cause, it is agreed that the time by which claims against the Bank of Tennessee must be filed be extended to the fifteenth day of June, 1878, and that this agreement be entered as the order of the court at the coming April term."

—A correspondent of the APPEAL writes from Corinth, Mississippi, saying: "The blue ribbon brigade, under the leadership of the John B. Gough, of Mississippi, Colonel W. M. Inge, is doing valiant service in the temperance cause. One saloon has been closed and another can only stand the pressure a few days longer, which will leave only two saloons in town," etc.

—Yesterday forenoon a thief, named Dick Jones, colored, entered the store of Mr. Rosenfield, on Main street, near Market, and seizing a pair of pants fled out of the store. He was pursued by Officer Pante and finally captured near the Clay street schools, about two miles distant from the scene of the theft, and safely conducted to the stationhouse. While being searched he attempted to tear the price-mark from the pants, which were found on his person. He will attend the recorder's matinee to-day.

—We regret to state that last Wednesday night General R. F. Patterson, collector of internal revenue, was severely burned at his rooms on Madison street. He was suffering from a severe cold, and had placed a plaster on his chest, which plaster was saturated with turpentine. Going too near the fire, the turpentine accidentally ignited, and the gentleman received severe burns on the chest, face and hands before he could suppress the flames. The injuries are severe, but not necessarily dangerous.

—At the criminal court-room, yesterday, the following business was transacted: Isaac Hines, larceny; jury, and verdict guilty of petit larceny, and penalty fixed at one month's imprisonment in the county jail. Thomas Green and Madison Venner; jury, and verdict in each case not guilty. Wm. Mathews, attempt to commit larceny; jury, and verdict guilty as charged; fine fixed at one hundred dollars. J. W. Dillehay and E. Dillehay, assault and battery; jury, and verdict guilty; penalty not fixed.

—But three arrests were made by the police between noon yesterday and o'clock this morning. This speaks well for the moral condition of the city, from a criminal standpoint. It has been remarked at the stationhouse that since the Murphy movement started the arrests for drunkenness have largely decreased.

—The city budget for 1878 shows but the paltry sum of seven hundred and seventy-nine dollars to be expended by the board of health for cleaning streets, alleys, etc., during the spring, summer and fall months. The cleansing of streets and alleys does not fall properly or legally within the province of the board of health, consequently the city fathers should make some provision for such purpose. Memphis cannot afford to have another epidemic like that of 1873.

—Mr. O. H. P. Piper, the well-known contractor, was assaulted and painfully injured yesterday by a negro laborer engaged in tearing down the buildings on the west side of Main street, between Monroe and Madison. The negro, being ordered to leave the building, became indignant, and struck Mr. Piper on the head and ear with a brick, inflicting a serious wound. Mr. Piper fell and became insensible, but came to after awhile. His wound was dressed by Dr. John Erskine, and he was conveyed home. The negro ran and made his escape.

—The ladies who wear short dresses, and whose feet are not quite as small as those of the *Ledger* man, have been getting after that gentleman about his comments on big-footed girls wearing short dresses—a custom which shocked his æsthetic ideas. We advise our friend of the *Ledger* to let the ladies' pedal extremities and short dresses alone; if he does not, he will get the worst of it. The dry goods world is out of a man's latitude, except from a paying standpoint. If the *Ledger* man does not like to see the feet of the ladies stepping in and out from beneath short dresses, he can turn aside his eyes and gloat over the bedraggled and muddy skirts of those who wear long dresses and trains. It will be a "change from foresights to backsights," as a civil engineer would say.

—Dr. R. W. Mitchell, president of the board of health, in his talk to the general council last Wednesday night, explained what would be needed in the way of money and labor for the proper keeping up of sanitary affairs in this city during the spring, summer and fall months. He insisted as precautionary measures that the health or sanitary ordinance should be strictly enforced on the premises of all citizens; that the streets and alleys should be kept in good condition, kept clean, etc., and that the quarantine buildings on President's island should be repaired and put in proper condition for the prompt reception of all patients that would be brought to Memphis during the summer months. The general council on next Monday night will appoint a committee to look after the quarantine buildings.

PERSONAL.

JOSEPH LORY has removed to Ball's European hotel.

The finest fresh meats at city market, No. 68 Charleston avenue, opposite depot.

DR. ROBERTS has removed to No. 195 Main street, where he diagnosis without questions, *free*.

IF THE young "Amateur Detective," published in yesterday evening's *Herald*, will come home immediately he will save himself trouble. J. W. Q.

IN another column appears the announcement of Mr. J. C. Buster, who is a candidate for the office of county register. Mr. Buster is a well-known citizen of the county, and is at present one of the polite and efficient deputy-sheriffs of the county under Sheriff Anderson. Mr. Buster has had considerable experience in the county register's office, he having been in times past a clerk in said office. He thoroughly understands the routine of business, and should he be elected he will give satisfaction to all persons having business in his department. The register's office can certainly fall into no better or more worthy hands. Mr. Buster is a strong candidate, he has a host of friends in the city and country, and will be hard to beat.

MR. LEVI will open a roller skating-rink at the Exposition building to-night (Friday), upon which occasion a large attendance of ladies and gentlemen is expected. Roller-skating is said by the medical fraternity to be a healthy amusement, and hence it should be encouraged. Mr. Levi is an expert, having opened the principal rinks in Louisville, Indianapolis and other cities, and will manage the rink here in such a manner as to please all who visit the Exposition building. The grand opening to-night will be in charge of a floor committee composed of the following gentlemen: Peter Tracy, E. H. Martin, C. K. Haight, W. A. Sneed, James Flaherty, R. G. Pillow, James Speed, W. T. Hannah and Harry Allen.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Strasburg Clock

Closes its series of exhibitions on Saturday. It has given perfect satisfaction to its thousands of visitors, and as a sight full of historic reminiscences and most ingenious mechanism it commends itself to all. The grand closing matinee for the schools of Memphis gives the children an excellent opportunity. Let all attend.

LAW REPORTS.

Circuit Court—Heiskell, Judge.

The following case is added to the calendar: No. 5368, Betts vs Duffy. No. 5110, Jones vs Murry et al is still on trial.

Criminal Court—Logwood, Judge.

The following cases are set for trial to-day: 883 and 884, E. K. King alias Bob King; 756 and 757, Jim Nelson; 78 and 79, Pleasant Williamson; 221, Charles Frantz; 176, Nettie White and Mollie Hall; 103, Thomas Ford; 674, Sam Higgins.

396,000 Bushels

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While shopping, you can get a nice lunch. Tea, coffee and chocolate. Fine pastries a specialty, at FLOYD'S.

Fancy Stationery,

In handsome boxes. A choice assortment of new styles just received at A. F. Dod & Co.'s, No. 279½ Main street. Special inducements to the trade.

COUNTY QUARTERLY COURT.

The Railroads in which Shelby County is Interested in, and the Orders of the Court in the Premises.

The county quarterly court has ordered that the county attorney be and he is hereby instructed to have the case now pending in the circuit court of Shelby county, Tennessee, wherein the county of Shelby is plaintiff, and the Selma, Marion and Memphis railroad company and others are defendants, dismissed at the cost of the defendants.

On motion, the petition of the Holly Springs, Brownsville and Ohio railroad company, asking an exchange or substitution of six per cent. bonds for eight per cent. bonds, was referred to Esquires Elliott, Crockett and Coleman, with the chairman and county attorney, with power to act; said committee to report its action to this or some subsequent term of the court.

This petition asks that the above company be allowed to take up the eight thousand dollars of first mortgage bonds of petitioner now in possession of Shelby county as security for the performance of a contract entered into by petitioner and the said county, and substitute, instead of eight per cent. bonds, other bonds bearing six per cent. interest, the former to be canceled and the latter to be held under the terms and conditions of the contract above mentioned. The reason alleged for this exchange is that the eight per cent. bonds bear a higher rate of interest than allowed by law in Tennessee, and the petitioner is apprehensive that the courts may so determine. The company states that their bonds bearing eight per cent. interest had all been printed and were in the hands of the company, and, in some instances sold, before the passage of the law by the legislature repealing what is known as the ten per cent. conventional interest law, and had no other thought than its action was entirely and indisputably legal and proper.

LAW AND MEDICINE.

A Highly Important Legal Decision for Physicians Throughout the United States.

The supreme court of Indiana rendered a decision during February of immeasurable importance, not only to the medical profession where the suit originated, but to the members of the other professions and callings. It was a test case, and is the first decision ever rendered on the subject by any court in this country, and it will be heeded all over the land as just and right. The presiding judges may, in the near future, regret that they did not make it unanimous. The particulars of the suit are as follows: Drs. T. J. Dills and A. B. Buchanan, of Fort Wayne, Indiana, practicing physicians of reputation, were summoned by the defendant to give testimony, as experts, in a case of rape, State *vs.* Hamilton. They had no concern or interest in the case or man, and they refused to give their evidence unless they were properly compensated. The judge promptly ordered them to jail, and after they had exhausted every means to maintain the stand they had taken, they were forced to succumb and give the testimony, which they did under protest, and then they brought suit against the State. A decision was given in the lower court adverse to Drs. Dills and Buchanan, but the supreme court of the State reversed the decision of the lower court, and sustained the position taken by these physicians. The court "held that under the constitution the State had no right to take a man's particular service without compensation; that the giving of expert medical testimony is particular service within the meaning of the constitution." As said above, this decision is of the highest importance, and will give entire satisfaction everywhere—affecting, as it does, every profession and calling. Too much praise cannot be accorded Drs. Dills and Buchanan for their brave and manly stand in the interest of right and justice, and their profession will hold them in lasting gratitude for the great service they have rendered it.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Both Texts are Correct.

EDITORS APPEAL—Several years ago I furnished the APPEAL or the *Baptist*, I forget which, with a new English translation of the Hebrew decalogue (improperly rendered Ten commandments; it means the ten expressions or utterances in Mount Sinai). In the preamble of that document, Israel's God appeals to the nation and exclaims, "I am Je Ho Va H, thy God, who brought thee forth from Egypt. * * * Have no other gods in my presence; no not prostrate thyself before *them*; do not serve them, for I am a scrutinizing power, considering (mitigating) the sins of parents for the sake of the children, even to the third and fourth generation; that is from those who hate me, but showing kindness to thousands of generations to those who love me." Ezekiel understood the decalogue in that sense, hence his saying, "*The son shall not bear the sins of his father, etc.*" While I claim to be the first who gave this explanation in English, I do not claim the original idea. I read it when I was a student, thirty years ago. JACOB J. PERES.

The Supreme Judgeship.

EDITORS APPEAL—As our supreme judges are to be elected next August, it is highly essential that the people should examine carefully into the fitness of the respective candidates; and in this connection I wish to call attention to the claims of Judge Thomas J. Freeman for re-election from West Tennessee, and I do this because he has not and will not make a personal canvass for the nomination, but will rely solely upon the record that he has made to secure his re-election. Judge Freeman is a favorite with the Tennessee bar. The lawyers admire him for his honesty and impartiality in the hearing and decision of all cases which come before him. They all unite in commending him for his patience, fairness and industry in the examination of the law and the facts of each case presented to him. No man upon the bench has given more general satisfaction to the supreme bar than Judge Freeman. Except in 1876, when he was sick, his health has been very good, and is now entirely restored, and has been for more than twelve months. Many of his opinions will compare favorably with those of our best anti-war jurists. He has a remarkable memory, and for this reason is more familiar with the Tennessee decisions than any lawyer in West Tennessee. He not only has a very fine judicial mind and a large store of judicial experience, but he is a man of very superior literary culture. There is no man in Tennessee of his age that is more familiar with ancient and modern literature. That he has discharged his duties as supreme judge with honesty, fidelity and ability is attested by the fact that a large majority of the lawyers in, at least, three-fourths of the counties of West Tennessee favor his re-election. And it is no disparagement to the other aspirants to say that he is the equal, if not the superior, of any of them. He is in all respects well fitted for the position, and we should re-elect him. There has been some adverse criticism of the present supreme bench on account of some few conflicting decisions which they have made. But most of these criticisms were wholly unwarranted by the facts. The court set in two sections, and neither section ever heard any discussion of the cases argued before the other, and the only wonder is that the conflicting cases are so few. The dockets were so crowded that it was utterly impossible for the judges to give the time and study to cases that the judges did before the war. And if the work is not as well done as it was in the days of Turley and Green, it should be set down to their credit that the present judges have done more work in the past eight years than Judges Wright, M'Kinney, Greene, and others, did from 1830 to 1860. The lawyers alone are to blame for the haste and dispatch with which the cases were disposed of. They clamored for the trial of their cases, and hurried the courts in their examination, and now some few of them are so inconsiderate as to condemn the work which was produced by their own indecent haste and clamor. X.

Coal and Wood.

I have reduced the price of my best Pittsburg coal to *forty cents per barrel*, delivered to all parts of the city. Three hundred cords of dry oak and ash wood; very cheap, for cash. J. W. ALLEY.

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PROF. JAS. A. SEWELL, of medical faculty Laval university, Quebec, states: "I have found Colden's Liebig's liquid extract of beef and tonic invigorator particularly useful in advanced stages of consumption, weakness, dyspepsia, and all nervous affections. In pregnant women it has been retained while every article of food was rejected. I can recommend it as convenient, palatable, and easy of digestion." W. N. Wilkerson & Co., agents.

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Two large cups of flour, one and a half teaspoonfuls Dooley's yeast powder, one pint sweet milk, or half milk and half cream, three eggs beaten separately, and a little salt. Bake in muffin tins. They are delicious for tea.

Coal! Coal!

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To Our Patrons and the Public Generally.

We beg leave to state to all our friends, and the trade generally, that the damage occasioned to us by fire last Saturday night *will not interrupt transaction of business*. Our branches in New York and Philadelphia have already orders for an immediate purchase and transmission of a fresh stock of dry goods, notions and clothing, and, within eight or ten days, we shall be enabled to give all orders our usual attention, and those who kindly patronize us the accustomed satisfaction. Thankful for past patronage, and soliciting a continuance of same, we are, very respectfully, WALKER BROS. & CO.

Furniture, carpets, etc., at very low prices, for the next twenty days, previous to stock-taking, at Ames, Beattie & Co.'s, No. 361 Main street.

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Mothers, Mothers, Mothers.

Don't fail to procure Mrs. Winslow's soothing syrup for all diseases of teething in children. It relieves the child from pain, cures wind colic, regulates the bowels, and, by giving relief and health to the child, gives rest to the mother.

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The finest assortment of greenhouse and bedding plants, roses, etc., is at 417 Main street, Mrs. Wm. Sledge.

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ADDITIONAL RIVER NEWS.

SHREVEPORT, April 4.—Weather clear and pleasant. River fell 2 inches.

LOUISVILLE, April 4.—Weather partly cloudy and cool. River falling, with 8 feet in the canal. Departed: U. P. Schenck, New Orleans; Andy Baum, Cincinnati.

VICKSBURG, April 4.—Weather clear and pleasant. Thermometer 60 deg. River fell 9 inches. Arrived: John B. Maude, 3 p.m. Up: A. C. Donnally, 1 p.m. No boats down.

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BANKRUPTCY.

Bankrupt Sale.

In the matter of S. F. M. Day, individually, and as constituting the firm of Day & Co., bankrupts—In bankruptcy, at Memphis, Tenn.

I, AS assignee of said bankrupts' estate, will sell at public auction, at the crossing of the two railroads, and in front of the hotel, in the town of Humboldt, Gibson county, Tennessee, on

Saturday, April 27, 1878,

at 10 o'clock of said day, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Beginning sixty feet east of Gillispie's corner; running thence east twenty feet to Donnal's corner; thence north one hundred and twenty feet to an alley thence west twenty feet to a stake; thence south one hundred and twenty feet to the beginning.

Also, one lot bounded by J. W. Nichols and others on the north; on the south by Williams and Johnson; on the west by —— street; and on the east by —— street.

Also, the northeast corner of block No. nine (9), A. H. Vaughn's survey, and bounded by the balance of said block on the south and west; by Penn street on the north; and by A street on the east, and being one hundred and sixteen and two-thirds feet east and west by one hundred and fifty feet north and south.

Also, the southeast corner of block No. 9, of A. H. Vaughn's survey, and bounded on the north by the lot above described; on the west by the balance of block No. 9; on the south by A. W. Roberts's lot, and on the east by a street that divides it from the Geo. Mitchell lot, and being one hundred and fifty feet north and south by one hundred and sixteen feet east and west—all situated in the town of Humboldt and county of Gibson and State of Tennessee.

Terms of Sale—Cash. A deposit of ten per cent. will be required at the time of sale. The schedules and other evidences to be seen at my office, No. 20 Madison street. The property is improved and valuable. [ap5 frl] O. WOOLDRIDGE, Assignee.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of West Tennessee—In the matter of Jos. Coll & Co.—In bankruptcy.

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Jos. Coll & Co., of Shelby county, Tennessee. THOS. FISHER, Assignee.

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They will also **leave for St. Louis** every FRIDAY, SUNDAY and TUESDAY, at 5 p.m., carrying the U. S. MAIL, and attending to all way business. For all information address AD. STORM, Sup't.

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Steamer GRAND TOWER, Lennox.....master. Will leave FRIDAY, April 5th, at 10 a.m., from Elevator Building, ticketing passengers and giving through bills lading to Pine Bluff and all points on Yazoo river. AD. STORM, Sup't.

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Katie Hooper,

Ed. Nowland.....master | Jas. N. Thompson...clerk. Leaves SATURDAY, April 6th, at 5 p.m. JNO. N. HARBIN, Sup't., 292½ Front st. J. T. WASHINGTON, Agent, R. E. Lee wharfboat.

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