AUCTION SALES.

500 CHROMOS! CHROMOS!

Wholesale and Retail, by

A. F. FRANKLAND,

233 Main Street, Clay Building.

Administrator's Sale—Estate of George Cook.

By order of HON. J. A. ANDERSON.
At Auction this Morning, Household Effects of All Kinds.
TRADERS, LOOK OUT FOR BARGAINS!
A. M. STODDARD, Auctioneer.

Administrator's Sale at Auction.
This day, at 12 o'clock, at Tenfel Place, corner of Hernando and South Streets,
1 Cow, Spring Wagon, Furniture, 1 Copper Generator (cost $400), wine, etc., etc.
J. A. ANDERSON, Pub. Administrator.
A. M. STODDARD, Auctioneer.

Administrator's Sale at Auction.
Household Furniture, Hot-Bed Sash, Horses, Mules, Cows, Wagons, Harness, and Farming Utensils in general,
Tuesday, December 10th, at 1 o'clock, at 325 Main Street.
F. LAVIGNE,
Administrator Estate of A. Castay.
A. M. STODDARD, Auctioneer.

LARGE TRADE SALE AT AUCTION BY

A. E. FRANKLAND,

233 Main Street, Clay Building.

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3d and 4th, at 10 a. m.,

CLOTHING,
DRY GOODS,
BOOTS, SHOES, HATS,
FURNISHING GOODS,

Fresh, Seasonable and Desirable.

No Reserve—They Must be Sold.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

THE SPENCER PLACE, on Vollentine avenue, two and one-half miles from Court Square, containing ten acres; five acres orchard; house contains 10 rooms; also cistern; good outbuildings. Apply on the place. H. W. SPENCER.

STRAYED.

$5 REWARD—From the Court street stables, a dark bay Mare Mule, about fifteen hands high, closely trimmed, and in good order. The above reward will be paid for the return of the Mule to JOHN MINGHON, Court Street Stables.

LOST.

DRY GOODS—On Thursday afternoon, November 14th, on Main, between Adams and Jefferson streets a package of dry goods. Finder will please leave it at Winn's store, 257½ Main street.

ROOMS AND BOARD.

FIRST-CLASS rooms, with or without board. Terms very moderate. No. 34 Mulberry.

HANDSOMELY furnished front room and dressing room attached, with board, at 63 Madison.

ROOMS and board at 481 Shelby street. References required.

GOOD DAY board at 123 Court street.
A. J. ROACH.

PERSONAL.

MEWBORN, DENTIST, 34 MADISON STREET.

DR. WM. A. CARSWELL, No. 27 South Court, near Main, Office hours: 9 to 10 a.m., 1 to 2 middle, and 7 to 9 o'clock p.m.

MRS. C. O. VALLENTINE will continue the Sewing-Machine business at 318 Main street, for the present. Machines will be repaired promptly.

G. FEUERSTACKE, piano and organ tune, and repairer, at WITZMANN'S, 223 Second.

FOR SALE.

FURNITURE—A lot of fine furniture, carpets, etc. Reason: Removing from the city. Call at 52 Marshall avenue.

STATUES—Two large Italian marble statues; one, termed "Remembrance," represents a woman entwining flowers into a wreath; the second, "Affection," represents a woman scattering flowers over a grave. For particulars and price inquire of Vincent Botto, southeast corner Washington and Front sts.

LITTLE ROCK business property for sale. The best vacant corner business lot for sale, on terms to suit purchaser. Apply to THOMAS LAFFERTY, Little Rock.

A ONE-HALF interest in the Chickasaw Billiard Parlor, corner Main and Monroe streets. In quire of F. CONVERSE, 312 Main street.

GOOD CHANCE—New two-story house, seven rooms, gas and cistern; $2500; $500 cash, balance $34 per month, until paid for. Address B. Z. FINE, city.

STOCK AND FIXTURES—Of retail grocery. Address STAPLE, Appeal office.

GINS—New gins. Avery make. H. DOW, 210 Front street.

CEDAR GATE AND FENCING POSTS—For sale by W. R. LARKIN, Larkinsville, Alabama.

BRICK—Shipped cheap by river or railroad. Leave orders at John A. Benle's, 352 Front street. Large concessions will be made on orders for good salmon Brick, suitable for chimneys or setting boilers, etc. O. H. P. PIPER.

WANTS.

WOMAN COOK—To wash and iron. Boy to do housework. 681 Shelby street.

FIRST-CLASS dining room servant at 123 Court street. Male preferred.

BY a thoroughly competent man, the position of manager of a farm. Will go to Arkansas or Mississippi. Best of reference furnished. Address, "J. C. M.," this office.

ORDERS for Electric Lights to illuminate factories, mills, churches, theaters, villages, cities, steamers and locomotives. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. Hilfield, agent Southern States, Memphis, Tenn.

BOARDERS—Two gentlemen can secure board in a private family. Apply 181 Wellington st.

AN orphan girl who destres a good, permanent home; also a good cook, washer and ironer. Good wages. Address "S," Lock Box 14, Holly Springs, Miss.

MAN and woman (German preferred) to take charge of a place near the city.
SW. S. TAYLOR, 309 Front Street.

EMPLOYMENT Agency of the Ladies Christian Association.—Help, white or colored, who can bring references, can find good situations by applying at the Intelligence Office, 158 Main.

SITUATION—In a Grocery or Commission House by a reliable young man. References. Address, "G. E. L.," Appeal office.

DRESSMAKER and CUTTER of ability—good salary to competent person. Address A. B., Appeal office.

A SITUATION—By a young man in a furniture or shoe house, or in any capacity where a faithful clerk would be useful. Address, J. G., this office.

BOOK KEEPER—Position as Book-keeper, by a competent gentleman, who speaks and writes German, English, Spanish and French. First-class reference. Address, "H. H. H.," P. O. box 270, Booneville, Missouri.

FOR RENT.

DWELLING—104 Market st., between 3d and 4th sts. Apply to WM. HUMPHREYS, 204 Front st.

COTTAGE—No. 50 Marshall avenue, with five rooms, store-room and kitchen, all in good repair; also, good cistern. Apply to N. L. AVERY, 326 Main street. Or to Mrs. H. S. Bowen, 393 Union street.

HOUSE No. 83 Fifth street, Chelsea; nine rooms, in thorough repair; gas; street cars pass front door. SAM H. COWID, 90 Court street.

NICE COTTAGE—405 Pontotoc, 4 rooms, gas and hydrant water. Apply at 409 Pontotoc.

215 ACRES OF LAND—Place well improved, land in a good state of cultivation. Situated 12 miles east of Carson's Landing, in Bolivar county, Miss. Will rent for six years at $3 per acre. Apply to J. D. SHELBY, Grenada, Miss.

TWO residences on Carroll avenue.

Choice residence on Madison, near depot.
Choice brick, 77 Poplar; also, 277 Poplar.
Houses on Exchange and Market streets.
320, also 330 Jefferson, near depot.
Cottages on Lauderdale, south of Vance.
2 brick cottages, corner Hernando and South.
New and good residence, 396 Linden.
Tenements on Main, south of Vance.
Nice residence, 24 Fourth street, Chelsea.
Houses cor. Jefferson and Orleans.
307 Fifth street cor. Carolina, Fort Pickering.
Good cottage on Walnut, south of Georgia street.
Cottage and 7 acres, Walker ave., near Hernando rd.
179 Madison; 507 and 511 Main. Cheap.
Cottage, garden and stable, Bass ave.
203 Carroll avenue; also 401 Adams street.
Cottage and 4 acres Randolph road, Che'sea.
Brick residence 321 Adams street, opp. Babb's.
Bonnoire residence; also cottage Charleston road.
Select brick residence, 166 Union, near Bende's.
Cottage 894 Vance; also, 20 Ruth street.
Commodious residence 248 Boss ave, near Manassas.
Other houses received daily.
Stores on Main and Front.
Offices on Main, near Madison.
Sleeping rooms, single and in suits.
W. A. WHEATLEY, 281 Main st.

OFFICE—A splendid business office at No. 15 Madison street, ground floor, which is now occupied by Captain E. R. Hart. Occupation given December 1st. Apply to J. A. POLLOCK, 15 Madison.

TWO PLANTATIONS—In a high state of cultivation, fronting on the Mississippi river, in De-Soto county, twenty-five miles below Memphis, known as the Norfolk and Sour Landing places, to rent for the coming year. Apply to DR. F. W. DANCY, Holly Springs, Miss.

ROOMS—Comfortable rooms, in a private house, furnished or unfurnished, for gentlemen or families. No fever been on the premises. Rates to suit the times. No 101 Jefferson street.

THE residence of Eli Rayner, at Hill's Station, Memphis and Charleston railroad, 3 miles from the city. House contains nine rooms, with 18 acres of land attached. Apply to W. E. RAYNER, 290 Main street.

ELEGANT Lofts over Chas. Herzog & Bros. store, opposite Peabody Hotel. Apply at the premises.

NICE COTTAGE—At 27 Ruth street. Apply on the premises.

RESIDENCE—Corner Lane and Brinkley avenues, half mile from terminus of Poplar street railroad and quarter mile north of Boulevard; eleven rooms, including kitchen and servants room. Bath-room, with hot and cold water pipes in the house. Stables and other out-houses, 2 good cisterns and a well; orchard and two acres in garden. Apply on premises, or to R. F. Coleman, Circuit Clerk's office.

LARGE ROOM—To one or two single gentlemen, without board, one large room, unfurnished; with coal and south windows, gas and grate; family private. Apply at 266 Third street.

FURNISHED rooms for rent, single or in suit, at reasonable rates, at 558 Main street, near Union. Reference required.

HOUSE—The best situated house in city for a boardinghouse, cor. Madison and Third. Apply to R. W. HARRIS, Mat. Storage Co., 329 Main st.

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS—Cheap to gentlemen. New brick house, 34 Mulberry street.

BRICK HOUSE—A very desirable brick residence, furnished or not, the rent taken in either board or in money. Premises in fine order. Location, neighborhood, etc., the best. Call at 179 Union street.

ROOMS—Furnished or unfurnished, AT 106 COURT STREET.

HOUSE—A nicely furnished house in a central portion of the city, for furnished rooms. Must have all modern improvements. Apply to J. D. COMMER, 3 Madison.

AMUSEMENTS.

MEMPHIS THEATER.

DAVEY & BROOKS. : : Proprietors

WEEK OF DECEMBER 2d, 1878—MATINEES WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY at 2 p. m.

First production in this city of

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.

as originally revived by GOTTHOLD & RIAL.

SUPERB DRAMATIC COMPANY.
LARGE BAND OF JUBILEE SINGERS,
MAGNIFICENT SCENIC EFFECTS,

concluding with the Grand Transformation, illustrating the picture of

The Beautiful Gates Ajar.

a marvel of scenic effect. Usual scale of Prices. Reserved Seats for sale at Hollenberg's Music Store.

MONDAY, Dec. 9th—J. W. COLLIER'S "CELEBRATED CASE" COMBINATION from the Union Square Theater, New York.

WASHINGTON VARIETIES,
18 WASHINGTON STREET.

The Place of Amusement for the People.

A Grand Vaudeville Entertainment Nightly.

Popular Prices of Admission. See Programmes.

NEW.

2000 bxs Mild Cheese,
Factory Prices, freight added.
500 bxs Crackers,
Factory Prices, freight added.
1000 bxs Fancy and Stick Candy,
Factory Prices, freight added.
50 Barrels Atmore's Mince Meat.
100 Half-barrels Atmore's Mince Meat.
1000 Buckets Atmore's Mince Meat, (5 to 50 pounds.)
Factory Prices, freight added.
500 Barrels Silver Moon Flour.
100 Half-barrels Silver Moon Flour.
100 Barrels Plant's Extra Flour.
50 Barrels Jack Frost Flour.
500 Barrels Different Grades Flour.
200 Brls Silver Moon and Pearl Meal.
1000 brls Apples, Fine for shipping.
500 brls Fine Early Rose Potatoes.
100 brls Oranges.
200 brls Fresh N. Y. State Buckwheat.
7000 Cases Salmon, Sardines, Canned Tomatoes, Peaches, Pickles, Etc.

Oliver, Finnie & Co

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

—"Whoa Emma" matinee to-day.

—*Uncle Tom's Cabin* matinee at the theater to-day.

—"I'm a lawyer, and my name is Marks," at the matinee to-day.

—Christmas goods are being exposed liberally in store-windows.

—There will be no Mardi-Gras celebration held next year in Memphis.

—The pavements and crossings throughout the city need repairing badly.

—The cow-stealers are still on the war-path in the suburbs of the city.

—The courthouse surrounded but few items of news to reporters yesterday.

—The delightful weather creates bright, smiling faces in business circles.

—The membership rules of the cotton exchange are being enforced strictly.

—Many elegant street dresses are exhibited daily by the wearers on Main street.

—The Shelby county medical society meets at half-past seven o'clock this evening.

—A peremptory call of the United States court docket will be had on next Monday.

—The usual Wednesday matinee, with *Uncle Tom's Cabin* and the charming Little Eva.

—Yesterday afternoon the police arrested Arthur Doba, colored, on the charge of larceny.

—DeSoto Masonic lodge met last night for the purpose of preparing for the holding of a lodge of sorrow.

—At the Theater matinee to-day and the performance to-night *Uncle Tom's Cabin* will be reproduced.

—The criminal, law and equity dockets will be taken up on Monday next at the United States court.

—The colored young men's christian association of Avery chapel gave a pleasing entertainment last night.

—The case of the State *vs.* J. Dawson, indictment for the murder of M. Griffin, is on hearing at the criminal court.

—On the sixteenth instant, Monday next, Judge Baxter or Judge Brown, of Michigan, will preside at the United States court.

—Next week, at the Theater, we will have *A Celebrated Case*, which will be produced under the auspices of Shook & Palmer, of New York.

—The cotton exchange committee on flax bagging will meet this afternoon at three o'clock. The committee will investigate and make a report.

—This morning, at St. Peter's (Catholic) church, a requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of the souls of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sullivan.

—The daily proceedings of congress will be read with interest by all Memphians, especially since the quarantine report and law came up for action.

—Police business is quite dull at present; but little crime being committed in the city. There is a little petty stealing going on in the suburbs.

—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Memphis and Charleston railway takes place at ten o'clock to-day. See advertisement elsewhere.

—It is estimated that not one man or woman in Memphis read the President's message from end to end. Life is too short for so dull and dreary a task.

—The street carpenter's force of the city engineer's office was busy yesterday repairing that dangerous crossing on the corner of West Court and Main streets.

—The time-honored wagoner of years ago continues to appear daily on the bluff with his wagon, mules and cotton bales. The bluff now presents a lively appearance.

—The admiralty cases of the steamers Cheek, Illinois, and others, were heard by Judge Hammond, of the United States court, yesterday, and will be further heard to-day.

—A trio of widows and widowers, from near Shelby depot, appeared in town yesterday morning and were united in matrimony. The weeds were discarded for orange blossoms.

—Crowds of strangers appeared on the business streets yesterday. Merchants were busy all the day long. A very large amount of goods were sold. Trade was never as brisk as at present.

—The shipments of cotton yesterday aggregated 2672 bales, against 1387 bales last year at the same time. Total shipments since September 1st, 43,514 bales. Stock on hand, 71,624 bales.

—Joe Rucio, a watchman on the Lee wharfboat, was arrested yesterday by the police on the charge of larceny, stealing twenty-five dollars. The ill-gotten money was found in his possession.

—The receipts of cotton yesterday, as reported to the cotton exchange, were 4180 bales; at the same time last year, 2214 bales and the year before, 2681 bales. Receipts since September 1st, 114,184 bales; in 1877 at the same time, 148,110 bales—a decrease of 23,926 bales.

—Early Tuesday morning the residence of Dr. George Cole, near Bartlett, in this county, was totally destroyed by fire. Dr. Cole had no insurance on the building or furniture. The total loss is estimated at about three thousand dollars.

—Mr. Schoolfield, representing a Chicago jewelry house, recently lost a trunk full of valuables on the Mississippi Central railroad. It was either misplaced or stolen. The contents of the trunk are valued at some twenty thousand dollars.

—George App, who surrendered himself a day or two ago, and who was committed to jail on a warrant charging him with the murder of John Hackett, had been secreted near Lucy, on the Paducah railroad, for a time, and afterward over the river in Arkansas.

—Drunkenness continues to be on the increase in this city. Some local philosopher insists that this state of morality was caused by the late epidemic, which made many people somewhat reckless. But, then, scores of people who get drunk were not in Memphis during the plague.

—Chief of Police Athy has received a check for three hundred dollars from Chief of Pol ce Walling, of New York, to be distributed among those of the Memphis police force who have suffered from yellow-fever. Chief Athy is distributing the fund among the widows and orphans of the force.

—Last night our reporter came across several gentlemen who were holding on to lamp-posts on street-corners, and were disposing of the contents of their stomachs in quite a liberal manner. It was not *vomito* of the yellow-fever type; it was caused by too much whisky or lager—both combined, probably.

—Complaints are made of the desperate, almost impassable condition of the road leading to Calvery cemetery. It is nearly impossible for a hearse to reach the cemetery by either of the routes from the city limits. Will not the authorities urge the road overseers to correct these very great inconveniences?

—The men who turn street-corners closely and rapidly generally find themselves run into by some other citizens, who are turning the corners slowly. Gentlemen, go slow around corners and curves, and thereby avoid collisions or telescoping. Those who have been turning corners rapidly during the past few days were bill-collectors.

—Yesterday Mr. W. J. Chase, who has been acting postmaster since the death of Postmaster R. A. Thompson, turned over the office to Mrs. Thompson, postmistress by appointment of President Hayes. Mr. Frank LeMott, who had been a clerk in the office, was appointed assistant postmaster by Mr. Chase, and Mrs. Thompson retained him in that position. It was well deserved.

—The WEEKLY APPEAL, in wrappers, can be had at the counting-room, ready for mailing. The weekly contains a vast amount of most interesting reading matter, including the proceedings of the meeting of citizens held at the Greenlaw Operahouse last week with reference to those who stood at their posts here attending to the sick and dying, and those generous people of the United States who subscribed so lavishly in aid of the sufferers.

—Colonel Toole's advertising railroad car belonging to Forepaugh's circus and menagerie, now at the depot, started for San Francisco March 1st, and traveled through California, Nevada, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah, Nebraska, Missouri, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois, Indian Territory, Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, and then to Tennessee. The circus season will close in this city on Monday and Tuesday next, and Mr. Forepaugh will pay off his company here. This is a good item for tradesmen and merchants.

PERSONALS.

THE managers of the Church Home will meet this forenoon.

EVERY the recorder is kept busy attending to the violators of law.

MR. C. T. ATWOOD, business agent of the Shook & Palmer dramatic company, is in the city.

MR. KENDRICK, of the Oakland (Miss.) *Times*, is paying a visit to our City of the Bluffs.

MR. WILLIAM BANKS, a prominent merchant of Decatur, Alabama, is in the city and the guest of Colonel M. C. Gallaway.

LITTLE MISS EVA MILLER, who appears in the role "Eva" in *Uncle Tom's Cabin*, paid the APPEAL office a social visit on Saturday.

AUSTIN MILLER and J. J. Polk, of Hardeman, left for their plantations down the river on the G. W. Cheek yesterday afternoon.

DARNEY M. SCALES has removed his law office to the Planters' insurance company building, 41 Madison street. Room No. 29.

GENERAL R. P. NEELY, of the Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans railroad, is among the prominent railroad officials visiting the city.

COLONEL TOM W. NEAL, of the Dyersburg (Tenn.) *State Gazette*, is in the city on business connected with his widely circulated journal.

THE following visitors were registered at the cotton exchange yesterday: R. S. Cochran, Chicago; Jas. G. Cantrell, W. P. Fletcher, Lonoke, Arkansas.

MR. J. B. KNOX, formerly, of this city, who went to Holly Springs, Mississippi, as a yellow-fever nurse, reached this city yesterday, on his way to St. Louis.

THE sermon delivered by Rabbi Samfield at the Hebrew synagogue, on Sunday last, and in memory of the dead, will appear in next Sunday's APPEAL.

COLONEL WILSON, treasurer of the Memphis and Charleston railway company, is in the city to attend the meeting of the directory which takes place to-morrow.

S. J. WARD, JR., desires to thank his employers, Messrs. Kahn & Freiberg, for their kindness and liberality in continuing his salary while he was confined to the house from an accident, and also during an attack of yellow-fever, from which he has just recovered.

THE Christian Brothers' college, Brother Maurelian president, reopened its classes on November 11th, and has now an attendance of eighty-five students. Its high reputation and its ample facilities for thoroughly educating youth, render it worthy of the confidence and patronage of our best citizens.

THE thumb on the right hand of Sol Coleman is deformed, through a painful experience in the form of a bone-felon, yet it does not deter him from "holding the fort" behind his counter, well known as the Key West cigar emporium, passing to his customers his latest brand of cigars, the popular No. 10, at five cents each. They are excellent, and we guarantee just what they are—a first-class cigar for a nickel.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Memphis Theater.

Another large audience was present at the Theater last night and witnessed the presentation of *Uncle Tom's Cabin* by Gotthold & Rial's dramatic troupe. The manner in which the play was presented last evening was highly creditable to the management and the actors. There was an interesting little "Eva" in the person of Miss Miller, a remarkable clever "Topsy," by Miss Kate Partington, a very realistic personation of "Legree" by Mr. Bond, and, generally speaking, a well ordered cast of characters. The troupe of Jubilee singers was vociferously applauded and encored. The drama was presented with fine scenery and effects. It was well mounted and gave general satisfaction to the audience. The drama winds up with a transformation scene most attractive and brilliant. *Uncle Tom's Cabin* will be the attraction at the matinee to-day and again to-night.

LAW REPORTS.

Circuit Court—Hon. J. O. Pierce, Judge.

On Tuesday, the tenth instant, the court will hear answers of garnishees. The following cases constitute the calendar for to-day: 4173, Flemming vs City of Memphis; 4404, City tax collector vs Hanson; 4649, City of Memphis vs Davis; 4650, City of Memphis vs Anderson; 4652, City of Memphis vs Nelson; 4654, City of Memphis vs Froman; 4752, Nichols vs Guy, M'Clellan & Co.; 5003, Field vs Jacobs; 5027, Devoto vs Sykes; 5106, Neff vs Battle, et al; 5145, Walker and wife vs Conway; 5218, Sneeringer vs Netzen; 5223, Tighe vs Stillman, et al; 5226, Twohil vs Lemon; 5280, Loudon vs Dyke; 5291, Doyle vs Louisville and Nashville railroad; 5293, Sherman vs Thayer; 5300, Nicholette vs Lawrenze; 5301, Stockley vs Shelby county; 5316, Bryant vs Button, et al; 5320, Burns vs Callahan; 5355, Ramsey vs Grest; 5366, State of Tennessee vs Tancy; 5371, Goodwin & Co. vs Brooks; 5381, Knott vs Dunnevaunt, et al; 5382, Metropolitan national bank vs Dillard; 5398, Senger vs Burnett; 5399, Greer vs Holst; 5400, Schloss vs Wolf; 5402, Knight, trustee, vs Leahy; 5405, May, agent, vs Smith; 5406, Bain, use, etc, vs Keho; 5407, Carlin vs Mallory, et al; 5408, Terrell vs Richardson.

United States Circuit Court—Hon E. S. Hammond, Judge.

The following order of business was announced for the term: Commencing on Monday, December 9th, the dockets will be called peremptorily, in the following order: First, the criminal docket; second, the law docket; third, the equity docket. Cases in which Judge Hammond is incompetent will be passed until December 16th, when Judge Baxter will preside in the court, and if not tried by him, until the arrival of Judge Brown, of the Michigan district. The argument in the steamboat cases was commenced yesterday—not concluded.

United States District Court—Hammond, Judge.

The following order of business was announced for the term: A peremptory call of the district docket will commence on Monday, December 16th. Cases in which Judge Hammond is incompetent will be passed until the arrival of Judge Brown who will dispose of them. The argument in the steamboat cases was commenced yesterday—not concluded.

IF, upon opening Dr. C. M'Lane's celebrated vermifuge, you do not find his name manufactured in the glass, you are deceived. Also see that the autograph signature of "Fleming Bros., Pittsburg," is on the label.

Merchant Tailoring.

For dress suits, business suits, choice goods, AT BOTTOM PRICES, Go to M'Geoy's, 43 Jefferson street.

You Can Save Money

Every Month by buying your groceries on the co-operative plan at 263 Second street. Everybody can do it.

Gingerbread without Eggs.

Six cupfuls of flour, three cups of molasses, one and a half cups of butter, one cup of sweet milk, four teaspoonfuls Dooley's yeast powder sifted through the flour dry, one tablespoonful each of ginger and cloves, and two tablespoonfuls of cinnamon.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

The Itinerancy of the Methodist Church.

EDITORS APPEAL—The editorial in the APPEAL of yesterday, upon the itinerancy of the Methodist church, was in good taste and a fair presentation of the question; but there are cogent reasons against any substantial change of this system, that will be apparent upon reflection. It might be sufficient to say that the policy of itinerancy is right because it is based upon the sanction, if not the positive direction of the New Testament. The apostles' mode of preaching by itinerancy, from one section to another and from one country to another, would at least indicate that the apostles believed it to be the most successful way of spreading the gospel. But, as a mere matter of policy, what has been the result? Has it effected more good in a shorter time than any other system? The latest statistics of the Methodist church in all of its branches in this country, north and south, show a membership of very little less than three and one-half million. The organization of the church has not been very much longer than a century and a quarter. Compare this with other organizations that have a permanent pastorate and see the difference. We are taking for granted that the doctrines, forms and ceremonies of the different churches are equally good. We are testing a pastorate system. There are personal objections, we grant, that can be urged against this system, and could be urged against any other; but the question is the greatest good to the greatest number. Large, wealthy congregations can build splendid houses of worship, employ learned and eloquent preachers, and make their Sabbath worship pleasant and agreeable to themselves and families. But, is not the good they do circumscribed and limited? Is not the benefit confined to the few? These churches are generally limited to a few members, and rarely grow beyond a fixed point. Should it not be the prime object of all churches to extend their numbers and to increase their influence? And to whom should it extend? Only to those who can pay large salaries and support expensive churches? If we are to be bible christians the leading object of church extension should be to give the bible to the poor. Can this be done so effectually as by an itinerant system? a system that sends the best and ablest preachers to the cities and to the country, to the mountains and the valleys. It must be borne in mind that we are not consulting the comfort and ease of the minister, but are seeking the greatest good to the greatest number. We take it for granted that he is called of God to his work and voluntarily assumes a place in the itinerant ranks. It is said, however, that the hardship he endures frequently drives the Methodist minister from his own church to some other. No matter what may be the reason, the fact is that some of them after a while seek other churches, and and many of them are good and true men. But it is another fact provable by the statistics of the Methodist church, that she gains more from other churches than she loses. It is not the itinerant system which drives the Methodist preacher from the church, except in rare instances, but other reasons that I do not propose now to investigate. But it is said that the preacher, having no home, rarely accumulates a competency for his family. Admit it; and is this not a stronger argument against his money-making than against his usefulness as a succesful preacher of the gospel? But the fact is that, connected with this system there is another feature indispensable to which the church cherishes as a part of it—the collection annually of a fund for worn-out preachers, their widows and orphans. But is it true that Methodist preachers are poorer than preachers of other churches? Do any of them get more than a support? The statistics by the government for 1870 show that the ministers of the Methodist church average, as to their salaries, with those of any other church. If the Methodist itinerant needed anything to sustain him in his high calling, from a worldly stand-point, I think these facts are sufficient. But the point is, the greatest good to the greatest number. In the Northern Methodist church the term of the preacher can be extended to three years, in the Southern church to four years. But it must be remembered that no preacher is sent for a longer term than one year; he can continue from year to year to the full limit. There is an important feature in this, and I think valuable to the system. If the people and the preacher do not suit each other, the removal is according to law—there is no friction, no bad feeling—the connection ends peacefully and quietly. How is it with a permanent pastorate? If it is necessary to end the relationship between pastor and people, for any reason, is it not frequently the case that there is much friction, and sometimes very hard feeling. The Methodist preacher in a life-time travels from one end of his conference to the other. His varied gifts and graces reach many hearts and minds; the seed will fall upon good ground. The local pastor, month after month, and year after year, ministers to the same people; no change, no variety. Take the cases of the Drs. Landrum, White and Boggs, three of the best and most eminent ministers in the city. In twenty years each will preach perhaps to twenty thousand different people. The lauseated Dr. Slater in the same time will perhaps have been listened to by one hundred thousand different people. Should all four have been equal in ability and piety, would not the advantage be in favor of Dr. Slater for spreading the gospel? These instances are taken for illustration and not for invidious comparison. Perhaps, in large cities, a permanent pastorate may have some advantages, and may be more pleasant to the individual members of those churches. But the idea of the greatest good to the greatest number will embrace every section of the country and every condition of society—the rich, the poor, the wise, and the illiterate. The blessings of religion extend alike to each. The itinerant system should not be changed; it may be made more or less flexible to suit the necessities of the country. It is not every change that is an improvement; policy often forbids changes. Is it not dangerous when that policy interferes with tried principles? LAYMAN.

LAST June a coal dealer of respectability and prominence, W. S. Campbell, doing business in New Orleans, invested ten dollars in the purchase from M. A. Dauphin (office box 692, New Orleans, Louisiana,) of a ticket in the extraordinary semi-annual drawing of the Louisiana State lottery, and drew one hundred thousand dollars. The next drawing takes place on December 10th, and the scheme presented by the company is so attractive that it is not unlikely some one of our readers will win the grand prize, after he resolves that he who ventures nothing wins nothing, and believing that Generals G. T. Beauregard, of Louisiana, and Jubal A. Early, of Virginia, are honest men, and that the distribution under their sole care is an honest one.

LOWER! LOWER! LOWER!

By order of the United States court the immense stock of men's, boy's and children's clothing of M. Hyde, at the old stand, 332½ Main street, must be disposed of within thirty days. Look at these prices:

Chinchilla overcoats at $5, worth $10.
Chinchilla overcoats at $7 50, worth $15.
Black and brown beaver overcoats at $10, worth $20.
Black worsted suits at $6, former price $12.
Black worsted suits at $8, worth $18.
Fancy cassimere suits at $7, worth $15.
Fancy cassimere suits at $10, worth $20.
Good business suits at $6, worth $10.
Good cassimere pants at $3, worth $6.
Fine cassimere pants at $4, worth $8.
Fine cassimere pants at $5, worth $10.
Good boys' suits at $2 75.
Good boys' suits at $3.
Good boys' cassimere suits at $4.
Fine boys' cassimere suits at $5.
Extra fine boys' cassimere suits at $6.

Also a fine, large stock of gents' furnishing goods at

M. FULD'S,
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Hibner's Champion Needle Plaiter

Makes knife, kilt, box, double-box, cluster, diamond, diagonal and pointed plaiting; also, fine frilling. So simple, a child can use it. For sale by J. B. ALDRICH, 254 Second st.

"Neuril" Instantly Cures Neuralgia.

It is fourteen months since I cured myself of neuralgia with "neuril," and I *have not had the slightest return of pain.* John W. Scott, St. Louis. George W. Jones & Co., Memphis, agents.

Preventive of Malarial Diseases.

Opinion of eminent Dr. H. R. Walton, of Annapolis, Maryland: "Colden's Liebig's liquid extract of beef is a most excellent preparation. It is *par excellence.* Superior to cod-liver oil, or anything I have ever used, in wasted or impaired constitutions, and extremely beneficial as a preventive of malarial diseases."

Messrs. A. & J. Heiliger,

Proprietors of the Vienna bakery, 137 and 139 Poplar street, wish to inform the public that they are prepared to fill all orders for ornamental cakes, pastry, candies, and Vienna bread and rolls, at wholesale and retail.

Fresh Oysters and Celery

Received daily by express at Victor D. Fuchs's, 39 and 41 Jefferson street.

Floyd's Candies

Are often imitated, but never equaled.

ANOTHER RAILROAD PROJECT.

The Memphis, Fort Scott and Colorado Railroad.

EDITORS APPEAL—I hand you herewith the Fort Scott *Herald*, of November 21st, containing articles relative to the Memphis, Fort Scott and Colorado railroad. This question is being thoroughly canvassed here. The discrimination against this county by the powerful companies owning the roads that now move the produce of this vast grain-growing county make these people exceedingly anxious for direct communication with Memphis. And there are considerations which should excite Memphis to bestir herself in this matter, and that at once. The Missouri River, Fort Scott and Gulf railroad is now proposing an extension of its line from this point to Van Buren, connecting with the Little Rock and Fort Smith road. This is looked upon here as only a move in favor of Chicago. You can see the necessity for Memphis to move in this matter. Examine your geographical position, and you can see at once the force of these suggestions. Let this connection be made and it directs the trade of northwestern Arkansas from you, and if this road is built as far as Van Buren it will be continued to Texas, thus cutting off that trade. The proposition is to build a narrow-gauge road by way of Springfield, Missouri, and Jacksonport, Arkansas, to Memphis, thus making a direct line, and passing through a country whose local trade will make the road a paying investment. But the largest item in favor of Memphis is the grain trade that it will bring there. This route will take the Kansas and western Missouri grain to Memphis, because it will be the shortest way to a water-way. I give you these items, and hope it may not be long before Memphis will be connected with this great field. Truly yours,

M. L. BROWN.

Fort Scott (Kans.) *Herald:* "The *Herald* has heretofore taken occasion to lay before the people of Bourbon county the reasonable objections to the voting of bonds in aid of the Memphis railroad. If the same circumstances existed to-day as three months ago, we should feel it our duty to continue to object to the voting of bonds. Recent developments in regard to our shipping facilities from Fort Scott warn us that our city and county are at the mercy of corporations that choose to be the enemies of our interests as a people. It is our duty to protect ourselves at any reasonable cost, and it is, therefore, eminently proper that we look at the facts, and weigh the considerations in favor of going further in debt to secure a most desirable thing. In another column we print a communication from Dr. Sunderlin on the subject, in which are set forth the various inducements for the new road. The communication is worthy of a careful study. In addition to his points, there arises the potent question: 'Can we afford to vote the bonds?' The answer can be tersely made: 'We can afford almost anything that will materially improve our condition and prospects.' If this road shall be carried forward in good faith, it will do for us all that Dr. Sunderlin says it will—and more. A meeting was held in the operahouse, on Saturday evening, to discuss the Memphis, Fort Scott and Colorado railroad project. An expression of opinion in favor of the road was made by Colonel Wilson, Dr. Sanger, Judge Waters, Isaac Stadden, and others. It was shown that the construction of this road is a vital necessity to this locality. So far as railroad facilities are concerned, the present roads we have are practically valueless to the people of Bourbon county, and especially to the city of Fort Scott. In the matter of freights, both ways, the discrimination against our local interests is grievous and oppressive. The roads have been with bad faith continually, and our only defense against them is to have the new road. This being the case, it becomes the duty of all citizens to look carefully into the advantages to be derived from the proposed Memphis road. Our business men and farmers are especially qualified by experience to testify to the extreme dullness of everything. Business is at a complete standstill. Fort Scott possesses the location necessary to make a city of splendid wholesale and manufacturing importance. Our merchants and manufacturers are already shipping supplies to all points within a hundred miles north, and three hundred miles toward the other points of the compass. With this new road our commerce, agricultural and mechanical products, will be pushed southeast, and directly west to the Rocky mountains, completing our importance as a great center of trade. Let any man look the ground over and he will be enabled to readily see the truth of this assertion. It has heretofore been shown how the new road will benefit our country in the way of increased prices of of produce and coal; and decreased prices of lumber, semi-tropical products, etc. It is hardly necessary to enter into a discussion of the utility of the proposed road. The question for our tax-payers is, can they afford to vote bonds to secure it? If they think they can, let them at once decide and put the enterprise into shape. The men who propose to construct the road are ready to proceed with the work at once, and let the question be settled one way or the other. The road will be a great advantage, and if it shall be built there will be a new impetus to the business of the city and county."

Divorced and Again Married.

Captain Jack Kershaw, of Gonzales county, Texas, was united in marriage last week to Mrs. S. Fisher, of Dallas county. Thirty years ago, Jack Kershaw, then a steamboat clerk, married a beautiful young woman of twenty, and some ten years his junior. Their temperaments were incompatible, and after two years of married life they were divorced, Mrs. Kershaw going to her father's home in Tennessee, with her infant daughter. Three years later she became Mrs. Fisher, and accompanied her husband to Texas, who located in Dallas county. The war called Mr. Fisher to the front, and in the war at Mansfield, Louisiana, he was killed. Kershaw, continuing in the steamboat business, became a popular captain on the lower Mississippi, amassed a competency, and married Miss Emma Alexander, a reigning belle of Memphis. Trouble fell upon him in his second marriage, and he was made a widower. Miss Kershaw, the issue of his first marriage, was married. On her removal to St. Louis all communication with Mrs. Fisher ceased except through her son-in-law. Eight months ago Mrs. Fisher received a letter from her first husband, the purport of which can be surmised by subsequent events. On Wednesday last the long separated couple were again joined in the bonds of wedlock. Captain Kershaw is sixty-five, and his bride fifty-one. The above particulars are obtained from a personal friend of Captain Kershaw, who vouches for their truthfulness.

LOCAL NOTICES.

JORDAN & CO.'s confectionery, 178 Main.

W. Z. MITCHELL'S school, at 298 Second street.

ASK your grocer for Gaff Fleischman & Co.'s compressed yeast. A. & J. Rediger's general agents.

THE plumbing and gas-fitting establishment of J. W. X. Browne is now regularly open. Orders promptly attended to.

QUERY.—"Why will