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At 324 Second Street,

the late residence of Dr. E. H. MARTIN.

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The property can be seen on application to me, at 39 Madison street, Planters Building. If not disposed of at private sale by the 15th inst., it will be sold, on said premises, on the 17th inst., at auction.

T. J. LATHAM, Trustee.

STOLEN.

MARE MULE—$25 REWARD—On June 15th, from my place, one brown mare mule, eight years old and fifteen or sixteen hands high; thin in order; one fore-foot split; has sunken place in her side, caused from broken rib; had on at the time a small flat saddle (the pad of which was stuffed with cotton), and a red leather bridle with half-round reins, curb bit. Will pay above reward for mule returned to me, at Galloway, Tenn., eighteen miles from Memphis, on L. and N. R. R.

E. F. THOMAS.

June 18, 1879.

MULE—One large white mule, 12 years old; had a sore under each eye; was stolen June 15th. Ten dollars reward for return of the mule to the halfway house, on old Raleigh road, to Wilson Robinson, or to Chief of Police, Memphis.

REMOVAL.

VARIETY Agricultural Works to 439 and 441 Shelby street. W. C. ELLIS & SON.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.

CALF—On May 4th, one red-and-white heifer calf; one year old; had on leather muzzle. Liberal reward will be paid for her return to

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L. RIEGEL, Dyer and Scourer, 62 Jefferson street. Ladies' and gents' clothing dyed, cleaned and repaired in best style.

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Office, 298 Main. Residence, 481 Shelby.

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COW—On May 21st. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. Apply at Posey place, on State-line road.

COWS AND CALF—On 15th inst., four cows and one heifer calf; also one cow on the 20th. Apply at second toll-gate, Poplar street.

COW AND CALF. Red-and-white spotted, with bell on, which the owner can have by proving property and paying charges. Inquire at 168 Alabama street.

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THE MEMPHIS FOUNDRY AND MACHINE SHOP—Including large and valuable grounds, buildings and machinery. The tools are good and in good order, embracing IN THE FOUNDRY two Cupolas, one 10-ton Crane, and one Rotary Blower, Cleaning and Blacking Mill etc.

IN THE MACHINE SHOP—Two Iron Planers, two Engine Lathes, two Drill Presses, two Bolt Cutters, one Iron Punching Machine, Nailing Machine, etc.

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THE MOTIVE POWER is one 20-horse Engine, with four fluted Boiler, Pumps, Tank, Shafting, Hangers and Pullies complete. For price and terms, address us at Memphis, Tenn.

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BEDROOM—With furniture for sale, corner Main and Madison, over Louisville ticket office. One of the most pleasant rooms in the city, with all conveniences. Apply to W. A. WHEATLEY.

A FURNISHED BOARDINGHOUSE—Centrally located. Address A. S., Appeal office.

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

FOR SALE.

ENGINE AND BOILER—One 20-horse power engine and boiler, nearly new.

J. V. PATRICK, at Memphis Gins.

LOTS—Private, for 10 days, two desirable building lots, 60 by 145 feet, on Linden street, between Lauderdale and Orleans. For price and terms inquire of J. D. Quigley, at E. M. Apperson & Co's.

A NICE cottage at Beersheba Springs—Cheap. For information, apply to Mrs. R. L. C. Bostick, Franklin, Tenn., or N. C. Perkins, Memphis, Tenn.

GROCERY—A rare chance for a man with small capital to start in a first-class Grocery and location. Satisfactory cause given for selling. Apply at 74 Jefferson street.

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BRICK—Shipped cheap by river or railroad. Leave orders at John A. Denie's, 332 Front street. Large concessions will be made on orders for good Salmon Brick, suitable for chimneys or setting boilers, etc.

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BOARDS AND BOARD.

BAILEY SPRINGS. Those seeking summer board at reasonable rates in a healthy location, convenient to the city, with abundance of amusements, and every facility of communication and travel, and absolute exemption from epidemic diseases, should correspond with ELLIS & CO., Bailey Springs, Ala.

TO PARTIES VISITING NEW YORK, WHO desire to avoid the bustle of hotel life and at the same time consult economy, will find superior accommodation at the spacious premises, 106 and 108 East 23d street, delightfully situated one block from Madison Square and Fifth Av. Hotel, and within walking distance of all the principal theaters and stores; references exchanged.

ROOMS—Two nice furnished rooms, with or without board, at 187 Washington street.

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ROOMS—Desirable rooms and good board at 69 JEFFERSON STREET.

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

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SITUATION—In a private family, to cook or wash, by a white woman. Apply at 78 WINCHESTER STREET.

AGENTS—Male or female. Apply before 9 a.m., at Chambers House, corner Second and Washington streets, Memphis, Tenn.

WOMAN—To cook, wash and iron. Apply to J. W. X. BROWNE, 258 Second st.

A MAN AND WIFE desire to take charge of a house for some one leaving for the summer months; best of references given. Call at 175 Linden, up-stairs.

ONE SALESMAN for each State. Salary $75 to $100 per month and expenses; rule exces required. LA BELLE MFG CO., Chicago.

INFORMATION—Of a family by the name of JOHNSTONE, both of whom, husband and wife, died during the fever of last year, leaving a child, quite young, to the care of the white nurse, Mrs. Letitia Smith. The maiden name of Mrs. Johnstone was Jane Taylor. Any one who has knowledge of the family mentioned, or of the nurse, Mrs. Letitia Smith, will confer a favor by addressing the undersigned. Mrs. Smith, it is thought, came here as a nurse from Nashville. Should this notice be seen by her, she will please notify me. Respectfully,

P. R. ATHY, Chief of Police Memphis, Tenn.

PARASOLS—To re-cover, re-line or repair, at the New York Parasol Shop, 192 Main street, near Washington. Practical parasol makers.

TROTTING STALLIONS FOR SEASON OF 1879. "BLUE GRASS," by Bradley's Hamiltonian dam by Long Island Black Hawk.

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AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND BARBECUE SHELBY CO. GRANGE ASSOCIATION.

At a meeting held by the Shelby County Grange Association, on Saturday last, it was determined to have a Grand Barbecue at the Old Fair Grounds, on the Memphis and Charleston Railroad, on the 4th day of July next, together with several Trotting Races, etc.

They offer a premium of $75 for the best 3-minute horse; $75 for the best 2:30 horse; and $100 for best horse—free to all; $10 entrance fee for each trot; best two in three.

$35 premium for the best horse in half-mile dash; $5 entrance fee.

$5 for fastest pacer; best two in three; one-mile heats; $5 entrance fee. All entries to be closed by 4 o'clock on the 28th inst., at the Peabody Hotel.

By order of the Executive Committee,

B. D. GOODWYN.
C. WEATHERFORD.
G. B. FLECK.
R. M. MASON.
H. D. GREER.

Address Executive Committee, care C. Weatherford, Courthouse, Memphis.

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SPECIAL NOTICE to THE PUBLIC

Having vacated the store adjoining our present premises, we wish the public to know that we now

Occupy the Corner Building only.

where we are making extensive and useful improvements to facilitate the growing business of our house.

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SIX FOR $9!

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Sugar, Coffee, Hams,

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Etc., Etc., Etc.,

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MEMPHIS.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Cotton-blooms are appearing in market.

—The legislative council will meet at two o'clock this afternoon.

—Did you draw a prize in the Louisiana lottery drawing of Tuesday last?

—At Olympic park to-morrow afternoon there will be trotting and running races.

—The commencement ball of the University of Mississippi will come off to-night at Oxford.

—The annual commencement of the Christian Brothers' college will be held to-morrow evening at the Memphis Theater.

—The arguments of counsel in the Voss-O'Brien seduction case of damages will be resumed at the circuit court this morning.

—The commencement exercises of Miss Clara Conway's school will be held at ten o'clock this morning, at 196 Third street.

—*Sic vos non vobis* is a good motto for the present seduction case of Voss *vs.* O'Brien, on trial at the Shelby county circuit court.

—The cotton exchange has set a good example in early closing for the summer; up to the first of September business there will cease at four o'clock in the evening.

—The commencement exercises of Mrs. Wade's select school were held yesterday. The parlors were gracefully decked with flowers. The pupils displayed remarkable thoroughness, and the auditors were pleasantly entertained.

—At the criminal court yesterday the following cases were disposed of: State *versus* John Liggens, larceny, three cases, convicted on each case and sentenced to one year's imprisonment on each; Jerry Blackwell, larceny, convicted and sentenced to two years imprisonment in the penitentiary.

—The young woman, Betty Smith, who has been sojourning at the stationhouse for several days because she would not reform her life of shame, relented yesterday and agreed to return to the house of refuge on Promenade street. There is no hope for her, however, and ere long she will be a refugee.

—President Porter at his seance yesterday morning disposed of several cases of drunks. In the line of fighting, John Hawkins was discharged, but Wm. Forrest, his opponent, who sported a black eye, was fined ten dollars. Thomas Day, cotton-stealer, was placed under one thousand dollars bonds. Several cases were continued.

—When the press bucks up against a lawyer in a case the lawyer growls in court, but when the Blackstone retaliates back against the press, the latter pays no attention to it, but lets it pass by as the idle wind, and regards it not. This is the difference between the two professions. It is the broad gauge vs the narrow-gauge mind.

—At Knoxville, on Tuesday last, President Homes, of the board of trustees of the University of Tennesse, presented his report on the condition and prospects of the school. Degrees were conferred, and to-day the board will elect a professor to the department of mathematics, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Prof. Ludlow.

—Yesterday afternoon the case of the State *vs.* Deputy Sheriff Bradley, shooting at Charles Marshall with intent to kill, at Estival park, on Monday night, was on hearing before Esquire Spelman, and was continued over for further hearing to this afternoon at two o'clock. In the meantime the grand jury will probably act in the matter.

—The M'Clellan Guards, colored, Captain Jim Glass commanding, visited Bartlett yesterday and participated in an orphans' picnic given by the colored citizens of Raleigh and vicinity. The colored people had a pleasant picnic and enjoyed themselves. It must not be forgotten that the M'Clellan Guards's picnic will come off on the twenty-fourth instant at the Exposition building.

—In every saloon in Paris, France, is posted up in a conspicuous place a copy of the "Laws against drunkenness," which laws make the seller of intoxicating drinks equally responsible with the disorderly buyer for any disturbance in or about the premises. This excellent law should be the law in Memphis. Every saloon-keeper is thereby made an interested party in the preservation of order and temperance.

—We would urge the property-owners on Madison street, from the Masonic Temple to the customhouse, to act on Colonel Merriwether's advice, and pave that portion of the street with a clean, good and substantial pavement, for it is used more by pedestrians than all the balance of the streets in the city, and it would be very unpleasant wading through limestone dust and sand to and from the banks and insurance offices.

—The first cotton-blooms of the season were on exhibition at the cotton exchange yesterday. The stalk contained four or five blooms and a large number of squares. It was received by Fulmer, Burton & Co., from the plantation of Mr. T. B. Hooker, of Delta, Mississippi, who has about five hundred acres of most promising cotton. It is quite likely that Mr. Hooker will be among the "first-bale" shippers this season.

—Among the many important schools in Tennessee, and especially the western district, there are none more deserving notice than St. James's Hall, a boarding-school at Bolivar for girls, under the care and management of the Episcopal church. The last session closed Thursday evening, the twelfth, with much satisfaction to patrons, the graduating class receiving their diplomas from the bishop of the diocese. The school is under the charge of Rev. W. C. Gray, rector, and a full corps of assistants. No place in Tennessee can boast of a more refined people nor a better locality than Bolivar.

—On Sunday last a negro named John Jones shot at his wife in South Memphis near the French garden. Yesterday Policeman Dallas Lee visited Jones's cabin and attempted to arrest him, but Jones, seizing his trusty double-barreled shotgun, drew it down on Officer Lee, and refused to be arrested. When other police officers arrived Jones was pursued, and when last seen he was in a skiff pulling for the Arkansas shore. He is known to the police as a bad and dangerous man. Officer Lee asked the assistance of several colored and white persons to arrest the desperado, but the leveled double-barreled shotgun kept everybody at bay.

—At noon yesterday a fire broke out in a one-story frame cottage on Elliott street, between Hernando and Desoto, the building, valued at about one thousand dollars, being nearly destroyed. It was the property of General W. J. Smith, and was occupied by his son, M. Smith, who, with his family, has been absent from the city for several days. The furniture was saved with small injury. It was covered by a policy in Gronauer's agency. A defective flue in the kitchen is said to have caused the fire. The sparks from the burning house set another house on fire situated on South street, but the fire was extinguished without much damage.

—The Knoxville *Tribune*, noticing the equestrian statue of Andrew Jackson at Washington, states that the sculptor, Clark Mills, has one more copy which was made for a gentleman in Tennessee before the war but not finished in time for delivery. The party who ordered it died before the close of the war, and it was never delivered. It was the purpose to place it on the capitol grounds at Nashville. Mr. Mills, who is an old-time Jackson Democrat, being anxious for it to come to Tennessee, proposes to sell it for a nominal price—less than cost to him—if it can be purchased to come to this State. The *Tribune* suggests that the Tennessee historical society take the necessary steps to buy this statue by private subscriptions throughout the State, and place it at the capitol at Nashville.

PERSONALS.

BELCHER & JORDAN, law office at Masonic Temple.

DR. A. L. KIMBRO, office southeast corner Main and Union streets.

COLONEL C. D. BENTON, of Louisiana, is stopping at the Peabody.

D. B. DOLL, of Louisville, Kentucky, is registered at the Peabody.

MAJOR JAMES F. STOKES, of M'Ghee's Landing, Mississippi, is stopping at the Peabody.

MRS. EMMA A. WELCH and Mrs. C. L. M'Leifresh left last evening on the steamer Andy Baum, for Cincinnati, to spend a few months with relatives.

VISITORS registered at the cotton exchange yesterday were: W. S. Jones, Vicksburg; E. W. Horan, New Orleans; J. L. Webster, St. Louis; K. Hexter, Holly Springs, Mississippi.

MR. LOUIS L. PARHAM, of Panola county, Mississippi, is in the city in the interest of a new paper, called the *Panola Gazette*, which will be published this week at Sardis, Mississippi.

THE following named gentlemen were elected last night as honorary members of the Memphis Light Guards: Judge J. E. R. Ray, Colonel H. A. Montgomery, Mr. J. E. Beasley, Mr. S. Mansfield, Mr. S. E. Ridgely, Judge T. J. Latham, Mr. E. O. Melton, Mr. J. S. Wilkins, Mr. J. N. Oliver, Mr. John T. Willins.

THE State board of visitors to the University of Tennessee met at Knoxville on Tuesday last, and perfected the organization, as follows: Ex-Governor James D. Porter, president; Dr. E. M. Wight, vice-president, and Hon. J. Harvey Mathes, secretary. The board of visitors subsequently visited and inspected the University buildings and farm, and witnessed a dress parade and artillery drill of the cadets in the afternoon upon the the University campus.

REV. THOMAS A. HOYT, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Nashville, delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the students of the University of Tennessee, at Knoxville, last Sunday. In honor of this occasion no services were held at any of the churches at night, the various ministers aided in the ceremonies, and the congregations all flocked to the operahouse, filling the hall in parquette and galleries. The *Tribune*, from which we get these facts, says that Mr. Hoyt was introduced by Dr. Thomas W. Humes, and for an hour held his hearers spell-bound by one of the greatest efforts ever delivered in Knoxville. Mr. Hoyt is a gentleman of fine presence and captivating manners. His speech is earnest and thrilling, and is delivered with a zeal that carries conviction with it. Our students and our people were fortunate in being listeners to this address, and they heard many maxims which should be printed upon the memory and called up to aid and counsel them in the struggles and trials of life.

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INVALIDS requiring a stimulant made from pure grain and free from fusil-oil should purchase Green Brier.

THE Crescent baking powder is made from pure material, and is extra strength. For sale by HADDEN & AVERY.

Attend the Sale

This morning at eleven o'clock corner Main and Madison streets, of the three-story brick dwelling No. 90 Exchange street. Will be sold for cash.

Races.

Don't forget the races at the Olympic park, Friday, June 20th. Two trots and one running race. Half-mile heats, best two in three.

STAFFORD & CAMPBELL, Proprietors.

Floyd's Restaurant,

centrally located, patronized by all the ladies. All delicacies in season. If you want a nice dinner go to Floyd's.

HALL'S vegetable sicilian hair renewer, the only reliable preparation for restoring gray hair to its original color.

Floyd's Candies.

Persons leaving take a box of them away; send for one; everybody at home eats Floyd's candies.

Fresh Nashville Sulpher Water

for sale at Signaigo's, 278 Second street.

Which is the Cheapest

A package of Duke's Durham, containing *twenty* pipe-fulls of the best smoking tobacco made, or *one* common cigar? Each costs *ten cents.*

THE most delicious ice-cream and cakes at Staffer's.

Eminent Dr. J. J. Caldwell.

Baltimore, Maryland, states: "I have used Colden's Liebig's liquid extract of beef and tonic invigorator largely in debility, febrile and nervous diseases, and I have found it one of the most reliable of nutrient tonics now in use, or to be found in pharmacy." Sold by druggists and grocers.

SANITATION.

The Executive Sanitary Association Committee in Council—Report of Sanitary Sergeant—How to Use Disinfectants.

At the usual hour yesterday afternoon the executive committee of the auxiliary sanitary association met at No. 12 Madison street for the transaction of regular business. The following members were present: President J. S. Pressidge, Secretary A. D. Langstaff, General Colton Greene, John T. Willins, Dr. W. B. Winn.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The questions of house to house inspection and ordering the abatement of nuisances were discussed.

The matter as to ventilating cellars under business houses was referred to the sanitation committee and Mr. Jones, architect, to consider and report upon the best means of ventilating cellars and private dwellings.

General Greene called attention to the Bayou Gayoso, and stated that it was the biggest thing the sanitary association had to consider. Dead animals are lying in the bayou and give forth an offensive smell.

On motion of Dr. Winn, the bayou matter was referred to Engineer Niles Meriwether and the sanitation committee to investigate and make a report to a subsequent meeting as to the best means of putting the bayou in good sanitary condition.

Sanitary Sergeant Broaddus presented the following report, which was ordered filed:

Sanitary Sergeant's Report.

Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Auxiliary Sanitary Association:

GENTLEMEN—I herein transmit to your honorable body my report up to noon, this eighteenth day of June, 1879: On June 16, 1879, I began cleaning up the streets, gutters and alleys, and filling up cess-pools and holes in the streets. I have employed six carts, with drivers, at one dollar and fifty cents per day; ten men as scrapers and shovelers at one dollar per day, and one boss at one dollar and fifty cents per day—making a total of twenty-one dollars and fifty cents per day. I have cleaned up the streets and gutters as follows: Tennessee street, from South to Trezevant; Clinton street, from Butler to Vance; Shelby street, from South to Beale; filling up a very large hole on the corner of Shelby and South streets and a number of small ones on Shelby street with bricks and lime; also, Clinton street, from Butler to Vance; Trezevant street, from Tennessee to Main, filling up six very filthy holes, two extending across the street, and repairing the street with bricks and lime; Huling street, from Tennessee to Main; Talbot street, from Clinton to Main; Vance street, from Clinton to Main, filling up a large filthy hole corner Shelby and Vance with brick and lime; Pontotoc street, from Clinton to Main; Linden street, from Clinton to Main. One hundred and forty-five loads of dirt hauled to the dump and forty-six loads of brick, making a total of one hundred and ninety-one loads. Respectfully,

WM. B. BROADDUS,
Sanitary Sergeant.

After a general discussion as to sanitary matters, the committee adjourned to meet this afternoon at four o'clock.

How to Use Zinc Iron Disinfectant.

Proposition.—"Stench from a privy is a danger signal." No privy, therefore, should ever be permitted to give out disagreeable odors. The causes of these unpleasant smells are poisonous gases; but in addition, as they break in bubbles from the surface of the decomposing matter, they carry into the air minute particles of putrefactive matter and numerous organisms, such as bacterias, vibrios, etc., which may prove to be the source of ill-health equally with the noxious gases thrown off. This disinfectant is a saturated solution of perchloride of iron and chloride of zinc, and is caustic. It must therefore be kept out of the way of children and careless or ignorant persons.

Method of Using.—Add a teacupful of the disinfectant to a gallon of water in a wooden or earthen utensil, and pour into the vault morning and evening, till all odor disappears, spreading the liquid over the surface as much as practicable. A half pint of the disinfectant, similarly diluted and used every six to ten days, will keep vaults of ordinary size permanently deodorized. The addition of six tablespoonfuls of Calvert's No. 5 carbolic acid at the time of the disinfection will make it more permanent, and less quantities of the "Zinc-Iron" be subsequently required. Ill-smelling drains, gutters, etc., can be similarly deodorized with a weaker solution, a teacupful to a "wooden bucket" full of water, sprinkling thoroughly and repeatedly till all odor disappears. If a vault be not easily and quickly deodorized, or soon becomes again offensive, it is evidence of an excessive accumulation of excremental matters. It therefore should be emptied without delay, and thereafter deodorization will be easily effected. The disinfectant can be obtained free of cost at the following places: W. N. Wilkerson & Co., 334 Main street; A. Renkert, 129 Main street; W. M. Simms, 195 Poplar street; Battier & Co., 129 Beale street; W. D. Safford & Co., 139 Hernando street; J. C. Zehring, 642 Shelby street; M. H. Knox, corner Second and Greenlaw streets; M. A. M'Hugh, 300 Madison street.

Rules for Dispensing.—Dispense it only to adults. The amount to be dispensed is not to exceed twenty-four ounces, one wine bottle, or equivalent quantity. If more is deemed necessary, application must be made to the secretary, who will give his order for same, which will be honored by those in charge of disinfectants. When the supply is getting low, those in charge of disinfectants will at once notify the secretary, so that the supply may never fail.

R. W. MITCHELL, M.D., Sanitary Director.
W. B. WINN, M.D., Secretary.

EDUCATIONAL BOARD.

Called Meeting to Investigate Certain Criminal Charges Made by a Newspaper Editor With Reference to the Taking of the Last Scholastic Census of the City—Result.

At the Odd Fellows library room, last night, the educational board assembled in response to a call from the president to investigate certain charges made as follows in the *Evening Herald* of the fourteenth instant, with reference to the taking of the last scholastic census:

We are informed that the secretary did not take the census individually, but appointed two young boys to take the census of the sixth and tenth wards, promising to pay them as much as he would receive, and employing another man to supervise the taking of the balance of the census, paying at the rate of one cent per head. As has been before stated, the total census taken was seven thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, which paid for at the rate of one cent each, would be seventy-eight dollars and eighty-eight cents, but as more than one cent was contracted to be paid for the sixth and tenth wards, we will put down the total actual cost of taking the census at one hundred dollars each. This taken from the amount appropriated by the board, one hundred and seventy-five dollars, leaves a surplus of seventy-five dollars. This, however, is not the point. Taking the statement alleged as true, somebody has been criminally negligent, so much so as to cheat the school treasury of Memphis out of about thirteen thousand dollars, and that somebody, whoever he is, ought to be dealt with as he who is mean enough to cheat the poor children out of an education, deserves. The board of education have not yet paid anything for the taking of that census except a trifling amount paid the two young men. This whole matter should be thoroughly investigated.

Dr. Arrington offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, An article published in a certain newspaper of this city charges some one with criminal negligence and with cheating the school treasury of Memphis out of about thirteen thousand dollars, in taking the scholastic census for the year 1878; and whereas, it is evident that the "some one" referred to in said article is intended to mean, or have reference to, our worthy secretary of the board or some one of his assistants employed by him to take such census; therefore, be it

Resolved, That a committee composed of five members of this board be appointed to investigate said charges, to examine the manner in which the business of the secretary's office is conducted, and to report to a special meeting of this board to be called by the president whenever the chairman of said committee signifies his readiness to report.

Mr. Rhett stated that Major Hosea Townsend stated to him that the article published in the *Herald* was not intended to cast any reflection upon any person connected with the educational board.

Mr. Edgington heard that the secretary of the board thought that he had something to do with the publication in the *Herald*. He knew nothing of its publication, and had nothing to do with it in any manner. Mr. Hosea Townsend stated to him that the article mentioned was written by the city editor of the *Herald* on some information he had received outside of the office.

Mr. Goodman objected to the phraseology of the resolution offered by Dr. Arrington, now that explanations had been made with reference to said article published in the *Herald*.

President Folkes believed the wording of the resolution ought to be changed to suit the explanations made.

By request of Dr. Arrington, Mr. Goodman read the article as published in the *Herald*.

Dr. Arrington said upon that article the resolution was based. It copied the words of the article.

Mr. Rhett moved that the words "of cheating the school treasury of Memphis out of thirteen thousand dollars" be stricken out of the resolution.

President Folkes took the floor and argued that the amendment of Mr. Rhett should be adopted. Those who read the article might think and believe that thirteen thousand dollars had been stolen, or that a defalcation had occurred, while the question was the alleged loss in money by not taking the scholastic census properly or correctly. The only misappropriation that could be charged was probably the amount ordered paid out for having the census taken.

Mr. Rhett's motion to strike out certain words was put and carried, and the resolution as thus amended was adopted.

Mr. Randle moved to appoint a committee of investigation, and to make report. Carried.

President Folkes appointed on that committee Messrs. Edgington, Beamish, Duffy and Estes.

Mr. Edgington declined to serve on the committee. The secretary felt that he (Edgington) had something to do with the investigation, which he had not, but for this reason motives of delicacy compelled him to ask to be relieved from acting on that committee.

President Folkes thereupon appointed Mr. Lawhorn on the committee, in place of Mr. Edgington. On motion, the meeting adjourned.

SEDUCTION.

The Suit for Damages in the Case of Voss vs. O'Brien Drawing to a Close—The Learned Counsel Talking to the Jury.

Yesterday, at the Shelby county circuit court, the investigation of the seduction damage case of Emily Voss *vs.* John J. O'Brien was resumed before Special Judge Flippin. A number of witnesses were introduced for the purpose of impeaching Miss Voss and attacking her character, but the effort signally failed. Miss Voss was brought back to testify. She appeared in court with her infant in her arms. The child, a pretty one, has red hair and blue eyes, resembling somewhat the red-headed defendant, at least the audience thought so. Miss Voss, when examined, said the father of the infant was John O'Brien. The defendant, during this episode, looked furtively at mother and child, then cast his eyes to the floor, and kept them there for some time. Several witnesses equally contradicted O'Brien's testimony as to his association with Miss Voss. Notwithstanding the efforts made, Miss Voss's reputation for virtue remained unimpeached, no testimony being presented to prove that any man except O'Brien had illicit intercourse with her. O'Brien's attorneys put in their best work, but it was evidently an uphill business; they had the wrong end of the case. In the afternoon the arguments of counsel were made to the jury, and the arguments will be resumed to-day, when the case will be given to the jury for a verdict. Miss Voss's brother Charlie came into the courtroom yesterday during the trial, and stood near his sister. A deputy-sheriff came up and stood by his side, and the sheriff of the court stood beside O'Brien.

LAW REPORTS.

Criminal Court—J. E. R. Ray, Judge.

The following cases are added to to-day's calendar as published on yesterday: 16, Joe Keely; 8, Michael Coony.

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

Calendar for to-day: 5465, Reinshagen vs Lavessa; 5686, Harris vs M'Clanahan; 5745, Goodloe, executor, vs Vaccaro, executor; 5812, Greenlaw vs M'Kissock; 5826 Hume vs Morton; 5866, Fox vs M'Kenna; 5932, Bond vs Curry; 5980, Malone, administrator, vs Walt; 5987, Moore vs Moore. The jury docket will be called to-morrow for the purpose of ascertaining what cases on said docket will be ready for trial at this term.

United States Courts—Hon. E. S. Hammond Presiding.

D. 855, United States vs four hundred acres of land, judgment vs Hill and forty acres of land; L. 2484, same vs Alston, jury verdict for defendant; L. 2486, same vs Hart, submitted; L. 2487, same vs Smith, jury verdict for one-thirty-sixth of the land; L. 2507, same vs Burton, continued; L. 2144, Pendleton vs Knickerbocker Life Insurance company, continued; B. 921, In re J. C. Ward & Co., bankrupts, argument concluded; jury to be charged this morning.

All cases on the special calendar are disposed of except No. 1666, Northrop vs Adams, which is set for trial to day.

Chancery Court—M'Dowell, Judge.

The Kortrecht committee on resolutions will report this morning.

Calendar for to-day: 1545, Bate vs Bateman; 1546, Anderson vs Yates; 1548, Same vs Bowen; 1552, Same vs Cameron; 1554, Same vs Brannon; 1562, Same vs Kellar; 1570, Wright vs Rainey; 1572, Doyle vs Cuneo; 1578, Paine vs Tuther; 1582, Sandbegar vs Cuneo; 1594, Anderson vs Tomeny; 1605, Smith vs Roach; 1610, Frazer vs Stack; 1612, Halliban vs Taylor; 1614, Anderson vs Smith; 1616, Hollenberg vs Rousean; 1618, Anderson vs Cox; 1631, Street vs Bowers; 1633, Wolf vs Young; 1639, Knode vs Brown; 1644, Cicalla vs Green; 1645, Evans vs Flannery; 1656, Dixon vs Phelps; 1658, Geiger vs Buckhardt; 1667, Vance vs Day; 1678, Jefferson vs Cox; 1683, Turner vs Atkinson; 1687, Stout vs Caldwell; 1689, Crisman vs Merchants bank; 1695, Smith vs Bolton; 1699, Jones vs Ball; 1700, County vs Bank of Commerce; 1721, Lipscomb vs Slager; 1723, Ward vs Baugus; 1728, Brocchus vs Morgan; 1729, Hundhausen vs Insurance company; 1737, Aydlett vs Swope; 1758, State vs Southern oil works; 1771, Sharp vs Miller; 1792, M'Gee vs Pointer; 1831, Hendrix vs Wolf; 1853, State vs Ecklin; 1857, Sanderlin vs Moncrief; 1858, Danchower vs Frain; 1888, Clark vs Apperson; 1889, Mesque vs Cooper; 1900, Bond vs Williams; 1921, Snowden vs Anderson; 1924, Lake vs Steele; 1929, Grant vs Sanoner; 1952, Schultz vs Mitchell; 1959, Anderson vs Apperson.

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