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St. Mary's Cathedral—Poplar street. Services at 7, 9:30 and 11 a.m., and at 4 p.m.

Church of Messiah—No. 256 Third street, between Jefferson and Court. Service at 11 a.m., by the Rev. A. R. Anderson.

Alabama Street Presbyterian Church.—Corner of Alabama street and Jones avenue. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. Preaching to-day.

Third Cumberland Presbyterian Church (Chelsea). Sunday-school at 10 a.m. Service at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. by the Rev. J. T. Bryan.

Chelsea Baptist Mission—Fifth street, near Mill. Sabbath school at 9 a.m. Preaching by Prof. Hughes. Prayer-meeting Monday at 7:30 p.m.

Grace Church.—On Hernando, between Vance and Poplar. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. by the Rev. W. P. Cass, rector. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m.

Georgia Street Methodist.—Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., by the Rev. D. D. Ragsdale. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m.; A. B. Hill, superintendent.

First Presbyterian.—Corner of Third and Poplar streets. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. by the pastor, the Rev. Eugene Daniel, D.D.

Tabernacle Baptist Church.—Turley street. The Rev. R. N. Counts, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sunday-school at 4 p.m. Subject at night: "Sealed With Christ."

Central Methodist Church—Union street. Preaching, at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. by the pastor, Rev. R. H. Mahon. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. A. J. Newman, superintendent.

Second Presbyterian.—Corner Main and Beale streets. Sabbath-school at 9:30 a.m. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., by the Rev. J. L. Martin, D.D., of South Carolina.

Lauderdale Street Presbyterian Church.—Corner Lauderdale and Beale streets. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. by the Rev. S. C. Caldwell, pastor.

Evangelical Lutherans (German).—A special meeting of Trinity congregation will be held after regular services this morning. All members are cordially requested to attend.

First Methodist.—Corner of Second and Poplar streets. The Rev. S. A. Steel, pastor. Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. J. R. Pepper, superintendent.

Calvary Church.—Corner of Second and Adams streets. Early communion at 7:30 a.m. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., the Rev. Theo. Sharp, rector.

Central Baptist.—Second street, near Beale. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. by the Rev. W. Lamar, pastor. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. T. A. Atchison, superintendent. All pews free.

Spiritual Hall.—464 Second street, Lenox block, 2 p.m., by Mrs. Hainguet. Subject: "The Two Mediums." Also on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. A collection will be taken to defray expenses.

Strangers' Church.—Union street. The Rev. N. M. Long, pastor. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:45 p.m. Morning subject: "The Helpfulness of Christ." Subject at night: "The Duty and Power of Self-Control."

Cumberland Presbyterian.—Court street. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Morning subject: "The Worship of the Golden Calf." Subject at night: "Paul's Sermon to Claudius Felix." H. A. Jones, pastor.

First Baptist.—Preaching at 11 a.m. by the Rev. D. C. Gates, of Louisiana. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m., conducted by the Rev. D. C. Gates. A full meeting of the members is asked. R. A. Winfield, pastor. Prof. W. E. Hughes, chorister.

Church of the Good Shepherd.—Corner Fourth and Mill streets. Services at 9 a.m. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. Church services at 11 a.m. by the Rev. R. C. Young. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. Latter part of the morning service at 11 a.m. Services will be held Wednesday and Friday at 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Hernando Street Methodist Church.—Corner Linden and Hernando. Public worship at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. Church conference at 3 p.m. David Leith, pastor. Morning subject: "Ye Are the Salt of the Earth." Evening subject: "Pharisaical Living."

Christian Church.—Corner of Linden and Mulberry streets. Sunday-school at 9 a.m. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The Rev. Robert Sweeney, pastor. Morning subject: "Apostolic Interpretations of Christ and His Teachings." Evening subject: "Metamorphoses Which Christianity Receives of Man. Are They Scientific and Philosophical?"

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SPECIAL MEETING

Of the City Council to Consider Two Important Subjects—The "More Rapid Paving Bill"

Is Reconsidered and Rejected by a Unanimous Vote—Right of Way Contract Closed.

The Legislative Council met yesterday, with President Hadden in the chair, and Messrs. Lee, Montgomery, Patterson, Graham, Randle and Wallace present. The meeting was called especially to consider the "more rapid paving" bill and the Kansas City right of way.

Mr. Hadden stated the council's action at the last meeting on the bill prepared by Mr. W. A. Collier, alluding to the motion made by Mr. Montgomery that the bill be referred to the city attorney for his opinion.

Mr. Montgomery said he did not mean that the city attorney should simply pass upon its legality, but that he should also examine its advisability.

Judge Walker said it was because he knew this to be Mr. Montgomery's idea that he called the attention of the council to the matter. He did not want to be put in a false position.

On motion of Mr. Patterson, the action of the previous meeting was reconsidered, and the bill was then read by the secretary.

Mr. Montgomery—As I moved on a previous occasion that the matter be referred to the city attorney, I now move he be heard.

Judge Walker—It is a thing to be thoroughly considered. I have grave doubts as to whether the Legislature can tax a certain street for ten years to pave it, even though it credits the payments each year. [Judge Walker gave an illustration similar to that already given in the Appeal.] My impression is that the Legislature has not the power, but I have not made a thorough investigation. I think I could make a few changes which would meet with the approval of the author of the bill. The trouble is, that the "street tax," so-called, includes "streets, sewers, bridges and sanitary," in the bill regulating the taxes to be levied for city purposes; so that if a resident of Poplar street paid his "street, sewer, bridges and sanitary tax" in advance to pave a street at once, he would pay no sewer tax or bridge tax for a number of years.

Mr. Collier was called upon, and said: "I am not here because I have a deeper interest in Memphis than other gentlemen, but simply in deference to the views of a number of property-owners. The bill was framed with a view to cover the points involved in the Chandler case, which I do not think is sustained by law. I recognize that it ought not to include the sewer tax; it ought not to be interfered with. The bill will possibly have to be modified in that respect. I am forced to lay a sidewalk, by the decisions of the Supreme Court, and it seems to me inconsistent that the same tribunal shall forbid my laying a pavement. I understand that the constitutions of Missouri and Tennessee both provide for front-foot assessments. I don't know of anything that will accelerate the growth of the city so much as paving."

Mr. Montgomery—Our budget has already been made up for this year, and I think it would be wise to make no change at the present time. For the next two years I think we ought to rest under our present plan. For all other purposes except for paving you take away the power of the city government to distribute the fund.

Mr. Patterson—We have been in the habit of ordering those streets that paid the most money.

Judge Walker said it would be necessary to change the budget, and he doubted the advisability of doing so.

President Hadden—There is a tax question in this bill, and we have not paid our debt yet. If we proceed to impose a tax we at once put it back down for the municipal debt. Now, I don't know how other cities

Mr. Montgomery—Excuse me, but I object to citing any other city as an example for the Taxing-District to follow. We ought to know what and how to do by our own business.

Mr. Hadden—There is a danger of getting into lawsuits if we adopt this bill, though I must say, in justice to Mr. Collier, that it is more nearly perfect than any I have seen.

Mr. Patterson—I move that we resolve the bill ought not to pass in its present form. Carried.

THE RIGHT OF WAY.

The matter of a right of way for the Kansas City road then came up for reconsideration.

The letter of Mr. Nettleton was read and also the memoranda drawn up by the council. It was finally decided that the city shall have the right to purchase, at actual cash value, the bridge to be built for the use of the road across the foot of Beale street, at the expiration of ten years or any time thereafter, the city to make any disposition of the bridge it sees proper. The bridge and track are to be completed by December 15th, next. The contract will be signed as soon as it is copied. The council then adjourned.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

—The social world is almost at a standstill—Lent is on.

—Market hours after March 9th will be from 4 to 10 o'clock a.m.

—Overcoats had another airing yesterday evening and last night.

—A petty thief named Henry Mitchell will serve a year at a stripe's suit.

—J. D. Christian was sworn in as attorney in the Criminal Court yesterday.

—At Sioux, for malicious cutting, was sentenced to three years yesterday.

—The regular monthly meeting of the School Board takes place to-morrow.

—Season tickets are on sale by the members of the Southern League team at $10.

—A. J. Myers, for murder in the second degree, was sentenced to ten years yesterday.

—The Tom McBride case, on a motion for a new trial, will be heard on the 14th instant.

—The whole of the week at Leubrie's Theater will be taken by the Abbott Opera Troupe.

—A sentence of five years was imposed on Jonas Jackson, yesterday, for burglary and larceny.

—The Memphis Southern League team play the Kansas City Club here on the 15th instant.

—The minstrels performed to a big house at the matinee yesterday, and a fair audience last night.

—Examinations under the Civil Service law will be conducted by Postmaster Smith next Saturday.

—Manager Brooks says Leubrie's will become of the handsomest theaters in the country when it is completed.

—It is said that the customhouse will be finished at about the same time as the new Cotton and Merchants' Exchange.

—Robt. Hardy, who knocked a grocery man named Somers in the head with a brick, was sentenced to five years yesterday.

—Joe McDaniel and Dave Cummins, for bringing stolen property into the State, will serve six months each in the workhouse.

—Mississippi avenue people will, it is said, subscribe $750 towards connecting the Hernando pike with the paved streets of the city.

—Frank Jones, charged with an attempt to outrage little Mamie Grist, was discharged by Justice Quigley yesterday for lack of proof.

—The Shelby County Teachers' Association met yesterday at the Market street building. The meeting was a very enjoyable one for all concerned.

—Licenses to marry were issued yesterday to Edison Neals and Florence Lewis, Robert Poston and Tennie Smith, Israel Quisberg and Mamie Lansman.

—On Monday, March 16th, the popular comedian, Roland Reed, will make his second appearance here this season, when he will produce his new success, entitled *Humpty Dumpty*.

—John Miller, Dick Jones, Geo. Smith, Wm. Gregg, Wm. Odensal, A. McEwen, M. Blessing and Ben Marsh were fined $25 each yesterday by Judge Douglass for keeping a gambling house.

—It is evident that the old friends and admirers of that sterling little woman, Mrs Susie Green Wood, intend to turn out in force on Thursday next, when she appears as "Lisa" in *Samambula*.

—Mansford's will be open until 1 o'clock to-day, so you can get anything in the reading line. It is the only place in the city that has a *full* assortment of papers, magazines, reviews, quarterlies, libraries, etc.

—The Young Men's Christian Association will hold gospel meeting this afternoon at the following places: Jail and hospital at 2:30, Mission Home at 3:30 and at their rooms at 4 o'clock, leading by Mason, jr.

—Forfeitures were taken in the Criminal Court yesterday on the bonds of Jim Jenkins, assault and battery and carrying a pistol; A. F. Bonner for forgery, and Mrs. R. F. Heaning, for assault to kill old Dr. L. L. Bates.

—The indications are that rare trotting sport may be expected at Olympic Park the coming season. There are now nine trotting horses stabled on the grounds, and six more in fast ones are waiting for the new stables, which will be erected the coming week.

—A negro named Morris Gibbs called at the statehouse yesterday and asked Officer Hedrick to give him his gun. When asked to explain he said that in December, 1875, he was arrested for shooting Ike Walton, and was sent to the penitentiary for ten years. He had served his time faithfully and wanted his property returned. Of course he failed to find it.

—The Mozart Society is making active preparations for its annual festival, and intends to make it the best ever given in Memphis. Prof. Rooney, who represented himself as a detective, and

HUNTER BROS.'
NEW SPRING GOODS.
Arriving daily in all New Novelties and Spring Styles, we will show some very interesting bargains to-morrow in Dress Goods.
500 pcs Satin Debege at 10c.
500 pcs Crepe Serge, all new shades, at 12½c; usual price for less than 20c.
50 pcs 42-inch Nun's Veiling at 10c.
50 pcs handsome Plaids, plain to match, at 20c.
300 pcs Cascale, new colors, in all wool, at 10c; worth 20c.
New colors and patterns in our Combination Suitings, in patterns of 10½ yards, 42 inches, at $9 per pattern, worth $13 50.
5 patterns at $12, elsewhere $15. These we offer as special bargains to open the Spring Season.
House-Furnishing Goods.
Towels, Table Linens, Napkins, Sheetings, Cambrics, etc., we have very much cheaper than ever before offered.
20 pcs Turkey-red Table Linen at 38c.
50 pcs Oil-colors Table Linen at 45c; worth 60c.
10 pcs Cream Damask at 23c; regular price 40c.
15 pcs Unbleached Damask at 40c; regular price 65c.
5 pcs solid Turkey-red color at 70c, very fine quality; sold everywhere at $1.
Towels. Towels. Towels.
Our New York buyer bought a manufacturer's stock of very large, all pure linen Huckaback Towels, about 500 dozen in all. These we will sell at 25c; regular price 40c each.
100 doz all-linen, 36 inches long, we will offer at 50c.
90 doz knotted-fringe Towels at 35c; worth 50c.
50 pcs very fine Damask Towels, tied-fringe at 60c; worth 88 per dozen.
Sheetings. Sheetings.
20 pcs very heavy Bleached at 19c.
25 pcs extra heavy Bleached at 22½c.
20 pcs extra heavy 11-4 Bleached at 27½c.
50 pcs Unbleached, very heavy, at 17c.
20 pcs Unbleached, extra heavy, 20c.
Quilts Quilts. Quilts.
200 good size, white Crochet Quilts at 65c.
200 large size, very fine Crochet Quilts at 95c.
350 extra size, very heavy Crochet Quilts at $1 50.
1000 real Marseilles Quilts at $1 50; worth $2 50—never sold for less.
500 extra heavy Marseilles Quilts, handsome center patterns at $1 65; worth $2 75.
These goods are bought at less than 50 per cent. of their value, and we will give our customers the advantage of purchase.
New Ginghams. New Ginghams.
Spring Styles. Handsome Patterns.
New Hosiery. New Hosiery.
Spring Box cars and hoes to-day and to-morrow, very much less than ever offered in this market.
EMBROIDERIES.
Laces. Laces. Laces.
Our stock of these goods cannot be surpassed, and our prices we are happy to compare with those of our competitors.
Handkerchiefs.
1000 dozen Ladies' all-linen, hem-stitched borders at 10c.
1000 doz very fine quality, all linen, at 15c; worth 35c.
We shall try to interest everyone visiting our house this week, and will offer bargains in every department. Come; welcome to all.
HUNTER BROS.

P.S.—We received 40 pieces new Lace Curtain Goods last evening, and will open to-morrow at 8 a.m. and these goods were sold strictly at 20c heretofore. New and handsome designs. See them.

Good News! Good News!
U. L. Collins, the great excursionist, who has managed so many pleasant excursions from Memphis and other points, has just completed arrangements for a grand excursion to New Orleans and the Mardi Gras, to take place on March 9th. The rates will be extremely low and all tickets will be good to return at pleasure on regular trains for thirty days. No crowding will be crowded on everything will be strictly first-class, including an ample number of Pullman palace sleeping coaches, for which arrangements have already been made. The excursion will be made from Memphis and surrounding country, and the date is well selected, April being the most delightful month in the year to visit the Crescent City. Route, rates and further particulars soon.
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STILL BOOMING.

President Clark, of the Great Illinois Central, Pays a Visit to the City.

The Holly Springs Short Line Completed to Noaconnah—A Big Excursion to New Orleans.

President Clarke, of the Illinois Central, arrived in the city yesterday morning by the early train on the Louisville, New Orleans and Texas railroad, and spent several hours in the city. The precise object of his visit is not stated, though the inference is that he desired to make a personal survey of the city, its surroundings and its railroad connections, with the view of deciding what steps, if any, he ought to take to secure a Memphis connection. His visit is especially ominous at this time, when the short line, which touches his road at Holly Springs, is about to be completed. President Clarke left on the evening train, via the Mississippi and Tennessee railroad.

Knights of Honor Excursion.

The Louisville, New Orleans and Texas railroad depot was the scene of the wildest commotion late yesterday evening, when the excursionists were preparing to leave for New Orleans. The train, which steamed away from the platform at 6 o'clock, consisted of six palace cars, and every seat was taken. Ample and cheap arrangements have been made by the railroad people in New Orleans for the excursionists, and the round-trip rate, good for thirty days, has been fixed at $6.

Pushing the Selma.

All the rails necessary to make the connection on the Memphis, Selma and Brunswick have arrived and will be laid with all possible dispatch. Those to come will be used solely to lay side-tracks. The grading will be finished by the close of the present month. The track is now complete, on this end, as far as Nonconnah, which is eight miles from the city limits at the end of Main street. The bridge is being constructed as rapidly as possible under the circumstances and will be finished in a short time. Plans for station houses are already being drawn up, and everything points to the belief that the road will be completed in a much shorter time than at first supposed.

Kansas City Right of Way.

The contract between the city and the Kansas City, Springfield and Memphis Railroad Company, by which the latter secures the right of way along the river front under certain conditions, is said to be the fairest and most favorable to the city of any yet made. The bridge to be built by the company across the foot of Beale street will have piers and solid masonry, and will be a very costly affair, its length considered. Track and bridge are to be completed by the 15th of December next.

SPIKES AND SPARKS.

PEO WILLIAMS, of the Memphis and Little Rock road, was here Friday.

MAJ. SANGSTON, Southern passenger agent of the Illinois Central, is out on the road.

THE rates out of Memphis to nearly all Eastern points have been reduced by agreement.

REDE J. BARNES, traveling passenger agent of the Chicago and Alton, was in the city the past week.

E. J. MCDONER, of the St. Paul and Minneapolis road, with headquarters at St. Louis, was here Friday.

E. E. HOOPER, general agent of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois road at Chicago, was in the city last week.

D. MILLER, general passenger and freight agent of the Memphis, Paris and Little Rock road, returned to Little Rock yesterday.

J. MEYERS, traveling freight agent for the Louisville, New Orleans and Texas, with headquarters at Vicksburg, was in the city last week.

CHARLIE JONES, traveling passenger agent of the Kansas City route, was here several days last week. He left again yesterday evening.

ALBERT WEBB, general Southern agent for the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad, with headquarters at Atlanta, was here last week.

CUP KENNEDY, of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road, sent down from Louisville, to be posted, some very handsome cards advertising his line.

THE New Orleans exceptionists, numbering 500, passed through evening at six o'clock, in charge of W. F. Wolfe, passenger agent for the Mississippi Valley.

GEORGE HARRISON, traveling passenger agent of the Chicago and Northwestern road, was here last week, boosting his line as the tourists' route to the Northwest.

JAMES FRANKLIN, passenger agent of the Memphis and Little Rock, and John Z. Miller, former passenger agent of the Louisville, New Orleans and Texas, accompanied the excursionists to New Orleans yesterday evening.

CHARLIE HEYE, the little passenger representative of the Kansas City route, only weighs 275 pounds, and whenever he questions an emigrant as to destination, he is sure to learn it, the emigrant being afraid to not give him a correct answer.

It is reported that the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia system and the Nashville and Chattanooga railroads have begun the skirmish of some bitter battles of war. The two companies engaged in a war during the early winter months, and passenger rates were cut to $2 from Memphis to Chattanooga. The latter was amicably adjusted but three weeks ago, but new trouble has arisen between the two roads, and it is stated that a cut of $7 will be announced Sunday by the East Tennessee, and thenceforth a very bitter war will be inaugurated.

It is stated that the bill allowing a bridge over the Cumberland River, at Nashville, has passed Congress, and that President Zimmerman, of the Chesapeake and Nashville, who has been absent for some time looking after his interests in New and Old Mexico, states that he will again visit Galveston, and the people are in hope matters will assume a more promising shape. Capt. Spinning and his corps of engineers are busy on the line between Columbia and Danville, Ky., and report a very good prospect.

Nothing succeeds like success and, although the Fort Scott and Gulf has a large traffic, the January earnings of the Memphis extension were larger per mile than those of the older line. In 1884 the former earned $4326 gross per mile, against the $6227 per mile earned by the latter. When the roads are merged the system will have a mileage of 671 miles, and not a bit of it will be unprofitable. The consolidated lines will be a living monument of the patient and far-reaching plans of the sagacious man by whose name the system is now known.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Charles J. Sherer, trustee, to Mrs. Laura V. Gwynne, trust deed, $2475, lots 220 and 221 Greenlaw's addition, known as Chelsea, each fronting 74 feet on west side Sixth street, by depth of 148½ feet, parallel with Kerr street.

Mrs. Joanna R. Bonnell to Wm. H. Carroll, trust deed, $800, undivided one-half interest in 129 acres, part of section 11, town 1, range 10, west.

E. A. Yates and E. S. Yates to H. S. and A. N. Griffin, warantee deed, $2100, tract of land in Eighth Civil District, containing 115 1-10 acres, being the north half of the Simonton 230 acre tract.

Frank Dickens to Tod, McGowan & Co., trust deed, $—, 80 acres of land in the Sixth Civil District, near Louca Hatchie river, known as the Wash Moore tract.

M. F. Hampton to G. W. Wynne, quit claim deed, $—, 130 acres, more or less, part of the P. D. Wynne tract.

Willie Lowenstein to W. P. Davis, warrantee deed, $400, lot No. 6, block 35, 25x100 feet, on east side Main street.

Susan C. Rutland to Clara Zierman, wife of Dr. Charles Zierman, warrantee deed, $903, 9 3-100 acres, part of Weakley & McLemore subdivision, in Fifteenth Civil District, on old Randolph road.

J. B. Lowenstein to Geo. W. Paris E. King, trust deed, $2754 97, tract of land on Island 40, in Mississippi river, containing 1334 acres.

C. H. Brackett and Robert Lockwood to Mrs. J. H. Bonnell, warantee deed, $950 undivided half interest in tract of 129 acres, part section 11, township 1, range 10 west.

C. N. Grosvenor to Louisa P. Postal, quit claim deed, $—, lots 49, 50 and 51, block 64, W. A. Williams subdivision, each 50x150 feet, on north side Provine street.

AMUSEMENTS.

Opera Week.

The delightful operatic season given by the Emma Abbott Company last year is still a pleasant memory to those who thronged Leubrie's Theater during that time, and it will be revived and increased on the return of the company this year, for the enterprising Abbott has added to his already organized and perfected troupe, a full and complete list of artists appear. *Martha*, on Tuesday, is an old standard favorite, and so well fitted are the *roles* to the singers that the cast given it was pronounced "the best but one that had sung in it in Brooklyn." *Bohemian Girl* will be given at the matinee Wednesday, at popular matinee prices, and the famous *Traviata* in the evening. *Somnambula*, in which Miss Greenwood appears in a prominent *role*, and the fourth act of *Trovatore*, will bring out the entire list of principal artists on Thursday. Rossini's grand tragic opera *Semiramide*, will be given here for the first time on Friday. *King for a Day*, with Abbott in her pretty *role* of the "Princess," at the Saturday matinee, and *Carmen*, with its famous bull-fighting scene, will close the engagement in the evening. The artists