THE EASTERN CLARION

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☞ We are authorized to announce SAMUEL W CHAPMAN, Esq., of Clarke, as a candidate for Judge of the 6th Judicial District, at the ensuing election.

☞ We are authorized to announce Hon. GEORGE W. RYAN as a candidate for Probate Judge of Jasper county at the ensuing election.

☞ We are authorized to announce Hon. W. J DANIEL as a candidate for Judge of the eighth Judicial District, at the ensuing election.

☞ We are authorized to announce JOHN H. WELLS, as a candidate for Sheriff of Newton county, at the ensuing election.

Fifth Congressional District.

The democratic convention to nominate a candidate for Congress in the fifth Congressional District, it is understood will meet at Brookhaven, Lawrence county, on Tuesday, 30th day of the present month. The democracy of different counties will see the necessity of meeting at once in the holding of meetings and appointing delegates to represent their wishes in that body.

THE FALL RIDING.—The Fall terms of the Circuit Courts for the different counties will soon be coming on, and we take this occasion to give notice that we shall attend as many of them as possible, and shall be most happy to meet our friends who have unsettled accounts with the Clarion. We are pressed for money, and hope all who can, will pay up their little scores, which, though small to them, yet added together constitute our only dependence.

"GIVE US A CALL."—Candidates who have had themselves announced in the Clarion, are most respectfully requested to call up, or write up, to the captain's office and settle. We have to pay printers, hay paper, and meet the heavy expenses of the Clarion establishment punctually, in cash, and it takes a great deal of it to do this. Our terms for announcing candidates are cash in advance, and those in whose favor we have departed from this rule are expected now to settle up. It will not go as hard with them to pay now, as it will after the election, when a majority of them will have been beaten.

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

Hon. W. J. DANIEL, Democratic Nominee for Judge, will address the voters of the Eighth Judicial District at the following times and places:

Ellisville, Jones county,	August 25th.
Augusta, Perry county,	August 26th.
Leakesville, Greene county,	August 28th.
Jackson C.H., Jackson county,	August 30th.

August 9th, 1858.

☞ The "Wonderful Narrative" in regard to Spiritualism, which we publish to-day, is worth a perusal. Whether it is worth believing is another question, and one which we leave to the judgment of the reader.

PARKER, LAKE & Co.—The attention of country merchants, planters and others, is invited to the advertisement of this house. It succeeds the firm of Parker, Morris & Co., one of the most popular and deserving wholesale Grocery establishments in the city. It will be found a good house to deal at, and we have no idea but those who try it will be otherwise than satisfied.

MISSISSIPPI PLANTER AND MECHANIC.—This work has been received—the August number—and it contains an amount of valuable information for planters and farmers. Dr. M. W. Philips, one of the best practical and scientific planters in the South, is principal editor of this work, and the results of his observation and experience are given to the planters of Mississippi through its pages.

HEALTH OF NEW ORLEANS.—There were one hundred and forty deaths from yellow fever in New Orleans last week—about twice the number of the week before. The disease, too, is said to be of a type unusually severe. It is hardly necessary, we suppose, to warn country people against going there at present, unless it be those who desire to take the fast train to kingdom come.

LAUDERDALE CIRCUIT.—The fall term of the Circuit Court for Lauderdale county commenced at Marion on Monday—Hon. Wm. M. Howdeshell, Judge on the Bench, and Geo. Wade, Esq., District Attorney.

The docket, we understand, are not very much crowded, and the probability is that the Court will get through in the time allowed by law.

We have but one opinion as to Judge Howdeshell's conduct and ability on the Bench—and that is, that no judicial officer in Mississippi has ever more perfectly discharged the varied and responsible duties which pertain to the high office which he fills. He has more than met the expectation which the public indulged respecting his talents and attainments when he was elected.

CROPS.—We have seen a good many of our planters in this and the adjoining counties, since our last publication, and the result of our inquiries respecting the crops is about as follows, (and we repeat as nearly as we can the words of one of our most intelligent planters:)

The corn has suffered severely from the drouth, and much less will be made than it was thought would be a few weeks ago. All the late corn is a complete failure. Cotton is good, and unless some unforeseen accident overtakes it, there never was a larger crop in this section than will be made the present year.

MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE.—We noticed the annual catalogue of this Institution last week, and spoke of the rapid progress it had made within the short period since it was founded. In our present issue will be found its advertisement, to which, on behalf of the Trustees, Faculty and friends of the College, we invite the attention of our readers. We regard this as one of the most promising institutions of learning in our State—one which, with proper efforts on the part of its friends, will most certainly attain to distinguished reputation and usefulness.

The expenses of students in this College are brought down to the lowest possible point, while the course of study is full and well arranged, and the standard of scholarship consequently high.—All having sons to educate might find it to their interest to inquire more particularly into the constitution, rules, regulations, and advantages generally which the Mississippi College offers to the public, before patronizing other institutions.

WEST ENTERPRISE FEMALE INSTITUTE.—Our readers will find in this number of the *Clarion* the advertisement of Dr. GOULD's Female Seminary in West Enterprise. There is no school of the kind within our knowledge which we take more pleasure in commending to our friends and the public at large, because we know of none which we believe to be more deserving of confidence, or which will more fully meet the requirements of an enlightened sentiment in behalf of female education. We have frequently alluded to the advantages possessed by Enterprise as a point for building up educational institutions. All the schools founded there ought to do well. They are all deserving, and we feel assured that none of them will spare any pains to render themselves worthy of the support of the public at home and abroad.

CENTENARY COLLEGE, LOUISIANA.—Among the numerous literary institutions claiming the attention of the public, there are few that deserve to be more highly considered than the one we have named at the head of this paragraph.—It is under the patronage of the Louisiana Conference of the Methodist Church, is situated at Jackson, La., and is recommended to the public by the ability of its Faculty, the healthfulness of its location, and the pains taken to impart to students a thorough knowledge of the various branches of a collegiate education. We are indebted to some friend for a copy of the catalogue, which shows the number of students for the late session to have been 192.

OAKLAND COLLEGE.—The readers of the Clarion will find in the present issue the advertisement of Oakland College. It needs no puff.—It is one of the institutions in which every Mississippian feels a just pride, and we do hope that every one will take such an interest in its welfare as will secure its prosperity and success.—The State can in no way be made to assume so high a rank in the family of nations of which she is a member, as by sustaining her institutions of learning. They are at once her glory and her strength.

Oakland College has won its title to the esteem of the public. It is the oldest college in the State. Its founders took the first step in the great work of building up collegiate institutions of our own, and there is no reason why schools of a later date should supersede it in the public regard. Its facilities for educating young men, and the advantages it affords, are surpassed by no college in Mississippi or the neighboring States. It ought to be sustained, and we hope it will be.

BLACK TONGUE, OR MURRAIN.—We infer from what we see in our exchanges, that this disease continues to prevail extensively and fatally among the cattle in the sea-board counties. We have heard of no cases of it yet in the up-country, and there is reason to hope that the intensness of the season, if nothing else, will prevent its spreading generally through the country. In Mobile the butchers have suspended operations—not a piece of beef being offered in the market. Several persons, we learn from the Mercury, have died near Mobile, from eating the milk of the infected animals. Both the milk and flesh of animals affected with the disease, are fatal to those who eat them.

In case any of our readers should find it among their cattle, a safe and simple remedy is said to be a handful of copperas dissolved in hot water. With this, after it cools, let the animal's mouth be well and frequently swabbed.

JUDICIAL ELECTIONS.—The Columbus Democrat, the leading Democratic paper in the District, has hoisted the name of Hon W. L. HARRIS for Judge of the High Court in the Northern District, that of JAMES S. HAMM, Esq., for Circuit Judge, and S. M. MEEK, Esq., for District Attorney of the Sixth District. A disposition very generally exists among our Democratic contemporaries to take the right course in the Judicial elections. They see the importance of electing good Democrats to these offices. Here is what the Democrat says:

J. S. Hamm has been a distinguished and successful practitioner of law for a number of years past in Kemper and the adjoining counties. He is not only profoundly read in the law but he is a fine classical scholar and a polished gentleman.

S. M. Meek has resided in this county for the last five or six years, during most of which time he has devoted his attention to the practice of law, and has gained a high standing in the ranks of his profession. As a pleader in criminal cases, he has no superior of his age in the State.

Such are our candidates. We think they will do us credit, judicially, politically and personally.

CROPS.—An intelligent gentleman who has been through Newton County, writing us on business, says the crops in that county are better than the "Oldest inhabitants" ever before saw them.

APPOINTMENTS.—The votes in the Eighth Judicial District, will find published in the present number of our paper a list of appointments to address them, by Capt. DANIEL, one of the candidates for Judge.

MAIL ROBBERY.—A man by the name of Cash, a stage driver, was arrested this week in Newton county, for robbing the mail.

The proof is said to be conclusive, and we presume he is destined to a long berth in the Institution at Jackson, where people are taken care of at the expense of the State.

ONLY ONE VACANCY.—The Ohio Penitentiary contains seven hundred cells, and at the latest dates there were six hundred and ninety-nine occupied! Only one vacancy left for the enterprising Buckeyes.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING IN HANCOCK.—A friend writes us that a Democratic meeting was held at Bay St. Louis, last Monday, to appoint delegates to the District Convention at Brookhaven on the 26th inst., to nominate a candidate for Congress in the 5th District. On motion of Col. J. F. H CLAIBORNE, Hon. JOHN J. MCRAE was unanimously, by acclamation, and amidst the cheers of the spectators, recommended to the Convention as the most suitable person to receive the nomination.

LETTER FROM MINNESOTA.

ST. PAUL, Minnesota, Aug. 3, 1858.

It will doubtless be superfluous information to be told that *politics* in the Northwest is now about as uncertain as in the National Centre, and everywhere else—probably a little more so! It has been a boast in high places, ever and anon, that the Mississippi valley was to be the everlasting bond of our political union, and that the great Northwest would utter the wisdom which would be the law of the nation's policy! It may be so in coming years. The laws of God and Nature seem to have ordained it. But the fullness of time has not yet come, and probably will not for a fourth of a century. There are three "fundamental conditions precedent" to be fulfilled before the great valley and the Northwest shall have become a subject of contention and jealousy in the other parts of the confederacy.—We are in but the stage of conglomeration yet, whereas homogeneousness is some large degree and which is yet a long way off, is the primary essential to the foreshadowed influence. We must form and regulate ourselves before attempting the control of the "rest of mankind." Premature oracular demonstrations must be fruitless and ridiculous. There is the faith in our politicians is so strong that the future genius of our country is on her shoulders, or their midst, it would be at least decorous to withhold watch the process of incubation. The second condition upon which the world may depend for its light, is in hopeful course of development. For a people to give laws, they (the said people) must be in existence! Heretofore there have only been people on one side of the stream, whose valley is to be of some importance. The other side, away up to the extreme North, has but just begun to smile. Filled with proper materials upon both sides, it may be a reasonable anticipation that "something will turn up"! But while "waiting for the wagon," it may not be without value to watch its construction, and to examine the gearing preparing for it, and the materials from which it may be proposed to select those who are to draw and to hold the reins. This introduces us into intimate relations with the third "condition precedent" to the star of empire fixing itself, immediately, above the Northwest. Avarice, or the pursuit of gain, interferes largely with the indulgence of the patriotic. The Western country is peopled with money gamers. It would be unsafe to attempt to estimate how rich one must be before he will allow his intelligent political ambition to take the place of financial calculations in his advocacy of political measures. Hence the inference intrudes itself, that either this section must fill up with men easier satisfied pecuniarily, or opportunities of speculation mushroom much less numerous, before the gilded sceptre may pass into our hands. When the Mississippi valley becomes the centre of commercial power, the political will co-exist. When the Northwest compacts itself,—is in the enjoyment of the wealth which surely awaits it,—we may safely look for the development of a manly thought and an independent patriotism capable of splendid service in the progress of our national destiny. We are yet too young and busy, and it is doing us sheer injustice, to be trusted, looked to, or boasted about, as a guide or arbiter in the politics of the age.

For the next Presidential campaign it will be wise for the South to be guided by its own instincts—deferring to no section or State of the North,—taking counsel only of that Northern Democratic sentiment which is illustrated all over the North by men as true as if born in Mississippi. In action, thus initiated, still thus harmoniously developed, most success alone be sought. There are enough true men in the North whose interpretation of the Constitution and the spirit of our Government, is identical with that of the Southern Democracy, if in operation with a united South, to direct and control the national politics for all coming time. But no matter how clearly principles—or the platform of 1860—may be declared, or how valiant, united or successful their support, if their application is not entrusted to a man. Men of clear head, sound judgment, iron nerve and unflinching will, are not numerous. Yet of such stuff should the Democrats alone make a President. Suffering in that direction heretofore often enough, should beget a scrupulous care for the future. That there are such men, and especially in the South, we all know. Let personal predilections, and even differences upon the interpretation of a principle, if not *vital*, be sunk, in order that the everlasting doctrines of Republican Democracy be vitalized and incarnated.

I speak as if our next candidate for the Presidency was expected from the South; and such is the fact, if you will give us the man! Since Judge Douglas' gamesomeness, no man in the North is one up sufficiently to concentrate your attention. Several will be upon the waves, however, and in the political surges of the next twelve months, if not anticipated by the South, some one from this section will probably challenge competition.

Locomotion—pure and undefiled—might sooner, and would later, have passed both houses of Congress. The substitute would be accepted, if strenuously insisted upon and noted at headquarters. But the "pure article" was not so unpopular in the North, I am told, as was the Kansas Bill soon after its passage. I believe my course the South will manifestly take on this subject will be endorsed here. If the South chooses to regard this as a principle of but a single application, and that just, it can afford to do it, if judicious as to the man in whose hands the old flag is placed. The boldness, courage and resolution of Judge Douglas are now his capital, and a strong one it is. He even seems now determined to fight his way through, and over, and to the head of the Democratic organization. He is in for the Charleston Convention, on his own bottom, with, it is true, many of the time-worn issues of the true faith upon his banner. Let the South treat him kindly.—He has pure stuff in him, tempered by a too recent moderate of the enemy. Keep him on duty a little longer—rub him decidedly but gently, and he will be brighter, smoother and firmer for future use. REGISTER.

THE ALABAMA HEROINE.

Having at length reached the end of the Blount De Riviere affair, our lady readers will doubtless be interested in the following description of the heroine, given by the Columbus (Ga.) Times and Sentinel, and regard it as a fitting conclusion to the numerous articles that have been published on the subject:

Miss Emily Blount of Mobile, whose notoriety is not confined to the limits of the United States, but has passed over the waters—whose tragical association with Capt. De Riviere has been dramatized in New York, attracting large houses every night at Niblo's, passed through Columbus a few days since.

As she necessarily remained a short time at the hotel before leaving for the Montgomery train, many of our citizens had an opportunity of seeing her. For the satisfaction of our lady readers, who perhaps have a little curiosity concerning her appearance, and a little inquisitiveness as to how she was dressed, we present to them a description given us by a friend—an eye witness. He says, that Miss Blount cannot have exceeded her *eighteenth* year, although, from the great trouble that she has undergone for the last two months, and the intense mental suffering that she has been subjected to, as well as the fatigue of travel upon her tender and delicate frame, she might be taken to have passed more than twenty summers.

From a pretty close inspection of her face as she tripped down the steps of the Perry House to enter the omnibus, we were impressed with the idea that she possesses what is called in common parlance a *sweet face*. Her mouth is small and delicate, and the under lip stands out in a saucy and most defiant manner. Her eyes are dark blue, with a soft and melting expression when at rest, but at moments emitting a luminous flash, which plainly indicates that when aroused, she is not without a portion of that boldness of spirit which so eminently characterizes her maternal parent, and which has been displayed in a manner so erratic during the few months that she has been so prominently before the public. Her face is pale, occasioned, no doubt, by her sufferings. A deep shade of melancholy seems to pervade it, only broken by an occasional faint smile. A few small freckles may be perceived under each eye, which, instead of marring her beauty, as they generally do, really give it a piquancy which enhances it. Her light brown hair, profuse in quantity, was drawn back from her fair and forehead, and dressed a la chinaire. A style which but few ladies can adopt, as it is seldom becoming, but was very striking and suitable to the young lady.

Her symmetrical form is her great attraction. She is about five feet six inches in height; small, delicate waist, as little and graceful in her movements as the most ultra connoisseur could desire. Her carriage would elicit the praise of every one, so graceful and fairy-like is her tread, that

"As she moved along the grass,
E'en the flowers crushed by her foot,
Would raise their heads to gaze at her."

Her feet are small and beautifully shaped, having that graceful curve of the instep, which is only found perfect in southern ladies, and cannot be deceived as to their beauty and size. As she tripped down the steps of the hotel, accompanied by her escort, we had an excellent opportunity of satisfying ourselves on this point.

Having the good sense to wear only plain costume in traveling, we need not give an elaborate account of her toilette. We may not be believed by the ladies, but Miss Blount was unadorned with one jewel, and a small one at that!—Which we cite to show that we believe, and we assert it with many misgivings, but it is a fact.

Our friend further says: That a prepossessing exhibition which the "bowld anger boy" has thrown around both mother and daughter, and the tenacity with which they have clung to her stilling to his fortunes, may be now explained. We are informed by a friend recently returned from New York, that it is currently reported there, and generally believed, that Miss Blount and De Riviere have been married for some time, even as far back as the 7th of June. If this report be true, it is to be deeply regretted; for there can scarcely be a doubt upon the mind of any one who is at all conversant with recent developments and disclosures in New York, that De Riviere has a wife at the North, and that she has produced the papers, which have been conclusive to all, save the infatuated mother and daughter. Madame Arnaud de Riviere being the lawful wife, and having publicly declared it, the future prospects of our fair countywoman are henceforth darkened and marred, and she may expect little happiness or contentment in life. Her fate is another terrible warning to our people, to beware of admitting the presence of their families, and around their hearthstones, men whom they know nothing about, who by a fair and specious outside, gain the confidence of a too unsuspecting people.—Look with suspicion and distrust upon all foreign dandies and snobs, whether they are frequenters of Belgrave Square or *flaneurs* from the Boulevards.

VICE PRESIDENT BRECKINRIDGE.—The Vice President, the Hon. JAMES B. CLAY, and Hon. WM. PRESTON, lately addressed a mass meeting at Hazodsburg, Ky. The speech of Mr. Breckinridge was in the main a defense of the Administration from the charges brought against it by the Black Republicans in the North, and the ultras at the South. Upon the Kansas question he is reported as follows by the Kentucky State Flag:

"Touching the subject of Kansas admission, he approved the policy of the President, and believed the measures he had proposed for the adjustment of that question characterized by the interested patriotism and by sound practical wisdom. He then entered into an elaborate argument to support the position of the Administration and the South, and sustained himself by so full a review of the facts, and by arguments so conclusive, that it was difficult to believe that any fair man would controvert his positions. Under all the circumstances, he believed, and had ever believed, that the President had recommended the wisest measures for the proper and peaceful adjustment of the difficulties."

For the Clarion.

JONES COUNTY.

While several of the eastern counties of Mississippi are fast increasing in wealth population and importance, Jones is beginning to shine forth like a rich jewel in the diadem of Mississippi. And if there is one county in the State that is more praiseworthy than any other, that county is Jones; for where can we find more hospitality and generosity than among her citizens? The liberal means that are daily appropriated prove the spirit of her lofty-minded citizens. Other counties may possess more wealth and greater facilities for advancing to that high state of culture for which God created man; but there are none who are doing more in proportion to their strength. With the same high regard for principle which has ever been characteristic of her citizens, and with unabating tenacity she clings to Democratic principles as being the only true foundation of our liberties. In the morality and good conduct of her citizens her equal is but very seldom, if ever, found; and should it chance to be found, it would be among the more enlightened and improved portions of mankind. The fertility of her soil is attracting emigrants not only from various parts of her own State, but also from several of the adjoining States. Where but yesterday might be heard naught but the sound of the hunsman's horn, now may be seen beautiful fields of promising corn; and where, not long since, the wild deer of the forest roamed solitarily over her plains, now may be heard the echo of classic literature and the still richer notes of Christian worship.

May this beautiful and picturesque county, inhabited by generous men and fair women, continue to advance with rapid strides on the great highway of moral, social and physical improvement; and may the banner of Democracy, which she has so long borne aloft with unfaltering hand, continue to wave through all her borders, triumphant over all opposition—the democracy, as expounded and inculcated by the EASTERN CLARION.

A. E. R

Sweetwater Academy, Miss., Aug. 10, 1858.

For the Clarion.

JUDGE'S ELECTION.

MR. EDITOR: The fall elections are near at hand, and I think it is time the Democracy were pausing to their importance and falling into line to secure the triumph of their principles in the election of their friends. I think it especially their duty to exert themselves actively in behalf of the worthy aspirant for Judge of this District, Gen. JAMES J. SHANNON. Without disparaging the merits of the present incumbent, Hon. JOHN WATTS, Mr. Shannon is one of the soundest lawyers at the bar, and would make an able and upright Judge. He is also a good Democrat.—I am not in favor of keeping one man in office until he dies of old age. Give the rising generation a chance. I hope every Democrat will turn out on the first Monday of October and elect Shannon. Suppose we try, even if we fail. A DEMOCRAT.

Bunker Hill, Miss., Aug. 11, 1858.

THE MAILS.

We have received the following letter from a subscriber at Crawfordsville, Lowndes county. When it is remembered that Crawfordsville is immediately on the railroad, and that the mail train passes there daily, it is difficult to account for the fact that our paper does not reach there the same day that it leaves here. We are assured by the Postmaster at this place that the package is put in the mail for DeSoto every Monday morning. It ought to go to its destination the same night. Will the Postmaster at DeSoto, and the route agent on the train, give the matter their attention. Such failures as these are ruinous to publishers, while they render the mail service comparatively no thing to the public for whose convenience it was instituted:

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Miss., 9th Aug., 1858.

COL. S. R. ADAMS: Dear Sir—I dislike to complain, but absolutely I never get the Clarion but about once a month. Where is the fault? If you cannot remedy the matter, I will be compelled to discontinue the Clarion, although I dislike to do so.

Yours truly, T. H.

AGRICULTURAL MEETING.

A meeting of the Agricultural Society of Newton county will be held at Decatur on the second Saturday of September. All the members are earnestly requested to attend, as business of importance will come up for action, and several addresses are expected.

POSTSCRIPT.

BY LAST NIGHT'S MAIL

LATER FROM EUROPE.

ARRIVAL OF THE NIAGARA

Yellow Fever in N. Orleans.

American Horses in England.

KANSAS ELECTION.

MOBILE & NEW ORLEANS MARKETS.

MISCELLANEOUS INTELLIGENCE.

&c., &c., &c., &c., &c.

Yellow Fever.

NEW ORLEANS, August 12.—There were thirty-five deaths from yellow fever here on Tuesday, and forty-five on yesterday.

New Orleans Markets.

There were 700 bale of cotton sold to-day at unchanged prices.

Sugar is quoted at nine and a quarter cents.

Mobile Markets.

OFFICE OF THE MOBILE TRIBUNE, Thursday Evening, Aug. 12.

COTTON—The sales to-day were 500 bales—The market remains unchanged—middlings quoted at 10½@11.

Kansas Election.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 11—The majority against the English ordinance, as far as returns had been received, is 6,000.

North Carolina Election.

Ellis Democrat, is elected Governor of North Carolina by about 12,000 majority.

Ten Broeck Triumphant.

Mr. Ten Broeck's horse Babylon won the Stewart cup at a match race.

The Goodwood Cup.

LIVERPOOL, July 21—Parliament is rapidly winding up business, and will be prorogued at an early day.

The Goodwood Cup was won by the English horse Stonsterer.

The only American horse which started in the race was Charlestonian, who came in last but one.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—The steamer Niagara arrived at Halifax, bringing Liverpool advices of the 31st ult.

Cotton.

Sales of the week 38,000 bales. Sales to speculators 2,000 bales. Sales to exporters 3,000. All qualities declined 1-16; lower qualities declined ¼.

Consols 96½.

THE SUCCESSFUL LAYING OF THE GREAT OCEAN TELEGRAPH.—*Joy throughout the Country—Rejoicings of the Country and the Press*—The agony of suspense and apprehension as to the complete success of the great ocean telegraph enterprise, occasioned by the delay in definite intelligence, has ceased on the arrival of the Agamemnon at Valentia Bay, and the successful landing of her end of the cable, is at length relieved by the information contained in the dispatch which we copy from the New Orleans papers. The great Trans-Atlantic telegraph is beyond all doubt a complete success. We receive yesterday morning our exchanges from Northern cities which announce the first news of the successful laying of the cable. They are filled with the congratulations, and their editorial columns resound with one united huzza at the event. They are carried away in a perfect transport of enthusiasm, and vie with each other in the grandiloquence of their jubilee and congratulations. They furnish accounts of the excitement and rejoicing among the communities everywhere on the reception of the news, which manifest the universality of enthusiasm and delight at the completion of the age. At Boston one hundred guns were fired, and all the bells of the city were rung. At New York the news flashed like wildfire through and mingled their congratulations; flags floated, and Merchants' Exchange and the various telegraph offices were illuminated and the tall foreign dandies and snobs, whether they are frequenters of Belgrave Square or *flaneurs* from the Boulevards.

A SAD CASE.

A friend writing us from Mobile yesterday, says:

"We have just received the thrilling intelligence of the death of Dr. A. S. Hair, of Selma, Ala. The news reached us per railroad this evening just as we were driving to the Chickasaw this morning. He had attempted to walk across the river on the railroad bridge, and had fallen off. Yours truly,

J. W. B.

AN OBNOXIOUS SUPPLIER.—We are informed by Mr. Brothers, President of the Quitman Meeting at Waynesboro, when we met in the cars yesterday that immediately after the adjournment of the meeting referred to, the citizens present assembled and endorsed Judge Hancock, for re-election. As this fact does not appear in the proceedings, we have thought it proper to supply the omission.

HORRID MURDER.—We stop the press to announce the melancholy intelligence of the murder, in our streets, of one of our oldest citizens, Mr. Wm. P. Hudnall, by J. M. Steele, of this place.

This sad occurrence will remind the civil part of our community of the importance of suppressing vice and violence. The wound which caused the immediate death of Col. Hudnall, was inflicted by a bowie knife in the hands of said Steele.—*Enterprize Expositor.*

Just at going to press, a cloud came up without help and poured out a nice refreshment—glad to see it—

What a shock! We looked out and saw a part of the court house flying in the air. Lightning had struck it on the the South side by the sheriff's room, tearing off and loosening the weather-boarding. Mr. Hull and Col. Beschmen were sitting in the entrance, but were not injured. Only one window was broken. No great damage done.

[*Kemper Democrat.*

SUDDEN DEATH.—Mr. Chas. Allen, residing 15 miles West, dropped suddenly dead in about fifty yards of his residence, on Monday 9th inst. Mr. A. was an old citizen of this county, was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

[*Kemper Democrat.*

NEWS FROM JUDGE BROWN.—Yesterday we saw a letter from the Secretary of the Directory of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad to Col. Eli Abbott, one of the Directors living near this place. Judge Brown writes that he has arranged the English debt with the sterling bonds at 75@80cts—thus arranging a matter that has given uneasiness to the company for years. He seems confident of his ability to secure all the iron needed. The debt referred to, amounts to $800,000.—Prairie Okaloua News.

☞ The steamer Virginia, the independent boat running between Mobile and New Orleans, was blown up and sunk at the wharf at New Orleans one day this week. Several persons employed on the boat lost their lives by the explosion. Foul play seems to be very strongly suspected. The steamer was just firing up, and it was believed that she had not generated steam enough to occasion an explosion. It is believed that gunpowder had been put in the wood which it was known she would use. The suspicions and intimations point strongly to a rival interest in the New Orleans and Mobile trade as the instigators of the deed—whether justly or not, of course, we cannot say—and they are called upon to demand an investigation for their own acquittal.

MISSOURI.—The elections for members of Congress in Missouri are running favorably in the Democrats. Mr. F. P. BLAIR, Jr., the son of his father, who is a most infamous traitor to the men and the cause that raised him into notice and gave him position and wealth—this infamous son of an infamous father, has been ignominiously expelled from the seat which he disgraced in the last Congress. The regular Democratic candidate in the St. Louis District, beats Mr. Blair about 700 votes. The South is thus relieved from the disgrace of sending one of the very meanest and most truculent Black Republicans to Congress.

Public Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the citizens of the western portion of Jasper county, on the 23rd inst. at F. Bridges Store, to take some action on the question of the removal of the Court House, together with other business connected therewith, &c. All persons are invited to attend and participate in the meeting who are in favor of the BARE FOOTS.

August 14th, 1858.

WORMS ARE THE CAUSE OF MORE DISEASES—All physicians know that the cause of most diseases of children is worms. They produce convulsions, fits, dizziness, constipation, costiveness, fever, &c.—Arrest the evil in its first stage, by administering *Wheat's Canadian Vermifuge*, the most agreeable remedy as harmless to the system as a mere cordial, and absolutely certain in its cure. Give results.

☞ Be particular and remember the name—"Wheat's Canadian Vermifuge"—the only article that can be depended on.

For sale in Mobile, wholesale and retail, by J. WRIGHT & CO., 151 and 153 Chartres street.

New Orleans, Aug. 41-tw

Trouble in the Camp.

A certain Kite recently offered a Bingdom for a horse because owl had fallen in love with him, and he wanted to escape. Just so with those who have been reduced almost down to the grave with Fever and Ague; they would give the world for a horse, to be free from their enemy. What will make them free? We answer, nothing only, *Green's Indian Chief*, against fever and ague. This, experience is the only thing that will raise them to a healthy strength and Vigor. It works its wonders; it assuages all bilious indications, completely arrests the fever, invigorates the whole system, and renews the vigor of the one only thing that will do it. Therefore, Hilliard, Kite, Owl, Bingdom, stand aside and make room for GREEN'S INDIAN CHIEF.

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Principal Depot for the Southern States to whom all orders should be addressed.

New Orleans, August 1858. 41-tt

Another Horrid Accident.

How often is the country startled by such announcements in the public Prints! A beloved child, from carelessness, or some other cause, become dreadfully burnt or scalded. Have a box of Green's very best article on your mantel, in the event of such a disaster—remember, it cures without leaving a blemish or scar. Have a box always on hand for sudden cuts, bruises, &c. Follow directions accompany each box. Green has always a stock of genuine Indian Chief, with engraved label, signed J. BALLEY, Manufacturer.

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Sold by all Druggists.

New Orleans, August 41-tw

Only sixty hours from Mobile, and none exceed over the age of fifteen, accompanied by their parents, or other guardian as long as desired.

The Institute prepares pupils for College, the Counting Room, or Civil Engineering. The reputation of Pass Christian for health and bathing, is well known throughout the South, and during the epidemics, the Institute has been always free from sickness.

Applications to fill vacancies, and for circulars containing terms of admission, rules and references to a large number of Southern gentlemen, whose sons have entered the Institute can be made by mail.

Address A. GREEN, Superintendent M. M. I.

Pass Christian, August, 1858. 43-tf

News from Virginia.

MADISON, VA., Oct. 21, 1856.

Dr. C. M. Jackson—Dear Sir—I take pleasure in adding one certificate to your list, and recommending Hoofland's German Bitters to all who may be afflicted with Dyspepsia or Fever. I have been afflicted some four or five months with Dyspepsia, I commenced taking the Bitters, and have not yet finished the bottle, and also severe pain in my side, attended with Piles. I have never had any of the same nature since I was cured by the Bitters, and I very cheerfully recommend them to all who may be similarly afflicted.

C. CRIGLER, late P. M.

Wholesale—Jas. M. Floyd.

Ask for Hoofland's German Bitters. It is sold by druggists and storekeepers everywhere, own and village in the United States, and throughout South America, at 75 cents per bottle. 41 2w

Prof. Chas. De Grath's Elec. Oil—Take it to the cottage of the lowly, and relieve the pains of accident or disease; take it to the mansion of the rich to soothe the suffering that fashion or fortune wealth can mitigate; take it everywhere throughout the wide world, and say if my "Electric Oil" is not the benign mission, God intended it to be, when the Great Author has poured down since the day the Good Samaritan anointed the weary pilgrim.

The deaf will hear, the weak limb be strong, And crest fallen and despairing, sing aloud.

Prof. C. DE GRATH, Philadelphia.

☞ This Oil may be procured of the Agents. It will be last of the accurate here, an advertisement in another column. 44

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY.

SIR JAMES CLARKE'S

Celebrated Female Pills.

Protected by Royal Letters Patent.

Prepared by a physician of Sir J. Clarke, M. D. Physician Extraordinary to the Queen.

This invaluable medicine is offering in the cure of all those painful and dangerous diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstruction, and speedy cure may be relied on.

To Married Ladies

It is peculiarly suited. It will in a short time, bring on the monthly period with regularity.

Each bottle, price One Guinea, with the Government Stamp of Great Britain, on it, signed

C. CLARKE.

These Pills should not be taken during the first three months of pregnancy, as they are sure to produce miscarriage, but at any other period they are safe.

In all cases of nervous and spinal complaints, hysteria, palpitation, pain in the Back and Limbs, fluttering of the Heart, Hysterics, Difficult Breathing, Nervous Headache, and Fits, which often arise from irregularity, these Pills will effect a speedy cure. Full directions in the wrapper accompanying each package.

Sole Agent for the United States, Canada, West Indies, Mexico, &c. HOWARD & CLARKE, Druggists, Rochester, N. Y.

N. B. $1.00 and 6 stamps will insure a box, by return mail, containing 40 pills, addressed to any authorized Agent, will insure a box containing 40 pills by return mail.

H. S. BATCHELLOR, Wholesale and Retail agent, Mobile.

J. C. LAMUN, Vicksburg, Miss.

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Dr. S. E. CASTEEL, Paris.

Jan. 1858. 12tp

Forty Dollar Swing Machines

For Plantation and Family Use.

These Machines are equal to the high priced and complicated machines, but persons are using them pronounce them perfect, because simple and easy to learn, and they are not so liable to get out of order. The public are solicited to call and judge for themselves, at **No. 7 Camp street.**

M. L. HEDRICK, Sole Agent.

New Orleans, Jan. 1858. 14-ly

DR. BAAKE TREATS ALL DISEASES FREE OF CHARGE.

DOCTOR BAAKE's Medicines are special attention to the following Diseases: Coughs, Colds, Consumption, Croup, Influenza, Asthma, Bronchitis, and all other diseases of the Throat and Lungs.

He will devote particular attention to treatment of all Skin Diseases—Lumbago, Scrofula, Rheumatism acute and chronic, Neuralgia, Fits, Epilepsy, Dyspepsia, Piles, and all derangements of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels; and also to all Female Diseases. Special attention will be given to the treatment of the Eye and Ear.

Dr. Baake has made a discovery of a Fluid that will produce perfect sleep, cure the "Cataract," and restore permanent vision to the blind without the use of the knife. Dr. Baake has cured one thousand certificates of his perfect success in curing Cancers, old Sores or Ulcers, Fistulas, Tumors of every description, and without the use of the knife. Special arrangements must be made with Dr. Baake for the treatment of the last named diseases, as they will require his constant attention. Dr. Baake is one of the most skillful and celebrated Surgeons and Physicians now living. His name is known personally in nearly every principality in the world.

All letters directed to Dr. Baake enclosing a postage stamp, or five cents, for any distance, correctly stating the nature of the disease, shall be promptly answered, and all the patients treated by correspondence, free of charge.

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Dr. SWAYNE'S Compound Syrup of

Wild Cherry.

POINT OF ROCKS, Frederick County, Md.

DR. SWAYNE—Dear Sir—Believing it a duty I owe to the public, and in justice to you, I have thought proper to make known the wonderful and extraordinary cure, in my family, of a disease that has ever been truly recorded. In the month of October last, I was attacked with a severe gathering in my breast, which formed a large abscess, and also contaminated to my Lungs and very much affected them, and discharged large quantities of corruption, external and internal. My breath could pass through my Lungs and expectorate through the cavity of my breast with apparent ease, attended with a violent cough, day and night, loss of appetite, and extreme debility, so that my physicians thought my case hopeless and beyond the power of medicine. I remained in this wretched condition for a long time, until I was wasted to a mere skeleton, and there seemed to be no hope for me; but having read in the public papers of the many wonderful cures performed by your COMPOUND SYRUP OF WILD CHERRY, I immediately sent to Baltimore for five bottles and commenced