SOMERVILLE, TENN.

THE STATUS OF POLITICAL CANDIDATES.

How They are Getting on in the Scramble for the County Offices—The Crops.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE APPEAL.]

SOMERVILLE, TENN., June 30.—Crops, rain, grass and politics—State, district and county—are subjects that now occupy the thoughts of the average citizen of the good old county of Fayette. At this season of the year our merchants, lawyers and "town folk" generally have but little to do beside reading the APPEAL and discussing the prospects for a good crop and the merits and demerits of the numerous candidates now before the people for their support. As but little has been said by the papers of your city about our "patriots" I will give you a list of them and my opinion as to the chances of their carrying this county:

We have as candidates for Chancellor of this district H. J. Livingston, of Brownsville, the present incumbent, and Judge John Somers, of Dresden, also Chancellor of his old district. Both are Democrats, but the fact of Judge Livingston being so well known to our people, and having given satisfaction in the past, while Judge Somers is a comparative stranger, gives the former a better showing than the latter, though there are quite a number of warm supporters of Judge Somers in our county.

For Judge of our Circuit Court we have as candidate, Judge T. J. Flippin, who has occupied the position to the entire satisfaction of his circuit for sixteen years, and who is also one of the most popular men personally in our county, and the Hon. C. B. Simonton, of Covington, former member of Congress from the Ninth District, and a very able and popular gentleman. This being Judge Flippin's county, I feel safe in predicting for him a good majority—some think as high as 3500, and my own opinion is near that figure—in fact would not be surprised at any majority that he might get.

We have for Attorney General A. J. Coates of Bolivar, Harry Young of Covington, and S. L. Cockroft of Dyersburg. Messrs. Young and Coates have devoted considerable attention to our county, and both have ardent supporters. Mr. Cockroft is comparatively unknown to us, though he is strongly indorsed by his friends in the upper counties. The race is between Young and Coates so far as Fayette is concerned, with the chances about even.

Coming to home affairs, that is, county offices, we have three candidates for Sheriff—W. A. Koonce, F. M. Knox and W. H. Penick. Mr. Koonce is known to nearly every man in the county and has many friends and, I may say, no enemies. He has filled many important positions in our county and no one can be found who has aught to say against him as man or official. Mr. Knox is the deputy of our present efficient Sheriff, Bob Steger, and though not so well known as Koonce, he has made many friends in his present position. As to Mr. Penick, I cannot speak knowingly, as he is a new seeker for public position. Should either Knox or Koonce be elected we will have a good Sheriff.

For County Court Clerk the present incumbent, S. H. Morton, seems to have the inside track, as he certainly is one of the best, in the State, and has gained the respect of our people. His opponent, Mr. W. M. Morrison is a new man, and while many of our people think the offices ought to go round and give new men a chance, yet it will take a strong man to beat Morton.

Dr. T. G. McClellan has as competitor for the office he has filled so long and satisfactorily—Trustee—Mr. M. A. Gober, former Representative of the county, and a very popular and estimable gentleman. The election of either would give satisfaction to the people.

There is more feeling exhibited in the race for Circuit Court Clerk than for any other office. Four very worthy gentlemen offer to "sacrifice themselves on the altar of their country" by serving in this capacity—Capt. C. A. S. Shaw, Matt Rhea, J. H. Wheeler and J. K. Gates. Shaw is Mayor of our town, a member of our County Court and proprietor of the Eagle Hotel. Mr. Rhea has also been a member of the County Court for several years, is a prominent farmer and a clever gentleman. Mr. Gates is a farmer, but was for years deputy county court clerk, and while in that position made many friends. Mr. Wheeler is from the southern part of the county and has quite a number of friends. The adherents of Shaw and Rhea have worked up considerable excitement over the prohibition question, though your correspondent fails to see wherein this question cuts any figure in the present canvass. Messrs. Gates and Wheeler are pursuing a very quiet canvass, and we would not be surprised if one or the other proved to be the winning horse. We will be sure of a good officer in either of the candidates.

So far everything looks lovely for old Fayette Democracy, as all the above candidates claim to belong to that party. But now comes the "tug of war." For the office of Register we find six candidates—five Democrats and one Republican—the latter the "king bee" of his party in our county. The Democrats offering for this position are Maj. E. W. Tatum, present incumbent; W. A. Elam, County Superintendent of Education; Justice J. H. Hamner, an active member of the County Court for several years; B. M. Stephenson, formerly a Justice of the Peace, and Mr. R. L. Parker, a young man who came from Mississippi a few years ago, and who has been teaching school since that time. Dr. A. D. Lewis carries the Republican banner, and with five candidates to divide the Democratic vote there can be but one result, the election of the Republican. As the five Democrats announced themselves before the Republican made his candidacy known, I suppose they are unwilling to settle between themselves as to who shall be the bearer of the party's banner. It naturally rests with the Democratic Executive Committee to settle the question, by calling a convention or by a primary election. A convention would probably be the more satisfactory way of disposing of the matter. As I have said, Lewis will be our next Register unless the committee take the matter in hand. This fact is recognized by everybody who has given the matter a moment's thought. No good Democrat can object to a convention, and if there is any other before us claiming our support we want to know it.

I see Attorney General J. J. Dupuy's name mentioned in connection with the Judgeship of the Criminal Court. If you want a man who knows the law and will enforce it, you cannot do better than select him. He has made an excellent Attorney General for the Ninth District, neither looking to the right nor the left in the pursuit of his duty. He is a fine speaker, and will make a vigorous, earnest canvass, carrying the Democratic banner to a certain victory. Nominate and elect him, and my word for it, the law abiding people of Shelby will never have cause to regret it.

Mr. James Phelan was in town last week extending his acquaintance with our people. He was serenaded by the Somerville brass band at night, and made a short speech in thanks for the compliment. He made a number of friends, who will vote and work for him should he be the nominee for Congress. In this connection I will say that Mr. James Harris has lost none from the number of his friends, who are earnest in the wish that he may again have the opportunity of being our congressional standard bearer.

The majority of our delegates to the Gubernatorial Convention are for Bob Looney, though those who know Gen. Dibrell, both as soldier and citizen, will support him as long as he is before the convention. OBSERVER.

MR. AND MRS. CLEVELAND.

THE LAST RECEPTION AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

Messrs. Whitney and Vilas, of the Cabinet, Entertain the President and Mrs. Cleveland at Dinner.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE APPEAL.]

WASHINGTON, June 30.—The President may be a man of destiny, but when he took his fate into his own hands long enough to marry a wife he showed conclusively that he was able to manage domestic as well as political affairs. When the Republican grumblers wanted to make a fuss over the appropriations for the White House conservatories and new furniture, a loyal Democrat at once hastened to say that they would probably be less in the future, "as we have a good house keeper there now." Marshal Wilson says that many ludicrous things occurred when he was making the presentations at the last reception. One immense female passed the President without even a glance, and fairly pounced upon Mrs. Cleveland, exclaiming, "Oh, you darling!" Another rural sister paused immediately in front of her and dropped a stiff little courtesy, reciting in a high sing song a speech which she had evidently prepared for the occasion: "May you be as happy as your station is exalted." The truth is that Mrs. Cleveland has so completely taken all hearts by storm that we shall probably soon have a transformation scene in which all Republicans have changed to Democrats. Especially may this be looked for in the case of of the Rev. Byron Sunderland, who could not sufficiently abuse and villify the Democratic party during the last campaign. The President's course toward him reminds me of the story of the unhappy wife who went to her pastor for advice as to her course toward her wicked husband. "Well," said the minister, "be kind, and heap coals of fire on his head."

"I have tried b'ilin' water," was the placid reply, "but it didn't do a yeathly bit er good."

Both the Postmaster General and Secretary Whitney entertained the President and wife at dinner last week. Such oriental luxury and opulent display as the Whitneys indulge in have not been seen here for some years. Some wonder and many envy, but nobody ever tries to imitate. Their last dinner party was a sort of naval affair, and the officers invited appeared in full uniform. Mrs. Cleveland's gown was of Chantilly lace, embroidered with jet and *decollete*. She wore a diamond necklace. Her school friend, Miss Gregg, of Buffalo, who has been visiting at the White House for some days, wore a white silk, with long square train. She is a pretty girl with dark eyes, quite petite and exceedingly bright.

Washington continues to be in a quiet way very delightful, socially. The weather has been so exceptionally cool that the summer hegira has scarcely commenced, and, of course, we could never be lonely or dull or unblessed, so long as congressional effulgence remains. P. L. C.

THE GOLDEN BRIDGE.

I.

Let him listen, who would know,
Concerning the wisdom of King Tee Poh.

II.

Fair is Pekin, with round it rolled
Wave on wave of its river of gold:
They bird its walks with their ninefold twine,
And the bridges that cross them are ninety and nine;
And so soon as the wind of morning blows,
And the gray in the East takes a fleck of rose,
Upon each bridge 'gins the shuffle and beat
Of hundreds of hoofs and thousands of feet:
And all day long there is dust and din,
And the coolie elbows the mandarin,
And gibe is given, and oath and blow—
'Twas thus in the time of King Tee Poh.

III.

It grieved the King that it should be so:
Then out of his wisdom spoke King Tee Poo:

IV.

"Build me a hundredth bridge, the best,
Higher and wider than all the rest,
With posts of teak, and cedarn rails
And planks of sandal, with silver nails;
Gild it and paint it vermilion red,
And over it place the dragon's head;
And be it proclaimed to high and low,
That over this fortunate arch shall go
Passenger none that doth not throw
Golden toll to the river below.
And when the piece of gold is cast
Thrice let the trumpets sound a blast,
And the mandarin writes with respectful look
The passenger's name in a silken book,
So that I, the King, may have in hand
The list of the wealthiest of my land."

V.

Straightway the bridge was builded so
As had spoken the wisdom of King Tee Poh.

VI.

And every day, from dawn till dark,
They who watched the fortunate arch could mark,
Like a cloud of midges that glow and gleam,
The gold toll cast to the hurrying stream:
And all day the trumpet sounded loud,
And the mandarin of the guard kowtowed,
As he wrote the name, with respectful look,
Of the passenger high in his silken book;
And all the while grew the renown
Of the fortunate arch in Pekin town,
Till of the wealthiest it was told,
"He spends his day on the bridge of gold."

VII.

And when a month and a day were spent,
The King Tee Poh for his treasurer sent.
"Go to the bridge," said he, "and look
At the list of names in the silken book,
And of all that are written, small and great,
Confiscate to me the estate;
As the sage Confucius well doth show,
A wealthy fool is the state's worst foe."

VIII.

And the treasurer whispered, bending low,
"Great is the wisdom of King Tee Poh."

—*Geo. T. Lanigan, in Century.*

Sent to an Insane Asylum.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 3.—The Hon. Frank Sipp, ex-member of Assembly from the Second District of Erie county, has been sent to an insane asylum. The death of his wife two years ago and the conduct of his son, who is a defaulting mail carrier, caused him to lose his reason.

Subscribe for the "Appeal."

LYON, MISS.

THE GREAT BARBECUE OF COAHOMA COUNTY.

One of the Most Memorable Occasions in the History of the State—Dinner, Dance and Games.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE APPEAL.]

LYON, MISS., July 2.—It would take the fertile imagination of a thoroughly equipped newspaper correspondent and the pen of a ready writer to give in detail the lights and shadows, incidents, peculiarities, surroundings and effects of the great barbecue held at this place on the 1st of July. Frequently has this community been called upon to evidence its hospitality but never before has such a hearty response been made, and now the morning "after the feast" not a whisper of regret is heard for all the trouble, expense and labor that has been magnanimously devoted the past two weeks in preparation for the event by the ladies of Lyon and surrounding country.

On the evening of June 30th your correspondent strolled towards the beautiful grove opposite town to view the preparations and he was surprised at their extent and magnificence. As we entered the portals of the beautiful sylvan retreat we noticed overhead in emblematic design the word "Welcome," indicative of the sentiments of this happy and contented people in its reception of their visitors. Wending our way we came across the music stands, croquet grounds, dancing floor, cozy seats, all clean and neat as the appointments of a well regulated home. Ahead of us we saw tongues of flame and clouds of smoke reaching even to the tops of the noble trees by which we were surrounded, presenting a grand and weird spectacle. There we found Will Cammack, the prince of barbecuians, and a host of stalwart cooks, the ground being literally strewn with well dressed carcasses of beef, mutton, pork, kid, etc., in such profusion as to make us hesitate to leave the charmed spot.

The weather has been so fickle of late that the minds of the various committees were full of apprehension as to the fruition of their hopes, but on the morning of the 1st we breathed the bracing atmosphere and gazed upon the brilliancy of the rising sun, all hearts were filled with glad thankfulness, for we felt that all would be well. And all was well; for very soon after sunrise happy groups of elegantly dressed ladies and gentlemen thronged the town. Memphis, Hollywood, Tunica, Evansville, Austin, Lula, Helena, Delta, Glendale, Jonestown, Friars Point, Clarksdale, Belen, Hushpuckena, and other places contributed their quota of visitors. Strains of sweetest music filled the air. The colors of the ladies' dresses blended in exquisite harmony with the regalia of the Lyon Reds and the Friars Point Blues, and, forgetting what we are so often told from afar of the swamps, we believed we were on fairy land, for every heart seemed light, every step elastic, every tongue joyous, every countenance smiling. Verily, we were in for a day of "merry making."

But why continue. Every feature of the day's proceedings was a success. The table was exquisitely neat, and groaned under the pressure of every viand that the most fastidious could desire, and the cooking and appointments could not be excelled. We can scarcely trust ourselves to enumerate the number that ate, it being computed that from 800 to 1500 persons were present, and the news goes forth, far and wide, all had "enough."

Dinner being over, the dance commenced, stately quadrille and fastastic waltz followed each other in rapid succession, making a joyous scene long to be remembered, but, like all our joys, it was too fleeting and the somber shades of evening broke up the enchantment and group after group left the ground, leaving the trees of the forest and the vacant seats alone in their glory.

During the day there were several games of baseball which attracted crowds of spectators, the chief contest being between Friars Point and Lyon and the youths of Clarksdale and Friars Point. In the former game Friars Point gained the victory, and in the latter Clarksdale. The gentlemanly deportment of the visiting clubs was warmly commented upon.

About dark the band struck up again, serenaded the different families in town and finally halted at the residence of G. P. Graham, which was brilliantly illuminated for the occasion, and where, until daylight, a large and happy throng of people "tripped the light fantastic toe."

So ended one of the happiest days it was ever our good fortune to spend. Not a jar or uncouth expression, but the whole machinery of the proceedings wound itself up with ease and gracefulness. We are proud of our visitors, proud of ourselves, and we hope ere long to meet again, embrace the right hand of fellowship and push forward on the path of life and duty. A CITIZEN.

AMERICAN CARDINALS.

A Strong Probability of the Number Being Increased.

BALTIMORE, MD., July 3.—The *Catholic Mirror* in this week's issue prefaces its introduction to the report of the elevation of Archbishop Gibbons to the Cardinalate as follows: There is little doubt that Cardinal Gibbons's appointment is the first of several that will be made in other sees as soon as the opportunity offers. At a consistory held on the 7th ult., at which Cardinal Gibbons was nominated and confirmed, Leo XIII said: "The flourishing state of Catholicity in the United States, which develops daily more and more, and the condition and form according to which the ecclesiastical canons of that country are formulated, advise us, or rather demand, that some of their prelates be received into the Sacred College."

In the editorial on "The Significance of the Event," the *Mirror* says: Whether this means that the number will be raised above its present standard of seventy in order to accomplish the end in view, or whether vacancies shall be waited for until the desired number of seats are prepared for the new occupants, cannot be said. But, however that matter be settled, it seems certain according to authentic rumors in the best informed circles of Rome, that the United States are to have more Cardinals.

Baltimore will celebrate the centennial of the foundation of the first Catholic see in the United States on the 6th of November, 1891, and it is thought here that before that time Boston and San Francisco, as well as Baltimore, will have representatives in the Sacred College of Cardinals.

The Amende Poison Case.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., July 3.—Since the fatal blunder of Chemist G. Amende, of Hoboken, in compounding doses of morphine for quinine, resulting in the deaths of Marguerite and Ella Hoin, Dr. August E. Lowenthal, the fiance of the elder Miss Hoin, has been the subject of much anxiety. For a long time he suffered from nervous prostration. Several months ago an article appeared in the *Pharmaceutical Gazette* reviewing the trial of Dr. Amende. The writer took the ground that the evidence at the trial showed quite conclusively that Miss Marguerite died, not from morphine poisoning, but from the effects of atropia, the antidote administered to her. Since the appearance of the article Dr. Amende has seriously considered reopening the case and applying for a new trial. These rumors are said to have reached Dr. Lowenthal and to have had a very depressing effect upon him. He has confined himself to the house of late and studiously shunned society. A New York physician has been in attendance upon him, and rumors have been circulated that Dr. Lowenthal was insane. This morning a representative of the press met Dr. Ernest Lowenthal, father of the young man, and inquired whether the rumor was true. The doctor courteously but firmly declined either to deny or affirm the rumor.

OXFORD, MISS.

DOC. BISHOP, THE MURDERER, WHO WAS

Hanged at Pittsboro on Friday Last—Sketch of His Career—What He Said Before Dying.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE APPEAL.]

OXFORD, MISS., July 3.—Doc W. Bishop, who was hung Friday last at Pittsboro, Miss., for killing W. T. Price of Dallas, Texas, in Calhoun county, October, 1884, was taken from our jail on Friday morning, where he had been confined for safe keeping since his trial, to the place of execution, going via Coffeeville. The history of the trial and conviction of Bishop, was given to the readers of the APPEAL by its correspondent at Pittsboro, immediately after his trial. We do not therefore deem it necessary for us to give the circumstances of the killing. We will state, however, that the evidence was altogether circumstantial. Doc Bishop was born in Manor county, Alabama, on October 27th, 1857, consequently is twenty-nine years of age. He is a splendid specimen of physical man, weighing when in his normal condition a trifle over 200 pounds; he is six feet two inches; he wears his coal black hair carefully parted in the middle after the latest dude agony; his eyes are very dark and restless, seeming to take in everything around him. His complexion, naturally dark, has become bleached and somewhat sallow from his long confinement. In his movements he is quick and nervous. He has had the advantages of a common school education, and has been spending his last few days reading the Bible and writing to his friends and relatives. It was reported here that the condemned man had been guilty of a number of murders before coming to this county. All such reports he denounces as false. He denies having killed anybody before the difficulty with the Harrison brothers at Dallas, Miss. Says, however, he did shoot a negro in Lowndes county, this State, about ten years ago, but that the negro recovered. He was shot in his arm by Jim Lee in Calhoun county during the summer of 1883. He claims that he was never drunk but a very few times in his life, and the day of his difficulty with the Harrisons he had only taken but one small drink. He says he had spent several years of his life in Texas, Arkansas and the Indian Territory. During his wandering he was engaged in a number of personal difficulties, none of which, however, he considered serious. Bishop protests that he is innocent of the crime for which he suffered the penalty of death; swears that he never saw Wise, dead or alive; says he believes he knows who committed the deed, but that he and Bob Lamar are innocent; he further insists that he never enjoyed the privilege of a fair trial, and was very better against Judge Roan for not granting him a change of venue, when he, Roan, knew that the sentiment of the county was almost unanimous against him.

Bishop was married to Miss Lamar December 19, 1883. She is a sister of Bob Lamar, who is to be tried at the next term of the Circuit Court in Calhoun for the same crime for which his brother-in-law now suffers the penalty of death. He leaves his wife and two children in destitute circumstances, or, as he expressed it, to the charities of an uncharitable world, he having exhausted his resources in supporting his family and trying to escape the gallows since his surrender.

He professed religion yesterday evening and joined the Episcopal Church. Thinks he can go before his Maker with a clear conscience. To his friends for their many kindnesses to him during his troubles, to the ministers of Oxford for their interest in his behalf, to his jailor, to the Sheriff and his deputies, and to his attorneys, Messrs. Sullivan & Sullivan, who have exerted themselves to their utmost—having done all that friends and counsellors could do—to one and all he returns his heartfelt thanks. SLIP.

The New Cincinnati Bridge.

CINCINNATI, O., July 3.—The Covington and Cincinnati Elevated Railway and Transfer Bridge Company has let the contract for the masonry of their bridge across the Ohio river at this point to Mason, Hoge & Co., of Frankfort, Ky., and D. Shannahan, of Louisville, Ky., to be completed February 1, 1887. The whole bridge, which will be one of the best in the country, is to be finished within a year. It will have elevated approaches in Covington and in Cincinnati. It is not yet determined into what depot it will lead in Cincinnati, but it is thought, as Eugene Zimmerman is president of the company, it will be under the control of the Chesapeake and Ohio management.

Settled Their Differences.

NEW YORK, July 3.—The old and new boards of excise have at last agreed to settle their differences. The settlement was made today, but not until both parties had appeared in the Supreme Court to argue upon the motion made at the instance of the new board to compel the ousted commissioners to deliver over the books and papers to them. Counsel for the new board stated to the court that the other side had offered to put the new board in possession of the office provided that it stipulated to agree upon a case to be presented to the general term and Court of Appeals. This offer was accepted, and the new board will enter into possession Tuesday next.

More Money for Ireland.

BOSTON, MASS., July 3.—The Parliamentary Fund Executive Committee, in addition to the $15,000 already sent, will forward $3000 to the Rev. Dr. O'Reilly, the American national treasurer, for immediate transmission to Ireland.

Prof. Chs. Ludwig Von Seeger

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Non-Resident Notice.

No. 6205, R. D.—In the Chancery Court of Shelby County, Tenn.—Louis A. Boehler vs. Fannie Boehler.

It appearing from bill which is sworn to in this cause that the defendant, Fannie Boehler, is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, and that her residence is unknown: It is therefore ordered, That she make her appearance herein, at the courthouse of Shelby county, in Memphis, Tenn., on or before the first Monday in August, 1886, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to her and set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in the Memphis Appeal. This 22d day of June, 1886. A copy attest:

S. I. McDOWELL, Clerk and Master.
By J. M. Bradley, Deputy C. and M.
T. B. Edgington, Sol. for complt'nt.

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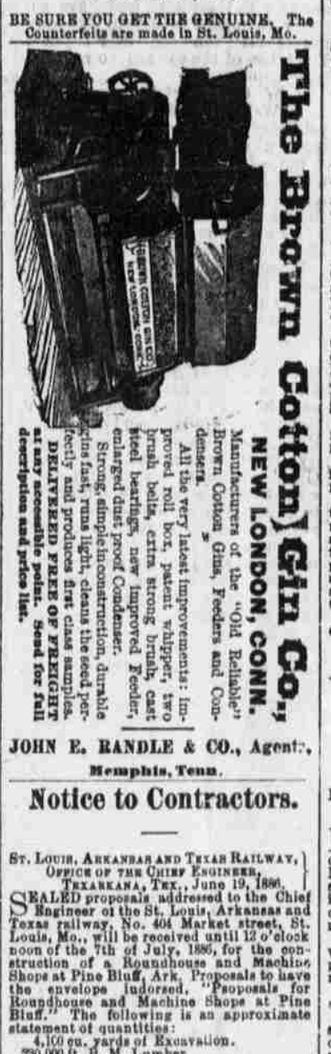

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Notice to Contractors.

ST. LOUIS, ARKANSAS AND TEXAS RAILWAY, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER, TEXARKANA, TEX., June 19, 1886.

SEALED proposals addressed to the Chief Engineer of the St. Louis, Arkansas and Texas railway, No. 404 Market street, St. Louis, Mo., will be received until 12 o'clock noon of the 7th of July, 1886, for the construction of a Roundhouse and Machine Shops at Pine Bluff, Ark. Proposals to have the envelope indorsed, "Proposals for Roundhouse and Machine Shops at Pine Bluff." The following is an approximate statement of quantities:

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The Company reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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CHANCERY SALE —OF— REAL ESTATE.

No. 5322, R. D.—Chancery Court of Shelby county—State of Tennessee for use, etc., vs. Mary E. Ashford et al.

BY virtue of an interlocutory decree for sale entered in the above cause on the 4th day of January, 1886, M. B. 50, page 637, I will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, in front of the Clerk and Master's office, courthouse of Shelby county, Memphis, Tenn., on

Saturday, July 31, 1886,

within legal hours, the following described property, situated in Shelby county, Tennessee, to-wit: The south part of lot 5, block 38, fronting 35 feet on the east side of St. Martin street by a depth of 219 feet, said lot being 150 feet north of Linden street.

Terms of Sale—On a credit of six months; notes with security, bearing interest, required; lien retained; redemption barred. This June 26, 1886.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE —OF— REAL ESTATE.

No. 2855, R. D.—Chancery Court of Shelby County—C. W. Harbert, administrator, vs. L. S. Bond et al.

IN pursuance of the terms of a decree in the above stated cause, I will, as Special Commissioner,