The Bulletin.

Geo. W. Armistead, *West. S. Armistead.*

ARMISTEAD BROS., Editors and Proprietors.

BOLIVAR, TENN., THURSDAY, JAN. 24.

Notice to Subscribers.

Subscribers who fail to receive the BULLETIN regularly and promptly will please report the fact at once to this office

Removal.

R. M. Hamner has moved his drug store to southwest corner of square, Bills building, where he would be pleased to see his old friends and customers.

R. L. Walker's family are spending a few days in New Orleans.

"Ripe Fruit," a most beautiful picture, given to a cash subscriber.

The farmers have taken advantage of the past few days of fair weather, and much cotton has been brought to town.

"A Capital Joke," a picture to make you laugh, given to a cash subscriber.

S. D. Siler has been appointed postmaster at Pine Top, a new postoffice in Piney. Excellent appointment.

Old Pictures copied and enlarged to any size, by Ross.

It is reported that Dr. D. J. Newbern and family expect to remove to Hickory Valley, the Doctor to practice his profession. We hope this is untrue, for Dr. Newbern is too valuable a citizen of the 6th District to lose.

"The Lost Cause," a true historic picture, given to a cash subscriber.

Our friend J. A. Rogers of Rogers & McClarty, Hickory Valley, called Tuesday. About 15 bales of cotton received at the Valley Tuesday.

TRY Dr. Duncan's Instantaneous Hair Dye (warranted), 50 cents per box. For sale by R. M. Hamner, druggist.

Messrs. Macon and Strong, will publish at an early day the *Daily Topic*, in Jackson, Tenn. Success to them.

Don't wait for Sunshine to have your picture taken, for W. D. Ross can take it just as good when it's cloudy.

We learn that the Repair shops for the Kentucky Division of the Chicago, St. Louis & New Orleans railroad will be located at Jackson.

One cash subscriber will get that large representative picture, "President Hayes and his Cabinet."

The coming Sabbath the Rev. Mr. Walker will preach at the Methodist church, both in the morning and evening. The public respectfully invited to attend.

Announcements of candidates for office will not be charged any less two months hence; so nothing is gained by waiting to make your announcement. The price is the same for a long as a short time.

Dr. J. D. Sasser of Middleton yesterday married Miss Belle Swinebroad, one of our estimable and popular young ladies. Middleton is fortunate in having one more interesting lady added to its society.

TRY Dr. C. P. Duncan's celebrated Vegetable Liver Pills—a sure cure for headache, swimming in the head, bad taste in the mouth, pains in the back, side, chest, and limbs. Nothing better for constipated bowels, sour stomach. One box will go further than two boxes of any other pill. Will act on the liver as well as blue mass or calomel. (Warranted.) Try them. For sale by R. M. Hamner, druggist.

We learn that a colony of Swedes are wishing to buy 30,000 acres of land in the east end of this county. The people of that section should see that they get homes in their midst. Immigration is what we want in the country. *Tipton Record.*

The silverware delivered by the National Silver-Plating Co., No. 704 Chesnut street, Philadelphia, is giving entire satisfaction, All orders are promptly filled, and no one need hesitate about sending them money.—*Lutheran Observer.*

We offer congratulation to Rev. Mr. Baker, that he has won the heart and hand of so estimable a lady as Miss Nannie Black. The groom is a promising young Cumberland Presbyterian Minister, and serves the Church of Clover Port. His bride is the daughter of our worthy friend James R. Black Esq.

We are requested to state that in section 1646 of the Code, a penalty of twenty dollars is attached to the taker up of any stray for making use of the same, before it is appraised. In section 1644 it is made the duty of the Ranger to prosecute for all violations of the stray law. Those using stray stock of any description render themselves liable to the penalties, if they have not posted the stock.

We regret to know that our sister town, is feeling the pinch of the hard times. Jas. O'Connor, dry goods merchant, and J. T. McCutchen, grocer, were compelled to make an assignment last week. In ordinary times their assets would be ample to meet their liabilities, but under the contraction policy of Mr. Sherman the large property of these merchants will not be enough to satisfy the creditors' demands.

Attorney-General Dupuy is at his post faithfully discharging the duties of his office. The General is one of the most earnest and energetic officers we ever had in our circuit. The violators of the law come in for a full share of his attention, and his legal acumen always secures a full measure of punishment for those who are so unfortunate as to encounter the strong arm of the law. *Tipton Record.*

Mr. W. J. Coates a promising farmer, near Whiteville, has a record as a farmer this season, which is hard to beat. With three hired hands he raised and sold 12 bales of cotton, and cribbed 100 barrels of corn—besides potatoes, meat, beef etc., as supplies. Moreover, one cropper raised 7 bales of cotton and 50 barrels of corn, and another 6 bales of cotton and 45 barrels of corn. Who can give a better showing than this?

Last Monday, Mrs. Black, the gracious hostess of the Black House, gave a splendid dinner to her regular boarders, and some invited guests, in honor of the 23d birthday of her daughter Mrs. Jesse. Norment, it also being the fifth anniversary of her marriage, (wooden wedding). The bride and groom looked as happy as when they joined hands and hearts five years ago. The bride's cake was brought forth, and all the guests cut for the ring. Miss N. S. being the lucky one. We hope to be able to attend many similar occations.

SILVER SERVICE PRESENTATION.

Interesting Occasion—Gen. R. P. Neely the Recipient of an Elegant Present from the Officers and Employees of the late Mississippi Central Railroad Company.

Thursday afternoon the 17th inst in the absence of Gen. Neely's family, his house was entered by a delegation of railroad friends, who proceeded at once to arrange for the reception of company, rooms opened, fires kindled and ushers appointed to receive visitors. This seemingly irregular manoeuvre was a part of a well organized plan to surprise Gen. Neely. The officers and employees of the Mississippi Central Railroad, soon after the absorbtion of this company by that of the Illinois Central, determained to express to Receiver Neely in some suitable manner, the high estimate entertained of him both personally and as a railroad manager, by those who had associated with him on this line. It was therefore arranged that each employee be invited to make a contribution towards purchasing a suitable testimonial to be presented to the honorable gentleman. Immediately quite a large amount was raised, amply sufficient to buy a magnificent present. John. C. Febiger, Jr., of the Purchasing Department, was authorized to proceed to New Orleans and purchase a well appointed solid silver service. The excellent judgment and fine taste of this gentleman were maintained in the selection made. Having made the purchase, he returned with it to Bolivar, and Thursday afternoon was the appointed time to present it to Gen. Neely.

By pre-arrangement the Gen. and his family dined that day with Mr. R. L. Walker, who, in the afternoon remarked to Gen. Neely that several gentlemen were at his house, anxious to see him on business. Whereupon they both left to meet those gentlemen. As previously stated the General's house was in possession of his railroad friends. In the mean time, Capt. J. G. Mann and Col. Thos. E. Upshaw, a committee, went to the BULLETIN office to invite the senior editor, Mr. Geo. W. Armistead, to deliver the presentation speech. Mr. Armistead left with the committee and found on reaching the house, that a large crowd had collected to witness the presentation. In the meantime Mr. Febiger and Mr. Murrell had unpacked the service and arranged it upon the large table in the dining room. When Gen. Neely arrived with Mr. Walker, Mrs. Neely met him at the door, and they were escorted through to the dining room, which by this time was filled with ladies and gentlemen. As they entered the room, Mr. Armistead said:

GENERAL NEELY: It is not only a pleasure but an honor to be associated with such an interesting episode as this scene introduces. Delegated by the officers and employees of the late Mississippi Central railroad to represent them, it is my privilege on this occasion to present to you in their behalf this elegant silver service. The presentation of this appropriate gift embodies a two-fold reflection. The officers and employees of the line extending from Cairo, Illinois, to Canton, Miss., over which you so ably and faithfully presided as Receiver by appointment of the Governor of Tennessee, do most cheerfully convey to you through this present their recognition of the fact that under your direct personal supervision this important intermediate railway link between the Lakes and the Gulf did not long remain a piece of worn-out and depreciated public property, as it was when you were given chief control, but thoroughly renewed and refurnished from road-bed to running equipment, paying into the State Treasury interest instalments to a considerable amount, this line soon became known in all well-informed railway circles as a paying investment of the largest promise. Excellent judgment, rigid economy and unremitting attention to minor details being the factors essentially contributing to the success that distinguished your administration of the affairs of the Mississippi Central company. Moreover, this gift is an offering which friendship would bring to one who, while careful of the important public interests committed to his keeping, never failed to respect the rights and deserve the esteem of those under his authority.

Allow me, General, to congratulate you on this happy incident in your history. We delight to halt by the wayside and scatter sunshine and flowers in the path of a deserving traveller. We are wonted in awarding tribute to him to whom tribute is due. It is human to wish to have one's labors receive either private or public appreciation. Childhood loves to have its precocity recognized by the parent's approving smile. The grave Senator and the brave chieftain as well as all other heroic life-workers are equally proud to be the recipients of honors in attestation of a grateful appreciation of services rendered. On this occasion this testimonial is bestowed as evidence that those with whom you have been long and intimately connected deem this present to be a fitting expression of their estimate of your work as an official and your worth as a friend.

Accept, then, this beautiful service and preserve it not alone for its intrinsic value, but for its associated memories. It inseperably links this interesting occasion with a most successful era in your public life. Let it be cherished as a consecrated heirloom, to be transmitted from generation to generation, and as the sands in the hour glass run low may the reminiscences of this evening's surprise be a bright oasis around which the musings of a ripe and honorable old age will ever fondly linger.

In reply Gen. Neely said:

MR. ARMISTEAD:—This is, indeed, a great surprise to me. My heart is too full of emotion for intelligible utterance. Permit me, however, to say to the gentlemen you represent that whatever of success I merit in the management of the Mississippi Central Railroad was chiefly due to the faithful co-operation and cordial support given me by the officers and employees on the line of that road. In receiving this token of their friendly esteem, allow me to assure them that this testimonial, thus presented, makes this occasion with me an hour of proud satisfaction. It shall be valued not that it represents a term of public service full of hard work and much responsibility, but chiefly because my official duties were abetted and sustained by men of culture and the highest personal worth. Again I thank you for this beautiful present, and to secure its safe keeping now turn it over to the care of this young lady of mine [alluding to his noble wife who was standing by his side].

Now followed hand-shaking and congratulations, while the assembled company inspected the wealth of silver exhibited upon the extended table. The service consisted of solid silver spoons, tea, dessert, and table spoons, with a complete outfit of heavy cake and ice-cream knives, ladles for salads, castards and jellies, all inlaid with gold, also a massive silver waiter bearing a suitable inscription. There were one hundred and two pieces, the handle of each elegantly chased and bearing the monogram "N." The case holding these treasures was of the costliest material, with silver handles and silk lining.

In the midst of the excitement incident to the occasion, Gen. Neely, in order to atone somewhat for the surprise given him, and to extend a hearty welcome to his visitors, ordered champagne for those that indulged in the sparkling glass. Soon corks were popping and wine was flowing. In the midst of this glee the writer returned to the dull routine of office work, to recall the scenes of this most pleasant occasion.

We must be pardoned for mentioning the following gentlemen as conspicuous among those who perpetrated this great surprise on Gen. Neely: J. G. Mann, R. N. Colquohoun, R. L. Walker, Judge Fentress, George M. Dugan, J. C. Febiger, Jr., J. E. Beeton, Col. Thos. E. Upshaw, A. C. Murrell, John Turner, Robt. Fuqua, and Nat. Booker.

Last Saturday evening, on the occasion of his 27th birthday, Rev. N. K. Smith, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, invited about half dozen of his most particular young gentlemen friends to supper, and treated them to a magnificent repast. Mrs. Smith acted hostess in a becoming manner, and the evening was spent most enjoyably. We know all who were present will unite in wishing Mr. Smith and his estimable lady many returns of the day.

Teagues Station.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—Christmas is over and Teagues is quiet again. Since I wrote you last several of our citizens have moved away, but others are coming in to take their places. Property is going up in an around Teagues. Dr. Parker of Medon has lately bought a house and lot in town. Dr. Anderson has sold out at Toons and has purchased a farm of Wallace Evans lying near here. We are not acquainted with the Doctor, but have been told he is a very promising young physician, though a little irregular in his habits, but we think he will improve in that after coming to Teagues, and by using industry and economy he may do very well here. I would like to ask your Clover Port correspondent whose children it was that made such a scramble over his paper? and as for the party he attended we are not surprised that there was no dancing, for there was only one young gentleman there and he did not arrive till a late hour. If he is so pleased with that party I wonder why he does not have one of that kind at his house; and if he should I expect he would dance higher than Mr. Bradford, and trot faster than Squire Tate. We do not feel inclined to pay the expense of the late Legislature, as we think they were repudiators, and we are not. George Bradford and Squire Tate say they distinctly remember going to that back room with Squire Blair, but have only a faint recollection of leaving there. They do not know what became of Squire Blair, and as they have not seen him since would like to make inquiry through the BULLETIN for him. I am very well acquainted with Mr. Pipkin and lady, of whom your Clover Port correspondent speaks. They lived for a number of years near Teagues, and we regretted very much to give them up. Am glad to learn that Dr. Robinson intends turning over a new leaf. It is the very thing he ought to do. "Laborer" declines debating the State debt, as he wants to gain some information, and I agree with him that information is what he needs, and would suggest that he read the BULLETIN carefully. We are anxious for the winter weather to break so that we can go to work, as we want to pay our debts. Wishing you and your excellent paper the most unbounded success, I am, what I always expect to be, a

SUBSCRIBER.

Last Thursday afternoon the officers and employees of the Mississippi Central railroad presented to Gen. Neely a magnificent service of 102 solid silver pieces, as an expression of their estimate of his official and personal worth. The givers did themselves credit in the gift and Gen. Neely richly deserved the testimonial. His home where the presentation took place was crowded with friends who called on that occasion to congratulate him.

Good News!

All persons troubled with diseases of the Lungs, Throat, or Chest can obtain immediate relief by using *Dr. Duncan's Cough Balsam. It is pleasant, harmless, and sure.* It never fails to relieve Sore Throat, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Spitting of Blood, and all diseases of the lungs. It is a sure cure for *Croup in children.* No mother would be without a bottle in her house after trying it once. Persons having *coughs of long standing* should be sure to give Dr. Duncan's Cough Balsam a trial, as it gives immediate relief in the most *advanced stages of Consumption.* Price fifty cents. For sale by R. M. Hamner, druggist.

State Debt.

This is a question about which you will hear much more than you have already heard. And perhaps some things some persons will not like, and if they dont, the only consolation I can offer is for them to "grin and bear it." Unpleasant truths like ipecac, dont set well on a qualmy stomach, nevertheless I propose to administer a few doses to day; for the *Savoir faire* of the people's biennial doctors, (candidates,) deters them from doing so. This question is like the lean kine in Pharaoh's dream, it will swallow up all other questions.

It appears there is a class of politicians who devote their time and talents, to the devising of ways and means to keep from paying this debt. Instead of taxing their intellectual and pecuniary resources to eliminate this vexed question from the politics of the State, and to transmit her honor and credit to the keeping of succeeding generation, unsullied by the foul touch of repudiation, they pursue a temporizing, procrastination policy, thus supporting Chameleon-hued demagogues whose mouths never open without "high taxes," "poor man," and "bloated bondholders," drop out of them—whose hearts are full of selfish and ambitious aspirations and motives—who have the uttermost good of the people as much as heart, as the devil had the good of the human race, when he was persuading Eve that she would be happier if she knew more. Perhaps it would not take a long argument, or much of an array of figures, to prove to a great many men in the State that they are poor, but I opine that no length of argument, or startling array of figures, could convince them that their interest now, and after would be subserved by repudiation,—by the State going back on her pledged word and honor.

What is the state debt question? Divested of all verbiage, and the perversion of facts and figures by adroit demagogues, it is simply this:—The State of Tennessee, at sundry times and periods, did borrow of various persons, certain sums of money for which she gave her notes, due in ——years, with interest at six per cent, payable semi-annually, and to these notes the *honor* of the State is pledged as surety. And the State owes those holders of her bonds just as surely, and honestly, as ever an individual owed the holder of his note which had been given for borrowed money. Is it not strange that in the face of these facts, there are those who advocate repudiation? Anon, perhaps, we shall hear the serpent tongued demagogue, in oily phras, and obsequious manner, appealing to the passions of the people, advising them not to pay this debt—"They can't make you—the money it would take to pay this debt is, worth more to you than the honor of the State. You are under no obligations to posterity." When such advice as this is followed,—when such advisers are elevated to positions of power,—when the honor, credit and interests of the State are committed to such policy, and to such guidance, then do away with schools and churches; for the schoolmasters and preachers' occupations will be gone, for what is the use of teaching a boy anything about honesty, honor, and the sacredness of contracts, when his State, the land of his birth and home of his affection, deliberately eschews the one and violates the ot her.

But it is said that the people could not and would not stand the burden of taxation necessary to pay the principal and interest of this debt. It is true that under the present depression of business, and depreciation of property, it would be a grievous burden, not to be borne. But the people are not called upon to pay the face value of these bonds. The creditors of the State are willing to recognize the shrinkage of values, and compromise with her at say forty or fifty cents on the dollar. An extra session of the Legislature was convened to consider this liberal proposition, but being composed of material out of which more or less than statesmen are made, and being less or more innoculated with the poisonous exudations of that political Upas (repudiation) it simply did that for which nature and grace had most eminently fitted it,—nothing, minus forty or fifty thousand dollars.

The advocates of repudiation may say "if the State is taxed to pay this debt, many a man now owning a little home, will have it sold from him, and his wife and little ones turned out of doors!" Direful calamity! But pray tell me how many thousands are "out of doors" *now*, and have been all their lives? How many of them tend land "one half for the other," and when becomes to settle up at Christmas, has to give up the last ear of corn, his only mule, and all the cows he has, that gave his little ones milk to wash down their dry corn bread? and all for what? Because he fell behind with his landlord. But this poor man accepts the situation, for he had pledged his word, and all his part of the crop, and his mule, and cows, in order to obtain a shelter for his family, and something for them to live on while he was making a crop. And on every acre of land he tended, he paid the tax.

Ye, who demand the pounds of flesh because it was so "nominated in the bond," ye, who wink at the monstrous heresy of repudiation, and would sell the honor of your State for a mess of pottage,—ye, who have little homes, that demagogues and *not* facts or probabilities tell you will be sold by the tax gatherer, put in practice a little of what you preach a great deal—economy. "Be saving and work," and your little homes will be saved, and so will the honor and credit of your State.

JOSH.

Having received an invitation from Dr. and Mrs. Nathan Prewitt, of Grand Junction, our Senior Editor attended last evening the wedding of their daughter, Miss Mattie. A splendidid entertainment was given. Too late for a description of the same this week.

A Diseased Liver.

Duncan's Liver and Kidney Medicine is a cure for all diseases having their origin in a diseased state of the Kidney or Liver, such as sick headache, dyspepsia, swimming in the head, loss of appetite, bad taste in the mouth, heartburn, tenderness or fullness over the region of stomach, cramp colic, costiveness, palpitation of the heart, pain in the back, sides and limbs, and all diseases peculiar to females. We can say to our friends that the above medicine is just what it is represented to be, and is pronounced by every one who has used it, far superior to any Liver Medicine they have ever used. We know that it gives better satisfaction than any we have ever sold. Knowing it to be purely vegitable, we can recommend it to our suffering friends. Price 75 cents. For sale by R. M. Hamner, druggist.

Babyland for January.

A fine double numbr, full of tiny Christmas Stories and lovly Christmas Pictures all in big print, on thick paper, just the magazine to teach babies to read. It is only Fifty cents a year. D. LOTHROP & Co., publishers, Boston, Mass. One of our exchanges says

"If D. Lothrop & Co., of Boston, publishers of BABYLAND, could have seen the joy the November number carried to the 'little man' who has the privilege of 'taking' the copy that comes to this office, they would doubtless have felt that their magizine for juvenile readers is the publication of all publications for little eyes and ears. It is an 'institution' in families where there are small children.

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For the speedy and certain cure of all malarial diseases, no medicine has yet beed invented equal to Dr. C. P. Duncan's celebrated Chill Tonic. It contains no arsenic, strychnine, or quinine, in any form; consequently it produces none of the bad effects which so commonly result from the use of those mineral and poisonous medicines. Duncan's Chill Tonic is purely vegetable, and purifies and builds the impoverished Blood, giving Tone and strength to the whole system—one bottle equal to Three Dollars worth of Quinnine. For sale by R. M. Hamner, druggist.

A Good Offer.

A pair of handsome 6x8 chromos is offered as a gift to every one that will send fifteen cents (postage stamps taken) for a three months' subscription to LEISURE HOURS, a mammoth 16 page (64 column) family paper, filled with the choicest literature, stories, poetry, etc., by the ablest writers. The papers sent will contain the opening chapters of a charming story entitled "Holden With the Cords," by the author of "Shiloh," "My Winter in Cuba," etc. To induce every one to send for this short subscription—whidh is offeren at half price—the publishers, J. L. Patten & Co., 162 William Street, New York, offer free the pair of chromos—which are excellent pictures and worthey to adorn any home. Money will be returned to any one not satisfied that they do not get twice its value. $1,500 in prizes is given free to agents.

Special Notice.

To all person who are troubled with old Ulcers, Boils, Cuts, Burns, Piles, Ring-worm, Tetter, Frost Bite, Chapped Lips, or hands, and all eruptions of the skin, can be cured instantly, by using Dr. C. P. Duncan's Ointment with Carbolic Acid, possessing the most wonderful healing powers of any Salve that has ever been made, and so pronounced by all who have used it, its effects are like magic. Horses with Sore Backs, Shoulders or Scratches, cured instantly. Try it. For sale by R. M. Hamner, druggist.

An Offer.

To the person getting up the largest club of subscribers by the first of March, we will give a set of heavy plated silver tablespoons, and a set of heavy plated teaspoons—of elegant finish and finest material. Call at our office and examine these articles.

On Wednesday morning early a very destructive fire occurred about two miles east of Toons Station, destroying the house of Mrs T. E. Young, together with all her household goods, supplies, etc. The fire originated in the top of the house near the chimney.

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MARRIED.

FINGER—CRAWFORD—January 15, at the residence of the bride's father, Rev. Wm. Crawford, near Salisbury, by J. M. Morgan, Esq., Mr. D. L. Finger and Miss Sue Crawford.

BAKER—BLACK—Dec. 26th, at the residence of the bride's father, near Clover Port, Rev. T. J. Baker and Miss. Nannie C. Black, daughter of James R. Black Esq. Rev. Joseph Pope officiating.

May the future be to this interesting couple the realization of the fullest usefulnes.

SASSER—SWINEBROAD—Jan. 21, at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. Wm. M. Norvient. Dr. J. D. Sasser of Middleton, to Miss Belle Swinebroad of Bolivar.

We offer congratulations to this happy couple. May their path in life be thornless.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

State of Tennessee, Hardeman county. } James Riggs vs. H. C. Tilson.

In this cause it appearing by affidavit that the defendant H. C. Tilson is justly indebted to the plaintiff and is a non resident of the State of Tennessee so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served on him, and an original attachment having been returned before me levied on the lands of said defendant, it is therefore ordered that publication be made in the Bolivar Bulletin, a newspaper published in the town of Bolivar, Tenn., for four successive weeks, requiring the defendant H. C. Tilson to appear before me at my office in Bolivar, on the 3rd day of January, 1878, and defend said suit, or the same will be proceeded with ex parte. This Dec. 28, 1878.

C. H. ANDERSON, J. P.
Wood & McNeal, Attys for Pltff. 1-3-4t.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE.

In the County Court of Hardeman County Tennessee D. A. Queen and wife Susan C. Queen petition to partition real land vs. R. A. Rowdon et al No. 1676 R. D.

In this cause it appearing from the petition which is sworn to that R. A. Rowdon and John T. Rowdon, defendants are non-residents of the State of Tennessee and residents of the State of Texas. It is ordered that publication be made for four successive weeks in the Bolivar Bulletin, a newspaper published in Bolivar Tennessee, for said non-resident defendants to enter their appearance herein by or within the first three days of the March term 1878 of the County Court of Hardeman County Tennessee, to be held at the Court House in Bolivar, on the first Monday in March 1878, and plead answer or demur to the petition, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte.

Jan 17 1878. M. C. DORION, C. and M.
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C. H. ANDERSON, J. P., H. C.
A. T. McNeal, Atty for Plaintiff. 1-3-4t.

NON RESIDENT NOTICE.

In the Chancery Court of Hardeman county, Tenn., No. 716, R. D. Original attachment and injunction bill. The State of Tennessee, for the use of Hardeman county, vs. Needham J. Powell, et al.

In this cause it appearing from the bill which is sworn to, that the defendants Applegate & Sons, J. K. Hall & Co., Lloyd, Yerger & Vanden, and Green & Meyers are non-residents of the State of Tennessee; it is therefore ordered that they enter their appearance in the Court House in the town of Bolivar, Tenn, on or before the first Monday in February, 1878, and plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complainant, or the same will be taken for confessed and set for hearing ex parte as to them; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Bolivar Bulletin. This Dec. 31, 1877. JAS. FENTRESS, Jr., C. & M.
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Grand Junction	(2)	1:40 am
Middleton	(3)	2:23 "
Corinth	(4)	3:36 "
Decatur	(5)	7:55 "
Stevenson	(6)	11:25 "
Arr Chattanooga	(7)	1:05 pm

GOING WEST.

Lve Chattanooga	(7)	5:10 am
Stevenson	(6)	6:50 "
Decatur	(5)	10:17 "
Corinth	(4)	2:01 pm
Middleton	(3)	2:58 "
Grand Junction	(2)	3:43 "
Arr Memphis	(1)	5:45 "

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