LOCAL WEATHER REPORT.

OBSERVER'S OFFICE, CAIRO, ILS., April 3, 10:11 p.m., 1874.

Barometer 29.911 inches.
Thermometer, 57 degrees.
Wind S. W. Velocity 16 miles per hour.
Weather, clear.
Maximum temperature for last 24 hours, 61 degrees.
Minimum temperature for the last 24 hours, 34 degrees.
Prevailing wind for last 24 hours, S.
Total number of miles traveled by wind during last 24 hours, 284.

EDWIN BOOTH,
Observer Signal Service, U. S. A.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

TO CANDIDATES.

TO SECURE THE INSERTION OF AN ANNOUNCEMENT IN THE BULLETIN THE PUBLICATION FEE MUST BE PAID WHEN THE ANNOUNCEMENT IS HANDED IN. THIS RULE WILL BE STRICTLY ADHERED TO. CITY OFFICES $5; WARD OFFICERS, $2.

FOR CITY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce Michael J. Howley as a candidate, for re-election to the office of City Clerk, at the approaching city election.

EDITOR BULLETIN:—You will please announce that I am a candidate for the office of city clerk at the ensuing charter election.
229—3-12-td W. K. HAWKINS.

FOR CITY TREASURER;

We are authorized to announce B. F. Blake as a candidate for the office of City Treasurer, at the ensuing municipal election.
29—9-4-td.

MR. EDITOR:—By request of a number of citizens please announce my name as a candidate for the office of City Treasurer at the ensuing charter election.
WOOD RITTENHOUSE.

FOR CITY ATTORNEY,

We are authorized to announce that H Watson Webb is a candidate for re-election to the office of city attorney at the ensuing charter election.

MR. EDITOR:—By request of many citizens, please announce me as a candidate for the office of City Attorney, at the ensuing charter election.
HARMON H. BLACK.

FOR ALDERMAN—FIRST WARD.

We are authorized to announce Isaac Walder as a candidate for alderman from the First Ward.

We are authorized to announce J. M. Phillips as a candidate for alderman from the First Ward.

FOR ALDERMAN—THIRD WARD.

We are authorized to announce W. P. Wright as a candidate for Alderman for the Third Ward at the ensuing charter election.
27—9-4-td

FOR ALDERMAN—FIFTH WARD.

We are authorized to announce that Thos. W. Halliday, is a candidate for Alderman for the Fifth ward, at the ensuing charter election.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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Estimates and designs sent on application, stating the class of work desired.
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Hall's Balsam is this Remedy.

It breaks up the night sweats, relieves the oppressive tightness across the lungs, and heals the lacerated and excoriated surfaces, which the venom of the disease produces.

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JOHN F. HENRY, CURRAN & CO.,
8 and 9 College Place, New York.
35—4-15-w4t.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday the 21st day of April, A. D., 1874, a general election will be held in the city of Cairo, Alexander county, state of Illinois, for the election of the following named municipal officers, to-wit: A city clerk, a city treasurer, a city attorney, one alderman from each Ward, for the term of two years, one alderman from the First Ward, to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of Hiram Bixby from the city, and, one alderman from the Second Ward, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Wood Rittenhouse.

For the purposes of said election polls will be opened at the following named places, to-wit: In the First Ward, at the commission house of E. F. Davis, on the south side of Sixth street between Commercial and Washington avenues; in the Second Ward, at the Rough and Ready engine house; in the Third Ward, at the Hibernian engine house; in the Fourth Ward, at the Court House; and in the Fifth Ward, at the house of Mrs. Sullivan, on the north-west corner of Commercial avenue and Twenty-fifth street.

The election will be opened at eight o'clock in the morning, and continue open until five o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

By order of the City Council.
M. J. HOWLEY, City Clerk.
Cairo, Ills., March 20, 1874. 196—3-21-30t

The Bulletin.

TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 1874.

WANTED.

Bill Heads.

Somebody to take from us a thousand bill heads, good paper and finely printed, for $3.25.

Statements.

One thousand statements printed at THE BULLETIN office for $3.50.

Note Heads.

One thousand note heads printed at THE BULLETIN office for $4.00; two thousand for 6.50.

Cards.

One thousand business cards, fine Bristol board, printed at THE BULLETIN office for from $2.50 to $4.00, according to size.

CAIRO LOCAL NEWS.

REMEMBER.

Will be repeated at the Athenæum tonight "The Chimney Corner," and "Cinderella." The laughable farce of "Box and Cox" has been added to the bill.

MISCE LANEOUS.

A full line of croquet for sale by
49-4-14-3t W. B. ROCKWELL & Co.

AS USUAL.—Yesterday was a windy, rainy, disagreeable day.

CONFIRMED. — Twenty-two persons were confirmed at the Church of the Redeemer on Sunday.

VAGS.—Three vags were arrested by the police yesterday, and fined heavily by Bird, but got a stay of execution and got out of the city.

THE ATHENEUM.—The reader will miss a treat if he remains absent from the Athenæum to-night. Morris, in the Chimney Corner, is worth hearing.

EARTHQUAKE.—There was a distinct shock of an earthquake felt in this city Sunday afternoon. It was the distinct shock of a little earthquake.

HIT AGAIN.—"S. J. S," (in the Gazette,) threw a brick or two yesterday. One hit us a small blow on the top of our bald head, but we didn't mind it.

NEW BUILDING.—Chas. O. Patier & Co. are going to build a two-story brick business house. They give notice that they will receive bids until Saturday, April 18. This firm is one of the most responsible in the city. It has a splendid run of business and merits it.

VOTERS, REGISTER.—All legal voters should see that their names are registered so as to prevent delay and confusion on election day. The judges of election will sit at the usual polling places to-day for the purpose of correcting the registry. This is the last chance. —4-14-1t

BAPTISM.—The Baptists of the city have been holding meetings for the last two weeks, and not without good results. Several conversions have been made, and the converts will receive the writ of baptism this evening in the Christian Church, Rev. Mr. Hunsacker officiating. The public are invited to attend.

TO CONTRACTORS.—Sealed proposals will be received at the New York Store until Saturday April 18, 1874, inclusive, for furnishing and building a two story brick building according to plans and specifications which can be seen at the office of G. W. Hendricks, architect. The right to reject all bids is reserved.
4-14-2t CHAS. O. PATIER & Co.

PERSONAL.—Arthur P. Perkins, the energetic agent of the C. & V. R. R. at New Orleans, was in the city yesterday. Mr. P. gives flattering accounts of the business prospects of the road in the Crescent City.

—Rev. Mr. Thayer and Mr. Walter Hyslop left the city this morning to attend the Presbyterian synod at Nashville in this state.

—Capt. Halliday returned from New York yesterday.

MORRIS' LECTURE.—The lecture of Mr. Wm. H. Morris last night was really excellent, and was much praised by those who had the pleasure of listening to it. Morris is blooming into importance. He is one of the best insurance men in the city, stands at the head of the A class in the council, sings bass till you can't rest, acts John in "The Chimney Corner" with the ability of an old and talented actor, and lectures better than many of those who lecture for their daily and nightly bread. We are almost persuaded to run him for Congress.

A RUNAWAY.—The brewery team ran away yesterday. It dashed down Eighth street toward the levee, and opposite Walter's butcher shop ran against the team of Mr. Furguson, and knocked it down. The collision stopped the runaways; but at that moment another team standing on the opposite side of the street took fright, and started on a run. For a moment it seemed that all the teams in the city were determined to indulge in a runaway spree; but, in some mysterious way, they were induced to not do it. The brewery is unfortunate in its teams. The smell of malt seems to put spirits into them and teaches them to go as well when they are not wanted to go as when they are.

A GONDOLA ACCIDENT.—A pleasure party, while floating in a gondola on the moon-lit sipe water opposite the custom house, met with a serious accident. There were gentlemen and ladies in the party, and lutes and all such things, and fond eyes looked love to eyes that spake again. (Our readers will please to supply the remainder of the quotation, about all going merry as a marriage bell. We can't. We would as soon quote: "To the poor Indian!" and we do hope we are not that far gone yet.) The gondola was softly gliding, when it struck a snag. Alarmed the ladies started, and the boat upset. The unfortunate ladies were carried to dry land by the unfortunate gentlemen. Not one of the party was drowned. The moral of this is, that young men and young ladies should not ride in gondolas on the raging sipe water.

THE PENDING ELECTION.—Mr. Harmon Black insists that our mournful correspondent is a serious fraud. The soft soap the correspondent endeavored to spread upon Harmon, Harmon don't appreciate. The kindness that flatters with promises of office in the future, he will have none of—it is, in his estimation, ninety-five per cent. below par. He wants an office now—wants to beat Webb, and will, if he can. Mr. Black is an energetic, driving man, and he will beat or know the reason why.

—Mr. James Carroll proposes become to a candidate for alderman in the fifth ward, and is promising to inaugurate the millenium in the upper part of the city if he should be elected. James is a lively man, but he ought to blow his bugle far more softly than he is now winding it. He should imitate our example, and be bashful—retiring.

— Mr. Thomas Halliday is a candidate for alderman in the Fifth ward, and should be elected. He knows what the city needs, and has the courage to advocate what he believes is necessary to the welfare of the city, and the courage to oppose bad measures and bad men.

—Messrs. J. M. Phillips and Isaac Walder are announced as candidates for aldermen in the first ward. They are both good men. Phillips is a member at this time—a very worthy member; and Ike, who is one of our most active citizen, will, if elected, be always at his post, and will always do his duty, as he understands it, without fear or favor.

—Hon. W. T. Scott returns Mr. Thomas Freeman's shot. Scott intimates that Freeman is a drunkard, and regards himself with surprise if by accident he ever finds himself sober. From what Mr. Scott said to us he will be actually forced by his friends to run for the council, but he sadly anticipates defeat, not because Freeman has any influence, but because there are not enough black voters in the ward. If the white vote can be sufficiently divided he may slip in.

OUR MOURNFUL CORRESPONDENT.—We regret to say that Mr. Walter McKee has been suspected of the crime of writing the communication signed "Retlaw," and which appeared in the Sunday issue of this paper.

We assure our readers Mr. McKee did not write the communication. The sentiments of it we are sure he endorses, but he did not write it; and we almost hesitate to divulge the manner in which it came into our possession. We would not if a strong sense of duty did not impel us to write the truth and nothing but the truth.

On Saturday afternoon, just after we had concluded the meridian meal, we were seated in our sanctum. Silence reigned supreme. The office boy beneath us had discontinued his Terpsichorean amusements; our negro boy had concluded to not whistle for a moment or too; and Mr. Burnett was not in the city. All was calm. We were consulting with ourself, and we had asked ourself what we should write about, and had said in reply: "We don't know." At that moment we heard a rap upon our desk. We were startled; but we grasped a slate we always have at hand and placed it under the desk without a pencil upon it. Instantly we became aware of the fact that a spirit was writing on it. The message was as follows:

ON THE OTHER SHORE,
April 11, 1874.

DEAR JOHN: All good spirits wish to write for THE BULLETIN, and of course I do. I am Walt Whitman, who was a poet on earth that nobody could understand, but I have taken to prose. Poetry does not sell here. It is a drug. With your permission, I would like to take part in the impinging controversy.

Truly Yours,
WALT WHITMAN.

This is not Walt's style, and we thought the writer might be a wicked spirit. We had shaken hand with Walt while we were in Washington, and had observed a wart on his right forefinger. We concluded to make this the test, and we said:

"Walt, old boy, would you object to giving me a grasp of your hand?"

The spirit indicated by raps that he would not.

We placed our hand under the desk, and were startled by the fact that hands seemed to be as thick as five in a bed. We have no doubt there were fifty spirit hands under the desk. And they all seemed anxious to shake with us. This flattered us. It convinced us that we have many friends away over yonder on the other shore. But at last Walt grasped our hand, and we felt distinctly the wart on his finger. We were convinced, and we remarked:

"All right, Walt; go in."

The result was the communication signed "Retlaw," which is "Walter" spelled backward. This is the truth of the matter, and if anybody feels aggrieved, they must either go to Washington or the other city of the devil, and attack Walt Whitman, our mournful correspondent.

"The Circuit Rider," by Edward Eggleston, just published and for sale by
49-4 14 3t W. B. ROCKWELL & Co.

FOR SALE.

Second-hand clothing, watches, jewelry, pistols, &c., bought and sold. Also a lot Brussels carpet, furniture, etc., for sale. Opposite Cairo and Vincennes railroad depot. [188—2-27-tf] M. COYNE

MORRIS.

A RACY AND ELOQUENT LECTURE.

IMAGINATION DISHED UP IN AN APPROVED STYLE.

Last night Mr. Morris, in his fine lecture on imagination, might have quoted as a fine specimen of imaginative writing and as perfectly descriptive of the weather, Byron's famous lines descriptive of a storm in the Alps. It is true, the live thunder didn't leap from crag to crag the rattling peaks among, but only because there were no crags in this vicinity to permit the amusement of leaping, but thunder bellowed with a low voice, the lightning flashed and the rain poured down in torrents—honest torrents, after it got under good headway. But notwithstanding the weather the school room of the high school building was crowded with an appreciative audience to listen to the lecture. It was a success in every sense, and Mr. Morris should feel flattered by the attention that was paid to him. He began by saying:

I have selected as the subject of a few remarks, with no aim at instruction—Imagination," and perhaps I should have added, Anticipation, as it is so intimately connected with the imagination. We first imagine, then anticipate. Imagination pictures and promises to anticipation the joy and pleasure or the pain and sorrow of what we afterward experience, though it as often does this unthruthfully as honestly.

We speak of imagination in connection with poetry and the fine arts. We say of a beautiful painting or an exquisite piece of statuary: "What an imagination its author must have!" and yet this may not be true.

If the painting be a copy of a natural landscape representing every hill and valley, rivulet and shrub—in fact, as nearly as can be, an exact copy of the natural scene, then imagination had nothing to do in its production. If Bierstadt's Yosemite Valley or Church's Heart of the Andes are faithful, correct to nature, then imagination may have had little to do in producing them. If the Greek Slave be a copy of some other piece of sculpture, then the imagination of Powers had little to do in its production; but if the subject of the painting or sculpture does not, in reality, exist, or the artist has not had it for his model but only seen it with his "mind's eye," which is the imagination, then it is the fruit of the imagination first; and then, with the assistance of his skill, it is produced to the natural eye; but in this case the beautiful form did first exist in the imagination of Powers. He saw as plainly the exquisite form and grace of the beautiful figure before as after his chisel had modeled it. It was but a transfer of it from his imagination to the marble, that the world might see, admire and love it.

I say we speak of imagination in connection with poetry, and very properly too; and, for this reason, I much dislike a definition of it given by Webster, in which he simply calls it metrical composition—rhyme. I think there is much rhyme which should not be honored by the name poetry. According to this definition

"On yonder hill a great way off
"A bull frog died with the whooping cough"

should be dignified by the name of poetry as much as

"God moves in mysterious way
His wonders to perform,
He plants his footsteps in the sea,
And rides upon the storm."

The lecturer then proceeded to define poetry, preferring Coleridge's definition to Webster's. "Poetry," he said, "must appeal to our emotions of love or pity—the grand, the majestic or the beautiful. In short, it must touch a sympathetic cord in our nature, or it is not poetry."

Mr. Morris then read a sympathetic poem, in his peculiar manner, and everybody—laughed.

Imagination, the lecturer asserted, must enter into music, and illustrated the proposition at some length.

Oratory, too, required imagination, and in this connection Mr. Morris gave a very happy imitation of Gough.

The actor must also be possessed of imagination or he cannot achieve greatness.

Mr. Morris then passed to a humorous treatment of his subject, and depicted the disappointment of the man who, with nothing, imagines that when he gathers $2,000 he will be satisfied. When he has hoarded that amount, he is poorer than when he began to save. He wants more. The poor man is as rich as the rich man, if he can only think so. Riches are all in the imagination.

We cannot we regret to say give the lecture in full, although it merits publication. But then we could not produce the lecturer's inimitable manner, and that was more than half the address, although the matter was most excellent.

The imagination of the father picturing the future of his boy, of that of the boy looking forward with the eyes of hope, of that of the Christian anticipating the great hereafter, were pictured in happy style.

Imagination working wonders in the night time, and frightening the timid from their propriety, was skillfully and humorously handled, and the imagination of the business man who persists in believing somebody is trying to injure his business was used to produce a pleasant smile.

Then came a pleasant jumble of anecdote, and expressions full of wit and quiet humor, hearable, smilable and laughable. The sun story was particularly happy; and, indeed, all this portion of the lecture was inimitable. We wish we could give it to our readers, but we cannot.

The lecturer concluded as follows:

Imagination is a faculty of the mind possessed by every one in a greater or less degree; and its delicacy, exquisitness and power depend upon our cultivation and finer natures. There may be strong and fine imaginations with no creative power, or in other words originality. We may, with little creative imagination, appreciate to the fullest extent the merits of a fine painting or a sculpture, the power and beauty of poetry or music, to recognize the mighty power of Jehovah as it appears to the imagination in the vast and boundless prospects presented to us by nature—in the firmament of heaven, in the boundless expanse of the ocean, in the wide extended plains, in the high mountains, in an awful precipice, in the bursting of the thunder, in the rearing of the tempest, in the gay landscape, in the flowery field, in the solitary lake, and in the aged forest. Even the rude and uncivilized can see his majestic power in all these:

"How off amidst thick clouds and dark
does Heavens all ruling sire
Choose to reside, his glory unobscured
And with the majesty of darkness, round
Circles his throne."

From what I have said you will readily gather that although we may not all be possessed of creative imagination, yet we all have this power to appreciate the good, the beautiful and the right; and that we are, to a great extent, the masters of it; that, by cultivation and right living, our imaginations will dwell upon those things which are high and ennobling—on good and happiness in the future, and thereby we will be made purer and better. I thank you, ladies and gentlemen, for your very kind attention.

SCOTT TO FREEMAN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE BULLETIN: In your paper of the 12th I see a card, written by Thomas Freeman, in regard to me becoming a candidate for alderman of the First ward. I have not said that I was a candidate, and if I was to become a candidate, the card referred to above, coming from the source it did, would not prevent me from being elected. If Tom was a responsible man—a man that had any influence or respect for himself or society—it would have some effect; but he is a man that cannot control one vote in the ward. Why, he cannot control the quantity of bad whisky that he drinks, and does not, for he is an habitual drunkard, and a sober breath is a stranger to him, and when he is sober he thinks he is sick. I would advise Col. Wood to close all the saloons on the election day, or my friend Tom will not be able to get to the polls to work against me. Tom is a personal enemy of mine, and this is the way that he has of showing it. Tom, you have a great many ups and downs in this world, and do not let me give you any more. I will condescend to answer this card this time, but no more. W. T. SCOTT.

ATHENEUM.

GRAND PERFORMANCE ON TUESDAY NIGHT.

In accordance with a request made by the audience that witnessed the late performance at the Athenæum, Cinderella and Chimney Corner will be repeated on Tuesday night, 14th inst., with the following cast:

CINDERELLA.

MORTALS:

Cinderella ..... Mrs Wm. Wagner
Prince Truelove ..... M F Gilbert
Lord Neighbour ..... W H Morris
Marquis Nobleandelle ..... W G Robbins
Lord Fiddle-de-dee ..... H R Wood
Alberto Roderigo Hector Gianlin Giuseppe ..... Jno Heynes
Baron Tumble-down Dreary ..... H H Candee
Baroness Tumble-down Dreary ..... MRS H WARDNER
Lady Clothilde Matilda Griselda ..... MRS W P HALLIDAY
Lady Angeline Selina Araminta ..... MRS H H CANDEE

FAIRIES:

Benefical the Fairy Godmother of Cinderella ..... Mrs A B Safford
Violetbud ..... Miss Sarah Gilbert
Carnation ..... Miss Mary Wardner
Daisy ..... Miss Sophia Fleming
Bluebell ..... Miss Fanny Fielder

Courtiers, Ladies, Guards, etc.

BOX AND COX.

With Henry Rupert, Charles Walters and Henry Metcalf in the cast.

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"CHIMNEY CORNER."

Peter Probity, aged 60 ..... W. H. Morris
John Probity, aged 35 ..... M F Gilbert
Solomon Probity, aged 81 ..... H. H. Candee
Charles Chesy ..... W. G. Robbins
Sifter ..... H R Wood
Patty Pensky, wife of Peter ..... Mrs. W P Halliday
Grace Emery ..... Miss Anna Peckham

ADMISSION ..... 50 cts.
RESERVED SEATS ..... 75 cts
For sale at Hartman's. Doors open at 7, to commence at 8 o'clock. 4-4-td

MRS. RUMBOLD is prepared to BLEACH and PRESS hats and bonnets in the most approved style, and in a manner to give entire satisfaction. Call at her residence on Fifteenth street between Walnut and Cedar. 236—3-15-tf

RIBBONS.—The greatest rush of the season! The finest chance ever offered to the ladies of Cairo! Ribbons! Ribbons! Ten thousand yards of gros grain of all widths and colors! Ten thousand yards of oil-boiled ditto! Ten thousand yards of fancy ribbons, all offered for TWENTY-FIVE CENTS A YARD. Come and take your choice AT HANNY'S. tf

BINDING.— Parties having complete volumes of books, such as Shakespeare, Byron, Moore, History of the World, encyclopedias, Bibles, periodicals music, etc., which they desire to have rebound, will do well to consult J. C. Huels at the Cairo City Bindery, BULLETIN building, before giving them to agents of foreign establishments. Mr. Huels invites an inspection of his work and prices.
32—4-10-2w

THE barber shop is on the corner of Eighth street and Commercial avenue where J. George Stuenkeuse with his gentlemanly assistants can be found at any hour of the day or night, ready to soothe your feelings with a smooth shave, or cool your temper and head with a good shampoo. It is a first-class shop, and you are sure of receiving first-class treatment. Ladies' and children's hair cut or curled after the most approved styles. 8-15-tf

—Mrs. M. Swander has just filled her store room with a fine stock of spring millinery and all kinds of fancy goods and notions. Her ready-trimmed hats and bonnets surpass anything ever brought to Cairo; the young and the old lady, the bride and the widow will find among them just what she wants in the way of a hat or bonnet. Mrs. Swander has also brought a beautiful assortment of flowers and trimmings, sash ribbons, collars, undersleeves, etc., etc. The ladies are especially invited to call and examine goods and prices. All goods marked in plain figures. 17—4-5-1m.

—Wm. Ehlers wishes to inform the public that he has just received a large stock of imported French calf and Morocco Leather from Adolph Nickel, of Cincinnati, direct, importers, and he can therefore warrant all his work to be of not only the best manufacture, but of the very best material. Any one who desires fine Boots, Shoes or Gaiters will find it to their interest to call on Mr. Ehlers at his shop, 20th street, and examine his stock and styles before ordering elsewhere.
203—3-4-1m

ROOMS TO RENT.

In Wilcox block, Washington avenue, at the lowest figures. 10—4-3-tf.

Dress Goods Headquarters

EIGHTH Street between Commercial and Washingt'n

STUART

Offer this week unusual attractions in SPRING and SUMMER

Dress Goods!

At prices to Suit the Times.

&

An Elegant Line of Black and Colored Grenadines at 15 Cts. and Upwards

Embracing many exclusive styles, the choicest they have ever opened.

GHOLSON

EIGHTH Street between Commercial and Washingt'n

We offer the Most Complete Line of Hosiery Ever shown in this city at prices as low as offered by any house in the trade.

It will pay to trade with the PROGRESSIVE ONE PRICE Cash House of

We offer this week Special Bargains in bleached Cottons

We invite an examination of goods and price.

Stuart & Gholson

TO THE PUBLIC.

We have just opened out one of the largest and finest stocks of Dry Goods, Notions, Boots and Shoes ever brought to this city. In our stock of Dry Goods can be found Lawns in the very latest of styles. The Percales are beautiful, also are the Japanese Silks and Poplins. Alpacas can be seen in all shades, corded and plain. Swiss, the very finest. Nainsooks and Victoria Lawns, Silks and Silk trimmings in beautiful colors. Domestic and Calico, the cheapest and finest stock in the city; also a large stock of piece goods, such as Cassimeres, Cottonades, Lawns, T and M Linen, Checks, etc., etc. Our stock of shoes is very large and we defy competition. Our stock of gloves is large and will be sold very cheap. We have also just received 500 dozen of Coats' and Clark's cotton thread which we offer at 5 cents per spool. Our reasons for appearing before the public in this manner is that we have never kept so large and fine a stock of goods as we now have. We ask a liberal patronage of the public, as we have purchased our goods for cash and can afford to sell them cheap. We ask parties to call and look through our goods, as we find it no trouble to show goods. We are determined to sell as cheap as any house in the city if not cheaper.

In fact, we defy competition in many articles, as we buy all goods for cash, and seek the right place to buy, and are always on the lookout for bargains.

Our thanks for patronage heretofore, hoping we will still retain a portion of the same in the future.

DANIAL HARTMAN & CO.,
Cor. Sixth st. and Commercial ave.

COMMERCIAL.

PRICE CURRENT OFFICE,
Monday evening, April 13, 1874.

GENERAL REMARKS.

There is a strong feeling in the corn market, owing to light receipts and an increased demand. Prices are firm at an advance over last week's figures, and as compared with St. Louis and Chicago, are one to three cents on the bushel in favor of shippers. The oats market rules steady and unchanged with demand and supply about equal. Meal is advancing in sympathy with corn, closing firm at 3 25@3 30 to-day. Flour is unchanged. Stocks are not large but there is no demand to speak of. Choice timothy hay is scarce and in demand, but low grades of mixed and prairie are not wanted. Coffee and sugar, as may be seen by referring to our quotations, has declined from one to three cents per pound.

The weather until to-day, since our heavy snow storm of Thursday, has been balmy and agreeable, but this morning and all day a strong wind from the southwest has prevailed, blowing up a heavy rain storm toward night, and indications now point toward more cold weather.

Tonage south is plenty and rates are steady and unchanged.

☞ Correspondents should bear in mind that our quotations represent prices for round lots from first hands, unless otherwise stated, and that in filling small orders, higher prices must be paid. ☜

THE MARKET.

FLOUR—The market is heavy and dull. Transactions are limited to a small order trade. We note sales of 100 bbls various grades 4 to 8 00; 2 car loads do 5 to 9 00; 200 bbls do 5 50 to 8 00; 100 bbls XX winter 5 75; 150 bbls X winter 4 75 to 4 90; 350 bbls various grades on orders 5 50 to 9 00.

HAY—There is considerable inquiry for choice timothy and none offering. Low grades are plenty and neglected. Prairie hay is a drugs in the market. Sales embrace—2 cars good mixed del 14 00; 1 car do from store 15 00; 2 cars low mixed del 13 00; 3 cars choice mixed, del 14@15 00.

CORN—There is none in the market and prices are stiff. The demand to-day exceeds the supply by 30 to 40 car loads. Our report of transactions is very limited owing to a lack of supplies, and comprise—2 cars mixed in sacks, sold on orders 75c; 2 cars mixed sacked and del 74c, 3 cars white sacked and del, 75c; 4 cars mixed sacked and del, sold early, 72c; 2 cars white in bulk on track 67c.

OATS—Unchanged. The demand and supply are about equal—both fair. We note sales of 6 cars northern mixed, delivered in sacks, 55c; 3 cars Galena white, sacked and delivered, 56c; 2 cars northern mixed, in bulk on track, 48c; 2 cars do do 49@50c; 2 cars choice Galena, sacked and delivered, 56c.

CORN MEAL.—The supply is limited and the demand good. Prices have advanced and the tendency is upward. The market closed firm at 3 25 to-day. We note sales of 300 bbls steam dried, delivered, 3 25; 3 car loads kiln dried, delivered, 3 20; 100 bbls city mills steam dried, 3 30@3 35.

BRAN—Scarce and firm, prices have advanced to 22 00. There is none offering except at the mills. Sales were 2 car loads delivered, 21 00@22 00.

BUTTER—Receipts have been heavy. Stocks are large and the demand confined to the local trade. Prices are weak and drooping. Sales were 20 pkgs choice Northern roll 32@34c; 10 pkgs choice Northern solid packed 35c; 5 pkgs do 33c; 600 lbs. choice Southern Illinois roll 30c.

EGGS—Prices are up a little to-day, dealers asking and obtaining 11@12c per dozen. We note sales of 1,200 at 10½c; 1,500 dozen 12c. 2,000 dozen 11c; 1,500 dozen 10½c.

CHICKENS—Receipts are all taken on arrival. $3 25 is quoted as the outside figure for choice to-day. Sales of 10 coops mixed and hens $2 50@3 25; 5 coops choice hens $3 25; 6 coops do $3@3 25.

ORANGES AND LEMONS—The demand is small and supply moderate. Sales to-day were 15 boxes oranges at 4 50@5; 10 boxes lemons 6 00.

APPLES—None in market. Choice would find ready sale at 7 00@8 per bbl.

POTATOES—There is a good demand for Irish potatoes and very few offering. Peachblows are quoted to-day at 1 25@1 40 per bushel. Sales were 1 car load Southern sweet potatoes at 1 25 per bushel. 50 bbls. do 4 50; 50 bbls. peach blows 3 25@3 50.

PROVISIONS—Bacon shoulders and clear sides are scarce and firm at an advance of ½ to 1 cent since last week. Bacon hams are quiet and unchanged; quoted at 10@11c, according to their size. Sales reported were 2,000 lbs. bacon shoulders at 7½c; 4,000 lbs. do clear sides 9½c; 1,000 lbs. bacon hams 10@11c.

CHEESE—Western Dairy 17½@18c. New York factory 18½@19c.

LIME—1 25@1 50 ₱ bbl.

CEMENT—2 00@2 50 ₱ bbl.

COAL OIL—18@19c ₱ gal.

GUNNIES—Re-sewed 2½ bushels 18c; bushels 20c.

SYRUPS—Choice 60c@$1 per gallon; New Orleans 75@80c.

PLASTERING HAIR — 35c per bushel.

BURLAPS—2½ bushels corn, 9½ oz 15½c; do 10 oz 16c; 4 bushels oats 20c; 5 bushels 21c; 6 bushels 22c.

BEESWAX—₱ lb 30c.

SOAP—Shaeffer's German mottled, 7c. Palm No 1, 6½c, German 7c.

TALLOW—₱ lb 5@5½c.

SUGAR—Crushed 12½c; A. 10½@11c extra C. 10¼@10¾c.

COFFEE—Java 37@38c; prime 28@29c; choice 30.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

We have a Parker Brothers Breech Loading Gun, gun and outfit valued at one hundred dollars, which we offer for sale for eighty dollars. The above is one of their best decarbonized guns with front action rebounding locks, and fully warranted. Enquire for one week at THE BULLETIN OFFICE. tf

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Two Batteries of two Boilers, each 24 feet long, 42 inch Dram, 2 14 inch Flues with fire fronts. Mud and Steam drums Safety and Mud valves, Chimney and Britchin, all complete and in first-class order; been used only three months. For price, etc., inquire of J. T. RENNIE,
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Frank Kratky desires that the public should know that he is prepared to deliver bread of good quality and quantity, for little money, in any part of the city. Give him your orders, and then look out for the

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NOTICE.

All persons indebted to Samuel M. Orr are requested to make speedy payment to the undersigned, and thus save expenses, as the collection of his assets must be prompt and will admit of no delay. In default of payment at once, suit will be instituted. JOHN Q. HARMAN,
Assignee of Samuel M. Orr, Bankrupt.
CAIRO, Ills., March 26, 1874.
278—3-27-tf.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

EHLERS,

Boot and shoe maker, Twenth street, between Washington avenue and Poplar street, is prepared to make boots and shoes in the latest and most fashionable styles. He will make them to order, old or new styles to suit customers, out of the best and freshest stock, of which he always has a good supply on hand from which to make selections. All fitting of boots and shoes made by Mr. Ehlers is done in his own shop—no foreign fitting being used by him. Give him a call, and he will give you satisfaction.