

FENCIBLES.

Chas. Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco. Our native watermelon crop so far this season is rather runty.

There seems to be a perfect epidemic of limerick and tragedies prevailing through our section of country.

The Athletics and the Lone Stars, two colored base ball clubs, of our city, will play a game, at three o'clock this evening, on the Knoxville grounds, near the terminus of the street car railway.

"What's the latest from Memphis?" has almost ceased to be the inquiry propounded on every corner to any member of the press gang.

The charter of incorporation for "The Wartburg High School," situated at Wartburg, Morgan county, with forty incorporators, was registered in the office of the Secretary of State at Nashville last Saturday.

Mr. R. T. DeArmond, Railway Postal Clerk on the Louisville and Cincinnati line, and who is here on a furlough, has received notice of a transfer to the Chattanooga and Memphis route.

They were blessed with copious showers of rain all along the railroad and river between this city and Strawberry Plains Sunday, the effects of which are still noticeable.

A number of families of the Memphis people who are in our midst have procured vacant residences in the city and suburbs and are settling down as permanent citizens for the summer season, while many others have engaged quarters at the hotels and as boarders at private residences.

It is also the best thing they can do, for, even if Memphis and the South escapes the epidemic, it is so much more healthy here, and they can live cheaper than at home.

Snyder's Pads, at HUNTER'S. Dr. Price's Special Flavoring Extracts.

Vanilla, Lemon, and all extracts used in flavoring ice cream, jellies, cakes, etc., are acknowledged, by the best housekeepers in the land, to be the finest flavors made.

Persons. Mr. Thos. L. Williams left yesterday evening to spend a short while at Tate Spring.

Major A. H. Pettibone, of Greenville, Assistant United States District Attorney, who has been attending court, left yesterday evening for Elizabethton, where important legal business called him.

Deputy Marshal G. T. Larkins, of Cocke county, is in the city attending court.

Memphis Aetnaechna, Sunday: "Captain and Mrs. Harvey Mathes and family left for East Tennessee last night. Captain Mathes will be absent only a few days."

Capt. E. M. Wynn, Clerk and Master of the Sevier county Chancery Court, is in the city.

Capt. J. C. Duff, United States Deputy Marshal of Bradley county, is in the city attending court.

One Word Covers the Advice Which should be given to nervous, slender, and debilitated persons—Insipidum! Sedatives, opiates, appetizer, are comparatively useless.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. The system must be built up with a genuine tonic in order to the recovery of vigorous tranquility by the nerves.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. The stomach, always more or less dyspeptic in cases of nervousness and loss of vitality, is toned and regulated by this medicine until the organ acts with a precision akin to that of a steady-going piece of mechanism.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. The papers were served by Sheriff Reeder Monday on Maj. D. A. Carpenter, and the Knoxville Insurance Company, of which he is President, in a suit for \$25,000 damages, brought by S. L. Saul, Jr., who, it will be remembered, was arrested at the Company's instigation some months since, charged with burning his store in London, and, on a preliminary trial before Justice King, discharged.

It is Worth a Trial. "I was troubled for many years with Kidney Complaint, Gravel, &c.; my blood became thin; I was dull and inactive; could hardly crawl about, and was an old worn out man all over, and could get nothing to help me, until I got Hop Bitters, and now I am a boy again. My blood and kidneys are all right, and I am as active as a man of 30, although I am 72, and I have no doubt it will do so well for others of my age. It is worth the trial—(Father.)"

THE LYNCHING AT THE PLAINS.

Particulars of the Shooting of Lucius Weaver Monday Night.

His Remains Buried at the Expense of the County.

A Jury of Inquest Falls to find the Parties in the Mob.

The excitement on the streets yesterday was the case of the lynching at Strawberry Plains Monday night of the negro, Lucius Weaver, information of which was given by us. Every body was anxious to hear the latest information.

The first news about on the street was to the effect that Weaver was still alive, but that was without foundation. One of the men who was on the guard arrived here by horseback about noon. He gave a graphic description of the affair. He said there seemed to appear all at once a large body of men in town, he thought at least 150, and they made a mad rush at the prisoner, completely overpowering the guard and taking him down the road where he was riddled with bullets.

His information was that he had fourteen bullet holes. None of the men were masked, he said. When the prisoner was taken, they were guarding him on a store porch, having decided that was better than the vacant house to which he was taken.

The mother of Weaver, and Hester, an industrious old colored woman, who lives in North Knoxville with another son who is at the point of death, heard the news early in the morning and was very much affected thereby. She affirmed that her boy, who she says was only 16 or 18 years, was not guilty of the crime charged, for he was in Knoxville at that time, and she can bring witnesses to prove it.

She said he was guilty of other mischief, but innocent of that crime. She telegraphed for the body to be held and went up on the 3 o'clock train.

Further particulars of the affair are given by our correspondent, as follows: STRAWBERRY PLAINS, July 15.

Mr. Editor: Last night, about 9 o'clock, the guard was overpowered by a mob of fifteen armed men, and Lucius Weaver, the man charged with the rape of Mrs. Howell, was taken one-fourth of a mile from town on the Sevierville road, where he was found next morning lying in the road. He was shot three times in the head, one shot taking effect over the right eye, and another under the upper lip, as though shot lying down, and the third shot rather in the back of the head, which was sufficient alone to produce death.

No other marks of violence were found on the body. The corpse was then carried to a vacant house in the edge of town, a rough coffin was made and the corpse laid in it. About noon a telegram was received by J. W. Borches from the mother of Weaver, requesting that they hold the body until she came, which was done. She arrived on the four o'clock, p. m. train, took charge of the body, and had it buried two miles from town. It done at the expense of the county. The colored people seem to be very mad, and, strange to say, would not touch the corpse or let him be buried in their burying ground.

John M. Meek had to furnish a place to bury him. His mother seemed to take it very hard. The good people of the community were opposed to lynching Weaver, and it is generally believed that no citizen of this place was engaged in the lynching.

Yours, &c., MILD McBEE, JR.

THE CORONERS INQUEST. The subpoenaed in an accurate copy of the Coroner's inquest over the body: STATE OF TENNESSEE, JEFFERSON COUNTY.

An inquisition held at Strawberry Plains in the State and county aforesaid, on the 15th day of July, 1879, before W. H. Vance, a Justice of the Peace of said county upon the body of Lucius Weaver, there lying dead by the jurors, whose names are hereunto subscribed, who upon their oaths say that on Monday the 14th day of July, 1879, T. J. Foster and D. M. Foster, brought to Strawberry Plains in the county and State aforesaid, Lucius Weaver, arrested upon the charge of having committed a rape upon the person of Mrs. J. M. Howell, in the county and State aforesaid, and that said Lucius Weaver was taken before W. H. Vance, a Justice of the county for a preliminary examination, and that by his attorney he waived an examination, and was committed to the custody of Arthur Caldwell, special Deputy, with authority to commit him to the jail of said county to await further proceedings, and that guard was summoned to take the prisoner to jail, and that on the night following the 14th of July, 1879, a mob of men overpowered the guard and took the said Lucius Weaver from their custody and conveyed him about one-fourth of a mile from the town of Strawberry Plains, on the Sevierville road, and there shot him to death. The jurors further do say that after examining a large number of witnesses, and diligent inquiry, they were unable to obtain the names of any of the parties who did the shooting. The evidence shows that the shooting was done with pistols in a felonious manner.

In testimony whereof, the said jurors have hereunto set their hands, the day and date above.

JOHN M. MECK, Foreman. JAMES A. SISH, ADAM A. DOUGLASS, ROBT. CALDWELL, JAMES M. LUTTRELL, M. J. PARROTT, WM. J. BISS.

Such proceedings as that are disgraceful, a blight to the fair name of our community, and ought not to occur. It would have been bad enough certainly for men to thus take the law into their own hands had there been no possible doubt of the guilt of the party, but, in this case, later developments place the case in reasonable doubt. It was claimed by him that he could prove himself in Knoxville, and his mother says the same, so that he should at least have an opportunity to produce this proof, and have a fair trial. Any man is entitled to it. This true Mrs. Howell declared positively to his

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identity, and such an occurrence is calculated to arouse the passions of relatives and friends, but there is a probability, under the mode of identification adopted, that she could have been mistaken. The case is likely yet to be investigated further, as we learn.

United States Circuit Court. The regular July term of the United States Circuit Court met Monday morning, Judges John Baxter and C. F. Trigg presiding. John P. Jack was appointed erier and the following proceedings had:

Judgment was suspended in the following cases for violation of the Internal Revenue law: J. D. Colley, Silas Mayberry, Wm. Wilkinson, L. K. Collins, Riley Nelson, Thomas Smith, Mich. Shipwath, and Wm. Smith. And also in the following for resisting revenue officers: Rush Gibson and Doctor Collins.

The following action was also had in cases for violation of the Revenue law: Robt. Eakin, fined \$100 and imprisoned 3 months in Hamblen county jail.

Joseph Lane, imprisoned 3 months in Hamblen county jail. Marion Burchfield, fined \$100, imprisoned 3 months in Hamblen county jail. Ashley Terry, discharged on payment of costs, \$35.44.

V. A. Gaskins wife vs. J. C. Hazleton; order on Clerk and Master of Hamilton county Chancery Court to deliver to the Clerk of this Court four bonds of the A. & C. R. R. Co.

W. M. Johnson vs. the county of Blount; debt; leave granted defendant till the first Monday in September to file demurrer.

The resignation of L. M. Blackman, U. S. Commissioner at Madisonville, was accepted, and S. P. Hale was appointed in his stead.

The resignation of J. H. Scarborough, U. S. Commissioner at Tazewell, was also accepted.

The accounts of A. R. Humes, Clerk, and George Andrews, District Attorney, were approved.

John Pruitt and Minnie Scott entered into recognizance of \$1,000 each to return the first Monday of September.

The court met again yesterday morning. Judge Trigg presiding. The United States vs. Milan Collins, violating revenue law; judgment suspended as to cost.

The United States vs. John Bacon, violating revenue law; nol. pro. The United States vs. Adam Harr et al.; defendants allowed till first Monday in September to file pleas.

M. C. Wilcox vs. E. Tenn. Zinc Co. et al.; order setting aside sale of Co. and ordering new sale.

A. J. Cobb vs. John Mullins, sr.; reply by motion by defendant attorney to abate suit, and motion by District Attorney to revive in name of United States; consideration of motions continued till first Monday in September.

Court adjourned till 10 o'clock this morning.

Wakeshaw Water, at HUNTER'S. Lightning's Freaks at the Plains. The Presbyterian Church at Strawberry Plains, a small frame building, was struck by lightning during the storm Sunday about one o'clock. It was struck about the front gable end of the roof, and some of the planks were torn off, but the damage was not very heavy. Fortunately the congregation which had worshipped there had left just about a half hour before, and no one was about.

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