

Knoxville Weekly Chronicle.

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Take Notice. Hereafter calls on gentlemen to become candidates, or matters of a personal nature, will be charged for as advertisements.

New Advertisements. The Franklin House has just been refitted in a thorough manner, by Mr. J. C. Selvidge, who succeeds Mr. Janney as mine host.

Messrs. T. N. McMullen & Co. offer to our citizens rare inducements in dry goods. They are constantly receiving additions to their large stock of fashionable goods, and we take pleasure in stating the fact.

Messrs. Dromgoole & Co., of Memphis, publish their famous Female Bitters this morning in our advertising columns. Their house has a wide reputation.

Refitting. The steamer Alert has been lying at wharf in this city several days, undergoing repairs. She looks like a new boat.

Cider Mills. Also, EMPTY BARRELS for Cider and Sorghum Syrup, at aug 3-1m Hovan & Utterich's.

Ahead. Jackson Hunter, of the 7th district, beats the county so far on cucumbers. He has one 1 1/2 inches long and 1 1/2 inches round. Who can beat it?

Railroad Meeting. A meeting of stockholders of the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railroad, is called for this place on the 7th day of September, next.

Up Again. We are glad to state that Mr. L. H. Osborne has almost entirely recovered from the effects of his late wound. He was on the street yesterday, looking but little the worse for his narrow escape from death.

The Place to Go. Persons naturally trade where they can get bargains, and that being the case when the fact is known that Powell & Osborne offer inducements to customers they patronize them.

Rattlesnake Killed. Last Saturday morning, a lady living in the vicinity of Lea's Springs became alarmed at a hissing noise near her bed, and arose in great alarm. Search was made, when a rattlesnake was found and killed, which possessed eight rattles and a button.

A Candidate. By reference to our column of announcements, it will be seen that our young friend, Lewis Hubbard, asks the suffrages of his fellow-citizens for the office of Constable. If elected, he will give his undivided attention to all matters entrusted to his keeping.

Bayl & Boyd. These gentlemen have been so long in the business that it is almost a work of supererogation to say anything about them. But they have such a splendid stock on hand and coming that we cannot refrain from mentioning the fact for the benefit of the ladies.

Personal. Hon. Jefferson Davis passed through this city yesterday, on route to the Virginia Springs. The distinguished traveller was interviewed by several gentlemen. One of them asked him if he was "going to Washington?" Mr. Davis replied in the negative, and added that he "had enough of that city."

Sabbath School Celebration. There will be a Sabbath School celebration at Thorn Grove, on Saturday, the 13th of August, in which four or five Sabbath Schools are to participate. Maj. Jno. L. Murphy, Rev. G. W. Coleman, Col. B. P. Stacy and T. H. Heald will deliver addresses.

New Female Academy. The enterprising citizens of the pleasant village of New Market are about erecting a large and commodious building to be used as a Female Academy and Masonic Hall. The site is to be selected by a committee next Wednesday, and the work commenced at once.

Disease Among Poultry. We understand that a fatal disease has appeared among chickens in this county. Yesterday a gentleman on Market square lost several fowls from it. It is not healthy to eat chickens now, unless purchasers know where the birds come from. Mr. E. N. Parham ate a portion of a chicken for dinner on Tuesday, and soon after experienced sensations of nausea, which grew worse until he was compelled to lie down. He has not got over the effects yet, but is going to eachow poultry until cold weather sets in.

The Fourth in Switzerland. We have just been shown a very interesting letter from the daughters of our fellow-citizen, Peter Staub, the Swiss Consul Agent for Tennessee, who are at present in Switzerland attending school. In company with Dr. Segers, the American Consul at Zurich, and other Americans, they had a very pleasant excursion on the 4th of July, up the lake to Bokun. The little vessel was decked with American flags, and the day was appropriately observed. Such demonstrations of our great national day, by Americans in foreign countries, must be very pleasant to all participating. In this case, our young friends declare that, after a busy day, they slept sweetly and dreamed of America.

Reaping Nature's Harvest.

Hundreds of men and boys are now employed by the association of New York capitalists known as the Sea Moss Farine Co., in reaping from the rocks on the Irish coast the edible marine lichen which, as prepared under the name of Rand's Sea Moss Farine, has already become one of the important manufactured staples of the American produce market. The patent for this cheap and delicious food element is scarcely a year old, yet its use is all but universal. Every grocery and general store, and every respectable druggist establishment in the country finds it necessary to keep a supply of the article. Housekeepers declare that the quantity of exquisite custard, blanc mange, light pudding, cream, jelly, &c., producible from the Farine exceeds by one-half that obtainable from any other gelatinous agent used in cookery. The central depot is at 63 Park Place, New York.

The Crops.

The dry weather for the ten days preceding Thursday was very favorable to farmers, affording them an opportunity of putting up their wheat in good condition. A great deal of wheat in East Tennessee has been damaged by putting it up before it was thoroughly dry. The oats crop is also pretty well saved, and is abundant. The genial showers which have fallen since Thursday evening, cooling the parched atmosphere, will about complete the corn crop, and we can see no reason why it should not yield as largely as any former year.

Our markets are now well supplied with choice fruits, melons, potatoes and vegetables of every kind common to our latitude. We have no recollection of having ever witnessed a season more favorable to the farmer in every respect as the present has been thus far.

East Tennessee University.

The fall session of the Industrial College of the University will begin on the 15th of September. Having a full corps of instructors, this institution offers abundant facilities to the youth of the country for acquiring a classical and practical education. Sectarianism will be carefully avoided, but is Christian in its influence. A preparatory school will be opened at the same time in one of the University buildings.

Each county in the State is allowed to send three students, nominated by the representatives in the Legislature, free of tuition, who will be carried to and from school free of charge by the railroads. See the advertisement on the first page.

Knew Him Well. Soon after the departure of the Bristol train yesterday, the following dialogue occurred between a tipsy ex-Johnnie and a bystander: "Well, John, Mr. Davis has just gone; did you get to see him?" "John, loquacious "See him? Reckon I did. I've seen him before. I'm 'quainted with Jeff, I am."

"Why, how's that, John? I never heard of it. When did you form his acquaintance?" "Oh, during the war," he replied, assuming a matter-of-course air. "I'm a personal friend of his—he spoke to me once."

"How did Mr. Davis happen to speak to you? What did he say?" "Well, if you must know, he asked me to hold his horse a minute," said the imperturbable John, as he vanished within the portals of Scherf's saloon.

River Improvement.

Major General Weitzel, of the engineer corps, has asked Gov. Senter for maps and surveys of the Cumberland and French Broad rivers. Commenting on that, the Chattanooga Times says: "We are at a loss to know why the French Broad river is mentioned in connection with the Cumberland, and we do not see what is to be obtained by a survey of the French Broad, unless the Tennessee is to be improved between this city and Knoxville. Just above which the French Broad empties in the Holston. We are afraid Congress has got things mixed."

Not a bit of "mixing" intended. The river must be improved so as to give Knoxville the advantages her wealth and situation entitle her to, and which are necessary for the prosperity of East Tennessee. Cities like Knoxville, must be encouraged, but villages can afford to wait their growth.

Thief Detected.

George Fisher, an attaché of Robinson's Circus, was arrested yesterday afternoon for stealing \$32 from Alderman Wm. A. Henderson. The fellow was in the Express office, when Mr. H. came in with a package to send off, which he laid on the counter, and while the attention of that gentleman was attracted for a moment by a show bill, the rogue seized the opportunity to abstract the money from the letter and leave. When the clerk came to count the money it was gone. Mr. Henderson at once suspected the thief, and he was arrested, but gave \$35 in the hands of Constable Wilds in lieu of security.

Carrying Weapons.

Is it not time that the law was being enforced in regard to carrying deadly weapons. If this law was generally respected, two-thirds of the shooting and stabbing affrays we hear of would never happen. The Loudon Stars says in regard to the late homicide in this city, that Mr. Anderson seldom carried a pistol, and by the merest chance happened to have it when Dozier was shot. His brother had taken it to Knoxville in his capacity of guard, and John had started to the depot on his way home, bringing the pistol with him. His object was only to take the property home again.

Wouldn't You?

The Knoxville papers for some time past have furnished their publications to subscribers, what the blank paper cost them. A wagger goes, however, they returned to their regular and old prices at the same time. They now charge \$2 for their weekly and \$8,000 for their daily editions, and stand some little chance of keeping their heads above water. Sweetwater Enterprise.

Advertising Extraordinary.

Five of the leading New York dailies of Tuesday, each contain a page advertisement of Helmholtz's Balm. No one in the country has done so much liberal advertising as Helmholtz, and he is now reaping a richer reward from his business. Business men cannot make a better investment than a few lines of printer's ink.

Fishish Trick.

We heard a rumor, that on the night of the Democratic mass meeting at Rogersville, some villain emptied a lot of coal oil in the tender of the engine, hoping to cause an explosion. When steam was gotten up, the engineer at first could not account for the eccentric conduct of the gauge, but by using caution an accident was averted. Any one knowing the expansive force of oil compared to that of water, can readily understand what the result might have been.

Munson & Baily.

By reference to our advertising column it will be seen that Messrs. Munson & Baily have been appointed receivers of the firm of Curtis & Johnson, Claim Agents of this city. The books of several other firms named, are also in their hands for final settlement. This firm does the largest claim business in East Tennessee, and have thus far been very successful. They are well known Real Estate Agents and Insurance Agents as well. They have peculiar facilities to do business and deserve patronage.

Couldn't Condescend.

The Greenville National Union refuses to discuss the Criminal Court bill on personal grounds, as the W'ig did. That paper as a general thing does not, but the article the Greenville paper alludes to was written by the gentleman who generally runs the first column on the 4th page of the W'ig, the editor being absent at the time it was written.

Married.

In this city on the morning of the 28th inst., by Rev. J. L. Lloyd, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. A. J. Kelly, of Cooke county, Tenn., to Miss J. L. Story, of this city. May their lives flow sweetly on with never a cloud to darken the sunshine of life. The bridegroom, without doubt, has appropriated this beautiful Story to himself, and may he treasure it as heaven's best gift to man.

A Right Step.

Captain Everett has signified his intention to indict, before the Grand Jury, every man carrying concealed weapons contrary to the law recently passed by the Legislature, and which went into effect on the 28th inst.—Nashville Banner.

This is a movement in the right direction, and we hope such a determination will be manifested by the officials in this vicinity.

Personal.

Our respected fellow-citizen, John Glenn, has just returned from California, where he has spent several months. He gives a glorious account of the advantages offered by the "Golden State." He speaks of it as the "land flowing with milk and honey," and thinks it the finest climate in the world. We understand that the Sabbath Schools at Cedar Grove and several other points enjoying themselves next Wednesday by a basket picnic on the Knoxville and Kentucky Railroad. A special train will leave the depot at 8 o'clock for Careyville and Coal Creek. The gentlemen having the matter in charge will do all in their power to make the day pass pleasantly.

Many church members will pray devoutly for forgiveness to-day for having attended the circus yesterday, and will go again the next time. They strongly resemble the bibulous individual who was accidentally sober and sorry for it.

State News.

The Memphis Avalanche gives a ludicrous account of the tournament at Humboldt Park, near that city. Commissioner Pennebaker is preparing a complete list of all bonds of the State issued before and since the war.

The bridge over Stone river, on the Tennessee and Pacific Railroad, has been completed, and the trains passed over it on Thursday. A footpad has been operating near Nashville, in regular Dick Turpin style.

Nashville now boasts another base ball club. In Celina, Jackson county, Tenn., on the 18th inst., a negro was killed for an attempted outrage on the person of a lady of that place.

An Ordinance to protect the health and cattle of the citizens of Knoxville: WHEREAS, It has been ascertained that the cattle of our citizens are being affected with murrain, or some cattle disease, left among them by Texas cattle passing to Eastern markets, and have died in such numbers as, with their other carcasses, to endanger the health of the people; therefore,

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Knoxville, That no cattle from the west bank of the Mississippi river, commonly known as "Texas cattle," shall hereafter be unloaded, fed, watered, re-shipped, or remain longer than two hours at any one place within two miles of these corporate limits.

Section 2. That all animals which shall die or be killed, and be not used for market, shall be buried by their owners underneath two feet of earth, or be carried at least two miles from the corporate limits, and remote from any family residence.

Section 3. That all slaughter houses in the city, or within two miles of the corporate limits, be kept in such condition of cleanliness as to be no nuisance to the neighborhood by originating stench.

Section 4. That all violations of the first section of this ordinance shall subject the owner, and those having in charge, and those transporting the said cattle, to a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$50. Any violations of either of the other sections here, will subject those offending to a fine of not less than \$5 nor more than \$10 for each offence.

Section 5. This ordinance, under a suspension of the rules, shall take effect from and after its passage.

Under a suspension of the rules, this ordinance was read the second time and adopted.

Advertisement.

A card. To the Voters of the Third Judicial Circuit: J. M. Thornburgh is the man recommended to the Conservative party by the Democratic Convention.

Elliott, John Morgan's Rebel Quartermaster, wanted preference expressed for Conservative candidates—Young, Thornburgh and Brown—in the Convention.

Crozier's name was proposed in lieu of Thornburgh's. A delegate said, "that would not be in accordance with the compromise."

Col. Cooke intimated that Thornburgh had been agreed upon in caucus.

Thornburgh has sold out to the Rebels and Democrats and is their candidate for Attorney General.

A secret convulse, or midnight caucus, was held in the city of Knoxville the night before the Convention, composed of Rebels, Democrats, political mountebanks and shoddies, and Thornburgh was agreed upon. Is this the man you are going to vote for?

Respectfully, R. B. DOWELL. Clinton, Tenn., July 16th, 1870.—dtw.

NO POLL TAX RECEIPTS.

The people should remember that no poll tax receipts are needed in this election. No papers of any kind are required. Be sure that this is understood, for the Democracy are circulating it in some quarters, that poll tax receipts must be shown. We warn the people against such stories. It is not true.

THE SAFEST VOTE.

The colored people are fully aroused to the fact that the election for officers of the new Criminal Court, next Thursday, is one of great importance to them. It is the dangerous law they fear, and they propose to show by their ballots, and they have no confidence in men who will adhere to a party or co-operate with the clique that formed such an iniquitous statute.

A clique that has influence enough to secure the passage of such a dangerous law will see to it that it is administered to suit their purposes. The safest way to prevent all possible dangers is to elect men who are known to be opposed to such dangerous laws and to the political ring in whose interests it was enacted.

TRADING VOTES.

The Democrats are making their fight upon Geo. Brown and Joe Lewis. Their record suits the party. Youngs, Gratzes, and Burnets did not, and therefore they are to be sacrificed.

We have seen an address, sent from "Rooms of Union Executive Committee," over signature of the junior organizer, chairman, etc., in which the person addressed is notified as follows:

You have been selected as a prudent and energetic worker to circulate broadcast the accompanying circulars and tickets. Consult with your friends, and make arrangements to get out every friendly voter on the day of election. Hon. George Brown is of pre-eminent legal ability, and a man of stern integrity.

The friends of the People's Ticket can see from the above, that all the machinery of the party is to be brought to bear to carry through Brown and Lewis. Our friends must not be idle. Votes for Hall and Thornburgh and Tarwater are being traded for votes for Lewis and Brown. Look out for such tricks. Vote for every man on the People's Ticket and all will be well.

The Mobile Register, a genuine Democratic journal, honest enough to speak its true sentiments, relates the following, as illustrating its estimation of the colored man: The Mobile and Montgomery Railroad engineers are investigating the bottom of the marsh and river, preparatory to building their bridge. For this purpose scows are moored in the river to accommodate their working parties. A steamboat passing the scows the other day, a passenger hailed one of the negroes at work with: "What are you doing?" "Boring a hole," was the reply.

"What for?" "Don't know; they jes set me to bore, an' use a boring."

A negro is just fit to bore a hole in a river, but a little more of the why and the wherefore is requisite for voting.

Change of Time.

The Western mail arrives at Knoxville at 10:32 A. M., and the Eastern mail closes at 9:45 A. M., which is a little earlier than formerly.

"Barber," said a farmer to his tonsor, "now corn's cheap you ought to shave for half price." "Can't, Mr. B—," said the man of razors. "I ought really to charge more, for when corn's down farmers have such long faces that I have twice the ground to go over."

The State debt has been decreased nearly \$500,000 since Comptroller Pennebaker has been in office, by the reception of bonds in payment of interest of railroads, and from others. As these bonds are received, the State indebtedness is decreased in the same proportion.

ADVERTISED LIST

Le ters Remaining in the Knoxville Post-Office, August 1, 1870.

Persons calling for these letters will please say "Advertised," and give the date of this list. If not called for within one month they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

- Alldridge, A. J.
Alton, Mrs. Belle
Atwater, W. O.
Allison, S.
Armstrong, Mrs. M. J.
Arkin, Newton
Brown, A. J.
Boren, A. H.
Ballard, J. W.
Bowman, Daniel
Bales, Miss Elizabeth
Beal, Geo.
Brew, Rev. Henry J.
Barkholder, John T.
Beal, L.
Brown, S. C. & J. M.
Blair, Thomas
Beckett, Mrs. W.
Bebb, William
Creighton, William
Crowder, R. F.
Cashion, J. C.
Crawford, Miss Adelia
Derrickson, Mrs. A.
Dejaury, Gilbert
Daniels, J. D.
Dempsie, J.
Durand, Miss Mary
Edmond, Thos.
Edmos, Thomas
Foley, Daniel
Foley, Dennis
Ferguson, Rachel
Gruyer, Zack
Graham, James
Greene, Miss G. L.
Gill, A. B.
Holmes, Miss Katie
Henderson, Mrs. E. D.
Hartman, George (col.)
Hunt, Miss Adelia
Hodges, S. J.
Harris, W. G.
Hammum, W. Y. C.
Johnson, Lewis
Kearny, Mrs. M. E.
Kearny, W. A.
King, Richard
Kearney, Miss M. C.
Kyle, Miss Lida
Kearney, Miss A. L. J.
Leaming, Capt. H.
Lonz, Hugh D.
Lois, Mrs. Lizzie
Leeper, Mrs. Sarah
May, Robert
Montgomery, Jacob B.
Moore, James
McGuire, Joshua
Mitchell, J. P.
McGoy, J. E.
Mannan, J. E. B.
Maxwell, H. C.
McLellan, David J.
Netherland, Col. John
Pullman, John
Potts, Jerry
Pomeroy, Richard
Park, William
Renfro, F. M.
Swan, Nathaniel
Shetterly, Miss Lizzie
Shetterly, J. G.
Smith, H. L.
Tennessee Pacific R. R.
Turner, Mariah
Taylor, Nancy
Vanarsdale, David
Waddle, George
Walker, Charles
Warrick, Mrs. Mary
Wiles, Miss Sarah
Walker, S. M.
Wilson, W. P.
Young, Mrs. Mary
Yingling, George
JAMES RODGERS, P.M.

For Sale.

A GOOD FARM, ON THE BOYD'S FERRY ROAD. A one-half mile distant from the river, and four miles from Knoxville, can be bought for \$1500. The farm contains about 70 ACRES.

All new land, 30 acres of which is cleared, with several acres in grass, and 5 or 6 acres in clover. Has a good dwelling, excellent spring, kitchen, smoke house, corn crib, and all necessary out buildings. J. E. B. Mannan, Jr., agent. Also, a good farm in Washington, Morgan county, containing about 20 acres, of which is cleared. Is for sale at \$500. The farm has a good house, stable, good water, &c., and is pleasantly situated. For further particulars, apply at the first named farm, four and half miles from Knoxville, to GEORGE THURMAN, July 22-23.

FINANCIAL.

Knoxville Quotations of Money and Stocks.

OFFICE OF THE KNOXVILLE CHRONICLE, August 2, 1870. Government bonds have advanced from 1 1/2 to 2 cents during the past week. As the prices here are regulated by the quotations received from New York, we must look there for the cause. The bond market there has been run up by the purchases of some German bankers, and also by stock operators; but the advance in price has checked the investment demand, as there is no improvement in the political or military situation in Europe. Very little is being done here, either in bond or coin. When any are offered, a sufficient margin is demanded to guard against another such a fall as occurred when war was declared. While the price of bonds is slowly advancing, that of gold advances and recedes 2 or 3 cents within a few days. With such an unsteady market in New York, it is impossible to offer near the quotations received from there, unless in large enough lots for immediate shipment, as the local demand has almost ceased. Nothing doing in local securities.

Corrections made by Exchange and Deposit Bank, 59 Gay Street.

Table with columns for BONDS, STOCKS, and SPECIE. Includes entries like U. S. 6% of '81, 100% of '81, and various bank and stock prices.

LAND WARRANTS.

Table with columns for 1869, war of 1812, and FOREIGN EXCHANGE. Includes entries like On London, over £1, 1/2, and On Paris, 1 franc.

DOMESTIC EXCHANGE.

Table with columns for On New York, On Louisville, On Nashville, and On Baltimore.

COMMERCIAL.

Knoxville Wholesale Market.

Review of the Produce Market for the week ending August 2, 1870.

KNOXVILLE, August 2, 1870. WHEAT is now coming forward quite freely, with an advancing tendency at the close of last week; but the continued decline in the Eastern market, based upon decline in Liverpool, will have a depressing influence upon prices here. There is no safety in wheat at \$1.00 per bushel. Slight fluctuations may be expected for some weeks to come.

CORN is very quiet, with small receipts. Car load lots furnished at \$1.15 to \$1.20, less from wagons, \$1.05. OATS offered freely at \$2.40. Not much inquiry for shipment.

FLOUR—No stock. Good local demand. Supply by the mills at \$3.00 to \$3.25, per sack. BACON—Brisk demand. From wagons 15c, for hams and shoulders. Packed in depot, clear sides 15c; hams 17 to 18c; shoulders 15c.

LARD—Nominal, 17 to 18c. FEATHERS—Wanted 60 to 65c, for prime. DRIED FRUITS—Out of season, but with a good prospect for a heavy demand. We urge fruit raisers to secure all they can, and be sure to handle well. Cut peaches in halves and dry bright. Cut apples in thin slices and dry bright. Dry blackberries in the sun and avoid trash.

Knoxville Retail Market.

- BUTTER—25 to 30¢.
EGGS—12 to 15¢.
VEGETABLES—Onions, dried, 7¢ per cask, 250 lbs. Irish Potatoes, 7¢ per bushel, 150 lbs. Beets, 7¢ per cask, 500 lbs.
CABBAGES—12 to 15¢.
PORK—12 to 15¢.
BACON—15 to 18¢.
LARD—17 to 18¢.
FEATHERS—60 to 65¢.
DRIED FRUITS—15 to 20¢.
PORK—12 to 15¢.
BACON—15 to 18¢.
LARD—17 to 18¢.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, August 1.—Flour active and firm; Howard street superfine \$6.00 to \$6.75. Wheat, prime, advanced 1¢; new prime to choice unchanged; red \$1.70 to \$1.80; good to choice \$1.50 to \$1.70. Corn, white \$1.25 to \$1.30; yellow \$1.00 to \$1.10. Oats, new, 50¢. Rye 60¢ to \$1.00. Pork firm, \$3.10, hams, shoulders \$2.15.

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, August 1.—Flour unchanged; family \$2.40 to \$2.50. Corn, white \$1.25 to \$1.30; yellow \$1.00 to \$1.10. Oats, new, 50¢. Rye 60¢ to \$1.00. Pork firm, \$3.10, hams, shoulders \$2.15.

Louisville Market.

LOUISVILLE, August 1.—Flour firm; extra family \$2.75. Corn, steady, \$1.10. Provisions heavy and unchanged.

London Market.

LONDON, August 1.—Bonding—Consols 89 1/2. Bonds \$5. Stocks steady.

Liverpool Market.

LIVERPOOL, August 1.—Cotton—Cotton closed firm; Orleans, 10 1/2; Oost India, 10 1/2; Java, 10 1/2; Peruvian, 10 1/2; Rio de Janeiro, 10 1/2; St. Domingo, 10 1/2; Tallow firm, 9 1/2. Wheat 10 1/2. Flour 20 1/2.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., July 30, 1870.

Fellow Citizens of Knoxville:

Learning that it is not generally known that I am no longer a candidate for Criminal Court Clerk, I take this method to assure my fellow-citizens that I have resigned the office, although I had no intention of so doing when I issued the card for my own advocacy for the position.

Respectfully, W. R. McARTHUR.