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JOHN LILLY.
 —DEALER IN—
 Staple and Fancy Groceries,
 Wines, Liquors, Cigars, Etc.,
 No. 351 Main St.
JAMES B. COOK,
 Architect,
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 Come to a shoe Store for Shoes!

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 THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FITTED UP THE CIGAR
 STAND IN THE
PEABODY HOTEL.
 And stocked the same with
**Full Assortment Imported Cigars,
 PIPES,
 CHEWING AND SMOKING TOBACCO, ETC.**
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 Insurance and Trust Co.
 OF MEMPHIS.
 Has in Company's Building, No. 42
 Madison Street.
CAPITAL, \$300,000.
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 W. M. FARRINGTON, JOHN JOHNSON,
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 This Company insures against loss by Fire,
 Marine and River Risks.

HERNANDO
 INSURANCE COMPANY,
 No. 17 Madison Street.
 THIS COMPANY IS NOW DOING AGEN-
 cy for all Insurance Business. It is owned
 by our city merchants and business men.
 Its aim is to do a safe local business to the
 advantage of both the Company and the Policy
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CAPITAL, \$200,000.
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WANTS.
 WANTED—A MIDDLE-AGED LADY
 acquainted to children, as housekeeper,
 address "C. D. H.," Memphis postoffice,
 giving reference. 14-10
 WANTED—A FEW DAY BOARDERS.
 Apply at 66 Madison street. Also, one
 family to occupy furnished room. 14-19
 TO ROOGER—A real grocery having a
 good regular trade. Parties wishing to sell
 address "Cash," Public Ledger office. 15
 WANTED—A WHITE COOK, WASH-
 er and ironer. 126 Ellis street. None
 but those well qualified need apply. 9-14
 WANTED—AN INDUSTRIOUS MAN
 and wife (German preferred) to go to a
 small farm, with good improvements, con-
 ventional. None but such as can well recom-
 mend need apply. Apply to
 BROOKS & DENNIS,
 322 Main street. 9-20
 WANTED—EMPLOYMENT FOR EVE-
 ning, by a practical and experienced ac-
 countant. Books posted and balanced, copy-
 ing, etc. Apply to H. S. King & Co.,
 226 Second street. 3-7
 WANTED—ONE GOOD GARDNER, IM-
 mediately; also, a fine garden spot for
 a term of years. Apply at Columbia
 Hotel. 11-14
FOR RENT.
 FOR RENT—THAT FINE BUSINESS
 place and residence lately occupied by M.
 H. Riley, corner of Auction and Second
 streets; a fine-rate location for a grocery, dry
 good or drug store. Apply to T. Kelly, 59
 Commerce street. 13-18
 FOR RENT—ONE OF THE BEST RETAIL
 grocery stands in the city (house is twenty
 feet by sixty), situated on the corner of Lind-
 sey and Causey streets. Apply to
 Thomas Fisher, at Emmet Bank, No. 6
 Madison street. 11-14
 W. A. WHEATLEY, agent and Collec-
 tor, 126 Ellis street, No. 3 Bethel Block.
 FOR RENT—TWO RESIDENCES, ONE
 with six rooms, stable, garden, and other
 conveniences, on Dupont street, convenient
 location for a family or for a young man
 Elliott street, second place south side east
 side of Dupont street. Apply to
 H. A. PARKER,
 of Parson, McJeehan & Burlington.
 FOUR RENT—A HOUSE OF WELL-IM-
 proved and modern plan, in Fort Pickens,
 suitable for garden purposes. Apply to
 CHAS. BORTON,
 Member Block 2-1
FOR SALE.
 FOR SALE—A SPLENDID NEW GUL-
 f boat for sale cheap. Apply to W. H. Long,
 13 West Court street. 11-14
 SUPERIOR SEED CORN FOR SALE BY
 DICKINSON, WILLIAMS & CO.,
 4-15
 CHEAP MULES BY
 DICKINSON, WILLIAMS & CO.,
 4-15
 FOR SALE, EXCHANGE OR RENT—MY
 place four miles out on the Hernando road,
 containing twelve and a half acres and land
 well improved; new house, kitchen, servant's
 house, smoke-house, corn-hill, carriage house,
 wagon shed, etc. all new; fine young or-
 chard, raspberries, strawberries and grape-
 vine clover, lot, grass, lot, garden, etc.; two
 splendid distilleries and horse pond; will be sold
 on easy terms, together with hay, kitchen and
 farming utensils, or exchanged for city prop-
 erty, or rented to a good tenant. For particu-
 lars, apply to
 P. H. WHITMORE,
 Public Ledger office.

BOARDING.
 BOARD IN PRIVATE FAMILY.—Two
 gentlemen and their wives on old city
 board in a delightful portion of the city, con-
 venient to the Street Cars. Best of references
 given and required. Address No. 333 Linden
 street. 14-17
 BOARDERS WANTED AT THE FRENCH
 boarding house, 75 Jefferson street.
 MRS. E. PELLEGRINI & E. D. TALLE,
 Proprietors.

PUBLIC LEDGER.
 Office, No. 13 Madison Street
LARGEST CITY CIRCULATION
 PUBLISHED
 TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 16, 1893.
THE CITY.
 Arrival and Departure of Trains.
 MISSISSIPPI AND TENNESSEE RAILROAD.
 Arrive. Depart.
 New Orleans mail, daily, 8:15 P.M., 4:15 P.M.
 New Orleans express, daily, 8:30 A.M., 8:35 A.M.
 Freight daily, ex. Sunday, 3:00 P.M., 6:25 A.M.
 Time through to New Orleans, 24 hours.
 Through mail, daily, 11:50 A.M., 1:00 P.M.
 Ticket office, 237 1/2 Main street.
 Omnibus will call for passengers, and
 check baggage, in any part of the city by leav-
 ing their orders at 237 1/2 Main street.
 A. S. LIVERMORE, Gen. Sup't.
 MEMPHIS AND CHARLESTON RAILROAD.
 Through express, daily (does
 not arrive Sunday or leave
 Sunday), 10:50 P.M., 8:00 P.M.
 Go. Leave Sunday, 8:10 P.M., 4:15 P.M.
 Arrive at Madison at 10:50 A.M.
 This connects with Somerville Branch train at
 Moscow.
 Through time fifteen minutes faster than
 city time.
 Office, No. 275 Main street, and at Depot.
 A. A. DANFELS, G. T. A.
 MEMPHIS AND LOUISVILLE RAILROAD.
 Day Express, 9:00 A.M., 5:00 A.M.
 Night Express, 7:00 P.M., 4:00 P.M.
 Railroad time is 15 minutes faster than city
 time. Ticket office, No. 277 1/2 Main street. De-
 pot, head of Main street.
 S. B. JONES, Pass. Agent.
 SELL HOWELL, Pass. Agent.
 MEMPHIS AND LITTLE ROCK RAILROAD.
 Going West—Leave Hopefield Monday,
 Wednesday and Friday, at 7:30 A.M., and
 arrive at Madison at 10:00 A.M.
 Going East—Leave Madison Tuesday, Thurs-
 day and Saturday, at 7:30 A.M.; arrive at
 Hopefield at 10:00 P.M., and Memphis at
 1:30 P.M.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.
 History of Ireland's Patron Saint
 and How His Natal Day will be ob-
 served in Memphis.
 To-morrow, the 17th of March, being
 the Festival Day of St. Patrick, the
 Patron Saint of Ireland, a brief history
 of that good man, gleaned from the best
 authorities, may be acceptable to many
 of our readers, especially those who
 expect to participate in the observance
 of the day.
 St. Patrick is believed to have been a
 native of Scotland, though he has been
 claimed by England, France, Ireland,
 Scotland and Wales respectively. He
 was born in the year 372, and lived to the
 good old age of one hundred and twenty.
 At the age of sixteen he was captured by
 Nial of the Nine Hostages, who signal-
 ized himself by expeditions into Eng-
 land, Scotland and France. Patrick
 was carried to Ireland and served
 seven years herding swine. On
 the expiration of his term of
 bondage he returned to his native
 country, after having acquired a thorough
 knowledge of the language. He studied
 then under his uncle, the Bishop of
 Tours, and found his way to Rome, where
 he was commissioned by the Pope to
 renew an attempt formerly made to con-
 vert the natives. He took twenty dis-
 ciples with him, and increased the num-
 ber to thirty in England. His pre-
 dication had been expelled by a Pagan
 prince, and his own reception was very
 discouraging; but he proceeded to
 Ulster and converted the chieftain of the
 district, with his family, and founded a
 church there. He baptized the Kings of
 Dublin and Ulster and the seven sons of
 the King of Connaught, and before his
 death had converted almost the whole
 island to the faith. He spent his life in
 traversing the country, gaining over
 converts and founding churches and
 monasteries. He fixed his Metropolitan
 See at Armagh, and established there a
 famous theological school, said to have
 been attended one time by seven
 thousand students.
 The labors of St. Patrick were not con-
 fined wholly to the spreading of the gos-
 pel. He gave much advice and assistance
 in the reformation of the govern-
 ment. At his suggestion Logany as-
 sembled a convention of princes, his-
 torians and antiquarians to revise the
 records and chronicles of the country,
 and their amendments were deposited in
 the public archives under the name of
 "The Great Antiquity." Fragments of
 copies taken from this work were to be
 met with for many centuries afterward,
 from which subsequent historians ob-
 tained much information concerning the
 ancient history of the country. St.
 Patrick did not, it appears, retain the
 bishopric erected by himself at Armagh,
 but appointed Binn or Benignus his
 successor, visited Rome, and spent the
 close of his life chiefly at Saul, near
 Downpatrick, where he founded a mon-
 astery and closed his active and useful
 career. His exertions produced a
 great impression upon the public mind,
 and from his time may date the
 evangelization of Ireland. His
 name has been held in great reverence
 ever since. A popular legend ascribes
 to him the banishment of all venomous
 creatures from the island by means of
 his crozier or staff, which was kept as
 late as 1360, with great veneration, in
 Dublin.
 The Irish Catholics observe St. Patrick's
 Day with much interest and strictness.
 The day is recognized by the
 Church, though its observance is not pre-
 scribed. But wherever the noble sons
 and daughters of Erin are found, the
 world over, St. Patrick's Day is kept as a
 religious festival, and it is generally
 celebrated with great merriment and joy.
 Extensive preparations have been made
 in this city to keep the day in a becoming
 manner, and we wish our Irish friends a
 happy time.
 The following programme has been
 adopted by the Hibernian Mutual Relief
 Society for the celebration of St. Patrick's
 Day:
 I. The Hibernian Society will assemble
 at their Hall, corner of Main and Adams
 streets, at 9 o'clock a.m. precisely.
 II. They will form in procession,
 headed by the Sodality cornet band, and
 accompanied by the various sister soci-
 eties of the city, proceed down Main
 street to Beal, on Beal to DeSoto, down
 DeSoto to St. Peter's church.
 III. After Mass the procession will
 reform, march through the principal
 streets, and return to the Society's Hall,
 where it will disband until evening.
 IV. At 6 p.m. the procession will
 again reform and proceed to St. Peter's
 church, where a lecture will be delivered
 by Rev. Father Daly.
 V. At the doors of St. Peter's will be
 stationed two members of the Hibernian
 Society to receive contributions for the
 poor little ones at St. Peter's Orphan
 Asylum.
 VI. After the lecture the members of
 the various societies and their friends
 will return to the Hibernian Society's
 Hall, and spend a few hours in social
 enjoyment. The Hall will be open to
 all the friends of the Society.
 If you want well-made spring clothing,
 Sproule & McCown's is the place. 11-7
 SHAD—Just received by Victor D.
 Fuchs, 41 Jefferson street. 14
 SPROULE & McCown's spring clothing
 were manufactured especially for this
 market. 11-7
 LOST—This morning, on Main street,
 an oval topaz stone, for a watch seal.
 The finder will be suitably rewarded by
 leaving it at the office of the Union
 Foundry, Adams street. 14
 SOMETHING NEW.—Maitland Flour, pre-
 pared by Woods, Maude & Co., for mak-
 ing boiled pudding, molasses, waffles, bat-
 ter cakes, etc., put up in ten pound pack-
 ages, at Coffin Block, 321 Main st. 1-7
 GOSBIE and ROLL BUTTER—Very fine.
 14
 OLIVER, FISKE & Co.
 If you want good old Megibben whisky,
 go to Megibben & Bro., 281 Main street.
 ENGLISH FEMALE BITTERS never fail to
 cure all female complaints. 8-7

PHOTOGRAPHY.—During the month of
 March parties will be engaged in photo-
 graphing all the leading business blocks,
 hotels, insurance companies, theaters,
 stores, colleges, foundries, lumber yards,
 planing and saw mills in Memphis.
 Parties wishing their signs to show con-
 spicuously should arrange them accord-
 ingly, with large white or black letters,
 so as to present a pleasing panorama, as
 it were, of the leading business houses
 of Memphis.
 If James Stewart, of St. Francis
 county, Arkansas, will call at this office
 he will hear something to his advantage.
 We call attention to the sale of books
 this afternoon by Messrs. Royster,
 Trezevant & Co. at their auction room.
 The best in the world—J. L. Mc-
 Alenny's Rubber Trusses, 279 Main street.
 The suffering should see them. 19
 GOSBY and Peterson for April, Die
 Modenwelt for March, and all of the
 latest monthlies, weeklies and dailies at
 Joe Locke's, 236 1/2 Main street.
 FINE LIQUORS.—For the best drinks
 call on Mr. Myers at the Wortham House
 Bar. He keeps the best.
 FINE STOCK.—Joe Seligman, who has
 the finest livery establishment in the
 South, and is a better judge of stock than
 Bonner or Alexander—who knows what
 the public want and always supplies the
 demand—leaves for Lexington, Ky., this
 evening for the purpose of buying a large
 and select stock of well-broke, thorough-
 bred saddle and harness horses. He will
 return within ten days with a lot of the
 finest stock ever offered in this market.
 GOODS FINE.—Prices moderate at
 Sproule & McCown's. 11-7
 If you want good old Megibben whisky,
 go to Megibben & Bro., 281 Main st.
 DOLAN'S COMMERCIAL COLLEGE, 230
 Main street, open day and night. New
 pupils can begin any day. 151-24
 SWEET POTATOES AT CRAIG'S seed store,
 379 Main street. 15
 A PRETTY PRESENT—English Female
 Bitters. 8-7
 BUILDING LOTS AT AUCTION.—To-mor-
 row morning, at eleven o'clock, Mon-
 sieur, Lanier & Co. will sell on premises,
 at auction, a number of vacant lots on
 Pontotoc street, near Vance; and at
 twelve o'clock they will sell two very
 desirable vacant lots on corner of Vance
 and Orleans streets. For particulars see
 Real Estate Bulletin.

AMUSEMENTS.
 NEW MEMPHIS THEATER.—The beau-
 tiful drama *East Lynne* was produced last
 night at the New Memphis Theater to a
 good house, Miss Fanny B. Price, the
 beautiful and talented young actress, ap-
 pearing in the dual character of "Lady
 Isabel Vane" and "Madam Vine," in
 which she made a splendid impersonation
 of all possible to the part. The perfor-
 mance was witnessed with critical inter-
 est by the intelligent audience, who evinced
 approbation several times by hearty ap-
 plause. Mr. Hamilton, as usual, was
 careful and correct in his costume and
 in his articulation. Mr. Lanagan was
 first-rate, and the rest of the com-
 pany appeared to fair advantage. To-
 night *Lucretia Borgia* will be
 played, Miss Price appearing in the
 principal part. Mr. Theo. Hamilton will
 represent "Gennaro," Mr. Malmburg the
 "Duke," Mr. McWade "Jeppo," and
 Mrs. Hamilton the "Princess Negro-
 tto." A fine cast, and we anticipate a
 fine house. To-morrow night *Fairy
 Fingers*, a beautiful comedy, which has
 been in rehearsal several days, will be
 produced, for the third time only since
 it was written. A grand matinee will be
 given Saturday afternoon.

AMUSEMENTS.
 VARIETIES THEATER.—This is the first
 week of the great Parisian Mabile sensa-
 tion of the only original French Can-
 Can, the greatest sensation of the times
 and now introduced for the first time in
 Memphis. Original music has been pre-
 pared expressly, with appropriate cos-
 tumes, and illuminated scenic effects.
 Mons. Vandemont, the great French
 Can-Can artist, is assisted by a powerful
 dramatic company, and the corps de
 ballet in the direction of M'lie
 Aline le Favre, the loveliest formed
 woman in the world. Her poses and
 her songs are inimitable, and she is
 assisted in charming style by Miss Aus-
 ley, Miss Parker, Miss Nagle and other
 celebrated artists. Go there.
 GAIRY THEATER.—The management
 of this popular place of recreative
 amusement announce that they will pro-
 duce this evening the world-renowned
Can-Can, on a scale of extraordinary
 magnificence, surpassing many of the
 principal theaters in the United States.
 M'lie Josephine, a beautiful danseuse,
 is one of the leading attractions, and these
 are the last nights of the Buckingham
 who have given such general satisfaction
 and delight. Mr. Bob Hart, the wonder-
 ful delineator, is in the second week of
 his engagement. To-night the wonderful
 Siamese Twins, Hart and Hollins will
 positively appear in a short engagement.
 Go and see. A wonderful fine bill. Crowds
 every night.

AMUSEMENTS.
 PARLOR MUSIC HALL.—The pro-
 gramme of this largely attended and gay,
 festive place—which is open every even-
 ing in the Jefferson Block, corner of
 Jefferson and Second streets, free—is a
 rare combination of fun and fine music
 and dancing and display of beauty. The
 very fascinating danseuse Nellie Taylor
 and Nellie Wheeler will appear in some
 of their fine dancing, and the vocalists,
 Miss Marie Roselle and Miss Mattie
 Loraine, will sing some most charming
 pieces. It is a lively show, and people
 who go are not charged at the door.
 PANORAMA.—A dioptric instrument,
 with one hundred and fifty very fine war,
 Scriptural and comic views, for sale for
 about one-fourth their real value. Any
 person wishing to try the show business
 and make money will find this a good
 opportunity to get a No. 1 exhibition for
 a small amount of money. Call at
 Royster, Trezevant & Co.'s, corner Main
 and Jefferson streets, and examine it.

AMUSEMENTS.
 NEW MEMPHIS THEATER.
 Lessee, Mrs. W. C. THOMPSON.
 Manager, C. D. STREIBER.
 Stage Manager, ROBERT McWADDE.
 Thrilling Play! Miss Fanny B. Price!
 TUESDAY EVENING, March 16, will be en-
 acted, by the entire company, the great play
 entitled "LUCRETIA BORGIA," by "Lucretia
 Borgia," Miss Fanny B. Price.
 To-morrow night—Fairy Fingers.
 In rehearsal—AFTER DARK.
 Doors open at 7 o'clock; curtain will rise at
 8 o'clock. Box seats open from 10 to 12 o'clock.
 SCALE OF PRICES—Dress Circle and Par-
 quette, 31; Orchestra Chairs, 25; Family
 Circle, 20 cents; Colored Boxes, 30 cents; Col-
 ored Gallery, 25 cents.

AMUSEMENTS.
 Varieties Theater,
 Cor. Main and Washington Sts.
 CHAS. H. H. BROOM, Proprietor.
 CHARLEY WHITE, Stage Manager.
 Admission, Only 25 Cents.
 THE ABOVE PLACE OF AMUSEMENT
 is open nightly, with a star combination of
 talented artists, acknowledged by the public
 to be the best that has ever appeared in
 this city. The entertainment consists of senti-
 mental and comic singing, dancing, farces, bur-
 lesque, negro solo, spectacular entertainments, etc.
 Admission, 25 cents; private boxes, 50. Doors
 open at half-past six o'clock. Curtain rises at
 half-past seven o'clock. 151-7
 FLOUR—Just received on consign-
 ment, direct from the mill, one thousand
 barrels of flour, comprising every variety
 of grade—from fine to the choicest St.
 Louis brands—and for sale very low for
 cash. ATWOOD & ANDERSON,
 23 350 Main street.
 YOURS BEST, use Dromgrole & Co.'s
 Buchu; it is the best and cheapest. 8-7
 If you want good old Megibben whisky,
 go to Megibben & Bro., 281 Main street.
 W. C. RUSSELL, painter, paper-hanger
 and glazier, No. 279 Second street. 7
 MURRAY & RINGLET, merchant tailors,
 31 Madison street, have just received the
 most complete stock for spring and sum-
 mer wear, which for quality and style
 cannot be surpassed. Prices reason-
 able. 7-18
 IMPORTANT NEWS TO MEMPHIS.—The
 bill passed the Arkansas Legislature last
 evening, granting ten thousand dollars
 per mile to the Memphis and Little Rock
 railroad. Colonel Brinkley received a
 dispatch to this effect this morning. This
 will insure the completion of the road
 rapidly.
 REMOVS—Godey's Lady's Book (for
 April) is at Emmons', 10 Jefferson and
 333 Main street; also, the Banner of the
 South, Saturday Night, New World, Boys
 and Girls' Weekly, La Semaine, Nouveau
 Monde, Courrier des Etats Unis, Monde
 Illustré, New York Mercury, New York
 Weekly, Hearst and Home, Police Gas-
 zette, Harper's Weekly, Day's Doings,
 New York Clipper, and the New York
 and Western dailies.

AMUSEMENTS.
 GREENLAW OPERA HOUSE,
 THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY,
 (March 18, 19 and 20).
 Announcing the great Chief of Minstrels,
DUPRE & BENEDICT'S
Gigantic Minstrels,
 COMPOSED OF 25 FAMOUS ARTISTS.
 On their sixteenth triumphant annual tour,
 enlarged, improved, remodeled for 1893 and
 featuring thirty more variety, more brilliancy,
 more originality, more real merit, and giving
 greater satisfaction than any two combined
 troupes traveling. Doors open at 7 o'clock;
 8 o'clock. Admission—dress circle, 50c;
 parquette and arm chairs, 75c; secured seats,
 50c. Box office open from 2 to 5 p.m. each day.
 Grand Family Matinee Saturday after-
 noon, March 20, at 2 o'clock. 151-7
 MONEY TO LOAN, at 380 Main st. 147-18
 SWEET POTATOES AT CRAIG'S seed store,
 379 Main street. 15
 BROWNVILLE BEE.—Mr. G. H. Suther-
 land, the agent of the Bee, is in the city,
 and will call upon merchants to solicit
 advertisements. The Bee is a live paper,
 and has a fine circulation in Haywood
 and adjoining counties.

AMUSEMENTS.
 THE LEADING VARIETY THEATER OF
 THE SOUTH!
 OPEN FOR THE SEASON!
 WITH THE
Largest Combination of Artists
 Who have ever appeared in the city.
 The performance consists of Songs, Dances,
 variety and comic work.
 Admission: Fifty Cents; Private Boxes,
 Five Dollars.
 Doors open at seven o'clock; performance to
 commence quarter to eight o'clock. 150-4
Parlor Music Hall,
 235 Second St., near Jefferson.
 J. M. THOMPSON, Lessee.
 JIM PORTER, Stage Manager.
 A New Regime!
 THE MANAGER WOULD RESPECT-
 fully announce that he has, at a great out-
 lay, fitted up the above BEAUTIFUL PAL-
 ACE OF MIRTH, which is now open with
 A LARGE AND TALENTED VARIETY
 COMBINATION.
 ADMISSION FREE. 143-13
 "WILLETTS,"
 No. 37 Adams Street.
 Billiard and Bowling Rooms

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 MEMPHIS, TENN.,
 CORNER OF MAIN AND MONROE STREETS.
 Within the heart of the business portion of the City!
 Convenient to the Railroad Offices, Depots,
 Steamboat Landing, Postoffice, and Theaters.
 WE RESPECTFULLY SOLICIT PUBLIC PATRONAGE.

D. COCKRELL & SONS'
 PROPRIETORS.
PUMPS! PUMPS! PUMPS!
 WROUGHT IRON STEAM, GAS AND WATER PIPE.
 BRASS GOODS, STEAM GAUGES, GLOBE VALVES AND
 MALLEABLE IRON FITTINGS, AT LOWEST CASH PRICES.
McDONOUGH & FLANNERY
 NO. 353 MAIN STREET.

COMMERCE, FINANCE AND TRADE.
 Weather.
 Meteorological observations yesterday, as
 reported to us by Prof. Edward Goldsmith:
 March 15, 1893.
 Thermometer..... 7 A.M. 53.8 P.M. 59.6
 Barometer..... 30.03 30.11 30.16
 Wind..... N.W. N. N.
 Weather..... Cloudy. Cloudy. Fair.
 River.
 The weather this morning was clear and
 cold. The river here has risen fifteen inches
 during the past twenty-four hours. At Louis-
 iana it is rising. The Ohio is rising, with
 five feet in the canal. The Arkansas and
 White rivers are rising rapidly. Business, as
 usual, is dull.

BOATS LEAVING THIS EVENING.
 The regular Memphis and St. Louis packet
 Belle Memphis, Crane, master, and Billy Ben-
 ker, clerk, leaves this evening at five o'clock
 for Cairo and St. Louis. The Belle Memphis
 is a new boat, and is perfectly safe and reliable.
 The steamer Ozark leaves this evening at five
 o'clock for Pine Bluff, Little Rock and Fort
 Smith. Captain Harrison Bladell commands,
 with A. Storm and Jim Salsbury in the office.
 The Ozark is one of the best boats on the river.
 The other officers are indeed clever fellows, and
 know exactly "how to run a boat." Her table
 accommodations cannot be surpassed.
 That say and magnificent steamer Des Arc,
 Captain Matt. Glass, Joe Elliott, W. L. Ely
 and Alex. Waddell, clerks, leaves for all
 points on White river this evening at five
 o'clock. We hope to see the Des Arc loaded to
 her guards with freight and her cabins full of
 people, for we are sure there is no better or
 worthier boat on the rivers.
 The elegant St. Francis will leave this
 evening at five o'clock for Helena and all
 points on the St. Francis river. Captain T. N.
 Bowman, whom everybody knows to be one
 of the best commanders, is her captain, with
 Sam. Paine, W. H. Clark and J. H. Banks,
 clerks.
 The Natoma, Captain James Lee, and B. P.
 Fields and Stuck Lee, clerks, will put out for
 Friar's Point and all way landings at five
 o'clock this evening.

AMUSEMENTS.
 NEW MEMPHIS THEATER.
 Lessee, Mrs. W. C. THOMPSON.
 Manager, C. D. STREIBER.
 Stage Manager, ROBERT McWADDE.
 Thrilling Play! Miss Fanny B. Price!
 TUESDAY EVENING, March 16, will be en-
 acted, by the entire company, the great play
 entitled "LUCRETIA BORGIA," by "Lucretia
 Borgia," Miss Fanny B. Price.
 To-morrow night—Fairy Fingers.
 In rehearsal—AFTER DARK.
 Doors open at 7 o'clock; curtain will rise at
 8 o'clock. Box seats open from 10 to 12 o'clock.
 SCALE OF PRICES—Dress Circle and Par-
 quette, 31; Orchestra Chairs, 25; Family
 Circle, 20 cents; Colored Boxes, 30 cents; Col-
 ored Gallery, 25 cents.

AMUSEMENTS.
 Varieties Theater,
 Cor. Main and Washington Sts.
 CHAS. H. H. BROOM, Proprietor.
 CHARLEY WHITE, Stage Manager.
 Admission, Only 25 Cents.
 THE ABOVE PLACE OF AMUSEMENT
 is open nightly, with a star combination of
 talented artists, acknowledged by the public
 to be the best that has ever appeared in
 this city. The entertainment consists of senti-
 mental and comic singing, dancing, farces, bur-
 lesque, negro solo, spectacular entertainments, etc.
 Admission, 25 cents; private boxes, 50. Doors
 open at half-past six o'clock. Curtain rises at
 half-past seven o'clock. 151-7
 FLOUR—Just received on consign-
 ment, direct from the mill, one thousand
 barrels of flour, comprising every variety
 of grade—from fine to the choicest St.
 Louis brands—and for sale very low for
 cash. ATWOOD & ANDERSON,
 23 350 Main street.
 YOURS BEST, use Dromgrole & Co.'s
 Buchu; it is the best and cheapest. 8-7
 If you want good old Megibben whisky,
 go to Megibben & Bro., 281 Main street.
 W. C. RUSSELL, painter, paper-hanger
 and glazier, No. 279 Second street. 7
 MURRAY & RINGLET, merchant tailors,
 31 Madison street, have just received the
 most complete stock for spring and sum-
 mer wear, which for quality and style
 cannot be surpassed. Prices reason-
 able. 7-18
 IMPORTANT NEWS TO MEMPHIS.—The
 bill passed the Arkansas Legislature last
 evening, granting ten thousand dollars
 per mile to the Memphis and Little Rock
 railroad. Colonel Brinkley received a
 dispatch to this effect this morning. This
 will insure the completion of the road
 rapidly.
 REMOVS—Godey's Lady's Book (for
 April) is at Emmons', 10 Jefferson and
 333 Main street; also, the Banner of the
 South, Saturday Night, New World, Boys
 and Girls' Weekly, La Semaine, Nouveau
 Monde, Courrier des Etats Unis, Monde
 Illustré, New York Mercury, New York
 Weekly, Hearst and Home, Police Gas-
 zette, Harper's Weekly, Day's Doings,
 New York Clipper, and the New York
 and Western dailies.

AMUSEMENTS.
 GREENLAW OPERA HOUSE,
 THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY,
 (March 18, 19 and 20).
 Announcing the great Chief of Minstrels,
DUPRE & BENEDICT'S
Gigantic Minstrels,
 COMPOSED OF 25 FAMOUS ARTISTS.
 On their sixteenth triumphant annual tour,
 enlarged, improved, remodeled for 1893 and
 featuring thirty more variety, more brilliancy,
 more originality, more real merit, and giving
 greater satisfaction than any two combined
 troupes traveling. Doors open at 7 o'clock;
 8 o'clock. Admission—dress circle, 50c;
 parquette and arm chairs, 75c; secured seats,
 50c. Box office open from 2 to 5 p.m. each day.
 Grand Family Matinee Saturday after-
 noon, March 20, at 2 o'clock. 151-7
 MONEY TO LOAN, at 380 Main st. 147-18
 SWEET POTATOES AT CRAIG'S seed store,
 379 Main street. 15
 BROWNVILLE BEE.—Mr. G. H. Suther-
 land, the agent of the Bee, is in the city,
 and will call upon merchants to solicit
 advertisements. The Bee is a live paper,
 and has a fine circulation in Haywood
 and adjoining counties.

AMUSEMENTS.
 THE LEADING VARIETY THEATER OF
 THE SOUTH!
 OPEN FOR THE SEASON!
 WITH THE
Largest Combination of Artists
 Who have ever appeared in the city.
 The performance consists of Songs, D