The Weekly Caucasian.

OUR AGENTS.

In this city, our Mr. ALLEN will act as the financial agent and business director.
Wellington—Dr. Falkerson, Col. Reid, R. Lomax, Dr. O. F. Resick.
Napoleon—S. Resick, Mr. Fishback.
Chapel Hill—J. C. Little, I. Wood, Dr. Ragsdale.
Sni-a-Bar—Mr. Bledsoe, Col. Walton.
Mount Hope—J. Price, W. K. McKenney, A. Bassett, Thos. F. McKinney.
Greenton—M. Slaughter, Dr. Robinson, J. Roy.
Mayview—J. H. Falkerson, J. P. Herr, Dr. Wm. Gordon.
Tabo—James Atkinson.
Dover—Mr. C. Corick, J. S. Plattenburg.
Waverly—C. Patterson, Rev. Mr. McFarland, Dr. Yantis, Dr. S. W. Brown.
Freedom—Saml. S. Benton, Jas. E. Hord.
Morton (Rx) Co.—Col. Robinson, Tom Porter.
Richmond—John Shaw, Thos. Baylis.
Carroll county, Mo.—Miss Sue Moorman.
Fayetteville—Manoa W. Darr.
Pleasant Hill—Dr. Collins, W. A. Fleming, Capt. Allen.
Pink Hill—James Ewing.
Independence—Col. Wm. Cogswell.
Lone Jack—Dr. Benton, J. W. Arnold.
Davis Township—S. J. Fitzgerald.
Holden—R. Farley.
Longwood—Dr. A. A. Glasscock.

The City and Country.

PRIVATE SCHOOL.

Miss G. HAWKINS' school for girls and small boys will commence August 27th, and continue five months. augtf

QUESTION FOR THE SABBATH SCHOOLS.

No. 8—Give a list of the twelve Apostles, with the different names by which several of them were known.

A CARD.

The subscriber would tender to the citizens his thanks for the valuable aid extended to him in saving his property from burning, on Sunday night last. H. MACEY.

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Messrs. EDITORS: Allow me, through your paper, to return my sincere thanks to the citizens for the kind aid rendered in rescuing my property from the devouring flames when my house was burned. WM. BOYCE.

FINE SUBURBAN RESIDENCE.

The suburban residence of Rev. J. C. Shackleford, formerly owned by Dr. McClure, can be purchased and immediate possession given, if application be made this week.

THANKS—We are under obligations to Mr. W. D. McHatton for a lot of fine apples.

FRUIT TREES—The season for fall planting will soon be here. Read the advertisement of F. Mock.

BLANKS—Justices Blanks of all kinds, of correct form and neat execution, for sale at this office. tf

FINE PLUMS—Gen. Letton has left with us some of the finest specimens of the Washington plum we have ever seen. Some of them are as large as small peaches.

THE JAIL HOUSE—We understand that the County Court has let the contract for the rebuilding of the jail house to T. M. Hacket, at a cost of about $20,000.

THE FANCIES—G. M. Jacques, & Co., are just in receipt of another lot of staple and fancy groceries, wines, cigars, smoking and chewing tobacco, and all the standard articles, besides fruits in cans, oysters, sardines, nuts, candies, &c. Give them a call.

The Prairie Farmer says it is reported that the grape crop at Hermann is a partial failure this year. The Catawba will not yield more than half a crop. The Isabella is a failure. The Concord and Norton's Virginia will yield well, especially the former.

LEXINGTON FEMALE COLLEGE—This institution, under the careful supervision of Rev. E. S. Dulin, of this city, will open its fall and winter session on the 10th of September, proximo. Those wishing their children placed here for education, will shape their affairs so as to be in time to secure their daughters' accommodation. There is no better school anywhere. For terms, see advertisement.

PHOTOGRAPHS—Where are you going in such hot haste? "I am going to DUVALL'S to have my picture taken," before the cholera catches me, and my features are lost to my friends. That is all right; "save the shadow ere the substance fades." It is important, it is easier than under other circumstances; costs less, looks better and more natural; it is duty; and then DUVALL is so gifted in taking life-like pictures. I want a dozen or so to leave with my friends, that I may not be forgotten, if the grim monster should relieve this mortal coil. It

BUILDING—Some little building is going on in our city. A new house is going up on Broadway; Dr. Atkinson is building a small house on Pine street; Mr. Jordon is building a new foundry on Cedar street; the old jail is being rebuilt; Mr. L. Davis is building a residence on South street; Mr. Withers' new residence on Franklin street is now being roofed. There are others, no doubt, of which we know nothing. Mr. Mussatti will erect a couple of stores on Franklin street, on the site of Price & Hall's plow factory, and Mr. Emde designs building two or three more on the foundry property opposite the market. A railroad is all that is wanting now to start improvements briskly. That we want and will have at no distant day.

HEMPEN MANUFACTURES—We understand that an untiring effort was made last year, by one of the councilmen, to protect the property of this city from conflagrations of hempen factories; and now, that only one remains in the city, would it not be a most suitable time for the city fathers to regulate the erection of other buildings for the bailing, storing and manufacturing of this hazardous article in locations subjecting other property to be consumed—as it appears they are certain to be burned up in this city? We would not recommend their expulsion, but would not suffer the article to be baled, manufactured or hackled within 100 yards of other buildings, without the consent of the owners of the property within said distance, except the buildings and all persons now on Water St. bailing and hackling hemp.

MACHINERY—We would call attention to the foundry card of Mr. McFarland, in this paper. He has just lately received, from Cincinnati, one of Mooney's latest and most improved engines—a ten horse power that can be worked ten hours on five bushels of coal, and much less than half of the usual quantity of water, without cost of engineer, and is now ready, he tells us, to do work both promptly and well, and at low prices. All should be glad to see new machinery going up here again, after a long suspension, and all should be glad to hear that their work can be done here better and at as little cost as at a distance. Mr. McFarland has also two sizes of cane mills and cane cutters and strippers for sale, articles of more value now it is reduced to a certainty that sorghum may be grained, if desired, than in former times. He is also agent for the sale of Mooney's engines. Call and see one in use.

RELIGIOUS—The quarterly meeting of the Methodist Episcopal Church South will begin on Saturday next, continuing over Sabbath. Love Feast, Monday evening; and on Tuesday evening, a church meeting, under the new order of things ordered by the late General Conference, for the transaction of important business, will be held, at which it is expected every member will be in attendance.

In the Presbyterian church, services by Rev. Mr. Quarles.

In the Baptist church, service by Rev. Mr. Dulin.

There will be no services at the Episcopalian church, owing the absence of its pastor.

Last Sabbath, Bishop Hawkes, of St. Louis, preached in the Episcopal church to a very fine congregation.

DR. BERKLEY'S READINGS.

A portion of our citizens availed themselves of the reading of this gentleman, on Thursday evening last, though only a minority of those that should have been present were in attendance. There was room in the church for hundreds that did not come; but it is fair to say that the audience was at once select and appreciative. The reading was a mental treat; and it is to be greatly regretted that we cannot have more of them, instead of the miserable chap-trap of the day, in the shape of pay amusements, that merely interest the foot, or reaches, by its ludicrousness, the risible head. It is an art—we have almost said gift—to read well and effectively; but any production in the hand of Dr. Berkley, cannot fail to interest and instruct, for he is among the few readers who can, by articulation, emphasis, gesticulation, &c., draw from his subject the really beautiful points contemplated by the author, and so render it as to touch the heart, the motive power to the educated head. A single lesson in mental food is worth more to the intellectual man or woman than all the summer-sults that man is capable of turning; and will contribute more toward a proper appreciation of the beautiful, contribute more to a return for usefulness in prose or poetry, contribute more to the proper education of the head and heart, than all the light fantastic trash of which man is capable. Who would not like to be able to read, in the Doctors style, that touching story of "The Soldier of Bingen," dear Bingen on the Rhine? Who can fail to shed a silent tear at the rendering of Rosa's sublime apostrophe to her angel watchers—her darling babes that had gone before? Poetry and painting are said to be gifts from heaven; and the hand of inspiration seems (to us) just as visible in many of the sublime and beautiful effervescings of an overcharged heart in reading. These are the words that burn; these are the words that memory, tenacious of the beautiful, refuses to obliterate; and the shrine around which the pure *so* love to pay their devours, because it is a fountain as pure and immaculate as the "Falling Snow." Who would not rather be able to take in the sentiments of "The Raven," see them, feel them, and realize them, in every sense, pronounce it as the dead Poe felt it, as line after line fell from the pen which, if not inspired by God himself, at least possessed the spirit and gift of combining imagery, and tracing up the desires of the heart in a masterly manner. Who shall gainsay it that

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MIDDLETON TOWNSHIP.

Pursuant to notice given at a meeting held at Shelby College, on Saturday, August 4th, a large Mass Meeting of the citizens of Middleton Township was held at Waverly on the 18th day of August, for the purpose of permanently organizing a Johnson Club.

On motion, Mr. Jas. Goodwin was called to the chair, and Mr. Aldridge Corder appointed Secretary.

On motion of O. F. Thomas, Mr. Shewalter was called upon to explain the object of the meeting, which he did in a forcible and eloquent manner, stating that the meeting was for the purpose of organizing the citizens of the township into a club to sustain the policy of President Johnson. In the course of his remarks, he made some pointed and eloquent appeals to the people to rally to the Banner of Liberty and President Johnson, and shake off the manacles of the abominable radical rule.

At the close of the address, the meeting proceeded to elect permanent officers for the Club, whereupon the following named gentlemen were chosen, to-wit: S. Catron, President; A. Corder, Vice President; C. Patterson, Secretary; and Cris. Catron, Treasurer.

On motion of S. Catron, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, The time has arrived in the course of human events when it becomes necessary for all lovers of right, justice and liberty to move to action, and as we desire to act in concert and co-operate with the other loyal citizens of the county; therefore be it

Resolved, That this club approves of the action and course pursued by the other organized clubs of the county, in the main, as to the purpose in view.

Resolved, That we pledge ourselves to do all in our power to promote the cause and policy of President Johnson in reconstructing the Union.

Resolved, That this Club meet at Shelby College on the first Saturday of every month.

On motion of Ed. Barnett, A. M. Creel was invited to address the meeting, which he did in a very spirited manner.

It was then moved and seconded that the proceedings of this meeting be published in the Caucasian and the Express of Lexington, which was carried, after which the meeting adjourned. JAS. GOODWIN, Ch'n.

A. CORDER, Sec'y.

[Owing to the late hour at which the proceedings were received, we are unable to publish the names of the members of the Club this week. They will appear in our next issue.—ED. CAUCASIAN.]

PERSONAL—Gen. R. C. Vaughan, alternate for Col. T. M. Ewing, delegate to the Philadelphia Convention from this district, reached home last evening, in good health. We understand he but repeats the newspaper statement of great harmony in the Convention; and brings sad news of the ravages of the cholera in St. Louis and other places.

We are always glad to welcome back to their homes those old citizens whom the war had forced to leave Lexington. This week, it gives us pleasure to notice the return of H. J. Persinger, Esq.

THE DROUGHT—Several visits to the country of late, has satisfied us that the drought has worked a very deleterious effect on the growing crops. In this section, we have had no rain of an amount sufficient to benefit the corn and hemp materially, since the 17th and 18th of July last. Much of the late corn will be cut down to a mere trifle; much of it will not yield over half a crop. The early planting has fared better; but this crop is not without injury. The hemp is now being cut. Much of it is short, and only in choice localities is it an average. The crop for the most part, stood rather too thin on the ground, so far as our observation has gone.

SAD ACCIDENT—We regret to state that by a falling wall, at the fire Sunday night, Mr. John B. Feree was so badly injured as to render it uncertain whether he will ever recover. It is said his skull is fractured, cheek bone broken, and one of his thighs crushed. He is in a very precarious condition.

WOOLEN FACTORY—Mr. Richards, of the firm of Richards & Cash, of this city, is now East, buying the necessary machinery for a woolen factory, to be put up here. There is also a project on foot to establish a joint stock company, with a capital of $50,000 or $60,000, in the same line, which, it is likely, will prove successful. Mr. Richards will put up his machinery as soon as possible after arrival, and will, perhaps, open a market here for wool not heretofore realized by our farmers and wool-growers. There is no one thing more wanted here than establishments of this kind, and few, or none, will pay better, when once they are inaugurated, and we have a railroad by which surplus stock may be sent forward, and the raw material from other quarters may be brought here to market. This road we must and will have.

WAKE SNAIX!

I have seen our ex-Confederates, dear Caucasian, in a morning ramble in your city. More, I have conversed with some of them—and survived. They didn't look particularly hideous. They had not horns, cloven feet; or barbed tails. On the contrary, they really looked, talked, and acted like folks, and all seemed to be somewhat more engaged in attending to their business than plotting the destruction of the "so-called" "best government the world ever saw."

Commencing near the old Christian church in my walk, I dropped in on SHEP.; and who of Shelby's old brigade doesn't know little Shep.? found him hard at work, whistling, and merry as a cricket. After exchanging a few words with him, I wended my way to the gallery of our Virginia Captain, who received me politely, and showed me some beautiful specimens of his work—beautiful pictures of our beautiful ladies. Can anything be "beautifuller" than that, say? Coming on down and narrowly escaping colliding with a fat bureau man, I called on a hatchet-faced cavalry man in a hardware house, with light hair and a sore throat, (the man, not the house). MILT., the proprietor (of the house, not the man), seems to value the services of hatchet-faces highly, as he has two of the kind in his house. Farther on, I met HEN. HEN. has a penchant for callos; think he acquired it when Q. M. of Cabell's Brigade. HEN. told me his house sold more goods than any oth—oth—other in town. Crossing over before I got to Winnop Green's office, I stopped into the Real Estate Agency and there found UR., the bland, the affable—the same that he was years now long agone. He received me kindly as when he was Provost Marshal at Camden—with one single omission. He didn't set out the "pine top." I'll forgive him, though. Passing on to a large house with steps in front, I there saw the worlds that burn; these are the words that memory, tenacious of the beautiful, refuse to obliterate; and the shrine around which the pure *so* love to pay their devours, because it is a fountain as pure and immaculate as the "Falling Snow." Who would not rather be able to take in the sentiments of "The Raven," see them, feel them, and realize them, in every sense, pronounce it as the dead Poe felt it, as line after line fell from the pen which, if not inspired by God himself, at least possessed the spirit and gift of combining imagery, and tracing up the desires of the heart in a masterly manner. Who shall gainsay it that

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FIRE.

On Sunday night last, between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock, the alarm of fire was given, in this city. The fire proved to be in the hemp hackling establishment of Messrs. Farrar & Berry, on Franklin street, east of the Market. In less than an hour, the warehouse of Farrar & Berry, a light, combustible affair, was destroyed; and the fire communicated to the brick shop on the south, belonging to E. C. Holmes, which was also speedily consumed. Eastwardly, the fire reached the double brick tenement house of Major Boyce, destroying both tenements, and seriously threatning the frame building recently the property of Wilson & Cheatham, but sold a few days ago to the Germans for a school house. This latter building was saved by much exertion, else the fire would have reached to Main Cross street.

There was at the time but little hemp in the hackling establishment; and in the brick shop little or nothing. In the dwellings of Major Boyce, the household affairs of that gentleman and Mr. Mark L. DeMotte were secured by the crowd, with considerable difficulty, and perhaps some damage to the goods. There was no insurance on any of the buildings. The fire company was promptly on the ground with their engine; but for want of water, or the proper hose, was not able, until the close, to do much effective service; but they did all that could be expected of them under the circumstances.

The fire was evidently the work of an incendiary, as no fire was used in the warehouse, either in day or night.

Since the above was in type, we learn that that the hemp contained in the warehouse burned was fully insured.

SOUTHERN RELIEF NEWS.

The dinners and pageants of the several Southern Relief societies of this county are now about over. What means these societies will next take to raise funds we do not know.

The ladies of the Cooper Southern Relief Society, will hold a Fair in Boonville on the evenings of the 11th and 12th of September next.

The ladies of the Southern Relief Association intend giving a pic-nic on the Fair grounds near Huntsville, Randolph county, on the 23d inst.

From the Glasgow Times.

Mr. EDITOR: Permit me to return my sincere thanks to the ladies of Elm Ridge and vicinity, in this county, for their liberal donations of $611 to the Orphans' Home of Mississippi. May the blessing of the orphan, and of the orphans' God, rest upon them!

THOS. C. TEASDALE,
Gen'l Agent of the Orphans' Home of Mississippi.

Glasgow, Mo., Aug. 8, 1866.

The good ladies of Saline county have organized a society with the view of aiding in Southern relief, with a large list of officers and managers. Mrs. William B. Sappington, of Arrow Rock, is the President; Mrs. W. O. Maupin and Mrs. Jno. W. Bryant, of Marshall, Mrs. Henry Boyer, of Miami, and Mrs. Jos. Fields, of Jonesboro, Vice Presidents; Miss J. B. Collins and Miss L. S. Marmaduke, of Arrow Rock, Corresponding Secretaries; Mrs. Dr. C. E. Smith, Treasurer; and Miss Mollie B. Fisher, of Jonesboro, Recording Secretary.

THAT SHOOTING—We regret that the Register has deemed it right a third time to forestall public opinion, by publishing a garbled account of recent shooting affairs in this city, as he has done in the Hamlet-Emde affray. This is neither usual nor right; and if a newspaper shall undertake to state more than the mere fact of the shooting, it should confine itself to the truth, as it will be shown in evidence; nothing more. In the Hamlet-Emde case, our neighbor has gone out of the evidence, for there was none, and made an EX PARTE statement, prejudicial to young Hamlet, that we are not disposed to pass unnoticed. Our neighbor says that the market master, "at about the time for opening market, began to clear the benches and walks of lounger." Now, we have the testimony of as good a man as is to be found around our market, that this clearing of benches and walks occurred full a half an hour before market time; and, if this be true, and we are sure it is, Mr. Market Master Emde had no sort of right to clear the benches or walks, or order any one to leave.

Again, the Register says Mr. Emde ordered Hamlet to leave the bench on which he was sitting; that words ensued, and that Hamlet broke for his horse, and shot Emde without provocation. Eye-witnesses detail the matter differently, and Mr. Hamlet says when he was ordered off, in a rude, unfriendly way, he replied that he would get off on or before bell ringing. Emde ordered him to get off then, and Hamlet declined, whereupon Emde walked away and was gone a minute or two. When he returned, Emde attempted to push, or did push, him off the bench, and also struck at him, calling him an unmentionable name. It was then that Hamlet went to his horse; mounted, and as he rode by again, encountered Emde, Schetzel, and some other persons, advancing to arrest him, as he supposed. Some words were passed, when Hamlet asked if he used a certain opprobrious epithet, and shot him. Whether Mr. Emde answered affirmatively or negatively to the interrogation, we know not. We do not justify the shooting; but we are clear that Mr. Emde was assuming more than his position instituted; that he acted dictatorial and illegally, and that Hamlet but defended himself from his insolence and attacks.

We have refrained, as we think it is our duty, from anticipating the issues in such cases, and we call upon our neighbor to do likewise—make a correct statement, or remain silent.

DISTRICTING FOR VOTING—We understand that Mr. Attorney General Wingate has written a letter here, coinciding with the districting of the county into two voting districts—Lexington and Freedom. Although it does seem that radicals can and will do anything, legal or illegal, right or wrong morally, to further the bad ends of a bad party, we are unprepared to believe that a lawyer would so far hazard his professional reputation as to do a thing so palpably in violation of law, and so outrageously tyrannical and wrong. It does not seem to be possible; yet we are assured such is the fact. Very fortunately for the people who intend to register and vote, (and that is every man who can take the oath,) the County Court had changed the order so as to re-establish voting districts in the several townships of the county; but appointing registrars for two townships only, (which, of itself, is not law,) and the dictatorial and illegical letter of the Attorney is of no avail.

The law provides that polls shall be opened at the usual places of voting, and that registrars shall be appointed for each voting district. This is the law, made by the radical party, and, so far as we have seen, is very generally observed in all the counties save our own; and we are at a loss to understand where our county court could have scared up the absurd idea of voting only in two places. By the terms of the late "treaty of peace," entered into on the part of our citizens here, conditioned that the laws were faithfully to be observed, not only by the people, but by the officers; we demand that our county court disregard any suggestions Mr. Wingate may have made, and so far as is now in their power, do their duty properly.

Port of Lexington.

ARRIVED.

August 15, Tom Stevens, for Fort Benton.
" 15, Glaucus, for Omaha.
" 15, Mollie Hosier, for St. Louis.
" 18, Cornelia, for Omaha.

DEPARTED.

August 14, B S Rogers, for St. Louis.
" 15, W J Lewis, for "
" 15, Indiana, for "
" 16, Stonewall, for "

River for the past two days has been rising slowly and in stress conditions shift. Freight up, 25 to the gut for the Hemp down, 20 to 50c.

THE ORDERS.

Lafayette Lodge, No. 22, F. & A. A. Masons, meets in Arcana Hall, second Monday in each month. J. CROWDEN, W. M.; WM. P. BOLLWARE, Sec.; J. A. FIELD, S. W.; E. MARSHALL, J. W.

Lexington Lodge, No. 109, F. & A. A. Masons, meets at Arcana Hall, the third Monday in each month. E. WILSON, W. M.; W. C. MCCLANAHAN, Sec.; J. SCHOFIELD, S. W.; R. HALE, J. W.

Lexington R. A. Chapter, meets in Arcana Hall first Monday in each month. J. CROWDEN, H. P.; W. P. BOLLWARE, Sec.; J. SCHOFIELD, K.; J. F. HASSLER, S.

Forest Lodge, No. 45, I. O. O. F., meets every Saturday evening, at Arcana Hall, at 7 o'clock. JOHN A. KINNS, N. G.; JO. L. THOMAS, Sec.

WEBSTER ON FANATICS.

If these fanatics and abolitionists ever get power in their hands they will override the constitution, set the Supreme Court at defiance, change and make laws to suit themselves. Finally, they'll bankrupt the country, and deluge it with blood.

MARRIAGES.

Married, by Jackson county, 5th, Mr. FRANCIS T. ROGERS to Miss ADAH E. ADAMS.

—In same, 8th, Mr. BUTLER HUDSPETH to Miss SALLIE FRANKLIN.

—In Scotland, Ky., 11th, Mr. JOHN A. STEEL to Miss LUTIE PUNK.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce JOHN ALLEN as a candidate for Treasurer of Lafayette county, at the next November election.

We are authorized to announce JOSEPH L. THOMAS as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, at the approaching election, subject to the decision of a Conservative Convention.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce Judge N. W. LETTON as a candidate for County Clerk, at the approaching election, subject to the decision of a Conservative County Convention.

We are authorized to announce CLIFTON B. DAVIS, as a candidate for the office of County Clerk, subject to the decision of the Conservative Democratic convention.

FOR CIRCUIT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce RICHARD C. VAUGHAN as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court, subject to the decision of the Conservative Democratic Convention.

We are authorized to announce WM. W. GANTT as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court of Lafayette county, subject to the decision of the Convention of the Conservative Democratic party, if one should be held.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce Mr. SAMUEL L. DRYSDALE as a candidate for Sheriff, at the approaching election, subject to the decision of the Conservative Convention.

We are authorized to announce ISAAC M. MCGEE as a candidate for Sheriff of Lafayette county, at the approaching election, subject to a Conservative Democratic Convention.

We are authorized to announce LINNIE GORDON as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Lafayette county, at the approaching election, subject to a decision of the Conservative Convention.

We are authorized to announce E. G. MCCORMICK as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Lafayette county, at the approaching election, subject to the decision of the Conservative Convention.

Messrs. EDITORS: Please announce me a candidate for the Sheriffalty of Lafayette county, Mo., at the next November election, subject to the action of the Convention of the Conservative Democratic party, if one is held. CHAS. L. EWING.

To the Voters of Lafayette County: In response to a call from a large number of my friends in different parts of the county, I offer myself as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to nomination by the County Conservative Democratic Convention. ARNOLD H. GOULD.

Messrs. EDITORS: In reply to my friends under the respective signatures of "Conservative" and "Shelby P. Herr, and Many Others," in the issues of May 26th, and June 5th, calling on me to become a candidate for the Sheriffalty of Lafayette county, I have to say, that I should be pleased to do the wishes so flatteringly expressed, and you may therefore announce me as such candidate, with this distinct and clear understanding, that should the voters of the Andy Johnson Democratic party of this county deem it necessary to hold a Convention to select a candidate from the many aspirants for the office, that I will most cordially abide by the action of such convention, and pledge myself to work to secure the election of its choice.

ARNOLD H. WINSOR.

LEXINGTON, June 12, 1866.

To the voters and my fellow-citizens of Lafayette county, Missouri: I, having been strongly solicited by a number of my old friends and acquaintances, from the different parts of the county, and also from the city of Lexington, to announce myself candidate for the office of Sheriff of Lafayette county, at the next November election—which office was so unjustly taken from me, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for said office, subject to a County Convention. As to my ability or qualifications to discharge said office, and to the manner in which I did business when I previously filled the office, but I will judge for yourselves. As to the duties of the office without prejudice or partiality, and will also pledge myself to ride all over the county, and serve all with or without process, but make no charge, or out taxing you to furnish horses and pay the expenses of a posse to accompany me or my deputy.

JACOB A. FIRCE.

Lexington, Mo., May 23d, 1866.

LEXINGTON, July 17th, 1866.

Messrs. EDITORS: I notice in your last issue a call upon me to become a candidate for the office of County Treasurer. It is the desire of the people of Lexington that I should do them this duty. Especially, I will consent to make the race. You will therefore please announce me a candidate, subject to the decision of the County Convention. Hoping to see a union of all the elements opposing Radicalism at the next ensuing election, I remain,

Yours truly, ROBERT HALE.

Messrs. EDITORS: There are a number of names announced for the sheriffalty of this county, but we do not know of any one more worthy than A. L. Minnis, of Dover, and if he will allow his name to be used before the Convention, it will be very gratifying to a number of his friends. We hope to hear from him through your paper.

VOTERS OF DOVER TOWNSHIP.

Messrs. EDITORS: The importance of an intelligent, dignified and impartial County Court, must be obvious to every permanent citizen of the county. That the fitness of Justices composing the court should be so constituted that the roads of public travel, and the wants of the people of each neighborhood in the county should come within the familiar personal knowledge of one of them, we propose all will admit. With this view, and an assurance to all the voters that he possesses the suitable integrity and qualifications for the place, we call upon Mr. R. W. REESE to become the candidate for what is termed the upper part of the county, by being the choice, and decided preference of the President and many members of

THE JOHNSON CLUB,
Of Clay Township.

Special Notices.

LADIES' AND GENTS. ICE CREAM AND DINING HALL.

Having recently opened a summer refreshment room and Dining Hall for the accommodation of Ladies and Gentlemen, I am now prepared to serve up Ice Cream, Lemonade and Cake at a moment's notice. Also Warm Meals and Oysters, at all hours, prepared to order. Remember the place—immediately over McKinnis & Gratz' Clothing Store. E. BARNES.

Legal.

Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
County of Lafayette. }

Lafayette Circuit court, May Term, 8th day of said Term, and 28th day of May, 1866.

Herd T. Wilson }
vs. } Civil action.
Thomas Todd }

NOW at this day comes the plaintiff, by his attorney, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the defendant, Thomas Todd, cannot be summoned in this action, it is ordered by the court that publication be made notifying him that an action has been commenced against him by petition and affidavit in the Circuit court of Lafayette county, in the State of Missouri, founded on a note executed by Thomas Todd and Martin Blood to Oliver Anderson, dated October 17th, 1859, for the sum of Four Hundred and Seventeen Dollars and Fifty Cents ($417 50-100), and by said plaintiff seeks to recover a judgment of foreclosure of the following mortgaged property, to-wit: Lot number four [4], in block "N" also part of lot ten [10], in block "O," west of the brick Warehouse, on the lower Wharf, in Anderson's addition to the town of Lexington, in the county of Lafayette, in the State of Missouri, and that unless he be and appear at the next term of this court, to be holden at the courthouse in Lexington, in the county aforesaid, on the 10th day of November, 1866, and plead or file the third day thereof, (if the term shall so long continue, and if not, then before the end of the term), judgment will be rendered against him, and his property sold to satisfy the same; and it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published in the Lexington Weekly "Caucasian," a newspaper published in the county of Lafayette, for four weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least four weeks before the commencement of the next term of this court. A true copy, attest:

S. F. CURRIE, Clerk,
By C. V. CURRIE, D. C.

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Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
County of Lafayette. }

In the Lafayette Circuit court, May Term, A. D., 1866.

George Harra }
vs. } Civil action by attachment.
John S. Brown and James F. Musselman. }

NOW at this day comes said plaintiff, by his attorney, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the defendant, James F. Musselman, is a non resident of this State, and cannot be summoned in this action, it is ordered by the court that publication be made, notifying him that an action has been commenced against him by petition and attachment in the Circuit court of Lafayette county, in the State of Missouri, founded upon two notes, one for Three Hundred and Twenty-two Dollars and Eighty cents ($332 80-100), due on or before the first day of March, 1862; and one for Four Hundred and Eight-eight Dollars and Forty cents, ($488 40-100), due on or before the first day of March, 1862, both of which bear date the 12th day of April 1861, executed by John S. Brown, Sigismond Brown, Granville L. Brown, Baird A. Redick and James F. Musselman, and payable to plaintiff, George Harra, and unless he be and appear at the next term of this court, to be holden at the courthouse in Lexington, in the county of Lafayette, on the 10th day of November, A. D., 1866, and on or before the third day thereof, (if the term shall so long continue, and if not, then before the end of the term, judgment will be rendered against him, and his property sold to satisfy the same; it is further ordered, that a copy hereof be published in the "Weekly Caucasian," a weekly newspaper published in the county of Lafayette, for four weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least four weeks before the commencement of the next term of this court, and this cause of action. A true copy, attest:

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