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TUESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 16, 1855.

AN ATTEMPT TO ESTABLISH THE INQUISITION IN THE UNITED STATES.

At a general meeting of members of the order of know-nothings of the city of Brooklyn held on the evening of the 24th ultimo, for the purpose of considering the late action of the Grand Council of the State of New York, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted; and it was resolved that the same be printed, and a copy thereof forwarded to each council in the State.—We give the capitals as we find them in the New York Tribune:

"Whereas the action of the Grand Council of the State of New York at their late session in October last, in making an independent nomination for State officers without instructions to that effect from the subordinate councils of the State, and without giving them an opportunity to participate in the selection of such candidates, and when no necessity existed for such a course, inasmuch as GOOD MEN and TRUE had already been nominated by the great political parties of the State, the nominations of some of whom was effected by the direct action of this order, was a departure from the true interests and objects of this order, and unwarranted assumption of power, and in direct violation of resolutions adopted by the same Grand Council in June last:

"And whereas the said Grand Council adopted resolutions presented by Chauncey Shaffer, putting and unwarrantable and *ex post facto* construction upon the obligation of the members of this order, thereby endeavoring to coerce and compel them, by THREATS and PENALTIES, to vote for the candidates so nominated by said Grand Council at their recent session, adopted a resolution originally suggested by H. A. T. Granbury requiring the members of this order, under certain pains and penalties, to CONFESS, under oath, how they voted at the recent election, in palpable violation of the rights and privileges secured to, and so highly prized by, every true American; therefore,

"*Resolved*, That we repudiate and condemn the aforementioned action of the Grand Council as ANTI-AMERICAN, ANTI-REPUBLICAN, and the most UNWARRANTABLE, ABOMINABLE, and DANGEROUS ASSUMPTION of DESPOTIC POWER ever attempted in this republic in its CONFESSIONAL PENANCE, and threats of EXCOMMUNICATION, only equalled by the holy INQUISITION of SPAIN, and only worthy of imitation by the GRAND COUNCIL of CARDINALS at ROME.

"*Resolved*, That any American assenting or yielding obedience to such degrading and inquisitorial requisitions inherits not the spirit of his revolutionary sires, and is unworthy the name of a son of '76, and descends to the level of an ignorant Papist.

"*Resolved*, That we recommend our brethren to pause and calmly reflect before they aid in centralizing so dangerous a power in the hands of a body who, however pure they may now be, may, at some future time, be composed of unprincipled men who, regardless of the public interests, will wield it for their own personal aggrandizement.

"C. J. SHEPARD, President.

"W. C. HEATON, Secretary."

HON. ANDREW JOHNSON AND THE GUBERNATORIAL QUESTION.

Most of the Democratic papers in the State have unhesitatingly expressed a desire that Gov. Johnson, the present incumbent, shall again be the democratic candidate for Governor. We are pleased to see such unanimity and harmony in our party ranks in regard to his candidacy, as we know of no other man in our party we would prefer as our standard bearer in the coming contest. We therefore take this occasion to express our unqualified approbation of the movement. We are proud to say that Gov. Johnson deserves, and has the confidence of his party. He is one of those politicians that we see only now and then, untarnished by vice and unswayed by personal prejudice; his whole political life has been devoted to the interest of those whom he had the honor to represent, and the whole object of his untiring industry and exertions seems to be for the accomplishment of the great democratic maxim, the greatest good of the greatest number. His life from his early manhood to the present time, has been one of uncommon toil, hardship and usefulness. Those who have been cast upon the world in their youth, like many of us, to shape their future fortunes for themselves by their own unaided industry, feel a thrill of sympathy as they contemplate the history of Andrew Johnson. From the poor apprentice boy he has gradually risen step by step to the proud eminence he now occupies, not only in position or paraphernalia of office, but in the confidence of his fellow man.

It is true the enemies of Governor Johnson have charged him with being a *demagogue*, of pandering to the popular prejudice of the day, of chicanery and party manœuvring, &c., but all such contemptible charges have fallen harmless at his feet. But what matters it to us what the *imputed* private intentions, motives, wishes or desires of men may be, if the words they utter and actions they perform, are valuable to the country and advance the interests, prosperity and happiness of the people. If there can be any better method of measuring the intentions of a man than by the practical and valuable services which he has performed for the State, the wisdom of man has thus far failed to discern it. Such is the history of Gov. Johnson, his merits stand out in bold relief as a dread condemnation to all the charges of demagoguery which may be brought against him from now till dooms day.

He has ever gone before "the people" as "the people's friend." He stands before the people of Tennessee as a just and liberal man, without narrow prejudices, sectarian, social or political; he is no agrarian, or leveller, but loyal, ever loyal to the great principles of democracy. He has ever been an uncompromising and fearless advocate, every where and at all times of the great and noble truths of our party, and in the coming canvass, we know of none in whom we can more safely confide the advocacy and protection of our principles. We therefore bespeak for him the entire support of the democratic party in West Tennessee.—*Jackson Democrat.*

THE NEW ALLIANCE.

The accession of Austria to the Anglo French alliance in favor of Turkey and against Russia has rendered still more decided the feeling of the people of the United States in favor of the latter power. The despotism of Austria is far more intolerable than that of Russia. The former power keeps up an immense army to crush the Republican spirit—the latter to protect its vast frontiers from invasion or subjugate the wild tribes of Asia. For our own part, we would rather see the House of Romanoff reigning in Vienna than the House of Hapsburg. For, we believe humanity would be the gainer by the change. And so in Turkey—the energy and enterprise of a christian Emperor's rule would redound far more to the benefit of mankind and the promotion of civilization, than the lukewarm, sensual, insipid sway of a Mahommedan Sultan.

The great barrier between the colossal power of the Czar (supposing Turkey a part of his dominions) and the west of Europe, would, or *should*, be the mighty *Republics* of Poland, Hungary, Italy and Central Germany. These Republics could check encroachment from the West and from the East. The power of their whole people would be aroused in case of danger, and the sympathies of the human race be on their side. Occupying the interior and central line of Europe, they could prevent the spread of absolutism and, by exhibiting to the people of despotic governments the blessings of liberty, would gradually prepare them to obtain their own natural "inalienable rights."

The true position of the the United States Government, in the present European struggle, is no doubt, one of neutrality.

Is it not currently rumored and belived that France and England have some matter to settle with us, when they shall be *at leisure* to do so? Cuba, Nicaragua, the Sandwich Islands are subjects of sufficient importance to attract their attention. Not content with dictatorial power in the Old World, they aspire to be the arbiters of the new. As to this Western hemisphere, or rather its Northern portion, our people have a *word* to say. We shall trespass on no foreign rights without cause—but we shall unflinchingly pursue the course marked out by the necessities and peculiarities of our position and by the liberal and peaceable policy of our people. Nor are we to be deterred from this by threats or warlike demonstrations. We can arm a million of gallant freemen. We can furnish a private armed marine of sufficient force to annihilate the commerce of our enemies. We have a country inexhaustible in resources, and if need be, can show ourselves independent of the world.

NEWS BY THE MAILS.

WASHINGTON, January 10.—In the Senate to-day, the debate on the Judicial Reform Bill was resumed.

In the House, the Bill amendatory of the Land Graduation Bill was discussed. A long debate ensued on Mr. Dawson's amendment, giving a homestead of 160 acres, at 14 cents per acre, on condition of actual settlement, and it was eventually rejected. The substance of the Senate bill was then also rejected.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12—SENATE.—Mr. Toucey announced the death of Senator Norris in a feeling and eloquent speech.

Gen. Cass followed in a manly tribute to the many virtues and high character of the deceased.

After the usual resolutions the Senate adjourned until Monday.

HOUSE.—A message was received from the Senate announcing the death of Moses Norris, and communicating the proceedings of that body.

Mr. Morrison paid a high tribute to the political integrity, wisdom and private virtues of the deceased. In conclusion he moved the usual resolutions of respect.

Mr. Bayley offered a brief tribute of respect to the deceased, and the resolutions were adopted.

Messrs. Morris, Chandler and Bayley were appointed a committee to act with that of the Senate to accompany the remains to New Hampshire—and the members of the House are to accompany the remains to the rail road cars as a further mark of respect. After which the House adjourned.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—A deficiency of some $25,000 of specie has been discovered in the Merchants' Bank in Wall street, it is believed to have been stolen, but suspicion rests on no one. It is supposed the gold must have probably been delivered in mistake. A reward of $3,000 is offered for the recovery of the property.

The bids for four millions Erie Railroad loan were opened to-day and exceed the amount by 11,000 dollars. It is understood the loan will be put at 80 dollars, although there are a few bids over that figure. The income bonds just now matured will cover the larger portion of the bids.

The correspondent of the Evening Post at Honolulu asserts that no treaty with the public functionary of the Sandwich Islands has been made or transmitted, and that Prince Liho will unite in no negotiations for a change of sovereignty.

When the North Star left, there remained but three miles of track to be laid to complete the Panama railroad.

The steamer Atlantic sailed for Liverpool to-day with 85 passengers, but no specie. Among her passengers was Senator Raffael, the newly appointed Mexican Consul, and Gen. Intus.

Forty-four Swiss emigrants reported themselves to-day to the Commissioner of Emigrants, as paupers, whose passage to this country had been paid by their government authorities. They were passengers in the Arcadia wrecked on the Sable Island, and arrived here on the steamer State of Maine, from Boston. They are to be sent back to that country.

Dr. Graham, now at Sing Sing prison, is said to have created great disturbance there already, by getting crazy drunk on brandy, to which he had access for medical purposes. He threatened the lives of those who secured him.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 11.—The members discussed the Pacific railroad. Albert Pike, Esq, offered resolutions similar to those adopted at Charleston. Resolutions to aid in the construction of a railroad across the peninsula of Florida, and asking liberal donations from the States bordering on the Atlantic and Gulf; and in favor of material modifications in the tariff; and recommending Southern members to vote for the entire abolition of the duty on railroad iron.

ERIE, Jan. 12.—Marshal Keiser and suite arrived here this afternoon and proceeded to Harbor Creek to repair the road early to-morrow. No resistance is anticipated, but should any be attempted it will be futile. Marshal Keiser is determined to carry out his instructions, and put the company in peaceful possession of the road.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 6.—Our Postmaster has decided that the Delta is entitled to the publication of the list of unclaimed letters in this city, the Picayune having backed out of the contest. The circulation of the Delta in December showed an average excess of 2,000 over the Picayune's circulation in the same month last year.

CHARLESTON, Jan. 13, 1 P. M.—COTTON.—There is a fair demand to-day. Stock light and prices full. Sales 600 bales, at 6⅞ to 8½.

SCHENECTADA, Jan. 10.—A Know Nothing Convention of 125 delegates, composed of seceders from the old lodges is in session here. The object is to effect a thorough organization against Mr. Seward

ERIE, Jan. 10.—The Common Council of this city has been in session to-day, considering a proposition to order the bridges to be taken down, but they finally decided to lay the matter on the table, and adjourned to wait the action of the Legislature.

BUFFALO, Jan. 10.—In the Missouri Legislature on the 4th inst., 7 ballots were had for a United States Senator to succeed Mr. Atchinson. The last ballot stood as follows: Doniphan, Whig, 44; Benton, 40; Atchinson, Dem., 56; Wilson, 1—(Doniphan voting for Wilson.) The joint Legislature then adjourned until the next day. The vote was strictly a party one.

DISTRESSING AFFAIR.—One of the most painful and distressing incidents that we have ever been called on to record, occurred near this city about a half mile west of the Raleigh road and 1½ miles from town, on Tuesday afternoon the 9th inst. Mr. David F. Crockett, a young man of high respectability and of worthy family, wandered out to a forest a few hundred yards from the residence of E-quire Chase, and deliberately put an end to his existence by hanging himself with his black silk cravat and silk handkerchief, to the limb of a sapling. When accidentally found on the succeeding evening (Wednesday) by a boy who went out to chop wood in the forest, he was still hanging on the limb, his clothes saturated with water from the rains of the night previous, and all the evidences about him of a deliberate design to terminate his existence. Mr. C. had been confined to his room for several days by a violent attack of sickness, and appeared to be convalescing. He had determined to leave on the cars the next morning for his home at Middleburg, Hardeman county, and left his room about 4 o'clock on Tuesday evening, announcing that he had important business in town requiring his attention before his departure. He was not seen after this until found on Wednesday evening as before stated. There is no doubt but he was laboring under aberration of intellect at the time he committed the suicidal act.

We knew the deceased well. He was warm-hearted, impulsive, honorable and generous to a fault. He had been engaged in the mercantile business for several years at Middleburg, and had won a large circle of attached friends during his residence in that part of the country. Many a tear will flow unbidden at the recital of his melancholy end. His funeral took place yesterday morning at Morris Cemetery, to which his remains were attended by a large procession of his friends and acquaintance. Peace to his ashes!—*Memphis Appeal, 12th.*

A TEMPERANCE STORY.—One evening last week we took our place at the supper table of a Cincinnati and Louisvile packet. Supper and conversation had progressed some before we were seated. An animated discourse was going on 'twixt an old gentleman and an exceedingly sober faced lady, no less than 50 years old, on the subject of temperance.

"Oh!" exclaimed she, with horror depicted on her thin lips, "I do despise the whisky drinker."

The gentleman dropped his knife and fork, seized her hand, and giving it a hearty shake, we thought tears were going to drop from his twinkling eyes.

"Madam," said he, "I respect your sentiments and the heart that dictated them. I permit no person to go beyond me in despising the whisky drinker. I have been disgusted on this very boat, and I say it now, before our worthy captain's face. What, I ask you, can be more disgusting than to see well dressed, respectable, aye, virtuous looking young men, whose mothers are probably even now praying that the tender instruction by which their youth was illuminated, may bring forth precious fruit in their maturity. I say, to see young men step up to the bar of this boat, and without the fear of observing eyes, or the condemnation of enlightened opinion, brazenly ask for old Bourbon or Rye, or Monongahela whisky, when in that bar they know there is the very best of Old Cognac Brandy!"—*Exchange.*

THE CONVICTION OF GREEN, THE BANKER.

We announced yesterday that Geo. W. Green, the wealthy banker at Chicago, Ill., under the charge of poisoning his wife with strychnine on the 16th of September last, had been found guilty of "murder in the first degree." The facts of the case are thus briefly recapitulated by the District Attorney in his opening speech:

On the 4th of March, 1851, Green married his wife in Montreal, Canada. The marriage was an unfortunate one for Mrs. G. From the time of his marriage the cruelty of Green to his wife was manifested. From her marriage to her death she was more or less maltreated by him. He had from time to time expressed himself most cruelly towards her; that she was the wrong person for him; that he should have married her sister. In the hands of the defendant she was in absolute poverty, laboring and toiling as a slave.

On the day before her death she was engaged in scrubbing the floor, no servant to help her. After showing his conduct to his wife from her marriage to her death, we will show you how he stated to her sister that he wished she was dead; that at the table his wife charged him with attempting to kill her. We will also show that on the morning of the 16th of September last she was in good health; that there was no one in the house with her. The next morning he (Green) sent for a laboring man and a woman.

When they came she was dead. Green was asked what she died of. He answered cholera.—He was asked if she had a physician. He answered yes, Dr. Spangler and a Mrs. Hall. Now we will prove that neither of those persons were there. The prisoner said he could not send any person for help, although he had a boy, his son, in the house. He was asked if she had got any medicine. He answered no. While at the same time no signs of cholera were round the room.

If the man had even been a good husband, these circumstances tell powerfully against him. Green commenced digging a grave in the garden. He refused to have any ceremonies over his wife's body; said they would do after as well as before burial. The coroner's inquest is held. The prisoner is admitted to bail. Another examination is had at the request of the woman's friends; the physicians examined the body; find no evidence of cholera upon the body, either from exterior or interior examinations, but come to the conclusion the person died of poison or some other violent means.

The stomach is examined by experienced persons, and it is found that it contains one of the most deadly poisons. After this the drawers of the house were examined. In a bureau drawer which was locked, and the key in Green's pocket, and another in a lower drawer; in this drawer a paper of strychnine was found, such strychnine as was found in the stomach of the deceased.

Then we will show you that contradictory statements were made by the prisoner, as feeling no alarm that he would be suspected. We will show you that for years and years he had been studying the dreadful crime—that he had been trying to discover for some time the most deadly poison.—We will exhibit a case, gentlemen, which has not had its parallel in the history of circumstantial evidence.

All these facts were substantiated to the satisfaction of the jury in a trial which, after two week's duration, terminated last Saturday night in a verdict of guilty. The Chicago *Democrat* of Monday says:

Whatever may have been the opinion of the public in regard to his position and the influence of his wealth, no one with whom we have conversed, or who can have read our extended and accurate report, can have failed to have made up their minds as to the guilt of the prisoner. The verdict, so far as we have been able to learn, is regarded by all classes as a proper one, and as a necessary vindication of public justice.

During the trial, the following incident occurred: Green's son, a little boy aged six years, sat upon his father's knee. At some allusion of the prosecuting counsel to the dismemberment of his family, that stern old man pressed his little boy to his heart, and bowing his head over him, wept in bitter agony. The lad, unable to realize the position of his parent, yet with the sympathy which distinguishes childhood, burst into tears, and with infantile wonder, looked from his father to the multitude and the speaker. It was a sad and touching sight.

AUGUSTA RACES—LA FAYETTE COURSE.

THURSDAY—THIRD DAY—THREE MILE HEATS.

As we anticipated, we had a tip-toe race yesterday. There were three entries, all good and true nags. Mr. Taylor seemed to be the favorite at and before the start, but Grif had his friends who were willing to back him. Notwithstanding the unfavorable appearance of the weather, there was a good attendance.

At one o'clock, the three horses were brought to the string in fine order. Grif had the track, Betty second. At the tap they were off, with a good start, Grif in the lead, hard pressed by Mary. In this position the first, second and third miles were run, Grif coming out winner by about five lengths, Betty distanced.

After the usual time allowed for rubbing down and cooling off, Grif and Mary again came up to the string. They had a beautiful start. Griff took the lead, which he kept with apparent ease to the end of the race, Mary making one or two unsuccessful brushes.

RESULT.

A. Cheatham's b. h. Griff Edmonson, ys. old, by Childe Harrold, dam Mary Elizabeth, by Andrew, - - - - - - - 1 1
Col. Campbell's b. m. Mary Taylor, 5 ys. old, by Sovereign, dam Clara Howard, - - 2 2
Col. Goldsby's ch. m. Betty King, 5 ys. old, by Boston, dam out of imp. Glencoe, - - dist.
Time—1st heat 5:41½; 2d, 5:42.—*Constitutionalist, 1st.*

AUGUSTA RACES.

FOURTH DAY.—For the four mile race there were four entries viz:

Jno. Campbell's bay mare, Mary Taylor, 5 years old, by Sovereign, dam Clara Howard.

A. Cheatham's bay horse, Griff Edmonson, four years old, by Childe Harrold, dam Mary Elizabeth, by Andrew.

Thos. G. Bacon's ch. c. Henry, 3 years old, by Glencoe, dam Musedora.

John Clark's b. c. by Black Prince, dam. Hannah Harris by Bertrand, 4 years old.

Of these, the three last contended for the purse, Mary Taylor having been withdrawn previous to starting. The announcement of this fact, made Griff Edmonson the favorite against the field at large odds; and in some instances we learn that ten to one was laid on him. The betting, however, was not very spirited, his competitors were both believed to be running beyond their distance, they were not freely backed. They, however disappointed every body, both in their speed and power of endurance.

RECAPITULATION.

FRIDAY—FOUR MILE HEATS—PURSE $800.

Col. Cheatham's b. h. Griff Edmonson, - 1 1
J. B. Clark's b. c. Black Prince, - - - 2 3
Col. T. Bacon's ch. h. Henry, - - - - 3 2
Time 7m. 45s.—7m. 49s.

After this exciting contest, it was deemed prudent not to enter upon the second race until some attention had been paid to the inner man, and the club repaired to dinner. That over, the colt stake which promised to be a most interesting affair, as the sequel proved, came off, to which there were six entries—mile heats—$200 entrance, half forfeit—viz:

W. W. Woodfolk's b. c. Invincible, by imp. Sovereign, dam by Stockholder.

James M. Harrington's ch. f. by Margrave, dam by Monmouth's Eclipse.

John Campbell's filly by Glencoe, dam Cub, the dam of Monte.

John Harrison's gr. f out of Sally Morgan.

P. G. Murphey & Co.'s ch. f by Glencoe, dam by Bareford.

T. R. Goldsby's ch. c. by Glencoe, dam by Leviathan.

In this race only four started:—Invincible, Campbell's filly, Goldsby's colt, and Harrison's filly.—They all had a reputation to make, hence no one was decidedly the favorite, though each had their friends who backed them in small amounts.

The struggle between Invincible and Campbell's filly was as close as it was intense and severe. There was not exceeding a length between either heat, and the last was won by half a neck, but the filly proved the better horse. We place them:

John Campbell's filly by Glencoe,	2	1	1
W. W. Woolfolk's b. c. Invincible,	1	2	2
John Harrison's gr. f. out of Sally Morgan,	3	4	3
T. R. Goldsby's ch. c. by Glencoe,	4	3	4

Time 1:50—1:51—1:55.

SATURDAY, FIFTH DAY—BEST THREE IN FIVE—PURSE $200.

The following are the entries:

Thos. Puryear enters bay gelding, 4 years old, by Glencoe, dam Sally Hardin. Dress Fancy.

Thos. G. Moore enters br. m. Maid of Orleans, by Bethune, out of Alice Carneale, by imp. Sarpedore, 5 years old. Dress Green and Blue.

T. B. Goldsby enters ch. g. 4 years old, by Rough and Ready, dam by imp. Belshazzar. Dress Fancy.

[*Chronicle & Sentinel.*

☞ ROBERT STARK, Esq., a prominent Mason, Odd Fellow, and Son of Temperance, and a good man, died at Jackson, on the 27th ult.

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20 tierces Carolina Rice, fresh;
25 bbls No. 3 Mackerel; 5 cerrons Indigo;
100 boxes Cod Fish; 300 bxs assorted Glassware;
100 boxes Scotch Herrings; 500 kegs Wheeling Nails, all
500 boxes W. R. Cheese; sizes;
100 boxes Fox Pearl Starch; 100,000 Havana Cigars;
50 bags Pepper; 100 boxes Melee do;
25 bags Spice; 175 boxes Va. and Ky. Tobacco, various qualities;
5 tierces Dutch Madder;
100 boxes Star Candles.

The above stock will be added to during the season by weekly arrivals from New Orleans, Cincinnati and Pittsburg, by which we intend making our stock always large and well-assorted; and we invite the attention of country merchants visiting Nashville to give our goods and prices a careful examination, as no house in the South West will hold out greater inducements than we intend to do.
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FEBRUARY	12, 14 and 15	MAY	15, 16 and 17
MARCH	13, 14 and 15	JUNE	12, 13 and 14
APRIL	17, 18 and 19	JULY	17, 18 and 19

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FOR NEW ORLEANS,

THE splendid Steamboat NEW YORK, D. S. H. GILMAN, Master, will leave for the above and all intermediate ports on WEDNESDAY, 17TH INST., at 10, A. M.
For freight or passage apply on board, or to
J. & R. YEATMAN,
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"A Leetle Ahead."

TOON, NELSON & CO have just received FRANK LESLIE'S NEW YORK JOURNAL—being a most excellent Quarto of choice reading. [jan16

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LONDON PORTER AND SCOTCH ALE. For sale, Wholesale and Retail, at the Sign of the "Little Indian," corner of Cherry and Cedar streets.
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FRANK LESLIE'S GAZETTE OF FASHION for January, 1855. Just received by jan16 JOHN YORK & CO.

AUCTION SALE OF GROCERIES,
BY DAVIS & SWANN,
NO. 74 PUBLIC SQUARE.

ON TUESDAY, THE 16TH INST., we will sell for cash, in front of our Store, one of the largest and best assorted stocks of Groceries we have ever yet offered—the Goods being all fresh and carefully selected by one of the firm in New Orleans; among which will be found—
168 hhds New Crop Sugar, of all grades, from Good Fair to strictly Prime;
600 bags New Crop Rio Coffee;
35 do Old Government Java Coffee;
250 bbls New Molasses, in fine order;
75 ½-bbls do do do;
25 bbls Loaf Sugar, assorted numbers;
25 do Philadelphia Crushed Sugar;
15 bbls No. 3 Mackerel; 120 boxes Star Candles;
75 boxes Cod Fish; 100 boxes Melee Cigars;
75 boxes Scotch Herrings; 100,000 Spanish do;
15 ½ bbls Dutch Madder; 75 barrels Pike's Magnolia
25 casks English Soda; Whiskey;
25 boxes Imp. & Y. H. Teas; 16 bales Picked Moss;
431 boxes W. R. Cheese;
With a variety of small articles, such as Soaps, Tallow Candles, &c.

☞ To which will be added 250 BOXES ASSORTED GLASSWARE, consisting of Tumblers, and a great many Fancy Articles, just received direct from the Manufactory.
jan12 DAVIS & SWANN.

TIME SALE OF GROCERIES.

ON WEDNESDAY, 17TH JANUARY, 1855, we will offer at Public Sale, in our usual quantities:
200 hhds Fair and Prime New Sugar;
200 bbls Choice New Molasses;
150 ½-bbls do do;
50 boxes R. W. Jones' Extra Virginia Tobacco;
150 boxes low and medium grades Ky. & Va. do;
100,000 Regalia and Principe Cigars;
175 boxes ½ and ¼ pint Tumblers—good;
100 boxes ½ gallon and gallon Jars;
200 boxes No. 1 Bar Soap;
100 boxes Mould Tallow Candles;
1,000 bags Fine Liverpool Salt;
50 bbls Rectified Whiskey;
25 bbls Monongahela and Old Bourbon Whiskey;
10 bbls Malaga Wine;
500 kegs Shoenberger Nails, all sizes;
8 casks S. C. Rice—fresh;
With many other articles.

Terms of Sale.—All sums under $200, cash; all sums over $200, and under $500, 90 days; all sums over $500, and under $1,000, 60 days; all sums over $1,000, and under $2,000, 90 days; all sums over $2,000, 4 months' credit, for approved endorsed notes, payable in one of the city banks [jan12] W. H. GORDON & CO.

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☞ Box Office open from 10, A. M., to 1, P. M.
jan13—6t DR. F. DENMAN, Agent

ANDREW JOHNSON, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE,

To all who shall see these Presents—Greeting:

WHEREAS, It has been made known to me, that a certain JOHN N. BOTHOMS, charged with having committed a foul and atrocious murder on the 25th day of December, 1854, upon the body of John Sharkey, late of our County of Rutherford, has fled from justice and is now running at large.

Now, therefore, I, ANDREW JOHNSON, Governor as aforesaid, by virtue of the power and authority in me vested, do hereby offer a reward of three hundred dollars to any person or persons who may apprehend the said Bothoms and deliver him to the sheriff or jailor of our County of Rutherford, in order that justice in that behalf may be had and executed.

The said John N. Bothoms is about five feet, six or seven inches high; forty-five or fifty years of age; dark hair and skin, blue eyes, and left-handed. He broke jail at Murfreesboro' on the 6th of January, 1855.

L.S. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at Nashville, on the 11th day of January, 1855.

By the Governor:
ANDREW JOHNSON.
W. B. A. RAMSEY, Secretary of State. [jan13—w3t

PRATT'S
17th Annual Sale of Books & Stationery

ENCYCLOPEDIAS AND VALUABLE STANDARD Works, in every department of Literature, Science and Art; Annuals, and Books elegantly illustrated and illuminated, pictorial and embellished and beautifully bound, Fine Family and Pocket Bibles and Prayer Books of every description; Letter and Cap Paper, Portfolios, Gold Pens, &c., &c. To be sold at Auction, Thursday, Friday and Saturday Evenings, and following evenings, at the Store of TRABUE & LUCUS, No. 74 Public Square, at half past six o'clock.

The attention of the public in this city and vicinity is respectfully invited to this collection of Books, which is believed to be the most valuable collection of Standard Works ever offered at auction in this place. The Books are new and warranted perfect. Ladies and gentlemen are respectfully invited to call and examine them during the day. The sale will be positive and without reserve to the highest bidder, and will be continued every evening until all are sold.

TERMS CASH.—Purchasers are requested to call for their books on the day following each sale.
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REGULAR BURKSVILLE PACKET.

THE new light-draught fast running passenger steamer ODD FELLOW, Jesse W. Page, Master, will make weekly trips to the above and all intermediate ports, as soon as the water will allow. For freight or passage apply on board, or to H. H. HARRISON, Agent
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TO THE LADIES.

LADIES, go to the Crutcher House, and learn to cut Dresses of Mr. & Mrs. GEORGE, of New York, the oldest and most celebrated Teachers in the United States. Their System is entirely new, and different from all modes now in use. Call and investigate, have a lining fitted, and know for yourself whether it is worthy your attention or not. The beautiful new Basque Waist is also fitted by Mrs. G. Patterns of every variety cut to fit the form.

Terms reasonable, and perfect satisfaction given, or no charge will be made.

☞ Call soon, as their time is limited.
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"SPIRIT COMMUNION: A Record of Communications from the Spirit-Spheres, with incontestible evidence of personal identity, and Observations and Essays by J. B. FERGUSON. Union and American Steam Press.

This is one of the most remarkable books of the age, whether we regard the nature of the Spirit Communications it records, the strange disclosures it presents, or the clear and finished statements and arguments upon the future life its able and distinguished Editor has offered in its eloquent pages. It is very well adapted to the object had in view, and must command an extensive circulation. No man can read it without being profoundly impressed with the consistency of its philosophy, the rational character of of its religion, the beauty and sublimity of its appeals, and the honesty and fearlessness of its author.

For sale at the Book Stores of the city. [jan12—tf

FOR ST. LOUIS.

THE Steamboat ROCK CITY, J. S. Donch, Master, will leave for the above port on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 17TH INST.
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FIVE Beautiful Building Lots in Houston's Addition to Edgefield, fronting each 50 feet on Woodland street, and running back 170 feet to a 12 foot alley. Each lot has a number of handsome shade trees on it, and is within 400 yards of the Public Square. Call soon on
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PUBLIC SCHOOLS

THE Superintendent is at the High School Building daily from 9 to 12 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of examining and classifying pupils, preparatory to the opening of the Schools on the first Monday in February next.

The community will bear in mind that all the departments of the Public School system will commence in this building. Children of both sexes above four years old are admitted, and it is earnestly desired that parents and guardians should present their children early, in compliance with the above notice. FRANCIS B. FOGG,
jan6—tf Pres't of the Board.

TO THE WHOLESALE MERCHANTS of NASHVILLE.

THE subscriber has discontinued the manufacture of Tobacco in this city, and will commence manufacturing at St. Louis, where only in the West Fine Leaf can be obtained suitable