THE HICKMAN COURIER.

SATURDAY, : : DEC. 12, 1868.

GOOD NEWS.—If you want cheap home-made Furniture, call on Charles Oswald, at his new Furniture store.

Terms Reduced.

Owing to the stringency of money matters and with the hope of more rapidly increasing our circulation, we have concluded to reduce the price of subscription to the COURIER to $2 50 per year. Club rates $2.

REMOVAL.—J. Weimer has removed his furniture store from Jackson to Clinton street—next door to A. S. Anderson.

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. J. Barcroft, the new station preacher at this place will deliver his introductory sermon at the Methodist Church Sunday at 11 o'clock, A. M. Also services at 7 o'clock, P. M.

CHRISTMAS TRICKS.—Francis Miller announces to fathers and mothers, young men and old men, children and all, that he has received a large variety of christmas tricks,—everything from a limber-jack to the finest of toys, selected by Santa Claus especially for the children of Hickman and vicinity. They are all to be disposed of between this and Christmas, and all should call soon in order to have choice of articles.

FIRE.—S. N. White, would call the attention to his stock of new lamps just received, of all sorts and sizes, for burning coal oil and Petro oil. A general variety of everything necessary for people to have, at reduced prices.

COAL OIL.—Just received by V. A. McCutchen, which he is able to sell at Cincinnati prices. Those wishing to supply themselves would do well to call at this house.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.—A destructive fire occurred at Columbus, Ky., Tuesday morning last, destroying the M. & O. railroad depot buildings, and a large amount of freight, consisting of eighty car loads, besides, an immense quantity of dry-goods, groceries, etc., stored in the depot buildings. The total loss is estimated at $300,000. The fire was caused by a defective flue in one of the business offices. The wharfboat of Halliday Bros. was saved by the Gen. Anderson drawing it up the river beyond danger. No private property lossed.

Several hundred kegs of powder stored in the depot were saved by the brave exertions of the railroad hands while the building was in flames.

THE GOOD TIMES.—Parties are generally complaining of hard times and the scarcity of money, and all such are informed that relief is offered to them by purchasing their groceries, flour, salt, etc., at Mallory's, where everything is insured to be precisely what he represents it or the money refunded. He desires people to know of the advantages he offers in order that he and they may both be profited thereby.

CHARLES OSWALD, the enterprising furniture man, has just received a new lot of Metalic Burial Caskets, which he offers to sell very cheap to those who wish to buy

THE PRESENT CONGRESS.—The present House of Representatives will be divided between the parties about as follows:

Republicans	139
Democrats	81
Republican majority	58

The last Congress stood:

Republicans	174
Democrats	53
Republican majority	121

Showing the Democratic gain of 63. The Republican majority in the Senate will be increased.

PAPER IN MAYFIELD.—A paper is soon to be started at Mayfield, Ky., titled "The Jackson Purchase," by Rev. A. C. Caperton, and is to be devoted to christianity, education, commerce, and agriculture.

FORT LAFAYETT, the prison of so many Southern soldiers during the war, has been destroyed by fire.

HON. WM. LINDSAY, our State Senator from this district, was married recently at Clinton, Ky., to Miss Hettie Semple.

THE ruling price for pork hogs in this county is 8 cents nett, for corn fed.

NO RELIEF.—We see it stated in an exchange, on the authority of a member of the Tennessee Legislature, that no steps will be taken by that body during the present session, looking to the removal of the political disabilities from the disfranchised masses in this State. This announcement will take very few by surprise.

THE impression of a number of persons who have recently visited Utah is, that the Mormons will soon break up and that Brigham Young, who is worth some millions of dollars, will go to some other clime, where he can enjoy his wealth and the society of his favorite wives.

IT is a matter of interest to those who contemplate applying for the benefit of the Bankrupt act to remember that unless application is filed before the first of January, 1869, they will be required to pay 50 per cent of their debts.

THE British legation at Washington have produced a bill against the United States Government as an offset to the Alabama claims amounting to $44,000,000, being damages alleged to have been sustained by British subjects in the South during the late war.

THE Cuban revolutionists report that the future of their cause looks brighter, and they will not surrender; that they expect reinforcements of Americans, and Dominicans.

PROMPTNESS.—Persons having Furniture, repaired can save time and money by calling at Oswald's Furniture Manufactorery.

CHRISTMAS AND ITS JOYS.

A GIFT FOR ALL.

Christmas comes but once a year, so let us all be merry. Charles Oswald is in thorough preparation for the holidays having just received a large variety of toys, etc., suitable for Christmas presents. Articles to delight the wife, the sweetherrt and the little ones. Kris Krimble recommends every article he has. He has many articles beyond the comprehension of the Christmas Saint, and peculiarly suitable for presents for husbands to their wives and young men to their sweethearts. Indeed no one should neglect calling at his store and examing the endless variety, even if only for curiosity.

TO YOUNG MARRIED PEOPLE.

To young married people, and to those contemplating that fearful leap, he has not forgotten. Having just received a large lot of furniture selected on a economical, confortable plan just for the purpose of new beginners in house-keeping. He can furnish their houses, fine or ordinary, at Cincinnati prices. Having received a number of orders from brides-elect, he has prepared to supply all in prospect. 2t

For the Hickman Courier.

Town Talk.

MR. EDITOR:—I was much pleased with your article of last week under the above heading, and while it speaks plainly of some matters, it does not strike at the root, or causes which operate against our town.

Faction, or personal feeling and interest are the causes which paralyze the prosperity of our town, and while that continues either in her corporate capacity, or amongst her citizens, the town never can prosper. *My* policy, *my* objects and *my* interest, while it holds sway will ever retard the general improvement and interest of the place. Rash, incconsiderate and hasty action on the part of *any* leads to disastrous consequences and fatal results. Your contrast of Hickman and Paducah furnishes evidence of the truth of the above propositions. The legislation of Paducah has been of that character which has fostered and encouraged the good will of all her citizens, instead of inciting dispates, law suits and fulminating bulls in regard to corporate affairs. The citizens there, although there are conflicting interests, subsidize them to the general good, and seal their lips to condemnation if they can not heartily approve. They do not, like the dog in the manger, neither eat the hay nor let any thing else eat it. They build churches, and then are not so *bigoted* and proscriptive as to refuse the use of them to those who may unfortunately differ with them upon religious views. They maintain a system of public schools, giving to the humble and poor the means of education. In fine, they act in concert in matters of a general and public character, trusting that the incidental benefits will fully compensate them for all efforts.

The trade and business of our town is declining, and all from the want of a liberal, public spirit. Why is it that we have not over half of the business from our Railroad that we had a year ago. I mean local business? Let those answer who put themselves in antagonism with three fourths of the stockholders along the line of the road from here to Nashville. I am informed that freight is carried from McKenzie to Nashville at about the same it is brought from McKenzie to this place. Why these discriminations against Hickman? Why were hundreds of dollars spent by our "city fathers" in defending suits this year? Why was the Wharfage of the city appropriated for years in advance? Why was our common school system, and a tax for the support of the same abandoned? Why was our Seminary suffered and permitted to languish and die, and not a man be found who would give it a helping hand? Let the apathy, selfishness and the hasty and inconsiderate action of our people answer.

It is not, Mr. Editor, the fault of the property holders, so much as it is the fault of others, who give tone and course to these matters. The property holders are few, and they are in the power of others in regard to these public matters, yet we see no effort made to accomplish any great and laudable objects. The man who has done most for our town, the most public spirited citizen and one of the largest property holders,—I mean Jo. Keith—is now poor, and many of those who made their thousands out of the labor, energy and public spirit of that man, would refuse him, doubtless, credit for a plug of tobacco, and chuckle to think what a fool he was for labor and toil for their advancement.

I regret to say there is too much of that spirit in Hickman, and never will she succeed or prosper till a change wrought in her public mind. Scheming, cunning, wire-working and designing men are an incubus upon any place. Cliques, factions and partisans make a dead lock wherever found. Shylocks and shysters are a fungus growth, but terial, it will not support its own weight, but must fall, and when fallen no one will mourn its departure. Q.

Council Proceedings.

HICKMAN, Dec. 7, 1868.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.

Present Mayor Landrum, Councilmen McCutchen, Case, Frenze, and Miller.

The minutes of last meeting were read, received, approved, and adopted.

G. W. Stubblefield presented an account for city Jail fees of $15 05, which was, on motion, ordered to be paid.

John Ringwood presented an account of $2 50, which was ordered to be paid.

The committee appointed to make arrangements for the erection of a Market House and City Hall, reported nothing done, when, on motion, the committee was discharged.

The city Clerk presented a report of the fines adjudged by the city Court, and yet unpaid for the year 1868, which was received and ordered to be filed.

Thos. M. Jones, came before the Council and made oath that his assessment under the equalization law was erroneous, unjust, and asked a relief. The tax having already been collected, on motion, it was ordered that a draft be drawn in his favor on the city Treasurer for $30.

The amendments to the City Charter, as heretofore reported by the committee for that purpose, was taken up and discussed at length, when Mr. Frenz offered an amendment to the proposed amendments, amending section 1st so as to read "$1 50 for revenue purposes," instead of $2 00; also "$1 50 on tithes," instead of $2 00; and that Section 8, in said amendment be so amended as to read, "that the rate of taxation upon invoices shall not exceed 75 cents ad valorum," which were adopted.

On motion, it was ordered that a draft be drawn on the Treasurer in favor of Mrs. Freeman for three dollars, the amount of taxes reduced; also one in favor of Mrs. F. Edmonston for four dollars and seventy-five cents.

On motion, the city Tax Collector was directed to take in for taxes the balance due on bond 571.

On motion, the Clerk was directed to give Pat. R. Cunningham a receipt for vouchers presented.

On motion, a committee of two was appointed to make arrangements for a room for the Council the coming year, and V. A. McCutchen and J. Frenz were appointed as said committee.

The Council then adjourned.

J. H. MOREHEAD, Clerk.

Present Status of the Nashville and Northwestern Railroad.

A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Nashville and Northwestern Railroad was held in Nashville, December 4th, at the office of the Commercial Insurance Company, College street, for the purpose of consultation with regard to the future management and disposition of the road.

After some discussion, the following committee was instructed to ascertain the present condition, financial and otherwise, of the road, as well as to consider the propriety of its sale or lease, should it be restored to the company:

W. F. Cooper, R. C. McNairy, Nashville; Col. John A. Gardner, Dresden; Col. V. S. Allen, Huntingdon; Judge A. D. Kingman, Hickman.

While the meeting was in progress, Gen. West and Judge Tate, of the Mississippi Central, were introduced. The former made a few remarks to the following effect:

Previous to the year the Mississippi Central entered into a contract with the Nashville and Northwestern Road, looking to the construction of the branch from Huntingdon to Jackson, and to the effect, that when it was completed, each of the companies was to use the other's road as if both were consolidated into one; also that the Mississippi Central was to run through trains, both passenger and freight, into Nashville. The war prevented the consummation of the contract, but the lessees of the Mississippi Central Road were now anxious to carry it out, as it would give to their road a fine terminus, besides redound to the prosperity of the Nashville and Northwestern Road. He spoke of the condition of the latter road which, it was understood, was unable to do anything—unable to pay its accumulating interest due the State; unable to purchase rolling stock, and is now in the hands of a State Receiver. He suggested that the interests of the two roads be blended by the consolidation of the two companies, or by the sale of the Northwestern Railroad to the lessees of the Mississippi Central, the stockholders of the former to retain their stock at its estimated value in the market. The lessees were also to furnish the money to pay all interest due the State and provide for the payment of all interest which may hereafter become due. He also proposes to furnish from $75,000 to $100,000 with which to cancel the indebtedness of the company to the employees and contractors, or to make any such other arrangements as might be acceptable to the officers of the stockholders of the company.

In the event that the proposed consolidation was effected, General West said that the lessees, whom he represented, would run trains from Nashville to Paducah, over the Paducah Road, daily trains from Nashville to New Orleans, and daily trains into Hickman, Ky. He suggested that Nashville would be the great center by the construction of a road from Nashville to Lexington, Ky., we would have the most direct and practicable route from Cincinnati to New Orleans. It would certainly be much shorter than by way of Louisville. Arrangements were now in progress to bridge the Ohio River at Paducah. They are now bridging the Mississippi river at St. Louis. By the consolidation of the Nashville and Northwestern and the Mississippi Central Roads, unbroken railroad connection would be secured from Nashville to St. Louis, and via the Union and Pacific road, which would be completed within a year, to San Francisco. A passenger could thence go from Nashville to San Francisco, without a single transfer. A road was now being constructed from Indianapolis in the direction of Paducah, and had been completed to Vincennes, a distance of about 128 miles from Paducah. It would probably be completed to the latter place within two years. He contended that should the consolidation be effected, it would be of the greatest possible benefit to Nashville.

SPECIAL NOTICES

You May be too Late.

Be warned in time. Diseases like Indigestion and Dyspepsia are not to be trifled with. There is such thing as being *too late* in these matters. Inflamation, or Scirrhus Cancer; or some other dangerous disease may ensue, when all restoratives, no matter how potent, would be ineffectual. Do not delay then. When the symptoms of Dyspepsia are first experienced resort at once to the great restorative medicine, HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS, and you will be safe.

But few disorders involve greater suffering, and if not in itself immediately dangerous [illegible] evil, the mental and physical misery it produces is alone a sufficient reason why no pains should be spared to prevent or cure it. In no country on the face of the globe is it so completely domesticated as in our own, where it is found in nearly every household. HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS are universally conceded to be the sovereign remedy for this annoying disease, as they act directly upon the digestive organs, correct and tone the stomach, and give renewed vitality to the system. Acting delightful upon the nerves, and soothing the brains, renders them efficacious as a mental medicine, as well as a genial stomachic. If taken as a preventive, they will be found particularly well suited to the diseases arising from the unhealthy season of autumn, and their use will prevent the creeping, unpleasant sensation often complained of, when the chills are stealing slowly upon he patient.

EXTRA SPECIAL NOTICE.

Beware of Counterfeits! Smith Tonic Syrup has been counterfeited, and the counterfeiter brought to grief.

SMITH'S TONIC SYRUP.

The genuine article must have Dr. John Bull's private stamp on each bottle. Dr. John Bull only has the right to manufacture and sell the original John Smith's Tonic Syrup of Louisville, Ky. Examine well the label on each bottle. If my private stamp is not on the bottle, do not purchase, or you will be deceived. See my column advertisement, and my show card. I will prosecute any one infringing on my right. The genuine Smith's Tonic Syrup can only be prepared by myself.

The public's servant,

DR. JOHN BULL,

apl25 Louisville, Ky.

Commercial.

HICKMAN COURIER OFFICE, Saturday, Dec. 12, '68.

COTTON—Coming in pretty lively, and active at 21 cents.

APPLES—green, 75c to $1 00 per bushel. Dried 1 50 to 1 75 per bushel.

DRIED PEACHES—2 25 to 2 50 per bush.

BAGGING.—Flax, 26c; Greenleaf, 26c; India, [illegible] rope, 12a12½c.

SALES by car load. 7 bushels 90; 7 bu. No. 2, 3 50; 280 bbls, 3 40.

The Mississippi river is blocked with ice at St. [illegible] and navigation suspended above that point.

Telegraphic Markets.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.

Cotton less active but steady; sales of 4000 bales at 24[illegible]c.

Gold closed at [illegible] 135½c.

Money easy; all loans 6a7 per cent.

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 10.

Family Flour $7 25[illegible]

Corn 64a65c.

Oats steady at 60a65c.

Cotton, firmer 23[illegible] for middling.

Whisky 98c per gal[illegible]

Lard—14½a15c. for new.

Bulk shoulders 9½a9[illegible]c; sides [illegible]

Hogs 7½a7[illegible]c gross.

St. Louis Market.

[illegible]

Cotton—middling [illegible] Dec. 10.

New Orleans Market.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 10.

Cotton—lower—middling [illegible]

Hickman Wholesale Prices.

BALE ROPE, per lb 12a13c.
BAGGING, per lb, 28 a 30c.
ALCOHOL, ℔ gallon, $5 50@6 00.
AXES, ℔ dozen, $13@17 00.
BACON—Hams, plain, 18c.
" Canvassed, 20c.
" Sugar Cured, 22c; C. Sides 18c
" Shoulders, 15c
FORK—8 ℔ lb.
EGGS, per dozen, 15c.
BUTTER, 25@30c. ℔ lb.
BEESWAX —@30c. ℔ lb.
BLACKING ℔ doz 65@85.
BUCKETS, ℔ dozen, 2 25@3 75.
BROOMS, ℔ dozen, 3 50@4 00.
BROWN SHEETING, ℔ yard, 18a20c.
CANDLES, Star, 18@20.
COFFEE, Rio, 25@27c.
" Java, 40@45c.
CHEESE, W. R. ℔ lb 18a19c.
" E. D. ℔ lb@20c.
CRACKERS, ℔ ℔ 10@11c.
CASTINGS, ℔ lb, 7@8.
COTTON YARNS, ℔ dozen, 20@22c.
COAL OIL, ℔ gallon, 40a[illegible]
FLOUR, $10 00@12 00.
WHEAT, ℔ bushel, $1 50.
FEATHERS, ℔ lb 50@60c.
GUNPOWDER, ℔ keg $7 00a$7 50.
GUNNY BAGS, 24c.
HAY, ℔ ton $15a—.
HIDES, green, 6c.
" dry 15a19c.
HORSE SHOES ℔ lb 9c.
" Nails ℔ lb 27@35c.
LARD OIL, ℔ gallon, $1 50.
LARD, ℔ lb 18c.
LEAD, ℔ lb 12½ c.
MOLASSES, N. O. Sugar H, ℔ bbl, 36@1 00
" ℔ half bbls 1 10.
MEAL, ℔ bushel, 60c.
MACKEREL, in kits, $8 00@3 25c.
" ℔ bbls $22.
" ℔ half bbls $12 00.
" ℔ kegs, $12 00.
NAILS, ℔ keg, $5 00 rates.
CORN, in sacks, ℔ bushel 40c.
ONIONS, ℔ bushel $1 25@1 50.
POTATOES, Irish 75c, Sweet 75c per bush
RICE, ℔ lb, 11a12c.
SUGAR, Brown, ℔ lb 15c@18c.
" Crushed, 20c.
SALT, coarse, in sacks, $3 00.
" per barrel, $3 50.
SHOT, per bag, 4 25@3 50.
STONEWARE, ℔ gallon, 18c.
TOBACCO, Manufactured, per lb 60 a 1 00
TALLOW, per lb 08c.
CEMENT, Louisville, $3 50.
WHITE LEAD, 14a17c.
WHISKEY, common, per bbl 1 50a1 75.
" Rye and Bourbon, 2 00a2 50.
BRANDY, Apple, $2 75a7 00.
IRON, bar side, 5½.
PRINTS 12½ to 15.
JEANS, per yard, 30a$1 00.
LINSEY, per yard, 20a50c.
LEATHER, kip skins $4 00a7 50.
" sole, per lb. 40 a 45c.
" upper side, $3 50a4 50.
CATTLE, nett per lb 5c.
WASH BOARDS, per dozen, $3 50 a 4 00.
PLOWS, Steel, $8[illegible]a12.
HOES, $2a4 00 per set.
FELLOES $3 00a3 00.
WAGONS, $115a130.
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ANNOUNCE that he is prepared to do all work in his line. Boots and Shoes of the very finest make and quality put up on shortest notice. Repairing of all kinds solicited.

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Horses, Buggies and Hacks [illegible] ly on hand for hire and sale [illegible]

Thankful for patronage [illegible] ed and solicits a continuance [illegible]

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[illegible]es, Tin, Copper and SHEET-IRON WARE.

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such as COMBS, BRUSHES, Handkerchief Extracts, Rouge, Lilly White, Pomades, Hair Oil, Flavoring Extracts for cooking, and TOILET AND WASHING SOAPS, and a variety of other articles such as are usually kept in a first class Drug Store.

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Academy Class	16 00
Scientific Class	20 00
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W. L. ALEXANDER,

aug15—3m Trustees,

SCHOOL NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the GERMAN SCHOOL will commence on the 1ST OF SEPTEMBER, 1868.

Tuition must be paid every month in advance, payable to the teacher.

The School shall be divided in four classes. The first class has to pay for each month, $3 50; second, $3 00; third, $2 50; fourth $2 00. Every scholar must pay his tuition during the first week of each month, otherwise he shall be dismissed.

If a scholar beginning his studies in our school during the first week of the month, he has to pay the full amount of monthly tuition; if he begin after the first week, his tuition will be charged from the date on which he began.

By order of the German School Board.

aug15— JA. FRENZ, Pres't.

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