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Hon．S．F．Wilson，of Sumner county，is being pushed by his friends Commerce Commission．
Sam Jones and Sam Small，th evangelists，have been summoned to
appear before the grand jury at Rome，Ga．，to substantiate charges corruption and evil practices mad from the pulpit in that city．

Ascond survey of the Ohio \＆ Mississippi Valley Railroad from Princeton，Ky．，to Nashville has been
ordered．Gould is behind this road， and if he sets his stakes for Nashville， he will＂get there
Whetrer or not Benton MeMil－ in succeeds in knocking the Speak ership plum，he is winning as much national fame and popularity now as it looks very much like he is＇going to be speaker．
Nashimile and Chattanooga ar both laboring in the throes of heated
municipal campaigns．Nashville has two Democratic tickets in the field， while Chattanooga has a colored gen leman aspiring to the mayoralty of hat city，in addition to the regula Democ
nees．
Chiter Justice Peter Turney ha written a letter to the Nashvill American in whici he shows that Court is rapidly increasing beyond the capacity of the bench to handle ．By very long and hard labor the the last few years，buckets cleared for ays it will be impossible to Turne future with the rapid increase in number of cases．He urges that
fomething be done to keep the work of the court from getting far behind
THE Legislature having failed to penitentiary question，the courts ar While the a chance at the matter ittorney－General Pickle rendered a opinion，holding that the convict at Briceville have now instituted proceedings in the Knox Count
Criminal Court to test the legality or the matter，and the miners hav again magnanimously agreed to su－ the suit is settled．
Our contemporary says that＂the
United States is now coining sixt millions of dollars of silver annually The product of our mines amount
less than sixty millions per annum from which the amount used in the
foss annum arts should he deducted．He also coin the remaining frection that the
price of sive wouladvance 25 per
cent．G－e－－W－hi－s ！－－New Era．
 lieve that the free coinage of silve
will relieve the country from the dis tress from which it is now suffer－
The National Democratic conven view of the matter，and will side－ track the silver question as Mr．Mill
has done． The
marks：
MeMinnville standard re－
＂Gold has the same value marks：＂Gold has the same value
with or without the government
stamp；siliver has not；therefore isiver
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guments of monometalists．－Clarks ville Leaf－Chronicle．－
The intrinsic worth of the metal，
we suppose．We can see nothing we suppose．We can see nothrng
else which could give it a uniform value the world over．The Leaf Chronicle does not deny the fact
our statement，and our statement，and we fail to com－
prehend how a solid，rock－ribbed fact can constitute a deceptive argu－
ment．We know that our free coin ment．We know that our free con Government would put silver on
a
parity with gold，and give it an in trinsic value which it does not now
possess．We take no such rosy view possess．We take no such rosy view
of the powers of our Government，we do not believe the stamp of the Gov
ernment can add anything to the in ernment can add anything to the in
trinsic worth of silver，therefore we oppose its free colnage．We believe free coinage of silver will give us two
standards of money－a cheap kind for the poor and a high kind for the rich，end that this
injury the masses．

Aside from the political heresie Which the Alliance is trying to foist upon the country，the Alliance is ex－
ercising an influence for evil in other ways．A large majority of the A1－
liance＂lecturers＂are men whose minds run in very narrow grooves， who have small conception of the nobility and independence which
should characterize the should characterize the real farmer，
and whose chief talent is a tongue and a windy pair of lungs．
Their＂lectures＂for the most part are simply wordy demuniations of the old parties，and appeals to the preju dices of the more ignorant classes． Instead of a tendency to instruct and
elevate these clases，seeds of discond elevate these clases，seeds of discord
are sown，and a spirit of agrarianism are sown，and a spirt of agrariaism
and socialism is engendered．The
Alliance has fallen far of its organic promises．Had its first declaration o principles been carried out in proper spirit，it might have been an instru－ ment of great good to the agricultural
classes，but the order rapidly erated into a secret political organi－ zation．It can point to few，if any，
instances where it has made better farmers out of its members，but it has made third－rate politicians out of
many men who might good farmers had the educational been pursued．The Alliance is cul－ tivating discord and dissatisfaction utterly failed to better their condition in the smallest particular．An or－ ganization with such a record de－
serves only the censure of every Harvey Watterson Dead．
Lousvinus，$\overline{\text { Oct．}}$ 1．－Hon．Har－
vey M．Watterson，father of Henry Watterson，died tonight in this city at 10：30 o＇clock．He was born in
Bedford County，Tenn．，Nov． 23 Bedford County，Tenn．，Nov．23，
1811．In 1839 he succeeded James K．Polk in the Twenty－sixth Con－ gress，and was the only surviving
member of that body．He served in the Twenty－seventh and Twenty－
eight Congresses，and in 1813 was eight Congresses，and in 1833 was
sent by President Tyler to South America on an important diplomatic
mission．He declined office at the mission．He declined office at the
hands of Presidents Pierce，Buchan－ an and Johnson．He was a str
Union man during the late war．

## An Earthquake．

The Mississippi Valley was shaken
up to a considerable extent by an up to a considerable extent by an
earthquake between ten and eleven
o＇clock last Saturday night．St． Louis experienced the heaviest sen－
sations，many tall building in that
city being vibly city being visibly affected，and the
peepele much alarmed．The shock
extended to many other towns and
cities，but no damage to billoings is extended to many other towns and
cites，but to damage to buildings is
reported from any quatter． A convention of the negro women
of the country has beero called to
meet in Washington Cect，12th，in


Enwealth．
Endeavor think
nd good－－［Calhoun
Those who plot the often fall themselves．
The beautifucul hiden virtues are the nost lovely，－［Pascal．
 The wise and active conquer diffliculties
y daring to attempt them．
If you wish to remove avarice，you If you wish to remove avarice，you
nust remove，its mother－luxury． You should not fear，nor yet should a
vish for your last day．－［ Martial． He who will not answer to the rudder
nust answer to the rocks，－Herve． Mast answer to the rocks，－－Herve．
Many men owe the grandeur of their
ves to their tremendous difficulties．－ ＂Spurgeon． ＂Think not of gratifying thyself，but
consider each day what good thou canst That man enters infinite life who seeks That man enters infinite life who seeks nd finds a place where he can work witi
God．－Rev．E．E．Hale． Griefs are finally turned to joys if the
ith that walks with them can daily
 One of Sancho Pazzas sayings was
this He reaches well that ileses well； hat is all the divinity I understand．
Our character is but the stamp on our Our character is but the stamp on our
souls of the free choice of good and evil The graatest berefit which one friend an confer upon another is to guard and
excite and elevate his virtues．－Dr．John－ excte and
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It was the policy of a good old gentle－
nan to make his children feel that hame vas the happiest place in the world ；and value this deliclous home feling as one
of the choicest gifts a parent can bestow． －Washington Irving．
One will confer the greatest benefits on
his town，not by raising its roofs，but by oxalting its bouls；for it it is better that
oxal great souls should live in small habita－
tions than that abject slaves should bur－ ons than that abject slaves should bur
cow in great houses．－Evpictetus． The Chicago Dial，a literary paper，
culls phrases like the following from Bishop Spaldings solume of esays，
＂Education and the Higher Life；＂The
highest joy is serious；＂＂What only the highest joy is serious；＂＂What only the
few can attain can not be life＇s real end ew can attain can not to life＇s real ena
or the highest good；＂＂Joy is good only he last wisdom a great heart learns；＂ To grow is to outgrow＂，＂The worstfoe
wit and wisdom.

Money does not improve a mean man．
Contentment is the wine made from The historic sour grapes． The moment humility undertakes to If the devil ever feels good，
when he looks at a hypoorite． Keep a close eye on the man whose True merit never found a cloud big Wealth may be unequally divided，but ＂There aro born linrs as well as borny Never put yourself in the power of $n$
min who will kick a dog for fun．－ ［Ram＇s Horn．
A man had better not know so muc） tham to know so
so．－［Josh Billings． Don＇t try to make a pet of a bumble
bee because he is pretty．Beauty in The poor want money and the rich
want to spend it，and that＇s what gives
to the world progress． A runaway horse and a mad dog have
no conscience．Never dispute the righit of way with either．－［Texis siftings．
Tommy－Paw，what is＂fame？＂Mr． Migg－Fame，my son，is sormething a mai
makes money out of after he is dead．
There never was a man who failed There never was a man who failed in
business who did not claim it was so
caise he was too honest．－Atchison Globe． －Don＇t rob your wife all her lifetime in arder to make some provision for her in
case you should be first taken away． There is room for everybody in thi big world．Friction comes from the fact
that too many want the front room．－
Sirranton Truth．
There are plenty of peoplo on earth
who will be very indignant when the reach the other world to find there are
no reserved seats． Brotherton－Marriage is a failure
Bene－dict（in surprise－Why， 1 didn erton－I haven＇t，I failed．－－Puck，
＂Brotidet，＂，said Barrows angrily，
told you to have my hot water the firit
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you let Jones have the frout flat on the
 real estate agent，＂but you must remem－
lor thit Mr．Jons
Nuis no children．＂－
Now York Recorder． It is not every boy that can matre a bi－
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