

CLARKSVILLE, AUGUST 15, 1874.

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LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE AND GREAT SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

GOING NORTH. Train No. 2 arrives and leaves at 10:30 P. M.

GOING SOUTH. Train No. 1 arrives at 5:22 P. M.

We regret to learn of the serious illness of Mr. A. B. Harrison.

MONDAY, Tuesday and Wednesday, of this week, were the hottest days of the season.

CHANCERY Court will convene at 10 o'clock on the 4th Monday in August.

FRIDAY, 21st inst., will begin the week to be devoted to prayer by the Methodist denomination.

JUDGE C. W. TYLER will hold a special term of the Circuit Court at Arlington on the 29th day of August.

REV. B. M. TAYLOR, of Pulaski, is in the city, receiving the greetings of his many friends.

MISS STELLA HALSELL, daughter of Rev. J. M. Halseell, of Bowling Green, Ky., is in the city and is the guest of W. S. McReynolds.

For information concerning the Louisville Library Drawing, that takes place Nov. 30th, address or apply to James T. Wood, Clarksville, Tenn.

MR. PHILIP LARMAN, of Chicago, formerly a resident here, is in the city, after absence of many years.

PRAYER MEETING will be held at S. A. Caldwell's residence, on Greenwood Avenue, next Thursday night.

A cordial invitation is extended to all of every denomination.

We understand that the Clarksville people will not occupy their tent this year, at the Cedar Hill campground, but that assistance will be rendered those who will take charge of it.

The firm of Gray & Kerr, in the tobacco business in this city, have dissolved partnership, it having expired by limitation. See notice in another column.

MR. H. DUNLOP has been elected President of the Clarksville and Russellville Turnpike Company.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.—The exercises of the Institute commenced in this city last Monday.

CAPACIOUS WHEAT HOUSE.—W. T. Dorch & Co. have had a large and substantial wheat house erected in front of their mill.

THE SOUTHERN CIRCUS AND MENAGERIE.—Mr. G. Fields, the agent of this circus, failed to get the price of admission to his advertisement.

A GENTLEMAN, living in District No. 8, informs us that the army corps, or something similar to it, is making havoc with the young corn, etc. in that neighborhood.

MR. WM. EDMONDSON has his new horse-power ferry boat completed and in operation at the ferry just below Mile Island.

CINCINNATI EXPOSITION.—We are in receipt of a complimentary ticket to attend the Cincinnati Exposition, which will begin September 2, and continue until October 4.

AN AFFRAY.—Last Monday evening a fight occurred in that classic portion of our city known as Scufftown, between John McKnabb and Owen Sullivan.

MR. C. KROPP is having his residence fitted up in handsome style, and we understand he intends having the will of the building painted a more cheerful color.

DIED, at the Female Academy, in this city, on the 13th inst., Miss E. B. SHIVERS, one of the teachers in the literary department.

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OUR CITY ELECTION.

Although the people of Clarksville have hardly cooled off, from a rather heated canvass, they will have to prepare for the city election which will come off on the 1st Saturday in October.

Two candidates for Mayor are already announced—both worthy citizens, and well qualified for the office; but as the Conservative-Democratic vote can not well be divided into two parts and either part be greater than black-and-tan vote, we hope it will not be out of place to suggest, in the interest of harmony, strength and a satisfactory administration of the city's affairs, the call of a meeting of the citizens at an early day, to select from the aspirants, a suitable, or rather the strongest man, as a candidate.

Such an action will allay excitement and prevent the turmoil incident to elections in which a multiplicity of candidates, of the same party, afford ample scope for angry bickerings and unmanly matters of discontent.

Each of the candidates has taken a firm stand on the white man's platform, and pledged himself to abide by the action of the Convention. We would rather suggest that the present city fathers fix the time and place, and call a mass convention, or one composed of delegates from the several wards selected by the voters thereof.

Not being a resident within the corporation, we can have no purpose to subvert beyond the preservation of harmony, and the inauguration by the city, of that policy so successful in Nashville and Memphis, whereby the whites asserted and maintained their supremacy in a government created by and for themselves.

The conflict is bound to come, let us meet it now, and choose like men. The Menagerie department is probably the most choice feature of this elegant show, excepting, perhaps, its arctic display.

The Triple Circus with its Galaxy of Stars, comprising the familiar names of Cooke, Keyes, Vanzant, Leon, the acknowledged head of their several professions, Curly, the man who can exist at the bottom of the sea, the dashing Montaland, the princess of the arena; Seal, the acknowledged clown par excellence of all Europe, with his three cotemporaries; Miss Jessie, the Queen of Air, who ascends to the point of the highest center pole, daily, previous to the afternoon performance, and a crowning feature is the wonderful and thrilling leaps of the accepted champion of the world, Wm. Batchelor, who, in his unapproachable performance, actually defies all known laws of gravitation, all new, strange and interesting.

We predict the largest concourse of people ever congregated in our city for any similar exhibition. Do not forget the day and date.

The Difficulty at Austin. From our exchanges we learn that everything is again quiet at Austin, Miss., the scene of the late trouble between the whites and negroes. It seems that Dr. Smith, a white man, had a difficulty with a negro man and fired a pistol at him, but missing the man shot at, killed a negro boy.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.—The exercises of the Institute commenced in this city last Monday. Professors H. H. Smith, of Shelbyville, and W. B. Garrett, of Pulaski, with Superintendent Whitefield, are conducting the exercises. Some twenty-five or thirty teachers are in attendance.

FIRE.—Mr. Dunc Moore, an energetic, honest butcher of this city, had completed a well arranged slaughter-house, where he made preparations to slaughter, for the first time, last Tuesday morning, when he found that some one had set fire to it and burned it down.

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Official Vote of Montgomery County, Thursday, Aug. 14, 1874.

Table with columns for District No. and candidates for Judge, Sheriff, Clerk, Trustee, etc. Lists names and vote counts for each district.

Messrs. W. J. Tutt and J. R. Hawks were elected constables of District No. 12, by a good majority.

We give below the majorities of the candidates who received the highest vote over the candidate for the same offices who received the next highest vote: Tyler's majority, 1,777. Ahey's, 23. C. D. Bailey's, 2,509. Oneal's, 24. Pickering's, 470. Moseley's, 1,533. Johnson's, 24. Rogers' vote, (no opposition) 3,883.

The Great World's Fair at Clarksville, Friday, Sept. 11th. The "Great World's Fair," an aggregation of combined wonders, comprising every feature and adjunct of Zoological and Equestrian exhibition, forming the most stupendous conjunction of Circus and Menagerie with its extraordinary and gorgeous pageant and free exhibition, has made its advent east, in all its colossal and wondrous proportions, and will visit our city, on Friday, Sept. 11th.

On motion, the delegates were instructed to present the name of Conrad Frederick, Esq., as their choice for Representative. On motion, the delegates were further instructed to support no nominee inimical to the farmers' interests.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Clarksville and Russellville Turnpike Company, on this day, to elect a successor, and to commemorate the character and virtues of the late President of this company, Maj. Joshua Elder, whose life was an exhibition of every manly virtue, and whose death we sincerely lament, it was unanimously resolved, that in the death of our friend the late President of this company, Maj. Joshua Elder, we, together with this whole community, were deprived of a noble and highly appreciated citizen, whose life was an exhibition of every manly virtue, and whose death we sincerely lament, it was unanimously resolved, that in the death of our friend the late President of this company, Maj. Joshua Elder, we, together with this whole community, were deprived of a noble and highly appreciated citizen.

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HANDSOME CHAMBER SETS bought of the best manufacturers, in all

PARLOR SETS, in Hair, Walnut and Rosewood.

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AT CLARKSVILLE,

Monday, Aug. 17!

GROCERS!

CLARKSVILLE, TENN. Have in store an unusually full and complete stock of

GROCERIES! of every variety, which they are now selling, and will continue throughout the season to sell, at the very lowest possible prices.

Their prices are as low as any market in the South or West. They have a large supply of

SUGAR, of all kinds, Great Southern Menagerie, Museum, Aviary, Roman Hippodrome, and EGYPTIAN CARAVAN.

The Greatest Moral Show of the Age! Comprising the most attractive features gathered from all parts of the world, presented in the course of the

Most Enticing Splendor Ever Seen! In the CIRCUS and HIPPODROME even will be witnessed illustrations of the most

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Bodies giving a bewildering picture of Oriental Gorgeousness! Transcending the most fervid imagination. The whole under Lighted

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DOORS OPEN AT 1 and 7 O'CLOCK. Will also Exhibit at BOWLING GREEN, FRIDAY, AUGUST 14

ADMISSION 75 cts. CHILDREN 50 cts. Aug. 8, 1874-5m

HARRISON, MASSIE & CO. HAVE JUST RECEIVED A NEW LOT OF

READY-MADE SUITS AND POLONAISE, Very Handsome and Stylish at from \$5 00 upwards.

ALSO, New lot of Fans, Fan Chains, Ruchings, Ties, Ribbons, &c., and are selling at Low Prices. Now is the time to get the greatest

Bargains EVER OFFERED IN

SPRING AND SUMMER DRY GOODS, As we have MARKED them DOWN at

Closing Out Prices. Those wishing Extra Bargains should call early as we have some style to close regulars of cost.

New Style Bordered PRINTS, LINEN LAWSNS, MUSLINS WHITE PIQUE, VICTORIA LAWSNS, &c., &c., just received by HARRISON, MASSIE, & CO. June 27, 1874-6.

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MRS. WM. ROSENFELD Takes pleasure in informing the public that she is now supplied with a large and varied stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER MILLINERY -AND- Dress Trimmings, Fancy Goods, of all kinds; Fans, of every variety; Bonnets and Hats, of every shape; French Flowers; Point A laques; Gimpure Laces, &c.; SCARFS, Real Hair Braids and all goods to be found in a first class Millinery establishment.

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