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Railroad Guide.

Passenger trains leave Clarksville as follows: South—7.15 A. M. and 7.05 P. M. North—9.25 A. M. and 8.45 P. M.

COUNTY ELECTION

AUGUST 1st, 1878.

CIRCUIT JUDGE.

JAMES E. RICE—We are authorized to announce Judge JAMES E. RICE as a candidate for re-election to the office of Judge of the Circuit composed of the counties of Sumner, Robertson, Montgomery, Stewart, Houston, Humphreys, Dickson and Cheatham.

COUNTY TRUSTEE.

DR. C. L. WILCOX—We are authorized to announce Dr. C. L. WILCOX as a candidate for Trustee at the ensuing August election.

JOHN P. MANSON—We are authorized to announce JOHN P. MANSON, of District No. 2, as a candidate for County Trustee at the ensuing August election.

ED. HEWITT—We are authorized to announce ED. HEWITT, of District No. 15, as a candidate for Trustee of Montgomery county at the ensuing August election.

ROBERT A. WILSON—We are authorized to announce R. A. WILSON as a candidate for Trustee of Montgomery county at the August election.

JAMES T. ATKINS—We are authorized to announce J. T. ATKINS as a candidate for County Trustee at the ensuing August election.

COUNTY COURT CLERK.

JOHN H. MARABLE—We are authorized to announce JOHN H. MARABLE as a candidate for County Court Clerk at the ensuing August election.

ROBERT H. WILLIAMS—We are authorized to announce R. H. WILLIAMS as a candidate for County Court Clerk at the ensuing August election.

SHERIFF.

JOHN H. MASON—We are authorized to announce JOHN H. MASON as a candidate for Sheriff of Montgomery county at the August election.

JAMES E. MOSELEY—We are authorized to announce JAMES E. MOSELEY as a candidate for re-election for the office of Sheriff at the ensuing August election.

New Advertisements.

Shelby, Scott & Co. have an advertisement in another column. Read it.

R. D. Read, J. P., has an attachment notice in another column.

$66 a week. See Hallet & Co's. advertisement.

Stinson & Co., Portland Maine, have an advertisement in this issue of our paper.

The Centau Liniment, for man and beast, is advertised in another column. Read it.

Peter Oneal, Clerk and Commissioner, advertises five lots of land of the Marable estate, situated on the waters of Yellow creek.

Dr. H. M. Acree, dentist, has a card in this issue. His mechanical dentist, Dr. Sharp, has returned to the city and they are now prepared to execute work in their line at low figures. Read the card.

Dr. C. L. Wilcox, well known to our citizens, is announced as a candidate for Trustee. He is a man of energy and intelligence and would no doubt fill the office with satisfaction to his many friends.

Mr. Ed. Hewitt, of District No. 15, is announced, in another column, as a candidate for Trustee. Mr. Hewitt is well known to nearly everybody in the county as an honorable and upright man, and, should he be elected, will fill the office with fidelity.

Bloch Bros. have several special notices in another column. Mr. Robert Mainhardt, who purchased their Spring stock, displayed good taste in his selections, and you can find almost anything you want at this popular house.

Mr. V. L. Williams, the boot and shoe man, is now receiving his large stock of boots, shoes, hats, caps, etc. Mr. Williams buys from the manufacturers direct and will sell at bottom prices. See advertisement in another column.

Mr. John P. Manson is announced in todays paper as a candidate for county Trustee. Mr. M. has been acting as deputy sheriff, and has given entire satisfaction as a public officer. If elected we have no doubt he will fill the office to the satisfaction of the public.

Mr. R. S. Broaddus, of the firm of Rice-Broaddus & Co., has just returnd from his Eastern trip where he has purchased, and is now receiving, their large and elegant stock of Spring and Summer goods. The ladies are especially invited to call and examine their new goods. See advertisement in another column.

It will be seen from an advertisement, in another column, that W. R. Bringhurst, Sr., has opened a carriage and buggy shop on First street, near Commerce. He will give special attention to repairing, painting and trimming buggies, etc. Mr. Bringhurst is an honest, competent workman, and all who favor him with their work may rest assured that it will be done in a workman like manner.

THE City Council will meet in regular session next Tuesday night.

THERE was a slight frost on Monday morning—no damage done.

JUDGE C. G. SMITH left for Pittsburgh last Tuesday night on a business trip.

THE Grand Jury was in session last Thursday. A large number of witnesses were in attendance.

THE April term of the County Court will meet next Monday. All of the Magistrates are requested to be in attendance.

PITMAN & LEWIS are receiving their spring stock of clothing which was purchased by Mr. Lewis. Call and examine the new styles.

W. F. COULTER, of the firm of Coulter Bro. & Stratton, has returned from New York, and is now receiving their spring stock of goods. Billy always makes good selections.

SHELBY, SCOTT & Co. have finished their new warehouse for storing tobacco. They are now prepared to handle all tobacco that may be sent to them. They are a live energetic firm.

MR. W. D. MERIWEATHER has broke dirt for his new residence on the lot adjoining the Baptist church. Mr. Geo. Buck has the contract for the brick work, and McReynolds & Son for the wood work. This building, when completed, will be quite an addition to Madison street.

MR. E. GAISSER & SONS, ornamental iron workers, finished and shipped to Dover on the Anderson, last Tuesday night, the two iron cages for the Dover Jail. There was an immense amount of work on them, twelve thousand holes were punched and six thousand rivets put in. Dover will have no necessity hereafter to send her prisoners away from home for safe keeping.

Judge Tyler's Charge.

EDITOR CHRONICLE:—I have seen several comments on Judge Tyler's charge to the Grand Jury, but no one has seemed to view the matter in the light in which it presents itself most strongly to me. Judge Tyler is a personal friend of mine, and one whom I regard with the very highest consideration, professionally and socially, but I think he is unduly alarmed about the danger to society, and I also think that he fails to look into the matter deeply enough to see *why* the citizens, under exasperating circumstances, take the law in their own hands. Innocent and unsophisticated citizens, not versed in the traits and habits of the legal fraternity, hold the idea that it is a lawyer's duty to his client to see that he gets *full justice*. Whereas the actual practice is this, as soon as a lawyer is secured by a criminal, that lawyer, in consideration of a fee or hope for reputation, becomes the champion of the criminal, and, instead of endeavoring to procure the exact measure of justice that his client is entitled to, he commences trying to procure his client's acquittal by means of every little quibble and legal technicality that he can avail himself of, and the more notorious a scoundrel the client may be, or the more outrageous the crime he may be accused of, and the stronger the evidence against him and the more generally he may be believed to be guilty, the greater the feather in the cap of the lawyer, who, by some peculiar and sinuous process, gets him off unpunished.

The victim of the late lynching was heard to allude to a certain distinguished member of the Clarksville bar, and further remarked that he wasn't at all uneasy, that he had property enough to to pay that lawyer to get him off. Now as long as lawyers—in consideration of a fee or in pursuit of reputation—use their most earnest endeavors, and exercise their best skill and talents, and their greatest dexterity and ingenuity *to defeat the ends of justice*, just so long a negro, who attempts a rape on a lady, will almost certainly be lynched in this community, and I do not think that the safety of society is endangered thereby.

Let Judge Tyler look a little beyond the actual lynchers, and he will see who is responsible for this great danger to society which looms with so much terror before his mind. LYNCH.

CLARKSVILLE March 26, 1878.

[Apart from our high estimation of the writer of the above, we should deem it worthy of insertion as presenting the other side of a question which undoubtedly has two sides to it. Allowing full force, however, to the considerations it presents, we do not see that Judge Tyler, holding the position he does, could adopt any other course than he did, consistently with the duties which he is sworn to carry out. ED. CHRON.]

Van Amburg's Menagerie and Circus.

The following from the Charleston Journal of Commerce speaks very flatteringly of the Great Van Amburgh Combination, which will give two grand performances in Clarksville, on Friday, April 5th, at the extremely low price of 50 and 25 cents admission. This company deserves great credit in being the first to reduce the amusement fee, and we consider it an act that will insure them full tents. The show is good, and has won golden laurels in the South. Read the following:

The second day's exhibition of this mammoth show was offered at the Citadel Green yesterday afternoon and evening. At noon a street pageant furnished sport for the penniless boy and ragged urchin. A fine open air street parade and exhibition would be all that this class would behold. They missed a rare opportunity—one that, perhaps, they will never again have the pleasure of witnessing. The thousands who were packed beneath the commodious tents can testify to this. They do not regret having gone—having seen and been pleased. At the matinee show the school children, with books in hand, turned out nobly, and mothers with their little ones were plentiful, fathers, too, were there. At night another large audience was attracted, and they were all fully paid for the trouble. It would be useless to attempt to enumerate the hundreds of attractions, and to record the many pleasing episodes of the performance. Sebastian, the Italian bare-back rider, in his marvelous feats transported the audience. Miss Lowande, in her riding, her skill and grace, was received with the most flattering applause. Little Charlie Watson—the boy of ten years—of wonderful skill, power and preservation of mind, in his daring bare-back feats, is deserving of special mention. Foster, the humorous clown, he who keeps the boys in a constant roar of laughter, will long be imitated by the urchins—we could go on and enumerate many more who deserve praise—but the menagerie is still more attractive; there is the immense element, who devours 500 pounds of hay, three bushels of corn and seven bushels of oats daily; the three healthy lions, who are fed before the audience with the large cuts of beef, the rhinoceros, who eats his daily tub of rice and milk; the Australian tram bat, the only one in America, is fed on nuts. The peculiarity of this animal is, that when vexed, he coils himself up like an adder, and looks like a huge foot ball.

The rhinoceros has taken a great fancy to the artisan water on the green, and he can't be given enough. The alligator fancies, also, are captured by the water and she drinks and washes freely. The agent states that of all the animals under his care, with but a few exceptions, corn is devoured freely. The expense of running the show is $1,200 a day.

For Tobacco Port.

Arrangements have been made with the steamer T. T. Hillman to convey delegates and visitors to the District Conference which is to be held at Tobacco Port April 11-14. The Hillman will leave Ashland City at 12 o'clock Wednesday night, April 10, and Clarksville at 7 o'clock Thursday morning, April 11. The same boat will return Monday night. Round trip $3, or half fare rates.

River Items.

The river is about on a stand at present, with four feet on shoals. The Anderson was assisted over the shoals by the Matt Gracey. The Nashville passed up yesterday morning with a good trip; Hillman and Eddyville down Thursday night; Nashville and Silverthorn down Saturday nights; Anderson down Tuesday nights.

Freights have been light during the past week; receipts about 100 hhds. tobacco at this point.

The steamer T. T. Hillman, Capt. Joseph Ambrose in command, will leave here Thursday morning, April 11th, at 7 A. M., promptly. She will carry the ministers and friends to Tobacco Port, Tenn., to the meeting of the District Conference. They will issue round trip tickets at $3. Capt. Ambrose is a clever gentleman and will try to make everyone comfortable. She will pass Ashland City about 12 o'clock Wednesday night, April 10th.

THE Mayfield (Ky.) Democrat has creditable information that the flies are damaging the tobacco crop in the southern portion of that county.

The Golden Wedding.

The most enjoyable entertainment we have for a long while attended was that of Monday night, given to the Rev. A. D. Sears and Mrs. Sears on the occasion of the fiftieth wedding day of the couple. [illegible] entertained by invitation of the members of the Baptist church, of which Mr. Sears is pastor, and the whole of the ground floor of the Central Hotel was thrown open for the accommodation of the numerous guests invited.

Who were there, do you ask? Well, almost the Baptist Church was there and a large delegation, both lay and clerical, from all the other churches, only the clergy and most of the laity of the Episcopal Church were deterred on account of its being the Lenten season. One of the most interesting features was the large attendance of the aged, who seemed for a night to renew the gaiety and cheerfulness of youth in sympathy with the happy pair who so joyfully accepted their congratulations. Many of their intimate friends contributed gifts as for a wedding, of which the following list, cut from our neighbor, the Tobacco Leaf, seems to be official:

Among some of the most beautiful gifts were an elegant pair of gold-base vases, sent by Revs. W. A. Nelson and L. B. Fish, of Nashville; a tiny casket of pearl and gold, filled with gold dollars, by Mrs. Bryce Stewart, a beautiful trinket procured in Europe. An elegant pair of sleeve buttons, and a thimble filled with gold dollars were presented by Capt. J. J. Crusman; a beautiful shawl pin, by Mrs. Cooke and Mrs. Jordan; a gold pen and pencil, very handsome, by Rev. R. K. Brown; gold pen, by Mrs. J. B. Shearer; gold pen, pearl holder, by Gen. B. D. Johnson; Masonic pin and coin, by Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks; jet and lava sleeve buttons, by Mr. M. C. Fitman; a beautiful pair of gold lined salt collars, spoons and coin, by Gen. and Mrs. W. A. Quarles; a tiny casket or trunk, and coin, by Miss Kate Rogers; a very unique silt bottle, glass and coin, by Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Keesee, with compliments, and directions to Mrs. Sears to take the contents in broken doses; handsome sleeve buttons, by Mrs. Gauchat; a French scent bag, from Paris, lace head dress and collar, by Misses Gerhart (the laces were worn on the occasion by the bride in honor of the young ladies); a beautiful gold-lined cup, by Mrs. Barker and Mrs. Trice; Rev. Dr. Lupton made a handsome gift in coin; a handsome button by Mr. T. P. Major; Mrs. Wm. Drane presented a coin bearing the date of 1826. The bridal rose-bush and a gift envelope, containing a handsome sum of coin, was a present from Mrs. L. Bloch. The covering of the vase of the bridal rose was a thing of exquisite beauty, the handiwork of Mrs. Simon Bloch, decorated with beads and figures of angels; a large, flat, oval bouquet was a gem in the floral offerings, by Mr. J. M. Rice; a beautiful pyramid of flowers and coin, by Mrs. Dr. Bailey; a basket of the most exquisite flowers was received from Mr. A. W. Webber, of the Rosebank Nursery, Nashville. There were many presentations of gold coin from persons whose names we are unable to give. Altogether, the presents were beautiful, and sum up considerably in value.

A little before nine a ceremony was performed which may be generally described as a renewal of the nuptial pledges of fifty years ago. We arrived a little too late for this, but were informed that our confrere, Riley, acted as officiating priest. That he filled his high office with priestly dignity we do not doubt, and he certainly did justice to the good things provided with a priestly profusion. We trust that his dreams were as those of the "Friar of orders grey" in the old song:

After supper of Heaven I dream,
But that is fat pullets and clouted cream.
Myself by denial I mortify
With a dainty bit of a warden pie.
I'm clothed with sack-cloth for my sin;
With old sack-wine I'm clothed within.
A chirping cap is my matin song,
And the vesper bell is my howl, ding-dong.
What Baron or Squire
Or knight of the spire
Lives half so well as a holy Friar?

For ourselves, a dyspeptic habit of body compelled the strictest moderation in this respect; what we did taste led us to envy the gastronomic powers of our confrere.

Music was kept up throughout the evening, Mr. J. Jarrel presiding at the piano. Prof. Boden joined him on the violin and occasionally in a vocal effort, in both cases discoursing "most excellent music." Mr. Goodlett's flute was also occasionally heard in unison with the other instruments.

Everybody was gay and happy, and in this respect the old surpassed the young, returning to the frolics of their "green and salad days" with a zest which astonished their juniors. Pleasant social intercourse last till after midnight, and the party dispersed wishing that there might be a golden wedding every season. Between ourselves we accepted an invitation to one which is to come off five years hence—that of our golden-mouthed orator and friend and fellow-citizen, Maj. G. A. Henry and his universally beloved spouse. May they live happily till then and many years afterwards.

BOYS' save your dimes—menagery and circus next Friday.

STODDART COMEDY COMPANY.

Two Comedies—Our Boys—Lemons.

Next Wednesday and Thursday night Melodeon Hall is to be open for the performence of legitimate comedy. The pieces announced above have both triumphantly passed the ordeal of first class theatrical criticism in the leading cities of Europe and America. "Our Boys" has, perhaps, held a stronger hold on the London boards than any work of the kind since Bulwer's "Money was produced, when the old men of the present day were young play goers; and it has since beeen produced with equal success in New York, Boston, Philadelphia and our great Western cities. We anticipate with interest a hearing of a work which has been so universally popular

Miss Louise Dillon, the lady star of the company, has turned the heads of our contemporaries wherever she has appeared. Young men take care of your hearts, you have only one chance of escape; take your own lady love with you and you are safe—otherwise you are gone up, there is no chance for you. Seats are on sale at the book and drug store of Owen & Moore. Reserved seats 75 cents; general admission 50 cents.

Distressing Accident.

Just at the close of Monday night's festivities at the Central Hotel an accident occurred very much damping the pleasures of the evening. Mrs. Read, the venerable mother of R. D. and J. C. Read, Esq., in coming down the steps of the hotel slipped and fell, sustaining a serious fracture which threatens a long and wearisome confinement. This excellent lady, now in her eighty-third year, has for some time retired in a great measure from society, but ventured out on this occasion to offer her congratulations to her old friends.

She was taken to the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Willis, next morning, where she is enduring with Christian fortitude the suffering and privation necessarily attendant upon such an injury.

The Teachers' Meeting.

Under the auspices of our County Superintendent, M. G. Carney, Esq., the meeting of public school teachers was conducted last Friday and Saturday in a manner which cannot but be advantageous to both the teachers and the schools which they teach. Questions bearing practically on methods of teaching and discipline were ably discussed by gentlemen who brought their experience straight from the school-room, and found this a good opportunity of both learning and teaching the art of education.

The discussions were carried on with admirable order and good temper, Superintendent Carney presiding, with Prof. W. W. Yarrell as Secretary.

On Friday night extempore addresses were delivered by the Hon. C. G. Smith, A. V. Goodpasture, Esq., and the editors of the Tobacco Leaf and CHRONICLE. Professor Brooks, our active City Superintendent, acted generally as host, and was fully equal to the responsibilities of the occasion. Perhaps the most instructive part of the proceedings was the visit paid by the teachers to the city schools while in operation, the admirable discipline and order in which were a lesson worth any teacher's study.

During the second day the Hon. Leon Trousdale, State Superintendent, arrived and took an active part in the proceedings. Arrangements were made for him to address the teachers and the public at Melodeon Hall on Saturday night, but the announcement was made too late for anybody to know anything about it, so there was no audience and no address. The Tobacco Leaf, however, seems to have, by some magic, heard the speech which was not delivered and says it was very fine, which we do not doubt. The old fairy tale speaks of the magician Fine-ear, who could hear the grass growing before the blades appeared above ground. Our neighbor beats Fine-ear; he heard the splendid thoughts and brilliant sentences of Mr. Trousdale while they were confined to the inner consciousness of the gentleman. Riley, give us a verbatim report of that speech.

A New Railroad Enterprise.

A conference has been held this week between some of our leading business men and two gentlemen representing the St. L. & S. E. R. R. on a matter of importance to the business interests of Clarksville. The gentlemen who visited our city were Mr. Shepherd, General Superintendent, and Mr. Butler, General Agent of the road in question, and the enterprise which they presented was the construction of a branch road to strike the St. L. & S. E. at Guthrie. We have been put in possession of the financial arrangements whereby this scheme is hoped to be realized, but will forbear at present discussing them, as the affairs of the S. E. itself are in a transition state and we are not, until we know more about them, in a position to discuss the feasibility of the proposition. About the importance of interesting that line in the business of Clarksville there can be no two opinions, and we wait further light upon the subject with interest.

I. W. WATSON, Esq., living in District No. 10, of this county, had the misfortune to lose his dwelling, kitchen and smoke-house by fire last Wednesday night. He lost all his bacon, lard, and in fact all the provisions he had. Of the household furniture nothing was saved but three beds; all the clothing of the family was burned, and it was with difficulty that Mr. Watson saved his six little children. He is a worthy and deserving man and any contributions from his friends would be thankfully received.

WE are pleased to know that there is a decided movement on the part of New Orleans to regain the trade temporarily lost to her in the handling of the tobacco destined for the European markets. We have recently met Mr. H. C. Caulkin, representing the house of Howard & Preston, of New Orleans, who for the past two years have made a struggle with the East to turn the immense crops of grain grown in the West through her legitimate channel, viz: the Mississippi river, and who now are bending their energies toward the handling of the tobacco crop. With the success of the jetties at the mouth of the river they are bound to win in the long run, and largely to the benefit of the shipper.

CALL and see Bloch Bro's dress goods. Two thousand pieces prints, beautiful styles.

Call With Subscriptions.

Last time there was a meeting of the Temperance Union a subscription was made of more than funds enough to pay the association out of debt. Some of those who gave their names are no doubt expecting to be called upon and ready to pay when approached. We have now to say that nobody can be found to carry round the subscription papers, but donors will oblige by calling with their contributions at the store of Fox & Smith and handing them in to Capt. Smith, the Treasurer of the Union.

WE learn from several sources that the fly is eating up the young tobacco plants in this section. The recent cold weather has been very favorable for the work of this destructive pest. If our farmers would plant less, cultivate better and handle neater, they would realize better prices.

WE had a call from Judge H. C. Caulkins, of New Orleans, a few days ago. Some of our citizens will remember him as one of the passengers who suffered from the Budd's creek disaster a few years ago. He is representing the house of Howard & Preston, general agents for forwarding European tobacco and grain, at New Orleans, and is an intelligent and social gentleman.

RICE, BROADDUS & CO., are receiving their spring stock of goods. We notice some nice ladies dress goods at ten cents per yard. Mr. Broaddus has displayed unusual taste in his selections.

Sundries.

A Bible commentator says: "The sermons of ministers should not be mere exhortations addressed to the passions of men, but should contain sound argument and conclusive reasoning—not merely asserting, but proving the great doctries and duties of the Gospel, and enforcing them upon the consciences and hearts of men." The London Recorder says: "Undoctrinal preaching is the forerunner of sentimentalism, fanticism superstition, and the practical rejection of Christ. Leave one age without doctrinal preaching, and the next will be entirely at the mercy of any new heresy which may arise. To break down the great principles of Christianity is to prepare the way for the destruction of the religious life which it supplies. There never has been a religious movement of any lasting spiritual advantage to mankind that has not derived its life and warmth from the kindling influences of a great doctrinal belief." And yet the multitudes throng those so called divines who appeal only to their emotional natures, and who measure the success of their efforts by the amount of *rousement* which they may create. Under the influence of momentary excitement people are brought into the Church whose highest conception of Christianity is a big sensation—"yelling happy" once a year is the sum total of their religious life. As to being subject to the discipline of the Church, attending upon its ordinances, and supporting its institutions, which they have solemnly promised to do, they are entirely wanting. This is the legitimate result of substituting exhortation for preaching, and the "billing and cooing" process for healthful discipline. In some places the Church is so loaded down with these hypocritical pretenders that it has almost lost its influence for good, and the life is well nigh crushed out of it. It's mission will not soon be accomplished unless these "camp followers" are made to fall into the line of duty, or consigned to the more congenial company of heathens and publicans.

A pharisaical Yankee has recently written a book against tobacco, coupling its use with whisky drinking, Sabbath breaking, &c. I read in a moral reform paper, not a great while ago that tobacco, whisky and coffee constituted the trinity of devils. Well, whatever may be said against the use of the weed, it is certain that the rasing of it is a good thing to make people industrious. They do not have enough leisure time to get lazy in. I have not found such busy people any where as are the inhabitants of this tobacco district.

If you want to hear some good music get Dr. Aleck Smith to invite the singers to his house, with Wm. Smith as leader; then go there and stay all night. If you are not well pleased it will be because you have no ear for sweet sounds.

Dr. McCauley has a worthy successor at Fredonia, in the person of Dr. Charlie Crouch. Having graduated in medicine, and provided himself with an ornamental and useful companion, he has entered upon the practice of his profession quite propitiously. ASBURY.

LADIES and gentlemen are invited to call and examine our Stock of Boots and Shoes which is far superior to any we have ever had. Novelties in ladies shoes.

BLOCH BRO'S.

AN interesting meeting has been going on at the Methodist Church during the past week. Rev. R. K. Brown has been assisted this week by Revs. J. B. McFerrin, Mooney and J. W. Hanner, Jr., and we learn that Rev. D. C. Kelley, of Nashville, was to have preached last night and will remain several days. A good deal of interest is being manifested and several have asked the prayers of the Church. The meeting will probably continue next week and we hope much good will be accomplished before its close.

MR. H. T. LYLE, merchant at Searcy's Ferry, has just returned from Nashville, where he has bought his spring stock of dry goods, etc. He says he has bought his goods at low figures and is determined to sell them the same way. His patrons are invited to call and examine his new stock.

To Correspondents.

Several communications have of late been dropped into the waste basket in observance of our inflexible rule of never printing anything not accompanied by the name of the contributor. The rule on this head is absolute. The name is not published without the consent of the writer, but it must be confided to the publishers.

THE order of the Knights of Pythias, in this city, is increasing rapidly. New petitions and initiations at every meeting. We presume one reason of this increase is the endowment rank of insurance which we believe is more than any other benevolent order in this country.

THIS vicinity was visited with a splendid rains this week. Vegitation is putting forth rapidly and "mother earth" is being clothed with "living green."

THE Memphis Appeal of a recent date says: "Throughout West Tennessee the wheat crop looks and gives promise of an abundant harvest. As a corn growing State Tennessee ranks sixth. The average annual production of this great cereal is from forty-five to fifty-five million bushels."

TARPLEY & PARISH have just painted a very pretty sign and placed it over the door of Owen & Moore's drug store.

MR. GEO. SNAUDEN is having a store room erected on First street, near the Tobacco Exchange, for Fox & Smith. They will use it for a store room for their reapers and mowers.

THE Independent Champions of the Red Cross will meet at their hall next Tuesday night. All of the members are requested to be present.

FINE TOBACCO

Has always an active market, and the

HOMESTEAD TOBACCO GROWER!

does inprove the quality. Call and get the late circulars with certificates.

J. J. CRUSMAN.

February 23, 1878-2m

REV. W. T. PLUMMER, Principal of the Female Seminary at Collierville, West Tennessee, died on Thursday, of last week. He was about fifty-nine years of age, and was a brother of Rev. J. R. Plummer of this city.

ON Wednesday evening last, as Mr. Chiles Barker was leaving town his horse ran away with him and smashed his buggy pretty badly, but fortunately Mr. Barker only received a few bruises.

REV. WM. BURR, formerly Presiding Elder of this district, has been conducting a protracted meeting at Franklin, Tenn., and on Sunday last twenty-seven members were added to the Church.

THE Plaindealer, published at Asland City, hoists the name of Gen. W. B. Bate as its first choice for Governor; subject, however, to the action of the Democratic convention.

UNCLE JOSHUA BROWN, one of our oldest and most highly respected citizens, paid us a visit a few days ago and renewed his allegiance to the CHRONICLE.

THE telephone that Gracey & Bro. had erected, a few weeks ago, is working very well, and proves a a great convenience.

At Wholesale.

Tin Plates, Sheet Iron and Tinner's Findings at wholesale by

KINCANNON, WOOD & Co.

March 23, 1878—2t.

Genuine Metal.

A growing desire for *new things* that are good may be gratified at Pitman & Lewis' by selecting new Hats, Spring Overcoats and other fine clothing suitable for anybody and every season.

PITMAN & LEWIS.

March 16, 1878.

Bloch Bro's

Are opening the largest Stock of Spring Dry Goods ever brought to theis market.

WE are receiving and storing Tobacco in our new warehouse, opposite to Gracey warehouse, corner of Commerce and Second streets. All Tobacco stored in said House, that we have advanced upon, will be insured against fire at owners expense, those not advanced upon at owners risk, unless otherwise instructed.

SHELBY, SCOTT & Co.

The Centaur Liniment.

The Centaur Liniments are of two kinds. The White is for the human family; the Yellow is for horses, sheep and other animals. Testimonials of the effects produced by these remarkable Preparations are wrapped around every bottle, and may be procured of any druggists, or by mail from the Office of The Centaur Company, 46 Dey street New York City.

March 30, 1878—1y.

Special to the Trade.

60 cases Fancy prints for sale low, to the trade, by Bloch Bro's.

THE best and finest Drugs and Medicines at J. F. Warfield's.

THE best 5 cent Cigars at Warfield's.

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Clarksville Wholesale Market.

CORRECTED BY J. J. CRUSMAN.

SUGAR—Cut Loaf, Crushed, Powdered and Granulated, 10½@12½c; Clarified, 9@10½c; Brown, 6½@9c.
MOLASSES—New Orleans, 30 to 50c.
SYRUP—40c to $1 00.
COFFEE—We quote Rio, 16¼ to 21c; Java, 35 to 37c.
SALT—Kanawha, 7 bushel bbls., $1 75; by the car load, $1 50.
FLOUR—Superfine, $4 50; Extra, $5 00 to 5 5c; Choice or Fancy, $6 25 to 6 50.
STAR CANDLES—14 to 16c.
WHISKY—Common country, $1 00@1 25; best brands Robertson county, $1 25 to 2 00.
CHEESE—Prime factory, 14@16c.
RICE—Carolina, 5 to 7½c.
TIMOTHY SEED—$1 50 to 1 75.
CLOVER SEED—$4 85 to 5 10.
RED TOP—50 to 65c.
BLUE GRASS—85c to $1 00.
ORCHARD GRASS—85c $1 00.
SOAP—Bar, 5½@8c.
OILS—Coal oil, 20c; lard oil, 95c; linseed oil, raw, 70c; boiled, 73c.
TURPENTINE—Spirits, 55c.
VARNISH—Copal, $1 25; Japan, 1 90.
PUTTY—4½c.
GLASS—Window, 8x10, $2 50 per box; 10x12, 2 65; 12x14, 3 25.
POWDER—Rifle, $6 25 per keg; lead, 10c per lb.
SHOT—$2 25.
CAPS—40@50c per 1,000.
OYSTERS—1 and 2 lb. cans, $1 00@2 00.
SARDINES—16@c.
MACKEREL—No. 3 per bbl., $10 00; kits, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, $1 25, 1 50 and 1 75.
BLACKING—55@55c per dozen.
NAILS—$2 75@3 00.
IRON—Kentucky, 3c; Tennessee, 4½c.
ROPE—14@20c.
TRACES—$7 50 to 12 50 per dozen.
COLLARS—$8 00 to 24 00 per dozen.
HAMES—$4 00 to 10 00 per dozen.
AXES—$8 50 to 10 00 per dozen.

The following are the prices paid here at this date for country produce:

BACON—Buying, 6 to 6½c.
LARD—7½c.
TALLOW—6c.
PEANUTS—40@50c per bushel.
GINSENG—90c to $1 00.
BEESWAX—20c.
FEATHERS—new, 35 to 40c.
BEANS—White, $1 00.
PEAS—75c to $1 00.
PORK—Gross, 4c; net, 5c.
EGGS—6c per dozen.
POTATOES—Sweet, 75c to $100; Irish, 40 to 50c. Northern Early Rose, per bbl., $1 75 to $2 00.

MARRIED.

KELLY—BOWERS—In this county, on the 24th inst., by Rev. J. M. Swift, Mr. S. H. KELLY to Miss LUCY A. BOWERS, all of this county.

SUTER—PARSONS—In this county, on the 19th inst., by H. H. Mooklese, Esq., Mr. W. H. SUTER and Miss MAGGIE PARSONS.

DIED.

POLLARD—In this county, on the 23d inst., at the residence of her parents, of consumption, ELIZABETH ORTELIA, daughter of Joseph H. and Margaret Pollard, aged 19 years.

One year ago I reduced the price of artificial teeth from $20 and $25 to $10 and $15 per set. It was thought at that time by some that the material used by me was not good, but time has satisfied all who have tried me that such was not the case. When I proposed to insert teeth in ten or fifteen minutes after the natural teeth were extracted, or when I would say I will mend your broken rubber plate and make it as good as new, an incredulous smile would show what they thought, but time and work have proved to the satisfaction of all that there was no humbug in anything I proposed to do. There are numbers of persons in this city and county who are today wearing teeth, with perfect satisfaction, that were put in by me twelve months ago, before the gums were done bleeding. If there are any skeptics now, I say come to me and be convinced. Dr. Sharpe, my mechanical dentist, has returned and I am now prepared to insert artificial teeth as cheap as ever. Those who wish gold plate work can have it put up in the best style known to the profession. Taking impressions and fitting the teeth to the mouth will be done by me in person. I will continue to devote my time to the operative department of my profession. Preservation of the natural teeth a specialty. Very respectfully, H. M. ACREE, Dentist.

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March 24, 1877-tf

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Clarksville Tobacco Market.

OFFICE OF THE CHRONICLE,
CLARKSVILLE, March 29, 1878.

Offerings this week foot up about 650 hogsheads, which is less than we expected from the large stocks in store. Receipts, however, have been rather light in consequence of the dry weather, preventing prizing, but the recent season, although rather light, will, we think, give us fuller receipts during the next week or two. Our market does not show any quotable change, but we notice that lugs, nondescripts and the poorer qualities of leaf showed more strength than had appeared on those kinds for several weeks, while all grades of the better styles of leaf remain unchanged, and we repeat our last quotations for all kinds:

Common Lugs	2 00 to 3 00
Good Lugs	3 25 to 4 25
Common Leaf	4 00 to 5 00
Medium Leaf	5 50 to 7 50
Good Leaf	8 00 to 10 00
Fine Leaf	10 50 to 12 00
Selections	12 50 to 14 00

Sales Reported Since Our Last Issue.

Grange Warehouse.

T. HERNDON, Sup't., of the GRANGE WAREHOUSE ASSOCIATION, sold for the week ending March 28, 1878, 306 hhds., as follows:

37 hhds. medium to good leaf, $12 00, 12 00 12 25, 11 50, 11 75, 11 00, 10 00, 10 75, 10 50, 10 50 9 00, 9 25, 9 50, 9 00, 10 50, 10 25, 9 50, 9 00, 8 50 8 50, 8 00, 8 30, 8 10, 8 75, 8 75, 8 80, 8 10, 8 75, 8 25 8 70, 8 50, 8 10, 8 00, 8 00, 8 30, 8 80, 8 00.

114 hhds. medium leaf, $7 50, 7 20, 7 70, 7 25 7 10, 7 60, 7 90, 7 10, 7 00, 7 80, 7 20, 7 50, 7 20, 7 00 7 00, 7 00, 7 50, 7 80, 7 60, 7 30, 7 10, 7 50, 7 40, 7 50 7 40, 7 70, 7 60, 7 40, 7 80, 7 00, 7 00, 7 90, 7 60, 7 00 7 00, 7 40, 7 95, 7 75, 7 95, 7 60, 7 40, 7 30, 7 10, 7 00 7 50, 7 50, 7 25, 7 00, 7 60, 7 30, 7 10, 7 00, 7 50 7 40, 7 60, 7 10, 7 00, 7 80, 7 00, 7 70, 7 00, 7 60 6 10, 6 80, 6 95, 6 00, 6 90, 6 60, 6 10, 6 40, 6 00, 6 10 6 00, 6 90, 6 10, 6 60, 6 40, 6 60, 6 60, 6 10, 6 50, 6 00 6 00, 6 00, 6 40, 5 10, 6 95, 6 90, 6 00, 6 70, 6 75, 6 75 6 75, 6 80, 6 90, 6 50, 6 25, 6 30, 6 20, 6 20, 6 40, 6 80 6 70, 6 50, 6 30, 6 25, 6 20, 6 60, 6 20, 6 00, 6 95, 6 25 6 75.

67 hhds. low leaf, at $3 to 6 00.
19 hhds. good lugs, at $4 00 to 5 50.
60 hhds. common lugs, at $2 00 to 3 00.
9 hhds. trash, at $1 10 to 2 00.

Central Warehouse.

KENDRICK, HAMBAUGH & Co., of the Central Warehouse, sold for the week ending March 28, 1878, 94 hogsheads as follows:

71 hogsheads good to common and low leaf, at $11 25, 10 00, 10 00, 10