NEWS OF THE CITY.

MONDAY, JANUARY 17, 1870.

For good fitting clothing ready made or made to order, go to P. Neff, No 79, Ohio Levee. tf

Have y[illegible] Alaska boots? They are the m[illegible]able boot in use. For sale at P. [illegible] 79, Ohio Levee. tf.

Shell oysters, game, etc., can always be secured at Walker & Sisson's restaurant. Nov 2 tf

P. Rielly having determined to close out the balance of his goods at the earliest possible moment, will henceforth sell anything on hand AT COST, AND LESS THAN COST! tf

100 dozen genuine English and Lisle thread socks, at a great reduction in former prices, at Peter Neff's, No. 79, Ohio Levee. tf

Connubial Felicity.—Nothing tends more to connubial happiness than cheerful and healthy infants and children. Mrs. Whitcomb's Syrup is a great children's soothing remedy. d & w 1w.

The St. Nicholas Billiard Hall is one of the largest and best furnished in the country. It is the resort of both citizens and strangers who indulge billiard playing. jan6tf.

Use Ender's Chill Cure.—"It never fails."

Do you want a stylish hat? Neff's is the place and the only place to find them, of all the latest fashions and in great abundance. His stock, in this line, cannot be equalled in Cairo. tf.

The Continental is the only cook stove with sliding oven doors. Warranted in all respects. Pitcher & Henry, at 192 Commercial avenue, cor. 12th street. nov20tf

The largest stock, of over coats in the city, at P. Feff's, No. 79, Ohio Levee. tf

Silk Hats.

The stock of silk hats at Miller & Miller's comprises the very latest styles and the finest make of the season. The variety is very great, the stock large, and prices have been regulated to harmonize with the times. Call in and examine. tf

Neff's is the place to buy your Shirts. He has on hand a magnificent stock at prices that defy competition. For instance—all wool flannel shirts, one dollar and a quarter each—well made. tf.

The St. Nicholas Hotel and Restaurant.

This popular and eligibly located house of public entertainment is now fitted and furnished throughout in good style; and, under the management of Messrs Walker & Sisson, is doing a large and thriving business. It is kept upon the European plan—the guest calling for what he wants when he wants it, whether in the day or night time, and paying only for what he orders. The rooms are large and clean, furnished with the best of beds and bedding, while all other features of the establishment are arranged with an especial eye to the comfort and convenience of the guests. ja6tf

The New Year,

Begin it right, by buying, for cash, of J. H. Metcalf, No. 232 and 234 Wash. Av., who has enlarged both house and stock, and is now prepared to supply customers with the *best* of all kinds of staple and fancy groceries, queensware, crockery, glassware, yellow and Rockingham ware, table and pocket cutlery. All kinds of salt fish, green, dried, and canned fruits, pickles, cider, honey, syrups, fine teas, coffees and sugars, choice table butter always on hand. In short, everything usually kept in a first class grocery; besides notions too numerous to mention, all of which will be sold at the *lowest figures*. tf.

Furnishing Goods.

The completest stock of gentlemen's furnishing goods in the city, is to be found at Miller and Miller's. It would be a remarkable want, indeed, in this line that they cannot satisfactorily supply at the very lowest figures ruling in the market tf.

Ladies' Restaurant.

The Ladies' Restaurant fitted up by Messrs Walker & Sisson, is directly in connection with the St. Nicholas Hotel, where the most respectable ladies and families of the city may take meals or lunches in perfect quiet, and without the least fear of coming in contact with objectionable characters. It will be kept in first class style for first class custom. Polite and attentive waiters will always be in attendance, and patrons will always command the most courteous treatment and attention.

Pitcher & Henry's large stock of hardware, cutlery, tools, stoves, tinware, etc will be sold without regard to cost. tf

A Gold Necklace Lost.

A gold necklace, plain round chain, with round clasp, was lost somwhere on the Ohio Levee on Friday night last. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving same with Messrs Walker and Sisson, at the St. Nicholas Hotel .3t

Almost giving away. Neff is selling gent's undershirts and drawers, and in fact everything in Gent's underwear, so low that it does not look like buying them at all. It is more like giving them away. tf

Capt. Benj. B. Lake, passed down the river, Saturday evening, with a force of sixty white laborers, which he had hired in Chicago, to work his Mississippi plantation the coming season. During the war Captain Lake served in the Federal cavalry, and at the close of that little disturbance, settled in Mississippi. Since that time he has tried hard to utilize the free negro labor of his locality, but has utterly failed. The experience of other planters has been the same, and now he is fully pursuaded that the agricultural interest of the South must languish so long as planters employ only negro laborers. They are utterly unreliable, unskilled, exacting and careless.

A half dozen or more U. S. Soldiers failed to make connection with the steamer Commercial, which boat left St. Louis on Saturday, and came through to Cairo by rail, Saturday night. Being entirely penniless and failing to find the boat here, they made a night of it on the streets, or in such saloons as would permit their presence. We saw one of them to-day, who declared that he had had no "rations" since yesterday morning and that his comrades had fared no better.

NINTH ANNUAL BALL.

OF THE HIBERNIAN FIRE COMPANY.

The ninth annual ball of the Hibernian fire company will be held in the St. Nicholas Hotel on Friday evening Febuary 18th.

The managers pledge themselves that the occasion shall be one pleasant to the participants, and creditable to the company.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.

Wm. McHale, J. H. English, C. J. Hyland, John Miller. Jan. 14 td

Hotel Arrivals.

St. Nicholas Hotel, Cairo, Ills., January 17, 1870.

W. Davis, Saline county, Ills.; A. Davis, do.; W. B. Howard, Evansville; G. A. Bateman, do.; M. O. Grammer, St. Louis; D. A. McKnight and wife, Springfield; M. Adams, esq., Broadway Hotel, St. Louis; J. Muchant, Evansville; W. Wells, do.; T. Ellaker, Cohoes, New York; Henry Cook, Chicago; G. W. Baurman, Vicksburg; J. R. Thomson, Memphis; R. H. Brown, Rising Sun, Ind.; Charlie Stuart, city; Geo. Wettluburger, steamer Continental; Tom Alnard, do.; J. F. Blake, city; J. Howard, Blandville; F. R. Barham, do; B. R. McConnell, New Albany; F. J. Bullock, Columbus, Ky., J. A. P. Ten Eyck, Ullin, Ills.; L. B. Gregory, Adams Express Co.; J. J. Kelly, St. Louis; Jos. Baglis, do; S. O. Lewis, V. R.; G. T. Pidgeon, Mound City; Nathan A. Carr, Macon, Ills.; J. Neil, Constantinople; J. N. Copeland, Vienna, Ills; J. N. Smith, Missouri; J. D. Perryman, do.; C. J. Coffin, Union City; William Coryell, Chicago, Ills.

Wanted

20 day boarders, at the St. James Hotel, corner Eight street and Ohio Levee. First-class table at four dollars per week. d1w.

Atheneum To-night.

Don't forget the exhibition of Dissolving Views, produced by the calcium light, at the Atheneum to-night.

Admission 35 c. Children 15 c. Tickets for sale at the door.

Died

Yesterday morning at 6 o'clock of pneumonia, John, infant son of Louis and Margaret Blatteau, aged 16 months.

The remains were conveyed to Villa Ridge to-day at 12 o'clock by special train, a considerable number of the friends of the family accompanying them.

"THE BEST IN USE"—Enders' Stomach Bitters. tf

Silver in Southern Illinois.

The Shawneetown 'Mercury' expresses the opinion that there are small particles of silver in the lead mines of Hardin county in this State, but is satisfied that it does not exist in paying quantities.

Only a short time ago we were shown a specimen of silver ore from the Rose Clare mines in that county, which competent judges declared would produce at the rate of $2,500 per ton. Compared with ore from the famous Comstock mines, it was pronounced the richer specimen of the two.

It is no longer a matter of conjecture but an ascertained certainty that silver exists in Hardin county, and in paying quantities. Satisfied of this, a Michigan firm of unlimited means, have acquired title to the mines, and in due time will commence working them. In furtherance of this determination, they are causing the construction of the necessary machinery to successfully operate the mines, and will spend at least forty thousand dollars thereon and in the erection of buildings, furnaces, etc. Intelligent gentlemen, as these, do not often venture that amount of money on an uncertainty. They profess to know what they are about, and propose to go ahead.

We are under obligations to the Hon. John M. Crebs, member of Congres from this district, for favors in the way of congressional papers, among others a copy of his protest against the outrage contemplated in the reconstruction of Georgia, which we would gladly publish could we find room.

P. Rielly has a large stock of hats, which will be sold at New York wholesale prices. tf.

Local Notes.

The Levee and wharf, yesterday afternoon, presented a scene of unusual activity. There was scarcely convenient standing room for the immense throng of citizens and strangers, the whole street, sidewalks and wharf presenting a dense mass of human beings.

There were a terrifying roar of wind, crashing of thunder and glare of lightning last night, followed immediately by a drenching rain, and this morning by a considerable fall of sleet.

The aspirants for city offices are rapidly multiplying. Gentlemen, if you have any respect for the people you will inform them, through the 'Bulletin,' what offices you want.

If any aspirant for official honors and emoluments is laboring under the impression that we will publish his announcement, on his promise that he "will hand us the V," he will find out his error by trying us. Our terms are cash in advance, and will be strictly adhered to in every instance. A disregard of this rule, in times past, has cost us hundreds of dollars.

A young man named Ad. Blew knocked a negro named Stewart, on the head with a crow-bar, in Metropolis, one day last week. It is thought that the negro's injuries are fatal. Blew will have his preliminary examination to-day.

Why is it that "the mouth of Smithland" has no express office? We fear that Little Old Jofield is permitting his dominions to degenerate.

The churches of the city were filled to overflowing last night. The congregation at the M. E. church was the largest that has been seen there for years.

The exhibition at the Atheneum to-night, is of a popular, entertaining and purely moral character, and will be apt to call out a large audience. It is here for two nights only, with a matinee to-morrow afternooon.

The Hon. W. J. Allen, member of the Constitutional convention, came in on Saturday evening's train, and will remain in the city during, at least, the first few days of the Circuit court, that convened this morning.

Police Items.

Alice Clayton, Emeline Alexander and Harriett Ann, were cavorting about the city, Saturday night, in a state of undisguisable intoxication, visiting such saloons as would tolerate their presence, and adding, on all possible occasion, to their supply of stimulants. Officers William and Patrick O'Callahan finally took them in charge, and this morning 'Squire Bross fined each of them, as vagrants, $10 and costs. Having no money to pay their fines, they were sent to the calaboose for a period of sixteen days, to subsist the while on bread and water.

Henry Marlow got "swoshing" drunk, was arrested by the same officers; fined $2 00 and costs, and committed for eight days.

James Dunn "wet his whistle" too often, and was gobbled by officer Cummings for drunkenness, and fined $2 00 and costs; having no currency about his habiliments, he was confided to the keeping of McHale and the company of Marlow.

Roasted Cats.

A rather mischievous little boy, living in the Third Ward, made up his mind, yesterday afternoon, to calaboose all the cats that frequented his father's premises. The oven of the cooking-stove suggested itself as a capital prison, and in less than twenty minutes the little fellow had three cats, including his own, shut up therein as prisoners. Going off about his play, he soon forgot all about his cats. About 5 o'clock the cook entered an appearance, built up a brisk fire in the stove, and commenced preparing her buiscuit. While she was thus engaged, the cats commenced feeling the growing heat of the oven, and raised a mewing, spitting and squalling that told of three of the most uncomforiable cats in all the city of Cairo. The cook stopped her work, searched all about the house, and finally passed out of doors and looked under the house, but no unhappy cats could she espy anywhere. When she returned to the kitchen, the stove was well heated, and as the noise of the cats had quieted down to a pitiful moan, she returned to her buiscuit-making. Having filled the pan with the circular or globular lumps of dough which, under the influence of heat, usually resolve themselves into toothsome bread, she repaired to the stove, opened the oven door, and discovered the cats. Two of them, more dead than alive, came tumbling to the floor, the other, stretched at full length on the bottom of the oven, had been roasted alive. And thus ends this interesting cat story.

Two Dining Room Girls are wanted at the St. Nicholas Hotel. Apt girls, who can come well recommended, can secure a steady situation at good wages. tf.

A stranger who had patronized several Levee saloons purchased a railroad ticket, yesterday afternoon, and, feeling in his pocket for the money to pay for the same, found himself penniless. He had, during the day, taken every opportunity to show his contempt for money by displaying all he had in every saloon he patronized, and by carelessly thrusting it, in a wad, into his vest pocket.

His loss, he said, amounted to between $80 and $100.

No better medicine for Croup, Colds, &c., has ever been offered to the public than Norman's Chalybeate Cough Syrup. Jan17-6t

Mrs. Frazier, the destitute woman to whom we made reference a few days ago, was removed from her miserable abode at the corner of Fifteenth and Poplar streets to more comfortable quarters further down town, where she received quite all the attention her case required. Death, however, had marked her as a victim, and on Saturday night, she died. To the last moment she intelligently rejected all proffered by [illegible] the county, and charged her children not to permit her body to be buried in a pauper coffin. Whether the remonstrances of the children had the desired effect or not, we cannot say. We understand that they regarded the death of their mother as a "big thing," and looked forward to her burial as one of the most enjoyable frolics of their lives.

Your Children may die of Croup before aid can reach them. Always have on hand Norman's Chalybeate Cough Syrup. jan17d.

Hotel Garni.

At 122 commercial Avenue, between Seventh and Eighth street, is a first class house of entertainment, kept upon the restaurant or European style, furnishing oysters, game or meals on short notice in the best style. Also elegant rooms and beds for transient guests. Patronage respectfully solicited. Jan12 tf

One of the severest storms of the season, accompanied by heavy thunder and a continuous glare of lightening, swept over the city last night, but we have heard of no damage resulting therefrom.

Knit jackets, all wool, at the actual cost, at P. Neff's, No. 79, Ohio Levee.

For City Treasurer.

The attention of the voting reader is asked to the announcement of Mr. J. B. Taylor, candidate for City Treasurer. It may be found in another column.

Gent's calf boots only 3 75, at P. Neff's No. 79, Ohio Levee. tf.

The attention of the public generally and of the editor of the Mound City 'Journal' especially is invited to a dissolution notice which appears in this paper in another column.

TRUTH.—The powers of Mrs. Whitcomb's Syrup for children are as positive as the sunlight from heaven, and gentle and soothing as an angel's whisper. jan17d&w1w

RIVER NEWS.

ARRIVALS.

Dan. Able, from Columbus.
Continental, from New Orleans.
Kearney from St. Louis.
Julia, from St. Louis.
St. Joseph, from St. Louis.
Commonwealth, from St. Louis.
Indiana, from Nashville.
Snagboat Abert, from Memphis.
Colorado, from Memphis.
Wm. White, from Paducah.
Fayette, from Evansville.
Sam. Orr, from Evansville.
Rubicon, from Vicksburg.
Louisville, from Louisville.
A. Baker, from Eastport.

DEPARTURES.

Dan Able, for Columbus.
Wm. White, for Paducah.
Fayette, for Evansville.
Sam Orr, do do
Charlie Durfee, for Ouachita.
Kearney, for Arkansas river.
Commonwealth, N. O.
J. J. Abert, Md. City.
Louisville, N. O.
St. Joseph, Memphis.
Rubicon, St. Louis.
Julia Vicksburg.

The weather has been very much assorted since our last report. We have had almost a summer heat and a real winter's cold, while rain, snow, mud, sunshine and clouds have been thrown in to make matters interesting. Variety may be the spice of life, but on mature reflection, we are compelled to say that our share of weather lately has been too highly seasoned.

The river is rising rapidly, having swollen four feet since our last report.

The Mississippi was stationary at St. Louis at last report, but is probably rising now from heavy rains reported. It was entirely free from ice yesterday, between Cairo and St. Louis.

The Ohio is falling at Pittsburg with 16 feet water in the channel. It is rising rapidly from Wheeling to Cairo, with nine feet water on the falls in the Indiana chute.

The Tennessee and Cumberland river are rising fast, and will probably reach flood hight. The Tennessee is not far below that point now.

Business here continues brisk.

The Mohawk and barges clear for New Orleans to-day with 3,600 tons produce and sundries received entirely at Cairo.

The Talisman is the regular Cairo and Nashville Packet this evening.

The A. Baker is the regular Cairo and Eastport Packet this evening.

The White is the regular Cairo and Paducah packet this evening.

Capt. Chas T. Hinde is agent for all the above steamers.

Job Printing.

The 'Bulletin' office having been supplied with increased facilities, is now prepared to do job work cheaper than ever. We are determined, in truth, that no citizen shall have cause, either on account of price or style, for sending his work abroad. Our office is the completest in the state, outside of Chicago and Springfield, and can perform all kinds of work for which the river, railroad, mercantile, legal and general business of the city create a demand. In point of workmanship we shall stand unsurpassed. Send in your orders. Proofs submitted when requested.

Norman's Chalybeate Cough Syrup is no humbug. Try it and be convinced. S. J. Humm, agent, corner Commercial avenue and Eighth street. ja7-1w

One of the best remedies for Croup ever discovered is Norman's Chalybeate Cough Syrup. S. J. Humm, agent, corner Commercial avenue and Eighth street. ja7-1w

Chills cured in six hours, by Enders' Chill Cure tf

Choice white sugar, 5½ pounds for $1 00; extra brown sugar, 7 pounds for $1 00; Rio coffee, 25 cents per pound; rice, 10 cents per pound; canned peaches, 25 cents; strawberries, 30 cents; plums, 35 cents; tomatoes, 20 cents; corn, 25 cents per can; cherries, 30 cents; coal oil, 45 cents pergallon, and all kinds of groceries cheaper than the cheapest, by

J. H. PHILLIPS,

Opposite new custom house. 12-3t

City Scrip for Sale.

Five hundred dollars city scrip for sale, *cheap* in sums to suit the purchaser. Apply to Miller & Miller, Ohio Levee. Jan13tf

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For City Treasurer.

We are authorized to announce Mr. JOHN HYLAND, as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Treasurer. te

We are authorized to announce that J. B. TAYLOR will be a candidate for City Treasurer, at the ensuing charter election. jan12td

LEGAL.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that default having been made in the payment of a certain bond, given by William H. Parris to S. Staats Taylor and Edwin Persons, Trustees of the Cairo City Property, dated May the 16th, A. D. 1868, and payable three years from the date thereof, with six per cent. interest until due, and ten per cent. thereafter, and to secure the payment of which said note, with others, said William H. Parris gave them his certain mortgage with power of sale on the following described property, to-wit: Lots numbers nine (9), ten (10) and eleven (11), in block numbered six (6), in the third addition to the city of Cairo, in the county of Alexander and state of Illinois, which said mortgage was, by said S. Staats Taylor and Edwin Persons, Trustees as aforesaid, on the twelfth day of January, A. D. 1870, for value received, duly assigned to George Lattner, and which said mortgage is recorded in the Recorder's office of the county of Alexander, in book "Y," page 172, the amount now being due and payable, being eighty-three dollars and thirty-four cents principal, together with interest thereon, at the rate above stated.

I, the undersigned assignee of S. Staats Taylor and Edwin Persons, Trustees, etc., to whom said mortgage was made, by virtue of the terms and provisions of the same, will, on Tuesday, the 25th day of January, A. D. 1870, at ten o'clock a.m., of that day, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the front door of the court house in said city of Cairo, in the county of Alexander, and state of Illinois, the above described premises to satisfy the purposes and conditions of said mortgage. GEORGE LATTNER.

ALLEN, WEAR & BUTLER, Att'ys.
Jan. 14, 1870-td

NOTICE.

To The Tax Payers of Alexander County and State of Illinois.

The tax book is now in my hands and for the purpose of collecting the State, County, Special Pauper, and Delinquent taxes now due, and for the year A. D. 1869, I will be at home in my office every day during the month of February, 1870.

At the house of Jacob Hardmes, in Hodgenville Precinct, on Wednesday, March 2nd, 1870.

At the store of John Kenik, in Unity Precinct, on Thursday, March 31st, 1870.

At the store of R. A. Edmondson, in Clear Creek Precinct, on Monday, April 4th, 1870.

At the School House, near Thomas J. McClure's in Clear Creek Precinct, on Thursday, April 5th, 1870.

At the store of J. G. Browning, in the town of Thebes, on Wednesday, April 6th, 1870.

At the store of Mrs. C. Hilliard, at Santa Fe, on Thursday, April 7th, 1870.

At the store of M. D. Counter, in Cairo, on Friday, April 8th, 1870.

At the house of Thomas Martin, in Dogtooth, on Saturday, April 9th, 1870.

☞ To those who owe personal tax, be earnest and pay it and save me cost. I shall do all in my power to collect every dollar charged on the Tax Book according to law.

For the sake and trouble of your former Receipts or your receipts in order that the desired options of your lands may be found ready. L. H. MYERS,

Sheriff and Ex-Officio Collector of Alexander Co.
Collector's office, Cairo, Ill., Jan. 7th, A. D. 1870.
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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that whereas on the third day of March, A. D. 1868, Thomas Porter and Messiah Porter, his wife, made their certain mortgage deed, by which they conveyed to John S. Moore, of the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, lots five (5) and six, in block two (2), in the fourth addition to the city of Cairo, Alexander county, Illinois, for the purpose of better securing the payment of a certain promissory note of even date with said mortgage, for the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars, payable to John S. Moore, five months after date, and signed by the said Thomas Porter; and whereas it was expressly provided in said mortgage that in case of default in the payment of said promissory note, or any part thereof, according to the tenor and effect of the same, then the said John S. Moore, his legal representatives or attorney, after having advertised such sale ten days in a newspaper published in Cairo, or by posting up written or printed notices in four places in the county where said premises are situate, might sell the same, or any part thereof, and all right and equity of redemption of the said Thomas Porter and Messiah Porter, his wife, their heirs, executors, administrators or assigns in and to the said premises and whereas, default has been made in the payment of the said sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars, for which said promissory note and mortgage were given, now therefore in pursuance to the power contained in the said mortgage, we will, as the attorneys of the said John S. Moore, sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house, in Cairo, on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1870, at the hour of eleven o'clock, in the forenoon of said day, the said lots five (5) and six (6), in block two (2), in the fourth addition to the city of Cairo, county of Alexander and State of Illinois, and will execute to the purchaser or purchasers thereof deeds for the conveyance in fee simple of the said premises.

ALLEN, WEAR & BUTLER, Attorneys for
Jan. 15, 1870-d10t JOHN S. MOORE.

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Leave orders at Hulen's old stand, or at the post-office. sep7tf