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## THE COURTS

REGULAR TERMS.

CIRCUIT COURT—SEVENTH DISTRICT.
JAMES S. HAMM, Judge.
THOMAS S. FORD, District Attorney.

Clarke county, first Monday in February and August, continuing 12 days.
Kemper county, first Monday in March and September, continuing 12 days.
Lauderdale county, first Monday in July and January, continuing 24 judicial days, if business requires.
Wayne county, first Monday in April and October, continuing 6 days.
Greene county, second Monday in April and October, continuing 6 days.
Perry county, third Monday in April and October, continuing 6 days.
Marion county, fourth Monday in April and October, continuing 6 days.
Hancock county, first Monday after the fourth Monday of April and October, continuing 12 days.
Harrison county, third Monday after the fourth Monday of April and October, continuing 6 days.
Jackson county, fourth Monday after fourth Monday of April and October, continuing 12 days.

CHANCERY COURT—7TH DISTRICT.

GEORGE WOOD, Chancellor.

Jackson county, first Monday of March and September, continuing 6 days.
Harrison county, second Monday in March and September, continuing 6 days.
Hancock county, third Monday in March and September, continuing 6 days.
Marion county, second Monday after the fourth Monday in March and September, continuing 6 days.
Perry county, first Monday after the 4th Monday in March and September, continuing 6 days.
Greene county, fourth Mondays in March and September, continuing 6 days.
Wayne county, fourth Monday after the fourth Monday of March and September, continuing 6 days.
Clarke county, first Monday in May and November, continuing 6 days.
Lauderdale county, third Monday of May and November, continuing 12 days.
Kemper county, second Monday in May November, continuing 6 days
Monthly Rules of Chancery Court on the second Monday in each month.

## MASONIC MEETINGS.

Pascagoula Lodge A. F. and A. M. No. 82—Meets at Moss Point the third Saturday night in each month.
H. L. Howze Chapter No. 8—Meets at Moss Point the second Saturday night in each month.
Gulf Lodge Knights' of Honor meets at Moss Point on the first and fourth Saturday nights of each month.


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August 5, 1881. 5-1y


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LEGAL.

**Sheriff's Sale.**

Mrs J. Valverde
vs.
Mrs. Mannella Pol.

By virtue of an execution to me directed, from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Jackson county, and State of Mississippi, I will, on *Monday, the 22d day of May, 1882,* within legal hours at the courthouse of Jackson county, at Scranton, expose to sale at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following land and appurtenances to-wit: known as Boisfort Tala in township 8 south, range 6 west; beginning at the northwest corner of the line of Rene Krebs' lands in fractional section 2, to a pine tree on the bank of the river, and runs east and at twenty-one chains cornered on a pine; thence south, and at six chains and fifty links, cornered on a Post; thence west, and at twenty-one chains to the river, on a red cedar post; then north with the river to the place of beginning, with the improvements thereon, to satisfy plaintiff's judgment for three thousand five hundred and seventeen and 50-100 dollars and all cost.
J. E. CLARK, Sheriff.
Scranton, March 17, 1882. 52-4w

**Sheriff's Sale.**

L N Dantzler
vs.
John H Turner.

By virtue of an execution to me directed, from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Jackson county and State of Mississippi, I will, on *Monday, the 1st day of May, 1882,* within legal hours, at the courthouse of said county, at Scranton, expose to sale at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, a certain hotel called the Escatawpa Central, at Moss Point, in Jackson county, Mississippi, described as follows: Bounded on the north by lands of Mrs. Bettie Borden, on the east by Dog river, on the south by lease of Fritz Lenard and lands of Mrs. Borden, on the west by public road leading from Randall's ferry to Scranton, the same being the land leased by John H. Turner from Mrs. Bettie Borden as the property of John H. Turner to satisfy plaintiff's judgment for two hundred and thirty-four and 75-100 dollars, and cost of suit.
J. E. CLARK, sheriff.
Scranton, March 17, 1882. 52-3w

**Sheriff's Sale.**

E. M. Dunlap
vs.
Opie Hutchings

By virtue of an execution to me directed from the clerk of the circuit court of Jackson county, in the State of Mississippi, I will, on *Monday, the 1st day of May, 1882,* within legal hours, at the courthouse of said county, at Scranton, expose to sale at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described land, to-wit: w ½ of ne ¼ and sw ¼ of nw ¼ and ne ¼ of sw ¼ in section 28 township 7 south range 8 west, containing one hundred and sixty acres more or less, to satisfy plaintiff's execution for cost in the above stated case and all subsequent cost.
J. E. CLARK, Sheriff.
Scranton, Miss., March 17, 1882. 52-3w

**NOTICE!**

LAND OFFICE AT JACKSON, MISS., March 10, 1882.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Thomas, circuit clerk at Leakesville, Miss., on April 22, 1882, viz: R. H. Murry, homestead, entry No. 8590, for the nw qr section 20, township 2 north, range 5 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: James Beard, T. McLeod, John J. McInnis, John J. McLeod, all of Leakesville P. O., Green county, Miss.
R. C. KERR, Register.
March 10, 1882. 51-5t

**NOTICE.**

Having purchased from Messrs. W. G. Wheeler and E. A. Krebs all their right, title and interest in the one-eighth interest in the estate of Sidoine Krebs, I am prepared to give a clear title to any one wishing to purchase. For further particulars apply to D. TRAIN, Box 55, Morgan City, or No. 123 Conti street, New Orleans.
March 10, 1882. 51-1m

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## Hancock County Items.

BY PEARL OCCASIONAL.

Planting is progressing rapidly.

The vernal flowers have appeared.

The sweet songs of birds are heard.

The alligator has been awakened from his lethargy by the showers of spring. The moccasin slips into the water from the creek bank like he is greased for the occasion.

The verdant pine forest is the picture of life and prosperity, and proves to be such with the animal kingdom.

Work on the New Orleans and Meridian railroad is rapidly progressing.

Hurrah for the Gulf and Ship Island railroad. By all that is just and reasonable let us have this road; we think it of greater interest to the State than any road that can be built in the State.

The law regulating the practice of medicine is going to reduce the number of M. D's, considerably. If the D. D.'s and LL. D.'s were compelled to go through a similar test their numbers would be diminished.

Mr. A. A. Ulman the founder of woollen mills A Bay St. Louis is erecting a large sawmill on Jordan River. He will soon be able to quite monopolize the log trade of that river, should he be as successful as he has been in getting the trade at Bay St. Louis. Competition is the life of trade and benefits the poor. Some merchants say Mr. Ulman is sinking money, so much for that; that is his business. How is it they are so deeply interested in his prosperity. The money he sinks, and the large custom he draws leaves some others resting on their oars.

We once heard of a man who went to mill and rode a small horse and took two sacks with corn, one with a bushel and the other with a half bushel in it, and to save his horse from being overburdened he gets on with the large one and takes the small one on his own shoulder, and seeing his horse would fail with all the aid he had given him, he felt determined to make his load lighter, and thus he exchanged sacks and went on. The moral of this fable should be well matured before the November election of 1883. Let us send men to the legislature to make room in the asylum for such men instead of sending the man that went to mill to make laws for us.

## Eyes Which Sleep One at a Time

Macon (Ga.,) Messenger.

There is a man in Macon who owns a pair of the most remarkable eyes we have ever heard of. Their peculiarity lies in the fact that one of them goes to sleep before the other does, and consequently one wakes up in the morning sooner than the other.

It must be very interesting to have such a pair of eyes. The right eye goes to sleep and sleeps soundly while the other lies restlessly awake striving by all manner of devices to woo "nature's sweet restorer, balmy sleep." Now and then the left optic, wide-awake, looks over the bridge of the man's nose at its partner, sees the fringed curtain of the right eye's couch tightly drawn, hears the sleeping eye snore away into the very bowels of sleep, and then wishes to gracious it could drop its curtain, too. And then it nods and takes cat naps, to be occasionally awakened by the continued snoring of its neighbor! Finally it drops off into a doze and both ocular demonstrations dream until morning, when another difficulty appears. The right eye awakens and wants to get up, but the left peeper turns over in its bed and swears it would give $1000 for just ten minutes more sleep!

Surely a man with such a pair of eyes ought to have dead loads of fun all to himself. We would, for certain.

The girl who saved a train in Iowa by hoisting a danger signal, is to marry the conductor, so it's probable she'll come to wish she had let the old thing go to smash and him with it.

Eating rare meat of all kinds is now advised against by physicians as diseases of the lungs or scrofulous virus affects all the muscular tissue of animals so affected.

## PUBLIC LAWS.

An Act to define the right of parties engaged in running timber and for other purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the legislature of the State of Mississippi, That if any person or persons shall put or cause to be put into any navigable river within or upon the boundary line of the State, or into any creek or stream within this State, or shall have in any such river, creek or stream, any logs, lumber or timber for any purpose, and shall not make adequate provisions and put on sufficient force for driving or running the same, or for breaking blocks or jams of such logs, timber or lumber in or upon such river, creek or streams, or shall for want of adequate provisions, or want of sufficient force allow such logs, timber or lumber to jam or accumulate or form in blocks, thereby obstructing the navigation of such river, creek or stream, and thereby obstructing the driving or running of logs on such river, creek or steam, then, and in that event, it shall be lawful for any person or persons having logs, timber or lumber in such river, creek or stream, the driving and running of which is so prevented or obstructed to cause such blocks or jams to be broken, and such logs, timber or lumber to be driven, boomed, rafted or run, at the expense of the person or persons owning such logs, timber or lumber, and such owner shall be liable to such persons causing blocks or jams to be broken, and such logs, timber or lumber to be driven, boomed, rafted or run, for all the cost and expenses of causing such blocks or jams to be broken, and for all cost and expenses incurred for driving, booming, rafting and running such logs, timber or lumber, which shall be and constitute a lien superior to all other liens on said logs, timber or lumber, against such owner and all other persons who may have actual notice thereof, for the enforcement of which the party entitled to take and retain possession of such logs, timber or lumber, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of such charges for breaking such jams or blocks, and for driving, booming, rafting and running of said logs, timber or lumber, and expenses and costs thereon until the same shall be satisfied and paid.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That any person or persons having a lien upon logs timber or lumber under the provisions of the first section of this act may proceed to enforce the same by selling such timber at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, upon giving at least twenty days notice of the time, place and terms of sale by posting notice thereof in three public places in the county where said sale shall take place; provided, that the owner of the logs, so to be sold, shall have at least ten days notice, in writing, of the time and place of sale, and of the sum of money which shall be due for the costs, charges and expenses aforesaid; and the purchaser at such sale shall, upon payment of the amount bid by him take such logs, timber or lumber so purchased by him, at such sale, free from all liens or claims whatsoever.

Sec. 3. Be it further enacted, That this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, February 28, 1882.

An act to amend sections 816 and 817, Chapter 22 of Code of 1880, in relation to protection of wool growing in this State.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Mississippi, That sections 816 and 817, Code of 1880, be amended by adding to each one of said sections the following words: "and such owner shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction shall be fined not more than fifty dollars, or imprisoned not more than sixty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment; provided, that the payment or tender of the damages provided for in this section, or the payment of such damages as may be agreed upon between the interested parties shall bar a prosecution for the misdemeanor herein provided for, and a prosecution for the misdemeanor shall bar a recovery of statutory damages under this chapter, but not a bar to the recovery of actual damages."

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That this act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, March 9, 1882.

An act to prohibit the sale and purchase of "Futures" in the State of Mississippi.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Mississippi, That it shall hereafter be unlawful for any person, by agent or otherwise, to deal in contracts commonly called "futures," in this State, and any person convicted of buying or selling, either by agent or otherwise, any future contracts, commonly called "futures" shall be fined not less than fifty dollars and not over five hundred dollars.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That no money advanced for the purchase of futures, nor any agreement for the payment of any sum for such purchase, shall be enforced in any court in this State.

Sec. 3. Be it further enacted, That this act take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, March 7, 1882.

An Act to amend the Homestead Laws of this State.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Mississippi, That every citizen of this State, male or female, being a householder and having a family shall be entitled to hold exempt from seizure or sale under execution or attachment, the land and buildings owned and occupied as a residence by such debtor: provided, the quantity of land shall not exceed one thousand and sixty acres, nor the value thereof, inclusive of improvements, the sum of two thousand dollars.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That this act take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, March 9, 1882.

An act to amend section 1098 of the Revised Code of Mississippi, in relation to selling native wine without license.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Mississippi,* That section 1098, of Revised Code, be amended by adding after the word grapes in sixth line the words "and other fruits," and striking out the words "grown by himself in any quantity not less than one pint."

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That this act take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, March 9, 1882.

An Act to establish Public Schools for the Indians in East Mississippi.

Section. 1. *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Mississippi,* That section 687, chapter 16, of the Revised Code of 1880, be so construed as to apply to Indians.

Sec. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the county superintendent in counties where a sufficient number of educable Indians reside be authorized to establish one school exclusively for the Indians, and to provide suitable teachers for the same time as other free schools are taught.

Sec. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That this act take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, March 8, 1882.

## Female Brutes in Hard Gloves.

New York Special to the Cincinnati Commercial.

By special invitation of Mr. Harry Hill to-day, I witnessed a scientific set-to between two young ladies. The little theatre was crowded by sporting men, fast actresses, men about town and others drawn together to see the two young women fight with gloves. The gloves, by the way, are not nice, soft gloves, but villainously hard and crude and made to hurt. When the two women stepped forward Mr. Hill exhibited the trophies to be battled for, a silver cup and a medal, and then yelled "time." They were dressed in silk tights, and were muscular and comely. Boston Carrie, the taller of the two, made a great show of her knowledge of the science of boxing, until her New York antagonist got under her guard and delivered such a stunning blow on the nose that she was knocked over backward. Carrie countered on the other one's lips, and they came to the second round with flushed and bloody faces. To describe the rest of the match would be disgusting. It was brutal in the extreme, and I must say that it is a crying shame that such a thing should occur in a Christian country. I noticed one thing; when the girls were pretty well beaten up, the men spectators yelled to the seconds to pull them apart; but the women who looked on, urged them to fight it out.

The following is an extract from a speech delivered in the Good Templar's hall, on Tuesday night, by Mr. W. S. Christy: "The utterances of the gentleman who has just taken his seat, Worthy Chief Templar, enables me to realize what a truly noble work is the one in which we are engaged. There can be nothing more noble than to reclaim the fallen and save others from falling. When I think of this I half would stretch out my arms and hug the whole world—but they are too short. Therefore, with their permission, I will gladly content myself with hugging all the sisters in this hall to-night."

High spirits—$1 50 a gallon.

## Bar Meeting.

At a meeting of the members of the Kemper county bar held in the courthouse, Saturday, March 18, 1882, F. P. Snedecor, Esq., was called to the chair, and J. H. Neville, Esq., requested to act as secretary.

On motion, a committee consisting of Honorable T. P. Bell, W. P. Evans and T. W. Brame, was appointed to prepare suitable resolutions expressive of the sense of the meeting.

On motion Honorable T. S. Ford was added to the committee.

The committee retired, and in a few moments reported the following resolutions, which were adopted, and signed as is stated:

We, the members of the bar practicing in the circuit court at DeKalb, learning with regret that the time has come when we shall have to part with the Hon. James S. Hamm, as judge of said court, desire to express our high appreciation of him as a profound jurist, an upright, fearless and impartial judge; and we desire also to express our admiration for him, not only as judge, but as a man of high moral worth and spotless character, and that we indulge the hope that his exalted talents will not be lost to the State; and that in the future he may be elevated to a higher judicial position than he now holds; and that we extend to him personally our sincere wishes for his future welfare and happiness; and that the chairman of this meeting be requested to present these resolutions to the Court with the request that they be spread upon the minutes of the Court, and that the clerk furnish Judge Hamm with a copy of the same; and that the Kemper *Herald* be requested to publish these proceedings, and that the Meridian papers please copy.

F. P. SNEDECOR,
J. H. NEVILLE,
W. P. EVANS,
T. W. BRAME,
T. P. BELL,
T. S. FORD,
JAMES WATTS.

The resolutions were presented in open court, and were appropriately responded to by Honorable J. S. Hamm. E. P. SNEDECOR, Chairman.

J. H. NEVILLE, Secretary.

## Some New Geography.

"Of what is the surface of the earth composed?"

"Of corner lots, mighty poor roads, railroad tracks, base ball grounds, cricket fields, and skating rinks."

"What portion of the globe is water?"

"About three-fourths. Sometimes they add a little gin and nutmeg to it."

"What is a town?"

"A town is a considerable collection of houses and inhabitants, with four or five men who 'run the party,' and lend money at fifteen per cent. interest."

"What is a city?"

"A city is an incorporated town, with a mayor who believes that the whole world shakes when he happens to fall flat on a cross walk."

"What is commerce?"

"Borrowing five dollars a day or two and dodging the lender for a year or two."

"Name the different races."

"Horse race, boat race, bicycle race and racing around to find a man to indorse your note."

"Into how many classes is mankind divided?"

"Six; being enlightened, civilized, half civilized, savage, too utter, not worth-a-cent and Indian agents."

"What nations are called enlightened?"

"Those which have had the most wars, the worst laws and produced the worst criminals."

"How many motions has the earth?"

"That's according to how you mix your drinks and which way you go home."

"What is the earth's axis?"

"The lines passing between New York and Chicago."

"What causes day and night?"

"Day is caused by night getting tired out. Night is caused by everybody taking the street car and going home to supper."

"What is a map?"

"A map is a drawing to show the jury where Smith stood when Jones gave him a lift under the eye."

"What is a mariner's compass?"

"A jug holding four gallons."

Why is a certain kind of window called a bay window? Because people go there when they look out to sea.

The motto, "pay as you go," is said by an exchange, not to apply to a theatre. The manager is obliged to make people pay as they come.