

The Gold Market. Gold closed in New York, on last Monday, at \$1.09.

Determined to Bolt. A Washington telegram to the New York Herald says that Senator Schurz asserts that he will bolt if Grant is re-nominated. He expresses himself, as confident that Grant will not be re-nominated.

Payment of Sinking Fund. The President of the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railroad Company has notified Comptroller Pennebaker that he is ready to pay their sinking fund account, amounting to the sum of \$11,000.00 in bonds of said company.

The Apportionment. The Congressional apportionment bill has gone through both Houses of Congress and may now be considered a law, as there is no doubt about the President signing it. It increases the number of Representatives to 283, and among the changes, made gives one additional Congressman to Tennessee.

Methodist University. A delegated body of clergymen and official members of the Methodist Church from within the jurisdiction of the Tennessee, Mississippi and Arkansas Conferences, met at Memphis, week before last, to discuss the feasibility of establishing a Theological College and University to cost \$500,000, and to be made one of the best in the country. The enterprise will no doubt prove a success.

Fire at Nashville. A fire broke out Saturday morning, the 27th ult., on the east side of Market street, a short distance below Church, which destroyed over \$200,000 worth of property. The principal sufferers were E. W. Ewing & Co., wholesale grocers; A. M. Perrin & Co., dealers in iron and agricultural implements; and J. Lumsden & Co., dealers in hides and leather. It is stated that \$145,000 of the loss is covered by insurance.

Affairs in France appear to be hastening toward a crisis. The machinations of Napoleon on the one hand and of the Bourbons on the other, looking to the restoration of the empire or a monarchy, have aroused the Republicans of the nation who are determined on a desperate struggle should the foes of the republic attempt to carry out their programme. It is to be feared there is more bloodshed in store for France in the near future.

Intermediate Court. A movement is on foot at Nashville to have the organic law of the State so modified as to authorize the creation of an intermediate Court of equity and law jurisdiction. It is urged as a necessity in the Middle Division, as the cases are accumulating, as rapidly on the heavy docket there, in the Supreme Court, as they are being disposed of. It is to be a Court of appeals superior to the Chancery and Law Courts and inferior to the present Supreme Court.

The Georgia State Road. The Atlanta Sun learns that the company who bid \$36,500 per month for the State Road is now worth \$1,000,000, and intend to contest the lease of the present lessees before the Courts. As the road is in the hands of a good and solvent company, who are keeping it in excellent condition and promptly paying into the State Treasury the stipulated \$25,000 per month, the Courts will hardly disturb them. It is a pretty good idea sometimes to let well enough alone.

Policy of the Democrats. The Democratic executive committee will not, it is said, meet till after the Philadelphia convention, to decide when and where the National Democratic convention shall be held. It is this proposed to adhere to the passive policy until all the plans and purposes of the Republican party in the Presidential issue are fully developed, and therefore maintained that there is ample time to call the Democratic convention as late as August, and thus give full opportunity for all elements opposed to the continuance of the present administration to unite in an opposition Presidential ticket. This view of the course to be pursued meets with the approval, it is understood, of many of the Democrats of Congress.

There are 828 convicts in the Virginia penitentiary, of whom 672 are negroes.

Nearly 4,000,000 pounds of clover seed were received at Detroit in 1871, in value about \$400,000.

Henry Miller is erecting an extensive woollen factory in Washington county.

OUR BOYS.

Complaints are daily being made, says the Franklin Review and Journal, about the unruliness of boys—their being early addicted to the habits of dissipation—their lounging around tipping-houses—their cock-fighting and promiscuous gambling—and their generally loose ideas about morality. Why is it that in this land of hills, ministers, churches and schools, there is so little morality in the young gentry of the period? In this town, for example, we can show precocious examples of boys with habits and vices which would horrify some of our staid old farmers, who in their simplicity it may be, good and easy souls, are dreaming of the time when their boys will appear in the country seat as a lawyer, doctor or merchant, never once thinking that the boys should become farmers or mechanics! No, not for the world these last two! There seems to be such a fascination about the way in which a smart town arch carries himself, that even our best and most solid citizens are captivated and never rest satisfied until their sprouts have a double barrelled breech-loading gun, a pointer dog and corduroy coat, vest and pants—the last crumpled carelessly in the lad's boots. This hegets idleness—idleness begets a hatred and contempt for honest work—this last begets drinking—and drinking is the prolific mother of all the evils which now curse our town and county. We know men who have achieved fortunes by following well and late some mechanical avocation, who to-day disdain to see their hopeful offspring anything but gentlemen of leisure or doctors or lawyers! What is there in money that turns a man, who has come up from the dirt, a fool when he has become old and rich? This class of men seem to see their sons do the very things which they confess wrought out their own characters on a solid basis and filled their pockets with money. Thus parents, by foolish indulgence, are teaching their children to become dross in society and in all probability siding them in bringing their own heads in sorrow to the grave.

We know of one instance in point which preaches a lesson more powerful than tongue or pen. Some fifteen years ago a woman was let a widow with a family of children, boys and girls. The boys were put out to trades and learned their well. The girls sewed and taught school, and thereby became independent. To-day the boys are men of the highest standing in their different pursuits, and the women brave, noble and industrious, and above all, perfectly independent. About the same time another family started in a different direction, with wealth and plenty. The boys became gentlemen of leisure, and are now drunkards and the girls are lazy, slovenly and a perfect drag upon the father who is on the very verge of bankruptcy. The boys are a nuisance, and a man would as soon think of marrying an inmate of the lunatic asylum as one of these indolent and thriftless daughters!

Our notions of labor are radically wrong. The plow, the ax and the hoe—the plane, jack knife and last—are emblems of servitude, and we poor fools are bringing up our children without habits or thoughts of work and of independence. All the crimes which now curse every neighborhood in this county can be traced to a contempt of labor and a free use of whisky. Men—solid men—are too lax in their examples. We can point to your daily examples of members of the different churches in town and in the country, visiting tipping houses and drinking their drams regularly. They don't seem to think that any one sees them—perhaps don't care. They certainly do not reflect upon what a horrid example they are setting by this open and bold-faced profanation. They forget that the eyes of all men are on them, and, above all, that the sleepless Eye of Jehovah ever rests upon them! How can the Press and the Pulpit wage a successful war with sin and crime when in this town, and in every neighborhood in this county, members of churches, and men high in public esteem, patronize those tipping halls, and in some instances actually vend the liquid damnation out to a thirsting crowd!

The time has come when the Churches must cleanse their registers and the Press must thunder into the ears of fathers and mothers the fearful truths of the degeneracy and the doubtfulness of their children. Public opinion must be directed to these matters. When once aroused, the time will soon come when whisky selling and tipping will be under the ban, and when peace and order and happiness will reign over our whole county.

Hon. W. C. Whitthorne, of this State, has introduced a bill in Congress providing for the substitution of legal tenders for the present national bank notes.

Something to Think About.

[From the Athens Post.] Corn is quoted in St. Louis at 40 cents per bushel; a bushel of corn weighs 56 pounds; freight from St. Louis to Atlanta on 100 lbs. of corn is 64 cents. Corn at Knoxville, sacked and delivered in depot, is quoted at 65 cents a bushel; freight on 100 pounds of corn from Knoxville to Atlanta, according to a circular from the latter city, is 34 cents, or about 16 1/2 cents a bushel. We refer to this, not to complain of railroad tariffs, but to let the farmer of East Tennessee know that he has got to compete with the West for the Southern market—and there is no way to get around it—nor consume his surplus produce at home. We would be glad if the producer could always realize liberally on his labor and capital, for when he prospers we all prosper. But we have to deal with facts—things as they are. It will be noticed, that it takes 64 cents to freight 100 pounds of corn from St. Louis or Cincinnati to Atlanta, while 34 cents is the tariff on 100 pounds from Knoxville to that point. As stated, there are 56 pounds in a bushel, which is worth 65 cents at Knoxville and 40 cents at St. Louis. The difference between the price of a bushel of corn at the latter point and the former is 25 cents, while the freight from Knoxville on a bushel is a fraction over 16 cents, and from St. Louis a little over 32 cents. Now add the fact that the West produces thirty or forty bushels of corn to the acre while we produce not more than ten or fifteen bushels to the acre, and the simplest mind can see what the matter. We couldn't compete with the teeming West were the railroads to carry our stuff at mere nominal charges, which we don't think they are likely to do for a year or two yet.

Statute of Limitations. The Supreme Court of this State has had before it some very important cases for final decision, one of which was in regard to the running of the statute of Limitations. The unanimous opinion of the Court was delivered by Judge Freeman, of which the Banner says:

The Supreme Court of Tennessee has just followed the Supreme Court of the United States in weakening, at least, a theory that ought to have been exploded long ago—that when the statute of limitations once commenced to run, it never stopped running. A state of war practically and effectively prevents the bringing of suits in a country where war—flagrant war—exists, and there never was a good reason or justice in defeating a creditor, by permitting a debtor to plead the bar of the statute and imputing a negligence to the former, on account of his not commencing an action during a period when the courts were closed and the laws themselves were silent.

Louisiana Radicalism. The Congressional Committee held a session of six hours in New Orleans, on the 21st inst. Several witnesses were examined. The evidence is very strong against the Governor and members of the Legislature, showing violence, bribery, etc. Carr, one of the Warmoth leaders in the House, testified that the schism in the Republican party originated between the Governor and Lieutenant Governor Dunn; that the Federal officials afterwards sided with Dunn. Carr had not remained in Desoto Parish, which he represented, over three months all told, and had not been there since he was elected in 1870. During the investigation it has been shown that there are many members of the Legislature who have never resided in the Parishes they pretend to represent.

Murdered by her Drunken Husband. James Hough and wife, old and respected citizens of Richmond, Kentucky, became involved in a quarrel, on the 24 inst., during which the husband plunged a clasp knife into the breast and abdomen of his wife fifteen or twenty times. No one was present to interrupt him in the murderous work. He was under the influence of liquor. The neighbors being apprised of the affair by some children, went to the house and found Mrs. Hough lying in a pool of blood upon the floor. She only lived long enough to tell who was the murderer. Jealousy is said to have been the original cause which led to the fatal result.

The Cincinnati Road. The Southern Railroad Bill passed the Kentucky Senate by one vote on the 27th ult. It had previously passed the House of Representatives by a respectable majority. The vote in the Senate stood 19 to 19—Lieut. Governor Carlisle casting the decisive vote in favor of the enterprise. A motion to reconsider was entered, but the friends of the bill were confident of success. The news of its passage seems to have been hailed with much satisfaction at Cincinnati, and among the friends of the measure in Kentucky.

Bowman's mill, in Washington county was entered a few nights ago by burglars, who carried off a large amount of flour.

TENNESSEE ITEMS.

Memphis is overrun by juvenile thieves from St. Louis. Horse thieves are operating extensively in Giles county. Gen. Stokes is to be tried this week for alleged bounty frauds. The Masonic Temple in Knoxville is nearly completed.

Franklin has a large Temperance Society that is doing a good work. Memphis is full of confidence men and swindlers, who fleece the unshy Franklin has had a "Leap Year" party. Huntingdon is struggling to get up a bank.

In Williamson county, four candidates are announced for Tax Collector and four for Sheriff. A man named Hyronemus recently shot and killed a negro in Nashville in self defense.

The Union and American bids the Republican Banner a political farewell. The inmates of the State Prison are said to be unanimous for the "one term principle". J. F. T. Harris is announced as a candidate for State Senator from the First District.

The Republican Convention for this State will probably be held in April. The "Journal" is the name of a new paper just started at Newburg, in this State. The money spent for whisky in Tennessee, in one year, would pay the entire State debt.

A Memphis thief stole a four hundred pound lump of coal which a coal agent used as a sign. The receipts of the Nashville and Chattanooga Railroad during January reached about \$175,000. Quite a number of the Memphis merchants are resisting the payment of their taxes in the courts.

The price of the Knoxville Press and Messenger is to be advanced to \$2 a year, after the 15th inst. The Cleveland Banner advocates the building of a narrow gauge railroad from that place to Ducktown. Candidates for county offices in Knox county are announcing their names through the papers.

On the 24th ult., a grey eagle, mess, was seen from tip to tip of wings, was shot near Brownsville. Wolves are plentiful in Giles county, and are making sad havoc among the sheep and small stock of the farmers. The preliminary survey of the Demark, Brownsville, and Durhamville Narrow Gauge railroad has been commenced.

The publishers of the Chattanooga Times announce that their journal is to have a new dress about the first of March. Shares in the Nashville and Chattanooga Railroad are worth 50 cents on the dollar—being a considerable advance. The London Journal says that Mr. Wm. Craig, of London county, is making and churning from a calf only six months old.

In Williamson county, recently, Dr. Joe West was shot and killed by James Floyd. The homicide had its origin in an old feud. A young Tennessee doctor named Henning is rising to a high position among the physicians of New York city.

A desperado named W. R. Darwin, 29 years of age, shot and killed Andrew Martin, an ineffective old man in the streets of Tallahassee, recently. Nashville is going to repeat her Exposition of last May—only on a more magnificent scale—the coming May.

Colonel J. B. Scudder, of Tennessee, has been appointed by the President as one of the visitors to West Point. Rev. M. H. Nichols, stationed at Knoxville, has been transferred from the Holston to the St. Louis Conference of the M. E. Church.

The people of Meigs and Meigs counties are manifesting a good deal of interest in the proposed narrow-gauge railroad from Cleveland to Ducktown. The revival at the M. E. Church, South, in Athens, closed on the 28th ult. The number of conversions during the meeting is said to have been ninety persons.

Two German counts—Aros and Armin—private secretaries of the German minister of the United States—were the observed of all observers recently, at Knoxville. Nashville has a regularly organized gang of body snatchers, who invade graveyards, dig up dead bodies, and ship them to the Western Medical College.

Mr. H. Henson, of Loudon county, claims to have the largest yam potato in Tennessee. It measuring nine and a half feet in length and weighs four pounds. Three hundred and fifty-eight marriages in Fayette county last year—that is, one out of every thirteen inhabitants of the county entered into a life partnership.

Early on Friday morning before last a drunken man named Casey was knocked down in the streets of Chattanooga and robbed of \$75 in money and a gold watch and chain, valued at one hundred dollars. According to the Samervilla Echo, Fayette county consumed \$200,000 worth of whisky, alone, last year—equal to \$20 worth to the beverage for each man, woman and child in the county.

In lower East Tennessee, the Cleveland Banner says, times are improving in many matters. The complaints about the scarcity of money are not so frequently made as they were a few weeks ago. A deer pursued by a party of hunters in Giles county, took refuge in the cabin of a backwood man. The door was shut and the game held by the proprietor, who refused to give up his prize to the hunters.

A "leap year party" in Chattanooga, recently, the young ladies who formed the committee of management had posted up in conspicuous parts of the hall such mottoes as the following: "We mean business," "None of your poverty dodges," "Waiting is tedious," etc.

NEWS FROM ALL QUARTERS.

The peach trees are in bloom in Florida. An Artesian well in Texas spouts soda water. Michigan is to have a new State capital. Galveston complains of forays by sharks in the harbor.

The relief committee of Chicago has spent \$100,000 for stoves. This is regarded in Wisconsin as the coldest winter ever known there. A girl in Utah recently fell dead from laughing too tightly. Ice two feet thick has been gathered in Indiana and Illinois.

A band of female counterfeiters has been broken up in Illinois. In Chicago the new Mayor is making war upon the gamblers. The Swiss ribbon makers are said to know 15,000 different colors. There are said to be 80,000 vacant dwellings in Paris.

There are 10,000,000 cows in the United States. The annual product of sunflower seed in Russia is 23,000,000 pounds. Oscoda county, Iowa, with 277,180 acres of land, contains not a single tree. In Michigan, ten thousand men are employed this winter cutting timber.

The cotton crop of the United States last year was 3,400,000 bales. There were 177 deaths in Philadelphia last week from small pox. Baltimore claims the largest bakery on the west side of the Atlantic ocean. The price of horses and mules South is advancing.

General B-nargard is writing notes on Poland's book, about the "Lost Cause." Chicago proposes now to have sidewalks with iron gratings, arched with brick. There were three hundred and five murders in New York last year, and only one man hanged for them.

Quite a number of deaths are reported in the Northwest from the severe cold weather of the past ten days. At a recent fancy fair in London, a single hair from Napoleon's head sold for a handsome price. The Senate committee on appropriations has asked for \$20,000 to pay the expense of the Japanese Embassy.

The latest Patent Office Report shows that Bureau to be self-sustaining. About one-half of the town of Monticello, Drew county, Ark., was recently buried up. A woman locked three children in a room in Detroit, and the house took fire and burned two of them to death.

One hundred and forty cars of freight come south every day over the Louisville and Nashville Railroad. The American colonization society has sent out 2532 colored colonists to Liberia since the war. The V. M. S. Society realize a surplus from their Fair of \$1,900, and has in its treasury a surplus of \$15,000.

The Mexicans, true to their well-earned reputation, are again bravely doing the work of mutual extermination. Happy Mexico! I. James Low, of Sumter county, Alabama, is raising and selling hundred dollar cows, which pays better than cotton.

Mrs. Fanny Hyde, a young married woman, shot Gen. W. Watson, dead, in New York, on the 25th. He had been slandering her. It is said that Gen. Hancock will not accept the Democratic candidacy for President—in the event it should be tendered him.

The amount of money paid for whisky in North Carolina during the year 1871 is over \$50,000,000. This would have paid the State debt. In Mobile, Friday before last the weather was so cold that Dan Rice's brass monkey froze to death while in a jangle near some dogbark.

George Wilkes, who was for some time Grant's right lower, is now out for Sumner, and is doing every thing he can to defeat Grant. The Republican State Convention for Connecticut met a few days ago and renominated Governor Jewell and the rest of the old ticket for State officers.

Six millions of the South Carolina bonds issued by Governor Scott are illegal. The people seem to have no way of protecting themselves. A collision is reported on the lower division of the Alabama and Chattanooga Road, in which the baggage master, express messenger, a trapeze man, and one passenger were killed.

The Temperance party will be the first in the field this year, with their candidate for President. They hold their nominating convention in Columbus, Ohio, February 22. A Sheriff broke up a baptism on the banks of the Ohio, at Cairo, saying that the water was too cold, and that if the minister persisted he would prosecute him for murder.

Col. Tom Scott and associates have refused to accept the Memphis and Charleston railroad on the terms proposed by the late convention of stockholders. The latest Anti-Grant Presidential ticket is said to be Grovesback, of Ohio, and Gratz Brown, of Missouri. That ticket would perhaps come as near winning as any that could be started.

The Memphis Appeal says the number of eminent Democrats who are fit for the Presidential office "is supposed by many to be greater than their chances of success." A Connecticut man sold Brick Pomroy for broken of promise. She says she promised to marry her Anno Domini, 1866, and alleges damages of \$25,000, which is valuing it rather high.

The postal clerks of the Virginia and Tennessee division of the Atlantic, Mississippi and Ohio Railroad report the transmission during the year 1871 over that line of 54,517 registered packages and 233 tons of mail matter. The importations into New York last week were unusually large, amounting to \$8,000,000. Coffee and sugar were the leading articles. A Des Moines printer has invented a valuable method of chromo printing, by which a card or circular can, at one impression, be printed in as many colors as desired.

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New Advertisements.

PROSPECTUS OF THE HOLSTON METHODIST. This undersigned has made arrangements with Messrs. L. P. & G. E. Speck, of the Morristown Gazette, for the publication in Morristown, Tennessee, of a new religious newspaper, to be entitled the Holston Methodist, the first number to be issued on the 24 day of March, 1872, at \$1.50 per annum, IN-variably in Advance. We have engaged an enterprise liberally, and intend, by God's help, to make it a prominent success. The size of the paper, at first, will be 22x30 inches, but we will enlarge it to 30x40, our postage will justify. It will contain twenty-four columns, only eight of which will be devoted to advertising purposes, leaving sixteen columns for ordinary reading matter, and we will, in the mean time, publish a paper of 16 columns, to be published in place of our present paper. Within this limited space we will publish all the news that is of local interest to our readers, but we will not be influenced in advertising for a paper, however valuable, that comes from abroad.

The Holston Methodist will not only be a religious paper, but it is a general enterprise which will place on its covered tables, all the news of the people of the Conference, with all the news that it may gather, for its purpose, as a medium of intercommunication, and as a hand of unity and sympathy. Those who do not like the paper, will, of course, let it alone. We will employ a Corresponding Editor for each Presiding Elder's District, and our object in this arrangement being to inform life and variety into the paper, and at the same time to preserve for the future the history of the Conference, made at its annual meetings, and for the purpose of the paper will be published in a paper, as far as a Weekly can be said, it will be published on a regular basis, and will be published on a regular basis, and will be published on a regular basis.

In addition to the religious department, we intend to devote to the development of the Educational, Agricultural, Mechanical, and Commercial Departments of East Tennessee, Southwestern Virginia, and Western North Carolina. All members of our church are requested to be particularly careful in procuring subscribers. Lists of subscribers will also be thankfully received from the laity. It is important that subscribers should begin with the first number. Agents will be liberally compensated for work done. Subscribers will be charged only \$1.50 per annum for the paper. Business communications should be addressed to R. N. PHIPPS, and all communications intended for publication to R. N. PHIPPS, Morristown, Tenn.

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