

CROPS AND WEATHER.

There has been too much wetness during the past week, but crops are reported doing well and very little is in the grass. The cotton outside, indeed, in the river front counties would not be better. But, alas, the prospect of a chilling blight over what would otherwise be a bright prospect.

Blossoms are rolling in on the Times office, and on Oakland—less by Sol Goldsmith—they were reported as early as the 15th. But under an unvarying rule of the TIMES, of over 20 years standing, the first actually received at the office is the one put to record.

Tom Young, colored, one of Mr. Goldsmith's tenants on Williams' Bayou, sends us a splendidly formed sample stalk, 30 inches high.

Highest thermometer, 95
Lowest, 70
Rainfall, 2.54

Letter for Shields.
A despatch just received informs Watson Shields's friends that he is the choice of the Leflore convention by a large majority.

For Furniture, Chairs and Mattresses, go to M. GROSS & CO., on Walnut street. All goods sold cheap for cash, or on the installment plan. Sept. 6.

The friends and patrons of Public School No. 2 are invited to attend the closing exercises on Wednesday evening. Exercises to begin at 8 p. m. sharp. Admission 25 cents, to go toward library for the school.

E. E. HARRIS, Supt. City Schools.
Cypress Lumber.
The attention of the readers of the Times is directed to the advertisement of Cypress Lumber by Mr. S. S. Coles. His mill is convenient to rail and river and his lumber is from an uncommonly fine break in the northern end of the county. Correspond for prices which are extremely reasonable.

You run no risk. All druggists guarantee Groves' Tasteless Chili Tonic to do what the manufacturers claim for it. If it fails, no cure, no pay. There are many imitations. To get the GENUINE ask for Groves'. For sale by all Druggists. May 30-ly.

Planters Cotton Compress.
At the annual meeting of the stockholders of this well known company the following were elected officers and directors for the ensuing year: James E. Nugos, President; Henry T. Ireys, Vice-President; Joseph Uhl, Secretary; Thomas Mount, Treasurer; J. D. Smith, Alex. Blum, Dan Head, Jas. C. Cowan, Directors.

FOR THE SENATE.
We are authorized to announce J. HOLMES BAKER as a candidate for Senator from the counties of Washington and Sunflower—subject to such action as is taken by the Democrats of the two counties in joint convention assembled.

Mr. Holmes Baker is a native of Mississippi, a gentleman of high character and well qualified to represent the two counties. He is a brother of our fellow-citizen, Mr. Edgar Baker.

Planters, Attention!
All kinds of machinery repaired and cuttings made, at Memphis prices. Planters can save money by having their work done now, before the rush sets in. Competent mechanics sent June 15-16.

JOS. WALL.
NEW YORK LIFE.
The following telegram was received this morning:

ATLANTA, GA., June 19, 1891.
S. M. MORGAN:
I am in receipt of telegram from New York Life Insurance Company giving in full resolutions unanimously adopted by the trustees of the company demanding and requiring full investigation of all charges against the company and its condition as complete relation of charges and conditions recently made in public print. They express perfect confidence in officers and their management and declare their belief that the investigation they court will only serve to establish the company still stronger in the confidence and respect of the community. I there in fullest degree their belief.

LIVINGTONS TIMES, May 30-ly.
It would be a severe shock to the life insurance system of the nation if confidence were shaken in the New York Life Company.

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Good Counsel.
Editor of the TIMES:
I am not a politician or engaged in politics, being entirely engaged in my mercantile and planting business. But I want to enter my protest against the excitement and hot feelings which our country politics are now begetting in our people. I don't blame anybody, but there must be something wrong somewhere or everywhere when we fall into such harmful ways. I am in favor of concessions and quiet that the people may not be distracted away from what much more concerns them than which one of the candidates are elected. Mr. Editor, I am a plain man and I am speaking the minds of many when I say these things. They are tired of distractions and stirring up strife. Our folks, planters and merchants, are having a hard time anyway and our leaders are not showing wisdom in getting them or letting them get into further troubles. We have a good country, one in which everyone can be honest and active and do well. We ought to make a better use of our opportunities. Hoping that I do not trouble and asking other good citizens who are not politicians to join me in this protest, I am,

Respectfully,
S. G. SMITH.

The TIMES most heartily commends the timely protest of Mr. Goldsmith—and joins in his request that other non-political citizens, like himself, deeply interested in the business of the country, unite with him in staying the march of strife and faction.

SOCIETY NOTES.
Mr. George McElhee, of Lake Lee, was in the city Friday.

Mrs. J. A. Shaddock returned from a short visit to her home, on Sunday last.

Mr. R. B. Maury, traveling Passenger Agent for I. N. O. & T. R. R., was among friends in our city yesterday.

Mrs. M. E. Valliant and daughter, Miss Mary, are contemplating a visit to Louisville, Ky., and expect to leave in a few days.

Miss Elise Nelson came Tuesday to spend the summer vacation with her father, Col. C. P. Nelson, and his family on Broadway.

Capt. Archibald Baugh, accompanied by his two oldest daughters, Annie and Lou, are in the city, guests of Mrs. J. A. Negus.

Mrs. M. F. Johnson, of Chatham, spent Tuesday and Wednesday on Deer Creek, visiting Mesdames E. C. Urquhart and J. B. Ferguson.

Miss Birdie Robertson is at home again, after a lovely time passed in the city of Roseville, where she has been a visitor for a fortnight.

Misses Leslie Williams and Fanny Williams are greatly enjoying a visit on beautiful Lake Washington, guests of Miss Willy Johnson at Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. Pope Hawkins were most delightfully entertained for a few days this week on Lake Washington, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Erwin.

Miss Manie Shields is in Oxford visiting her friend, Miss Baird, and doubtless fascinating all who fall under the spell of her numerous attractions.

Miss Violet Dyer left to-day for Oxford, where she will visit her friend Miss May Owen and also attend commencement exercises of the State University.

Mr. Frank Larkin will attend the commencement exercises at Oxford, and doubtless greatly enjoy running through the classic halls of his beloved Alma Mater.

Miss Donnie England, a beautiful belle of the Hill City, will very soon lend a lustre to our social circle by coming to be a guest of Miss Blane on Walnut Street.

Mrs. Christopher Meade, of Roseville, is in Greenville, visiting her parents and was present at the graduation of her sister, Miss Eva Robertson.

Miss Mary Hood, of Magnolia, spent Friday in our city. Her numerous friends here are anticipating with pleasure a promised visit in the near future of longer duration.

Miss Annie Stone, a charming Jacksonville belle, promises soon to visit friends in our city, where she will certainly win the admiration of her beauty and attractive personality richly merit.

Mr. H. H. Thiers, of Florida, who is not a stranger in our city, has arrived a few days since and is a guest of Mrs. B. B. Green and household on Central Ave.

Misses Ann T. and Willy Johnson came up from the Lake and spent a brief day with Mrs. C. M. Johnson, each promising their friends that their next visit shall be more satisfactorily long.

Capt. and Mrs. W. L. Gay have the pleasure this week of a visit from Mrs. George Phillips of Lexington, a charming lady who made many friends during her short residence in our city. She is accompanied by her niece, Miss Ruth Bell.

Mr. Chas. W. Dudley will entertain for the next few days a stag party in his elegant country villa on Lake Washington. Among his guests will be our friends, James S. Walker, Sprague Winchester and Mr. Henry Crittenden.

Misses Bichette and Carolyn Adams, lovely Creole belles of the Crescent City, who are now visiting their sister, Mrs. Thos. Worthington, at Leota, expect to come in July to pass some time with their relative, Mrs. Sallie M. Targor, on Walnut Street.

Greenville gladly welcomes home her pretty absentees, Misses Maud Blatte, Virginia Hunt and Elise Stone, whose visits for some weeks in sister cities—a time merrily spent by the young ladies—who were recipients of many beautiful attentions, certainly created a void in our little world at home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stirling have been entertaining this week Dr. Victor Johnson and Misses Annie Worthington and Ford of Clinton county, Ark. On Thursday night an informal dance was given in their honor by Mr. and Mrs. Stirling, which was an occasion of much enjoyment and fun to those present.

Miss Katie Davis, of Lake Providence, returned to her home to-day and was accompanied by her sister, Miss Nannie, who joined her here a few days since, having come from a Kentucky summer vacation. Miss Davis was entertained at a charming tea by Miss Hunt in her honor on Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reed, of Lake Chicot, Arkansas, accompanied Miss Blanche Maddox, who is en route for her home in Virginia, as far as this city. They passed Thursday and Friday here, and Friday night Miss Maddox's numerous friends regrettably bade her farewell, bespeaking for themselves a speedy return.

Mr. G. G. Johnson, of Linden on Lake Washington, accompanied by his elegant and accomplished wife and his sister, Miss Narcise Johnson, of Aldomar, who is an established favorite here, spent Friday in the city, and were entertained at a dining at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Hunt; other guests being Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crittenden and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Johnson.

The sweet girl graduates received due meed of compliments and floral attestations from friends and admirers on Wednesday night when they received diplomas and certificates of merit from St. Rose of Lima's Convent. Society will open its magic circle to receive these rosebuds—Misses Ellen Curran, Martha Gay, Eva Robertson, Harriet Dunn and Percy Wetherbee, among other debutantes for next season's festivities.

A BARGAIN.
Just received a large lot of SAMUEL FLOWERS, beautiful goods, no two alike, to be sold at less than half value, at E. G. MARSHALL'S.

The Jeff Davis Monument.
The call for contributions to be collected all over the South on the 18th inst. was like to pass in Greenville. But the indefatigable and inviolable Jno. P. Finley took the streets and collected \$100. All whom he did not see and who desire to join in this noble work, being supported all over the South, will please forward their contributions to him.

Groves' Tasteless Chili Tonic is a perfect Malarial Liver Tonic and Blood Purifier, removes biliousness without purging. As pleasant as Lemon Syrup. It is as large as any other Tonic and Retains its purity for 60 days. To get the GENUINE ask for GROVES'. Sold by all Druggists. May 30-ly.

QUICK WORK.
To THE GREENVILLE TIMES:
The citizens of the Second Superior District of this county in the vicinity of Silver Lake to a prospect of having Black Bird Bayou and Silver Lake bridges built and the road again opened for use to the public. This is the only public road leading in that direction to Longwood, and having been closed to travel on account of the bridge being down since the fore part of April. No doubt the residents along the road and in the neighborhood will feel under lasting obligations to the members of the County Board of Supervisors for their timely effort in discharging their duty with such promptness. It is now not quite three months since the bridges were swept away, and I learn the Board has recently taken steps to have them built, within the next sixty days, only allowing the people of the neighborhood to be inconvenienced for a period of about five months by being deprived of their only road to the railroad station for that length of time. What other county can boast of having such energetic and so subservient to the public interests in matters requiring so much effort as the construction of two bridges would require, the services of half a dozen men for the period of two or three days.

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The Return.

Canton, Miss., June 14.—The returns in the primary election held here yesterday are all in, except Livingston and Anderson's score. The returns are: E. L. Ross, editor of the Canton Picket, is undoubtedly elected to the State Senate.

W. S. McAllister and H. C. Turner, both anti-Sub-Treasury men, are elected to the Legislature. McAllister's success is a great victory, as the opposition made a strong personal fight against him. His vote is a decided one, being a majority of nearly 4 to 1.

Madison emphasizes her position of last year, when she voted against Barksdale and for Hooker on the Sub-Treasury issue. The nominees will support Judge S. S. Calhoun for Wall's successor.

Wesson, Miss., June 15.—The entire ticket endorsed by the Alliance of Simpson county was elected at the Democratic primary. The Representatives nominated was T. N. Touchstone.

The Mississippians learn that at the Democratic Convention held at Ashland, Benton county, June 1, Senator George was unanimously endorsed as his own successor. The course of George and Walthall as Senators was enthusiastically endorsed. A motion to instruct for Barksdale as Walthall's successor, raised the cry of "Stone, Stone, Stone," when said motion was withdrawn by its author—Mississippi.

A resolution to endorse Mr. Barksdale at the close of his speech at Starkville met such decided opposition that the mover was glad to withdraw it.

BUCKLE'S ARNICA SALVE.
THE BEST SALVE IN THE WORLD FOR CUTS, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Itch, Chapped Hands, Chaps, Blisters, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Moore & Clarke. Jan-ly.

The S. T. Foreign contingent.
Holly Springs, Miss., June 17.—The lands of this section have been too wet for plowing for several days and the coming of President Polk and Mr. Livingston of the National Alliance had been well advertised. In view of these facts, it is a matter of surprise and comment that the attendance at the mass meeting to-day was so small. When President Polk rose to speak in the court-house at 11 o'clock it was to an audience of not more than 250 people, of which one third were town people. He began by stating that he meant to tell the truth candidly. Then he proceeded to review briefly the story of the Alliance with its accomplished work and future aims. He entered at once upon the discussion of what he claimed were the three essential planks of the Alliance platform, every word of which he said he endorsed and would stand by until something better was proposed. These planks are:

First—The abolition of National banks and loaning money direct to the people.

Second—The issue of currency in sufficient volume to meet the legitimate demands of the legitimate business of the country.

Third—No gambling in futures in the agricultural and mechanical products of the country.

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Senator George.
Carrollton, Miss., June 19.—Senator George will speak at Grenada, June 20; Charleston, June 23; Iuka, July 2; Kosciusko, Alcorn county, July 4; Booneville, July 6; Forest, Scott county, July 8. The above announcement is sent by request of the Senator. His physicians pronounce his throat affection much better, but not entirely well. In every other respect he is him again and will lead the people of Mississippi to victory as he has always done in the past. Carroll county is with him.

A BARGAIN.
JUST RECEIVED—Full line of LACK STRAW HATS, all new shapes, all new colors, at 40 cents each, at E. G. MARSHALL'S.

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