THE WRECK.

She stood upon the barren hill,
As swift the ruthless storm
Came on the brooding wings of night,
In black tempestuous form.
Yet wilder rose a storm within
The lonely watcher fair,
As frantically she cries to heaven
To save her from despair.

She gazed upon the roaring sea,
With mad waves leaping high—
The hungry [illegible] flaming [illegible]
The frail bark drawing nigh;
The frail bark holds her hope, her life,
The treasure of her heart;
Now just within her eager grasp,
Oh, God! thus, thus to part!

"There is no help, no hope," she cries,
While loudly roars the sea,
And wilder dance the angry waves
Like fiends in sportive glee,
As, piece by piece they rend the bark,
And tear her planks away,
While vainly strive the hapless crew,
And for assistance pray.

The morning breaks, the storm is past,
The waves in sullen strife,
Cast rudely from their ghastly arms,
The husband to his wife;
She, smiling, clasped the form so dear,
"I wait, my all!" she cried;
The beautiful in love and life,
In death lay side by side.

[From the Courier-Journal—Editorial.]

MISS NEILSON'S FAILURE IN LOUISVILLE.—Miss Neilson's fails to come up to Louisville's conception of conspicuous talent, and we claim for Louisville the honor of being one of the most justly discriminating and most correct judges of histrionic art in America. Adelaide Neilson's success lies in her eyes, in her teeth, in her hair, in her physique (baring her neck, and arms, and shoulders). And, in Louisville, exquisit eyes and teeth and hair, and all the other personal perfections, are so common that an actress must have something more if she would receive from us the crown of Queen. The conspicuous lack of enthusiasm which characterized this fair lady's reception among us has been attributed by some to the sad stories published about her in the New York press. We are sure this is not so. Our women are too good and gentle and our men are too gallant to believe ill of a woman on such slim evidence as this New York gossip.

No, Miss Adelaide Neilson is not a great actress. She has not the voice of an actress; she has not the action of an actress; she has not the expression of an actress. The language of her body is not the language of talent; it is simply the language of fascinating beauty—a beauty such as Mary, Queen of Scots, had—a beauty to make men give up their hearts, and their heads, and their homes, and their souls, if the fair one so will it. "Juliet" and "Rosalind" are Neilson's best works, so she and her friends claim. Her "Juliet" was a parvenu school-girl, loud, beautiful, and over-dressed. It is Neilsons "Juliet," but not Shakespeare's. Her "Rosalind" is a fast, hoydenish beauty, as little like the well-bred daughter of a Duke as a meadow mare is like a Glencoe filly. Nevertheless, we thank Manager Macauley for bringing Neilson here. We are glad we have seen her, because she is one of the wonders of the age. But we do not care to see her again. May the next one draw a better house and more applause.

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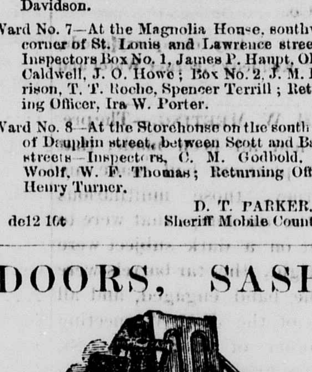

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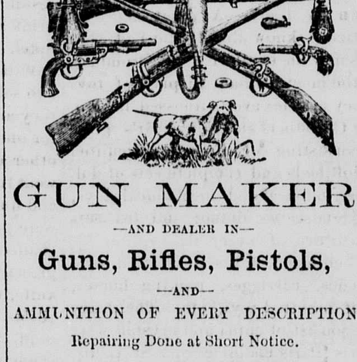

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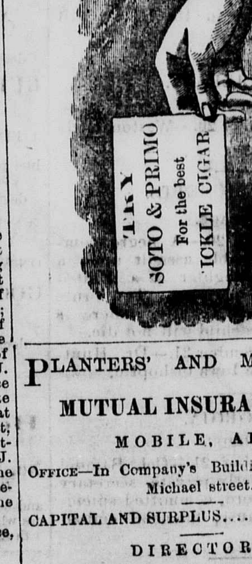

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ALABAMA NEWS.

The remains of a dead negro boy were brought into Montgomery Saturday evening, he having been run over by one of the trains of the Western road.

The capital city is fond of oysters. The *State Journal* says: To give an idea of the great increase in the consumption of oysters in our city, it is only necessary to say that D. P. West & Co. have received a car load of oysters every day for the last week, and that they will receive between now and Christmas 1,000 barrels of these luscious bivalves.

Jasper N. Haney, a blatant Radical lawyer of Selma, has been practising before the negro Judge, Thomas. The so-called Judge did not perform to suit Haney and the latter took up his hat, abandoned his case and walked out of Court. For this he was fined $10 for contempt. The black Blackstone refuses to allow Haney to practice in the Court until he purges himself of contempt.

Mr. Charles Russell of Sandy Ridge this year obtained 48 gallons of syrup from 4 rows of ribbon cane 35 feet in length, and sold the syrup readily for $1 a gallon. The ground occupied was about a ninth of an acre. If the whole acre had been seeded with cane, and produced at the same rate, and Mr. Russell had sold at the same price, the acre would have paid him $432. Now we wish to find any ten acres of cotton land, in a body, which turned out that much money this year. At the present prices of the two staples, sugar cane culture is from five to ten times as profitable as cotton. Every planter should devote at least an acre to cane, and thus secure 150 or 200 gallons of syrup. Syrup can be made as easily as cotton can be ginned and packed. Cane culture is not a whit more troublesome, and the production will sell as readily as cotton. Besides, one can eat syrup, and cotton is a poor diet.—[*Hayneville Examiner.*

THRILLING ADVENTURES.—Last Friday afternoon, Mr. Walthall, of Perry, (formerly a cadet at the University) hired one of Bean & Hanly's hacks, and took Miss Mary Gooch out riding. The hack was pulled by a couple of large horses, formerly owned by the Great Eastern Circus, and driven by a negro man. As they were proceeding into town on the University road, the horses took fright and ran at full speed. The reins broke, and the driver jumped off his box, turning sundry somersaults before touching the ground. As the horses went thundering down the narrow passway over the big gulley, the wheels of the vehicle just grazed the walls of the precipice; a deviation of two inches in the course would have sent horses, carriage, gentleman and lady to instant destruction. Futher on, the latter jumped, or were thrown, out, Miss Gooch being badly bruised, Mr. Walthall slightly scratched. The driver escaped injury. So much for trusting strong, fiery horses with rotten harness.—[*Tuskaloosa Blade, 17th.*

THE latest thing in human pisciculture is the gosselin vest. It enables its possessor, however, to walk comfortably upon the sea, and to paddle his own canoe like a first class porpoise. The vest consists of double flannel, between which and the body a strong india-rubber tube is coiled in a spiral form, arranged to cover the body. The apparatus may be worn over the clothes, and will enable a man to swim upright if he can stand the winds, carry sufficient ballast, and treat the big waves with contempt, all the way from the Cove of Cork to the Chicago river.

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DAILY TRIBUNE

MOBILE, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22 1874

THE MOBILE DAILY TRIBUNE
May be seen on file at the Newspaper Reading Rooms of Messrs Burton & Co., Union Square, New York City.

THE LAST STRUGGLE.

At the time of writing these lines the conspirators against the peace, prosperity and honor of our City are holding their secret conclave at Turner Hall.

Whether the mountain will bring forth a mouse or a monster, is still concealed in her womb—but—pigmy or giant—full-blooded or mongrel, the repulsive offspring will fall still-born from its parental nest, and the first rays of the rising sun which witnesses its birth, will forever bury it in darkness and oblivion under its setting clouds.

It was the custom of former times when the prowess of bold Knights was to be tested in the lists, that each combatant, as he approached the gates, should raise his vizor, open his cuirasse and prove that, besides being of gentle birth, and that no bar sinister crossed his escutcheon, he bore on his breast no charm, token or concealed weapon, and was to do the good fight with his bright lance and trusty sword alone: and all who were detected in shameful or dishonorable practices, or in assuming armorial devices not their own were ordered by the Marshal of Camp to be dragged, face downward and by his unspurred heels, out of the arena where none but the brave and the pure could claim admittance.

To-day, at this late hour and when the lists are about to be thrown open, the wily foe has not yet unmasked his face or proclaimed his race and name, but covertly seeks to sneak in the rear of our Champions and slily run his poisoned dagger in their backs.

What do you say, people of Mobile, of the men who thus betray all the laws of honor? What do you say of those men who clandestinely met last night to combine and connive in a dastardly attack on your honor and purses?

What respect, what confidence can you have in men who, shunning the light of day and hiding their past record from your searching glance, dare pretend to rule you and yours? Why is it that they have not—if they are pure and true—laid before you the history of their names? Why have they not unveiled—nay, dared, enquiry and investigation? Why?

We leave you to answer this question at the polls, where, outside of a few renegades, those men, if they dare to appear, will be found to have no other allies but the poor dupes or savage tools of a race barely escaped from Barbarism!

SAVE YOUR CREDIT.

Our next Mayor, Alphonse Hurtel, in his last remarks at Odd Fellows Hall, gave the finishing blow to the slanderers who, while inundating the city with their ragged promises to pay, charged the Democratic party with the latent design to repudiate its just debts. In terms of warm eloquence and with characteristic earnestness, Alphonse Hurtel proclaimed that, if there was a debt sacred in honor, a debt guarded by all that may appeal to the conscience of the people, it was the debt whose pledges and evidences are now in the hands of the people—of the labouring and needy classes, on whom it has been forced by Municipal extravagance; it was that debt known as "City Money" and before a dollar of that sacred debt was repudiated, he would see the city swept from the shore and forever sunk into the depths of the Ocean.

In thus expressing his sentiments, our next Mayor was only interpreting those of every member of the next City Government, who has taken a solemn pledge to save the honor as well as the credit of the city.

A French manager has adopted an excellent plan in responding to encores. No piece is repeated until the entire programme is given, when, after those who wish to retire have left the auditorium the numbers demanded are given a second time.

NATURALIZED CITIZENS.

If it were not supremely contemptible, it would be unsurpassingly odious to hear that the mongrel conspirators, who now expect to invade our homes, have had the audacity to assert that the naturalized citizens will this day desert the colors of their race and throw their united strength on the side of wrong, robbery and ignorance.

Do those slanderers know whom they dare to charge with such desertion? Whom can they name?

Is it the steady, deep-thinking German? No—for their voice has been heard and has already solemnly proclaimed that, in peace as in war, the sons of the Old Fatherland will prove true to the land of their adoption as, on their native sod, they have proven true to the land of their birth: even before this public declaration, when rumors had been circulated that, in the event of the nomination of a certain candidate of a race which for two thousand years has disputed with them the mastery of Europe, in the field of glory as in the field of letters and arts, that, in such an event, they would withhold their support: but no sooner had this base calumny became known to them that they called a meeting of their fellows invited the very candidate alluded to to be present and address them, when his remarks being concluded, their worthy President, the learned and upright Charles Mohr replied in tones of deep emotion that, like the two Romans, who, going out to fight a common enemy, hung up their hate and their shield on the gates of the threatened city, they had left on the other side of the great ocean, all the burning remembrances of ages of rivalry, and now only met their former adversaries on these distant shores as brothers and friends engaged in one and the same noble cause.

Did the slanderers refer to the descendants of the Latin Race? Long before the City Convention had been determined on, they met and enthusiastically pledged their undying allegiance to the future action of the Democratic and Conservative party.

Did they refer to the ever true and gallant Irish? If they did, then they had not heard that a few days before that convention, the Irish citizens met in serious consultation, and that it was proposed to submit, in the most respectful terms, to the forthcoming convention, the name of one of their worthiest sons—a soldier of bright record—but as such a recommendation, coming from their organized body, might be construed into dictation or a threat, it was unanimously ignored, for, as they said, whether we have or not a representative on the municipal ticket, vote for it we shall, happen what may!

Where are the traitors to come from?

LOSE NOT A VOTE.

A vote lost for you, is a vote gained for the enemy. What is a day's loss to three years of the odious Radical rule? Merchants, close up your stores, for one day as you have before closed them for four years of sufferings and dangers—remember that to-day, our wives, our daughters, will not go out "shopping," but will be closeted in their rooms, invoking the blessings of Heaven upon husbands, fathers, brothers engaged in the last struggle for their deliverance!

Remember that, unless you triumph, you soon will witness on our streets the revolting scenes of our sister city, New Orleans, that your daughters will not be allowed to pass on their way home from church without being insulted — perhaps outraged; remember that in that noble sister city, the very school-boys have had to avenge the wrongs of their parents and to take up, in their juvenile hands the murderous weapons of war and even shed their blood in vindication of the dignity of their race.

Remember that if, succesful in this—their last stronghold, the Radicals and their white allies, will inflict on you the last and the direst outrages and that they will, in their base vengeance, attempt to carry out the motto of one of their infamous leaders, and proclaim that as there is but one flag, there shall be but one Race and one Religion! Vote—and after having voted, stand by your poll, daring naught but fearing naught!

THE LOSS OF THE STEAMER JAPAN.

A sad interest is felt in our city over the loss of this vessel, which sailed from San Francisco, Nov. 14th. The daughter and son-in-law of our respected townsman, Judge Horton, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stuart, were known to have been passengers on her when she left that port, but it is hoped that, as their names do not appear upon the vessel's passenger register. published below, they left the vessel at Yokohoma. We sincerely hope such is the case. The Rev. J. L. Stuart was accompanied by his wife, on his missionary journey to China.

The last New Orleans papers contain this dispatch:

New York, December 19.—The steamship Japan left San Francisco November 14th, arrived at Yokohoma December 10th, and sailed thence on the 12th. She had on board 973 tons of freight and $375,000 in treasure when she sailed from San Francisco, but the officers of the company in this city cannot say what amount was still on board when she left Yokohoma. Her cabin-passengers for Hong-Kong were F. W. Croaker, R. M. Tindell and Mary Stott. The Chinese in the steerage numbered 224.

The following is a list of her officers: Captain, E. R. Warsaw; First Officer, F. A. Hart; Second Officer, H. H. Andrews; Third Officer. J. P. Gallagher; Chief Engineer, John Osgrove; Purser, John Rooney; Surgeon, V. B. Gallas, M. D.; Freight Clerk, C. T. Gorham; Storekeeper; M. B. Horn; Steward, O. H. Clarke, Second Steward, William Ray; First Assistant Engineer, W. Bennet; Second Assistant Engineer, David Fulton; Third Assistant Engineer, Jas. Henry.

The Japan is the eighth vessel which the Pacific Mail Company has lost in the last five years, including Bienville, which was chartered by the company, and the Alaska, which went ashore at HongKong, but will, it is hoped, be got afloat again.

Cæsar and Kalakaua had bad colds when they met, but we have secured both the speeches. Said Grant: "Your Royal Highdness, id gibs me bleasure to grasb the had ob your Royal Highdnes. I hobe your Royal Highdness is bleased wid this coundry, and wid the national hyb ob your Royal Highdness as blayed by our brass bads. I hobe this visid ob you Royal Highdness will dend to cemend the dies ob this country ad the coundry ob your Royal Highdness." [Music by the band—Hawaiian national anthem.] Kalakaua neatly replied: "I thag your Egcellenzy for this welcub to your gread coundry. Id is a coundry ob whose rezources I hab heard mudch, ad ob whose clibate I hab already had sobe egsperience. Iv the civil righdts bill basses I hobe do see more ob your coundry. I had a good tibe id Califordia, ad hobe I shall contidue to hab a good tibe id your coundry." [Cheers, and music by the band; music, the national anthem of Hawaii.]

Miss Cushman is stated by a contemporary to have "made more money than any other American actor, except Forrest." This is hardly accurate. The richest actor this country has produced, and who still keeps his fortune, is John E, Owens, who has increased his estate by judicious investment. Next to Owens comes Jefferson, who is not only rich in interest-paying securities but has plantations and estates in Louisiana, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and elsewhere, and is constantly and largely adding to his capital. Mr. Barney Williams is also a rich man; worth not less than half a million; owns valuable productive real estate in New York city; has "Governments," and is constantly making money. There are many American actors who have earned and saved enough upon the interest of which they can live handsomely—Lester Wallack, Chanfrau, Edwin Adams, Florence, William Warren, Maggie Mitchell, Lotta and others.—[*Harper's Bazaar.*

You are a Virginian?—What are You Running For?—This is the standing question now, they say, in Washington.

It is pleasant, to Virginians at large, that a few broken men should bring our very name into disrepute and disguise in a beggar's rags the proud and worthily proud privilege to claim "I am a Virginian."—*Norfolk Virginian.*

BY TELEGRAPH.

FOREIGN.

GERMANY.

VON ARNIM.

Berlin, December 20.—It is stated that Von Arnim's sentence involves no disgrace, and it is generally believed that the Emperor will pardon him.

Berlin, December 20.—Von Arnim was acquitted on all points except the offence against public order in handling thirteen documents referring to ecclesiastical affairs. The sentence of imprisonment before reported and the payment of costs may retain his official dignities and title of excellency. Upon the expiration of his imprisonment he goes to Italy for his health.

CUBA.

APPEAL FOR PARDON.

Havana, December 20.—Carlos Garcia, a noted bandit, and all his followers have laid down their arms and thrown themselves on the clemency of the Government.

FRANCE.

THE BONAPARTISTS.

Paris, December 21.—The prosecution of the Bonapartist committee for an appeal to the people is dismissed.

SPAIN.

CUBA & DON CARLOS.

Madrid, December 21.—Seven hundred troops will embark for Cuba on the 15th prox.

London, December 21.—The Standard reports the total defeat of the Republican General Lopez Diminiquez, in Catalonia, by the Carlists.

DOMESTIC.

DAKOTAH.

INDIAN TROUBLES.

New York, December 20. — The World's special from Bismarck, Dakota Territory, says Gen. Custer arrested an Indian murderer, named Ringface, two days ago. It caused great excitement among the Indians, and some 600 of them threatened trouble, but they have quieted down for the time being. This morning Custar was hurriedly applied to for troops, as the Indians were removing their families, had killed many cattle and meant mischief. A detachment of the 7th cavalry was sent to Standing Rock agency to protect it.

NEW YORK.

SUNDRIES.

New York, December 20.—One hundred and twenty employees of the customhouse, principally inspectors and weighers, are to be discharged this week. The reduction is made to curtail the expenses of the Collector of Revenue.

H. N. Morgan, butter merchant and Treasurer of the Butter and Cheese Exchange, has failed. His liabilities, it is stated, will exceed $100,000.

A new civil suit has been commenced against Tweed, in which Edward Marrener is joined as defendant, in behalf of the city to recover from both $550,000, alleged to have been fraudulently charged by Marrener for supplies in the Tenth street Department, and fraudulently certified by Tweed as Deputy Street Commissioner.

Four inches of snow fell here, followed by hail and sleet, which broke the telegraph wires. A heavy gale from the northwest is blowing.

The Coroner finds no resemblance in the drowned boy to Charley Ross.

Brooklyn, December 21.—Police Captain Brown was instantly killed by a companion who was examining the captain's pistol.

LOUISIANA.

POLITICAL.

New Orleans, December 20.—The Democratic majority in the House will probably reach 25.

NEW JERSEY.

WESTON.

Newark, December 20.—Weston made 500 miles in six days.

MASSACHUSETTS.

OUTRAGE.

Boston, December 20.—A negro committed an indescribable assault upon a twelve year old daughter of a United States Judge this morning. The brute assisted himself with a knife. There is some hope that the child will not die.

Worcester, December 21.—Dr. Huntington declines the Iowa bishopric.

GEORGIA.

SUICIDE.

Atlanta, December 21.—Col. Samuel J. Anderson, formerly private secretary to Governor Crawford, committed suicide this morning. Cause, financial embarrassment.

WASHINGTON.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Washington, December 21.—In the House, a large number of bills were introduced and referred. In the Senate, Scott gave notice that he would at an early hour to-day ask the Senate to consider bills from the Committee on claims.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Barrels! Barrels!

For Sale

By CLEM B. GWIN, 66 North Commerce Street.

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Cotton-Seed Meal,

In store or at the depot.

G. M. PARKER & SON.

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OFFICIAL DRAWING
MOBILE CHARITABLE ASSOCIATION.

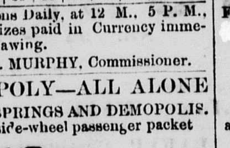
Class 895	Morning, December 21, 1874
70 | 39 | 60 | 26 | 48 | 42 | 57 | 9 | 21 | 38 | 53	
Class 896	Evening, December 21, 1874
60 | 49 | 38 | 63 | 14 | 75 | 61 | 17 | 13 | 57 | 34 | 30	
Class 897	Night, December 21, 1874
61 | 69 | 26 | 58 | 35 | 63 | 43 | 67 | 41 | 29	

Three Distributions Daily, at 12 M., 5 P. M., and 8 P. M. All prizes paid in Currency immediately after the drawing.

A. O. MURPHY, Commissioner.

ANTI-MONOPOLY—ALL ALONE

FOR BLADON SPRINGS AND DEMOPOLIS. The A No. 1 side-wheel passenger packet



ATLANTA............ { H. R Johnston, Master, Gray Mooring, Clerk,

will leave as above on TUESDAY, 22d inst. at 5 o'clock P. M.

For freight or passage apply on board.

Freight. 2-bits per barrel; cotton, down from Demopolis and all way landings, 4-bits per bale

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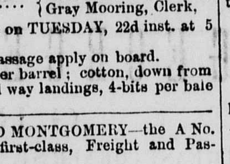
FOR SELMA AND MONTGOMERY—the A No. 1, light draught first-class, Freight and Passenger Packet



PEERLESS,

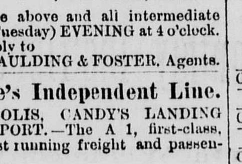
Frank M. Johnson, Master, Jesse Bethea, Clerk.

Will leave for the above and all way landings WEDNESDAY Evening, December 23d, at 4 o'clock, P. M.

For freight apply to

dec22 2t SPAULDING & FOSTER, Agents.

FOR SELMA.—The A No. 1 first-class, new, fast-running freight and passenger packet



MARY.......... { John Quill, Master, Neil James, Clerk,

Will leave for the above and all intermediate landings THIS (Tuesday) EVENING at 4 o'clock.

For freight apply to

dec22 SPAULDING & FOSTER, Agents.

Frank Stone's Independent Line.

FOR DEMOPOLIS, CANDY'S LANDING AND EASTPORT.—The A 1, first-class, light draught, fast running freight and passenger packet

EMMA NO. 2.......... { Van Gunnison, Master, A. P. Dorgan, Clerk,

will leave for the above and all way landings TUESDAY EVENING, Dec. 22, at 5 o'clock.

Clear bills of Lading signed.

For freight, apply to

dec20-2t SPAULDING & FOSTER, Agents.

FIRE! FIRE! FIRE!

North British & Mercantile Ins. Co.

OF LONDON AND EDINBURGH.

Capital and Surplus, $15,000,000, *Gold.*

Hartford Fire Insurance Company

OF HARTFORD, CONN.,

Capital and Surplus,...... $2,500,000

All desirable Risks taken at Equitable rates.

Apply to WM. A. GARNETT,

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GUITAR AND VIOLIN STRINGS.

A FINE ASSORTMENT of the very best made; just received by MRS. CHAS. WAGNER, 168 Dauphin Street.

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FOR RENT OR SALE,

ON VERY REASONABLE TERMS,

GOOD SECOND-HAND PIANOS.

MRS. CHAS. WAGNER,

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JOHN KERN,

Boot and Shoe Maker,

HAS REMOVED TO

No. 27 South Government Street,

BETWEEN ROYAL AND WATER,

and hopes to see all of his old patrons and others who may favor him with their patronage.

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NOTICE.

Parties interested will please take notice that on and after the FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1874, the WATER RENTS will be collected quarterly in advance, instead of annually, as heretofore.

LOUIS STEIN, Superintendent

nov6-2m Mobile City Water Works.

New Advertisements.

S. PERES, JOSEPH CADY, R. CHATEAUX.

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Always on hand, the largest supply of such fruits as

FLORIDA, LOUISIANA, CREOLE, JAMAICA, and HAVANA

ORANGES.

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THE FINEST KNOWN.

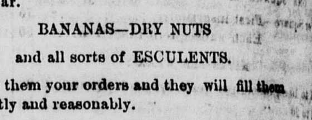
CHOICE APPLES from the East—the best this year.

BANANAS—DRY NUTS

and all sorts of ESCULENTS.

Give them your orders and they will fill them promptly and reasonably.

M. & O. R. R. DEPOT, DEC. 19.



NOTICE.

WILL BE SOLD on January 22d, in Meridian Ware House, at Public Auction, to pay charges, one car-load of

SASH, BLINDS AND DOORS,

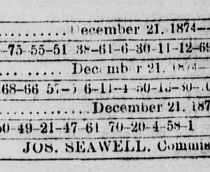
consigned to Caleb Price since July, 1872.

dec20 1w H. P. VASS, Agent.

Official Drawings

—OF THE—

Mutual Aid Association.



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Class 904	December 21, 1874—Evening
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Class 905	December 21, 1874—Night
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JOS. SEAWELL, Commissioner.

MOBILE THEATRE.

T. C. DeLEON - - - - - - Sole Lessee.

CHRISTMAS

WEEK, COMMENCING

MONDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1874.

MATINEES

X-MAS DAY AND SATURDAY.

The World-famed and unrivalled ILLUSIONIST

DeCASTRO!

With his Great Combination of Talent,

JEPPE,

The First Parlor Comique Living.

The Beautiful Singer and Comedienne,

MISS FANNIE,

THE DECAPITATION,

INDIAN BOX MYSTERY,

AERIAL SUSPENSION.

Christmas Gifts

From the management to the public, as last year. Call at E. O. Zadek's and examine one of the many, that beautiful

SILVER TEA SET!

☞ NO INCREASE OF PRICES!

☞ Box Office now open to Reserve Seats, without charge. del7

DAILY TRIBUNE.

MOBILE, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1874.

ADVERTISEMENTS UNDER THESE HEADS INSERTED TWENTY-FIVE CENTS EACH INSERTION, CASH.

LOCAL NEWS.

Christmas.—Our merchants will find The Tribune a good and cheap medium for placing their Christmas stocks before the public. We are prepared to make special contracts for space in our columns, and respectfully invite investigation.

Vote for Summersell.

$500 for $1—a three number ticket in 78 ballots—Mutual Aid Association.

I have been informed that a ticket has been printed with my name at its head. This ticket is unauthorized, bogus and fraudulent.

W. B. HAYDON.

Vote for St. Paul.

A four number ticket for one dollar—prize of $700—Mutual Aid Association.

Vote for Wickes.

Vote for Sheffield.

$50 for $1—on stations—Mutual Aid Association, No. 4 South Royal street.

Vote for Hurtel.

Twenty-five cents will draw fifty dollars or a — — from the Mutual Aid Association, 4 South Royal street.

Do not imagine that the election will be an easy-going thing, and that your vote will not be needed; but go to the polls and vote.

Read about the Texas Grand Prize Concert, to be drawn at Houston, March 1, 1875.

Vote the straight ticket and make a clean sweep.

W. Threefoot & Co., the only strict one-price house in Mobile, are offering goods at New York jobbing prices.

No scratched ballots:

M. Threefoot & Co., are selling fireworks at reduced prices, to close consignments. Their stock of toys is entirely new, which they are selling very low.

See to it that your clerks, and other employees, have an opportunity to vote to-day.

To the Ladies.—Get your millinery and fancy goods at Mrs. F. Blumer's, 245 Dauphin street.

$20 in greenbacks will be given away, in addition to other gifts, at DeCastro's performance to-night.

Let every white man go to the polls and do his duty to-day.

To the Ladies.—Just received at Mrs. F. Blumer's, a large invoice of Mme. Demorest's reliable cut paper patterns, No. 245 Dauphin street.

We scotched the hydra-headed monster—Radicalism—on the 3d of November; let us annihilate it to-day.

The Peerless.—This well officered and reliable packet is advertised for to-morrow evening, when she will hunt the Alabama again.

What will we have gained by the State election, if we lose the city?

The Atlanta.—This splendid side wheeler backs out this evening for the turbid Bigbee, with Capt. Ham Johnston on the roof, and Gray Mooring in the office.

Beware of wolves in sheep's clothing.

Emma No. 2.—This part and parcel of Frank Stone's Independent Line, blows her whistle this evening for the chalky cliff of Demopolis.

Should the "Independents" carry the day, it will be trumpeted abroad as a Radical victory, and all we have gained will be lost.

For Selma.—That pretty, fast running and always well handled steamboat, the Mary, takes her departure for this port this afternoon.

Scrutinize your ballots to-day, and see that no trick is played upon you.

Christmas.—If you wish to make a nice present on Christmas, call at 79 Dauphin street, and purchase one of those new hats just received by Friend & Co.

DeCastro gives away $20 in greenbacks, as his principle present to-night.

If you know a man who is indifferent about voting to-day, see that he does.

Christmas Gift, of a $20 greenback, for market money, given away by DeCastro to-night.

Mayor's Court—C. F. Moulton, presiding.

An elderly man named F. Foster, was brought up, charged with being drunk and disorderly. In explanation he said he was a stranger, and that he took a few drinks of Mobile whiskey and it made him plumb crazy. His Honor asked him if it was the first drink of that whiskey he had ever taken. He answered it was not, but added with fervor that it would be the last. "For sure," said His Honor. "Upon the honor of a man," said Foster, "You may go," said the judge.

Thomas Moore was rather a pleasant looking darkey, who was brought up to explain how it was that a gold watch, which was stolen property, was found in his house. Thomas said his wife knew all about it and she said the woman left the watch with her as security for a dress which she wore away, As there did not seem to be any evil intent, and as the watch had been restored to the owner, the case was dismissed.

Three sailors, Richard McCloud, Fred Flynn, and James Brady were all out on a glorious spree. They had a heap of fun and paid their little bill, $5 each without a murmur.

James Leonard and John Dolan, charged with disorderly conduct were assessed ten dollars each.

John Cornelius was charged with disorderly conduct. He was a little too full, but he earnestly regretted it and faithfully promised to join the Sons of Temperance if he would let him off.

Robert Garner, colored, for disorderly conduct was fined twenty dollars.

Maria Zedo, the old crazy negro woman, was sent back to the guardhouse,

Selina Houston, colored, for disorderly conduct, was fined twenty dollars.

Geo. Mitchell, colored, for the same got the same.

Vote for the Democratic Boards and they will lessen your taxes.

The J. M. W. Meeting.—That same traveling platform with its dozen and a half tin lamps was set up again in front of the Court House, and the same gray-haired veteran ventilated his views about the terrible condition of the city finances, and advanced the same proposition that there was but one man that could save Mobile from utter ruin, and that the first letters of that name were James W. Withers. He seemed to have a mania for figures, and was as exact in the statement of dollars and cents as if the whole of an investigating committee were hanging upon his words. The band blew, and then he blew, and it was a question which was the brassiest or the most windy.

The audience did not consist of over a hundred and fifty, except those who came from curiosity, lingered a few minutes and then went away. So ended the tilt of the modern Don Quixote against the wind-mills.

Mobile expects every white man to do his duty to-day.

RIVER NEWS.

River unchanged up to dark last night, though the steamboatmen, who have all been sitting on the ragged edges of anxiety, are hourly hoping to hear from above that the big river is coming.

The arrivals were the Atlanta with 226 bales of cotton, the Emma No. 2, with 344. The Mary was due, but had not arrived up to dark.

There were no departures.

The boats announced for to-day are the Atlanta for Demopolis, the Emma No. 2 for Demopolis, Candy's Landing, and Eastport; and the Mary for Selma.

A Welcome Dispatch.—Yesterday afternoon the gratifying intelligence reached this city, by telegraph from New York, that Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stuart left the steamer Japan at Yokohama, and were, therefore, not passengers on that ill-fated vessel when she was burned. The news came from the steamer's New York agents, who had received it by cable. In the name of our entire community, we rejoice with the Judge and his family upon their escape from so terrible a calamity.

Franklin Society.—At a recent meeting of this society, the following gentlemen were elected to the various offices of the society:

President—T. A. Hamilton.
First Vice President—Jno. A. Bowen.
Second Vice Pres't—E. G. Wheeler.
Rec'g Sec'y and Treas.—W. E. Mickle.
Corresp'g Sec'y—Kenton C. Murray.
Members of Executive Committee—Jas. Bond, L. E. Brooks.

The President appointed the following committees:

Lecture Committee—S. Croom, H. Pillans and G. B. Clark.
Library Committee—E. S. Barnes, H. A. Lockwood, R. P. Deshon.

Thieves.—The city has some new professional thieves or else the old ones are waking up. The residence of Dr. J. F. Heustis, on the corner of St. Louis and St. Joseph streets, and that of Judge Rapier, were entered on Sunday night and some jewelry and money stolen. Look out for these fellows and welcome them with a lead pill.

THE THEATRE.

Success of De Castro and His Christmas Gifts.—The performance last night was a decided success. DeCastro is a neat and finished illusionist, and his "Indian Box Mystery" is such indeed. Jeppe is a capital character comic singer, being pronounced by the audience equal to Lingard; while Miss Fannie's "Flirtation Duets" with him are capital indeed. The audience greeted these most heartily and wanted more of them. The aerial suspension was beautifully done, and elicited rounds of applause.

After the acting, gifts were given to holders of lucky numbers in the envelopes given to each person entering the door. There was a very large number of lucky ones last night; and glassware, china, hams, codfish, lamps, boxes of prunes, canned fruits, and a principal prize of a silver watch were distributed among them to their evident satisfaction.

To-night there will be an entire change of programme, and more handsome presents will be given, a Twenty Dollar Greenback being one of them. Jeppe and Fannie will do new "Flirtation Duets," and the "Indian Box Mystery" will be repeated.

The Gathering of the Clans.—The last meeting of the true men of Mobile, the final striking of hands and renewing of pledges to be true to themselves, to their party and to the nominees of the only convention, took place last night, at the corner of St. Francis and Royal streets. As soon as dark, almost, the bonfires were lighted, the music pealed out, the fiery rockets darted up, and a large and enthusiastic crowd assembled to hear the speakers. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Geo. N. Stewart, who in a few words urged the people to be true to themselves, and do their duty at the polls on election day. He was followed by Prof. H. A. Tatum, in a few stirring remarks. The next speaker was Mr. Thos. Macartney. Next came Hon. Alphonse Hurtel, who, after a brief speech, excused himself upon the plea of a bad cold. The next orator was Mr. B. F. Jackson, who related some of his pointed anecdotes, and kept the audience in a ripple of laughter. Next came Mr. A. M. Quigley, who in his turn was succeeded by that sound old veteran, Capt. John Grant. Mr. Burke then made a few remarks, and in his turn gave place to the Hon. Price Williams, who handled the aspiring city treasurer without gloves.

It is a sufficient and significant fact that the crowd increased rather than diminished, and continued eager and enthusiastic until the meeting closed, at a late hour.

City Court.—Hon. O. J. Semmes, presiding:

The following cases came up yesterday:

State vs L. R. Kimball, charged with carrying concealed weapons. Verdict of the jury—not guilty.

State vs Garret Berry, assault and battery. Not guilty.

State vs George W. Gregory, assault and battery. *Nolle Prossed* on account of the death of the prosecutrix.

State vs Wm. Gibbon, assault and battery, continued to next term of the Court.

There will be no cases to-day as it is election day.

The only case set for Wednesday, is that of State vs Edward Phifer, for murder.

Circuit Court.—Hon. H. T. Toulmin presiding.

No cases were tried on Monday. There will be none to-day as it is election day. The casest se for Tuesday will be tried on Wednesday.

Documentary. — We have received from Dr. D. O'Donoghue, the efficient Signal Office observer at this station, a bulky volume of over 1100 pages, the yearly report of the Chief Signal Officer of the War Department. The work comprises a large amount of interesting and valuable information, and shows beyond doubt that the system of weather observations has been of the greatest value to the marine and commercial as well as the farming interests of the country. Wise men no longer prognosticate alone by the clouds, but, availing themselves of the lightning, which outstrips even the storm wind, tell just where the storm is, which way it comes, and even measures its speed. The above work is valuable for reference.

J. M. KENNEDY.

Close your doors and go and vote.

THE CIGAR OF THE DAY,

OUR "LA ROSA"

5-CENT CIGAR,

HAVANA FILLER,

Equal to the Imported.

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RARE CHANCE

TO RENT THE OPAL BUILDING,

now occupied by W. H. Kelly & Co. Apply on the premises,

oc20 tf NO. 17 ROYAL STREET.

A Composition.—The following contribution to current literature was furnished by a pupil of Barton Academy. Of course it is from a boy, for no girl could treat such a subject in such a way. That the writer is original in his mode of thought and style no one will deny after reading his composition. It beats the boy who said in his composition on the Horse that, "he knew a boy which had seven ducks, and because his father wouldn't let him go riding, he bored a hole in his mother's wash-tub."

Cats.—This is not aessy on cat wich would be one but on cats wich is severil for cats is never by themselfs ony when they sleep and they don't do that ony different from other animals but they is alone when they cetches a mouse except the mouse. We had anold cat as cot a mouse and didn't kill it but only hurt it n side. Then she let it down, and laid down by it and shut her eys and forgot it; but when it had crold away abit she rememberd it. Then farther he sa heed be dorn and the way he kick the cat was crewel as you ever se. Then the baby wich was a setting on the flore look up and said agin. Cats can look in th dark better than day time, tho they ernt much to see. That caus there eys is like lanterns but dogs looks best with a bras colar. Billy he says if dogs has bras colars with their oners names onit they dont go mad. He says that's law.

Special Daily Market Reports.

[By Telegraph to D. H. Marks & Co., General Merchandise Brokers, No. 9 St. Michael St.

Cincinnati, December 21—12:20 P. M.—Pork dull at $18 50@18 75. Bacon steady; shoulders 9¼c, clear rib sides 12c; clear sides 12½c. Hams 14@14½c. Cut Meats steady at 6¼@6⅝ @9½@9⅝@9⅞@10c. Lard—steam 17⅞@13c; kettle 14c. Hogs very dull; medium fair $6 60@6 80; good $6 85@66 95, common or mixed $6 25@6 50; receipts 6,311; shipments 245. Whiskey firm at 97c.

St. Louis, December 21.—Flour unchanged. Wheat dull; No. 2 winter $1 07½. Corn easier; new 67@69½c, according to location, closing with a downward tendency; no sacked. Oats easier at 57@58c, no sacked. Whiskey steady at 98c. Pork steady at $19 50. Cut Meats nominally a shade off at 6¾@9⅝@9⅞c. Bacon unchanged; nothing doing. Lard quiet at 13c. Turpentine 35½c. Rosin dull at $2 75@3 00.

New Orleans, December 21—11:30 A. M.—Corn quiet; mixed 97c; yellow 98c; white 98c@$1. Oats quiet and easy at 75@77c. Bran drooping at $1 15@1 20. Pork inactive at $20. Bacon—no market. Sugar—fully fair 7¼@7⅝c, prime 7⅝@7¾c. Molasses advanced; fair 50@52c; prime 53@55c.

Rio, December 17.—Coffee—receipts since December 9, 112,000 bags; cleared, to Atlantic ports 26,000; to Gulf ports 4,000; loading and to load 164,000; stock 200,000; average daily receipts 11,800; price very firm, $700; exchange, 26½.

MOBILE MARKETS.

[Corrected Daily at 3½ P. M.]

Daily Tribune Office, Mobile, December 21, 1874. Half-past Three, P. M.

COTTON.

Good Middling	14⅛@14¼c
Middling	13⅞@13⅞c
Low Middling	13⅜@13½c
Good Ordinary	12¾@13 c

Sales to-day 1,500 bales, and 600 Saturday evening. Fair demand and supply. Market quiet and steady.

GOLD.

Opening	111@112
Closing	111@112

EXCHANGE.

STERLING.

Commercial, 60 days	5.31 @5.34
Bank, 60 days	—@ —

DOMESTIC.

New York Bank Sight ⅛ dis.; Commercial 7-16 dis. New Orleans Bank Sight ⅛ prem. Commercial ⅛ discount.

OCEAN FREIGHTS.

Liverpool, sail, ½d. Coastwise ⅝@11-16c, nominal. Havre 1 1-16c. Bremen 1⅛c.

WHOLESALE PRICES STAPLE GROCERIES.

Bacon, in casks—		
clear sides	— —@— —	
c. r. s	nominal.	
shoulders	nominal.	
Dry Salt Meats, in casks—		
clear sides	— @	—
c. r. s	10½@	
shoulders	7¾@	
Hams, in tierces—		
sugar cured, canvassed	nominal.	
sugar cured, uncanvassed	13⅝@	14
plain	12½@	13
dry salt	— @	—
Breakfast Bacon—		
sugar cured, canvassed	— @	—
ditto uncanvassed	16½@	—
Lard—		
in caddies	— @	—
in tins	— @	—
in buckets	17 @	17¼
in kegs	16½@	17
in half bbls	16 @	16¼
in tierces	15 @	15¼
Pork—		
per bbl	21 50	@22 00
Mackerel—		
No. 1, in bbls	13 00	@13 50
half bbls	7 00	@ 7 50
kits	1 65	@ 2 00
No. 2, in bbls	11 50	@— —
half bbls	6 50	@ 6 75
kits	1 40	@— —
No. 3, in bbls	10 00	@10 50
half bbls	6 00	@ 6 25
kits	1 15	@ 1 20
Sugar—(Louisiana, in hogsheads)—		
white clarified	10¼@	
yellow	9⅝@	
prime	8 @	8½
fair	7 @	7½
common	6½@	7
New York hards, (in bbls)	11⅝@	12
Molasses—(Louisiana)—		
choice, in bbls	65 @	67
half bbls	70 @	72
kegs	75 @	77
prime, in bbls	60 @	62
half bbls	65 @	67
kegs	70 @	72
fair, in bbls	52 @	53
half bbls	57 @	58
kegs	62 @	63
New York Syrups	55 @	85
Flour—(in bbls.)—		
Plants extra or similar b'ds.	7 75	@ 8 00
choice extra	7 50	@— —
XXX	6 50	@ 7 00
XX	6 00	@ 6 50
X	5 50	@ 6 00
superfine	4 50	@ 5 00
Meal—		
kiln dried, per bbl	5 00	@— —
city	4 25	@ 4 50
½ and 1-bush. bags, per b.	1 10	@
3, 4 and 5 " "	1 05	@
Rice—		
South Carolina, in tcs	8 @	8½
tierces	— @	—
Louisiana, in bbls	7½@	8½
Salt—		
in sacks, fine	1 90	@ 2 00
coarse	1 45	@ 1 50
table, per case	5 50	@— —
Coffee, Rio (Currency)—		
choice	22½@	23
prime	21½@	22
fair	21 @	21½
common	@	20
Coffee, Java (currency)	33 @	35
La Guira	25 @	—
Cheese—		
pine apple	26 @	—
English dairy	19 @	—
fancy cream	19 @	—
Western reserve	17½@	18
New York factory	16 @	—
Vinegar, in bbls., per gal—		
white wine	25 @	30
cider	25 @	30
Soap—		
palm	5 @—	5½
Starch	5½@—	6
Soda—		
American, in kegs	5½@—	6
English "	6¼@—	6¾
Americas, assorted papers	6½@—	7
English, " "	7½@—	8
Candles—		
8's	17 @	18
6's	17 @	18
Tobacco—		
common sound	46 @	48
medium	50 @	55
good medium	60 @	65
bright Virginia	70 @	80
extra No. 1	80 @	90
Navys—bright Navy 4s, 5s	52 @	58
twist—com. and med. twist.	58 @	65
fine Virginia twist	70 @	80
smoking tobacco—common.	45 @	48
medium	50 @	55
better grades	60 @	70
Whisky—		
rectified, Mobile	90	@ 1 10
Western	—	@— —
Dexter, in 25 bbl. lots	1 05	@— —
5 bbl. lots	1 10	@— —
Powder—		
kegs	6 75	@ 7 00
halves	4 00	@ 4 25
quarters	2 25	@— —
Shot—		
drop	2 30	@ 2 40
Buck	2 55	@ 2 65
Lead	9 @	10
Percussion Caps, per 1000—		
Ely's water-proof	80 @	90
G. D	38 @	40
musket	1 00	@— —
Concentrated Lye, per case	6 75	@ 7 00
Blacking, per dozen—		
Mason's	45 @	75
French	— @	—
Axle Grease, per doz	1 25	@ 1 50
Oils—		
kerosene, in bbls., per gal.	19 @	—
per case	2 75	@ 3 00
lard, in bbls., per gal	1 20	@ —
linseed, boiled, in bbls	— @	—
raw, in bbls	— @	—

Remarks.—Little or no bacon in market.—Dry Salt Sides ¼c. lower. Sugars ¼c. lower. Molasses advanced 3@5c., and firm, as also are Sugars. Salt may be quoted at 5c. off, inside figures. No other changes.

FEED.

Corn—From depot or wharf.		
Western—white		@ 1 15
yellow		@ 1 15
mixed		@ 1 15
Alabama, by car load		none.
For Corn from store, add handling 2c. per bush.		
Oats—From depot or wharf.		
choice	82½@	85
ordinary	77½@	80
black	—	@— —
mixed	—	@— —
For Oats from store add handling 2½c per bush.		
Hay—From depot or wharf per 100 lbs.		
choice	1 60	@ 1 65
prime	— —	@— —
For Hay from store, add handling 10c per 100 lbs.		
Bran—From depot or wharf per 100 lbs	1 45	@— —
from store	1 55	@— —
Stock Peas—per bushel	1 25	@— —

Remarks.—No changes.

BALING STUFF.

Bagging—		
Domestic, 2 lbs	13	@— —
" 2¼ lbs	13½	@— —
" 2½ lbs	13½	@— —
India, in bales	12½@	13
" rolls	12 @	12½
Ties	5½@	7
Machine Spun Rope	8½@—	8½

PRODUCE.

Remarks.—No changes in quotations. Market well supplied and retail demand good.

Potatoes—Irish, per bbl.		
early Rose	— —	@— —
Peach Blow	3 25	@ 3 75
Russet	3 50	@ 4 00
Potatoes—Sweet, per bushel.		
yam	50	@— 75
Spanish	60	@— —
Onions—per bbl.		
silver skin	4 00	@ 4 50
red	3 25	@ 3 50
Butter—		
Goshen	40 @	42
choice Northern	40 @	42
" Western	35 @	40
" country	25 @	30
Eggs—per dozen	28 @	30
Dressed Poultry, per lb	18 @	20
Poultry—per dozen.		
Western Hens, full grown	4 50	@— —
" " half grown	2 50	@ 3 00
country hens full grown	3 50	@— —
" " half grown	2 50	@— —
broilers	1 50	@ 2 00
Ducks, Muscovy	7 00	@— —
" English	4 00	@— —
Geese	7 00	@ 8 00
Turkeys, old	12 00	@18 00
young	6 00	@ 9 00
Peanuts—per bushel	nominal.	
Beeswax	25 @	—
Tallow	8 @	—
Hides	12 @	13
Wool—		
washed	32 @	35
unwashed	28 @	30
burry washed	17 @	20
" unwashed	15 @	—

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Albina made her debut in Boston as *Amini*, in Bellini's "La Sonnambula." The Traveller says her voice has just the warmth of an autumn day, while Lucca's is summertide, and Nilsson winter in character. The Transcript calls it one of the purest voices ever heard in Boston.

One of the Paris theatres proposes to adopt the rule of closing the doors as soon as the curtain rises, and keep them rigorously closed while the curtain is up, so that late-comers may not interfere with the comfort of all who are seated betimes.

Some of the leading theatres in Germany propose to put a stop to the system of recalls and of throwing bouquets and wreaths on the stage during the progress of an opera or play.

The moral effect of Mr. Beecher's having been allowed to re-enter his pulpit, while charges of an infamous crime were resting against him unrefuted is now seen in the action of the Prospect Avenue Presbyterian Church of Jersey City, which last evening "unanimously adopted with much enthusiasm" a resolution to continue the pastoral relations of the Rev. J. S. Glendenning during the pendency of his appeal to the Synod, which will not meet until October, 1875.

The whistling tree is found in Africa. It is a strange looking object with branches white as chalk. It has long thorns, inside of which is the favorite home of some tiny insect. When this creature crawls out to see the world, he of course leaves the door open behind him—that is to say, a small hole through which he crawled. Now, the wind blowing through the tree when the leaves are off, makes a musical noise in these hollow thorns, so that it sometimes sounds like thousands of flutes playing at once. The natives call it the whistling tree.

George Peters, the landlord of a hotel near Lebanon, Pa., has voluntarily confessed the commission of an unsuspected murder by him sixteen years ago. At that time he had just been married, and between him and his wife's brother there was a bitter feeling. The brother-in-law came to his house on a visit, and, against his wishes. Mrs. Peters insisted upon affording hospitable entertainment. She went to the barn to catch a fowl which she intended to cook for dinner. The husband angrily followed, and ordered her to go back to the house. She refused, and he struck her with a club, crushing her skull and killing her. She fell under a horse, and nobody but the guilty husband knew that the animal had not kicked her to death. He says that he was so stricken with remorse that he twice took ineffectual doses of poison. Eight years ago he resolved to confess, but lacked the courage. He has now surrendered himself to the Sheriff, and as there is no indication of insanity, his story is believed.

A BRILLIANT WRITER'S ENDING.—The New York correspondent of the Boston *Advertiser* writes: "The sad end of the career of a brilliant writer may well chasten the aspirations of even ill-paid literary men for unearned wealth. To-day one of our lately most promising magazinists was to be sentenced to a felon's cell for a crime to which he would never have been tempted if he had not had the supposed good fortune to marry a rich wife and become independent of his pen. James R. Gilmer, better known by his magazine name of Edmund Kirke, having wooed and won the widow of a rich Newark merchant named Burnett, withdrew from literature some years since and devoted himself to the ownership and management of real estate, a business which another brilliant literary man, the poet Willis, used to say he would like to have been born to, evidently meaning, in his simplicity, that it was not an arduous avocation. Poor rich Mr. Gilmer found it too much for him, however, as many others have. Whether drink led him into bad ventures, or bad ventures into drink, I am not informed, but both led him into obtaining money on heavily-mortgaged land under the pretence that it was unincumbered, and for a series of swindling acts of this kind he is now probably to end his days in prison."

DAILY TRIBUNE

Church Directory.

The location of the principal churches in Mobile may be ascertained by consulting the subjoined directory:

ROMAN CATHOLIC.

Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception—Claiborne street, corner Dauphin and Conti streets—Rt. Rev. John Quinlan, Bishop.

St. Vincent de Paul—Charleston st., between Hamilton and Lawrence—Rev. T. C. O'Callaghan, Pastor.

St. Joseph's Church—Jefferson street, between St Louis and St. Anthony—Rev. P. Imsand, S. J, Pastor.

St. Patrick's Church—Beauregard street, between Jackson and Claiborne streets—Rev. J. J. Browne, Pastor—Sundays—Mass, 6½ a. m.; High Mass, 9 a. m.; Classes of Christian Doctrine, 4 p. m.; Vespers and Benediction, 5 p. m During week days, Mass at 6½ a. m.

St. Mary's Church—Rev. D. O'Meara Pastor—Mass on Sundays at 10 a. m., and at St. Francis Xavier's at 7 a. m. Vespers at 4 p. m.

Convent and Chapel of the Visitation (Jesuit Fathers)—Spring Hill road, 3½ miles from Post-office.

St. Joseph's College and Chapel—(Jesuit Fathers)—Spring Hill, Spring Hill road.

EPISCOPAL.

Christ Church—corner Church and St. Emanuel streets—Rev. John Fulton, D. D., Rector.

Trinity Church—corner St. Anthony and Jackson streets—Rev. A. J. Massey, D. D., Rector.

St. John's Church—corner Monroe and Dearborn streets—Rt. Rev. Bishop Wilmer, Rector.

METHODIST.

Franklin Street Church—corner St. Michael and Franklin streets—Rev. J. W. Rush, Pastor.

St. Francis Street Church—corner Joachim and St. Francis streets—Rev. A. W. Shepard, Pastor.

State Street Church (col'd)—State street, between Lawrence and Cedar streets—Rev. A. C. Fisher, Pastor.

Mobile City Mission—Preston G. Nash, Jr., missionary—Services at Toulminville, Sundays, at 11 a. m.; Four-mile post, 3½ p. m.; Hamilton-street Chapel, 7½ p. m.

Zion Church (col'd)—corner Church and Bayou streets—Rev. W. G. Strong, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

South Franklin Street Presbyterian Church—Franklin street, between Palmetto and Canal streets—Rev. J. T. McBryde, pastor.

Government Street Church—corner Jackson and Government streets—Rev. J. R. Burgett, Pastor.

Jackson Street Church—corner St. Michael and Jackson streets—Rev. E. P. Palmer, D. D., Pastor.

BAPTIST.

Palmetto Street Church—corner of Palmetto and Dearborn streets—Rev. W. R. L. Smith, pastor. Services every Sunday.

St. Francis Street Church—between Claiborne and Franklin streets. ——— ———, Pastor.

Broad Street Church—corner Spring Hill road and Broad street—Rev. J. H. Curry, Pastor.

JEWISH.

Synagogue, Shangarai Shamayim—Jackson street, between St. Louis and St. Michael streets—Rev. Dr. A. Moses, Minister.

Hebrew Church (Orthodox)—Hamilton street, between Government and Church — Abraham Lehman, Acting Clergyman.

LUTHERAN.

German Lutheran Church—St. Francis street, between Warren and Dearborn streets — H. Sauer, Pastor. Services every Sunday. the hours above mentioned.

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Through Mail closes..........8:15 p. m.
Arrives..........7:30 a. m.

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Arrives..........2:15 p. m.
Arrives..........10.30 p. m.
Closes..........7:30 a. m.
Closes..........5:00 p. m.

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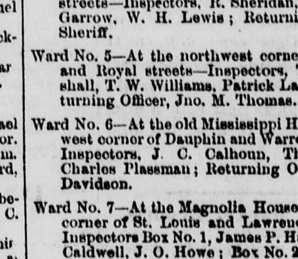

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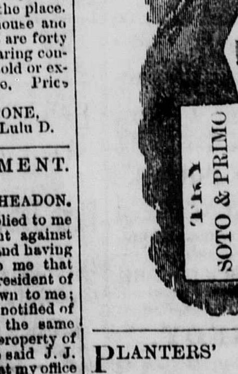

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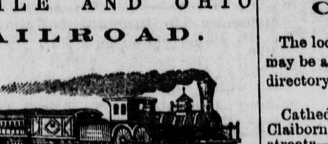

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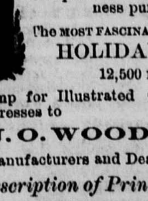

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St. Francis Street Church—between Claiborne and Franklin streets. ——— ———, Pastor.

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Through Mail closes..........8:15 p. m.
Arrives..........7:30 a. m.

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Arrives..........10.30 p. m.
Closes..........7:30 a. m.
Closes..........5:00 p. m.

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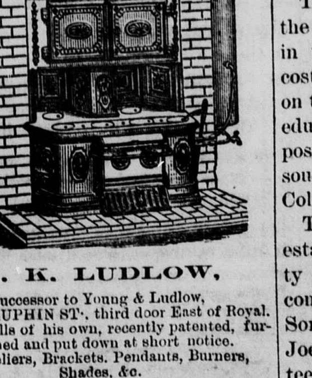

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ALABAMA NEWS.

Katie Putnam is playing in Selma. She opened last Monday night in "Little Barefoot."

From the Selma *Times* of the 20th, we learn that a despatch has been received in that city announcing the appointment of Lewis E. Parsons as Busteed's successor.

The late Grand Jury found five bills of indictment against Albert Boyd, Tax Assessor of Dallas county. Four of them are for extortion and one for altering assessment. Boyd has given bond in all the cases.

The Selma *Times*, of the 20th, says: It was reported in the city yesterday that Mr. E. I. Morgan, Tax Collector, had shaken the dust of Selma off his feet and was non est. The late Grand Jury not only found his official bond insufficient, but also returned, it is said, some half dozen bills of indictment against him. The officers were hunting him yesterday, but he could not be found.

When a Westchester woman detects her husband "walking crooked" down the road, she doesn't get mad about it, but thoughtfully observes to her companion: "Jane, I shouldn't wonder if it was an earthquake that makes John walk that way."

It is stated that more bouquets (not button-hole) are made up in a single month in the city of New York than in the course of a whole year in the city of London. This is, perhaps, a trifling exaggeration, but Mr. Dickens said very much the same thing in writing of his American experience several years ago.

The sentence of Count von Arnim, (three months imprisonment) embodies no dishonor. The charges of embezzlement fell to the ground. However, Von Arnim's neglect to return the missing papers when asked by the foreign department makes necessary the setting of an example. The general belief is that the emperor will pardon him.

President and Mrs. Grant gave a state dinner to King Kalakana yesterday, December 22d, which was attended by the king and suite, members of the cabinet, Sir Edward Thornton and Mrs. Thornton, Chief Justice Waite, Senator Cameron, Representative Orth and a few others. Press of official duties compels Gen. Sherman to leave for St. Louis and he was not able to attend.

J. W. Wilder, leader of the Gad's Hill and Malvern coach robbers, was captured a day or two since in the Indian nation, and is now in jail at Fort Smith. He acknowledged barbarous cruelties practised upon Walter Grayson of the Creek nation, and his wife, after which he says he robbed them of $32,000. He says Reid, another stage-robber, who was killed by Detective Morris, in northern Texas, was with him in the Gad's Hill and Hot Springs robberies.

The Patee house, St. Joseph, Mo. the largest and finest hotel building in the Missouri valley, and which cost $120,000 in 1860, was purchased on the 19th by the Western Baptist educational union, a corporation composed of leading citizens from Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa and Colorado.

The object of the corporation is to establish there a first-class university of the highest grade, under the control of the Baptist denomination. Some of the wealthiest citizens of St. Joe are members of the board of trustees. The articles of the incorporation place the endowment fund at three hundred thousand dollars, with power to increase to one million dollars. This is the first instance on record of that denomination establishing a first-class university overstepping state lines in its organization and control.

LOSS OF TEXT IN GUTTER

DAILY TRIBUNE

MOBILE, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1874

THE MOBILE DAILY TRIBUNE May be seen on file at the Newspaper Reading Rooms of Messrs. Button & Co., Union Square, New York City.

Ex Gov. John T. Hoffman has resumed the practice of law in Albany.

Elihu Burritt is teaching Sanscrit to a class of young ladies at his home in New Britain, Conn.

During last year, Beecher's church handled $71,000 of funds, of which $58,000 were received from pew rents.

His Highness, Rex, of the New Orleans Carnival, has issued his Edict XVII, announcing his coming February 9th.

The suppression of the religious order of Sisters of Charity has been decreed by the Mexican Congress, by a vote of 113 against 57.

Nature's sweet Ristori, the great tragic actress, is playing in Mexico. She will visit the United States at the conclusion of her engagements there.

It is proposed to erect a statue of Zachary Taylor in Washington, at a cost not exceeding $20,000. A bill for this purpose has been introduced in the House.

Santa Anna is living comfortably in the City of Mexico. He is described as still of an upright, soldierly figure, with eyes as black as coal, and thin, but not gray hair.

Imperial dogs and cats, which are kept for the purpose of destroying rats and mice in the Imperial stalls and stores in the German Empire, are fed at the expense of 12,506 thalers a year.

It is reported that the Spaniards in Cuba, anticipating action on the part of the United States towards recognizing the Cubans, are busily at work arming and getting their war ships in order.

Doesn't it look a little like persecution for conscience sake in Vermont, where Roman Catholic children are not allowed to be absent from school on the days set apart by the church for special observance?

It is thought in Wisconsin that ex Gov. Washburn's chances for the Senatorship have been ruined by the publication of his 1871 letter, promising never to contest for the position against either Howe or Carpenter.

Tennyson says that he falls into a kind of walking trance, often repeating his own name silently. That's all very well; his name is short but imagine the agony of a person who should try to fall into a "walking trance" by repeating "Albert Alexander Alfred Ernest William Guelph."

A despatch dated San Francisco, Dec. 19th, says: Judge Hoffman of the U. S. District Court, in the case of the German bondholders against the California Pacific Railroad Company, petition in bankruptcy has decided against the petition, but the court gives them ten days' time to amend their petition, within which time other creditors may join.

Mrs. Fred Grant is pronounced the best dressed lady in Washington this winter. For a man of his years Fred is one of the ablest judges of dress in the United States army, and his wife could never have reached the exalted distinction she now enjoys without the benefit of his advice and taste. It is a familiar fact to all well read people that he won his shoulder straps at dress parade.

The Hon. W. D. Kelley's threat to leave the party if it does not adopt his rag money views does not seem to frighten the organs much. Some of them tell him outright to go, and not make any more fuss about it; and the Chicago *Tribune* gives the unkindest cut of all by saying: "It may be news to Mr. Kelley that the party is not so much attached to him as he is to the party."

Andrew Johnson says he is going to be the next Senator from Tennessee. "I have been over the field," he said to a correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, "and I know pretty well what to calculate on. I believe that my worst enemies now acknowledge that my chances are growing better every day. A few weeks ago they tried to convince the country that I had no chance. Since the election they have changed their minds."

It has been the custom of Baron Rothschild, for some years past, to give on the occasion of his birthday, a dinner to the omnibus men on the Hammersmith line of route. This year the dinner took place at the Star and Garter Hotel, Kew bridge, one-half of the men being entertained on Monday night, and the other half on Tuesday, so that the working of the 'busses was not interfered with to any extent.

THE VICTORY.

Mobile is redeemed, enfranchised, saved! The entire Democratic and Conservative municipal ticket is elected by overwhelming majorities and a new era has at last opened for our city.

The audacious attempt of an irresponsible ring to flank the advance march of our patriotic citizens, has met with a withering, and, let it be hoped, an everlasting rebuke. Let this stern warning be a lesson to the handful of false brothers, who, under a borrowed flag, have sought to disorganize the only party which can save the country from ruin and disgrace. Let that faction now retire from the field and endeavor by promptly rallying under the colors they so causelessly deserted to make amends for their past errors and renew their pledge of fidelity to the land of their birth.

Our citizens nobly performed their patriotic duty, and the city may well be proud of her sons, as the record will show that the slanders circulated against certain classes were base fabrications and that both native and naturalized citizens came up manfully to the standard expected from them.

THE ROLL OF HONOR.

The following citizens, whose names were placed by the midnight conspirators upon the "Independent" ticket and who, as soon as they discovered it, hastened to publicly announce this outrageous violation of the most sacred rights, deserve to have their names enrolled amongst those of the purest patriots: these names are:

Messrs. George W. Lyons, William H. Beatty, George Blakeslee, James Bruce, D. P. Bestor, P. McCafferty, Augustus Burke, Martin Hanlon, Alexander Swain, Joseph E. Thorp.

Let those names be honored even above those of our successful candidates!

A DEAD LOCK.—It appears, or at least it has transpired that there is a sort of hitch among the tax collectors. In fact there is no money coming in to run the Kellogg Government, and unless the sinews of war are provided they cannot afford to continue the battle.

The tax collector, so it is stated, received, or claimed to have received during the past year, warrants for back taxes instead of cash, as they should have done; and when now they are obliged to come up and settle. Treasurer Dubuclet refused to take any, whereupon the collectors have walked off and will refuse to pay any thing until the Treasurer concludes to take the warrants.

In some instances it is whispered these collectors did not actually receive the warrants, but bought them with the cash they received, and endeavored to make the discount themselves. If this latter is the case, when the suit comes off there may be some rich developments.—*New Orleans Picayune 22.*

The strikes of trades-unions in New York have proved exceedingly disastrous to the strikers, and the unions are therefore largely broken up. Indeed New York is a particularly bad place for strikes, the supply of labor there, both skilled and unskilled, being almost invariably in excess of the demand. In striking the strikers generally strike themselves.

Extensive preparations are being made by the Memphi and Ulks societies of Memphis for celebrating the approaching carnivals. It is stated by those who profess to know that the pageant on the night of the carnival will surpass that of last year, and that costumes have been shipped from Paris.

Talmage said the other day that the theatre was the vestibule to h—l. It isn't strange, then, that vulgar people should wonder where in h—l Miss Neilson got so many diamonds —[*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

A Philadelphia horse-car conductor found a pocket-book containg $100, and after two days' vigilant search discovered the owner and restored the property. At a private meeting of the other conductors he was denounced for his reckless disregard of the opportunities vouchsafed him by a mysterious Providence.

MAJOR THOMAS G. JONES.

That "great and good" journal, the New York *Republic*, before its collapse, contained this thrust at our newly elected Supreme Court:

"The new Democratic Supreme Judges were very conservative before the late election in Alabama—would not even take the stump. Now, it is said, they are wonderfully rampant, and purpose making a clean sweep of all the offices of the Supreme Court. Among those whose head it is said will fall in the bucket, is that of Maj. Jones, the Clerk, who, though appointed by Republican Judges, has always been a Democrat. This gentleman is the author of the beautiful Memorial Oration delivered last Spring at Montgomery, which won so many hearts by its eloquent allusion to the Northern dead; as also of a very touching letter to a Northern widow who sent him a handsome gift expressive of the feelings of herself and people towards the South. Those of our own people who were so touched by the words of this young Southern soldier, that they accepted them as words of a representative of the true feeling of the Southern people, and straightway went and voted the Democratic ticket, will feel a little queer when they learn the fate of their idol."

Replying to the above, that sterling little paper, the Opelika *Times*, has the following:

We are glad to be able to take away from our Radical enemies, this choice morceau. These people live on misrepresentation of the South, and whenever our people can explode one of their inventions, it is that much gained towards their final overthrow. We can well imagine how a fierce negro worshipper, and the pious fanatic who thinks "the South should be sown with a crop of salt," would delight to misrepresent such an event as the decapitation of a man like Major Jones—how he would thunder about the undying hatred of the "Bourbon Democracy" to the North, and all who felt kindly to the North.

This miserable correspondent is about as accurate in styling Major Jones as the Clerk, as he is in the balance of his statement. Major Jones is the "Reporter" of the Supreme Court. Our advices from the Capital are, that no change in his position has ever been thought of, but that nearly all the lawyers and men of influence in the State are desirous of Major Jones' retention. We do not think anybody will regret this, except perhaps, this miserable scribbler, who is anxious to fire the Northern heart in a matter in which he thinks great indignation might be produced.

For ourselves, it gives us great pleasure to know that this gallant young gentleman is to be retained in office. The writer of these lines has known the Major for years and can add personal testimony to his merit as a soldier and to his unwavering devotion to the Democratic cause. Robbed by the war of a competency and with a family to support, he accepted the position voluntarily offered him by the Republican Judges, but at no sacrifice of principle and with a knowledge upon the part of those Judges that he was a Democrat and would so continue. It would be an act of great injustice were the present court to remove him on account of his connection with the outgoing Court, and we do not believe they entertain any such idea.

Jamarch, a London dealer in animals, gives the particulars of a tiger capture in Asia. Fullgrown tigers are never brought away for the use of showmen, as they cannot be tamed, and make trouble by gnawing and breaking their cages. There are only those under six months of age that are captured. The natives stealthily watch the lairs at the time of brooding, and upon waylaying a male at a distance from the female and her litter, shoot him. For his head they get a government reward of fifty rupees. When the cubs are old enough to live without their mother, she is also shot and beheaded. The capture of the young ones is then safe and easy. They are kept at Calcutta until after teething, and are thence sent to the purchasers. The sultan of Turkey buys many, but most of them go to menageries in various parts of the world. Tigers are also killed by the natives for their skins, which, if handsomely marked, are worth a hundred rupees each. The claws, too, are bought by the Indian jewelers and sold for ornaments. Jamarch says that the number of men eaten by tigers in Singapore is very great, and that an average of one Chinese woodchopper disappears every day.

CITY OFFICES.—As there is a reasonable curiosity on the part of many of our citizens to know just what our city officials are paid and what their official bonds are, we have taken some pains to ascertain the facts, and we believe the following list is correct:

	Bond	Salary
Mayor		$3,000
Treasurer	$50,000	$3,000
Auditor	$10,000	$2,500
Assessor	$10,000 fees and	$2,000
Clerk	$10,000	$2,000
Engineer	$5000	$2,250
Tax Collector	$10,000	Two per cent on actual collections.
Sup't of Wh'rves	$5,000	$1,500
Ass't do	—	$1,000
City Physician	—	$1,500
Registrar Vi. Stat.	—	$ 900
City Att'y	$5,000	$1,500
City Sexton	$5,000	Fees
Wood Insp.	$1,000	Fees
Hay Weigher	—	Fees
City Printer		$1,200
Street Com	$1,000	$2,000
Master Mech'4	—	Fees
Clerk Sou Mk't	$2,500	$1,000
Kep'r Powd'r Mag	$5,000	$750
"Bienville Sq	—	$840
POLICE DEPARTMENT.		
Chief Police	$5,000	$2,000
Ass't Chiefs 3	$5,000	$1,200
Sergeants 2	—	$960
Sentinels 4	—	$840
Policemen 100	—	$840
Porters 2	—	$420
Guardhouse Porter	—	$600

BY TELEGRAPH.

FOREIGN.

ENGLAND.

DISRAELI'S HEALTH.

LONDON, December 22.—It is officially announced that Disraeli, whose health has improved, will be ready for work on the opening of Parliament.

SHIPPING DISASTER.

The bark Ranger, which arrived at Liverpool on the 19th, from Charleston, experienced very heavy weather, and suffered much damage.

TURKEY.

POWDER EXPLOSION.

CONSTANTINOPLE, December 22.—A flash of lightning exploded a powder magazine in Scutari. A portion of the city wall was prostrated, many houses demolished, and two hundred persons killed and wounded.

DOMESTIC.

PENNSYLVANIA.

THE BOARD OF TRADE RESOLVES.

PHILADELPHIA, December 22.—The Board of Trade passed a resolution looking to the restraint of everybody from inquisitorial and unreasonable searches into the private affairs of commercial firms, mining or manufacturing or other business men, upon any pretence whatever.

NEW JERSEY.

STEAMER ASHORE.

BARNEGAT, December 22.—A steamer, supposed to be the New Orleans and Havana packet bound to New York, went ashore on Barnegat shoals at 6 o'clock this morning, and is now throwing cotton overboard. Name unknown.

CONGRESSIONAL AID ASKED FOR RAILROADS.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—In the Senate West presented a memorial from the New Orleans Cotton Exchange asking for aid to the Texas Pacific Railroad and also praying that the Texas Western and Central Road be incorporated as a branch of the Texas Pacific. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

PERSONAL.

Collector Casey and Doctor Peterson, of the Committee on Post Routes, departed for New Orleans.

THE MISSISSIPPI LEGISLATURE.

LATEST FROM JACKSON.

Special to the Meridian Mercury.]

JACKSON, December 21.—A bill has passed which dispenses with the extravagant citation notices of publication by Boards of Supervisors to owners of lands etc., upon which taxes have not been paid, and makes it the duty of the Sheriffs to give notice as formerly.

The Legislature is now doing nothing but considering a bill to dispense with special elections to fill vacancies in county offices, and give the Governor power to fill by appointment. This bill is intended to prevent holding the special election for Sheriff in Warren county on the 31st. It will pass, but will take four days more, as the Conservatives are against suspension of rules, and two-thirds majority is required. Therefore, the bill is read, motion to suspend is made and lost, and both Houses adjourn. It will pass the Senate to-morrow, and will get turough the House on the 24th.

The supposed plan then is, to re-appoint Crosby and send him back under the protection of Federal troops.

The negro members appear to have learned nothing by the determination of the tax payers of Warren to resist further outrages, and are very vindictive and perfectly under the control of the carpet-bag ring. When the tax payers speak in their convention and prepare throughout the State, next year, to make their words good, they will probably learn too late what will be required at their hands. CLARION.

There is a plentiful crop of pretenders to thrones in Europe at present—three in France, four in Italy and two in Spain.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GRAND CONCERT

For the Benefit of the

Fair Association OF MOBILE,

By MR. WILLIE PAPE,

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To Her Royal Majesty, the Queen of England, assisted by the First Artists of Mobile,

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 28.

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Goods sold at Cost, commencing December 23d, 1874, till further notice. dec23-2m

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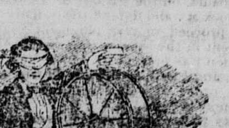

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JOS. SEAWELL, Commissioner.

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DR. WILLIAM HENDERSON, LATE OF Mobile, Alabama, U. S. A., deceased.—Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22d and 23d Victoria Cap 35, entitled "An Act to further Amend the Law of property and to relieve trustees," Notice is hereby given that all persons being CREDITORS of or otherwise having any claims upon or against the estate of WILLIAM HENDERSON, late of the City of Mobile, in the State of Alabama, United States of America, Doctor of Medicine, deceased, who died about the month of October, 1873, intestate, and Letters of Administration of whose estate and effects were on the 4th day of March, 1874, granted by her Majesty's Court of Probate, Principal Registry, to William George Carpenter, are required on or before the 1st day of February, 1875, to send to E. F. Buttemer Harston, Esquire, of No. 1 Gresham Buildings, Guildhall, in the City of London, England, the Solicitor of the said Administrator the particulars of their claims against the said estate, and that at the expiration of such time the said Administrator will distribute the whole of the assets of the said Intestate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he shall then have notice. Dated this 28th day of November, 1874.

E. F. BUTTEMER HARSTON,
4 Gresham Buildings, Guildhall, London, Eng.,
E. C. Solicitor for the Administrator.
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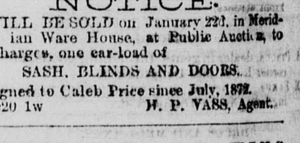

NOTICE.

WILL BE SOLD on January 22d, in Meridian Ware House, at Public Auction, to pay charges, one car-load of

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dec20 1w H. P. VASS, Agent.

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8 | 7 | 8 | 56 | 3 | 9 | 24 | 69 | 55 | 76 | 47	
CLASS 899	Evening, December 22, 1874
67 | 58 | 35 | 43 | 1 | 50 | 78 | 49 | 75 | 4 | 46 | 36	
CLASS 900	Night, December 22, 1874
51 | 18 | 50 | 66 | 56 | 69 | 34 | 59 | 38 | 16	

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A. O. MURPHY, Commissioner.

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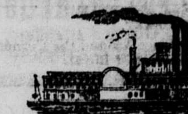

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Frank M. Johnson, Master,
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Will leave for the above and all way landings WEDNESDAY Evening, December 23d, at 4 o'clock, P. M.

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and hopes to see all of his old patrons and others who may favor him with their patronage.

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DAILY TRIBUNE.

MOBILE, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23 1874

ADVERTISEMENTS UNDER THESE HEADS INSERTED AT TWENTY-FIVE CENTS EACH INSERTION, CASH.

LOCAL NEWS.

EXPRESS.—An immense amount of Christmas "goodies" went up the roads by Express last night. The Express office, floats, wagons and sidewalks, were filled with boxes and barrels. The rush will no doubt be as great all the week.

$300 for $1—a three number ticket in 78 ballots—Mutual Aid Association.

SHOPPING.—Dauphin street was alive all day yesterday with the ladies, shopping—laying in Christmas presents. The Infantry Brigade were also out in full force.

Twenty-five cents will draw fifty dollars or $ — —from the Mutual Aid Association, 4 South Royal street.

THE Y. M. D. A.—We have received a ticket to a complimentary entertainment to be given on the night of December 30th, at St. Joseph's Hall by the Y. M. D. A. We have not received the programme, but from the flattering reports of these young gentlemen, we are led to expect something excellent.

Read about the Texas Grand Prize Concert, to be drawn at Houston, March 1st, 1875.

BIG INVENTION.—Lloyd, the famous map man, who made all the maps for General Grant and the Union army, certificates of which he published, has just invented a way of getting a relief plate from steel so as to print Lloyd's Map of the American Continent—showing from ocean to ocean—on one entire sheet of bank note paper, 40x50 inches large, on a lightning press, and colored, sized and varnished for the wall so as to stand washing, and mailing anywhere in the world for 25 cents, or unvarnished for 10 cents. This map shows the whole United States and Territories in a group, from surveys to 1875, with a million places on it, such as towns, cities, villages, mountains, lakes, rivers, streams, gold mines, railway stations, &c. This map should be in every house. Send 25 cents to the Lloyd Map Company, Philadelphia, and you will get a copy by return mail.

M. Threefoot & Co., the only strict non-union house in Mobile, are offering goods at New York jobbing prices.

MUSICAL JOURNAL.—We have received from the publishers, Messrs. Ludden & Bates, Savannah, Ga., the December number of this excellent publication. It contains the usual quota of good music and readable miscellany.

M Threefoot & Co., are selling fire works at reduced prices, to close consignments. Their stock of toys is entirely new, which they are selling very low.

CLOSED.—The saloons were all supposed to be closed on yesterday, but there were a great many convenient backdoors and some side-doors in the alleys. Not many men went thirsty who were dry, and some voters were decidedly how-come you-so.

$20 in greenbacks will be given away, in addition to other gifts, at DeCastro's performance to-night.

COTTON.—Receipts by rail 1750 bales. Total receipts of cotton yesterday 4015 bales.

THE JUSTICES.—Conti street was as quiet as if it were Sunday. All the justices' offices were closed, except two, and they looked very quiet, with nothing to report.

TO THE LADIES.—Just received at Mrs. F. Blumer's, a large invoice of Mme. Demorest's reliable cut paper patterns, No. 245 Dauphin street.

IMPUDENCE.—Isn't it refreshingly absurd to see the cheek of the Withers men in putting names on their ticket of men who would not serve under any circumstances with such a crowd.

NEW DRY GOODS.—P. H. Pepper & Co. are offering great bargains in Lace Curtains, Window Shades, Black Silks, Alpacas, Fancy Dress Goods, Blankets, Flannels, Kid Gloves, Corsets, Hosiery, Domestics, Calicoes, Shawls, etc. The attention of close buyers is solicited.

SLIGHT ACCIDENT.—We learn that the down freight train on the Mobile and Ohio railroad, was thrown off the track at Sucarnochee station by a misplaced switch, on last Monday night. No damage done beyond a trifling delay of trains.

SOLDIERING.—Among the guests to dinner yesterday at the Gulf City Hotel we noticed a company of the Alabama Volunteers. With such a host as Mr. W. C. Morrow to entertain, we have no doubt but that soldiering is rather a pleasant business.

AN APPROPRIATE PRESENT.—The holidays are here, the season which was inaugurated centuries ago by white-robed angels who proclaimed "peace on earth and goodwill to men." Peace it is, and good will it is, and the custom thus instituted has gathered strength by its antiquity and the custom of exchanging mementoes of remembrance has become universal. "What shall I give her, what shall I give him?" are questions we hear almost hourly. Now, without the slightest wish to dictate, we will suggest. You, my dear sir, who are striving on a small salary to make home happy, to secure to the loved ones those comforts you wish to see them surrounded with, what better present can you give to her whose happiness is one of the great objects of your life, than to present her with a life insurance policy upon your life. Death may come, and if it does, the keenest pangs of unavailing regret that the broken home circle is open to the attacks of poverty, and the cold buffets of an unfeeling world, will be spared to you, for your life insurance policy will be a shield against which the waves of misfortune will beat in vain. Now is the time, the blessed holiday time, to make your wife happy and to acquire for yourself that peace that always goes with a good deed.

Among the Life Insurance companies, none stands better, none has a more sterling reputation, none has a heavier capital than the Ætna Life, of Hartford, Conn. With a capital of $20,000,000 with a business reputation that is spotless, this Ætna, one of the giants among its compeers, offers unusual inducements. All the business details can be learned by calling on Mr. D. Clarke, on the north-east corner of St. Michael and Royal streets, the manager, who will be pleased to answer all questions or give any desired information.

$50 for $1—on stations—Mutual Aid Association, No. 4 South Royal street.

THE ILLUMINATION.—It needs no argument to show how much more grand the effect of the wonderful procession of the Mystics will be if the streets, or at least the principal street, can be so lit up as to throw a flame of light upon the magic scene. It is to the interest of our people to aid in a substantial manner these gentlemen who, spending their money freely, and their time and energies without stint; unite in producing an effect that makes and has made Mobile famous among the cities that keep holiday.

As is known to many, a committee has been appointed to wait upon our business men and our citizens and or rather receive the free offerings of those who desire to aid in this worthy scheme. The following are the names of the committee: M. S. Foote, W. E. Mickle, M. Primo, T. L. Harrison, H. Sossaman, J. P. Bacon, Charles Hurley, Peter Burke and John H. Glennon. This committee has been at work, and they meet nightly to report progress and confer together. They now report that not near enough has been received. They also recommend that all vehicles be kept off from Royal street on the night of the parade, and that the possibility of any clash between the societies be avoided. They also recommend that each keep as dark as possible. They also recommend that the railroads and boats be called upon to reduce fares and to distribute circulars and information in the country relative to the parade.

Any of our citizens that feel so inclined can offer whatever sum they choose to either of this committee. The time is now short and all the preparations must be made without delay. We certainly hope our citizens will prove as generous as their reputation is.

TO THE LADIES.—Get your millinery fancy goods at Mrs. F. Blumer's, 245 Dauphin street.

CITY COURT.—There was no session of this court yesterday, as it was election day. The only case set for to-day is that of the State vs. Edward Phifer, indicted for the murder of Louis Casales.

ARRIVED IN TIME—Atmore's genuine English Plum Puddings, in 1, 2, 3 and 4 pound cans, at George Eberlein's.

CORRECT.—We are glad to see that the whole-hearted proprietor of the Independent Line of steamboats, Captain Frank Stone, has come out and announced that all passengers to Mobile for the holidays shall be carried the round trip for one fare. There are more steamboatmen and railroad men too, who are intending to do the same thing. Come out, gentlemen and let us see the documents.

CHRISTMAS.—Our merchants will find the TRIBUNE a good and cheap medium for placing their Christmas stocks before the public. We are prepared to make liberal contracts for space in our columns, and respectfully invite investigation.

CHRISTMAS.—If you wish to make a nice present on Christmas, call at 79 Dauphin street, and purchase one of those new hats just received by Friend & Co.

SUICIDE.

About six o'clock last night the dead body of Robert M White was found in a sleeping apartment at John Mandich's house, on Royal street, near Conti. The deceased was and had been in the employ of the Mobile and Ohio railroad for many years, in fact ever since he lost his arm, before the war, and was, at the time of his death, receiving clerk at the Mobile and Ohio depot. He was a married man, and has a wife and two or three children. He first went to Mandich's on Saturday night for a bed and the last time he was seen alive was on Monday night about eight o'clock, when Mr. Mandich saw him go up stairs, apparently somewhat under the influence of liquor. Tuesday morning Mrs. Mandich went to the door of the room to clean it up and make the bed as usual, but the door was fastened. She spoke of it at the time, but nothing was said until a little before six o'clock she went again to the room, and still found it locked. She called her husband, and he went to the guardhouse for an officer. Mr. John Payne went to the room and forced open the door, and found the corpse of Robert M. White lying upon the bed, on his back, in an easy, natural position, with the forefinger of his right arm up to his mouth. No sign of anything unpleasant was on his face—he looked as if asleep. Mr. Payne, as soon as he saw that death was there, went immediately for the Chief of Police, who came and examined more closely the room and the general appearance of things inside it. The appearances were that Mr. White had gone into his room, locked the door, put the key on the bed, took off his overcoat, coat and vest, and hung them over a chair, took off his shoes and placed them by the bed, and then took the contents of a half ounce bottle of laudanum and also a half ounce bottle of chloroform. The dose probably made him sick, as there were evidences that he had relieved his stomach of part of its load. On the stand was a two ounce bottle of chloroform, from the drug store of J. Lee Hamilton, still untouched. The two empty bottles were from the drug store of E. Kronberg, corner of Government and St. Emanuel. Mr. K. said that a person whom he described corresponding to Mr. White's appearance, came in the store and called for morphine. As he was a stranger, he declined to let him have it. After a little he came back and asked for some chloroform and loose cotton, saying that he had the toothache and had not slept for two or three nights. He went away and then came back the third time and asked for some laudanum. He did not seem agitated nor excited, talked pleasantly and laughed at some remark. He asked how much laudanum was a dose and was told from ten to twenty drops. That was the last the druggist saw of him.

Upon his person was found nearly thirty dollars in money, his registration paper and a few other papers, but nothing relative to his death, no message nor explanation. The coroner was called, a jury impannelled and a verdict rendered that he came to his death from an overdose of chloroform and laudanum administered by his own hand. We understand that McInnis Lodge of Odd Fellows took charge of his remains.

So far as known there existed no reason why Robert M. White should take his own life. He had steady employment, had a family, and life seemed peaceful to him. It is not probable that the truth will ever be known whether it was accidental or whether he had a deliberate purpose to end his earthly career.

MAYOR'S COURT—C. F. Moulton, presiding.

Election day in the morning did not seem very favorable for a large crowd nor a long session. Out of eleven cases six were continued.

Jim Bay, a colored disturber of the peace, was fined twenty dollars for his irregularities.

James Skelly got so excited between politics and whisky that he was anxious for a policeman to take off his badge and fight him. When this wish of his heart was denied, he struck the guardian of the night and was determined to have a fuss anyhow. James succeeded in getting into the guardhouse, where he rested quietly. His bill was just twenty dollars.

A. Kiefer against whom there was a case of disorderly conduct charged, was released, no one appearing to prosecute.

The two young men, Dolan and Leonard, who had the political discussion on Dauphin street and came near getting into a fight over it, were admonished and let go.

The lobby was not very well filled but business was too good on the outside. Election day does not come every weeek.

CIRCUIT COURT—Hon. H. T. Toulmin presiding.

There was no session of this court yesterday. The cases set for Tuesday will be taken up to-day, as follows:

1887	Houston	vs	Holmes.
2389	Miller & Co	vs	Moulton.
2392	Same	vs	Price.
2393	Same	vs	Mayer.
2397	Same	vs	Moulton.
2691	Tutbill & Baker	vs	Gregory.
2778	Mead	vs	Same.
2810	Keiffer, Bros.	vs	Kelly.
2780	Frank, *et. al.*	vs	Levy.
2353	Landreaux	vs	Frank.
2563	Burkehart	vs	Goldsmith.
2766	Rose	vs	Bush.
2775	Krause	vs	Goldsmith.
2192	Miller, assignee	vs	Haydon.
2585	Daniel	vs	Magee.
2634	McCarthy	vs	Therrel.
2641	Jones	vs	Thomas & C.
2642	Same	vs	Fonde.
2799	Clarke	vs	Gascoigne.
2800	Heustis	vs	Calhoun

OFF THE TRACK.—The dummy engine on the Mobile and Montgomery railroad that switches empty cars to the places where they are wanted, while running at full speed on last Monday night had two of the empty freight cars jump the track near Russell's saw mill. The cars were overturned and the trucks carried some distance beyond the bodies. No particular damage done.

ELECTION RETURNS.

FIRST WARD—Whole number of votes cast, 208. For Hurtel 171—For Withers 37.

FOURTH WARD—Whole number of votes cast, 438. For Hurtel 365—For Withers 73.

SEVENTH WARD—Box No 1—607 votes. For Hurtel 433—For Withers 174. Box No. 2—494 votes. For Hurtel 85—For Withers 409.

This is as far as heard from. The probable estimate of Hurtel's majority will be over 1800

THE THEATRE.

A BIG HIT FOR DE CASTRO.—Even the election could not kill the house. De Castro's magic and presents, Jeppe's capital comedy, and Miss Fannie's musical bells must attract always in Mobile. Miss Fannie and Jeppe did their "Courting in the Rain" so naturally as to receive a tremendous "call" on their exit. The "Indian Box Mystery" was *the* card. Last night Jeppe was tied up in a strong canvass sack, and sealed up by Major T. K. Irwin; the box being corded by Mr. Payne and sealed by Major Irwin with his signet ring. Within one minute the sack was empty, and when the seals were broken and the ropes were cut, Jeppe stepped out of the box.

The distribution of presents was generous as amusing; and some very handsome ones were given. Mr. John B. Hogan won a handsome case of silver-plated knives and forks; while young Ryan won the $20. To-night $30 in greenbacks will be given.

MULISH.—An extensive two-wheeled moveable establishment from the rural districts came in yesterday, and after various wanderings the long eared animal and the short eared driver stopped in front of a fashionable dry goods store on Dauphin street. On purchases intent the proprietor stepped in, leaving the patient animal looking as wise as a Withers' voter. To his immense astonishment the animal taking a sudden notion, dashed down the street, moving that cart in a lively manner to the great danger of collision with street cars, buggies, or running over some negro youngster. This was sensation No. 1. and No. 2 was made by the rural gent making enormous strides down the street shouting whoa! whoa! in a voice that would be the envy of a charcoal dealer. Fortunately the rampant beast was stopped, the cart was safe and the rural gent started home with a thrilling narrative of how near that blamed mule got away from him down to town.

RIVER NEWS.

The stage of the river here is unchanged. We learn from Mr. Gray Mooring, that the Bigbee is rising and that there will probably be a five foot rise at Vienna. We also report a rise in the Warrior and the Emma No. 2 will give clear bills of lading through to Tuscaloosa.

The Mary arrived since our last report, bringing 150 passengers, 466 bales of cotton and sundries.

No arrivals yesterday.

The departures were the Atlanta for Demopolis, the Emma No. 2 for Tuscaloosa.

The Peerless had not arrived up to dark, but will probably be found at her wharf this morning ready for her return trip. She will leave at 4 sharp for Selma and Montgomery.

The boatmen generally feel clever over the prospect of a full river above and plenty of freight.

THE SHIPPING.—Through the courtesy of Capt. John T. Steele, Superintendent of the Lighter Co., we received a pass to visit the fleet now lying at anchor in Mobile bay about twenty-eight miles from the city. Capt. Thomas A. Deering of the staunch steamer Fountain, took us down in two hours and a half and in the most genial and agreeable manner entertained us in "Social Hall"—the cabin of his steamer and with his pleasant conversation made the trip seem but a very short run. We touched at ten of the largest vessels to let off baymen who had come up to the city the day before to register previous to the elections.

We regret that the pressure on our columns prevents us from speaking of this trip as it deserves and hope to refer to it again at more length. The sight of those enormous ships anchored in the bay and filling their large hulls with cotton is sufficient to satisfy any body that if Mobile can not bring the deep water to her wharves she ought to go down to the deep water and get the full benefit of her great shipping facilities. The heavy stiff clay at the bottom of the bay renders it one of the best harbors in the world. To Captains Steele and Deering, we return our thanks for this pleasant view of the shipping.

FLORIDA.—We acknowledge the receipt of a pamphlet copy of the proceedings of the Florida Fruit Grower's Association which held its annual meeting at Palatka, last November. To the Secretary of the Association, Mr. Charles H. Walton, of Tallahassee, we are indebted for this courtesy. The pamphlet is valuable, for it embodies information about the resources of Florida, that can be had in no other way, and it is information that is eagerly sought for in the present state of feeling about orange growing and fruit raising generally. This little book gives the experience of practical men, not the visionary theories of those who have never handled an orange tree. The speech of Mr. J. H. Fowler of Port Orange will amply repay a careful perusal.

THE BULLETINS OF YESTERDAY

The election of yesterday was one sided of course, as everyone expected it to be, but we are indebted to the Withers men for opposition enough to make it interesting, and for as rich a set of cheeky bulletins as ever a desperate politician issued.

The first of the series was a crusher on the Withers ticket. It was issued the first thing in the morning, and reads as follows:

EXTRA.

We, the undersigned, protest against the use of our names as candidates on the "Independent Ticket," as we are in full accord with the Democratic and Conservative Party, and intend to vote that ticket.

December 22d, 1874.

ALEXANDER SWAIN,
W. W. BEATTY,
AUGUSTUS BURKE,
GEORGE W. LYONS,
JAMES BRUCE,
D. P. BESTOR,
P. MCCAFFERTY,
WM. BANCROFT,
CHAUNCEY BARNES.

Like a vigilant watchman, that apprehends danger, the next was a plain business card from the Hurtel Headquarters:

HEADQUARTERS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE DEMOCRATIC AND CONSERVATIVE PARTY }

The negroes are voting solid at the Seventh and Eighth Wards in opposition to our ticket. But few citizens are at the polls. Will they remain at their business places, and allow the city to be carried against us?

9¾ o'clock, A. M.

PRICE WILLIAMS,
President Ex. Com. Dem. and Con. Party.

At noon another manifesto was issued, congratulatory and admonitory:

EXTRA.

We have majorities at nearly every poll. Many citizens have not voted. We beg every one who have not voted to repair to the polls at once. We will give an overwhelming majority if our citizens will do their duty the balance of the day.

Dec. 22, 1874—12 M.

PRICE WILLIAMS,
President Ex. Com. Dem. and Con. Party.

At two o'clock the following double bulletin was issued. So much notice was taken of the Withers card as to call it a big joke, and then for information give the correct vote:

THE BEST JOKE OF THE DAY.

General Withers issues the following:

MOBILE, Dec. 22, 1874—10 o'clock, A. M.

"To the Independent Voters of the City of Mobile:

"Reliable information satisfies me that so far the Independent Ticket is ahead. Price Williams has issued as usual a Proclamation attempting to dragoon the voters of the city into a support of the so-called Democratic Ticket.

"If my friends remain at the polls and do their duty, they will carry the day.

"J. M. WITHERS."

I report the following as sent to Headquarters from each Ward:

First Ward—Hurtel ahead.
Second Ward—Hurtel 109 ahead.
Third Ward—Hurtel 127 ahead.
Fourth Ward—Hurtel 195 ahead.
Fifth Ward—Hurtel 80 ahead.
Sixth Ward—Hurtel 66 ahead.
Seventh Ward—Hurtel ahead.
Eighth Ward—Hurtel largely ahead.

Let no voter fail to cast his ballot, and swell the majority to an immense one.

Dec 22, 1874—2 P. M.

PRICE WILLIAMS,
President Ex. Com. Dem. and Con. Party.

And then as the crowning joke of this stupendous farce comes the annexed:

GLORIOUS NEWS!

At two o'clock, all the polls heard from and the Independent Ticket is between six hundred and fifty and six hundred and seventy-five votes ahead of the Ring Ticket. Do not believe the false circular from the Ring headquarters.

If those who desire the overthrow of the rule of "Rings," Central Council and Gold Life Insurance Company cliques will remain firm there can be no doubt of the result.

J. M. WITHERS.

A four number ticket for one dollar—prize of $700—Mutual Aid Association.

SIGNS OF THE TIMES.—The only way that reflecting men can be sure that the world progresses, is to carefully watch the signs of the times. And just from that reason, we believe that this city is steadily advancing. Now there is one sign that convinces us, and that is the elegant sign of the Granger's Life and Health Insurance company. It was designed and executed by J. O. Belknap, and in style, perfection of detail, quaintness and elegance of design and artistic taste is one of the most attractive signs that can be found on our streets. It is not only a sign, but it is an evidence of a healthy business life. Who would have believed, two months ago, that a new insurance company, comprising among its directors some of our best business men, would spring into existence complete and vigorous, even as Minerva is said to have sprung from the brain of Jupiter. It is a healthy sign of the times and shows that there is plenty of life in the old land yet.

Special Daily Market Reports.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO D. H. MARKS & CO., General Merchandise Brokers, No. 9 St. Michael St.

CINCINNATI, December 22—12:35 P. M.—Pork dull at $18 75 bid; $19 00 asked. Bacon quiet; shoulders 9c, clear rib sides 12@12½c; clear sides 13c. Hams 14c. Cut Meats firm; shoulders 6½c bid; clear rib 9½c; clear 9⅞c. Lard strong; steam 13@13½c; kettle 13⅞c. Hogs moderately active and firm; medium fair $6 55@6 80; good $6 85@7 00; dressed $8 00@8 25; receipts 5,742; shipments 317. Whiskey quiet at 97c.

NEW ORLEANS, December 22—11:30 A. M.—Corn quiet and steady; mixed 95c; yellow and white 98c. Oats steady at 76c. Pork inactive at $20 25. Bacon—none; clear rib sides 12¼c; clear sides 13½c. Sugar steady. Molasses active and firm; fair 50@52c; prime 53@55c.

ST. LOUIS, December 22.—Flour steady and unchanged. Wheat dull and lower; No. 2 winter $1 06½@1 07½. Corn firmer, new @ 70c, no sacked. Oats steady and unchanged; 57½@58c, no sacked. Whiskey steady at 98c. Pork $19 50 cash; $19 75 March. Cut Meats firmly held at 6½@9½@9⅞c, loose. Bacon—nothing doing. Lard nominal at 13c. Other quotations unchanged.

MOBILE MARKETS.

[CORRECTED DAILY AT 3½ P. M.]

DAILY TRIBUNE OFFICE, MOBILE, December 22, 1874, Half-past Three, P. M }

COTTON.

Good Middling	14½@14¾c
Middling	13⅞@ c
Low Middling	13½@ c
Good Ordinary	13 @ c

Sales to-day 1,500 bales, and 500 last evening. Good demand among a few buyers. Market quiet but firmer.

GOLD.

Opening	111@112
Closing	111@112

EXCHANGE.

STERLING.

Commercial, 60 days	5.21 @5.25
Bank, 60 days	—@ —

DOMESTIC.

New York Bank Sight ⅛ dis.; Commercial 7-16 dis. New Orleans Bank Sight ⅛ prem. Commercial ⅛ discount.

OCEAN FREIGHTS.

Liverpool, sail, ½d. Coastwise ⅝@11-16c, nominal. Havre 1 1-16c. Bremen 1⅛c.

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF MOBILE.

CLEARANCES.

Brig Elizabeth, Stubbs, for Pascagoula, Miss., by Master.

ARRIVALS.

Am. Schr Stampede, Dow, 145 tons, from Port Antonio, Jamaica, in ballast, to Master.

EXPORTS.

Per Br. Elizabeth, to Pascagoula, by A. Duncans, 60,000 feet pitch pine lumber.

LIST OF VESSELS

UP, CLEARED AND SAILED FOR PORT OF MOBILE.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Bark Telemack, Johnsen.........sailed Nov. 9
Ship Ronochan, Scott.........loading Nov. 18
Ship Ben Nevis.........loading Nov. 20

MARSEILLES.

Nor. bark Baltic.........cleared Oct. 20
Nor. bark Telemack.........cleared Oct. 20

NEW YORK.

Schr. Wm. C. Bee, Chester.........cleared Dec. 4
Schr. Edith, Phurney.........cleared Dec. 4

PHILADELPHIA.

Schooner E. A. Baizley, Robinson...load'g Dec. 1

BANGOR.

Schooner Jos. Oakes, Parker....cleared Nov. 20

BOSTON.

Schr M. Williamson, Lake.........Dec. 17

VESSELS IN PORT.

SHIPS.

Br. Friga, Welsh, 1127 tons, for Liverpool, D. Wheeler & co.
Br. Canterbury, Taylor, 1258 tons, for Europe, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Am. C. W. White, Dyer, 1411 tons, Liverpool, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Br. Annie Bengay, Cann, 1048 tons, Liverpool, D. Wheeler & co.
Am Charter Oak, Staples, 963 tons, discharging, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Am. Edward O'Brien, Smalley, 1803 tons, Liverpool, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Am. Geo. Hurlbut, Masson, 1134 tons, discharging, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Br. Pensacola, Capper, 1421 tons, discharging, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.

BARKS.

Br. Anevoca, Williams, 597 tons, Liverpool, J. Buttner.
Br. Emma Paysant, Dexter, 847 tons, Europe, E. Beyer & co.
Br. J. Steele, Leighton, 603 tons, Liverpool, J. Buttner.
Br. Adriatic, Ross, 797 tons, Liverpool, D. McNeil & co.
Am. Continental, Johnson, 340 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.
Nor. Sinbad, Andersen, 871 tons, Europe, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Br. St. Cloud, Bagley, 735 tons, Europe, E. Beyer & co.
Ger. Neptune, Ploghoft, 658 tons, freight, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Am. Dirigo, Blair, 454 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.
Br. St. Olaves, Carter, 572 tons, Havre, Clason & co.
Br. Exile, Pearce, 934 tons, Bremen, J. Buttner.
Am. Helen Angier, Staples, 655 tons, discharging.
Nor. Henne Selmer, Nielsen, 460 tons, discharging, master.
Br. M. E. Corning, McHenry, 354 tons.

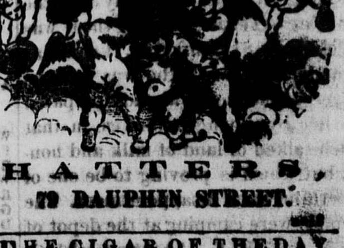
BRIGS.

It. Bartella, Badano, 235 tons, discharging, Geo. Aite.
Sw. Pepita, Pahlsom, 250 tons, discharging, Pepper, Maguire & Co.

SCHOONERS.

Am. Edward Johnson, Bean, 400 tons, Boston, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Am. Wapella, Penny, 244 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.
Am. Hattie Baker, Crowell, 246 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.
Am. E. H. Herriman, Herriman, 238 tons, Cuba, Master.
Am. Island Belle, Newton, 134 tons, freight, master.
Br. Moss Glen, Wade, 196 tons, Gibraltar, Master.
Am. Ella M. Pennell, Thompson, 194 tons, Danner & co.

FRIEND & CO.,



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NOTICE.

Parties interested will please take notice that on and after the FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1874, the WATER RENTS will be collected quarterly in advance, instead of annually, as heretofore.

LOUIS STEIN, Superintendent
nov6-3m Mobile City Water Works.

LOSS OF TEXT IN GUTTER

The sending by the Czar to President MacMahon of the Order of St. Andrew with a very friendly letter seems to be much commented on in England. The suspicion that the recent manifestations of friendship between Russia and France might ultimately ripen into an alliance for military purposes may have been the cause of Bismarck's uneasiness of late, lest important disclosures might leak out that would lead to fresh troubles between Germany and France.

The latest New York fashion, imported from Berlin, is that of early parties. We read that the cards for one of the most "swell" affairs of the season has been recently issued, with "from 4 to 11 p. m." engraved on one corner. According to this system, the blinds are closed and the gas lighted at 4 o'clock in the afternoon; the dancing begins at 5 or 6, and the ball is over by 11. Still another foreign custom imported into New York, which is said to have been started by the Prince of Wales, is for gentlemen to appear without gloves on full-dress occasions.

The Atlanta (Ga.) papers, a few days ago, published rumors to the effect that several prominent cotton firms in Augusta had failed. They mentioned only the name of W. H. Goodrich, whose liabilities were said to amount to $175,000. The Augusta *Chronicle*, of Wednesday, referring to these rumors, says that there have been but two or three failures, and not one was a surprise to the community; that they were not all cotton houses; and it intimates that the cause of their failure was their heavy advances to planters. not speculation in cotton.

Whatever may be the verdict in Count Von Arnim's case, which will probably be rendered to-morrow, one cannot help admiring his apparent disingenuousness and dignified bearing. In his defense he said that the documents relating to his conflict with Bismarck were a grave in which was buried the friendship of his youth; nothing could show that he had at any time acted in opposition to his intructions, and he could swear that he had committed no illegal act. It looks as though the Prince in bringing his suit had precipitated the very disclosures he was apparently so anxious to avoid.

A telescope of immense proportions has, Galignani says, been for some time past in course of manufacture at the Paris Observatory, but is still far from its termination. It was commenced in 1865 by M. Leon Foucault, but the death of that savant and the events of 1870 and 1871 interrupted this work, which was subsequently resumed under the direction of M. Wolf. The power of the new instrument will exceed those of the Cambridge and Herschell telescopes, hitherto the largest known; its length will be forty-nine feet, and its diameter six feet, six inches, while the dimensions of Herschell's were only forty-five feet by five feet. The mirror will be of glass, but the surface will be faced with gold or silver. The telescope will be provided with a movable stair-case.

GRANDMA BULLARD.—Last Tuesday two or three families from the neighborhood of Mr. Andrew came to town for the purpose of taking the morning train Wednesday for the far West—Texas. Among them was an old lady 81 years old, known as Grandma Bullard, who was anxious to get to the home already prepared for her by loving relatives in that much talked of land of milk and honey, but which is proving to be one of uncertainty and disappointment. The families were camping at the depot of the M. & E. R. R. About one o'clock the freight train came by with a shrill whistle, and Grandma Bullard, either in her fright or sleep, walked off the platform, falling on the track and breaking her leg. She lay there an hour before being discovered, and when discovered was nearly dead. At 4½ o'clock her friends had to bid her adieu, leaving her to go back and remain a while longer, probably forever, in the land that has given her life and health for eighty-one years.—*Union Springs Ledger.*

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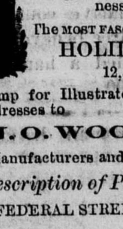

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Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception—Claiborne street, corner Dauphin and Conti streets—Rt. Rev. John Quinlan, Bishop.
St. Vincent de Paul—Charleston st., between Hamilton and Lawrence—Rev. T. C. O'Callaghan, Pastor.
St. Joseph's Church—Jefferson street, between St Louis and St. Anthony—Rev. P. Imsand, S. J., Pastor.
St. Patrick's Church—Beauregard street, between Jackson and Claiborne streets—Rev. J. J. Browne, Pastor—Sundays—Mass, 6½ a. m.; High Mass, 9 a. m.; Classes of Christian Doctrine, 4 p. m.; Vespers and Benediction, 5 p. m. During week days, Mass at 6½ a. m.
St. Mary's Church—Rev. D. O'Meara Pastor—Mass on Sundays at 10 a. m., and at St. Francis Xavier's at 7 a. m. Vespers at 4 p. m.
Convent and Chapel of the Visitation (Jesuit Fathers)—Spring Hill road, 3½ miles from Post-office.
St. Joseph's College and Chapel—(Jesuit Fathers)—Spring Hill, Spring Hill road.

EPISCOPAL.

Christ Church—corner Church and St. Emanuel streets—Rev. John Fulton, D. D., Rector.
Trinity Church—corner St. Anthony and Jackson streets—Rev. A. J. Massey, D. D., Rector.
St. John's Church—corner Monroe and Dearborn streets—Rt. Rev. Bishop Wilmer, Rector.

METHODIST.

Franklin Street Church—corner St. Michael and Franklin streets—Rev. J. W. Rush, Pastor.
St. Francis Street Church—corner Joachim and St. Francis streets—Rev. A. W. Shepard, Pastor.
State Street Church (col'd)—State street, between Lawrence and Cedar streets—Rev. A. C. Fisher, Pastor.
Mobile City Mission—Preston G. Nash, Jr., missionary—Services at Toulminville, Sundays, at 11 a. m.; Four-mile post, 3½ p. m.; Hamilton-street Chapel, 7½ p. m.
Zion Church (col'd)—corner Church and Bayou streets—Rev. W. G. Strong, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

South Franklin Street Presbyterian Church—Franklin street, between Palmetto and Canal streets—Rev. J. T. McBryde, pastor.
Government Street Church—corner Jackson and Government streets—Rev. J. R. Burgett, Pastor.
Jackson Street Church—corner St. Michael and Jackson streets—Rev. E. P. Palmer, D. D., Pastor.

BAPTIST.

Palmetto Street Church—corner of Palmetto and Dearborn streets—Rev. W. R. L. Smith, pastor. Services every Sunday.
St. Francis Street Church—between Claiborne and Franklin streets. ———— ————, Pastor.
Broad Street Church—corner Spring Hill road and Broad street—Rev. J. H. Curry, Pastor.

JEWISH.

Synagogue, Shangairai Shamayim—Jackson street, between St. Louis and St. Michael streets—Rev. Dr. A. Moses, Minister.
Hebrew Church (Orthodox)—Hamilton street, between Government and Church—Abraham Lehman, Acting Clergyman.

LUTHERAN.

German Lutheran Church—St. Francis street, between Warren and Dearborn streets—H. Sauer, Pastor. Services every Sunday. the hours above mentioned.

Mail Schedule.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS TO AND FROM THE POST-OFFICE AT MOBILE.

Eastern Mail, via M. and M. R. R.
Arrives..........6:00 p. m.
Closes..........8:30 p. m.

Western Mail, via M. and O. R. R.
Way Mail closes..........8:15 p. m.
Through Mail closes..........8:15 p. m.
Arrives..........7:30 a. m.

New Orleans and Texas, via N. O. and M. R. R.
Arrives..........2:15 p. m.
Arrives..........10:30 p. m.
Closes..........7:30 a. m.
Closes..........5:00 p. m.

Mail via Grand Trunk R. R.
Arrives..........10:00 a. m.
Closes..........3:00 p. m.

Alabama River Mails.
Arrives—Mondays and Fridays....8:00 a. m.
Closes—Tuesdays and Saturdays..4:00 p. m.
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ALABAMA NEWS.

Eggs 40 cents per dozen in Montgomery.

Belle Boyd lectured in Montgomery last night.

Eight babies were born in Montgomery one night last week.

Montgomery has subscribed $428.25 to the Montevallo sufferers.

Dr. A. G. Goodwyn, of Robinson Springs, died there and was buried Tuesday last.

The peripatetic "Horse Tamer" has reached Montgomery, and is performing without bridle or saddle.

The idle negroes of Montgomery are stealing the bridges at street crossings for firewood.

The Tuscumbia *Times* says that M. D. Patterson, and Mrs. Gibbs are both doing well and recovering from the injuries received by the Tornado.

Mr. Hiram Vickers killed a negro man, two miles from Montgomery, who was departing, Sunday night, with several sacks of Mr. Vickers' cotton. The Coroner's verdict accords with this brief statement.

Col. Penn Yonge, of Opelika, has his rice mill, the only establishment of the kind west of Savannah, in regular operation. The mill is a first class Carolina, and the Colonel says it works admirably. The first rice received at his mill, was shipped by the Messrs. Ross, of Opelika.

The next session of the Supreme Court commences on the 1st Monday in January, and, says the *Montgomery Advertiser*, judging from the order of business published by the clerk, and the extra time allowed to several of the divisions, will continue until all the business is disposed of—which will be about the latter part of March.

Greenville is about to lose all her preachers. The *South Alabamian*, of the 19th, says: Rev. S. A. Goodwin has resigned the pastorate of the Baptist Church; Rev. Mr. Blue has been transferred from the Methodist; it is doubtful whether the Rev. Mr. Morrison will remain with the Presbyterians; the Episcopalians are also without a minister and will probably remain so. Greenville has about 6,000 inhabitants. What a commentary—can't raise money enough to pay the laborer his hire.

A serious affray occured Monday between N. B. Cloud, Jr., and John Wescott about two miles south of Montgomery. The cause of the difficulty was, as follows: Mr. Cloud contracted for some wood with Mr. Wescott, but failed to pay for it when called upon, from which a quarrel and fight ensued, and Cloud using brass knuckles and Wescott a pocket knife. The former received several severe cuts and stabs from the knife, one of which reached the hollow of the abdomen, and the latter two or three ugly wounds from the brass knuckles. Both were taken home and medical assistance summoned.

Messrs. E. C. Cole and A. W. Halden, of Grand Rapids, Kent county, Michigan, were in our city last Wednesday. They have been in this neighborhood examining land with a view to the immigration and settlement of people from the North West and Europe. They had an interview with G. G. Lyon, Esq., one of the directors of the London & Mississippi Valley Immigration Society, and expressed themselves delighted with all they have seen.—*Demopolis News.*

Eight different classes of cars are provided by the London underground railroad. First class for non-smokers, first class for ladies alone, second class for non-smokers of both sexes, second class for smokers, second class for ladies alone, third class for non-smokers, and third class for smokers.

The republican sovereigns of Omaha called Kalakaua Mr. King.

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DAILY TRIBUNE

MOBILE, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1874

THE MOBILE DAILY TRIBUNE May be seen on file at the Newspaper Reading Rooms of Messrs. BUTTON & Co., Union Square, New York City.

Hart, the Sculptor, has finished his statue entitled "The Triumph of Chastity."

The Albany penitentiary, it is asserted, will make a clear profit this year of about thirty thousand dollars.

It is a noteworthy fact that all who are now prominently named for the Speakership, are "hard-money" men.

And they wanted Kalakaua to stop in New York and chaw up a few officials. But he was bilious and couldn't.

Dr. F. O. Ticknor, well known in Alabama, died in Columbus, Ga., last week. Dr. Ticknor was highly gifted, and has written several poetical gems.

An enormous charity Christmas dinner is planned in Chicago. The exposition building will be arranged with tables and seats to seat ten thousand persons.

An Atlanta man who had been employed as a gallows builder and made a sort of specialty in this industry was lately rejected as juror on the ground that he was an interested party.

M. Dupressoir, formerly lessee of the gaming-tables at Baden-Baden, is negotiating with the Spanish government for permission to establish gaming-tables in the principal towns of Spain.

Nearly everybody in Washington was invited to the reception in honor of Kalakaua at the White House, except the newspaper correspondents, even the Associated Press man not getting an invitation.

The New York dollar contribution for the relief of the Kansas and Nebraska sufferers has reached the amount of $2,229 64, and the money is now coming in at the rate of four to five hundred dollars per day.

Gov. Hendricks says that under no circumstance could he be induced to accept a Senator's commission so long as his removal from the Governor's chair would leave the executive department of Indiana in the hands of a republican.

The subsidy business finds few advocates nowdays. No newspaper of any influence openly defends any scheme of the kind, and nearly all of the journals of both parties declare sharply that there has been enough of that sort of robbery, and there must be no more of it.

The great "materializer" of modern times, Katie King, who professed to be as dead as Marley was to begin with, has been tracked to an earthly boarding-house in Philadelphia, and induced by a fond reporter to confide to him her swindling secrets.

The manager of a theatre in Columbus, Ohio, is carrying on a gift distribution in connection with representations of the chaste drama. He advertises to help the Poor Fund, and gives away $100 every night. Tickets are sold to the audience, and the drawing is then made from a wheel.

"The Prisoner's Escape" is the newest French toy. On a little tower stands a little man of tin, dressed as a marshal of France, and holding a rope in his hands. Touch a spring and the marshal launches boldly into space, slides down the cord, and lands in a boat which comes laboring out from rocks of tin over a card-board sea. Just as the marshal drops aboard, a soldier in uniform looks from the tower with evident alarm. The boat moves back to its station, and all may be begun again if the joke be thought good enough.

The Secretary of the Treasury says the estimate of the Director of the Mint shows a gain in specie and bullion in the last two fiscal years of about $39,000,000, and the stock of specie in the country to be about $160,000. This, in connection with the annual production of $70,000,000 of precious metals, affords encouragement that a stock of coin may within a reasonable time, and with favorable legislation be accumulated to an extent sufficient to enable resumption of specie payments to be undertaken and maintained.

At a recent New York funeral, where the deceased was a young and beautiful girl, over $3,000 worth of flowers were distributed in and around the coffin; a chorus was sung by hired vocalists; on either side of the coffin stood four young girls dressed in white, each holding in her hands a wreath of flowers; while the minister prayed a bell was tolled in the hallway, and a chant sung by the hired vocalists. The lady friends of the deceased thought the entertainment "perfectly elegant."

THE COMMITTEE OF SEVENTY.

This able, patriotic and vigilant Committee of gentlemen appointed by the Conservatives of Louisiana to stand as sentinels upon the wall and guard that Commonwealth from radical rapacities, has just issued another address to the people of the United States. It is dated New Orleans, December 22d, and signed by B. R. Forman, W. C. Raymond, Arch: Mitchell and F. C. Zacharie.

Every syllable in the address weighs a pound. If it fails to carry conviction, words are idle. It has evidently been drawn with much care, and presents the situation calmly, but forcibly. Its tone and temper are admirable. No attempt at display—a simple, plain, matter-of-fact statement of truths. The address recites the manifold afflictions under which Louisiana has suffered; the gross usurpation of Kellogg in 1872, who was placed in power by the private order of a drunken United States Judge, written at midnight in his chamber, and sustained by the United States army, sent to New Orleans beforehand for the purpose; how in addition to having been defeated at the polls by a majority of 9600, that Government is ineligible under the State Constitution; how his administration has been marked with every species of fraud and corruption; how taxes under his rule have virtually amounted to confiscation, and legislation been notoriously ignorant and corrupt.

The address states that, notwithstanding a two years lease of power, the Kellogg government has been unable to gain the slightest foothold in the confidence or respect of the people, and as soon as the Federal army was withdrawn, within one hour his show of authority and force melted into thin air before the calm determination of an outraged people, and he sought refuge in the sanctuary of the United States Custom-House.

After this review of past trials and wrongs, the address announces that the dark designs of the present Returning Board—consisting of five radicals and one conservative—are becoming apparent, and that it is evident they intend to perpetrate another outrage upon the property-holders and tax-payers of the State by so manipulating the ballots and returns, as to deprive the Conservatives of their November victory, notwithstanding a fair count would give them a majority of 3500 in the State, 12,000 in the city of New Orleans, and in addition a majority of 28 in the House of Representatives and a majority on joint ballot.

The address cites a case of DeSoto Parish, which, notwithstanding the Parish is Conservative by over one thousand majority, the Radical election officer stole the returns, placed them in the hands of a woman of the town, who offered to give them up for $1000, and he left the State. The returning officers refused to take any steps to recover the papers. The attorneys representing the Conservatives sent to DeSoto and brought down and presented the duplicate original election returns, of equal value, which had been filed with the clerk of the District Court for the parish, in pursuance of law, and these they refused to receive and consider, although the Radical parishes they had acted on secondary evidence.

Of the inner workings of the Returning Board, the address says:

> During the session of the Board we have seen the clerk accusing a member of frauds on the election returns, and the member in turn accusing the clerk. We have seen evidence and documents on the Democratic side stealthily abstracted and Republican cross-marked affidavits stelthily inserted and acted on, and the election returns themselves altered and forged in the interest of the Radicals weeks after the election.

This able paper concludes:

> Having failed in all our appeals to the justice and the patriotism of the President and the Congress, we now, as a last resort appeal to the source of all power—the people of the whole country, whose moral influence we invoke, in the hope of awakening that sympathy with our wrongs and sufferings always accorded to a brave and free people struggling for liberty. In the confidence that a virtuous public sentiment may compel the unprincipled men who are preying upon the vitals of the State to let go their hold, we hope it may react upon the Executive and Congress, and compel them to grant us that relief which neither their sense of justice nor a regard for the fundamental institutions of the country has been able to effect.

THE NEW FINANCE BILL.

The Finance Bill which was agreed to by the Senate Republican Caucus on the 20th, and afterwards reported to the Senate, provides:

1. Free banking to be open to all individuals and associations without limitation of capital.
2. Retiring of an amount of greenbacks equal to 80 per cent. of the new national notes issued until the greenback circulation shall be reduced to $300,000,000, after which no further reduction of greenbacks is to take place. It is claimed that by this provision that there will be neither expansion or contraction of the currency, as about 20 per cent. is now required as bank reserves.
3. The withdrawal and destruction of fractional currency and the substitution of silver coin; this arrangement to go into effect as soon as practicable, under the direction of the secretary of the treasury, who is authorized to use the surplus money for supplying silver coin, and if this is not sufficient, to sell the requisite amount of bonds of the new series to obtain funds for that purpose.
4. Removing cost for coinage of gold at the several mints.
5. Resumption of specie payments to commence on the first day of January, 1879. The secretary is authorized to use the surplus specie in the treasury, but if that is not sufficient, to sell bonds in order to obtain gold to pay treasury notes. But this last provision does not, like the others, go into immediate effect. The legal-tender act remains unchanged.

From a Washington special to the *St. Louis Republican*, we learn that the bill having been agreed to almost unanimously in caucus, there being only four members dissenting, insures its passage by the senate, and it will, it is thought by the senators, pass the house of representatives by a respectable majority. In this case no doubt is entertained that it will receive the approval of the president as it is in accordance with his recent recommendation to congress. It is said that so much of the fractional currency is mutilated and lost—as much as four per cent annually—that silver can take its place with no inconvenience to the public. The government is able to purchase and coin silver at a profit, and can at an early period effect this substitution.

From a special dispatch to the Galveston *News*, dated at Washington on the 19th inst., we learn that Major Howell's report of the improvement of Galveston has been received at the Engineer Bureau. It states that the result of the work so far performed is satisfactory, and recommends an appropriation of $100,000 to continue the work to July 1, and $400,000 for next year. The dispatch states that Gen. Humphrey is now in New York, but will give this report attention as soon as he returns, and will probably be sent to Congress, with his opinion, immediately after the holiday recess.

QUITE A DEFICIENCY.—The State Auditor of Iowa reports the number of hogs in that State in 1864 at 1,000,104, and their average weight at 250 pounds, which makes an aggregate of 250,151,000 pounds. Last year the number of hogs returned was 1,460,784, and their average weight, as reported by the Porkpackers' Association, was 290 pounds, which would give an aggregate of 423,627,360 pounds. The falling off this year, therefore, as compared with last, in 460,180 in the number of hogs and 173,476,360 pounds in weight valuing the hogs at five cents per pound, this shows a loss in the hog crop of Iowa this year of $8,673,818—quite a considerable deficit in a single product of the State.

Miss Violetta Colville, although but commencing her professional career in her native country, has already given three benevolent benefits that has yielded a handsome sum, exceeding $8000.

A Kansas woman dreamed three times that her husband ran away with a freckle-faced girl, and she awoke him at midnight and broke his nose with the coal-stove shaker.

The campaign of the railroads is growing hot, and with three separate sets of petitioners, each praying for the congressional guarantee of the interest on their bonds, things are kept pretty lively. Tom Scott's Southern combination asks for a guarantee on $40,000 per mile, the Northern Pacific folks put theirs at $50,000 per mile, while the Virginia people engineering the Washington, Cincinnati and St. Louis Narrow-Gauge railroad modestly content themselves with $17,500 per mile. There is an active lobby for each of these projects and of course all the wires that can be got hold of are being pulled.

We learn from Washington that the Texas indemnity bonds, issued by the United States in 1850, are again the subject of attention. Argument has been made for the House Judiary Committe ta induce Congress to pass a bill redeeming the bonds at once; the State agreeing to remfinerate the Government by giving its bonds for the full amount, which is $136,000. The occasion ot this proposition is to avoid complication with the foreign bondholders of the State, arising out of the issue of bonds during the war.

THE PICAYUNE.—Rumor has it that at the meeting yesterday of the stockholders of the *Picayune* Company, that newspaper establishment was leased by Messrs. Warmoth & Co. to Mr. A. M. Holbrook for the sum of eight hundred and fifty dollars per month. We suppose that Mr. H. will to-day announce himself as proprietor and editor.

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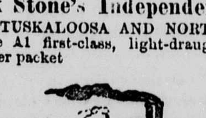

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E. F. BUTTEMER HARSTON,
4 Gresham Buildings, Guildhall, London, Eng., E. C. Soliciter for the Administrator.
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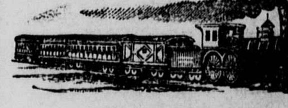
M. & O. R. R. DEPOT, DEC. 19.



NOTICE.

WILL BE SOLD on January 22d, in Meridian Ware House, at Public Auction, to pay charges, one car-load of
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MOBILE, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24 1874

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LOCAL NEWS.

SOMETHING TO EAT.—It has been stated as one of the reasons why Grant sent his troops down this way, that they could be fed cheaper and better than in any other place. Grant must have heard of C. H. Dreisbach, at whose store, No. 67 Dauphin street, almost everything in the shape of something to eat—pickles, potted meats, canned fruit and fish, Christmas groceries, cranberries, preserves, jellies and all the long list of staple groceries, can be found at living prices. Mr Dreisbach has a large contract, not with the army of the United States, but with the people of this city to keep them supplied with the latest in the provision line and the fact that it takes large quantities to supply the demand, accounts for the heavy invoices that Mr. Dreisbach is receiving all the time.

NEW DRY GOODS.—P. H. Pepper & Co. are offering great bargains in Lace Curtains, Window Shades, Black Silks, Alpacas, Fancy Dress Goods, Blankets, Flannels, Kid Gloves, Corsets, Hosiery, Domestics, Calicoes, Shawls, etc. The attention of close buyers is solicited.

THEATRE.

DECASTRO'S BAD WEATHER.—*A Little Specie to-night.* The very stormy day and night thinned the theatre audience, but a pretty fair number (remarkable for the weather) were much amused from beginning to end of the performance. Jeppe's Dutch songs are remarkably clever, and his facial acting again "brought the house," while Miss Fannie received her now invariable encore. The "Box Trick" was a heavy hit last night; two strange sea Captains tying the box with many a knot and sealing rope and sack most carefully. In an even shorter time than usual Jeppe was in the box. The feat was even more cordially applauded than before.

The gifts, notwithstanding the storm and its lessening of the house were generous and well worth having. The $30 in greenbacks was drawn by Mr. Thorpe, and one neighbor, ye Local of ye "Register" was blessed with a hoop skirt of ample proportions.

To-night there will be an entire change and the gifts will be presented as usual. The principal present will be a $20 gold piece; a neat thing to carry home for Christmas turkey money.

TO THE LADIES.—Just received at Mrs. F. Blumer's, a large invoice of Mme. Demorest's reliable cut paper patterns, No. 245 Dauphin street.

SUDDEN DEATH. — Coroner Harwell held an inquest about four o'clock yesterday afternoon upon the body of a colored man named Nelson Williams, a carpenter, who received a severe fall from a ladder, yesterday, afternoon, at the corner of Adams and Ann streets. Williams was about forty years of age and the fall was purely accidental. The verdict of the jury was death from internal rupture.

LAST CHANCE TO-DAY to send in Advertisements for the Holiday Editions of the eight-page "Gossip."

Remember eight-page Editions of "Our Gossip," published Christmas Day, Sunday next and New Year's Day. Send in advertisements to-day.

CIRCUIT COURT.—Hon. H. T. Toulmin presiding.

Several minor cases were disposed of by this tribunal yesterday, but none of sufficient importance to deserve special mention.

The following cases are set for to-day:

2800 Heustis	vs.	Haydon.
2826 Boykin	vs.	M. & O. R. R.
2827 Wilkins	vs.	M. & O. R. R.
2840 Price	vs.	Bement.
2886 Bruce & Cook	vs.	Spear.

M. Threefoot & Co., the only strict notion house in Mobile, are offering goods at New York jobbing prices.

JUSTICES' COURTS.—Conti street was so quiet that not even a case was to be reported. One Justice remarked that the election had demoralized business.

M. Threefoot & Co., are selling fire works at reduced prices, to close consignments. Their stock of toys is entirely new, which they are selling very low.

DRESSED TURKEYS—a fine lot just received at George Eberlein's, Southeast corner of Conception and St. Michael streets.

CHEAP.—There is some fine work turned out at several of our large leather, saddle and harness shops, but the cheapest place to buy a saddle is at No. 4 South Royal street. You can get as good a one as you want for fifty cents.

THE CODE OF HONOR.

There was a hostile meeting between two well-known gentlemen of this city, yesterday noon, a little way from Grand Bay, but in the State of Mississippi. The gentlemen were A. H. Tardy, the insurance agent, and Dr. Benjamin D. Lay, the actuary of the Grangers' Life and Health Insurance Company. The origin, as we understand, arose from a letter from this city to a prominent Northern Insurance journal, over the signature of X. Y. Z., making some comments upon the new company with which Dr. Lay was connected. On Monday Dr. Lay met Mr. Tardy and asked him if he was the author of a communication signed X. Y. Z., in the Spectator. Mr. Tardy said he was, when Dr. Lay slapped his face. A few words passed, and then Mr. Tardy sent to Dr. Lay a written message, demanding satisfaction for the insult, and referring to Col. James Williams as authorized to make any necessary arrangements. The message was answered granting any satisfaction demanded, and referring to Capt. P. U. Murphy as authorized, on the part of Dr. Lay, to arrange matters. The result was the choice of duelling pistols, the meeting to be out of the State, the distance ten paces, and the time Wednesday noon. Mr. Tardy and his friends left the city Tuesday night, and repaired to Grand Bay, and Dr. Lay and friends left on Wednesday morning for the same place. The parties met, as by agreement, and took carriages until they were over the line and in Mississippi. As it was agreed for noon as the time, there was no choice as to position. The distance was measured, the antagonists placed, the dread question asked, Gentlemen, are you ready? Fire! One! Two! Three! At the word one a sharp report was heard, Tardy's pistol fell from his hand, he clasped convulsively his breast, and fell—a corpse.

Dr. Lay returned to the city immediately and was met on Government street by a gentleman who, not knowing the duel had taken place, jokingly asked the Doctor whom he was going to shoot. Bursting into tears he exclaimed "My God, don't ask me anything about it."

The street was immediately alive with rumors, some of them extravagant, as the meeting was anticipated. Dr. Lay about half-past seven gave himself up to the Sheriff, and was placed in jail. The body came in on the New Orleans train that arrived at 10:30, and was taken to the office of the City Sexton, where a jury was impanneled, and all the evidence that was accessible taken. An examination of the body was made by Dr. M. J. Lehman. The bullet struck just over the nipple of the right breast, and as he was standing, must have passed through the heart, causing instant death. The jury reserved their verdict until this morning at ten o'clock.

RIVER NEWS.

The river is rising and now the fun commences. All the boats are up and going for their share of cotton. We trust there will be fair play and plenty of cotton for them all.

The only arrival yesterday was the Peerless, which came in from Montgomery with 406 bales of cotton.

The only departure was the Peerless for Montgomery with a goodly amount of freight considering the bad weather.

The boats advertised for to-day are the Hale for Demopolis, Warsaw and Vienna, and the new Dependent Line packet Lulu D. for the same points—the head of navigation.

THE HALE.—This neat, trim and sound favorite will cut loose this evening at 5 o'clock and go speeding up the river kicking up behind at a terrible rate. She is one of Capt. Frank Stone's Independent line, is well officered by able and experienced men and will go through to Vienna just as straight as the crooked river will allow. All those interested will apply to Spalding & Foster for information or to the Captain on board.

THE LULU D.—Now that the river is rising, we have another champion in the field, the gay Lulu D., which belongs to Stone's Dependent Line and runs to Demopolis, Warsaw and Vienna, putting passengers through with ease and elegance and freight with accuracy and despatch. Captain John H. Stone is the man that sings out to let her go, and Walsh Welch, the experienced, talks back to the folks that go to the office. All ye that patronize the Lulu D, look sharp, for she leaves at 5 exactly. For answers to further questions, apply on board.

SPECIALTIES.—At Dreisbach's grocery store, on Dauphin just above Royal, will be found two specialties that he prides himself on—that is the finest nickel cigars in the city and an abundance of splendid oranges in prime condition. A hint to the wise is sufficient.

A new juvenile crime has been developed in Wheeling, W. V. Five lads were arraigned before the Justice charged with "rolling each other in the slimy mud." The Court holding perhaps that cleanliness is next to godliness, ordered every individual boy to give bonds in $50 not to roll any other boy in the slimy mud for six months to come.

MAYOR'S COURT—C. F. Moulton, presiding.

The first case was that of Ed. Simms, colored, who has rather a bad reputation. He has not been long out of jail and was arrested this time for stealing a cheese. It was rather a bold operation, for he took the cheese from Mr. Bush's door, corner of St. Louis and Commerce street, in open daylight. Ed. acknowledged the cheese and was sentenced to ninety days hard labor in the county jail.

Wm. McDonald was full of whiskey, and was noisy on Dauphin street. He was not drunk, the officer said, only drunk enough not to take the advice of a friend. Fined ten dollars.

Charles Spencer, charged with disorderly conduct, was discharged.

W. W. Ware, colored, was charged with assault with intent to murder. Case continued on account of the absence of the wounded man.

W. B. Allen went into Justice McCormick's office, and behaved in a very disorderly manner. For this he was fined twenty-five dollars.

George Cohen was charged with assault and battery. It sems that there was a little difficulty in a coffee saloon, that grew out of a misapprehension. The matter was explained and the case dismissed.

A case against one of the physicians resident here, for violating the health ordinance, was dismissed, the prosecution withdrawing the case.

A citizen was arrested for some disorderly conduct at the theatre. When arrested he had two large knives in his pocket, one of them opened for use. Fined fifty dollars and ordered to give bond in the sum of $250 to appear before the city court and answer the charge of carrying concealed deadly weapons.

ARRIVED IN TIME—Atmore's genuine English Plum Puddings, in 1, 2, 3 and 4 pound cans, at George Eberlein's.

M. SIMON, & BRO.—Persons desirous of purchasing clothing, furnishing goods, under wear or anything in that line, should not fail to call upon the firm of M. Simon & Bro., at No. 36 Dauphin street. There is an immense assortment of clothing of the latest styles and the best material, a splendid lot of shirts of all kinds, colors and sizes, flannel and knit goods for under wear, collars, handkerchiefs, gloves, scarfs and neckties innumerable. There is nothing requisite for the outer man that cannot be found at this model clothing store. And the most important point is that Messrs. Simon, & Bro., are selling their goods at most reasonable prices. In fact they are selling at cost in order to dispose of their immense stock without unnecessary delay. We again urge all those in search of rare bargains to go to No. 36 Dauphin street.

TO THE LADIES.—Get your millinery fancy goods at Mrs. F. Blumer's, 245 Dauphin street.

JUSTICE ROULSTON'S COURT.—Yesterday a case was tried in this court brought by Dr. Lindsey, of Monroe county, Ala., against Baker, Lawler & Co., of this city for the recovery of a bale of cotton, which they had received, sold and the proceeds of which had been placed to the credit of a third party. Dr. Lindsey has a lien on the cotton. The third party got possession of it without the consent of the party who gave the lien, and knew at the time when he took possession of it that the lien had precedence over his claim. The court rendered judgment for the plaintiff, placing the value of the bale of cotton at $65. Messrs. Baker, Lawler & Co., knew nothing of the dispute when they received the shipment.

CHRISTMAS.—Our merchants will find the TRIBUNE a good and cheap medium for placing their Christmas stocks before the public. We are prepared to make liberal contracts for space in our columns, and respectfully invite investigation.

CITY COURT.—Hon. O. J. Semmes, presiding.

But one case was tried yesterday and that was the State vs. Edward Phifer charged with the murder of Lewis Cazalas last March, near the Four-Mile Post on the Spring Hill road. After the evidence was all heard and the lawyers had spoken, the jury returned the following verdict:

Manslaughter in the first degree and sentenced to imprisonment at hard labor in the county jail for twelve months.

W. H. ROBERTS, Foreman.

Read about the Texas Grand Prize Concert, to be drawn at Houston, March 3rd, 1875.

RIVER NEWS.

The light draught packet Peerless arrived Tuesday night, from Montgomery, having aboard 20 cabin and 25 deck passengers. She was loaded with a quantity of sundries and 406 bales of cotton.

We are authorized to say that the Steamer Atlanta, will take passengers for the city during the holiday festivals at one fare for the round trip.

ELECTION RETURNS.

The official returns of the municipal election are as follows:

MAYOR.	
Alphonse Hurtel	3,714
J. M. Withers	1,886
Hurtel's majority	1,828
TAX COLLECTOR.	
W. H. Sheffield	3,729
Jas. McDermott	1,859
Sheffield's majority	1,869
TREASURER.	
W. H. Wickes	3,757
J. C. Smith	1,732
Wickes' majority	1,925
AUDITOR.	
Henry St. Paul	3,614
James Hagan	1,958
St. Paul's majority	1,956
CITY CLERK.	
John F. Summersell	3 730
Harvey Jones	1,860
Summersell's majority	1,870

The majorities for Aldermen and Councilmen will not vary much from the averages above.

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF MOBILE.

CLEARANCES.

Schr. E. H. Herriman, Herriman, for Cuba, by Master.

ARRIVALS.

Schr. Alice T. Boardman, from Cuba, in ballast, to master.
Br. Bk. Reformer, Brown, 999 tons, from Yarmouth, in ballast, to Wylie & Co.

LIST OF VESSELS

UP, CLEARED AND SAILED FOR PORT OF MOBILE.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Bark Telemack, Johnsen..........sailed Nov. 9
Ship Renochan, Scott..........loading Nov. 18
Ship Ben Nevis..........loading Nov. 28

MARSEILLES.

Nor. bark Baltic..........cleared Oct. 20
Nor. bark Telemack..........cleared Oct. 20

NEW YORK.

Schr. Wm. C. Bee, Chester..........cleared Dec. 4
Schr. Edith, Phurney..........cleared Dec. 4

PHILADELPHIA.

Schooner E. A. Baizley, Robinson...load'g Dec. 1

BANGOR.

Schooner Jos. Oakes, Parker....cleared Nov. 20

BOSTON.

Schr M. Williamson, Lake..........Dec. 17

VESSELS IN PORT.

SHIPS.

Br. Friga, Welsh, 1127 tons, for Liverpool, D. Wheeler & co.
Br. Canterbury, Taylor, 1258 tons, for Europe, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Am. C. W. White, Dyer, 1411 tons, Liverpool, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Br. Annie Bengay, Cann, 1048 tons, Liverpool, D. Wheeler & co.
Am Charter Oak, Staples, 963 tons, discharging, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Am. Edward O'Brien, Smalley, 1803 tons, Liverpool, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Am. Geo. Hurlbut, Masson, 1134 tons, discharging, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Br. Pensacola, Capper, 1421 tons, discharging, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.

BARKS.

Br. Anevoca, Williams, 597 tons, Liverpool, J. Buttner.
Br. Emma Pavsant, Dexter, 847 tons, Europe, E. Beyer & co.
Br. J. Steele, Leighton, 603 tons, Liverpool, J. Buttner.
Br. Adriatic, Ross, 797 tons, Liverpool, D. McNeil & co.
Am. Continental, Johnson, 340 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.
Nor. Sinbad, Andersen, 871 tons, Europe, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Br. St. Cloud, Bagley, 735 tons, Europe, E. Beyer & co.
Ger. Neptune, Ploghoft, 658 tons, freight, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Am. Dirigo, Blair, 454 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.
Br. St. Olaves, Carter, 572 tons, Havre, Clason & co.
Br. Exile, Pearce, 934 tons, Bremen, J. Buttner.
Am. Helen Angier, Staples, 655 tons, discharging.
Nor. Henne Selmer, Nielson, 400 tons, discharging, master.
Br. M. E. Corning, McHenry, 354 tons,

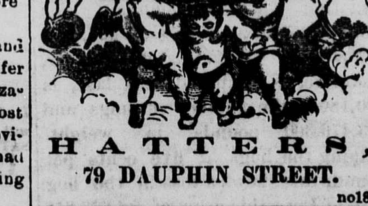
BRIGS.

It. Bartella, Badano, 235 tons, discharging, Geo. Aite.
Sw. Pepita, Pahlsom, 250 tons, discharging, Pepper, Maguire & Co

SCHOONERS.

Am. Edward Johnson, Bean, 400 tons, Boston, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Am. Wapella, Penny, 244 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.
Am. Hattie Baker, Crowell, 246 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.
Am. E. H. Herriman, Herriman, 238 tons, Cuba, Master.
Am. Island Belle, Newton, 134 tons, freight, master.
Br Moss Glen, Wade, 196 tons, Gibraltar, Master.
Am. Ella M. Pennell, Thompson, 194 tons, Danner & co.

FRIEND & CO.,



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OUR "LA ROSA"
5-CENT CIGAR,
HAVANA FILLER,
Equal to the Imported.
de11 O. F. CAWTHON & CO.

NOTICE

Parties interested will please take notice that on and after the FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1874, the WATER RENTS will be collected quarterly in advance, instead of annually, as heretofore.

LOUIS STEIN, Superintendent
nov6-2m Mobile City Water Works.

SHIRT MANUFACTORIES.

MRS. P. H. HAMMARSKOLD'S Shirt Manufactory, No. 110 Dauphin street, next door to Bromberg Bros.

BY TELEGRAPH.

FOREIGN.

GERMANY.

BERLIN, December 23.—Bismarck has moved in the Federal Council for an extradition treaty with the United States, making it uniform throughout the Empire.

The Imperial Commission to the United States Centennial consists of Dr. Jacobi, of the Department of Commerce, and several others.

There is no truth in the report that the German vessels were ordered to remain in Spanish waters to secure satisfaction from the Carlists.

DOMESTIC.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, December 23.—The Senate agreed to a resolution for adjournment from to-morrow to the 5th of January.

PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA, December 23.—The drowned child, supposed to be Charlie Ross, proves to be hardly two years old.

Special Daily Market Reports.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO D. H. MARKS & CO., General Merchandise Brokers, No. 9 St. Michael St.

CINCINNATI, December 23—12:25 P. M.—Pork dull at $18 75@19 00. Bacon quiet; shoulders 9@9¼c, clear rib sides 11½@11¾c; clear sides 12¼@12½c. Hams 14@14¼c. Bacon generally held at 6¾@6¾@9½@9¾@9¾@10c. Lard quiet; steam 13@13¼c; kettle 14@14¼c. Hogs active and firm; medium fair $6 60@6 80; good $6 85@7 00; dressed $8 00@8 25; receipts 5,659; shipments 100. Whiskey—iron-bound 97c.

NEW ORLEANS, December 23—11:30 A. M.—Corn quiet; mixed 90c; yellow and white 95c. Oats lower at 75c. Bran quiet at $1 15. Pork inactive at $19 75@20 00. Bacon nominal at 9½@12¼@13¼c. Sugar steady and unchanged. Molasses higher; prime 53@58c; choice 62c.

ST. LOUIS, December 23.—Flour quiet; demand fair for low grades; winter superfine $4 25@4 35; winter x $4 50@4 60; winter xx $4 75@5 00. Wheat dull; No. 2 winter $1 06@1 07. Corn quiet; new 67@69½c, according to location; no sacked. Oats irregular and easier at 56½@58¼c, according to location. Whiskey steady at 98c. Pork firmly held at $19 25@19 50 cash, dull and lower for futures, $19 15 seller March. Other quotations unchanged.

MOBILE MARKETS.

[CORRECTED DAILY AT 3½ P. M.]

DAILY TRIBUNE OFFICE, MOBILE, December 23, 1874, Half-past Three, P. M.

COTTON.

Good Middling	14¼@14¼c
Middling	13¾@— c
Low Middling	13½@ c
Good Ordinary	13 @ c

Sales to-day 1,800 bales, and 800 last evening. Market firmer with a good demand for the better grade; quiet with but little demand for the lower qualities.

GOLD.

Opening	111@112
Closing	111@112

EXCHANGE.

STERLING.

Commercial, 60 days	5.31 @5.35
Bank, 60 days	—@ —

DOMESTIC.

New York Bank Sight ⅛ dis.; Commercial 7-16 dis. New Orleans Bank Sight ⅛ prem. Commercial ⅛ discount.

OCEAN FREIGHTS.

Liverpool, sail, ½d. Coastwise ⅝@11-16c, nominal. Havre 1 1-16c. Bremen 1⅛c.

WHOLESALE PRICES STAPLE GROCERIES.

BACON, in casks—	
clear sides	— — @— —
c. r. s	nominal.
shoulders	nominal.
DRY SALT MEATS, in casks—	
clear sides	— @ —
c. r. s	10½@
shoulders	7¾@
HAMS, in tierces—	
sugar cured, canvassed	nominal.
sugar cured, uncanvassed	13¾@ 14
plain	12½@ 13
dry salt	— @ —
BREAKFAST BACON—	
sugar cured, canvassed	— @ —
ditto uncanvassed	16½@ —
LARD—	
in caddies	— @ —
in tins	— @ —
in buckets	— 17 @ 17¾
in kegs	16½@ 17
in half bbls	16 @ 16½
in tierces	15 @ 15½
PORK—	
per bbl	21 50 @22 00
MACKEREL—	
No. 1, in bbls	13 00 @13 50
half bbls	7 00 @ 7 50
kits	1 65 @ 2 00
No. 2, in bbls	11 50 @— —
half bbls	6 50 @ 6 75
kits	1 40 @— —
No. 3, in bbls	10 00 @10 50
half bbls	6 00 @ 6 25
kits	1 15 @ 1 20
SUGAR—(Louisiana, in hogsheads)—	
white clarified	10¼@
yellow	9¾@
prime	8 @ 8½
fair	7 @ 7¾
common	6½@ 7
New York hards, (in bbls)	11¾@ 12
MOLASSES—(Louisiana)—	
choice, in bbls	65 @ 67
half bbls	70 @ 72
kegs	75 @ 77
prime, in bbls	60 @ 62
half bbls	65 @ 67
kegs	70 @ 72
fair, in bbls	52 @ 53
half bbls	57 @ 58
kegs	62 @ 63
New York Syrups	55 @ 85
FLOUR—(in bbls.)—	
Plants extra or similar b'ds.	7 75 @ 8 00
choice extra	7 50 @— —
XXX	6 50 @ 7 00
XX	6 00 @ 6 50
X	5 50 @ 6 00
superfine	4 50 @ 5 00

MEAL—	
kiln dried, per bbl	5 00 @— —
city	4 25 @ 4 50
½ and 1-bush. bags, per b.	1 10 @
3, 4 and 5 " "	1 05 @
RICE—	
South Carolina, in tcs	8 @ 8½
tierces	— @ —
Louisiana, in bbls.	7½@ 8½
SALT—	
in sacks, fine	1 90 @ 2 00
coarse	1 45 @ 1 50
table, per case	5 50 @— —
COFFEE, Rio (Currency)—	
choice	22½@ 23
prime	21½@ 22
fair	21 @ 21½
common	@ 20
COFFEE, Java (currency)	33 @ 35
La Guira	25 @ —
CHEESE—	
pine apple	26 @ —
English dairy	19 @ —
fancy cream	19 @ —
Western reserve	17½@ 18
New York factory	16 @ —
VINEGAR, in bbls., per gal—	
white wine	25 @ 30
cider	25 @ 30
SOAP—	
palm	5 @— 5½
STARCH	5½@— 6
SODA—	
American, in kegs	— 5½@— 6
English "	— 6¼@— 6¾
American, assorted papers	— 6½@— 7
English, " "	— 7½@— 8
CANDLES—	
8's	17 @ 18
6's	17 @ 18
TOBACCO—	
common sound	46 @ 48
medium	50 @ 55
good medium	60 @ 65
bright Virginia	70 @ 80
extra No. 1	80 @ 90
Navys—bright Navy 4s, 5s	52 @ 56
twist—com. and med. twist	58 @ 65
fine Virginia twist	70 @ 80
smoking tobacco—common	45 @ 48
medium	50 @ 56
better grades	60 @ 70
WHISKY—	
rectified, Mobile	90 @ 1 10
Western	— @ —
Dexter, in 25 bbl. lots	1 05 @
5 bbl. lots	1 10 @— —
POWDER—	
kegs	6 75 @ 7 00
halves	4 00 @ 4 25
quarters	2 25 @— —
SHOT—	
drop	2 30 @ 2 40
Buck	2 55 @ 2 65
LEAD	9 @ 10
PERCUSSION CAPS, per 1000—	
Ely's water-proof	80 @ 90
G. D.	38 @ 40
musket	1 00 @ —
CONCENTRATED LYE, per case	6 75 @ 7 00
BLACKING, per dozen—	
Mason's	45 @ 75
French	— @ —
AXLE GREASE, per doz	1 25 @ 1 50
OILS—	
kerosene, in bbls., per gal	19 @ —
per case	2 75 @ 3 00
lard, in bbls., per gal	1 20 @ —
linseed, boiled, in bbls	— @ —
raw, in bbls.	— @ —

REMARKS.—No changes.

FEED.

CORN—From depot or wharf.	
Western—white	@ 1 15
yellow	@ 1 15
mixed	@ 1 15
Alabama, by car load	none.
For Corn from store, add handling 2c. per bush.	
OATS—From depot or wharf.	
choice	— 82½@ 85
ordinary	— 77½@ 80
black	— — @— —
mixed	— — @— —
For Oats from store add handling 2½c per bush.	
HAY—From depot or wharf per 100 lbs.	
choice	1 60 @ 1 65
prime	
For Hay from store, add handling 10c per 100 lbs.	
BRAN—From depot or wharf per 100 lbs	1 45 @— —
from store	1 55 @— —
STOCK PEAS—per bushel	1 25 @— —

REMARKS.—No changes.

BALING STUFF.

BAGGING—	
Domestic, 2 lbs	— 13 @— —
" 2¼ lbs	— 13½@— —
" 2½ lbs	— 13½@— —
India, in bales	12½@ 13
" rolls	— 12 @ 12½
TIES	— 5½@ 7
MACHINE SPUN ROPE	8½@— 8½

PRODUCE.

REMARKS.—No changes in quotations. Market well supplied and retail demand good.

POTATOES—Irish, per bbl.	
early Rose	— — @— —
Peach Blow	3 25 @ 3 75
Russet	3 50 @ 4 00
POTATOES—Sweet, per bushel.	
yam	50 @— 75
Spanish	60 @— —
ONIONS—per bbl.	
silver skin	4 00 @ 4 50
red	3 25 @ 3 50
BUTTER—	
Goshen	40 @ 42
choice Northern	40 @ 42
" Western	35 @ 40
" country	25 @ 30
EGGS—per dozen	28 @ 30
DRESSED POULTRY, per lb	18 @ 20
POULTRY—per dozen.	
Western Hens, full grown	4 50 @— —
" " half grown	2 50 @ 3 00
country hens full grown	[illegible] @— —
" " half grown	2 50 @— —
broilers	1 50 @ 2 00
Ducks, Muscovy	7 00 @— —
" English	4 00 @— —
Geese	7 00 @ 8 00
Turkeys, old	12 00 @18 00
young	8 00 @ 9 00
PEANUTS—per bushel	nominal.
BEESWAX	25 @ —
TALLOW	8 @ —
HIDES	12 @ 13
WOOL—	
washed	32 @ 35
unwashed	28 @ 30
burry washed	17 @ 20
" unwashed	15 @ —

LOSS OF TEXT IN GUTTER

ROMANCE OF A PAINTER.—The Washington *National Republican* gives the following romance in the life of Walter Ingalls, the painter, who died recently: "Quite early in life, he was poor, and in love with a New Hampshire girl, the daughter of a well-to do farmer. She was really the belle of Sanborton, and had very lofty ideas of the kind of man she would like to marry. His attachment was reciprocated, and they were engaged. Still, on the lady's part, the affection was not so deep-seated as it might have been, and besides her choice was opposed by her parents. They could not see in the humble painter—a man destined to have kings spiritual and kings temporal sitting before his easel—a man worthy of their daughters' hand. The result of it was the engagement was broken off, and Ingalls married another lady. Her first affianced also married. Each of them had children—she a daughter and he a son. After they had grown up they met—the son and daughter—in the Crescent City. Strangely enough, so intricate, delicate and beautiful are the avenues of love, that they, too, fell into the embrace of the tender passion, and, after a short courtship, were engaged to be married.

Twenty-five years before that their father and mother had been similarly bound, and, like them, they for some cause broke off the engagement as their parents had done before them. In the meantime Mr. Ingalls had buried his wife, and happening to meet this daughter of his first betrothed, a mutual affection sprang up between them, and they were married. There was, perhaps, quite forty years difference in their ages, but there never was a truer marriage. His love and regard were infinite. Her devotion and tender care were beautiful. She was his child, he her father. He was the oak, she the vine. He the power, and she the beauty of a life that was all grace, affection and piety. He had been dead only three weeks, when she left earth to join him in heaven. From the day of his loss she refused to be comforted. Her grief was too deep for tears, and words of consolation were unheeded. One evening she retired for the night apparently in good health. She complained neither of pain nor sickness, but in the morning she was stone-dead in her bed."

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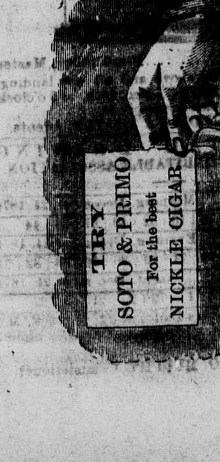

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ROMAN CATHOLIC.

Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception—Claiborne street, corner Dauphin and Conti streets—Rt. Rev. John Quinlan, Bishop.

St. Vincent de Paul—Charleston st., between Hamilton and Lawrence—Rev. P. G. O'Callaghan, Pastor.

St. Joseph's Church—Jefferson street, between St. Louis and St. Anthony—Rev. P. Imsand, S. J., Pastor.

St. Patrick's Church—Beauregard street, between Jackson and Claiborne streets—Rev. J. J. Browne, Pastor—Sundays—Mass, $6\frac{1}{2}$ a. m.; High Mass, 9 a. m.; Classes of Christian Doctrine, 4 p. m.; Vespers and Benediction, 5 p. m. During week days, Mass at $6\frac{1}{2}$ a. m.

St. Mary's Church—Rev. D. O'Meara Pastor—Mass on Sundays at 10 a. m., and at St. Francis Xavier's at 7 a. m.—Vespers at 4 p. m.

Convent and Chapel of the Visitation (Jesuit Fathers)—Spring Hill road, $3\frac{1}{2}$ miles from Post-office.

St. Joseph's College and Chapel—(Jesuit Fathers)—Spring Hill, Spring Hill road.

EPISCOPAL.

Christ Church—corner Church and St. Emanuel streets—Rev. John Fulton, D. D., Rector.

Trinity Church—corner St. Anthony and Jackson streets—Rev. A. J. Massey, D. D., Rector.

St. John's Church—corner Monroe and Dearborn streets—Rt. Rev. Bishop Wilmer, Rector.

METHODIST.

Franklin Street Church—corner St. Michael and Franklin streets—Rev. J. W. Rush, Pastor.

St. Francis Street Church—corner Joachim and St. Francis streets—Rev. A. W. Shepard, Pastor.

State Street Church (col'd)—State street, between Lawrence and Cedar streets—Rev. A. C. Fisher, Pastor.

Mobile City Mission—Preston G. Nash, Jr., missionary—Services at Toulminville, Sundays, at 11 a. m.; Four-mile post, $3\frac{1}{2}$ p. m.; Hamilton-street Chapel, $7\frac{1}{2}$ p. m.

Zion Church (col'd)—corner Church and Bayou streets—Rev. W. G. Strong, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

South Franklin Street Presbyterian Church—Franklin street, between Palmetto and Canal streets—Rev. J. T. McBryde, pastor.

Government Street Church—corner Jackson and Government streets—Rev. J. R. Burgett, Pastor.

Jackson Street Church—corner St. Michael and Jackson streets—Rev. E. P. Palmer, D. D., Pastor.

BAPTIST.

Palmetto Street Church—corner of Palmetto and Dearborn streets—Rev. W. R. L. Smith, pastor. Services every Sunday.

St. Francis Street Church—between Claiborne and Franklin streets. ——, Pastor.

Broad Street Church—corner Spring Hill road and Broad street—Rev. J. H. Curry, Pastor.

JEWISH.

Synagogue, Shangarai Shamayim—Jackson street, between St. Louis and St. Michael streets—Rev. Dr. A. Moses, Minister.

Hebrew Church (Orthodox)—Hamilton street, between Government and Church—Abraham Lehman, Acting Clergyman.

LUTHERAN.

German Lutheran Church—St. Francis street, between Warren and Dearborn streets—H. Sauer, Pastor. Services every Sunday, the hours above mentioned.

Mail Schedule.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS TO AND FROM THE POST-OFFICE AT MOBILE.

Eastern Mail, via M. and M. R. R.
Arrives..............6:00 p. m.
Closes..............8:30 p. m.

Western Mail, via M. and O. R. R.
Way Mail closes..............8:15 p. m.
Through Mail closes..............8:15 p. m.
Arrives..............7:30 a. m.

New Orleans and Texas, via N. O. and M. R. R.
Arrives..............2:15 p. m.
Arrives..............10:30 p. m.
Closes..............7:30 a. m.
Closes..............5:00 p. m.

Mail via Grand Trunk R. R.
Arrives..............10:00 a. m.
Closes..............3:00 p. m.

Alabama River Mails.
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Closes—Tuesday and Saturdays......4:00 p. m.
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The picking up of the new direct Atlantic telegraphic cable, which was lost a short time since, from a depth of 11,226 feet, may be accounted one of the feats of modern science.

One who has tried it says that a cup of coffee is a sure barometer, if you allow the sugar to drop to the bottom of the cup, and watch the bubbles collect in the middle, the weather will be fine; if they adhere to the cup, forming a ring, it will be rainy; and if the bubbles separate without assuming any fixed position, changeable weather may be expected.

The sad intelligence reaches us that Olive Logan is about to retire from the stage. She is, we believe, the first professional actor who has succumbed to the logic and eloquence of Mr. Talmage. If Siddons, Rachel Ristori, Cushman and three or four thousand other ambitious women had never lived, Olive would have been universally recognized as a greater genius than George Francis Train.

Madame Ristori is among the Mexicans now, gradually travelling toward New York, being engaged to follow Mrs. Rousby, at the Lyceum. She has finally secured the upper hand of the English language, for, if we are to credit rumor, she recently rang her bell at a hotel and ordered as follows: "Vater, you will bring me up a beef of steak and boiled fried potatoes with coffee, and it is not necessary for milk, as I eat it not."

Among those supposed to be lost on the Pacific mail steamship is J. C. S. Colby. He is better known as the Missing Witness. His testimony is wanted in the safe-burglary case. But he was on his way to Chin Kiang, China, with a mission to act as Consul in that place.—*Gazette.*

There is much dry wit in the above which will not at first be perceived by the casual reader. Why was Mr. Colby on his way to China as a Consul? It was because the Washington ring desired to get him out of the way, and in that manner he was bribed. It was supposed, however, that the ring had the control of President Grant, who was induced to make the appointment of a witness who would have been fatal to them had his testimony been taken in the late criminal prosecution of Harrington, Williams & Co.—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

A SALESMAN ROBBED OF $200.—Mr. M. DeJarnet, of this city, went to Montgomery, a few days since, where he met up with a certain Dr. J. J. Fuller, whom he recognized as being one of the ex-Hippodrome individuals that he had previously met in Selma. The "Doctor's" deportment in this city excited more than one's suspicion, and when Mr. DeJarnet met him in Montgomery, he, of course, tried, to avoid the fellow. But the "Doctor" went to him, put up a poor mouth; told him he had no money, nothing to eat and no where to sleep, and through sympathy for the fellow, DeJarnet took him to the Dexter House where he himself was stopping, and the proprietor put said individual in a room adjoining that of DeJarnet.

Some time during the night, De Jarnet's companion thought he heard some one in the room and aroused him from his sleep, and made known his suspicions. Upon examination, De Jarnet found his pocket book and its contents of $200 missing. No sooner had he made this discovery than he went into the "Doctor's" room and found that individual had "vamoosed the ranch," and he has not been heard of since, although diligent search was made for him by the police of Montgomery.—[*Selma Echo*, 23d.

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DAILY TRIBUNE

MOBILE, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1874

THE MOBILE DAILY TRIBUNE
May be seen on file at the Newspaper Reading Rooms of Messrs. Button & Co., Union Square, New York City.

St. Louis is down with small pox again and the *Globe* is the only paper that dares tell the truth about it.

John Lawlor, the London sculptor has a very beatiful marble bust on exhibition Goupil's. Its subjects is "The Willow Wreath."

The Cincinnati Orphan Asylum solicits donations. One hundred and twenty-three children, with an empty treasury, call loudly for support.

It is believed by Mr. Glendenning's friends that he will eventually give up active pastoral duties in New Jersey and accept the mission to Africa.

Colonel Anthony, of the Leavenworth *Times* has been fined $1,000 and sentenced to a year's imprisonment for libel growing out of a personal quarrel of some kind.

Beecher gave Miss Proctor a first rate "character" after the Proctor-Moulton suit was finished, and Edna Dean did not allow herself to be outdone in the giving of certificates.

Irwin, who knows all about the Pacific Mail rascality, refuses to specify the gentlemen who were the recipients of his bounty in the matter of procuring that famous subsidy.

The office of City Sealer of Weights and Measures in Cincinnati is a fat thing. It is worth from $8,000 to $10,000 per year. The possessor is appointed by the Mayor, and is without check. He reports to nobody, and nobody supervises his business.

The Longshoremen strikers have gone to work, where work was to be had, and the rest are, no doubt, anxious for employment. Union No. 2 still holds out, but this action can do no good to the men nor any harm to the companies. If a united strike failed what success can be looked for by a partial one?

The people who are ambitious to legislate God into the Constitution have not yet become quiet. Last week the clergymen of Massachusetts and thereabout held a Convention in Boston for the purpose of moving Jehovah into the Constitution of the United States by Congressional enactment and popular vote.

A German Radical paper in Cincinnati, called the Freie Presse, was recently called upon by Deputy County Auditor Cappeller for a list of its taxable property. There was at first some disinclination to give the valuable information desired, but the terrors of the law being held over the proprietor, he finally made oath that the total amount of its worldly goods was $500.

The little folk who have seen the Congress of Nations at Barnum's will regret to hear that the tiny girl who sat jauntily on the prow of the liliputian car in that magnificent cavalcade is dead. Her name was Minnie Hugle and she was only four years old. Minnie was the pet of the company, and in October last, when the Hippodrome was at Cincinnati, Mr. Donaldson took her in his balloon to the clouds, where she enjoyed herself immensely.

The Grayson county, (Ky) *Herald* says: "On a farm owned by A. W. England, on Short creek, one of the oldest in the State, has recently been discovered a large burying ground, in which probably thousands of a prehistoric race are buried. An examination of several of the thigh bones indicates them to have been of gigantic proportions, from seven to eight feet high. The skull bones are much larger and thicker than any we have ever examined. Large slabs of flat rocks have been used with great care in walling up the sides of the ground. The field has been in cultivation for seventy years, but until recently these facts were unknown even to the owners.

The New York *World* thinks that the Cheap Transportation Association will never accomplish the object for which it pretends to have been organized so long as it continues to advocate the doctrine which was advocated at its late meeting in New York city which was advocated at its meeting in Baltimore, and which, in fact, has been advocated at all its meetings. For the Federal Government under an administration like the present one, for instance, to undertake the building of a national double-track railway from New York to Omaha, at a cost of from $250,000,000 to $300,000,000, would surely result in the dearest kind of transportation so far as the whole country was concerned.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

To give all connected with the TRIBUNE, an opportunity to enjoy CHRISTMAS, there will be no paper issued from this office SATURDAY.

CHRISTMAS.

This is Christmas—the happiest day of all the year, when bright eyes and beaming faces greet us upon every hand and catch us with the merry "Christmas Gift."

God help the man or woman who is not happy at this hour. We pity him or her.

May joy rest upon our people this day. Had we the power, it should enter every home and sit at every hearth.

To one and all, the TRIBUNE tenders the compliments of the season, and wishes a

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

EXPLANATORY.

Yesterday it was represented to the publisher of this paper, that the article which appeared in its local columns of that morning, entitled "The Code of Honor," giving an account of the recent duel, was incorrect in many of its details, and calculated, in the present excited state of the public mind, to do the survivor of that sad affair injustice.

Upon full investigation from parties in a position to know, the publisher is satisfied that such is the case.

The article was written by the TRIBUNE reporter, who gave what was current upon the street, without intention or desire upon his part to injure anyone.

The article was not seen or read by the publisher until it appeared in the paper next morning.

CONCERNING IRWIN.

From a Washinton "special" to the Cincinnati *Enquirer*, we learn that the question of "What to do with Irwin?" was the problem which perplexed both the Ways and Means Committee and the House of Representatives on the 21st. Irwin was brought before the Committee in the forenoon, according to programme, and the questions which he had refused to answer at the private examination on Saturday were again put to him. He declined, as before, putting his answers in very shrewd but courteous shape, and avoiding any admission except that he paid as many as twenty different persons to put through the subsidy, and spent three-quarters of a million in all. The Committee at once prepared an abstract of his testimony, and adopted a resolution to bring Irwin before the House. After the call of States the resolution was presented by Dawes, who spoke at some length in support of the resolution. This gave rise to a debate, which lasted all the afternoon. Butler made a long and noisy speech in opposition to the resolution, in which he blackguarded Dawes and the Ways and Means Committee, and declared that it was not proper for one Congress to investigate corruption in the preceding Congress. The speech had not the slightest effect. Kasson and Lawrence spoke urgently in favor of the resolution, and it was adopted with very little opposition.

A sensation was caused during the debate by the rumor that Irwin had run away, and would take the first train north. Ordway, the Sergeant-at-Arms, was thrown into a cold sweat by this announcement, and the debate in the House was cut short thereafter. The fact was, however, that Irwin did not attempt to go away, but went quietly to his hotel, where he is so ill that his physician is in attendance upon him.

Massachusetts was formerly the only State where the raising of broom corn and the manufacture of brooms was carried on to any extent, and Boston was the great distributing point for the manufactured goods. Now there is scarcely an acre devoted to broom corn culture in New England as since the war farmers have raised tobacco in its place. Illinois is the largest grower of broom corn at present, Ohio and New York coming next, and Chicago and Cincinnati are the centers of business, while New York is the great depot of manufactured goods.

TUSCUMBIA.

We learn from the Florence *Republican* that Tuscumbia, which was visited recently by one of the most terrible tornadoes ever experienced in that part of the country, uprooting and tearing down trees, demolishing houses, carrying death to many households and sadness to all, is fast improving. Nearly all the houses that were only partially destroyed have been repaired, which gives to the place quite a new appearance.

Those totally demolished, are still in ruins.

The Franklin House, which was considerably injured, has been fully prepared by the energetic and enterprising proprietor, Mr. T. P. Ayklett, and is now running in full blast.

The Deshler Female Institute, Catholic Church and the Flouring Mills remain unrepaired, being total wrecks. The Institute is to be rebuilt.

Another session from the Episcopal Church is reported. This time it is the Rev. Mr. Postlewaite, rector of the Church of the Intercession, Washington Heights, New York. He has long been a low churchman. In his letter to Bishop Potter, announcing his withdrawal, he says: "In withdrawing from your church, I have nothing to look forward to but the cares, trials and labors which are incidental to the struggles of a new church endeavoring to accomplish a great work for Christ in this suffering world. There is a felt want for an Episcopal Liturgical Church, which is free from sacramentarianism and sacerdotalism. In fulfilling the demands of this want, I believe there is a great future for the Reformed Episopal Church in this country and age."

John W Garrett, of Baltimore, has just been elected President of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad for the seventeenth time. The directors wanted to increase his salary but the old gentleman sturdily insists that $4,000 a year is as much as the company ought to pay or he receive, and so his salary is just one-tenth of what President Jewett draws from the treasury of the Erie road.

BY TELEGRAPH.

FOREIGN.

AUSTRIA.

VIENNA, December 24.—The Nieu Free Presse states that documents were read in the secret session of the Von Arnim trial explaining the policy of Germany in regard to the appointment of a successor to Pope Pius IX.

FRANCE.

PARIS, December 24.—Rouher, in the Assembly, insisted on the validity of the elections which returned Imperial candidates, declaring that the nation would find means to restore the empire, if it so desired.

IRELAND.

QUEENSTOWN, December 24.—The bark Amity, from Philadelphia to Antwerp foundered at sea. Eighteen lives were lost. Two survivors have arrived here.

DOMESTIC.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, December 24.—The police raided the Metropolitan Theatre last night, stopping the can can and arresting about a dozen women and the manager.

NEBRASKA.

OMAHA, December 24.—The cavalry are after twenty-one white men with nine teams, who have entered the Black Hills country.

LOUISIANA.

NEW ORLEANS, December 24.—The returns as compiled to date give the Conservatives 46 and the Republicans 47. The Conservatives have abandoned any participation in the Returning Board, on account of the arbitrary rulings of the majority.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 24.—A prominent lawyer, named Mose G. Cobb, was shot fatally by a female client, believed to be insane. No hope of his recovery.

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WM H. PRATT,
President.
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PROCLAMATION!

To all my Pious Subjects of the EMPIRE OF JOY—Greeting:

KNOW YE, that there will be holden a GRAND FESTIVAL at my

Imperial Theatre,

at my CAPITAL CITY OF THE GULF, MOBILE, ALA., on the day succeeding the last night of the old year, *namely:*

FRIDAY, JANUARY 1, 1875,

AT 9 HOURS AFTER THE NOON DAY STRIKES.

BEHOLD!!

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Col D E Huger,	Judge A R Manning,
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Holden in behalf of MERRIMENT and REJOICING, Twin Sisters Born of Content, this Year of Grace.

All the details and conditions will be hereafter set forth, as by us ordained.

GIVEN under Our Imperial Seal, at this, our Capital City of Mobile, this Sixth Balaam of the First Hodidai, in the Year One of Alabama Redemption.

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FELIX, Imperator.
JOCUNDUS, *Paster of the Empire.*
MOMUS, *Master of the Revels.*

Universal Order, No. 2.

BE IT KNOWN, His Imperial Majesty, FELIX, Sublime Commander of the EMPIRE OF JOY, will admit to this, his High Festival,

All Loyal Subjects known to Him,

Provided each one sends WRITTEN APPLICATION, directed to me, undersigned. And all and any stranger to FELIX unknown, may send application with the name of any Honorary Sponsor, or of other well-known and well beloved citizen of Mobile. Upon such application, a CARD OF ADMISSION will be left for each applicant at the box office of the Theatre, or in the hand of such Honorary Sponsor. The price of such Card of Admission for ONE GENTLEMAN, accompanied by Ladies, will be Three Dollars in currency of our Realm. Silence is imperatively a negative.

Done at the Palace, by order of FELIX, Imperator.

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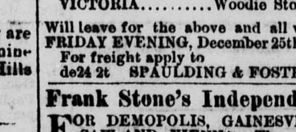

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CLASS 905..........Evening, December 24, 1874
26 | 49 | 68 | 56 | 78 | 74 | 10 | 30 | 56 | 63 | 32 | 21

CLASS 906..........Night, December 24, 1874
66 | 64 | 2 | 12 | 45 | 72 | 25 | 24 | 63 | 22

Three Distributions Daily, at 12 M., 5 P. M., and 8 P. M. All prizes paid in Currency immediately after the drawing.

A. O. MURPHY, Commissioner.

New Advertisements.

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Under the auspices of

AN EARLY AND CONTINUED CHARTER,

The Approval of the Cotton Exchange and Acquiescence of the Board of Trade

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For the Benefit of the

Fair Association

OF MOBILE,

By MR. WILLIE PAPE,

PIANIST,

To Her Royal Majesty, the Queen of England, assisted by the First Artists of Mobile,

Mobile Theatre,

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28.

Admission $1. Tickets to be had of the Directors or the Secretary. de23 td

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A Thorough Inspection

THROUGH

Every Clothing Store in Town,

I HAVE FOUND

THEIR ASSORTMENT OF

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CLOTHING, HATS,

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THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE,

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M. SIMON & BRO.,

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Goods sold at Cost, commencing December 23d, 1874, till further notice.

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We call the attention of our friends and the public generally to the fact that orders for

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Official Drawings

—OF THE—

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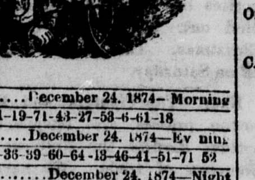

CLASS 912..........December 24, 1874—Morning
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CLASS 913..........December 24, 1874—Evening
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CLASS 914..........December 24, 1874—Night
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JOS. SEAWELL, Commissioner.

JOHN KERN,

Boot and Shoe Maker,

HAS REMOVED TO

No. 27 South Government Street,

BETWEEN ROYAL AND WATER,

and hopes to see all of his old patrons and others who may favor him with their patronage.

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BANANAS—DRY NUTS

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Give them your orders and they will fill them promptly and reasonably.

DR. WILLIAM HENDERSON, LATE OF Mobile, Alabama, U. S. A., deceased.—Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22d and 23d Victoria Cap 35, entitled "An Act to further Amend the Law of property and to relieve trustees," Notice is hereby given that all persons being CREDITORS of or otherwise having any claims upon or against the estate of WILLIAM HENDERSON, late of the City of Mobile, in the State of Alabama, United States of America, Doctor of Medicine, deceased, who died in the month of October, 1873, intestate, and Letters of Administration of whose estate and effects were on the 4th day of March, 1874, granted by her Majesty's Court of Probate, Principal Registry, to William George Carpenter, are required on or before the 1st day of February, 1875, to send to E. F. Buttemer Harston, Esquire, of No. 1 Gresham Buildings, Guildhall, in the City of London, England, the Solicitor of the said Administrator the particulars of their claims against the said estate, and that at the expiration of such time the said Administrator will distribute the whole of the assets of the said Intestate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he shall then have notice. Dated this 28th day of November, 1874.

E. F. BUTTEMER HARSTON,
4 Gresham Buildings, Guildhall, London, Eng.,
E. C. Solicitor for the Administrator.
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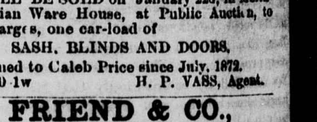
M. & O. R. R. DEPOT, DEC. 19.



NOTICE.

WILL BE SOLD on January 22d, in Meridian Ware House, at Public Auction, to pay charges, one car-load of

SASH, BLINDS AND DOORS,

consigned to Caleb Price since July, 1872.

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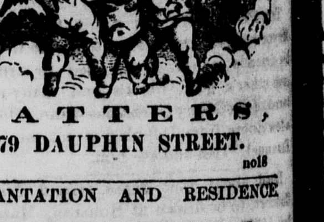
FRIEND & CO.,



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Having determined to change my business, I offer for sale my Plantation near Spring Hill, in Pickens county, Alabama. The place is six miles from Pickensville, and nine miles from Carrollton, and contains about 400 acres. 225 of which are under fence, and about 75 acres of creek bottom to clear. It is a valuable cotton and grain farm, well watered, healthy, and located in one of the best neighborhoods in the county, near an excellent school and convenient to churches. There is an excellent residence on the place with other good improvements, gin house and screw, and storehouse and lot. There are forty acres of peaches and other fruits in bearing condition. The above property will be sold or exchanged for town property in Mobile. Price $2,000. Apply to the Graphic, or to

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CHAS. A. LATHROP, Secretary.
no19 CHAS. K. FOOTE, Pres't.

NOTICE

Parties interested will please take notice that on and after the FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1874, the WATER RENTS will be collected quarterly in advance, instead of annually, as heretofore.

LOUIS STEIN, Superintendent
nov6-2m Mobile City Water Works.

DAILY TRIBUNE.

MOBILE, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1874

ADVERTISEMENTS UNDER THESE HEADS INSERTED AT TWENTY-FIVE CENTS EACH INSERTION, CASH.

LOCAL NEWS.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The friends and acquaintances of Dr. Tardy, and those of his son, ALEXIS H. TARDY, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral of the latter, from the Government-street Presbyterian Church, at 1½ P. M. THIS DAY, Friday, December 25th.

NEW DRY GOODS.—P. H. Pepper & Co. are offering great bargains in Lace Curtains, Window Shades, Black Silks, Alpacas, Fancy Dress Goods, Blankets, Flannels, Kid Gloves, Corsets, Hosiery, Domestics, Calicoes, Shawls, etc. The attention of close buyers is solicited.

TO THE LADIES.—Just received at Mrs. F. Blumer's, a large invoice of Mme. Demorest's reliable cut paper patterns, No. 245 Dauphin street.

MR. WILLIE PAPE.—By reference to our advertising columns, it will be seen that this young, but distinguished artist, has volunteered to give a concert on the 28th, at the Theatre, for the benefit of our Fair Association. Aside from the worthy object, Mr. Pape's merit as a pianist should fill the building on that occasion, and we hope to see the theatre crowded.

A more extended notice will be given in our paper on Sunday. We have written this merely to remind all of the rich treat in store for us.

M. Threefoot & Co., the only strict notion house in Mobile, are offering goods at New York jobbing prices.

ENGLISHMEN AT THE BATTLE HOUSE.—Among the names of guests registered at the Battle House are to be found Messrs. George Morris, W. J. T. Norfolk, and H. P. Bayley, of England. The two latter named gentlemen represent the Mississippi Valley Society of London, England. They are all engaged in the interest of emigration of English labor to the United States, more especially to the great Mississippi valley and the Southern states.

M Threefoot & Co., are selling fire works at reduced prices, to close consignments. Their stock of toys is entirely new, which they are selling very low.

NOT TOO LATE.—If you have not yet treated yourself to any Christmas presents, and if you feel disposed to be good to yourself, go immediately to S. Vogel's Great Clothing Store, on Dauphin street, head of St. Joseph, and there select for yourself goods suited to your style. There is an immense assortment to choose from, and the most fastidious taste can be gratified. Then, too, you will be surprised to see how cheap everything is. The prices of clothing in New York fell so astonishingly that Mr. Vogel bought almost on his own terms, and he is now ready to sell to you on your terms, or any one else's that are anyways near a reasonable figure.

ARRIVED IN TIME.—Atmore's genuine English Plum Puddings, in 1, 2, 3 and 4 pound cans, at George Ebertein's.

THE PLACE.—Do not forget that John Meyer has prepared a rare welcome to all his friends who feel disposed to drink each other's good health and many returns of the Merry Christmas-time. Only a few doors from Dauphin street, on St. Emanuel. Call and see him.

Read about the Texas Grand Prize Concert, to be drawn at Houston, March 3rd, 1875.

THE VICTORIA.—This first class freight and passenger steamer leaves this afternoon at 5 o'clock for Tuskaloosa, Northport and all way landings. The veteran steamboatman, Woodie Stone, Master. The Victoria is officered with experienced men of the river and belongs to Captain Frank Stone's Independent line. Those wishing to ship freight or secure passage will do well by applying to Foster and Spaulding or on board the boat.

TO THE LADIES.—Get your millinery fancy goods at Mrs. F. Blumer's, 245 Dauphin street.

Dr. B. D. Lay, one of the principals; Col. J. M. Williams and Capt. P. U. Murphy, seconds, in the late duel, the circumstances of which were given in our edition of yesterday, were before Justice Loomis at ten o'clock a. m. yesterday, and gave bond in the sum of [illegible],000 each, to answer any indictment that may be found against them by the Grand Jury at the next term of the City Court.

CHEAP.—There is some fine work turned out at several of our large leather, saddle and harness shops, but the cheapest place to buy a saddle is at No. 4 South Royal street. You can get as good a one as you want for fifty cents.

DON'T FORGET the children at Christmas Day and Saturday matinees. Every little one gets a present.

CHRISTMAS DAY.—A solemn pontifical mass (Rt. Rev. Bishop Quinlan, officiating) will be sung in the Cathedral this Christmas Day at half past ten, after which the Rt. Rev. Bishop will give the papal benedictions.

The forty hours' devotion will add a special interest to the beautiful exercises of the day, and will, we hope, evoke a special fervor from the hearts of the faithful.

The forty hours' devotion will commence this morning with the pontifical high mass, of exposition, after which solemn procession of the blessed sacrament which will remain exposed for the adoration of the faithful until Sunday.

This evening there will be solemn pontifical Vespers, with benediction. Saturday morning masses at 6 and 7 o'clock.

Solemn high mass at half-past ten o'clock. Saturday evening at 7 o'clock, devotions with benedictions of the blessed sacrament. Sunday masses at half-past six and half-past seven o'clock Solemn high mass at half-past ten o'clock after which procession of the blessed sacrament and blessed sacrament.

SPECIALTIES.—At Dreisbach's grocery store, on Dauphin just above Royal, will be found two specialties that he prides himself on—that is the finest nickel cigars in the city and an abundance of splendid oranges in prime condition. A hint to the wise is sufficient.

MAYOR'S COURT—C. F. Moulton, presiding.

The first case was that of Henderson Stewart, colored, who was arrested for refusing to be vaccinated. A certificate was shown, proving that he had been vaccinated. Case dismissed.

Pat McNiff, a glorious old soaker, was up again on the same charge of drunk and down. Pat pays twenty-five dollars or goes up for twenty-five days.

Anderson Louis, colored, was the watchman at the City Hotel. For the first time in six years Anderson got drunk, and raised the mischief. For so much hullabaloo he was fined twenty dollars.

The young buck who had a slight scrimmage, owned up to being some tight. "About how tight," asked the judge. About five dollars worth? He agreed, and five dollars worth it was.

John Davis, defying the health ordinance, has his case elsewhere.

Wm. Brown was found at the corner of St. Francis and Claiborne holding on to the fence and in a badly demoralized condition. As he seemed very sorry he was let go.

Wm. Clements and John Orwell was drunk and sent in five dollars each.

W. W. Ware was the negro man who cut Henry Crunly so badly. Ware proved that Crunly struck him with a fence picket and that he was justified in protecting himself. Held in $100 to answer before the city court.

CHRISTMAS.—Our merchants will find the TRIBUNE a good and cheap medium for placing their Christmas stocks before the public. We are prepared to make liberal contracts for space in our columns, and respectfully invite investigation.

JUSTICE ROULSTON'S COURT.—Wednesday Thomas Sullivan, a sailor, assaulted Geo. L. Putnam, at the instigation of some malicious Radicals. For this Putnam had him arrested and arraigned before Squire Roulston. The magistrate required the tar to give a bond of $500 to answer any charge that may be found against him by the Grand Jury at the next term of the city court.

As the pugilistic seaman was unable to get some one else to go on his bond the good Squire with much reluctance allowed him to go on his own bond. Farewell ye $500 bond when the first vessel leaves.

CIRCUIT COURT.—HON. H. T. Toulman presiding.

Nothing of importance in the way of cases came up. The only incident of note was an attack upon a jury by a lawyer, and a fierce denouncing of professional jurors. He said he demanded, in common with every other lawyer, that the professional juror business shall be broken up. After the jury were discharged, some of them took it up and denied that they were or ever had been professional jurors. They intimated that the charge only arose from spleen because the jury did not decide a case in his favor. After both parties had freed their minds the thing died out. No court to-day, as it is Christmas. The motion docket comes off on Saturday.

BUSY.—The Planters' and Merchants' cotton presses are busy compressing cotton, despite the dullness in other branches of trade. We have noticed drayloads after drayloads going into the presses on the Commerce street side, in the condition the planters ship it and being rolled out on the wharves compressed, and ready for shipment across the briny ocean.

PERSONAL.—We understand that Judge Luther R. Smith, of the Seventh Judicial Circuit, will be here in January, to hold court.

CITY COURT—HON. O. J. Semmes, presiding:

The only case tried yesterday was that of Jack Thrower, Aaron Taylor and Peter Charleston, indicted for assaulting with intent to murder another colored man called John Barber. All the parties are colored, and the affair originated in politics. In the case of Peter Charleston, the plea of misnomer was entered, as it was proved that his name was Peter Anderson. The indictment was quashed, and he was held in the sum of $500 to answer any indictment that the grand jury may find. The cases of the other two occupied nearly all the day, and it was not until a late hour that the jury brought in a verdict.

The following cases were disposed of:

State vs. John Spiro. Set for Jan. 6th, 1875.

State vs. David Wilson and Willis Wilson. Both set for Dec. 30.

State vs. Geo. A. Jennison. Nolle prosequi entered.

State vs. August Kling. Not guilty.

There will be no court to-day, as Christmas will be duly observed.

On Saturday the following cases will come up:

State vs. Joe Carter.
State vs Charles Cox—two cases.
State vs. T. & K. Hartley.

THEATRE.

DECASTRO'S TWO LAST DAYS.—*The Matinees To-Day and To Morrow.*—Last night, in spite of Christmas crackers and yelling, De Castro amused and profited his audience as usual; giving away numerous presents for Christmas Eve, and winding up with the $20 gold piece to Mr. James McKnight.

The "Box Mystery" was again provocative of much speculation and wonder, two gentlemen again tying and sealing box and sack, and Jeppe again getting out in double-quick time.

But two more days remain to see these wonderful feats; and there will be Matinees to-day and Saturday; also night performances. At all presents will be given; and as a Christmas gift to night, De Castro will present a hunting case watch and twenty dollars in greenbacks. At the Matinee, at 12 o'clock, every child will receive a Christmas present.

MATINEE for *Ladies and Children* at noon on Christmas Day and Saturday. EVERY little one gets a present.

CORONER'S VERDICT.—The jury summoned Wednesday evening to hold an inquest over the dead body of Mr. Tardy adjourned till morning. At 10 o'clock A. M. Thursday they met at Coroner Harwell's office, and, after long deliberation, rendered the following verdict, to-wit: "We, the jury, find that the deceased came to his death from a pistol shot fired by Benjamin D. Lay, in a duel fought on the 23d day of December, A. D. 1874, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 12 M. near Grand Bay Station, on the New Orleans and Mobile railroad, and that P. U. Murphy and J. M. Williams were present as seconds, and as it appears that the killing occurred in the State of Alabama, we, the jury recommend that Benjamin D. Lay, P. U. Murphy and J. M. Williams be held for examination."

Jno. H. Higley, Wm. Turner, Jno. C. Ruse, D. McGill, M. Primo, A. DuMont.
W. I. HARWELL,
Coroner Mobile County.

RIVER NEWS.

The rivers above are rising slowly, and boatmen believe it will be a four or five foot rise.

The arrivals were the Hale only, and that not in until after dark.

The departures were the Lulu D, of Stone's Dependent Line, for Warsaw and Vienna, and the Maggie C., who took a sudden notion and lit out light for the head of navigation, which is now Vienna at present.

The departures for to-day are the Victoria, of Captain Frank Stone's Independent line, which will go to Tuscaloosa and Northport without delay.

The R. E. Lee will be due this evening and will be ready to go flying at her regular time on Saturday.

The Lulu D. was commanded by Capt. John H. Stone, officered by Wash Welch and piloted by Thomas Stone and Tom Monk.

BROMBERGS.—Things were lively at this Dauphin street bazaar all day yesterday, and until a late hour last night. Their store was literally jammed, and the display of Christmas goods was unusually fine.

If we are to judge from the way monetary shinplasters were handed in over the counter, the enterprising Brombergs are to-day vastly interested in maintaining the city's credit. Considering the cry of hard times, the question may well be asked, where all the money came from. But Christmas comes but once a year, and a little extravagance is pardonable on that day—especially as the said extravagance carries with it so much of pleasure and happiness.

COMPLIMENTARY.—We thankfully acknowledge the receipt of invitations to the 44th Anniversary of that time-honored Society—THE COWBELLIONS.

Successful Suit of the Southern and Atlantic Telegraph Company.

In the trial for condemnation of right of way over the New Orleans, Mobile and Texas Railroad in Louisiana, heard in New Orleans on the 21st instant, the judges ruled that all contracts such as the Western Union claimed with the railroad company for exclusive privileges are against public policy and therefore avail nothing. The right of way was condemned and the jury found one dollar damages for railroad. An injunction was at the same time procured against both railroad and telegraph company, commanding non-interference with the construction of the new lines. The Southern and Atlantic line is now completed from Mobile to Pearl river, and is rapidly approaching the Crescent City, which point it will reach within the next week or two, thus joining New York, as well as Mobile and New Orleans by competing wires.

THE STREETS.—Although the streets were unusually wet and disagreeable, early in the morning the tide of living humanity began flowing; and all day yesterday could be seen the busy throngs steadily moving to and fro, and intent upon the Christmas presents for to-day.

ATTENTION.—That great and good man, Felix, Imperiator, has an important proclamation in our paper this morning, which should be read by all. Fuller mention will be made of this royal edict at another time.

FRUITS.—The sloop Lizzie has arrived from Jamaica with an abundant cargo of tropical fruit. She is moored at the foot of Government street.

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF MOBILE.

CLEARANCES.

Br. Bk. J. Steele, Leighton, for Liverpool, with cotton, by J. Buttner.

Br. Bk. St. Olaves, Carter, for Havre, with cotton, by Clason & Co.

ARRIVALS.

Am. Schr. Wm. C. Bee, Chester, 347 tons, from New York, to Wylie & Co.

EXPORTS.

Per Bk. J. Steele, to Liverpool, 1,550 bales cotton, 770,480 lbs., valued at $124,000.

Per Schr. E. H. Herriman, to Cardenas, Cuba, 200,979 feet lumber, valued at $3,000.

Per Bk. St. Olaves, to Havre, 1,507 bales cotton, 557,820 lbs., valued at $105,378.

IMPORTS.

Per Schr. Wm. C. Bee, from Boston, 1 cargo assorted merchandise.

LIST OF VESSELS

UP, CLEARED AND SAILED FOR PORT OF MOBILE.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Bark Telemack, Johnsen..........sailed Nov. 9
Ship Ironochan, Scott..........loading Nov. 13
Ship Ben Nevis..........loading Nov. 28

MARSEILLES.

Nor. bark Baltic,..........cleared Oct. 20
Nor. bark Telemack..........cleared Oct. 20

NEW YORK.

Schr. Wm. C. Bee, Chester..........cleared Dec. 4
Schr. Edith, Phurney..........cleared Dec. 4

PHILADELPHIA.

Schooner E. A. Baizley, Robinson...load'g Dec. 1

BANGOR.

Schooner Jos. Oakes, Parker..........cleared Nov. 20

BOSTON.

Schr M. Williamson, Lake..........Dec. 17

VESSELS IN PORT.

SHIPS.

Br. Friga, Welsh, 1127 tons, for Liverpool, D. Wheeler & co.

Br. Cauterbury, Taylor, 1258 tons, for Europe, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.

Am. C. W. White, Dyer, 1411 tons, Liverpool, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.

Br. Annie Bengay, Cann, 1048 tons, Liverpool, D. Wheeler & co.

Am Charter Oak, Staples, 963 tons, discharging, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.

Am. Edward O'Brien, Smalley, 1893 tons, Liverpool, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.

Am. Geo. Hurlbut, Masson, 1134 tons, discharging, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.

Br. Pensacola, Capper, 1421 tons, discharging, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.

BARKS.

Br. Anevoca, Williams, 597 tons, Liverpool, J. Buttner.

Br. Emma Paysant, Dexter, 847 tons, Europe, E. Beyer & co.

Br. J. Steele, Leighton, 603 tons, Liverpool, J. Buttner.

Br. Adriatic, Ross, 797 tons, Liverpool, D. McNeil & co.

Am. Continental, Johnson, 340 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.

Nor. Sinbad, Andersen, 871 tons, Europe, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.

Br. St. Cloud, Bagley, 735 tons, Europe, E. Beyer & co.

Ger. Neptune, Ploghoft, 658 tons, freight, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.

Am. Dirigo, Blair, 454 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.

Br. St. Olaves, Carter, 572 tons, Havre, Clason & co.

Br. Exile, Pearce, 934 tons, Bremen, J. Buttner.

Am. Helen Angier, Staples, 655 tons, discharging.

Nor. Henne Selmer, Nielson, 400 tons, discharging, master.

Br. M. E. Corning, McHenry, 354 tons, discharging.

BRIGS.

It. Bartella, Badano, 235 tons, discharging, Geo. Aite.

Sw. Pepita, Pahlsom, 250 tons, discharging, Pepper, Maguire & Co.

SCHOONERS.

Am. Edward Johnson, Bean, 400 tons, Boston, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.

Am. Wapella, Penny, 244 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.

Am. Hattie Baker, Crowell, 246 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.

Am. E. H. Herriman, Herriman, 238 tons, Cuba, Master.

Am. Island Belle, Newton, 134 tons, freight, master.

Br Moss Glen, Wade, 196 tons, Gibraltar, Master.

Am. Ella M. Pennell, Thompson, 194 tons, Danner & co.

Barrels! Barrels!

For Sale

By CLEM B. GWIN,

66 North Commerce Street.

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RARE CHANCE

TO RENT THE OPAL BUILDING,

now occupied by W. H. Kelly & Co. Apply on the premises,

oc20 tf NO. 17 ROYAL STREET.

DEFIANT.—The case of John Davis came up before Mayor Moulton yesterday. Davis is an elderly man, and was a policeman. The Health Officer called at the house of Davis to vaccinate all who had not had the small pox, or who had not been vaccinated within two years. He positively refused to allow any one to be vacciuated, said he would not do it and that there was no law to make him do it. He was arrested and brought before Mayor Moulton, where he repeated his statement that no one should vaccinate him, and that he defied any one to have him vaccinated. The judge said "You defy the law, do you? Oh, well, take off that badge, I will fine you $50 or thirty days for this offence, and will fine you fifty dollars for every day you refuse to be vaccinated."

CHRISTMAS DAY and SATURDAY matinees. A present for every child.

Special Daily Market Reports.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO D. H. STABBS & Co., General Merchandise Brokers, No. 9 St. Michael St.

NEW ORLEANS, December 24—11:30 A. M.—Corn quiet and steady; mixed 90c; yellow 90@95c; white 95c. Oats quiet and easy at 74@75c. Bran quiet and steady at $1 17½@1 20. Pork inactive and held at $20. Bacon, none. Sugar—low grades dull; fully fair 7½@7¾c; prime 7½@7¾c. Molasses steady; prime 56@59c; choice 62c

CINCINNATI, December 24—12:35 P. M.—Pork nominal at $18 75@19 00. Bacon quiet; clear rib sides 11½@12c; clear sides 13½c. Hams 14½c. Cut Meats quiet at 6½@6¾@9½@9¾@9¾@9½c. Lard quiet; steam 13 1-8c; kettle 14c. Hogs quiet; medium fair $6 65@6 80; good $6 90@7 10; receipts 2,322; shipments none. Whiskey sold at 96c.

ST. LOUIS, December 24.—Hogs quiet and unchanged. Wheat lower; No. 2 Winter $1 05½@1 07. Corn lower; new 66½c on track; no sacked. Oats steady at 61@62c. Whiskey 98c. Pork nominal at $19 25@19 50. Cut meats nominal at 6½@9½@9¾c loose; 7@10½@10¾c packed. Bacon quiet at 9¾@11½@11¾@12c. Lard quiet at 13c cash and 1or February. Other quotations unchanged.

RIO, December 19.—Coffee—receipts since December 12, 70,000 bags; purchases for United States 40,000; price 8||600; stock 220,000; exchange 26⅛.

MOBILE MARKETS.

[CORRECTED DAILY AT 3½ P. M.]

DAILY TRIBUNE OFFICE,
MOBILE, December 24, 1874,
Half-past Three, P. M.

COTTON.

Good Middling	14½@14⅝c
Middling	14 @ c
Low Middling	13½@— c
Good Ordinary	13 @ c

Sales to-day 1,200 bales, and 200 last evening. Good demand for the better grades. Market firm and higher.

GOLD.

Opening	111@112
Closing	111@112

EXCHANGE.

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BACON, in casks—			
clear sides	—	@—	—
c. r. s			nominal.
shoulders			nominal.
DRY SALT MEATS, in casks—			
clear sides	—	@	—
c. r. s	10½	@	
shoulders	7¾	@	
HAMS, in tierces—			
sugar cured, canvassed			nominal.
sugar cured, uncanvassed	13⅝	@	14
plain	12½	@	13
dry salt	—	@	—
BREAKFAST BACON—			
sugar cured, canvassed	—	@	—
ditto uncanvassed	16½	@	—
LARD—			
in caddies	—	@	—
in tins	—	@	—
in buckets	17	@	17½
in kegs	16½	@	17
in half bbls	16	@	16½
in tierces	15	@	15½
PORK—			
per bbl	21 50	@	22 00
MACKEREL—			
No. 1, in bbls	13 00	@	13 50
half bbls	7 00	@	7 50
kits	1 65	@	2 00
No. 2, in bbls	11 50	@	—
half bbls	6 50	@	6 75
kits	1 40	@	—
No. 3, in bbls	10 00	@	10 50
half bbls	6 00	@	6 25
kits	1 15	@	1 20
SUGAR—(Louisiana, in hogsheads)—			
white clarified	10½	@	
yellow	9⅝	@	
prime	8	@	8½
fair	7	@	7½
common	6½	@	7
New York hards, (in bbls)	11⅝	@	12
MOLASSES—(Louisiana)—			
choice, in bbls	65	@	67
half bbls	70	@	72
kegs	75	@	77
prime, in bbls	60	@	62
half bbls	65	@	67
kegs	70	@	72
fair, in bbls	52	@	53
half bbls	57	@	58
kegs	62	@	63
New York Syrups	55	@	85
FLOUR—(in bbls.)—			
Plants extra or similar b'ds	7 75	@	8 00
choice extra	7 50	@	—
XXX	6 50	@	7 00
XX	6 00	@	6 50
X	5 50	@	6 00
superfine	4 50	@	5 00

MEAL—			
kiln dried, per bbl	5 00	@	—
city	4 25	@	4 50
½ and 1-bush. bags, per b.	1 10	@	
3, 4 and 5 " "	1 05	@	
RICE—			
South Carolina, in tcs	8	@	8½
tierces	—	@	—
Louisiana, in bbls	7½	@	8½
SALT—			
in sacks, fine	1 90	@	2 00
coarse	1 45	@	1 50
table, per case	5 50	@	—
COFFEE, Rio (Currency)—			
choice	22½	@	23
prime	21½	@	22
fair	21	@	21½
common		@	20
COFFEE, Java (currency)	33	@	35
La Guira	25	@	—
CHEESE—			
pine apple	20	@	—
English dairy	19	@	—
fancy cream	19	@	—
Western reserve	17½	@	18
New York factory	18	@	
VINEGAR, in bbls., per gal—			
white wine	25	@	30
cider	25	@	30
SOAP—			
palm	— 5	@—	5½
STARCH	— 5½	@—	6
SODA—			
American, in kegs	— 5½	@—	6
English	— 6½	@—	6½
American, assorted papers	— 6½	@—	7
English, " "	— 7½	@—	8
CANDLES—			
8's	17	@	18
6's	17	@	18
TOBACCO—			
common sound	40	@	45
medium	46	@	55
good medium	60	@	65
bright Virginia	70	@	75
extra No. 1	80	@	90
Navys—bright Navy 4s, 5s	55	@	65
twist—com. and med. twist	58	@	60
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WHISKY—			
rectified, Mobile	90	@	1 10
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POWDER—			
kegs	6 75	@	7 00
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drop	2 30	@	2 40
Buck	2 55	@	2 65
LEAD	9	@	10
PERCUSSION CAPS, per 1000—			
Ely's water-proof	80	@	90
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musket	1 00	@	—
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BLACKING, per dozen—			
Mason's	45	@	75
French	—	@	—
AXLE GREASE, per doz	1 25	@	1 50
OILS—			
kerosene, in bbls., per gal	19	@	—
per case	2 75	@	3 00
lard, in bbls., per gal	1 20	@	—
linseed, boiled, in bbls	—	@	—
raw, in bbls	—	@	—

REMARKS.—No changes.

FEED.

CORN—From depot or wharf:			
Western—white		@	1 15
yellow		@	1 15
mixed		@	1 15
Alabama, by car load			none.
For Corn from store, add handling 2c. per bush.			
OATS—From depot or wharf.			
choice	— 82½	@	85
ordinary	— 77½	@	80
black	— —	@—	—
mixed	— —	@—	—
For Oats from store add handling 2½c per bush.			
HAY—From depot or wharf per 100 lbs.			
choice	1 60	@	1 65
prime	—		
For Hay from store, add handling 10c per 100 lbs.			
BRAN—From depot or wharf per 100 lbs	1 45	@—	—
from store	1 55	@—	—
STOCK PEAS—per bushel	1 25	@—	—

REMARKS.—No changes.

BALING STUFF.

BAGGING—			
Domestic, 2 lbs	— 13	@—	—
" 2¼ lbs	— 13½	@—	—
" 2½ lbs	— 13½	@—	—
India, in bales	12½	@	13
" rolls	— 12	@	12½
TIES	— 5½	@	7
MACHINE SPUN ROPE	8½	@—	8½

PRODUCE.

REMARKS.—No changes in quotations. Market well supplied and retail demand good.

POTATOES—Irish, per bbl.			
early Rose	— —	@—	—
Peach Blow	3 25	@	3 75
Russet	3 50	@	3 62
POTATOES—Sweet, per bushel.			
yam	50	@—	75
Spanish	60	@—	—
ONIONS—per bbl.			
silver skin	4 00	@	4 50
red	3 25	@	3 50
BUTTER—			
Goshen	40	@	42
choice Northern	40	@	42
" Western	35	@	40
" country	25	@	30
EGGS—per dozen	28	@	30
DRESSED POULTRY, per lb	18	@	20
POULTRY—per dozen.			
Western Hens, full grown	4 50	@—	—
" " half grown	2 50	@	3 00
country hens full grown	3 50	@—	—
" " half grown	2 50	@—	—
broilers	1 50	@	2 00
Ducks, Muscovy	7 00	@—	—
" English	4 00	@—	—
Geese	7 00	@	8 00
Turkeys, old	12 00	@	18 00
young	6 00	@	9 00
PEANUTS—per bushel			nominal.
BEESWAX	25	@	—
TALLOW	8	@	—
HIDES	12	@	13
WOOL—			
washed	32	@	35
unwashed	28	@	30
burry washed	17	@	20
" unwashed	15	@	—

LOSS OF TEXT IN GUTTER

A Minnesota flouring-mill was stopped the other day by a gorge of fish, and four tons of them were removed.

We learned while in Tuscumbia last week that Ex-Gov. Lindsay left for Denver, Colorado, last Tuesday, the 15th. The Gov. had previously visited the country, and was well pleased with its appearance.—[*Florence Republican*, 22d.

Gen. Garibaldi in a recent letter to a friend says: "Accommodate yourself to your circumstances. This is a maxim which I have put in practice from the time when my property consisted of a change in my saddlebag, in America, until I found myself Dictator of the Two Sicilies. * * * * Signor John Anderson of New York, without any preliminary advice, sent me an order on Signor Rothschild for 5000 livres, gold. I therefore do not accept a subscription, and am ever yours,

G. GARIBALDI.

Speaking of the relative salaries of English concert singers, "then and now" a London paper says: "But a few years ago, a concert giver might have engaged Mr. Sims Reeves for £15, Mr. Stanley for £10, M'me Sainton-Dolby for £8, and many other singers who are now of the first rank for two or three guineas each. Now, a first-class English tenor or soprano takes something like £30 a night, while the salaries of contraltos and baritones have risen in proportion."

Londoners lately heard "Elijah," at Royal Albert Hall, performed by a band and chorus of one thousand singers and musicians.

M'me Nilsson will appear in Vienna in February, singing "Ophelia," in the German language, at the Imperial Opera House.

HURRIED NUPTIALS.—Rev. Mr. Newman, pastor of the emigrants at Castle garden, N. Y., performed a marriage ceremony which was made rather interesting by the circumstances surrounding it. The bridegroom was a young emigrant, who had come over with the bride, and she being ill he was first desirous of turning her over to the care of the emigration commissioners. However, Mr. Jackson, the secretary of the board, told him that she would only be received in the hospital if he married her, and as he declared that he would consent to no such proposition, he was quietly informed that he would be arrested in order to be compelled to give security for the maintenance of the young stranger who was about to make its debut on this mundane stage. This determined announcement brought the youth to his senses; he consented to marry the girl, who is rather pretty and seems to be very fond of him, and now she is in the hospital of the emigration commision. It is almost needless to state that there were no cards for this wedding ceremony, and that the young husband has been somewhat reconciled to his new role.

It is very seldom that a rumor is traced to its source, but the story of the death of Queen Victoria, which was circulated, appears to be an exception. The origin of this canard is accounted for by a correspondent of a Liverpool paper, who writes: "The rumor about the Queen's alarming illness had its origin in the following circumstances: In a certain London newspaper office there is a biography of the Sovereign, which was written ten years ago, and the editor, with the provident forethought of his class, deemed it desirable that it should be revised and brought down to date. It was given out to one of the staff, and duly 'revised and corrected.' The editor thought it would be well to see the article in type, and he gave it out to be set up. A compositor happened to see the notice when it was in type, red the solemn and effecting announcement with which it opened, and immediately proceeded to disseminate the melancholy intelligence. As soon as the story was fairly set agoing it traveled in all directions, and underwent all sorts of modifications. In one of its forms it reached the ears of some credulous correspondents, and thus obtained a wide circulation all over the country."

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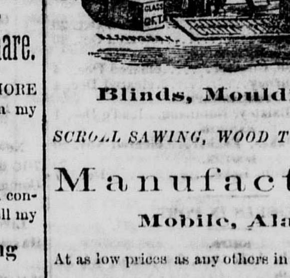

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St. Vincent de Paul—Charleston st., between Hamilton and Lawrence—Rev. T. C. O'Callaghan, Pastor.

St. Joseph's Church—Jefferson street, between St. Louis and St. Anthony—Rev. J. Imsand, S. J. Pastor.

St. Patrick's Church—Beauregard street, between Jackson and Claiborne streets—Rev. J. J. Browne, Pastor—Sundays—Mass, 6½ a. m.; High Mass, 9 a. m.; Classes of Christian Doctrine, 4 p. m.; Vespers and Benediction, 5 p. m. During week days, Mass at 6½ a. m.

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METHODIST.

Franklin Street Church—corner St. Michael and Franklin streets—Rev. c. W. Tinch, Pastor.

St. Francis Street Church—corner Joachim and St. Francis streets—Rev. A. W. Shepard, Pastor.

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Mobile City Mission—Preston G. Nash, Jr., missionary—Services at Touhinsville, Sundays, at 11 a. m.; Four-mile road, 3½ p. m.; Hamilton-street Chapel, 7½ p. m.

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South Franklin Street Presbyterian Church—Franklin street, between Palmetto and Canal streets—Rev. J. T. McIlvyle, pastor.

Government Street Church—corner Jackson and Government streets—Rev. J. R. Burgett, Pastor.

J. ckson Street Church—corner St. Michael and Jackson streets—Rev. E. P. Palmer, D. D., Pastor.

BAPTIST.

Palmetto Street Church—corner of Palmetto and Dearborn streets—Rev. W. R. L. Smith, pastor. Services every Sunday.

St. Ethelred Street Church—between Claiborne and Franklin streets, ——, Pastor.

Broad Street Church—corner Spring Hill road and Broad street—Rev. J. H. Curry, Pastor.

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Synagogue, Shangairai Shamayim—Jackson street, between St. Louis and St. Michael streets —Rev. Dr. A. Moses, Minister.

Hebrew Church (Orthodox)—Hamilton street, between Government and Church—Abraham Lehman, Acting Clergyman.

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Closes.....10:30 p. m.

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Closes.....5:00 p. m.

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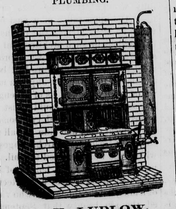

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The American water color artists have passed resolutions excluding shadow frames and similar abominations from their exhibitions. They probably think that if the carvers and gilders want exhibitions they should organize one.

In the recent Italian elections the Right gets, on a vote of 486 a majority of 70. There are eighty-nine titled members, eight of whom are princes, four dukes, and ten marquises. These are all with the Left; that is, they are in opposition to the Government, which they regard as too liberal.

A Paris medical student has just died insane, having become so in consequence of an event that happened in the dissecting room. His subject had been placed in a sitting posture while frozen, and its right arm was kept above its head against gravity by the icy condition of the tissues, and as he worked, lost in his labor, this arm came down and the cold hand struck the student on the cheek. It was clear upon investigation that the hot fire made for the student had thawed the tissues, but the impression made upon his mind was too deep to be removed by a rational explanation. Yet these are the kind of fellows who hoot our professors whose politics they dislike.

A Blighted Marquis.

Though the marquis of Lorne married into a queen's family, he is reported still to be not happy. Everywhere he travels with his wife, he is snubbed because he is but a noble man and she a princess. At courts he is made to stand elsewhere than with his wife, and even at home he cannot contrive to be treated as an equal. It is said that his wife is anxious to tone down, as far as possible, this incongruity and that the princess asked that when her husband should bring her under the roof of his ancestral home she might be allowed to be no longer the princess but merely the marchioness. But Maccallummore had not married his heir into the royal family that the bride of that heir should hide her effulgence under the bushel of a marchioness. Standing on the door-step of his castle, with the aspect of a bantam cock, into whose blood has been infused a cross of the pouter pigeon, he demanded from his tenants, "Three cheers for the princess, my daughter," as the carriage containing that lady (along with an incidental chattel in the shape of a marquis-husband) drove up the avenue. The jackanapes brother of that husband had no other name for his queen than that of "Lorne's mother-in-law." And so the anomaly was ruthlessly perpetuated in all its intensity where a means offered at least for its mitigation, and the fetters of the blight were riveted on the limbs of the unfortunate victim of a rash experiment. He lives to hand into her carriage the princess whom he married, when that lady goes to a drawing room to join her august kinsfolk on the dais, if haply her equerry happens to be out for a stroll. The equerry, retired marching captain as he is, has a more defined position than he who is the nominal head of the household; for the former knows that the latter, although he feeds him, owns not one tittle of him. The blight of a false position has withered even the fluency of the once ready speaker who occupies it. He seldom essays oratory now; when he does, he stammers feebly through futile efforts to fix fugitive fragments of flaccid platitudes. No new edition of his book has been lately called for, and he has never written another work. If he ever does, we might hope it may be an autobiography.

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DAILY TRIBUNE

MOBILE, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1874

THE MOBILE DAILY TRIBUNE May be seen on file at the Newspaper Reading Rooms of Messrs. BUTTON & Co., Union Square, New York City.

Carl Rosa is expected from Paris in a few days.

Alexis, they say, is the handsomest man in Europe.

Kalakaua has declined a private dinner given him by the colored men of Washington.

The Virginia Legislature decided on a Christmas recess of only three days, and a suspension of per diem during that period.

It is said that the Mormons propose to establish some colonies in Mexico, and eventually move into that land of sunlight and beauty.

Fourteen thousand partridges have been shipped from Greensboro, N. C., to England to stock the preserves of the nobility and gentry of that country.

A freight train on the Mobile and Ohio railroad ran off some eight or ten cars above Narkeeta, the other day. A negro who was stealing a ride, standing on the bunter between cars was killed.

Rev. J. S. Inskip, the revivalist, and his big tent, will shortly leave Washington and make the temporary headquarters of the Lord at St. Louis. General Sherman has nothing to do about this removal.

Mr. Buchanan, Secretary of the National Workingman's party, has written a "confidential" letter to a gentleman in St. Louis, sending abroad the glad tidings that Mr. Wm. D. Kelley has fully determined to leave the Republican party before the winter is over.

At the late exhibition of the Franklin Institute, there were weighed upon the Fairbank's scales 15,840 men, aggregating 2,314,260 pounds; 17,436 women, aggregating 2,249,370 pounds, making the average weight of each man 149½ pounds, and of each woman 129 pounds.

They have got it "down fine" at last. Iron plating was invented to protect the wood of vessels from injury. Now Russia is building wooden clad iron vessels of war, the outer coating of timber to protect the iron from injury. Does not the grand march of inventive genius travel in a circle to some extent?

For full dress Kalakaua wears a fashionably cut black broadcloth swallow tail coat, studless white shirt front, boots of the box toe pattern, a parti colored ribbon in his button hole, three immense gold rings, a bracelet on his left wrist, a turn down collar and a black tie. He also wears a pair of trousers.

Lucy Hooper admires the perfect equality in business matters which exists between the sexes in Paris. Women keep books, govern hotels, run large shops and even factories, and are often the business partners of their husbands, and most efficient ones at that. The French woman is indeed a power in the land.

A justice of the peace in Lafayette, after two attorneys had scuffled over the court-room, with their fingers tangled in each other's locks, and kicked over a stove and reduced three time honored arm chairs to kindling wood, suddenly rose to a point of order, and informed the two that if they didn't quit their foolishness, he'd fine them both for contempt of court. They immediately subsided.

The Syracuse Journal says that the late Ezra Cornell had recently met with some pecuniary reverses which impaired his private fortune. The greatest of these losses were about $600,000 in the Ithaca and Utica railroad, and some $700,000 to $800,000 in the Ithaca and Geneva road. It is understood, however, that a judicious settlement of his estate will leave his family about three-quarters of a million dollars. The college funds are intact.

The supposed rock in mid-ocean, believed to have been discovered by the Captain of the Italian bark Teresa, is pronounced by other experienced navigators to be a myth, notwithstanding that a chart, published in 1848, located a gigantic rock in this locality, which latter charts do not give. Different opinions are advanced regarding it, some averring that the Captain of the Teresa saw a shoal of whales at play and mistook them for a rock, while others are speculating as to how the rock of 1848 could have concealed itself all this time, believing that if it really exists that it cannot be identical with that one, but must have recently been thrown up by internal oceanic convulsions of a volcanic character.

THE CITY CREDIT.

Now, that the people of Mobile have, by an overwhelming majority, recovered their Legislative power, we feel satisfied that the financial condition of our municipal affairs will receive, at the hands of the new Boards, the earnest and intelligent attention it commands.

It is not here out of place to say that, while firmly opposed to Judge Moulton's original accession to power, we have never entertained a doubt of his integrity and honesty of purpose. The only misfortune for him—and perhaps for us—was his having cast his fortunes with a party to which, neither by taste, education or past associations, he should ever have belonged: but we have the consciousness certainly that his administration, chiefly since, by the force of events, he has become a "one man" power, will be free from any unjustifiable error or extravagance: at least, we sincerely believe so.

But, what is now wanted and what has not been brought out thus far by his administration, is a plain, complete and fair statement of the liabilities of the city, together with a no less complete and fair statement of its sources of revenue; this done, it will not be difficult to so arrange said debts as to keep it within the bounds of moderate taxation, and look abroad for the financial assistance which will be invited by our honest and fair dealings.

Corporations—even States—may, as well as individuals, commit errors of judgment and unwisely anticipate on the future; but if they fairly own up and appeal to their honest creditors for indulgence, it is ever hardly refused.

The credit of Mobile has only suffered within the last two years and a proper explanation and satisfactory apology may be offered to her bondholders until in the course of time, her whole debt be funded on the European market at a much lower rate than the present, for, such is the confidence inspired by late political changes, that her bonds have suddenly risen from twenty-five to forty cents of their face value and we feel certain that, before a year has elapsed, they will reach ninety.

Then, will be the time to fund it all at once, and instead of saddling this and the succeeding generation, with an unbearable burthen, to adopt the well tried plan of certain cities of Europe where bonds, instead of being made to mature at any given period, are simply a perpetual loan in the nature of an annuity, to be paid as long as the political body shall subsist.

An intelligent management of that question would result in restoring our credit at home as well as abroad and justify a reduction of at least fifty per cent. on the present rate of taxation.

DESCRIPTION OF THE STEAMER JAPAN.—The steamer Japan was launched at the ship-yard of Henry Steers, Greenpoint, Long Island, September 17, 1867. A first glance at her symmetrical proportions gave but a faint idea of her immense size as her graceful lines had been so skillfully wrought that she was saved from the appearance of a vast bulk which so often strikes the eye as inharmonious in such architectural sea structures. Every known improvement in naval architecture had been exhausted to make the Japan a marvel of beauty as well as of strength. It was believed she could resist the severest hurricanes and typhoons of the tropical seas, and ride out all the storms of treacherous archipelagos in which she was destined to sail. A man who walked the length of her deck took a stretch of a fourteenth of a mile, but the thousands who viewed the sea beauty that September day of the launch did not take so much note of her proportions in feet and inches as the general harmony and completeness of the model and the grace and beauty of each line and curve.

It is proposed to set up in all the streets of St. Petersburg tablets inscribed with points of local information. Such as fire signals, the whereabouts of police stations, the house of the nearest doctor, the location of the nearest apothecary, etc. Indications of this sort are already given, but on a less extensive scale, in many European cities.

New Orleans Picayune.

The End Crowns the Work.

The labors of the Returning Board are closed. For six weeks they have been engaged in giving effect to a scheme to perpetuate the usurpation of which they, or four of them, were the chosen agents, by stifling the voice of the people as expresed at the ballot-box. They have finished their work, and the end fulfills the purpose. The act is a fitting consummation of the intent. As far as it is in the power of the Returning Board to accomplish the object with which they set out, they have accomplished it. They found a record of votes showing the election of seventy Conservatives and forty-one Republicans, and they have contrived a record which asserts the election of fifty-four Republicans and fifty-two Conservatives. A genuine Conservative majority of twenty-nine they have converted into a pretended Republican majority of two.

At the closing of our last report the had returned 47 Republicans and 46 Conservatives. Having achieved this preponderance they maintained it to the end. In Caddo parish, which gave 600 Conservative majority, they made a raid on 7 polls, suppressed them, and on the showing of the remaining 6, counted in the 3 defeated Republicans. Rapides returning 3 members, and Lincoln, returning 1 member, they likewise captured, and compelled to change front, thus giving themselves a total of 54 against the 52 conceded to the Conservatives To the body thus constituted they referred the cases of DeSoto, Winn, Grant and Bienville.

Thus has been consummated a fraud upon public liberty and an outrage on the people of this State, which, except in the instance of the fraud and the outrage to which the Kellogg Government owes its existence, has never been paralleled in the history of free governments. Tyrants have trampled on the liberties of the people, but they have not added the despicable vice of hypocrisy to the guilt of violence. Scoundrels have defrauded the people of their rights by cunningly devised schemes of fraud, but they have had at least enough decency to screen their proceedings from the public gaze. The vulgar repeater and ballot box stuffer tries to hide himself and his acts from the sight of honest men. But the Republicans of the Louisiana Returning Board attempt to suffocate the voice of the people in the name of the law, and perpetrate acts which would shame the ballot box stuffer and the repeater, under the pretext of legal duty. The methods by which the Lynch Board of 1872 accomplished their purposes have never yet, we believe, found an apologist in any decent newspaper, or in any eminent statesman of either party. Let us see now whether the methods by which the Wells Board has attempted to perpetuate the inquitous results arrived at by their predecessors, will not arouse the indignation, and be subjected to the condemnation of the press and people of the country.

The question before us is a solemn question. It is nothing less than the maintenance of free institutions. In this question the whole country is interested. It is plain that if it be practicable to reverse the results of a popular election, at the will of a set of officials clothed by the law with the right of revising and passing final judgment on the returns, elections are reduced to a mere formality and a party, once in power, may perpetuate its reign forever. What has been done twice in Louisiana, may be done in every State in the Union, if the doctrine which denies relief or the right of self-redress to the people of this State should be applied to all the other States. It is time now for the American people to decide whether there shall be one rule for Louisiana and another for Massachusetts; whether the right to defend and maintain their liberty, which is conceded to the people of Massachusetts, shall be denied to the people of Louisiana.

The exploration of the Holy Land, under the auspices of the Palestine Exploration Fund society in London, has been resumed. A native scribe has been added for the purpose of writing down the names of villages, ruins and other places. The present scene of the triangulation is the hill country of Judah, a district full of interest. In the course of the first month's work, Lieut. Conder reports several discoveries of great interest and value. Among these is the city of Seir, connected with the valley of Barachah and the invasion of the Moabites in the reign of Jehoshaphat. This, he thinks, he has found in the modern village of Sair. He has also found the Bezeth, or Bethzeths, of Maccabean history.

Lord Lytton is said to be engaged upon an important work in the nature of romance in verse, or a long poem.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

THE MANAGERS of the CATHOLIC ORPHANS' FAIR beg leave to remind the public that the FAIR will open as usual on

NEW YEAR'S EVE,

AT ODD FELLOWS' HALL, where they hope to meet with liberal patronage.

The members of the different PARISHES will wear their Badges. And *persons can visit the Fair* without being annoyed, as heretofore.

Contributions thankfully received.

J. A. MASTERSON, Sec'y.

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Now is the chance to buy CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS. Read below, and see what a stock we carry, and

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CHILDREN'S CHAIRS, Sitting and Rocking.
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LIBRARY and OFFICE TABLES and STANDS.
CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, RUGS, &c.,

all of which we are offering at New York retail prices. Call at our BIG FURNITURE STORE, and the prices we ask will insure us a sale.

Nos. 33 and 35 St. Francis street, next to Battle House.

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NOTICE.

BANK OF MOBILE.
MOBILE, Dec. 24th, 1874.

AN ELECTION for nine Directors to serve this Bank the ensuing year will be held at the Banking House on Monday, fourth of January next, between the hours of twelve M. and two P. M.

WM H. PRATT, President.

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PROCLAMATION!

To all my Pious Subjects of the EMPIRE OF JOY--Greeting:

KNOW YE, that there will be holden a GRAND FESTIVAL at my

Imperial Theatre,

At my CAPITAL CITY OF THE GULF, MOBILE, ALA., on the day succeeding the last night of the old year, *namely:*

FRIDAY, JANUARY 1, 1875,

AT 9 HOURS AFTER THE NOON DAY STRIKES.

BEHOLD!!

We have named these our Loyal and Faithful Subjects, as our

Honorary Sponsors:

His Excellency, Gov. Houston,

Hon Alphonse Hurtel, Mayor Elect of Mobile,	Hon Peter Hamilton,
Maj James H Wylie,	Major Benj. Toomer,
Dr Geo H Ketchum,	Col Thos N McCartney,
Col D E Huger,	Capt Chas L Fitch,
Hon Percy Walker.	Judge A R Manning,
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L. Scranton,	Erwin Ledyard, Esq.,
Stuart W Cayce, Esq ,	Capt Jas M Stewart,
Peter Stark, Esq.,	Col Thos H Herndon,
Major Jacob Magee,	Capt Duncan Dew,
Hon Leroy Brewer,	Jas F Lyon, Esq.,
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Saffold Berney, Esq.,	Col A J Gillespie,
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J C Chamberlain, Esq.,	Wm A Garnett, Esq.,
Robert Adams, Esq.,	Major W T Walthall,
Capt John P Bacon,	John H Pippin, Esq.,
M Forcheimer, Esq.,	John L Rapier, Esq ,
Dr F A Ross,	M P Levy, Esq ,
S Richard, Esq.,	T G Bush, Esq.,
	Wm H Barney, Esq.

IT IS ORDAINED,

That all Strangers and Citizens shall meet, at this, my High Festival of New Year, to celebrate a solemn

Fancy Dress and Mask Ball!

Holden in behalf of MERRIMENT and REJOICING, Twin Sisters Born of Content, this Year of Grace.

All the details and conditions will be hereafter set forth, as by us ordained.

GIVEN under Our Imperial Seal, at this, our Capital City of Mobile, this Sixth Balaam of the First Hodidai, in the Year One of Alabama Redemption.

Official:

FELIX, Imperator.

JOCUNDUS, *Pæster of the Empire.*
MOMUS, *Master of the Revels.*

Universal Order, No. 2.

BE IT KNOWN, His Imperial Majesty, FELIX, Sublime Commander of the EMPIRE OF JOY, will admit to this, his High Festival,

All Loyal Subjects known to Him,

Provided each one sends WRITTEN APPLICATION, directed to me, undersigned. And all and any stranger to FELIX unknown, may send application with the name of any Honorary Sponsor, or of other well-known and well beloved citizen of Mobile. Upon such application, a CARD OF ADMISSION will be left for each applicant at the box office of the Theatre, or in the hand of such Honorary Sponsor. The price of such Card of Admission for ONE GENTLEMAN, accompanied by Ladies, will be Three Dollars in currency of our Realm. Silence is imperatively a negative.

Done at the Palace, by order of FELIX, Imperator.

JOCUNDUS, Pæster of the Empire.
MOMUS, Master of the Revels.
Post-office Box No. 826.

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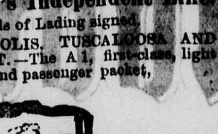
New Advertisements.

Frank Stone's Independent Line.

Clear bills of Lading signed.

FOR DEMOPOLIS, TUSCALOOSA AND NORTHPORT.—The A 1, first-class, light draught, freight and passenger packet,



EMMA NO. 2.......... Van Gunnison, Master, A. P. Dorgan, Clerk,

will leave for the above and all way landings TUESDAY EVENING, Dec. 29, at 5 o'clock.

For freight, apply to SPAULDING & FOSTER, Agents.

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OFFICIAL DRAWING MOBILE CHARITABLE ASSOCIATION.

CLASS 907..........Morning, December 26, 1874	
1 | 8 | 48 | 56 | 12 | 29 | 58 | 63 | 49 | 39 | 71	
CLASS 908..........Evening, December 26, 1874	
64 | 21 | 32 | 42 | 2 | 13 | 39 | 9 | 20 | 10 | 61 | 66	
CLASS 909..........Night, December 26, 1874	
13 | 74 | 69 | 59 | 52 | 23 | 39 | 35 | 38 | 51	

Three Distributions Daily, at 12 M., 5 P. M., and 8 P. M. All prizes paid in Currency immediately after the drawing.

A. O. MURPHY, Commissioner.

GRAND CONCERT

For the Benefit of the

Fair Association OF MOBILE,

[By MR. WILLIE PAPE,

PIANIST,

To Her Royal Majesty, the Queen of England, assisted by the First Artists of Mobile,

Mobile Theatre,

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28.

Admission $1. Tickets to be had of the Directors or the Secretary. de23 td

AFTER

A Thorough Inspection THROUGH Every Clothing Store in Town, I HAVE FOUND THEIR ASSORTMENT OF MEN'S and BOYS' CLOTHING, HATS, &c., &c., &c., BETTER & CHEAPER THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE,

and I think I shall go back and invest my money at

M. SIMON & BRO., No. 36 Dauphin Street.

Goods sold at Cost, commencing December 23d, 1874, till further notice.

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JOB PRINTING!

We call the attention of our friends and the public generally to the fact that orders for

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left at the TRIBUNE OFFICE will be promptly executed in the very best style and on the most reasonable terms.

COMMERCIAL WORK.

BILL-HEADS,
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Satisfaction Guaranteed.

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JOHN KERN, Boot and Shoe Maker,

HAS REMOVED TO

No. 27 South Government Street, *BETWEEN ROYAL AND WATER,*

and hopes to see all of his old patrons and others who may favor him with their patronage.

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RARE CHANCE

TO RENT THE OPAL BUILDING,

now occupied by W. H. Kelly & Co. Apply on the premises,

oc20 tf — NO. 17 ROYAL STREET.

DR. WILLIAM HENDERSON, LATE OF Mobile, Alabama, U. S. A., deceased.—Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22d and 23d Victoria Cap 35, entitled "An Act to further Amend the Law of property and to relieve trustees," Notice is hereby given that all persons being CREDITORS of or otherwise having any claims upon or against the estate of WILLIAM HENDERSON, late of the City of Mobile, in the State of Alabama, United States of America, Doctor of Medicine, deceased, who died about the month of October, 1873, intestate, and Letters of Administration of whose estate and effects were on the 4th day of March, 1874, granted by her Majesty's Court of Probate, Principal Registry, to William George Carpenter, are required on or before the 1st day of February, 1875, to send to E. F. Buttemer Harston, Esquire, of No. 1 Gresham Buildings, Guildhall, in the City of London, England, the Solicitor of the said Administrator the particulars of their claims against the said estate, and that at the expiration of such time the said Administrator will distribute the whole of the assets of the said Intestate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he shall then have notice. Dated this 28th day of November, 1874.

E. F. BUTTEMER HARSTON,
4 Gresham Buildings, Guildhall, London, Eng.,
E. C. Solicitor for the Administrator.

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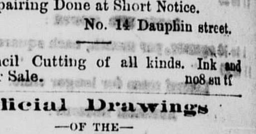

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JOS. SEAWELL, Commissioner.

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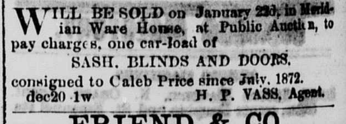

NOTICE.

WILL BE SOLD on January 23d, in Meridian Ware House, at Public Auction, to pay charges, one car-load of SASH, BLINDS AND DOORS, consigned to Caleb Price since July, 1872.

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FRIEND & CO.,

HATTERS,

79 DAUPHIN STREET.

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PLANTATION AND RESIDENCE FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

Having determined to change my business, I offer for sale my Plantation near Spring Hill, in Pickens county, Alabama. The place is six miles from Pickensville, and nine miles from Carrollton, and contains about 400 acres. 225 of which are under fence, and about 75 acres of creek bottom to clear. It is a valuable cotton and grain farm, well watered, healthy, and located in one of the best neighborhoods in the county, near an excellent school and convenient to churches. There is an excellent residence on the place, with other good improvements, gin house and screw, and storehouse and lot. There are forty acres of peaches and other fruits in bearing condition. The above property will be sold or exchanged for town property in Mobile. Price $2,000. Apply to the Graphic, or to

JAS. M. STONE, On Steamer Lulu D.

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Thos W Sims,	R Weaver,
F M Kirksey,	Chas Hopkins,
	W L Baker.

CHAS. A. LATHROP, Secretary. CHAS. K. FOOTE, Pres't.

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NOTICE

Parties interested will please take notice that on and after the FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1874, the WATER RENTS will be collected quarterly in advance, instead of annually, as heretofore.

LOUIS STEIN, Superintendent Mobile City Water Works.

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DAILY TRIBUNE.

MOBILE, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1874.

ADVERTISEMENTS UNDER THESE HEADS INSERTED AT TWENTY-FIVE CENTS EACH INSERTION, CASH.

LOCAL NEWS.

TO OUR READERS.

Those of our subscribers who do not receive the TRIBUNE regularly, or who receive it late, will confer a favor by calling at the office and reporting the fact. Unless they do, it is impossible for the management to rectify errors.

PERSONAL.

We thank our spicy and wide-awake little contemporary — THE GOSSIP—for a most flattering allusion to the TRIBUNE, in its Christmas issue.

CHEAP POULTRY.—No matter how the price of chickens is, there are some persons who cannot have a relish for chickens unless it is stolen. Last Thursday night Mr. Clem B. Gwin had his poultry yard raided and all his fowls carried off. He lives at the corner of Broad and Palmetto, where he enjoyed his Christmas dinner in spite of the raid.

Last night Mr. Kaufman's chicken house was broken into and everything that wore feathers taken out. He lost half a dozen turkeys and a dozen and a half chickens.

TO THE LADIES.—Just received at Mrs. F. Blumer's, a large invoice of Mme. Demorest's reliable cut paper patterns, No. 245 Dauphin street.

CARELESS.—Christmas day, about half past three o'clock, as the car on the Spring Hill road was near the old West End hotel, some person, either carelessly, or with evil intent fired into the crowded car. The ball struck Mr. William Roberts in the chin, striking the jaw bone and inflicting a painful but not serious wound. When we saw him yesterday the ball had been extracted and he was doing well. The ball, from its size, is believed to have been fired from a small Smith & Wesson pistol, A young lady sitting in the same car had a narrow escape and the occurrence created a great deal of alarm and indignation. It is a wonder that some one was not killed. The party who fired the shot is not known. There is no motive suspect by the party who did the shooting, but it was a narrow escape.

NEW DRY GOODS.—P. H. Pepper & Co. are offering great bargains in Lace Curtains, Window Shades, Black Silks, Alpacas, Fancy Dress Goods, Blankets, Flannels, Kid Gloves, Corsets, Hosiery, Domestics, Calicoes, Shawls, etc. The attention of close buyers is solicited.

HARD HEADED.—On Christmas afternoon two negroes, Sam Bivens and Tony Wilkins, got into a fight up on Jackson street. Wilkins struck Bivens over the head with a fence stake which knocked him insensible. He was still so long they believed him dead and sent for the coroner, but before he came Bivens recovered his senses. If he had been hit anywhere but on the head it would probably have killed him. He is now recovering, though Wilkins is held to await the result of his injuries.

DEAD.—Since writing the above we learn that Sam Bivens, the negro struck with the fence picket, is dead. The coroner held an inquest and the verdict of the jury was that the deceased came to his death from the effects of a blow with a stick in the hands of Tony Wilkins.

M. Threefoot & Co., the only strict no-auction house in Mobile, are offering goods at New-York jobbing prices.

M Threefoot & Co., are selling fire works at reduced prices, to close consignments. Their stock of toys is entirely new, which they are selling very low.

CHRISTMAS.—Our merchants will find the TRIBUNE a good and cheap medium for placing their Christmas stocks before the public. We are prepared to make liberal contracts for space in our columns, and respectfully invite investigation.

Read about the Texas Grand Prize Concert, to be drawn at Houston, March 2d, 1875.

TO THE LADIES.—Get your millinery fancy goods at Mrs. F. Blumer's, 245 Dauphin street.

CHEAP.—There is some fine work turned out at several of our large leather, saddle and harness shops, but the cheapest place to buy a saddle is at No. 4 South Royal street. You can get as good a one as you want for fifty cents.

CHANGEABLE.—The weather yesterday morning was inclined to be cool, but before noon the change was very perceptible. Had it not been for the terrible muddy condition of the streets, no doubt they would have been crowded.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE—*For the week ending December 26.*—Henry Adolph and Theresa Adolph to Jacob Neigle. Lot of land in n w quarter sect 5, township 1 south, range 2 west, 10 acres. $40.

L. E. and W. J. Ledyard to Erwin Ledyard. Lot of land south west quarter section 32, township 1, range 2 west, 20 acres more or less, $5,000.

Joseph Beaumer to Mason Horwell, tract of land in section 5, township 8 range 2 west, containing 240 acres more or less, $125.

James Bond to Lyman H. Faith, lot of land 40 by 100 feet on Dearborn street, $550.

Elizabeth Cyr and Henry Sears to to Chas. E. Sears. North west quarter section 12, township 7 south, of range 4 west, containing 80 acres, $250.

Robert Willis and wife to Gilbert Toulmin. North west quarter section 31, township 6, south, of range 3 west, containing four acres, $40.

M. SIMON, & BRO.—Persons desirous of purchasing clothing, furnishing goods, under wear or anything in that line, should not fail to call upon the firm of M. Simon & Bro., at No. 36 Dauphin street. There is an immense assortment of clothing of the latest styles and the best material, a splendid lot of shirts of all kinds, colors and sizes, flannel and knit goods for under wear, collars, handkerchiefs, gloves, scarfs and neckties innumerable. There is nothing requisite for the outer man that cannot be found at this model clothing store. And the most important point is that Messrs. Simon, & Bro., are selling their goods at most reasonable prices. In fact they are selling at cost in order to dispose of their immense stock without unnecessary delay. We again urge all those in search of rare bargains to go to No. 36 Dauphin street.

MAYOR'S COURT—C. F. Moulton, presiding.

Considering that it was the day after Christmas, yesterday's police docket was not very heavy. Still it had the general appearance all the way through of an humbleness as if somewhat ashamed.

The two first cases were those of two young men who had more egg nogg than was their sober share. One was discharged, and the other, as he was considerably demoralized was fined ten dollars.

A regular patron of this court named Rooney, was up again on the same charge of drunk and down. The judge felt clever and told Rooney that he would charge it to Christmas and let him go.

Two large boys got into a quarrel on Dauphin street over some firecrackers and showed their bad taste by sparring at each other. As no damage was done, the boys were let off with a reprimand.

A visitor to the Walhalla was too full and quite noisy. As he would neither keep still nor go out, a policeman was called. As it was more Christmas he was let off.

Two young men, Charles Southworth and Ennis Johnson, were arrested for discharging firearms within the city limits. As the witnesses were not present the case was continued.

THE OLD KOSSUTH HOUSE has been reopened, on Conception street, 3d door South of Dauphin, where the undersigned would like to see his many friends, and the public in general. Fine beer and the best of liquors always on hand.

FRITZ ELSKES.

Go to Herpin's and buy your dry goods.

CIRCUIT COURT.—HON. H. T. Toulman presiding.

As yesterday was Saturday, no case was tried, and the motion docket was taken up.

The following cases are set for Monday:

2237. Doe Kelly vs Roe Truyor.
2142. Arrington vs. Burrows.
2786. Dawson vs. Dawson.
181. Falconett vs. Buttner.
2378. Broadus vs. Fincher.
2767. Rose vs. Rodrigues.

OUR MARKET.—Never before have we seen such an abundant supply and fine display of meats, vegetables and game as was presented to the view on last Saturday evening at the Southern Market. The efforts of the stallkeepers to please were appreciated, if we can judge from the dense crowd that we saw there.

JUSTICES' OFFICES.—The offices of the justices were rather poorly attended and consequently there was little or nothing of interest to be gleaned on Conti street.

MISTY.—Yesterday afternoon about three o'clock the mist began to gather and at four it was so dense that no one could see over the river.

If you need blankets get them from John P. Kennedy's corner of Water and Dauphin street.

Good bargains in Dry Goods can be had at Jno. P. Kennedy's, corner Water and Dauphin streets.

Towels, Toweling, Napkins, and Table Damasks for sale very low at John P. Kennedy's corner Water and Dauphin streets.

Felix, the Emperor.

In another column is the Imperial order of the "Sovereign of the Empire of Joy." We invite the attention of all Mobilians to it; those who claim to be live business men, as well as pleasure seekers and lovers of the mystical. It is not for us to know who "*Felix*" may be; nor who his "Pæster" nor his Master of the Revels, Momus. But this we do know, that the names of his Honorary Sponsors, there set forth, are guarantees that the Imperial High Festival on New Year's night will be worthy of the occasion and imperial indeed. We invite attention to this list, as well as to the Order promulged for the mode of getting tickets. All persons desirous of having them must send *written application*, directed to "Momus, Master of the Revels, Box 826, Mobile Post Office." Tickets will then be ready for such applicant on Tuesday morning at the Box Office of the Theatre. But if any stranger desires to attend, he must (if unknown to Felix) send application endorsed by some honorary citizens; or the latter can apply for *any number* of strangers by sending in the names.

Such is the careful system which will prevent the Imperial Ball from showing any of the disadvantages that are possible to beset other public assemblies; and there is no reason why it should not be as select and orderly as the glad assembly at one of the Mystic Society celebrations.

So much for the preliminary of the Ball; which we hear is to be a permanent institution of New Year week and perhaps of Mardi Gras. For its practical effect on Mobile business, we can see nothing but good. It is an added attraction to visitors from afar; and there is no man among us who doubts that the greater the crowd the good to Mobile business. Hence we are at pains to declare our belief in the value of the service done to the city by Felix, who ever he may be; and from the talk we hear about his first Fancy Ball we have no sort of doubt that it will be a grand and brilliant gathering.

RIVER NEWS.

The stage of water above is about the same, and boats arriving say that the swell continues. There is a small rise at Demopolis, but none at Columbus, Miss.

The arrivals since our last are the R. E. Lee, with 595 bales cotton and sundries, and the Hale, from Eastport, with 556 bales cotton.

The departures yesterday were the R. E. Lee for Montgomery, the Hale for Pickensville, and the D. L. Tally for Vicuna.

The Leo is still at the wharf, waiting for more water.

CITY COURT—HON. O. J. Semmes, presiding.

This honorable court opened yesterday and then closed without trying any cases.

The following cases are set for Monday:

State vs. Mary Brauch.
" George Landreaux.
" Jno. C. Donnell.
" Julius Eslava.
" Augustus Hayes.
" B. O'Kean.
" A. Oberhaus.
" A. Oberhaus.
" Henry Peterson.
" John Grant.
" R. Cameron.
" Charles Huff.
" Charles Cox.

A FUNNY SIGHT.—We were returning from our dinner yesterday when we spied "Old Mary" prancing up Conception near State in a condition that would make a gopher laugh. A number of ladies came out on their front galleries to see the dance. Mary has an inimitable originality in her lofty demeanor that would defy mimicry of the best modern mimics.

THE NEW LOTUS NO. 2.—Saturday morning we received an invitation from Capt. Jim Stone to accompany him over to the ways to inspect the work now rapidly progressing on the new Lotus No. 2. Nearly all the hull of the former Lotus No. 2, is being taken away, and new timber taking its place. Next week the painters will put on the finishing touches, Brussels carpeting will be put down, and in fact, every thing defective will be supplied with that which is good. The Capt. informs us, that she will be finished next week. During the winter season, she will run between Mobile and Tuscaloosa; but next summer, she will be run from this city to that popular watering place, Bladon Springs, making two trips a week. When finished she will be a first-class steamer and the fleetest of the fleet. Success to Capt. Jim and the new Lotus No. 2.

COTTON.—It continues rolling in by the three and four train loads off the Mobile and Ohio railroad every day, and the Montgomery road is not entirely out of the race either. Then there are those steamboats, what do they bring?

The increase of the receipts at Mobile is owing to the late change in classing of cotton, so a prominent merchant in business informs us.

SEASONABLE.—The thoroughly good householder never lets the holidays go by without adding something to the furniture of his house. A house without furniture is only a prison in which a man might put his wife and children, like a turn key. With furniture tasteful and beautiful, although of slight pecuniary cost, it becomes to him and his the centre of a thousand joys and pleasurable emotions. This question being settled it becomes important to know just where to go, to get the best articles of furniture at the most reasonable prices. W. H. Kelly & Co., fortunately have just the place, and also a splendid assortment of furniture, mattresses, matting and carpeting, which they are disposing of at prices that defy competition. Persons who have any idea of purchasing such articles will do themselves an injustice if they do not call and examine the unrivalled stock at No's. 33 and 35 St. Fauncis street, next to the Battle House.

VOGEL.—One of the most enterprising firms in town, is that of S. Vogel, on Dauphin street, nearly opposite St. Joseph. He has made an enviable reputation for fair dealing, and also for having one of the largest stocks of clothing and furnishing goods ever brought here. Anything in his line you can get at a reasonable figure. Trunks, umbrellas, satchels and everything required by a traveler. Do not fail to call and see him.

FIRE.—Last night at 40 minutes past nine o'clock the tower bell sounded the alarm of fire from several different telegraph boxes. We soon found it. It was the domicile of the Pound-Keeper owned by the Municipal Government of this city. How it caught fire we do not know as it was unoccupied. The dog pen escaped uninjured.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The managers of the Catholic Orphans Fair, have an important announcement in this morning's paper, to be found among our new advertisements.

They announce that the annual fair will come off as usual on New Year's Eve and that parties can visit it without fear of importunity.

This fair is one of the most laudable of charities, and its receipts should be very liberal.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.—We acknowledge with thanks, the receipt of an invitation to attend the annual assembly of the T. D. S. Society.

FIGHT.—Yesterday evening, just before the Tally backed out, a white man and negro had a fight on the wharf, which resulted in the former being painfully cut on the hand with a large, sharp edged file. We did not learn the origin of the difficulty.

A good assortment of black cashmeres just received at Herpin's, 105 and 107 Dauphin street, cor. Conception.

If you want to buy your Dry Goods cheap—go to John P. Kennedy's corner Water and Dauphin streets.

THE CONCORDIA.—We acknowledge the receipt of a ticket to the first one of the subscription series of entertainments to be given by this popular society, on next Tuesday night, at the Theatre. We anticipate a pleasant evening.

MOBILE MARKETS.

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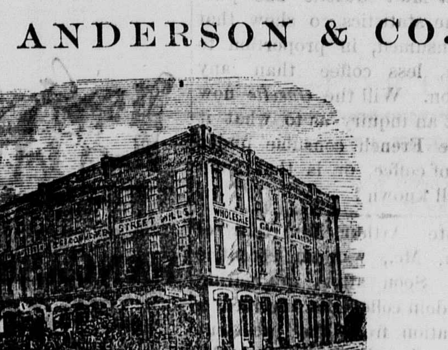

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The *Pall Mall Gazette* has published some statistics to show that France consumed, in proportion to population, less coffee than any other nation. Will the *Gazette* now set on foot an inquiry as to what it is that the French consume under the name of coffee, or is that sufficiently well known?

The late Arthur McArthur of Limington, Me., was an eccentric character. Soon after graduating from Bowdoin college he received a communication from the president announcing that the degree of A. M. had been conferred upon him. He took no notice of it for fifty years, when he wrote to the president as though he had just received the announcement, and, enclosing the fee, asked that his example of promptness in attending to his correspondence might be copied and the parchment forwarded without delay.

People who fear that they may possibly be buried alive will be glad to know that Dr. Donchet, one of the leading physicians of Paris, has obtained a prize from the French Academy of Medicine, for his discovery of a method by which to distinguish real from apparent death. The discovery is thus explained in one of the medical bulletins: When the temperature falls to 20 degrees above zero, centigrade or 68 degrees Fah., death is certain. Now Dr. Donchet has devised a thermometer, which he calls a necrometer, so graduated, that, if, when placed under the armpit of a person supposed to be dead, it marks zero, then life is indeed departed beyond any possibility of a mistake. Of the merits of this ingenious device, so far as any experiments or performances are concerned, no account is given.

John D. Lee, who is accused of having been the principal actor in the massacre at Mountain Meadow, and is now in jail in Utah, waits his trial hurried up—so that he can prove his innocence of the charge, and do something to support his sixty-two children. He also wishes to leave his progeny the legacy of a spotless name. He is sixty-two years old, and is a native of Randolph county, Ill. He was a gambler in early life, married young and joined the Mormons at Nauvoo in 1836. He has been the husband of over a dozen wives, and has several scaled women besides. John D. Lee is a man of family, and he thinks himself persecuted to the injury of those dependent upon him. His property is nearly all gone, he having only 150 horses left and a few wagons. Twenty-four of his children are absolutely dependent upon him, the oldest of these being but 16 years of age. He will conduct his own case before the courts, and has no doubt that he will be able to get a verdict of "not guilty" even before a jury of Gentiles.

From the St. Louis Republican's Report of Mrs. M. H. Burnham's Lecture.

AN ANGEL IN THE FORM OF A DWARF.—In her defense of the stage and actresses, she mentioned two burlesque blondes—English girls whom she had known with the Lydia Thompson troupe.

They had been cared for by a maiden aunt Patty, who had raised and educated them. They were honest, pure girls, though they were in the blonde burlesque business, and they told the lecturer the story of their lives. She learned to love that old aunt Patty.

When she went to England she found the burlesquers, and they said how much Aunt Patty wanted to see her, and then the confession was made that Aunt Patty was a dwarf, who, when the mother of the girls died, had exhibited herself as a dwarf for fourteen years in the side-show of a menagerie and circus to support those two girls and three others, five nieces in all. Mrs. Burnham's description of the old dwarf ended with a dash of feeling which would have done credit to Dickens. "And, thank God, not one of those five girls have failed in the devotion of their lives to that Christian woman, whose heart was as that of a giant throbbing for those little ones in the coarse casket of a dwarf." And again: "I shall find Aunt Patty, that fearful looking-dwarf, in Heaven, as surely as I shall not find some very good-looking people whom I know very well on earth."

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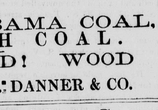

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ALABAMA NEWS.

Messrs. Woolsey & Sons have been appointed bankers at Selma for the State of Alabama.

Since the first of December, the Probate Court of Madison county has issued marriage licenses to 26 white and 21 colored couples.

Dr. R. S. Williams, near Mt. Meigs, had his corn crib, with twelve or fifteen hundred bushels of corn, destroyed by fire last week.

The *State Journal* hopes the water pipes will be put in the capitol building. It will only cost about $300 to $400, and will save that amount in insurance in one year.

Barbour county has sent a white man to the penitentiary for two years for pulling down and carrying away a school-house, which he had built and for which he could not get his pay.

H. H. Howell, Esq., of Notasulga, raised this year six hogs, weighing nearly nineteen hundred pounds; a little over three hundred pounds apiece, and fed them on home made corn.

As Mr. John Parish, living in Hamburg, was returning from Marion last Saturday evening, and when near his house, his horse, by some means fell, Mr. Palsh being underneath, received some very severe injuries, from which he died Sunday night.

Caroline Smith, colored, was last week convicted in the criminal court of Dallas county of murder in the first degree, and sentenced to the penitentiary for life. She threw her own infant in the Alabama river and drowned it, some months since.

After a long and tedious trial in the case of Fortune Gilmer and Charles Wesley, negroes, charged with killing Mr. Stranss, was closed in Montgomery on the 24th. Justice Fuller committed them to jail without bail, without hearing the closing speech of the prosecution.

Prof. Raebald is exhibiting a bear in Eufaula. The Prof. captured him in his infancy three years ago in California. The bear weighs 400 pounds, is well trained, and by a command from the Professor, goes through the manual of arms and performs other tricks.

The *Blade* says Tuscaloosa is going through a spasm of improvement. The paroxysm is the most general ever felt since the war, and seems to be contagious. Even old New-Town appears to have caught the beneficial infection. Many new buildings are in process of finish.

Mr. John Chaver, who resides near Olney, in Pickens county, is 83 years old. He has always voted the Democratic ticket. At the last election he rode several miles in order to deposit his vote for the Democratic party. Mr. Clayton was married to his present wife in 1814.

The day before Christmas, Miss Katie Putnam, who was playing in Selma, sent a very liberal contribution to the Confederate Memorial Association. The ladies reciprocated by sending her a very handsome bouquet. Mr. D. M. Calloway was commissioned to present the bouquet and fulfilled the mission in his usual gallant and courtly manner.

MISS JEANIE PATTERSON.—The accomplished elocutionist gave two readings in Huntsville, last week, to appreciative audiences, who were delighted with her personal beauty and graces, and her beautiful rendition of numerous selections, prose and poetical. The *Democrat* says her articulation is clear and distinct, her emphasis and expression of sentiment admirable, her modest self-possession, unambitious mien, and general *impressment*, captivating to all spectators and auditors of discriminating taste.

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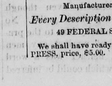

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DAILY TRIBUNE

MOBILE, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1874

THE MOBILE DAILY TRIBUNE
May be seen on file at the Newspaper Reading Rooms of Messrs. BUTTON & Co., Union Square, New York City.

The St. Louis *Dispatch* thus snubs General Sherman's aspirations to the Presidency: "No epaulettes need apply."

There are eight metals—indium, vanadium, ruthenium, rhodium, palladium, uranium, and iridium—more valuable than gold.

The St. Louis papers demand that somebody nominate a President now, that we may know all about him at the next election.

A statue of Lor[illegible] is soon to be placed in Parl[illegible]ace, London, near that of Lord [illegible] recently unveiled by Mr. Disraeli.

Gen. and Mrs. McClellan are voyaging on the Nile, and will remain in Egypt this winter. Mrs. McClellan has been quite restored to health.

The death of General H. H. Heath at Lima, Peru, on the 14th ult., is much regretted. He for some time edited the first English paper published at Cal'ao.

Offenbach is described as a slightly built, refined looking gentleman, with a decided Jewish physiogomy and a general aspect of ill health and melancholy.

The magnificent picture of Giullo, Romano, known as "The Nativity," which was one of the Louis XIV, collection, has just been cleaned and replaced in the grand hall of the Louvre in Paris.

Several hundred horses have died recently in Monterey county, California, from eating a poisonous plant, called rattleweed, which produces symtoms similar to those produced by insanity.

Paul Bambry, the painter, is soon to make a special exhibition of the panels which he has executed for the new opera house in Paris. The pictures are 32 in number, and some of them are 20 feet in length.

Two ex-kings have taken houses in Paris for the winter—Francis I of Naples, and George V of Hanover—the latter of whom has just failed in the negotiations for the marriage of his son with the Princess Thyra, of Denmark.

An accident has happened to Rubens' "Assumption of the Virgin," in the gallery of Dusseldorf. This picture, of colossal dimensions, is painted on wood, and two large cracks have made their appearance. One of them across the face of the Madonna.

In Germany the growers and sellers of Rhine wine are about to petition the Reichstag to lay a heavy duty on French wine, because their own trade suffers by the competition; that is, they intend to ask Government to compel the people to give up a good and cheap beverage out of regard to the commercial interests of a class.

On his arrival in London Bazaine called at the house of the Duke of Cambridge, the commander of the British army, and inscribed his name in the visitors' book. And it is further chronicled that "on learning the fact upon his return home his Royal Highness expressed his feelings in that forcible language in which he is said to be accustomed to indulge when highly incensed or annoyed."

Baltimore young men never become President. A woman writes of them: "With all a woman's prejudice in favor of men, I must say that the young men of Baltimore are the dullest, the flattest, and most uninteresting that it has ever been my fortune, or rather misfortune, to encounter. Their conversation rarely ever ascends higher than the last party, the last wedding or the next ball. All their clothes seem to be cut out of the same patterns, all their faces shaved by the same barber. They pay the same stale compliments; they use the same slang, one and all."

Vermont has had the reputation of being the breeder of many fine sons, but if the Rutland *Globe* is correct the same soil has produced several men of the other sort. It says; "Mat Carpenter is a Vermonter, we are sorry to say, but we also reckon among our sons such distinguished names as William Pitt Kellogg, the *de facto* Governor of Louisiana; Joe Smith, Brigham Young, and a host of others who have left their native state for Vermont's good. It is reasonable to conclude that they, one and all, behaved themselves while residing under the shadows of our mountains, because they were here to fame and fortune unknown; when, however, they emigrated, they all acquired comfortable competencies and a reputation not at all savory."

Contemporaries.

The Mobile *Register* and *Our Gossip*, in a late issue say:

THE MOBILE TRIBUNE.—It is ever pleasant to say good words of a valued friend and neighbor, especially when those words are true. We have before complimented the Mobile TRIBUNE for its tact and vigor. It fears none, while it offends none; and it appeals to better sense and better interests of our community in ably written articles that have the [illegible]ng and lilt of a well known style, ever familiar in the front of political, as formerly of actual battle. In Mr. Saffold Berney the TRIBUNE has a proprietor and manager whose name is synonym for gentle demeanor, tempered by firm judgment.

Under these circumstances it is not strange that the TRIBUNE begins to show signs of practical progress at home and to make an echo abroad. In proof of the latter, Commodore Vanderbilt has recently enclosed his check for subscription all the way from New York; and other far away friends are sending their favors. Success to the TRIBUNE!

We deeply appreciate the kindly spirit which has dictated the foregoing flattering notice—undeserved as it may be—but the more highly valued for that reason.

It has been the aim of the TRIBUNE under its new management, to cherish towards its elder brothers those feelings of respect which contribute so much to the amenities of life. Indeed, Mobile has grown to be a city of such commercial importance that, while there is ample room for the success of two or more daily papers, she would frown down the petty squabbles and unworthy rivalry which only belong to the smaller class of village newspapers and her liberal spirit and discriminating judgment would soon become offended at a course so ill-adapted to her taste and the high-toned chivalry of her people.

Besides these reasons, former and long acquaintance, and even occasional co-operation with the able editor of the *Register* would preclude any idea—even the most distant—of entering the field as his antagonist, as there is not a principle advocated by that popular paper which is not held in common by the TRIBUNE.

If this present experiment of ours should ever succeed—of which the prospect is most encouraging—we can only say that it has been undertaken with a view to aid and not to obstruct the efforts made by our contemporary to save country, State and family from a ruin which would engulf us all equally under its sweeping waves.

The field before us all is not one where money may be gathered, but one where each man feels that he is fighting his own battle and where to refuse such powerful ally would be equivalent to madness.

The salvation of our Federal institutions, the reconstruction of our own society upon the basis of moral and political independence are the sole objects which, in common with the *Register*, this paper holds paramount to all and it would be treason to race and country to adopt any course not already gloriously followed by our able contemporary.

Whenever we shall happen to differ from him—of which there is no probability—it will be merely as to the means and not as to the ends, and such differences will be conducted in the spirit of fairness which her justly established reputation deserves as well as with that courtesy which the character of i s editorial management has so long and so justly commanded.

We have also to thank another able and kind contemporary — the *Gossip*—that sheet—apparently frivolous, but really earnest and true in all that can conduce to the good of our city, and which, under the light form of mild satire, is steadily inculcating amongst our citizens a love for the beautiful, the pure and the useful which cannot fail to bear valuable fruits. We return to both the *Register* and the *Gossip* our sincere thanks for their kind notice of us, and if they have pierced through the veil of our impersonality, we can assure them and the public that we will strive to justify their flattering expectations.

SANITARY.

As soon as the new Boards enter up. on their work, we expect to see them turn their attention to the latent causes which, at times, have unfortunately helped or even generated the spread of diseases.

Prominent amongst these is the absence of pure water for family and domestic uses, and we will not cease our advocacy of a more extended system of public water works, until success crowns our efforts.

The late spell of small-pox which has caused so much uneasiness and perhaps so much injury to our trade, has again demonstrated the well known fact that wherever impure water is being used, the seeds of disease spread with alarming alacrity, while on the other side, in those portions of the city where a full supply of pure liquid is obtainable, the progress of such epidemic is checked in its incipiency.

It is not our desire to advocate that, in common with almost every large community in the world, the city should undertake the purchasing or building of new aqueducts and reservoirs for the public; the condition of our finances, unfortunately, does not justify for the present any additional outlay, but it is well known that the profits to be derived from the privilege of supplying that most essential element of health and life are such as to induce capital from abroad to engage in the enterprise, and that what the city proper would have to pay for the use of public fountains, the extinguishment of fires, and the supply of her own buildings, streets and squares, would be more than counterbalanced by the profits made in the abolition of Sanitary Boards, Pest Houses and Health Officers, while the increased population attracted within her borders by the necessary improvement would repay, a hundred fold, the small yearly expenditure necessary to create it.

We sincerely hope that the Boards will give their earliest attention to this vital question and bear in mind that no city, however wasteful her expenditures, has ever had occasion to regret those which went to furnishing her with "Light and Water," that is to say, with health and security.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT.

This Court opened yesterday, with a large array of Counsel, but with a rather slim civil docket, the cases not exceeding fifty-five on the law side and about twenty in chancery. There was a large attendance of jurors, from whom eighteen were chosen—twelve whites and six colored—a pretty fair proportion of the relative numbers of the two races, since we now have to count men by "race" and no longer by "worth."

Judge Woods presided in his usual dignified and courteous manner and, being called upon by the District Attorney, to administer to the Grand jurors what is known as the "Ku klux" oath, did so without seeming to be particularly struck with the use or beauty of the thing; but,—having no discretionary power when applied to by the District Attorney, he ruled accordingly. It is of course a matter of very little importance, as the present grand jury consists of a majority of men generally well known; yet, we cannot refrain from remarking that this odious feature of the Act of 1871 has never been insisted on by any of the previous district attorneys, and that even Judge Busteed—in one of his few good moods—severely rebuked the spirit which had dictated it. Of course, as the District Attorney is Southern-born and has taken an active part in the "Rebellion," he must have had good causes for insisting upon a clause of the law which does not make it obligatory, but simply optional with him to enforce or to waive it.

The Judge then proceeded to charge the jury and it gives us infinite satisfaction to record that his charge was, in every respect, stamped with a spirit of liberality, fairness and justice seldom excelled. It was in fact such a charge as we expected from him, after the ebullition of feeling consequent on the New Orleans trials had passed, but for which his later action in Georgia had fully prepared us.

The Judge instructed the jury that neither passion, prejudice, fear or affection should bias their action, and that, unless the "ex parte" evidence given before them should be such that any petit jury would, under it, feel bound to convict, they were to release the accused, even though morally believing them guilty. No allusion was made by him to the pretended "outrages" against any men or set of men; neither was a word breathed from which could be inferred that the Judge belonged to any political party whatever; but it was, on the whole, the charge of an upright, impartial judge.

The Grand Jury are now in session and meanwhile, civil cases will be tried by consent, when the docket will be taken absolutely, and lawyers have a chance for a fair fight.

BY TELEGRAPH.

FOREIGN.

ENGLAND.

FEARFUL NAUTICAL DISASTER.

LONDON, December 28.—Advices from Madeira report that the Cospatrock, an emigrant ship, from London for New York was burned at sea. It is feared that 500 lives are lost.

Later—A despatch from Madeira says 456 persons were lost on the Cospatrock.

SPAIN.

FAMINE—CARLISTS.

MADRID, December 38.—Food is reported to be very scarce at Pampeluna. All known Carlist sympathizers are being expelled from that city.

GERMANY.

GERMANY VS. DON CARLOS.

LONDON, December 28.—The *Times'* Berlin correspondent says the question is being discussed at Berlin whether it is possible to punish the Carlists for the outrage of the seizure of the German ship Gustav. Advices from San Sebastian are to the effect that the Gustav is deeply embedded in the mud, and that the Carlists were busily engaged in unloading her. The Captain of the Gustav was slightly wounded by the Carlists.

DOMESTIC.

LOUISIANA.

DEATH OF D. C. BYERLY—A DUEL INTERFERED WITH.

NEW ORLEANS, December 28.—Daniel C. Byerly, who was stabbed in a collision with ex-Governor Warmoth, is dead. Byerly was a printer, and came to New Orleans in 1845. He was 48 years old, and at the time of the unfortunate occurrence was managing editor of the Bulletin. A duel was pending between Mr. Jewell, of the Bulletin, and ex-Governor Warmoth, which was to have been fought to-morrow in Alabama. Weapons, duelling pistols; distance ten paces.

BURIAL OF BYERLY.

Eighty carriages and hundreds on foot followed Mr. Byerly to his grave.

WASHINGTON.

CLERICAL DISMISSAL.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Some four hundred clerks have been discharged from the printing bureau. In this instance McCarter, Superintendent abandoned the custom of the government in such cases, and instead of placing the discharges on the desks of the unfortunates to meet them when they came to work, causing many distressing scenes, the dismissals were quietly sent to the homes of those dismissed.

MINISTERIAL SUICIDE.

Rev. J. N. Coombs, a Presbyterian minister, committed suicide to-day. Aged 48. His wife was insane and the gentleman had many troubles.

SHERIDAN AS DICTATOR.

It is mildly but positively stated in the taverns that Sheridan will be in New Orleans on the 4th of January as a "visitor," with orders in his pocket from the President, to be promulgated at General Sheridan's discretion which will give him immediate sway in that section. This is probably true. On dit, that the President shirks the responsibility of ordering General Emory through General McDowell. In an emergency the President wants a man there who will do the work without involving the President before the country.

AFFAIRS IN NEW ORLEANS.

The killing of Byerly by ex-Governor Warmoth occasions much comment here to-day among all classes and fears are expressed that it may lead to a general disturbance, but gentlemen from New Orleans do not apprehend such a result. While they admit that the quarrel between these parties increases the prevalent uneasiness, there are, they say, no indications of a contemplated organization for resistance to the decisions of the Returning Board. In fact the most prominent Democrats in New Orleans have counselled the contrary. There is fear, however, that rash conduct on the part of a few might precipitate a collision of arms among the many, and thus lead to active Federal interference.

THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF LOUISIANA.

It is known that the Executive Department is watching the course of events in Louisiana, and has recently received much private information on the subject; and further, that the President has earnestly expressed his determination to preserve the peace. The Legislature meets 4th of January, when it is expected a tern opposition will be made in the House of Representatives to the rulings of the Returning Board, and to this time prominent persons here are looking with much solicitude. There is no determination as yet as to the superseding of General Emory. To recall him now and send another to take his place would, it is said, appear as if the Executive were preparing for a conflict which may not take place, and would also increase the present excitement, but there is some color to the report that should it become necessary, Lieut.-Gen. Sheridan would proceed to New Orleans and assume command. If rumor is to be credited, he will be in proximity to New Orleans on the day of the meeting of the Legislature. While care will be taken to do nothing to inflame the public mind, the Government will be prepared to act in such a manner as the circumstances may require.

CONGRESSIONAL DEATH.

Congressman Crocker of the Tenth Massachusetts District is dead, aged 71 years.

NEW YORK.

SMUGGLING.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Sixteen large cases, containing smuggled opera glasses, silver ware, etc., valued at $12,000 to $15,000, were seized yesterday by special treasury agents. The sworn contents of boxes were shells manufactured into boxes, work-baskets, etc., the value of each box being stated at about $40.

DYING.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Gerritt Smith is dying of apoplexy.

MARINE.

The bark Alabama, from Charleston, previously reported at Falmouth in distress, had her fore and main topmasts carried away, and her bulwarks and part of her stanchions stove in. The bark Melina, from Wilmington, N. C., which arrived at Liverpool yesterday, had her bulwarks stove in and her cabin damaged.

GLENDENNING.

Rev. Mr. Glensenning declines to preach until his appeal from the Presbytery is heard by the Synod.

ILLINOIS.

SHERIDAN AGAIN.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—General Sheridan, who is still here, yesterday informed an interviewer that he had no instructions about Louisiana.—He says the story of his departure for New Orleans is totally unfounded.

INDIANA.

FIRE.

BATESVILLE, Dec. 28.—Schroder & Co's furniture factory is burned; loss $100,000. On tenements burned there are losses of $25,000. Nearly everybody in town depended upon the factory for support.

New Advertisements.

G. M. PARKER & SON,

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AGENTS FOR PLANT'S FLOURS, DAVIS & EMMONS' FLOURS, G. C. THILENIUS' FLOURS, DUFFIELD'S HAMS, JOHNSON'S "CROWN" HAMS, WHITTAKER & SONS' MEATS, UNDERWOOD & CO.'S MEATS, NAPHEY'S LARD, in tierces, kegs, wooden buckets and tin pails, TROUP FACTORY OSNABURGS, YARNS AND CHECKS; FAIRBANKS' SCALES, JEFFREY'S EDINBURGH ALE.

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Frank Stone's Independent Line.

Clear bills of Lading signed.

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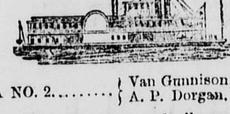

EMMA NO. 2.......... } Van Gunnison, Master, } A. P. Dorgan, Clerk,

will leave for the above and all way landings TUESDAY EVENING, Dec. 29, at 5 o'clock.

For freight, apply to
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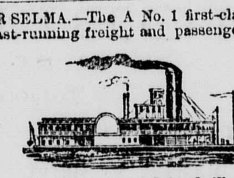

MARY .... } John Quill, Master, } Neil James, Clerk,

Will leave for the above and all intermediate landings THIS (Tuesday) EVENING at 4 o'clock.

For freight apply to
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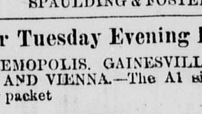
Regular Tuesday Evening Packet.

FOR DEMOPOLIS, GAINESVILLE, WARSAW AND VIENNA.—The A1 side-wheel, passenger packet



ATLANTA.......... } H. R Johnston, Master, } Gray Mooring, Clerk,

will leave as above on TUESDAY, 29th inst. at 4 o'clock P. M.

For freight or passage apply on board.

Freight, to Demopolis and below, 2-bits per barrel, wet and dry; freight above Demopolis, 4-bits per barrel, except Whiskey and Molasses, 6-bits per barrel. de29 1t

NOTICE.

BANK OF MOBILE,
MOBILE, Dec. 24th, 1874.

AN ELECTION for nine Directors to serve this Bank the ensuing year will be held at the Banking House on Monday, fourth of January next, between the hours of twelve M. and two P. M.

WM H. PRATT, President.

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POLICE NOTICE.

SPECIAL ORDERS FOR NEW YEAR'S EVE.

OFFICE CHIEF OF POLICE,
Mobile, Dec. 29th, 1874.

Thursday evening, December 31st, 1874, being the time set apart by our Mystic Societies for the celebration of one of their Grand Pageants, the following orders are hereby published, so that ample opportunity is afforded those who wilfully violate the law, to be apprised of the penalty for so doing:

I. All persons found drunk on the streets, or acting in a disorderly manner, or carrying concealed weapons, will be promptly arrested and confined in the Guard House.

II. All persons found discharging fire-arms, torpedoes, or any other article intended as an interruption, or interference with the Parades, while on the march, will be promptly arrested.

III. It has been suggested to me, through different Societies, to have all drays, cabs, carriages, &c., off Royal street from 7 o'clock P. M. until the procession has passed. This is asked of all owners of cabs, carriages, &c., as a special favor.

IV. A strong Police force of this City will be on duty. The officers and men will see that these orders are strictly obeyed, and no excuse will be taken for any dereliction of duty in this respect.

S. CHARPENTIER,
Chief of Police.

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NOTICE OF ATTACHMENT.

EMILE P. VERBECK vs. JOHN J. WHEADON.

Whereas, E. P. Verbeck having applied to me in due form of law for an attachment against the property of John J. Wheadon, and having obtained the same, and it appears to me that the said John J. Wheadon is not a resident of this State, and his residence is unknown to me; now the said J. J. Wheadon is hereby notified of the pending of said attachment, and the same has been levied on as the personal property of the said J. J. Wheadon, and if the said J. J. Wheadon does not appear before me, at my office in the city of Mobile, in Mobile county, and State of Alabama, on the 7th day of January, 1875, at 12 o'clock M., and defend the same attachment, I will proceed to give judgment on the said attachment in the same manner as if the said J. J. Wheaden was present to answer and defend the same; and I will, as the law directs, award execution, order of sale, or other process, as the cause may require.

Given under my hand and seal, at my office, on the 7th day of December, 1874.

A. W. McCORMICK,
N. P., ex-officio J. P., M. C.

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PLANTATION AND RESIDENCE FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

Having determined to change my business, I offer for sale my Plantation near Spring Hill, in Pickens county, Alabama. The place is six miles from Pickensville, and nine miles from Carrollton, and contains about 400 acres, 225 of which are under fence, and about 75 acres of creek bottom to clear. It is a valuable cotton and grain farm, well watered, healthy, and located in one of the best neighborhoods in the county, near an excellent school and convenient to churches. There is an excellent residence on the place, with other good improvements, gin house and screw, and storehouse and lot. There are forty acres of peaches and other fruits in bearing condition. The above property will be sold or exchanged for town property in Mobile. Price $2,000. Apply to the Graphic, or to

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On Steamer Lula D.

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OFFICE—In Company's Building, No. 26 St. Michael street.

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Official Drawings
—OF THE—
Mutual Aid Association.

CLASS 918..........	December 28, 1874—Morning
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DAILY TRIBUNE.

MOBILE, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29 1874

ADVERTISEMENTS UNDER THESE HEADS INSERTED AT TWENTY-FIVE CENTS EACH INSERTION, CASH.

LOCAL NEWS.

TO OUR READERS.

Those of our subscribers who do not receive the TRIBUNE regularly, or who receive it late, will confer a favor by calling at the office and reporting the fact. Unless they do, it is impossible for the management to rectify errors.

PERSONAL.

We thank our spicy and wide-awake little contemporary — THE GOSSIP—for a most flattering allusion to the TRIBUNE, in its Christmas issue.

UNIVERSAL ORDER NO. 3.

Be it Known, To my faithful subjects in city and in country, that I have appointed these, my well loved and loyal, to assist at my forthcoming High Festival, on January 1st, 1875, as

BALL COMMITTEE:

Dr. Rhett Goode,

Maj. A. Proskauer,	Geo. Goldthwaite,
J. Fleetwood Foster,	Jno. C. Ruse,
M. Primo,	Carle Eglinger,
Maj. T. K. Irwin,	T. T. Dorman,
Russell Riley,	James Gibson.

By order of FELIX, the Emperor.

MOMUS,
Signat, Master of the Revels.

JOCUNDUS, Pæster. de29

UNIVERSAL ORDER, NO. 5.

To Our Subjects:

FELIX, Sublime Sovereign, declares that there will be only a *LIMITED* number of admissions to his High Festival on New Years' Night. All who desire to secure cards must apply promptly, *in writing*, to me, his servant, before the Night of Joy, January 1st, 1875.

MOMUS, P. O. Box 826.

Signat,
JOCUNDUS, Pæster. de29

NEW DRY GOODS.—P. H. Pepper & Co. are offering great bargains in Lace Curtains, Window Shades, Black Silks, Alpacas, Fancy Dress Goods, Blankets, Flannels, Kid Gloves, Corsets, Hosiery, Domestics, Calicoes, Shawls, etc. The attention of close buyers is solicited.

DRESS BALL.—We feel complimented by the receipt of a ticket for a Military Dress Ball, to be given by the German Fusilier Company, at Armory Hall, on the 11th proximo. From what we know of the gallant Fusiliers, we are sure that it will be an enjoyable occasion.

CHRISTMAS.—Our merchants will find the TRIBUNE a good and cheap medium for placing their Christmas stocks before the public. We are prepared to make liberal contracts for space in our columns, and respectfully invite investigation.

RECEIVED.—We acknowledge the receipt of an elegant missive, printed in colors and resplendent with blue and gold, stating that a musical instrument will ring our welcome on New Year Eve. We shall be there, for, if the card of invitation is so fine, what must the entertainment be.

Read about the Texas Grand Prize Concert, to be drawn at Houston, March 3rd, 1875.

THE EMMA NO. 2.—This neat and elegant stern wheel steamer, ably commanded by Captain Van Gunnison and sensibly managed in the office by A. P. Dorgan, will leave at five this evening for Demopolis, Candy's landing and Eastport. This favorite boat is A1 in all her appointments, is as comfortable as a big rocking chair and a fan on a hot day, and never fails to give satisfaction to both shippers and passengers.

BIG THROW.—Our firemen will be pleased to know that Mississippi No. 2 of New Orleans, has regained the champion horns by a throw, made last Sunday morning, of 321 feet and four inches, 100 feet hose, one and a half inch nozzle.

READERS.—Some people read newspapers as though they were afraid that they would not get five cents' worth; others watch a paper for telegrams and market reports; the ladies, Heaven bless them, read all the marriages and horrible murders; but the most eager readers are those than glance over the drawings of the Mutual Aid Association, No. 4 South Royal street, to see if their numbers have come out.

TABLEAUX.—Those who are charitably disposed can pass a most pleasant evening, and know at the same time that some poor mortal is blessed with assistance, by attending the tableaux to be given on the 30th, at the corner of Eslava and St. Emanuel streets. Enjoy yourself and do good also.

OFF THE TRACK.—A freight car was thrown off the track of the Mobile and Ohio road, at Sucarnochee station, last Sunday evening. No damage done. A similar accident occurred at the same station a few days ago.

MAYOR'S COURT—C. F. Moulton, presiding.

As usual upon Monday, the docket was lengthy and the crowd of idle spectators quite numerous. The morning was close and from the motley crowd, there came odors not of Araby the blest.

Susan Gaines, colored, was brought up for examination, as it was believed that she knew more about some missing articles of dress than an honest woman should. A pillowslip which was plainly marked with the name of the party who lost the property, was found in Susan's trunk, but as she proposed to show where she got it, the case was continued.

William H. Ching, charged with assault and battery. The full particulars will be found elsewhere.

George Coleman is a darkey who says he has a habit of talking out aloud to himself. George was the same boy that got into trouble about sending some things to a suspected felon in the guardhouse. Saturday, just as he was passing a policeman, George muttered, "put me in the guardhouse, will you, you ——" and very naturally, as no one else was near, the policeman thought George was talking to him and he promptly gathered him and took him to the guardhouse. That unfortunate remark, whether to himself or to the policeman, cost George just $20 or its equivalent in labor.

William Kelly and James Daily were two white men, arrested for vagrancy. Kelly protested that he was a railroad man and could prove it, that he was discharged only because work was slack and not from any fault of his own, and that since then he had tried, with Daily, who was also a railroad man to make an honest living as a tinker. The cases of these two men were turned over to the chief for further examination.

A young man was arrested for disorderly conduct, but he promised to leave the State and the judge gave him the chance.

The case of T. J. Kinney, charged with disorderly conduct, was transferred to a higher court as it proved to be of a serious nature.

Matt Price, charged with disorderly conduct, Mary Davis, colored, held for examination, and the cases of the two young men arrested for firing guns within the city limits, were all continued to this morning.

Tempe Brown, colored, another regular patron of this court, was up again charged with foul and abusive language and disorderly conduct. Temple got a heavy dose, $25 or 25 days hard labor.

Antony Wilky, was the old man who was arrested for causing the death of Sam Bivens, a negro who attacked Wilky by striking him over the head with a fence picket. The evidence showed that Bivens, who was a young and powerful fellow was drunk and was threatening to kill some one. He attempted to enter Wilky's gate when the latter struck him a blow that laid him out. The judge said he doubted if the case would be rated as even manslaughter, but he would hold the accused in the sum of $500, to answer any charge that the grand jury might bring against him.

THE ORPHANS.—There is no class in our community that appeals to the charitable with more just cause than the orphans. Deprived of their parents and all the circle of home enjoyments that makes childhood a dream of unalloyed happiness, they have faced the blasts of adversity and they feel their chilling effects. All ye, whose happy children gather around your hearthstones on New Year's eve, spare one thought for the Orphans, and, from that which you have, be it great or little, give to them. Set apart a little, and, visiting the Catholic Fair at Odd Fellows' Hall, do yourself the pleasure of doing a good deed that will be in the future a most pleasant remembrance. Do not forget the orphans.

CITY COURT.—Hon O. J. Semmes presiding:

The following cases were tried yesterday;

State vs. Charles Cox, burglary. Not guilty.

State vs. Charles Huff, malicious mischief. Nolle prossequied.

State vs John Grant, malicious mischief. Not guilty.

State vs. Robert Cameron, assault and battery. Not guilty.

State vs. August Oberhaus, receiving stolen goods, in two cases. Guilty Fined one cent in each case, and sentence reserved.

State vs. Geo. Landreaux. Nolle prosequied.

The following cases are set for to-day:

State vs. J. B. Barber.
State vs. Wm. Campbell.
State vs. A. Fitzpatrick.
State vs. Pauline Oberhaus.
State vs. Augustus Taylor.
State vs. R. Chatteaux, two cases.

A SUPPLY DEPOT.—Among the list of wholesale grocers in this city, there is no place that more resembles an immense supply depot than the tripple store of G. M. Parker & Son, at Nos. 42, 44, and 46, North Water street. Flour by the hundred barrels, hams by the cord, and of all the best known brands, bottled ale in barrels, lard in every style, osnabergs, yarns and checks, in fact a small town could live for awhile very comfortably upon the supplies that are piled up in their spacious building. Our country friends on purchases intent will miss it if they do not consult Parker & Son's list and scale of prices before purchasing elsewhere.

A BRUTAL ASSAULT.—A man, or at least a being resembling a man, was brought before the Mayor on yesterday morning, charged with an assault and battery. The principal witness, Col. E. M. Underhill, stated that on Saturday evening as he was going toward the Mobile and Ohio railroad depot, with his tin box and ticket book under his left arm, his right being still carried in a sling from the effects of a dislocation, he heard shrill screams and cries of distress proceeding from a house by the side of the street. He did not enter until he heard a woman's voice crying murder, and he then went in and found this man Ching, with his left hand twisted in a woman's hair, while with his right, he was dealing her heavy blows in the face, from which the blood was streaming down. With words of reproach, he addressed Ching, who, his taste for blood whetted, and his brutal passions intensified by liquor, turned with an oath on Col. Underhill, saying he was the man that once fined him and now (a brutal oath) he had him alone. Saying this the ruffian advanced toward Underhill who retreated until he could put down his box and draw a pistol, which he levelled at Ching warning him not to touch him or he would kill him instantly. At this Ching's wife and the little children came clinging around him and begging him not to kill their father. He told them he had no idea of killing him but he must not attempt to strike him. They then left him when Ching advanced again with a fury that seemed to know no bounds. Another glance down the cold steel barrel changed his mind apparently for he made no further advance. In concluding his testimony, Col. Underhill said he never saw a more brutal or cowardly attack upon a defenceless woman. Judge Moulton sentenced Ching to ninety days hard labor for the county, and for that time at least, his abused family will have peace.

RIVER NEWS.

It is hard to state just what the rivers above are doing, as the dispatches are contradictory. One states the rivers are rising, and another that the rivers are not swelling at all, but ready to go down. In the meantime, the boatmen can only do what they have been doing so patiently—and that is wait.

Everything was remarkably dull yesterday. It was sure enough "Blue Monday."

The only arrivals were the Emma No. 2, which came in about 5 o'clock, from Steele's Bluff, with 417 bales of cotton, and the Mary, from Selma, with 488 bales of cotton.

Since our last the Atlanta came in from Durden's Ferry, on the Little Bigbee, with 262 bales of cotton.

The boats leaving to-day are the Atlanta, Capt. Ham Johnson, for Vienna and as far above as the water will allow; the Mary, with Capt. O'Bannon, for Selma, and the Emma No. 2, for Demopolis, Candy's Landing and Eastport.

THE ATLANTA.—This irrepressible side wheel steamer, the representative of the "all alone line," will, according to promise, skip out to-night at 5 o'clock for Vienna and away up thar or tharabouts. Captain Ham Johnson, proposes to go as far after freight as the water will let him and shippers know that Captain Ham is all right. Gray Mooring is all business and the Atlanta, officers and all is A1 throughout. Sling down your freight before five.

THE MARY.—That is the nicest kind of a name and the boat is worthy of it too. Captain Quill has business here, oh Captain, and therefore Captain O'Bannon will act as high-cockalorum, and see the Mary through to Selma all right. Don't forget that the nice boat with the nice name goes at five sharp. Roll along your truck before that hour.

MOVING.—Seven car loads of emigrants, from the northern portion of the State, arrived here on Sunday evening, on their way to Texas. We hope that those two hundred restless souls will find all the peace and prosperity that they have fancied in the realms of Texas.

JUSTICE MCCORMICK.—The only case here was that of Prof. Leopold Wolfrom, a musician, who sued a well-known young man for damages, caused by his receiving a blow, on the afternoon of Christmas day, that knocked him down and fractured his left arm, thus preventing him from pursuing his avocation and earning his livelihood. The defendant compromised by agreeing to pay his doctor bills, and also to pay his necessary expenses until the arm was sufficiently recovered to allow him to resume his business.

THEY ARE COMING.—Already the city begins to fill up with strangers and eager whispers are heard respecting the splendors of the balls, the gorgerous costumes and majestic pageants of the mystics, and also the absorbing question "What do you think will be the subject?" We are glad to see the strangers, we welcome them heartily, and we do not err, we think, when we promise them a display equal to anything that even their imaginations have pictured.

THE WARMOTH-BYERLY AFFAIR.

Last Saturday morning, Mr. Dan C. Byerly, manager of the New Oaleans *Bulletin*, assaulted Ex-Governor Warmoth on the streets of New Orleans, when he was fatally cut by the latter. Mr. Byerly died about 10:30 that night, and was buried with great honors. He leaves a wife, but no children.

The origin of the difficulty is about as follows: An editorial appeared in the *Bulletin*, announcing that the *Picayune* had changed hands, and come under the control of Warmoth, who would use it in furthering his own designs. Warmoth answered in a card denying the statement; the *Bulletin* reiterated the charge; when Warmoth replied, denouncing Byerly, as "an unmitigated liar."

CONCORDIA DRAMATIC SOCIETY.—The long anticipated series of subscription performances commences to-night, at the Mobile Theatre, upon which occasion the following choice programme will be offered for the entertainment of Concordia's guests. The petite drama of Love in Humble Life, by the author of Sweet Home, and an intensely funny olio, in which the irrepressible Dave Levi sings his comic songs. Mr. June Spear and Mr. J. A. Jessel add their vocalisms, and the olio concludes with the button-bursting version of the Funnigan Guards. The evening concludes with a soiree dansante, under the magic baton of Prof. Schlesinger, a sufficient guarantee that the music will be all that could be desired.

All those who remember the delightful series of entertainments given last summer at Frascati, by the Concordias, will be eager to see them again, and we are sure that no one will regret an evening passed at their entertainment. Tickets can be had at the Theatre or of the members of the society.

IN FINE ORDER.—Some months ago Creole Steam Fire Co. 1 sent their Silsby steamer to the factory at Seneca Falls, N. Y., to be thoroughly overhauled and put in complete order. The engine is nickle-plated and wears the photo of the young lady whose name she bears in front in a neat frame. It is the Julia M. Soto, after the charming daughter of the foreman, Mr. E. J. Soto. The cost of refitting was nearly $3,000.

The Creole was to have a trial yesterday afternoon on the wharf, but as everything was not quite ready, the trial will take place to-day, if it is fair weather, at the big wharf at 3:20 p. m. Those who are interested in the "machine," will be sure to be present to see how their favorite works.

CIRCUIT COURT.—Hon. H. T. Toulmin presiding.

There was but one little case tried yesterday, and that was the case of J. D. Arrington vs William Burrows and Amelia Thomas. The case is for the possession of a piece of land comprising nearone and a quarter acres of land on the east side of the Mobile & Ohio Railroad, near Toulminville. Decided for the plaintiff.

Yesterday there was a new jury, and it was noticed that there were not so many professional jurors as usual. The united protest of the lawyers seems to have benefitted this business some.

ALL SMILES.—The weather yesterday was as changeable as a finished coquette. Alternately it smiled and wept till one could almost believe that spring was coming, instead of the New Years' revels.

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MOBILE CHARITABLE ASSOCIATION.

CLASS 910..........Morning, December 28, 1874

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CLASS 911..........Evening, December 28, 1874

72 | 75 | 18 | 7 | 11 | 41 | 61 | 20 | 49 | 48 | 51 | 32

CLASS 912..........Night, December 28, 1874

17 | 33 | 51 | 7 | 68 | 70 | 8 | 66 | 76 | 56

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A. O. MURPHY, Commissioner.

Special Daily Market Reports.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO D. H. MARKS & CO., General Merchandise Brokers, No. 9 St. Michael St.

NEW ORLEANS, December 28—11:30 A. M.—Corn active; mixed 90@92c; yellow 93@95c. Oats quiet and firm at 7½c. Bran quiet and steady at $1 20. Pork nominal at $19 50. Bacon nominal at 9⅝@12¼@13c. Molasses firm; fair 52@53c; prime 55@57c; choice 62c

CINCINNATI, December 28—12:15 P. M.—Pork a shade firmer at $19 25@19 37½. Bacon—fair jobbing demand at 9¼@9@11¼@11½@11¾@12c. Hams 13½@14½c. Cut Meats—demand fair at 6½@6¾@9⅝@9¾@10½c. Hogs—live firm; medium fair $7 05@7 15; good $7 20@7 35; bulk of sales at $7 20@7 30; receipts 4,853; shipments 577. Whiskey—iron-bound dull at 96c.

ST. LOUIS, December 28.—Flour unchanged. Wheat lower; No. 2 winter $1 05½@1 05¾. Corn quiet at 69½c on track. Oats steady at 60@62½c. Whiskey quiet at 97c. Pork nominal at $19 25@19 37½. Cut Meats firmly held; shoulders, loose, 8@8¾c; clear rib sides 9¾@9¾c: clear sides 9⅞@10c; dry salt packed 7@7¼@10@10¼@10½c. Bacon—nothing doing. Lard nominal at 13c. Other quotations unchanged.

MOBILE MARKETS.

[CORRECTED DAILY AT 3½ P. M.]

DAILY TRIBUNE OFFICE,
MOBILE, December 28, 1874,
Half-past Three, P. M.

COTTON.

Good Middling	14½@ c
Middling	14 @— c
Low Middling	13½@— c
Good Ordinary	13 @ c

Sales to-day 2,000 bales, and 1,000 Saturday evening. Market firm and dearer, with a strong demand and light supply of the upper grades; demand limited for the lower qualities.

GOLD.

Opening	111 @112
Closing	111¼@112

EXCHANGE.

STERLING.

Commercial, 60 days	5.34 @5.38½
Bank, 60 days	—@ —

DOMESTIC.

New York Bank Sight ⅛ dis.; Commercial 5-16 dis. New Orleans Bank Sight ⅛ prem. Commercial ⅛ discount.

OCEAN FREIGHTS.

Liverpool, sail, ½d. Coastwise ⅝c, nominal. Havre 1 1-16c. Bremen 1⅛c.

WHOLESALE PRICES STAPLE GROCERIES.

BACON, in casks—	
clear sides	— —@— —
c. r. s	nominal.
shoulders	nominal.
DRY SALT MEATS, in casks—	
clear sides	— @ —
c. r. s	10½@
shoulders	7½@7¾
HAMS, in tierces—	
sugar cured, canvassed	nominal. 14½
sugar cured, uncanvassed	13⅝@ 14
plain	12½@ 13
dry salt	— @ —
BREAKFAST BACON—	
sugar cured, canvassed	— @ —
ditto uncanvassed	16½@ —
LARD—	
in caddies	— @ —
in tins	— @ —
in buckets	16½@ 17
in kegs	16 @ 16½
in half bbls	15½@ 16
in tierces	14¾@ 15
PORK—	
per bbl	21 50 @22 00
MACKEREL—	
No. 1, in bbls	13 00 @13 50
half bbls	7 00 @ 7 50
kits	1 65 @ 2 00
No. 2, in bbls	11 50 @— —
half bbls	6 50 @ 6 75
kits	1 40 @— —
No. 3, in bbls	10 00 @10 50
half bbls	6 00 @ 6 25
kits	1 15 @ 1 20
SUGAR—(Louisiana, in hogsheads)—	
white clarified	10¾@ 11
yellow	10 @ 10½
prime	8 @ 8¼
fair	7 @ 7¼
common	6½@ 7
New York hards, (in bbls)	11⅝@ 12
MOLASSES—(Louisiana)—	
choice, in bbls	67 @ 70
half bbls	72 @ 75
kegs	77 @ 80
prime, in bbls	62 @ 65
half bbls	67 @ 70
kegs	72 @ 75
fair, in bbls	55 @ 58
half bbls	60 @ 63
kegs	65 @ 68
common, bbls	45 @ 46
half bbls	50 @ 57
kegs	55 @ 56
New York Syrups	55 @ 85
FLOUR—(in bbls.)—	
Plants extra or similar b'ds.	7 75 @ 8 00
choice extra	7 50 @— —
XXX	6 50 @ 7 00
XX	6 00 @ 6 50
X	5 50 @ 6 00
superfine	4 50 @ 5 00
MEAL—	
kiln dried, per bbl	5 00 @— —
city	4 25 @ 4 50
½ and 1-bush. bags, per b.	1 10 @
3, 4 and 5 " "	1 05 @
RICE—	
South Carolina, in tcs	8¼@ 8½
tierces	— @ —
Louisiana, in bbls	7½@ 8½
SALT—	
in sacks, fine	1 90 @ 2 00
coarse	1 45 @ 1 50
table, per case	5 50 @— —
COFFEE, Rio (Currency)—	
choice	23½@ [illegible]
prime	22½@ 23
fair	22 @ 22½
common	@ 21
COFFEE, Java (currency)	33 @ 35
La Guira	25 @ —
CHEESE—	
pine apple	26 @ —
English dairy	19 @ —
fancy cream	19 @ —
Western reserve	17½@ 18
New York factory	16 @ —
VINEGAR, in bbls., per gal—	
white wine	25 @ 30
cider	25 @ 30
SOAP—	
palm	5 @— 5½
STARCH	5½@— 6
SODA—	
American, in kegs	5½@— 6
English "	6½@— 6¾
Americas, assorted papers	6½@— 7
English, " "	7½@— 8
CANDLES—	
8's	17 @ 18
6's	17 @ 18
TOBACCO—	
common sound	46 @ 48
medium	50 @ 55
good medium	60 @ 65
bright Virginia	70 @ 80
extra No. 1	80 @ 90
Navys—bright Navy 4s. 5s.	52 @ 58
twist—com. and med. twist.	58 @ 65
fine Virginia twist	70 @ 80
smoking tobacco—common.	45 @ 48
medium	50 @ 55
better grades	60 @ 70
WHISKY—	
rectified, Mobile	90 @ 1 10
Western	— @— —
Dexter, in 25 bbl. lots	1 05 @— —
5 bbl. lots	1 08 @— —
POWDER—	
kegs	6 75 @ 7 00
halves	4 00 @ 4 25
quarters	2 25 @— —
SHOT—	
drop	2 30 @ 2 40
Buck	2 55 @ 2 65
LEAD	9 @ 10
PERCUSSION CAPS, per 1000—	
Ely's water-proof	80 @ 90
G. D	38 @ 40
musket	1 00 @ —
CONCENTRATED LYE, per case	6 75 @ 7 00
BLACKING, per dozen—	
Mason's	45 @ 75
French	— @ —
AXLE GREASE, per doz	1 25 @ 1 50
OILS—	
kerosene, in bbls., per gal	19 @ —
per case	2 75 @ 3 00
lard, in bbls., per gal	1 20 @ —
linseed, boiled, in bbls	— @ —
raw, in bbls	— @ —

REMARKS.—No Bacon. Dry Salt Shoulders ⅛c lower. Lard ¼@½c lower. White and yellow clarified Sugar ½c higher. Molasses 2@4c higher. Coffee ½@1c higher. Dexter Whiskey—dray load lots 2c off. Stocks good; business fair.

FEED.

CORN—From depot or wharf.	
Western—white	@ 1 15
yellow	@ 1 15
mixed	@ 1 15
Alabama, by car load	none.
For Corn from store, add handling ½c per bush.	
OATS—From depot or wharf.	
choice	82½@ 85
ordinary	77½@ 80
black	— @— —
mixed	— @— —
For Oats from store add handling 2½c per bush.	
HAY—From depot or wharf per 100 lbs.	
choice	1 60 @ 1 65
prime	— @— —
For Hay from store, add handling 10c per 100 lbs.	
BRAN—From depot or wharf per	
100 lbs	1 50 @— —
from store	1 65 @— —
STOCK PEAS—per bushel	1 25 @— —

REMARKS.—Stocks very light; demand light.

BALING STUFF.

BAGGING—	
Domestic, 2 lbs	13 @— —
" 2¼ lbs	13 @— —
" 2½ lbs	13¼@— —
Phœnix	13½@— —
India, in bales	12½@ 13
" rolls	12 @ 12½
TIES—	
Beard	7 @— —
Arrow	7 @— —
Branch, Crook & Co	7 @— —
Pieced Arrow	5½@— —
MACHINE SPUN ROPE	8¼@— 8½

REMARKS.—Market quiet. Supply ample. Only retail demand.

PRODUCE.

POTATOES—Irish, per bbl.	
early Rose	— — @— —
Peach Blow	3 25 @ 3 75
Russet	3 50 @ 4 00
POTATOES—Sweet, per bushel.	
yam	1 00 @ 1 25
Spanish	60 @— —
ONIONS—per bbl.	
silver skin	5 00 @ 6 00
red	3 50 @ 4 50
BUTTER—	
Goshen	40 @ 42
choice Northern	40 @ 42
" Western	30 @ 35
" country	25 @ 30
EGGS—per dozen	28 @ 30
DRESSED POULTRY, per lb	18 @ 20
POULTRY—per dozen.	
Western Hens, full grown	3 00 @— —
" half grown	2 00 @— —
country hens full grown	2 50 @ 3 00
" " half grown	1 50 @— —
broilers	1 00 @ 1 25
Ducks, Muscovy	7 00 @— —
" English	4 00 @— —
Geese	6 00 @ 7 00
Turkeys, old	12 00 @18 00
young	6 00 @ 9 00
PEANUTS—per bushel	nominal.
BEESWAX	25 @ —
TALLOW	8 @ —
HIDES	12 @ 13
WOOL—	
washed	32 @ 35
unwashed	28 @ 30
burry washed	17 @ 20
" unwashed	15 @ —

REMARKS.—Market overstocked and Produce of nearly every kind declined. Poultry a drug and sold only at a sacrifice. Eggs have advanced 2@5c, owing to the holidays.

LOSS OF TEXT IN GUTTER

[From the New York Sun.]

The Newspaper of the Future

There are two tendencies in our newspapers—one toward the purely intellectual side of journalism, making the newspaper a medium of opinions and intelligence; the other toward the merely commercial side, making it a convenience for the publication of advertisements.

The late Mr. Bennett was an original and peculiar man, and as long as he lived he made the intellectual predominate in his paper. We have known him on going away at night to give an order to leave every advertisement out of next day's edition if it should be necessary in order to make room for important news. This, however, is not the present policy of the Herald nor of the majority of our city newspapers. They all run after more advertisements and think more of them than of important news or brilliant wit or cogent logic in the editorial columns.

It is evident that this tendency to convert influential journals into immense advertising sheets can not go on forever. There will in time be a change. The public will grow weary of turning over a dozen pages of advertisements in order to get at two or three pages of reading matter.

Who will start a newspaper from which advertisements will be excluded? It will come some day, and then there will be journals for advertising alone, and others devoted to information and political and general discussion and not to advertisements; and these will probably be esteemed the true models of journalism. Meanwhile, let every body who is not fond of endless advertising sheets, read the Sun. We limit the number of our advertisements by charging a high price for them, and we do not hesitate to leave them out rather than leave out valuable news. As it is, they sometimes crowd us; and the day is not distant when the Sun will refuse a great many more advertisements than it publishes.

[New York Herald, 22d.]

An Effort in Behalf of Stokes.

The friends of Edward S. Stokes, who killed Colonel James Fisk two years ago, seem determined to leave no stone unturned in order to get him out of State Prison before his term expires. The last move, it would appear, was made by his father, who wrote a letter to Governor Dix some little time ago urging upon the Governor that, as his son would really on the 6th of January have been "imprisoned" for four years (the term for which he was sentenced), he (the Governor) should pardon the convict. Under date of the 17th inst. the Governor replied that as, according to the "calculation" made in the letter sent to him, the convict's term of imprisonment would not expire until six days after the expiration of his own term of office, he considered that fact "an insuperable obstacle" to any interference on his behalf. The calculation that Stokes, who was only sentenced on the 29th of October, 1873, a little over a year ago, will have served out his four years by the 6th of next month is a very ingenious one. First and foremost, it is claimed by his friends that he ought to be released because he was imprisoned from the 6th of January, 1872, when he shot Fisk, until October 29, 1873, when he was finally sentenced, after three trials, a period of about one year and nine months; secondly, that he has already served over one year at Sing Sing; and, thirdly, that according to the section of the State Prison Law of 1874, which gives the Wardens of the State prisons power to grant, "for good conduct," a commutation of from one to four months in every year of a convict's term of imprisonment he will be entitled to a commutation of two months on each of the first two years and four months on each of the last two years.

A side-show that has been going the rounds in East Mississippi, and which showed at Meridian last week, met with bad luck in this place on Monday night last. During the night their tent took fire and was entirely consumed. Their educated pig did not have intelligence enough to get out of the way, and consequently he was barbecued, it is supposed, as he can't be "called up."

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LOUIS STEIN, Superintendent nov6 2m Mobile City Water Works.

ALABAMA NEWS.

Mr. Thomas Casey, manager of the Montgomery Protective Store, instituted in the interest of the workingmen and their families, distributed 113 turkeys, and other nice things, free of charge, on Christmas day.

Col. Frobel's party has completed the survey of the Coosa from Will's creek below Gadsden up to Rome. Col. Frobel, has left the Coosa for Macon, from which point he will begin the survey of the rivers that lead to the Atlantic.

The Tuskaloosa *Blade* says: Cotton wagons have pretty well quit coming to our city, for the reason that the planters find it difficult to dispose of their cotton to the merchants, who, generally, want to buy at figures too low. Here is one thing that is helping to kill Tuskaloosa.

A law suit is progressing in Selma, involving the sum of $60,000. The case is R. M. Nelson, administrator of W. M. Gilmer, *vs* Mrs. Evelyn H. King, of Tuskaloosa. Counsel for plaintiff, Messrs. Brooks and Pettus; for defendant, Messrs. Morgan, White and Craig.

There were three hundred white emigrants at the Montgomery depot on the 24th, who came in on the Eufaula railroad. They were all bound for Texas, and were of the better class of farmers with their families. Some of the young ladies were well attired and handsome. They remained over till Christmas morning, so as to go in company with two hundred more who were to arrive on the South and North railroad.

The latest "Southern outrage," of which we are aware, is the ordinance of the city of Huntsville forbidding the explosion of fire-crackers, a time honored, inalienable right of Young America. The boys were terribly incensed at the cruel outrage, and declared that Christmas was nothing without fire-crackers. We are disposed to side with the boys, and to rebel against "the powers that be." It was especially hard on the merchants, who had laid in a large stock of pyrotechnics, not anticipating this tyrannical and oppressive edict.

A party of gentlemen starting from the plantation of Mr. Sistrunk, on the banks of the Tallapoosa, above Montgomery, ducks being their object, made very narrow escapes from drowning on Christmas day. As it was, a faithful negro boy, named Hailes, was drowned. In this boat Mr. Millard Westcott and Dr. Phillips were also passengers, who threw away their trappings, including guns, pouch bags, &c., and were only saved from a watery grave by the timely arrival of Mr. Sistrunk and his rescue party.

A few days since a freedman and his wife were drowned near Columbus, Miss. They were returning home from town and drove to the edge of the water to let their mule drink. The bank was quite soft and miry and on the mule trying to extricate himself from the mud the vehicle in which they were was drawn into the water and the man and his wife drowned.

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LOUIS STEIN, Superintendent
nov6-2m Mobile City Water Works.

ALABAMA NEWS.

Mr. Thomas Casey, manager of the Montgomery Protective Store, instituted in the interest of the workingmen and their families, distributed 113 turkeys, and other nice things, free of charge, on Christmas day.

Col. Frobel's party has completed the survey of the Coosa from Will's creek below Gadsden up to Rome. Col. Frobel, has left the Coosa for Macon, from which point he will begin the survey of the rivers that lead to the Atlantic.

The Tuskaloosa *Blade* says: Cotton wagons have pretty well quit coming to our city, for the reason that the planters find it difficult to dispose of their cotton to the merchants, who, generally, want to buy at figures too low. Here is one thing that is helping to kill Tuskaloosa.

A law-suit is progressing in Selma, involving the sum of $60,000. The case is R. M. Nelson, administrator of W. M. Gilmer, *vs* Mrs. Evelyn H. King, of Tuskaloosa. Counsel for plaintiff, Messrs. Brooks and Pettus; for defendant, Messrs. Morgan, White and Craig.

There were three hundred white emigrants at the Montgomery depot on the 24th, who came in on the Eufaula railroad. They were all bound for Texas, and were of the better class of farmers with their families. Some of the young ladies were well attired and handsome. They remained over till Christmas morning, so as to go in company with two hundred more who were to arrive on the South and North railroad.

The latest "Southern outrage," of which we are aware, is the ordinance of the city of Huntsville forbidding the explosion of fire-crackers, a time honored, inalienable right of Young America. The boys were terribly incensed at the cruel outrage, and declared that Christmas was nothing without fire-crackers. We are disposed to side with the boys, and to rebel against "the powers that be." It was especially hard on the merchants, who had laid in a large stock of pyrotechnics, not anticipating this tyrannical and oppressive edict.

A party of gentlemen starting from the plantation of Mr. Sistrunk, on the banks of the Tallapoosa, above Montgomery, ducks being their object, made very narrow escapes from drowning on Christmas day. As it was, a faithful negro boy, named Hailes, was drowned. In this boat Mr. Millard Westcott and Dr. Phillips were also passengers, who threw away their trappings, including guns, pouch bags, &c., and were only saved from a watery grave by the timely arrival of Mr. Sistrunk and his rescue party.

A few days since a freedman and his wife were drowned near Columbus, Miss. They were returning home from town and drove to the edge of the water to let their mule drink. The bank was quite soft and miry and on the mule trying to extricate himself from the mud the vehicle in which they were was drawn into the water and the man and his wife drowned.

DR. R. M. TINDALL.—The painful anxiety we have felt about the fate of Dr. R. M. Tindall, who was a passenger on the steamship Japan, announced burnt at sea, with fearful loss of life, is happily put at rest. His wife, at Okalona, has received from him the brief despatch—"I am safe." He was on his way to Canton, China, to take charge of the U. S. Consulate there, to which he had recently been appointed.—[*Meridian Mercury*, 27th.

LOSS OF TEXT IN GUTTER

DAILY TRIBUNE

MOBILE, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1874

THE MOBILE DAILY TRIBUNE
May be seen on file at the Newspaper Reading Rooms of Messrs. Button & Co., Union Square, New York City.

The St. Louis churches were beautifully decorated for Christmas.

They do not say a "pigeon" any more. They say a "Robert Dale Owen."

The *Financial Chronicle* estimates the cotton crop of 1874, at 4,170,000 bales.

A man who bit off another man's nose, was fined fifty dollars and costs at Mansfield, Ohio.

The last hope of dress reform has vanished. The suspended corset factory has resumed operations again.

Weston completed his 500 mile tramp on Saturday night, and it gives us great satisfaction to add that he went to church Sunday morning.

Taubert's new opera, founded on Shakspeare's "Twelfth Night," has been produced at Berlin with marked success. Its title is "Cesario."

Laundelet Williams profited by the Freedman's Bank to the extent of $15,000. What do our colored men say to this friendly act of "their best friend."

Boston has actually detailed a policeman to prevent vagrants from frequenting the public library during the winter, for the purpose of "warming up."

Christmas was a gala-day for the convicts at the Kansas penitentiary. The prisoners were furnished the usual turkey dinner with all the accompaiments, by an ex-convict.

A case has gone up to the Supreme Court from Lexington, Kentucky, involving the validity of the fifteenth amendment. It is to be argued on the 6th of January, and involves the right of colored citizens to vote.

Governor Dix, in the case of Stokes, said that the term of imprisonment must be calculated from the date of the sentence of the court, as in all other cases, and that the application for a pardon could not be entertained.

A memorial is circulating in New York and is numerously signed, asking for the repeal of the Shipping act of 1872. It will be taken to Philadelphia for more signatures and will be presented to Congress when it reassembles.

They are discussing at great length now in some newspapers the question of the social standing of Miss Neilson, the actress. From the points made on both sides it is tolerably evident that Miss Neilson has been the object of a good deal of attack.

Notwithstanding Gen. Sheridan's positive statements to the contrary, the St. Paul *Press*, of recent date, says: "There is no longer room for doubt that a considerable body of gold miners, well fortified, is at work in the Black Hills. The last arrival bringing these assurances is a Mr. Benz, of this state, who reached the Sioux City yesterday.

The New York Stock Exchange Governing Committee have voted that here after no bonds shall be admitted to the Stock Exchange list unless the same are engraved by a responsible note company. This is to prevent frauds by the forgers, who find the cheap lithographed bonds easier of imitation than the more costly and intricate engraved bonds.

An amusing scene occurred in New York Christmas. A bank messenger in endeavoring to leap across a pool of slush, slipped and fell, dropping a bag of gold which he was carrying. Two five dollar gold pieces escaped and rolled into the gutter and were lost to sight in the mud. In less than a minute's time, at least a hundred bootblacks, street sweepers and gamins were searching for the treasure. Pushing and displacing one another, they struggled to get their hands into the snow and dirty water. For an hour the search continued, but the money was not found.

The ward physicians of St. Louis complain that, although the cases of small-pox in that city are few, there is great difficulty in keeping the infected houses placarded. In some instances the placard is posted on the back door, in others on an obscure side door, and in others it is not put up at all. This is all because of a feeling that the placard is a disgrace. Again, there are occasionally two families tenanting a building—one occupying the upper floor, and the other the lower floor, or one occupying the forward part and the other the rear. If the disease troubles one family, the other objects most seriously to having its front door placarded, and then there is more trouble.

DEATH OF CAPT. CHANDLER S. SMITH.

Yesterday the sad intelligence of the death of this young Mobilean reached us. He died on the morning of the 28th inst., in Pascagoula, at the residence of his brother—Col. Melancthon Smith.

Capt. Smith was well known in this city, and his death will be deeply regretted by a large circle of friends. For several years, his health had been very feeble, exciting the tearful apprehension of those around him. The dark messenger found him prepared to go, and we have assurances that he died in the full fellowship of Christian faith.

Kind, brave, generous to a fault, there was no feeling but that of warm regard for Chandler Smith; and, in common with a host of others, we lay the laurel on his bier, and crown him—TRULY FRIEND.

THE KING.

Gotham has gone into ecstacies over the dusky King of the Sandwich Islands, and is lionizing him extensively. They took him out sleighing in Central Park; to witness the sights in the museum of natural curiosities; to the Normal College to see the girls at school; introduced him "On 'Change;" and wound up with the "Black Crook" in the evening.

Of the sleigh ride, the New York *Tribune* says:

At the Fifth-ave entrance to the Park sleighs were in waiting, and the party rode as far as the lower end of the lake. The ride was very short for the delay rendered that necessary. The friends of the King too, were somewhat afraid that he might take cold. He enjoyed the ride, however, very much, and expressed his delight to Alderman Galon, who rode with him. It was the King's first sleigh ride. The sleighing was excellent, and it was, perhaps, unfortunate that there was not time for a longer ride.

Of his visit to the museum:

He, the Superintendent, conducted them through the Museum, first pointing out the figure of the Arab defending himself against the lions. The birds, shells, and insects were then examined. King Kalakaua appeared to take much interest in the exhibitions, asking questions about some of the objects most remarkable for their beauty or form, and expressing his pleasure in a few words.

Of what he saw at the College:

At a signal a march was played on the piano, and eleven hundred young ladies filed into the hall, and passed down the aisles to their seats. The King was evidently pleased at the sight of their fresh faces. As soon as they were seated another signal was given, and one girl after another, seven or eight in all, gave with spirit a quotation.

Of the doings "On 'Change."

At length, a few minutes before 3 P. M., the royal party appeared. There was a large crowd in front of the Exchange, and the party were received with cheers. A lane was formed by the members, and through this the party passed. They were escorted to the platform and President Broadhead was introduced to the King by Alderman Galon. Meanwhile the brokers had gathered in front of the platform, and hailed the visitors with tumultuous cheers. Hats were thrown in air, and for a moment the assemblage seemed more like a gathering of lunatics than a party of gentlemen gathered to do honor to royalty. The King looked somewhat astonished at his reception, but, nevertheless, maintained his composure, and bowed repeatedly. He was introduced to the members by the President of the Exchange

Of how he behaved at the spectacular drama:

When the King was noticed in his box there was long continued applause from all parts of the theater, and some cheering. After this interruption the "Black Crook" proceeded and the King gave the closest attention to every part. He smiled at the drollery of Guppo, admired the scenery and the spectacular display, laughed heartily at the antics shown in the skating act, and his eyes followed closely every detail of the ballet, and the march of "the diamond warriors," whose weapons gave them a martial aspect decidedly at variance with their scanty costume. The extreme length of the dances did not seem to worry him, and he did not leave the theater until the curtain fell for the last time. After the second act cheers for the King were proposed and given, and in answer to the hearty applause the King rose and bowed. He afterwards went behind the scenes and inspected the mechanism of a great theater. After the play was ended he and his party were driven to the Windsor Hotel.

From all of which we infer that King Kalakaua had a "bully" time.

The bullion product of Nevada is estimated, next year, at $60,000,000, and that of California at $20,000,000. Under the specie resumption bill, just passed in the Senate and to be considered in the House on the 7th proximo, we shall have four years to prepare for exchanging paper for gold, and in that time we shall have added some $350,000,000 of gold and silver to our present supply. And if we can only keep half of our gold and ver at home, the precious metals will be so plentiful in 1879, that most people will prefer the legal tender to gold and silver.

TWEED.

So it seems after all and notwithstanding the numerous assertions to the contrary, that money will tell, even on Blackwell's Island. His honor, the mayor of New York, with the approval of his excellency, Gov. Dix, has just cut off the heads of the Superintendents of that prison: cause why? A few days after Tweed was transferred to the Penitentiary, he was permitted to put aside the prison dress, which all other prisoners were compelled to wear, and to dress in ordinary clothing. The prison dress he has not since worn. He is allowed the use of a room not in the prison proper, situated above the main entrance, one stair up. This room he has furnished almost entirely at his own expense. He is not confined to his room, being at liberty to leave it through the day when he pleases. He performs no duty, is in excellent health, requires no medical attendance, none of the prison physicians having visited him for the last four months. He walks in the grounds surrounding the prison without any restraint. He does not receive his meals as other prisoners, but at the residence of the Warden, which is about a quarter of a mile distant from the prison, and to the Warden's residence, Tweed goes three times each day at the usual meal hours. He takes these walks alone or in company of a keeper. He is permitted to receive all visitors he desires. No visitor is permitted to see him whom he does not wish to see. He receives visitors daily. He has a private secretary who has free access to him at all hours of the day, and with whom he passes considerable time. In short, Tweed is not treated as a prisoner, but as a guest, necessitated through force of circumstances to pass some time on the island, the officials of which are determined to make his stay among them as pleasant and agreeable as possible.

A PRETTY PAIR.

The Alabama "outrage" Committee held its first meeting in Washington Dec. 24th, and examined ex-Judge Keils of Eufaula and the notorious "Bob" Reid of Sumter County. The first individual testified that he had no personal knowledge of any intimidation before the November election, and then gave an account of the Eufaula riot which resulted in the death of his son. When asked if white Republicans were ostracised in Alabama; he at first replied that they were; but afterward admitted that this was only when they were prominent politicians.

Bob Reid, the other witness, was the leader of a negro band or club of 500 men which had its headquarters near Belmont, Sumter County. He admitted that such a club existed, and gave a very highly colored description of attacks that had been made upon its members. His whole story was of the same character as Hays's letter to Gen. Hawley, and will be found to dwindle like the three black crows when the Committee reach Sumter County and call the witnesses on both sides.

The Liquor Business.—In 1870, the United States expended for intoxicating liquors, $1,487,000,000. The sum expended in Alabama was or about $109 per head, over $21,750,250. Number of licensed drinking establishments in the United States, the same year, was 140,000—each of which is estimated to have had forty daily consumers, making 5,600,000 drinkers, each of whom spent from $75 to $1000. There were 560,000 persons engaged in the liquor business, of which 56,663 were employed in making and selling beer alone. There were 400,000 more persons engaged in the liquor business than in preaching the gospel and school teaching. The number sent to a drunkard's grave in 1870 is stated at 150,000, with 100,000 more sent to prison for acts induced by drunkenness.

In Montgomery the police prevented the shooting of pistols and letting off fire works at night during Christmas.

Montgomery merchants complain that trade never was so dull during Christmas week as it was this year.

BY TELEGRAPH.

FOREIGN.

ENGLAND.

London, December 29.—The burning of the Copspatrock is confirmed. There are only three known survivors—the mate and two seamen. These were picked up after being ten days in an open boat, subsisting in the mean time upon their companions. Besides her crew the Copspatrock had 4 cabin and 424 steerage passengers, who had emigrated under the Government regulations, and are supposed to have been lost. These Government emigrants were for the most part agricultural laborers who left England in consequence of the operation of the recent labor strikes. Many of them were married and accompanied by their families.

DOMESTIC.

NEW YORK.

New York, December 29.—The ship Forfarshire, now at this port, is one of the same line as the Copspatrock. The captain of the Forfarshire states that the Copspatrock had been employed in carrying troops to India, but of late she had been running to New Zealand. Her voyage previous to this last one was in carrying coolies from Calcutta to Demarara. She was valued at $60,000, and probably insured in London. He believed the Copspatrock had the same number of boats as the Forfarshire, viz.: two cutters, one longboat, two life boats, and one gig, capable of carrying 25 people. The Copspatrock's officers and crew probably numbered about forty persons.

A Williamsburg ferry-boat collided with a cattle boat in the fog killing one man and fatally wounding another.

[From the Graphic's London Letter.]

The Russian Empress and Queen Victoria.

I dropped into the Santiago for stimulants, and, while supporting the revenue by the consumption of a brandy-and-soda, listened to Moustachikoff and Sauer Kratenstein's indignant comments on the conduct of our royal mistress. The Empress of all the Russias appears to have left these shores in what, if she were some "demmed commoner," wouldbe called a huff, but as she has the good luck to be "Her Imperial Majesty," etc. I should perhaps style "disturbed equanimity." Joking apart, the Queen's neglect of her guests has been severely commented upon, and it would be well for her if some one was bold enough and honest enough to tell her how her intense selfishness is alienating the hearts of her people from her. Edmund Yates' new paper, the *World*, is making a furious onslaught on Balmoral and its environs, and if they could abolish John Brown and his fellow-cadgers I would vote Yates a statue of brass. *Apropos* of Brown, to give you an idea of his insolence, I will tell your readers a true tale. The Queen, on a recent occasion, was paying a visit to a great noble and high official. When the hour for her departure arrived her host observed that the carriage was at the door and the train waiting. Somebody, however, observed that Brown was not there. "Oh," said the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, "we must wait for him. I suppose he is finishing his morning pipe!" Now, Mr. Editor, a morning pipe is, *crede experto*, a very excellent thing, but the British people don't like it colored so very Brown, and Her Majesty's partiality for this common boor has had more to do with the feeling of dissatisfaction with the throne which undoubtedly prevails among certain classes than has been produced by all the speeches of Dilke, Bradlaugh & Co. I can only faintly hope royal eyes may one day be opened.

The *State Journal*, (Montgomery,) says: The tide of emigrants towards Texas continues to flow on every day. Every railroad train brings in crowds of them. We fear they will regret the step taken in leaving Alabama, especially as we noticed some who seemed to be of that class which must have owned their own farms and lived in peace and plenty.

Mr. Horn, of Sumter county, Ala., raised this year 200 bushels of Adams' Early Corn in his cotton field in Sumter with no additional cost except that of seed corn. He looks upon the corn as a clear gain, as he is satisfied that he produced not a single boll of cotton less than he would have done without the corn.

There has been a lynching at Paducah, Ky., and a little boy named Arthur Holmes has been one of the spectators. For days afterwards the event was uppermost in his mind. Taking his younger sister off into the woods, he suddenly whipped out a rope, adjusted a noose around her neck, put the line over the limb of a tree, and pulling her off her feet. After suspending her a few seconds he let her down, about half choked to death, and was solemnly adjuring her to confess to stealing horses when her father appeared. A sound spanking closed the scene.

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NOTICE.
BANK OF MOBILE,
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AN ELECTION for nine Directors to serve this Bank the ensuing year will be held at the Banking House on Monday, fourth of January next, between the hours of twelve M. and two P. M.
WM H. PRATT, President.
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POLICE NOTICE.

SPECIAL ORDERS FOR NEW YEAR'S EVE.

Office Chief of Police,
Mobile, Dec. 29th, 1874.

Thursday evening, December 31st, 1874, being the time set apart by our Mystic Societies for the celebration of one of their Grand Pageants, the following orders are hereby published, so that ample opportunity is afforded those who wilfully violate the law, to be apprised of the penalty for so doing:

I. All persons found drunk on the streets, or acting in a disorderly manner, or carrying concealed weapons, will be promptly arrested and confined in the Guard House.

II. All persons found discharging fire-arms, torpedoes, or any other article intended as an interruption, or interference with the Parades, while on the march, will be promptly arrested.

III. It has been suggested to me, through different Societies, to have all drays, cabs, carriages, &c., off Royal street from 7 o'clock P. M. until the procession has passed. This is asked of all owners of cabs, carriages, &c., as a special favor.

IV. A strong Police force of this City will be on duty. The officers and men will see that these orders are strictly obeyed, and no excuse will be taken for any dereliction of duty in this respect.

S. CHARPENTIER,
Chief of Police.
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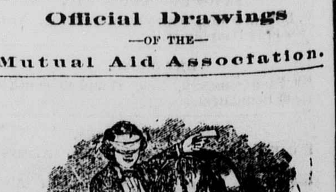

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MOBILE, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1874

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LOCAL NEWS.

TO OUR READERS.

Those of our subscribers who do not receive the Tribune regularly, or who receive it late, will confer a favor by calling at the office and reporting the fact. Unless they do, it is impossible for the management to rectify errors.

DIED

At East Pascagoula, at the residence of his brother, Col. Melancthon Smith, on the 28th instant, after a protracted illness, of nervous debility, Captain CHANDLER S. SMITH; born at the U. S. Arsenal at Mount Vernon, in this county, and until recently a resident of Mobile.

UNIVERSAL ORDER NO. 3.

Be it Known, To my faithful subjects in city and in country, that I have appointed these, my well loved and loyal, to assist at my forthcoming High Festival, on January 1st, 1875, as

BALL COMMITTEE:
Dr. Rhett Goode,
Maj. A. Proskauer, | Geo. Goldthwaite,
J. Fleetwood Foster, | Jno. C. Ruse,
M. Primo, | Carle Eglinger,
Maj. T. K. Irwin, | T. T. Dorman,
Bassell Rilley, | James Gibson.

By order of FELIX, the Emperor.
MOMUS,
Signat, Master of the Revels.
JOCUNDUS, Pæstor. de29

UNIVERSAL ORDER, NO. 5.

To Our Subjects:

FELIX, Sublime Sovereign, declares that there will be only a *LIMITED* number of admissions to his High Festival on New Years' Night. All who desire to secure cards must apply promptly, *in writing*, to me, his servant, before the Night of Joy, January 1st, 1875.

MOMUS, P. O. Box 826.
Signat,
JOCUNDUS, Pæstor. de29

New Dry Goods.—P. H. Pepper & Co. are offering great bargains in Lace Curtains, Window Shades, Black Silks, Alpacas, Fancy Dress Goods, Blankets, Flannels, Kid Gloves, Corsets, Hosiery, Domestics, Calicoes, Shawls, etc. The attention of close buyers is solicited.

Cruelty.—Yesterday, Henry McDonald, a burly negro, was seen sitting upon a heavily loaded cart, with a little ox pulling it along with great difficulty. The police took him, his cart and his lit— We saw the little animal at the tie ox to the guardhouse for safe keeping. guardhouse. It is about three feet high and of small body. The yoke has made a large sore on its neck.

Read about the Texas Grand Prize Concert, to be drawn at Houston, March 3rd, 1875.

For New Orleans.—The following is a copy of the Mobile and Montgomery Railroad manifest of freight shipped to New Orleans yesterday: 107 bales of cotton; and 303 packages of merchandise.

Readers.—Some people read newspapers as though they were afraid that they would not get five cents' worth; others watch a paper for telegrams and market reports; the ladies, Heaven bless them, read all the marriages and horrible murders; but the most eager readers are those than glance over the drawings of the Mutual Aid Association, No. 4 South Royal street, to see if their numbers have come out.

Arrested.—Yesterday Wm. Dawson, colored, was arrested, as it is believed that he was an accessory to the murder of Reuben ——, the negro man killed on the 27th by Dock McIntyre. He will probably have a preliminary hearing before the mayor this morning.

The Trial of Creole No. 1.—As was announced the new, or nearly new engine of Creole No. 1, for it has been thoroughly reconstructed, was taken down to the big wharf to see what she could do. After commencing to raise steam it was found that the throttle valve was out of order and the trial was necessarily postponed until this evening at four o'clock, at the same place when she will undoubtedly give a specimen of her power. The engine is as neat as a pin and looks clean and bright in her new nickel dress. We notice that Miss Soto's portrait, instead of being a photograph is a fine likeness in oil, painted by a New York artist. If the engine of Creole No. 1 only does as well as she looks, the boys may well be proud of her.

Egg-straordinary.—We were shown recently, by one of the attaches of the Battle House, a most singular egg, the production of a brahma pullet only four and one half months old. The egg was destitute of any shell, having only a thick skin over it. It apparently had no yolk, as none could be seen by holding it up to the light. Not the least remarkable feature was a well formed tail or appendage, at least three inches long!

City Court.—Hon O. J. Semmes presiding:

The court remanded August Oberhaust to jail. Whenever he decides whether he can pay the costs of two cases in both of which the jury returned a verdict of guilty, the judge will pass sentence upon him. The costs amount to $69 00. If he is unable to pay it, he will probably be required to serve out that amount by imprisonment and also, the penalty for his crime of receiving stolen goods.

The investigation of the arson case in which Fallon is the defendant, will commence Monday, January 4th. It will probably occupy three days.

The court adjourned till to-day.

More Visitors.—We learn from the railroad authorities that a special train of New Orleans visitors to our parades and mystic displays will be here. They will leave that city at 1 p. m. Thursday and will arrive here at 6 p. m. Next morning they will leave here at 4 a. m. and get back to New Orleans at 8 a. m. That will be quick work. Fare only $5 for round trip.

Mayor's Court—C. F. Moulton, presiding.

There were but two fines imposed during the session yesterday morning.

A young man named Southworth was fined ten dollars for discharging fire-arms within the city limits, and another person was fined ten dollars for an indecent exposure of his person.

Matt Price arrested for disorderly conduct and Aaron Gaines, colored, were discharged.

RIVER NEWS.

There were no arrivals on yesterday.

The only departure announced for to-day is the Peerless, Captain Frank M. Johnson, for Selma and Montgomery.

The departures were the Emma No. 2 of Frank Stone's Independent Line for Candy's Landing and Eastport, the Mary for Selma, and the all-alone boat, the Atlanta, for Warsaw and Vienna.

The news from above in relation to the stage of the rivers is that they are in the main, unchanged, continuing in good boating order. The hopeful boatmen prophesy still further rise while the despondent ones say that they will believe it when they see it.

The Peerless.—Shippers and passengers will bear in mind, that this packet blows her whistle this evening for Selma and Montgomery. The Peerless is as regular in her trips as clock work, and with that veteran steamboatman, Capt. Frank Johnson on the roof, she comes and goes like a thing of life. Jesse Bethea, who does the honors of her office, never fails to give satisfaction, and is as courteous and accommodating as first clerk, as he was brave and true in battle. The Peerless, take her all in all, is hard to beat, and the man is yet to be found, who can find fault with her or her gentlemanly officers.

Those wide awake, and affable gentlemen, Messrs. Spaulding and Foster, are her agents, who will take pleasure in giving you civil answers to all questions about freight, passage, etc. Send along your freight in time, and send plenty of it. Captain Johnson and Jesse will take care of it, and see it promptly delivered "right side up with care."

The New Force.—It is now pretty well settled that the new Chief of Police will be Mr. Theodore L. Eastburn. His assistants are Richard Sheridan, Jr., Lewis Cassens and John Bressler. The Day Sergeant is Richard Moore, and the Night Sergeant is Joseph Desport.

These are all the positive appointments, as far as we learn.

Rumors.—Yesterday the street was alive with rumors of an impending duel between two of our well known citizens. We are glad to learn that, by the wise advice of prudent friends the matter was quietly adjusted.

Thrown.—Yesterday morning, in front of our office, a sixteen-year old African was landed in the mud by a three year old colt he was riding. The riderless animal took to his heels up the miry street, leaving his disconsolate rider to the tender mercies of a set of ragged newsboys.

Special Orders.—We call attention to the sensible and thorough orders of the Chief of Police, Captain Charpentier in relation to general conduct on New Year's Eve, and also particularly as far as Royal street is concerned. We trust that none of our citizens will so far forget themselves as to be guilty of misconduct, but if they do, they can have the satisfaction of knowing that nearly all the force will be on duty between Government and St. Michael streets.

To be Raffled for.—Yesterday we noticed a fine looking bale of cotton on the corner of Royal and Dauphin streets in the store of Mr. J. J. Lazo. It is to be raffled for; tickets fifty cents each. It belongs to the St. Patrick's Parish table; all for the benefit of the Orphans Annual Fair.

Enterprise.—We are glad to note the fact when one of our citizens steps out of the routine of ordinary business and obtains a financial success by his own enterprise. And we think it worthy of a respectful mention, that Mr. F. L. McGowan of that famous hostelrie, the Battle House, has just received, direct from Bangor, Maine, four hundred tons of ice, per schooner J. D. Robinson, for the use of the hotel. He also received a consignment of hay to defray the expenses of the ice. Last summer Mr McGowan offered one of our ice firms here a sum that he thought was reasonable, for ice for the year. The firm would not accept it and Mr. McGowan sent for a cargo of ice, and now gets it put in his icehouse, free from all waste or handling for less money than he offered that firm for the ice alone. Not in this thing alone has Mr. McGowan showed that he is just the man to run a hotel. He has contracted for his oysters for thirty-five cents per hundred, his coal at equally reasonable rates, and avows his determination to send North for everything that an unreasonable monopoly would put up to unfair rates. We say success to Major McGowan. If we had more live men of just his style, it would be better for Mobile.

A Big Shipment.—The Emma yesterday, carried out a very heavy freight for Mr. D. McGiffert, of Steele's Bluff—some three or four hundred barrels in all, bought in this city. Mr. McGiffert is a close buyer, and the fact that he bought in Mobile in preference to buying in New Orleans, is significant.

Illuminate.—We call special attention to the advertisement of Mr. M. Jordan, in our issue this morning, who is prepared to supply any quantity of illuminating material for New Year's night. Every house on the line of march ought to be illuminated that night, and M. Jordan is the very man to furnish the material at a very small cost. Let no one fail to see him about colored lights.

Reception of Messrs. Morris and Norfolk—Representatives of English Labor.—Last evening at eight o'clock the spacious rooms of the Board of Trade were filled with some of our best citizens, to formally receive Messrs. George Morris, delegate of the National Agricultural Laborers' Union, of England, and W. J. Norfolk, of the Mississippi Valley Society, of London. Addresses were delivered by Messrs. Murdock, Semmes, Stewart and Hodgson, to which the two English gentlemen replied. They both read their reports, forwarded to England, which were very gratifying, as they gave true accounts of the whole Southern country, the health, institutions, industries, inexhaustible resources, and the fertility of our lands.

Unsettled.—Yesterday was continually changing weather. At one moment the sun would come out warm and pleasant and then in a few minutes the clouds would come over and the rain threaten to fall. The ladies did not seem to mind much the threatening moods; but, on shopping intent, flitted back and forth, dauntily tripping over muddy crossings, and causing all sorts of complimentary remarks from the young men who persistently would not look the other way.

Yankee Charley.—This enterprising youth, whose speculative exploits in the way of stealing are well known in police circles, made a raid on this office on last Monday night, and got away with a few feet of lead pipe attached to our pump. He then visited Major St. Paul's office, in the next building, and cut out some more pipe from a pump in the rear. The junk dealer who received the stolen property from Charley is known, and it is but a question of time when he will be prosecuted for the offence.

Justice Flem. Thompson.—A colored woman, named Narcissa Forney, caused the arrest of Mandy Davis, also colored, on a charge of vagrancy. The case was dismissed.

Narcissa McGinnis, colored, believed that Lucinda Brown, otherwise black, intended to do her bodily harm, as she had made threats to that effect, therefore the aforesaid McGinnis had the aforesaid Brown arrested. Brown's character and so forth, taken into consideration, the case was dismissed.

Justice McCormick.—Minerva Crawford, col., had Clara Matthews, col., arrested for flogging one of the former's offspring. Clara was first scratched down for a V, but the Squire let her off with costs of court and one-fifth of a nickle.

Paper.—Among the indispensible things in this world, as it runs at present, is the article of paper. It is necessary almost everywhere. The newspaper would be a defunct power without it—the scribbling editor's vocation gone—the lover would be in despair if deprived of it, and even the pompous bank official would be hard-pressed even to draw a check.

For all the ordinary kinds of paper you may call on the energetic firm of Locke & Son, Nos. 52 and 54 North Water street, and there you will find as complete an assortment to select from, and at as reasonable prices as anywhere else in the city. If you are suicidally inclined, (we hope not, however,) you can find all kinds of twines at the same place and paper bags big enough to bury you in.

The Champion Stream.

As some of our firemen are interested in the record of the crack machines of this country, we annex an account of the last achievement of Mississippi No. 2 which once more wears the horns as champion, not only of New Orleans, but of this country. The New Orleans Times says that on last Sunday morning, about nine o'clock, Mississippi's boys rolled their pet to the corner of Gravier and Magazine streets, where after several efforts of little consequence, the business of the hour began with a throw of 310 feet, followed by one of 303 feet 7 inches, and crowned in a third attempt by a stream which cleared 321 feet 4 inches, through a 1 1 2 nozzle, with one hundred feet of hose, and amid the plaudits of the spectators and the victorious shouts of the firemen, it was revealed that No. 2 was once more the laurel crowned possessor of the champion horns. The judges of the occasion were Messrs. M. Bulger, No. 5; J. T. Condon, No. 6, and A. Kalinski, No. 7. As a matter of interest will be herewith found appended a reference to the four greatest champion throws: No. 2, 317.9; No. 7, 320.2; No. 24, 320.9; No. 2, 321.4.

THE JUDGES' DECISION.

New Orleans, Dec., 27, 1874.

We, the undersigned, judges appointed to witness the working and throwing of the first class double pump Amoskeag engine of Mississippi Fire Company No. 2, this day certify to the following as the result:

Steam, 1 minute 20 seconds.
Water, 4 minutes 40 seconds.
First throw, one and a half inch nozzle, 100 feet of hose, 295 feet 4 inches.
Second throw, one and a half inch nozzle, 100 feet of hose, 296 feet 4 inches.
Third throw, one and a half inch nozzle, 100 feet of hose, 300 feet 9 inches.
Fourth throw, one and a half inch nozzle, 100 feet of hose, 310 feet.
Fifth throw, one and a half inch nozzle, 100 feet of hose, 321 feet 4 inches.
Sixth throw, two inch nozzle, 100 feet of hose, 213 feet.

A. Kalinski, Foreman No. 7.
M. Bulger, Foreman No. 5.
John T. Condon, of No 6,
Ex Assistant Engineer.

Justice Loomis.—Solomon Robinson, colored, was arrested on complaint of Nancy Robinson, for assaulting and making threats to take all the breath out of her. The Justice fined the menacing man one-fifth of a nickle and costs of court. To prevent further trouble, he was required to give a bond to keep the peace for six months.

Thanks.—We are indebted to Mr. Frank Schoolcraft, News Agent, for copies of the Montgomery papers in advance of the mails.

Just So.—A quiet joker remarked yesterday that, no matter how hard the times were it was very plain that the streets had a soft thing of it.

The mania for "thinness" has, of late years, seized upon the young Parisian ladies, and has been carried on to an extent that has seriously injured their health. They have declined all solid food, and exist on sweets and pastry. This phantom fashion, as it has been called, has already made some martyrs. One of the most brilliant actresses has lost her good looks through the starving diet to which the Moloch of fashion condemned her, and another had a narrow chance of losing her life. Fortunately, however, the high rate of mortality among these French votaries of Banting, has roused the attention of lookers-on, and a stop will probably be put to the absurd practice before long. It has been called the "transparency" fashion, since its object was to render its followers as much as possible like anatomical studies.

Mr. E. Eggleston, son of Gen. B. B. Eggeston, of Columbus, Miss, died quite suddenly on the 26th last of congestion. He was said to be a young man of quiet, unexceptionable habits, and modest, gentlemanly bearing.

Fifty-seven persons have returned from Arkansas to Cherokee county, Alabama, within the past two weeks.

Special Daily Market Reports.

[By Telegraph to D. H. Marks & Co., General Merchandise Brokers, No. 9 St. Michael St.

New Orleans, December 29—11:30 a. m.—Corn steady; yellow 92@94c; white 95c; mixed 90@92c. Oats quiet at 74c. Bran quiet and firm at $1 20. Pork nominally $19 50@19 75. Bacon nominal at 9⅝@12¼@13c. Molasses steady; fair 50@56c; prime 55@57c

Cincinnati, December 29—12:25 p. m.—Pork quiet at $19 25 cash. Bacon quiet at 8¼@8¾@11¼@11¾@11¾@12c. Hams 13¾@14½c. Cut Meats—shoulders, bulk, loose, 6⅝@6⅞c bid; 6⅝c 20 days, salt; clear rib, sales of 40,000 fully cured at 9⅝c; clear loose 10⅛c. Lard—steam 13⅛c asked; kettle 14½c. Hogs active and firm; medium fair $6 90@7 10; good $7 15; dressed firm at $8 25@8 50; receipts 4,033; shipments 120. Whisky—iron-bound 95c.

St. Louis, December 29.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat a shade higher at $1 05¾@1 06½. Corn steady; new 64@66c; no sacked. Oats steady at 55½@58c, no sacked. Whiskey quiet at 97c. Pork quiet at $19 50 cash; $19 75 seller for March. Cut Meats nominally unchanged at 6⅝@6⅞@9⅝@9¾@9⅞@10c loose; buyers at 6½@9½@9⅝c packed; 7⅛@10@10⅛c on orders. Bacon—nothing doing. Lard nominal at 13c.

Thanks.—The patients at the Pest House acknowledge their thanks to Messrs W. B. Vail & Co., and to Capt. Austin for their liberal donation of oranges in answer to the request of Dr. W. H. Ross, the physician of the Pest House, which appeared in this paper.

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF MOBILE.

CLEARANCES.
None.

ARRIVALS.

Am. Schr. J. D. Robinson, Glover, 470 tons, from Bath, Me., assd cargo, to F. L. McGowan.
Am. Schr. Ann Dole, Bruce, 189 tons, from Matanzas, Cuba, in ballast.
Nor. Bk. Telemach, Kittlesen, 603 tons, from Liverpool, with salt, to Wylie & Co.

IMPORTS.

Per Bk. Telemach, 3,784 sacks salt, to Wylie & Co.
Per J. D. Robinson, 53 bales hay, 400 tons ice, to F. L. McGowan.

LIST OF VESSELS
UP, CLEARED AND SAILED FOR PORT OF MOBILE.

FROM LIVERPOOL.
Bark Telemack, Johnsen..........sailed Nov. 9
Ship Renochan, Scott..........loading Nov. 13
Ship Ben Nevis..........loading Nov. 28

MARSEILLES.
Nor. bark Baltic..........cleared Oct. 20
Nor. bark Telemack..........cleared Oct. 20

NEW YORK.
Schr. Wm. C. Bee, Chester..........cleared Dec. 4
Schr. Edith, Phurney..........cleared Dec. 4

PHILADELPHIA.
Schooner E. A. Baizley, Robinson...load'g Dec. 1

BANGOR.
Schooner Jos. Oakes, Parker..........cleared Nov. 20

BOSTON.
Schr M. Williamson, Lake..........Dec. 17

VESSELS IN PORT.

SHIPS.
Br. N. & E. Gardner, Homer, 1465 tons, from London, in ballast.
Br. Frige. Welsh, 1127 tons, for Liverpool, D. Wheeler & co.
Br. Canterbury, Taylor, 1258 tons, for Europe, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Am. C. W. White, Dyer, 1411 tons, Liverpool, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Br. Annie Bengay, Cann, 1048 tons, Liverpool, D. Wheeler & co.
Am Charter Oak, Staples, 963 tons, discharging, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Am. Edward O'Brien, Smalley, 1803 tons, Liverpool, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Am. Geo. Hurlbut, Masson, 1134 tons, discharging, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Br. Pensacola, Capper, 1421 tons, discharging, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.

BARKS.
Br. Harewood, Blanch, 1310 tons, from Liverpool, in ballast.
Br. Her Majesty, Downie, 1342 tons, from Liverpool, in ballast.
Br. Robert, Thiorsen, — tons, from Rio, with coffee.
Br. Reformer, Brown, 999 tons, from Yarmouth, in ballast, to Wylie & Co.
Br. Anevoca, Williams, 597 tons, Liverpool, J. Buttner.
Br. Adriatic, Ross, 797 tons, Liverpool, D. McNeil & co.
Am. Continental, Johnson, 340 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.
Nor. Sinbad, Andersen, 871 tons, Europe, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Br. St. Cloud, Bagley, 735 tons, Europe, E. Beyer & co.
Ger. Neptune, Ploghoft, 658 tons, freight, Jas. H. & Jno. Wylie & co.
Am. Dirigo, Blair, 454 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.
Br. Exile, Pearce, 934 tons, Bremen, J. Buttner.
Am. Helen Angier, Staples, 655 tons, discharging.
Nor. Henne Selmer, Nielson, 400 tons, discharging, master.
Br. M. E. Corning, McHenry, 354 tons,

BRIGS.
Am. Elizabeth, Stubbs, 381 tons, in ballast, to master.
It. Bartella, Badano, 235 tons, discharging, Geo. Aite.
Sw. Pepita, Pahlsom, 250 tons, discharging, Pepper, Maguire & Co.

SCHOONERS.
Am. Lemuel Hall, Grinnell, 522 tons, from Aspinwall, in ballast.
Am. Mary Gleason, Johnson, 338 tons, fruit, from Key West.
Am. Manantico, Randlett, 179 tons, fruit, from Matanzas.
Am. Wapella, Penny, 244 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.
Am. Hattie Baker, Crowell, 246 tons, freight, A. J. Ingersoll & co.
Am. Island Belle, Newton, 134 tons, freight, master.

MOBILE MARKETS.

[Corrected Daily at 3½ P. M.]

Daily Tribune Office,
Mobile, December 29, 1874,
Half-past Three, P. M.

COTTON.
Good Middling..........14¼@ c
Middling..........14 @— c
Low Middling..........13¼@— c
Good Ordinary..........13 @ c

Sales to-day 1,500 bales, and 800 last evening. Moderate demand. Market quiet and steady.

GOLD.
Opening..........111¾@112
Closing..........111¾@112

EXCHANGE.
STERLING.
Commercial, 60 days..........5.34 @5.37
Bank, 60 days..........—@ —

DOMESTIC.
New York Bank Sight par.; Commercial 5-16 dis. New Orleans Bank Sight ⅛ prem. Commercial par.

OCEAN FREIGHTS.
Liverpool, sail, ½d. Coastwise ⅝c, nominal. Havre 1 1-16c. Bremen 1⅛c.

WHOLESALE PRICES STAPLE GROCERIES.

Bacon, in casks—
clear sides..........— —@— —
c. r. s..........nominal.
shoulders..........nominal.
Dry Salt Meats, in casks—
clear sides..........— @ —
c. r. s..........10½@ —
shoulders..........7½@7¾
Hams, in tierces—
sugar cured, canvassed..........nominal. 14½
sugar cured, uncanvassed..........13¾@ 14
plain..........12¾@ 13
dry salt..........— @ —
Breakfast Bacon—
sugar cured, canvassed..........— @ —
ditto uncanvassed..........16½@ —
Lard—
in caddies..........— @ —
in tins..........— @ —
in buckets..........16½@ 17
in kegs..........16 @ 16½
in half bbls..........15½@ 16
in tierces..........14½@ 15
Pork—
per bbl..........21 50 @22 00
Mackerel—
No. 1, in bbls..........13 00 @13 50
half bbls..........7 00 @ 7 50
kits..........1 65 @ 2 00
No. 2, in bbls..........11 50 @— —
half bbls..........6 50 @ 6 75
kits..........1 40 @— —
No. 3, in bbls..........10 00 @10 50
half bbls..........6 00 @ 6 25
kits..........1 15 @ 1 20
Sugar—(Louisiana, in hogsheads)—
white clarified..........10¾@ 11
yellow..........10 @ 10½
prime..........8 @ 8½
fair..........7 @ 7½
common..........6½@ 7
New York hards, (in bbls)..........11¾@ 12
Molasses—(Louisiana)—
choice, in bbls..........67 @ 70
half bbls..........72 @ 75
kegs..........77 @ 80
prime, in bbls..........62 @ 65
half bbls..........67 @ 70
kegs..........72 @ 75
fair, in bbls..........55 @ 58
half bbls..........60 @ 63
kegs..........65 @ 68
common, bbls..........45 @ 46
half bbls..........50 @ 57
kegs..........55 @ 56
New York Syrups..........55 @ 85
Flour—(in bbls.)—
Plants extra or similar b'ds..........7 75 @ 8 00
choice extra..........7 50 @— —
XXX..........6 50 @ 7 00
XX..........6 00 @ 6 50
X..........5 50 @ 6 00
superfine..........4 50 @ 5 00
Meal—
kiln dried, per bbl..........5 00 @— —
city..........4 25 @ 4 50
½ and 1-bush. bags, per h..........1 10 @
3, 4 and 5 " "..........1 05 @
Rice—
South Carolina, in tcs..........8¼@ 8½
tierces..........— @ —
Louisiana, in bbls..........7½@ 8½
Salt—
in sacks, fine..........1 90 @ 2 00
coarse..........1 45 @ 1 50
table, per case..........5 50 @— —
Coffee, Rio (Currency)—
choice..........23½@ 24
prime..........22½@ 23
fair..........22 @ 22½
common..........@ 21
Coffee, Java (currency)..........33 @ 35
La Guira..........25 @ —
Cheese—
pine apple..........26 @ —
English dairy..........19 @ 21
fancy cream..........19 @ —
Western reserve..........17½@ 18
New York factory..........16 @ —
Vinegar, in bbls., per gal—
white wine..........25 @ 30
cider..........25 @ 30
Soap—
palm..........— 5 @— 5½
Starch..........— 5½@— 6
Soda—
American, in kegs..........— 5½@— 6
English "..........— 6½@— 6¾
American, assorted papers..........— 6½@— 7
English, " "..........— 7½@— 8
Candles—
8's..........17 @ 18
6's..........17 @ 18
Tobacco—
common sound..........46 @ 48
medium..........50 @ 55
good medium..........60 @ 65
bright Virginia..........70 @ 80
extra No. 1..........80 @ 90
Navys—bright Navy 4s. 5s...........52 @ 58
twist—com. and med. twist..........58 @ 65
fine Virginia twist..........70 @ 80
smoking tobacco—common..........45 @ 48
medium..........50 @ 55
better grades..........60 @ 70
Whisky—
rectified, Mobile..........90 @ 1 10
Western..........— @— —
Dexter, in 25 bbl. lots..........1 05 @
5 bbl. lots..........1 08 @— —
Powder—
kegs..........6 75 @ 7 00
halves..........4 00 @ 4 25
quarters..........2 25 @— —
Shot—
drop..........2 30 @ 2 40
Buck..........2 55 @ 2 65
Lead..........9 @ 10
Percussion Caps, per 1000—
Ely's water-proof..........80 @ 90
G. D..........88 @ 40
musket..........1 00 @ —
Concentrated Lye, per case..........6 75 @ 7 00
Blacking, per dozen—
Mason's..........45 @ 75
French..........— @ —
Axle Grease, per doz..........1 25 @ 1 50
Oils—
kerosene, in bbls., per gal..........19 @ —
per case..........2 75 @ 3 00
lard, in bbls., per gal..........1 20 @ —
linseed, boiled, in bbls..........— @ —
raw, in bbls..........— @ —
Remarks.—No changes.

FEED.
Corn—From depot or wharf.
Western—white..........@ 1 15
yellow..........@ 1 15
mixed..........@ 1 15
Alabama, by car load..........none.
For Corn from store, add handling ½c per bush.
Oats—From depot or wharf.
choice..........— 82½@ 85
ordinary..........— 77½@ 80
black..........— —@— —
mixed..........— —@— —
For Oats from store add handling 2½c per bush.
Hay—From depot or wharf per 100 lbs.
choice..........1 60 @ 1 65
prime..........— —@— —
For Hay from store, add handling 10c per 100 lbs.
Bran—From depot or wharf per 100 lbs..........1 50 @— —
from store..........1 65 @— —
Stock Peas—per bushel..........1 25 @— —
Remarks.—No changes.

PRODUCE.
Potatoes—Irish, per bbl.
early Rose..........— — @— —
Peach Blow..........3 25 @ 3 75
Russet..........3 50 @ 4 00
Potatoes—Sweet, per bushel.
yam..........1 00 @ 1 25
Spanish..........60 @— —
Onions—per bbl.
silver skin..........5 00 @ 6 00
red..........3 50 @ 4 50
Butter—
Goshen..........40 @ 42
choice Northern..........40 @ 42
" Western..........30 @ 35
" country..........25 @ 30
Eggs—per dozen..........30 @ 35
Dressed Poultry, per lb..........18 @ 20
Poultry—per dozen.
Western Hens, full grown..........3 00 @— —
" half grown..........2 00 @— —
country hens full grown..........2 50 @ 3 00
" half grown..........1 50 @— —
broilers..........1 00 @ 1 25
Ducks, Muscovy..........7 00 @— —
" English..........4 00 @— —
Geese..........6 00 @ 7 00
Turkeys, old..........12 00 @18 00
young..........6 00 @ 9 00
Peanuts—per bushel..........nominal.
Beeswax..........25 @ —
Tallow..........8 @ —
Hides..........12 @ 13
Wool—
washed..........32 @ 35
unwashed..........28 @ 30
burry washed..........17 @ 20
" unwashed..........15 @ —
Remarks.—No demand for chickens, even at the low quotations, with 300 dozen chickens unsold, in hands of commission merchants.

BALING STUFF.
Bagging—
Domestic, 2 lbs..........— 13 @— —
" 2¼ lbs..........— 13 @— —
" 2½ lbs..........— 13½@— —
Phœnix..........— 13½@— —
India, in bales..........— 12½@ 13
" rolls..........— 12 @ 12½
Ties—
Beard..........— 7 @— —
Arrow..........— 7 @— —
Branch, Crook & Co..........— 7 @— —
Pieced Arrow..........— 5½@— —
Machine Spun Rope..........— 8½@— 8½
Remarks.—No changes.

LOSS OF TEXT IN GUTTER

From the Tuskaloosa Blade.

Important Citizen's Meeting.

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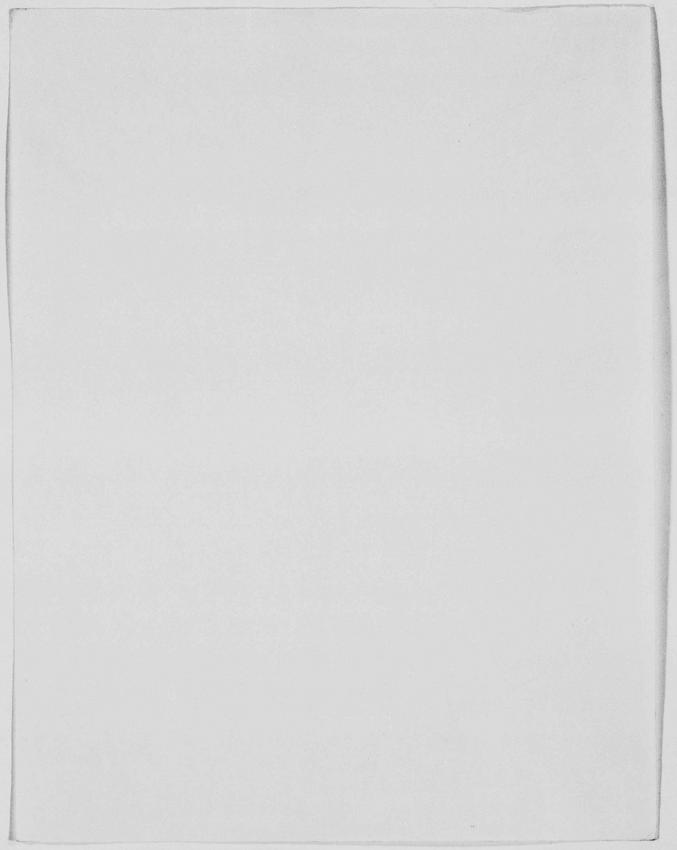

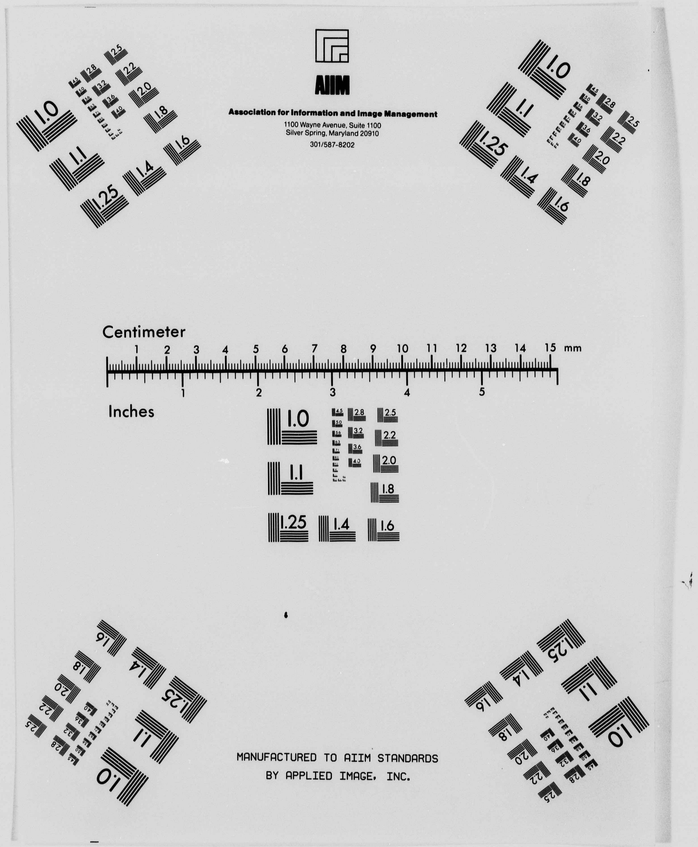
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