

Centre-Shots.

OVER THE STATE.

It is said that the reductions made in the tariff by the new law, lowers the duty on pitch. The devil is to pay in the Republican party and hot pitch is wanted at a cheaper rate.

Referring to the recent decisions of the U. S. Supreme Court blocking the title game of some of the States to become agents for the collection of alleged claims of their citizens against other States, the St. Louis Republican observes that the thundering forth decisions which strike at the heart of a long-cherished Republican policy, dissipates long-cherished notions in Republican minds.

The Chattanooga Democrat to the Tennessee Legislature, greeting: "To those Democrats who are disposed to grow weak-kneed over the Railroad Commission question, we would suggest that they try to associate in their minds the words political suicide with a failure to carry out the promises of the platform secretly made and sanctioned by the people."

This is the way the American Sentry puts it: The Republicans denounce re-education, yet they are anxious to destroy the legal tender quality of the greenback. If it should be done, would not this be a bold act of repudiation, a dishonoring of the national money in the hands of the people?

Commenting upon the form of election of Governor in Rhode Island, a contemporary shrewdly says that if its readers can imagine one of the smaller counties in Georgia full of half-starved factory operatives, controlled by two or three capitalists, the whole going through the farce of electing a Governor, they can imagine the condition of Rhode Island and the situation there.

Hon. D. L. Smythe, of Attala.

A CARD. To the Voters of the 17th Senatorial District, composed of the counties of Attala and Leake:

I take this method of presenting myself to you as a candidate for the Senate; and, in doing so, I refer you to my long life among you as a Democrat, and to my votes in the last Legislature as a legislator. In coming before you, I do so, with the full knowledge of the responsibilities that will rest upon me, should I be so fortunate as to be elected. I am, yours very truly, D. L. SMYTHE.

Kosciusko, March 15, 1883. (If there is merit in a record of useful service well performed, Mr. Smythe is entitled to be greeted by his constituents, "well done good and faithful servant.")

Recent Additions to the Medical Fraternity.

At the recent meetings of the Boards of Censors for the several Congressional Districts in this State the following were licensed to practice medicine:

FIRST DISTRICT—Leonidas F. Calhoun, Mooresville, Lee county, and John M. Orr, Coonewar, Lee county.

SECOND DISTRICT—Joseph P. Stovall, Longtown; Chas. M. Henderson, Sardis; Jas. F. Williamson, Pleasant Grove, Panola county; S. C. Gholson, Jr., Marcus F. Scruggs, Holly Springs; Robt. A. McCall, Bethlehem, Marshall county; Jas. A. Moss, Andrew B. Holder, Oxford; Wm. A. Montgomery, Harmontown, Lafayette county; and John H. Giles, Tiptonville, Tiptah county.

FIFTH DISTRICT—Robt. Lowry, Jr., Robt. L. Buck, Jackson; Geo. W. Luster, Cayuga, Hinds county; W. C. Weathersby, Monticello, Lawrence county; Benj. F. Hendon, Moss Point, Jackson county; J. B. V. Girardin, Biloxi, Harrison county.

The Overflow in the Tallahatchie and Yazoo.

YAZOO CITY, Miss., March 19.—The press telegrams from this point in reference to the overflow of the Tallahatchie country, and characterized by some as sensational, have been fully corroborated by the officers of the steamer Desmet, just arrived from Greenwood. On yesterday morning Greenwood was submerged and the water was only twelve inches below that of 1882, but rising less rapidly.

From Greenwood to the head of Honey Island the whole country is inundated. It is reported that the Sunflower River is coming into the Yazoo through Wasp Lake at a point near Belzoni. Some discredit this report, believing it to be water from the Upper Tallahatchie coming into Beer Creek, thence into Wasp Lake and into Yazoo River.

Hon. LAUCH McLAURIN, the new Chancellor for the 10th District, made his debut at Fayette, on the 12th. The Chronicle makes this complimentary mention of him:

"He presides with dignity, and renders his decisions distinctly and intelligently. The judicial mantle that has just been placed on his shoulders seem to fit him well; in fact, appears as if it was specially made for him. It is no hazard to express the opinion that this district will have every reason to be proud of her Chancellor."

THE Michigan Greenback State Convention has voted for fusion with the Democrats, and filled the gaps in the latter's State ticket, with the names of Thomas E. Sherwood for Judge of the Supreme Court, short term, and C. A. Willet as Regent of the University.

Medical.

Anthony Yaeger, of Tate county, died last week aged 92 years.

Rev. J. R. Farish has removed to Brookhaven where he has charge of the Baptist Church.

Capt. W. H. Butler, ex-sheriff of Lawrence county, has lately become a citizen of Wesson.

The Burgland Works at McComb City owned by Mr. J. W. Whitney, have been destroyed by fire.

The Macon Sun announces the death of the estimable wife of Mr. H. W. Foote, of that place.

The Copiahian announces the recent deaths of Messrs. W. R. Walker, Judge Neyland, and Major A. J. Tillman, all good citizens of Copiah.

The Louisville Signal notes the death on March the 3d of Mrs. Loula S. Hight, wife of Mr. R. M. Hight, in the twenty-eighth year of her age.

The Pascaoula Ice company are making preparations to can oysters, tomatoes, figs, okra, etc., thus offering a home market for fruit and vegetables.

Shubuta Messenger: Mr. T. Hamp Hales, about 55 years old, died at his home in Clarke county last Saturday. He was in humble circumstances but one of the good men of the county.

Vicksburg Herald: Hydrophobia is reported among the cows and dogs and animals generally at the present time. Human beings will do well to keep a close watch out for rabid currs, etc.

Fayette Chronicle: The cars on the Natchez, Jackson, & Columbus Railroad, run through now, having completed the bridge across Bayou Pierre, and it is to be hoped that they will not be interrupted any more.

The Aberdeen Examiner regrets to announce the death of Dr. E. Chastaine, which occurred at his residence in Monroe county on the 11th inst., from pneumonia. Dr. Chastaine was a young physician of prominence.

The Gayzette says that A. V. Shearer, E. Dabney Parish and Jas. W. Key left Sunday night for Texas, where they will permanently reside in future if successful in getting employment. All three were born and raised in Raymond.

Fayette Chronicle: Last Saturday morning, on the up trip of the train on the N. J. & C. R. R., quite a sad accident occurred. One of the brakemen, a colored boy, while coupling cars at Red Lick, slipped and fell, and was run over and crushed to death.

Crystal Springs Meteor: The store of W. H. Tribbette, of Terry, was burglarized Tuesday night. The safe was drilled and blown open, and \$300, taken. The exploit is thought to have been by expert cracksmen. No clue to the burglars.

Raymond Gazette: Dr. Andrews, presiding elder of the Vicksburg District, Methodist Episcopal church, has appointed Rev. John Lusk to take charge of Utica, Cayuga, Rives' Chapel and Bear Creek churches—the pastor, Rev. J. C. Calhoun, having recently died.

The Meridian Observer regrets to hear that Mr. Murphy McDonald of Neshoba county, is dangerously sick at his residence, near Laurel Hill, with small-pox. He went to Louisiana a few weeks ago on some business, and in going and returning home, passed through New Orleans, where it is supposed he became infected.

In Coahoma county, March 16, the ginhouse of Mr. John Powell, was burned. It contained some live stock, quite a quantity of cotton and was full of negroes, refugees from the flood, at the time. The negroes, with the exception of a baby, which was burned to death, barely escaped with their lives. The live stock and cotton were burned.

Two young ladies who are learning the printing business in the Advertiser office at Lexington, Miss., and who have had respectively, three and four weeks experience only, can set nearly two galley's of type a day, distribute their own cases, empty their own sticks, and correct their own proof. Well done young ladies! The bright azure of your dreams will yet be fulfilled.

Extract of a Business Letter from a Subscriber.

WATER VALLEY, MISS., March 28, '83. EDITORS CLARION—Inclosed find post-office order for six dollars and fifty cents, (\$6.50), for three Weekly CLARIONS and two other papers clubbing with CLARION, to be directed as follows:

I have been a reader of THE CLARION for many years, and regard it as not only one of our ablest papers, but the most steadfast, consistent and uncompromising advocate and exponent of true Democratic principles, North or South, never sacrificing great principles to policy, or class interests. Our last Legislature did some things it should not have done, and neglected, or rather refused to do what should have been done. It was entirely too liberal to use a mild expression, in the long exemption from taxation extended to corporations; and the way in which the Congressional Districts were fixed up, was ridiculous, and invited ugly suspicions, to say the least. I am fearful our Legislatures, like our Congress, are too much under the baleful influence of the Lobby Rings. But enough of this. J. L. B.

Death of a Good Citizen.

As we go to press, we learn of the death of Malcom Buie, Esq., at his residence near Union Church on Friday last. He was one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Jefferson county, N. C., and eighty-one years of age.

Correction.

In city sexton's report, published in last issue, the age of Mr. Barney Fitzpatrick, who died February 21, should have been stated as 53 instead of 63 years.

Medical.

Failing!

That is what a great many people are doing. They don't know just what is the matter, but they have a combination of pains and aches, and each month they grow worse.

The only sure remedy yet found is BROWN'S IRON BITTERS, and this by rapid and thorough assimilation with the blood purifies and enriches it, and rich, strong blood flowing to every part of the system repairs the wasted tissues, drives out disease and gives health and strength.

This is why BROWN'S IRON BITTERS will cure kidney and liver diseases, consumption, rheumatism, neuralgia, dyspepsia, malaria, intermittent fevers, &c.

Mr. Simon Blanchard, a well-known citizen of Haywood, Meade county, Kentucky, says: "My wife had been sick for a long time, and her constitution was all broken down and she was unable to work. She was advised to use Brown's Iron Bitters, and found it to work like a charm. We would not now be without it for any consideration, as we consider it the best tonic in the world."

BROWN'S IRON BITTERS is not a drink and does not contain whiskey. It is the only preparation of Iron that causes no injurious effects. Get the genuine. Don't be imposed on with imitations.

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STOLEN! FROM THE SUBSCRIBER, ON THE NIGHT OF JANUARY 25th, a very large, fine, brown, heavy, black, ENGLISH BRISTOL, also a short neck, little or no mane, small tail, comparatively small head, a small white spot behind one of his eyes, marked on the snout on top of his neck, walks well in harness, moves pleasantly in running walk or trot under saddle, sometimes paces and racks. (about 8 or 9 years old, and cannot fail to attract attention anywhere, because of his size, condition and general appearance. I will pay \$50.00 for the delivery of the Horse here to me, and \$25.00 on the apprehension and conviction of the thief. W. L. SUGENT, Jackson, Miss., Jan. 31, 1883.

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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE HOME INSURANCE COMPANY, Of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1882.

Table with columns for Assets and Liabilities. Assets include Cash on hand, Real Estate, United States Bonds, etc. Total Assets: \$7,208,489.07. Liabilities include Losses adjusted and due, Losses unadjusted, etc. Total Liabilities: \$2,484,428.01.

The greatest amount insured in any one risk... The greatest amount allowed by the rules of said Company to be insured in any one city, town or village... The greatest amount allowed to be insured any one block...

Companies incorporated by any foreign government other than a State of this Union, must furnish evidence to the satisfaction of the Auditor that such Company has invested in the stocks of some one or more of the States of this Union, or of the United States, the amount of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS, and that such stocks are held by citizens of the United States.

COUNTY OF NEW YORK. I, D. A. HEALD, Vice-President, and I, J. H. WASHBURN, Secretary of the HOME INSURANCE COMPANY of NEW YORK, N. Y., being duly sworn, depose and say that the foregoing is a full, true and correct statement of the affairs of the said Company; that the said Insurance Company is the bona fide owner of at least One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars of actual cash capital, invested in stocks of at least par value, or in bonds or mortgages of real estate, worth double the amount for which the same is mortgaged, and that they are the above described officers of said Insurance Company.

D. A. HEALD, Vice-President. J. H. WASHBURN, Secretary. Subscribed and Sworn to before me, this 14th day of February, A. D. 1883. GERALD C. GREEN, Notary Public, Kings County.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That the HOME INSURANCE COMPANY of NEW YORK, N. Y., do hereby authorize any and all Agents that said Company has or may hereafter have or appoint in the State of Mississippi, for or on behalf of said Company, to accept and acknowledge service of all process, whether in law or fact, in any action or proceeding against said Company in any of the courts of said State of Mississippi; and it is hereby admitted and agreed that such service of the process aforesaid shall be taken and held to be valid and sufficient in that behalf, the same as if served upon said Company according to the laws and practice of said State, or of any other State, and all claims or writs of error by reason of the manner of such service is hereby expressly waived and relinquished.

Witness our Hands and the Seal of said Company, this 14th day of February A. D. 1883. D. A. HEALD, Vice-President. J. H. WASHBURN, Secretary.

I certify the foregoing Statement to be a copy of the original on file in my office. S. GWIN, Auditor Public Accounts. J. E. JOHNSTON & CO., General Agents, Atlanta, Georgia. BARROWS & HAYS, Resident Agents, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI. mar. 14, '83-3w.

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