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PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

FREEMAN RANDOLPH, ATTORNEY AT LAW, SARDIS, MISS.

Will practice in the Chancery and Circuit Courts of Panola, DeSoto and Tallahatchie Counties, and the Federal Court at Oxford. Bankrupt business will receive prompt attention.

F. A. POLE, L. C. TAYLOR, FOLK & BALCH, Attorneys at Law SARDIS, MISS.

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Will practice in the various Courts of the District. Criminal practice especially solicited.

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Office over the store of Rutledge & Williams. The firm also has an office at Charleston, Mississippi.

HAMPTON M. SULLIVAN, ATTORNEY AT LAW AND SOLICITOR IN CHANCERY.

Commissioner of Deeds for the Southern States.

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Offers his professional services to the citizens of Sardis and vicinity.

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at the Bluff, on the river, where he may always be found, unless professionally engaged, and respectfully tenders his professional services to the citizens of the surrounding vicinity.

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J. M. WILLIAMSON, M. D. Sardis, Mississippi.

Having permanently located in Sardis, offers his professional services to the citizens and country.

J. M. WILLIAMSON, M. D. Sardis, Mississippi.

Special attention given to Chronic Diseases of Females.

City and County Directory.

R. S. Fisher, Judge of the 12th Judicial District.
J. F. Simmons, Chancellor 10th Chancery District.
A. B. Howe, Collector Internal Revenue.
U. O'Connell, Sheriff.
C. H. Gleason, Circuit Clerk.
J. C. Harrison, Chancery Clerk.
W. W. Howe, Treasurer.
W. A. Jones, Assessor.
H. J. Harding, President School Board.
Board of Supervisors—R. H. Gauder, Pres. (deut); W. S. Hartfield, T. M. Sims, John Wilson, (ed); Lundy Hunt, (ed).
Capt. Samuel Mathews, County Surveyor.

MAYOR—D. B. McHenry.
CONSTABLE—Mansfield Williams.
ALDERMEN—W. D. Hefflin, Gerald Clarke, R. B. Blann, W. B. Locke.

COURTS.

CHANCERY COURT.
Meets 2nd Monday in January, April, July and October, and holds two weeks.

CIRCUIT COURT.
Meets 4th Monday of March, July and November, and holds two weeks.

POST OFFICE.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.
Holly Springs and Tipton arrives Tuesdays and Fridays 7 p. m. Departs Wednesdays and Saturdays 6 a. m.
Long Town arrives 12 m. and departs 1 p. m. every Saturday.
Longtown, Star Place and Lake Crosswell mail departs 1 p. m. and arrives 12 m. every Saturday.

Daily mails close as follows:
Going North at 1:00 p. m.
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On orders not exceeding \$20.....10 cts
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Over \$50 and not exceeding \$100.....20 cts
Over \$100 and not exceeding \$500.....25 cts
No fractions of cents to be introduced in an order.

Only United States Treasury notes or National Bank Notes only received or paid.
J. N. WADDEY, P. M.

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Walker R. J., Chapter No. 25.
Regular Convocations 1st Monday in each month at 7 o'clock, p. m.

E. F. McGee, H. P.
J. C. HARRISON, Sec'y.
SARDIS LODGE No. 307 A. F. & A. M.
Stated Communication third Thursday night in each month.

JOHN WRIGHT, W. M.
J. N. WADDEY, Sec'y.
Sardis Chapter, No. 11.
Order of the Eastern Star, Regular meeting first Thursday night in each month.

Mrs. M. A. Thompson,
Worthy Matron,
Mrs. M. E. Wright,
Sec'y.

RELIGIOUS.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH SOUTH
—Rev. F. S. Putney.—Services every 1st, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays; Sabbath school, 9 o'clock a. m.; Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7 o'clock p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. D. G. Dook, Pastor.—Services every 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays; Sabbath school 9 o'clock a. m.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. W. S. Speirs, Pastor.—Services first Sabbath in the month at 10:30 a. m., and 3rd Sabbath at 7:30 p. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Elder C. R. Young, Pastor.—Services every 1st and 3rd Sundays; Sabbath school 9 o'clock a. m.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Services 4th Sunday in each month, by Rev. Father Wise.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Elder T. W. Caskey, Pastor.—No regular appointment.

BAPTIST CHURCH, BATESVILLE.—Services on the 1st Sunday in each month, at 11 o'clock a. m., by Rev. Robt. Maclin, Presbyterian.

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EMPORIUM OF FASHION
KEEPS

Millinery Goods, DRESS TRIMMINGS, Hair Goods, Fancy Goods, Notions, Ac., Ac.

Ladies' and Children's Dresses made to order on short notice after the latest and most fashionable styles.

FREEMAN RANDOLPH, Editor.

Sardis, Miss., October 15, 1872.

MISSISSIPPI LIBERAL REPUBLICAN ELECTORAL TICKET.

STATE AT LARGE.

E. JEFFERSON, T. J. WHARDEN.

1st District—D. B. WRIGHT.
2nd District—JAN. R. CHALMERS.
3rd District—S. M. BREEK.
4th District—J. A. P. CAMPBELL.
5th District—W. M. HANCOCK.
6th District—T. L. STODOLSKY.

Our Policy.

We make our advent before the good citizens of this community again, as the publishers of a daily paper, and feel that it is unnecessary to write any long salutatory in honor of our coming before the people. We have labored for the good of the community in which we live, and that is our object in giving to the citizens of this place the honor of supporting a daily paper, even if it is only for the fair week. When we consider the fact that, no other Fair in the State has ever been able to afford so large a daily as the Star, we may feel proud that our citizens are so enterprising and generous in their support of laudable efforts. Owing to the fact that we failed to get enough labor in the office, this issue has less news in it than any that will follow it. Having made our bow, we are ready for the enjoyments of the Fair.

Fratricide.

A terrible murder was committed on a farm two miles from Com, in this county, on Wednesday last, at a cotton picking, in the killing of Jake Lowe by his brother, George Lowe, both negroes. The facts concerning this atrocious crime are, that there was a gathering of negroes on the farm from the surrounding plantations, to have what is termed a "cotton picking," in which one set of hands invite their neighbors in to help them pick their cotton, and in turn help their neighbors, on the order of the old style of "log rolling," and it is the habit to have plenty of whisky on hand, and a dinner. These two brothers were of the party of invited "pickers," and during the day both became somewhat intoxicated, George Lowe, for some reason, whipped his brother's male, and Jake becoming incensed at his conduct, gave him (George) a thrashing, and George swore that he would kill Jake, he immediately walked two miles to his home; getting his shot gun, he returned to the field and deliberately walking up to where Jake was standing, fired on Jake, shooting him through the heart. George made his escape, and has not been arrested.

The Masonic ceremonies of laying the corner stone of the new courthouse will be conducted by Col. G. R. Fearn, Past Grand Master of the State, assisted by Col. J. L. Power, Grand Secretary of the State, and others appointed for the purpose.

SARDIS FAIR

First Day's Proceedings.

Larger Attendance than any Previous Fair.

Fair Attendance well protected.

The Fourth Annual Fair of the Sardis Agricultural and Mechanical Society opened yesterday, and, as the first day is always devoted to preparation, and few visitors expected, the attendance consequently was very light.

The Secretary, Capt. N. B. Phipps, and Mr. S. B. Spain, the former Secretary, informed us that the entries were nearly twice as large as on any previous Fair, and that a large number of entries were made of articles for exhibition that would not be placed in their respective places until to-day, or in many cases as late as to-morrow.

The Ladies' Department is very well represented, and the display in this department will be increased very largely to-day and to-morrow.

There are a number of entries in the Agricultural Department that do credit to the exhibitors.

The display of stock, especially horses, will be very good. If not so fine a display is made as at the last Fair, it will be at least larger.

The prospects for a successful Fair are highly encouraging. It will be remembered that we have never had large crowds on the first days of the Fair, while the three last days have always had a fine attendance.

Aunt Mary and Uncle Tom have a first-class eating establishment, where all visitors can get their meals at any hour.

Mr. S. R. Blann has the Beer Saloon, well-filled with the foaming beverage.

The Confectionery stand is in the hands of our new citizens, the Messrs. Haack, bakers.

Col. F. H. McMurray is Marshal; J. C. Davall, Ticket Agent, and Mr. J. N. Stitt, Gate Keeper.

Arnold's Memphis Brass Band is in attendance and discourses charming music.

The indefatigable Capt. Crump and Mr. James Farley have charge of the Ladies' department. W. S. Flaunt is in charge of department E; S. Z. Williamson, Esq., of department A; D. R. Wall, Esq., of department B.

The Fair will open at 9 o'clock to-day.

The Masonic ceremonies of laying the corner stone of the courthouse will be held at 11 o'clock, and will last about one hour. All Master Masons are requested to meet in Sardis Lodge room, over Ballentine, Hefflin & Co.'s, at 10 o'clock, promptly, to take part in the ceremonies.

The Board of School Directors held a meeting yesterday.

How do you like us?

Sardis Agricultural and Mechanical Society

Daily Programme of Arena Exercises

FIRST DAY—MONDAY, OCTOBER 14.

Grand exhibition of stock. Parties desiring to enter stock during the Fair are particularly requested to make their entries on or prior to this day.

SECOND DAY—TUESDAY, OCT. 15.

Best Bull 4 years old and over.
Best Bull 3 years old and under 4 years.
Best Bull 2 years old and under 3 years.

Department E.

Class 1—Horses Fed and Raised in the Co.
Best Stallion 1 year old and under.
Best " " or gelding 2 years old and under.
Best " " 3 years old and under.
Best " " 4 years old and under.
Best Mare 1 year old and under.
Best " " 2 years old and under.
Best " " 3 years old and under.
Best " " 4 years old and under.
Best Mare or Gelding for all work.
Best Saddle Mare or Gelding.

Class 4—

Best Saddle Mule.
Best Buggy Mule.
Best pair Buggy Mules.
Slowest Mule.
Best riding by youth over 12 and under 16 years.
Best riding by boy under 12 years.

THIRD DAY—WEDNESDAY, OCT. 16.

Best cow 4 years old and over.
Best heifer 3 years old and under 4 years.
Best heifer 2 years old and under 3 years.
Best sucking calf.
Best fatted ox.
Best fatted cow.
Best yoke oxen.
Best cow and calf (separate entry from above).
Best pair of draft mules.
Best pair of draft horses.
Best pair of coach horses.
Bully Show—Fairest baby under 12 months.
Best mare 4 years old and over.
Best mare 3 years old and under 4.
Best mare 2 years old and under 3.
Best mare 1 year old and under 2.
Best horsemanship—any age.
Best lady equestrian.
Fastest pacer.

FOURTH DAY—THURSDAY, OCT. 17.

Best Jack 3 years old and over.
Best Jack 2 years old and under 3.
Best Jack 1 year old and under 2.
Best Jeannet not over 6 years old.
Best stallion 4 years old and over.
Best stallion 3 years old and under 4.
Best stallion 2 years old and under 3.
Best stallion 1 year old and under 2.
Sweepstakes for best mare—any age.
Best sucking colt.
Best mare and sucking colt.
Best trotting stallion in harness.
Best trotting gelding or mare, in harness, against time.
Sweepstakes for fastest trotter, stallion, gelding or mare.
Sweepstakes, best stallion any age.

FIFTH DAY—FRIDAY, OCT. 18.

Best buggy horse, style, form, speed and all other qualities considered.
Best pair buggy horses or mares, all qualities considered.
Best saddle horse, stallion, mare or gelding.
Grand Tournament, and to conclude with Masquerade, and a Ball at night.