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MONTGOMERY, ALA., April 8, 1874.

Table with 4 columns: Time, Barom., Therm., Wind. Rows for 7 A.M., 10 P.M., 10 P.M., 10 P.M.

Barometer corrected for temperature and elevation.

Official: CARVALHO, Observer.

OFFICIAL RAILROAD TIME CARD.

Giving arrivals and departures of all trains

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Chickens are scarce in this market, and uncomforably high priced.

Mr. C. L. B. Marsh, by Mr. J. W. Hughes, advertises a mortgage sale of valuable property.

A car load of splendid horses, has been received at the Central stables, of Messrs. Peacher & Co.

A road from Montgomery via Wetumpka, through Coosa county and on to Talladega is one of the necessities of the near future.

Old "Probs" promises fair weather to-day. This will be good news to everybody. At 1 o'clock this morning the rain was coming down at a heavy rate.

It is now thought that the water works will be completed by the 10th of May. There ought to be a proper celebration of the important event, for it will be one of the most important connected with the history of Montgomery.

It is rumored that Messrs. Alburto Martin, and M. H. Molton, of Birmingham, and Col. Jackson, of Blount Springs, drew \$10,000 in the Louisville Lottery. These gentlemen are well known here, and their friends hope the reports is true.

Those who desire Spring or Summer clothing, made up in the most fashionable and approved style, should call on M. Simpson, next door to J. W. Hale's Drug Store. He will guarantee satisfaction in fit and make up. A nice stock of piece goods on hand. diet

A difficulty occurred at the Court House yesterday morning between the Solicitor Knox, and C. H. May, a member of the grand jury. The difficulty grew out of remarks made by May concerning the Solicitor, who sought him for the purpose of resenting them. Mr. Knox rather got the best of him.

The Nashville Banner says it may be comfortable to many of the disappointed ticket holders in the Louisville Library drawing, of the 31st ultimo, to know that all numbers from 1 to 2,617, and from 47,618 to 60,000, which have not drawn higher gifts, nor been canceled as unsold tickets, are each entitled to an approximate gift of thirty-three dollars and fifty cents.

The April number of the Georgia Eclectic Southern magazine comes to us, brimful (as usual) of excellent and valuable articles, editorial and selected, embracing music and its literature; Drama, Art, and kindred subjects. It is one of the best publications of its kind in the United States, and of permanent value to Southern belles lettres.

Guilford, Wood & Co., publishers, Atlanta, Ga. Subscription only \$1. To music teachers free. Specimen copies sent free.

The rain of Tuesday and yesterday was somewhat discouraging to the farmers. They are anxious to push forward with planting and of course the rain retards them. It is the general opinion that the planting interest is much further advanced than for years at this season and all that is needed is proper seasons from now on. Many of our State exchanges say that the amount of small grain is far greater than it was even during the war.

The Union Springs Times and Herald says notwithstanding the immense damage done to the Mobile & Girard Railroad by the late heavy rains, it is again in fair running order. Its Superintendent, W. L. Clark, a full grown man in his profession, has been equal to the emergency. Many predicted that the bridge across Uchee creek, would not be ready for use in six weeks. But it was crossed last Monday, April 6th, by the trains, and is a better and a more substantial bridge now, than the one which was swept away by the recent flood.

C. E. James, the Plumber, 43 Market street, Miss Dugary's old stand, has in store a large and complete stock of water works fixtures, which he now places at lowest prices. He is now prepared to introduce water pipes in the premises of our citizens. Now is the time to have the fixtures put in, and thus be in readiness when the water is let on, as well as encouraging the Water Works. These works promise to be a great blessing to the city. The New Orleans Board of Health, states that it was the liberal use of the water in flooding gutters, which prevented the spread of Yellow Fever there last year.

That eminent Mason, Albert Pike, Sovereign Grand Commander for the Southern Jurisdiction, appointed Mr. H. E. Day, Thirty-second Degree, of this City, Special Deputy for the State of Alabama, of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Free Masonry. On Monday night last Mr. Day organized, in this city, a Lodge of Perfection, and the following officers were elected:

Third Puissant Grand Master—H. E. Day.
Most Excellent Senior Grand Warden—W. L. Bragg.
Most Excellent Junior Grand Warden—David Clifton.
Excellent Grand Orator—Thomas J. Judge.
Excellent Grand Secretary—J. N. Browder.
Excellent Grand Treasurer—W. H. Dingley.
Excellent Grand Almoner—H. C. Davidson.
Excellent Grand Master of Ceremonies—S. H. Beasley.
Respectable Grand Expert—C. L. Ruth.
Respectable Junior Grand Expert—G. H. Todd.

Those who may desire to organize Lodges of this Order in other places in Alabama should address Special Deputy H. E. Day, of this city.

Messrs. Schfield & Olcott auctioneers, will sell this morning at 10 o'clock, clothing, boots, shoes, dry goods, hats, notions, hardware crockery, &c., &c., of Messrs. Peacher & Co.

Lawyers who wish copies of the Head Notes, January term 1874, can be shipped by application in person or by letter at this office. Price \$2.00. w&d tr

Has it never occurred to our business men that business might be brought to Montgomery, by boats from points on the Alabama River, which now seeks other places? Columbus receives a large trade by the Chattahoochee river boats.

A trial commenced some time ago in Baker county under the Radical klux law, was terminated on Tuesday last. A negro woman, whose husband was killed by unknown parties, sued the county for \$5,000. The case was submitted to the jury on Tuesday, and in a short while a verdict was rendered for the county.

W. H. Wilson, a well-known horse-trainer of Cynthia, Kentucky, has invented a very ingenious bit, to be used on the trotting horse, so neatly arranged that a driver can give his horse liquid nourishment during a heat without changing his position. A rubber tube runs from the bit to the seat of the sulky, where there is attached a rubber bag for water or spirits, from which the lightning trotter can drink refreshment on his fiery track without pausing.

A Macon correspondent writes: On yesterday, the 24th inst., there was a dinner given at the home of Bishop Pierce, near Sparta, Georgia, certainly worthy of mention. It was strictly a family re-union, but a gentleman not a relative, from Macon, was invited and attended. The occasion was the 90th birthday of the immediate parent of the family, Dr. L. Pierce. Twenty-five persons sat down to the table besides the Macon representative. There were four generations present, including children, grand-children and great-grand-children. It was a happy sight rarely even witnessed, and the great Bishop and his father must have set it down as an epoch even in their eventful lives.

The following paragraph, which we find in a Northern exchange, will be read with interest by many in this city, where Father Ryan is so well known and highly esteemed:

"The Rev. A. J. Ryan, the poet priest of the South, is giving a mission in St. Patrick's Church, West Troy, N. Y., which is drawing immense congregations to hear the four sermons he preaches every day. It is said that this young priest has made thousands of converts to the Roman Catholic Church since the war in the South. He will be in New York shortly after Easter."

The Ashville (N. C.) Pioneer says: The Bald Mountain mystery has at last been explained. In 1862 a man named Gillen, a Confederate soldier, who was at home on a furlough, chased a fox into a cavern in the mountain, and built a fire in the same to smoke him out. He passed the place three weeks afterwards and the fire, which was still burning, had penetrated the mountain further than the eye could see. His furlough having expired, he went back to the army. After the surrender at Appomattox, curiosity prompted him to visit the spot. Much to his surprise, he heard an indistinct roaring in the very bowels of the mountain, and putting his head to the mouth of the cavern, he inhaled the gas from burning coal. He is of opinion that the whole mountain is one vast coal-bed, and that his little adventure with the fox will ultimately lead to the destruction of this Continent. We give the story for what it is worth. — Any one too stupid to believe it should read the "Life and Adventures of Baron Munchausen."

The following, from the New Orleans Picayune, will apply with equal force in every community where a newspaper is published:

On a moderate estimate, about three out of twenty at the average boarding-house pay for the daily news, while the other seventeen enjoy it first, and often exclusively. It is not productive of amiability to go down to breakfast in the morning and find some respectable old dead-beat reading your newspaper. Of course it's yours, and you can demand it at his hands; but why should a man be compelled to ask for his own? Why do people who haven't the liberality or the spirit to pay five cents for a newspaper, persist in appropriating the property of others? Perhaps our moral sense has been dulled; perhaps, debared from that fine atmosphere of piety and superiority in which these gentlemen dwell, we have confused the principles of *meum* and *thum*, but we can't see much difference between taking one's paper and his pocket-book, except that in the former case you take also his peace of mind and his amiability.

All this sounds severe, no doubt. If so, we're glad of it. We mean to be severe: There are vast numbers of people in New Orleans who never contribute one cent to journals, or, for that matter, to any other public enterprise, who have more to say about their betters, more criticisms to offer and more advice to bestow, than any other living creatures, and who do all this, and have been doing it throughout their useless and inextinguishable lives, at some one else's expense. We have suffered from their ravages, and we want to speak of them as they deserve. If we were able to think of anything more ill-natured than has been already said, we should append it promptly, cheerfully, and in the sense of having discharged a Christian obligation.

PRICE NO OBJECT.—Call for Books and Shoes, for Men and Boys, Women and Children, regardless of price, on KIRTLAND & TOURTELLOTT'S, No. 7 Market street.

Messrs. Sistrunk & Maull, wish to call the attention of farmers to the fact that they still have a few bushels of genuine Dixon Improved Cotton Seed for sale. These seed are of the very finest variety, and can be depended on as being exactly what they are represented. They were raised in Georgia, and never had the army worm upon them, which of itself is quite a recommendation. apldhw

"Brown's Bronchial Troches," — Coughs and colds are often overlooked. A continuance for any length of time causes irritation of the lungs or some chronic "Throat Disease." "Brown's Bronchial Troches" are an effectual cough remedy. apldhw

I am thoroughly satisfied that Simmons Liver Invigorator is all it claims to be for Indigestion and Billious Complaints. I have also heard many of my friends speak of it, and all agree that it possesses the virtues claimed for it. A. H. HIGHTOWER, Conductor M. & W. R. R.

FRESH ARRIVAL — OF — SPRING GOODS, AT PANIC PRICES. A fine and well selected stock of SPRING CLOTHING, just opened, and which I am selling LOW FOR CASH. Call and examine. H. C. DAVIDSON, 17 Market Street.

OFFICE MONTGOMERY DEPARTMENT SOUTHERN LIFE INSURANCE CO., MASONIC TEMPLE, MONTGOMERY, ALA.

The great success of the "Southern Life" ranking it with the oldest and best of the kind, and the security it affords, commend it to the consideration of the Insuring public. Its rates of premium are as low as any of the companies, and its policies, compared favorably with any, and far exceed many of its most active rivals.

Losses adjusted and paid at Montgomery Branch Office. Reliable agents wanted, to whom most liberal terms will be given. H. W. CLARK, Department Secretary and Manager.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Having purchased the barber shop of my brother (the late Henry Hines), persons visiting the city, and the public generally, desiring to get a good shave, or a hot, cold, or shower bath, can find it at the old stand, (under Orrut's Book store, corner Market and Court streets).

Barbers, who will do all in their power to give general satisfaction, to those who may favor me with their patronage. Thanking the public for past favors, and soliciting a continuance of the same. I am, very Respectfully, JOHN HENES.

The tables of the Opelika House are now abundantly supplied, and the convenience of the house to the trains affords travelers easy means of getting excellent meals. Trains give ample time. I am, very Respectfully, JOHN HENES.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—For the accommodation of Merchants and others who are unable to visit our Stores during the day for the purpose of making purchases, we will continue business on 9 o'clock, P. M., until further notice. LEGRAND & CO., Temple Stores.

NEW ARRIVALS — AT — POLLAK & CO.'S MAMMOTH EMPORIUM!

1,000 Ladies' Fine Leghorn Hats.
1,000 Misses' Fine Leghorn Hats.
5,000 Ladies' Straw Hats—latest styles.
1,000 Misses' Straw Hats.
3,000 Boys' Straw Hats—new styles.
1,000 Children's Straw Hats.

RIBBONS — In Endless Variety.

STRAW TRIMMINGS — In all Styles.

10,000 yards of Beautiful Hamburg and Suisse Embroideries.
25,000 yards fine Victoria Lawn.
10,000 yards fine Bishop's Lawn.
10,000 yards Jacquets.

ALL THE LEADING BRANDS OF BLEACHED DOMESTICS — AT — NEW YORK WHOLESALE PRICES.

50,000 YARDS STRIPED AND CHECKED MUSLINS.
10,000 YARDS NAINSOOKS.
10,000 YARDS SATIN STRIPED PIQUES—ALL COLORS.

500 PAIRS LADIES' VERY FINE TREAD CLOTH SHOES AT \$2.00 A PAIR; A SPECIAL BARGAIN.
200 DOZEN GENUINE ALEX. ANDRE KID GLOVES.
500 DOZEN LINEN HAND-KERCHIEFS.
500 DOZEN LINEN TOWELS, OF DIFFERENT QUALITIES.
300 DOZEN LINEN TABLE CLOTHS, VERY CHEAP.

WE HAVE ALL THE ABOVE NAMED GOODS IN STORE, AND INTEND TO SELL THEM AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES. CALL AND CONVINCE YOURSELF OF WHAT WE OFFER.

POLLAK & CO., DOLLAR STORE — AND — COURT SQUARE.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Reported by the Associated Press for the Montgomery Daily Advertiser.

WASHINGTON, April 8. Fabius Stanley, Rear Admiral, will probably command the Pacific Squadron.

Sanborn investigation brings out a question of veracity, between the Assistant Secretary, and the Solicitor of the United States Treasury.

Banfield the Solicitor, stated on the stand that he had no responsibility in the matter of executing the law; that rests solely upon the Secretary of the Treasury. He never asked the Secretary to give any one a contract, or suggested anything in reference to the per cent to be given.

Referring to the late testimony of Assistant Secretary Sawyer that he (Banfield) had solicited a letter from him in behalf of Dr. Presberg, the witness stated that he never solicited any such letter, and that no such conversation as that detailed by Assistant Secretary Sawyer ever took place. He was quite positive on this point.

Senate.—Fringelhuysen presented a memorial largely signed by New Jersey manufacturers, asking the imposition of a special duty of one cent per pound on tin. Present advalorem duty on tin operated against American and in favor of English merchants. Referred to Committee on Finance.

Mr. Johnston presented a similar paper, signed by dealers in Norfolk, Petersburg, and other Virginia cities. Same reference.

Mr. Oglesby presented the memorial of Jas. Beeson, asking the appointment of a delegation composed in part of women, to visit the tribes in Indian Territory, and devise means to improve their condition. Referred to Committee on Indian affairs.

Carpenter said several weeks ago he introduced a bill to provide for a new election in Louisiana. It was important that the bill should be disposed of. He had consulted with Senator West, who desired to speak on the bill, and he now gave notice that on Monday next, after the expiration of the morning hour, he would move that the Senate proceed to the consideration of that bill. He hoped that it would be passed upon without reference to a committee, as there was no necessity for such a reference.

House.—The bill bridging the Arkansas River, at Pine Bluff, passed. Petitions regarding the tin tariff were referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

Currency discussion occupied the day. The debate closes to-morrow. The House Sub-Judiciary Committee had another session this morning on the subject of South Carolina matters. The Whitmore delegation occupied the entire session. Congressmen Elliott made an argument against the prayer of the memorialists on Constitutional grounds, and protested against Congressional interference. He held that the evils complained of can readily be abated by conciliatory tactics on the part of the memorializing party. He said that the thoughtful Republicans of the State were ready and anxious to co-operate. He said the Supreme Court of the United States has maintained the doctrine that the Federal Government cannot interfere to prevent the abuse of the taxing power in a State.

Whitmore followed inveighing against the memorialists for refusal to participate in the Convention, forming new State Government. He denounced as false charges of extravagant use of the public funds. Also holding that taxation in South Carolina, is not excessive. Governor Porter has prepared a written statement of South Carolina grievances for the Senate Judiciary Committee, which will be read before the Committee next Monday, by Hon W. W. Boyce.

Probabilities.—For the Gulf States, winds shifting to the west and north and clearing weather.

New York, April 8. The New York Methodist Conference commenced its eighty-fourth session to-day, in this city.

The value of the steamship Europe was about \$1,250,000, and she was insured in French insurance companies for about two-thirds of her value. Her cargo was very valuable, consisting chiefly of silks, wines, sardines, &c. Agents think that on this trip she certainly carried a large quantity of fine goods for the spring trade, and the value of the cargo is not less than a million dollars. The greater part of the goods is probably insured. It is thought the mails and all the papers of the ship were saved, as from the tone of the dispatch it would appear that there was plenty of time to transfer passengers. The baggage was probably lost, as it must have been in the hold of the vessel.

The loss of the Europe falls heavily upon the Trans-Atlantic company at this time, as they had just completed their arrangements to run a weekly steamer throughout the coming season.

The Greece, with the rescued passengers, is expected to-night or to-morrow.

Boston, April 8. The seventy-ninth annual session of the New England conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church met to-day, Bishop James presiding. A resolution protesting against the repeal or mutilation of the prohibitory law, and also against the enactment of a license law to sustain in any way the traffic in liquor, was adopted.

On the fourteenth ballot for United States Senator, Dawes received 96 votes, Hoar 73, Curtis 72, Banks 0, and Adams 16.

Fifteenth ballot.—Dawes 91, Hoar 65,

Curtis 72, Adams 19, Sanford 11, Washburne 7, Judge Hoar 2.

There were four ballots for Senator to-day. The last ballot, which is the sixteenth from the commencement, resulted.—Dawes 82; Hoar 69; Curtis 75; Adams 16; Sanford 1; Banks 7; Washburne 5; Stevens 4; scattering 8.

ST. LOUIS, April 8. Full returns of the election in this city yesterday show a choice of five Democrats, three Republicans and four Independents to the City Council, which will stand, with the members holding over, Democrats 14, Republicans 6, Independent 4.

LONDON, April 8. No further information in relation to the sinking of the steamship Europe has yet been received, except that the necessity for abandoning the vessel was caused by the choking of her leading pumps. The origin of the accident to the Europe is not yet known here. No lives were lost.

COMMERCIAL. MONTGOMERY DAILY ADVERTISER, MONTGOMERY, ALA., April 7, 1874.

Cotton.—Ordinary 11 1/2 cents; Good Ordinary 12 1/2 cents; Strict Good Ordinary 13 1/2 cents; Low Middlings 14 1/2 cents; Middlings 15 1/2 cents. Market steady.

BY TELEGRAPH TO-DAY. LIVERPOOL MARKET. Quotations To-day.

In Liverpool at 8 a. m., cotton was quoted as follows: Middling Uplands 8 1/2; Middling Orleans 8 1/2; Sales 12,000 bales, of which 7,400 bales were American, exporters and speculators taking 2,000 bales. Market quiet.

NEW YORK MARKET. Spot Cotton. In New York, to-day, cotton was quoted as follows: Strict Good Ordinary 15 1/2; Low Middlings 16 1/2; Middling Uplands 17 1/2; Sales 1,272 bales; net receipts 812 bales. Market dull.

Future Delivery. April 10 1/2; May 1 1/2; June 1 1/2; July 1 1/2; August 1 1/2; September 1 1/2; October 1 1/2; November 1 1/2; December 1 1/2. Gold steady at 153 1/2; Money easy at 4 1/2; Government strong; State bonds quiet and nominal.

Receipts To-day. Received at all U. S. Ports to-day 7,618, against 10,000 the corresponding day last year, showing a decrease in favor of this season of 2,382 bales.

Exports. The exports to the Continent are 21,223, to Great Britain 21,223, against total export 42,446, the corresponding day last year, showing an increase in favor of this season of 2,771 bales.

New Orleans Market. Net receipts 2,438 bales; exports 9,520 bales; sales 5,500 bales; stock on hand 27,221 bales; middlings 10 1/2; low middlings 12 1/2; good ordinary 14 1/2. Closed steady.

Mobile Market. Net receipts 251 bales; exports 56 bales; sales 400 bales; stock 42,380 bales; middlings 10 1/2; low middlings 12 1/2; good ordinary 14 1/2. Closed quiet.

Charleston Market. Net receipts 1,133 bales; exports 338 bales; sales 400 bales; stock 26,812 bales; middlings 10 1/2; low middlings 12 1/2; good ordinary 14 1/2. Closed quiet.

Baltimore Market. Net receipts 83 bales; exports 200 bales; sales 235 bales; stock 4,122 bales; middlings 10 1/2; low middlings 12 1/2; good ordinary 14 1/2. Closed quiet.

Galveston Market. Net receipts 600 bales; exports 50; sales 1,000 bales; stock 55,363 bales; good ordinary 14 1/2; low middlings 12 1/2. Closed firm.

Sevastopol Market. Net receipts 737 bales; exports 50 bales; sales 163 bales; stock 55,670 bales; middlings 10 1/2; low middlings 12 1/2. Closed quiet.

Memphis Market. Net receipts 241 bales; exports 403 bales; sales 42,471 bales; low middlings 15 1/2 cents. Closed quiet.

Norfolk Market. Net receipts 83 bales; exports 1,800 bales; sales 500 bales; stock 4,038 bales; low middlings 15 1/2 cents. Closed quiet.

Boston Market. Net receipts 41 bales; sales 210 bales; stock 6,000 bales; middlings 17 1/2 cents. Closed quiet.

