

THE ARKANSAS METHODIST.

SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1885.

Temperance.

A Third Party Needed.

BY HORACE WATERS.

[CONCLUDED FROM LAST WEEK.]

The Republicans have been crying "good temperance and good liquor," while the Democrats have been crying "good liquor" all the time, the result being that the liquor fraternity have nearly all gone over to the Democratic party with their immense capital and power.

About 1886 the dead party will be resurrected with a new body having a prohibition soul in it; in 1888 it will nearly sweep the land, and in 1892 the entire Church will vote prohibition. The new party will elect its President and will rule the land 2 score or more of years. To accomplish these great and glorious results we must WORK AND VOTE AS WE TALK AND PRAY, and God will send us deliverance from this dreadful evil, which is the curse of our land.

"MODERATE DRINKING MAKES DRUNKARDS."—There are 26,000,000 of moderate and immoderate drinkers and drunkards in the United States, which may be classed as follows: 17,000,000 moderate drinkers, 7,000,000 immoderate drinkers and 1,000,000 of drunkards; more than 3,000,000 of the moderate drinkers (be it said to their shame) belong to the professed Church of Christ. Stop all moderate drinking and in five years there will be no drunkards, and the 250,000 liquor saloons in the United States will be closed. Moderate drinking leads to immoderate, and immoderate drinking makes drunkards. Every church that upholds moderate drinking upholds drunkards and sending souls to hell. "For the time is come that judgment must begin at the house of God." 1st Peter, 4-17. Were all the churches in the United States to come out against moderate drinking, they would most assuredly vote the prohibition ticket and a prohibition President would be elected in 1888. Moderate-drinking ministers and Church members, we say to you, "Handle not, taste, nor touch" intoxicating drinks. Col., 2-21. St. Paul says, "Wherefore, if meat make my brother to offend, I will eat no flesh while the world standeth, lest I make my brother to offend." 1st Cor., 8-13. There are thousands of moderate drinkers whose fathers, brothers, sons, friends or neighbors have died drunkards or committed some crime on account of drunkenness. Count those of your own acquaintance on your fingers and you will be astonished. May every moderate-drinking Church member who reads this tract say, "I will drink no more forever." There are nearly 16,000,000 Church members and 310,000 churches and Sunday-schools in the United States. Let them all cry out publicly and boldly against moderate drinking, and within one year both political parties will go in for temperance reform.

Analysis of the Liberty party (anti-slavery) Presidential vote: James G. Birney, 1840, 7,059 votes; James G. Birney, 1844, 62,300 votes; Martin Van Buren (Free Soil and Liberty party), 1848, 291,263 votes; John P. Hale, 1852, 166,140 votes; John C. Fremont (Liberty party and Whigs united—name, Republican), 1856, 1,341,264 votes; Abraham Lincoln (elected), 1860, 1,866,352 votes. History repeating itself: 1884 was the John P. Hale year; 1888 will be the Fremont year and 1892 will be the Lincoln year.

WHO ARE RESPONSIBLE?—From late statistics, the following facts have been developed in relation to the liquor traffic in this country: There are in the United States about 250,000 licensed and unlicensed places where intoxicants are sold; of these some 150,000 are kept by Democrats, and nearly 100,000 by Republicans. 100,000 men, women and children die drunkards annually; 60,000 are chargeable to the Democrats, and 40,000 to the Republicans. Can either of these be called a temperance party? The Sixth Commandment says, "Thou shalt not kill." But the two great political parties of to-day say, "You may kill, and we will license you to kill."


WALL PAPER & WINDOW SHADERS
Picture Frames, Mouldings, Mirrors, &c., &c.
216 MAIN STREET
APR 14, 1884
LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

ADLER, GOLDMAN & CO.,
COTTON FACTORS
Commission Merchants.
214 Graylar Street,
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

HILL, FONTAINE & CO.,
COTTON FACTORS
Commission Merchants.
116 South Main Street,
ST. LOUIS, MO.

PAYSON'S INDELIBLE INK.
No preparation and only a common pen needed. Established 50 Years. Superior and popular for decorative work on linen. Received Centennial Medal & Diploma. Sold everywhere.

All Sorts of
hurts and many sorts of ails of man and beast need a cooling lotion. Mustang Liniment.

WHEN YOU WANT
Any of these Articles

or anything in the line of
MACHINERY,
Seeds, Pumps, Drain Pipe
—OR—
Farm Implements,
Write to
Dudley E. Jones Co.,
LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

LIVERY
—AND—
Sale Stable.

SEARCY, ARKANSAS.
SPLENDID OUTFITS.
Transportation to any part of the State
Hack line to Kensett, 25cts.
BUCK NEELY,
July-28-84t Proprietor.

WILLIS McNAIR,
TONSORIAL ARTIST,
221 Main Street, LITTLE ROCK.
For a clean, comfortable shave, practical hair cut, and enjoyable bath, McNair's is the place to go. He has no superior in this city. may-17 ly

OPIUM and WHISKY HABITS cured at home without pain. Book of particulars sent Free. R. M. WOOLLEY, M. D., Atlanta, Ga.

CORPULENCY
Recipe and notes how to harmlessly, effectually and rapidly cure obesity without semi-starvation dietary, etc. European Mail Oct 25th says: "Its effect is not merely to reduce the amount of fat, but by affecting the source of obesity to induce a radical cure of the disease. Mr. B. makes no charge whatever; any person, rich or poor, can obtain his work gratis by sending 6 cts. to cover postage to P. A. RUSSELL, Esq., Woburn House, Store St., Bedford Sq., London, Eng."

BARNES' Patent Foot and Steam Power Machinery. Complete outfits for Actual Workshop Business. Lathes for Wood or Metal, Circular Saws, Scroll Saws, Formers, Mortisers, Tenoners, etc., etc. Machines on trial if desired. Descriptive Catalogue and Price List Free. W. F. & JOHN BARNES, Rockford, Ill. No. 141 Ruby St.

Are You Going to
Kansas, Missouri, Colorado, California or any of the Western States?

If so you should avail yourself of the advantages that are now offered by the Kansas City Route, the only direct route from the South to the West and Northwest. This line runs its entire trains, with Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars and free Reclining Chair Cars, from Memphis to Kansas City, saving many hours time over any other route. If you are going West you will save money by purchasing your ticket via Hoxie or Memphis and the Kansas City Route. Send for large map of this Short Route; mailed free. Address, J. E. LOCKWOOD, Kansas City, Mo.

MADAME FOY'S CORSET AND Skirt Supporter.

Combines the most ELEGANT FITTING CORSET with a PERFECT SKIRT SUPPORTER and is one of the most popular and satisfactory corsets regards HEALTH and COMFORT ever invented. It is particularly adapted to the present style of dress. For sale by all leading dealers. Price by mail \$1.50. FOY, HARMON & CHADWICK, New Haven, Conn.

Established in 1865. Established in 1865.
FONES BROTHERS,
DEALERS IN
HARDWARE,
Cutlery, Axes, Iron, Nails,
Cooking and Heating Stoves,
Avery & Sons' Plows, Oliver Chilled Plows, Rubber Belting.
Our stock is both large and complete; having a resident buyer in NEW YORK we are enabled to compete with any market.
200 & 202 MAIN STREET, - - - LITTLE ROCK, ARK.
Jan 12 ly.

SMITH & CO.'S
Music House
Sole Agents For
Steinway & Sons and Knabe
PIANOS FOR KLANICH AND BACH, E. GABLER & BRO. WHELOCK AND C. D. PEASE & CO.
ORGANS: MASON & HAMLIN AND CHICAGO ORGAN.
INSTRUMENTS SOLD ON EASY TERMS.
Main St., LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

G. S. BRACK,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER IN
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
Lamps and Chandeliers.
—ALSO—
FINE CHINA DINNER SETS,
FINE CHINA TEA SETS,
FINE CHINA CHAMBER SETS,
FANCY LIBRARY AND STAND LAMPS,
—AND A GENERAL LINE OF—
DECORATED CHINAWARE.
220 MAIN STREET. dec8,83t

E. D. SMITH & CO.,
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES,
PRODUCE AND COMMISSION.
622 Main St. - - - LITTLE ROCK, ARK.
We make a specialty of handling Country Produce on consignment, and under prompt account sales.

LISTEN!
Have you a mind of your own? If so, listen to us just a moment. You are not enjoying good health; you have tried internal medicine, and you are not well yet. Now, why will you not put prejudice aside, and try our treatment? We will send you, on trial, one of our **ELECTRO-MEDICATED APPLIANCES** to suit your case, provided you agree to pay for it, if it cures you in one month. If it does not cure you, it costs you nothing. Is not this a fair offer?
Different Appliances to cure DYSPEPSIA, RHEUMATISM, LIVER AND KIDNEY DISEASES, PILES, LUNG DISEASES, ASTHMA, CATARRH, LAME BACK, AGUE, DEBILITY, and many other Diseases. Remember, we do not ask you to buy them, blindly; but merely to try them, at our risk. 125,000 Cures made during 1884, in cases where all other treatments had failed. PRICE VERY LOW. Illustrated book, giving full particulars, and blank for statement of your case, sent free. Address, at once, **ELECTRIC PAD MFG CO.,** 564 State Street, Brooklyn, N. Y. **AGENTS WANTED.**
ELECTRIC MEDICINE COMBINED.
WRITE TO US TODAY DONT DELAY

ARKANSAS METHODIST

SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1885.

Missionary Department

"The bliss for Adam's race designed; When will it reach to all mankind?" Dear sisters of our Missionary Societies, does it sometimes occur to you with almost audible earnestness that this longed for period of the dominion of our Lord is in our own keeping? God has committed the great proclamation to his church. The mission is clothed with his authority, and involves the most sacred and immortal interests of humanity. We have interwoven ourselves with the great destiny of the world, and though it be but a small portion we may serve, yet that portion awaits our orders to move forward in the Master's name. Our "woman's board of missions" acts through trust in our associated strength and faithfulness. A large appropriation was made by them to establish a centennial monument of our gratitude and thank offering. There seems danger of the collection falling short. The board assembles in June, and we must turn us about quickly and diligently to meet the obligation. So we earnestly ask each auxiliary to have made known the urgency of this indebtedness, so that something above the general assessments may be collected. But a small advance from all would send timely help by the tenth of May. Whether auxiliary societies act in this matter or not, does not remove individual responsibilities. Does it cancel our indebtedness to the Lord that others do not pay what they owe him? Verily, we shall stand before Him alone in the hour of judgment. I like the idea of numbering our benefits. That missionary box with benefits at a cent a piece, came near breaking poor Mrs. Pickett's heart, and, I believe, these silent droppings of real heart offerings will come near breaking all our hearts, and bringing us to understand the exceeding goodness of God, who doth constantly compass us about with tender mercies. Who will value their blessings and offer to the Lord? If there be such as cherish tender memories of the loved departed, and whose memories are bound hard to the hope and resurrection given through the Lord Jesus Christ, let such lay a loving tribute of memory in the treasury of the Lord. Our Memorial Fund seems to be the "holy of holies"—the place of consecrated deposit, where the heart brings only the gold which has been tried in the fire. The widow's mite, the orphan's penny, or the yet more tender earnings of a worn and wearied mother all meet here, and in sweet union of prayer and faith, they ascend like heavenly incense. Beautiful remembrance, which helps to "crown him Lord of all."

By energy and prayer much may be accomplished in the next few weeks. Let us give to the "woman's board" a season of rejoicing at Knoxville. I have by request addressed this appeal to the associations in the conference of our state. Will Sisters Suddarth and Tucker give a word of exhortation? Our conference corresponding secretary says that "something must be done at once." We must all feel the necessity laid upon us to uphold the honor of our societies. Will Sister Holmes give us the columns of the ARKANSAS METHODIST an idea of the deficiency? She is acquainted with the workings of the board, and understands our obligations. We will hope to hear from her. Meanwhile, dear sisters, go to work as if to meet a debt of honor, for this is more. It is one of love for "him who hath so loved us." LOU A. HORCHKISS. Hot Springs, Ark.

BARLOW'S INDIGO BLUE. Its merits as a WASH BLUE have been fully tested and endorsed by thousands of housekeepers. Your Grocer ought to have it on sale. IF ASK HIM FOR IT. D. S. WILHELM, Prop'r, 228 N. Second St., Philadelphia.

Lewis House,
CORNER 3d AND CENTER.
This new and elegant Hotel
OPENED OCTOBER FIRST.

Her many friends who have stopped with her at Fourth and Rock, are requested to note the change.

AGENTS WANTED for the MISSOURI STEAM WASHER!
It will pay any intelligent man or woman seeking profitable employment to write for Illustrated Circular and terms of Agency for this Celebrated Washer, which by reason of its intrinsic merit is meeting with such wonderful success.

Priddy House,
(Formerly Commercial.)
Cor. Front & Jefferson Sts.,
MEMPHIS.

This house has been thoroughly repaired and fitted up with new furniture.
J. H. PRIDDY,
Richmond, (Va.) Proprietor.
Nov 25, '82-tf

LOUIS G. BERNAYS,
Manufacturing Jeweler and Engraver,
116 Main Street,
LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

The largest and best selected stock of Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry, Silver and Silver-Plated Ware, Clocks, Razors, Sissors, Spectacles and Eye-Glasses. The only First-Class Manufacturing Jeweler and Engraver in the City.
Notary Seals \$4.25 each, and made in one hour's notice.
We make Diamond Mountings of all descriptions, Medal Work of all kinds, and we do all kinds of General Watch and Jewelry Repairing.

MARSHALL & ALLEN,
1871
S. N. MARSHALL.
1886
GEO. B. ALLEN.

INSURANCE AGENTS,
Fire, Marine, Cyclone and Life

204 W. Markham Street, LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

Aggregate Assets \$1,000,000.00
Will take Insurance on all kinds of property, including saw and planing mills, gins and Farm Property.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

Dr. L. R. STARK,
OFFICE:—604 Main Street.
RESIDENCE:—1224 Louisiana street.

Dr. J. J. McAlmont.
OFFICE—213 East Eighth Street.
RESIDENCE—800 Cumberland Street.
Oct. 11 '84-ly.

DR. P. O. HOOPER. DR. A. L. BREYSACHER.
DRS. HOOPER & BREYSACHER.
Little Rock, Ark.
OFFICE—Adams Block, corner Main and Markham Streets. Sept. 13 '84.

DR. D. J. PRATHER.
Office—112 West Seventh street, near corner Seventh and Main.
Residence—Corner Fifteen and Arch.
Sept. 13 '84-ly.

JOHN V. SPRING, M. D.
Eye, Ear, Throat & Nose.
OFFICE OVER E. L. TAYLOR & CO.
1st ly PINE BLUFF, ARK.

WAT STRONG,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
56 COURT STREET,
Memphis, Tenn.

Dr. T. E. Murrell,
320 West Markham Street,
LITTLE ROCK, ARK.,
Practice limited to
Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Throat and Nose.
Office hours—9 a.m. to 12m.; 2 to 5 p.m.

DR. E. CROSS. DR. C. WATKINS.
CROSS & WATKINS,
Office: Over Ostrander & Hogan's hardware store, corner Main and Third streets.
Residences. Dr. Cross, 520 West Third street; Dr. Watkins, 411 Cumberland street.

Dr. J. M. Hill,
Operates for Piles or Hemorrhoids, Fistula in Ano, Ulcer, Fissure, and all diseases of the Rectum. Guarantees a cure in every case of Piles without pain or Hindrance from business. Names of parties cured furnished at office, corner Main and Second, over Hall & Matthews', Little Rock. Office hours (daily, except Sundays), 9 to 12 a. m., 1 to 4 p. m.
Consultation free. Patients can come from almost any part of the State, receive treatment and return same day.
Sept 6-'84-ly.

GATE CITY Stone Filter,
"Pure Water, Health, Life."
Simplest, Cheapest, and BEST.
"NO OTHER FILTER CAN BE COMPARED TO IT."
Medical Journal.
McBRIDE & CO.,
Atlanta, Georgia.
Send for Catalogue

"TRUE ECONOMY WILL LEAD TO WEALTH."

GUS BLASS & CO.,
314 & 316 Main St. LITTLE ROCK, ARK.,
Are now offering a large Stock of

--CLOTHING--
FOR MEN, BOYS AND CHILDREN,
UNEQUALED IN THE HISTORY OF Little Rock
—FOR—
VARIETY, STYLES, QUALITY AND PRICES.

The Goods are equal to custom-made and a PERFECT FIT. In connection with the enormous Stock of Clothing, we have a well and Careful selected Stock of

Dry goods, Notions, Ladies' GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS
And an immense Line of
Boots and Shoes,
All of which are ornament to the establishment, but have to be sacrificed in order to give room. GUS BLASS & CO. says: "It is our desire to 'keep the wheel in motion.'" Goods are arriving daily and they have to Go regardless of price or beauty. Call early and get first "pick" at the Mammoth Establishment of
GUS. BLASS & CO.,
Minsters' Coats and Vests, and wedding outfits, a Specialty.

ORGILL BROTHERS & CO.,

Headquarters for
B. F. Avery and Son's Plows,

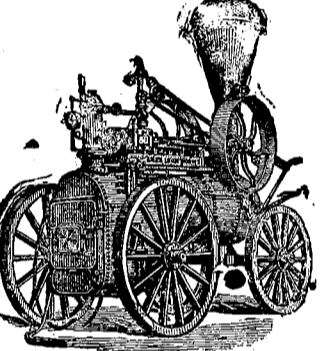
—AND—
Randolph Combined Harrow and Cultivator.
310 & 312 Front Street, - - - MEMPHIS, TENN.

G. M. Trumpler,
407 1-2 Main St., Little Rock,
---DEALER IN---

GUNS, GUN FIXTURES,
Amunition, Pocket Cutlery and Fishing Tackle, Caledonian Minnows, great variety of Spoon Trolls, Spinners, Frogs and Crawfish, Jointed Rods, Braided, Linen and Silk Lines, Oiled Sea Grass lines, Floats, all sizes Hooks of the best makes, from the smallest to the largest, Trammel Nets, &c.
Special attention given to repairing. All work guaranteed. March 1st '84-ly.

WILSON & WEBB,
212 MAIN ST., - - - LITTLE ROCK, ARK.
BOOKS AND STATIONERY,
Wall Paper, Sheet Music, Notions, etc., etc.

Machinery! Machinery!



BAIRD & BRIGHT,

LITTLE ROCK, ARK.,
STATE AGENTS for the finest line of
First-class machinery
In the South.

Ames' Portable and Stationary Engines and Boilers. Skinner & Wood Ginning Engines, perfectly noiseless and make no sparks.
Brennan & Co's. Saw Mills, Lathe Mills and Shingle Machines. The Bradford Corn and Wheat Mills, Kentucky Sorghum or Cane Mills. Kentucky self-skimming Evaporators. Cook's Evaporators.
Millburn's Anti-Friction Roller Breast Cotton Gin—the only gin that will gin wet cotton. The Centennial Gins, Eagle Gins and Lummus Gins. Ivens Self Returning Screw Cotton Press. Perkins & Co's Shingle Machines. Jones' 5-ton Wagon Scales—Jones, he pays the freight.
J. S. Case & Co., Threshers and Separators. Rawson Mowers and Reapers. Thomas' Rakes.
Write for Circulars, prices and terms to
Baird & Bright,
April 28, '83-tf. 309 & 311 W. Markham St., LITTLE ROCK, ARK

Arkansaw's GREAT LIVER REMEDY!



Warranted Purely Vegetable and will not salivate.
IT IS NATURE'S REMEDY FOR MALARIA, LIVER COMPLAINT, SICK HEADACHE AND BILIOUSNESS.
Sold by Wholesale and Retail Druggists everywhere.
W. H. KIRKWOOD, Proprietor, St. Louis, Mo.

GRIFFIN SPRINGS,
NEAR SEARCY, WHITE COUNTY, ARKANSAS,
V. H. HENDERSON & CO.,
PROPRIETORS.

The Waters of these Celebrated Springs cure Kidney, Liver, and all Malarial Diseases; and is especially good for all Female Complaints.
Daily Hacks from Searcy to the Springs, a distance of only three and a half miles. Only Four Hours from Little Rock.
A Good Hotel and Cottages Have Been Built,
Making this a favorite resort for the best people of Little Rock, Pine Bluff, Clarendon, Augusta, &c.
Moderate Terms, Good Fare, Choice Society, and most and best of all
RESTORED HEALTH, April 18 85
AT GRIFFIN SPRINGS.

ARKANSAS METHODIST.

SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1885.

Little Helpers.

H. M. GRANADE, Editor. Batesville, Ark.

The Voice of Spring.

There seems a voice in every gale, A tongue in every opening flower, Which tells, O Lord, the wondrous tale Of thy indulgent love and power.

And shall my voice, great God, alone Be mute amidst nature's loud acclaim Nor let my heart with answering tone Breathe forth in praise Thy holy name?

All nature's debt is small to mine, For nature soon shall cease to be; But, matchless proof of love divine, Thou gav'st immortal life to me.

—[Mrs. Opie.]

Letters From New Helpers.

DEAR BRO. GRANADE:—Enclosed please find three 2-cent stamps for a missionary bank. I am a little boy, ten years of age. I have three brothers, one of whom is a baby. There are two Sunday-schools here, which are well attended; they are Methodist and Presbyterian. My father is the pastor of the Richmond and Rocky Comfort charge. I want to be a Little Helper and do as much as I can for the missionaries. Yours truly, SAMUEL W. PRESTON. Richmond, Ark., April 13, 1885.

DEAR BROTHER GRANADE:—Papa takes the METHODIST, and I have been reading the letters from the Little Helpers and am anxious to be numbered with them. I don't quite understand where and when I am to send the money. I would like to know all about it. I enclose six cents in postage. Please send me one of those banks, and I will save all I can. Your little friend, CHARLIE E. WILLIAMS. Malvern, Ark., April 14, 1885.

The banks have been sent to Charlie and Sammie. Make, save and collect as much as you can by next conference, and send it up by your pastor for the Children's Work among the heathen. We all can help some. Let us work, and pray, and get all we can to make the world better.

Then little May comes tripping in, Uncertain as her name is; We May have snow, The wind May blow, Or Maybe lots of daisies.—[Ex. Cleveland's Ball.]

Only the other day I was telling the children of that touching and hopeful little item in our new President's taking charge of his office at Washington—his taking the oath of office on the same dear little old Bible which his Christian mother gave him when he was a boy. But how we are shocked when we learn that this great big boy should so far forget the teachings of that holy book and pious parents (his father was a Presbyterian preacher—do they approve of dancing?) as to have a great ball on that occasion. Can we never get the big folks to set a proper example before the little ones? How light and foolish it must have looked for our great President, with his leading men and fine ladies, amid silly music (wine, perhaps,) and all the vain gayeties of a romping dancing party, and the low movements and positions of the round dance likely, to go hopping around like a lot of silly apes! Now, Grover, you ought to be ashamed of that, and try in the future to control the folks about your great White House that we have furnished for you, so as not to set such a corrupting example. Why, don't you know, sir, that the very best people never do that way, and the very lowest and worst do? When my little readers get to Washington City, or anywhere else, I do hope they will never engage in a dance. Let the heathen and all the light-headed simpletons use their heels for pastime, but let all refined, truly polite and religiously inclined people use their nobler powers in better ways.

QUARTERLY MEETINGS.

LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE. Arkadelphia District--Third Round. H. D. McKinnon, P. E. Malvern sta, May 2, 3. Arkadelphia sta, 9, 10. Social Hill ct, 16, 17. Hot Springs sta, 23, 24. Hot Springs ct, 30, 31. Malvern ct, June 8, 9. Clark ct, 13, 14. Amity ct, 20, 21. Caddo ct, 27, 28. Tulip ct, July 4, 5. Gurdon ct, 11, 12. Mt Ida ct, 18, 19. Cedar Glades miss, 25, 26. Princeton ct, August 1, 2.

NEW PERMANENT. DAVIES & RAYBURN, T. B. RAYBURN. Photographers and Crayon or INDIAN INK ARTISTS. No. 500 Main St., Little Rock, Ark. We feel justified in publishing the public first-class work in all the above lines.

SEWING MACHINES. We are prepared to supply Dealers and others with our Unrivalled LEADER. With New Attachments--The Finest and Best in the Market. The Easiest to Sell. If there is no Dealer in your town, send for description of the LEADER. C. A. STOCTON & CO., Little Rock, Ark., 504 Main St.

A NEW ENTERPRISE! THE METHODIST BOOK CONCERN. C. C. CODDEN & CO., PROP'RS. 604 1-2 Main Street, Little Rock, Ark. The only Southern Methodist Book Concern in the State. Carry the publications of the Southern Methodist Publishing House, Nashville, Tenn.; the latest hymn and tune church and Sunday-school song books. Also, standard secular past-cutions and periodicals, stationery, notions, etc. Good Quality and Close Prices. Prompt attention given all orders. mar 22-84-1f

FREE! FREE! FREE! SECURE THE AGENCY FOR THE MOST PERFECT AND BEST SEWING MACHINE IN THE WORLD, THE

New Wilson Oscillating Shuttle.

"WITHOUT A COMPETITOR!"

the Award at the Charleston Fair. We keep on hand all kinds of Machines, Attachments, Needles, Oil, Thread, Etc., AND SELL AT LOWER PRICES THAN ANY HOUSE IN THE SOUTH-WEST.

Save money and time by sending your Orders to Us. We guarantee satisfaction, both as to Prices and Quality. For reference we refer, by PERMISSION, to the Merchant's National Bank of Little Rock.

A GOOD, RELIABLE AGENT WANTED,

In each County and State. For full particulars address,

S. B. KIRBY & CO., Little Rock, Arkansas.

Mar 1st '84-1y

JAMES H. WATERS, JEFFERSON MACHINE WORKS,

PINE BLUFF, ARK.

Manufacture and Repair Engines and Boilers.

Special attention paid to repairs on plantation and saw mill machinery, shafting pulleys, pumps, pipe fittings and brass goods of all sizes always on hand.

ENGINES AND BOILERS BOUGHT AND SOLD.

Correspondence solicited on everything relating to machine shop and foundry business. Estimates furnished on application. sept 18, '83-1f

THE FAMOUS LIFE ASSOCIATION,

Cor. Main and Second Streets, LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

Is conducted upon the Assessment or Co-operate Plan and issues Single Policies to male or female applicants, and Companion Policies to husband and wife, or any two persons having a legal interest in each other. At the death of the holder of a Companion Policy, the whole amount due on both policies is paid to the survivor. Active agents wanted. Address

J. R. RUTHERFORD, Secretary.

Established in 1857.

J. V. ZIMMERMAN,

—DEALER IN—

WATCHES, CLOCKS, FINE JEWELRY AND DIAMONDS.

Solid Silver and Silver-Plated Ware. Gold Pens, Pencils and Tooth-Picks. Gold, Silver and Ivory-Headed Canes. Opera, Field and Marine Glasses. Spectacles and Eye-Glasses. Compasses. Thermometers. Gold and Silver Thimbles, etc. Oct 4-'84-3m.

1851 Established 1851.

JAMES E. GIBSON,

(SUCCESSOR TO MC'ALMONT & GIBSON.)

Wholesale and Retail

—DEALER IN—

DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, Surgical Instruments, Trusses,

Fine Toilet Soaps, Brushes, Combs, Perfumery and Fancy Toilet Articles.

Physician's Prescriptions Accurately Compounded.

B. LOWENSTEIN & BROS.

—WHOLESALE—

Dry Goods, Notions, Hosiery,

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

242, 244 & 246 Main Street, MEMPHIS, TENN

Our Spring Stocks are now ready in all departments. They are larger, more varied and more complete in every respect than any we have ever offered. We buy Domestic Goods from Manufacturers only, and all Foreign Goods we import ourselves. Hence we do not pay a profit to middle men, and as we buy only in large quantities, and always exclusively for cash, we do not hesitate to guarantee to the largest and closest buyers that we can sell them goods as low as they can buy them in the United States, and offer them, as inducements they cannot find in distant markets, Lower Freights, Quicker Time and Lighter traveling Expenses.

THE LITTLE HUCKLEBERRY, FOR CHILDREN TETHERING.

The soldiers in the late war established the fact that the Huckleberry was much more efficacious in chronic bowel troubles than the Blackberry. Every one knows the Huckleberry growing alongside the hill, but few have realized the fact that the purple berry contains one of the most valuable astringent healing principles to the bowels. Dr. Bigler's Huckleberry Cordial is the great Southern remedy for curing Diarrhea, Dysentery, Cramp-Colls and all bowel affections, and restoring the little one suffering such a drainage upon the system from the effects of TETHERING. For sale by all druggists at 50 cents a bottle. Send Two Cent stamp for "TAYLOR'S LITTLE RIDDLE BOOK," for the health of home and amusement of the little ones. Walter A. Taylor, Atlanta, Georgia.

RAILWAYS.

LITTLE ROCK SCHEDULES.

Railroad Managers are requested to notify us of changes, that the time card may be kept correct

St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Ry

Table with columns: Trains going North, Arrive, Depart. Includes Texas Express, Local Freight, Texas Stock, Texas Freight, Mail and Express, Texas Express, Local Freight, Fast Freight, Texas Freight, Texas Freight.

Memphis and Little Rock Railroad.

PASSENGER TRAINS.

Table with columns: No. 1, Arrives at Memphis, Arrives at Little Rock, No. 2, Arrives at Little Rock, Arrives at Memphis, No. 4, Arrives at Memphis, Arrives at Little Rock.

Arkansas Valley Route.

Table with columns: Leave for Fort Smith, Arrive from Ft Smith, Leave for Arkansas City, Leave for Arkansas City (freight), Arrive from Arkansas City, Arrive from Arkansas City (freight).

Hot Springs Railroad.

Table with columns: Passenger, depart, Malvern, Freight and Accom. depart Malvern, Passenger arrive Malvern, Freight and Accom. arrive Malvern.

Arkansas Midland Railroad.

Table with columns: Trains, Helena Mixed, Clarendon Mixed, Depart, Arrive.

THE IRON MOUNTAIN ROUTE,

St. Louis

IS THE FAVORITE LINE TO THE NORTH AND EAST.

2 Daily Trains 2

FAST TIME!

Superior Accommodations!

F. CHANDLER, Gen. Ticket Agent. L. C. TOWNSEND, Gen. Passenger Ag't. St. Louis, Mo.

Cotton Belt Route. TEXAS & ST. LOUIS RY.

NEW THRO' LINE FROM Arkansas and Texas

BY WAY OF CAIRO TO ST. LOUIS AND CHICAGO,

ILLINOIS, IOWA, WISCONSIN, MICHIGAN, INDIANA, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA, NEW YORK AND ALL POINTS

NORTH AND EAST Fullman Palace Sleeping Cars, Pullman Parlor Cars and Elegant Day Coaches run through to St. Louis

WITHOUT CHANGE.

Only one change to Chicago. Don't buy a ticket to any point North or East until you have found out what you can get on for via the new line. Specially good accommodations for all classes of travel. For maps, time tables, rates, etc., apply to any agent of the TEXAS & ST. LOUIS RY COMPANY, or to W. R. WOODARD, A. C. SHELDON, Receiver & Gen'l Manager. Gen'l Passenger Ag't. 25 S. FOURTH ST., ST. LOUIS, MO.

PUBLISHERS DEPARTMENT

SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1885.

TERMS

One Year, in advance, \$1 50
Six Months " " 75

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

Table with columns: Space, 1 mo., 3 mo., 6 mo., 1 yr. and rows for 1 Square, 2 Squares, 3 Squares, 1/2 column.

For larger space, special contracts will be made.

Yearly advertisements payable quarterly in advance.

All transient advertisements must be paid for at the time of their insertion.

When the number of insertions is not specified, the advertisement will be inserted until forbid, and charged for accordingly.

No communication will be published unless the author's name is known by the editor.

All communications for publication or on business, should be addressed to ARKANSAS METHODIST.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce Hon. D. E. Barker, of Drew, as a candidate for the Forty-ninth Congress from the Third District...

We are authorized to announce Judge J. T. Bearden, of Ouachita, as a candidate for the Forty-ninth Congress from the Third District...

We are authorized to announce Hon. Thomas C. McRae, of Nevada, as a candidate for the Forty-ninth Congress from the Third District...

For Police Judge.

We are authorized to announce that S. L. Griffith is a candidate for re-election as police judge. Election Monday, May 18th.

STATEMENT OF OUR CIRCULATION.

Table showing circulation statistics from July 1884 to April 1885, including copies and subscribers.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21st day of April, 1885. JAMES L. DAVIS, Notary Public.

The Gazette advised us to show our books. What does it think of the exhibit, and how does it compare with theirs?

In this issue will be found the announcement of our old friend Col. S. L. Griffith, for re-election as Police Judge of this city. We have known Col. Griffith for thirty years...

The Mason & Hamlin Upright Pianos are pronounced to be, like the organ of the same company, the best of their kind.

Dudley E. Jones Co., Little Rock, sells all kinds of field and garden seeds.

Prof. W. K. Baker, of the Haganian System of Art drawing, who has been teaching at Searcy, will leave this week for Pine Bluff.

Be sure and call at Mr. G. S. Brack's, 220 Main street, and see his "patent package for preserving butter."

Hon. J. K. Jones and family are taking in the Exposition, and he will help much to add lustre to Arkansas on State day.

Dudley E. Jones Co., Little Rock sells all kinds of machinery.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma...

PAYSON'S INDELIBLE INK. No preparation and only a few minutes to dry. Erased in 50 Years. Superior and popular for decorative work on linen.



FOR CLEANSING THE SKIN AND Scalp of Birth Humors, for allaying Itching, Burning and Inflammation, for curing the first symptoms of Eczema, Psoriasis, Milk Crust, Scall Head, Scrofula and other inherited skin and blood diseases...

LITTLE ROCK Commercial College TELEGRAPH INSTITUTE.

Of Little Rock, Ark., established Jan. 19, 1874; incorporated Oct. 1, 1881. Before to visit or address this college for circular before going elsewhere. AARON BALES, President.

ALBERT COHEN, 417 Main Street, between 4th & 5th. Oldest Jewelry House in the city. SPECTACLES A SPECIALTY. AGENT FOR JOHN HOLLAND'S CELEBRATED GOLD PENS.

General Agent for Flouring Mills. GEO. F. ROZELLE, ROYAL PATENT GOLDEN CROWN MORNING STAR OLD GOLD. Agent for Star Meal, WOOD WAUDE MILLING COMPANY, ST. LOUIS, MO.

WELLS & DUNCAN, Gas and Steam Fitting, Plumbing, DEALERS IN WOOD AND IRON PUMPS. 317 MAIN ST., LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

Ed. Barton, WITH WEYBERG, ROTHSCHILD BROTHERS. HATS, CAPS AND UMBRELLAS. 401 & 403 N Broadway, ST. LOUIS, MO.

DR. SANFORD'S LIVER INVIGORATOR. A Reliable Remedy for Liver Complaints and all caused by a deranged or torpid condition of the Liver...

MARKETS. Corrected weekly by E. D. Smith & Co., 622 Main Street. PRODUCE. Creamery Butter, 30 to 35c. Dairy Butter, 20 to 25c. Eggs-Retail, 12c per doz.

MARKETS. Coffee, 10 to 14c. Sugar, 6 to 8c. Molasses-New Orleans, 35 to 60c. Rice, 6 1/2 to 7 1/2. Salt, \$1 50 to \$2. Corn Meal-per brl, \$2 50 to \$3.

WHETHER CHOLERA is coming or not, every household should know how to prevent it. DREYDOPPEL'S BORAX SOAP, a perfect cleansing, bleaching and purifying soap...

ROOSEVELT PORTABLE PIPE ORGAN. We have succeeded after many years of study and experiment in producing a portable GENUINE PIPE ORGAN which fills the place between the best reed organ and the church (pipe) organ.

The Mirror is no flatterer. Would you make it tell a sweeter tale? Magnolia Balm is the charmer that almost cheats the looking-glass.

This space of the METHODIST will be of service to all buyers of Dry Goods and Fancy Goods, as it contains a partial Catalogue of what goods are at the

GRAND DEPOT OF QUINN & GRAY.

WHAT THE PEOPLE WANT TO KNOW IS: Where can the Largest Stock be found; Where can the Newest Goods always be found; Where may buyers be sure of the very Lowest Prices.

QUINN AND GRAY Aim at perfection showing to customers

The largest Variety of Goods, Showing them with the greatest convenience, Showing with universal accommodation and give to their customers the truest satisfaction!

Dress Goods! Dress Goods!

We are showing a Magnificent Stock-both in Foreign and Domestic Goods, also AN ELEGANT VARIETY OF BLACK AND COLORED SILKS, SATINS, ETC., ETC.

WE QUOTE: Fine Linen Dress Goods equal to Silk, at 12 1/2 c per yard. White spreads etc. Large White Honey-comb spreads, at 60 cents...

A full and complete line of Zeiglar Bros.' celebrated shoes, in Gents', Ladies' Misses', and childrens, at popular prices.

Quinn & Gray, 307 & 309 Main St - LITTLE ROCK ARK.

MENKEN'S MEMPHIS

CARPET AND DRY GOODS HOUSE

30 Stores Under one Roof. We keep every ready made article worn by ladies, gentlemen and children.

Dress Making and Millinery in the best style of the arts.

Goods out and sold in small quantities in retail department to country merchants at wholesale prices.

Our Spring Catalogue will be ready for distribution about April 1st. Send your name. Address all communications to

MENKEN BRO'S. N. B.-Special discount to ministers and their families.

LARGEST FURNITURE HOUSE IN ARKANSAS!

Max. Parker, 110 EAST MARKHAM ST., LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

THE O'NEALE & STEVENS CO. 304 Main St., LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

Court Records and County Clerks Supplies a Specialty. School Books at Net Wholesale Prices.

MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE PROMPT ATTENTION