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REPEAL OF THE INCOME TAX.

A GOOD MOVE.

The opinion is almost universal that the Income Tax has done more to demoralize the American people than all the other influences, springing out of the war, combined. It is a notorious fact, admitted by the officers of the Revenue Department, that it is impossible to obtain correct returns of income, especially from those who are most able to pay it. The collection of the tax from those who evade it is equally impossible, and the consequence is that the burden falls upon that class of the population who are least able to bear it. [illegible] of conscience so far as we have ever heard. The Secretary of the Treasury frequently receives, what is termed "conscience money," that is, money of which the Government has been defrauded some way and another, but no one has ever stated that he had repeated of evading this odious imposition called Income Tax.

Our readers will be glad to learn that there is a probability of the tax being taken off. The law by which its collection was authorized, declared that it should cease in 1870, and there has been a total disregard all over the country against a renewal of the law. The opposition to it in Congress has been a determined opposition and the objections to the tax have been set forth with great ability and persistency. It appears this opposition has had its effect. In our telegrams from Washington in this issue, will be found an announcement of a vote in the Senate yesterday which foreshadows the abolitions of the Tax. It seems that it was stricken out of the General Tax Bill by a vote of 34 against 16.

We could have wished that the vote in favor of continuing the tax had been much smaller, but are thankful for the progress made. It indicates that the sense of responsibility in Congress is growing. Whatever may happen there upon hereafter as to the future, or springs from other considerations, is not material. The sign is a good one, even if it be not very marked. It is the first result of the late elections in New York and other States. These are regarded as the beginnings of a revolution which will acquire volume and momentum as it sweeps over the land. The Republican leaders are evidently alarmed.

Louisiana College, Washington College.

The following named young gentlemen from Louisiana, received certificates of distinguished proficiency at Washington College, Lexington, Virginia, on the 16th instant. These certificates are conferred upon students who complete with distinction the entire course of study in any school, or complete subject therein:

School of Latin.—Iryl T. Bartlett, Louisiana.

School of Greek.—Ernest B. Kruttschnitt, Louisiana.

School of Modern Language.—Iryl Bartlett, Louisiana, Howard Farrar, do., Allen Wilson, do.

German.—Ernest B. Kruttschnitt, Louisiana.

School of English Language and Literature. Norman McF. Walker, Louisiana.

English.—Ernest B. Kruttschnitt, Louisiana.

2. *English Literature.*—Norman McF. Walker, Louisiana.

School of Moral Philosophy.—Ernest B. Kruttschnitt, Louisiana.

School of History.—Ernest B. Kruttschnitt, Louisiana, N. McF. Walker, do., C. F. Willinson, do.

School of Chemistry.—S. B. Kruttschnitt, Louisiana.

The degree of Master of Arts was conferred on E. B. Kruttschnitt, (a nephew of Hon. J. P. Benjamin,) and the same gentleman has been chosen by the Faculty to deliver the "Classical oration."

LITERARY AND MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT.—We are in receipt of an invitation to the entertainment to be given Wednesday, June 29th, at 9 P. M., at the National Theatre, for the benefit of the library of the Philharmonic Society, of St. Mary's College.

THE U. S. AND W. L. FRESH MEAT AND FRUIT CO.—At the solicitation of the public, this Company will, at 5 o'clock this evening, make another exhibition of their refrigerating process for preserving fresh meat, fruit etc., as operated on their refrigerating steamer "Fire Fly," lying at the foot of Julia street. The public should avail of the opportunity to pass themselves as to the merits of this important enterprise.

The attention of passengers and shippers is called to the advertisement of the splendid steamer "John Kilgore" in place of the "Natchez" announced to leave for Natchez, Vicksburg and all intermediate points, this evening at 5 o'clock. Her officers are all experienced men and worthy of public confidence.

The steamship Sophia, Capt. Morton, sailed last evening for New York, via Havana, with a full freight and the following list of passengers:

Felipe Sanchez, S Daisy, J W Bass, R W Taylor, John Jones and wife, Wm Chatterbury, Mrs E M Good and 2 children, Miss Burke, Mrs Spencer and child, Mrs Dr Hunter, Mrs H Schmidt and wife, E H Gardner and wife, M Franks, Geo Morgan.

YOUNGER BY TWENTY YEARS IS THE APPEARANCE OF THE BODY OF THE LADY OF—never mind how many accounts after he of she has charmed away the gray hairs with PHALON'S VITALIA. Pleasant, clear and purely vegetable. No sediment. Sold by all druggists and fancy goods dealers.

Louisiana Intelligence.

DE SOTO PARISH.—The Mansfield Reporter of the 17th says:

We are having entirely too much rain in this section to make tender stock fatten during the past two or three weeks, that the ground has been too wet for planters to do much in the cotton crop. The result is, the grass has grown so rapidly that it is likely to injure the crops, especially cotton, which looks sickly. Planters are in low spirits, and well they may be, for it will be a great misfortune to the country if we do not have dry weather soon.

RAPIDES PARISH.—The Alexandria Democrat of the 23d says:

We have had an abundance of rain, the week of the week—in fact a little too much for the crops—has begun to sustain any serious damage. Cotton has taken advantage of the fair in work, and has cut out a hard week's work for our planters, provided good, fair weather is their portion for that time. From present indications we think good seasonable time is at hand. We have still to report the crops as very promising, improving and moving forward than last year at this time. Cotton is in full bloom on most of the plantations, with here and there a boll of a young boll. Corn is made and laid by, everywhere, except among the good. Cane, both plant and stubble, looks well and is growing fast.

THE THREE GREAT ENGLISH LAWYERS.—It is rumored in England that Lord Hatherley, the Lord Chancellor, is about to resign. He is very pious, belongs to the High Church party, and attends the early services in Westminster Abbey daily. He is childless, and a son of Sir Mathew Wood, a former distinguished Lord Mayor of London. If Lord Hatherley should resign, it is thought that he will be succeeded by Sir Alexander Cockburn, who is unanimously at the head of the English bar, and a man of wonderful capacity for work. His income from his practice is enormous, five hundred dollars being the price of an opinion from him. He is the son of a country gentleman, and, in spite of his multifarious duties, finds time to teach a class of poor boys in a Sunday school every Sabbath, and has compiled a book of prayers, which is a standard work in the church. His methodical ways, laborious application and iron constitution enable him to transact an amount of business that would crush a dozen ordinary men. Sir John Duke Coleridge, the Attorney General, stands high in private life, and, like S. T. Hartley and all the Coleridges, is a man of a fine order of intellect. His father, the Right Honorable Sir John Coleridge, was a distinguished judge, and, having designed his talented son for the bar, sent him to Oxford, where his versatility of talent at once made him reputation. He is also a member of Parliament from Exeter, and spoken almost sixty thousand dollars a year.

BY TELEGRAPH.

To the New Orleans Bee.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Congressional Proceedings.

FROM EUROPE.

Miscellaneous Intelligence.

WASHINGTON ITEMS.

Washington, June 24.—Internal Revenue receipts to-day nearly $1,000,000.

Gen. Longstreet has arrived here.

There will be a minority and majority report on the impeachment of Mr. Hatch in San Domingo. The majority report exonerate Gen. Babcock.

The following nominations were made to-day:

J. P. Rost, of Kansas, Minister to Chili; Stanislas Gautier, Consul to Cape Hayti; Jas. C. Bennet, of Kansas, Consul to Chihuahua, Chas. T. Gorman, of Michigan, Minister to Itagua.

The President has himself declared that he intends to remove Mr. Motley, Minister to England, but it is untrue, as has been stated, that he intends Mr. Fish to take his place. The President has never so intimated to Mr. Fish, though the latter can have the mission if he should want it.

The Secretary of the Treasury has directed the payment of the interest due July 1st, on and after the 5th next without rebate.

The President has signed the bill paying loyal citizens for taking the census in 1870.

Washington, June 24.—SENATE.—The bill making the 4th of July, New Years, and thanksgiving days, legal holidays in the District of Columbia, passed, and goes to the President for his approval.

The bill declaring the bridge between Philadelphia and Camden a post road, passed.

Messrs. Fowler and Thurman spoke against Mr. Sumner's Cuban resolutions.

Mr. Thurman said the resolutions were very unparliamentary. He wondered would this piece of rhetoric do the Cubans? He was in favor of saying to Spain, in the simplest words, that, think it can be expressed, "That you not only ought to recognize the independence of Cuba, but you must do it." He would now strike out the 3d and 4th sections of the resolutions.

Mr. Conkling also spoke against the resolutions but was interrupted by the reading of the morning hour.

The Tax bill was then taken up, and the Income tax stricken out by a vote of 34 to 16, after which the bill was made the special order for Monday.

A new Apportionment bill was introduced.

The Senate is in session to-night.

HOUSE—After a prolonged discussion and a decided negative vote upon mixed schools, the Georgia bill passed in the following form, and shall be laid aside:

Section 1. *Be it enacted*, That the State of Georgia, having complied with the Reconstruction acts and the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Articles of Amendment to the Constitution of the United States having been ratified by the legal Legislature of said State—it is hereby declared that the State of Georgia is entitled to representation in the Congress of the United States, but nothing in this act shall be construed to deprive the people of Georgia of the right to an election for members of the General Assembly of the said State, provided for in the Constitution of said State.

Sec. 2. That so much of the act entitled an act to making appropriations for the support of the army for the year ending June 30th, 1869, and for other purposes, approved March 2d, 1867, as relates to the organization, arming or calling into service of the militia forces in the States of Georgia, Mississippi, Texas and Virginia, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

After some other unimportant business the House adjourned.

The Democratic members, and Senators have issued an address, in which they state that nearly a third of the United States Senators and Representatives are absent from their seats this year, and the character of the next Congress depends upon the failures of the present.

They have strong reasons to hope for a favorable result, and they beg their South-ern fellow-citizens not to risk any loss in electing persons who cannot take the test oath, or who come under the disabilities imposed by the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments, as will certainly be excluded.

A full Congressional Committee has been appointed.

Galveston, June 24.—The Senate passed the House militia bill to-day by a vote of 15 to 6. Previous to the vote 12 of the Conservative Senators bolted—they were brought back by the Sergeant-at-Arms and 5 relented to make a quorum, and the bill was then passed. Eight Senators are still under arrest.

There is great indignation at the bill, and the manner of its passage.

One correspondent has been expelled from the floor and gallery for calling Mr. Governor Davis and others female lobbyists.

A bill giving the Governor power to appoint all civil officers; another, all registration officers, and another, to take place in the morning, and it was near 6 o'clock in the evening before the exercises included in the programme commenced:

Song—America.

English composition, No Autumn Fruits without Spring Blossoms—Mary Durand.

French composition, Dieu Grand dans Tout—Alice de Musadieu.

English recitation, Mount Tabor—J. Fitzgerald.

French dialogue, Le Professeur—Misses Barrett and Sandoz.

Song—Say a Kind Word.

English composition, Time—Anna Brownlee.

English dialogue, Question of the Day—Junior Class.

English recitation, Jairus's Daughter—Neva Nelson.

Song—Star Spangled Banner.

English composition, Life's Work—Livie Berwick.

English composition, Man's Life Shall be Filled with Beauty—Charlotte Goodwyn.

Song—See the Pale Moon.

French composition, Salut d'Adieu—Amelie Lafitte.

English recitation, True Heroism—Eugenia Dunbert.

English dialogue—Interview of Mary Stuart with Elizabeth—Ella Maury and A. Brownlee.

English composition, "Happy is the man who findeth wisdom, etc.—Lizzie Brown.

English recitation, School Girl's Plaint, original—Lizzie Hunter.

The Mirror, editorial—Anna Ludwich.

Duet, Ah! could I teach the nightingale—A. Scowden and L. Brown.

English composition, God Seen in His Works—R. Maury.

French dialogue, Les Precieuses Ridicules—Misses Lafitte, Berwick, Davidie, Rayel, Larose, Miral, Munster.

Song—Tell me, where do fairies dwell.

We cannot go into details, but collectively speaking, we may state that exercises were of high intellectual order, and reflected much credit upon the young ladies and their worthy teachers.

The following young ladies have attained places on the roll of honor:

Senior Class—Misses Ella Mary, Mary Willis, Jeanna Fitzgerald, Anna Ludwick, Mary Myers, Katie Murphy, Ella Maury, Lizzie Berwick, Eugenia Brownlee, Lizzie Brown, Marcella Culley, L. Mayberry, Fanny Williams.

French—Alice Lafitte, Octavie Vicknair, Eliza Miral, Amelie Lafitte, Alice Larose, Eugene Barrett, Zoline Landreth.

Junior Class, English—Mary Durand, Lizzie Davis, Rachel Collins, Katie Clutman, Florence Edwards, Olivia Berwick, Estella Loeer, Ellen Quayle, Mary Oliver.

First Year Class, English—Antonia Hart, Bessie Barrett, Kate Munster, Hattie Bullen, Virginia Smith, Louise Perrineau, Mattie Goodwyn, Kattie Goodwyn, Mary Goodwyn, Mary O. Dunbell, Neva Nelson, Charlotte Goodwyn, Lizzie Kenny, Louisa Lessenot, Louie Zenitz, Louisa Goldman, Ella Williams, Nellie Kennedy, M. L. Holbrook.

The school room was tastefully decorated with wreaths and flowers. The finest ornaments were, however, the graceful young ladies themselves. During the exercises the school room was crowded with a large number of the parents and friends of the pupils.

CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL—NOTE.

This school is situated at No. 39 Burgundy street. In the Principal's room we discovered the Rev. J. Pegueral, filling the Principal's chair. Mr. P. has been connected with schools eight years, and that fact, "tells" that he is more trustworthy than [illegible]. He teaches English, History and Philosophy, [illegible] and the quick and ready answers of his pupils, [illegible] the care taken by their teacher in their studies.

Mr. J. V. Calhoun, the Professor of Chemistry and J. E. Scanlan, the Professor of Mathematics, have also been connected with this school a number of years, and are rewarded bright ornaments to their profession. Mr. W. F. Bell is the Professor in Natural Philosophy and Chemistry, Mr. A. Jacquet, Professor of Commercial Science, and Mr. J. Lambert, the Professor of French. These teachers are all considered among the best in the United States. The pupils number 150, and who will some day make their marks in the world.

The following programme of the exercises occupied the afternoon:

Hymn—George Eliot, soprano—Mr. Webster, baritone—J. W. England.

Master W. Davidson, soprano—The Calumniator, Gellin.

Master T. Flanagan, soprano—The Best of Classics, Selak.

Master H. Lehman, soprano—Address to the Unknown.

Master O. Bartlet, junior—South Carolina and Massachusetts, Webster.

Master J. Brown, junior—Mississippi Connected Election, Preston.

Master S. Carnes, junior—Last of the Isles, Sir W. Scott.

Master J. Gemell, junior—American Orphan Boy, anonymous.

Master R. O. Davey, second year—Hickwick, Dickens.

Master J. Benning, second year—Image Waterloo, Byron.

Master Thebault, second year—Address to the Lazy Club.

Master T. Hadden, second year—Tribute to Washington.

Master Edmunds, second year—Foreign policy of W. Fox.

Master F. Howell, second year—Grey's Elegy.

Master M. Stern, L. Schwartz, J. Stuart—Dialogue, scene from Four Gentlemen.

Master Brass, first year—Confectacus.

Master Ewing, first year—Pompey's Eleuthera.

Master Hardie—Recitation, God. (About 12 years old.)

Master Lowenstein—Spartacus to Roman Envoys.

Master Upton—Whiskers.

Master E. Well—Baron's Last Feast.

Master McElroy—Maniac.

PART SECOND.

Reading of Compositions—The Critic, Our Monthly Review, and Compositions examined.

READING OF COMPOSITIONS.

Master Geo. Wright—Composition, Improvemens.

Master D. Goodwyn—Death.

Master Biddle—Anger.

Master Somerville—Frugality.

Master C. Moise—Time.

Master J. McLean—Motive.

Master F. Parham—Truth.

Master W. Summer—Life.

Master W. Booth—The Chinese.

Master Fonda—Fortune.

Master L. C. Lowenstein—Effect.

Prime Composition—Gravity and Importance of Learning, by Mr. John McLean.

A very interesting feature of the exercises where experiments in chemistry, showing the progress the pupils have made in this important science.

The following pupils have obtained places on the Roll of Honor:

Department—Flanagan, Anderson, Leahy, Lehman, Bray, Lafitte, Bidgely, Bacon, Ringle, Somerville, Booth, Sliger, Warren, Bourgeudier, Steinback, Wheelham, Dupas, D. Smith, Biddle, Fonda, Searing, Cogne, Gemell, Thompson, R. C. Davey, Henderson, Gobel, Fellow, Kelsey, Heyman, Jones, Keeling, McLean, Lowenstein.

Rhetoric, Philosophy and History—Cade, Gernelt, Wright, Gaines, Carathers, Harden, Goodwyn, Kelsey, Gusset, Keeling, Warren, Lowenstein, Hardie, Palfrey, Govan, Putman, Booth Smith, H. H.

French.—Davidson, Barbe, Belden, Lehman, Bernoth, Cologne, Pettingill, H. Brown, Correy, Wolf, Calogne, Coyne, Wright, Moore Dausset, E. Howel, Oplatock, Edmund, Hardie, Fonda, Parham, Hilton, Richards, Ridgely, Mercier, Stern, Somerville, Fellow, Hauser, Small, Warren, Myers, Spitzfardenfiddle, Nolan, Schwartz, Stumpf, C. Nolan, Summer, Bacon, Ringle, Wright, Booth, Barton, Abbrey, Backes, Burvant, Bray, Bres, Bumgardner, Baker, Ester, Fonda, Dupas, Greenough, Garnier, Gerault, Lowenstein, Hassell, Holloway, Hochenedel, Henderson, Hardie, Kelsey, Keeling, Johnson, Haug, Gould, Kernaghan, Lowenstein, Leibert, Levy, Goody, Ringle, Mercier, Shauney, B. Smith, Cassino, Searing, Turner, C. Smith, Gregory, Wolfe, Thompson, Reynum.

Mathematics—Lehman, Wright, Bachs, Green, Calhun, Goodwyn, Sommerville, Warren, Edmunds, Fellon, Govan, Henderson, Hardie, Hirsch, Belden, J. Nolan, Schwartz, Spearing, Booth, Fonda, Gernault, Gernier, Lowenstein, Putnam, Sliger, Gould.

Latin—Cade, Davidson, Lehman, Wright, Bartlet, Barbe, Bres, Calogne, Gusset, Johnson, Kernaghan, Warren, Biddle, Dannols, Edmunds, Gobel, Hardie, Howell, Hirsch, Mercier, Parham, Schwartz, Spearing, Sumner, Smith, Amby, Booth, Bell, Bres, Carry, Fonda, Gernault, Gainer, Hardie, Henderson, Kelsey, Keling, Lowenstein, Liebert, Moody, Palfrey, Hyman, Putnam, Reynum, Schnitz, Smith, H.

Natural Science—Wright, Bartle, Carnes, Crebbin, Moore, Warren, Biddle, Alkinson, Albert, Brickley, Belden, Calogne, Dauney, R. Davey, Davey, Edmunds, Fellon, Fox, Hadden, Howell, Hirsch, Jones, McLean, Melville, Pennington, Parham, Palfrey, Richards, Stern, Gould, Schwartz, Spearing, Stumpf, Sumner, Thebault, Bacon, Booth, Burke, Backes, Ball, Bres, Bryan, Bres, Cambre, Carry, Cronan, Dupas, Ester, Fonda, Halloway, Humdistein, Hardie, Henderson, Keeling, Kilpatrick, Kernaghan, Skelly, Lowenstein, Leahy, Liebert, McKnight, Moody, Palfrey, Putnam, Steinback, H. Smith, C. Smith, Searing, Turner, Trampe, Thomson, Thomason, Wilson, Wasson, Hynum.

The graduating class is composed of the following young gentlemen: Anderson, Cade, Davidson, Daubert, Flanagan, Lehman, Holmes, Wright, Hart, Wolf, Pettingill.

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CONNECTICUT.—It was said that the Radicals lost Connecticut because the Fifteenth Amendment was not proclaimed early enough to poll the colored vote. This may be true, or it may not; but it seems that the colored people cannot save the Radicals in Connecticut, even when they do vote. Municipal elections were held in Waterbury and New London, in that State, on the 18th, and in both cities the Democrats were successful. In Waterbury, they elected their Mayor by 198 majority; in New London they elected their whole ticket by majorities ranging from 50 to 100. In the city the Radicals were successful last year by 107 majority.

Reeves, N. J.; Benj. T. Biggs, Del.; Jas. Brady, N. Y.; A. G. Burr, Ill.; Wm. Mungen, O.; W. Voorhies, Ind.; Tiger M. Cox, Ala.; H. C. Calkin, N. Y.; W. C. Thorwood, Ala.; J. E. Schumaker, N. Y.; Wm. H. Barnum, Conn.; Thos. A. Jones, Ky.; Jno. C. Conner, Texas; W. N. Sweeny, Ky.; J. H. Lewis, Kentucky; L. S. Trimble, Ky.; John T. Bird, New York; James B. Beck, Ky.; C. N. Potter, N. Y.; Geo. Hambleton, Md.; J. Proctor Knott, Ky.; S. S. Cox, N. Y.; Chas. Haight, N. J.; S. S. Marshall, Ills.; S. L. Mayham, N. Y.; John Morrissey, N. Y.; John Fox, N. Y.; M. S. Hopkins, Ind.; M. C. Kerr, Ind.; D. N. Vanasken, Pa.; Thomas Swan, Md.; John M. Rice, Ky.; Sam. S. Axtill, Cal.; Chas. A. Eldridge, Wis.; Geo. M. Adams, Ky.; James M. Cavanaugh, Montana; J. K. Shafter, Idaho; S. P. Nickalls, Wyoming; and Anthony A. C. Rogers, Ark., members of the House.

Washington, June 24.—In the House, today, Randall, rising to a question of privilege, sent to the clerk's desk and had read a correspondence between himself and the proprietors of the *Globe*, in which he exonerated of an omission from the report of debate on the Cuban question, the retort which he had made to a remark directed at him by Butler, of Massachusetts. This shows how often ask questions which philosophers cannot answer.

Mr. Randall's retort was, "Fools are sometimes honest, and that is more than you are."

The reply of the proprietors of the *Globe* was that the paragraph was inserted in the reporters manuscript; that the manuscript was submitted to Mr. Butler; that the assistant foreman had, with a singular lack of appreciation, let it pass; that he had struck out the paragraph, adding it would be inserted in the quarto edition of the *Globe*.

The proprietors say that they never have admitted, and never can admit the right of one member to revise to the expunging of one syllable the remarks of another.

Butler's conduct in erasing Randall's remarks was referred to the Committee on Rules.

MISCELLANEOUS INTELLIGENCE.

Chicago, June 24.—A large fire occurred yesterday at Farmington, Illinois, destroying the plow factory of Fanel & Co; plaining mill, sash and blind factory of Johnson & Co.; the wood and smith shop belonging to Wings; wagon and carriage factory, and the lumber, material and manufactured goods belonging to each. Several other buildings were more or less injured. Loss heavy; insurance light.

The Episcopal Council of Western Illinois, held Wednesday yesterday promulgated the following: Every communicant of our Church who intermarries outside of communion or is married by any other than a clergyman of our Church shall stand professedly out of communion.

Lieutenant General Sheridan returned this morning from a tour of inspection, extending from Salt Lake to Fort Boston and Pembina, returning via St. Paul.

Lathrop's Elevator, two blacksmith shops, Livery stable of Sumner & Bassett, a repair shop, and about half a dozen dwellings were burned last night at Racine, Wisconsin. Loss $35,000; insurance $[illegible].

Two women in Forsythe, Macon Co., Ill., got into a quarrel yesterday, when one struck the other with a bean pole, injuring her fatally.

An officer went to arrest her, when she made an excuse to go to her room to change clothes, and in a few minutes a report of a pistol was heard, the officer rushed to her room and found her dead on the floor, she having shot herself. No names given.

A report comes from Decatur, Ill., that a young gentleman living in that city was fatally shot by a courtesan on Wednesday. Names withheld.

George Peebles, an old resident of Watertown, Wis., was instantly killed at Columbus this morning while jumping off the cars, the train passed over him.

H. Malaton, while at the bottom of a well, in Cedar Rapids, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, this morning, was buried alive by the well caving in. He leaves a wife and numerous children.

Mrs. Krehn, living at No. 90 Wells street, committed suicide, at an early hour this morning, by taking a dose of strychnine. No cause is known. Her husband was asleep in an adjoining room.

About o'clock last evening, Dr. W. H. Morrison, a well known and highly respected young physician, residing on Michigan avenue, was thrown from his buggy by the horse running away. He was severely injured that it is feared he will not recover.

The Democratic Convention met here to-day and nominated E. F. Runnion and I. G. Rogers for Judges of the Circuit Court.

The residence of Elijah George, near Clinton, Henry county, Missouri, was burned a few nights since, three of his sons perishing in the flames, two of them were twins.

This has been the hottest day of the season. Thermometer reached 93 at 2 P. M. The mortality was considerably increased in the Lake while bathing, within the last 36 hours.

Helena, Montana, June 22.—While two men were putting in the last blast in their shaft, about 4 o'clock this morning, in Chas. Hendricks' mine, at Unionville, they were overwhelmed by falling ore and rock, named Joe Miller, and severely wounding another, whose eyes were injured by burning fuse. The latter is feared he will lose his sight. Unable to ascertain his name.

The Sheriff executed a negro named Simpson, to-day, charged with the murder of Mrs. McClaughy, at Virginia City, in the Spring of 1868.

Galveston, June 24.—Cotton in moderate demand; a shade lower; good ordinary 16½c. Sales to-day 75 bales; receipts 117; exports coastwise 105; stock 18,695 bales; receipts of the week 1,[illegible]; exports to Great Britain 440; coastwise 1361; sales 3108.

Memphis, June 24.—Cotton very dull; middlings 19@19½c. Sales to-day 150 bales; receipts to-day 74 bales; exports to-day 318 bales; week's receipts 2056; week's exports 1056 bales.

St. Louis, June 24.—Flour firm and demand light. Superfine $4 40@4 60. Wheat easier for spring; sales made of No. 2 at 92@93c.; fall dull and heavy. No 2 red $1 19@1 14. Corn held firmly, mixed bulk 37@37c. Oats dull and lower at 30@30½c. Bulk Rye 85@86c. Whiskey steady at $1 08. Provisions dull. Pork $20 00. Bacon, shoulders 13½c; clear 17½c. Lard dull, nominally unchanged.

Chicago, June 24.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat weak; 4@4½c lower at 91@92c; spring $1 11½@1 15½c cash, closing dull at $1 12½. Corn 81½@81½c. Oats 30@30½c. Rye 66c. Barley inactive and nominal. Highwines unchanged. Provisions unchanged. Pork $20 50@20 75.

Louisville, June 24.—Bagging in good demand and firm—2 pounds—30c. Cotton unchanged; middlings 20c. Flour $6 50. Grain and provisions unchanged at yesterday's quotations. Whisky $1. Tobacco $5 20@20 for frosted to good leaf, sales to-day 216 hogsheads at rather full prices.

Cincinnati, June 24.—Flour dull and unchanged; extra $5 50@5 75. Wheat dull and nominal at $1 20@1 25. Corn dull and neglected. Oats 36@37c. Rye unchanged. Cotton dull and nominal; middlings 20c. Tobacco—sales to-day 280 hogsheads at $5 30@50, the latter rate for bright fancy leaf. Whisky nominal at $1 08. Pork $20 75. Bulk Meats—no sales. Bacon nominally unchanged. Lard 16c. Butter 15c. Eggs 16c.

RIVER NEWS.

Pittsburg, June 24.—Passed up—Mohawk and barges, Virginia and Argosy, at 1 P. M. Passed down—Thomason Dean and Colonel at 9 A. M. River rising. Weather rainy and pleasant.

FROM SOUTHWEST PASS.

Southwest Pass, June 24.—6 P. M.—Barometer 29.75. Wind N. E. strong. Weather stormy with rain.

Arrived—T. T. Clinton at 4:40 P. M., Barnum at 5 P. M., Indiana, Wells, from Galveston, to C. A. Whitney & Co., schooner Arbridge, Williams, master, 8 days from Kingston, with fruit, to F. Pace.

MONETARY AND FINANCIAL.

FRIDAY EVENING, June 24, 1870.

The Money market continues to work about the same and with the exception of a rather better demand for accommodations on the street it presents no new features. There still is a good deal of funds available at the banks for the negotiation of all A1 paper. We quote as street rates for such paper 7@8 per annum. All notes with prime collaterals and A1 business paper without collaterals, and 10@12 per annum for other good single signatures. Mortgage paper rules at 9@10 per annum for A1 and 11@12 for second class. Occasional negotiations of A1 mortgage bonds at 10 per annum.

Gold opened at 111½@111¾, (against 111¾ at New York) and closed at 111¼@111⅝, opening and closing the interdays $1000 at 111¼@111⅝, $20,000 at 111⅝, $6000 and $5000 at 111⅝, $6000 and $[illegible] at 111⅝, $[illegible]000 American bull dollars sold yesterday at 106½, and gained at 109. No sales to-day were reported. It is quoted nominal at 107@108 for American bull dollars, but nothing in this act shall be construed to deprive the people of Georgia of the right to an election for members of the General Assembly of the said State, provided for in the Constitution of said State.

Sec. 2. That so much of the act entitled an act to making appropriations for the support of the army for the year ending June 30th, 1869, and for other purposes, approved March 2d, 1867, as relates to the organization, arming or calling into service of the militia forces in the States of Georgia, Mississippi, Texas and Virginia, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

After some other unimportant business the House adjourned.

The Democratic members, and Senators have issued an address, in which they state that nearly a third of the United States Senators and Representatives are absent from their seats this year, and the character of the next Congress depends upon the failures of the present.

They have strong reasons to hope for a favorable result, and they beg their South-ern fellow-citizens not to risk any loss in electing persons who cannot take the test oath, or who come under the disabilities imposed by the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments, as will certainly be excluded.

A full Congressional Committee has been appointed.

Galveston, June 24.—The Senate passed the House militia bill to-day by a vote of 15 to 6. Previous to the vote 12 of the Conservative Senators bolted—they were brought back by the Sergeant-at-Arms and 5 relented to make a quorum, and the bill was then passed. Eight Senators are still under arrest.

There is great indignation at the bill, and the manner of its passage.

One correspondent has been expelled from the floor and gallery for calling Mr. Governor Davis and others female lobbyists.

A bill giving the Governor power to appoint all civil officers; another, all registration officers, and another, to take place in the morning, and it was near 6 o'clock in the evening before the exercises included in the programme commenced:

Song—America.

English composition, No Autumn Fruits without Spring Blossoms—Mary Durand.

French composition, Dieu Grand dans Tout—Alice de Musadieu.

English recitation, Mount Tabor—J. Fitzgerald.

French dialogue, Le Professeur—Misses Barrett and Sandoz.

Song—Say a Kind Word.

English composition, Time—Anna Brownlee.

English dialogue, Question of the Day—Junior Class.

English recitation, Jairus's Daughter—Neva Nelson.

Song—Star Spangled Banner.

English composition, Life's Work—Livie Berwick.

English composition, Man's Life Shall be Filled with Beauty—Charlotte Goodwyn.

Song—See the Pale Moon.

French composition, Salut d'Adieu—Amelie Lafitte.

English recitation, True Heroism—Eugenia Dunbert.

English dialogue—Interview of Mary Stuart with Elizabeth—Ella Maury and A. Brownlee.

English composition, "Happy is the man who findeth wisdom, etc.—Lizzie Brown.

English recitation, School Girl's Plaint, original—Lizzie Hunter.

The Mirror, editorial—Anna Ludwich.

Duet, Ah! could I teach the nightingale—A. Scowden and L. Brown.

English composition, God Seen in His Works—R. Maury.

French dialogue, Les Precieuses Ridicules—Misses Lafitte, Berwick, Davidie, Rayel, Larose, Miral, Munster.

Song—Tell me, where do fairies dwell.

We cannot go into details, but collectively speaking, we may state that exercises were of high intellectual order, and reflected much credit upon the young ladies and their worthy teachers.

The following young ladies have attained places on the roll of honor:

Senior Class—Misses Ella Mary, Mary Willis, Jeanna Fitzgerald, Anna Ludwick, Mary Myers, Katie Murphy, Ella Maury, Lizzie Berwick, Eugenia Brownlee, Lizzie Brown, Marcella Culley, L. Mayberry, Fanny Williams.

French—Alice Lafitte, Octavie Vicknair, Eliza Miral, Amelie Lafitte, Alice Larose, Eugene Barrett, Zoline Landreth.

Junior Class, English—Mary Durand, Lizzie Davis, Rachel Collins, Katie Clutman, Florence Edwards, Olivia Berwick, Estella Loeer, Ellen Quayle, Mary Oliver.

First Year Class, English—Antonia Hart, Bessie Barrett, Kate Munster, Hattie Bullen, Virginia Smith, Louise Perrineau, Mattie Goodwyn, Kattie Goodwyn, Mary O. Dunbell, Neva Nelson, Charlotte Goodwyn, Lizzie Kenny, Louisa Lessenot, Louie Zenitz, Louisa Goldman, Ella Williams, Nellie Kennedy, M. L. Holbrook.

The school room was tastefully decorated with wreaths and flowers. The finest ornaments were, however, the graceful young ladies themselves. During the exercises the school room was crowded with a large number of the parents and friends of the pupils.

CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL—NOTE.

This school is situated at No. 39 Burgundy street. In the Principal's room we discovered the Rev. J. Pegueral, filling the Principal's chair. Mr. P. has been connected with schools eight years, and that fact "tells" that he is more trustworthy than [illegible]. He teaches English, History and Philosophy, [illegible] and the quick and ready answers of his pupils, [illegible] the care taken by their teacher in their studies.

Mr. J. V. Calhoun, the Professor of Chemistry and J. E. Scanlan, the Professor of Mathematics, have also been connected with this school a number of years, and are rewarded bright ornaments to their profession. Mr. W. F. Bell is the Professor in Natural Philosophy and Chemistry, Mr. A. Jacquet, Professor of Commercial Science, and Mr. J. Lambert, the Professor of French. These teachers are all considered among the best in the United States. The pupils number 150, and who will some day make their marks in the world.

The following programme of the exercises occupied the afternoon:

Hymn—George Eliot, soprano—Mr. Webster, baritone—J. W. England.

Master W. Davidson, soprano—The Calumniator, Gellin.

Master T. Flanagan, soprano—The Best of Classics, Selak.

Master H. Lehman, soprano—Address to the Unknown.

Master O. Bartlet, junior—South Carolina and Massachusetts, Webster.

Master J. Brown, junior—Mississippi Connected Election, Preston.

Master S. Carnes, junior—Last of the Isles, Sir W. Scott.

COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE BEE,
FRIDAY EVENING, June 24, 1870.

COTTON—The sales to-day embraced 2450 bales, all irregular and still low prices, showing an average decline of ⅛c. We quote: Ordinary at 15@16c; good ordinary at 17@17½c; middling at 17¾c; low middling at 18½c; middling at 19@19¼c, and strict middling and 19¾@20c.

The sales of the week reported to Friday evening were 23,000 and not 20,000.

The sales of the week at New Orleans have been very liberal, but rates were without any quotable change. The banks checked no New York at ¼@¾ premium, and the sales included $60,000, $12,000 and $20,000 commercial sight on New York at par, $50,000 bank at ¼@¾ premium, and $[illegible] bank at ¼@¾ discount, and $[illegible] bank at ¼@¾ discount.

The business in Stocks included 100 shares Louisiana State Lottery at 9; 50 shares Crescent City Stock at 3; 50, 100 and 150 shares Jackson Railroad at 50; 100, 150, 150, 150 and 200 do at $24 50, and 100 do (buyer ten days, with interest) at $25.

Nothing reported in Bonds.

In Warrants $700 M. Bernard Parish Metropolitan Police sold at 65. Dealers brought State at 70 for Consols, 65 for Police and Metropolitan Police Notes (issue) at 68, and sold the former at 67½@68 for new issue and 67½@68 for old, and the latter at 68½@69.

We heard of nothing doing City Treasury Notes. Dealers ready for small sums at 22½@ discount buying, and 19@20 selling.

We quote

Bank of Louisiana	8—	9—
Louisiana State Bank	15—	16 00
Citizens' Bank	27 00	28 00
Canal Bank	27 00	28 00
City Bank	22 00	23 00
Citizens' Bank