





THE ORION INSTITUTE.

The Commercial Advertiser says that the Assessor's returns for the current fiscal year, of the value of real and personal property in San Francisco, amount to twenty-nine millions of dollars. This to her population of forty thousand, gives \$735 to every inhabitant—man woman and child. In the city of Sacramento it is \$633.

Later from Europe. The Canada has arrived, bringing late news from Europe than that received by the Arabia. Her dates are up to the 13th ult.

Political.—The reports of engagements between the Turks and Russians are continued. Several conflicts had taken place, in all of which the Turks appear to have worsted their enemy; but as nothing like a general engagement had occurred, these battles are by no means decisive of the result of the campaign.

Cholera in New Orleans.—This dreadful disease has, we are pained to see, become epidemic in New Orleans. There were 261 deaths from all diseases in that city last week—129 of which were from Cholera!

The New York "Hards"—This party held an immense meeting in New York city on the 23d ult., to rejoice over their victory over the "Softs," and to make a political demonstration indicative of their feelings and purposes.

President Pierce has been ill of a bilious attack, but, at the last accounts, was convalescent.

Political Intelligence.—We are informed that the Hon. Jesse D. Bright, of Indiana, and the two Senators from Virginia—James M. Mason and R. M. T. Hunter—will come out in opposition to the free soil proclivities of the spoils Cabinet at Washington.

Game in the Arctic Region.—According to a return made of the amount of game killed in the Arctic Regions, by Captain McClure, while engaged in making the North-west passage, it appears that the Arctic Regions generally supposed to be nearly destitute of animal life, abound in a variety of game, such as musk ox, deer, hares, grouse, ducks, geese, wolves, and bears; thus confirming Lieut. Kane's speculations as to the ability of an expedition to support life in that quarter, even after the ordinary supplies were exhausted.

From California.—The New Orleans papers bring us the details of the California news by the steamship United States. The advices are from San Francisco to the 1st of November.

CONGRESS WATER, just from the fountain, just received at the Drug Store of E. FOWLER & CO. July 8, 1853.

MARRIED. On Tuesday the 15th Nov., in the vicinity of Tuskegee, by the Rev. Samuel Henderson, Mr. SAMUEL L. HARRIS, of Chambers, to Miss EUGENIA S. PINKARD, of Macon County Ala.

A Missionary Wanted. The Columbus Baptist Association are prepared to send out and sustain in the Foreign Field a MISSIONARY, under the direction of the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, so soon as a Minister of suitable qualifications can be secured.

George Parks & Co., Agents for the Southern Baptist Convention, Charleston, S. C. April 1st

Institutions of Learning

EAST ALABAMA FEMALE COLLEGE

OFFICERS.

Literary Department. HENRY H. BACON, A. M., President, and Professor of Mental and Moral Sciences. REV. ARCHIBALD J. BATTLE, A. M., Professor of Ancient Languages, Natural Philosophy and Chemistry.

Musical Department. DR. S. M. BARTLETT, Principal, and Professor of Vocal and Instrumental Music. MRS. MARY BRYAN, Instructress on the Piano, Guitar and Harp.

Ornamental Department. Miss MARY L. KIMBALL, Instructress in Drawing, Painting in Oil and Water Colors, Crayoning, Wax-Work and Embroidery.

Steward's Department. Mr. and Mrs. ALEXIS HOWARD, Principals. Miss MARY E. FERDUE, Assistant.

REMARKS. I. The number of pupils in the College during the Spring Term was one hundred and thirty. The Trustees have made ample provision, both in regard to the number and kind of Teachers employed, even for a larger number than this.

CALENDAR. Autumn Term, from Sept. 1st to Jan. 31st. Spring Term, from Feb. 1st to June 30th. Vacation, from July 1st to Sept. 1st.

EXPENSES. PRIMARY CLASS, per term, \$10 00. SECOND " " " " 15 00. COLLEGE COURSE, " " " " 25 00. PIANO OR GUITAR (incl. use of inst.) " " " " 37 50.

HOWARD COLLEGE. Faculty. Rev. H. TALBIRD, J. M. President and Professor of Theology and Moral Science.

Judson Female Institute, MARION, PERRY CO., ALA.

NUMBER OF STUDENTS LAST SESSION, TWO HUNDRED AND FIVE—FROM ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, GEORGIA, FLORIDA, ARKANSAS AND TEXAS.

MEANS OF COMMUNICATION. The Faculty consists of the Principal, Prof. Miss P. Jewett, with thirteen Professors, Teachers and other officers, associated with her in conducting the Institute.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT. The ablest Professors and Teachers are engaged in this department. There are in the Institute thirteen Pianos, one Harp, several Guitars, a Melodion, Violoncello, and various other instruments.

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LOCAL & GENERAL NEWS.

Alabama Legislature.

We have still very little action of general interest to report; and to record the many bills of a private or local nature, introduced, passed, or pending, would occupy too much space for a paper like ours, and would be of little interest to most of our readers.

On Monday last, the two Houses, in joint session, elected Hon. B. M. FITZPATRICK a Senator to Congress, to fill out the unexpired term of Hon. Wm. R. King; and CLYDE C. CLAY, Jr., of Huntsville, a Senator for six years commencing the 4th of March last.

On Wednesday the following Solicitors were elected: 2d Circuit, Jas. A. Stallworth, Esq., of Conecuh; 7th Circuit, A. E. Van Hoose, Esq., 9th Circuit, Hon. J. J. Woodward, of Talladega.

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Poetry.

BE KIND TO THE POOR.

Behold to the poor—
Let the sunshine of love
Descend on their hearts
Like dew from above.

Corwin, as he laid aside his evening paper and bent his eyes affectionately upon his eldest daughter.
"Learn the German, Father? why, I thought I had gone to schoolbooks when I left Mrs. Hubbard's school; I hardly find time to read the papers, and how could I learn a difficult language?"

she came too late. The low gentle tones of that dying mother never again greeted her ear, and a faint pressure of the cold icy hand was the only token of love.
Mrs. Corwin in attempting to perform some light work had ruptured a blood-vessel; and being alone it was some minutes before she could summon a servant, and then it was nearly an hour before medical aid arrived, and, like Jeannie, it came too late—the "silver chord" was loosed, and no human agency could gather again its broken threads.

FALL & WINTER GOODS. Fashionable Clothing Store, Corner Market & Court Sts., Montgomery, Ala. POMROY & GREGORY have just received and are now opening their extensive and general assortment of FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

NEW WORK IN PATENT NOTES. FOR CHURCHES AND SINGING SCHOOLS. COMPLETE COLLECTION OF CHURCH MUSIC, IN FIVE PARTS. Part 1st.—Psalm and Hymn Tunes of every variety.

Miscellaneous. GILMER, TAYLOR & CO. Returning their thanks for the patronage heretofore extended to them, they beg leave to introduce with them a new and elegant in the GROCERY TRADE of the city—namely— A strict adherence to a Cash System of Business.

Business Cards. JOHN T. MOIGAN, Attorney at Law, and Solicitor in Chancery. MORGAN & WALKER, Attorneys at Law, and Solicitors in Chancery. TALLADEGA, Ala. BARNEY BROTHMAN, Importers and Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Hardware.

SEWING. "Sew, sew, sew!" but it was not the dolorous "song of the shut" which the fair maiden hummed, as her busy fingers plied the bit of shining steel.
Jeannie Corwin knelt nursing the "seam, gusset, and lock," stitched in "poverty, hunger, and war." Her fair, soft hands never finished a needle game, a never wavered for the least; and yet most industriously by her own work.

THE LAST EXTREME.—The captain of the ill-fated ship William and Mary has written a full account of the painful incidents of this disaster to the Editor of the New York Herald. In the last extremity he says:
"The scene was now dreadful beyond description. Some were upon their knees, praying for the Lord to have mercy upon them—some were crying, others were running, catching hold of the officers and crew, begging them to save them, telling them they were unfit to die—that they were unprepared to meet their God. Some who had, the evening previous, been boasting of their indelicacy, were upon their knees, and begging in their cries for God to have mercy upon them."

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NO TIME; OR, I AM TOO BUSY. BY HANNAH E. BRADBURY.

SITTING, sitting, sitting! but it was not the dolorous "song of the shut" which the fair maiden hummed, as her busy fingers plied the bit of shining steel.

SITUATION WANTED. A LADY of respectable position, in all the branches of an English and Classical Education, desiring a situation. Suitable references will be furnished. Address—J. F. BRADLEY, Talladega, Ala.

DR. R. S. WILSON. INFORMS his friends and the public, that on the 1st of December, 1853, he may be found at his office, in the Drug Store of Dr. S. J. WALKER, during the day, when he professionally attends, and during the night at his residence, on Ferry-st., just below Pleasonton's Carriage Works.

REMOVAL. GRANT & NICHOLS. The firm of Grant & Nichols, who have moved to the Brick Store in the rear of the Court House, and corner above the Exchange Hotel, late store of J. D. Hubbard & Co.

ROCK ISLAND PAPER MILLS. Bank and Laundry Work House. HAVE just received a good variety of staple Writing Papers, of the best quality, and at the lowest prices.

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