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THE NORTHERN MAIL failed yesterday from beyond Montgomery. There are three mails due to day.

PHILOSOPHY TEACHING BY EXAMPLE.

Among the momentous and mighty controversies of the Kingdom of Lilliput, whereof the graphic GULLIVER has furnished a most faithful description, it is related that a religious schism had agitated that vast and powerful empire for many generations—that the question whether upon entering the Temples consecrated to the divinities of Lilliput, true believers should first advance the right or left leg, had divided the entire community from time immemorial, separating it into two distinct parties, and creating, as sectarian differences are most apt to do, a perfect frenzy of fanaticism on either side. We are further told by the veracious and careful historian, that his Imperial Majesty of Lilliput, on ascending the throne, was sorely perplexed how to reconcile the jarring sentiments of his subjects, who, with intense solicitude and ill-concealed anxiety, awaited his first formal visit to the principal Temple in the realm; but that finally, after long cogitation and profound reflection, his Majesty most felicitously and sagaciously hit upon an infallible method of satisfying all parties—the plan adopted by him having been to extend neither the right nor the left leg in passing the threshold of the Temple, but to jump in with both legs placed in juxtaposition. This ingenious expedient, while leaving him entirely uncommitted, had the satisfactory effect of convincing the Lilliputians that their fierce polemics had been exceedingly stupid and unnecessary.

Cannot President PIERCE contrive some equally astute scheme of compromise whereby he may restore peace and loving harmony to the warring sections of the Democracy which at this time convulse his realm, and threaten his Administration with internecine feuds? The strife and turmoil now existing between the Hards and Softs appear to have originated in differences little more material than those which kept all Lilliput in a ferment. Both wings of the Democracy profess to be orthodox—each declares that it is the Administration party, and each lays claim to a monopoly of the true faith. The exoteric points of difference between them do not affect the schism. The Hards, it is true, assert their right to be considered the real National Democracy, and object to the Softs that they were erewhile, grossly sectional and narrow in their doctrines; but, say the latter, "what we have been is one thing, and what we are, another. Time was when a multitude of you Nationals were as hot in your hostility to slavery as we have ever been. You abjured the heresy a trifle sooner than we, but we now stand on the same platform with yourselves. Office has proved the potent reconciler in all instances." The esoteric and occult cause which has engendered this mortal quarrel seems to be, that both Hards and Softs want more patronage than the President can well bestow. We cannot say how Mr. PIERCE is to proceed, in order to settle this terrible difficulty: but if he diligently cons the truthful sketches of the immortal GULLIVER, he will perceive that the monarch of Lilliput was always equal to the occasion; the only source of discord which that puissant potentate failed to remove, being the memorable question whether eggs should be broken at the big end, as was the custom in that empire, or at the little end, as was practised by the neighboring kingdom of Blefuscu.

Perhaps Mr. PIERCE might cut the knot he is unable to untie, and turning out Hards and Softs with absolute impartiality, put in their places honest and respectable citizens who have never prominently identified themselves with either of the disputants. This policy, however, requires great nerve and decision of character, as well as a thorough contempt for all inconvenient precedents. If our Chief Magistrate had never committed himself to the Hards in his inaugural, he might appease both factions as easily as the Lilliputian prince terminated the church controversy in his dominions. But that intelligent ruler had nothing to erase in his previous career; no indiscreet pledges to embarrass his proceedings. However, we do not quite despair of seeing this dreadful schism allayed. What was effected by the tact and talent of a Lilliputian, should not certainly surpass the intellectual resources of a Brobdignagian.

THE WEATHER is at this time peculiarly murky and miry—too mild for the season, but not a particle too warm, when coal is scarce and excessively dear. It looks just now as if we were bound to have a pouring rain, but meteorological phenomena are exceedingly uncertain in the latitude of New Orleans. When these lines meet the reader's eye, the thermometer may be at freezing point.

STEEL'S COUNTING HOUSE CALENDAR.—This very useful and beautiful sheet has been sent to us by J. B. Steel, 60 Camp street. It is a complete business directory, containing the names and locations of all the Banks, Insurance Companies, Railroad offices, steamer and packet Agents, City Government, Federal and State offices, Cotton Presses, Foreign Consuls, &c., &c. In fact, the Counting House Calendar is an excellent and faithful Strangers' Guide to New Orleans.

SNOW AT MONTGOMERY.—The Journal of Monday says:—We had a smart brush of snow for several hours on Saturday, which, owing to the wet ground did not remain long. In some dry and sheltered localities, however, the boys found enough occasionally for a pelting frolic, and the "ball was vigorously put in motion" for the time, occasionally to the great annoyance of some who got shots between wind and water, and who evidently deemed it an unpleasant practice, and, according to the old saw, decidedly "more honored in the breach than in the observance."

TURNER BALL.—We are indebted to the Turn-Verein Association for an invitation ticket to attend the ball to be given by them on Saturday next, the 7th instant, at Armory Hall.

THE COMPANION.—This is the title of a new monthly journal published by the Association of the Christian Brothers. It is very capably edited, and is devoted to the mental, moral and religious improvement of young men.

AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING.

PLACIDE'S.—The Rivals, which, by the way, is admirably played by the Stock Company, will be repeated this evening. The cast is one of the finest ever witnessed in our city. Miss Edmiston and Miss Foulkrod will execute a Highland Fling. To conclude with the farce of the "Dead Shot", Holland personating the character of "Timid."

RICE'S AMPHITHEATRE.—This establishment draws together nightly a tremendous concourse. The fact is, that the Equestrian performances of Mad. Tournaire and the French troupe are incomparable and unapproachable.

METAIRIE COURSE.—The races on the Metairie Course commence this day, under the skilful superintendence of the proprietor, Col. Ten Broeck. There will be to day a sweepstake for three years old, mile heats, $300 subscription, $100 forfeit. Also a single dash of two miles, for the proprietor's purse, $250; and a third race, sweepstakes for all ages—a single dash of four miles, $300 subscription, $100 forfeit, $300 added by Jockey Club. Fine nags are entered for these contests, and the prospect is good for a splendid day's sport. The races come off, let the weather be what it may. On Saturday the regular Winter meeting commences and lasts seven days.

OMINOUS.—Under this heading the Mobile Tribune copies the following mysterious advertisement, remarking that a great deal of it is Chinese to it:

"FOUR DOLLARS AND SIX BITS REWARD.—Lost, stolen or mislaid—The above munificent reward will be paid to any person or persons who will deliver into the safe keeping of the superintendent of the Liquid Department of the steam ship Florida, the following named delinquents—supposed to be mislaid in Mobile Bay, or left in the vicinity of Dauphin Island, or otherwise disposed of by their natural enemies:
B. & W., or Capt. C. & S.
H. (an anchor and ensign) D. & D.
Sample Toddy (unique devices) T. T. and S. S.
Corn Barrels, F. P. A. B. V.
Fred. the Phayer, H. E. & S B. 4. 3 P. M.
Johnson Pat. D & D. T. C. T. B. F.
Jamestown and Georgetown, F. L. A. J. D.
Rye (picture of a playing card) O., U. U. & G. T. P.
Apply to the S. K. S. of N. O.—W. & B. still on their legs."

GREAT RAILROAD.—According to a late report of the chief Engineer of the Erie Railroad, the cost of that work and its equipments thus far has been $[illegible],834—the length is 465 miles. The whole length of track, double and single, with turnouts, is 718 miles long. The Company owns 180 locomotives and has contracted for 60 more. The amount of stock issued is $10,000,000. The amount of liabilities $33,225,813, and the amount of cash on hand at the close of the last fiscal year, $[illegible]. The gross earnings of the road for 1852 were $3,318,795 79; for 1853, $4,281,[illegible], and the estimate of earnings for the current year is $5,800,000. The average cost of operating the road is 39.60 per cent of the gross earnings.

SALE, WITHOUT RESERVE, FOR ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, [illegible]

LOUIS NAPOLEON.

The Paris Correspondent of the Washington Union speaking of the various events which have strengthened LOUIS NAPOLEON, and consolidated his power, refers as not the least important, to the growing popularity of the Empress EUGENIE. None can forget the vulgar jests and scurrilous stories and vile puns indulged in by the people of Paris, at the time of the marriage of the Countess TEBA and her elevation to the rank of Empress. On the wedding day, says the writer in question, the people of Paris, who at first stared at her only as a principal figure in the splendid bridal pageant—a pageant which they flocked forth to see with nothing more than their ordinary curiosity for shows of all kinds—were struck and charmed by her beauty. Her munificent and multiplied charities have since taught them to esteem her with gratitude as well as admiration. One of the latest manifestation of her genuine sympathy with the people, and the children of the people, is a request which she has addressed to the prefect of the Seine, in view of the great distance between the hospital for sick children, situated beyond the Boulevards des Invalides and the Faubourgs St. Antoine, du Temple, St. Martin, St. Denis, Montmartre, and St. Marceau, (emphatically the poor quarters of Paris,) to have the necessary plans and estimates drawn up for the construction of a second hospital of four hundred beds, on a piece of ground contiguous to the Hospital St. Antoine, and into which children shall be admitted on the same terms as into the hospital already in existence. The new establishment is to be under the patronage of her Majesty, who, by this and similar acts, has won the popular heart, while her graceful and dignified manners have shamed into silence that heartless monster, "le monde."

LOUIS NAPOLEON appears to be actively engaged in many highly useful reforms. If absolute master of the destinies of France, he seems disposed to rule her with an enlightened and intelligent sway. The writer we have quoted, says farther:

"This must have been had in view in framing many of the imperial decrees by which important reforms have been introduced in the machinery of French administration, and especially in a recent decree, which revives an institution that existed under the first empire, or, rather, restores to one of the great bodies of State the sphere of operations in which the Emperor Napoleon made it move. I refer to the decree which provides that the auditors of the council of State shall be sent into the bureaus of the different ministries, into the departments, into the offices of the prefects, in order to train themselves to the understanding of business, to administrative practice, to the management of all the interests on which they will some day be called upon to decide. If the people are not to be allowed to govern themselves, it is but fair that a decent administrative education should be given to those who are expected to relieve them of that task. The prefects themselves, who are to teach the rising generation of magistrates, have much to learn, it would seem, if the budgets of their respective departments exhibit (as I am assured they do exhibit) similar deficits to that which was lately reported by the prefect of the Seine, as a permanent deficit, from which results a debt amounting to more than seven million francs. At this moment, indeed, in the provinces as well as at Paris, there appears to be less anxiety to pay debts than eagerness to accumulate them by a variety of extensive and useful improvements.

"I have frequently alluded to the vast scale on which such improvements are being executed in and around the metropolis. The inauguration, both of the railroad that is almost to encircle Paris and of the Boulevards de Strasburg, will take place within a few days. These, and the other noble city works that are in the course of vigorous prosecution, supply an army of no less than seventy thousand workmen, with labor, food, and contentment. Here, again, is a secret of the present strength of the Emperor's position.

"He has relied for its maintenance no less on the pick and trowel than on the bayonet. Thus far he has succeeded beyond even his most sanguine anticipations. He may not yet have looked far enough into the future to ask himself where the money is to come from that is to defray the enormous expenses of the improvements he has set on foot and stimulated, or what is to become of this vast army of workmen when the improvements shall have completed their course; but he has been far sighted enough to think of another army—the army of soldiers—while planning the gigantic scheme of improvements which is marvellously changing the whole aspect of Paris. A strategical purpose is visible at once, to a military eye, throughout the whole scheme. To signalize but one instance—what is the rue de Rivoli stretching its imposing length from the Tuileries to the Hotel de Ville but a broad military road for the speedy passage of troops, which can be concentrated at the slightest notice, and in vast bodies, around the Place de l'Hotel de Ville, that ancient centre of revolution? You remember how indispensable to the victorious party in a revolutionary struggle the possession of the Hotel de Ville has always been considered, and you will admire the shrewd foresight of the Emperor in calling upon the workman, with his pick and trowel, to clear a way for the soldier with his bayonet through the adjacent narrow and filthy streets, that have so long offered to insurgents sheltering and almost impregnable retreats. Those haunts of misery and vice in the vicinity of the Hotel de Ville, described so accurately and vividly by Eugene Sue, in his Mysteries of Paris, have now disappeared. The Rue de Rivoli penetrates them, letting in air and light, but also, as I have intimated, facilitating the passage of troops—a grand military road connecting the Hotel de Ville on one side with the Avenue des Champs Elysees and the Champ de Mars on the other.

"No doubt that Napoleon III deems himself, with his long military lines disguised as new promenades, and welcomed as such by the Parisians, as much a master of Paris as did Louis Philippe, with his interminable fortifications, before him. That the nephew of the Emperor Napoleon counts more confidently upon the army for support than did the crowned son of Philippe Egalite, needs no other proof than the constant interest which the former takes in perfecting every branch of its service. Thus two new battalions, of ten companies each, are to be added to that favorite corps, the Chasseurs de Vincennes, and two new companies to each of the old battalions. As the recruits for this purpose are to be drawn from the rest of the army, its collective force will not be increased but the efficiency of this particular corps will be far greater than before."

LOUISIANA ITEMS.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE IN CLINTON.—The Whig of Saturday has the following:

On Tuesday the 27th instant, the alarm of fire was given about 11 o'clock, P. M. and our slumbering community was aroused by the ringing of bells and the startling cry of fire!—When first discovered, smoke in dense volumes was issuing from an old building, long untenanted owing to its ruinous and dismantled condition, the property of Captain Lewis Sturges. It was, in its palmy days, a place of great resort. It was we believe the first house erected in Clinton, after the location of this place as the seat of Justice. We remember it well in '26, a confession which it pains us to make, but such is the fact. To 'locate' the fire so that no one can be in doubt who has ever been in Clinton, the flames were first discovered in the "old corner grocery." Soon the fire extended westward towards the Clinton House, and northward. Destroying in its westwardly course, the row of offices belonging to Dr. Harvey and Wm. Saddler, and placing in imminent peril all the houses in that part of the town, which were only saved from the progress of the flames by the great activity and incessant labors of the citizens. In its progress northward, it consumed that entire row of buildings on the west side of the public square, long known as "Grocery Row." The buildings destroyed were all frame buildings, generally in good repair, and may have been worth in the aggregate 10,000 dollars. The loss of furniture was considerable, and a good many citizens were much incommoded by the loss of their places of business and sleeping apartments. The interests of the town are perhaps not materially damaged. The public square, the place around which all, or nearly all the business of Clinton is transacted, was not materially adorned by the buildings destroyed, and it may be that the proprietors of the vacant lots will now so far look to their own interest, to the improvement of the town, and the augmentation of its business facilities, as to erect handsome and commodious brick tenements over the ruins. So mote it be. The heaviest losers by the fire exclusive of the owners of houses, were Messrs. Harris & DeArmond, who had stowed in the building where the fire was first discovered thirteen bales of cotton.—There is no reason whatever to doubt that this house was set on fire by some vile incendiary.

Mr. D. C. Jenkins has assumed the position of editor of the Baton Rouge Advocate, a journal of decided democratic principles.

The Baton Rouge Gazette gives the following particulars of the sinking of the steamboat Pearl:

On last Sunday morning at 3 o'clock, the steamer Natchez, Capt. Leathers, on her trip upwards, came in collision with the steamer Pearl, Capt. Dorsey, near Bruin Landing, by which the latter named boat, with her cargo and five hands, were lost. A passenger on the Natchez informs us that the collision is entirely owing to the neglect on the part of the officers of the Pearl. The Natchez was in her proper place, and gave the signal of danger to the Pearl, which was not answered. The Natchez repeated the signal without any answer on the part of the Pearl, and was backing at the time the collision took place.

The morning was clear, and as we are informed, the boats were in view of each other at least ten minutes before the collision. Hence, the conclusion is, that there was criminal neglect somewhere, and we think it should be visited with severest justice. The passengers of the lost steamer were taken by the Princess and Magnolia to New Orleans.

CONDITION OF THE STATE TREASURY.—The same paper has received from Geo. F. Brent, the efficient clerk of the Treasury Department, the annexed statement of the condition of our State finances, on the 31st December, 1853:

General Fund,	$647,363 75
Mill Tax "	193,810 09
Poll "	27,393 47
Internal Improvements,	21,110 78
Levee and drainage fund,	237,966 78
Road and levee "	[illegible]
	1,162,147 [illegible]

On Tuesday evening, Mr. Frank Le Blanc fell from the roof of the building known as the Eagle Hotel, in Baton Rouge, and [illegible]

SUGAR HOUSE BURNED.—We regret to learn that Col. A. R. Stone's sugar house, situated in the parish of Iberville, was consumed by fire on last Thursday night. The house contained about 250 hogsheads of sugar, which was also destroyed. Partial insurance on the property.

NEW YEAR'S DAY IN MOBILE.—The ancient and honorable fraternity of the Cowbellions celebrated their anniversary on New Year's Day by a demonstration in their peculiar way at the Theatre. We copy an account of it from the Register:

"This long established saturnalia—this Carnival of Mobile, was celebrated with more than its accustomed eclat, for our masquerading friends outdid themselves; and that is saying that they eclipsed the world of masks.

The 'Cowbellions' celebrated their 23d anniversary, and in a style surpassing any antecedent in their history.

Their theme was the 'Convivial People,' as illustrated in the world-renowned tapestries that adorned the London Crystal Palace.

It was termed 'Types of Society,' or, 'The Dream of Pythagoras,' and comprised the heads of Goldsmith's animated Nature, borne on the forms of humans of similar character.—As for instance—the head of the Elephant was placed on the head of a millionaire! and that of the Shark on a gourmand—a man with a big swallow! Thus it was that every locust, bird and fish, was borne by its human type; and nothing more piquant in humor or more brilliant in execution, was ever seen. No city in the world can equal Mobile in masquerades; and nothing here can surpass the ancient and honored Cowbellions.

As customary of late years, they occupied the Theatre—the pit being floored over for the occasion—and the stage entirely occupied with a magnificent Marquee! Within this, the stage was formed of a double dais, or contained three separate phalanx, (phalanges) or levels on which some seventy of these figures were most picturesquely grouped.

Around the theatre and within the tent, were hundreds of fantastic lamps and tapers, while the whole idea was admirably illustrated by a quotation from Shakespeare:

"Thou almost mak'st me waver in my faith,
To hold opinion with Pythagoras,
That souls of animals infuse themselves
Into the forms of men."

On the rise of the curtain the display transcended any thing we ever saw in a theatre as a pageant, nor was ever such a collection of masks and maskers seen together, save in an after period of the same evening, when the 'Strikers,' invited their elder brothers to join in their festivities, and both societies were for the time incorporated.

The Strikers were scarcely less peculiar or magnificent in their display. They selected the Waverly Novels as their theme, and illustrated some seven or eight of them by dressing all the principal characters admirably.

They held their festival in the Battle House Hall, where they entertained their friends with an elegant ball.

The 'Rising Generation'—the youngest of the party made a capital display, both in procession and at the Armory Hall, where their dance was attended by such a display of youth and beauty as one never before found congregated in Mobile.

THE PACIFIC RAILROAD.—Mr. Ellett, the eminent civil engineer, communicates to the National Intelligencer a "plan for the construction of one or more railroads to the Pacific. He proposes that Congress shall charter one great Northern and one great Southern company, with power to the first to construct a railroad from the Western boundary of Missouri to the Eastern boundary of California by a Northern route; and to the second to construct a road from the Western boundary of Arkansas to the Eastern boundary of California, by the Gila or best Southern route. Branch roads are also to be chartered with rights of extention to the Western boundary of Iowa, and to the Western boundary of Texas. To secure the prompt filling up of the subscription list, he proposes that each subscriber shall receive for every share of stock for which he may subscribe, and for which he shall pay in cash at the time of subscribing, in addition to his stock, a land warrant of value equal, at the government price of land, to the value of the share. To guard against a monopoly of the land and of the stock, the number of shares which may be taken in any one name shall be limited.

"CHAPMAN'S CHANTICLEER" is the title of a new weekly paper commenced within a fortnight at Indianapolis, Indiana, and of which we have received the first number, a very good looking, well filled sheet. It is in part published by the son of the celebrated "Crow, Chapman, crow," so renowned in the campaign of 1840, and is to have that veritable personage himself as a general correspondent, furnished with a roving commission to speak what, when, and how he will. Knowing the decided character of Mr. CHAPMAN as a democrat, and the deep color of his party stripe, the reader may wonder that thus early in the career of an administration with so much of its time before it Mr. CHAPMAN should have determined to forego the advantages of sailing under the party banner, and have hoisted, as he has done, the flag of independence. We quote a paragraph from his pen descriptive of his present position and views of his past relations:

"This task is assumed by me under different conditions from any which in some degree heretofore affected my past course as an editor.—The papers which I have heretofore controlled were of a partisan character; and I care not how conscientious and fearless a partisan editor may be, it is almost impossible for him sometime to avoid veiling or disguising the truth, even should he refrain from intentional and positive misrepresentation, flagitious exaggeration, or downright untruth. My own conscience is not very sore in this respect, for I feel quite sure that had I been a little more pliable and a good deal less honest than I know I was; indeed, had I even spoken what truths I did utter less plainly, my position as a partisan editor, and one of some good fame too, would not have become so uncomfortably annoying that I left it with more joy than I can now express, and fully determined in my own mind that I never, by God's help, would subject myself to such mental shackles again. The conditions under which I endeavor to aid the "Chanticleer" are quite different from those which control or influence a partisan editor. I am to be confined by no special stipulations of any kind, but am to remain free and independent, as every man ought to be."

ALEXIS TARDY, one of the oldest and most esteemed citizens of Mobile, died on Wednesday morning at the age of eighty years. The Tribune says:

Mr. Tardy was a native of France. At the age of fifteen he went to St. Domingo, where he resided until the cruel insurrection broke out there which drove him and hundreds of others into exile and poverty. He arrived in Philadelphia, where he became a citizen of the United States. He resided for many years at Charleston, and Augusta, Georgia. He removed thence to Tuscaloosa in 1823 and subsequently to this city, where he has lived respected by all who knew him for the past twenty-three years. Dr. W. T. Hamilton, who performed the last sad offices to the dead, paid a high and impressive tribute to the unaffected goodness of the deceased.

DOCTORS OF DIVINITY AND DOCTORS OF LAW.—We have seen it stated that during this year, ninety-one D. D's and fifty-one L. L. D's have been made by American colleges. This is the last commentary on our national fondness for titles. It is one of the chapters, which our vanity furnishes to the history of 1853—one of the targets, which we take so much delight in raising on very long poles for John Bull to shoot at whenever he happens to eat bad beef or lose his pudding. Colonels and Generals are quite exhausted. The circus-men who fell on the lucky hit of popularizing monkeys by giving them military titles, were not aware what they were doing for the benefit of society at large, and monkeys in particular. It was a decided hit—the more so as it was evidently an unexpected stroke of genius. But the evil or rather folly is not cured. It has reached higher places, and places sacred. "Young America" has not much to do with faculties and trustees of colleges, but strange to say, the "fast spirit has got into the Boards, and degrees are multiplied with tropical fertility.

"The value of these titles is in their rareness. If they cease to be select, they are no longer desirable. Viewed either as acknowledgments of talents or services, they are designed in both cases to distinguish their possessor. The world ought to know their best men, and titles were an easy way of putting the fact clearly before the public eye. A merited D. D. or LL. D. was once a substantial certificate, and the genuine coin so stamped could readily become current. If men happened to be in strange places, it was their passport, and no parchments were asked for by deacons, or vestrymen, or committees. But these sensible days have gone. D. D's and LL. D's have been seized with a Democratic furor, and the rest of the alphabet rebel against their pretensions. They have come to mean almost nothing, and doubtless, not long hence, men who desire to be distinguished, will feel bound, in defence of their hopes, to decline any such endorsement of mediocrity.

"The usage in itself is noble. But we should refuse to use the power to confer D D's and LL. D's so abundantly as to render its exercise more than an unmeaning ceremonial. If public opinion cannot correct this growing folly, let the power to grant these degrees be left out of charters of new colleges. As things are, the increase of petty colleges leads corporations to pander to popular tastes by making honors too cheap. There have been instances in the United States of granting these degrees to men who could not write a grammatical English letter. [illegible]"—N. Y. Times.

LICENTIOUSNESS OF POMPEII.—The discovery of Pompeii has been worth thousands of sermons in vindication of the reforms worked by Christianity. [illegible]

By Telegraph!

Transmitted to the New Orleans Bee.

[By the National Line.]

FURTHER BY THE CANADA.

Eastern Affairs—Insurrection in Crimea.

In consequence of the insurrection in Crimea, the Russian authorities have placed several of the provinces under martial law, including Bessarabia and Kherson.

TURKS IN GEORGIA.—The Turkish army has crossed the frontier of Georgia, and at last accounts were marching upon Tiflis, the capital of that country. They were received by the Georgians with welcome every where on their route.

The Turkish forces occupied [illegible], which was abandoned by the Russians on their approach.

The recent report of the defeat of the Turks at the battle of Oltenitza is now doubted. It is certain however that a battle was fought at that place, with considerable slaughter.

PERSIA AND ENGLAND.—A rupture has occurred in the relations of Persia and England. The declaration of war by Persia against Turkey is said to have been caused by an insult received from the British Ambassador.

The British Consul at Jassy has retired from the principalities.

Prohibition of Munitions of War.

The Russian government has notified all foreign Ministers that all ships bound for Turkish ports on the Black Sea, carrying munitions of war, will be seized although they may be under neutral flags.

KOSSUTH.—It is stated positively that Kossuth left London on the 23d of December, for Constantinople.

FRANCE AND ENGLAND.—A report has been circulated that the sincerity of Louis Napoleon in his alliance with Turkey was distrusted in England. This has caused great indignation in Paris, and the French Cabinet has considered it expedient to make an explicit denial of the charge.

ENGLAND—THE MINISTERIAL TROUBLES.—The British Cabinet met on the 23d December. The Home Secretaryship was offered to Sir George Grey, but he declined it. It is reported that Lord Palmerston had been invited to resume his office, in consequence of the Earl of Clarendon having threatened to resign.

The Liberal papers in London complain that Prince Albert meddles himself too busy in the affairs of the State, and some attribute Lord Palmerston's resignation to [illegible] the Cabinet.

Empire City Reported Ashore.

New York, Jan. 5.

It is reported here that the steamer Empire City, bound from Havana to this port, is ashore at Barnegat.

Arrival of the Illinois.

New York, Jan. 5.

The steamer Illinois, from Aspinwall, has arrived here with $1,000,000 in gold.

Ohio River—Markets.

Pittsburg, Jan. 5.

The river here is yet at a stand. Weather unusually warm, and a rise in the river is expected as the snow hereabout above is melting rapidly.

Cincinnati, Jan. 5.

The weather here is cloudy and warm. Markets dull—Sales of Flour at $5 50a5 60 per bbl; keg Lard is selling at 8¾c per pound. Provision market heavy.

Louisville, Jan. 5.

The river is now open to Cincinnati, and the mail boats have resumed their trips between that place and Louisville this morning.

New York Flour Market.

New York, Jan. 5.

The Flour market here is heavy and drooping. Ohio brands have declined 12½c. ₱ bbl., with sales to-day at $7 62½@$7 75 ₱ bbl. Southern has fallen off 6c. ₱ bbl., and sells at $7 62½@$7 81¼; State brands are dull at $7 62½ ₱ bbl.

OSSIANIC SURNAMES.—A curious paper on this subject appears in a valuable and well-designed quarterly periodical, entitled the Ulster Journal of Archaeology, lately started by a few gentlemen of Belfast, and in which many such curious subjects are treated. We find that, as usual, many of the surnames of the Celtic population of Ireland are derived from what are now called Christian names, the prefix Mac or O being generally added to express son or grandson, though sometimes the full syllable Mac is not preserved in pronunciation. Thus Mr. M'Grady, the author of the paper in question, considers Ossian's own name as the origin of the surnames Cashin and Cousins, (perhaps we should add the Scotch name Cushnie,) the original being M'Osian; but this being changed or softened by the dismissal of the M. Finn, the name of Ossian's father, signifying fair-haired, is the origin of the surname O'Finn, in Ireland, (and probably of the Scotch name Phin.) Finn's father was Coumhal, pronounced Coual or Cool; and this not only appears in Cowell, but is considered as identical with Howell and Hoole; names which, in Wales, have become Powell and Poole by the addition of Ap, meaning son. Oscar, again, the son of Ossian, may be hailed in as the origin of the M'Coskers, a well known Irish family. Three of Finn's companions in arms are cited by Mr. M'Grady as bearing appellations which are commemorated in the existing Irish surnames, Goll M'Morn, for instance, being, in his opinion, the origin of M'Gills, while Conan is the founder of the Cannings. Of course the existence of the names in these modern forms is, to a certain degree, a proof of the existence of Ossian and his heroes, though leaving room for debate as to their characters, deeds, and even the period in which they flourished.

COMPULSORY VACCINATION.—The proportion of deaths from small-pox in London is three times, and in Glasgow six times, what it is in Brussels, Berlin or Copenhagen. Of each one thousand persons who die in England and Wales, twenty two die of small-pox; of each one thousand persons who die in Ireland, forty-nine die of small-pox; while of each one thousand persons who die in Lombardy, two only die of small-pox. The proportionate mortality, then, from small-pox in England and Wales is eleven times, and in Ireland twenty four times, greater than it is in Lombardy. Whence comes this difference? In England, those who please take their children to be vaccinated; in Lombardy vaccination is compulsory. The proportionate mortality from small-pox in England and Wales is three times greater than what it is in any country in which the inhabitants are compelled by law to have their children vaccinated. These are great facts. In our metropolis, one thousand persons die annually of small-pox: if vaccination were compulsory, it is indisputable that the number of deaths from this disease in London would be reduced to two hundred or three hundred per annum. From six hundred to eight hundred persons thus die yearly in the metropolis alone, whose lives might be saved by an act of Parliament.—Medical Times and Gazette.

BLOWING UP THE WRECK OF THE HUMBOLDT.—The Halifax Colonist of the 17th ult., gives the following account of the appearance of the wreck of the Humboldt, and of an attempt to blow it up by gunpowder:

"The Humboldt was abandoned by the Captain and crew several days ago, and notwithstanding the fine weather, the constant action of the sea is gradually strewing the shore with the shattered fragments of the wreck. From the shore, however, she can yet be surveyed in all her majestic length, the after part, from the paddle boxes, being aground, and at low tide showing some feet above the water.—Forward of the paddle boxes she has split in halves, the starboard side, which is next the shore, being held by her cable at the bow, and by her planking to the stationary part of the wreck. This side of the vessel is still unbroken, exposing its concave surface to the sea, which, before many days, must dash it to atoms.

"It is supposed that much valuable property still remains in the vessel, that could be saved if she would break up; and under this impression, an attempt was made by some of the officers of the Royal Engineers yesterday, to blow up the cabins with gunpowder. For this purpose, a cask had been properly prepared, into which a pewter or gutta percha pipe, of sufficient length to reach from the deck to the cask when submerged, was inserted, and inside of this was a fusee communicating with the powder. At about two o'clock, the cask was carefully lowered, at half past two the match was applied, but through some imperfection in the tube, the experiment failed.

"Another attempt will be made this morning, and we doubt not, with success. At any rate the officers are deserving of all praise."

☞ A gentleman, whose brother was under the care of a physician, dispatched his servant to inquire after the health of the patient. The servant met the doctor, and was told to inform his master that his brother was convalescing.—The unlettered man, not understanding the meaning of the word, returned in haste, with the unwelcome news that the patient was dying. His master immediately ordered his horse, and started at full speed, with a faint hope of arriving in time to soothe the dying moments of his brother. On the way his horse fell and was instantly killed, and the rider himself so seriously injured as to become a cripple for life. And all this came from the very singular inability that some of the learned profession have for all common-place terms which come within the comprehension of the unlearned.

DIED.

On the 1st instant, at his residence in the Parish of Iberville, SIMON LEBLANC, aged 76 years. [illegible]

LOCAL ITEMS.

RECORDER WINTER'S COURT.

Wm. A. Lorde, John Gallagher, Michael Gaffney, Bridget Maloy, Sam'l Butterfield, James Griffin, Patrick Kelly and sundry others, were arrested for minor breaches of the peace, and released on the payment of small fines.

Pat Carroll, charged by W C Hesson, with cutting open coffee bags and stealing their contents, was consigned to the First District Court.

Thomas Baird, now in confinement, stands charged on the oath of Lorenzo Dowling, with being "in sound against the peace and dignity of the State," a new crime added to our overflowing calendar!

Mary Connell is accused of having gone to the residence of Mrs W Manning, and there grossly assaulting and beating her. A warrant was promptly issued for Mary's arrest.

Mr Bateman was relieved from the accusation brought against him on the 17th ult, of assault and battery upon Mr Copeland.

Fred. Rood and one Brondie were caught in the act of retailing liquor without license; and, as we think, very properly fined $10 each, while Patrick Sullivan, charged with the same offence, was let off, we presume for want of evidence.

Margaret Hasdorf, who had been arrested as vagrant, was discharged, as were also [illegible] and John Steward; but Edward Livingston and Wm S Wells, alias D. Long, [illegible], having been committed to the Workhouse for three months, unless in the meantime they give a bond of $1000 each, for the protection of the State against their misconduct.

The case of Geo. Heffeson for an assault and battery upon the person of Theo. Eicholtz, was fixed for the 13th inst.

J. Jones was fined $10 for having a pistol concealed upon his person.

Joseph Halden, for assaulting one Matthew Murphy, was ordered to make his appearance on the 12th instant.

Mrs. Coughlin appeared a few days ago to be in a tight place, from which we congratulate her in having made so creditable escape. One Henry Yeoman accused this lady with having received property for washing, and with withholding the material. At the same moment came another individual named Carrell, who made the same allegation, and charged her besides, with detaining money which he had placed in her hands for "safe keeping." Ominous as the charges were, Mrs. Coughlin, we rejoice to say, escaped unscathed.

A GREAT MORAL EVIL.—A Mighty respectable citizen of the Third District has complained of the impossibility of obtaining [illegible] in the corner of [illegible] streets, there is a ball-room devoted to the exhibition of lewd women and the graceless rascals who are so apt to follow on their trail. We learn that complaints have been made in succession to the Recorder, the Council, and the Mayor—that each have thrown the responsibility off their own shoulders, and, consequently the nuisance remains unabated.

We trust, if not with reference to the quiet of a respectable neighborhood, that, for the honor of our city, such a reproach upon it may be in some measure wiped out.

SECOND DISTRICT.

Joseph Heslin is charged by J. R. Albert, with defaming his character, thereby (according to Blackstone, we believe,) committing a breach of the peace. He prays for his arrest, and an order has issued accordingly.

Charles Klein is accused by Mr. Etienne Govion, with having entered his premises on the 3d instant, in Toulouse street, and stealing jewelry, wearing apparel, money, &c., &c.

A F. Nicolin swears that he entrusted to a little negro 12 years old, some toys worth $15, and that the same precocious African has run away with them; whereupon he prays for his arrest on the charge of a "breach of trust."

Maria Rosemann complains that Charles Forsaine about 4 o'clock Thursday, committed an assault and battery upon her.

A youth named John Railly, was arrested on the charge of having committed larceny on board the steamboat Anna, and the case will be investigated on the return of the boat, on the 6th instant.

John Bradley seems to be in considerable difficulty. He is charged by Hiram Torrey with having entered his state room on board the steamboat Kate Frisbee, somewhere between here and Baton Rouge, in the night, and purloining the sum of $[illegible]. He was arrested, and is under arrest, and will be held to answer on the 7th inst. We ought to add in reference to R. G. Lewis and W. S. Henry, charged with a participation in the crime, that they were honorably discharged.

R. R. R.

POISONOUS INOCULATION.

Persons who, by accident or otherwise, become inoculated with any malignant disorder, will find the R. R. R. remedies prompt, quick and efficient. Persons who have suffered from Chronic Scrofula, Syphilis, or the effects of Mercurial treatment, are informed that RADWAY'S RENOVATING RESOLVENT will quickly free the body from corrupt humors, whether the same be generated within the system from neglect or ill-treatment, or inoculated through indiscretion or accident. We have known hundreds in this city, trifling away their time, and suffering the most severe tortures for years, who have been suddenly restored to health by R. R. R. remedies. In all cases of recent date—that is, under one year—RADWAY'S RENOVATING RESOLVENT will remove all painful difficulties and obstructions in two or three days. It will, in all Chronic cases of long standing, prove its potent efficacy within six days. In taking R. R. Resolvent, every patient should take one of Radway's Regulators at night, to keep the Bowels, Liver and Kidneys regular.

For Acute Pains, either Rheumatic, Nervous, or Neuralgic, R. R. RELIEF will stop the most severe paroxysms in a few minutes.

All who are afflicted with any Chronic or Acute Pains, or Poisonous diseases, are invited to call on JOHN WRIGHT & CO., General Wholesale Agents, 151 Chartres street. Dr. JOHN RADWAY will give medical advice free of charge, at 151 Chartres street, for a few days. jan5 R

SOMETHING OF IMPORTANCE to every Citizen, and Stranger visiting New Orleans.—We have received a large supply of that most valuable and justly celebrated preparation,

MORTIMORE'S BITTER CORDIAL AND BLOOD PURIFIER.

This delightful Cordial, so beneficial to the health, and so miraculously wonderful in restoring the invalid, from almost every disease to which the human family are subject, can be had of us in future, in any quantity, wholesale or retail.

Every lady and gentleman, and every family in our city should use it. Call and get a Circular.

TO DRUGGISTS AND MERCHANTS.—Having made extensive arrangements with the proprietors for a constant supply, we will fill their orders, by the dozen or gross, at lowest wholesale prices.

This Cordial now meets immense sale with over 1000 druggists, and should be kept by all Druggists and Merchants, and used by every community.

Price $1 00 per bottle. J. WRIGHT & CO.
dec 19-3m daw No. 151 Chartres st, N. O.

REVALENTA ARABICA,
PREPARED BY
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Certificate of the celebrated Physician Rudolph Wurzer.

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This light and agreeable Farina is the best of all aliments. At once nourishing and restorative, it is an admirable substitute for every kind of medicines. It is particularly efficacious in habitual and obstinate constipation as well as in diarrhea, affections of the loins and urethra; pains in the back, [illegible] the bladder, hemorrhoids, &c.—Also in diseases of the lungs, of the respiratory organs, cough and consumption.

I am satisfied that Du Barry's Revalenta Arabica has the invaluable property of curing Hectic disease.

This article is likewise extremely useful in dyspepsia, (indigestion) pains in the stomach, heartburn, phlegm, palpitations, nervous headache, bilious and nervous affections, cutaneous eruptions, inconvenient feelings after eating, sour stomach and vomiting during pregnancy, sea sickness, hypochondria, gout, rheumatism, &c., &c.

Depot for the State of Louisiana at
F. P. DUCONGE,
No 30 Chartres st. N. O.
And at Z. GERMAIN, No 127 Royal st.

N. B.—This Farina is particularly adapted to sick persons and convalescents, and to children of a feeble constitution. n30—6m

SUNDRIES.—
25 boxes Strawberries in Juice;
50 do Sweet Oil, Plagniol;
23 baskets do do;
40 bbls. Port Wine, Regis;
26 do do Burgundy;
85 boxes Absynthe, Sauvajol Brenotos & Co;
44 do Muscadel;
25 do assorted Liquor Wine;
10 do French Mustard;
5 bales [illegible];
18 do [illegible] Leaf Tobacco;
23 do Madeira Wine;
30 bbls. Sherry Wine;
600 five gallons French Demijohns;
15 boxes French Pickles;
30,000 Havana Cigars,
10 Mexican do,
In store and for sale by
jy5 6t FDO. DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee st.

Vve Clicquot Ponsardin.
CONSTANTLY on hand a good supply of the celebrated Vve Clicquot Ponsardin Champagne, for sale by FDO. DE FUENTES & CO.
ja5 1y 22 Old Levee st.

BORDEAUX red and white wine—100 casks Bordeaux red wine of a good middling quality, for family use; 1500 boxes Claret wine do do; 17 do Paul Lameson, 1844; 18 do St. Julien, 1841; 250 do Arsac, 1844; 25 do St. Estephe, 1846; 16 do Larose, 1838; 29 do St. Estephe, 1841; 180 do white wine, Preignac, 1847; 300 do Claret, Pierre Castenac; 25 do Leoville; 50 do Margaux, in store and for sale by FDO. DE FUENTES & CO., 22 Old Levee.

JUST received per ship Mount Washington, from Bordeaux, and for sale by the undersigned—25 bbls white wine vinegar; 15 casks claret wine, 25 boxes do do. FDO. DE FUENTES & CO., 22 Old Levee.

LANDING ex ship Louisa Bliss from Bordeaux—100 casks claret wine; 300 boxes do do; for sale by FDO. DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee.

[illegible] qr pipes Brandy, [illegible] FDO. DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee st.

CHAMPAGNE WINE—100 baskets Champagne wine, Demoncourt; 50 do do do in pints, 60 do do, DeVenoye & Co., in store and for sale by FDO. DE FUENTES & CO.

HAVANA CIGARS—120,000 Regalia Cigars, just arrived ex ship Sirena Dorsey, comprising a splendid assortment of Regalias, Londres, Prensado, [illegible]

LANDING—Ex ship Mount Washington, from Bordeaux, [illegible] X. LAMBERT, 64 Magazine st.

25 BOXES (12 bottles) [illegible] Bordeaux; for sale by V & E MAIGNAN.

[illegible]

COMMERCIAL.

The Markets.

BEE OFFICE
Thursday Evening, Jan. 5, 1854.

The demand for Cotton was again quite active, the Foreign news being considered rather favorable than otherwise, and the sales reached 7,000 bales, at very full prices.

LIVERPOOL CLASSIFICATION—LOUISIANA AND MISSISSIPPI.

Inferior	6—6½	Middling Fair	[illegible]
Ordinary	[illegible]	Fair	11—@—
Good Ordinary	[illegible]	Fully Fair	—@—
Middling	[illegible]	Good Fair	—@—
Good Middling	[illegible]	Good and Fine	—@—

Nothing was done in Tobacco to-day.

The sales of Sugar amounted to 300 hhds, at previous figures. Fair 3½@3¾c ₱ lb.

Of Molasses, 800 bbls were disposed of at 17½@18c ₱ gallon.

The Flour market was somewhat firmer to-day, with sales of 600 bbls, at $6 75 for Ohio and St. Louis from the Levee.

Of Corn, 2000 sacks were sold, mostly from store, at 70c ₱ bushel.

Provisions are unchanged. Mess Pork is selling at $12 50@$12 75 for old, and $13 75@14 for new. A sale of [illegible] was made at $10 50.

Nothing of consequence was done in either Bacon or Lard.

Whisky is retailing at 26½@27c ₱ gallon for rectified.

The Coffee market is quiet, with small sales at [illegible].

A lot of 40 bales Gunny Bags was sold at 13c each.

Exchange sale as before quoted. Sterling, [illegible]; Paris, [illegible]; Bills on New York at 60 days, 1½@2 ₱ cent. discount; Checks, par; Short Sight, ¼ @ ½ ₱ cent discount.

EXCHANGE OUT DOOR.

Sterling	[illegible] ₱ ct. prem.
Francs	[illegible]
New York, sixty day bills	[illegible] ₱ cent disc.
do Checks	[illegible] ₱ cent prem.
Boston, sixty days	[illegible] ₱ cent disc.
Philadelphia, sixty days	[illegible] ₱ cent disc.
[illegible]	[illegible]

Freights are steady. The engagements to-day embrace a ship for Liverpool at [illegible] for Cotton; a British vessel for Liverpool at ¾d.; a bark for Trieste, at [illegible], and a ship for Boston at 1c.

For Attakapas.
THE new and regular packet JEAN WEBRE, J. W. Bowles, Master, will leave FRIDAY, the 6th instant, at 4 o'clock P M, taking freight and passengers for St. Martinsville, New Iberia, Franklin, Centreville, Pattersonville, Bayou Boeuf, Bayou Black, Tigerville, and all intermediate landings. jan6

Ten Dollars Reward.
RAN AWAY on the 4th December last, the negro woman MARIA, belonging formerly to Mr Victor Audry, aged 26 years, about 5 feet 3 or 4 inches in height, speaks English and French, having a scar below the left eye, and has lost a few of her upper teeth. Had on when she went away a blue striped cottonade frock. The above reward will be paid to whoever will return said slave, or will lodge her in one of the city prisons, by giving information to
ja6 1t CHARLES CAVAROC, 30 Bienville st.

LION & PINSARD,
66 and 68 Royal street, corner of Bienville.
HAVE just received by the ship George F. Patten, from Havre, a large assortment of SOCKS, DRAWERS, UNDERSHIRTS, SHIRTS, STOCKS, CRAVATS, HANDKERCHIEFS, GLOVES, etc.
400 dozen Socks, cotton, Scotch thread, Persian thread, white and colored, unbleached and silk;
60 dozen Drawers, flannel, merino, cotton and linen;
60 dozen Undershirts, cotton, thread, merino and flannel;
200 dozen shirts, linen, cotton and linen, and all cotton;
50 dozen Shirt Bosoms, linen and cotton;
A large assortment of CRAVATS of Satin, grenadine, taffeta, black and fancy;
STOCKS of all kinds; [illegible]
LONG CRAVATS, fancy and black;
American Collars, Grecian Collars;
A large assortment of Pocket Handkerchiefs, white and colored [illegible]
GLOVES—Jouvin's [illegible] Dupar and Roquette gloves, woolen gloves, for men, women and children; [illegible]
[illegible] LION & PINSARD.

Wanted.
TO lease, a property, with residence, from 30 to 40 arpents surface, suitable for a market garden, 3 to 4 miles from the city, and on the right side of the river. Apply to FORKE & GIRARD, 7 St. Louis street.

Female Orphan Society.
THE annual meeting of the Female Orphan Society will be held at the Poydras Asylum, on the 16th inst, between the hours of 12 M. and 2 P. M., for the purpose of electing managers to serve the ensuing year. Jan7—10t

Manufactory of Creole Mustard,
The Only Permanent One since 1833.
No. 140 St. Louis.
THE undersigned, not having carriers enough to serve his customers in the four districts of the city, invites Grocers to supply themselves at his establishment, having the advantage of receiving all bottles not sold or deteriorated. A label guarantees the genuineness of the article in all instances.
Persons using this Mustard are requested to pay attention to the name upon the label as well as the seal, inasmuch as a certain competitor has imitated both form and color. Those purchasing by the gallon or the dozen per bottle, will be allowed the same liberal discount as heretofore.
Jan6 3m LOUIS EVEN.

RECEIVED per ship Cotton Planter, and for sale entitled to drawback, by the undersigned—
2 cases cotton [illegible];
2 do silk, brocaded and colored shawls;
4 do [illegible];
2 do [illegible];
2 do Jaconets and muslins;
1 do double barrelled guns.
[illegible] RICHARD ALDIGE & CO.

NOW landing from ship Louisa Bliss, from Bordeaux—
100 casks red Wine, Estephe;
200 half boxes Cepes in oil;
200 eighth do Truffled Pies;
100 half do Royans in oil;
100 half do Truffled Sausages;
20 half do Lampreys;
50 half do Truffled Pies Foot;
2 cases assorted sweetmeats.
For sale by PERRON BROTHERS, 247 & 249 Royal, corner Main st.

Bed Blankets.
1 CASE 11-4 superior Merino Wool Bed Blankets;
1 do 12-4 do do do;
1 do 13-4 do do do;
For sale by O. B. GRAHAM, 26 Gravier st.

175 BASKETS champagne, in drawback, for sale by the subscribers. RICHARD ALDIGE & CO.

LANDING ex ship G. F. Patten from Havre—25 baskets Champagne, of the best brand; 15 [illegible] in pints; For sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGADORFF, 13 & 15 St. Louis st.

HATS—One hundred cases just received from New York, per Mail of Orleans, comprising a prime assortment of fashionable Silks and Moleskins, for sale low by J M GOULD & CO, 8 Magazine st.

CASSIMERE HATS—25 cases just received, fashionable style, for sale by J. M. GOULD, 8 Magazine st.

BOOTS AND SHOES—2500 cases, in store, comprising a prime assortment suitable for the city or country trade, for sale on liberal terms by J M GOULD & CO, 8 Magazine st.

BORDEAUX WINE—250 casks, various brands and qualities; 600 boxes do. do, for sale by HENRY VALETON, 90 St. Louis street.

STRAWBERRIES IN JUICE—50 boxes Joseph Peneau's Strawberries, for sale by HENRY VALETON, 90 St Louis street.

TERRAGONA WINE—40 qr pipes, good quality, for sale by HENRY VALETON, 90 St Louis st.

PORT WINE—50 qr pipes Burgundy, Crown and other brands, for sale by HENRY VALETON, 90 St Louis st.

CHEESE—5 extra superior Gruyere Cheese; 300 Lemburg. For sale by HENRY VALETON.

MADEIRA WINE—40 qr pipes [illegible], for sale by H VALETON, 90 St Louis st.

FRONTIGNAN—100 boxes Jourdan, Brovis & Co, Muscatel, for sale by H VALETON, 90 St Louis st.

HAVANA SUGAR—1500 boxes Havana Sugar, white, brown and yellow, in store and for sale by RAYMOND CAMUZAC & CO, 30 Old Levee st.

HAVANA SUGAR—415 boxes white and yellow landing ex schooner Alice and Montague from Havana for sale by R. CAHUSAC & CO, 30 Old Levee st.

HAVANA COFFEE—500 bags prime, landing ex schooners Alice and Montegue, from Havana, for sale by R. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

LEAF TOBACCO—47 bales Tobacco, landing ex schooner Alice, from Havana, for sale by R. CAHUZAC & Co. 30 Old Levee st.

LANDING ex ship Louisa Bliss, from Bordeaux: [illegible] Royans and Allues Cognac; 20 boxes Claret St. Emilion; 20 " Cantenac. For sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., 17 & 19 St. Louis street.

CHAMPAGNE WINE—40 baskets Champagne, Ruinart Pere & Fils, quarts and pints; 40 do do Krug & Co, quarts and pints; for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., 17 & 19 St Louis st.

LANDING ex ship Louisa Bliss, from Bordeaux: 70 casks good common Claret; 48 bbls Haut Sauterne White Wine; 50 quarter pipes Edmond Jeolin's Brandy. For sale by X LAMBERT, 64 Magazine street.

WINE in casks—65 casks St. Estephe, landing ex ship Mount Washington, from Bordeaux, for sale by J & J TARDOS, 31 Old Levee st.

CHAMPAGNE—100 baskets Comte de Montebello, quarts and pints, landing ex ship Geo. Patten from Havre for sale by J B PREAU & CO, 21 and 23 Gravier street.

LANDING ex ship Mount Washington from Bordeaux, [illegible] Cognac; 500 boxes claret St Julien, 12 bottles; strawberries in their juice, 12 bottles; for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO, 17 and 19 St Louis st.

FRUITS IN JUICE—100 boxes Jn. Peneau Nantes, [illegible] Bordeaux, landing ex ship Louisa Bliss, from Bordeaux, for sale by J BERRAU & CO, 21 and 23 Gravier st.

LANDING—ex ship Louisa Bliss, from Bordeaux, [illegible] for sale by BOYER BROTHERS V. BENQUET & CO.

LANDING ex ship George T. [illegible] Demijohns, of 1, 2, 3, 4 gallons [illegible]

[illegible]

SUNDRIES.

Notice of Co-Partnership.
POYDRAS MARKET FEED STORE.
SINCE the 1st inst. I have entered in copartnership with my brother, P. Macou. J. MACOU.
We will continue the same line of business as heretofore, under the style of MACOU BROTHERS. MACOU BRO.
New Orleans, January 2d, 1854. jan5 3t

NOTICE.
THE co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned having expired by limitation, is dissolved by mutual consent.
Mr. GUSTAVE PORÉE will attend to the liquidation of the business of the late firm.
GUSTAVE PORÉE.
LEON GIRARD.
New Orleans, January 3d, 1854. jan4

☞ The ship LOUISA BLISS, Myler, master, from Bordeaux, is discharging her cargo in the Second District. Consignees are requested to take out their permits within five days from the present notice, and attend to the delivery of their goods on the Levee, otherwise they will be stored at their risk and expense.
BOYER BROTHERS V. BENQUET & CO, [illegible] cor Moreau and Mandeville, 2d Dist.

Church and Drawing-Room Organs.
THE undersigned beg leave to inform their numerous customers and the public generally, that they have just received a very extensive assortment of well toned CHURCH AND DRAWING-ROOM ORGANS. These instruments, which are offered at a moderate price and the power of which is extraordinary in proportion to their small size, are fully equal to Organs with pipes, which cost $1,800 (8000 francs.) They have also the advantage over the other instruments of never getting out of order; the sound is excellent and the sweetness is such as to please the most delicate ears. For sale by
CHARLES GUERINEAU & CO.
No 203 Royal street, corner Orleans,
Sole Agents in the United States.
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NEW CONCERN.
A. B. JAMES,
Of the late firm of MARSHALL & JAMES,
HAS determined to recommence, for his own account, the WHOLESALE DRY GOODS BUSINESS, and is now opening at his new store, No. 39 Magazine street, opposite the Arcade, and No. 14 Bank Place, a large and well assorted stock of entirely new and fresh
European and American Dry Goods,
purchased within the last sixty days, at unusually low prices, and which he is prepared to sell at corresponding low rates.
From the great decline in prices of many articles of the trade, he entertains the belief that he can offer to dealers, both city and country, inducements such as are rarely met with in this market, and through his arrangements with one of the most competent buyers of Dry Goods in the country, he will be constantly receiving the newest and most desirable styles and descriptions of SPRING GOODS; his stock at present consists of PRINTS, LAWNS, ROBES, GINGHAMS, late on exhibition at the Crystal Palace, LINENS, LACES, HOSIERY, GLOVES, HANDKERCHIEFS, RIBBONS, a full stock; CAMBRICS, JACONETS, SWISSES, MULLS, MUSLINS, HABERDASHERY, of every kind, with the cheapest lot of EMBROIDERY ever offered, consisting of MUSLIN SLEEVES, in every style; HANDKERCHIEFS, VEILS, MUSLIN BANDS, COLLARS, HABITS, CHEMISETTES, CAPES, etc., both in tamboured and needlework; GAUNTS, GLOVES, etc; all of which are of late importation, and have been bought at very low prices, at auction, to close stock.
PANTALOONERIES, VEST SHAPES, COATINGS, GLOVES, SUSPENDERS, DE LAINES, of the latest French and American patterns; ALPACAS, ORLEANS ALBERT CLOTHS, plain and figured MERINOS, SUMMER and CANTON CLOTHS, with every thing in DRESS GOODS, necessary for the season.
Planters' Goods,
in full stock, comprising BLANKETS, KERSEYS, OSNABURGS, JEANS, PLAID and STRIPED LINSEYS, 3-4 to 12-4 SHIRTING and SHEETING, FLANNELS, WOOLEN SHIRTS, etc, to all of which the subscriber invites the attention of the trade, and of which he will dispose on such terms as will be satisfactory to buyers, having every disposition to render particularly to the country interest, such advantages as will secure to them low prices and good articles, and will command their trade and confidence. A. B. JAMES.
d30 1y &w 39 Magazine st and 14 Bank Place.

Cheap, New and Fashionable Dry Goods.
MADAM SCHELL,
152 ... CANAL STREET ... 152
Between Bourbon and Dauphin streets.
Has just received, by the latest arrivals from Europe, a large addition to her present stock the newest and latest Parisian styles of BONNETS, for ladies and children; CAPS, for ladies and children; BOLIVAR, with Feathers and Flowers; HEAD DRESSES and MARRIAGE VEILS; FLOWERS, CLOAKS, MANTILLAS; PELISSES, TALMAS, EMBROIDERIES; GLOVES, VELVET TRIMMINGS, &c.
Madam Schell most respectfully invites the Ladies to call and examine the above articles which in superior style and quality, and will be sold 20 per cent more reasonable terms than those of any other house in the city.
☞ Cloaks made to order. Bonnets cleaned and trimmed. jan4 3m

SATIN SHOES.
G. P. BLANCARD, (corner Main and Royal streets,) informs the ladies of the city and country, that he has just received for sale, a splendid assortment of black and white SATIN SHOES, which he offers at very moderate prices. jan4

16. VICTOR. 16.
St. Charles Street, Between Canal and Common Streets.
THE undersigned, having returned from Paris, takes pleasure in announcing to his customers and the public generally, that he has unpacked his goods received per ships Wartemberg, Ashland, Belle Assise, Globe, Sumner and Sea Queen from Havre. The care with which his goods have been selected, will, he hopes, ensure a continuation of the public patronage with which he has hitherto been honored. He avails himself of this opportunity to inform city and country that he has a splendid assortment of the following articles [illegible] in store at the lowest market prices:
Extra fine linen shirts, [illegible] cut;
Common do do;
Shirts with common linen fronts, new cut;
Fine Madapolam shirts, do;
Colored do do;
Bosom do do;
Do silk do do;
Do Scotch thread shirts, do;
Do Cotton do do;
Heavy flannel drawers, with and without corsets;
Do merino do do;
Do silk do do;
Do Cotton do do;
A rich assortment of silk half hose, for parties;
Superior Scotch thread half hose;
Do Persian do do;
Do merino do do;
Brown cotton half hose;
Bleached do do;
Hemmed and unhemmed lined cambric handkerchiefs, all qualities;
A large assortment of black and colored cravats, highest fashions;
Collar-cravats; Spring do; Colemite do;
Jockey Club do; American do;
Fine Linen short Collars;
Elastic Silk Suspenders, all styles; Canevas do;
Cotton do; genuine Jouvin Gloves, all colors and assorted colors;
Canes, with and without swords;
Rattan do; Bamboo do;
Whale Bone do; all styles;
Silk and Cotton Umbrellas, all sizes and qualities;
A rich assortment of Porte-Monnaies;
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Purses;
A few fine Opera Glasses;
Ivory Brushes, Buffalo do;
Warranted Shell Combs, for ladies and gentlemen;
A small and select assortment of rich Bracelets;
A superior assortment of fine English Cutlery;
Ladies' dressing Cases, Gentlemens' do;
Scent and Work Boxes. The attention of ladies' is called to one of the latter boxes, the richness of which is unsurpassed by that of any other in this city.
A large assortment of fine Perfumery from the manufacturers of Lubin, Guerlin, &c; &c;
Toilet Brushes, all kinds;
Childrens' Coaches and Carriages;
Rich and common liquor sets;
A very large number of fine fancy gift articles; rich fans;
An assortment of articles for hair Dressers;
Do of plaits and curls, all colors;
His Hair-Dressing Saloon is, as heretofore, conducted by polite and skillful artists. VICTOR,
n22 St Charles st, No 16, bet Common & Canal

Marble Statues.
RECEIVED on consignment, per bark Enrica, a large assortment of Marble Statues, among which are—
2 Dancing Girls, copies from Canova;
Leda, by Tomaso Bathe;
Shepherd, " "
Child at Prayer, by Pompeion;
2 splendid Fountains, 10 feet high, with lids;
4 beautifully carved Mantels;
4 Marble Statues representing the Seasons;
2 Monuments, Urns and Crosses;
Garden Vases, &c.
The above are now on exhibition, and for sale at P. H. MONSSEAUX'S Marble Yard, corner St. Louis and Robertson sts

SUNDRIES.
LARD—100 bbls 200 kegs prime leaf;
FLOUR—800 bbls extra and Superfine;
HAMS—100 tierces sugar cured;
LARD OIL—100 bbls winter strained;
SPERM CANDLES—200 boxes New Bedford;
STAR CANDLES—300 boxes Star Stilletos;
BEEF—500 bbls and half bbls J. M. Davis Mess and Prime;
Fish—200 bbls No 4 Mackerel;
200 do Herrings;
500 boxes Codfish;
50 drums do;
GUNNY BAGS—[illegible] bales and 500 bundles;
ROPE—[illegible] Kentucky Hemp;
STARCH—[illegible];
WHISKEY—[illegible];
SOAP—[illegible];
500 do Shelleto's "Oleine;"
WINE—30 casks Longworth & Zimmerman's Catawba;
BUTTER—400 firkins and kegs Western;
CHEESE—400 boxes choice Western;
Constantly on hand for sale by VOORHIES, URIGGS & CO, 15 Tchoupitoulas st.

106 ROYAL STREET 106
MERCHANT TAILOR.
THE undersigned offers for sale cheap, to his customers and the public, the following articles bought by him in France and which he has just received per Ashland and the B. H. Sumner, viz:
Colored cashmeres, new style, for pants;
Black cloths, for coats and frock coats;
Assorted colored cloths, for coats and frock coats;
Drawers, Cravats, Hose, Suspenders, &c.
EXPECTED, per Sea Queen, from Havre: Cloth Coats and Frock Coats (Cromwell and Talma) Velvets, Plain and Quilted Silk for Vests.
oc21 J. CASBERGUE, 106 Royal street.

No More Cholera.
DR. BURQ'S METALLIC BELTS and Plates are known as the best preservatives against Cholera, as it has been proved by the best authorities. Read the Paris and London Academy reports on the subject.
They are manufactured by C. Duhamel, Optician, 38 Chartres street. He warrants them to be made under the proper directions, as given by Dr Burq himself.
Copper and Steel Wrist Braces, Knee Braces, [illegible] and Belts for children are always on hand.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE.—Mr. SAMUEL SALOMON is requested to call at Mr. Dessain's, No. 6 Frenchmen street, otherwise the goods left by him at that gentleman's house will be sold for rent. jan 4—6

A YOUNG MAN by the name of JAMES GARATY, left Cincinnati fourteen months ago and has not been heard of since. Any information touching his whereabouts, will be thankfully received by his unfortunate mother, Catherine Garaty, who came from Cincinnati expressly to find him, and is now stopping at Mr. Smith's, Hospital street, No. 116. jan4 6t

Wanted.
TWO TINMEN, acquainted with the city, will find permanent employment by calling at B. SAUTRE & CO., No 95 Conde street. d30-10t

WANTED—To hire or purchase—A first rate woman Cook. Enquire at 187 Esplanade street, between 3 and 4 o'clock P M. d30-1w

For Sale.
ON account of departure, a splendid PIANO susceptible of withstanding the climate of New Orleans, with ornaments, after the fashion during the reign of Louis XIV. Apply at Mr. Goodall's Book Store, No 133 Chartres street. d27-ot

Found,
A REDDISH SORRELL MARE, black legs, with a few small white spots on the two fore feet and one of the hind feet, all four feet shod, small star on the forehead and the marks of the saddle on the withers. Apply to Dr. Dumont, Algiers, right bank of the river. ja3-3t

For Sale.
A well assorted Grocery store, with splendid fixtures, well located. Apply to Messrs. Avat Brothers, Corner Old Levee and Bienville streets. ja4—15t

For Sale.
A YOUNG CREOLE MULATTO BOY, an orphan, fully guaranteed. Apply at No. 86 Customhouse street, to J. B. DERREY. ja5

For Sale.
PERSONS desirous of buying good Slaves will please apply at No 86 Customhouse st. Planters are also requested to call at the same place. d13 J. B. DERREY, Broker.

For Sale.
A CREOLE negro woman, 22 years of age, excellent washer, ironer, and family cook, fully guaranteed. Apply at No 86 Customhouse st, to J B DERREY. jan3

For Sale.
A GROCERY STORE, in the First District, in one of the most thickly settled portions of the city. Apply to F ROUMIEU, 20 St Louis st. d16 tt

For Sale.
ON ACCOUNT OF DEPARTURE—A COFFEE HOUSE, having a good run of customers, recently repaired and ornamented, in one of the finest portions of the city. The terms are liberal. For particulars, apply at No. 115 Chartres street, between St. Louis and Conti streets. d12

INSURANCE.
BRANCH C. C. LATHROP'S *Insurance Agency, 94 Camp street,* No. 179 Royal street.
THE undersigned being duly appointed agent for the Second District, is prepared to insure against loss or damage by FIRE, MARINE AND RIVER RISKS, and on the LIVES OF WHITE PERSONS AND SLAVES.
CHAS. F. DE ARMAS,
Office of De Armas & Leytan, 178 Royal, between St Peter and Toulouse st.
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EXCHANGE ON MEXICO AND PUEBLA, at short sight; for sale by
n18 LAMORDE & XIQUES, 27 Common st

Scrip. Scrip. Scrip.
SUN, CRESCENT, AND HOME INSURANCE Scrip purchased by GEO GOTTSCHALK, Broker, 95 Common st. d14

ORLEANS INSURANCE AND WATER-WORKS STOCK for sale. Merchants Insurance Stock wanted by GEO GOTTSCHALK, Broker, 95 Common st. d14

LOAN ON MORTGAGE—Money to loan on mortgage in sums of $500 and upwards by GEO GOTTSCHALK, Broker, 95 Common st.

TEXAS MONEY purchased and Texas Land Warrants for sale by GEO. GOTTSCHALK, Broker, 95 Common st.

CITIZENS BANK STOCK—Full paid, for sale by GEO. GOTTSCHALK, Broker, 95 Common st. d14

RAILROAD TAX RECEIPTS purchased by GEO. GOTTSCHALK, Broker, 95 Common st.

B. TOLEDANO & TAYLOR, have removed to No. 1 Union street.

COMMISSION & FORWARDING.
J. C. DEVIS,
No. 75, Second St.,
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.
PARTICULAR attention paid to Consignments and to the Purchase of Western produce on orders. n26—6m

Amalgam Pens.
RHODES & SON, PATENT AMALGAM QUILL SPRING PENS, extra fine and medium points. These pens in addition to their agreeable springy action, possesses equally with the gold pen, the hitherto unattainable quality of resisting the chemical action of ink.
PERRY'S PATENT DOUBLE ACTION PENS, genuine; just received and for sale by ALEXANDER LEVY & CO, Law Booksellers & Stationers, No. 51 Camp st.
—ALSO—
A further supply of WHITNEY'S and DRAPER'S INK STANDS. 24

Sterling Exchange, &c.
TABLES OF STERLING EXCHANGE for converting Sterling into Currency, and Currency into Sterling, from Par to Twelve and One-Half per Cent Premium, increasing by one-eight of one per cent [illegible], 3d edition, by Joseph M. Price, 1852.
ROWLETT'S TABLES OF DISCOUNT, OR INTEREST, 6th edition, just received and for sale by ALEXANDER LEVY & CO, d24 Law Book sellers and Stationers, 51 Camp.

CARPET WAREHOUSE,
No. 23 CHARTRES STREET.
JUST received NEW PATTERNS OF ENGLISH and American Carpeting such as:
Velvet and Brussels Tapestry;
3 ply Brussels and Ingrain;
Dutch and Venetians for Halls and Stairs;
Druggets for Crumb Cloths, Window Shades;
Hair Cloths, Table and Piano Covers;
FLOOR OIL CLOTH, of various qualities, cut to suit halls and rooms;
MATTING, &c.
All of which are offered at the lowest market price.
ja3 A. BROUSSEAU & CO.

24 CASKS St Estephe claret; 20 half do do do, 30 do do Sauterne white wine; 30 St George Rochelle brandy, fourth proof 15, 4 do do do; 10 J Gaduer & Co do do; 25 boxes assorted fruits in juice; 25 do brandy do; 25 boxes (12 bottles) St Pierre claret; 30 do (12 bottles) Branne Mouton do; 20 do (12 bottles) Latour do; 10 bbls old Exshaw Cognac 1825; 10 (12 bottles) boxes Marie Brizard & Roger's superior anisette; 6 do (12 bottles) do do assorted cordials—landing ex ship Louisa Bliss from Bordeaux, for sale by V & E MAIGNAN, 83 and 85 St Louis street. jan3

WATCHES, FINE JEWELRY, DIAMONDS, FANCY ARTICLES, SILVER AND PLATED WARE, Etc., At Very Reduced Prices.
☞ The subscriber having removed the whole of his large stock to No. 72 CAMP STREET, is now opening, and will be prepared to show it to the public on THURSDAY, the 22d instant. The assortment comprises every article in his line, and the Goods are all of the finest description.
☞ Besides a large selection of fine JEWELRY, GOLD WATCHES and CHAINS, DIAMONDS, SILVER and PLATED WARE, CLOCKS and MANTEL ORNAMENTS, BRONZE, CHINA, CUT GLASS and PAPIER MACHE articles of every description, he has just received some new and beautiful goods, suitable for CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS.
☞ The above stock will be sold at unusually low prices, it being the Subscriber's intention to retire from the business. Those wishing to get Fine Goods at GREAT BARGAINS will do well to call.
☞ Country merchants and others desirous of purchasing at wholesale, will meet with every advantage.
On hand also, a large assortment of GLASS SHADES of all sizes and shapes, VERY CHEAP.
d24 10t C. REDON.

New Year's Gifts.
CHARLES GUERINEAU & CO,
Royal street, No. 203, corner Orleans.
WELL known for the moderate prices at which their Goods are offered, inform their customers and the public generally, that they have just received a splendid assortment of Fancy Articles for New Year's Gifts, viz:
Alabaster and China Ware, Religious Articles;
Rich Religious Medals, different subjects, (imitation Ivory)
Assorted Statues and Statuets;
Cornelian Stone and Amber Chaplets; Gold and Silver Set;
Also—as heretofore, for New Year's Gifts, of Religious and Historical Works, of all prices, such as: Rich Prayer Books, Books with Engravings, for Children, richly bound, etc., etc. d24

MR. LOUIS DESCHAMPS,
AT the request of his numerous friends, and persons who have been enabled to appreciate all the importance of his wonderful discovery, has just opened an office in Royal street,
No. 171, between Toulouse & St. Peter,
where every one can call and consult him as to acute and chronic diseases, provided the patient binds himself to follow exactly his prescriptions.—MR. LS. DESCHAMPS is not a Surgeon, but he can through his system, prevent many painful operations, or at least, lessen the unfortunate consequence thereof.
The cure can be proceeded with without the patient being visited by Mr. Deschamps. d17-1m

PERUVIAN GUANO.
RECEIVED directly from Chincha Islands and for sale by CASTILLO & HARISPE, Sole Agents for the Peruvian Government, o20 corner Exchange Alley & Customhouse sts

IN STORE—350 casks good sound red Wine;
80 casks superior red Wine;
40 do old do;
40 do Haut Sauterne white Wine;
25 hf casks do do;
200 cases St. Julien Claret;
200 do Cantenac & Ranson Claret;
100 do old Claret; 50 do white Wine;
30 bags sharp Corks; 15 do fine Corks;
500 baskets [illegible];
75 cases assorted Cordials;
100 baskets superior quality sweet Oil;
40 cases Fruits in their juice;
100 baskets Champaign Wine;
100 bags Java Coffee;
40 barrels Bordeaux Vinegar;
150 cases assorted preserved Meats and Fish;
300 pounds [illegible]; for sale by PERRON BROTHERS,
o13 247 and 249 Royal street, cor. Dumaine

A. CAMBIER, JEWELLER,
66 Chartres street,
HAS opened his assortment of fine Jewelry, warranted the most elegant and fashionable Parisian articles, such as:
BRACELETS, PINS, WATCHES, CHAINS, RINGS, EAR-RINGS, [illegible] &c.
DIAMONDS.
☞ Mr. Cambier especially undertakes, as heretofore, the setting of Diamonds in all styles. d17—1m

G. P. BLANCARD,
Corner Main and Royal streets,
ANNOUNCES to the public that he has just received a fine assortment of SHOES [illegible]
[illegible]

PUBLIC NOTICES.

Citizens' Bank of Louisiana.
New Orleans, 4th January, 1854.
THE Stockholders of this Bank are hereby notified that the annual election of Nine Directors will be held at the Banking House, on MONDAY, the 6th February next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. [illegible], Cashier. jan4 dtf

Old Union Bank of Louisiana.
New Orleans, Dec. 30, 1853.
AT a meeting of the Board this day, a dividend of $5 per share was declared out of the profits, payable to the stockholders after 13th 1st February next, at the new bank, No. 121 Canal street. By order of the board. GEO. A. FRERET, Cashier. jan3

Mechanics & Traders' Bank.
New Orleans, 14th December, 1853.
AN election for Directors of this Bank will be held, in accordance with the charter, on MONDAY, 16th January next, at the Banking House, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.
d14 3taw G. GRUZAT, Cashier.

Louisiana State Bonds.
THE New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroad Company offer for sale, one hundred and sixty-five Bonds of the State of Louisiana for One Thousand Dollars each, at forty years from August 1, 1853, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually.
Proposals will be received at the office of the Company, No. 45 Carondelet street, until Tuesday, the 17th day of January, 1854.
By order of the Board. JOHN CALHOUN, Sec'y.

DIVIDEND.
GAS LIGHT COMPANY,
New Orleans, 28th Dec., 1853.
A DIVIDEND of Five per cent. of the profits of the Company will be paid to the Stockholders on and after 9th January next.
By order of the Board,
d27 10t P. N. WOOD, Treasurer.

OFFICE MERCHANTS' INSURANCE COMPANY.
New Orleans, December 28, 1853.
THE annual election for Directors of the institution will take place on MONDAY, the 9th of January, 1854, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. at the office of the Company.
d29 JOHN PEMBERTON, President.

Consolidated Association of the Planters of Louisiana.
New Orleans, 28th December, 1853.
THE annual election of three Directors, by the Stockholders, to serve during one year, will take place on Monday, 6th February next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.
By order of the Board.
d31 2w H L PEIRE, Cashier.

Agency Sun Mutual Insurance Co.
New Orleans, Jan. 2, 1854.
THE requisite books having been received, this agency is prepared to redeem the remainder of scrip issued in 1850, and 36 per cent of that issued in 1851. L. MATTHEWS, Agent. jan3—d1m

Office of the New Orleans, Opelousas and Great Western Rail Road Company.
Corner Bienville st. and Exchange Alley.
New Orleans, 28th Dec., 1853.
IN accordance with the Charter of this Company, the annual meeting of Stockholders will be held at this office, on the third MONDAY, 16th of January next.
The election of Directors, as required by the charter, will be held on the following Wednesday, viz: 18th January, 1854.
d13 td BENJ. F. FLANDERS, Sec'y

OFFICE NEW ORLEANS AND CARROLLTON RAIL ROAD COMPANY.
New Orleans, 9th December, 1853.
NOTICE.—An election of Directors of this Company to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at this office, on MONDAY, the 9th January next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.
By order of the Board,
d9 3t CHARLES BAQUIE, Sec'y.

Office of the New Orleans, Opelousas and Great Western Railroad Co.
Corner of Bienville St. and Exchange Alley
New Orleans, December 6th, 1853.
STOCKHOLDERS who have not paid the 5th instalment of 10 per cent on their Stock in this Company, will please take notice, that the same was due and payable at this office on Monday, 2d January next, as fixed by resolution adopted at the meeting of Stockholders held this day.
d6—5m B. F. FLANDERS, Secretary.

New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroad.
New Orleans, November 30, 1853.
THE following resolution was adopted by the Board of Directors of this Company on the 2d instant:
Resolved, That all subscribers to the capital stock of this Company who have paid, or who may hereafter pay their instalments, before the date fixed for their payment by the Board, shall be entitled to a discount on the same at the rate of eight per cent. per annum from the date of payment to the day on which said instalments may have been made payable; it being understood that this shall not be construed as to repeal a resolution passed by the Board on the 24th June, 1852, which allows interest to all subscribers on their instalments from the day on which they are paid instalments until the dates on which the tax subscription of the city falls due; the object of said resolution being to place voluntary subscribers on a footing of equality with those who become stockholders by payment of a tax.
d1 JOHN CALHOUN, Secretary.

New Orleans, Jackson & Great Northern Railroad Company.
New Orleans, November 2, 1853.
THE following resolution was adopted at a meeting of the Board of Directors of this Company on 31st October, 1853:
Resolved, That such portion of the subscription to the Capital Stock of this Company as has not yet been called in, viz: forty-five per cent., be and is hereby declared due and payable as follows:
Ten per cent. on the 5th January, 1854;
Ten per cent. on the 6th March, 1854;
Ten per cent. on the 8th May, 1854;
Ten per cent. on the 8th January, 1855;
Five per cent on the 5th March, 1855.
nov3tf JOHN CALHOUN, Secretary.

SEWING MACHINES.
WILSON'S new patent ROTARY SEWING MACHINE, can now be seen in operation, by persons wishing to purchase, at No. 134 Charles street, up stairs.
The utility of these machines is no longer a matter of opinion, but a fact. Manufacturers at the North, give them a decided preference over all others ever invented, and Planters are fast bringing them into general use, not only for the work of their families, but especially for making up negro clothing. Every planter ought to possess one of these machines.
An experienced hand, with one of WILSON'S ROTARY MACHINES, (which takes from 1,000 to 1,500 stitches per minute) can do the work of fifteen seamstresses with ease.
This machine is simple, and not liable to get out of order, it is not noisy or complicated—working with a shuttle or two needles, and having [illegible] or wheel in it.
Ladies and seamstresses, who purchase machines, can receive instructions from experienced and practical teachers how to use them, on application at the sewing rooms, No. 134 St. Charles street, up stairs.
A constant supply of Sewing Machines, needles, spools, suitable thread, etc., for sale
n30—3m JOSEPH HUFTY.

NEW YEAR'S GIFTS.
LOZENGES AND CREAM CHOCOLATE.
G. LAVIE,
St Charles st, No 5, between Canal and Common.
WHOSE reputation is of long standing, for the importation of Lozenges and Cream Chocolate, informs his customers that he has just unpacked a splendid assortment of Ornamented Boxes and Baskets, of the latest style. He invites persons who are in the habit of purchasing New Year's Gifts to call at his store, where will be found, besides the above, an extensive and choice assortment of Fancy Articles, at very moderate prices.
Smokers will find at the same store, an assortment of genuine Meerschaum Pipes and Amber Segar Cases. d18

LIQUIDATION.
THE subscriber, being about to close his business, offers for sale to the trade, for cash or city acceptances, at 5 per cent above manufacturing cost, the balance of his stock on hand, all of which has been manufactured this season, expressly for the Southern market, consisting in part of
OVERCOATS.
Black, brown and olive Cloth;
Blue and clouded Mackinaw;
Drab, brown and fancy Beaver;
Light, blue and fancy colored Pilot;
Petersham and Lion Skin, all colors.
SACS AND PALETOTS.
Gold mixed and brown Tweed;
Black and fancy colored Tweed;
Black, blue, olive and brown Cloth;
Marbled and clouded Cloth, Kossuth style;
Napped Beaver and Petersham.
FROCK COATS.
Superior black Cloth, velvet Collars;
Medium quality Cloth;
Brown and blue Cloth;
Olive and mulberry Cloth.
PANTS.
Black and fancy Doeskin;
Fancy clouded and plaid Cassimere;
Cadet mixed and black Satinet;
Black, blue and brown Cassimere;
Kentucky Jean and blue Cottonade.
VESTS.
Double and single breasted black Satin;
Fancy and black embroidered Cassimere;
Black, plaid and clouded Silk;
Plain black and fancy Cloth;
Low priced Wool and Valencia Vests, of every description.
—Also, just received,—
A large invoice of linen bosom, linen check and Hickory Shirts; Merino Undershirts; Laced Jean and Canton Flannel Drawers, etc.
☞ City and country dealers are invited to inspect the above. L. A. LEVY, Jr.
d19—15t 3 Magazine st.

Dolbear's Writing and Book-Keeping Academy.
166 ....CANAL STREET.............166
Between Chartres and Royal streets.
ESTABLISHED in 1836, is open the entire year, for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children. Special hours for each. Success guaranteed to all.
☞ Merchants apply here for Clerks and Book-keepers.
jan3 RUFUS DOLBEAR, 166 Canal st.

Removed
J. W. DOLBEAR has removed his Writing Academy to 19 Camp street, where every facility is afforded for the easy attainment of a free, quick business style of writing. All his pupils are desired to continue their lessons until this is fully accomplished. Forty pupils can attend free of charge. Hours, 9 to 10 A. M., 3 to 6 P. M., and 7 to 9 at night. Children are accommodated from 4 to 6 P. M. J. W. DOLBEAR.
a12 1y 19 Camp st.

Drawing Room Pistols and Rifles, or Monte Christo Pistols.
RECEIVED per ship [illegible] from Havre, and for sale by the undersigned—
[illegible] Flobert's DRAWING-ROOM PISTOLS, from $7 to $20, choice weapons.
12 Flobert's Drawing-Room Rifles.
6 Double barrelled Fowling Pieces, warranted superior articles.
8 Flobert's Safety Drawing-Room Pistols.
An assortment of Daggers.
12 Fine Small Double Barrelled Fowling Pieces for Children.
These articles are fully guaranteed, and also all the above weapons.
—ALSO—
50,000 Ball Caps for Drawing Room Pistols,
5,000 Small Shot do do do.
5,000 do do do do Rifles.
5,000 Ball, do do do do.
All the above caps are Flobert's manufacture.
For sale by LION & PINSARD, 66 & 68 Royal street, corner Bienville.

Splendid Annuals for the Season 1854.
The largest ILLUSTRATED WORKS, "got up with surpassing skill and beauty, expressly for the holidays."
Also—a great assortment of BIBLES, PRAYER BOOKS, Etc.
[illegible] Call at the NEW ORLEANS STATIONERS' WAREHOUSE, [illegible] STEEL.
[illegible]

AMUSEMENTS.

PLACIDE'S VARIETIES.
Gravier Street.
FRIDAY EVENING, January 6, 1854,
WILL commence with THE RIVALS. Dance, DOUBLE HIGHLAND FLING.... Miss Edmiston, and Miss Foulkrod. To conclude with the farce of the DEAD SHOT. Hector Timid, Mr. Holland; Capt Cannon, Mr Kemble; Thornton, Mr Copland; Wiseman, Mr Hamilton; Louisa, Mrs. Mary Stuart; Chatter, Miss Ada Brown.

DAN RICE'S AMPHITHEATRE,
St. Charles Street.
TUESDAY EVENING, January 3, 1854—First appearance of the celebrated FRENCH EQUESTRIAN TROUPE, led by the world renowned Madame TOURNAIRE. Mr Rice has the honor to announce to his friends and patrons of the beautiful South, that he has, at an enormous outlay of money, succeeded in effecting an engagement with this wonderful Troupe, who will have the honor to make their "first bow" this evening, when a number of equestrian spectacles will be presented, which for all that pertains to classic elegance in Horsemanship has never been equalled by any other troupe and which have never been surpassed by horsemen as chef d'oeuvre of skill and taste, amongst which will come off MADAME TOURNAIRE, in her stupendous MANAGE ACT, on her superb courser COLUMBUS, and her great BARE BACK ACT on her Arabian horse FLYING MERCURY—two scenes admitted by all connoisseurs to be without rivalry.... Mdlle Tournaire in a scene of great beauty entitled LA ZINGARELLA....STUDENTS OF THE OLYMPIAD, by Masters Ferdinand and Theodore.... LE DIABLE DU CIRQUE, by Mons Devaloy, a scene of Gymnastic Equilibria, entirely novel and extraordinary. Mr Rice also has great pleasure in announcing the first appearance of his old pupil and friend LITTLE JIMMY REYNOLDS, as Clown.
To-morrow Evening, second appearance of the French Troupe—Madame Tournaire in new scenes, &c.
☞ Doors open at 6, and performance to commence at 7 o'clock.
☞ Dress Circle and Parquette, 50c; Gallery, 25c; Colored Boxes, 50c.
☞ Mr. Rice, at the earnest solicitation of many families, residing at some distance from this establishment, to give Day-light Performances more frequent, has the pleasure of now announcing, that he is prepared to do so three times a week, viz: Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday, at 1 o'clock on each occasion. The FRENCH TROUPE will appear. ja3

Southern Museum.
PRICES REDUCED.—The Southern Museum, on St Charles street, having undergone such alterations in its interior arrangements, that it is now the most interesting place of the kind in the country, for the philosopher or the curious, whether old or young, to devote a leisure hour, is now opened. The recent attractions a splendid collection of RARE ANIMALS, never before exhibited in the South, has been added, among which are the beautiful Dwarf Elephant, "LALLA ROOKH," and a white DROMEDARY CAMEL, an animal held in sacred veneration by the Egyptians, and the only one ever imported into the United States.
☞ Open every day, from 10 A. M. to 9 P. M. Admission 25 cents—Children half price. d2 tt

ODD FELLOWS' HALL.
SUBSCRIPTION CONCERTS.
AT the request of a number of families, the Committee on the Hall have decided upon a series of TWELVE CONCERTS to be given by the Orchestra attached to the above Hall, and in order to enable all those who may possess a taste for music, they have fixed the rates as follows:

For one gentleman and family for the series,	$15 00
" two ladies	12 00
" " and lady	10 00
" single gentleman	[illegible]
" single tickets	1 00

Subscription lists to be found at the office of the Ball Room and at the principal Music Stores.
Due notice will be given of the first Concert. d28

ODD FELLOWS HALL.
SELECT SOIREES.
A SERIES of select Balls will be given at Odd Fellows Hall, to begin on WEDNESDAY, January 4th, 1854, and every Wednesday until the 22d February, inclusive. Said Soirees will be under the management of the following gentlemen:
*Charles B. Stagemann, *John Crickard,
*Mortimer Belly, *J C McAlister,
*F X Barbot, *Ernest Toledano,
*Paul E Theard, *George W Parmly,
Dr. L. Labatut, J. W. Garland,
George T Bright, Joseph Lallande,
*Jules Belly, J A Brand,
*Omer Gaillard, *R W Adams,
William A Bell, *John W Price,
Henry Ledemoot.
Gentlemen desirous of subscribing to these Soirees must hand their applications to the Secretary, at the office of the Ball Room; Lafayette street, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
H RUFFIER, Secretary.
*Committee of invitation and admission. d15

Twenty Dollars Reward.
WILL be given for the arrest of the slave mulatto boy JOHN, 12 years of age; often is frightened when spoken to. Wore a green flannel shirt, cottonade pants and a small black hat when he left the house.
Apply to R. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee street. d6

$50 REWARD.
RUNAWAY from Marshfield Plantation, (45 miles below New Orleans) on the 12th October last, a Negro man named ROBERT, aged 35 years, about 5 feet 10 inches high, stout built, dark color, has two upper front teeth decayed. [illegible] Clement Brown and received by Thos G. [illegible]
The above reward will be paid upon his delivery to me at No. 61 Canal street. W. E. THOMPSON.
d27-6t

Removal.
THE subscribers inform their friends and the public, that they have removed from the position they have so long occupied, at No 15 Chartres street to their new store, corner of Canal and Royal sts.
They have fitted up the premises with entire new fixtures throughout, and invite the attention of their old customers, and of strangers visiting the city, to their large and splendid selected stock of WATCHES and JEWELRY, SILVER and PLATED WARE, MILITARY and FANCY GOODS.
HYDE & GOODRICH,
d4 d&w1m corner Canal and Royal sts.

Removal.
BRUGUIERE & CO. have removed from 27 Bienville street, to No. 16 same street. oc1

Removal.
P. ALEXANDRE LANAUZE,
HAS removed his HARDWARE STORE from 59 Old Levee street to the corner of Chartres and St Peter street, Pontalba's building, Jackson Square, where he will carry on the same business. oc17-6m

Removal.
B. TALAMON has removed from No. 186 Royal street to No. 191 Royal street. n9

A. NT. GIRAUD, upholsterer, has removed his store from No. [illegible] to No. 44, Old Levee street. oc31

A. STURMBERGER & ETERNOD
Have removed from No. 44 Bienville to No. 42 Chartres street.

Removal.
MESSRS. Williamson, Zardin & Co. have moved from No. 304 Poydras street to 131 [illegible] street, corner of Carondelet street.

Opening of Fancy and Fashionable Articles.
No. 34 Chartres street, corner of Customhouse
MISS OLYMPE
HAS the honor to inform the ladies, that she has just received from Paris a RICH ASSORTMENT of Fancy and Fashionable Goods, consisting particularly of: Bonnets and Capotes, from the most renowned houses of Paris; Silk Dresses with Volants; Grand Satin Silk, embroidered with gold; Silk Dresses, embroidered with gold; [illegible] Pyramid and Renaissance style; Dresses, striped and plain Taffetas; [illegible] Velvet Mantles, [illegible] Velvet Moire, silk and cloth Mantillas; embroidered Handkerchiefs; printed and plain Foulard do; Cashmere Shawls, black Pointes of Lace; Pointes of Alençon's and Pointes with Brussell's applications; Lace Half Veils, Artificial Flowers, Plumes, Valenciennes, Gloves, Jewelry, Card Cases, Porte Monnaies, &c. The opening of these article will be made on Thursday, November 10th.
Miss OLYMPE having selected her articles with the greatest care, hopes to deserve a continuance of the patronage bestowed on her by the ladies of this city.

MADAM CAUCHE.
123 Royal Street. 123
HAVING RETURNED from France, begs leave to announce to ladies in the city and country, that she has just received her complete and varied assortment of fashionable articles selected in the first Paris manufactures.
Ball Dresses and Cloaks, Furnishing goods, Laces, Gloves, Porte-monnaies, &c.
Madam Cauche solicits the patronage of ladies. The care with which the above articles have been selected, justify the hope that it will be extended to her. n21-6m

Store in Liquidation.
Corner Conti and Royal Streets.
I BEG leave to inform the ladies of New Orleans and the country that, wishing to retire from business, I will sell from this date *At Cost Price* not only the remaining stock of my goods, but also a rich and complete assortment of Nouveautes and Modes just received from Paris.
MADAME ETERNOD.
oc24 cor Conti and Royal sts.

F. FRIES & CO.,
Chartres st., 54, opposite Barrand's Store.
Opening MONDAY, 28th inst.
We beg leave to announce to ladies that we have just received an assortment of Goods of latest fashions, comprising Head Dresses, Artificial Flowers, Handkerchiefs, Fans—a very large assortment of Furnishing Goods, [illegible] Also, Cloaks, Pelisses, ball and theatre Sorties, Mantillas, &c.
Shoes, Gloves, Ribbons and Trimmings, all kinds. n28

MADAME DURAND,
ROYALE STREET NO 183, BETWEEN TOULOUSE AND ST. PETER.
Begs leave to inform the ladies of the city and country, that she has received per ships Sumner, Belle Assise, Globe and Sea Queen a complete assortment of Varieties and fashionable goods, from the best Paris manufactories.
Velvet and silk Capotes.
Cloaks and Pelisses of new style.
Lace veils, embroideries, head Dresses, Empress, shell Combs, Shades, Fans, Ribbons, artificial Flowers, new style. Madame Durand hopes that her fine selection of goods and the moderate prices which they are sold, will ensure public patronage. n24

Spanish Cedar, &c. &c.
JUST RECEIVED per brig Telegraph from Honduras, 57 Spanish Cedar Logs, for sale by the log or sawn up to order at the Mechanics Mills, 136 and 16 St Joseph st. HENRY T SHERMAN.
Dealer in Mahogany, Walnut, Cherry, clear white Pine, and all kinds of Lumber—Ten Pins and balls, Fancy Newel and Balusters, Wood Turning, Scroll Sawing, &c.
Agent for Wood Machines. d30 3t

G. P. BLANCARD,
Corner Main and Royal streets,
HAS just received a splendid assortment of Children's and Youth's Shoes;
Leather, Wooden, and India Rubber, French Clogs;
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Slippers and Shoes all kinds.
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COAL. COAL. COAL.
PITTSBURG, English, Cannel and Anthracite COAL—on hand and for sale at the old stand of M. Baas, Willard & Co., No. 77 Customhouse street, 398 Royal, 359 Tchoupitoulas sts. Orders left at either office, will be promptly filled at the lowest market price.
P. H. WILLARD.

[illegible] bags, landing ex [illegible], for sale by HENRY VALETON, 90 St Louis st.

SOAP—1000 boxes [illegible], for sale by J. M. MARKS & Co, 76 and 78 Magazine st.

CHAMPAGNE [illegible] J M MARKS & Co, 76 & 78 Magazine st.

STAR CANDLES—[illegible] boxes, in store and for sale by J HART & CO, 20 Tchoupitoulas st.

HAVANA COFFEE—[illegible] in store and for sale by J HART & CO.

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