COMMERCIAL.

LATEST DATES.

New-York	dec 25	Baltimore	nov 28
Philadelphia	" 25	Charleston, S.C.	" 28
Charleston, S.C.	nov 28	Liverpool	nov. 12
Havre	" 27	London	" 11

NEW ORLEANS MARKETS.

STOCKS. January 9.

No Sales taken at the Brokers board

COTTON.

100	bales Mississippi	15¼
71	do Miss	15¼
64	do do	15¼
80	do do	15¼
700	do do	15¼
113	do do	15¼
233	do Mobile	15¼
734	do Mississippi	15¼
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CHARLESTON, JAN. 1.

COTTON.—The market for Uplands, after a temporary suspension at the close of last week, continues quite active. The fire in New York, revived again on Monday last, at prices agreeing with our previous rates. On Wednesday purchasers demanded and obtained a reduction of ⅛ to ¼ cent, particularly on an article fresher in point of shipment. Yesterday accounts from Liverpool to the 8th November, were received via New York, which were rather unfavorable, and caused our market to resume its former stand. Some holders however declined selling until the market became more settled. Prime and choice cottons continue scarce, and are much sought after. The sales of the week have amounted to upward of 4000 bales, of which the following are the particulars:—23 bales at 12—22 at 12½—60 at 12¾—11 at 13—98 at 13¼—51 at 13½—53 at 13¾—11 at 14—682 at 14¼—305 at 14½—675 at 14¾—125 at 14¾—774 at 14¾—and 434 at 15.—Quotations of last week continued, viz: Uplands, inferior 12½; ordinary to fair 13 to 14; good fair to good 14 to 14½; prime to choice 14½ to 15. There have been no transactions in long cottons whatever, with the exception of virgin bales of Floridas, sold at 33cts.

SUGARS.—Several sales of this article have taken place during the week, among which the following have come within our knowledge: 40 hds Porto Rico, fair, at 5¾; 50 hds St. Croix, by importers, at full prices, as per quotations. Sugars of all descriptions are looking up, and holders of the few lots now on hand, are not anxious to sell. Imported during the week 81 hds Porto Rico and Trinidad.

SPIRITS.—We have advanced our quotations of New Orleans rum, several sales having been made during the week at our present rates. No alteration in other descriptions.

NEW YORK, DEC 25.

COFFEE.—The sales have been very moderate, and include 6 to 700 bags Brazil at 12¼cts. Some small lots Cuba at 12¼; and by sale on 6th 600 bags St Domingo, damaged by fire, at 10 to 8cts cash. It is estimated that 1,000 bags were destroyed and damaged by the fire.

COTTON.—The market continues without any change of moment. Sales of the week 1500 bales, of which 900 Uplands at 15 a 16cts; 250 Florida at 16 a 16½; 150 Mobile at 17 a 18½; and 100 New Orleans at 16½ a 17½. Stocks here 6 to Georgia, received from Apalachicola, sold at 17cts; this parcel was supposed to always sell better otherwise, and of a quality much sought for by the manufacturers. Advices by the Liverpool packet have been induced to come into the market. The last news from Europe does not warrant purchase of the article at present prices.

FLOUR.—The transactions in all kinds have been quite limited, and prices are nominal. Sales at Western mixed 7 a 7½; and 7½ a 7¾. We hear of no sales of Southern every 7 a 7½. 300 bbls Georgetown Mountain at $7 50 a $7 62. About 2000 bbls of different kinds were burnt at the fire.

FREIGHTS.—There is but little cotton offering—to Liverpool the rates are 7-16d and ¼d, and 7s to 8s 1s Pressed.

FREIGHTS.—For yesterday's packets the rates were, on London 8½ to 8¾ per cent prem; and on France 5 20 to 5 25, and one of the banks had bills for which they obtained 5 37½.

LONDON, Nov 10.

SUGAR.—In the colonial market this morning a good deal of activity prevails, especially for sugar. Sales last week 30 hhds; the delivery was call 2,400 hhds.

COTTON.—The accounts from Liverpool shew rather more spirit in the market here. The purchasers are increasing Surats at 6d to 7¾; Madras at 5d to 7¼d, and Bowed at 6d per lb.

HAVRE, Nov. 7.

COTTON.—The market has been in a drooping state throughout the last eight days, and the rates at which the sales have been generally effected, establish a decline of 2 a 3c on our rates for all sorts of cotton, principally in those of the lower qualities of United States short staple. The transactions from the 20th October to the 6th instant, embrace 2,461 bales, consisting of 3,096 bales Louisiana at 130 to 175c; 1,055 bales Upland, Mobile, Alabama and Tennessee, at 100 to 145c; 25 bales Pernambuco at 172c 50; and 415 bales St Domingo at 130 to 137c 50. All these prices duty paid.

HAVRE, Nov 9.

We have only time this morning to advise you that our cotton market continues to decline, with an appearance of going considerably lower, especially for ordinary and low qualities.

SAINT CHARLES THEATRE.

MISS PHILIPS.

First appearance in New Orleans.

This evening will be performed Shakespeare's tragedy of

ROMEO AND JULIET.

Romeo	Mr Murdock
Mercutio	Barton
Juliet	Miss Philips

The evening's entertainment to conclude with for the first time, the laughable farce of the

BOLD DRAGOONS.

Lieut Sabretach	Mr Murdock
Ferrabid Fitzos	Finn
Rosina	Miss Lane
Nimble	De Bar

AMERICAN THEATRE.

CAMP STREET.

First night of F S Shift's new Tait comedy of

OPERA MAD.

Or a mistress and songs less.

This evening, will be performed the tragedy of

FAZIO.

Giulio Fazio	Mr Walton
Bianca	Mrs Russell

To conclude with Mr Hill's comedy

OPERA MAD.

Augustus	Mr Hill
Father Sashed	Farren
Bellamy	Williamson
Countess	Miss Rose
Marinetta	Crampton.

ORLEANS BALL ROOM.

Mr. L. Bertus has the honor to inform his pupils and the public, that at the request of a number of families, he will give for his benefit, on Monday, January 11, 1836, a

Great Dress Ball;

Characteristic;

PREVIOUS TO WHICH,

A CHILDREN'S BALL,

Also characteristic,

To begin at 5 and conclude at 9 P. M. The great ball at 10 precisely afterwards.

Price of tickets—full grown persons,	$1 00
dec 30 Children,	50

This ball being altogether a characteristic and dress ball, persons who do not choose to disguise themselves will also be admitted. jan 4

The Extraordinary Exhibition of the Industrious Fleas,

From Paris, this and the following days, at Chartres street, opposite Hewlett's coffee house.

Open from 10 A. M. to 3, and from 4 to 9 in the evening. Admittance 50 cents; children half price.

jan 4—6

Office of Merchants Insurance Company.

New Orleans, 4th January 1836.

An election of fifteen directors to serve during the ensuing year, will take place on the 11th inst. at the office of the company, corner of Bienville and Royal streets, between the hours of ten a. m. and two p. m. By order.

A. DUPUY, sec'y.

jan 4

Office of the Ocean Insurance Company.

Jan'y 5, 1836.

A Meeting of the stockholders will take place at the office of the company, Royal st, on Monday the 11th inst. at 12 o'clk, when a statement of the affairs of the institution will be laid before them. By order.

WM. TUFTS, secretary.

jan 6—t11

Office of the Exchange Company.

New Orleans, 6th January, 1836.

At a meeting of the board of directors held yesterday, it was on motion resolved that the stockholders of this company be called on for a further instalment of twenty five dollars per share, in notes payable on the first day of May next, with privilege to such as pay in cash, of a reduction of one half per cent per month. By order.

A. DUPUY, secretary.

jan 6—3

Office Oceano Insurance Company.

Jan'y 5, 1836.

THE president and directors have this day declared a dividend of three dollars per square payable to the stockholders or their representatives on and after Monday the 11th inst.

Wm. TUFTS, sec'y.

jan 6—11

NEW BOOKS.

Kate Bourcrie, and other tales and sketches, in prose and verse, by the Hon. Mrs Norton, author of the 'Wife,' 'Woman's Reward,' &c; &c, in 2 vols.

Random Shots from a rifleman, by capt. L. Ricaud, author of 'Adventures in the rifle brigade,' in 1 vol.

Crock Midwifery, new edition, in one vol.

Just received and for sale by

HOTCHKISS & Co.,

jan 6 29 Chartres st.

Removal—Bartholemy Bouny, stock and exchange broker, has removed his office from Conti street to No. 119 Royal street, between St Louis and Conti sts, where he will be happy to see his customers, and any command in his line of business left to his care will be promptly attended to jan 7—1m

NOTICE.—The undersigned testamentary executors of the estate of the late Bartholomew Shaumburgh, request all persons having claims against the estate to present them; and those indebted to the same will make payment to

FREDK. BECKMANN, } Test. Exec.
CHS. W. SHAUMBURGH, }

New Orleans, Dec. 21, 1835. dec 22—4w 3tuw

THE BEE.

Office in State and City Papers

PRINTED BY J. BAYON.

NEW-ORLEANS:

MONDAY MORNING, JANUARY 11, 1836.

☞ The Proprietor of this paper respectfully announces to his friends and others in both houses of the legislature, that he is again a candidate for state printer; and that should he be elected, he will perform the duties of his station to the utmost of his means.

The house of representatives had no session on Friday or Saturday, as on Thursday, the motion for adjournment to Monday was carried.

The senate met at the usual hour on Friday; and merely read the journal of the preceding day, and the names of the members present, before adjourning to join in the procession of the 8th. On Saturday, Mr Bossier introduced a resolution that the representatives and senators in Congress from this state should apply for the establishment of a public land office in Natchitoches; and Mr Brownson presented a bill to fix the time holding sessions of courts in certain parishes.

Both houses will today be principally occupied in electing U S senator.

The death of Mr Murphy on Thursday night by the Whitakers, has caused such an excitement in the public feeling; and the preliminary examination of those gentlemen before the mayor having not yet terminated, that we feel bound to omit an article giving a narrative of the affair which we had prefaced—rather than aggravate excitement; or appear to do injustice to the accused, without promoting the interests or welfare of the public.

On the evening of Saturday last, another attempt at murder occurred. Mr Harvey, engaged in the commercial house of Damarin and Co had engaged a drayman to convey some goods to the railroad. The customary fare for doing this is about 4 dollars, the man demanded 10; but being refused the enormous exaction, he leaped from the dray swearing that he would kick Harvey, and stabbed him with a dirk. It is not yet ascertained whether the wound is fatal.

There are very salutary laws against carrying weapons; yet almost all in the community carry them—Some because braves and bullies are permitted so to do, and the latter that they may display their ferocity ad libitum.

Miss Philips will appear this evening at the St Charles street theatre in Romeo and Juliet. We can sincerely recommend this lady to public attention and applause and admiration, as a faithful delineator of affecting incidents.

A children's ball will be given this evening at the Orleans' ballroom, which will attract the fashionable of our citizens.

Amusement seems to crowd on amusement during the present season, so far as regards the public exhibitions. Three theatres are open and successful; the circus exhibition has commenced; a pseudo Persian magician is at work: Monsieur Adrien will figure before the public in a few days; and there are balls for all colors and castes among us—sometimes however rather amalgamated.

But we have no musical concerts or societies.

The embryo historical society of Louisiana is to have its first meeting this evening—when an address will be delivered by Judge Bullard.

INDIAN HOSTILITIES.—Florida is unfortunately the theatre now of devastation and massacre. There are about 1500 warriors of the Seminole Indians in arms, aided and encouraged by nearly 600 persons composed of desperadoes and runaways from all parts of the country. These were opposed by only 300 U S troops under the command of General Clinch but from the misfortune he has sustained in having his baggage and provisions captured by the Indians, he is placed in a very precarious situation. The Seminoles or their ruffianly abettors have laid waste the country from Black Creek to Fort King—a distance of 80 miles; and from Lake George to Picolata they have burned all the houses and destroyed what property they could.

A letter dated Fort Crum Dec 19, from Colonel John Warren to General Clinch states that the former had despatched wagons with part of the baggage via Micanopy for Wetumpka; but that 50 or 60 Indians attacked the party at the Kanapaho prairie, set the wagon on fire, captured the baggage, and dispersed the escort—killing sergeant Hunt, privates Tibbs and U Roberts and 5 others not known; 10 only have escaped. Captain McLemore had 2 horses shot under him; and Weeks one of his men mortally wounded is said to have fired three times at the Indians after he had received several balls—the last made when he was lying down by which he shot an Indian that had jumped into one of the wagons.

We have also seen a letter dated the 17th, Fort Crum, from Colonel Mills, who states that an attack had been made on Simmons' house on the Palatka road, 8 miles, from Micanopy, by about 30 Indians, who were however repulsed by Simmons and a few friends. But the Indians committed sad havoc of property, consuming corn and cotton; and driving off horses, pigs and cattle.

The latest intelligence received yesterday was from Captain Sawyer of the schooner Atlantic, 5 days from Tampa bay. He reports that on the 22d ult 212 U S troops under Major Dade had left Fort Brooke for Fort King; but that when about 50 miles from the former place, they were met by a body of Indians, supposed to have been 1000 in number, and the advanced guard were all shot. The Indians then rushed on the main body, of whom they slew 200—including Major Dade, Captain Gardiner of the artillery, Capt Frazier, Lieutenants Bassenger, Keele, Henderson and Merge, and Doctor Gatling. It is said that 3 men only escaped to communicate this melancholy affair.

General Clinch had called out the Florida militia and made also a call on Georgia and Alabama—The citizens of Charleston are equipping volunteers in aid of the U S troops; and have appointed a committee of highly respectable gentlemen to receive and tranship volunteers for St Augustine, the port nearest to the scenes of massacre.

Shall the patriotic spirit of the citizens of New Orleans be concentrated wholly on Texas, when their own country and fellow citizens demand their succor? Up and be doing! Send emigrants if you will, but armed volunteers as you should, to Florida; and extirpate the Seminoles from that part at least of the union.

Private letters dated Tampico 29th ult state that an army of 10,000 men under Santa Anna had left San Luis de Potosi for Texas. What credit may be attached to this announcement, we are not prepared to assert—as we find in the Mexican papers received yesterday, up to the 9th ult, that a conspiracy had broken out in Mexico, which threatened the peace of the country nearer home than Texas; and the *Nacional* of Mexico states that Santa Anna was indisposed. The later may be intended to sham Abraham, as Santa Anna may not be oversolicitous to enter Texas; and desirous to contend by proxy with American rifles.

MEMOIRS OF SIR JAMES MACKINTOSH, Edited by his son: in 2 vols. Philadelphia, Carey and Hart.

This is an abstract of the English work, recently published in London; but contains the pith and substance of the original, freed from its tedious matter uninteresting to American readers, as being exclusively of local importance.

Sir James Mackintosh was a shrewd observer of men and manners; and had much experience in life in most of Europe and much of Asia. He had by his own energy and assiduity raised himself to an exalted rank in society, and to a deserved esteem personal and professional among his contemporaries. As the antagonist of the celebrated Burke and the first lecturer on jurisprudence in England—and as a forensic orator and able historian he is known wherever literature is cultivated.

The present work abounds in matter interesting to every student and seeker after wisdom. A good biography of such a man—as this is—is not an ordinary subject.

THE PARTISAN: a tale of the revolution. By the the author of 'The Yemassee, Guy Rivers, etc.' New York, Messrs Harper; New Orleans, Messrs Hotchkiss.

That Mr Simms (the author of the above) possesses considerable talent, must be admitted; but that he has been spoiled by the flatteries profusely lavished on him, seems too probable.—if we may be permited to form a judgment from the rapid and careless manner of his having given to the public his later works. He appears to build his fame on the number rather than the excellency of his novels; and has therefore written two or six within a very few years. We cannot boast that any of them is superior; altho many possess wellsketched incidents—but he seems to write more than is the result of well guided fancy; and of well digested thoughts.

The present work betrays the errors of this rhapsodical, rapid and reckless mode of writing; and rather takes from than adds to the real merit of Mr Simms.—Yet it is not devoid of interest for novel readers.

For the Bee.

We have never witnessed a more splendid celebration of the eighth of January, than that of Friday last. The legion turned out strong and appeared to great advantage. The ceremony of admitting into it the new well tried and approved corps of Washington guards was impressive and imposing. After the reading of the general orders of the campaign of 1814 and 15 having been previously ministered to the guards, were escorted by the companies detached by Gen Plauche, to the Chalmette shooting ground, to take the position assigned them in the procession from thence to the cathedral. The day was very fine; the appearance of the military exceedingly good—and there were several dinners, &c.

At the dinner of the veterans, Gen D B Morgan presided assisted by Col Maunsel White, and while fighting the battles over again they these have men, for whose services we are all so much indebted drank the following toasts.

1. The day we celebrate.
2. Gen Andrew Jackson, President of the United States.
3. The state of Louisiana.
4. The memory of General Coffee, and the men who fell in defence of their country during the campaign.
5. All the officers and men who faithfully did their duty during the campaign.
6. The army and navy of the United States.
7. The Louisiana legion the successors of the warriors of 1814 and 15.
8. General Carroll of Tennessee.
9. The Legislature of the State of Louisiana.
10. The memoir of General Adair.
11. Nicholas Girod the zealous mayor of the city during the invasion of 1814 and 15. and Dennis Prieur, the mayor of 1836.
12. Our country may its every epoch prove as glorious as the day we celebrate.
13. Two Fair.—May they ever imitate the example of the matrons of our city in 1814 and 15.

VOLUNTEER TOASTS.

By Robert Leyton—Gen D B Morgan, whose services during the campaign of 1814 and 15—are well known by those who witnessed them and entitle him to the gratitude of his country men.

By J Nixon—Neither time nor place gave birth to liberty. She is immortal and all men are in her eyes equal and free.

By Gen D B Morgan—Col Maunsel White a meritorious officer in the campaign of 1814—15.

By H W Palfrey—Jacksons motto—"to claim nothing but what is right and to submit to nothing that is wrong."

By Thomas Banks—Our country right or wrong.

By Col White—Our worthy fellow citizen Robert Layton the zealous and indefatigable promoter of every public and private good.

By A Fernandez—The eighth of January 1815. The militia of the United States; have surpassed the veterans of Europe.

By Mr Brown—The memoir of George Washington.

By Robert Layton—The memory of Gov W C C Claiborne.

By H W Palfrey—Capt Robert Spedden of the U S navy, who fought and bled in the campaign of 1814—15: may we continue to have the pleasure of his company on many anniversaries of this glorious day.

By John H Miller—Commodore Daniel T Patterson who commanded the naval forces at New Orleans in 1814.

By H W Palfrey—Our worthy fellow citizen Beverly Chew, who fought in one campaign and ready to try another if occasion should require.

By Mr Smelzer—The memory of Col Lauderdale the brave Tennessean who fell on the night of the 23d Dec 1814.

By A Hernandez—Mr Seaman Field of Cap Beall's company on the 22d Dec 1814—he was where danger was and was made prisoner.

By H W Palfrey—The memory of Gen De La Ronde, the patriot and honest man.

By J B D Vosin—Gen J B Plauche, the brave and patriotic commander of the volunteer battalion of 1814—15.

By Alexander Philips—The veterans of 1814—16, are willing and able to meet and drive from our shore any and every invading foe.

By J Powell—The memory of those patriots who fell on the night of the 23d Dec 1814.

First Correspondent of the Bee.

Washington, Dec 26.

LETTER V.

During the interval between the adjournment and meeting of congress next week, I have thought that as no legislative intelligence can be communicated, I might not be uninteresting to you to prepare the brief historical register that follows. It contains the names and dates of appointments of the principal officers of our civil establishment of its origin.

PRESIDENTS—George Washington of Virginia, from 1789 to 1797, 8 years; John Adams of Massachusetts, from 1797 to 1801, 4 years; Thomas Jefferson of Virginia, from 1801 to 1809, 8 years; James Madison of Virginia, from 1809 to 1817, 8 years; James Monroe of Virginia, from 1817 to 1825, 8 years; John Q Adams of Massachusetts, from 1825 to 1829, 4 years; Andrew Jackson of Tennessee, from 1829 to 1837, 8 years.

VICE PRESIDENTS—John Adams of Massachusetts, from 1789 to 1797; Thomas Jefferson of Virginia, from 1797 to 1801; Aaron Burr of New York, from 1801 to 1805; George Clinton of New York, from 1805 to 1812; Elbridge Gerry of Massachusetts, from 1813 to 1817; Daniel D Tompkins of New York, from 1817 to 1825; John C Calhoun of South Carolina, from 1825 to 1833; Martin Van Buren of New York, from 1833 to ——.

SECRETARIES OF STATE—Thomas Jefferson, Sept. 26 1789; Ed. Randolph, January 2 1794; Timothy Pickering, Dec 10 1795; John Marshall, Jan 20 1801; James Madison, March 5 1801; Robert Smith, March 5 1809; James Monroe, Nov 20 1811; James Monroe, (reconmissioned) Feb 24 1815; John Quincy Adams, March 5 1817; Henry Clay, March 7 1825; Martin Van Buren, March 6 1829; Ed Livingston, May 1 1831; Louis McLane, June 1833; John Forsyth, June 27, 1834.

John Jay acted as secretary of state till Mr Jefferson returned from France. Levi Lincoln performed the duties of that office until Mr Madison reached Washington. Richard Rush acted by appointment of Mr Madison some months prior to his first commission in 1811. A Pickering occupied the same office some time before the date of his commission in 1795.

SECRETARIES OF THE TREASURY—Alexander Hamilton, Sept 11 1789; Oliver Wolcott jr, Feb 2 1795; Samuel Dexter, June 1 01; Albert Gallatin, Jan 26 '02; Geo W Campbell, Feb 9 '14; Alexander D Dallas Oct 6 '16; Wm Crawford, Mar 7 '17; Richard Rush, March 7 '25; Sam'l D Ingham, March 6 '29; Louis McLane, Jan 10 '32. Roger B Taney acted as secretary by the appointment of president Jackson, from Sept '23; Levi Woodbury, June 27 '31.

COMPTROLLERS OF THE TREASURY—Nicholas Eveleigh, Sept 11 1789; Oliver Wolcott, Nov 9 1791, Joseph Jackson, Feb 5 1795; John Davis, June 26 1795; John Stub, Dec 2 1796; Gabriel Duvall, Dec 15 1802; Richard Rush, Nov 22 1811; Ezekiel Bacon, Feb 11 1814; Joseph Anderson, 1st comptroller Feb 28 1815—17.

SECOND COMPTROLLERS—Richard Cutts, March 6 1817; Isaac Hill, March 9 1829; James B Thornton, May 1830.

TREASURERS—Samuel Meredith, Sept 11 1789; Thomas Tudor Tucker, Jan 26 1802; Wm Clarke, June 4 1828; John Campbell, March 1830.

AUDITORS—Oliver Wolcott jr, Sept 12 1789; Richard Harrison, Nov 29 1791; 1st auditor, R Harrison; 2d auditors, Wm Lee, March 6 1797; Wm B Lewis, March 9 1830; 3d auditor, Peter Hagner, March 6 1817; 4th auditors, Constant Freeman, 1817; Tobias Watkins, 1825; Amos Kendall, March 9 1829; James C Pickett, 1835; 5th auditor, S Phillips, March 6 1817.

REGISTERS—Joseph Nourse, Nov 29 1789; Thos L Smith, appointed 1830.

SECRETARIES OF WAR—Henry Knox, Sept 12 1789; Timothy Pickering, Jan 2 1795; James McHenry, Jan 7 1796; Samuel Dexter, May 13 1800; Roger Griswold, Feb 3 1801; Henry Dearborn, March 5 1801. Wm Eustis, March 7 1809; John Armstrong, Jan 13 1813; Wm H Crawford, Aug 1 1815; Isaac Shelby, March 5 1817; J C Calhoun, Dec 16 1817; James Barbour, March 7 1825; P B Porter, May 23 1828; John H Eaton, March 9 1829. Lewis Cass, June 1831.

SECRETARIES OF THE NAVY—George Cabot, May 3 1798. Benj Stoddert, May 21 1798; Robt Smith, Jan 26 1801; Jacob Crowninshield, March 3 1805; Paul Hamilton, March 7 1809; Wm Jones, Jan 12 1813; Benj W Crowninshield, Dec 19 1814; Smith Thompson, Nov 30 1818; Samuel L Southard, Dec 9 1823; John Branch, March 9 1829; Levi Woodbury, May 1 1831, Mahlon Dickinson, June 1831.

POSTMASTERS GENERAL—Samuel Osgood, Sept 26 1789; Timothy Pickering, Nov 7 1791; Joseph Habersham, March 4 1796; Gideon Granger, Jan 26 1802; Return J Meigs, March 17 1814; John McLean Dec 9 1823; Wm T Barry, March 9 1829; Amos Kendall, acting by appointment of president Jackson, 1835.

SUPREME COURT—CHIEF JUSTICES—John Jay, Sept 26 1789; John Rutledge, Jan 27 1795; Oliver Ellsworth, March 4 1796; John Dee 19 1800; John Marshall, Jan 31 1801.

ASSOCIATE JUSTICES—John Rutledge, Sept 26 1789; Wm Cushing, Sept 27 1789; Robt H Harrison, Sept 28 1789; James Wilson, Sept 29 1789; John Blair, Sept 30 1789; James Iredell, Feb 10 1790; Thomas Johnson, Nov 7 1791; Wm Patterson, March 4 1793; Samuel Chase, Jan 27 1796; Bushrod Washington, Dec 20 1799; Wm Johnson, March 26 1804; Brockholt Livingston, Jan 16 1807; Thomas Todd, March 3 1807; Levi Lincoln, Jan 7 1811; J Q Adams, Feb 22 1811; Gabriel Duvall, Nov 18 1811; Joseph Story, Nov 18 1811; Smith Thompson, Dec 9 1823; Robert Trimble, March 9 1826; John McLean, March 7 1829; Henry Baldwin, Jan 6 1830; James M Wayne, 1835.

ATTORNEYS GENERAL—Ed Randolph, Sept 26 1789; Wm Bradford, Jan 27 1794; Chas Lee, Dec 10 1795; Levi Lincoln, March 5 1801; Robt Smith, March 2 1805; John Breckenridge, Jan 17 1806; Caesar A Rodney, Jan 20 1807; Wm Pinckney, Dec 11 1811; Richard Rush, Feb 10 1814, Wm Wirt, Dec 16 1817; John McPherson Berrien, March 9 1829; Roger B Taney, June 1831; Benj F Butler, Nov 1833.

In my last I stated that Mr Compton had been elected chaplain of the house of representatives. I was mistaken; it was Mr Stockton a radical methodist of some talents and eloquence as a preacher, and who was the chaplain a few sessions ago. Mr Higbee elected by the senate, is an episcopalian clergyman of this city, of some reputation and whose funeral discourse at the burial of senator Smith gave so much satisfaction to the members that he was elected almost without opposition. Religion however does not seem to be much in vogue in either house. Many of the members of both are no doubt nominal, but few are real christians; and tho they observe the forms they do not trouble themselves much about the spirit of christianity. Nor does the theatre seem to be much more attractive to them, from the frequent account of empty boxes' it exhibits. This however proceeds I fancy more from the bump of acquisitiveness than from the want of that of veneration. There are now two theatres in this city with a population that cannot support one decently, and of course one or the other must surrender. Maywood is the manager of the national for the aristocratic and fashionable, and Wemyss the manager of the American or democratic and popular. These rival houses' will not however interfere much in the fashionable soirees of the city which are being commenced, and which will take off some of the playgoing population who sometimes find it cheaper to go to a party than to the theatre, and often more agreeable.

The whig convention of Maryland which assembled in Baltimore on the 23d inst, has nominated Wm H Harrison for the presidency, and John Tyler of Va for the vice presidency of the U S. The whig candidates for these two high offices are becoming numerous as the period of election approaches. This winter it is thought will develope the course which the party will take in relation to the several candidates.

Exchange—Bills on Philadelphia for sale by

jan 11 M. DeLIZARDI & Co.

OFFICIAL.

JOURNAL

of the Senate of the State of Louisiana.

Thursday, January 7th 1836.

The senate met agreeably to adjournment.

Members present—Messrs Chas Derbigny, President, Bossier, Brownson, Cung, Dupré, Hoa, Johnson, Labrande, Labauve, Lacoste, Lewis, Montgomery, Nicholas, Porche, Reid and Pease.

Mr Hoa presented the petition of the New Orleans and Carrollton railroad company praying for amendments to their charter. Read and on motion of Mr Hoa referred to a special committee of three members. The president appointed Messrs Hoa, Dupré and Bossier.

Mr Lacoste on the part of the committee appointed to make arrangements for the celebration of the 8th of January, reported that the necessary preparations had been made by the joint committee of the two houses.

Mr Hoa gave notice that on tomorrow he would introduce a bill entitled

'An act to amend the laws relative to the court of Probates of the city and parish of New Orleans.'

Mr Bossier gave notice that on tomorrow he would introduce a bill entitled:

'An act to change the time of taking the assessment in the parish of Natchitoches and for other purposes.'

Mr Hoa gave notice that on tomorrow he would introduce a bill entitled:

'An act to amend the charter of the Union Bank.'

Agreeably to previous notice Mr Labauve introduced a bill entitled:

'An act to amend an act regulating the governor's salary, approved 21st Aug, 1812.' Read for the first time.

Mr Brownson agreeably to previous notice introduced a bill entitled:

'An act to fix special terms of the parish court in the parishes therein mentioned and for other purposes.'—Read for the 1st time.

Mr Moore agreeably to previous notice introduced a bill entitled:

'An act supplementary to an act to incorporate the Exchange and Building company of New Orleans approved April 1st, 1835.' Read for the 1st time.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

3d reading.

'An act to amend the 7th and 8th section of an act regulating sales at auction, approved Jan 15th 1835.'—Passed, and ordered to be taken to the house.

2d reading.

'Resolution relative to the election of a senator to Congress.' Amended, on motion of Mr Hoa, by fixing the time for said election on Saturday next. Rules dispensed with, passed and on motion ordered to be taken to the house.

'An act to amend the several acts relative to the public printing and for other purposes.' Rules dispensed with, read for the 3d time, passed, and ordered to be taken to the house.

A message in writing from the governor was brought by Mr A E Forstall, his private secretary.

A message from the house of representatives, brought by Mr F Roussel, their clerk, informed the senate that the house had concurred in the resolution relative to the celebration of the 8th of Jan, and that Messrs Hale, Montegut, Labauve, Landry and Milligan had been appointed on the part of the house committee required by said resolution.

The same message requested the concurrence of the senate in the resolution in 1 bill's entitled,

'Resolution relative to the election of the state printer.'

'Resolution relative to augmenting the salary of the United States officers of the land offices in Louisiana.'

'An act to amend the act entitled an act to incorporate the Montpelier academy and to make an appropriation for said academy, and for the college of Alexandria, approved March 31 1823.'

'An act to amend the act entitled an act to incorporate the New Orleans Gaslight and banking company, and for other purposes.' This bill on motion of Mr Moore was immediately taken up, read for the first time, rules dispensed with read; for the second and third times, passed, and ordered to be taken to the house.

The senate sat with closed doors on executive business.

The doors being opened,

The senate adjourned until tomorrow at 10 o'clock a m.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 7th.

The House met agreeable to adjournment.

A message was received from the senate by Mr Davis their secretary requesting the concurrence of the house in a bill entitled "an act to amend the 7th and 8th sections of an act entitled an act regulating sales at auction approved 15th January 1835."

By the same message the house was informed that the senate concurred in the amendment in the resolution fixing the day for election of a United States senator viz: Saturday instead of Thursday.

Mr Massey on behalf of the committee to whom was referred the petition of the president, directors and company of the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana reported by introducing a bill entitled "an act amendatory and supplementary to the several acts relative to the act to incorporate the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana" which was read for the first time and ordered to be printed.

A message was received from the senate by Mr Davis their secretary requesting the concurrence of the house in a bill entitled "an act to amend the several acts relative to the public printing and for other purposes."

Mr Brashear, agreeable to previous notice, introduced a bill entitled "an act to prevent duelling in the State of Louisiana," which was read for the first time and ordered to be printed.

Mr Sparks gave notice that he will shortly introduce a bill entitled "an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Red River Railroad Company."

Mr Sparks offered the following resolution, "Resolved, that the committee of ways and means be authorized to report a bill to authorize for the purposes therein mentioned the issue of the state bonds, bearing an interest of 3 per cent per annum, be withdrawn from the committee consisting of five members of the house, and ——— in the legislative senate," which resolution was read for the first time, and on motion of Mr Bosque having dispensed with the rules, the same was discussed and adopted.

The speaker appointed Messrs Sparks, Penn, Freret, Delachaise and Milligan members of said committee on the part of the house.

The clerk was directed to inform the senate thereof and request their concurrence in said resolution.

Mr Winn, agreeably to the previous notice, introducing a bill entitled "an act to establish the manner of ejecting police jurors in the parish of Rapides," which was read for the first time and ordered for a second reading on tomorrow.

By a message received from the senate by Mr Davis their secretary the house was informed of the concurrence of the senate in the bill entitled "an act to amend the act entitled an act to incorporate the New Orleans Gaslight and Banking Company and for other purposes.

Mr Haile gave notice that he will shortly introduce a bill entitled an act regulating the session of the courts in the 3d and 8th judicial district.

Mr Sparks, agreably to previous notice, introduced a bill entitled "an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the New Orleans Gaslight and Banking Company" which was read for the first time and ordered for a second reading on tomorrow.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

The house took up the amendment made by the senate to the resolution fixing the election of a United States senator which amendment consist in inserting in the word "Saturday" in lieu of "Thursday."

On motion ordered that the said resolution be laid on the table subject to the call of the house.

The house then took up the bill from the senate entitled "an act to amend the 7th and 8th sections of the act entitled an act regulating sales at auction approved 15th January 1805."

And the bill entitled "an act to amend the several acts relative to the public printing and for other purposes."

Which bills were read for the first time and ordered for a second reading on tomorrow.

2nd Readings.

The resolution instructing the board of public works to cause the state engineer to examine the bayous Rouge and Deglaise in the parish of Avoyelles was taken into consideration.

On motion ordered that the same be adopted.

The clerk was directed to request the concurrence of the senate therein.

The house then took up the resolution appointing a joint committee to examine into the affairs of the New Orleans Gaslight and Banking Company."

On motion ordered that the same be adopted.

The speaker appointed Messrs Winn, Augustin, Brown, Brezeazele and Dixon members of said committee.

The resolution appointing a joint committee to examine into the affairs of the New Orleans Canal and Banking Company.

On motion ordered that the same be adopted.

The speaker has appointed Messrs Briggs, Labatut, Breed, Landry and Winn members of said committee on behalf of the house.

The clerk was directed to inform the senate thereof and request their concurrence in said resolutions.

The bill entitled "an act supplementary to an act entitled an act to incorporate the Archafalaya Rail road and Banking Company" was read for the second time and ordered for a third reading on tomorrow.

3rd Readings.

The bill entitled "an act granting banking privileges to the New Orleans Improvement Company and for other purposes" was taken into consideration section by section.

During the discussion of the first section

Mr Labatut moved that said bill be made the special order of the day for Tuesday next the 12th inst.

Mr Hall on behalf of the committee appointed to make the necessary arrangements for the celebration of the eighth of January reported that the committee had taken necessary steps.

Mr Delachaise having moved for the adjournment until Monday next; Mr Augustin called for the yeas and nays when it appeared that Messrs Armand, Bienvenu, Brasheur, Brenux, Brown, Bry, Deblanc, Delachaise, Dixton, Guillet, Haile, Milligan, Monegut, Sparks, A B Thibodeaux, H C Thibodeaux, had voted in the affirmative—16 yeas.

And that Messrs Augustin, Bickman, Brenzeale, Breode, Briggs, Convillon, Davidson, Dosson, Marigny, Ducrue, Freret, Labatut, Lambremont, Lawson, Lewis, Nerantt, Ogden, Patin, Patten, Penn, Barrow, Sheldon, Wilson and Winn had voted in the negative—21 nays.

Said motion was consequently rejected.

On motion the house took up the amendment of the senate in the resolution fixing the election of a U S senator.

Mr Davidson moved to amend the same by inserting the word "Monday" in lieu of "Saturday."

Said motion having prevailed,

The clerk was directed to request the concurrence of the senate in said amendment.

On motion the house has dispensed with their rules,

Mr Augustin presented a memorial addressed by J Bosque praying for the payment of a certain claim.

On motion ordered that the same be referred to the committee on the penitentiary.

Mr Millington having moved for the adjournment until Monday.

Mr Winn called for the yeas and nays when it appeared that Messrs Braux, Lawson and Millington had voted in the affirmative—3 yeas.

And that Messrs Augustin, Bickman, Bienvenu, Brasheur, Brenzeale, Breedlove, Briggs, Brown, Bry, Convillon, Bernard, Davidson, Debaye, Delachaise, Dixon, Dosson, Marigny, Freret, Guillet, Haile, Lambremont, Lewis, Monsegut, Nerantt, Ogden, Patin, Patten, Penn, Barrow, Sheldon, Wilson, A B Thibodeaux, H C Thibodeaux, Wilson, Winn had voted in the negative—37 nays.

The house then adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

COMMERCIAL NEWS.

PORT OF NEW ORLEANS.

CLEARED.

Ship Louisville, Palmer, New York, Bein & Cohen.
Ship Mary Ann, Childs, Havre, L H Gale.
Ship Jno Hale, Crowell, Portsmouth, Master.
Ship Abbotsford, Mitchell, Liverpool, H C Cammack.
Ship George Cabot, Gooch, Boston, Lodge & Austin.
Ship Avis, Thomps'n, St Marks, Master.
Brig Palermo, Maingreen, Stockholm, H C Gildermeister.
Brig Alcyone, Julius, N Y, S Thompson & co.
Brig Petrinilla, Moncado, Havana, M Fiol.
Brig May Flower,