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Steam Packets.

FOR NASHVILLE, CLARKSVILLE, and all intermediate Landings—The splendid Passenger Steamer HIGHLANDER, Capt. Alexander Brother. This fine light draught steamboat built and fast running steamboat will leave as above on Friday, the 2nd February, at 4 o'clock, P. M. For freight or passage, apply on board, or to
f1 JNO R SHAW & Co. Agents, 24 Poydras.

PACKET SULTANA.
FOR MILLIKEN'S BEND, VICKSBURG, GRAND GULF, RODNEY AND NATCHEZ—This regular packet steamer, H. Pease, master, is now receiving freight and will positively leave Canal street wharf on Sunday morning, the 4th inst., at 10 o'clock punctually. For freight or passage, apply on board or to
f1 I. V HUBBARD & Co, 23 Tchoupitoulas

FOR ST. MARTINSVILLE, Attakapas.—The regular and fast-running steamer PATRICK HENRY, R. J. Dorsey, master, will leave for the above and all intermediate landings, on Saturday the 3d February, at 10 o'clock, A. M. For freight or passage, apply on board, or to
f2 P. J. FAVY & Co, 13 Conti

HUNTING EXCURSION.—The steamer OSCAR, will leave the wharf of the Second Municipality Steam Ferry, on Saturday afternoon, February 3d, at half-past 4 o'clock, for Pointe a la Hache, or about fifty miles down the coast, for the accommodation of gentlemen going to hunt, the boat remaining with them until Sunday afternoon, at 5 o'clock, when she will return to the city.
Gentlemen wishing to be landed at any plantation will be taken on board by the return of the boat.
There will be a lunch on board, with a cooking stove, mattresses, &c., in the cabin.
Price of passage $5 for the trip, to be paid before leaving the city.
Tickets can be had at the St Louis Exchange, Merchants' Exchange or at the Ferry.
If the above is sufficiently patronised the boat will make a trip every Saturday afternoon, during the season. f1 3t

STEAMER CHAMPION.—For Louisville, Cincinnati, and intermediate ports.—The elegant, fast running steamboat CHAMPION, J. Stephenson, master, is expected on Monday, and will leave as above, on Tuesday, the 6th inst. at 4 o'clock, P. M. For freight or passage, apply to HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN.
No 44 Poydras, Agents

WEEKLY PACKET.
FOR PATTERSONVILLE, BERWICK'S BAY, Bayou Bœuf and Bayou Black.—The regular packet steamer GOV. MOREHEAD, Jno. T. Washington, master, will leave for the above and all intermediate landings on Friday, the 2d February, at 10 o'clock, A. M. For freight or passage, apply on board, or to
f1 LAFOREST & SQUIRES, Agents.

FOR ST. LOUIS—The splendid passenger steamer ALEXANDER SCOTT, Capt. John C. Swon, is now receiving freight, and having a large portion of her cargo engaged and going on board, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on Saturday next, the 3d February, at 4 o'clock, p. m. For freight or passage, having superior accommodations, apply on board, opposite Poydras street, or to J R SHAW & Co.
j31 Agents, 24 Poydras

FOR MEMPHIS AND RANDOLPH—with despatch—The regular packet steamboat LOUISIANA, A W Tufts, master, is daily expected to arrive and will have immediate despatch for the above and intermediate landings. For freight or passage, having fine accommodations, apply on board at Canal street wharf, or to
j31 I. V HUBBARD & Co, 95 Tchoupitoulas

Passenger Packet Steamer MISSOURI MAIL, M. LITTLETON, Master.
[Prepared with Evans' Safety Guards to prevent explosion.]
This fine new boat, for the accommodation of planters below Donaldsonville on the Bayou Lafourche, will extend her trips to Thibodeaux, leaving New Orleans, as usual, on every Monday and Thursday, at 10 o'clock A. M. Returning will leave Thibodeaux every Tuesday and Friday, at 10 o'clock, A. M., and Donaldsonville on her usual days, as heretofore, every Wednesday and Saturday, at 6 o'clock A. M.
Feeling confident such a packet is wanted in this trade for the speedy conveyance of passengers, the proprietor will remain in the trade during the summer, and (if encouraged) will build a small light boat to run in conjunction with the Mail to Donaldsonville, and will pledge himself (if supported) to carry freight and passengers at the most liberal prices during the whole year.
Hoping such inducements will be favorably noticed by the planters and public in general, the proprietor will abide the future success of his boat by untiring exertions to please and accommodate in all cases. For freight or passage, apply to BRAUD & LANDRY New Orleans, MOLAIR & GAUDIN, Donaldsonville, M DAUNIS, Thibodeaux.
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NOTICE.
REGULAR PACKET BETWEEN NEW-ORLEANS, BALIZE and intermediate ports.
The fine steamer FAME, Jourdain Martin, master, having been thoroughly repaired, will recommence her regular trips as formerly. The Fame will sail from New Orleans every Wednesday at 9 o'clock a. m.; and from Balize every Friday, at 7 a. m., and arrive at New-Orleans on Saturday.
Captain Jourdain requests passengers and merchants to send their freight, to have their goods on board in time, as the boat will positively leave at the hour fixed.
Captain Jourdain hopes that merchants and planters will favor him with a continuance of their patronage.
For freight or passage, apply to the Captain on board, or to JACQUES LAROSE, Agent,
d19 71 Old Levee.
P. S. Captain Jourdain Martin, having sold one half of steamer Fame, to Mr. Jacques Larose, informs the public that they will spare no exertions to merit the continuance of their patronage. The boat will resume its regular trips

U. STATES MAIL STEAMER BRILLIANT.
WEEKLY PACKET FOR THE COAST
Donaldsonville, Plaquemine, Baton Rouge, Port Hudson, Waterloo, Bayou Sara, Point Coupee and Tunica.
Capt. J. MARY having made arrangements with the Captain to carry the Mail on Sunday, the splendid double engine steamer BRILLIANT, will hereafter leave New Orleans every Wednesday, at 10 o'clock, A. M. and Bayou Sara every Saturday, at 12 o'clock, M. and arrive in New Orleans early next morning. The rate of passage &c., will be the same as charged by all good packets running the coast. For freight or passage apply on board or to
WM M AVERY 9 Gravier st

SAMUEL TOBY, Commission Merchant. New York. j25

ADVANCES made on consignments of Cotton, Sugar and other produce to my friends in New York, Boston and Baltimore. WM MURE, 39 Camp st

ADVANCES made on cotton and other produce to my friends in Havre and Antwerp. j26 WM MURE, 39 Camp st

ADVANCES made on cotton, tobacco, &c. to my friends in Liverpool and London. j26 WM MURE, 39 Camp st

REYNAUD & FALLON have removed to No. 34 Tchoupitoulas street, opposite the National Hotel. n22-3m

CASH ADVANCES ON PRODUCE—Liberal cash advances will be made by the subscribers on shipments of produce to our friends, Messrs Howes, Godfrey & Robinson, New York, or Joseph Grosley, Esq, Boston. n30 PRICE & FROST, 20 Poydras.

EMILE JOHNS, Commission Merchant and importer of West-India Produce.
COFFEE, SUGAR, TOBACCO, SEGARS.
A constant supply of the above for sale.
Also—A superior assortment of choice wines—Rhenish, Madeira, Champagne, Claret, French white wines, &c. &c.
j44 at No. 30 Gravier st

ALE—10 bbls cream Ale, in store and for sale by f2 FOSDICK & BRO, 74 Camp

BOOTS & SHOES—2 cases assorted, store, for sale by f2 FOSDICK & BRO, 74 Camp st

BRANDY—10 half pipes A Seignette in store for sale by f2 FOSDICK & BRO, 74 Camp

SOAP—100 boxes No 1 in store and for sale by f2 FOSDICK & BRO, 74 Camp

VARNISH—10 brls superior quality, for sale by f1 FOSDICK & BRO, 74 Camp

TEAS—200 pkgs, different brands, in store, for sale by f2 FOSDICK & BRO, 74 Camp

CHEESE—40 boxes Western cheese, in store, for sale by f2 WM. J BRYAN & Co, 28 Commerce

PAINTS—A small invoice, in store and for sale by f2 FOSDICK & BRO, 74 Camp

CANDLES—50 boxes of sperm and stearine, in store, and for sale by FOSDICK & BRO, 74 Camp f2

PITCH—10 brls in store, and for sale by f2 FOSDICK & BRO, 74 Camp

OIL—10 casks winter strained, in store, for sale by f2 FOSDICK & BRO, 74 Camp

PAPER—300 reams of writing paper in store, for sale by f2 j24 FOSDICK & BRO, 74 Camp st

CLOCKS—10 wooden clocks in store, for sale by f2 FOSDICK & BRO, 74 Camp st

CANDLES AND SOAP—1,000 boxes, for sale by f2 NORCROSS & FOSDICK, 40 Gravier st

RICE—200 casks rice, for sale by f2 NORCROSS & FOSDICK, 40 Gravier st

NAILS—1,000 kegs Boston nails, for sale by f2 NORCROSS & FOSDICK, 40 Gravier st

SMYRNA FIGS—1 000 drums Smyrna figs, for sale by f2 NORCROSS & FOSDICK, 40 Gravier st

BALE ROPE—100 coils in store, for sale by f1 TUFTS & HOBART, 29 Gravier

GUNNY BAGS—50 bales 2½ bushel gunny bags, for sale low by f1 TUFTS & HOBART, 29 Gravier.

EAGLE COTTON GINS—Constantly on hand, for sale by f1 TUFTS & HOBART, 29 Gravier

BACON HAMS—New, for sale by f1 SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH, 26 Poydras

PORK—Mess and prime, for sale by f1 SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH, 26 Poydras

LARD—1000 kegs, for sale by f1 SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH, 26 Poydras

WHISKEY—90 brls rectified; 6 do Monongahela, for sale by f1 H McKINNELL & Co, 34 Poydras

CHEESE—150 boxes Goshen, for sale by f1 H McKINNELL & Co, 34 Poydras

CHOCOLATE—100 boxes for sale by f1 H McKINNELL & Co, 34 Poydras

HAMS—20 brls canvassed, for sale by f1 H McKINNELL & Co, 34 Poydras

RIO COFFEE, of superior qualities in double linen sacks for sale by GEO GREEN & BRO, 92 Gravier

JAVA COFFEE—A few bags of superior quality, for sale by GEO GREEN & BRO 92 Gravier f1

LEMONS—Fresh Cicily Lemons, new crop, for sale by f1 GEO GREEN & BRO, 92 Gravier st

BLANKETS—3 point Granier blankets, for sale by f1 GEO GREEN & BRO, 92 Gravier

SUGAR—Very superior Sugar in bbls, for sale by f2 A GORDON, WYLE & Co, 52 Bienville

ALMONDS—30 bags in store and for sale by j30 J PRATS, 27 Toulouse

WHISKEY—80 brls rectified; 8 do Monongahela, for sale by j30 H McKINNELL & Co, 34 Poydras

FLOUR—Choice Baker brands, for sale by j30 DITTRICH & Co, 141 Magazine st

BEEF—For sale by A L ADDISON & Co, 31 Natchez

PORK—Of all qualities for sale by A L ADDISON & Co, 31 Natchez

CASTOR OIL—30 bbls a very superior article for sale by A L ADDISON & Co, 31 Natchez

LINSEED OIL—8 brls, for sale by H McKINNELL & Co, 34 Poydras

CHOCOLATE—25 boxes Rhodes and Tolman's, for sale by H McKINNELL & Co. 34 Poydras

TOBACCO—Cuba and Havana tobacco for sale by O H MILSEGAES, 24 Old Levee

DEMIJOHNS—5 gall. demijohns, landing, for sale by j30 O H MILSEGAES, 24 Old Levee

BEEF—50 bbls at importation, for sale by JOHN R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras

BUFFALO ROBES—50 packs in store, for sale by JOHN R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras

PEACH BRANDY—30 bbls in store, for sale by JOHN R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras

CHEESE—100 boxes Goshen, for sale by H McKINNELL & Co, 34 Poydras

[illegible] SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH, 26 Poydras

[illegible] SCHMIDT & Co, 10 Bienville st

FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES
HENRY CLAY.

NEW-ORLEANS.
FRIDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 2, 1844.

NEW ORLEANS, 2d February, 1844.
The members of the Democratic Whig Association of the First Municipality are invited to meet this evening at 6 o'clock, p. m, at M. Blasco's House, (usual place of rendezvous,) for matters of importance. The whigs of the First Municipality in general are invited to attend this meeting.
By order of the President.
L. HERMANN, JULES DAVID, } Secretaries.

If any one desires to form an opinion of the probable effect of Mr. RIVES' letter upon the politics of the Old Dominion, he can easily do so by referring to the comments of the Richmond *Enquirer*, upon that interesting epistle. We do not remember to have seen the veteran organ of the southern democracy (?) so sorely troubled. Its assaults upon Mr. RIVES, are so furious and denunciatory, that Father RITCHIE has not ventured to lecture the press upon *decency* since he commenced them. He has not been able to cool his system down to a temperature capable of composing a homily upon decorum. We are afraid the Richmond *Whig*, for the nonce escaped from the admonitory objurgations of its sedate neighbor, will fall into the *Enquirer's* vein and say something savage of somebody or other. This would most assuredly visit the *Enquirer* with compunctions of remorse for having so far forgot itself as to abuse a fellow citizen without inserting a disclaimer of hostile feelings in the article, or ever publishing a wholesome lecture upon editorial propriety in the same edition.—The *Enquirer's* forgetfulness in this behalf, is as fatal an absence of mind as any ancient coquette might display in going into public, without first consulting her rouge-pot or a withered beau could be guilty of, in leaving his glass eye on the toilette table.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.—The exciting drama of *Mungo Park*, or the *Arab of the Niger*, is to be repeated this evening, and will doubtless draw a crowded house. Miss E. Randolph and Mr T. Placide will also appear in the amusing farce of the *Honest Thieves*.

☞ William Brown charged with stealing a quantity of grate bars was examined yesterday before Recorder Baldwin and sent to the workhouse.

☞ The towboat Paul Jones sunk on the evening before last at the Levee and is a total loss. No insurance.

COMMITTED—Juan de Armas, Juan Servantes, and Thomas Struman were yesterday sentenced to three days imprisonment in the workhouse as dangerous and suspicious characters.

☞ A flat boat containing about 900 barrels of flour was sunk yesterday morning in the river opposite the Vegetable Market while attempting to moor alongside of a vessel for the purpose of discharging her cargo. The greater portion of her cargo was saved in a damaged state.

A ROWDY SET.—The officers of the First Municipality police on Wednesday night arrested on the corner of Robertson and St. Louis streets, the following individuals for rioting and disorderly conduct, and as dangerous and suspicious characters, viz: Edward McDonald, John Dennison, Euphemia McDonald, John Smith, Thomas James, Francis Glenn, John Clarke and James Clarke. They were brought before Recorder Genois yesterday morning for examination who sentenced John Dennison to three months imprisonment in the workhouse and the others to fifteen days imprisonment each, with the exception of Euphemia McDonald who was committed for thirty days.

AWFUL TRAGEDY.—Last evening about quarter-past 9 o'clock, Ranson, accused of being an accomplice in the robbery of the segar store of Jose Domingo, in the St. Charles Exchange, was arrested and secured in one of the cells of the guard-house of the First Municipality. About 10 o'clock, Capt. Youenes repaired to the cell for the purpose of questioning the prisoner, and on entering found him hanging to the door by his suspenders, almost lifeless. Capt. Youenes immediately took him down and sent for medical attendance. We are sorry to say, after two ineffectual applications had been made, none could be obtained in time to save the life of the unfortunate man. The reasons given were, that they were not the physicians of the Municipality. We have been [illegible] that had medical assistance been procured in [illegible] of this poor individual might have been [illegible]

[C]URIOUS SWINDLING.—On Wenesday last, a female relative of a gentleman, whose mysterious disappearance within the last few days has produced a painful excitement among his friends, received an anonymous letter, written in the French language, stating that if the sum of $250 was enclosed in a letter, and delivered before half past 3 o'clock on that day, to the address of Heslop, at the Institution Agerat, No. 145 Rampart street, that information in return would be furnished by 3 o'clock on that evening which would lead to the apprehension of the persons who were implicated in the abduction of the missing gentleman. At the appointed hour, a friend of the family called at the Institution, and found F. Agerat and A. Moore, a f. m. c., the proprietors of the Academy, in the school-room. Upon enquiring if Mr. Heslop was in the house, Moore answered he was not—at the same time taking a slate from one of the desks with the name of Heslop written upon it, he stated that a gentleman had left his address with them and requested if a letter should be left to his address, that they would be kind enough to receive and take care of it for him. The letter enclosing the amount of $250 was accordingly handed to Agerat. The gentleman then left the house, and placing a watch upon it, with instructions to arrest any one who might enter or leave the building, he proceeded to the office of the Mayor. Having procured the assistance of Captain Youenes and Lieut. Morel, he returned to the establishment, where they were met by his Honor the Mayor. Upon the gentleman's enquiring of Agerat whether Heslop had called since his departure, he replied that he had been there, and received the letter to his address.

Agerat was immediately placed under arrest, and upon examining the premises two undelivered receipts for tuition were found in a desk, the hand-writing of which corresponded with that of the anonymous letter. Moore was arrested a few moments after in St. Louis street, and upon searching him $232 was found upon his person. He also stated that the receipts above mentioned were written by Agerat. A small mulatto boy, who delivered the anonymous letter, was also arrested; he stated that the letter was given to him by Agerat. Moore and Agerat were yesterday examined before the Mayor. The gist of the testimony elicited during the examination, is as above set forth. [illegible] of the accused were ordered to find bail for their appearance before the Criminal Court.

☞ The whigs of Columbia (S. C.) have formed a Clay Club, and invited the Hon. WM. C. PRESTON to address them at the next meeting.

MELANCHOLY.—A respectable young lady in Charleston was, a few days ago, burnt to death, by her dress taking fire while standing near the chimney.

The nomination of WM. H. BARNETT, as marshall for the Western District of Louisiana, has been confirmed by the U. S. Senate.

JUDGE STORY has recovered his health, and had arrived at Washington city on the 23d ult., to take his seat upon the bench of the Supreme Court.

HENRY LEITCH, accused of murdering his wife and setting fire to his house, in Broadway, New York, has been acquitted.

CONNECTICUT.—The entire whig ticket for city officers in Middletown, Connecticut, at a late election, succeeded by a majority from 23, to 50. Two years ago the locofoco Mayor and Council were elected.

AMELIA NORMAN, who was indicted in New York, for an attempt of the life of a Mr. BALLARD, who seduced her, has been *acquitted*. When the verdict was rendered, the courthouse resounded with the plaudits of the spectators, which the officers could with difficulty suppress.

"COUGHING DOWN A CLERGYMAN.—INDECENT BEHAVIOR AT CHURCH.—We are very sorry to hear from a respecable eye-witness, says the National Intelligencer of the 22d ult., on whose statement we have perfect reliance, that a most disgraceful scene occurred at Wesley Chapel on Sunday night, the 14th instant while the Rev. Dr. EDWARDS was preaching a sermon on "The end and importance of the Christian Sabbath." It seems that a number of ill-behaved lads and youths who were present, not liking the subject of the discourse, its length, or the preacher's manner, undertook, in defiance of law, propriety, and that respect which is due to a place of public worship, *to cough down the minister* and prevent him from being heard by the serious and well disposed part of the congregation who felt disposed to hear him. And in this unhallowed purpose the parties so effectually succeeded, as our informant assures us, that the preacher could not be heard, and was compelled to sit down in the pulpit in the midst of a scene of the most disgraceful confusion and disorder."

The Washington city rowdies are almost as ill-behaved as congressmen.

☞ We are indebted to the Steamer Ambassador for [illegible] Natchez papers.

NEW WORKS.—Bravo & Morgan, of the Literary Depot, have kindly sent us the following works, "The Destroyer," a tale of guilt and sorrow, by the author of "Ten Thousand a Year;" "Fanny, or the Hunchback and Roué," by Professor Ingraham; "Charcoal Sketches, or Scenes in a Metropolis," by Joseph C. Neal;—"The New York Journal of Medicine and the Collateral Sciences" for January, edited by Samuel Torrey, M. D; "Webster's Address," delivered at Bunker Hill; "Campbell's Foreign Semi Monthly Magazine." We can only refer to the titles of these works, and take occasion *en passant* to mention, that Messrs. Bravo & Morgan are abundantly supplied not only with light reading, but works of an instructive and thoughtful character.

DOTTINGS FROM THE DOME.

WASHINGTON, 20th January, 1844

Gentlemen:—
The House went into committee of the whole this morning immediately after the reading of the journal in order to give gentlemen who had not yet spoken an opportunity of speaking upon the Western Waters question till two o'clock, at which time it had been decided to take the subject out of the committee of the whole. The debate was continued by Mr. McCausland of Ohio—Mr Brinkerhoff not being in his seat to continue his remarks—Mr Sample, of Indiana, and Mr Petit, of the same state. Mr Stewart made frequent exertions to obtain a hearing, and was recognized by the chairman before Mr McCausland; the chair remarking at the same time that if objections were made, Mr S. having before spoken, he could not speak again.—Objections were, of course, made, there being a manifest determination on the part of the majority of the House not to allow him to reply to the gross personalities and insults of Mr Weller.

At two o'clock all debate ceased, and the committee proceeded to vote upon the propositions before them, referring the President's message to various committees. The proposition which had given rise to all the debate was to refer so much of the message as related to the western rivers and lakes to the Committee on Commerce, and upon a motion to strike out the committee and insert "a special committee of nine members."—This motion was not agreed to, and the original one carried.

Upon the committee rising and reporting to the House, Mr Stewart again endeavored to get the floor, but the Speaker's eye rested on Mr Previous Question Reading, who, as he never moves or says any thing else, now, as in duty bound, called for the previous question. Mr. Stewart remonstrated and appealed, but in vain, the previous question was called for the very purpose of cutting him off—of gagging him. Several of his friends endeavored to induce the majority by appeals to their magnanimity and courtesy, and by taunting them with a desire to gag off a reply to abusive personalities; but all this was in vain for some time; at length made ashamed of their ungenerous course, they reluctantly allowed him to go on; but he had not proceeded more than a minute when he was called to order by some member and required to take his seat by the Speaker, who played his part of the game as completely as if there had been a previous understanding with him—and no doubt there had been—as to the course they were to pursue. Appeals were again made to the courtesy of the House to allow Mr S. to proceed in order, but in vain. Mr Barnard said it was a most unheard of proceeding and want of courtesy,—what cared they for that? tell a clown he is no gentleman, and does he care? surely no. Mr Winthrop at length moved that the gentleman from Pennsylvania be allowed to proceed in order, and on this the yeas and nays were demanded and the call sustained. This had the desired effect, only eighteen having the hardihood to vote in the negative.

Mr. S. then went into an explanation. He had commented upon Mr. Van Buren's acts and avowals of principles; he had done this in reply to outrageous and abusive attacks upon the whig party, which one member (Mr Jameson, from Miss.) had stigmatised as the coon party, and as made up of the rag ends of all parties—as devoid of principles, &c. He had made no allusion to Mr. Weller, much less had he attacked him personally. But he, Mr. W., had come in there and pronounced his allegations as *falsehoods*, and had said that he would prove them such or take the brand of falsehood upon his own brow, which, if he did prove them to be such, should rest upon his, Mr. S.'s; to this he had replied by proving his assertions—every one of them—by reference to public documents and Mr. Van Buren's own recorded language. What did the member from Ohio then do? He came yesterday and charged him with uttering falsehoods—falsehood number one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine—as high, he continued as twelve or thirteen. Was he to submit in silence to such language, to such personalities? The member, (Mr Connel,) had said—"settle this out doors." He said he was not sent here by his constituents to go to fisticuffing with blackguards and bullies in the streets—if that was the business of a member, the people would probably select men of more sinew and muscle, instead of mind, to come here. Mr. S. rebuked the use of such language and such conduct in the House, it was destructive of all order and decorum, and degrading to that body. He went somewhat into an examination of the points at issue between himself and Mr. Weller, in regard to Mr. Van Buren. He said he had proved what he had asserted. The member from Ohio had shown that Mr. Van Buren, on other occasions, acted differently—Mr. V. B. acted inconsistently—if he voted for toll gates on the Cumberland Road, in 1824, and the "bill of abominations" in 1828, and yet another time declared himself opposed to internal improvements on constitutional grounds, and was opposed to the present Tariff, in principle and detail, that was not his business, it was a matter between Mr. V. B. and the gentleman from Ohio. If Mr. V. B. had been inconsistent, he could not help it. All he had to do—and this he had done, was to prove that Mr. Van Buren had declared that it was unconstitutional to appropriate money for purposes of internal improvement. But I cannot follow Mr. S. through the whole of his remarks, which, I thought, somewhat too discursive.

The House subsequently agreed to the references made by the Committee of the Whole, and then adjourned.

It is rumored here that Commodore Stewart is to take temporary charge of the Navy Department. He is now in the city, and his presence perhaps gives occasion to this rumor. HAWKEYE.

OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE SENATE OF LOUISIANA.

MONDAY, January 29, 1844.

Mr Sparrow, on behalf of the Judiciary Committee, to whom had been referred a bill to amend certain articles of the Civil Code and Code of Practice, reported said bill with an amendment.

The bill being taken up, Mr. Sparrow explained the object of this bill was to place our citizens in the same situation as citizens of other States. As it was at present, a citizen of Louisiana could be sued and harrassed while abroad, where he could not have the advantage of producing evidence that could only be obtained at his own domicil. A judgment thus obtained could be brought to this State, and by a simple decree obtained from any of our courts, the property of our citizens could be seized and sold. He was not aware that a similar privilege was granted in our sister States to our citizens, and he believed that in the neighboring States of Alabama, Mississippi and Arkansas, a contrary practice prevailed. It was, then, necessary to commence de novo and prove up the claim, as if a judgment had never been obtained. Our citizens complained of the hardship which the present law occasioned, and they were loud in asking for relief.

The 1st Section of the bill being adopted, the 2d Section was taken up, which provides that all notes, bills or other obligations, secured by mortgage, shall be prescribed by the lapse of ten years after their maturity; which Section produced a discussion, in which Messrs Hoa, Sparrow and Davidson participated, the latter insisting that the proposed amendment should not apply to contracts already existing, and that there should be an express proviso to that effect, and the former senators who sustained the section, as it made the law, as they contended, uniform, and fixed the prescription at one definite period.

The proviso of the Senator from Livingston was taken up, and being rejected, the Section was adopted, and the bill was passed.

The President laid before the Senate a communication from the State Treasurer, conveying the information relative to the disbursements of the Legislature for the last ten years, for its current expenses; which, on motion of Mr Carter, was ordered to be printed.

Mr Bernard moved that 500 copies in French and English be published; which motion was adopted.

The hour having arrived for the election of a United States senator, a message was received from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House were ready to receive the Senate, and to proceed to that election.

The Senate repaired to the Hall of the House of Representatives.

There were 17 senators present, and 60 members of the House of Representatives, both houses being full.

Mr Morse nominated General Joseph Walker, of Rapides, and Mr Brashear, Henry Johnson, of Lafourche Interior.

Messrs. Downs, of the Senate, and Claiborne of the House of Representatives, were appointed Tellers.

The result of the first ballot was as follows:—
For General Walker ... 37 ballots.
For Henry Johnson ... 34 do.
Two ballots in blank. No election.

The two houses proceeded to a second ballot.
The same Tellers being appointed, and the result was as follows:—
For Henry Johnson ... 39
For Joseph Walker ... 36
Two votes in blank.

Mr Henry Johnson was proclaimed duly elected senator of the United States, from Louisiana, for the unexpired term of the Hon. Alexander Porter, deceased.

On motion, the Senate returned to their Chamber.

The President laid before the Senate the Report of the Board of Administrators of the Charity Hospital.

Mr Davidson, with leave, introduced a memorial, accompanied by a bill in relation to the Exchange Bank, which, on his motion, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Whereupon, on motion, the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, 30th January, 1844.

Mr Downs, on behalf of the Special committee to whom was referred the petition of a number of the inhabitants of the parish of Ouachita, praying for the erection of a new parish out of said parish reported a bill to create a new parish to be called the Parish of Morehouse; which, on his motion, was taken up and passed.

The same Senator, with leave, also introduced a bill in relation to judges of the 7th and 9th Judicial Districts, accompanied by a memorial; on his motion, this bill was taken up and passed.

On motion of Mr Ledoux, the Senate took up the bill fixing the manner of holding elections in the Parish of Pointe Coupée, which was passed with an amendment, offered by Mr Morse.

Mr Downs gave notice that he would introduce the following bills:
Act relative to stray animals;
Act providing for the calling of a Convention for the purpose of amending, changing and revising the present Constitution.

Mr Hoa gave notice that he would introduce a bill relative to the collection of State taxes.

Mr Morse gave notice that he would introduce a bill relative to insane person.

On motion of Mr Walker, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the several messages from the House.

Resolution appointing a Joint Committee to examine and report upon the condition of the Charity Hospital. The blank was filled by three members on the part of the Senate, and the resolution was passed.

Act to reduce the rate of conventional interest.

Mr Bernard moved to postpone the consideration of this bill until to-morrow.

Mr Walker was in favor of disposing of it at once. It consisted but a simple proposition, and he did not see the necessity of deferring its consideration.

Mr Hoa, expressed the design of addressing the Senate in opposition to the bill when it should be taken up. He trusted its consideration would not be delayed beyond to-morrow.

Mr Davidson said he was not particular about making an argument upon the bill. What he desired was to have an opportunity of voting upon it, for he intended to record his name in favor of its passage.

Mr Ledoux trusted that the bill would not be disposed of in his absence. Business of an imperative nature would call him away for a few days from the Senate. He was very anxious to vote upon the bill. He was opposed to its passage, and desired to have the opportunity of voting against it.

Mr Walker remarked that he was ready to act upon the bill at present. If however, his colleagues desired its postponement, he should not object, provided it was made the special order for some definite day, when it was to be understood that it was positively to be taken up.

Mr Hoa expressed the hope that the consideration of the bill would not be delayed. We had nothing new of importance before us, and if we put off its consideration, it would come in conflict with important measures that would before long come before us, and our present moments of comparative leisure would not be as available as they ought.

Mr Marshall said he was in favor of taking up the bill and disposing of it without any unnecessary loss of time. The discussions could very well go on, with the understanding that the vote should only be taken when there was a full Senate.

Mr Sparrow said that it was as essential that there should be a full Senate when the bill was discussed as when the vote was taken upon it. If every man's mind was irrevocably made up, where would be the use of discussing it at all, and it would be equally useless to address the Senate, when a large number of its members were absent. The object of discussion was to elicit truth; we ought all to have our minds open to conviction, and the design of an argument was to convince others. He was in favor of postponing the bill, as had been suggested by the Senator from Rapides, and making it the order of the day.

Mr Marshall replied that what he had said in relation to postponing the vote to be taken upon the bill applied to the two Senators who expected to be absent for a few days. The balance of the Senate would be present to participate or to listen to the debate if they choose. Both of these gentlemen had declared that their minds were made up.

Mr Downs argued in favor of taking up the bill and going on with it. We could begin the debate now, and if we did not take the vote before the adjournment, the further consideration of the bill could be renewed to morrow. It was an unfortunate practice to procrastinate the public business for the convenience of members.

Mr Walker said he was perfectly willing to take up the bill now and proceed with it. That in fact was his first wish, and he had only consented to fix it as the special order of the day for next week through deference to some of his colleagues who desired it. He should withdraw the motion for postponement, in favor of taking up the bill immediately.

It being taken up,
Mr Hoa addressed the Senate for some time, in opposition to its Passage.
Mr Lacoste spoke in its favor;
And Messrs Walker and Downs replied to Mr Hoa, urging the expediency and necessity of passing it;
When, on motion, its further consideration was suspended, and the Senate went into executive session; after which they adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, January 31st, 1844

The President appointed Messrs. Hoa, Marshall and Davidson the committee on the part of the Senate to examine and report upon the condition of the Charity Hospital in connection with the committee already appointed on the half of the House.

On motion of Mr. Bernard, the Senate took up the resolution requesting the Governor to deliver the necessary credentials to the Hon Henry Johnson, Senator elect to the Congress of the United States.—The rules were dispensed with and said resolution passed.

Mr. Morse, agreeably to previous notice, introduced a bill relative to insane persons. This bill, said Mr. M., was to supply a casus omissus in relation to insane persons who may commit crimes. He had submitted the bill to the Judiciary Committee who had concurred in the expediency of its passage. It was to provide for the detention of criminals that were acquitted on the plea of insanity until they recover their reason. The act was a transcript of a law that existed in the state of Massachusetts, and he presumed there would be no objection to its passage.

The rules were dispensed with and it was passed.

Order of the Day.

An act to reduce the rate of conventional interest to 8 per cent.

The question was taken upon the adoption of the first section, and the yeas and nays were called for.

Mr Armant said he should vote against the section because he considered money to be similar to merchandize, and it was impossible to regulate its value by any legislative provision.

The section was adopted, 9 yeas—5 nays.

The second section was then taken up.

Mr. Hoa proposed to amend the section by limiting its operation expressly to such contracts for loans of money as might be made after the passage of the bill. As the section now stands it must apply as well to contracts or loans entered into before the passage of the bill as after. This would be unconstitutional; the Supreme Court, he doubted not, would give the section such a limited and constitutional interpretation. But he preferred, as he thought it more creditable to the Legislature, that the section should be free from any constitutional operation, and not be liable to misinterpretations.

Mr Morse proposed a substitute for the section to the effect, that in the event that greater interest than 8 per cent should be exacted, the whole debt should be forfeited in favor of the debtor.

Which substitute gave rise to a debate in which Messrs. Walker, Morse and Sparrow participated.

When the question was taken upon the adoption of the substitute and it was rejected.

The question then recurred on the passage of Mr. Hoa's amendment restricting explicitly the operation of the 2d section to future contracts.

Mr. Hoa moved the [illegible] upon this amendment.

The amendment was taken up and concurred in and the section as amended was adopted. The rules were then dispensed with and the bill underwent its final reading and passed.

Mr Hoa, on behalf of the Finance Committee introduced with amendments, a bill to amend the act of incorporation of the Consolidated Banking Company.

On motion of Mr. Sparrow, the consideration of this bill was postponed until to morrow.

Mr Downs agreeably to previous notice, introduced a bill providing for the calling of the Convention to re-adopt, amend and change the present Constitution.

The first section apportioning the representation of the several Senatorial Districts and Representative Districts was adopted with an amendment offered by Mr. Hoa, that the ratio given should be specified for Senatorial District and Representative District.

The second section fixing the per diem and mileage of the members of the Convention, the same as is now allowed to the members of the Legislature was taken up.

Mr. Hoa moved to amend this section, by fixing the mileage to be received at one half of what was now paid to the members of the Legislature.

Mr. Morse suggested that no mileage at all be allowed.

The amendment of Mr Hoa was taken up and occasioned a debate in which Messrs. Downs, Hoa and Marshall participated.

Mr. Hoa called for the yeas and nays upon the adoption of his amendment. Five yeas and six nays.

The section was then adopted.

On motion, the blank in the third section fixing an appropriation for the necessary expenses of holding the Convention was filled by $40,000, and the section was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Downs, the Senator from Carroll was invited to name three proper persons to serve as commissioners for the purpose of providing suitable buildings and making all other necessary arrangements for the reception of the members of the Convention in the town of Jackson, which place was designated in the bill for holding the Convention, in conformity with the fourth section.

Mr. Carter suggested the names of the Hon. Thomas W. Scott, the Hon. D. J. Pinker and Robert Perry, Esq.

Which names being accepted by the Senate, the section was adopted.

Mr Downs moved that two other commissioners be added to the above named, which motion, being adopted, he proposed the Hon. A. G. Carter, as one, and requested Mr. Carter to name the other.

Mr. Carter observed that he would have preferred that another person than himself should have been selected; but if the senate considered that he could promote by his assistance the meeting of the Convention, he would [illegible] his colleague, he would propose A. M. Dunn, Esq, who resided in the town of Jackson, as the other commissioner.

Messrs Carter and Dunn, were accepted by the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Sparrow, the blank in the last section appropriating an amount at the disposition of the commissioners to make the necessary arrangements, was filled by $5000, subject to the control of the majority of the commissioners for the purpose designated.

The section was then adopted, and on motion of Mr. Downs, the bill underwent its final reading and passed.

Whereupon, the Senate adjourned.

LOUISIANA LEGISLATURE.

OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WEDNESDAY, January 31, 1844.

The House met pursuant to adjournment. The roll being called, 57 members answered to their names.

Leave of absence for a few days was granted to Messrs Brewer, Coffee, Edwards, Gandet, Gailleau, Thibodeaux of Terrebonne and Nicholls.

Mr. Boudousquie presented a petition from St. John the Baptist praying the privilege of a ferry. It was referred to a select committee.

Mr. Selby offered a petition from sundry inhabitants of Ward No. 1 of Madison praying the Legislature to confirm the titles to certain school lands. It was referred to the Judiciary Committee with instructions to report speedily, and power to send for persons and papers.

Mr. Phelps presented two petitions from sundry inhabitants of the parish of Franklin relative to a county seat—also a petition from the parish of Tensas, praying that the east side of Bayou Mason be annexed to the parish of Franklin. These petitions were referred to the delegation from Catahoula, Ouachita and Madison.

Mr. Boudousquie on the part of Mr. Freret, presented a petition from Mr. Chandler containing charges of fraud and malversation in office against John D. Townshend collector of state taxes on pedlars, hawkers, &c. The petition was referred to a committee of five, with power to send for persons and papers. Messrs. Selby, Freret, Allen, and Bordelon, were appointed on the committee.

Mr. Phelps offered a resolution requiring the Civil Engineer to employ the colored convicts to cut out and clean a road from Thibodeauxville to a point at or near A. B. Roman's plantation.

Mr. Ogden, from the Judiciary Committee, reported an act to amend the act, entitled an act, abolishing imprisonment for debt. A substitute for the act of the benefit of suitors; against the bill to repeal the first section of an act fixing the time for sheriff's and coroner's sales. The same member reported the two first sections of the act concerning voluntary surrenders of property.

Mr. Culbertson reported favorably on the petition of H. M. Soleé asking for a pension. The report was accompanied by an act for the relief of H. M. Soleé.

Mr. Taylor asked the House to take up the bill for the relief of the securities of the sheriff of Natchitoches. If the bill were not passed immediately, it would be ineffectual.

Mr. McRae reported a bill to change an election precinct in the parish of Livingston.

Agreeably to previous notice, Mr. Forston presented a bill for the relief of Garlic.

Mr. Culbertson presented a bill relative to removeable property, right and credit under seizure.

Mr. Delassus gave notice of a bill to amend the act of incorporation of the city of New Orleans.

Mr. Selby, on behalf of Mr. Hunt, presented an act relative to the trial of criminal cases in New Orleans. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Wadsworth gave notice of an act for the relief of

M. Ratliff, agreeably to notice, presented a bill for the preservation of the State Library. The bill was taken up, read twice and adopted. The salary of State Librarian was fixed at $30 per month. Mr. Ratliff said he had introduced the bill at the suggestion of the State Librarian, who informed him that the books belonging to the state were exposed not only to injury, but to be carried off without the possibility of preventing it. It would be a saving to the state to empower the secretary to employ a competent person to take charge of the books. The bill was then read a third time and passed.

Mr. Taylor's motion to take up the bill for the relief of the securities of the Sheriff of Natchitoches was put and carried after some explanation by Messrs. Taylor and Stille. Mr Selby opposed the bill as a sort of special legislation to which he was hostile, and which would lead to improper consequences. Mr. Taylor defended the bill, as it would place an amount in the coffers of the State which would be otherwise totally lost.

Mr Selby moved to amend the bill so as to extend it to every Sheriff in the State. Mr. Stille moved to lay the amendment on the table. On this motion the vote stood yeas 27, nays 13.

Mr. Taylor was as much opposed to the establishment of an improper precedent as the gentleman from Carroll, but in this case the State would save some thousand dollars, and it was surely good policy to save the law.

Mr. Philips was glad to hear the gentleman agree with him in principle and sorry he differed from him in practice. The precedent would cost the State large amounts, for personal influence and feeling would continually impel the House to pass such bills. He could not conceive how the bill would save money to the State. If the securities had means, the State could surely get at them, unless they can smuggle up their property and defraud the State.

Mr. Selby contended that the remarks of Mr. Taylor were little creditable to the persons who sought this relief. If they were honest they would pay up whether the bill was passed or not. Another view was that we were destroying the original contract between the State and the securities, which was in solido, but it now proposed to be a joint contract. He wished to know if the constituents of the members authorized them to release persons who were bound to the State. He had not been sent here to annul contracts.

Mr Ogden remarked that he considered himself fully authorized by his constituents to vote for the bill. If a well grounded and honest application for relief were made to the House, we were bound to listen to it and grant it, if possible. He considered the bill an act of indulgence extended by the House to an unfortunate fellow citizen.—He commented upon the facts of the case and argued that the appeal was a well-founded, fair and honorable one, and that the House should yield the boon solicited. Again, unless the amount were paid within 90 days, the indulgence would be forfeited. All these considerations induced him to sustain this bill.

The bill was adopted, yeas 26, nays 15.

Order of the day.

The House resumed the consideration of the bill for the better security of mechanics and others erecting buildings in the city of New Orleans.

Mr Hunt offered some explanations of the principles of the bill, after which it was adopted with an amendment making it applicable to the State at large.

Mr. Claiborne offered an additional section exempting the wages of mechanics from seizure when the sum does not exceed $100. After some discussion the section was lost.

Mr Taylor offered an additional section giving to the mechanics in the country a privilege on the crops for the wages due them. The section was laid on the table, yeas 28, nays 8.

The House adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

FRIDAY, January 26th, 1844.

The House met agreeably to adjournment.

The speaker laid before the House the Annual Report of the Secretary of State, relative to the Public Schools of the City of New Orleans.

On motion, the same was ordered to be printed.

Mr Hunt laid before the House the memorial of sundry citizens of the Second Municipality, and of the city of Lafayette, praying that the Second Municipality and the city of Lafayette, may be formed into a new Parish under the name of Jackson;

On motion, the same was referred to the Delegation of the Parishes of Orleans and Jefferson.

Mr Phelps also laid before the House the memorial of sundry citizens of the Parishes of Catahoula and Franklin, praying for the passage of a law granting a premium for the scalp of every wolf, panther and wild cat, that may be killed within the limits of this State;

On motion, the same was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Manufactures and Commerce.

Mr Boudousquié offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Education be instructed to inquire into and report upon the condition of the State Library.

Mr Musson, on behalf of the Committee on Agriculture, Manufacture and Commerce, to whom had been referred sundry petitions of the citizens of the Parishes of Catahoula and Franklin, praying for the passage of a law granting a premium for the scalp of every wolf, panther and wild cat that may be killed within the limits of this State, submitted the following report:

The Committee on Agriculture, &c., to whom was referred the petition of sundry citizens of the Parishes of Franklin and Catahoula, praying that a law be passed to grant a premium for the scalp of every wolf, wild cat and panther that may be killed within the limits of the State, in order to enable the raising of hogs and sheep, have the pleasure to report: That this Committee are of opinion that this petition be returned to the Police Jury of said Parishes, whose duty it is to provide for the premium called for.
(Signed.) J MUSSON.

On motion, the same was laid on the table, subject to the call of the House.

Mr Hunt, Chairman of the Committee on Banks, informed the House that said committee was progressing in its investigation and would shortly report.

Mr. Voorhies, in behalf of a Select Committee to whom had been referred a petition of sundry citizens of the Parishes of St. Landry and Calcasieu, praying for the appointment of inspectors and guagers of flour and spirits arriving in the town of Washington,

Reported, by a bill entitled:
An Act providing for the inspection and guaging of flour and of spirits arriving in the town of Washington and for other purposes;
Which was read for the first time, and on motion, ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

Mr Wadsworth, agreeably to previous notice, introduced the bill entitled:
An Act more effectually to secure testimony, and to punish incendiaries;
Which was read for the first time, and on motion, ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

Mr Stillé, agreeably to previous notice, introduced the bill entitled:
An act to amend an act entitled: An act more effectually to prevent free persons of color from entering into this State, and for other purposes;
Which was read for the first time, and on motion ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

Mr [illegible], in behalf of the Committee on Finance, informed the House that said committee had made some progress and would shortly report.

Mr O'Bryan, agreeably to previous notice, introduced the bill entitled:
An act to divide the office of the District Attorney in and for the Fifth Judicial District;
Which was read for the first time, and on motion, ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

Mr Ratliff, in behalf of the Committee on Claims, to whom had been referred the memorials of D E Hayden and also of Felix O Neil, praying for relief, reported the following bills entitled:
An act for the relief of D E Hayden.
An act for the relief of Felix O Neil and others;
Which bills were read the first time, and on motion ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

Mr Claiborne, on behalf of the member of Jefferson, agreeably to previous notice, introduced the bill entitled:
An act to amend an act to create an Inspector for flour, beef and pork in and for the city of Lafayette and parish of Jefferson, approved 6th April, 1843;
Which was read for the first time, and on motion, ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

By a message from the Senate, by Mr Davis, their Secretary, the concurrence of the House is requested to the bill entitled:
An act for the relief of Sarah Ann Nimms.

The following members gave notice that they would shortly introduce the following bills entitled:
Mr Culbertson,
An act to incorporate the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the State of Louisiana.
Mr Fluker,
An act to impose a penalty on Teachers of Public Schools for neglect of duty, and for other purposes.
An act for the relief of Lafayette Saunders, Parish Judge of East Feliciana.
Mr Couvillion,
An act to change the mode of approving the accounts of the different officers of the State, in certain cases.
Mr Blanchard,
An act for the relief of Zachariah Richardson of the Parish of Rapides.
Mr Fortson,
An act for the relief of Lathan Gaulick.

Mr Brewer, agreeably to previous notice, introduced the bill entitled:
An act to amend and explain an act entitled: An act amendatory of the several acts concerning the celebration of marriages, approved 27th March, 1843;
Which was read for the first time, and on motion ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

By a message from the Governor, by Mr Ledoux, his Private Secretary, the House was informed that the Governor had this day approved and signed the following bills and resolutions:
An act to exempt certain persons in the Parish of Rapides from serving on juries.
An act to create an additional Police Jury Ward in the Parish of West Baton Rouge.
An act to authorize the Judges of the Probate Courts of the parishes therein mentioned, to appoint Clerks for the said Courts respectively.
A resolution authorizing the Governor of the State, the Attorney General, and Secretary of State, to receive all State bonds, for whatever purpose issued and not appropriated as intended, and cause the same to be destroyed, and a record of such proceedings to be made in the Treasurer's office; and,
A resolution granting leave of absence to the Hon. Felix Bosworth, of the Parish of Carroll, and to the Hon. Gilbert Leonard, of the Parish of Plaquemines.

Mr Howell gave notice that he would shortly introduce the bill entitled:
An act to amend an act for the organization and discipline of the Militia of the State of Louisiana, approved 12th March, 1842, and the 6th April, 1843.

On motion, the House went into a recess of a few minutes.

The House having met again, proceeded to the special order of the day, and took up the bill entitled:
An act to increase the revenue of the State, and to extend the right of suffrage, the first section of which was under consideration when the House adjourned on Tuesday last.

After some discussion on an amendment to the first section offered by Mr Brashear, on motion, the House adjourned till Monday morning, at 10 o'clock.

LATEST DATES.

Boston	Jan. 18	London	Dec. 18
New-York	Jan. 19	Liverpool	Dec. 19
Philadelphia	Jan 19	Paris	Dec. 6
Washington	Jan. 20	Havre	Dec 9
Baltimore	Jan. 20	Mexico	Dec. 15
Charleston	Jan 23	Tampico	Dec. 9
Cincinnati	Jan. 24	Vera Cruz	Jan. 9
Louisville	Jan. 25	Houston	Jan. 26
Havana	Jan. 20	Galveston	Jan. 24

Commercial.

NEW-ORLEANS, THURSDAY NIGHT,
FEBRUARY 1, 1844.

The sales of Cotton to-day amounted to 3,000 bales, and the market is freely supplied at present prices. The greater part was taken for the north and some for England.

LIVERPOOL CLASSIFICATION.

Louisiana and Mississippi.		*Tennessee and N. Ala.*	
Trash and inferior	7½ @ 7¾	Trash and Inferior	00 @ 00
Ordinary	8 @ 8¼	Ordinary	00 @ 00
Middling	8½ @ 8¾	Middling	00 @ 00
Middling Fair	00 @ 9¼	Middling Fair	00 @ 00
Fair	9½ @ 9¾	Fair	00 @ 00
Good fair	10 @ 10¼	Good fair	10 @ 00
Good and fine	11 @ 00	Good and fine	00 @ 10

There is a more plentiful supply of bills on the market and rates are tending downward. We quote London, 7 @ 7½ ℘ cent. prem.—Paris, 5 37½ @ 5 40.—New-York, 60 days, 2¼ @ 2¾ ℘ cent. dis.—Checks, ½ @ 1¼ ℘ cent. discount.

☞ Much has been said in relation to "Hewes' Nerve and Bone Liniment, and "Indian Vegetable Elixir" for rheumatic affections; still, however, there are but few of the great mass in these United States who know any thing of its superior qualities as a specific. No family should be without it. Mothers would experience many comfortable nights' rest, by applying it to their children, who are restless from pains which they cannot describe—a swelling of the glands and other parts, the origin of which is rheumatism. Sold only at 32 Magazine street, by Comstock & Ramsey. f2

☞ CARD.—The splendid and fast running steamer HIGHLANDER, Capt. Alex. Brother, will positively leave for Nashville, Clarksville and intermediate landings This Day, Friday, the 2d inst, at 4 o'clock P. M., at which hour passengers are requested to be on board.
f2 JOHN R SHAW & Co. Agents

☞ NOTICE.—Messrs A. George and Levi Robinson, consignees per ship Plato, from Boston, will please make known their residences to
f2 JOHN A MERRITT & Co, 80 Camp

☞ Neither the captain nor consignees of the British ship INDEPENDENCE, will be accountable for debts contracted by the crew. f2 3t WM MURE.

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LUDLOW & SMITH, Managers.
Last Night of MR. SCHAFFER
And the WILD TENANTS OF THE FOREST.
FRIDAY, February 2d.
The thrilling Drama of MUNGO PARK, or the ARAB OF THE NIGER.
Karfa ... MR. SCHAFFER
In scene 3 a REAL FIGHT between Karfa and a Brazilian Tiger, on the open stage.
Previous to which, the Farce of the HONEST THIEVES.
Teague ... Mr E. Shaw
Abel Day ... T. Placide
Arabella ... Miss E. Randolph

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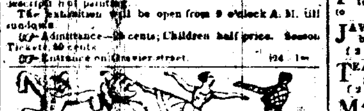
Messrs. ROBINSON & FOSTER, Managers.
TREMENDOUS ATTRACTION:
DICK TURPIN and MAZEPPA on the same night.
Various and elegant equestrian entertainments in the Circle.
S. P. Stickney and his children, for Two Nights only.
Friday Evening, February 2d, 1844.
ROOKWOOD, or the Life and Death of Jack Turpin.
MAZEPPA; OR, THE WILD HORSE OF TARTARY.
S. P. Stickney and his children in the Mischievous Nymphs.
Miss Rosaline Stickney, in the Bavarian Broom Girl.
Hernandez the Giant, as the Emperor of France.
☞ In preparation and speedily will be produced with entire new scenery, dresses and properties, of the most gorgeous description, the Grand Operatic Spectacle, with all the Original Music, called the "BRONZE HORSE," or the Spirit of the Cloud King.
This piece will be produced with the utmost care, without regard to labor or expense, under the immediate direction of Mr Joseph Foster.
☞ Wanted—60 Supernumeraries. Apply to Mr. Naylor, at the Stage door.
For particulars see small bills.
The doors will be opened for the evening at a quarter past 6 o'clock, and the performance will commence at 7 o'clock, precisely. f2

☞ DAUPHINE STREET AMPHITHEATRE ☞
(BETWEEN ST LOUIS AND TOULOUSE STREETS)
HOWES & MABIE, Proprietors
This Evening, Wednesday, January 31st, 1844.
☞ A day performance will be given on Thursday and Saturday, the 1st and 3d of February, commencing at 12 o'clock, M.
MADAME ROMANINI.
Will appear and execute some of her most splendid dances and new and elegant feats on the swinging cord.
MASTER WALTER AYMAR,
Will go through with his unrivalled performances on horseback, and many other astonishing feats.
A great variety of highly interesting entertainments by the talented performers McCollum, Howe, Waterman, Madigan, and others.
Doors open at half past 6—Performance to commence at a quarter past 7.
Seats can be secured by application at the Box Office.
Boxes, 50 cents; children under 10 years of age, to Boxes 25 cents, Pit, 25 cents.
A portion of the Boxes are set apart for the accommodation of Quarteroon families. j31-tf

Washington Ball-Room.
ST PHILLIP STREET, BETWEEN BOURBON AND ROYAL
A FINAL ARRANGEMENT having been entered into, the Manager would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that the Grand Dress and Masquerade BALLS at this establishment will take place on SUNDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, until further notice.
Admission—Gentlemen ... $1,00
Ladies ... 0,50
☞ No weapons are allowed in the Ball room.
jy 25 JAMES O'CONNELL, Manager.

EXHIBITION OF PAINTINGS.
ADAM AND EVE, OR THE TEMPTATION; AND DEATH OF ABEL.
THESE splendid Paintings, by C. Mayr, together with a collection of about forty FANCY PAINTINGS, on different subjects, by the same artist, are now open for exhibition at the corner of Magazine and Gravier streets, in the second story of the Bulletin Office (Arcade Buildings.)
The two principal paintings are each 9 feet by 6½ feet in size, and have excited universal admiration wherever they have been exhibited. The smaller pieces are on a variety of subjects, and in different styles of painting.
C. Mayr also offers his services to the public as PORTRAIT PAINTER; he executes likenesses in any style that may be desired, and can exhibit several specimens and testimonials of his ability to do justice to that branch of his art.
The Exhibition will be open from 9 o'clock A. M. till sundown.
☞ Admittance—25 cents; Children half price. Season Tickets 50 cents.
☞ Entrance on Gravier street. f24 1m



ORLEANS BALL-ROOM.
(On Orleans Street, between Royal and Bourbon Sts.)
The Manager informs the Public that this room has been thoroughly repaired and splendidly decorated by the best artists, and is now pronounced the finest establishment in the country.
The Balls take place every Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday during the season.
☞ The choicest Liquors always kept in the Bar and an excellent Police constantly in attendance.
☞ An excellent Band of Music has been engaged for the season.
Doors open at 8 o'clock.
☞ No Weapons allowed in the room. By order of the
P A DUBORD, Old Manager of the "Washington."

☞ The Rev. Wm H Nicholson, having recovered from his late illness, will resume his pulpit labors in Poydras street Methodist church, on Sunday, 4th inst. at 11 o'clock a. m.

☞ Barque LIVERPOOL, Capt Sainsford, for Liverpool, will clear This Day. Shippers are requested to make their exports at Customhouse early this morning.
f2 S & J P WHITNEY & Co

☞ NOTICE.—The consignee of 25 barrels of vinegar, marked L. [illegible], received per ship Manchester from New York, is requested to call and receive the same, otherwise they will be stored at his expense.
f2 FOSDICK & BRO, 74 Camp

☞ Neither the captain nor the consignee of the French ship BELLE CREOLE will be responsible for the debts contracted by the crew of said vessel.
j30 BLANCHARD EIMER & CO, 24 Bienville st

☞ NOTICE.—Consignees per ship NASHVILLE, Mr Pomeroy, master, from Havre, are respectfully requested to take out their permits at the Customhouse and attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee, opposite the Fort Market of the Third Municipality.
All goods not permitted within five days from this date will be sent to the public stores.
j30 BOUTIN, GALLY & Co, 3 Royal st

PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF MUNICIPALITY NO ONE.
BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
NOTICE is hereby given that the following Public Schools, are now ready to receive Pupils of both Sexes, every day from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.
Boys' School and Girl School, in Conti street, between Bourbon and Royal street.
Boys School and Girl School, in Dauphine street, between Hospital and Ursulines streets.
Parents and Guardians have only to accompany the children to any of the said schools, where without any other formality, they will be received by the Principal Teachers, and taught in French or English as their parents may direct. WM FRERET,
f1 tf President

BIRDS AND LEECHES.
THE subscriber begs leave to inform the public that he has just received per ship Nashville, from Havre, a large assortment of Malay and Egyptian fowls; also an assortment of Chinese and European pheasants, Canary birds and Swans; likewise 13 000 Hungary and 2,000 Swedish mammoth leeches, which will be sold at moderate prices.
f2 J B RUSCONI, 187 Chartres st

DRY GOODS DOWN TOWN!—25 per cent. less than regular prices!
The undersigned respectfully inform the Ladies of New Orleans, that they will open on MONDAY next (Feb 5th) an entirely new and well assorted stock of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods, the whole of which it is their intention to sell at very reduced prices, and prevent the necessity that the Ladies of the First and Third Municipalities have hitherto been under of going up town to make their purchases. MONOD & DAVUCK,
62 Condé st
N. B. Positively no deviating from first prices, as in all cases the lowest price will be asked for every article. f2 3t

MARBLE.
FOR sale by the undersigned, the following articles recently arrived from Italy:—
One Mexican marble tomb.
2,500 Tiles.
2,500 feet of marble, different colors 75 cents a foot.
100 marble mortars.
Steps for surrounding tombs.
f2 3t J VIAU, No. 181 Bourbon street

TO RENT—Two two story brick dwelling houses situated in Foucher street, between Julia and St. Joseph streets. Immediate possession given—Apply to WM EMERSON & Co,
f1 166 Tchoupitoulas

SUNDRIES—1,300 boxes New Bedford sperm candles; 2,000 gallons winter sperm oil, 250 boxes soap; 1,300 bushels plastering hair, in hhds and bbls; 61 cases assorted pickles; 50 casks London Brown Stout; 20 boxes mustard containing a dozen each, 30 bbls pigs tongues, in store, for sale by LINDLEY & RUSSELL,
f2 94 Tchoupitoulas

LOST OR STOLEN—A check signed by the subscribers on the City Bank for Three Hundred and Fifteen Dollars, numbered 6562, and dated on the 20th of January 1844, payable to Liverpool or bearer. The public are cautioned not to receive the same, as the payment has been stopped at the Bank.
f2 S & J P WHITNEY & Co.

PICKLED CATSUPS, &c.—300 boxes assorted fresh pickles, catsups and pepper sauce. Pickled lobsters, lemon syrup, table salt, mustard, pickles in brls and kegs, for sale by J W STANTON & Co,
f2 corner Magazine and Lafayette sts

IMPORTATIONS FROM FRANCE—Per Ville de Bordeaux—Claret Wine, in casks and boxes; Champagne real; Cordials and Liquors; Oil, in baskets; Macaroni and Vermicelli; Mustard; Green Peas, for sale by REYNAUD & FALLON, 34 Tchoupitoulas st

SPERM OIL AND CANDLES—60 casks winter and fall strained bleached and unbleached sperm oil, a pure article; 300 boxes New Bedford sperm candles, for sale by J W STANTON & Co,
f2 Corner Magazine and Lafayette sts

SEGARS—A large assortment of the most favorite brands imported from Havana and Principe, always on hand and for sale by REYNAUD & FALLON,
f2 34 Tchoupitoulas

COCOA—A few bags Laguyra and Caracas, on very low terms, to close consignment, for sale by REYNAUD & FALLON, 34 Tchoupitoulas

LEATHER—sole leather, country made, and calfskin, imported from France, for sale by REYNAUD & FALLON,
f2 34 Tchoupitoulas

HOCK WINE FOR SALE—A few cases Johannesberg, Steinberg, Moselle Scharsberg and red hock for sale at WM MURE'S,
f2 1t 39 Camp

PINE APPLE CHEESE—30 bxs pine apple cheese in fine order, landing and for sale by J W STANTON & Co,
f2 corner of Magazine and Lafayette.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—100 bbls buckwheat flour in ½, ¼, and ⅛ bbls, for sale by J. W STANTON, & Co. corner of Magazine and Lafayette sts

SOAP AND STARCH—500 boxes Nos. 1 and 2 Winchester brand soap and starch, for sale by J W STANTON & Co, corner of Magazine and Lafayette sts

RIO COFFEE—The cargo of schr Eliza, direct from Rio de Janeiro, put up in double linen bags, and for sale by J W STANTON & Co,
f2 corner of Magazine and Lafayette sts.

NOTICE.—As Madame DECAUX is about to leave for France, she will sell the balance of Dry Goods in store below cost price, viz: Black and fancy cloths and cassimeres; cashmere; silk and satin for waistcoats; articles for tailors, such as velvet, tartan, serge, buttons, tassels. Also, a fine assortment of cravats, scarfs, gloves, suspenders, etc.
The Store is to rent till the 1st October next. Apply at 95 Chartres street, corner Conti. j30 3t

CHAMPAGNE WINE—400 baskets of the choice Key brand Champagne, in pint and quart bottles, landing ex ship Nashville, from Havre, for sale by WOOD & SIMMONS, 88 Magazine
Also in Store—200 baskets of the above choice wine, of direct importation; 130 bags Java coffee; 200 bags Laguayra coffee; 1000 pkgs assd green and black teas, 400 one gallon demijohns; 30 dozen Hunt's axes, 400 tierces prime new crop rice. j30

TO BE LET—One new and convenient two story dwelling house situated on Gravier street, next to the corner of St John street. Immediate possession given; rent low, to a good tenant. Apply to
j29 E & E DAVIS, 100 Camp st

DANCING ACADEMY,
162 Royal Street.
BY M. J. DEVOTI.
CLASS FOR YOUNG LADIES every TUESDAY and THURSDAY, from half past 12 o'clock to half-past 2 o'clock.
Class for Gentlemen every Wednesday and Friday, from 6 to 9 o'clock, P. M.; at which time he may be seen on any business.
M. DEVOTI has always continued giving lessons in several public institutions, and has besides, entered into new engagements to teach dancing at the following establishments:
Mrs. Granet's, 96 Bourbon street;
" Allison's, corner Carondelet and St Joseph sts.
" Baquie's, 75 Toulouse st. j1-1m

LEECHES.
THIRTEEN THOUSAND Hungary Leeches, of superior quality, just received per ship Chateaubriand, and for sale at the General Depot, Esplanade street, corner of Casacalvo, 9 and 10, at very moderate prices. The proprietor guarantees their quality and will apply them himself if required, as this has been his profession for many years. He will repair to the residences of those who may need his services.
The same Depot has received per ship Vesta from Havre, five thousand Swedish Leeches, which he will sell at very low prices. J. P. SOUBIRAN. f1

LEECHES.
A Fine assortment of Spanish, Hungarian and Swedish leeches, received by ship Deucalion from Havre, and ship Cairo from Marseilles, for sale, from 5 to 20 cents, warranted, at the General Depot, Barrack street, No. 46 between Conde and Old Levee, near the Mint.
Apothecaries, planters and country dealers supplied at 20 per cent lower. f1

LARD—A small lot of prime leaf lard, in barrels and kegs, landing, and for sale by GEO. AND ROBT. BUCHANAN & Co,
f2 92 Tchoupitoulas

PAINTS—10 cases, consisting of crome green paint; Prussian blue paint; bright Baltimore crome yellow, in store, and for sale by FOSDICK & BRO,
f2 74 Camp

WOOL HATS—20 cases wool hats now landing from ship Nahant and for sale by
f2 FROST & Co, 10 Magazine

RUSSIA HATS—30 cases fashionable and broad brims now landing and for sale by
f2 FROST & Co, 10 Magazine

BROGANS BOOTS, SHOES—40 cases assorted now landing from ship Nahant, and for sale by
f2 FROST & Co. 10 Magazine

CLOTHING—10 cases low priced clothing, suitable for plantation use, for sale by
f2 FROST & Co. 10 Magazine

WRAPPING PAPER—500 reams wrapping paper large and small size, for sale by
f2 FROST & Co, 10 Magazine.

WHISKEY—100 bbls rectified, for sale by WORSLEY & FORMAN, 75 Tchoupitoulas

PRESERVES—Preserves in quarts and pints, currant jelly, for sale by J W STANTON & Co,
f2 corner Magazine and Lafayette sts

HAVANA COFFEE, in store and for sale by REYNAUD & FALLON,
f2 34 Tchoupitoulas

SUGARS, on Plantation, of 12, 16, 40 and 48 miles above the city for sale by REYNAUD & FALLON, 34 Tchoupitoulas

SUGAR—Havana box sugars, yellow in store, and for sale by REYNAUD & FALLON, 34 Tchoupitoulas

FOR SALE—SLATES—10 000 Duchess and 10 000 Countess slates ex ship Independence from Belfast. Apply to WM MURE, 39 Camp st

JAVA COFFEE—200 bags fine old Java coffee, for sale by J W STANTON & Co, corner of Magazine and Lafayette sts

TEAS—200 pkgs superior green and black teas in assorted pkgs for sale by J W STANTON & Co,
f2 corner of Magazine and Lafayette

MACKEREL & CODFISH—30 drums codfish, 200 bbls No 1 and 2 mackerel, for sale by NORCROSS & FOSDICK, 40 Gravier st

BOSTON Refined Sugar—450 packages loaf, powdered and crushed, for sale by NORCROSS & FOSDICK, Gravier st

FOR SALE—650 Hampers of potatoes, ex ship Independence, from Belfast. Apply to WM MURE, 39 Camp

FLOUR—312 barrels flour, landing from steamboat Mary Tompkins, for sale by MERLE, SEYLLE & Co, 45 Old Levee

PINE APPLE CHEESE—50 boxes superior pine apple cheese, just landed, in store, for sale by WM. J BRYAN & Co, 28 Commerce

FLOUR—300 brls St. Louis flour, assorted brands, for Bakers, in store, for sale by WM. BRYAN & Co, 28 Commerce

FAMILY FLOUR—50 bbls extra superior family flour, for sale by WM. J BRYAN & Co. 28 Commerce

RED BEANS—40 bbls red beans, a superior article, in store, for sale by WM J BRYAN & Co. 28 Commerce

BEANS—21 barrels white beans, landing, for sale by GEO AND ROBT. BUCHANAN & Co. 92 Tchoupitoulas

INDIGO—10 serons prime Caracas, for sale by GEO. AND ROBT. BUCHANAN & Co. 92 Tchoupitoulas

WHISKEY—50 bbls Cincinnati rectified whiskey, in store, for sale by WM. J BRYAN & Co, 28 Commerce

SADDLES—A small invoice of New York manufactory in store and for sale by FOSDICK & BRO. 74 Camp st

CIDER—26 brls superior Newark, warranted sweet and in perfect order, in store and for sale by FOSDICK & BRO. 74 Camp st

GUNNY BAGS, cargo of ship Hamilton, direct importation for sale by GEO GREEN & BRO, 92 Gravier

CHAMPAGNE WINE—15 baskets Sillery Mousseux, direct importation, for sale by GEO GREEN & BRO, 92 Gravier

RUSSIA SHEETING—30 bales Russia sheeting in store, for sale by TUFTS & HOBART, 29 Gravier st

GOSHEN BUTTER—15 kegs, prime Goshen butter for sale by TUFTS & HOBART, 29 Gravier

BUTTER—150 kegs fresh Western, for sale by BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co, 92 Tchoupitoulas

LARD in bbls and kegs for sale by BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co, 92 Tchoupitoulas

BACON—12 cks bacon hams, 4 do shoulders, for sale by BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co.
f1 92 Tchoupitoulas.

BARLEY—20 bbls coarse barley, for sale by BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co, 92 Tchoupitoulas st

ROCK CANDY—20 bxs, for sale by BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co. 92 Tchoupitoulas

PENCILS—2 cases assorted numbers, for sale by BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co. 92 Tchoupitoulas

LINSEED OIL—40 bbls, a superior article, in store and for sale by HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN. 44 Poydras

SPICED PIG FEET—10 kegs put up in vinegar for sale by HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN, 44 Poydras

PORK—Mess pork in hf brls, put up for family use, for sale by HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN, 44 Poydras

HAMS, SIDES AND SHOULDERS in store for sale by HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN, 44 Poydras st

BAGGING AND ROPE and TWINE, Fulton and Maysville factories, for sale by SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH, 26 Poydras

CANDLES—50 boxes sperm and stearine in store and for sale by FOSDICK & BROTHER, 74 Camp street

BOOTS, SHOES & BROGANS—1500 cases, comprising a full assortment of fresh and seasonable goods, for sale by R G HOBBS, 12 Customhouse j31

SUGAR—Mould sugar, of superior quality, manufactured expressly for family use, for sale by A GORDON, WYLIE & Co, 52 Bienville

HAVANA COFFEE—300 bags green Havana coffee, in store and for sale by J PRATS, 27 Toulouse

BEESWAX—1000 lbs beeswax, a superior article, in store and for sale by GEORGE HARRISON, 67 Tchoupitoulas

LARD—100 bbls and 210 kegs superior leaf Lard in store, and for sale by HEWETT, HERAN & Co, 65 Camp st

PORK—Mess M O; prime and rump pork at Bozant's inspection, and for sale by HEWETT, HERAN & Co, 65 Camp st

BUTTER—100 kegs western butter in store, and for sale by GEO & ROBT BUCHANAN & Co, 92 Tchoupitoulas

SOAP—300 boxes Morgan's, Kirkman's and G J Hamilton's New York No. soap, in store and for sale by GEORGE HARRISON, 67 Tchoupitoulas

LARD—300 kegs and 30 brls No 1 in store, and for sale by CLYMER, THOMPSON & Co, 46 Tchoupitoulas st

FLOUR—500 brls choice brands, in fine order, in store and for sale by CLYMER, THOMPSON & Co, 46 Tchoupitoulas street

CANVASSED HAMS—15 casks in store and for sale by CLYMER, THOMPSON & Co, 46 Tchoupitoulas st

TOBACCO—Light Mason county segar leaf, in boxes, for sale by SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH, 26 Poydras

LARD—10 bbls superior, put up expressly for the French market, for sale by SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH, 26 Poydras

BEEF—A few bbls M O, at inspection, for sale by LINDLEY & RUSSELL, 94 Tchoupitoulas st

HONEY—10 casks white Havana honey now landing ex schooner T. Street, and for sale by F LAMPRE 38 Old Levee

GLASS—French window glass of all sizes, for sale by SCHMIDT & Co, 58 Bienville st

FLOUR—1000 brls Bradbury Cincinnati City Mills, for sale by SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH, 26 Poydras

TOBACCO—Superior Havana leaf tobacco, vuelta abajo, in store and for sale by REYNAUD & FALLON, 34 Tchoupitoulas

CALCUTTA CARGO—The cargo of ship London, from Calcutta, direct, consisting of 300,000 gunny bags and 1,160 bags saltpetre, now landing, entitled to debenture, for sale by GEO. GREEN & BRO, 92 Gravier f1

BOOTS, SHOES & CLOTHING—150 cases kip brogans, russets, calf, boots, &c; 30 cases striped shirts; Derry frocks; and cotton flannel drawers in store, for sale by TUFTS & HOBART, 29 Gravier

DOMESTICS—150 bales of 4-4 and 7-8 brown sheetings, 20 bales Hamilton stripes, 30 cases Lowell osnaburgs, 10 do 4-4 bleached goods in store, for sale by TUFTS & HOBART, 29 Gravier

SALES THIS DAY.

Boots, Shoes and Brogans
BY VANWINKLE & VINCENT,
16 Chartres st
THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock, at their auction rooms, one hundred and thirty packages Irish goods consisting of calf and kip sewed, and pegged boots and brogans; ladies' shoes, russett, 6 to 13, &c. &c. Also, twenty cases hats. f1

BY W M ROBERTSON & Co., 75 Magazine street
J H PURNESS, Auctioneer
Dry Goods Package Sale
WILL be sold this day, Friday, the 2d February, 150 packages of English, French, German and American dry goods, comprising a general assortment of new and seasonable goods.
Also, to close consignments—20 bales blankets of various styles and qualities, also, 20 bales brown shirtings in bales [illegible] f1

SALES AT AUCTION.

BY J. B. BLACHE.
WILL be sold, on Saturday, the 3d inst, at 10 o'clock, A. M. at his auction store, No. 29 Conti street, 11 boxes moschino netting 4-4, 1 box blue handkerchiefs, 2 boxes French cottonades 3 4, and a variety of other articles, also, 1 box Irish linen, assorted qualities, 1 bale Paris linen and [illegible] settings 10-4, arrived per ship Independence, from Belfast. f2

BY S. COUQUET
Deferred sale.
WILL be sold on Saturday, the 3d February 1844, at 12 o'clock, at the City Exchange, St Louis street,
The negro woman SALLY, aged about — years, an excellent cook, excellent washer and ironer, a good honest servant and worthy of trust, guaranteed and recommended in every respect.
Conditions cash.

BY ANTHONY FERNANDEZ
WM. BERGER, Auctioneer.
Slaves.
SATURDAY next February 3, at the St Louis Exchange, at noon, will be sold, the following slaves,
MOSES, aged about 15 years;
BAZIDE, do 48 do;
BEN, creole mulatto, 32
Terms—Half cash, and the balance at 6 months, in notes satisfactorily endorsed and bearing mortgage until final payment.
The acts of sale before A. Ducatel N. P., at the expense of the purchasers.

BY ANTHONY FERNANDEZ.
WM. BERGER, Auctioneer.
ON Saturday next, 3d February, at noon, at the City Exchange, will be sold:
A LOT OF GROUND, in faubourg Treme, corner of Ursuline and Treme streets, measuring 30 feet front on Ursuline street by a depth of 80 feet, and front on Treme street, with the improvements thereon erected. The improvements are made at good [illegible]. The whole French measure.
Terms—One-fourth cash; the balance at a credit of 6 and 12 months, in notes satisfactorily endorsed and bearing mortgage until final payment. Said notes to bear 8 per cent interest if not paid at maturity.
Act of sale before A Ducatel, notary public

BY HEWLETT & CENAS.
Canal street Property.
WILL be sold on Saturday, the 3d February, at 12 o'clock, at the St Louis Exchange, the following valuable
THREE LOTS OF GROUND.
Lot No 1 forms the corner of Canal and Burgundy streets, measuring 21 feet 4 inches and 4 lines front on Canal street, by 112 feet in depth and front on Burgundy street.
Lot No 2 adjoins No 1, measuring 21 feet 4 inches 3 lines front on Canal street, by 112 feet in depth.
Lot No 3 adjoins No 2 measuring 21 feet 4 inches 3 lines front on Canal street, by 104 feet in depth.
The above three lots have the privilege of an 8 feet alley in the rear, in common to said lots, as per plan, which will be exhibited on the day of sale.
Terms—¼ cash, the balance at 6 and 12 months' credit, for notes endorsed to the satisfaction of the vendor, with mortgage; and if not punctually paid at maturity, to bear interest thereafter at the rate of ten per cent. per annum until final payment. The acts of sale to be completed with within ten days from the day of sale.

BY J A BEARD & RICHARDSON
Choice wines and segars to close consignment.
WILL be sold at auction, on Tuesday, 6th February, at 11 o'clock, at the store No 30 Gravier street, Second Story:
The residue of invoices of superior Rhenish and other wines, consigned to the late firm of F John & Co., comprising a choice lot of Marcobrunner, Geisenberger, Hockheimer, Grafenberger Cabinet; Marcobrunner Cabinet, Liebfraumilch and other favorite brands.
16 cases superior old Madeira, 2 doz. each,
6 baskets Champagne,
[illegible] cases Champagne, Star brand,
[illegible] assorted fruits, &c, &c,
6 pipes Holland gin
Also—100 bls superior fancy brand segars, comprising best Principe, Empresa Regalia, Renana Trabucos, Espanol Regalias, [illegible], Londres, &c. [illegible], Trabucos, Vuelta Abajo Regalias and [illegible].
Terms at sale.
Goods picked and shipped for the country. f1

BY A. FERNANDEZ.
WM BERGER, Auctioneer.
SATURDAY next, 3d February, at the St. Louis Exchange, at 12 o'clock, will be offered for sale, the following valuable property:
A Lot of Ground with the buildings thereon, situate in St. Phillippe street, between Royal and Bourbon streets, divided into three lots according to a plan drawn by Mr. Pilié deputy surveyor:
Lot No. 1 adjoins Royal street, and measures 21 feet 8 inches front on St Phillippe street, by 90 feet in depth, and adjoining No. 2
Lot No. 2 also measures 21 feet 8 inches front, by 90 feet in depth.
Lot No. 3 adjoins No. 2 on one side, and on the other side Bourbon street and the Washington Ball Room, and measures 24 feet 7 inches front by 90 feet in depth.
Terms—One third cash, and the balance at a credit of 6, 12 and 18 months in notes [illegible] not paid at maturity, to bear interest at the rate of 10 per cent.
ALSO,
A Lot of Ground forming the corner of Conti and Robertson, St. Louis and Villere streets. Said lot measures, in American measure, 64 feet 5 inches front on Conti street, by 100 feet in depth on Robertson street.
A Lot of Ground in faubourg Franklin, in square No 4, and bounded by Marigny, Greatmen, Good Children and Morales streets. Said lot is designated by the No 1 [illegible] particular plan of said square drawn by Mr Pilié city surveyor, on the 15th December 1835 and measures 80 feet front on Good Children street, by 103 feet in depth and front on Marigny street.
Terms—for the two last mentioned lots, one-fourth cash, and the balance at a credit of 6, 12, 18 and 24 months. In case of non-payment when the notes become due, to bear interest at 10 per cent.
ALSO,
A Lot of Ground situated in Bagatelle street, between Treme and Marais streets, in the square comprised between Bagatelle, Marais, Conde and Treme streets, measuring, in French measure, 30 feet front by 97 feet in depth, and [illegible] on the side of Marais street by the lands belonging to the succession of Poeygue Dauphin, and on the side of Treme street by the property of [illegible]
This property is fenced up, and the banquet is made and paid for.
Terms—One-half cash, and the balance at a credit of 6 months. In case of non-payment when the note becomes due, to bear interest at the rate of 10 per cent.
Act of sale before A Ducatel, notary public, at the expense of the purchaser. j31

BY J A BEARD & RICHARDSON
Fast Sailing Schooner "Fanny."
WILL BE SOLD at auction on Saturday, 3d February next, 1844, at 12 o'clock, at Banks' Arcade:
The fine fast sailing Baltimore Schooner FANNY, [illegible] months old, coppered and copper fastened, 100 tons register, with a capacity of 1900 barrels, with all her masts, spars, sails, stores, chains, anchors, &c. &c., as she now lies at the opposite side of the river.
To be sold to the highest bidder—Terms Cash.
Inventory to be seen at the office of the auctioneers. f1

LOUISIANA LEGION.
New Orleans, January 26, 1844.
THE Officers commanding the companies of the Louisiana Legion are informed that a distribution of the funds appropriated by the State for the year 1843, and applicable to the muster of the year 1842, will take place on Thursday, 8th February next, at the Louisiana State Bank at 12 o'clock.
G A MONTMAIN, Brigade Quarter Master,
j26 of the Louisiana Legion

OCEAN INSURANCE OFFICE,
New Orleans, January 16, 1844.
THE annual election of Directors of this Company will take place at the office No. 45 Camp street, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 3 P. M. on Monday the 5th of February next. j17—td 5M

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS.
THE price of fresh flour being this day $4 per barrel, (in specie,) according to the Tariff, bakers will give 60 ounces of bread for ten cents, during the ensuing week commencing on Monday, January 29th, 1844.
The loaves of second quality, or three for ten cents, must weigh 20 per cent more, say 60 ounces.
WM FRERET, Mayor.
New Orleans, 27th January, 1844.

BRITISH LACES, HOSIERY AND GIMP TRIMMINGS.
L. J. WELTH, importer of the above goods, at No. 146 Pearl street, New York, and No. 41 Chartres street, New Orleans has just opened eleven cases consisting of
Lisle edgings, all widths,
Malines and Gimpure do,
Fancy figured netts for caps, veils and dresses,
Musquito netts, 10-4 wide, a superior article,
Lace gloves and mitts;
A superior and fresh assortment of Gimp trimmings, plain and mixed colors.
The above goods will be offered at prices satisfactory to jobbers and retailers for cash or approved paper. j22 1w

WINES, CORDIALS, LIQUORS, &c—17 casks Montferrand and St Emilion—good table red wine, 6 casks superior St Julien, old red wine; 15 bbls Haut Barsac, 9 quarter do Haut Sauterne superior white wine; 250 boxes claret wine, entitled to drawback; 150 boxes and 100 baskets Champagne wine, very superior, in pints and quarts; 100 boxes Swiss Absynthe; 10 boxes Kirsch; 100 baskets Anisette; 5 boxes superior Curaçoa in large jugs; 3 do do Maraschino, in large square bottles; 10 boxes assorted Fruits in Brandy; 200 boxes superior Claret wine, Chateau Margaux, St Julien and Leoville; 25 do Claret wine, Pauillac Medoc, in pints; 20 do superior Haut Barsac, white wine; 200 boxes Muscat de Frontignan wine, 50 bbls do do—in store and for sale by
j27 J. ALBERT, 22 St Louis st

RUSSIA Sailcloth, English Navy Canvass, &c.—Imperial sailcloth, 30 inch and 24 inch, from No 1 to 6; do. [illegible], 30 inch English bleached and half bleached navy canvass of all numbers; heavy Ravens duck; cotton twine, 7, 8 and 9 threads, for sailmakers, for sale by
j27 J ALBERT, 22 St Louis st

CHEAP POPULAR PUBLICATIONS.
THE FEMALE BLUEBEARD, or Le Meneur Diable—by Eugene Sue author of the Mysteries of Paris, Matilda, Thereson Dunoyer, &c.
Just received and for sale by
j7 J B STEEL, 14 Camp

THE subscribers offer for sale, now landing ex ship Nashville from Havre, 100 boxes Swiss absynthe from Yersin & Lecoultre; 70 do brandy cherries, Bodin brothers; 40 do Curaçoa; 20 do Maraschino, 20 Dantzick brandy. DARAN, QUEYROUZE & Co,
11 & 15 St Louis street

FOR SALE by the undersigned, and now landing ex ship Plato from Boston—50 boxes Winchester yellow candles, Nos 4, 5, 6 and 8.
f1 DARAN, QUEYROUZE & Co, 11 & 15 St Louis street

STEVEN'S PATENT BALANCES—A full assortment of these articles with apparatus complete, to weigh 600 to 1600 lbs, now in store for sale by
f1 ISAAC BRIDGE, 75 Magazine

FAMILY HAMS—Extra sugar cured canvassed hams in store and for sale by HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN,
f1 44 Poydras st

WHITE LEAD, &c.—500 kegs white lead, pure No. 1; 5000 gallons refined whale oil; 500 do winter sperm oil, 200 boxes sperm candles 50 do patent colored candles, for sale by FIELD & Co, 30 Old Levee.

LIQUORS—25 boxes assorted cordials in full bottles, 10 do Curaçoa, 5 do Wormwood wine, 15 Kirschenwasser, 100 do absynthe, 5 do Maraschino, 20 do Orange flower water, 5 do Chinois, for sale by
j27 LOISON & LILVESTRE, 26 Chartres st

CARVER'S IMPROVED COTTON GINS—The agents for these approved cotton gins are now prepared to offer them at reduced prices.
j27 GEO GREEN & BRO, 92 Gravier st

DROP SHOT—1000 bags Youle's drop shot, assorted numbers, landing from ship Auburn and for sale by
j27 J. ALBERT, 22 St Louis.

WHISKEY—125 brls rectified; 5 do Monongahela, for sale by H McKINNELL & Co,
j27 34 Poydras st

SALERATUS—50 kegs [illegible] saleratus, for sale by TUFTS & HOBART, 29 Gravier st