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Tuesday Morning, March 13, 1855.

THE NORTHERN MAIL came through yesterday with the lastest dates.

EXTRA SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE.

We are greatly cramped for space, but we cannot suffer the opportunity to elapse, without expressing our full, unreserved and hearty concurrence in the views of those of our cotemporaries who have combatted the insane, we were about to say infamous—project of an extra session of the Legislature. The pretext for such a measure is frivolous beyond conception. The Revised Statutes furnish the staple, after having been the statutes already twice revised, and revised the dire and hopeless confusion into which our laws have been thrown by their abortive attempts, we ought to treat the present Legislature, beyond all doubt the feeblest which ever assembled in Louisiana, with the work of codification and collation. The Revised Statutes, for all the benefit the State may hope to derive from them, can well afford to await the patient and enlightened labor of a new Legislature fresh from the people, acquainted with public sentiment, and prepared to obey it. The people have no confidence in the ability of the General Assembly now setting at Baton Rouge. But if they had, is this an opportune moment for the frightful expenditure which an extra session would entail on the treasury so flesh? Is our commerce so flourishing? Are our planters so free from embarrassment? Are the revenues of the State paid in with so much promptness and regularity? Is the general prosperity so marked, that Louisiana can afford some fifty to seventy-five thousand dollars additional expense? Are the Revised Statutes so gigantic a monument of juridical genius, that even the idlers, traders and incapables of the present Legislature can place its several parts in accurate cohesion, and rear it to all its majesty? We do hope and trust that Governor HÉBERT will set his face like flint against the schemes of political intriguers to deplete still further the well nigh exhausted treasury of the State, and that no solicitations will induce him to lend a willing ear to a proposition fraught with nothing but mischief, and which will lead to nothing but a profligate and criminal waste of the public money. The Executive has already won the respect of thousands of good citizens by his firmness and independence, in the Penitentiary question. Let him afford a still happier illustration of these admirable qualities by defeating this abominable project for an extra session—a project uncalled for, undesired, and which there are not twenty stable citizens of Louisiana willing to sanction.

THE OSTEND CONFERENCE.

INTERESTING DEVELOPEMENTS.—The New York papers—the Times and the Herald—publish copious extracts from the correspondence between the Department of State and Mr. SOULE, relative to the acquisition of Cuba, and likewise the joint despatch of Messrs BUCHANAN, MASON, and SOULE, in reference to the proceedings of the Ostend Conference. The correspondence is exceedingly voluminous, filling some two hundred pages.

The first letter is from Mr. MARCY to Mr. SOULE, dated July 23, 1854, and is explicit in regard to the policy of the U. S. Government towards Cuba. He points out the importance of the Island to the United States, and deprecates all interference by France and England in Cuban affairs, showing that protection by any European power would be dangerous to our best interests, and that in case of collision with the United States, such protecting power would be in as good condition to make use of that Island to annoy us, as it would be were it to actual possession. While Spain remains the sovereign of Cuba, she can depend upon our maintaining our duty as a neutral nation towards her. Mr. Marcy says our Neutrality Laws are now as strong as they can be made without unjust interference with the rights of the citizens—that every proper effort will be made to enforce them [illegible] of revolution in Cuba. But necessarily, in such revolution, many ... subjects of Spain will leave our shores to join their countrymen in the effort to throw off the yoke of Spain. Mr. SOULE is charged to do away with the suspicion of this government [illegible] ...

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Mr. MARCY writes to Mr. BUCHANAN, July 24, 1854, complaining of the course of Great Britain in keeping large fleets in the Cuban coast to watch us; stating that Spain, while goading Cuba to insurrection by tyranny and oppression, has no right to invoke foreign aid to suppress it; declaring that we will not submit to the Africanization of Cuba, and instructing Mr. BUCHANAN to use his best endeavors to induce Great Britain to abandon any arrangement she may have entered into with Spain detrimental to our interests.

Mr. MARCY addresses Mr. SOULE, March 11th, 1854, relative to the Black Warrior outrage, and demands redress. On the 17th March he writes again urging a demand of $300,000 in damages, and deprecating delay or equivocation. Spain must at once pay or disclaim the action of her officers in Cuba, or take the consequences. On the 3d April, Mr. MARCY addresses Mr. SOULE in reference to the ... scheme of Spain to introduce a new system of agricultural labor in Cuba, and the President in consequence gives full power to Mr. SOULE to negotiate for the purchase of the Island. Thinks the difficulties in the way of a purchase, have been partially overcome, but if not disposed to sell, believes that for a consideration Spain would consent to the independence of the Island, and offers to aid Spain to bring about this result.

On the 16th Aug. 1854, Mr. MARCY informs Mr. SOULE that he is directed by the President to suggest a full and free interchange of views between Mr. S., Mr. BUCHANAN and Mr. MASON, in relation to the Cuban question. From this missive originated the conference at Ostend and the OFFICIAL REPORT of that conference, bearing the signatures of these ministers who were parties to it, is to the following effect:

AIX LA CHAPELLE, Oct 18, 1854

To Hon. WM. L. MARCY, Secretary of State:

SIR: The undersigned, in compliance with the wish expressed by the President in the several confidential dispatches you have addressed to us respectively to that effect, have met in conference, first at Ostend in Belgium, on the 10th and 11th inst., and then at Aix La Chapelle in Prussia, on the days next following, up to the date hereof.

There has been a full and unreserved interchange of views and sentiments between us, which we are most happy to inform you has resulted in a cordial coincidence of opinion on the grave and important subjects submitted to our consideration.

We have arrived at the conclusion and are thoroughly convinced that an immediate and earnest effort ought to be made by the Government of the United States to purchase Cuba from Spain at any price for which it can be obtained, not exceeding the sum of ——— dollars.

The proposal should, in our opinion, be made in such a manner as to be presented through the necessary diplomatic forms to the Supreme Constituent Cortes about to be assembled. On this momentous question, in which the people both of Spain and the United States are so deeply interested, all our proceedings ought to be open, frank and public. They should be of such a character as to challenge the approbation of the world.

We firmly believe that in the progress of human events the time has arrived when the vital interests of Spain are as seriously involved in the sale as those of the United States in the purchase of the Island; and that the transfer can will prove equally honorable to both nations.

Under these circumstances we cannot anticipate a failure, unless possibly through the malign influence of foreign powers who possess no right whatever to interfere in the matter.

We proceed to state some of the reasons which have brought us to the conclusion; and for the sake of clearness we shall specify them under two distinct heads.

First—The United States ought, if practicable, to purchase Cuba with as little delay as possible.

Second—The probability is great that the Government and Cortes of Spain will prove willing to sell it, because this would essentially promote the highest and best interests of the Spanish people.

In relation to the first proposition, the report sets forth the geographical position of Cuba, showing how important to the U. S. would be its acquisition, and adverts to the system of immigration recently introduced into the Island as prejudicial to our interests, and as rendering delay in acquiring the Island dangerous to the United States. Allusion is made to the African slave trade, and the impossibility of its suppression by the Spanish Government, and the commercial advantages to other nations which would inevitably follow a dissolution of the forced and unnatural connection between Spain and Cuba.

Touching the second point, the report argues that the sum which the United States would be willing to pay for Cuba, would completely extricate Spain from her financial embarrassments, would enable her to build railroads, establish internal improvements, and secure a permanent and profitable market for her productions. Cuba yields nothing to the Spanish exchequer, but is a military post of the in the compliance, instead of a source of profit.

The report goes on to show that the oppression under which the people of Cuba labor will keep alive the spirit of resistance and revolution; that should the President will enforce the neutrality laws inflexibly, it is vain to expect that the sympathies of the American people, and that should the Cubans themselves rise in revolt no human power could prevent citizens of the United States from rushing to their assistance. Again, the settlement of this vexed question by the cession of Cuba to the United States, would, forever present, the dangerous complications between nations to which it may otherwise give birth.

If Spain should obstinately refuse to sell Cuba, the question will arise, what ought to be the course of the American Government under such circumstances. The report upon this point is tolerably explicit. We quote:

Our past history forbids that we should acquire the Island of Cuba without the consent of Spain, unless justified by the great law of self-preservation. We must, in any event, preserve our own conscious rectitude and our own self-respect.

Whilst pursuing this course, we can afford to disregard the censures of the world to which we have been so often and so unjustly exposed.

After we shall have offered Spain a price for Cuba far beyond its present value, and this shall have been refused, it will then be time to consider the question, does Cuba in the possession of Spain seriously endanger our internal peace and the existence of our cherished Union?

Should this question be answered in the affirmative, then by every law, human and divine, we shall be justified in wresting it from Spain, if we possess the power. And this upon the very same principle that would justify an individual in tearing down the burning house of his neighbor if there were no other means of preventing the flames from destroying his own house.

Under such circumstances we ought neither to count the cost nor regard the odds which Spain might enlist against us. We forbear to enter into the question whether the present condition of the Island would justify such a measure. We should, however, be recreant to our duty, be unworthy of our gallant forefathers and commit base treason against our posterity, should we permit Cuba to be Africanized and become a second Domingo, with all its attendant horrors to the white race, and suffer the flames to extend to our neighboring shores, seriously to endanger or actually to consume the fair fabric of our Union.

We fear that the course and current of events are rapidly tending towards such a catastrophe. We, however, hope for the best, though we ought certainly to be prepared for the worst.

We forbear also to investigate the present condition of the question at issue between the United States and Spain. A long series of injuries to our people have been committed in Cuba by Spanish officials, and are unredressed. But recently a most flagrant outrage on the rights of American citizens and on the flag of the United States was perpetrated in the harbor of Havana, under circumstances which, without immediate redress, would have justified a resort to measures of war in vindication of national honor. That outrage is not only unatoned, but the Spanish Government has deliberately sanctioned the acts of its subordinates, and assumed the responsibility attaching to them.

Nothing could more impressively teach us the dangers to which those peaceful relations it has ever been the policy of the United States to cherish with foreign nations are constantly exposed, than the circumstances of that case. Situated as Spain and the United States are, the latter having forborne to resort to extreme measures.

But this course cannot, with due regard to their own dignity as an independent nation, continue. And our recommendations now submitted are dictated by the firm belief that the cession of Cuba to the United States, with stipulations as beneficial to Spain as those suggested, is the only effectual mode of settling all past differences, and of securing the two countries against future collisions.

We have already witnessed the happy results for both countries which followed a similar arrangement in regard to Florida.

Yours, very respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES BUCHANAN,
JOHN Y. MASON,
PIERRE SOULE.

This document we regard as a manly, clear and convincing exposition of the policy best befitting the dignity of the United States and the interests of both our own country and Cuba. How was it received by the Administration, which had suggested the Conference, and hold and all previous communications, urged bold and energetic action? While Secretary MARCY abandoned his ground in double quick time, and replied to the joint despatch in an extremely long epistle, opposing very decidedly the views of the Conference, and directing Mr. SOULE to retrace his steps and resume negotiations at Madrid upon the most peaceable basis. To this, we are told, Mr. SOULE replied in a brief note, stating that the instructions then communicated were of so extraordinary a character so totally at variance with the whole previous policy of the Administration, and disregardful of the humiliating position he would be compelled to assume were he to carry them out, that he resigned his post, and accordingly tendered his resignation. Who can blame him? Who can feel any other sentiment for our miserable Administration save one of profound contempt?

TRUST MORTGAGES.—The Legislature has just added another to the many signal evidences of its incapacity, and unfitness to represent public opinion. On the 9th inst., Senator KING'S bill to provide for the registration of Trust Mortgages, having been put upon its final passage in the Senate, was LOST, by a vote of 9 to 10. Thus all hope of abolishing the accursed system that weighs like an incubus on the energies of the State, is defeated for the present. Heaven be praised, the term of the Legislature is drawing to a close!

THE PENITENTIARY BILL.—The Baton Rouge Advocate of Sunday publishes in extenso Gov. Hebert's veto message on the Penitentiary. It is very voluminous, but is ably written. On its reception by the Senate, a vote was had on the question of passing the bill over the Governor's veto, which resulted in nineteen yeas to five nays. The constitutional majority of two-thirds was twenty-two, and consequently the bill was lost and the Governor's veto sustained.

Immediately after the result of the veto was announced, Mr. Ryan introduced a resolution extending the term of the present lease one year, which resolution having been amended, by substituting seven thousand for four thousand dollars, was adopted by the same vote.

We announce with profound regret the demise of Mrs. FANNY SMITH BULLITT, wife of ALEX. C. BULLITT, of the Picayune. Mrs. BULLITT died on Sunday last, the 11th instant, after a protracted illness.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

In the U. S. Circuit Court at Boston on the 5th, the several cases against Wendell Phillips Theodore Parker and others, for alleged participation in the Burns rendition excitement in May last, were taken up and assigned for Tuesday, the 3d day of April next.

In Alexandria, Va., on the 6th, the Know-Nothing ticket was elected by 300 majority.

The Know-Nothings have carried nearly unanimously the town elections in Massachusetts.

A desperate re-encounter took place at Weldon, N. C., the 5th, between two men named Everett, and Mr. Magrane, the mail agent on the Southern route, in which the latter was so severely shot that his recovery is doubtful. The Everetts were not arrested at the last account.

It is said Louis Baker, who fled the murder and assault upon Bill Poole, has been discovered at Albany.

The Democratic members of Congress say that the bill for the new regiments would not have passed Congress, if they had [illegible] Gen. Reynolds would not have been made a director-General, or that the Department would have ignored civilians as to the subordinate appointments.

George Rowland, Know-Nothing, was chosen Mayor of New Bedford, on the 5th. The vote was as follows: Howland, 1834; Rodman, [illegible], 717.

On the night of the 6th, a terrific tornado passed near Elmira, N. Y., prostrating houses and trees. The Car House of the Railroad was destroyed, together with three locomotives. The McCoy Hotel, near the Depot, and the ... was slightly injured.

[illegible] has been arrested for checking false entries in the pass book to the Irving Saving's Institution. His defalcation will amount to thousands of dollars.

The fine ship [illegible], Capt. Daniels, of Baltimore, bound from New Orleans to Marseilles, with rice and Mexican cargo of cotton, &c., was struck by lightning at sea, and entirely consumed. The captain and crew were fortunately rescued, by a vessel [illegible]. The Seaman was an exceedingly fine vessel, and belonged to Messrs. Thomas & Hand & Co., and others, of this city.

Old Bullion, says one of the Washington correspondents, was characteristic to the last. On Sunday morning, about 10 o'clock, he came in at the House just within the bar, without taking his hat off, and facing towards still going on, proclaimed in a loud voice—"I am now an ex-member of Congress, Sir, one of the people, Sir, and I protest against this usurpation, Sir, this violation of the Constitution, Sir." The Speaker remarked—"If the gentleman is an ex-member he will please step outside the bar of the House." "I warn you, Sir," said the Colonel, "I will not go out ... the Colonel's hat ... still, and ... tell the ... that he has covered himself with glory ... to keep on hand a full supply of blank ... for the use of this dead corrupt Congress.

GEORGE LAW.

As a part of the history of the times we publish the letter of GEORGE LAW to certain members of the Pennsylvania legislature, who had nominated him for the Presidency. Mr. LAW says nothing in reference to this point, but animadverts freely upon the national topics. The letter is marked by a certain frankness that pleases us, and is decidedly vigorous and spirited in its tone, while LAW expresses his deep sympathy with the great American movement, and he progress, is in favor of reforming the naturalization, and the Land system, opposed to coalitions, and hostile alike to sectarian proscription, and the attempts of the Clergy to mingle religion and politics together.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23, 1855.

Gentlemen: I have received the letter which you did me the honor to address me on the 21st instant. Even my early manhood I have been principally engaged in the enterprises and avocations of active life; these enterprises, however, in the opinion of many, have a very important bearing upon the advancement and progress of this great country. During that period of time I have paid comparatively little, as I have taken no more interest in the affairs of the republic, than what a good citizen or a lover of his country takes by putting quietly his vote into the ballot box. Your favorable opinion of me has considerably drawn me from my quiet abode of life, by the proceedings of a very important letter, addressed at Harrisburg, signed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the State of Pennsylvania, several Senators and other members of the Legislature, propounding inquiries of a leading political character, in reference to the present state of public affairs, and the future action of the American people. The honor and compliment combined, of having received a letter from such a high quarter, asking for my humble opinion in the present crisis of our land, are quite sufficient to satisfy my ambition if it is compatible with the solitary act of making this reply. With these impressions on my mind, I cannot hesitate to venture upon the public path to which your letter invites me with so much cordiality, confidence and good feeling.

We have arrived at a very important crisis in the history of this Republic. Parties, principles, and men—statesmen and politicians, all seem to be in a rapid state of decomposition, transition and reconstruction. Indeed, the same aspect of confusion and discord in the public parties, which afflict this country, seems to be a common disorder or epidemic over the whole earth. Europe is laboring in the same condition. What is it? It is the close of one great era of revolution and the beginning of another in the world's civilization. Even ... mysterious country, with which steam is linking us, is filled with ... war, disorder and revolution. Happily, however, for this country, we are possessed of too much religion, intelligence and common sense to cut each other's throats in order to settle differences in religious questions or politics. By our freedom we form our opinions of what is necessary to be done, settle upon common principles, organize into parties, and go quietly to the ballot-box, and there determine, like practical men and civilized beings, every knotty question of the day.

From the first gun of the revolution down to the present day, the people of the United States have passed through three terms of political existence, all allied to each other in general character, but differing in practical results. The great revolutionary period ended with the establishment of the Union, the formation of the Constitution in 1789, and the dignified retirement of Washington from office with all the honor that the American people could confer upon him—their gratitude and affection. The second period of our political history, beginning with the establishment of the republican party, under the auspices of Jefferson and Madison, also great and leading statesmen of their age, ended with the close of Mr. Madison's administration. During that era great questions of foreign and domestic policy were settled. The third period began with the election of General Jackson, and closed with the settlement of many important political issues during his administration. The contests of the democratic and whig parties, now closing in the degeneracy and confusion of all parties, creates the necessity of some new party growing out of the state of the times, to come to renovate and refresh the country and the age. The distinguished men of each of these three periods have passed away, but the recollection of their services to the country still exist. The most recent of the great statesmen—Calhoun, Clay and Webster with some of their cotemporaries—have left us rich legacies ...

But although nearly all the leaders of former party contests have been swept out of existence, yet every day has its new issues and fresh difficulties for parties and statesmen to discuss, to meditate and arrange. During the last few years the original virtue and purity of the two great parties which have contended for the control of affairs, have been mostly departed; both have degenerated and disgraced their native by many important particulars. This corrupt state of things had been predicted by some of our most eminent statesmen. The period has now arrived when, from the exigency of the times, and guided by the lights of the Constitution, the people of this country are preparing for a change, and a re-organization of the present elements and of everything government. That wish and determination on the part of the American people has disclosed itself in the recent elections in different portions of the country in a manner not to be misunderstood, as the North, South, East and West. These results are the beginning of the development of a manly national spirit, crude and anomalous at first, but destined under the guidance of common sense to raise the country from those mines of corruption into which it has fallen by the mismanagement of political leaders.

One of the most dangerous evils which has grown out of the degeneracy of the old parties is that of sectional agitation. Sectional agitation is the great danger that menaces the American Republic. It is the weak point of the Union. The success of our institutions depends upon the degree of confidence felt by the people ... that the Union exists under the disagreeable and malignant sectional agitation which has been forced upon us in these latter days by ... politicians ... the great historical names of our country ... the experience of our own ... abroad.

The negligence and inefficiency with which the public affairs of this country, both foreign and domestic, have been conducted by those in power, whether democratic or whig, for the last few years, have attracted the attention of all sensible men, and created in the minds of the people the necessity of a radical reform. Our system of indirect taxation, commonly called a tariff on imports, has been exhausted of its true purpose of supplying the actual wants of the government, and for giving indirect protection to our manufactures. This system of taxation has proved to be of such a character as to create dangerous surplusses of millions of gold and silver in the Treasury, thereby deranging the currency, throwing exchanges into confusion, and bringing bankruptcy and ruin upon every branch of business. The politicians and statesmen (if they may deserve the name) of the two old parties have been too busily engaged in schemes of personal aggrandizement to arrange this important financial question on such principles as would simply answer the wants of the government and the interests of the country. It is time, therefore, to turn a short corner on these points of policy, and to contrive suitable legislation, not for the purpose of spoils for themselves or dependents, but for the benefit and advantage of the whole country.

This system requires immediate reconstruction upon the highest principles of patriotism and common sense, in order to secure the country from the frequent convulsions and periods of bankruptcy which have occurred during the last three or four administrations. Our treasury and financial system requires examination and amendment in all its details, and in the special working of its machinery.

Our land system has also been equally in error, and shows into a state of confusion by private and personal schemes to get possession of the finest portion of that noble inheritance left us by our ancestors.

Not only does the internal policy of the general Government require the magic hand of statesmen adequate to the age, but our foreign policy (if it can be said that we have any) demands in an eminent degree, the attention of the highest intellect in order to recover it from the state of degradation into which it has fallen. The truth is, the same spirit of degeneracy of our Government, has rid the deleterious influence of the times, has fallen into disorder and wants repair, renovation and completion.

This country was originally founded by emigration from the Old World. The revolutions and consequent persecutions of the sixteenth century drove the first settlers from their homes in the Old World, to seek civil and religious freedom in the wilds of the New. The Puritans who landed at Plymouth Rock—the Lutherans who settled on Manhattan Island—the Cavaliers who sought an asylum on the shores of Chesapeake Bay—the Cavaliers who located at James river, Virginia, and the Huguenots at Charleston, South Carolina—were all pilgrims forced by the same persecutions and revolutions from the Old World, to seek a home in the New, for the exercise and enjoyment of political rights and freedom regulated by morality and religion. In leaving the Old World and their old homes, they left the prejudices and passions of that land, and brought with them to this new clime only the ideas and principles to which that great revolutionary era gave birth. From their first landing, a new society and new civilization took deep root in the soil, and generated the revolution of the last century, ending in the establishment of the great republic. ... growth, which may be fairly called American in ...

In constructing the present Constitution, the framers of that great instrument, remembering the origin of their ancestors, left a memorial of their sympathy for all the oppressed in the Old World, by authorizing Congress to pass naturalization laws of a liberal and generous tendency. But while inserting such a generous provision in the Constitution, as would admit ... other countries to the privileges of this land, it was expected and believed that all emigrants ... would follow the example ... of the Old World, and ... of the new ... for two centuries, and ... foreign birth ... their national or religious ... a country with a ... of the new dependents. All religions and all sects of Christians, are alike protected under the ... when the highest clergy of any sect attempts ... the political power of ... of the ... country ... these deeply ... In this important point of reform, there have ... of late, in different ...

(Signed) ... GEORGE LAW.

To the Honorable Henry K. Strong, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Harrisburg, Penn.;

And the Honorable Wm. A. Crab, John Fergenson, John W. Killinger, John Hendricks, Senators;

Alex. McConnell, John J. Myers, George S. King, C. S. Eyster, E. G. Waterhouse, Saml J. Kreppe, Samuel B. Page, Members of the House of Representatives;

And many others.

By Telegraph!

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[By the National Line.]

State Legislature.

BATON ROUGE, March 12.—In the Senate to-day, acts to amend the charter of the Camp Street Orphan Asylum, and paying J. A. Kelly for losses incurred as State Printer, were passed.

The bill to protect the interests of the State in the canal constructed by the Canal Bank, was referred to a special committee.

In the House, $30,000 were appropriated for the erection of the statue of Gen. Jackson on Jackson Square, New Orleans.

The bill to protect New Orleans from inundation was reported, with amendments.

FROM THE RIO GRANDE.

By the arrival of the steamer *Nautilus*, we have received Brownsville papers of the 7th inst. That paper has a notice of Mexican affairs, from which we take the following:

Within the past week two Mexican war steamers have arrived at the mouth of the river, and pretty well authenticated rumor has it that they came for troops. It is stated that the insurgents at the South are overcoming every obstacle, and are enthusiastically pursuing their triumphal march to the seat of Government.—Santa Anna's forces being two weeks, retire before them, while the people are flocking to the standard of the insurgents from all directions.

We have been assured that all the troops on this line are now [illegible] will be, placed under marching orders ... portion of them for Vera Cruz and the rest ... for Tampico, where disturbances are expected. With the removal of the troops from this line may be anticipated an outbreak here, which in fact the menacing presence of large bodies of government forces alone now prevents. The popular commander, Gen. La Vega, is said, is to return, instantly to the capital.

Santa Anna has issued an address to the nation, in which he says that though now for all vanquished in years, having been repeatedly called by the spontaneous voice of the people to supreme command, he now again takes position at their head. He informs them that the nation has been brought to the verge of an abyss, and that it will require all the force of energetic, prompt, united action to save it from the ruinous fall.

LOUISIANA ITEMS.

The Alexandria *Democrat* of the 7th says that Odd Fellows' Hall, in that town, took fire on the Sunday previous, but that after great exertions, the flames were extinguished and the building saved. The damage is estimated at $1,200 or $1,500.

We take the following from the Natchitoches *Chronicle*:

We learn that a murder was committed on Wednesday night, in the neighborhood of Crump's, in this parish, near the Sabine line. It seems that two Irishmen, one named Bill Connell, and another whose name we do not recollect, embarked on a drunken spree at the residence of Connell, who, during the night, so severely beat, with a stick, his companion that he fractured his skull, and he died the next morning. The cause, as usual, was whiskey, a barrel of Red eye being at Connell's house.

The Minden *Gazette*, published in the parish of Claiborne, and heretofore a warm Democratic paper, comes out strongly in favor of the Know-Nothings.

Supreme Court of the United States.

MONDAY, March 5, 1855.

Hon. Thos. A. Hendricks, of Indiana; Lucius Patterson, Esq., of Michigan; and Samuel B. Judd, Esq., of Illinois, were admitted attorneys and counsellors of this Court.

No. 86, John C. Hays, plaintiff in error, vs. The Pacific Mail Steamship Company. The argument of this cause was continued by Messrs. Davidge and Vinton for the defendants in error.

Adjourned till to-morrow, 11 o'clock.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

GOTTSCHALK'S CONCERT TO-NIGHT.—The distinguished artist gives a grand farewell concert to night at Odd Fellows' Hall, on which occasion a remarkably rich bill of fare is offered. GOTTSCHALK himself performs a grand fantasia on themes from Lucia; a highly piquant negro melody, heard by the composer in the woods of Cuba; a new, splendid and difficult composition entitled "Italian Glories," on themes from Norma and Sonnambula; American Sketches, dedicated to the New Orleans Firemen; a religious meditation, and the Carnival of Venice. In addition to these morceaux, GOTTSCHALK will be assisted by Mr. GRENEVELT and Mme LAGET PLANTERRE, of the Orleans Theatre, and by Mr. GROENEVELT, a fine pianist. We anticipate a brilliant audience to welcome the great artist back to his native city. We are told that several of the pieces to be performed by GOTTSCHALK are extraordinarily fine and effective.

MADAM DE VAIRS.—Another fashionable and discriminating audience greeted MADAME DE VAIRS last night at her second concert in this city, and if it were possible she contrived to surpass her former great efforts of Friday last. The opening aria from Lucrezia Borgia, Come e Bello, she gave with immense effect, and was rapturously applauded at its close, and in each and every piece allotted to her in the programme was sung with surpassing beauty. But the crowning gem of the evening was the Flute-Aria from Mozart's opera of the Magic Flute, not so much from the great beauty of the piece, as the difficulties the artist has to overcome in rendering it.

Signora Morrino, Lazare and Pazzarell appeared in a choice selection of pieces, and by their able assistance, greatly added to the pleasure of the concert.

We understand it is the intention of the friends of MADAME DE VAIRS to give her a Grand Complimentary Concert on Friday next, which will positively be her farewell appearance in this city, as she will leave for the North on Saturday next. We shall have more to say of this in future.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.—The performance to-night at the St. Charles Theatre are for the benefit of Mrs. Mary Provost Addams, an actress of considerable talent, who has made herself quite a favorite here during the short engagement she has played.—She will appear as Julia Mortimer, in Bulwer's "Richelieu," and as Louise, in the farce, entitled "The Dead Shot." In the former piece, Mrs. Berlaine and Mr. Pope will appear, and in the latter, that capital comedian, Mr. Bernard.

THE GAINES CASE.—Judge Lea, of the Second District Court, yesterday morning decided on the petition of Mrs. Myra Clarke Gaines for the probat of an alleged last will and testament of Daniel Clark, her father. The decision is a very lengthy one, we must therefore content ourselves with a synopsis of it. Judge Lea decides, in effect, that there must be three things proved in order for the petitioner be make out her case: 1st, that Daniel Clark did execute a last will, containing the testamentary dispositions set forth in the petition; 2d, that this will was clothed with the formalities required by law, viz: that it was written, and dated, and signed in the handwriting of the testator; and 3d, that Clark died without having destroyed or revoked it.

He then reviews the facts of the case, and expresses the opinion that Daniel Clark did make a will in 1813, constituting his daughter his principal heir, as alleged in the petition; and that he had already made one will, he probably was able to make ... the proof of these facts, in accordance with law, was wanting. In order to prove the will, ... upon, in the Court, it would be necessary to adduce at least two witnesses, who had often seen the deceased write and sign ... The ... had not been done ... law had not been ... Testimony that would be in ... hands ... the will actually in Court ... be admitted to proved last will.

... this application of the ... the proof of ... will, ... be unable to prove their rights, and therefore render ... in ... injustice ... permits that ... the court ordered, that the application ... be dismissed without prejudice ... her to ... the ... of ...

MORTUARY OF THE CITY.—For the week ending on Sunday, the 11th, at 6 A. M., the interments in the different cemeteries of the city were as follows:

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COMMERCIAL

The Markets.

BEE OFFICE, MONDAY EVENING, March 12, 1855.

COTTON.—The sales have been ... bales, at former prices.

NEW ORLEANS CLASSIFICATION—LOUISIANA AND MISSISSIPPI.

Inferior	...	Middling Fair	...
Ordinary	...	Fair	...
Middling	7¾ @ 8	Good Fair	...
Good Middling	8½ @	Good & Fine	...
Middling Fair	...		

Nothing has been done in Tobacco.

The Sugar market was quiet, with sales of 300 hhds., at ... Prices about the same.

Of Molasses, 1000 bbls were sold at 17½ @ 18c ⅌ gallon.

The Flour market is unchanged. Small sales of superfine were made at $9.25, and 500 bbls extra at $10 ⅌ bbl.

Of Corn, about 4,000 sacks were sold at ... ⅌ bushel.

Two sales of Oats amounted to 1000 sacks, at ... ⅌ bushel.

Of Pork, 200 bbls were sold at $14 for M. O. and $16 for Mess.

A sale of 350 bbls and tierces Lard was made at 9¾c.

Nearly 200 casks Bacon were sold at 7¾c for Sides and 6½c for Shoulders.

Nothing of consequence was done in Whiskey.

Coffee is firm, with sales of 2000 bags, at 10½ @ 10¾ for fair; 10 at 10¼, and 800 damaged at 8 @ 8½c.

Exchange is firmer. We quote:

EXCHANGE ON NEW YORK.

Sterling	7½ @ 8 ⅌ cent prem.
France	5f 26¼ @ 5f 15 ⅌ dol.
New York, sixty day bills	1½ @ 1¾ ⅌ cent dis.
Do. Checks	...
Short Sight	...
Bank Checks	...
Boston, sixty days	...
Philadelphia, do	...
Havana, three and eight days	...

Nothing was done in Freights.

MESSRS. EDITORS.—The friends of Judge **Thomas H. Kennedy**, of the Third District Court, respect you to announce him as a candidate for the Associate Judgeship of the Supreme Court, at the approaching election, to fill the vacancy that will occur by the expiration of the commission, limited to two years by the Constitution of the State. The District comprises Plaquemines, St. Bernard, that portion of the Parish of Orleans on the right bank of the river, and that portion of the city below Julia street, including the settlements of the Lake. feb 28—tf

Commercial Bank of New Orleans. Water Works Department.

13th MARCH, 1855.

THE following gentlemen were elected Directors of this Institution by the Stockholders on the 5th instant: William Alling, J. D. Denegre, A. Carriere, Pierre Poutz, A. W. Smith, Adam Giffin. And at a meeting of the Board, held on the 7th instant, William Alling, Esq., was unanimously re-elected President. J. E. PERCY, Secretary. m13 2t

Notice. A COURIER, lately from Europe, and having the best recommendations, offers his services to a family who would intend traveling in France and Italy. He speaks French, Italian and English. Apply, till the 20th inst., to the Door Keeper of the Orleans Hotel, Chartres street. m13—1w

For Sale. A CREOLE NEGRO BOY, aged 20 years, an excellent cook, highly recommended, and fully guaranteed against the vices and maladies prescribed by law. Apply at No 98 Customhouse street, corner Bourbon. m13

For Sale. A FINE Residence on St. Philip street, between Rampart and Burgundy, with six rooms, coach house, hay garret, rooms, two story and ... kitchen. For terms, apply to Mr. DEBET, corner Customhouse and Bourbon sts. m13

For Attakapas, by Sea.—The ... steamship A. FUSILIER, Cheney master, will leave on WEDNESDAY EVENING next, 14th inst., at 5 o'clock P. M., and will take freight for Pattersonville, Centreville, Franklin, New Iberia, and all intermediate landings, as well as Bayou Sarah and mouth of Bayou Black. The steamer will be ready to receive freight on Monday, morning, foot of St. Louis street. For freight or passage, apply on board, or to CHS DEBLANC, No. 14 New Customhouse st. m13 Shippers to pay freight on producing receipt of delivery in good order.

To Dealers. JUST received per steamships Crescent City and Cahawba, from New York, the following articles, which are offered at the lowest market prices, and on liberal terms: Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, plain and fancy; Ladies' do; Children's do; Embroidered Collars and Bands; Table Cloth; Madras Handkerchiefs; Silk Foulards; new style Cravats; Gloves; Buttons, all descriptions; Cutlery; ... Also an extensive assortment of Fancy Articles. P. M. CHAMPAGNOL, Corner Common and Old Levee. m13

HOSIERY.—An invoice of 15 cases assorted Cotton Hosiery, consisting of ladies', misses' and children's hose, and men's and boys' half hose, expressly ordered for this market, will be sold at a low price to close consignment. C. T. BUDDECKE & CO., 100 Tchoupitoulas st.

CHAMPAGNE.—To close consignment—50 baskets Creme de Bouzy, brand Joseph Perrier, for sale by A. COUTIN, 13 Bienville st.

CORKS.—15 bales 25,000 each, pointed Corks, 12 do, 15,000 each regular do, for sale by A. COUTIN, 13 Bienville st.

IN STORE.—300 boxes St. Julien Claret; 150 do Margaux Claret; 250 boxes Haut Sauternes; 172 boxes Vermouth; 100 do Sardines; ... Orange Flower Water; ... for sale by A. COUTIN, 13 Bienville st.

ABSYNTH AND KIRSCHENWASSER.—To arrive per ship Mulhouse, from Havre: 50 boxes Absynth, S. Pernod, superior; 25 do Kirschenwasser, do; 20 do Absynth, Veuve & Lacoste, superior; 25 do Kirschenwasser, do; ... 4 boxes Gruyere Cheese each; for sale by A. COUTIN, Bienville st.

POTATOES.—Deliverable on the arrival of ship Jessore, from Boston, 375 bbls White Potatoes, for sale by A. COUTIN, Bienville st, No 13.

Spring Hats! NEW HAT STORE, No. 23 Chartres street. THE undersigned informs his numerous customers that he has just received from Europe and the North the balance of his seasonable Hats, viz: Silk Hats, ... Grey Beaver do; Plain Felt do; ... Panama Hats, for men and boys, all descriptions; ... Straw Bonnets, for ladies and girls, all forms and qualities. ... J. J. ALBERT.

Great Reduction in Prices of Linens. WE will have opened THIS DAY, a large invoice of superior and unrecovered FAMILY LINENS, bought at 50 cents on the dollar, which we will sell at an equal reduction of prices. We have received a large addition to our stock of PRINTED LINENS, and will sell the whole at a great reduction on former prices. We will have opened a few more cases of those handsome LAWNS and GINGHAMS, of ... P. & E. REILLY, corner Canal and Royal sts. m12 1w

Silk and Lace Mantles. JUST received by Cahawba, a splendid assortment of SILK and LACE MANTLES. —ALSO— 300 elegant PARASOLS, which we will offer at $2 75. P & E REILLY, cor Canal and Royal sts. m9 1w

SPRING FASHIONS AND NOVELTIES OLYMPE, No. 34 Chartres Street, corner of Customhouse, HAS the honor of informing her numerous customers that she has just received from France a splendid and new assortment of SPRING GOODS, consisting especially in plain and fancy Straw Bonnets, tulle and crape Hoods, Straw Bonnets for youths, girls and children, tasteful and embroidered Mantles, Ribbons, fancy striped Silks, printed Muslin Dresses with flounces, Silk, Muslin and Grenadine Dresses with flounces, Points and Black Lace Mantles, Embroideries, Feloine Gloves and Lace Mitts, Fans, Marquise Umbrellas, new style, &c., and that she will expose them for sale on Thursday next, 15th inst. Olympe avails herself of this opportunity to inform the ladies of this city that, desirous of liquidating her whole stock previous to her departure for France, she has made a great reduction in the prices of her goods. m12

Mme. Fournier. JUST received by late arrivals, her assortment of SPRING and SUMMER GOODS, comprising Straw Bonnets, fancy Dresses, Muslin and Organdie do, with Flounces, Right Birth of all descriptions, summer Goods, &c. &c., of the latest style. m12

FRESH CAROLINA COW PEAS. 350 SACKS CAROLINA COW PEAS, for seed, in store and landing ex schr. Mary Lucre. For sale in lots to suit purchasers, by GONZALES BROS., No. 11 Front Levee, between Customhouse and Bienville sts. m12

DOLBEAR'S WRITING AND BOOK-KEEPING ACADEMY, No. 108 CANAL Street, is open day and evening. New pupils begin this week. A few easy lessons will correct the worst hand, and give freedom, elegance and rapidity. Citizens and Strangers are invited to call. Success guaranteed to all. Merchants apply here for Clerks and Book-keepers. RUFUS DOLBEAR, 108 Canal street.

Notice to Dealers in Dry Goods. D. H. ... & Co., No. 87 Chartres street, offer for sale an extensive assortment of SILK PAPER, assorted sizes, received from Havre, per ship ... m12

Scotch Herrings. RECEIVED and landing, per ship John McKenzie and Mary— 100 kegs Loch Fyne Herrings, put up expressly to our own order for this market. ... Sardines, ... Sea ... dried Whiting, fresh Salmon, &c. For sale by ... GONZALES & CO.

EXPERIENCE SCOTCH ALE.—In quarts and pints, just received per ship John McKenzie, from Glasgow, for sale by J. Y. DE DUANA, 47 Bienville street.

WHISKEY.—500 half bbls Boyle's Rose, for sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO.

BRANDY AND GIN.—... American brandy, ... for sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas street.

LARD OIL.—100 bbls winter strained, for sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas street.

CANDLES.—... boxes, ... half and 200 quarter, ... for sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO.

WHISKEY.—30 bbls old Monongahela, for sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas st.

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SOAP.—... boxes ... VOORHIES, GRIGGS & CO.

DRAWBACK ... VOORHIES, GRIGGS & CO.

CODFISH.—... VOORHIES, GRIGGS & CO.

COTTON, SCRAPERS.—Having arranged with the manufacturers of the cotton scrap ... offered for sale by Messrs. Scott & Webbers, ... we offer them to the trade on favorable terms. H. M. BARLOW & CO.

RICE.—... for sale by H. M. BARLOW & CO.

Residence at Bay St. Louis for Sale. TWO well finished HOUSES, ... adjoining each other, with all the necessary conveniences, outbuilding, &c. ... For particulars, apply to E J HART & CO., 77 & 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

For Sale. A NEGRO, about 30 years of age, excellent French cook, highly recommended, and guaranteed against the vices and maladies prescribed by law. Apply at No. 75 Customhouse street.

Stores Wanted. WANTED to purchase, several STORES in the Commercial ... between Gravier, Common, Camp and St. Charles. Persons wishing to sell, will please apply at No. 56 Customhouse street, from ... to ...

Wanted. ONE or two Clerks, Englishmen with the French, and speaking the language. ... L. LAMBERT ... & CO., Royal street.

FOR HAVANA.—The well known ... schooner MIRANDA, Captain ... for Havana ... For balance of freight or passage, ... apply to the Captain on board, ... E. CABUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

House to Rent. THE first story of the house on Customhouse street, No. 121, with the outhouses, with a fine yard, kitchen, servants' rooms, &c. Apply to C. CAVAROC & CO., 144 Royal street.

LANDING from ship Amerika, from Bordeaux:—10 casks white Wine, Haut Sauterne; 50 barrels do, for sale by X LAMBERT, 62 Magazine street.

LANDING ex ship Sylphide, from Bordeaux—50 cases Claret Wine, St. Julien Medoc; 10 do white Wine, Haut Sauterne; 45 barrels white Wine, Haut Sauterne. For sale by X. LAMBERT, No. 62 Magazine street.

Crushed Coal. TO arrive per ship Calcutta, from Philadelphia—20 hhds crushed Coal, for sale by X. LAMBERT, 62 Magazine st.

CLARET—80 casks, 100 boxes, landing ex ship Sylphide, from Bordeaux, for sale by J B PREAU & CO, 21 & 23 Gravier st.

WHITE WINE—18 half bbls landing ex ship Sylphide, from Bordeaux, for sale by J B PREAU & CO, 21 and 23 Gravier st.

SARDINES—10 cases of 100 half boxes each Sardines in oil, J. Canaud, landing ex ship Elizabeth, from Havre, for sale by E. ROCHEREAU & CO., 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

VERMOUTH—20 cases Vermouth, Noilly & Prat, for sale by E ROCHEREAU & CO, 17 and 19 St Louis st.

CLARET—25 casks Claret, Dayrie Margaux; ... do; St Julien; 60 cases Claret, Lafitte, Larose, Margaux, quarts; 40 do do do, pints; for sale by EUG ROCHEREAU & CO, 17 and 19 St Louis st.

WHITE WINE—25 barrels white Wine, Haut Sauterne, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO, 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

RICE—70 casks Rice, strictly fine, in store and for sale by H MEUGENS, 31 Common st.

MANUFACTURED TOBACCO—... boxes assorted brands and qualities, for sale by E J HART & CO, 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

TEA—750 half chests Powchung, in store and for sale by E J HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

WINES—Madeira, Port and Sherry, Claret, ... cases and casks, for sale by E J HART & CO, 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

BRANDY—Pinet, Castillon & Co, assorted vintages; Proprietors, Dupuy, Rouret, St. Georges, Salbert, etc., in store, for sale by E J HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas street.

PEPPER—50 bags in store, for sale by E J HART & CO, 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

APPLE AND PEACH BRANDY—50 barrels in store, for sale by E J HART & CO, 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

Notice. To City and Country Dealers. RECEIVED per ship Sylphide, Wolfingen and other Havre, from New York, the following goods, which we offer at the lowest market prices and on liberal terms: Berege, new style, Bayadere, Robes, Mousseline, Jaconets, Brilliantines, &c.; Damasks, Ginghams and Turkey Red; 4 cases embroideries, all styles; 4 do plain barege, assorted colors; 5 do plain delaine; 4 do mourning do and half do; 10 do English prints, new pattern; 20 do prints, first brands; 10 do black tulle crape; 6 do colored check and ...; 3 do fresh cottonades; 8 do brown and white Drills; 8 do colored Hdkfs, all patterns; 6 do linen cambric Hdkfs, assorted qualities; 5 do farm tire prints; 10 do black cotton velvet; 3 do plain and washable ribbons; 5 do Organdies; 6 do Hamilton twine; 10 do fast color prints, Nos. 10 to 16; 2 do fancy Hdkfs, for pants; 6 do fine plain drills; 5 do Novelle d'Asie; 5 do bleached cottons, all brands; 1000 pieces 8th cottonades. L. DUCOURNAU, 23 Chartres st.

LANDING ex ship Silas Holmes, from New York—1300 pieces brown and half bone, very low; 6 cases mourning prints and half do do; 10 do Hamilton Cotton Velvet; 500 pieces plain Swiss muslin; 300 do muslin do ..., finely figured; 2 cases Jacquard muslin, &c. &c. For sale by L. DUCOURNAU, Chartres street, No 25.

LATELY received and for sale by the undersigned—4 bales grey Osnaburgs; 2 do Toile de Rouen; ... Spanish Napkins and Towels; 2 bales brown Damask ... 1 case fine Brussels; 1 case brown and bleached ... Linen, for sale by I. S. DUCOURNAU, 23 Chartres st.

Goods for the Mexican Market. FOR sale by the undersigned, at moderate prices—4 cases ... bottons; 1 do ...; 1 do Verona handkerchiefs; 1 do prints; 6 camlet jeans; 2 do bandanas; 1 do cotton ...; 10 do cottonnes; 4 do cotton shirts. L. S. DUCOURNAU, No. 25 Chartres street.

LANDING ex ship Sylphide, from Bordeaux—13 cases, 30 boxes each, sardines—Dufeu, Nantz; 100 do 100 hf do do; 25 do 100 qr do do; 25 do 50 hf do ...; 4 do 50 hf do; ... 10 boxes assorted fruits in juice, in bottles; 10 do ... hf bottles, for sale by HENRY VALETON, St Louis street, No 90.

QUININE—4600 ounces, for sale by E J HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas street.

MERCURIALS—150 lbs English Calomel; 150 do English Blue Mass; 100 do Mercurial Ointment, for sale by E J HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

ACIDS—120 carboys sulphuric; 20 do Nitric; 10 do Muriatic, all of Philadelphia manufacture, E J HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

WHITE LEAD—30 tons Philadelphia manufactured, in various sized packages, for sale by E J HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

ZINC PAINT—20 tons, Lewis & Co., Philadelphia, guaranteed of superior quality, for sale by E J HART & CO, 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

CHAMPAGNE WINE—50 baskets Champagne Montecart; 20 do do, in half bottles; 40 do do Vinegar & Co, in store and for sale by FOO DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee.

BRANDY CHERRIES—150 boxes Brandy Cherries, in store and for sale by FOO DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee st.

OLIVE OIL—500 boxes Jos. Fleurie's Olive Oil, 300 baskets do do; 25 do do Bouquet, in store and for sale by FOO DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee.

PORTO—50 bbls good Porto Wine, in store and for sale by FOO DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee st.

LANDING ex ship Sylphide, from Bordeaux, and for sale by the undersigned—40 casks Red Wine. FOO DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee st.

RED WINE—3000 boxes Claret Wine BM & BBF; 40 pipes red wine Valdepeñas; 100 casks do BM; 40 do do Bergasse, in store and for sale by FOO DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee.

ALMONDS—500 boxes soft shelled almonds, in store and for sale by FOO DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee st.

MADEIRA—50 bbls imitation Madeira wine, in store and for sale by F. DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee st.

SOAP—250 boxes Castile Soap, in store and for sale by FDO. DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee street.

FRUITS IN JUICE—... cases assorted Fruits in Juice, ... in store and for sale by FDO DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee street.

LANDING ex ship ... from Bordeaux, and for sale by the undersigned, 300 boxes red wine; 300 do white wine, Sauterne; 50 do white wine, Barsac; 300 do claret wine, Margaux Medoc. FDO. DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee.

MUSCATEL WINE—200 boxes good Muscatel wine, in store and for sale by FDO. DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee st.

BRANDY FRUITS—... boxes assorted Brandy Fruits, in store and for sale by FDO. DE FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee st.

To Gardeners. WANTED IMMEDIATELY, A Gardener for Texas, who can come well recommended. Apply to ANT. GIRAUD, 44 Old Levee st.

MARSEILLES WINE, entitled to debenture—50 casks Marseilles Claret, for sale by ANT. GIRAUD, 44 Old Levee st.

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LIMONADE ... ANT. GIRAUD, 44 Old Levee.

CHAMPAGNE, entitled to debenture ... C. CAVAROC & CO.

EMPTY BOTTLES—300 hampers Claret Bottles, for sale by C. CAVAROC & CO., 144 Royal st.

SARDINES ... C. CAVAROC & CO., 144 Royal st.

BORDEAUX ... C. CAVAROC & CO., 144 Royal st.

HAVANA PRESERVES—... C. CAVAROC & CO., 144 Royal st.

SWEET OIL—300 baskets, various brands; 600 ⅌ do do, in store and for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF, 13 and 15 St Louis st.

PAPER—4000 reams, different sizes, in store, and for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF, 13 and 15 St Louis st.

HERRINGS—800 boxes scaled and Magdalena Herrings, in store and for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF, 13 and 15 St Louis st.

SARDINES—200 boxes, half and quarter boxes, of various brands, in store and for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF, 13 and 15 St Louis st.

WHALE OIL—2000 gallons in store and for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF, 13 and 15 St Louis st.

BRANDY FRUITS—500 boxes lately received, in store and for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF, 13 and 15 St Louis st.

CLARET—600 casks, various brands; 43 casks family Claret in store and for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF, 13 and 15 St Louis st.

BOTTLES—700 hampers in store and for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF, 13 and 15 St Louis st.

MACKEREL—150 hbl Nos. 1, 2 and 3; 50 half do do; 150 kits Nos. 1 and 2, in store, and for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF, 13 and 15 St. Louis street.

CORKS—50 bales, different sizes, in store and for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF, 13 and 15 St. Louis street.

RICE—50 tierces Carolina Rice, in store and for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF, 13 and 15 St Louis st.

CHAMPAGNE—50 baskets of ... celebrated brand, in store and for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF, 13 and 15 St Louis st.

CODFISH—500 boxes, in store, and for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF, 13 and 15 St Louis st.

EXCELLENT CHANCE. Grocery Store for Sale, on Account of a Change of Business. ... Apply ... E. MALLARD, 67 Royal street.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the style of E. Armand & Co., having expired by its own limitation on the 15th instant, the affairs of the same will be liquidated by either partner. ETIENNE ARMAND, P. J. DA SILVA. N. Orleans, Feb 28, 1855.

The undersigned will continue the business under their ... name ... P J DA SILVA.

NOTICE. LOST, going from Dauphin to Royal street, on St. Ann street, a Ladies' JEWEL CASE, containing various valuable articles, which will be recompensed to the person who will call with the same at ... of Fourez & Bureau, corner Royal and Customhouse street. A suitable reward will be given.

A Fine Residence for Sale. ON account of departure the residence of ... Esplanade and Bourbon streets, is offered for sale. This is one of the best built and most elegantly finished houses in the city, with ... &c. Persons wishing to examine the property and for terms, will apply to ROBERT MURPHY, No. 60 Old Library, corner of St. Louis street.

Copartnership. THE subscriber, having purchased the establishment of J. N. Roberts, in the late firm ... associated with John Meseph, J. Tracewell and J. P. ... under the name of ... ARNAUD PEPIN.

NOTICE.—The copartnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the name of J. N. ROBERT & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. N. ROBERT, ARNAUD PEPIN. New Orleans, January 1, 1855.

Wanted. A GOOD COOK is wanted. Apply at 27 Common street.

Wanted. ON a plantation, a short distance from the city, a middle-aged lady, speaking and writing French and English, a good seamstress, who will be required to take care of the children ... Apply to Mrs. George ... Hotel.

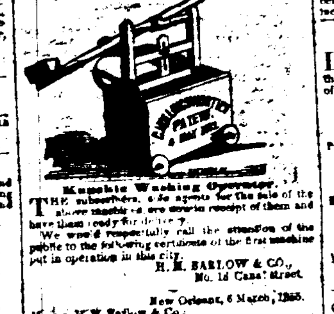
For New York—U. S. Mail Steamship Company.—The new steamship PHILADELPHIA, James F. Schenck, commander, will leave her wharf opposite Jackson Square, for New York via Havana on Tuesday, 20th March, at 8 o'clock A. M. precisely, with the Government Mails and passengers. For freight or passage, apply at the office of the Company, 72 Magazine street. JENNINGS, LAUGHLAND & CO., Agents.

CALIFORNIA. For California, via Havana, Aspinwall and Panama. The United States Mail steamship PHILADELPHIA, James F. Schenck, commander, will leave her wharf, opposite Jackson Square, on Tuesday, 20th March, at 8 o'clock, A. M. precisely, with the Government Mail and passengers, connecting with the U. S. Mail steamship EL DORADO, at Havana, and the Pacific Mail steamship ... at Panama. The days of sailing will hereafter be the 5th and 20th of each month, from this port via Havana. THROUGH TICKETS can now be obtained at the office of ARMSTRONG, HARRIS & CO., 41 Natchez street, near Camp.

Schooner for Sale. THE schooner MATHILDE, of 96 tons burthen, live oak frame, suitable for the coast trade. Enquire on board, at the New basin, or at Pierre Pouts's, No. 93 Royal street, up stairs.

The Swedish bark SKATAN, Overgaard, master, is now discharging her cargo opposite the Mint. Consignees are requested to attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee, and take out their permits ... within five days from the present notice, otherwise said goods will be stored at their risk and expense. E. PERRILLAT & CO, 14 Toulouse st.

Neither the Captain nor Consignees of the Swedish bark SKATAN will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of said bark. E. PERRILLAT & CO., Toulouse street, No. 14.



Kendall's Washing Operator. THE subscribers, sole agents for the sale of the above machine, are in receipt of them and have them ready for delivery. We would respectfully call the attention of the public to the following certificate of the first machine put in operation in this city. H. M. BARLOW & CO., No. 12 Canal street. New Orleans, 6 March, 1855.

Messrs. H. M. Barlow & Co.—In reply to your request, that I would state how I am pleased with "Kendall's Patent Washing Machine," I have to say, that I am very much pleased with it. I have had it in operation about four weeks, I wash about one thousand pieces a day, which I used to do by hand, and which required the entire labor of five persons. I now perform the same amount of labor with one person to feed them. I am better pleased with it every day that I use it, and believe the machine ... S. S. MORSE, Proprietor of the Arcade Hotel, Magazine street.

NOTICE.—My wife, JOSEPHINE JOHNSON, having clandestinely left my domicil, all persons are hereby notified that I will not pay any debts or expenses contracted by her. JEAN F. TERENCE. New Orleans, 28th February, 1855.

Notice. THE public are respectfully informed that the undersigned will continue the repairing of watches, jewelry, and the setting of diamonds, and trusts that he will still continue to have a share of public patronage. J. PETTEL, 23 Chartres st. N. O., March 1st, 1855.

LAW BOOKS At Publishers', or Northern Wholesale Prices. THE subscribers, intending to withdraw from the Law Bookselling business, now offer their large stock as above, for cash. The Northern prices will be rigidly observed, thus offering to Gentlemen of the Bar an opportunity to complete, or add to their Libraries, at a less rate than can be supplied. ALEXANDER LEVY & CO., Law Booksellers and Stationers, No. 31 Camp street.

G. F. DELAMARE respectfully informs his customers and the public generally, that he has sold his establishment to Mr. P. A. LETOURNEUR, whom he recommends to their kind patronage.

P. A. LETOURNEUR, Successor to G. F. Delamare, **No. 33 Customhouse street,** MANUFACTURES zinc, lead, copper, tin and brass works of all descriptions, for buildings, fine household utensils, bathing tubs and buckets of all forms, pipes and shower baths, pipe fixtures, lead for water pipes, etc., distillers' copper apparatus and plantation works. Manufacturer of water Movers, a new system.

AUGUSTE LASSERRE, SUCCESSOR TO HIS FATHER, Cutlery and Manufactory of Surgical Instruments. BEGS leave to inform the public generally, and Doctors in particular, that his establishment, on Conde street, No. 29, will be constantly supplied with an assortment of fine cutlery, such as table knives, scissors, razors, etc., and surgical instruments from the best Paris manufactories. Surgical instruments, bandages, and the latest and most difficult orthopedic instruments. The finish of his work, the care and promptness with which orders will be attended to, will, he hopes, permanently secure the patronage and confidence extended to the late house of J. P. Lasserre. ATE. LASSERRE.

DISCOUNT—Any prize in the Havana Lottery cashed at a reasonable discount by D BORNIO, No. 36 Gravier st.

Boots, Shoes and Hats. ALWAYS to be found at the undersigned, a complete assortment of men's, boys' and children's Boots, Shoes and Hats, ladies', misses' and children's Gaiters, Boots, Buskins and Slippers of every description, from the best manufactories of the North and East. Commission Merchants can always have their orders for Russets, Wool Hats, thick Boots, &c., for plantation use, put up carefully and faithfully at this establishment, at low prices, on liberal terms. J. FOSSE & CO. 12 & 14 Customhouse.

HATS, HATS—A fine assortment of men's, boys' and children's Panama, Leghorn, Campeachy and Straw Hats, in store and landing from steamer Black Warrior, for sale by JOHN M. GOULD & CO.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS.—300 cases men's, boys' women's and children's Boots and Shoes, now landing from ship Zephyr and steamer Black Warrior, for sale on liberal terms, by JOHN M GOULD & CO, 2 Magazine st.

War Sale. ON ACCOUNT of departure. J. Doebert's Dave Store, in the Third District, opposite Port Market. For terms, apply on the premises.

HATS, HATS—One hundred cases Panama, Leghorn and Campeachy Hats, just received from New York, for sale by JOHN M. GOULD & CO., 2 Magazine street.

DAILY expected per ship Rose Standish, from Bordeaux— 60 casks good ordinary Claret, for family use, and for sale by BOYER FRERES, V. BERQUET & CO., Corner Moreau and Mandeville, 3d Dist.

DAILY expected per ship Sylphide, from Bordeaux— 74 casks good ordinary Claret, for family use, for sale by BOYER FRERES, V. BERQUET & CO, corner Moreau and Mandeville, 3d Dist.

TO ARRIVE per ship ... from Bordeaux—50 casks claret. To arrive per ship America, 5 casks claret, for sale by PAUL LACROIX, 13 Toulouse st.

[illegible] ... UNITED ... & CO, 15 Tchoupitoulas st.

NEW YORK BEEF TONGUES—50 dozen of large and very superior New York Beef Tongues, just received and for sale by DUNTZE & IKES, Corner Royal and Conti sts.

[illegible] ... suitable for Mexican market ...

COFFEE—... bags prime green Havana Coffee, in store and for sale by ANTO. COSTA.

BUTTER—Eight boxes superior Goshen butter, in store and for sale by ANTO. COSTA.

JUST LANDED from ship Gaines, from Bordeaux, and for sale by the undersigned, 161 casks good and very Red Wine. BOYER FRERES, V. BERQUET & CO., Cor Moreau and Mandeville sts, 3 Dist.

[illegible] ... BOYER FRERES, V. BERQUET & CO.

CLARET ... for sale by C. CAVAROC & CO.

Wanted Expedition. Through to Attakapas and Bayou Teche in Ten Hours, via the Railroad and the Express Lightning, by Stages and Packets. FROM and after Tuesday of this month, we will change the departure of the ... Lightning for ... Attakapas. Instead of leaving Donaldsonville as heretofore, the Express Lightning will connect with the New Orleans and Opelousas Railroad—thus affording the opportunity to passengers leaving New Orleans by the morning train, to take the coach at 11 o'clock the same day, and travel to Attakapas by the following route and time: From the Crossing, by said Stages, ... Thibodeaux, a distance of 25 miles in five hours, to Tigerville, a distance of 40 miles, thence by packet through Bayou Black and Bayou Boeuf and Berwick's Bay, to Pattersonville, Centreville, Franklin, ... New Iberia, St. Martinsville, Opelousas and Washington, ... The connection with the Opelousas road ... Thursdays ... Saturdays ... of each week, and the connection for coming back to New Orleans, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

NOTICE. New Orleans, 1st December, 1854. THE firm of VALLS, BROTHERS & CO. is this day dissolved by the decease of John C. Valls. The undersigned will continue the same business under the name of A. F. VALLS & CO., 105 Tchoupitoulas street. ANDREW F VALLS.

For Sale. A YOUNG MULATTO GIRL, 20 years of age, excellent hair dresser, and washerwoman, and good house servant, highly recommended, and guaranteed against the vices and maladies prescribed by law. Apply at No. 98 Customhouse street, corner of Bourbon. m3

BOARDING HOUSE. MRS HAYES is now ready to receive one or two families or single gentlemen to board, at the Planter's House No. 91 Conti street, New Orleans. m3

MR. SOLMAIN, FRENCH HORTICULTURIST, 93 CAMP ST. JUST received an assortment of the rarest PLANTS ever imported in New Orleans. At the request of those whose patronage has been kindly extended to him, he will remain here a few days longer, in order that the orders of his customers may be attended to. A liberal discount will be allowed where a quantity of plants is purchased. His assortment comprises: vines of all descriptions, fruit trees, bulbous roots, rose trees, camelias, asphodels, ... daffodil lily, colored lilies, dahlias, Rhododendrons, seeds of ornamental flowers. m8

FRESH GARDEN SEEDS. Plants and Shrubs. FRUIT TREES. Pot Herbs and Flower Seeds. RECEIVED per ships Calhoun and Marmion, from Havre, and per steamer Arctic, from Pittsburg, cabbages, turnips, short and long beets, spinage, cress, parsley, chervil, purslain, lettuce, endive, lamb's lettuce, sweet, garlic, ... leaves, radish cabbage, cantaloupe cabbage, cauliflowers, ... and round radish, black radish, oyster plant, melons, cucumber, Mazagan beans, sixty varieties of Flower seeds. PLANTS. A fine collection of plants and shrubs, choice rose trees, 120 varieties. FRUIT TREES. Pear trees, apple trees, peach trees, and fig trees. For sale at moderate prices, by J. MENARD, 151 Old Levee, between Hospital and Barracks sts.

A. MOUSSET, Horticulturist of Paris, No. 99 St. Charles street, RESPECTFULLY informs amateurs and his customers generally, that he has just added to his stock new flowers and fruit plants, received by the last arrivals from France. He ... to the public ... provided with various fine plants, such as camelias, magnolias, azaleas, rhododendrons, ... trees, and a large assortment of the choicest rose trees, comprising pear trees, apple trees, cherry trees, strawberry trees, bulbous roots, flower seeds, &c. Mr. M. tenders his thanks to the public for their kind patronage, and will in return, dispose of his articles at very moderate prices, as he will remain but a short time in New Orleans. He takes orders for next year and calls attention to the same. febl3 1m

House Furnishing Store, 73 AND 75 CAMP STREET. DETERMINED to reduce our Stock of Goods, we will hereafter sell for cash at lower prices than ever before offered in this city. Those in want of the following articles will do well to call: Queensware, Glass and China Ware; Bohemian Ware, Britannia Ware; Rich China Ware; Fine Silver Plated Ware; Parlor and Hall Lamps and Girandoles; Bird-Ter Trays and Waiters, in sets or single; Fine Table Cutlery and Housekeeping Hardware; Enamelled and Hollow Ware; Britannia, Planished Tin and Japanned Ware; Wooden and Willow Ware; Number Dusters; Brushes, of all kinds; Paper Hangings and Border; Door Mats; Window Curtains, Cords and Tassels; Curtain Bands and Curtain Pins. MILLER, HARRIS & WALDO.

ARNOUX, CORNER CHARTRES AND ST. ANN STREETS, Pontalba Buildings. INFORMS the public that he has reduced the prices of all his goods, without exception, on account of liquidation, for cash only.

Removal. CAVELIER & MAXENT have removed their store from Royal street, No. 169, to Toulouse street, No. 50, between Chartres and Royal sts.

ADE. Z. CAVELIER, F. MAXENT. **CAVELIER & MAXENT, COMMISSION MERCHANTS, IMPORTERS OF FRENCH WINES,** No. 50 Toulouse street, between Chartres and Royal streets. HAVE always on hand the celebrated brands of C. L. Lo Masson, Baut Brion, Pape Clement, Ogee Guarrier, and Cos Labory.

FRENCH DRUG STORE. Corner Toulouse and Bourbon Streets. RECEIVED per ship Denmark, from Bordeaux—Pure Cod Liver Oil, (Bruck's); flavor Orange Flower Water; ... Potato Starch, first quality; ... Sulphur ..., Mustard; ... a large assortment of French Syringes. Also, by the St. Charles, Bulmo and J. P. Davis, a complete assortment of fine Perfumery, Pectoral Paste, Jujube, Gumarine, Gum Lozenges, &c. &c.

Furniture Store. GROSSMAN & MEMETRAL, Bienville St., No. 52, corner of Exchange Alley. HAVE constantly on hand a full and complete assortment of Furniture of all descriptions, in the best Northern and Western manufactories, in mahogany and rosewood ... Also constantly on hand, chairs, hair and spring mattresses, and other ... Furniture repaired and exchanged, and taken in charge to rent for soirees and parties.

S. NAYTRE & CO., Successors to S. Masperren & Co., Conde street, between Main and St. Ann. **25** HOUSE FURNISHING STORE, and Manufactory of Tin, Sheet-Iron and Lead-Works import ... Japanned Ware, Tin-ware, Crockery Ware, Glass-ware, Lamps, Candles, Lanterns, Brushes, Ware and Table Cutlery, Brooms, Sweeping Brushes, and every other article of Household Furniture. Paint Brushes and Window Glass, Paints of every quality, Linseed Oil, Boiled Oil, Spirits of Turpentine, Varnish of every quality, Lithanage, Red and Yellow Ochre, Lard Oil, Camphene Gas and Alcohol. Fire Bricks. The Whole at very Reduced Rates. For Beebe's Ranges, Queen's Portable Forges, Spratt's Lightning Rods, Warner's Force Pumps and Screwed Pipes.

LANDING ex ship Oceana, from Bordeaux—10 pipes Cognac, Henry Sautou's 4th proof, 17 cases Eaux Plomed a fancy boxes, 12 do do, in glass jars, for sale by B. TALAMON, 181 Royal st.

DAILY expected per ship Standish, from Bordeaux: 24 cases Claret, St Estephe and Maison Medoc; 8 half casks do, St. Julien Medoc; 25 bbls Haut Sauterne White Wine; 5 bales corks, 30,000 each, regular; ... wine labels, for sale by B TALAMON, 181 Royal st.

LANDING ex ship Oceana, from Bordeaux—200 boxes Brandy Cherries, for sale by JOSEPH LANATA, 11 Jefferson and 12 Toulouse st.

RECEIVED per ship Compton, from Marseilles—50 boxes Muscatel, for sale by B. TALAMON, 181 Royal st.

TO arrive per various ships, from Bordeaux— Per Oceana—60 casks Claret; Per America—44 do; 100 boxes Claret; Per Rose Standish—44 casks Claret; Per Sylphide—20 do; 100 boxes do; Per Arendal—15 quarter de Cognac; Per Morganne—10 do do; 20 casks Wine; 100 boxes Claret; 75 do White Wine. For sale by E. DECHAMPS, 21 St Louis st.

DRAWBACK—60 casks Bergasse Wine, for sale by E. DECHAMPS, 21 St. Louis st.

LANDING ex ship Hagerstown, from Havre—4 tons Swiss Gruyere; 40 boxed red grapes, for sale by JOS LANATA, 11 Jefferson and 12 Toulouse st.

DEMIJOHNS—2000 1, 2 and 3 gallon demijohns, for sale by JOSEPH LANATA, 11 Jefferson and 12 Toulouse st.

LANDING ex ship Henry Grinnell, from Havre—40 boxes Red Brandy; 4 tons Swiss Gruyere, for sale by JOSEPH LANATA, 11 Jefferson and 12 Toulouse st.

SHERRY WINE—100 barrels Sherry Wine, "H Behrens," in store, for sale by E. CABUZAC & CO. 30 Old Levee st.

HAUT SAUTERNE—50 boxes Haut Wine, Cercey, in store, for sale by E. CABUZAC & CO. 30 Old Levee st.

PORT WINE—20 bbls Port Wine, "H Eng." in Customhouse store, for sale by RAYMOND CABUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

ORANGE FLOWER WATER—500 cases, small and large size, in store and for sale by E. CABUZAC & CO, 30 Old Levee.

SWEETMEATS—50 cases Paste and Jelly, in boxes, for sale by E. CABUZAC & CO, 30 Old Levee st.

ROCHELLE BRANDY—10 packages Seignette's 4th proof, in Customhouse stores, for sale by E CABUZAC & CO, 30 Old Levee.

ORLEANS INSURANCE STOCK for sale by GEO. GOTTSCHALK, 95 Common st.

CASH WARRANTS—Bought by GEORGE GOTTSCHALK, 95 Common street.

LAND WARRANTS bought by GEO. GOTTSCHALK, 95 Common st.

OPELOUSAS RAILROAD STOCK WANTED by GEO. GOTTSCHALK, 95 Common, st.

RAILROAD TAX RECEIPTS bought by GEO. GOTTSCHALK, 95 Common st.

CANAL BANK MORTGAGE STOCK wanted by GEO. GOTTSCHALK, 95 Common st.

BRANDY—... in store ... E. CABUZAC & CO.

EXPECTED per ship Sylphide, from Bordeaux ... PAUL LACROIX, 13 Toulouse st.

SARDINES—... A. COUTIN, 13 Bienville st.

CORKS—... A. COUTIN, 13 Bienville st.

AMUSEMENTS

ST. CHARLES THEATRE

E. DEBAR ... Lessee and Manager. H. CORRI ... Acting Manager. G. C. CHESLEY ... Treasurer.

Benefit of Mrs. Mary Provost ADDAMS, on which occasion Mr. Berlaine will appear, as Richelieu, by the kind permission of Mr. ...

TUESDAY EVENING, March 13th, 1855—Will be presented Bulwer's play of RICHELIEU. Richelieu, Mr. Berlaine; Baradas, Mr. Pope; Julie Mortimer, Mrs. Addams. Between the play and farce, Miss Wallace will appear in a favorite dance. To conclude with the farce of THE DEAD SHOT. Hector Timid, Mr. Bernard, Louisa, Mrs. Addams.

To-morrow, farewell benefit of Mr. Baron ... Grand Fancy Mask and Fancy Dress Ball, to take place at this Establishment on Saturday, ... Day, March 19th.

ODD FELLOWS' HALL.

TUESDAY, MARCH 13TH, 1855.

L. Moreau Gottschalk.

The celebrated AMERICAN PIANIST, has the honor to announce that he will give his **GRAND FAREWELL CONCERT** in America, on which occasion he will be assisted by MME LAGET PLANTERRE, Prima Donna of the French Opera, and MONS. GRENEVELT, from the Bosco of the French Opera, and M. A. GROENEVELT.

Programme.

PART I.

1.—Grand Fantasia & Bravura on Lucia, for general request; composed and performed by L. M. GOTTSCHALK.

2.—Romance, by ... Sung by Mme. ...

3.—Last Hope—Religious Meditation. Composed and performed (for the first time), by L. M. GOTTSCHALK.

4. Marche ... "Bamboula" Dance and Air of a negro composed by Mr. G. in the woods of Cuba ... L. M. GOTTSCHALK.

4.—"Noel," Cantique Adam. Sung by Mdme. Laget Planterre.

5.—"Italian Glories," Grand Fantasia & Bravura on themes from the operas of Norma and Sonnambula, for Two Pianos, ... by L. M. GOTTSCHALK, and performed by him and Mr. Groenevelt.

PART II.

6.—Grand Aria Buffa, from the opera of Le Philtre—Arber, sung by M. Grenevelt.

7.—"American Sketches," composed expressly for this occasion, and dedicated to the "Firemen of New Orleans," introducing popular airs ... performed by L. M. GOTTSCHALK.

8.—Grand Cavatina from the Barbiere ... Parlor, sung in Italian by Mme Laget Planterre.

9.—Carnival de Venice—By general request—composed and performed by L. M. GOTTSCHALK.

The price of admission has been placed at ONE DOLLAR.

No extra charge for reserved seats.

The sale of reserved seats will commence on MONDAY MORNING, at 10 o'clock at the store of H. D. Hewitt, No. 53 Camp street, and can be had at the door on the evening of the Concert.

Doors open at 7 o'clock. Concert commences at 8 o'clock. m12

PLACE D'ARMES—CONGO SQUARE.

ON TUESDAY, March 13th ... a ... by M. L. GODARD. ... arrangements from 4 to 5¼ o'clock ... Balloon ... Prizes will be awarded ... Weather will permit. ... A Flotilla of ... ascension of M. L. Godard ... Tickets 25 cents.

ARMORY HALL.

Open Every Night, Saturday and Sunday ... 1855.

THE BUNYAN TABLEAUX.

Consisting of sixty Magnificent Scenes, with figures of life size, illustrative of the PILGRIM'S PROGRESS. Making the most magnificent ... ever presented to the American public. This sublime work was painted by ... American Artists Huntington, May, Kyle, Darley, Cropsey and Church. ... Tickets ... Reserved seats ... Children half-price.

A concert will be given before each exhibition of the Panorama. ... Doors open at ... Exhibition on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons ... Descriptive pamphlets of this great American Panorama may be had at the door. A. HART, Proprietor. R J GREENWOOD, Manager.

Curiosity Extraordinary.

NOW on exhibition at ... 93 St. Charles street, the LONGEST ... IN THE WORLD. Length of ... feet 3 inches ... Admission ...

VANNUCHI'S AMERICAN MUSEUM

52 St. Charles street.

Open at all hours of the day ... WAX STATUARY ... Seventy Figures Large as Life. ... THE BELLE of ... Victoria, the Empress of France, ... the Sultan of Turkey, the Queen of Spain ... a Great ... Washington ... THE LAST SUPPER ... THE DEATH CHAMBER ... of Hon. Daniel Webster, Hon. Henry Clay and Hon. John C. Calhoun ...

Arrival of the French Giant.

MONS. BIHIN ... Admission 25 cents—Children half price.

AMERICAN MUSEUM.

GREAT ATTRACTION.—The Smallest and Tallest ladies in the world, with General GIBFORD, known as the far famed TOM THUMB. Mr. VANNUCHI has succeeded, at a great expense, in engaging Miss Ellen Price and her companion, the great ... THE BLACK CURIOSITIES ... Miss FLORA ... Mr. ... Mrs. Ellen Sutter, 13 years old and 25 inches high; Miss H. M. MORTHUSE, 19 years old, and 7 feet 2 inches high; Mrs. J. GIFFORD, 25 years old and 40 inches high, which may be seen for a few days, commencing on SATURDAY, January 27th, at the Museum, at St. Charles street.

Magnificent Oil Paintings.

JUST received and for sale by the undersigned, per Debrosseau, the ... New York Art Union, ... masterpieces, viz: One Hunting Scene, by Huert; One Interior, by Pr...; One Landscape, by ...; One Study of Vandyck, by Former; One Grace, by Ferdinand DeBraekeleer; One Landscape, by Bodeman. The above are guaranteed original and are to be seen at H. MEUGENS, 31 Common st. New Orleans, 9th February.

DRUGGISTS' STOCK.—... Glassware, such as glass jars, ... for sale by C CARRERE, corner of Conde and Main streets.

Dr. John S. Dale's STEEL SHOULDER BRACE —AND— ABDOMINAL SUPPORTER

THESE instruments, invented by Dr. Dale of ... are superior to any other for supporting the back, expanding the chest and securing an erect form ... The case with which they are worn, possessing great elasticity, which is never ... and being adapted to every movement of the body without constraint, will secure for them an extensive sale. Having examined the above instruments, I certify that they are admirably adapted to answer the purpose intended. WARREN STONE, M. D. New Orleans February 14 1854. EDWIN HART, No 7 Camp.

SILESIAN WARE.

THIS article, which gained so much admiration, and of which so many purchased last season is now offered for sale at No. 7 Camp street at which place old customers and new ones are invited to call and supply themselves. No Ware ever offered in this city has gained such universal approval as to the purchaser, in view of the price paid. Why then expend such large sums, when the interest of your money will procure such articles as will give to your tables both elegance and durability, scarcely less than that costing ten times as much, and possessing a brightness equally lasting. Also, at every variety of articles for table use are now manufactured, and of styles greatly admired; nor can they fail to please for Christmas Presents, as articles of beauty or for future use. EDWIN HART, No. 7 Camp street.

Literary and Music.

195 St. Joseph street, between Carondelet and Baronne streets.

MADAME MAY informs the families of New Orleans that she will take charge of a few scholars, whom she will teach after ... parents ... branches of a good Literary Education, with lessons in Music and on the Piano, for the purpose of rendering the expense of acquiring a Literary and Musical education less costly than if families employed different professors. Madame May will take scholars for Music or French conversation separately.

TO THE PEOPLE OF NEW ORLEANS.—The wonder of the world is arrived in this city, and is daily performing his wonderful cures. DR. SHERIDAN from Madam Steevens's Hospital, City of Dublin, is daily restoring SIGHT TO THE BLIND and HEARING TO THE DEAF. Dr. S. will cure Cancers without the use of instruments; he will also cure the PILES at once. Persons troubled with the FITS go to the Doctor and get restored. He will also vanish RHEUMATIC PAINS on the spot; he will restore GOOD HAIR to the Bald Head. Dr. S. will cure CONSUMPTION in the second stage in from twenty-one to twenty-five days and SECRET DISEASES cured the first attendance and without loss of time ... the patient. Persons are allowed to see the Doctor at his office, ... Doctor allows his fee ... Office 32 Tivoli Circle, corner Triton Walk. Hours of attendance from 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.

2 Cases French Madras, for sale by H. DE GOER & RIFFLARD, 33 Old Levee st.

HAT MANUFACTORY.

No. 97 Chartres street, and No. 67 Exchange Alley.

DREZ.

RECEIVED by late arrivals from France, a fine and complete assortment of HATS, of all descriptions, carefully selected in the principal Paris ... Silk Hats for men, boys and children, Grey ... Cassimere Hats, ... Beaver do, Soft ... for men and children, all colors and ... Velvet ... and fancy Caps for children, Grey Velvet traveling Caps, Hunting Caps, Cloth do. for men. A ... has received ... of superior Parisian hatters, gentlemen will find at his store Hats of all descriptions and forms, perfectly finished and made to fit exactly, by means of the mould. N. B.—Country merchants will find at his establishment an assortment of the articles in their line, at excessively moderate prices.