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The Northern Mail failed yesterday from [illegible] Montgomery.

[illegible] OF DECAY.

[illegible] this rather startling title, the London News—a journal conducted with [illegible] ability, and in a remarkably truthful and liberal spirit—contains an article distinguished by prophetic and philosophic insight. The time-honored maxim that for empires as well as individuals there is a period of growth, and a period of decay, forms the text of a thoughtful commentary upon the position and the prospects of Great Britain. The writer regards them in a sombre light. While acknowledging the wealth, enterprise, courage, intelligence, zeal and piety of her sons, he concludes that the mighty empire is menaced with perils from within and from without; that the golden idol has feet of clay; that corruption, intolerance, unbridled ambition, the lust of conquest, have penetrated the entire structure of the government; that its strength and stability have been maintained at prodigious sacrifices, which have burthened its population with an overwhelming debt, and that were these evils even less pressing, and more distant than they are, causes are at work which slowly but surely will reduce England to gradual effeteness. He alludes particularly to the growth and prosperity of the United States, and refers to us in terms singularly frank and bold. Says the News:

We see that we have no exclusive claim to the possession of the virtues which have raised us to the high position that we hold, that what we have, we share; that men of our own blood and language have permeated with our intelligence, our industry, and our enterprise, the remotest ends of the earth; that our sons have founded new empires, at present as brilliant, and promising in the future to be more brilliant than our own. If we calculate the growth of population, we shall find that, in fifty or twenty years hence, or even earlier, Great Britain will no longer be the principal seat of the vigorous race of the Anglo-Saxons; and that, although that race may continue to rule the world, it may not be from the banks of the Thames, or from any part of the old country that gave them birth. An empire twenty, thirty, or fifty times as extensive, and as rich as ours, has already arisen on the other side of the Atlantic, to entice into its bosom the best blood which remains to us. The young, the hardy, the persevering of our [illegible], and of all the countries of Europe, [illegible] under the weight of debt, of difficulty, and of a surplus population, and that cannot say to their sons, as the New World does, that every man, if a man, welcome, for the sake of his manhood, to the great feast of Nature, where there is enough and to spare for the meanest, are daily invited to leave the shores of effete Europe, and settle in more vigorous America. The growth of the United States is, in reality, the downfall of Great Britain. All the unhappy circumstances that are of prejudice to us, are of benefit to them. With us, the mouths that clamor to be fed are causes of decay. With them, every additional mouth is an additional pair of hands, and every additional pair of hands is an increase of wealth, power, and influence. Let us pour our millions into the great valley of the Mississippi, and it will hold and feed them all, were their numbers quadrupled. Such is our great rival in the West. In the South there is another rival almost equally formidable, equally splendid in the same manner, from our entrails, and rising daily upon our fall. Who shall fix the bounds of the future prosperity of the great Australian continent? While in this old country the pauper vegetates or dies, accursed of the land that produced him, in that new country the pauper becomes a laborer; he no longer vegetates, but lives; and if he lives long enough, he may become a patriarch, sitting under the shade of his own fig tree and counting by thousands and tens of thousands his flocks and herds—a new Job in a land of plenty. Fertile soil, delicious climate, elbow room, and freedom from taxation—these are the blessings of the Australian. The Englishman enjoys the first only in an imperfect manner, the last are the [illegible] he knows them not, and will never know them while England holds her place among the nations.

But the sagacity of the writer does not pause here. While England is drained by America and Australia, her political power and prestige are threatened by that overshadowing influence against which the Western nations are even now struggling. We allude to the mighty Sclavonic race, whose onward march over the dynasties of Europe seems to the News quite as inevitable as that of the United States over the bastard republicanism of our continent. The doom will no doubt be averted for a while, but its advent seems irresistible. The Sclavonian races are destined to be the new lords of Europe. The Anglo-Saxon race, in the language of the article, must be contented to be the lords of the larger and more splendid inheritance of America and Australia. In this case, what becomes of the empire of Great Britain? It falls to the ground, and exists only—like other Powers and Potentates of the [illegible]—in the bones and sinews of its sons and successors transferred to a new soil, and enjoying privileges, blessings and opportunities from which their forefathers were excluded.

We know not when, in the fulness of time, this decree of an overruling Providence will be executed, but that it will come is apparent to every man who studies history in a thoughtful spirit, and deduces valuable truths from her unerring teachings. With respect to England, we can hardly agree with the gloomy ratiocinations of the News, that in her fall she will have few friends. Her violence and cupidity; her grasping policy, and her mania for territorial aggrandizement have, it is certain, estranged the nations; but as the seat of the highest civilization, one of the chief domains of science and art; the conservator and propagator of free institutions, she will find sympathies in her decadence in the bosom of every republican, and in none will they be warmer and more enduring than in that offshoot of her greatness on this side of the Atlantic, who gathered from her precepts and example the leading principles of a polity which has created vigor and durability, and which will make us puissant and formidable when England shall be reduced to comparative senility and impotence.

Our friends of the True Delta published their paper yesterday in a new and very elegant dress, presenting a remarkably neat appearance. The True Delta deserves its prosperity. Although we often differ from its views, we are bound to admit that no journal in New Orleans is more plain spoken, independent and unshrinking in the expression of its opinions.

New Books.—Our thanks are due the publishers, through J. C. Morgan, Exchange Place, for the following new works:

The Way of Salvation illustrated in a series of discourses, by Albert Barnes. The object of these sermons is to remove the doubts of a large number of minds which see real difficulties in religion, which they would not be unwilling to have explained. They are admirably adapted to this purpose. Parry & McMillan, publishers.

[illegible] Tales from the German, by W. Furness. [illegible] capital stories from [illegible] much known to our readers, [illegible] and decided merit. Parry & McMillan.

Sheppard's Constitutional Text Book.—This excellent volume is a practical and familiar exposition of the Constitution of the United States, and of portions of the public and administrative law of the Federal Government. Designed chiefly for academies and colleges. It is replete with useful information. Childs & Peterson, publishers.

Wells's Familiar Science.—This is a scientific explanation of the principles of natural and physical science, and their practical and familiar applications to the employments and necessities of common life. Illustrated by a large number of engravings. One of the best treatises we have yet seen. Childs & Peterson.

The House by the Sea—a poem by Thomas Read Buchanan. This gentleman's effusions possess considerable merit. They evince a graceful fancy, a [illegible] poetical sensibility, a fine command of beautiful language, and much ease of versification, but they do not rise to the height of genius. Parry & McMillan, publishers.

Blackwood for January—a first-rate number.

Cheaper than Ever.—M. [illegible] & Co. inform the public, through our columns, that, from and after this day, they will open their magnificent assortment of [illegible], which they offer for sale at prices fabulously low. Look at the particulars in their advertisement, and you will find that their promises are meant to be fulfilled.

Watches and Chronometers.—E. Dours, No. 19 Camp street, up stairs, has received from the most celebrated manufacturers of Switzerland and England a splendid variety of fine watches and chronometers, duplex, independent seconds, and other varieties. Among the beautiful specimens of workmanship to be found at his establishment, is the celebrated [illegible] exhibited at the Paris Exhibition, and which contains a repeating apparatus striking regularly the hours and quarters. It is no larger than an ordinary gold watch. Mr. Dours's principal [illegible] [illegible]. The attention of the trade is called to his advertisement.

Our Washington Correspondence.

Washington, Feb 9, 1856.

Many changes have taken place in and about the Capitol since the recent elections made by the House of Representatives. Faithful officers, who for years have discharged acceptably the duties attached to their positions, have been turned out to make room for others more in favor with the Black Republicans. Faces which, for years, have been as familiar as old pictures, will now be missed from the hall and the committee rooms. Many families, whose sole reliance for a support was on the places held by these officers, will be plunged in distress and want.

Such changes cannot be contemplated without emotion; yet we do not speak complainingly on the subject. All of us must submit to the fate of war. Since the doctrine, "to the victors belong the spoils," came in vogue, few men are so fortunate as to be continued in office by the party opposed in politics to them. The prospect of sharing in the spoils of victory is a powerful stimulant to exertion. Soldiers fight much more desperately when promised by their commanders the privilege of sacking the cities they shall capture.

The foregoing is the language of the Washington Sentinel. I have no pleasure in contemplating the distress and anxiety of those who become the victims of political proscription; but, unfortunately, it has become the uniform practice of parties, almost their law, to displace their opponents and provide for their friends whenever there is a change of power. The old Whig party practiced this to a much less extent than the Democratic party; their magnanimity led them to retain in office a great number of their opponents, for which they received small thanks and no return of the favor; and their failing to "reward their friends and punish their enemies," has been alleged as one of the principal causes of their want of success. But from whence came the doctrine that "to the victors belong the spoils of office?" Its first annunciation came from the present Secretary of State, Mr. Marcy, in 1829, who was then a member of the U. S. Senate; and from that day to the present it has been the great leading principle of the Democratic party—the only permanent, unchanged plank of its platform.

But the most unpleasant part of all this rewarding of friends and punishing of enemies has been the removal and appointment of the pages of the House. These are boys of from ten to thirteen years of age, and almost all of them the sons of widows dependent upon them for means to support their families. Such a crowd of these anxious little fellows as followed in the wake, and beset the path of the new Door-keeper, it was distressing to behold, much more to remove and disappoint. The appeals of many of them were as touching as simple. "Please, sir," said one little interesting fellow to me, with a beseeching, anxious look, "won't you get me the place of page? My mother is very poor, and I want to help her support my little sisters." My dear little boy, said I, I am not the person you should apply to. I am not the Door-keeper; but I wish I had a place to give you. He seemed cast down, and at a loss what to do; but I pointed out the Door-keeper to him and bade him take courage and persevere, which he did, and is, I believe, among the few successful ones.

The officers of the House have now all been elected, and the Public Printer only remains to be elected. The nominee of the anti-Administration caucus, Mr. Follett, of the Ohio Columbus Journal, is looked upon by many, whose votes must be had if he is elected, as "a Black Republican," and on that account they have refused and will continue to refuse to vote for him. Unless, therefore, another candidate shall be taken up, it is very certain that the nominee of the Democratic caucus will be elected. It is rumored out doors that large sums of money have been used to secure this result; but I am slow to believe all that is alleged in regard to bribery and corruption of this sort. At any rate, let us wait and see what happens and who vote for him. One thing is certain: there is no real political party here. All is disintegration and individuality; there is no bond, no unity, no faith, no adhesiveness, no common principle among the members opposed to the administration. The only means of bringing them together will be the fierce war that is about to be commenced between the Democrats and the Americans; but then, again, may come the conflict between the Nebraska men and the anti-Nebraska men to drive together those who would otherwise be arrayed against each other on the American question. But as there are many Americans and Democrats charged to the muzzle with speeches of attack and defence, and who will seize the earliest opportunity to discharge their loaded guns at each other, the battle between these antagonists must come off, and will rage for a time with considerable fury; the greater, the more likely to rally, form and unite parties. Let this state of things come; anything but this loose, disjointed, chaotic condition of parties.

It is understood that the instructions of Mr. Dallas, as Minister to England, will be much less belligerent in tone than that which pervades the speeches lately made in the Senate upon the questions of difference between the British government and ours, and that the President is somewhat annoyed by these speeches.

Parker H. French, the would-be Minister from Nicaragua, has returned to this city, and is again urging our government to recognize him as the representative of the Walker government of the little Central American republic—so called. But as yet the President has not thought proper to sanction, by receiving this adventurer in the character of Minister, the invasion of Nicaragua and the overturning of its government by Walker.

Much complaint is heard against the new Clerk of the House, Gen. Cullom, from those expectants whose hopes are likely to be blasted, and I hear them allege that he has put himself in the hands of the Republicans of the North. It is rumored that the Tennessee delegation called on him in a body to ask a single appointment, which they were not so fortunate as to obtain. His position just at this time is not that of a man reposing upon a bed of roses, and indulging the dolce far niente. The disappointed find that there is a great difference between before and after.

MAISON ROUGE.

Almonte has left Washington for Mexico, at the urgent solicitation of his friends—the constitution of that country now being remodeled.

The steamship Tennessee arrived at New York on the 9th, from Laguyra, with dates to the 27th ult. The cholera had disappeared from Caracas, but was making awful ravages in other provinces. Political affairs were quiet. There was no sickness at St. Thomas, but the cholera was making terrible ravages at Porto Rico. Nearly 13,000 cases had occurred since November last, of which 5,000 persons had died.

Mr. Cullom, Clerk of the House of Representatives, has appointed W. Perry Ingram, of Kentucky, Chief Clerk.

General Almonte, the Mexican Minister, has received instructions to raise the protest of his government against the payment of the drafts of the late government of that country against the last installment of the treaty of the Mesilla, due to sundry citizens of the United States for moneys actually advanced. A considerable portion of the amount covered by the drafts in question is said to have been paid on Thursday at the Treasury. The total amount of the drafts is $3,000,000.

Penmanship, Book-keeping, French, Spanish, German and English are taught at Dolbear's Commercial College, 106 Canal street. There is a special Professor for each branch. There is also a Professor for Mathematics and Phonography. Citizens and strangers are invited to call.

From Texas.—By the steamer Louisiana, Captain Place, we received last evening dates from Galveston to the 16th inst. We clip from them the following news:

Cotton continues to arrive at the different ports along the coast, in large quantities, notwithstanding bad roads and weather. The Gonzales Inquirer says that long trains of wagons, freighted with cotton, continue to pass through that town daily; yet many planters will not be able to complete sending away their crops until late in the spring.

Immigration.—The Herald, in mentioning the return of Col. J. B. Crain to Lavaca from an overland trip to Mississippi, says he reports the tide of immigration as truly astonishing, all directed to Western Texas. He enumerated as many as five thousand slaves on the road, trains of wagons and families.

The Ranger mentions a report that John Crosby, formerly of Washington and late of Robertson county, was lately found on a prairie, frozen to death.

Just Tribute.—The Legislature adopted the bill donating to Mrs. Elizabeth Crockett one league of land. Mrs. C. is the widow of the hero and martyr of Texan independence, Davy Crockett.

Extending the Area.—The Legislature passed an act granting Pelican Island, in the Galveston bay, to the corporation of the city of Galveston.

The Legislature has passed a bill extending the time of the San Antonio and Mexican Gulf Railroad till June 1857, in which to build twenty-five miles of road.

Corpus Christi.—The Valley states that preparations are making in Corpus Christi for the extensive manufacture of salt, by solar evaporation, at the great Salt Lake, near that place, during the coming season.

The same paper says that the new Courthouse in that city is rapidly approaching completion, and by the time of holding the next term, will be in readiness for occupancy. It will, when completed, reflect credit upon the architect and builder. It is also said that the water flowing from the Artesian well is performing wonders in curing chronic diseases which have baffled the skill of physicians for years.

Brownsville.—The Flag gives encouraging evidences of the prosperous condition of Brownsville. At the last accounts the levee presented quite an animated and business-like appearance, the steamers [illegible], Grampus, Ranchero, and [illegible], all being in port. The Ranchero brought down 1,168 beef hides, 1,530 [illegible], 200 sacks of corn, and $72,500 in specie, &c.

The El Paso Mail arrived at San Antonio on the night of the 28th ult. The party composing the train came through in good health and condition, although fears had been entertained at San Antonio that they would perish in the cold. The Times states, that at Santa Fe the weather had been colder than had been known for many years. A short time previous to the return of the mail train, El Paso, two Mexicans and four mules were frozen to death between there and [illegible].

At El Paso the snow was several inches deep, and [illegible].

At Comanche [illegible] Indian [illegible] [illegible] Santa Fe on the first day of February.

By Telegraph.

[illegible]

Arrival of the Canada.

ADVANCE IN COTTON.

DECLINE IN BREADSTUFFS.

THE PARIS PEACE CONGRESS.

[By the Southern Line.]

Halifax, Feb. 17.—The royal mail steamship Canada arrived at this port, en route for Boston, this morning.

The advices by the Canada are to Feb. 2d, one week later than those of the Persia.

THE STEAMSHIP PACIFIC.

No tidings have been had of the missing steamship Pacific.

BREADSTUFFS.

There is a considerable decline in Breadstuffs. Western Canal Flour is quoted at 37s. and Ohio 40s.

Corn has declined. White is quoted at 37s. 6d. to 39s. Yellow 36s.

PROVISIONS.

Beef has declined and is quoted at 114s. Pork has also declined, and the market is quiet. Bacon is quiet at 57s. Lard has declined and is quiet at 60 to 63s.

FROM MANCHESTER.

Our advices from Manchester are much more favorable.

SUGAR.

Our circulars quote a decline of one shilling in sugar.

THE MONEY MARKET.

London, Feb. 2.—The money market is more stringent.

The bullion in the Bank of England has decreased £90,000.

Consols closed at 90½ to 90¾.

THE STEAMSHIP ATLANTIC.

The Collins mail steamship Atlantic, from New York, arrived out at Liverpool on the 31st ult.

THE PEACE PROSPECTS.

Everything speaks favorably for peace now. The Peace Congress meets in Paris about the 17th. It is said to be doubtful as to whether Prussia will be admitted to the Congress.

ENGLAND.

The Queen's speech to Parliament is very meagre and does not touch upon American affairs.

The London Advertiser says that Mr. Buchanan and Lord Clarendon had an interview at the foreign office on Tuesday, and that very angry words passed between them touching the Central American question.

The peace protocol memorandum was signed on Friday by the ministers of the five powers, and a short armistice will next be agreed upon.

A despatch received at Vienna from Russia confirms the telegraphic announcements of the unconditional acceptance of the propositions of the Allies by the Czar as the basis of negotiations.

The Congress will meet at Paris on the 17th, and the preliminaries will probably be settled by the 25th.

It is asserted that Prussia refuses to agree to the conditions exacted by the Allies preliminary to admission to the peace conference, and that she will consequently be excluded from the conference.

Baron Brunon and Count Orloff represent Russia; Clarendon, England; Dazeglio Sardinia; Count Buol, Austria; Walewski, France, and Dervish Pasha, Turkey.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Feb. 2.—The market is steady, with advance of ⅛.

The sales of the week amount to 85,000 bales, of which exporters took 12,000 and speculators 14,000.

The sales of Saturday were estimated at 10,000 bales. The market closed firm and quiet.

Our quotations are as follows: Orleans fair 6⅝d, middling 5 13-16d, Uplands fair 6d, middling 5 11-16d.

The stock in port amounted to 419,000 bales, of which 253,000 bales were American.

HAVRE COTTON MARKET.

Havre, Jan. 30.—Cotton is a trifle lower, and Orleans tres ordinaire 8c. to 9c.

NEW YORK MARKET.

New York, Feb. 16—Our Cotton market is firm, with sales to-day of 45,000 bales. Flour is quiet and unchanged. In wheat there is nothing doing. Corn is firmer, and mixed is quoted at 82c. Spirits turpentine dull at 40½c. Rosin firm, No. 1 $2¼ a 2½. Rice is firm. Freights stiffer.

[By the National Line.]

LOUISIANA LEGISLATURE.

Baton Rouge, Feb. 16.—Senate.—Numerous bills of a private nature were acted upon.

House.—The address for the removal of Huffty passed by a vote of [illegible] yeas to 23 nays, after a long debate participated in by Messrs. Brice, Patton, Alexander and Semmes. The vote is of a strictly party character. The House adjourned until Monday.

The following appointments by the Governor have been confirmed: S. B. Frost, Port Warden at New Orleans. Members of the Board of Health—Dr. W. Stone, Dr. A. F. Axson, George Jonas, J. Y. de Egana, A. A. Laforest, Dr. W. Rushton; Resident Physician at the Quarantine Station, Dr. J. F. Thorpe; Marshal at the same, A. Lartigue.

[By the Southern Line.]

New York, Feb. 15.—The Post contains a letter from Sam Houston to the President, in which the writer declares that no consideration would induce him to retain his official position at Washington.

COTTON MARKET.

New York, Feb. 15.—Our cotton market is active and stiffer, with sales of 7,000 bales.

[By the National Line.]

THE RIVERS AND THE WEATHER.

Louisville, Feb. 16.—The river is still rising, and the prospects of an early resumption of navigation continue good.

The weather is moderating and we are having a slight fall of rain, which will help the cause along.

St. Louis, Feb. 16.—The rivers up here, Missouri, Illinois, and Mississippi to the mouth of the Ohio, are about as last reported.

The weather is still moderating, and the prospects of a break up are much better.

The preparations for clearing our harbor with gunpowder are actively progressing.

Cairo, Feb. 16.—The weather still continues favorable for a break up. The Ohio is rising.

Advices from Smithland and Paducah state that both the Cumberland and Tennessee are rising.

Vicksburg, Feb. 16.—The Magnolia passed down at 2 o'clock and the H. R. W. Hill at 5 P. M.

KANSAS AFFAIRS.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Hon. Wilson Shannon, Governor of Kansas Territory, leaves this city to-day for Kansas.

He will, on his arrival, remove his office from Shawnee Mission to Lecompton, which is the centre of the present difficulties.

Orders have been issued to Col. Sumner, in accordance with the President's views, placing at the disposal of Gov. Shannon, if such a step is found necessary, the eight hundred troops at Fort Leavenworth and four hundred at Fort Riley.

European News—The Expected Peace.

The new steamer Persia, of the Cunard line, arrived at New York on Sunday week, with London and Liverpool dates to the 26th of January. We extract from the Commercial Advertiser the annexed summary of news:

A great number of rumors are in circulation touching the approach of peace. They are of all descriptions, and cannot be systematized. In England, for instance, they say that Prussia will not be admitted as a party to the negotiations. At Berlin, on the other hand, the greatest confidence is felt that Prussia will be invited to participate in the conferences as a leading power. Sardinia was formally acquainted with the Austrian propositions, and will, of course, be summoned to take a share in the negotiations. By many it is believed that, seeing how many of the powers are interested and the European importance of what relates to the Principalities and to Christians in the East, the negotiations will assume the magnitude of a European Congress. Russia will probably concede the dismantling of Bomarsund, providing she can save Nicolaieff.

Count Nesselrode has addressed the representatives of Russia in foreign courts, declaring that Russia has made concessions with a view to the re-establishment of peace out of deference to the representations of friendly powers, and not because the interests of Russia call for the conclusion of that peace. M. de Nesselrode's circular is backed by an assertion in the Russian official journal to the effect that, in consideration of the general wish of Europe, the government of the Czar has not sought to impede the work of reconciliation by accessory negotiations, and hopes that due account will be taken of its moderation.

The mere preliminaries of negotiation can hardly be signed in time for the Queen's speech on January 31st. Considering the season of the year, it will be well if all parties have signed the united agreement to negotiate by the 2d or 3d of February.—No city has yet been decided upon for the place of meeting of the conference.

The Paris Constitutionnel publishes a letter from St. Petersburg, bearing date January 16th. As St Petersburg letters take eight days to reach Paris, and this one is published in seven, it is scarcely likely to be genuine. However, it says that no member of the Russian Imperial family, not one of the Ministers, not even Count Nesselrode, anticipated the Czar's pacific reply. Alexander appears to have consulted no one but himself. Having decided on his course of action, he sent the Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs with a note to the Austrian Plenipotentiary, and sent the Grand Duke Nicholas to inform his brother Constantine of his decision. The impression produced on the population of the capital seems to be among the lower classes incredulity as to its truth, and in the higher ranks profound astonishment, with some expressions of discontent.

The acceptance of the Austrian propositions has been published officially at St. Petersburg. The announcement states that the chief condition is the neutralization of the Black Sea, to be secured by a treaty between Russia and Turkey—Russia being ready to discuss the other points.

It is stated in diplomatic circles that Austria considers the wording of the propositions entitles Russia to maintain all existing fortresses on the Black Sea. Further, it is rumored that the Allies intend to maintain an army of occupation in Turkey till the reforms in favor of the Christians are firmly established. This proposal is extremely distasteful both to Turkey and Russia [illegible].

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[illegible] Powers continue their preparations for an earnest continuance of the war, should peace not result from the present conferences. It was stated, but afterwards contradicted, that [illegible], Gen. Codrington, and [illegible] Pacha had, like Gen. Gortschakoff, received orders from their respective governments to stop hostilities. Such orders will [illegible] an armistice be formally concluded. It is hoped that such armistice may [illegible] or about the 3d of February.

[illegible] despatch from St. Petersburg [illegible] currently reported there that [illegible] to Prince [illegible] on the 19th ult. The [illegible] Times' Vienna correspondent writes, on the 20th instant, [illegible] that the Generals of the hostile armies have received orders to suspend hostilities. [illegible] that it was credibly related that [illegible] the British nor French Ministers at Vienna [illegible] up to that time received powers to sign [illegible] The Frankfort Gazette [illegible] to the armistice, says that the suspension of hostilities will first be established by a military convention concluded between the Allied and Russian commanders, and that afterwards the armistice will be confirmed by the respective governments of the belligerents.

At Vienna it is stated that if from the proclamation of an armistice peace is not concluded by the time it is practicable to open the campaign the Allied fleets will enter the Baltic, but during the negotiations will not pass beyond the island of Gothland. In the Crimea, the Tchernaya and defiles which lead to the Valley of Baidar will form the line of demarcation. The line of limitation at Kinburn, Kertsch, and Eupatoria will be fixed by mutual agreement between the Allied and Russian commanders.

Accounts from the Crimea to the 6th of January mention no fact of the least importance. The cold was intense, and the sea had frozen along the coast, but particularly in the ports of Kazatch and Balaklava and in the roadstead of Sebastopol. The ice, however, soon disappears. The men who suffered most were the porters and laborers recently arrived in the Crimea, and not yet inured to the climate. The cannonade from the North forts continued uninterruptedly. It is remarked that recently the Russians have fired large shells into Sebastopol, whereas they formerly threw only bombs; hence it is inferred they have received fresh supplies of material. Their fire on the city does not do much damage, but was directed with a sagacity that showed they had accurate information of all the movements in the Allied camp. Several spies had been arrested. Stringent measures were adopted to prevent communication with the enemy. Twenty-five hundred permissions to reside at Balaklava have been issued, and without such permission no one will be allowed to remain, and no persons excepting non-commissioned officers of the English army will be allowed to open stores and canteens.

From the Rio Grande.

By the arrival of the steamship Nautilus, we have received files of Brownsville papers to the 9th inst. The Flag of that date says:

We have received no farther news of Uraga's revolution. The papers of Matamoros remain silent on the subject.

The mail for New Orleans was left by the Nautilus at Point Isabel on her last trip. This occurrence, which we think has no precedent, was caused by the bad state of the roads. Mr. Neale, the contractor, was not able to arrive at the Point in time, and the steamer having waited a day beyond her appointed hour, and fearing a norther if she remained any longer, left, taking with her only the Brazos Santiago mail. The merchants up river were more fortunate than those of our city, as their letters had been sent down the day previous in order to lighten the regular mail. Neither passengers nor a considerable amount of specie got aboard.—We must say that our merchants are the only persons to blame for this mishap, as they seem to be always behind hand with their remittances. We advise them to be prepared in the future to guard against the renewal of these vexations.

Mr. Neale made every effort in his power to arrive in time, but the bad state of the weather had made the roads so impracticable that all his endeavors were vain.

We have, however, a remark to make, which has struck other persons also as very curious. The steamer is generally advertised to leave at 4 o'clock, P. M., on her day of departure, and yet the carriers by schedule are not obliged to get to Brazos until six in the evening! We would like some information on the matter, for we cannot account how such an arrangement can have been made; it may be that the steamers leave before her time according to the schedule.

Robbery.—On Thursday evening, the 7th inst., the store of Mr. J. Bavese was entered with a false key while he was absent to his evening meal. The thieves succeeded in carrying away a large amount of jewelry and fancy goods, and in breaking open and taking with them his trunk, in which were his papers, linen, and cash. We were not able to ascertain the amount of the loss, but judge that it must have been considerable. His trunk was found near the Methodist Church on Elizabeth street.

Nothing has been heard of the robbers as yet; but suspicion hangs heavy on that gang of thieves which was lately broken up by the imprisonment of some of its members, and which we think has been reorganized since the escape, some months since, of those parties.

Desperate Affray in a School-house.—The Lebanon (Tenn.) Herald of the 24th ult. gives the following account of a terrible and fatal fight in a school-room in Wilson county, in that State:

"The most distressing homicide we ever heard of occurred in this county, about seven miles northeast of Lebanon, on last Monday morning was a week ago, between Rufus Watson and his three sons on the one side, and two sons of John New on the other. The unfortunate difficulty occurred in a school-room. Young New, aged about nineteen years, was shot through the heart and expired immediately; and his little brother, some thirteen or fourteen years of age, was almost literally cut to pieces—receiving no less, we learn, than seven dangerous wounds. Strange as it may appear, he is still living, and hopes are entertained of his recovery. Rufus Watson received the contents of a pistol loaded with birdshot, in the breast, but was not seriously hurt. The difficulty grew out of an old grudge that has existed between the heads of the respective families.

"Watson and his sons were examined at Taylorsville on Friday last. On hearing the evidence the Court held them to bail in the sum of $4,000. One of the boys was bailed out, but the other two and the father, failing to give bail, were committed to jail to await their trial at the next term of the Circuit Court."

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

St. Charles Theatre.—Mr. Murdoch repeats his admirable personation of De Soto in the play of that name, to-night. The performance will commence with the farce of "No. 1 Round the Corner." Mr. Murdoch has a benefit to-morrow night.

The Pyne & Harrison Opera Troupe.—The Pyne & Harrison English Opera Troupe returned from Mobile yesterday. We are glad to learn that they are to give a concert at Odd Fellows' Hall on Thursday evening.

Orleans Theatre.—Meyerbeer's comic opera, "L'Etoile du Nord," will be performed again at this establishment this evening. At all the representations of this fine opera thus far this season, there have been large houses.

Lyceum Lectures.—The attention of our readers is particularly invited to the advertisement in another column, of the course of lectures at Lyceum Hall, First District. To morrow evening Dr. B. A. Gould will resume his interesting and attractive discourse on the Theory of Probabilities, showing its influence on the development of individual character and the morals of human society. Judging from the introductory delivered on Thursday last by him, we anticipate an instructive and eloquent lecture to-morrow night.

We trust that our citizens generally will second the efforts of the Lyceum and Library Committee, to provide, at a trifling cost, an occasional intellectual repast like this in our city.

Benefit of Mr. Dion Boucicault.—The efficient and gentlemanly manager of the Gaiety Theatre has a benefit this evening, for which a splendid bill is announced. It will consist of Mr. Boucicault's fine comedy of Violet, and the protean piece, Rachel is Coming, in both which the charming Agnes Robertson has parts, and of several of the beautiful tableaux of the Keffers. If the high merits of Mr. Boucicault as a gentleman, an author, and an actor are duly considered, there will not fail to be a crowded house on the occasion.

We have heard a report to the effect that Mr. Boucicault is about to retire from the management of the Gaiety. It would give us extreme regret to learn that this report is true, for the Gaiety, through his untiring exertions, has been one of the most admirably managed theatres we have ever had in New Orleans.

Parodi's Twelfth Concert.—M'lle Teresa Parodi and her troupe give the twelfth of their series of excellent concerts in New Orleans this evening at Odd Fellows' Hall. The success of Parodi here this winter is almost without a parallel. Indeed we do not remember any artist, not even excepting Jenny Lind or Sontag, who has given in this city, during one season, such a large number of concerts with unequivocal success. When we heard of the intention of Parodi to visit New Orleans, we feared a little the result; but we have been agreeably disappointed. She has, night after night, been to houses crowded with the intelligence, beauty and fashion of our city, and equal in size to those which filled the concert room in its palmiest days. The programmes for these concerts have been selected with admirable taste by Mr. Strakosch, the Director, and have been entirely changed nightly, except those pieces which have been repeated by general request. During the time, the Marseillaise has been sung six times by Parodi, to the most enthusiastic audiences, and our national anthem, the Star Spangled Banner, has been given by Parodi and Strakosch in a style never before equaled. The Star Spangled Banner will be again repeated to-night, and this alone would be sufficient to fill the house, but the programme is throughout a superb one. Parodi will sing, besides a grand aria from the Barber of Seville, a romance from Robert le Diable, an aria from Don Giovanni, the celebrated rondo finale from Sonnambula, and the grand duetto from the Stabat Mater. Madame Strakosch, besides singing in two duets with Parodi, will give several of her charming ballads. Signor Leonardi will sing selections from standard operas, and Strakosch will perform several pieces, original and selected, on the piano.

Parodi has nobly volunteered to sing for the benefit of the Firemen's Charitable Association to-morrow evening. We may here mention, by the way, that the receipts of the concert on Saturday night for the benefit of the Fourth District Orphans' Home, amounted to upwards of $800.

Contribution to the Washington Monument.—That splendid military company, the "Continental Guards," intend to celebrate their anniversary, Friday next, the 22d February, by the dedication of a block for the national monument to Washington. The block, which is being prepared at the marble yard of John Strend & Co., Common street, will be of marble, six feet eight inches long, four feet four inches wide, and thirteen inches thick, and weighs about 2,000 pounds. The arms of the State are to be engraved in the centre, surrounded by a beautiful wreath of the cotton-plant and sugar-cane, to be surmounted by the following inscription: "Continental Guards to the Washington Monument—22d February, 1856." On each side of this engraving are to be engraved the names of all the members of the company, active and honorary, [illegible]. On the 22d, at 12 o'clock, the company will convey [illegible] [illegible].

Committed for Trial.—The following parties were committed for trial by Recorder [illegible] [illegible].

LYCEUM LECTURES.

DR. B. A. GOULD, of Cambridge, and other gentlemen of this city, will deliver a course of lectures [illegible] on

ASTRONOMY,

THE NATURAL SCIENCES,

and other subjects, in Lyceum Hall, on

TUESDAY and THURSDAY EVENINGS

of each week in February and March, at 7½ o'clock.

The proceeds of these lectures will be devoted exclusively to the benefit of the Lyceum Library of the First District, an institution designed for the intellectual enjoyment of all classes of our citizens.

Terms of Admission to the Lectures for the whole Course.

Ticket admitting one gentleman and two ladies $10 00
Do do one person 5 00

To each Lecture.

Admission 50

Tickets may be had at the Book and Music Stores, at the Library (No. 10 City Hall,) or at the door of the Lyceum Hall. feb16 12 19

CONTINENTAL GUARDS.

Meeting of the Honorary Members.

February 14, 1856.

At a called meeting of the Honorary Members of the Continental Guards, held this day, Gen. John L. Lewis was unanimously elected President, and O. De Buys, Secretary.

After a few remarks from the President, Capt. Labuzan, commanding officer of the Continental Guards, being called upon, explained the object of the meeting, whereupon the following was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the invitation of the Continentals to participate in the celebration of their first anniversary, the 22d instant, be accepted.

Resolved, That the following dress be adopted: Black suit; white vest and gloves, with the request that those attached to the "Military" wear the uniform of their grades.

Resolved, That the Secretary be directed to notify the absent members of the proceedings of this meeting, and request their co-operation therewith.

Badges will be furnished and delivered to the Honorary Members on the 22d inst., at the City Hall.

On motion, these proceedings were ordered to be published.

On motion, this meeting adjourned to Friday next, 22d inst., at 11½ o'clock, A. M., at the Mayor's Reception Room, City Hall.

JOHN L. LEWIS, President.

O. DeBuys, Secretary. feb16 21 22

DOLBEAR'S COMMERCIAL COLLEGE, 106 Canal street.

FRENCH, Spanish, German, English, Arithmetic, Geometry, Surveying, Navigation, Penmanship, Phonography, Book-keeping, &c., are taught by able Professors. Citizens and strangers are invited to call. There are NINE departments. A special Professor for each branch, &c., so as to save the time of pupils. NEW CLASSES this week.

feb18 RUFUS DOLBEAR.

DR. DE LACY, OF PARIS,

CAN be consulted during his short stay in New Orleans, every day from 10 o'clock A. M. till 2 P. M. at No. 10 RAMPART STREET.

A prospectus, containing extracts from Paris and other journals, as to the efficacy of Dr. De Lacy's special treatment of Nervous and Chronic affections, may be had at the Bookstore of Mr. H. D. McGinnis, 38 Camp street. feb18 1m

Branch Louisiana State Bank, 2d M'ry,

New Orleans, 18th February, 1856.

THIS BANK will be closed on FRIDAY NEXT, the 22d instant, (Washington's Birth-day.) Paper falling due on that day will be payable on Thursday, the 21st instant, on which day the Board will meet for discounts. Offerings for discounts must be made on Wednesday, the 20th instant.

feb18 R. J. PALFREY, Cashier.

Tariff, or, Rates of Duties.

LATE edition of United States Tariff, arranged by E. D. Ogden, of the Customhouse, New York, 1856. For sale by ALEXANDER LEVY & CO., Stationers, Nautical Books and Chart Sellers, feb18 51 Camp st.

Piano for Sale.

ON account of departure, a splendid oblique rosewood PIANO, almost new, from the manufactory of Erard.

Apply at No. 180 Girod street. feb16 6t

Lost,

A BOUT twenty days ago, a promissory note for $138 30, drawn by A. Narbonne & Co., to the order of F. Rimailho & Co., due on the 6th and 9th of March next. Another note for the amount having been given, the lost one is null and void, and the public are hereby cautioned against trading for the same.

feb18 1t FOOS, RIMAILHO & CO.

CHEAPER YET THAN BEFORE!

THE subscribers beg leave to inform their numerous buyers, that from MONDAY, 18th of February, and on the following days, they will open their large assortment of SPRING GOODS, which they have just received, and which they offer for sale cheaper yet than before. They call attention to the following articles: Jaconets and colored Muslins at 10, 12½ and 15 cts; French Jaconets, from 20 to 25 cts; a splendid article; Ginghams and Delaines, at 10 and 12½ cts; French Ginghams, from 15 to 20 cts; Bareges at 20 cts, a magnificent article; 100 pieces Barege, white ground, at 25 cts; Barege and Organdy Dresses with flounces, cheap. They will, on the same day, open one of the finest lots of Calicoes ever offered for sale in the city, at greatly reduced prices.

A large lot of Muslin for mosquito bars and curtains, from $1 to $4; black Gros de Naples at $1, $1 15 and $1 25 per yard. They improve the present opportunity to inform persons who had called too late for their Handkerchiefs of all kinds for ladies and gentlemen, that they have just received a new assortment, which they will put on sale with the other goods. These persons will do well to lose no time if they want to improve this new chance.

As to their other goods, which it would take too long to enumerate, they continue selling them at prices which will astonish the most fastidious customers. M. BARRIERE & CO.,

feb18 6t Corner St. Ann and Burgundy streets.

For Rent.

ONE HALF of a house, containing four fine rooms and a closet, with a gallery, No. 388, [illegible] street, between Marais and Villere, North side. Apply to J. M. Tricou, St. Peter street, No. 131, corner Dauphine.

Beans, Rice, Coffee, &c.

RECEIVED—200 casks Carolina Rice;
100 bbls Creole do;
200 bags Rio coffee;
50 bbls white beans;
200 do Irish potatoes;
100 do sweet do;
10 boxes codfish;
50 do herrings;
100 bbls mackerel No. 3, Maryland;
100 do do;
50 do crushed sugar;
100 baskets sweet oil;
150 boxes claret;
50 do fruits soft shell almonds;
10 firkins Goshen butter.

For sale by A. TITUS,
feb14 75 Old Levee street.

HAVANA CIGARS—1,000,000 on hand, comprising every desirable quality, carefully selected from the best manufactories in Havana, and consisting in part of the following choice brands, viz: Cabanas, Partagas, Intimidad, Ingenuidad, Nicotiana, Corinnes, Eccecoas, El Sol, Washington, Capeolia, A. Garcia & Co., El Sultan, Espanola, Flor de Morales, Granadina, Dama, Mensajeros, Jenny Lind, Acierto, Felton, &c., for sale on reasonable terms by MORENO BROTHERS, feb18 1w 34 Old Levee st.

LEAF TOBACCO—25 bales excellent Havana fillers, in store and for sale by MORENO BROTHERS, feb18 1w 34 Old Levee st.

PAPER CIGARS—Of several favorite brands, in store and for sale by MORENO BROTHERS, feb18 1w 34 Old Levee st.

COFFEE—Prime green Havana coffee, in store and for sale by MORENO BROTHERS, feb18 1w 34 Old Levee.

PERIQUE TOBACCO—A choice lot, in store and for sale by MORENO BROTHERS, feb18 1w 34 Old Levee.

CARPET WAREHOUSE.

19 .... CHARTRES STREET 19

WE are receiving by daily arrivals, direct from manufacturers, fresh supplies of new patterns of Wilton, Velvet and Brussels Tapestry; Brussels, Three plys, Ingrains, Venetians, Hemp and other Carpetings.

Also—Floor Oil Cloth, of various widths and qualities, cut to suit all sizes of apartments; Drugget and Linen Crumb Cloths; Table and Piano Covers, Hair Cloth, Stair Rods; Window Shades; Cocoa and China Matting, &c. All of which we offer at the lowest market prices.

oct24 1w A. BROUSSEAU & CO.

SUNDRIES—
40 casks Claret, St. Julien;
50 bbls White Wine, Haut Sauterne;
500 boxes Claret, St. Julien;
100 do Haut Sauterne;
300 baskets Oil, J. Piagnol, quarts;
100 do do, do, pints;
100 boxes Vermouth, Noilly & Pratt;
400 do assorted Pickles;
100 do Brandy Fruits, Teysonneau;
100 do Fruits in juice, do;
100 do Brandy Cherries, do;
30 cases Sardines, half boxes;
30 do do quarter do;
150 baskets Champagne, Piper Heidsick, quarts and pints.

In store and for sale by TH. CAPTAINE, bfe16 15 Tchoupitoulas st.

To Ladies.

A LA COQUETTE,

No. 200 Royal street, between St. Philip and Dumaine streets.

MADAM FLANDRAIN, from Paris, Corset-maker to the artists of the Orleans Theatre, invites the ladies, before their party and ball dresses are completed, to order one of her splendid Corsets, known as Express Corsets, so extensively used in Paris. As conservatives of the waist, they are infinitely superior to the former corsets, which being loaded with whale bones, are frequently a cause of restraint and fatigue. Their graceful cut and remarkable flexibility exhibit to a greater advantage the beauties of the figure.

Madam Flandrain manufactures to order silk wedding corsets, &c. for ladies in family-way, children's shoulder braces, and every article in the orthopedic line. All goods from Mrs. F.'s store bear the stamp of the house, in order to prevent counterfeit. feb16 1y

Wanted.

A YOUNG lady speaking English and French. Apply to Mrs. CAZAUX, milliner, Canal street, 162, between Burgundy and Rampart. feb15 6t

To Draymen.

WE will pay no drayage except to draymen holding our written order. feb15 J. & J. TARDOS, 21 Old Levee st

Wanted.

A Frenchman, about thirty, formerly a public officer, a graduate of the University, and speaking the German language, wishes to obtain a situation as teacher in the country. He is a good surveyor. Best of references given. Address, Post Office, L 96. feb15

Wanted.

SHOEMAKERS, for Ladies' shoes, for the whole year, on very profitable terms. Apply at the Factory of Messrs BLANCAND & GUTTET, corner of Main and Royal streets.

V. & E. MAIGNAN have removed from Nos. 85 and 87 St. Louis street to No. 20, same street. feb16 tf

Cognac and Wines.

15 Eighth pipes superior Cognac, Jean Louis, 1798;
10 hf and 20 qr do do do 1872;
20 hf and 40 qr pipes rep'or do Maglory, 1834;
14 hf do do do Buckeye, 1806;
20 qr do do do de Montezun, 1840;
30 qr and 30 eighth pipes superior Cognac, Pervyan;
75 hf and 45 qr pipes J. Durand & Co's La Rochelle;
400 bbls sweet and dry Malaga Wine;
150 boxes Wine, Haut Taleuce, 1849;
[illegible] do do Chateau Laville, 1847;
10 do do Chateau Margaux, 1848;
10 do do Chateau Lafitte, 1848;
10 do White Wine, Haut Sauterne, Chat. Yquem;
[illegible] baskets Champagne, [illegible];
[illegible]

[illegible] J. & J. TARDOS, No. 21 Old Levee st.

[illegible] NEW PLAN, [illegible] H. VANDERLINDEN, [illegible] of the Charity Hospital.

[illegible] Corner Bourbon and St. Louis streets. [illegible] received by late arrivals [illegible] an extensive assortment of PAPERS [illegible] from the best Parisian manufactories, and [illegible]. Purchasers are invited to call and [illegible] stock, which will be disposed of on very reasonable terms. [illegible]

S. CHESMAN.

WATCHES! CHRONOMETERS!

E. DOURS,

Importer of Watches, Watch Materials, and Watchmakers' Tools,

No. 19 Camp Street, Up Stairs,

HAS just received from the best Swiss and English manufacturers, and offers an extensive variety of Watches, Chronometers, Duplex, Independent Seconds, &c. &c.

Among these articles there is a REMARKABLE CHRONOMETER, by LAGIER, of GENEVA, to which a spring is adapted, striking the hours and quarter hours.

This EXTRAORDINARY PIECE, which has been shown at the Paris Exhibition, is the more remarkable on account of its size not exceeding that of an ordinary Watch, and the mechanism, besides being perfect, is very plain, and all the pieces are independent of each other.

Articles in his line will constantly be [illegible] establishment, on terms [illegible].

Orders for New York, London, [illegible] Switzerland attended to by Mr. DOURS. feb16

SPLENDID [illegible] FLOWER [illegible]

CHARTRES [illegible] ST. No. 28,

(Next to [illegible] superb store.)

[illegible] Horticulturist,

From [illegible], and branch of Marseilles, [illegible] leave to inform ladies and amateurs that he has just arrived from France with a splendid collection of flower and fruit trees, camelias, magnolias, rhododendrons, Peonia arborea, and the richest collection of grafted and ungrafted rose trees. Also, pear, apple, plum and cherry Trees, perpetual gooseberry bushes and other kinds, onion roots, bulbous flower roots, flower and garden seeds, and other plants too numerous to be mentioned. Purchasers cannot fail to be satisfied. Packing up attended to gratis, and catalogues to be had at No. 28 Chartres street.

No. 8 Chartres street, near Canal.

To the Queen of Flowers.

PLANTS IMPORTED BY LATE ARRIVALS FROM EUROPE.

V. LEVIDET,

FLORIST and Nursery-man, from Angers, (France) and branch Nurseries in Algiers, (Africa), respectfully informs amateurs, and ladies especially, that he has just arrived with the richest Plants to be found, such as flower and fruit plants, Camelias, Magnolias, Daphnes, China Lemon Tree, Rhododendrons, Peonia, Arborea; 1250 new Rose Trees, Fruit Trees, Pear, Apple, Cherry and Peach Trees, Vines, Gooseberry, Raspberry and Strawberry Bushes; Perpetual Flemish Pinks, Bulbous Flower Roots; Potato Seeds, having the same taste and flavor as the Perigord truffles; new early Peas of a prodigious size, and delicious. The whole on very moderate terms.

N. B. Received by very late arrivals from Europe fresh Plants and Fruit Trees, among which the large African Peach Tree, Gooseberry Trees, Strawberry Trees, Damascus Fig, Vine and Lemon Trees of a prodigious size and delicious taste, choice Dutch Pinks, &c. &c. Packing up for the country and abroad attended to. The Seeds are guaranteed. Catalogues to be had, gratis, at No. 8 Chartres street, near Canal. an9—1m

Flower and Fruit Plants.

French Horticulturist, St. Charles street, No. 7, near the St. Charles Hotel.

MR. BALMAIN, French Horticulturist, from Angiers, and a member of several learned Societies, respectfully informs ladies and gentlemen of New Orleans that he has lately arrived from France with a splendid collection of Flower and Fruit Plants of the latest kind, such as Camelias, Magnolias, Rhododendrons, Prunies, Jessamines, grafted and ungrafted Rose Trees of the finest known varieties, Fruit Trees of every description, Gooseberry Bushes, Vines, Dahlias, Bulbous Roots of all kinds. Flower and Garden Seeds, Windflowers, Ranoncuis. The whole on very moderate terms. The store will be opened on the 8th inst.

A splendid assortment of Holland hyacinths, tulips and jonquils, received per late steamer from France. These articles are guaranteed choice and for what they are sold. Packing up carefully attended to gratis at No. 7 St. Charles st.

Seed—Seed—Growth of 1855.

RECEIVED per recent arrivals from the North and Europe, comprising the following: Early Tuscarora Corn; White Flint Corn;

Early Sugar Corn; Golden Flint Corn;
Pole and Bunch Beans, assorted;
Long Blood Beet; Early Turnip Beet;
Mangel Wurtzel Beet; French Sugar Beet;
Cauliflower; Cabbage assorted, ten varieties;
Collards; Carrot;
Chervil; Cress, curled and broad leaf;
Cucumber; Corn salad;
Endive; Egg Plant;
Curled Kale; Lettuce, assorted;
Large Flag Leek; Melons, assorted;
Early Prince Albert Peas; Okra;
Blue Imperial Peas;
Extra Early or 30 day Peas;
Early Frame Peas;
Early May Peas;
Early Washington Peas;
Large, White Marrowfat Peas;
Large, Black Eye Marrowfat do.
Dwarf Sugar Peas;
Parsnip, Plain and Curled Parsley;
Large Bell Pepper; Large Sweet Pepper;
Bull Nose Pepper, Long Cayenne Pepper,
Pumpkin, Round Cayenne Pepper;
Radish assorted, six varieties,
Squash; Salsify;
Spinage and Sorrel;
Large Red, Yellow, and Small Red Tomato;
Six varieties of Turnip, for field and garden culture;
Herb seeds, assorted;
Northern Seed Potatoes.

—GRASS SEED—
Red and White Clover;
Timothy Herd's Grass;
Extra Clean and Stripped Blue Grass;
Millet;
Hemp Seed;

for sale in quantities to suit purchasers.

Dealers supplied with Seed by the dozen, hundred or thousand papers for retailing; also, in boxes containing a well assorted variety. Planters furnished with Seeds of assorted seed, or by the pound or bushel. D. MAUPAY,

jan31 61 Gravier street, near Camp.

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NURSERYMAN, Horticulturist, and Florist, a pupil and Deputy Gardener of the Jardin des Plantes, Paris, and Deputy Manager of the Model Garden in Rouen—

Received lately, per steamship North Star and ship St. Paul, an extensive and splendid collection of Camelias, white and of various color; Dahlia Roots of the finest kinds, and 25,000 Holland Asparagus grafts, extra strong and entirely fresh.

Also, constantly in store, an immense quantity of Garden Seeds from the most renowned Northern, French and German gardens, which are never delivered unless the name are of the last crop and have been tested by himself. The prices are very moderate. Genuine seeds sold with a full guarantee. Prices fully shared with wholesale buyers or regular customers. Verbal or written information, based on a long experience, gratis. jan18

GARDEN SEEDS.

NEW CROP OF 1855.

RECEIVED by schooners Granada, Black Warrior, Crescent City and Cahawba, from New York and per ship Johannesburg, from Havre, a complete assortment of fresh SEEDS, qualities guaranteed, such as—

Cauliflower, 3 qualities; Turnip Blood Beet,
Drumhead Cabbage, Long do
Large bergen do Rustic do
Early York do Short red Carrot
Large York do Half long do
Sugar Loaf do Long do
German do Farming do
Oxheart do Large Scorzonera,
Curled Milan do Parsnip do
Apple red do Common Chervil,
Turnip Cabbage above ground Curled do
do do under ground, Large white Celery,
Wild or bitter Endive, Short large do
Green Curled Endive, Large Turkish do
Cresses, 4 qualities; White flat Turnip
Spinach, 2 qualities; Red Top do
Radish of every kind, Farming Seeds,
Red and white Trefoil, Luzerne, Hay.
Peas of every kind, Rye grass, etc.,

BEANS OF DIFFERENT KINDS, SUCH AS:
White kidney Royal,
Early China-Dwarf,
Early white Marrow,
Early black Tampico,
Large Lima Pole,
Small Lima Pole,

New round Parsnip, large purple Egg-plant, white Egg-plant do,
Large sweet mountain Pepper,
Melons, different kinds, Squash do,
Lettuce, Versailles, Roman, Royal, large white, together with several other varieties, etc., etc.

For sale by B. DOUR, No. 32 Conti street, between Chartres and Old Levee.

There will also be found every variety of Flower Seeds. n24 tf

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, spinnage, cress, parsley, chervil, parsnip, lettuce, endive, lamb's lettuce, sorrel (large leaves,) radish cabbage rootabaga turnip cabbages, cauliflowers, half long, and roundradish, black radish, oyster plant, melon, cucumber, Managan beans.

Sixty varieties of Flower Seeds.

PLANTS:

A fine collection of plants and shrubs, choice rosetrees, 120 varieties.

FRUIT TREES:

Pear trees, apple trees, peach trees, and fig trees.

For sale at moderate prices, by J. MENARD, 161 Old Levee.

MRS. P. LAFARGUE,

OLD STAND, BOURBON STREET, 133, NEAR ST. LOUIS STREET.

Special Store for Laces.

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NOTICE.

J. MAGNE,

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feb1 1m UP STAIRS.

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Presses, Types, Inks, Cards, Card Boards, and General Furnishing. ja5—dwly

LION & PINSARD.

66 and 68 Royal street, corner of Bienville,

JUST received per ship Mortimer Livingston, a fresh assortment of goods of every description, comprising in part:

GLOVES, fine cut, Jouvin style, at 60c a pair;

CRAVATS, Collars, English Collars, latest style.

FRENCH PERFUMERY, from the best Parisian manufacturers, to wit: Lubin, Hygienic Association, Violet and Pinaud;

HOSIERY, an extensive assortment of Undershirts, Drawers, Hose and Half Hose, every description; Shirts, Suspenders, Garters;

MOURNING JEWELRY, Bracelets, Necklaces, Earrings, Crosses, Chains, Breastpins, &c., Jet and imitation do;

FANCY ARTICLES, every description.

LOTO, Chess, and Boston Games.

AN EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENT OF

Cornets, Brushes, Combs, Porte-Monnaies, Cigar-Cases, Portfolios, Chinaware, and Crystals, Shirt Bosoms, &c., Mercery, Ribbons, Tape, Waistbands, Velvet Ribbons, Buttons, Thread, Lace, &c.

100 boxes Gooseberry, Strawberry, and Raspberry Juice.

300 bottles Labarraque's Chloris, at $5 per dozen for large bottles.

100 "Moderateur" Lamps, Chinaware and Bronze. Wholesale and retail on very liberal terms. Orders for New York and France attended to.

LION & PINSARD,

feb16 1m 66 and 68 Royal st., corner Bienville.

PERFUMERY.

THE undersigned has just received per [illegible] Livingston a fresh and complete assortment of Perfumery from the

Hygienic Society of Paris.

Toilette Vinegar; Sweet Rose Shaving Soap; Tooth Powders and Washes; Philocomes, Oils and Pomatum; Rice Powder; Almond Paste, &c., &c.

Dr. Pierre's Tooth Powders and Washes.

Farina's genuine Cologne Water.

For sale at the depot, No. 167 Chartres street.

feb12 J. TACON.

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For Attakapas [illegible]

THE substantial [illegible] steamer A. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] WEDNESDAY, the [illegible] [illegible] for New Iberia, Franklin, [illegible] Pattersonville, Berwick's Bay, Bayou [illegible] intermediate landings on the route. [illegible] particulars, apply on board, or to HALL, RODD & PUTNAM, feb18 [illegible] Customhouse street.

[illegible] CALIFORNIA.

[illegible] NIA, via HAVANA, AS-[illegible] and PANAMA.—The U. S. [illegible] steamship Company's fine steamer [illegible] Windle, commander, will leave her wharf, foot of St. Joseph street, on WEDNESDAY, 20th February, at 8 o'clock, A. M., precisely, with the Government Mails and passengers, connecting with the U. S. mail steamship PHILADELPHIA at Havana, and the Pacific Mail steamship at Sonora, Panama.

THE PANAMA RAILROAD IS NOW OPEN FROM OCEAN TO OCEAN and the transit is made in a few hours.

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UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.—For NEW YORK via HAVANA.—The new and elegant steamship EMPIRE CITY, H. Windle, Commander, will leave her wharf, foot of St. Joseph street, for New York, via Havana, on WEDNESDAY, 20th February, at 8 A. M. precisely, with the Government mails and passengers. For freight or passage, apply at the office of the Company, 72 Magazine street.

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WASHINGTON	Feb.	23	March	22	March	26
HERMANN	March	22	April	19	April	23
WASHINGTON	April	19	May	17	May	21
HERMANN	May	17	June	14	June	18
WASHINGTON	June	14	July	12	July	16
HERMANN	July	12	Aug.	9	Aug.	13
WASHINGTON	Aug.	9	Sept.	6	Sept.	10
HERMANN	Sept.	6	Oct.	4	Oct.	8
WASHINGTON	Oct.	4	Nov.	1	Nov.	5
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WASHINGTON	Nov.	29	Dec.	27	Dec.	31

Stopping at Southampton, both going and returning, they offer passengers proceeding to London and Havre, advantages over any other route, for the economy of time and money.

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REGULATING CLOCKS, for plantations and offices;
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Watches, Clocks, Instruments, &c., repaired.
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OVER COATS—Black Pilots, Blue Overcoats, and Frock Paletots, Office Sacks, Overcoats, Pardessus, Opera Coats, a beautiful new style of Soiree Coats, Talmas, Opera Cloaks, Basques, new style.

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Blue and fancy Blanket coats of all kinds and descriptions; 1500 dozen drab Kersy Suits; red, grey and white Flannel Shirts; 800 dozen Hickory striped Shirts, first quality; 600 dozen do second quality; 100 dozen Check Shirts, white and brown Canton Flannel Shirts and Drawers, white and brown twilled and plain Cotton Drawers; India Rubber Overcoats and Leggings; 1200 dozen linen bosom and Cotton Shirts—price $4 to $27 per dozen; brown Shirts and French patent bosom, expressly imported for our own trade. An assortment of French Calico and Jaconet Shirts.

A full assortment of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods; an assortment of Youth's and Children's clothing and Boy's Clothing. Planters and Country Merchants will find it their interest to call and examine the above before purchasing elsewhere. n29 tf

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HAS received from France, England and New York a large assortment of Surgical Instruments and Orthopedic Apparatus, such as anatomical instruments, boxes, dissecting cases, pocket cases, instruments for autopsy, for amputations, for trepanning, obstetrical instruments, instruments for eye operations, for curved pupil, for curvature of the spine, for strabismus, for operations on the eyelids, Beniquet's instruments for stricture, cupping instruments, dentist's do; a complete assortment of instruments of various sizes and prices.

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Every apparatus approved and patented by the Academy of Medicine, the Academy of Industry, the Lyceum of Arts and Society of Encouragement, bandages of Bara & Brothers, Physicians and Herniary Surgeons of the Navy.

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Plastic knee braces, suspensory bandages—various models—artificial limbs, mechanical arms and legs—various models—assorted crutches, elastic leg supporters for the cure of false anchylosis of the knee; do for the relief of distortions; apparatus for the cure of club-feet, and a complete assortment of instruments for the cure of every species of human deformity.

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Injection pipes on the lever principle, with continued stream, single and double pistons, traveling bidets; do for bed and apartments, patent irrigator of Dr. Eguisier, self-acting and winding up like a clock, suitable for every species of injection, clyster, irrigations, ascending shower baths.

Adrien Petit's hydroclyse, with continued stream, operating with one hand; clyso-pumps of various models. All the bandages and apparatus are applied to the satisfaction of customers. All the instruments and apparatus are of assorted sizes and prices. Surgical and other instruments repaired with promptitude and despatch.

It is well known that it is extremely difficult, when one is not upon the spot, to obtain proper herniary bandages. By observing the following directions, I believe there would be no difficulty of being satisfactorily accommodated. First of all, the form of the desired bandage should be indicated in the clearest and most precise manner: next, whether the rupture is inguinal, crural and umbilical; in the two former cases, if it is on the left, right, or on both sides; if it is small or large; if the spring should be weak or strong; and finally the circumference of the pelvis must be given if the hernia be crural or inguinal, and the circumference of the abdomen if the hernia be umbilical. These various measurements must be made with great exactitude upon the naked body, and must be made known to me with the utmost precision for every species of apparatus.

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ja10 6m 66 St Charles street

To Gardeners and Planters.

THE undersigned offer, at the lowest market price, to suit purchasers, WHITE AND RED DWARF BEANS. FAZENDE & SON,

jan22-tf 20 Old Levee.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!

JUST LANDING from bark Robert, from Havre—One case of plain colored fancy RIBBONS.

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196 Royal street, between St. Peter and Orleans streets. fe7 3m

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100 CASKS Claret, Villanueba Brand;
25 casks Claret, St. Vincent do very old;
20 barrels Canary Seed;
300 jars Olive Oil;
10 boxes Scotch Codfish;
300 reams Paper, for paper Cigars;
15 pounds Saffron;
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10 bales Demijohn Corks, 5,000 each;
10 half casks Pressed Sardines;

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feb13 Old Levee, No. 121.

POTATOES—[illegible] bbls Northern Pink Eyes, for planting, landing from ship Lancashire, and for sale by DONNELLY, BERMINA & CO.,

feb13 86 Tchoupitoulas st.

TO LITHOGRAPHERS AND CIGAR MANUFACTURERS.—Three cases tableau paper, elephant dimension, of different colors, [illegible] for sale by

feb13 ANT. COSTA, 16 Customhouse st.

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THE large establishment No. [illegible] street, comprising—First, A Dwelling House, [illegible] large two-story Brick building, containing a splendid manufactory of mineral gaseous waters, a fine distillery, a splendid chocolate factory, and a large depot of Leeches. There are also on the property a fine garden, stables, shed, &c.

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Union Bank of Louisiana,

New Orleans, 14th February, 1856.

AT a meeting of the Board, held on the 12th inst., it was unanimously resolved, That in view of adding permanency to the value of the Stock of granting increased facilities to the growing commerce of New Orleans, it is deemed expedient, and the moment favorable for an increase of the Capital Stock of this Bank (say not to exceed $800,000,) and to that end, the requisite notice in conformity with the 8th Article of the Charter authorizing the same, be given to the Stockholders. In accordance thereto,

Notice is hereby given that the Books will be opened to the Stockholders THIS DAY, (who are privileged for 60 days) for subscriptions to said increase. A provisional subscription list is also opened to the public for said portion of said increase as may not be taken, or may be waived by the present Stockholders. Stock taken and paid up will be entitled to the pro rata dividend to be declared in July next, to be computed from the date of payment.

feb14 tf GEO. A. FREREY, Cashier.

Citizens' Bank of Louisiana,

February 12, 1856.

AT an election of seven Directors of this Bank, held by the Stockholders on the 4th inst., the following named gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year, viz:

Messrs. James D. Denegre, J. A. Braud, M. Cordy, J. G. Gaines, Logan McKnight, M. Musson, A. B. Roman.

Directors on the part of the State—

Messrs. John Pemberton, William E. Starke.

And at a meeting of the Board held yesterday, Jas. D. Denegre, Esq., was unanimously elected President.

feb13 1w E. ROUSSEAU, Cashier.

New Orleans,

February 11th, 1856.

IN consequence of the death of Mr. SAMUEL J. PETERS on the 11th of August last, he ceased to be a partner in this house, and the interest of his estate therein terminated this day.

C. C. COLLINS and CORNELIUS NOOMAN having purchased the interest of SAMUEL J. PETERS, Jr., in the Commercial firm of Peters, Millard & Co., his interest therein also terminated this day, and they are intrusted with the liquidation of the house.

C. C. COLLINS, S. J. PETERS, Jr., C. NOOMAN.

New Orleans, February 11, 1856.

THE undersigned have this day entered into copartnership and will continue the business of the old house under the same name and style—Peters, Millard & Co.

C. C. COLLINS, C. NOOMAN.

New Orleans, February 12, 1856—1m

Commercial Bank of New Orleans.

Water Works Department.

February 1st, 1856.

THE annual election of Directors of this Institution will be held on MONDAY, 3d March next, between ten and two o'clock, at the office No. 33 Carondelet street.

feb1 1mlaw E. E. PERCY, Secretary.

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the projected partnership between the undersigned and J. P. Desmaisville, dated 21st September, 1855, was not carried into effect, and was dissolved within ten days after said day, and that I am not responsible for any debts contracted on account of said projected partnership.

feb13-5t HONORE MOUGNEAU.

Copartnership Dissolved.

THE Copartnership heretofore existing under the style of JOSE PRATS & CO. was dissolved on the 29th of December last, by the death of Mr. Emile Prats. The undersigned will carry on the business in his name, and for his own account. JOSE PRATS.

New Orleans, February 16, 1856—3t

Bank of Louisiana,

New Orleans, February 4th, 1856.

AT a meeting of the stockholders held on the 28th ultimo, the following gentlemen were duly elected Directors of this institution:

W. W. Montgomery, Leopold Jeannet,
H. S. Buckner, Augustus R. Montgomery,
Edward Chapman, G. S. Hawkins,
George Urquhart, Wilhelmus Bogart,
C. Roselius, Ambroise Lanicar,
W. Jackson, Jr., Edward Shaff,
J. W. Burbridge.

And at a meeting of the Board this day, W. W. MONTGOMERY, Esq., was unanimously re-elected President.

feb5 R. M. DAVIS, Cashier.

To Shippers of Lumber.

WE can fill with despatch, at our agencies in Florida, all descriptions of Yellow Pine Lumber, suitable for foreign markets. In Pensacola Bay, in Florida waters, 3,000,000 feet 1¼ inch Rough Flooring, suitable for the Northern markets; 50,000 feet Juniper.

Also, orders for square and ship timber filled with despatch.

Vessels of heavy tonnage loaded at short notice in Pensacola Bay. MERRITT & McCONNELL,

feb6 1m corner Calliope & Howard sts.

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WE guaranty 60 cents in Sylvic Oil to equal $2 50 in Sperm Oil; 60 cents in Sylvic Oil to equal $1 07 in Lard Oil; 60 cents in Sylvic Oil to equal $2 50 in Burning Fluid; 60 cents in Sylvic Oil to burn as long as $1 30 in Camphene.

We guaranty Sylvic Oil to be a pure oil, and as free from explosion as Sperm, Lard, or any other oil, and to illuminate equal to the best Sperm Oil. The Sylvic Oil and Lamps are sold at No. 65 Commerce street. The Oil at 60 cents per gallon, and the Lamps at prices varying from $2 25 to $15 each.

jan8 3m W. P. KIRKLAND, & Co. Agent

Notice.

THE undersigned have formed a Copartnership, to commence this day, under the style of CABALLERO & BASCALDO, as per act, passed before T. Guyol, Notary Public.

The affairs of J. M. CABALLERO will be liquidated and settled by the new firm.

J. M. CABALLERO, J. M. BASCALDO.

New Orleans, January 1, 1856.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE commercial partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm of CAVELIER & MAXENT, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st instant. L. F. Maxent is alone entrusted with the liquidation of the affairs of said firm.

ADE. Z. CAVELIER, L. F. MAXENT.

New Orleans, July 7, 1855—jy9 ly

Notice.

The undersigned informs his friends and the public generally that he will continue the Commission and Wine business as heretofore, for his own account and in his name only, at the old stand, No. 50 Toulouse street. L. F. MAXENT.

jy—ly

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE copartnership heretofore existing under the style of CHOUTEAU & VALLE is dissolved by the death of Mr. HENRY CHOUTEAU. The name of the firm will only be used in liquidation.

NEREE VALLE, Surviving Partner.

The Commission business of CHOUTEAU & VALLE will be continued by the undersigned in his own name. NEREE VALLE.

St. Louis, November 20, 1855. n30 6m

NEREE VALLE,

(Successor to Chouteau & Valle)

Commission and Forwarding Merchant,

No. 24 Levee, St. Louis, Mo.

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Mr. Jacobs will give instructions in all the arts on moderate terms. oc17 6m

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10 BBLS CREOLE RICE. In store and for sale by A. TITUS,

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Five Dollars Reward.

FOR the apprehension and delivery of negro boy ADAM, aged 13 years, who ran away last Thursday. When he left he was dressed in blue cottonade. Said boy has a very flat and square nose, long face and reddish hair.

FLORIAN JACOB,

feb12-6t 65 and 67 Old Levee st.

Twenty Dollars Reward

WILL be paid by the undersigned for the apprehension and lodging in the Police jail in this city, of the slave named OCTAVE, a negro man, belonging to Mrs. Widow [illegible] Labranche. Octave is aged about 35 years, small size, but strong. He has run away from the plantation of Mrs. Louis Labranche, and has been seen frequently in New Orleans, where he hires himself as a day laborer, but has no pass. E. GRIMA,

d24 tf 34 Royal street.

Ran Away,

A GRIFF woman named SARAH, aged twenty-eight years, [illegible], with her two children [illegible] aged two and a half years, and an infant about one year old. The boy has a big head [illegible]. She is supposed to have been enticed [illegible] by her husband, John, a free negro [illegible] employed on the river, and living, when at home, somewhere on or about Washington Avenue, at Lafayette. A liberal reward will be paid for her lodging in the Parish jail and giving information thereof at No. 199 ROYAL STREET.

$50 REWARD

will be paid to the party who will deliver at No. 74 Canal street, or lodge in one of the city jails, the negro man PITCHON, aged 45 years, 5 feet 2 inches high, stout, and well known in New Orleans, he having belonged to Madame Leonard Girard, of the parish of St. Bernard. An additional reward of $150 will be paid on conviction of the person or persons harboring him. He is a cooper, and ran away on the 23d of December last.

[illegible] THOMAS C. PAYAN & CO., 74 Canal street.

[illegible] ANT. COSTA, 16 Customhouse st.

[illegible] boxes Oranges, for sale [illegible]. [illegible] SANATA BROTHERS.

M[illegible] sale by C. T. BUDDECKE & CO., [illegible] Poydras st.

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Under the Management of Dion Boucicault.

Benefit of Mr. DION BOUCICAULT.

On this occasion MISS AGNES ROBERTSON will appear as Violet, Arabella, Soto and Madam Rachel.

Mr. J. E. OWENS in a new character.

First night of an entirely new piece, RACHEL'S COMING, and revival of the new play of VIOLET, or, The Life of an Actress.

THIS EVENING, Monday, Feb. 18th.—The performance will commence with the successful play entitled VIOLET, or, The Life of an Actress—Characters by Miss Agnes Robertson, Miss Mason, Mrs Pinco, Mr Boucicault, Fred N Thayer, Copeland and the full strength of the company.

To conclude with the new protean farce of RACHEL'S COMING—Four characters by Miss Agnes Robertson; Manager of the Gaiety, Mr Boucicault; Sig. Salambini, J E Owens.

Box [illegible] open from 10 to 4 o'clock, where places may be secured. feb18

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.

Manager, B. [illegible] Stage Manager, S. B. Duffield.

Last night but one of Mr. J. E. MURDOCH, the eminent tragedian and comedian.

Third night of DE SOTO.

THIS EVENING, (Monday,) Feb. 18th.—Will be performed the tragedy of DE SOTO, OR THE HERO OF THE MISSISSIPPI—De Soto, Mr Murdoch; Tuscaroosa, Mr Leonard; Porcallo, Mr Mark Smith; Lopez, Mr Wright; Chepita, Mrs Leonard; Ulah, Mrs Gladstane.

Performance will commence with NO. 1 ROUND THE CORNER—Nobbler, Mr Vining Bowers; Flipper, Mr Wright.

To-morrow, Benefit of Mr J. E. MURDOCH.

Mr COLLINS, the Irish comedian and vocalist, is engaged.

feb18 C. G. CHERLEY, Treasurer.

THIRD GREAT CLASSIC CONCERT, BY G. COLLIGNON.

MR. G. COLLIGNON respectfully informs his subscribers to his classic concert that the third of the series will take place on WEDNESDAY 20th instant, at the Odd Fellows' Hall.

By general request the great Septuor of Hummel will be repeated.

The plan of the hall is deposited at Hewitt's Camp and Werlein's Music store, 5 Camp street, where seats may be secured for the Concert.

Subscribers are requested to claim their tickets from Mr. Ruffier, at the Orleans Theatre, in case the carrier should have failed to deliver them.

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celebrated immense

DIORAMIC PANORAMA

OF THE RUSSIAN WAR.

From the commencement to the bombardment of SEBASTOPOL.

And Fall of the Malakoff,

Amid the deafening explosions of the mines, rolling of musketry and booming of cannon, together with the lurid glare of the burning city producing an effect once seen never to be forgotten.

Doors open at 7, commencing at 8 o'clock.

Admission 50 cents. Children 25 cents.

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On Wednesdays and Saturdays at 1½ o'clock, for the accommodation of Ladies and Children. 1w

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VANNUCHI'S AMERICAN MUSEUM,

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THIS great centre of attraction, among other wonderful living curiosities, has now on exhibition the INFANT PRODIGY,

a child of 16 months old, weighing 97 pounds; an ORANG-OUTANG,

one of the most extraordinary specimens now in existence of that semi-human species;

MONS. ALONZO,

the wonderful French Magician, &c., &c.

Also, SEVENTY WAX FIGURES of distinguished characters; COSMORAMAS, DISSOLVING VIEWS, &c. &c.

Admission 50 cents, Children half price.

Tickets can be procured during the day, with a printed number, without extra charge.

Doors open from 8 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from 3 P. M. to 5 P. M.; and from 5 P. M. to 9 P. M.

PERFORMANCES of the Magician commence every evening, at 7½ o'clock.

A grand performance EVERY SATURDAY at 2 o'clock, in order to enable families to attend.

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ROPER'S GYMNASIUM,

Pistol Gallery and Chess Rooms,

10 PERDIDO STREET,

WILL be opened on Monday, October 8th. Hours of instruction from 6 A. M. to 10 P. M.; Sundays excepted.

Each Department in separate portions of the building.

Teacher of Gymnastics, Prof. MILLOT, of the [illegible] in Gymnasium. oc22 6m

NEW BALL DRESSES.

THE undersigned have just received per ship Robert, from Havre an assortment of new style DRESSES for balls and soirees, which they offer for sale at moderate prices.

They also have in store a variety of handsome SILK DRESSES suitable for soirees and for street wear, which they are desirous to sell out before the season closes. C. A. BARRIERE & BROTHER.

ja21 6t 20 Chartres st.

LESTER'S IRON WORKS, FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF Woodworth's Planing Machines and STEAM ENGINES,

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THE subscriber having been engaged for the last fifteen years in the almost exclusive manufacture of this most important invention, WOODWORTH'S PLANING, GROOVING AND TONGUING MACHINE, has recently completed the large additions to his already extensive Iron Works, and will execute with despatch all orders in the above line to an unlimited extent. The universally acknowledged superiority of Woodworth's Planing Machines manufactured by him, over all others, requires no reiteration.

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