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The carriers of the BEE are authorized to [illegible] subscriptions by the week, at the [illegible] 25 cents.

[illegible] Mail failed yesterday from [illegible].

THE REVISION OF THE TARIFF.

[illegible] of the tariff will probably be [illegible] considerable force at the present [illegible] Congress. We perceive that Mr. [illegible] has introduced a bill pro[illegible] exemption from imposts of a [illegible] which now pay an ad [illegible] and this bill has been amended [illegible] of Kentucky, who swells [illegible] by the addition of a large [illegible]. A modification of the [illegible] unquestionably needed. The [illegible] is the providing of reve[illegible] Government, and its pro[illegible] so adjusted as to secure [illegible]. The question of pro[illegible] one. Duties must be [illegible] revenue. If, without [illegible] this leveling principle, and [illegible] equating the burden to [illegible] discrimination in the imposi[illegible] to be exercised in such a [illegible] to afford encourage[illegible] better no opposition save [illegible] and advocates of a free [illegible] must ever be a political [illegible] custom-houses exist and [illegible] imports—since, whether [illegible] every cent of duty thus [illegible] a measure of protection [illegible] of domestic industry [illegible] foreign article thus taxed [illegible]. This protection, in[illegible] we admit, but still pro[illegible] result of a tariff. [illegible] the absolute significance [illegible] only when all the [illegible] manufactured, of every [illegible] free of duty; when [illegible] of custom-houses [illegible] is abolished, and the [illegible] the disbursements of [illegible] is secured by direct [illegible].

[illegible] of political theorists [illegible] and the revenue [illegible] continues to be raised by [illegible] we have to deal [illegible] stands. It becomes [illegible] tariff brings in more [illegible] the wants of the [illegible] reduced, because—[illegible] has no right to claim [illegible] sum than is neces[illegible], and second, be[illegible] very generally a [illegible] to extrava[illegible] and peculation. [illegible] and opposed to [illegible] policy of the coun[illegible] 1846, imperfect and [illegible] to a thousand [illegible].

[illegible] due the pub[illegible] MORGAN, Exchange [illegible] new works:

[illegible] Flying Diplomatist, by [illegible] Co., publishers. [illegible] time as we have [illegible]. The author's self[illegible] talent for clear and [illegible] his personal adventures [illegible] humor, and his [illegible] certainly [illegible] coupled with rich [illegible] truth.

[illegible] publisher. A fine [illegible] Dickens's new [illegible] with upwards of twenty [illegible].

[illegible] An historical [illegible] "The Last Hunter," [illegible] placed in Massa[illegible] infancy of its settlement, [illegible] instructed a vigorous [illegible] of the somewhat [illegible] which he had to work, [illegible] publishers.

[illegible] Second series. [illegible] publishers. This is [illegible] Cambridge edition of [illegible]. They will, of course, [illegible] of theological stu[illegible].

[illegible] by Lewis Cheese[illegible] publishers. This [illegible] of the origin, pro[illegible] Mahomedanism, and [illegible].

[illegible] with pleasure [illegible] opened a store at [illegible] a very fine assort[illegible]. The instruments of [illegible] manufacturer are too [illegible] from all. For [illegible] they are unsur[illegible] of purchasing the [illegible] to Mr. GOLDEN, in [illegible] receiving the genuine [illegible].

[illegible] of the public to the [illegible] elsewhere pub[illegible] of the 31st anni[illegible] battle of the 8th Jan[illegible].

[illegible] of the steamer Cres[illegible] papers.

[illegible] NEW YORK.—The crop [illegible] of the staple pro[illegible] Valley, New York, [illegible] profitable than any [illegible] about three years [illegible] and this year two [illegible] have been raised in [illegible].

[illegible] days ago, a man by the [illegible] presence of witnesses, [illegible] stabbed his wife eight [illegible] wiped the blade and [illegible]. He had been married but [illegible] his victim is said to bear [illegible] character. There is some [illegible] recovery. Her brutal [illegible] thus far escaped.

The following sensible article we take from the columns of the *Home Journal*. It is from the pen of a distinguished *littérateur* now in our city, and who proposes shortly to give a course of lectures on history, and historical personages:

LITERARY MEN.

Permit me to offer a few comments upon some remarks that appeared in the *Home Journal*, a short time since, copied from "a late foreign Review," upon the subject of men of letters. The sum and substance of those remarks was, that the poet and politician, for instance, occupy—so far as every-day, practical life is concerned—non-concentric spheres. Stripped of their verbiage, the remarks amount to just this, and no more. The man of letters, out of his immediate sphere, it tells us, is a "voice," not a "man." That is, books are not men! But do not ideas make men? Is not a great idea a great achievement? Is it not mind to which we are indebted for the quadrant, the application of the steam-power, the telegraphic wires, etherization?—to which surgery owes the seaton, and chemistry the septon? The *Review* from which you quote, seeks to discriminate between man and the mind of man—as if, without intellect, a man was good for anything beyond a porter or a publican. Merely to tell us that the philosopher in his study is not the practical, every-day man of business that the Lord Mayor of London is, was really a piece of information! Babington Macauley, in this view, may not be as "important a man" as the British Premier, for the time being. The former, however, is one of those "voices" that will be heard and *heeded*, long after prime ministers, and a majority of the kings they serve, are forgotten.

The remark of the "Reviewer," that "a writer is apt to imagine that people are seeking *him*, when they are only seeking the *author* of some popular volume," is but an echo of the old complaint against society, of neglecting men of letters, and reserving its regards for those only who are of practical moment to them. This, I am aware, is not what the "Reviewer" intended to say, but what, in fact, he does say. He meant to say that this was all as it should be. It was natural that society should be indifferent to the source, the well-spring, from which it draws so much of profit and delight—that it should look only to the fruit, and care nothing for the tree; that it should lose sight of the man, and care only for the book. But is it creditable? So far from it, it has always been charged as a reproach to society; and none but a barbarian, or a simpleton, would state the fact in the tone and spirit in which the "Reviewer" enunciates it—recalling the lines of Moore:—

> "In the woods of the North there are insects that prey
> On the brain of the elk, till his very last sigh;
> O Genius! thy patrons, more cruel than they,
> First feed on thy brains, and then leave thee to die!"

The *Journal* says of these "views," that they are the result of the "progressive principle of the age." Retrogressive, would, I think, have been a more appropriate term. Instead of "progress," it is a relapse into vandalism.

Mr. Martin Farquhar Tupper (for once an authority) takes a very different view of the dignity and "importance" of "authorship," in his "Proverbial Philosophy," under that head. Niebuhr, too—speaking of Voss, (whom he regarded as the German Homer, and whose "Luise" gave him such "unqualified delight")—says: "Did he meet with such a reception as the Greek poets found among their unrivaled fellow-countrymen—were his idyls recited to the people, and his songs sung in popular assemblies—*how much might such a teacher accomplish?* He would effect more that *was really good and great*, than the *only true philosophy*, should that ever be discovered."

How poor and imperfect, after all, is our appreciation of the labors of literary men. We seem to think that the only worthy and enduring illustration of the character of a people is to be met with either in the pages of the jurist, the speeches in Congress, the manner in which we conduct our foreign relations, or at the mouth of the cannon, or the point of the bayonet. What constitutes a national character worthy of the commemoration of future ages? Is it the wealth that springs from the soil, or from trade? Or is it the number or the brilliancy of the conquests or victories achieved by its arms? Or, finally, does it arise out of its peculiar polity? No; for with all these a vast nation may be but little better than a horde of savages. What, then, is it that distinguishes it from the latter? It is its literature, arts, and sciences. It is through *them* that the great minds of a nation hold intercourse with kindred minds in succeeding ages—imparting to millions yet unborn the only knowledge that can ever be conserved of those virtues and graces that best adorn our lives; which constitute the only true civilization, and which survive the wreck of matter—of everything, in short, associated with those merely physical elements, which, in the eyes of the vulgar, form what is commonly called "national greatness."

J. W. SIMMONS.

CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—*Senate*.—The chair laid before the Senate several executive communications, transmitting reports on the dock at the Pensacola navy-yard, and on the harbors, &c., of Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana and Michigan; which were read and laid on the table. On motion by Mr. Weller, a resolution was adopted instructing the Committee on Territories to inquire into the expediency of providing the means of ascertaining and settling the true boundary line between the State of California and the Territory of Utah; and also a resolution calling upon the President to transmit to the Senate a statement of all payments and allowances which have been made, and of all claims which have been disallowed, to Brevet Lieut. Gen. Scott, from the date when he joined the army serving in Mexico up to December 1, 1856, and also to furnish copies of all correspondence on file in the executive departments relating to said claims, payments or allowances. After the consideration of executive business, the Senate adjourned until Friday next.

House of Representatives.—The House resumed the consideration of the President's annual message. Mr. Washburne, of Illinois, explained a colloquy which took place between himself and his colleagues during the delivery of a speech by Mr. Smith, of Tennessee, on the 9th instant, in which Mr. W. had asserted that scarcely a Democratic paper in Illinois had published the resolution of the Cincinnati Convention endorsing the administration of President Pierce. Mr. W. reiterated the charge. Messrs. Marshall and Harris, of Illinois, replied to the charge made by their colleague. The latter cited the proceedings of the Democratic State Convention to show that a resolution was passed unequivocally and emphatically endorsing President Pierce's administration, and stated that there was not a preliminary meeting in a single county in that State that had not pursued a similar course, and that the convention that nominated him for re-election passed such a resolution unanimously. Mr. Stephens, of Georgia, obtained the floor.

The consular and diplomatic appropriation bill was considered in Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union. Several amendments were adopted, one of which strikes out the appropriation of $35,000 for consular pupils. When the committee rose, the amendments were agreed to by the House, and the bill was read a third time and passed. The House adjourned till Friday.

TEXAS.

The steamship *Mexico* arrived yesterday from Galveston and Indianola, with the following passengers:

Mr Shackelford and lady, Mrs H M Lewis and son, Mr Kingsbury, Mr Malone and lady, Mr Graves, lady and two children, Mrs Burns and child, Dr Lynd and lady, Mrs Jordon, Mr Boyd, Mrs Douglas and two children, Mrs C Work, Messrs H W Johnson, W C Vanmeter and servant, Roop, Morris, R G Graysley, Master Nichols and servant, S T Jaynes, W T Spring, Ladenburg, McCamman, W B Ingalls, Sparks, Dean, G S Gennett, Gonzales, N D Cortey, Kaspard, J Gillahan, Gustave Cook, Simpson, Master Mitchell, A Western and son, Mattley, Meyer, Wedding, Wing, Dr Smith and brother, G T Southway, John Maynard, J Johnson, Nyper and son, J Terry, Rodding, Capt Haywood, J D Wode and servant, W N Cox, and forty on deck.

Our dates by the *Mexico* are to the 3d instant. The papers contain but little news of interest. J. M. Devine has been re-elected Mayor of San Antonio. A large business is doing at Lavaca.

Telegraphic Items.

EXCITEMENT AT LOUISVILLE.—Louisville, Dec. 29.—There was a great excitement at the Court-house here on Saturday, during the examination of the negroes charged with the murder of the Joyce family. Wm. Joyce, a brother of the murdered man, proposed to burn them, and the crowd responded, but finally they were quieted by the Court, and the negroes were remanded. The presumptive evidence against them is strong, but there is nothing direct except the confession of one negro.

FROM SANTA FE.—Independence, Mo., Dec. 29.—The Santa Fe mail has arrived. The party experienced heavy snows and much trouble from Kiowa Indians. Bent's fort had been attacked by the Kiowas, and but for the interference of the Obergenes, would have been destroyed. Capt. Dodge, the agent of Narajos, had been taken prisoner by the Apaches. Numerous other Indian depredations are reported.

ANOTHER MURDER AT THE MASSACHUSETTS STATE PRISON.—Boston, Dec. 29.—Solon H. Tenny, the warden of the State prison, was stabbed and killed by a convict this morning. Two weeks ago the deputy warden was murdered in the same way.

HOTEL BURNT.—Concord, N. H., Dec. 29.—The Phoenix Hotel was burnt this morning. All the contents were insured.

SALE OF INDIAN LANDS.—Washington, Dec. 30.—The Indian Department has received information that about 208,000 acres of the Delaware Trust Lands have been recently sold, yielding $450,000. Upwards of 200,000 acres, including Leavenworth City, belonging to the Delaware Indians, are yet to be sold.

One hundred thousand acres, opposite St. Joseph, Missouri, and the same number on the Osage river, the former held for the Iowas, and the latter for the Weas, in trust, both choice tracts, will, in the opening of spring, be brought into market, before any United States lands shall be open for sale in Kansas.

ARRIVAL OF THE EDINBURGH.—New York, Dec. 30.—The steamship *Edinburgh* has arrived from Glasgow, with dates to the 13th.

RESIGNATION OF NAVAL OFFICERS.—Washington, Dec. 29.—Private letters from the East India squadron announce the resignation of James Higgins and Julius S. Bohrman, Lieutenants on board the sloop of war *Levant*.

PROLIFIC.—Mrs. Georgiana Sparr, of Petersburg, presented her husband, on Friday night last, with as plump a triplet as ever came into the land of the living. The *Express* says that the three weigh together twenty-six pounds and a half. At last accounts all were alive and kicking, as babies should.

BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

Transmitted to the New Orleans Bee.

NEW YORK WEEKLY COFFEE STATEMENT.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—William Scott reports the sales of Coffee for the past week at 3600 bags.

The receipts during the week amounted to 3500 bags, and the stock on hand foots up 73,000 bags. Rio is quoted at 9 to 9¾; Prime 10c. to 11¼. The market is firm.

CINCINNATI MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 5.—Whisky is selling at 20c. Flour is dull. Corn is quoted at 50c.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The Cotton market is firm, the sales of the day amounting to 5,000 bales. The quotations of Linseed, Lard Oil and Turpentine continue the same. Wheat as previously quoted.

STEAMBOATS PASSING.

VICKSBURG, Jan. 6.—The *Natchez* passed down at 12 M., and the *Eclipse* and *Belfast* at 5 this afternoon.

Slavery.

Many of our citizens wonder why it is that the inhabitants of Great Britain make such an outcry against slavery in this country, while it is well known that slavery exists to a greater extent in British India. The number of slaves has never been ascertained, but it is estimated from twelve to twenty millions. The number is kept up not only by propagation, but by parents selling their children. In times of scarcity the poor people from the interior resort to the seaports and sell their offspring into slavery without scruple. There are many more slaves held in bondage under the boasted British government than in all the slave States of this Union, and yet we are constantly entertained with homilies from the Edinburgh *Review*, and other British prints, on the subject of slavery in the United States.

Now we cannot believe that these organs of the English nobility are actuated solely by feelings of humanity towards the poor African slave in our Southern States, for if they were, they certainly would have some compassion, some philanthropy, towards the poor East Indian slaves, vastly more numerous in their own dominions.

What, then, is the object of the aristocratic press of Britain, in thus constantly harping upon American slavery, and as constantly ignoring the subject of British slavery in the East Indies? Can that object be anything else than to sever the constitutional union of these States, by setting the North against the South, and *vice versa*? Let all candid men consider the spite the British nobility—who are in reality the governing power of England—have owed this country ever since the time our forefathers struggled so manfully to throw off the hated yoke of British domination and usurpation.

Let them also consider that this same Britain has as signally failed in a later attempt to subjugate us. Let them also remember that this same nobility are jealous of our growing power and commercial and manufacturing importance as a nation, under our present excellent constitutional union of States. Let them also bear in mind that the example of the success and continued existence of our nation, as a great and undivided constitutional republic, must sooner or later destroy the unequal and unjust privileges and exactions of the British nobility, royal family and clergy. Let them remember all this, and they cannot fail to see therein sufficient reason for the ceaseless and bitter hatred which that powerful aristocracy have ever manifested towards our republican system of government and people.

Is it, therefore, unreasonable to believe that they are even now endeavoring, by misrepresentation and intrigue, to sow the seeds of discord which they intend in time will spring up and yield civil war and fraternal bloodshed, thereby destroying to the very foundation the beautiful fabric raised by our forefathers and cemented by their blood.—*Brooklyn Evening Star*.

THE PASSENGERS OF THE LYONNAIS.—The steamship *Europa*, it appears, fails to bring the expected confirmation of the report brought by the *Canada* that a number of the passengers of the lost steamer *Lyonnais* had been rescued. It is now feared that the report was founded on a misapprehension, and that none of those unfortunate passengers have escaped alive. The agent of the *Lyonnais*, in New York, has letters from Paris to the 19th instant, which make no mention of the rescue. The *Courrier du Havre*, of Dec. 8, thus speaks of the rumor:

"A Bordeaux journal, *La Gironde*, has published a dispatch announcing the safety of a boat containing Captain Devaulx, of the *Lyonnais*, and fifteen of her crew. We have the painful conviction that *La Gironde* was in error.—

"*La Gironde* does not indicate the origin of this dispatch, and the house of Gauthier Freres has received nothing in relation to this. If Captain Devaulx has been picked up by a vessel coming to Europe, and could not send news of his safety to his family, why could he not as well have sent the news to his employers? Besides, it is three days ago that *La Gironde* published [illegible] dispatch, which doubtless grew out of the [illegible] safety of the mate of the *Lyonnais*, M. Lugaiere, and the men who were in the boat picked up by the *Elise*."

The hypothesis is but too probable. It has become still more so to us, for if it could have been contradicted at all, it would certainly have been during the five days which elapsed between the article of the *Courrier* and the sailing of the *Europa*.

Utah—Polygamy.

The San Francisco *Herald* publishes the following letter from a correspondent in Utah:

FILLMORE CITY, Utah, September 15, 1856.—As it may be a matter of interest to the gentile world to know how fast our people are in Utah Territory, I will give you a brief list of the standing among the women of the members of the last Legislature—that is, their names and the number of wives, to wit:

Heber C. Kimball President of the Council	51
Daniel H. Wells, Councilman, [cross-eyed]	19
Albert Carrington [cripple and near-sighted]	21
Orson Pratt [cripple and near-sighted]	7
Wilword Woodruff [cripple and near sighted]	11
John Stoker [cripple and near-sighted]	9
Lorin Farr [cripple and near-sighted]	5
Lorenzo Snow [cripple and near-sighted]	25
Leonard E. Harrington [cripple and near sighted]	5
Isaac Morley [73 years old]	9
John A. Ray [from Texas]	3
George A. Smith [cripple and near-sighted]	4
Grand total—men, 13; women	171

House of Representatives, twenty-six members:

J. M. Grant, Speaker, has	6
W. W. Phelps [printer of Morgan's books]	4
A. P. Rockwood [an old man]	5
Edwin D. Woolley [a small man]	3
J. W. Cummings [cripple]	10
Hosea Stout [lawyer from Ky., three deaf]	1
S. W. Richards [young and handsome lawyer]	15
Jesse C. Little [lawyer of Boston, Mass.]	3
Wm. Snow [Vermont, laborer]	3
P. H. Young [older brother of Brigham—tailor]	3
C. V. Spencer [of Mass.—quite small, has pot]	2
Ezra S. Benson [old and homely]	15
James C. Snow [quite poor]	2
Aaron Johnson [has three sisters, and altogether]	6
Lorenzo H. Hatch [wagon-maker]	5
Jacob G. Bigler [farmer]	10
George Peacock [farmer]	10
John Eldridge [phrenologist—two dead]	1
Isaac G. Haight [coal-digger]	12
Jesse N. Smith [lawyer]	5
John D. Parker [old and deaf]	5
Jesse Hobson [ex-teamster]	10
J. C. Wright [hotel-keeper]	5
James Brown [dairyman]	7
Enoch Reese [farmer, &c.]	3
W. A. Hickman [one of the Danites]	8
Total	197

To which add officers of the House, to wit:

Thomas Bullock [Clerk, and an Englishman]	4
J. Grimshaw [Ass't Clerk, and an Englishman]	5
Chandler Holbrook [Foreman, and deaf]	3
Jacob F. Hutchinson [Messenger]	2
Joel H. Johnson [Chaplain]	7
Total	22

To which add 68 for the number then living of Governor Young's wives, and you have the whole number of females thus represented by the members of the Legislature, officers of same, and his Excellency, amounting to 490; or, in other words, 46 men have 439 wives. These, Mr. Editor, are sober truths, and in what they will end is for the dark and doleful future.

AMICUS CURIÆ.

A bold and deliberate murder was committed yesterday morning at New Utrecht, L. I., between 11 and 12 o'clock in the morning. Jno. Langdon, of No. 81 Carlton street, New York, was riding in a buggy with Cornelius Cannon, a gardener in the employ of Mr. Matherson, of New Utrecht, and when a little beyond the residence of Wm. C. Langley, Esq., Bay Ridge, on Third avenue, he placed the muzzle of a six-barrel pistol to the back of Cannon's head and discharged one barrel, killing his victim almost instantly. He then emptied the pockets of deceased of one three-cent piece and two cents, and dropped the body at the roadside. A Mr. Pope saw the wagon pass his house, and Cannon supporting his victim, but supposed that he had been taken sick. He followed the wagon and found the body, and immediately started for the police station at Gowanus, when he gave information of the murder, and the murderer was pursued and captured at Hoboken. He was conveyed to Brooklyn and locked up. He related the particulars of the murder with perfect nonchalance. In his pocket was found a six-barrel pistol—Allen's patent—five of the six barrels loaded with ball, and the sixth had the appearance of having just been discharged, and a pocket-book containing several bank bills. He stated that he was 21 years old, and resided with his parents at 87 Gerrison street. He is a shoemaker, and worked for Mr. McCombs, Sixth avenue.—*N. Y. Mirror*.

THE SUNKEN VESSELS AT SEBASTOPOL.—Among the passengers by steamship *Baltic*, arrived at New York on Thursday, was Mr. John E. Gowen, who is on his return from St. Petersburg, where he obtained the contract to raise the sunken Russian fleet at Sebastopol, consisting of seventy-seven vessels, twelve of which are frigates. Mr. Gowen, it will be remembered, raised the hull of the U. S. steam frigate *Missouri*, burnt at Gibraltar. The Liverpool correspondent of the New York *Herald* says:

"Mr. Gowen had five or six competitors, among them the Credit Mobilier of France, and yet the contract was awarded to him at Sebastopol, where all his competitors, from his [illegible] reputation and success at Gibraltar with the *Missouri*. This contract, so obtained, is not only a well deserved compliment to Mr. G.'s skill as a submarine engineer, but a national one, which should give every American cause for pride, as it is one of [illegible] value in the [illegible] obtained by any American [illegible]. Mr. G. returns to America to complete the necessary machinery, and returns in May to commence operations at Sebastopol."

Horrible Murder in Wisconsin—Threatened Lynching.

The Manitowoc *Tribune* gives the account of a brutal murder committed recently, in the town of [illegible] in that county. John W. Schultz, a resident, being the victim; two other Germans, named Peglow and Franz, being the murderers.

Mr. G. H. Day, of Manitowoc, was hunting in the woods, and came upon the body. The *Tribune* says:

"On raising the corpse over, it was found that two balls had pierced his chest near the left shoulder. A further examination showed that he had received a blow on the forehead with a heavy bludgeon, while lying on the ground, but from the nature of the wound it was evident that his death resulted from the gunshot and was instantaneous."

The body was guarded by the dog of the deceased, which would not allow anybody to touch it till a brother-in-law of Schultz came, when he submitted to its removal.

One of the neighbors, named Peglow, was arrested, and such strong evidence of his guilt found that he confessed the deed. We again quote from the *Tribune*:

"He said that Schultz, who was also a German, held a judgment against him and another man, Franz, and was also a witness in a contested pre-emption claim, and they supposed that they could drive him off, but finally agreed to kill him, and placing themselves in ambush at the junction of two footpaths, they lay in wait for him. Peglow had the gun, but when Schultz came his courage failed, and he refused to shoot, but his companion threatened to beat his brains out if he did not, and, leveling the gun, he fired.—Schultz then asked, 'What are you going to do?' when the man with the club rushed up and struck him on the head, killing him instantly.

The above is the substance of the confession, and it produced such an effect upon the feelings of the crowd, that they determined to take the law in their own hands, and preparations were made to string him up on the nearest tree. Some difficulty was experienced in obtaining sufficient rope for the purpose, and it was finally agreed to postpone the execution until the other was taken, and then hang them together."

The prisoners were finally brought to Manitowoc and lodged in jail. Franz has also confessed his guilt. The *Tribune* thinks the chances are against the trial of the murderers yet.

A WALKING JEWEL CASE.—The Moscow correspondent of the London *Times* gives a portrait of Prince Esterhazy, as he appeared at his own state ball:

"He was dressed with all that wonderful and yet tasteful magnificence which has made his name famous; the dark sable-trimmed pelisse, with streams and lakes of diamonds and pearls studding every fold and filtering through every crevice, the color of which, whether puce or black, or deep blue, I cannot determine; the tunic covered from throat to waist with orders in diamonds, crosses and badges of knighthood, ribands and stars, and precious stones; the purple or maroon colored boots crusted with pearls and diamonds, and the sword with its hilt a very mirror of light."

In some countries the Prince would be denominated a "snob."

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

VANNUCHI'S MUSEUM.—We would advise all who have not yet been to this splendid establishment, 107 St. Charles street, to pay it a visit, for the purpose of seeing the wonderful pinguidinous woman, if nothing more than her remarkable corpulency of only five hundred and eighteen pounds. Wonderful as are her proportions, she is not the only object at Vannuchi's calculated to gratify the eye of the curious.

SUPREME COURT.—The following decisions have been rendered by this State appellate tribunal since our last report:

No. 4668. P. D. Shepherd, appellant, vs Leeds & Co, appellees. Appeal from the Third District Court of the parish of Jefferson. Merrick, C. J. Judgment reversed, and held that drafts drawn by a party (Fulton) upon another, (Hall) and payable to the order of the appellees were, until accepted, no payments or bargains of Hall's, and can be called neither accessories against new acknowledgments by him, and that the property of drafts against one and corner can not effect immovables against innocent purchasers, although machinery thereon may have increased the value of such immovables by having become a part thereof.

No. 4211. Reuben Knight vs Melinda Knight, his wife, appellant. Buchanan, J. Judgment of Sixth District Court reversed, and case remanded for a new trial according to law, the plaintiff and appellee to pay the costs of appeal. This suit was commenced by a petition for separation of bed and board, and for a divorce, in case the defendant, whom he was alleged to have abandoned the matrimonial domicile, should not return after three summons, according to the provisions of the Civil Code.

An answer and petition in reconvention was next filed by defendant, denying the allegations of the plaintiff's petition, (except the marriage) averring that plaintiff had cruelly and brutally treated defendant; that he had laid violent hands on her person, slandered her character, and deliberately attempted to poison her, and praying for separation of bed and board, and for a divorce, and that the care and custody of a child born of the marriage should be given to defendant.

Afterwards the plaintiff, with leave of Court, filed an amended and supplemental petition, charging the defendant with adultery, and praying for a divorce. No answer having been filed thereto, a judgment by default was taken thereupon, which, on motion of plaintiff's counsel, was confirmed *ex parte*, upon the deposition of a witness examined under commission, and judgment of divorce pronounced against defendant. It was admitted that the case did not stand fixed for trial at the time the judgment was rendered; which was an irregular proceeding.

An issue was joined upon the original demand, and defendant had pleaded in reconvention; which cross action is also considered to be at issue, as no replication is required in our practice. The amended petition of plaintiff, alleging an additional ground of divorce to those already alleged on both sides, was properly allowed by the Court; and the plaintiff was bound to take a default upon the amended petition, for want of an answer, in order to complete the contestation *lite*. (See Freeland vs Lanfear, 24 N. S.) But it is very evident that final judgment was rendered upon the amended petition alone, leaving out of view the previous pleadings. The plaintiff had no right to divide the cause in this manner. (See Lamaise vs Manisset, 3d M. R.) The case should have been regularly set for trial upon the issue made by the pleas of defendant, filed, and the feigned issue presented by the judgment by default.

Judge Lea concurs in this decision in a separate opinion, and on the ground that the proceedings taken together, presented an issue on the question of divorce which could not be disposed of by a confirmation of the judgment by default.

No. 4612. Emmanuel Lemaitre vs Burrows and Ostrom, appellants. Lea, J. Judgment of Second District Court of New Orleans affirmed.

No. 4734. City of New Orleans vs J. A. Pelleria, appellant; By Pelleria and J M Bell, sheriff, appellees, on rule. Spofford, J. Judgment of Fifth District Court affirmed.

No. 4439. Samuel Simmons vs Alfred A. Pray, appellant. Voorhies, J. Judgment of Fifth District Court affirmed.

No. 4636. Josiah Cole vs C G Lavenakiold; Mrs Wacke, administratrix, appellant. Lea, J. Judgment of Third District Court of Jefferson reversed upon the rule taken, and judgment given for Mrs Wacke, in her capacity of administratrix of her husband's succession.

No. 4508. J H Rohrbacker vs Joseph Schiller, appellant. Spofford, J. Judgment of Second District Court of New Orleans reversed.

No. 4717. Succession of Wm Dunning Smith—Mrs Laura M Smith, executrix, appellant; Sylvant and Nevius, opponents and appellees. Buchanan, J. Judgment of Second District Court affirmed.

No. 4695. Succession of Minvielle—D Haller and Brun et als, appellants; J Minvielle, dative executor, appellee. Voorhies, J. Judgment of Second District Court reversed, and the rule taken reinstated and made absolute. Judge Merrick concurs in this decree, though differing in one particular from the reasoning of the majority of the Court.

No. 4243. Edouard R Dologny, appellant, vs John G David. Spofford, J. Judgment of Second District Court affirmed. Judge Merrick, in a separate opinion, dissents.

No. 4445. Joseph Elliott [vs Steamboat James Robb, Captain and owners. Buchanan, J. Judgment of Sixth District Court reversed, and judgment given in favor of the boat.

No. 4232. Louis Cousey et als, free persons of color, and heirs of Victoire Marcos Tio, appellants, vs Adelaide Vivant et als, free persons of color. Merrick, C. J. Judgment of Second District Court affirmed.

No. 4773. W H Harris, appellant, vs E D Harris et als. Buchanan, J. Judgment of Second District Court affirmed.

No. 4796. United States of America, appellant, vs The Union Bank of Louisiana. Voorhies, J. Appeal from the Third District Court of New Orleans dismissed at the appellant's cost.

No. 4306. F Kaufman et als, appellants, vs General Mutual Insurance Co and Crescent Mutual Insurance Co. Merrick, C. J. Judgment of Third District Court reversed. Judges Lea and Spofford dissenting, in separate decisions, are of opinion that the judgment should be affirmed.

RECORDERS' COURTS.—Sabina Moore was examined before Recorder Stith, yesterday, and sent to the Criminal Court for trial, for attempting to pass a spurious half dollar on a butcher in the Poydras market, on the 12th ult. Quite a number of such pieces were found at her residence on Customhouse street.

A. B. Beales was also committed for trial on the charge of having so severely beaten J. J. Daniels with a blunt instrument, on board the steamer Equinox, last month, as to have caused hemorrhage of the lungs.

Charles Newman was fined $10 for firing a pistol in the Poydras market.

Henry [illegible] was held for examination, on the 21st inst., on a charge of having stolen $21 worth of paint from a building which Michael Holland was engaged in painting. Also, Christopher Bock, on a charge of having stolen articles from a house on Poydras street.

John Tierney was sent before the Criminal Court to answer for having beat G. W. Webb, and assaulted him with a hatchet.

Felix McPherson was held to answer for beating a woman.

Mary Ann Purdy, alias Pittsburg Mary, was sent to prison by Assistant Recorder Holland, of the Second District, at the instance of Ford Herbert, who alleges that during the night of the 1st of January he went to sleep in a house (Mary's house, we suppose) situated on Gallatin street, when the sum of $35 10 was stolen from him, and, as he has good reasons to believe, by the aforementioned Mary. An old story is this!

F. Datcher was held to answer, this morning, at the instance of R. N. Brunes, on a charge of keeping a disorderly house at No. 106 Royal street. Two Germans out of ten arrested on the premises for drinking and disturbing the peace, were fined $10 each; the others were remitted to the aggregate amount of [illegible].

Sarina Palmer was sent to the workhouse for six months on a charge of vagrancy. Two or three boys were held to answer for petty thefts.

John Traber and a butcher were examined before Recorder Solomon on a charge of taking $64 from John Russer, and refusing to return them. The accused kept a saloon-boarding house, where the prosecuting [illegible] had stopped for five days. The case was [illegible] on Saturday.

Charles [illegible] was locked up in the Fourth District on a charge of swindling; also, Ewing, for larceny; Dr. [illegible], and Paul Hagan, for intermeddling with the police.

NEW LIEUTENANT OF POLICE.—Mayor Waterman has appointed Sergeant [illegible] to the Lieutenancy of the Third District police, vice Lieut. [illegible], suspended.

[illegible] STABBING.—A man named Rudolph [illegible] seriously and dangerously stabbed at the United States [illegible] Coffee-house, corner of New Levee and [illegible] streets, about one o'clock last Tuesday morning, and, it is thought, fatally wounded.—John Ridge, as principal in the attack, and three accomplices, were arrested for examination before Recorder Stith.

FIRST DISTRICT COURT.—*Judge J. B. Robertson*.—Joseph Felder, f. m. c., was tried in this Court yesterday, and found guilty of larceny. William Fratsell and Mary Ann McKenna were also found guilty of a like offence—the latter being remanded to prison to be tried on another charge against him.

The following parties, arraigned on separate charges, were released by *nolle prosequi*: Thomas Smithe, Wm. Robert, f. m. c., Robert Watson and J. McIntyre.

BURGLARY.—Some thieves entered the clothing store of Malard & Co., on Gravier street, early last Tuesday morning, and succeeded in removing about [illegible] worth of articles, which they carried off in a furniture cart. The cart was stopped [illegible] by the police, but the thieves effected their escape.

SALE OF SEASONABLE DRY GOODS.—We call the attention of buyers to the sale of an assortment of seasonable dry goods, to take place THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at Hache & Lamouroux's auction rooms, No. 77 Chartres street. Terms at sale.

We are requested to call the attention of buyers to the sale, by auction, of the furniture and bedding, materials, &c., of steamer Louisa, which takes place THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock, on the Levee, foot of Common street, by D. E. Morphy, auctioneer.

A PERFUMED BREATH.
What lady or gentleman would remain under the curse of a disagreeable breath when by using the "BALM OF A THOUSAND FLOWERS" as a dentifrice would not only render it sweet, but leave the teeth white as alabaster. Many persons do not know their breath is bad, and the subject is so delicate their friends will never mention it. Pour a single drop of the "Balm" on your tooth-brush and wash the teeth night and morning. A fifty cent bottle will last a year.
A BEAUTIFUL COMPLEXION may easily be acquired by using the "BALM OF A THOUSAND FLOWERS." It will remove tan, pimples, and freckles from the skin, leaving it of a soft and roseate hue. Wet a towel, pour on two or three drops, and wash the face night and morning.
SHAVING MADE EASY.—Wet your shaving-brush in either warm or cold water, pour on two or three drops of "BALM OF A THOUSAND FLOWERS," rub the beard well and it will make a beautiful soft lather, much facilitating the operation of shaving. Price only fifty cents. For sale by Fetridge & Co., proprietors, in New York.
For sale in New Orleans by J. WRIGHT & CO., 21 and 151 Chartres street.

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters.
The well merited success of this celebrated Bitters, and the daily favor with which it has been received by our most respectable citizens, speak volumes as to its efficacy in bringing about the beneficial results for which it is designed. Having been the result of a long course of study and observation in the Doctor's practice, so that the proprietors have no hesitancy in presenting it to the world, as assured, passed in effecting a speedy, certain and permanent cure for all irregularities and weakness of the digestive organs, to which most persons can trace ill health. Sold by all druggists, grocers, and hotels, throughout the United States and Canada. For sale by J. WRIGHT & CO., 21 and 151 Chartres st.

Franco-American Steamship Company.
CONSIGNEES per French steamship JACQUARD, Capt. Bourdillat, from Havre, are requested to take notice that the ship will commence discharging on FRIDAY MORNING next, at the Steamship Wharf, Third District.
ED. DUPASSEUR & CO., Agents, 65 Customhouse street.
J. P. WHITNEY & CO., Agents, 35 Carondelet street.
Neither the Captain nor Consignees of the French steamship JACQUARD, Capt. Bourdillat, will be accountable for any debts contracted by the crew of said steamer.
No bills for supplies, &c., will be approved or paid, except such as may be previously contracted for, at the office of ED. DUPASSEUR & CO., 65 Customhouse street, where pass-books will be furnished. jan7

The ship SARAGOSSA, Dan, master, from Bordeaux, is now discharging her cargo in the Second District. Consignees are requested to attend to the delivery of their goods on the Levee. Goods not permitted within five days from this date will be stored at the expense of consignees.
C. CAVAROC & CO., 144 Royal st.

Female Orphan Society.
THE annual meeting of the subscribers to the Female Orphan Society (for the purpose of electing Managers to serve the ensuing year) will be held on FRIDAY, the 16th inst., at the Poydras Asylum, in Bickerville, between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock, P. M. jan7 10t

ERARD'S PIANOS.
J. B. GUIRAUD, ROYAL STREET, ... No. ..., Near Customhouse street.
HIS friends and the public are respectfully informed that he has constantly on hand a choice assortment of PIANOS from Erard's celebrated Manufactory, each of grand, oblique and upright Pianos, which are offered at very moderate terms.
All the Pianos from his store will be tuned for one year free of charge, by Mr. Bourbonne, sent here by Mr. Erard for the purpose of tuning and repairing pianos from his manufactory.
Pianos sold on credit, tuned and repaired.

FRENCH QUININE—Landing ex steamship Jacquard, from Havre—500 oz. Quinine, brand Alfred Labarraque & Co. For sale by P. D. SECOND & COUTIN, 13 Bienville street.

LANDING ex ship Annie F. Kimball—15 casks Claret; 10 tierces Haut Sauterne White Wine. For sale by P. D. SECOND & COUTIN, 13 Bienville street.

LANDING ex ship Saragossa, from Bordeaux, and for sale by the undersigned—140 casks Claret; 30 bbls White Wine; 1000 boxes Claret, 150 do White Wine. C. CAVAROC & CO., 144 Royal street.

BUCKWHEAT—60 boxes Hart's fresh Buckwheat, landing and for sale by ALFRED KEARNY, 72 Magazine street.

LEAF TOBACCO—212 bales, consisting of 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th, and Capaduras, just landed per brig Elizabeth, from Havana. In store and for sale by ANT. COSTA, 24 Customhouse st.

LANDING ex ship Saragossa, from Bordeaux—100 casks good ordinary Claret; 200 boxes do do of 12 bottles each. For sale by E. LAMBERT, 62 Magazine st.

SUPERIOR CLARET AND WHITE WINE—In casks Claret, Montferrand, 12 do superior Claret, St. Emilion, 22 half do White Wine, Haut Sauterne—discharging ex ship Saragossa, from Bordeaux, and for sale by E. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

SUPERIOR WINE IN BOXES—100 boxes superior Claret, Margaux, first crop—discharging ex ship Saragossa, from Bordeaux, and for sale by E. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

COGNAC BRANDIES of the best brands—5 half, 20 quarter and 20 eighth pipes Cognac, Vve. Blitz; 2 half, 10 quarter and 10 eighth pipes Cognac, Jas. Morin, 1818—discharging ex ship Saragossa, from Bordeaux, and for sale by E. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

QUININE—500 ounces for sale by the case only. E. J. HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

HOSTETTER'S BITTERS—150 dozen for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

MALT AND HOPS—5000 bushels Barley Malt; 120 bales Hops—for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

WINDOW GLASS—Landing from ship North Carolina. For sale by E. J. HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

SEASONABLE GROCERIES—The subscribers offer at very reasonable prices a large and well assorted stock of GROCERIES, LIQUORS, TOBACCO, &c., &c. E. J. HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

PAPER FOR EXPORT—A large stock of various styles, and for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas street.

EXCHANGE ON BORDEAUX OR PARIS—For sale by J. & A. TARDOS, 31 Old Levee st.

IN STORE—200 boxes Brandy Cherries; 100 do Fruits in juice. For sale by LANATA BROS., 9 and 11 Jefferson street.

WINES—120 boxes superior Margaux, 12 bottles; 200 do do 24 hf do; 50 do Sauterne, 12 do. Landing ex Annie Kimball, from Bordeaux, and for sale by E. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

SARDINES AND FRUITS IN JUICE—50 boxes assorted fruits in juice, 10,000 hf boxes sardines in oil; 5000 qr do do do. Landing ex Annie Kimball, from Bordeaux, and for sale by E. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

HAVANA SUGAR—100 cases white, yellow and brown Havana Sugar. In store and for sale by E. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

CLARET IN CASKS—120 casks St. Julien; 70 do Montferran; 50 do Quinsac; 120 do Cambianes; 60 do superior Margaux; 24 do Haut Sauterne White Wine. Landing ex Annie Kimball, and for sale by E. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

CLARET—1750 boxes Claret St. Julien, Margaux. Landing ex Annie Kimball, and for sale by E. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

TO arrive per Isabella and Cabinet, from Bordeaux—50 boxes, 24 glass jars each, prunes; 500 do St. Julien claret; 100 do Margaux do; 100 do St. Emilion do; 200 do St. Emilion do; 200 do Barsac and Sauterne white wines. For sale by J. VIOSCA, Jr., 29 Conti st.

LANDING ex ship Memphis, from New York: 300 baskets, 12 bottles each, champagne, Piper Heidsieck; 100 do, 24 half bottles each, do, do. For sale by J. VIOSCA, Jr., 29 Conti st.

IN STORE and for sale by the undersigned: 25 boxes fruits in juice, Bean [illegible]; 50 do brandy fruits, Chauvet [illegible]; 25 do do do, Tournai; 20 do brandy cherries; for sale by J. VIOSCA, Jr., 29 Conti st.

TO ARRIVE per ship Saragossa, from Bordeaux—90 casks Claret, various brands; 20 do White Wine; 40 bbls White Wine; 500 boxes St. Julien Claret; 100 do Chateau Belair Claret; 200 do Sauterne White Wine, 100 do Brandy Fruits; 200 do Sardines in oil. For sale by J. VIOSCA, Jr., 29 Conti st.

SUNDRIES—Landing ex ship Annie Kimball: 50 boxes Strawberries in their own juice; 10 cases Green Peas, half boxes; 5 do Truffled Pies, quarter and half Patés; 57 do Sardines, quarter and eighth boxes; 100 boxes Brandy Cherries. For sale by PRÉAU & COUTURIE, 31 and 33 Gravier st.

CLARET—100 boxes Washington Mission, quarts and pints. Landing ex ship Annie Kimball and for sale by PRÉAU & COUTURIE, 31 and 33 Gravier st.

CLARET—15 casks good family Claret. Landing ex ship Annie Kimball and for sale by PRÉAU & COUTURIE, 31 and 33 Gravier st.

SHERRY AND PORT WINE—50 barrels Sherry; 100 do Port wine, superior, for sale by LANATA BROTHERS, 9 and 11 Jefferson st.

500 BOXES NEW ITALIAN MACARONI; 500 do do Vermicelli—just received per Mississippi, from Genoa, and for sale by LANATA BROS., 9 and 11 Jefferson st.

100 SACKS Tarragona almonds; 2 hhds Sultana raisins; 50 sacks Bordeaux [illegible] for sale by LANATA BROTHERS, 9 and 11 Jefferson st.

WHITE WINE AND CLARET—100 casks St. Julien Medoc Claret; 50 do Margaux Medoc Claret, old; 2000 boxes St. Julien Medoc Claret; 500 do Chateau Belair Claret, old; 50 bbls Haut Sauterne White Wine; 300 boxes Haut Sauterne do; 500 do Haut Sauterne do. For sale by LANATA BROTHERS, 9 and 11 Jefferson st.

TO ARRIVE per ship Saragossa, from Bordeaux: 25 casks ordinary claret; 25 eighth pipes cognac; 50 baskets, 12 bottles each, sweet oil, Flagnol; 25 boxes do do; 5 do do; 16 do do; 15 baskets, 24 half do, do; 100 half boxes sardines in oil; 50 quarter do do do. For sale by BRUTÉ & GRIMA, 72 Gravier st.

TO ARRIVE per ship Hermann Livingston, from Havre—200 half boxes plum mushrooms; for sale by BRUTÉ & GRIMA, 72 Gravier st.

TO arrive per ship Isabella, from Bordeaux—300 half boxes plain green peas; for sale by BRUTÉ & GRIMA, 72 Gravier st.

BURGUNDY WINES—250 cases, 48 quarts and pints, of Macon, Clos Vougeot and Chambertin brands, for sale by SMITH & THOMAS, 8 Gravier st.

LANDING ex ship Arcadia, from Bordeaux—100 casks Red Wine; 100 boxes, 12 bottles each, Claret, Margaux; 100 boxes, 24 half bottles each, Claret, Margaux; 100 boxes, 12 bottles each, White Sauterne, superior. For sale by E. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

CELEBRATION OF THE THIRTY-FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF THE Battle of 8th January, 1815.
THE Committee of the Common Council have adopted the following programme for the celebration of the Thirty-first Anniversary of the Battle of the 8th of January, 1815, under the supervision of GEN. E. L. TRACY, GRAND MARSHAL.
The procession will be formed at 12 o'clock, precisely, at the junction of Canal and Royal streets, under the direction of the Grand Marshal and his aides, and will proceed down Royal to Esplanade street, up Esplanade to Chartres street, up Chartres and Camp streets to Julia street, down the latter to St. Charles street, down St. Charles to Lafayette Square, where it will be disbanded.
Order of Procession.
Marshal. Military Escort. Music. Grand Marshal. Mayor of the City and Recorders of the several Districts. Members of the Common Council. Music. Veterans of 1814 and 1815. Committee of Arrangements. Officers of the U. S. Army and Navy. Governor of the State and Staff. Members of the Senate and House of Representatives. Regents of the University of Louisiana. Law Faculty of the University of Louisiana. Medical Faculty of the University of Louisiana. State Superintendent of Public Education. Major Gen. Lewis and Staff. Officers of the Militia. Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Auditor of Public Accounts, Civil Engineer, and Surveyor General. Foreign Consuls. Distinguished Strangers. Judges of the Supreme Court. Attorney General and District Attorney. Judges of the U. S. Courts. U. S. District Attorney and U. S. Marshal. Judges of the District Courts of the State. Justices of the Peace of the State. Marshal. Fire Department, with banners. Marshal. Directors, Teachers, and Male Pupils of Public Schools. Collector of the Port, Naval Officer, Surveyor of the Customs, and Postmaster. U. S. Receiver and Register of the Land-office. The Superintendent and Officers of the Mint. Recorder of Mortgages and Register of Conveyances. Clergy. Members of the Bar. Members of Medical Societies. Notaries Public. New England Society. Marshal. Grand Lodge and its subordinate Lodges. Grand Lodge and its subordinate Lodges. Charitable Associations: Hibernian, St. Patrick, St. Andrew, Howard, German, Temperance, and Screwmen's Societies. Incorporated Institutions, and other Societies. Sons of Temperance. Harbor Master and Port Wardens. Captains of Vessels and Steamboats. Strangers and Citizens generally. Marshal. Military Escort.
The Veterans of 1814 and 1815 are requested to meet at the City Hall, at 11½ o'clock, A. M., in order to meet the Mayor, Members of the Common Council, and Committee of Arrangements, and proceed thence to form the Procession at Canal street.
By order of the Committee.
A. LANFEAR, JOHN E. HALLANE, Committee.

Louisiana Association of the Veterans of 1814 and 1815.
A MEETING of the members of the above Association will be held on THURSDAY, January 8th, at 9 o'clock, A. M., at the St. Louis Exchange, for the election of their officers for 1857.
Article VI of the Constitution will be enforced.
The members of the Association are respectfully invited to a dinner, to be prepared by Mr. Lovret, on Bienville street, No. 22, at 5 o'clock.
By order of the President.
PHILIPPE LANAUX, Secretary.

Home for Jewish Widows and Orphans.
THE FIRST ANNIVERSARY of the above Institution will be celebrated at the "HOME," on the 11th inst., at 12 M., by a BANQUET, previous to which B. C. LAUNT, Esq., will deliver an oration, preceded by a prayer by the Rev. J. K. Gutheim.
The members of the Association and the public generally are respectfully invited to attend.
ISAAC HART, J. ABRAHAMSON, H. GOLDSMITH, Committee of Arrangements.

Notice to Tax-Payers.
THE TAX-PAYERS on Movables and Licenses, &c., are hereby notified that the assessment rolls for 1857 (Movables) are now deposited at my office for examination and correction, and that said rolls will remain opened daily during thirty days from date, from 10 A. M. to 3 o'clock, P. M.
JOS. COLOMB, Recorder Third District.
New Orleans, Jan. 6th, 1857.

Notice to Tax-Payers.
NOTICE is hereby given that the assessment rolls of personal property, capital, &c., and assessed Real Estate of the City of New Orleans will be open for examination and correction during thirty days, from and after WEDNESDAY, the seventh January instant, at my office, First Municipality Hall, from 9 o'clock, A. M., till one o'clock, P. M. A clerk will be in attendance, and will furnish to those who wish to have corrections made on said rolls, all necessary information. New Orleans, January 6th, 1857.
JOHN R. HOLLAND, Acting Recorder, Second District.

EUG. CHASSAIGNAC, Professor of Singing and the Piano.
Apply at St. Peter street, No. 150, or at T. E. Benoit's Music Store, Chartres street, No. 78.

A. ELIE & CHASSAIGNAC, Successors to T. E. Benoit, 78 ..... CHARTRES STREET 78
DEPOT of French, German and Italian Music and Musical Instruments.
The choicest assortment of classic and modern music offered very low.
Received per steamships Alma, François Arago, and ship Southern Eagle:
25 dozen Accordeons, $4 to $30.
25 do Violins, all qualities.
12 do Assorted Fiddle Bows.
Brass instruments for military bands—Saxhorns, Cornets, Bugles, Keylebrons, Triangles, Drums and Cymbals.
A complete assortment of every article in the line, Clarionets, 4 to 13 keys.
15 dozen boxwood and ebony Flutes, 1 to 8 keys. Best quality superior strings for violins, guitars, violoncellos, double bass, and harp.
A. ELIE & CHASSAIGNAC.
The undersigned tenders his heartfelt thanks to the country trade and profession of music for their kind patronage, and solicits a continuance of the same for his successors.
T. E. BENOIT.

SIMMONS & CO. MEDAL PORTABLE TELESCOPES,
which show objects with distinctness at six miles distance. Also, VICTORIAS, or Vest pocket Opera and Race Course Glasses.
Cheap, at 58 Camp street, corner Natchez Alley.

THE BAGASSE FURNACE.
PATENTED Dec 4th, 1856; same patent reissued August 6th, 1856, and now patented—Granted August 5th, 1856, to S. H. Gilman, of New Orleans. This furnace is now in use on EIGHTEEN plantations in Louisiana, and combines with unequaled success the six important and distinctive features of—
1. Working entirely by natural draught.
2. Containing no grate bars or other irons in the interior.
3. Never requiring the bagasse to be stirred or touched after it falls from the carrier into the hopper of the furnace.
4. Drying the Bagasse thoroughly in the furnace, where it remains, more than one hour, exposed to great heat, before it reaches the point of combustion.
5. Forming no ring; and the ashes being carried by the draught into a second chamber, are withdrawn at any time without stopping the engine.
6. Burning all the bagasse on plantations of any size, and requiring no other combustible than to take out the ashes and occasionally throw in wood—the average consumption of which has been ONLY ONE-HALF A CORD IN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS, when the furnace, flues and chimney were proportioned.
The furnaces erected under the new patent of August 6th, 1856, are fed without rollers by a simple arrangement of balanced doors in the bottom of the hopper, which open by the weight of the bagasse and require no attention whatever.
This is the only Bagasse Furnace which combines the above named features, either theoretically or practically.
An investigation of the patents, specifications and drawings (to be had of the subscribers) will prove this furnace to be constructed upon strictly scientific principles, entirely distinct from those of any other patented furnace, and an examination of the furnace in operation will convince the most incredulous of the successful application of the principles laid down in the patents, as well as to perfect simplicity of construction and management, economy and durability. Some of these furnaces have taken off three crops without any repairs, there being nothing but firebrick exposed to the fire.
The undersigned are now prepared to contract with parties for supplying and putting these furnaces in operation, and solicit of sugar planters an investigation of their patented achievements.
F. GARVIN COMPANY, 73 Gravier street, or S. H. GILMAN, 22 Natchez st.

The Bagasse Kettle Train and Furnace.
THE subscriber is now prepared to close contracts, with full guarantee, to build and erect with GILMAN'S PATENT BAGASSE FURNACE AND KETTLE TRAIN, with a consumption of Wood not to exceed one-half a cord per hogshead of sugar, during the entire boiling of the [illegible]. No sugar house or [illegible] needed, for both grinding the Cane and Boiling the juice into Sugar.
The management of the Bagasse Kettle Train is precisely the same as that required for the old kettles, employing an equal number of hands to clean the juice. The Furnace needs the attendance of but one hand, as the Bagasse is never touched after it enters the Furnace.
For further particulars, inquire of SAM. H. GILMAN, 22 Natchez street.

BRANDY—10 quarter pipes Brandy, E. Lemprey, landing ex bark Anna Kimball, from Bordeaux. For sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

CLARET IN CASES—300 cases Claret, St. Julien, 12 bottles, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

CLARET—20 casks claret, St. Esteph; 20 do do, St. Emilion; 20 do do, St. Estephe; 10 half do do, St. Emilion; landing ex bark Annie Kimball, from Bordeaux, and for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

WHITE WINE—25 barrels white wine, C. D. Sauterne, landing ex bark Anna Kimball, from Bordeaux, and for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

LINE—[illegible] for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

[illegible]—400 cases assorted Preserves, in store and for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

CANDLES—500 boxes [illegible] or do, Procter & Gamble's Star. For sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas st.

WHISKY—[illegible] bbls. Rectified Whisky. For sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas st.

SOAP—1000 boxes Pearl. For sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas st.

FLOUR—2000 bbls Extra and Superfine. For sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas st.

BEEF—200 bbls new Mess, for sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas st.

To the Editors of the Bee:
NEW ORLEANS, December 27, 1856.
GENTLEMEN—You will please announce EDWARD WOOLDRIDGE, Esq., as the nominee of the American party to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of J. W. James, Esq., in the next Legislature. Mr. Wooldridge has much experience as a law maker in Kentucky, and was in the Convention of 1849, that formed the present Constitution of that State. He is a ready debater, and *au fait* in parliamentary rules, &c.

TO THE PUBLIC.
TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT, December 16, 1856.
The Treasurer would respectfully call the attention of the public to the following Sections of the new City Charter, as approved March 15, 1856:
Section 166. *Be it further enacted*, &c., That all taxes, commonly known as licenses, laid by the Common Council on hotels, coffee-houses, billiard saloons, and other houses, and on carriages, hacks, drays, and other vehicles, used in the city of New Orleans, shall be payable at the office of the City Treasurer, from the 1st to the 31st of January, inclusive, of each year. And if any tax, commonly known as a license, laid as aforesaid, shall not have been paid by the person liable therefor, on or before the 31st day of January, in each and every year, the City of New Orleans, upon affidavit made by any officer of said City, or by any citizen of said City, that said tax, commonly known as a license, had not been paid by the person liable therefor, shall have a lien, in the nature of a lessor's privilege, upon the personal property of the said person so in default, and on application made, a writ of provisional seizure shall issue out of any Court of competent jurisdiction, in favor of said City, and against said property; and in case judgment is rendered in favor of said City, said property, so provisionally seized, shall be sold in satisfaction of said tax.
Portion of Section 167. And further, it shall be the duty of said Treasurer to hand over to the Assistant City Attorney all bills for fines, dues or licenses, designated and intended by Section 166, whatever the same shall accrue, or be exigible by the provisions of this Act, and the said Assistant Attorney shall forthwith institute proceedings in Courts of competent jurisdiction, in the several Districts where said dues, licenses, fines or penalties shall have accrued.
To avoid the vexation and expenses of suit, the Treasurer would recommend prompt attention to the above notice.
ADAM GIFFEN, Treasurer.

Wanted.
A COMMERCIAL AGENT to receive orders and consignments for Europe. Apply, with references, at No. 118 Post-office.

Dissolution of Copartnership.
THE copartnership existing between EDW'D SHIFF and ULGER LAUVE, under the firm of EDW'D SHIFF & CO., is this day dissolved by limitation. Edw'd Shiff will attend to the liquidation of the late firm, and continue business for his own account under the firm of EDW'D SHIFF & CO.
EDW'D SHIFF, ULGER LAUVE.
New Orleans, Dec. 31st, 1856.

MR. ULGER LAUVE has my full power of attorney, by act before T. Guyol, Notary Public, on 31st December, 1856. M. J. BUJAC.

Notice.
MR. CHARLES LAFITTE becomes a partner in our house from this date.—New Orleans, January 1, 1857. JEANNEY, SCHMIDT & CO.

Citizens' Bank of Louisiana.
New Orleans, Dec. 29th, 1856.
THE annual election of Directors by the stockholders of the Bank will be held at the Banking-house, on MONDAY, 2d February, 1857, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 3 P. M.
EUG. ROUSSEAU, Cashier.

Bank of New Orleans.
December 29, 1856.
THIS Bank will be closed on THURSDAY NEXT, (Battle of New Orleans Day) and on the 1st and 2d January next. Notes due on those days will be payable on the preceding Wednesdays.
WM. P. GRAYSON, Cashier.

Citizens' Bank of Louisiana.
New Orleans, Dec. 24th, 1856.
THIS bank will be closed on Christmas, 25th instant, and the 1st and 8th of January next. Paper falling due on those days, will be payable on the WEDNESDAYS preceding, when notes intended for discount may be offered.
E. ROUSSEAU, Cashier.

Mechanics' and Traders' Bank.
New Orleans, December 24, 1856.
THIS Bank will be closed on Thursday next, the 25th inst., (Christmas Day) and on the 1st and 8th January next. Paper falling due on those days will be payable on the preceding Wednesdays. Apply to [illegible].

Louisiana State Bank.
Monday, 29th December, 1856.
THIS Bank will be closed on the ensuing Anniversaries of Christmas, New Year and 8th January. Paper falling due on those days will be payable on the preceding respective Wednesdays.
RICHARD RELF, Cashier.

Bank of Louisiana.
New Orleans, Dec. 22, 1856.
THIS Bank will be closed on CHRISTMAS, 25th instant, and on the 1st and 8th of January next. The business of those days, severally, will be transacted on the respective WEDNESDAYS preceding.
R. M. DAVIS, Cashier.

Office of the New Orleans and Carrollton Railroad Company.
New Orleans, 29th Dec., 1856.
THE annual election of Directors of this Company will be held, in accordance with the Charter, at the office, No. 10 Banks' Arcade, on MONDAY, the 2d February, 1857, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 3 P. M.
ALBERT G. BLANCHARD, Secretary.

New Orleans, Opelousas and Great Western Railroad Company.
NOTICE—The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Company will be held, in conformity with the charter, on MONDAY, the 19th day of January, 1857, and an election for eighteen directors on WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of January next, at the office of the Company, No. 10 Canal street.
BENJAMIN F. FLANDERS, Secretary.

Notice of Partnership.
THE undersigned, having associated with them J. JOHN LANGE, of this city, will continue the same business, at their old stand, No. 31 Front Levee, and Bienville street, as heretofore, under the firm of LANGE & GONZALEZ.
F. A. GONZALEZ.
New Orleans, Dec. 22, 1856.

Notice.
LOST—The CERTIFICATES No. 22, dated 29th February, 1852, of fifty-three shares (53) of stock of the Second Tchoupitoulas Company, in the name of M. Thomas. If the same be not found within thirty days from date, application will be made to said Company for a new certificate.
FR. THOMAS, Administrator of the estate of L. E. Thomas.

Lithographic Establishment for Sale, on Account of Sickness.
THE well-known Lithographic Printing Establishment, No. 115 Exchange Passage, of E. Winder, consisting of three hand-presses and a large quantity of lithographic stones of every description of pictures, bills, labels, plans, &c., and all the materials necessary to carry on the business immediately. For terms, apply on the premises.

Wanted to Hire.
A PLAIN COOK, Washer and Ironer, for a small family. Apply at No. 267 Customhouse street, or at the office of the New Orleans Bee, No. 83 Chartres st.

Cheap New Year's Gift!
TOMBOLA!
46 Prizes—Only One Dollar a Ticket!!!
—The Principal Prizes are—
A SET of DIAMONDS and EMERALDS, consisting of a Bracelet, a Brooch and a Pair of Ear-rings.
A Ladies' Enameled GOLD WATCH and CHAIN.
A PEARL NECKLACE, and a HALF SET OF DIAMONDS.
Together with forty-three other Prizes, of the value of from $10 to $50 each. The List is now open at LION & PINSARD'S, 65 and 66 Royal st., cor. of Bienville.

THE AUTOMATON MONKEY,
THE WHICH WAS AWARDED THE FIRST PREMIUM of all Toy curiosities exhibited at the WORLD'S FAIR AT PARIS,
THE FAMOUS CANNIBAL, THE GRAND TURK,
and forty-seven other pieces, Toys and Variety Articles, are now open for the competition of Amateurs in a TOMBOLA, which is to take place at Philip Rashe's Toy and Fancy Goods Store,
No. 20 Chartres street,
as soon as all the chances (250 in number) are taken, of which due notice will be given.
Call and examine these real curiosities of the season, and take your chances before they are all gone.

Five Hundred Dollars Reward.
A REWARD of Five Hundred Dollars will be paid by the New Orleans and Carrollton Railroad Company for such information as may lead to the ARREST AND CONVICTION of the parties concerned in the attack on the Magee Station, on the evening of the 1st inst., and the MURDER or MURDERS committed on that occasion on the persons of the Company's employees.
By order of the Board of Directors.
ALBERT G. BLANCHARD, Secretary.

JOHN CULBERTSON, Attorney and Counselor at Law,
No. 30 St. Louis Exchange Alley, between Conti and Bienville streets.

WANTED—Several Workmen, at No. 12 Frenchmen street, between Chartres and Old Levee, by PAUL LACROIX.

DOLBEAR'S COMMERCIAL COLLEGE,
No. 106 Canal street.
FRENCH, SPANISH, GERMAN, ENGLISH, Arithmetic, Geometry, Surveying, Navigation, Writing, Phonography, and Book-keeping are taught by distinguished professors. New classes will be opened this week.
RUFUS DOLBEAR, 106 Canal st.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO,
ALFRED MUNROE & CO.,
No. 32 MAGAZINE ST., CORNER OF GRAVIER ST.,
Established the "ONE PRICE SYSTEM," believing it to be the best and most satisfactory mode of selling goods. Their present
MAMMOTH CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT
is sufficient evidence that the principle is a good one, and pleasing to all parties.
No deviation in any instance from marked prices!
THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF WELL MADE CLOTHING IN NEW ORLEANS CAN ALWAYS BE FOUND AT THE ABOVE STORE, including OVERCOATS, FROCK COATS, BUSINESS COATS, PANTALOONS, VESTS and UNDER-GARMENTS of every description. No. 32 Magazine street, corner of Gravier st.
ALFRED MUNROE & CO.

CARPET WAREHOUSE.
22 ..... CHARTRES STREET 22
WE are receiving direct from manufacturers a very large assortment of Carpetings, such as Medallion, Velvet, Tapestry, Brussels, Three-Ply, Ingrain, Venetian, &c.
FLOOR OIL-CLOTHS, from 3 to 24 feet wide, of various qualities, which are cut to suit the sized rooms; also, table and piano covers, druggets and rugs for crumb-cloths, window shades, table-linens, &c., all of which we offer at the lowest market prices.
A. BROUSSEAU & CO.

56 THE ABOVE NUMBER WINS A PRIZE.
56 JOSEPH RAFEL, 56
56 CAMP STREET. 56
JOSEPH RAFEL, Number 56 Camp street, still continues to distribute prizes in jewelry, by auction, to the public of New Orleans. He begs them to bear in mind the magic number which heads this advertisement, and call and examine for themselves the following unequaled stock of goods but faintly described below—viz:
Ladies' Enameled and Bracelet Stacked Hunting and Open Faced Watches.
Gentlemen's Patent Levers, Open Faced and Hunting Watches, manufactured by Dent, Cooper, Johnston, Tobias, Taylor, Jurgensen, of Copenhagen, and every other celebrated maker.
Railway Time-keepers, in silver and gold cases, warranted not to vary a second in a year.
Paper Weights, at inconceivable low prices.
Diamonds, set in more than Oriental splendor, in Pins, Rings, Ear-rings, Bracelets, Necklaces, Bandeaux, Mosaic Sets, direct from Florence.
Pearl, Enamel, Opal and Plain Sets, of every pattern and design, of the latest fashion.
Five hundred Opera Glasses, of every style and material, with twelve glasses, and at most all prices.
Electro and Sheffield Plated Ware, in Castors, Candlesticks, Pitchers, Goblets, Cups, Tea and Breakfast Sets, Salvers, Salvers, &c.
Silver, of pure standard, in Forks, Spoons, Ladles, Fish, Butter and Cheese Knives, Tea and Breakfast Sets; Water, Ice and Molasses Pitchers; Cups, Goblets and Napkin Rings.
Writing Desks, Work and Toilet Boxes, Dressing and Traveling Cases, in rosewood, mahogany, papier maché and leather.
Clocks for drawing-rooms, parlors, halls, offices and kitchens, in marble, bronze, ormolu, papier maché, mahogany, rosewood and iron pedestals.
Fancy Goods, such as Card Cases, in gold, silver, pearl, tortoise shell and ivory; Porte-monnaies; Ivory Tablets; Reticules; Vinaigrettes; Smelling and Salt Bottles; Fans; Cigar Cases; Souvenirs; Chess and Backgammon Boards; Dominoes; Paper Weights and Cutters; with hundreds of other articles too numerous for use.
Articles enumerated in this advertisement will be sold at private sale twenty-five per cent. cheaper than any other such establishment on this continent. CALL, EXAMINE and be CONVINCED.
I will repair or manufacture with promptness and dispatch, on the shortest notice, any article in my line, having engaged the services of the most accomplished workmen, regardless of expense.
Having purchased for fifty cents cash on the dollar the whole stock in trade of one of the largest Jewelry and Fancy Goods establishments (in liquidation) in the country, it, with his own unrivaled one, constitutes the greatest assortment ever opened for public inspection.
CALL SOON.

NOTICE.
General Collecting Agency.
WE respectfully inform the public that we have formed a copartnership, under the name and style of THEARD, AUDLER & CO., for the purpose of making a General Collecting Agency.
For a number of years the want of such an establishment has been felt. The Physicians, Druggists, Merchants, Dentists, Notaries, Lawyers, Proprietors, and all those who work on credit, and persons residing out of this city, need an establishment where they can find honesty and activity, in order to have their bills collected in the shortest possible delay.
We have endeavored to create such an establishment, and we hope it will meet the general wishes of the community, and of all other persons residing in the parishes of this State, or other States, having any bills to collect in New Orleans.
We shall make daily, weekly or monthly returns, at the choice of those who will favor us with their kind patronage.
The commission claimed for our services will range according to the nature of the bills. If any judicial proceedings are required, they shall be attended to by PAUL E. THEARD, ATTORNEY AT LAW, without extra charge.
We shall keep an open account at the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana, where all moneys collected will be daily deposited.
Our office is located at No. 62 Royal street.
REFERENCES:
P Durel & Co, A Chiapella, J A Braud & Landry, Theo Guyol, B J Hart & Co, Dr Taxil, Alexis Robert, C C Lathrop, Dr G Boswell, Edward Barnett, E Conery, Dr E Duborg, A Baudousquie, Dr E Bajoulier, R D Shannon & Co, McCutchon, Howell & Co, B W Hebrard, O DeBuys, Louis H Pilie, Sewell T Taylor, Gen John L Lewis, Tutt, Brees & Co, Chs el Waterman, Maisrd & Co, Richards, Hosmand & Co.
PAUL E. THEARD, EDWARD R. AUDLER.

Wanted.
A NEGRO WOMAN as house-servant, washer and ironer. Apply at No. 73 Magazine street, up stairs.

Notice.
THE CITIZENS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY of New Orleans have, this day, commenced operations, and are prepared to take Fire, Marine and River Risks at the usual rates.
—Directors—
Geo. W. West, R. P. Hunt, Jas. A. White, M'l Musson, Evan J. McCall, Marion Gordon, Jr., D. Jamaison, Paulin J. Martin, Antonio Costa, Cesaire Olivier, Omer Gaillard, Jno. Bates, D. Boaligny.
OMER GAILLARD, President.
GEO. W. WEST, Vice-President.
A. SCHREIBER, Secretary.
Office, No. 3 Carondelet street.

Copartnership.
THE undersigned have formed a copartnership, to carry on in this city the Commission and Wholesale Grocery Business, under the style and firm of J. RIVIERE & HECKMAN, Nos. 50 and 52 Common street.
JEROME RIVIERE, A. F. HECKMAN.

Wanted to Hire.
A STEADY NEGRO MAN, to take care of garden and horses. Apply 136 Common street, or at this office.

Notice.
SEVERAL pieces of property in the First, Second and Third Districts, for residences or investment, are offered for sale.
Wanted to purchase—Several good slaves, from 16 to 30 years of age (guaranteed). Apply to J. B. DERBY, Broker, No. 35, corner Bourbon and Customhouse sts.

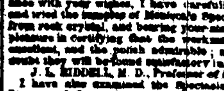
Seventh Masked and Fancy Dressed BALLS.
ORLEANS BALL-ROOM, NEAR THE THEATRE.
A series of Masked and Fancy Dressed Balls will take place in the Orleans Ball-room on the following days: 3d, 7th and 21st of January, 24th and 28th of February, 1857.
Ladies' invitation tickets can be procured at the Costume Store, on Bourbon street, near Orleans.
No lady will be admitted without an invitation ticket.

COSTUMES, COSTUMES.
187 ..... Bourbon street 187
ORLEANS STREET.
DOMINOS AND COSTUMES TO LET. COSTUMES MADE TO ORDER.
JULES FRERE.

FOR SALE.
Kentucky Mules and Horses.
JUST RECEIVED per steamboat Charles Morgan—150 MULES, the largest ever imported from that section of the country. Also, 25 fine HORSES. Apply to MORENO BROTHERS, or to P. VAN BOOTEN, 116 Bourbon st.

Laurent Uter.
DEPOT OF FRENCH LOOKING-GLASSES.
62 Chartres st., between Bienville and Conti.
HE numerous customers are respectfully informed that he has constantly on hand the most splendid and complete assortment of FRENCH LOOKING-GLASSES.
His late arrangements with a firm in New York, (Messrs. Hoon & Barrier,) a branch of the main firm in Paris, enable him to sell, at five and ten per cent. cheaper than any where else, French (and not English) LOOKING GLASSES, which are superior to the latter, both as regards the whiteness and durability of the silvering.
He receives monthly, as heretofore, per steamships via New York, per sailing vessels from France or Germany, every article in his line; Silvered Looking-glasses; plain and fine Engravings; Lithographs; Engravings, black and colored; Oil Paintings, by the best painters.
Looking-glasses of every size, plain and silvered, imported to order, as heretofore, within twenty-five or forty days, at the utmost.
He has had manufactured ornamented and plain frames, of every description; the gilding can be guaranteed. Fancy-carved frames, various woods.
His Establishment is still the only one wherein Looking-glasses are silvered. Every article from the same is guaranteed. Prices moderate.
The public will please take notice that he does not keep Common Looking-glasses, and compare his prices with those of any other house.

NOT A MOMENT TIME ONLY
SIGHT PRESERVED—BLINDNESS PREVENTED.



SIMMONS & CO., INVENTORS AND MANUFACTURERS of the Brazilian Pebble Spectacles, from Cornwall, England, respectfully announce their arrival on a professional visit, with a splendid assortment of their Improved Spectacles, and Optical Instruments, and may be consulted at their office, over the office of George W. Hyman & Co.,
58 Camp Street, corner of Natchez.
These celebrated lenses are made of the Brazil pebble, and constructed in accordance with the philosophy of Nature in the peculiar form of a concavo-convex lens, thereby giving a large scope to vision without occasioning a sense of weakness or fatigue, generally complained of by the wearer of common glasses, but enable the use of them for a greater length of time, both by day or candle light, with ease and satisfaction; added to the advantages possessed by them of long practice in the Eye Infirmary and under one of the most learned oculists, by which they have obtained a thorough knowledge of the disease of vision, they are enabled, upon close examination of the eye, to suit the most difficult vision with accuracy.
Office hours from 9 o'clock A. M., till 5 P. M.
UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA, New Orleans, December 15th, 1856.
Messrs. Simmons & Co.—Gentlemen: In compliance with your wishes, I have carefully examined and tried the samples of Mexican's Spectacles, made from rock crystal, and bearing your stamp. I have pleasure in certifying that the workmanship seems excellent, and the polish admirable; and I have no doubt they will be found satisfactory in use.
J. L. RIDDELL, M. D., Professor of Chemistry.
I have also examined the spectacles of Messrs. Simmons & Co., and concur with Professor Riddell's certificate. JAMES JONES, M. D.
New Orleans, December 16, 1856.
Messrs. Simmons & Co.—Gentlemen: I have examined the Spectacles left with me for trial, and find them fully equal, if not superior to any I have used before. They are also well adapted for the eyes, being the best size, and the bows placed at an angle to keep the glasses in the right position.
I shall take pleasure in recommending them to my patients and those requiring Spectacles; and when a person's focus is adjusted to the eye, they are all that can be required to improve vision, when, from age, a little assistance is necessary.
Very truly yours,
DR. T. M. GOBBIN, Oculist.
They have been recommended by—
Prof. A. H. Taylor, M. D., Nashville, Tenn.
Prof. L. [illegible]
J. M. [illegible], Editor
John [illegible], M. D., Nashville, Tenn.
A. W. Bowers, Secretary Insurance Company, Nashville, Tenn.
Cave Johnson, late Postmaster General, Nashville, Tenn.
[illegible], Nashville, Tenn.
[illegible], Nashville, Tenn.
Prof. [illegible], M. D., Charleston, S. C.
[illegible], President State Bank, Charleston, S. C.
[illegible], M. D., Mobile, Ala.
[illegible], M. D., Mobile, Ala.
[illegible], New Harmony, Ind.
Prof. [illegible], M. D., Augusta, Ga.
And hundreds of others, both in Europe and America, all testifying to the great advantages of these spectacles over all others in use. The originals may be seen at their office, 58 Camp street, corner of Natchez.

For Rent.
THE front office on store 51 and 53 Old Levee street. Apply on the premises.

CHEESE—[illegible] boxes, 100 half boxes, 400 quarter boxes Pineapple & Goshen's Star candles, for sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas street.

FLOUR—1000 bbls extra and superfine, landing and for sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas street.

HAMS—50 tierces sugar-cured, for sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas st.

LARD OIL—40 barrels winter strained, for sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas st.

California.
Will sail on TUESDAY, Jan'y 20, at 8 o'clock, A. M. FOR CALIFORNIA, via HAVANA, ASPINWALL, AND PANAMA—The U. S. mail steamship Company's fine steamship PHILADELPHIA, J. McGowan, commander, will leave her wharf, opposite ST. JOSEPH STREET, as above, connecting with the steamship Granada at Havana, and the Pacific Mail Steamship Golden Gate 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., 45 Natchez street, near Camp.

New York, Charleston, Key West and Havana.
Sails on TUESDAY, January 20th, at 8 A. M. precisely.
UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY—For NEW YORK via HAVANA.—The new and elegant steamship PHILADELPHIA, McGowan, Commander, will leave her wharf opposite ST. JOSEPH STREET, for New York, via Havana, as above, with the Government mails and passengers, connecting at Havana with the steamship ISABEL, for Charleston, via Key West.
For freight or passage, apply at the office of the Company, 72 Magazine street.
JENNINGS, LAUGHLAND & CO., Agents.

NEW YORK, BREMEN & SOUTHAMPTON.
United States Mail Steamers.
THE ships comprising this line are the WASHINGTON, Capt. E. Cavendy, HERMANN, Capt. Edward Higgins. These steamers stop at Southampton, both going and returning.
PROPOSED DATES OF SAILING—1856.

	From New York. Saturday.		From Bremen. Saturday.		From Southampton for New York. Wednesday.	
HERMANN	Jan.	25	Feb.	23	Feb.	27
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
HERMANN	Nov.	1	Nov.	29	Dec.	3
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.
PRICE OF PASSAGE FROM NEW YORK TO SOUTHAMPTON AND BREMEN.—First Cabin, main saloon, $130; First Cabin, lower saloon, $110; Second do, $60.
All letters and newspapers must pass through the Post Office.
No bills of lading will be signed or parcels received on the day of sailing.
An experienced Surgeon is attached to each ship.
For freight or passage, apply to
C. H. SAND, 11 South William street, New York.
C. A. HEINEKEN & CO., Bremen.
CROSKEY & CO., Southampton.
WM. ISELIN, Havre.

FOR HAVANA—The A No. 1 brig WM. CLARK, J. W. Simpson, master, will have quick dispatch. For balance of freight or passage, having fine accommodations, apply on board, or to E. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

THROAT AND LUNGS.
DR. GILBERT,
120 Carondelet street, near Poydras,
Still continues to give special attention to all
DISEASES OF THE CHEST,
Such as Bronchitis, Consumption, Asthma, Heart Diseases, &c., &c.
He employs INHALATION to some extent, and such remedies only as are prepared under his own supervision. Address DR. GILBERT, Box G. 43, New Orleans.

DR. JAMES SCOTT
HAS taken rooms at the FRANKLIN HOUSE, No. 30 Canal street, near the corner of Camp, where he may be consulted, at almost any hour of the day, by persons suffering from Dyspepsia, Chronic Diseases of the Eyes and Lungs, and Chronic Diseases generally. Advice to the poor, gratis.

ENGLISH CANNEL COAL.
250 TONS EXTRA QUALITY, hand picked, cargo of ship J. S. Nesmith, guaranteed equal to any ever imported—delivered to customers free of cartage, at the same price of Pittsburg coal.
C. A. MILTENBERGER, Office No. 101 Gravier street, and No. 247 Tchoupitoulas street.

ENGLISH CANNEL COAL.
500 TONS EXTRA quality, cargoes of ships Montmorency and Leo Woodbury, now discharging and ready for delivery. The Coal is all hand-picked, carefully screened in the ship's hold, and guaranteed equal to any ever imported. For sale low, if delivered from the Levee. SPENCER FIELD & CO., corner Camp street and Lafayette Square.

ANTHRACITE COAL.
200 TONS FIRST QUALITY Peach Orchard, Red Ash, Anthracite, small egg size, now discharging and ready for delivery. For sale low, if delivered direct from the Levee.
SPENCER FIELD & CO., corner Camp street and Lafayette Square.

COAL. COAL. COAL.
FOR SALE—ENGLISH CANNEL and GRATE COAL, in lots to suit purchasers. Apply to BAXTER, LOVELL & CO.

$10 Reward—Dog Lost.
A VERY large black DOG, with white feet, and a leather collar on his neck. The above reward will be paid for his delivery at this office. Any person found harboring him in his possession after this notice, will be prosecuted.

Stolen.
ON the night of the 23d instant, together with other valuable papers contained in a cash box deposited in the safe of Messrs. Laforest & Dasmarie, a NOTE for one thousand dollars, bearing six per cent. interest, dated the 27th May last, payable at one year from that date. Said note is drawn by E. Conery, made payable to my own order, and by him endorsed. It is also signed as security by F. Barnett, Notary Public. I hereby caution the public against trading for the same, the payment having been stopped. H. STRECK.

Fortune-telling and Phrenology.
123 JULIA STREET, SECOND DOOR FROM CAMP STREET.
ARRIVAL OF M'me ALWIN—M'me Alwin, from Paris, tenders her services to the ladies and gentlemen of New Orleans, in Astrology and Phrenology, by books and science. The Madame can be consulted at her residence, on all matters concerning Love, Marriage, Courtship, law matters and business affairs; and will tell the name of the lady or gentleman they will marry; also, the names of her visitors. The Madame speaks English, French and German.
Hours, from 8 A. M., to 9 P. M.

Lottery through Palmistry.
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IT is an undeniable fact that the Open Steam Trains of my construction have produced Sugars that have commanded the highest prices yet paid for any sold in this market this season.
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The most elegant Theatre in the United States.
WEDNESDAY EVENING, Jan. 7th, 1857—Miss CRISP, the elegant comedienne, who is engaged by request with the most enthusiastic applause, will appear in her celebrated character of Maria Darlington in the elegant comedy of A IRELAND FOR AN OLIVER—Sir Mark Chase, Mr. W. Davidge; [illegible]; Mr. R. Carleton; Mrs. Sabnell; Mrs. [illegible]; Mrs. C. Meyers. To conclude with the grand, romantic spectacle of the [illegible]—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crisp in the [illegible] and Lady Margaret.

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Third night of Miss Agnes Robertson and Mr. Dion Bourcicault.
Miss Agnes Robertson in seven characters.
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A GRAND BALL will be given for the benefit of the widowed mothers of the deceased [illegible] FANNIN and J. A. BENNETT, in the Odd Fellows' Ball Room, on the evening of the 8th of January, 1857.
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