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TO SUBSCRIBERS.

If any of our subscribers between Canal and Girod streets, and between Canal and St. Louis, should fail to receive their paper, they will please apply at our counting room for copies. The carrier who delivers the *Bee* on that route is still sick, and the person who takes his place, being inexperienced, may omit serving some of the residents.

THE NORTHERN MAIL.—We received yesterday the mails due on Sunday. Those due yesterday had failed beyond Richmond, Va.

THE CANAL BANK AND NEW CANAL.

The memorial of the Directors of the Canal and Banking Company, praying the surrender by the State of the New Canal and Shell Road, having been presented to the Legislature, we deem the occasion suitable for a statement of some of the reasons which would seem to militate in favor of the petition.

At the time when a charter was granted to the Canal and Banking Company, the banking policy of the State had taken a wide range, and the General Assembly had created monetary institutions with a liberal and lavish hand. Some of them owed their existence purely to legislative generosity, while the charters of others were coupled with provisos by which the State received a bonus. The act creating the Canal and Banking Company was one of public policy and high necessity. The valuable and growing commerce between New Orleans and the Lake shores had been greatly clogged by the charter of the New Orleans Navigation Company, which, from its exorbitant charges, its insufficient provisions for the speedy transportation of vessels, its delays, injuries and impositions, constituted a serious monopoly and grievous burden upon the enterprise of our city. With a view of abating this evil, and affording expeditious and cheap communication between New Orleans and the country around the Lake shore, the Canal and Banking Company was created with a charter binding it to excavate a Canal and construct a Shell Road to the Lake, and limiting the rates of tonnage to one-half of the lowest amount charged by the Orleans Navigation Company. It strikes us that the Legislature might well have dispensed with any bonus, when conceding the privilege to execute a work of such undoubted value and convenience to the commerce of New Orleans—a work of which the completion would ensure safe and speedy transportation to the Lake, and relieve the trade from an onerous and unjust tax. Nevertheless the charter of the Company contained a clause requiring the surrender to the State of the Canal and Basin in thirty-five years from the passage of the act. The stockholders believing, upon the faith of the representations of skillful engineers, that the cost of the enterprize would be such as to reimburse them for the outlay, and afford them a fair interest at the time of the expiration of their charter, accepted the terms proposed, and the Company proceeded energetically to the execution of the contract.

We need not recapitulate the delays, difficulties and formidable obstacles encountered by the Company. These are already known to our readers. Suffice it, that instead of six months, FIVE AND A HALF YEARS were required to complete the Canal and Road: that instead of an expenditure of less than $400,000, more than a million and a quarter was consumed in the undertaking; that the banking operations of the Company were for many years cramped and crippled by the necessity of applying its capital to the work; that the stock was long ruinously depressed, and the bank itself nearly involved in bankruptcy, and that now, when only twelve years of existence remain to the Company, it finds that the surplus of expenditures upon the Canal and road over the receipts is $1,037,000. Nay more; estimating from this time to the year 1866 the receipts at $40,000 per annum, the Company will fail to be reimbursed in its expenses, and will be a creditor of the public in the sum of $593,000. This is a bare statement of fact; but an examination of the subject in a commercial point of view, will illustrate it far more strongly. Thus:

The cost of the Canal in 1840 was	$1,300,000
Legal interest on the above to 1866 (26 years)	2,704,000
Res. cost in 1866	4,004,000
To be deducted:	
Amount received for fees up to this date	277,000
Interest to 1866 (12 years)	217,000
Amount to be received for 12 years, to 1866, say	480,000
Average interest on the same	230,400
	$1,155,820

Leaving an actual cost to the Company at the time the State can claim the Canal of $2,846,680.

Now we ask in all candor and honesty if the State ever contemplated the exaction of so enormous a bonus for the concession of banking privileges? Was a bonus even approximating it ever required from any other company? Would the Canal and Banking Company have asked the right, if it could possibly have anticipated that the enterprise would have proved a source of disaster instead of profit? Has not the Company, despite the multiplied obstacles, and the pecuniary embarrassments of the times, faithfully fulfilled its contract, and given to the commerce of our city a splendid and costly public work, the completion of which has imparted a powerful impulse to trade, reduced the prices of building materials, and increased the value of the lands on the Lake coast. Would it be fair, equitable, in accordance with those maxims of truth and honor which should ever actuate legislative bodies, to strip the Company of its property and privileges, long before it has been reimbursed for its outlay, much less realized a dollar of profit? Questions like these should be viewed by the broad light of principle and justice. Here is a Company which has rendered an immense benefit to New Orleans, by prosecuting an important enterprise to its consummation, in the midst of commercial embarrassments and unforeseen difficulties. In achieving this great object, the Company has more than tripled the original estimate of the expense, and finds that at the period when its powers will expire, and its rights will revert to the State, it will have been a heavy loser by the operation. The public alone is the gainer, while those who have toiled for it reap no jot of benefit. Under such circumstances, the plain and evident duty of the State is to save the Company from actual loss, if not to reward it for the substantial boon bestowed upon our city. This can be effected, by simply acquiescing in its prayer, and allowing it to retain possession of the Canal and Road, instead of surrendering them to the State at the time specified.

We have barely presented a single argument in behalf of the Company, but its elucidation has occupied so much of our available space, that we must reserve farther exposition of the subject for another occasion.

NEW ORLEANS, JACKSON AND GREAT NORTHERN RAILROAD.—It will be seen by the advertisement that the hours of the departure of trains on this road have been changed. The cars leave the city at 9, A. M. instead of 8, A. M., and leave Osyka or the State Line at 9, A. M., instead of 8½, A. M.

STEAMBOAT EDWARD HOWARD ON FIRE.—We learn from the officers of the steamer *Bulletin No. 2*, that the *Ed. Howard*, from the Cumberland river, got aground at President's Island, and after being lightened by the *Iroquois*, took fire in her hold on Wednesday last, 7th inst. To prevent the total destruction of the boat and cargo, they were compelled to fill her with water. The *Iroquois*, after discharging her upward freight, went again to the relief of the *Ed. Howard*, and took on board most of her cargo, which will be brought to this port. The *Howard* had sunk to her guards.

LISTADOS AND SEASONABLE DRY GOODS.—The attention of dealers is called to the sale of Listados and Seasonable Dry Goods, to take place THIS DAY, 13th inst., at 10 o'clock, at H. Peychaud & Co's auction room, No. 26 Old Levee, between Bienville and Customhouse streets. Terms liberal at sale.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.—To-night, at the St. Charles, Mrs. Hayne (late Miss Julia Dean) appears for the first time since her marriage. She will personate the character of the *Countess* in Sheridan Knowles' sterling play, "Love," to Mr. Charles Pope's *Huon*. The farce "My Precious Betsy" is also to be performed, in which, we are glad to see, the graceful and talented Mrs. Bernard, one of the most popular artists of the Company, makes her first appearance since her recent severe indisposition. The excellent comedian, Mr. Bernard, is likewise to perform in this piece.

Mr. J. Bihl, the French giant, arrived here yesterday, and is now stopping at the Orleans Hotel.

BAD ADVICE.—John Mitchell has had the bad taste to give the following advice to the military companies composed of foreigners, recently disbanded in Massachusetts. We can scarcely wonder at the extremes to which hostility to foreigners is carried, when one of their number has the temerity thus to speak:

"For every musket given in to the State Armory, let three be purchased forthwith; let independent companies be formed, thrice as numerous as the disbanded corps—there are no Arms Acts here yet—and let every foreigner be drilled and trained, and have his arms always ready. For you may be very sure, (having some experience in that matter,) that those who begin by disarming you, mean to do you mischief.

Be careful not to truckle in the smallest particular to American prejudices. Yield not a single jot of your own; for you have as good a right to your prejudices as they. Do not, by any means, suffer Gardner's Bible (the Protestant Bible) to be thrust down your throats. Do not abandon your post, or renounce your functions, as citizens or as soldiers, but after resort to the last and highest tribunal of law open to you; keep the peace; attempt no 'demonstrations;' discourage drunkenness, and stand to your arms."

ARRIVAL OF THE PROMETHEUS.

Later from California.

The steamship *Prometheus* reached this port yesterday, in five days from San Juan de Nicaragua. The Prometheus left New Orleans January 29. After experiencing a very heavy gale from the N. E., during which she lay to 10 hours, she arrived at San Juan on Feb. 4th. Feb. 1st, off Cape San Antonio, N. W. 15 miles, passed close to a Spanish brig-of-war in disguise of a merchant vessel, painted black with a plain white streak, sails carelessly set, much patched, showed no colors. The Prometheus left San Juan Feb. 6th, and arrived at the Balize on the 11th, with passengers 10 days from San Francisco. The Northern Light left for New York at the same time with 300 passengers and £600,000 in treasure. Passengers by the Sierra Nevada crossed the Isthmus in 30 hours. They express themselves as highly pleased with the very comfortable and safe arrangements now in operation to facilitate transit of passengers over this part of the route.—The Company's new and elegant wagons, together with their large number of commodious Lake and River Steamers, have rendered the crossing of the Isthmus a trip of pleasure instead of privation and pine. The health of the country is good, and the river in the best navigable order. Greytown is slowly rising again. H. B. M. brig Doring and R. M. steamer Dereras, were the only ships in port when the Prometheus left. Col. Kinney's party had not yet arrived.

Affairs in the interior are nearly in *statu quo*, that is, the Government party under Chamono, are still besieged in the Plaza of Grenada by about an equal number of the revolutionists, under Castillon. We are credibly informed that the latter will soon be reinforced with 500 men from Honduras, under the well known brave and chivalric Munos, who, it will be recollected, some few years since so signally defeated, captured and executed that notorious robber chieftain Samoza, whose name so long spread terror throughout the State of Nicaragua, and at whose death the State ordered valuable medals with suitable inscriptions, to be publicly presented to Gen. Munoz and his officers. The accession of the gallant Munos to the interests of the Castillon party, will be likely to give the death-blow to Chamono's reign in Nicaragua. Our American Minister, Mr. Wheeler, and Consul Fabins, have just returned from a visit to the interior. They represent things as being in that confused State so much to be deplored, yet so often experienced in that otherwise desirable and truly beautiful country.

List of passengers per steamship *Prometheus*, Capt. Henry Churchill:

Jona M Davis, Mrs Sinclair, Mrs Clark and servant, O C Swain, Mrs J Watson and 3 children, J Flint, C Murdock, two masters McLean and sister, Dr Duffy, lady, 4 children and 2 servants, A F Dermay, H Taylor, W B Bright, J Mary, S Lotero, H S Lord, J Patz, A Heffer, A Williams, A B Tally, W W Butterfield, S Sooner, J Morris, C Wilmet, S Dabbitt, R Hine, P Knowles, F Blanchard, P Lemay, J R Conway, W Dunbar, R Foster, Mr Sheys, J D Baker, J Miln, Mr Ruby, C W Wilkinson, lady and 4 children, S R Chandler, B Burhuc, S Thompson.

By this arrival we have full files of California papers to the 24th, and Oregon papers to the 6th ult., for which we tender our acknowledgments to Mr. HART, the Purser of the *Prometheus*.

The Legislature of California had had twenty-two ballots for United States Senator, without being able to effect a choice. On the last ballot the vote stood Broderick, 12; Gwin, 37; Edwards, 36; McCorkle, 12; McDougall, 3; M. S. Latham, 4; Barnet, 1. Number of votes cast, 108.

Gwin is the caucus Democratic candidate, and Edwards, the Whig nominee.

We do not find much news of interest in our files. There has been about the average number of murders, robberies and cases of Lynch Law.

Mr. Joseph Heslep, acting Treasurer of Sonora county, was brutally murdered on the 16th January, in his office. His head was crushed with an axe or hatchet. Mr. Birney, who slept in the office, was the first to report the murder. It was known he was in the habit of keeping a large amount in the office, and had received some $13,000 within a few days past. The safe had been rifled of all the money but about $2200. The coin was emptied from the bag, and the key of the safe left on the table by the murderers. One of the murderers was subsequently caught, his name is Griffith. Part of the money has been recovered.—A despatch of the 20th from Sonora says:

Griffith, the man who murdered Mr. Heslep, the County Treasurer, was hung by Lynch law, yesterday morning, between 7 and 8 o'clock. He was a native of Liverpool, England, and was 20 years of age. He immigrated to California from Australia, and has left a wife in San Francisco. Before his execution he made a full confession of his having committed the murder.

Brown, the murderer, at Los Angelos, whose reprieve had created much excitement, was seized by the mob of that town and hung.

The *Alta California* newspaper was sold at public auction on the 23d ult.

MELANCHOLY OCCURRENCE.—The *News* states that a young man named William Whitmore, who arrived from New Orleans a short time since on the *John L. Stephens*, while rowing over to Saucelito on Monday evening in a small boat, appeared to be suddenly seized with a violent fit, and throwing down his oars, leaped overboard and was drowned. The occurrence was witnessed from a trading sloop near by, by the crew of which made immediate and most praiseworthy efforts to rescue the unfortunate man, but are they could reach the spot he had sunk the last time. Mr. Whitmore was a native of Baton Rouge, La., of enterprising and industrious habits, and was married only about six months ago to a beautiful girl of seventeen, who is left with an aged parent in this city without any support but their own efforts. The body of the deceased has not been recovered.

The miners are doing well, where water can be obtained, but in many places this article is scarce, and the yield is consequently poor.

The Indians in the North of the State are in a most destitute and starving condition, particularly on Pitt River and McCloud. The citizens call upon the Superintendent of Indian affairs to furnish them relief from the funds at his disposal.

The *Herald* urges the necessity of a treaty with Mexico for the extradition of criminals.—Mexican offenders are constantly seeking refuge in California and constitute a very odious class of its population.

On the 13th ult., five Americans were killed by the Indians at Orleans Bar, near Humboldt Bay. An Indian war was generally feared.

John Tabor, the man who shot Joseph Mansfield, of the "San Joaquin Republican," in June last, has been sentenced to be hung on Friday, the 16th day of March next, at 4 o'clock, P. M.

The corner stone of the new Customhouse in San Francisco was laid on the 20th ult., with appropriate ceremonies.

The annual report of the State Comptroller shows that the receipts for the fiscal year ending on the 30th June, 1854, were $1,092,647 32, and the expenditures, 1,204,757 96.

The astounding progress of this State is also shown by a table published in the Report of the Comptroller, showing the total receipts during the first, second, third, fourth and fifth fiscal years. From this table it appears that the total receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1850, were $3,166, 27; for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1851, $330,796 05; for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1852, $336,825 07; for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1853, $454,985 85; and for the fiscal year ending on 30th June, 1854, $1,092,647 32. Total amount of money realized by taxation during the five years existence of the State, $2,178,410 56. From these figures, it appears that the taxable property of the State has more than doubled during the last fiscal year; and that the taxes collected during the same period, equalled in amount the sum total of the taxes collected since the admission of the State into the Union.

Oregon.

We have files of Oregon papers to the 10th January. A prohibitory liquor law has been introduced in the Legislature.

A man named Barris, living in Portland, murdered his wife and four children, after which he set fire to his house, consuming the bodies of his victims. He was soon after arrested. Drunkenness is said to have been the cause of this awful deed.

A disastrous fire occurred in Portland on the night of the 18th December, which destroyed two large steam saw mills, a sash factory, planing mills, blacksmith shops, &c., the property of the Portland Milling Company. Loss, $35,000.

Business is improving throughout the Territory.

It is reported that the steamer *Southerner* has been wrecked near Cape Flattery, on the coast of Oregon. The passengers are reported to have been saved. The rumor of her loss is not fully credited.

[COMMUNICATED.]

The warlike feeling which now pervades Europe has reached the hills of the Anahuac.

Although we have neither the millions nor the soldiers necessary for such an undertaking, we have thought we could fight with our personal means, howsoever small, and, knight-like, the gauntlet is thrown to the strongest.

The war we declare to the citizens of the American Union, carries along with it no ruinous expenses; the conqueror will be crowned without the soldiers leaving their homes; every one will be enabled to share the victory; the invalids and even the women who are said to be superior in the North.

We challenge the citizens or residents of the United States, from Florida to Boston, and from Philadelphia to San Francisco, to a game of chess with the sons of Montezuma. The world knows on which side mercantile power and physical strength are to be found, and it would not be uninteresting perhaps to ascertain to which side combination and intelligence have been allotted.

These friendly wars will give to the New World a relative superiority on the old, whose quarrels, disastrous to humanity, have never brought about but inveterate hatred among men who, though divided as nations, are nevertheless members of the same families.

We propose to play by correspondence five games, so as to receive an answer by a move every fifteen days, having one month's time to meditate each move, and we offer our adversaries the first move in three. The regularity of mail communications enables us to play a move every fifteen days.

We have deposited as a stake a small sum in a respectable house in Mexico, with which terms must be agreed upon.

SEVERAL MEXICANS.

Mexico, February 3d, 1855.

P. S. All communications on the subject to be sent to Messrs. Paya & Co., No. 56 Chartres street, who will forward the same to Mexico.

OUR MEXICAN CORRESPONDENCE.

Explanations—Demonstrations against Guadalajara—The Insurgents—Plan of Degollado—The Rebels in the South—Insurrection at Tlalpa and Montana—Execution of Col. Bahamonde—Critical State of Affairs, etc., etc.

MEXICO, February 5th, 1855.

Messrs. Editors:

I have read the letter published in the Louisiana *Courier* on the 16th ult., in which your correspondent is attacked, and like yourselves have laughed heartily at the blunders of the writer. I must add, however, in my own defense that I persist in maintaining the rigorous exactitude of the statements made by me. During a correspondence with the *Bee* of some 18 months standing, I have invariably endeavored to relate the truth. When a rumor was problematical I have invariably given it as such, and when, as will happen sometimes, I have been mistaken, no false pride has ever deterred me from acknowledging my error, without waiting to be reminded of it. Having noticed this absurd attack in the *Courier* thus curtly, I will now resume my budget of intelligence.

At this very moment the city of Mexico is in a state of cruel anxiety. The mail from Guadalajara was expected with great impatience, as every one was anxious to learn what had really occurred in that city. The mail arrived at length but brought neither letters nor papers.—Much uncertainty prevails. The official papers say that the revolutionists attempted to capture the town of Guadalajara; that they were on the point of succeeding, when the garrison came to the rescue, repulsed them with immense loss, drove them out of the town, and pursued them with a view to their extermination. Receive this story with a large allowance of salt. At the last accounts the real condition of things was as follows:

On the 29th January—and not the 30th, as the papers say—some of the insurgents with a view of sounding the population, advanced into the faubourgs of Guadalajara, crying "*Viva Alvarez! Viva la Federacion*," and fraternizing with some of the inhabitants. On the receipt of this intelligence, the Commandant, General Ortega, sent Col. Parra with a force of 400 infantry and cavalry against the rebels. The latter being greatly inferior in numbers fell back, and the Government troops having no enemy to combat, set to work killing the *leperos*, and taking prisoners those whom their muskets had spared.

The main body of the insurgents, consisting of the troops under Santos Degollado, formerly governor of Michoacan (a man of great energy and character, and commander-in-chief of the revolutionary forces of Michoacan,) and the soldiers of Pueblita, Huerta and Nanez, numbering altogether about 3,500 men, was stationed three or four leagues from Guadalajara, in a village named San Pedro, between the town and the bridge of Calderon. It is a formidable body of men, consisting principally of cavalry, and having 8 pieces of artillery. Most of the infantry even are mounted, in order to give increased rapidity to their movements.

You will readily understand that with such troops Degollado might easily have captured Guadalajara, especially as he had been called upon by the inhabitants themselves. But Degollado did not wish to take the city.

He had acquired information that the brigade of Gen. Tavera, and that of Col. Pepe Santa Anna, son of the President, had been despatched against him. The former, which was originally composed of 1,300 men, is now reduced to 600 by desertion and death; the latter comprises 400 Puebla lancers, who are disaffected towards the Government, and are in fact the same men who were lately ordered to leave Puebla, in the fear they might breed an insurrection. Tavera and Santa Anna together have about 1000 men under their command. On the other hand, the garrison of Guadalajara consists of 700 or 800 men. Degollado preferred remaining quiet at San Pedro, and waiting for the two brigades sent against him. He knows his strength, and is confident of beating his foes. This once accomplished the munitions of the defeated enemies will furnish him a seasonable supply, while numbers of them will pass over to his ranks. Thus reinforced, he will be enabled to march against the garrison of the city, and when he has captured Guadalajara he will not have to prepare for a siege, as his enemies will have been discomfited and dispersed. His plan is extremely well combined, and has probably succeeded. You will now understand why intelligence from Guadalajara is expected with so much solicitude. Senor Haro y Tamariz is said to be with Degollado.

The news from the South is unfavorable to the Government. Gen. Angel Perez Palacios, Commander at Guerrero, has received order to pack up bag and baggage and leave Chilpancingo, the position being no longer tenable, and to fall back upon Toluca, which is seriously menaced by the insurgents under Plutarco Gonzales. Gen. Galban, who is in command of about 500 Government soldiers, has concentrated his troops at Cuernavaca, as it is reported that Alvarez with a force of 2,000 men had taken the offensive against him.

The whole territory of Tlapa and Montana in the South, is in full revolution. The insurgents numbering 7,000 are threatening Chilapa, where Col. Oliogui, with 500 or 600 Government troops, is posted. It is all but certain he will be compelled to surrender. Col. Moreno, with another detachment, was imprudent enough to push forward in the heart of Costa Grande.—Whether he will ever return is more than doubtful.

It is certain that Col. Bahamonde has been shot by the insurgents, after being defeated and surrendering at discretion, with his army amounting to 600 men, in the environs of Penjamo (Michoacan). Bahamonde was formerly a cooperator in the revolutionary movement. He contributed materially to the overthrow of Arista, but subsequently stuck to Santa Anna, and pursued the insurgents with implacable hostility. He was considered by them as a traitor, and met a traitor's doom. This Bahamonde had Gordiano Guzman, one of the most esteemed leaders of the revolution, shot about a year ago. Guzman had been betrayed into his hands, was allowed two hours to make his peace with God, and then executed. Precisely the same conditions were meted out to Bahamonde, and he was shot on the very ground where he surrendered. His head was then cut off, sent to Coltzo, and planted on a pole at the place where Guzman received his death. Twenty-five officers who surrendered at the same time have been sent to the fortress of Acapulco, where Alvarez will determine their fate. After the victory the rank and file were allowed to choose between a junction with the insurgents, or a safe conduct homewards. Without exception they went over to the patriots.

From all this you will conclude that the situation of affairs is highly critical. The rumors from Tamaulipas referred to in my last letter have not been confirmed, but it is certain that Gen. La Vega has assumed the command at Matamoros, in place of Gen. Woll. The official journal announces that the latter was at Vera Cruz, and was about to repair to Mexico, to take command of an army of observation of 8000 men. Where these 8000 men are to be found is more than I can say. It is now rumored that the whole story is false, that Gen. Woll is not at Vera Cruz, but is gone to Texas or some other part of the United States.

The situation of the treasury is deplorable.—An assembly of capitalists under the direction of Senor Gregorio Mier y Teran, was recently convoked by the Government, for the purpose of deliberating upon some plan of obtaining a loan, but nothing tangible was effected.

In spite of Government pauperism, there is no lack of *fetes* in Mexico. On the 3d ult.—the day fixed upon for counting the votes of Dec. 1st—it was announced by the *Universal* that 435,530 votes had been cast in favor of Santa Anna, and only 4,075 against him. A great military parade, salvos of artillery, and general illumination followed the official announcement. The *Te Deum* was forgotten.

To-day is the festival of San Felipe de Jesus, the patron saint of the country. A Government decree compels us to illuminate our dwellings.

CONGRESS.

In the SENATE, on the 5th, resolutions from the Michigan Legislature were presented, instructing the Senators from that State to vote for an act prohibiting slavery in Nebraska and Kansas, to vote for the restoration of the Missouri Compromise, and the repeal of the fugitive slave law.

Mr. Cass intimated his intention to disobey these instructions, and not to resign.

The bounty land bill was passed with various amendments.

Mr. Toucey submitted a resolution instructing the committee on the judiciary to inquire into the expediency of repealing the act passed June 22d, 1849, amending the act for the registration of seamen on board public and private armed vessels of the United States, passed March 1813. Agreed to.

Mr. Hamlin called up the French Spoliation bill, and tried to press it to a vote.

Mr. Wells asked an opportunity to speak on it, when the bill was made the special order for to-morrow. Adjourned.

In the HOUSE, the bill refunding certain duties paid on railroad iron by the West Feliciana and Georgia railroad companies, was passed.

Mr. Witte asked leave to present the following resolutions, but the House refused to suspend the rules, 101 to 88:

Whereas, discussions have been indulged in this House, in committee of the whole, which, with other circumstances, lead to the conviction that there exists in this country an extensive secret oath-bound political association, which seems intended to interfere with the purity of elections and the legislation of the country—such an association has excited the fears and indeed the solemn warnings of Washington, in his farewell address—therefore,

Resolved, That in the opinion of this House the existence of a secret oath bound political association, having in view an interference with the sanctity of the ballot-box, and the direction of the course of national or municipal legislation, is inconsistent with and dangerous to the institutions of Republicanism and directly hostile to the genius of this government.

Resolved, That every attempt to proscribe any class of citizens on account of their religious opinions, or to harm or injure any religious denomination by national legislation, is in direct violation of the Constitution of the United States.

Resolved, That while a careful and strict administration of the naturalization laws is a solemn duty, every interference with the guaranteed rights of naturalized citizens is inconsistent with the plighted faith of the nation, and must diminish its growth and prosperity.

Mr. Letcher, the chairman of the select committee to examine whether improper influences have been used to influence the passage or defeat of bills before the House, including that of the extension of Colt's patent, rose to a privileged question—reminding gentlemen that William B. Chase has refused to appear and answer certain interrogatories propounded to him, and unless the House has power to summon him, it is a waste of time for the committee to continue its operations.

He then read two resolutions, one to expel Wm. B. Chase, from the Hall as a reporter, he having violated the rule which prohibits any one interested in the pending claims from occupying a seat as reporter on the floor, and the other requiring the speaker to issue his warrant to the Sergeant-at-Arms for the arrest of said Chase, he to be held in custody till the further order of the House for refusing to appear and answer the questions of the select committee. After some debate the first resolution was adopted, and the second was laid on the table. Adjourned.

By Telegraph!

Transmitted to the New Orleans Bee.

[By the Southern Line.]

The Northern Mail.

MONTGOMERY, Feb. 12.—The New York mail, due in New Orleans on Thursday, is through as late as due.

The Alabama Rising.

MOBILE, Feb. 12.—The Alabama river has risen five inches.

Fire in Mobile.

The drug store of George Coster & Co., and the millinery establishment of Sughe, on Dauphine street, were destroyed by fire last night. The loss is estimated at $20,000.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Mr. Belmont, the American Minister to the Hague, has accomplished an arrangement with the Dutch Government for the admission of American Consuls at all the Dutch ports open to foreign trade.

Col. Fremont's claim to the Mariposa, California, land grant, will come up in the Supreme Court this week.

Congressional.

The Senate to-day passed an amendment to the Indian Appropriation bill for the colonization of the Texas Indians.

The House passed the Senate bill, authorizing the President to confer the Lieutenant-Generalship on General Scott.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The severity of the cold at the North is an usual and almost unexampled. In New York on the 6th the thermometer fell to 10 degrees below zero. Immense quantities of snow had fallen.

Among the passengers to New York by the steamship Union, from Havre, is Mr. Victor Considerant, who comes to prepare for the establishment in Texas of the colony of Europeans which he has for some time had in contemplation. We believe the funds of the company of which Mr. Considerant is the head, already amount to about a million of dollars, and that some hundreds of French, Belgian and German agriculturists and mechanics may be expected just as soon as the needful arrangements are made for the first establishment of the colony, which it is expected will gradually increase to some thousands. Precisely in what locality the company have bought lands we are not informed, but Mr. Cantagrel, their agent, has been in Texas for some time on that business. The investment of so much capital and the addition of so many industrious and worthy people to the population of the State will be an event in her history.

A. Dudley Mann, it is said, has resigned his position as Assistant Secretary of State, to take effect any time before the first of March, and that his resignation grows out of the Soulé affair, the Ostend Conference, and the changed policy of the administration as regards Cuba. The President does not wish to accept Mann's resignation; but so far, the latter is firm in his determination.

Nothing has yet been done or proposed by Col. Kinney to call for a Government proclamation against his enterprise, and there is no truth in the statement that the President has prepared a proclamation against the expedition.

Two buildings adjoining the Sun Building, in New York, were nearly destroyed by fire at 2 o'clock, on the morning of the 5th. The loss is heavy. The Sun Building was in much danger.

The west wing of the Asylum at Beauport, Quebec, has been entirely destroyed by fire.—The institution contained nearly two hundred patients, none of whom were injured. The damage is estimated at $12,500.

Lieut. Robert E. Johnson, of the United States Navy, died on the 4th, near Wilmington, Delaware. He was a nephew of Joseph Gales, Esq., and Mrs. W. W. Seaton, of this city. He was an active and energetic officer in Wilkes' exploring expedition.

On the afternoon of the 3d, as large crowds were skating on the Schuylkill river, above Fairmount, the ice broke, and Mr. Earle S. Shion, druggist, at Northeast corner of Broad and Spruce, and a Miss Russel, his wife's sister, were drowned. Mr. S. was skating and pushing Miss Russel on a sled before him, as is the custom. A very large number of persons saw the accident but were unable to render any assistance. Mr. Shion belonged to one of our oldest and most respectable Quaker families.

The steamer Union arrived at New York on the 4th inst., from Havre. Her dates have been anticipated.

John B. Miller, of New York, has been nominated by the Senate to be Secretary of Legation to Peru, in place of James C. Marriott, resigned.

Collector Redfield, of New York, has never intimated a desire to be relieved from the duties of his office, and the rumors to the contrary are false.

The appointment of a successor to Mr. Pleasanton, the Fifth Auditor, has been made by the President, but not yet announced.

A serious accident occurred on Thursday last at Rochdale, Duchess county, N. Y., by the falling of the chain bridge now in course of erection over the creek at that place. At the time of the accident there were three men underneath the bridge, named David Lane and James and John Sherman. James was very seriously injured, having several bones broken and several bruises about the head, but it is thought that his wounds will not prove fatal. John Sherman was badly injured internally. Lane was so fortunate as to escape with little hurt.

ESCAPED.—We learn from sheriff Gagne, of the parish of Terrebonne, that T. P. Haas for sometime confined in the Houma jail, on a conviction of manslaughter, pending an appeal to the Supreme Court on the ground of informality in the indictment, made his escape at about ten o'clock on Thursday night last. Sheriff Gagne is now in pursuit of him.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

HEALTH OF THE CITY.—Interments were made as follows in the various cemeteries of the city, for the week ending on Sunday morning, the 11th inst.

Protestant Cemetery	6
Odd Fellows' Rest	2
Cypress Grove No. 1	4
Cypress Grove No. 2	15
Charity Hospital	29
St. Patrick's	26
Catholic No. 1	10
Catholic No. 2	20
St. Vincent de Paul	10
Lafayette	24
Hebrew, Fourth District	1
Total	125

FIRST DISTRICT COURT.—Alexander Terrier, convicted on the 19th Dec. 1854, of manslaughter, in the killing of a man named Drew, was yesterday sentenced by Judge Robertson to five years at hard labor in the Penitentiary.

In this Court, yesterday, in the case of Stephen Coons, charged with larceny, on motion of the District Attorney, a *nolle prosequi* was entered, and he was discharged.

Thomas Steen, charged with committing an assault and battery, was yesterday tried and found guilty by the jury, but strongly recommended to the mercy of the Court. Steen, it seems, committed the offense a year ago, by whipping a young gentleman for having sent a Valentine to his wife.

THE DISTURBANCES AT THE ST. CHARLES.—Mr. B DeBar, the manager of the St. Charles Theatre yesterday appeared before Recorder Bright and made an affidavit against a man named Dickinson, the mate of the ship Africa, and several others, for disturbing the peace of his establishment by using telescopes, on Saturday evening. Dickinson and several others of the party were arrested and required to give bonds of $500 to appear and answer to the charge.

HORRID MURDER.—A most atrocious murder was committed at the corner of Dauphine and Post streets on Sunday night, about 9½ o'clock. Two young Irishmen named Patrick Kennedy and James Cruise, who had been drinking together during the evening, and had both become considerably intoxicated, were the parties in the affair. It was 9½ o'clock when the two men started from the coffee house of Mr. James Welch, on the corner, to go down Greatmen st. They had gone but two or three paces from the door, when Kennedy stopped and remarked to the other that he had insulted him, which Cruize denied. Loud words ensued, and Kennedy was heard to threaten to take Cruise's life, but, as a policeman named Jackson was present they were separated, and Cruize taken up Post street by the watchman, and the other down Dauphine street by his wife. In about ten minutes Cruize returned, and crossing the street from the coffee house, leaned against an awning post and commenced vomiting.—Here he had been but a moment when Kennedy and a man named Doyle approached him and a loud altercation ensued between them, which attracted several persons to the spot. Doyle at length raised a hickory club which he had in his hand and dealt three heavy blows on the head of Cruize, which stunned him so that he would have fallen on the ground, had he not been upheld by a bystander. Kennedy then drew a dirk knife, and making an upward thrust with it, gave him a wound in the pit of the stomach, penetrating upwards to the heart, of which the unfortunate man died almost instantly. The two men were arrested on the spot. The dirk with which the fatal wound was inflicted was afterwards found on the banquette, all covered with blood.

A Coroner's inquest was yesterday held on the body of the deceased, and the following verdict was rendered: "Came to his death from a wound in the pit of the stomach penetrating the heart; the said wound having been inflicted by a sharp pointed instrument in the hands of one Patrick Kennedy, and James Doyle as the accessory."

The deceased was but 18 years of age. Kennedy, the accused is also a very young man, not being over 22 years of age. He was a drayman in the employ of Cabusac & Co., in Levee street. An affidavit was yesterday made by Mr. Henry Mitchell, Deputy Coroner, before Recorder Seuzeneau, charging Kennedy with the murder, and Doyle with being an accessory. The accused were sent to the parish prison to await examination.

RAPE AND ROBBERY.—We noticed in our paper of yesterday, an outrage which had been perpetrated by a couple of cabmen on the person of a young unsophisticated girl from the country. The circumstances of the case are as follows:—A few days since, a respectable farmer, Mr. William F. Williams, arrived in this city by the Mobile boat, with his movable effects and his family, consisting of a wife and four daughters, aged respectively sixteen, fourteen and seven years. Being on his way from Alabama to settle in Arkansas, Mr. Williams engaged passage on some steamer lying near the foot of Canal street, and went back to the Pontchartrain Railroad Depot, where he left his family. He put his wife and two daughters in one cab, and his eldest in another, to bring them to the boat. The driver of the second cab had a companion, and they two, seeing how simple and unsophisticated a family they were, proposed to the father that he allow them to take a circuitous route in coming up town, in order to give the girls a chance to see the city, for which they were naturally very anxious. Mr. Williams gave his consent, and came up by the Levee with his wife and two little daughters, while the other two were driven off in a different direction. He got on board the boat, and after waiting a reasonable length of time for the second cab, became uneasy at their non-appearance, and started back to the Railroad Depot, just as the boat was getting up steam to leave.

He ascertained that the cab-driver was James Roach, and his companion was John Gryar, an ex-policeman of the Third District, of bad reputation.—He pursued his investigations till he discovered that they had taken the girls out on the Old Shell road, stopped and treated them at the Bayou Bridge, took them on to the lake, supped with them at the Bayou Hotel, brought them back to the city, put them out at the foot of Canal street, and directed them on their boat, which left a few minutes afterwards.—Gryar, thinking that Mr. Williams was with his family on board the boat, and that he could tell such a thing safely, boasted to some one that he had violated the person of the eldest girl, Mary Elizabeth; and it turned out that, before going on board the boat, the girl had been questioned by some one who suspected something wrong, and stated in reply that she and her sister had been caused to drink liquor at some house out of town, and that afterwards she was thrown down, robbed of sixty dollars in money, which her father had entrusted to her keeping, and violated, first by Gryar, and then by Roach. The outrage were perpetrated in the coffee-house of McCabe, near the New Canal Bridge, on the New Shell road. The two accused are in jail, and are to be examined by Recorder Seuzeneau in a day or two.

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION.—A Portuguese, named Juan de Lonzo Lucans, on Sunday evening, about 7 o'clock, while standing in a door-way in Frenchman street, was stabbed in the left shoulder by a dagger in the hand of a Sicilian, named Frank Williams, who, it seems, mistook him for another man, whom he intended to assassinate. Williams is in prison awaiting examination for this diabolical attempt.

SANS-CULOTTE.—James Doyle was found by the police late on Sunday night, in New Levee street, woefully drunk and very boisterous, and with his shirt off preparatory to a fight with one of his countrymen. With some difficulty the officers succeeded in replacing this portion of his raiment upon his person and took him to the calaboose. He was yesterday fined $10 by the Recorder.

CHARGE OF SELLING A FREE COLORED CHILD.—A lady named Sarah Catherine Meadley was yesterday arrested by the Chief of Police, charged with having, on the 30th ult. in the city of St. Louis, sold a free colored child named William Smith, to Mr. Thomas Campbell, of that city, for the sum of $800. She gave bonds for her appearance to answer to the accusation.

CONCEALED WEAPONS.—Tom Gallagher was yesterday fined by Recorder Bright $20, for carrying concealed weapons, in the shape of a dagger half a yard in length, which he drew on a policeman on Sunday night.

INTENT TO KILL.—Andrew Marta, a boatman, yesterday made an affidavit, in which he states that on Friday evening last, as he was crossing the river from Algiers to the Second District ferry landing, when near the left bank, another skiff with three men in it whom he did not know, neared his, and one of the persons commenced a violent assault upon him by striking him with an oar, with intent, as he believes, to take his life. The blows he received were of so severe a nature as to confine him to his bed until yesterday. A warrant was issued for the arrest of the accused.

☞ The lovers of all that is beautiful, tasty, and ornamental as well as useful, will find it their interest to be present THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at Messrs. Morphy & Nevins', Auctioneers, sale at 79 Camp street.

Rheumatism.

Why suffer from the pangs of this dire complaint when there is a remedy within your reach? Every seeming form of this dreadful disease, acute or chronic, attended with the enlargement of joints, of recent or long standing, those which have obstinately baffled the skill of the medical faculty, have been radically cured by the use of the celebrated vegetable remedy known as MORTIMORE'S RHEUMATIC COMPOUND and BLOOD PURIFIER, which, unlike most remedies, is exclusively used for this complaint only.

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151 Chartres st., New Orleans, General Agents for the United States. feb12 6t

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Our stock comprises WELTON, VELVET AND BRUSSELS TAPESTRY, Brussels 3 Plys; Ingrains, Dutch Hemp, Venetian of English and American manufactures. We have also on hand a full assortment of FLOOR OIL CLOTH, English and American, which we cut to suit all sizes of rooms, halls, &c. Also—Window Shades, Table and Piano Covers, Druggets, Rugs, Mats, &c., &c.
A. BROUSSEAU & CO.,
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NOTICE is hereby given to the members and officers of the U. C. T. O. T. A. to meet at their hall, corner of Esplanade and Treme streets, THIS DAY, 13th instant at 8 o'clock, P. M., for transaction of important business. By order of the A. Z. F.
A. CALONGNE,
f13 Corresponding Secretary.

FOR Havana.—The well known A No. 1 clipper packet brig SAMUEL J. PETERS, M. Smith, master, having nearly all her cargo engaged and going on board will have immediate despatch for the above port. For freight or passage, having superior staterooms accommodations apply on board, opposite the Beef Market, or to S. DE VISSER & CO.,
fe13 3t 74 Magazine st

SUNDRIES.—1,000,000 Havana Cigars, warranted of direct importation and comprising the most celebrated brands, such as Cabanas, Partagas, Ugues, etc., etc. 400 boxes white, yellow and brown Havana Sugar; 50 bags Guayaquil Cocoa; 350 bales Cuba Tobacco, of superior quality, for wrappers and fillers; 20 bbls Cuba Honey, in store or landing per brig Samuel J. Peters, from Havana, and for sale by S. DE VISSER & CO.,
fe13 3t 74 Magazine st

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25 per cent. cheaper than usual prices.

Durel & Kuntz,
80 ROYAL STREET.

Have received per late arrivals, an elegant stock of SPRING GOODS, which they will sell at 25 per cent. CHEAPER THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE. The following comprises a few of the leading articles:

Printed Muslins at 10 cents a yard;
Figured Bareges, mixed colors, at 25 cents a yard;
Plaid do for children, at 25 do
Plaid Silk Tissues at 50 do
Striped India Silks at 60 do
Plaid Foulard do
Plaid and Figured Black Silks;
Jaconet Chemisettes and Sleeves;
Swiss Muslin do
Jaconet Bands, Guimpure and English Work;
Swiss Muslin do
Black Lace Veils; Plain and Embroidered Crape Shawls, Plain and Dotted Swiss Muslins; Plaid and Striped Swiss Muslins; Plaid and Striped Jaconets; Irish Linens, Lle Linen Sheeting; Damasks; Towels, etc.

We will also sell our WINTER STOCK at cost. Call and judge for yourselves.
DUREL & KUNTZ, 80 Royal street,
fe13 between Bienville and Conti.

CHURNS—75 extra cedar, in store, for sale by
f13 1w H M BARLOW & CO. 18 Canal st

BUCKETS—300 dozen painted, landing ex ship Zephyr, for sale by
fe13 1w H M BARLOW & CO. 18 Canal st

BUCKETS—100 dozen Cedar, brass bound, in store and for sale by
fe13 1w H M BARLOW & CO. 18 Canal st

WASH BOARDS—50 dozen, landing ex ship Zephyr, for sale by
fe13 1w H M BARLOW & CO. 18 Canal st

BUCKETS—50 doz. zinc covered, plain and painted, for sale by
f13 1w H M BARLOW & CO. 18 Canal st

FLOUR—1400 bbls Ohio, landing and for sale by
fe13 JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas street

CANDLES—300 boxes Star, for sale by
fe13 JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas street

HAMS—20 tierces Davis' Diamond sugar cured Hams, for sale by JOS. LANDIS & CO.,
f13 33 Tchoupitoulas st

WHISKY—300 bbls S. S. Boyle's Rose; 150 do Cincinnati rectified; 300 half bbls Boyle's Rose, for sale by J LANDIS & CO.,
fe13 31 Tchoupitoulas st

LARD OIL—100 bbls choice Winter strained, for sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO.,
f13 33 Tchoupitoulas st

GIN AND BRANDY—50 bbls New York Gin; 50 quarter casks Domestic Brandy, for sale by
JOSEPH LANDIS & CO.,
fe13 33 Tchoupitoulas st

JAS. PLAGNIOL'S OLIVE OIL—200 baskets, quarts, 24 ounces; 50 do pints; landing ex ship Columbia, from Marseilles, and for sale by
TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO.,
fe13 10t 27 Old Levee st

IN STORE—50 casks good ordinary Red Wine; 40 bbls White Wine, Haut Sauterne; 90 baskets Plagniol Olive Oil; 150 boxes Oil, Raynaud & Co's Nice; 60 qr casks Porto Wine; 70 baskets Champagne, various qualities; 50 boxes assorted Brandy Fruits; 40 do Absynth and Kirsch, of Pernod's brand; 40 do St Julien Red Wine; 100 do White Wine, Haut Sauterne; for sale by
fe13 ANT. GIRAUD, 44 Old Levee st

EXPECTED per ship Caspian, from Marseilles and for sale by the undersigned:
50 casks superior red Wine of Bethfort;
150 drums white Figs. ANT. GIRAUD,
f13 44 Old Levee.

JUST landing from ship Columbia, from Marseilles and for sale by the undersigned—400 boxes Vermouth, L. Noilly & Son; 100 do Muscat Wine Frontignan; 250 baskets genuine Plagniol Oil, in large and half bottles; 10 bales Languedoc Almonds; 150 boxes Orange Flower Water.
fe13 ANT. GIRAUD, 44 Old Levee

BERGASSE—25 casks Bergasse Wine, for sale by
fe13 ANT. GIRAUD, 44 Old Levee

WHISKY—Just landing from steamer Hungarian, 100 bbls of the celebrated brand of Pike's Magnolia, for sale by
QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF,
fe13 1w 13 and 15 St Louis st

BRANDY FRUITS—300 boxes in store and for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF,
fe13 13 and 15 St Louis st

JUST landed ex ship Northern Chief, from Boston—300 whole, half and quarter boxes Codfish; 25 whole, half and quarter drums do; 100 bbls 1, 2, 3 Mackerel; 90 half ditto 1, 2, 3 do; 75 kits 1, 2 ditto; 25 qr bbls Pickled Herrings; 25 kits Salmon; 100 boxes Scaled Herrings; 100 do Mag. do, for sale by
QUEYROUZE & LANGSDORFF,
13 and 15 St Louis st

SHERRY—90 quarts old Sherry, landing ex ship Shanghai, from New York for sale by
EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO.,
fe12 17 and 19 St Louis st

JEAN AUGE, Hair Dresser,
No. 63 Chartres st., corner Bienville street,

OFFERS for sale Jouvin's GLOVES for men and women, of various colors, and at the moderate price of 50 cents a pair. fe13

GLOVES—imitation Jouvin—at 50 cents a pair—200 dozen Kid Gloves, imitation Jouvin, for ladies and gentlemen, at 50 cents a pair, for sale by
LION & PINSARD,
feb13 8t 66 & 68 Royal st, corner Bienville

JOUVIN GLOVES! JOUVIN GLOVES!!—At $1 a pair—300 dozen Jouvin Gloves, warranted superior, for sale by LION & PINSARD,
feb13 8t 66 & 68 Royal st, corner Bienville

SHIRTS!! SHIRTS!! SHIRTS!!!—150 dozen Shirts, all qualities; bleached cotton Shirts, from $13 to $24 per dozen; cotton Shirts, linen bosoms, from $18 to $24 per dozen; linen Shirts, from $40 to $90 per dozen; Mousquetaire Wrist Bands; colored Shirts, from $14 to $24 per dozen; for sale by LION & PINSARD,
feb13 8t 66 & 68 Royal st, corner Bienville

HALF HOSE! HALF HOSE!!—600 dozen Half Hose, all descriptions; cotton Half Hose, bleached, brown and striped; Scotch thread Half Hose, bleached, brown and striped; Persian thread Half Hose, bleached, brown and striped; for sale by
LION & PINSARD,
feb13 8t 66 & 68 Royal st, corner Bienville

IN STORE—50 casks red wine; 50 bbls white wine; 30 barrels old Madeira; 40 do Porto;
30 barrels Malaga wine; 15 qr pipes Cognac;
250 boxes red wine; 200 baskets Champagne;
250 do olives and capers;
150 do brandy fruits in juice;
150 do dry prunes; 125 do brandy fruits;
75 do Holland cheese; 200 do French soap;
10 do Boulogne sausages; 4 bbls Roman cheese;
3 do Sardinian cheese; 2 do Parmesan cheese;
50 do sardines; 75 do sardines in hf boxes;
90 do sardines in qr boxes; for sale by
JOS. LANATA,
fe13 11 Jefferson and 19 Toulouse sts

NUTS—Just landing from ship Columbia, from Marseilles, and for sale by the undersigned—60 bbls Nuts. JOSEPH LANATA,
feb13 11 Jefferson and 19 Toulouse sts

JUST landing from ship Columbia, from Marseilles, and for sale by the undersigned—
800 boxes Vermouth, L. Noilly & Son; 300 do Muscat Wine; 300 baskets Oil, Trece's brand; 150 boxes Macaroni; 34 bbls shell Almonds; 6 bales Stockfish; 10 bales Preserved Tomatoes. J. LANATA,
fe13 11 Jefferson and 19 Toulouse sts

JUST LANDING from ship Columbia, from Marseilles, and for sale by the undersigned—
300 boxes olives, pickles, capers, anchovies, &c;
100 do vermouth, L. Noilly & Son;
200 do Castile soap; 100 do Muscat wine;
50 do orange flower water.
LANATA, GARDOLFO & CO.,
fe13 9 and 10 Jefferson st

COMMERCIAL.

The Markets.

BEE OFFICE,
MONDAY Evening, Feb. 12, 1855.

There was some demand for Cotton to-day, and the sales reached 5,500 bales, at former prices.

LIVERPOOL CLASSIFICATION—LOUISIANA AND MISSISSIPPI.

Inferior	4¾@5¾	Fair	10@10½
Ordinary	6½@7	Fully Fair	—@—
Middling	7¾@8¼	Good Fair	—@—
Good Middling	8¾@9	Good & Fine	—@—
Middling Fair	9½@9¾		

We did not hear of any transactions in Tobacco.

Of Sugar, 1000 hhds. were sold. Fair, 3¾@3⅞c. Molasses continues to improve; sales 1500 bbls. at 15@20c. ⅌ gallon for fermenting to choice.

Flour is scarce and prices have again advanced, but the demand is restricted to local wants. We notice sales of 300 bbls Ohio, at $10@10 25, and 100 bbls at $10 75.

Of Corn, 300 sacks were sold at 95c@$1 ⅌ bushel.

Pork is about the same; 300 bbls Mess sold at $13 25.

Of Lard, 300 bbls and tierces sold at 9@9½; 100 do, at 9⅛c, and 800 kegs at 9½@9⅞c.

Sales of 100 casks Bacon sides were made at 7⅛c.

Whiskey is retailing at 30c ⅌ gallon for rectified.

Coffee is in good demand, with sales of nearly 2000 bbls at 9¼@9¾c for inferior to choice.

Exchange is about the same. We quote—

EXCHANGE OUT DOOR.

Sterling	108¼@108⅜ ⅌ cent prem
France	5f 32½ @ 5f 22½ ⅌ dol
New York, sixty day bills	2¼@3 ⅌ cent disc
Do. Checks	1½@¾ ⅌ ct. disc
Short Sight	1½@1¼ ⅌ ct. disc
Bank Checks	½@¾ ⅌ ct. prem
Boston, sixty days	2¼@3 ⅌ cent disc
Philadelphia, do	2¼@3 ⅌ cent disc
Havana, 3 days and eight days	—⅌— ⅌ cent prem

In Freights, we notice two engagements for Liverpool, at 7-16d.

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NO. 37 CHARTRES STREET,

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COPYING LETTER BOOKS paged, half and full bound.

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Assorted Writing and Copying INK.

A large assortment of INKSTANDS
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" " of DIARIES.
" " of white and buff ENVELOPES.

WAFERS, Sealing WAX, Mouth GLUE, Sand OXES and Wafer CUPS, Red and White BLOTTING, Patent thick White and Colored BLOTTING.

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New Orleans, Feb. 10th 1855.

HAVANA HONEY—10 barrels white Havana Honey, landing ex brig Kate, from Havana, for sale by R. CAHUZAC, 30 Old Levee. f12

BRANDY—32 qr pipes J R Godard Brandy, 40 qr do Pn Godard & Co. do; 35 qr and eighth do Castillon, 1818 and 1825; 3 hf and 25 qr do Lagrange, 1815 and 1825; 10 qr do Bonnet Hn, 1815 and 1825; 10 qr and 15 eighth do Henry Barre & Co. fine Champagne; 28 qr do D A Boyancey, 15 qr do Serramecci Fls & Boyd; 15 hf qr and 25 eighth do V Bernard & Co. dark and pale; 4 hf 15 qr and 10 eighth do Ch Riviere & Co; 18 qr do Lafontaine, 25 qr and 30 eighth do A Camus; 5 qr do E Lompuy; for sale by
EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO.,
feb12 17 and 19 St Louis st

SUNDRIES IN STORE—90 cases Absynth, Suisse; 50 do Kirsch, Yerala & Leonitre; 6 do Guava Jelly and Paste 6 do Cali Pebas & Mushrooms, for sale by SOSTHENE THOMAS,
feb12 9 Gravier st

MALTESE JACKS—Buyers are hereby notified, it not sold by the 20th the animals will be sent to Kentucky. SOSTHENE THOMAS,
feb19 9 Gravier st

WHISKEY—50 barrels fine old Monongahela and Rye, for sale by C. T. BUDDECKE & CO.,
feb12 100 Tchoupitoulas street

PIPES—1000 boxes Clay Pipes, for sale by C. T. BUDDECKE & CO.,
feb12 100 Tchoupitoulas street

MARKET BASKETS—500 nests, for sale by C. T. BUDDECKE & CO.,
f12 100 Tchoupitoulas st

BOTTLES—100 hampers Madeira and Wine, for sale by C. T. BUDDECKE & CO.,
fe12 100 Tchoupitoulas street

PRUNES—9 casks and 30 barrels German Prunes, for sale by C T BUDDECKE & CO.,
f12 100 Tchoupitoulas st

BURGUNDY WINE—125 boxes Chambertin, Chablis and Beaune, for sale by
f14 HENRY VALETON, 90 St Louis st

WINES IN BOXES—500 boxes St. Julien Medoc, for sale by H VALETON, 90 St Louis st

BRANDY FRUITS—10 boxes Brandy Fruit, Prunes, Peaches and Pears, for sale by
f12 HENRY VALETON, 90 St Louis st

OLD WINES in boxes—100 boxes old Margaux Leoville, for sale by
fe12 HENRY VALETON, 90 St Louis st

CHAMPAGNE—300 baskets Champagne, various brands, for sale by
fe12 HENRY VALETON, 90 St Louis st

SARDINES IN OIL—10,000 boxes, halfs and quarters do, of Deffes and Pereans's brands for sale by
fe12 HENRY VALETON, 90 St Louis st

MUSCAT WINE—100 boxes Muscat Frontignan, for sale by H VALETON, 90 St Louis st

VERMOUTH—50 boxes Vermouth, Noilly, for sale by H VALETON, 90 St Louis st
fe12

PICKLES—20 boxes pickles, anchovies, capers and olives, for sale by
fe12 H VALETON, 90 St Louis st

OIL—100 baskets olive oil, James Plagniol, in large and half boxes, for sale by
fe12 H VALETON, 90 St Louis st

DRY RAISINS—500 boxes, half and quarter, Malaga raisins, for sale by
fe12 H VALETON, 90 St Louis st

VERMICELLI AND MACARONI—100 bxs Italian vermicelli and macaroni, for sale by
fe12 H VALETON, 90 St Louis st

FRUITS IN JUICE—150 boxes Strawberries and assorted Fruits in juice, for sale by
feb12 HENRY VALETON, 90 St Louis st

WHITE WINE IN BOXES—100 boxes Haut Sauterne, for sale by HENRY VALETON,
feb12 90 St Louis st

CHAMPAGNE WINE—15 cases Cabinet Champagne; 45 baskets Champagne Ruinart, quarts; 30 do do do pints; 36 do Blue Angels, quarts; 75 do do do Cramant do; 25 do do do pints; for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO.,
fe8 17 and 19 St Louis st

HAVANA CIGARS—480,000 Havana Cigars landing per brigs Mary Elizabeth and S. J. Peters, from Havana—Regalias, Imperiales, Regalias de Londres, Medias Regalias, Millares, Prensados, Cazadores, Cilindrados, Plantation, Londres, Regalia Chica, and many others; for sale by
jan6 D. BORNIO, Jr., No. 34 Gravier st

Bone Black.

THE New Orleans Bone Black Company recently established on Washington Avenue, being now in full and successful operation, the Agent would respectfully inform the Sugar Planters and Refiners of Louisiana, that they are prepared to supply them with a superior coarse grained Bone Black, fully equal to any made in the United States.

It is a well known fact that the best and most durable Bone Black is made of the shin and jaw bones of cattle. In the Eastern cities these are absorbed by Button and Knife handle makers, who are able to give more for them than are the Bone Black Burners. In New Orleans, however, there being no trades of these kinds, and the costliness of freight preventing their being shipped, we obtain all that the city affords, and can thus make an article of Bone Black that cannot possibly be excelled. Our retorts are of the celebrated Adams' Patent, and are capable of burning twelve thousand pounds daily.

Contracts for immediate or next fall delivery will now be made on as favorable terms as by any other establishment.

The Company will also re-burn old Bone Black, and sift and divide it into coarse, No. and No. 3 qualities, at 75 cents per barrel.

Applications by mail, addressed to the subscriber, will receive prompt attention.
D. C. LOWBER, Agent,
eb8 6t 37 Poydras street.

TO ARRIVE per the following ships, from Bordeaux—Ship Sylphide, 42 cases Claret; ship Oceana, 40 do do; ship Amaranth, 5 do do; ship Shatau, 40 do do; for sale by
feb10 PAUL LACROIX, No. 13 Toulouse st

$100 Reward.

LOST, this morning, in the Vegetable Market, a colored Stuff Bag, containing about $385, in 9 Spanish Doubloons, 4 half Spanish Doubloons, and the balance in American gold; also a note for $100, subscribed by José Morio. The above reward will be given to the person delivering said bag and contents to Mr. J. F. LAUDUN, No. 6 Bienville street.
fe10

HATS, HATS—One hundred cases Panama, Leghorn and Campeachy Hats, just received from New York, for sale by
JOHN M. GOULD & CO.,
fe9 8 Magazine street

SUNDRIES—500 hf boxes petits pois; 150 do do; 400 hf boxes truffles; 100 quarter do do; 400 hf do mushrooms, received per ship Denmark and for sale by FAURES & NORMAN,
33 and 35 Royal st

30 BOXES Absynth, Yersin & Leocoltre; 18 do Kirschenwasser, do do; 65 boxes Vermouth, genuine Noilly; 50 do Frontignan Muscatel, 30 do Brandy Cherries; 25 do assorted Brandy Fruits, for sale by FAURES & NORMAN,
f9 33 & 35 Royal st

100 CHEESE PATE GRASSE, to arrive per ship Sylphide, Jaune, master, from Bordeaux, and for sale by
FAURES & NORMAN,
feb9 33 and 35 Royal st

FRUITS IN JUICE—100 boxes Fruits in juice, Pessac; 50 do assorted Fruits, do; 5 do Raspberries, do; for sale by FAURES & NORMAN,
feb9 33 and 35 Royal st

1 CASE Gros du Rhin, for sale by
H. DE GOER & RIFFLARD,
fe8 33 Old Levee st

FOR THE MEXICAN MARKET—For sale below cost: 300 pieces imperials: 20 cases Listados; 14 do Tapalos Shawls; 25 bales 9 8 Prints; 2 cases Granada Lisson; 4 do Verona Hdkfs; 10 bales fancy Drills.
H. DE GOER & RIFFLARD,
fe8 33 Old Levee

2 Cases French Madras, for sale by
H. DE GOER & RIFFLARD,
fe8 33 Old Levee st

10 BALES French Cottonade, for sale by
H DE GOER & RIFFLARD,
fe8 33 Old Levee.

50 BASKETS superior Champagne, to close a consignment, for sale by
H DE GOER & RIFFLARD,
fe6 33 Old Levee.

The Native American Review

IS the title of a new monthly publication, the first number of which will be issued at Philadelphia on the 1st of March next. It will be devoted to the advocacy of the principles of the AMERICAN PARTY, and to solid literature and science. The contents of the first number will be, in part, as follows: Art. I. Principles of the American party. Art. II. Political Character of the Church of Rome. Art. III. Jesuitism in Congress—the Temporal Power of the Pope—Reply to Hon. J. R. Chandler's Speech in Congress in support of the Church of Rome. Art. IV. Character and number of the Foreign Population of the United States. Art. V. The Turkish Empire. Art. VI. Condition of the Russians. Art. VII. Passing Events of the Month, etc., etc., etc.

The work will be of the usual size of Monthly Magazines, and will be furnished to subscribers at Three Dollars per annum, in advance.

Agents and dealers wishing the first number, will please to send in their orders early. A liberal discount will be made to them. Those who subscribe to Agents for the work will look to them for it.—Those sending their subscriptions to the Publisher will be supplied with the Review by mail.

All letters are to be addressed to "THE NATIVE AMERICAN REVIEW," No. 46 South EIGHTH Street, Philadelphia. F. R. READING,
feb 2w Publisher

Co-Partnership.

NOTICE.—The co-partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the name of M. DEHLER & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. MIN. DEHLER,
J. DUPLECH.
New Orleans, February 8 1855. fe10 3t

BY act passed before Theo Guyol, Notary Public, Mr. JULIUS LEBLANC, of Cienfuegos, (Cuba) is from this day partner in commandam of the undersigned, for the transaction of Commission Business.
A. LEBLANC, 73 Old Levee.
New Orleans, 1st February, 1855. fe10

Copartnership.

THE subscriber, having purchased the entire interest of J. N. ROBERT in the late firm, has associated with him Messrs. J. TURCOTTE and G. P. BLANCARD, and will continue the business under the firm of A. PEPIN & Co.
New Orleans, 5th February, 1855.
fe6 AD. PEPIN.

Copartnership.

NOTICE.—The Copartnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the name of J. N. ROBERT & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. N. ROBERT,
ARNAUD PEPIN.
New Orleans, January 1, 1855. fe6

Cook and Washerwoman.

AN excellent COOK and good WASHERWOMAN is offered for sale together with her child, a likely negro boy aged four years.
Apply Conti street, No. 55. jan 21

B. SAUTHE & CO.,
Successors to S. Masperreau & Co.,
Conde street, between Main and St. Ann.

25 HOUSE FURNISHING STORE, and Manufactory of Tin, Sheet-Iron and Lead-Works importers of and dealers in the following articles: 25

Stoves, Grates and Cooking Stoves.
Pots, Ovens, Skillets, Boilers, Sadirons, and every other kind of Castings.
Japanned Ware, Tinware, Crockery Ware, Glass-ware, Lamps, Girandoles, Lanterns, Bouquet Stands, Plated ware, Britannia Ware, and Table Cutlery, Brooms, Sweeping Brushes, and every other article of House-hold Furniture.
Paint Brushes and Window Glass.
Paints of every quality, Linseed Oil, Boiled Oil, Spirits of Turpentine.
Varnish of every quality, Litharge, Red and Yellow Ochre.
Lard Oil, Camphene Gas and Alcohol.

—ALSO—

Fire Bricks

The Wholesale very Reduced Rates.

AGENTS.

For Beebe's Ranges, Queen's Portable Forges, Spratt's Lightning Rods, Warner's Force Pumps and Berewed Pipes. 14

GRATES—GRATES—2000 fancy and common Grates, from $4 to $25, just received and for sale by the undersigned, who also undertakes the setting of same in any part of the city.
B SAUTHE & CO.,
oct12 3m Nos. 32 and 25 Conde st

New Orleans, Opelousas and Great Western Railroad Company.

DIRECTORS:

W G Hewes,	F W Tilton,
A Lanier,	A C Tremoulet,
A Chiapella,	P Maspero,
J B Overton,	L L Bernard,
J Pollock,	F Judd,
R B Sumner,	John Moore,
H Renshaw,	E J Hart,
R Geddes,	G D Frerer,
J P Benjamin,	L E F retail,
J Pollard,	F Irwin,
J Colgate,	G A Breaux,
F Crandall,	A Mouton.
H Tilden,	

NOTICE.—At a meeting of the Board of Directors held on the 5th instant, Mr. William G. Hewes was elected President, A B Seger, Vice-President, and B. F. Flanders, Secretary.
BENJ F FLANDERS, Secretary.

BULK MEAT—100,000 pounds, for sale, in lots to suit, by P COOK & CO.,
feb6 40 Poydras st

LARD OIL—200 bbls pure, warranted to stand cold weather, for sale by P COOK & CO.,
feb9 40 Poydras st

BACON—25 casks new Sides and Shoulders, for sale by P COOK & CO.,
feb9 40 Poydras st

PORK—150 bbls Mess, M. O., Prime and Rump, for sale by P COOK & CO. 40 Poydras st

HAMS—30 tierces Duffield's new sugar cured, for sale by P COOK & CO. 40 Poydras st
fe9

LARD—200 tierces and kegs choice leaf, for sale by P. COOK & CO. 40 Poydras st

Seeds of the Last Crop.

T. BACHELLER, Seed Merchant, Horticulturist and Botanist, No. 28 Ursulines street, New Orleans, takes the liberty to inform his customers, that notwithstanding the scarcity of good seeds this year, either from Europe or the North he has just received, through the expensive measures he had taken to supply his extensive and increasing business, as large a stock as scarcity could afford. He therefore requests his customers to send him their orders as soon as possible as the first received will of course be the first attended to, and most amply filled without any injurious delay.

Some Seeds, such as Carrots, Lettuce, Cabbages, &c. will probably soon be exhausted and no more good can be expected from anywhere this season.

Also at hand, to sell on reasonable terms, a large collection of Camelias covered with buds, Roses assorted, and other valuable plants, just received. feb9

Magnificent Oil Paintings.

JUST received and for sale by the undersigned, from De Brackeleer, Jr., of New York, Agent for the Belgian School in the United States, six splendid master-pieces, viz:
One Hunting Excursion, by Huart;
One Interior, by Plumot;
One Landscape, by Kruseman;
One Studio of Vandyck, by Plumot;
One Grace, by Ferdinand DeBrackeleer;
One Landscape, by Dubean.
Also, a few guaranteed originals and are to be seen at H. MEUGENS, 31 Common st.
New Orleans 9th February. fe10 1t

PORT WINE—100 quarter casks of Burgundy Port wine, Crown brand, for sale by
H. MEUGENS, 31 Common st.
fe 5-3m

150 SACKS soft shell Almonds, just received and for sale by H. MEUGENS,
fe 5-3m No. 31 Common st.

PLANAT BRANDY—30 packages of this brand in Customhouse stores, entitled to drawback, for sale by H. MEUGENS,
fe5-3m 31 Common st.

CIGARS—50,000 Cigars of different brands, will be sold low to close consignments by
15 2m H. MEUGENS, 31 Common st.

HAVANA CIGARS, Leaf Tobacco, &c.—1,000,000 choice Havana Cigars, consisting of the following celebrated brands:

Partagas,	Ingenuidad,
El Sol,	Cervantes,
Washington,	Mar Pacifico,
Viriato,	Candita.
Puntualidad, &c. &c.	

50 bales Leaf Tobacco. 25 boxes Havana Preserves, 25 bxs Hav. Sweetmeats, 20 barrels Cigarritas. For sale low, by MORENO BROTHERS,
fe5 3w 34 Old Levee.

COFFEE—100 bags prime green Havana coffee, in store and for sale by ANTO. COSTA,
fe5 16 Customhouse st.

BUTTER—Eight boxes superior Goshen, patented, in store and for sale by ANTO. COSTA,
fe5 16 Customhouse st.

HAVANA CIGARS
AND CHEWING TOBACCO,

At the corner of St. Charles and Commercial Place.

THE proprietor of this Cigar Store will spare no pains to have said store always furnished with the best known brands. His stock of Chewing Tobacco cannot be surpassed.
fe5 A. COSTA.

Havana Cigars,

At the well known Store of LA VENUS, No. 94 St. Charles street.

THE proprietor of this cigar store being well known as one of the largest importers of Havana produce, will always be able to have his store furnished with the best brands. His customers will find there Chewing Tobacco of the best brands.
fe5 A. COSTA

TO LITHOGRAPHERS AND CIGAR MANUFACTURERS—4 cases Satined Paper, elephant size and different colors, in store and for sale by
ANTO. COSTA,
fe5 16 Customhouse street

TOBACCO—200 bales Vuelta Abajo, fillers and wrappers; 300 bales Vuelta Arriba, fillers and wrappers. Also 150 bales Vuelta Mexican Tobacco, choice, for fillers and wrappers; and constantly on hand a complete assortment of Leaf Tobacco, suitable for this market, and of the very best brands of Vuelta Abajo and Cuba, in store and for sale by
ANTO. COSTA,
fe5 16 Customhouse street.

SEGARS—500,000 Havana Cigars of the best brands, such as—

Consuelo,	Paseos.
Camelias,	Reyna Victoria,
Duende,	Ruisenor,
El Sol,	Jicotencal,
Amalia,	Golden Gate,
Magnolia,	Dos Amigos,
Flarcito,	Agradable, &c., &c., &c.

In store and for sale by ANTO. COSTA,
fe5 16 Customhouse st.

WHISKY, BRANDY, &c., &c.—300 bbls S S Boyle's Rose Whisky; 100 do Oliver's Extra do; 250 do Beebe & Fraser rectified do; 250 do Andrews do do; 400 half bbls S S Boyle's Rose Whisky; 75 quarter casks Domestic Brandy; 50 eighth do do; 40 barrels New York Brandy; 40 do New York Gin; for sale by JOS. LANDIS & CO.,
f8 33 Tchoupitoulas st.

DAILY expected per ships Rose Standish and Sylphide, and for sale by the undersigned—154 casks Bordeaux Claret.
BOYER FRERES, V. BENQUET & CO.,
corner Moreau and Mandeville, 3d Dist.

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

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

FOR SALE—To arrive per ships America and Oceana: 300 boxes cherries, Teyssonneau; 80 casks claret, for sale by J. LANATA,
fe8 11 Jefferson and 12 Toulouse sts

FOR SALE—To arrive per ship Columbia, from Marseilles: 500 boxes Vermouth, S. Noilly file; 500 do Muscat Wine; 40 bbls shelled almonds; 150 boxes macaroni; 60 bbls chestnuts; 6 bales stockfish; 500 baskets olive oil, A. Crose, for sale by
J. LANATA,
fe8 11 Jefferson and 12 Toulouse sts

FOR SALE—To arrive per ship Rose Standish, from Bordeaux: 80 casks claret, for family use; 60 do white wine; 50 do do; 500 boxes claret; 300 do white wine; 200 do claret, Chateau Belair; 50 packages cognac, Calamy, 4th proof; 20 do do St. Brice, 1st proof; 1000 hf boxes French peas; 300 do do pickled tunny; 1000 do do mushrooms; 500 do do sardines in oil; 300 do do truffles; 200 boxes brandy cherries, for sale by J. LANATA,
fe8 11 Jefferson and 12 Toulouse sts

IN STORE and for sale by the undersigned, 100 bags soft shell Almonds, JOSEPH LANATA
11 Jefferson and 19 Toulouse sts.

TALLOW, refined, in barrels and bags, for sale by D. C. LOWBER,
f5 37 Poydras street.

Louisiana State Bank,
31st January, 1855.

A SEMI-ANNUAL dividend of the profits of this Bank of five per cent. on the capital paid in, has been this day declared and made payable to the Stockholders on or after Saturday, the 10th February next.

By order of the Board,
fe1 RICHARD RELF, Cashier.

Citizens' Bank of Louisiana.
New Orleans, Feb 2d 1855.

A SEMI-ANNUAL Dividend of five per cent, on the capital of the banking department of this Bank has been this day declared, payable to the cash stockholders on and after Monday, the 12th inst.
EUGENE ROUSSEAU,
feb3—t15 Cashier.

NOTICE.

WE beg to inform our customers that we have received an extensive assortment of French Drug and Patent Medicines, per ships Denmark, St. Charles, Hudson and J. P. Davis, &c., to which we respectfully call their attention to the advertisement in another column.
jan16 D PEREZ.

Jackson Institute.
179 St. Louis Street.

THE managers of this Institution inform the parents that Mr. SELIGNY has just begun his lectures on Literature. Young persons wishing to complete their studies would do well to avail themselves of this opportunity.

Mr. SELIGNY, with that eminent talent acknowledged by every body, will lecture also on Botany, Natural History and Natural Philosophy.

N. B. It is not necessary to be a pupil of this establishment to be admitted to the above lectures.
jan17

St. Joseph College,
BARDSTOWN, KENTUCKY.

I WOULD be pleased to take charge of any boys who may be for that College, and I will leave New Orleans for Kentucky about the 6th of March. Apply to Messrs BROWN, JOHNSTON & CO., 38 Camp street, New Orleans. J. F. QUEEN,
jan13 Agent

Great Reduction in Prices.
ALREADY MADE CLOTHING.

WISHING to reduce our winter stock, we inform the public that we are ready to sell at COST PRICE.

Every body should go and visit our store before buying elsewhere. Come and see for yourself at
GODCHAUX BROS',
107 and 108 New Levee, opposite the Meat Market. fe16

Important Notice to the Readers of the Bee.

THE undersigned, being determined not to keep any of their goods for next year, inform their customers that they will make ENORMOUS REDUCTIONS on all their seasonable goods in store. The Silks, Cashmeres and Printed Muslins de Laine will be disposed of at a sacrifice.

Country merchants are informed that we still have on hand all the articles in their line, at 25 per cent. below market prices.

Strangers now in the city are invited to call and provide themselves at our establishment, and thereby save their traveling expenses.
U. LAROUSSINI & CO.
Red Store No. 1, on the Levee,
jan23 1m near the Vegetable Market.

IMPORTANT TO THE DEAF.

DR. JAMES P. SMITH, Aurist, Principal of the Cincinnati, Ohio, and Buffalo, N. Y., Institutions for the Deaf, is now in New Orleans, and can be consulted at his room No. 78 St. Charles Hotel, from 9 o'clock A. M. until 3 P. M.

Deafness, Noise in the Head, and all disagreeable discharges from the Ear speedily and permanently removed, without causing the least pain or inconvenience.

Close and undivided attention to this branch of special practice, has enabled him to reduce his treatment to such a degree of success as to find the most confirmed and obstinate cases yield by a steady attention to the means prescribed. jan 22—1m

Voorhies, Griggs & Co.,
15 Tchoupitoulas St.,

HAVE FOR SALE—
750 bbls. and 50 bbls. "John H. Davis" Mess and extra Family Beef.
100 bbls "Shultz's" and "Tobin's" Lard Oil,
330 boxes "Shilbur's" Oleine Soap.
1500 boxes, qr boxes and drums Codfish and Herring, "Churchill's" brand.
250 bbls Nos. 1, 2 and 3 "Churchill's" Mackerel,
350 packages "A. W. Brown's" Butter,
300 boxes Western Reserve Cheese,
100 bbls "Lovering's" Crushed Sugar,
50 boxes "Bollibah" Star Candles,
6 cases fine hvd Whale Oil,
75 Packages J. H. Davis's Dried Beef and Tongues
jan24 1m

For Sale.

A YOUNG mulatto GIRL, about 20 years of age, fully recommended, guaranteed against the vices and diseases prescribed by law, excellent hair-dresser, washer and house servant. ja22

J. Auge, Hair Dresser,

No. 63 Chartres Street, Corner Bienville.

RESPECTFULLY informs ladies and gentlemen that he has just added to his stock various articles of perfumery, such as superior French and Northern Perfumes, to which he particularly recommends his preparation to prevent the falling of the hair, already favorably known and approved by the best physicians in this city. Also his fine Cologne Water, and the greatest assortment of fancy articles for ladies and gentlemen, known gloves, umbrellas, ladies braces, shell combs of every description, fans, sponges, hair cases, and tooth brushes, &c., &c. As he is desirous of disposing of a certain quantity of the latest style shirts, collars and cravats manufactured in Paris, he offers the same at cost. A large assortment of plaits, wigs, toupees and curls made in new style. Creams and cinchas, shaving cups, razors, etc.

A hair dressing department specially for ladies.

All goods sold at very moderate prices.

Lessons in hair dressing specially attended to by Mr. Auge.

Agency for Thompson's Baggasse Furnace.

WE as Agents of these Furnaces, are prepared to enter into contracts.
HALL, RUDD & PUTNAM,
ja31 No. 4 Front Levee.

Three Church Organs for Sale.

TWO Gothic and one Grecian ORGAN, from the manufactory of Henry Erben, New York, dimensions as follows: Gothic, 12 feet 2 inches high 5 feet 6 inches wide 3 feet 4 inches deep. Grecian, 8 feet 2 inches high, 5 feet 6 inches wide, 3 feet 1 inches deep, with 5 stops each.

Persons wishing to examine them, will please call at No. 3 Camp street. PH. P. WERLEIN.
feb1 Agent for the sale of these Organs.

ROCK SALT—In hogsheads, tierces and barrels, for plantation use, for sale by
fe4 D. C. LOWBER, 37 Poydras st

POTATOES—300 barrels northern pink eyes, for planting, landing ex ship Mary, from Boston, for sale by DONNELLY, BEZZINA & CO.
fe1 6 Tchoupitoulas st

COWPEAS—30 barrels new, in store and for sale by DONNELLY, BEZZINA & CO.,
fe1 6 Tchoupitoulas st

RECEIVED per ship Denmark—8 casks French beer; 6 casks French; 30 baskets cognac brand Marie Brizard & Roger; 10 cases sardines in oil, brand Rodel & fils; 25 cases brandy fruits; 50 Lazarus's fruits in juice; 50 qr casks claret Chateau Belair Medoc, for sale by
A. TAMBOURY & CO.,
f1 10t corner St. Louis and Royal sts.

COGNAC—10 eighths superior brandy, for sale by A. TAMBOURY & CO.,
f1 10t corner St. Louis and Royal sts.

P. Senat's Drug Store.
Corner St. Louis and Rampart Streets.

RECEIVED per ships D. St. Browo and Tammany, from Philadelphia, a choice and fresh lot of Perfumery, &c. Fine Rose Almond Creams, for sale by the pound and at retail; toilet soaps, extracts for handkerchiefs, ladies' white and red cosmetic, shell combs, flasks, wakening clocks for hunters and travelers, wax matches.

A depot of French and American Patent Medicines has been established at the Drug Store by Messrs. Guillot & Weigth, for the convenience of down town residents.

The chemical and pharmaceutic preparations are warranted pure, being made by himself or conscientious druggists.

Mr. P. Senat will buy from planters, during the season, orange flowers of all kinds, for the manufacture of the water, so superior to the imported one.

Castor oil, syrups and worm-seed lozenges, a prompt and efficacious remedy, constantly prepared.

SUNDRIES—Claret in casks and boxes, various vintages; white wine in casks and boxes; Bergasse wine in casks; brandies of the brands Henry Sutton, 1800 and 1831; M. Daniel, Martellion, J. Ducastaing fine champagne; green liquor; Maraschino, direct importation; vermouth; champagne, various brands, in quarts and pints; olives, anchovies; pickles; Jas Plagniol's olive oil, in baskets and boxes, in bottles and half bottles; petits pois, in boxes, half and quarter boxes; orange flower water, large and small bottles; French soap; dry plums in glass jars and fancy boxes; regular and pointed corks; 1, 2, 3 and 5 gal demijohns, in store and for sale by
jan31 B. TALAMON, 181 Royal st

5 BARRELS extra Bourbon Whiskey, in store and for sale by
jan31 B TALAMON, 181 Royal st

LANDING ex ship Gosport, from Havre, 2 tons Gruyere Cheese, for sale by
jan31 B TALAMON, No 181 Royal st

DELIVERABLE on the arrival of ship Rose Standish, expected from Bordeaux—30 cases Montferrand claret; 10 do white wine, Marquis de Lursaluces; 54 bbls Haut Sauterne white wine; 30 bbls white vinegar.
ja31 8t C. CAVAROC & CO. 144 Royal st

BUCKWHEAT—300 packages fresh Buckwheat, landing and in store, for sale by
PEIFERS, MILLARD & CO.
d9 2w Corner Bienville and Old Levee sts

GOSHEN BUTTER—15 kegs, landing from steamship Dan. Webster, for sale by
E J HART & CO.,
d12 105 and 107 Tchoupitoulas st

EXPECTED per ship Two Sisters, from Bordeaux, and for sale deliverable by the undersigned, 60 casks claret; for sale by
BOYER BROS, BENQUET & CO.,
jan 21 corner Mandeville and Moreau sts

DRAWBACK for the Mexican Market—Two cases Listados, for sale by
RICHARD, ALDIGE & CO.,
35 Chartres st., (up stairs.)

DELIVERABLE on the arrival of ship Sylphide, expected from Bordeaux—
86 casks Montferrand Claret; 10 casks white Wine, Marquis de Lursaluces; 45 bbls Haut Sauterne white Wine; 9 bbls Pauillac Claret; 15 qr Cognac Achille Petit; 10 qr Cognac Coq, Pere & Fils.
ja31 8t C. CAVAROC & CO. 144 Royal st

NOTICE.

New Orleans, 1st December, 1854.

THE firm of VALLS BROTHERS & CO. is this day dissolved by the decease of John C. Valls. The undersigned will continue the same business under the name of A. F. VALLS & CO., at 23 Tchoupitoulas street.
d2 tf ANDREW F VALLS

Notice

J. CASBERGUE, Merchant Tailor, No 77 St. Charles street, respectfully calls the attention of his customers and the public, to the balance of his assortment of winter clothes, just received from Europe via New York, per steamship Crescent City—Prices moderate. J. CASBERGUE,
d 77 St. Charles st

50 BASKETS, quarts and pints, Anchor's brand Champagne Wine, landing ex ship Judith, from Havre, and for sale by
TH BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO.,
fe3 10t 27 Old Levee street.

COCOA—23 bags of superior Guayaquil, landing per brig Fanny, from St. Jago de Cuba, and for sale by S. DE VISSER & CO.,
nov 12 74 Magazine street

Swiss Absynth.

120 BOXES Absynth, "C. F. Berger," landing ex ships Europa and Hudson, from Havre, for sale by J B PREAU & CO.,
oct11 and 26 Gravier st

MALAGA WINE—100 ¼ casks, in bond, for sale by E J HART & CO.,
fe3 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st

DR. G. S. RUSSEL,
SURGEON DENTIST.

HAS transferred his residence to No. 150 Royal street.
nov25-6m

IVORY BLACK—50 barrels, for sale by
D. C. LOWBER,
jan30-6t 37 Poydras st

PORTER—Double brown stout, extra quality in pints, received from Liverpool, for sale by
J. Y. de EGANA, 47 Bienville st

Wonderful Expedition.

Through to Attakapas and Bayou Teche in Ten Hours, via the Railroad and the Express Lightning, by Stages and Packets.

FROM the 15th of this month, we will change the route of the Express Lightning Mail for Attakapas. Instead of leaving Donaldsonville as heretofore, the Express Lightning will connect with the New Orleans and Opelousas Railroad—thus affording the opportunity to passengers leaving New Orleans by the morning train, to take the coach at 11 o'clock the same day, and travel to Attakapas by the following route and time: From the Crossing, by mail, in five hours, to Tigerville, a distance of 26 miles, thence by packet, through Bayou Black and Bayou Boeuf and Berwick's Bay, to Pattersonville, Centreville and Franklin, and thence by stage to New Iberia, St. Martinsville, Opelousas and Washington. Three times a week the packet boat will go as far as New Iberia. The connection with the Opelousas Railroad cars will take place on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of each week, and the connection for coming back to New Orleans, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. jan19

FOR HAVANA—The fine fast sailing A 1 packet brig WM. CLARK, J. W. Simpson master, having the greater part of her cargo engaged will have immediate despatch. For balance of freight or passage, having elegant stateroom accommodations, apply to the Captain, on board, Beef Market, Second District, or to
f7 R CAHUZAC & CO. 30 Old Levee

Housekeepers, Read This.

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS SELLING OFF TO CHANGE BUSINESS—NO. 17 CAMP STREET.

The undersigned, having resolved to make a change in their business, are offering their splendid stock of GOODS at such prices as must induce sales to all in want of the articles, who will take the trouble to call. The goods consist in part of—

Plated Castors,	China, Glass and
Plated Waiters,	Earthenware,
Plated Baskets,	Rich Dinner Sets,
Plated Candlesticks,	Rich Teasets, Vases,
Plated Teasets,	Cut Glass Ware,
Plated Spoons and Forks	Moulded Glassware,
Block Tin Ware,	Plain Glassware,
Britannia Ware,	Solar Lamps,
Japanned Ware,	Moderator Lamps,
Tin and Iron Ware,	Girandoles,
Wooden Ware,	Chandeliers,
Baskets, Brooms,	Fenders and Andirons,
Brushes,	Shovels, Tongs and Pokers,
Cooking Stoves,	Hat and Coat Racks,
Knives and Forks,	Cooking Utensils, etc., etc.

Comprising as fine a stock and as complete an assortment as can be found in the city. The subscribers avoid the use of the heading "Selling off at Cost," which has so often been used as a decoy to induce persons to go in their business, and pay more than market prices for goods but purchasers may rely on finding prices greatly below what they can buy for elsewhere.
dec21-2m B BROWER & CO 17 Camp street

MR. BOLMAIN,
French Horticulturist,
CAMP STREET, NO. 93.

RESPECTFULLY informs amateurs that he has just arrived in New Orleans with a splendid assortment of Plants, Flowers, Rose Trees, Fruit Trees, and Grape Vines of all descriptions. Also, Bulbous Roots and Flower Seeds, at Store No. 93 Camp street.
jan25 1m

FRESH GARDEN SEEDS.
Plants and Shrubs.
FRUIT TREES.
Pot Herbs and Flower Seeds.

RECEIVED per ships Calhoun and Marmion, from Havre, and per steamer Arctic, from Pittsburg, cabbages, turnips, short and long beets, spinage, cress, parsley, chervil, parsnip, lettuce, endive, lamb's lettuce, [illegible], leeks, radish cabbage, rutabaga turnip cabbage, cauliflowers half long and round radish, black radish, oyster plant melon, cucumber, Mazagan beans. Sixty varieties of Flower Seeds.

PLANTS.

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

FRUIT TREES.

Pear trees, apple trees, peach trees, and fig trees. For sale at moderate prices by
J. MENARD, 101 Old Levee,
fe6 between Hospital and Barracks sts.

"Selling off at Cost."
Great Sacrifices—No Humbug.

AT FEYTEL'S, 22 Chartres street,

☞ GIVE A CALL AND EXAMINE PRICES.

The most select and varied assortment of imported French and English WATCHES—fine and new JEWELRY, DIAMONDS, CHATELAINES, VEST CHAINS—MANTEL CLOCKS, BRACELETS—SILVER AND PLATED WARE, &c. &c.

The undersigned wishing to reduce his splendid assortment of goods, offers great inducements to purchasers FOR CASH. No. 22 Chartres street. JOSEPH FEYTEL ja26

House Furnishing Store,
73 AND 75 CAMP STREET.

DETERMINED to reduce our Stock of Goods, we will hereafter sell for cash at lower prices than ever before offered in this city. Those in want of the following articles would do well to call:

Queensware, Glass and China Ware,
Bohemian Ware, Birmingham Ware,
Rich Cut Vases and
Fine Silver Plated Ware;
Parlor and Hall Lamps and Girandoles,
Rich Tea Trays and Waiters, in sets or single;
Fine Table Cutlery and
Housekeeping Hardware,
Enameled and Hollow Ware;
Britannia, Planished Tin and Japanned Ware,
Wooden and Willow Ware;
Feather Dusters, Feathers, Silk and;
Paper Hangings and Borders;
Door Mats;
Window Cornices, Cords and Tassels;
Curtain Bands and Curtain Pins.
dec20—1y MILLER, HARRIS & WALDO.

ANNOUX,

CORNER CHARTRES AND ST. ANN STREETS, *Pontalba Buildings,*

INFORMS the public that he has reduced the prices of all his goods, without exception, on account of liquidation, for cash only. jan4

Removal.

CAVELIER & MAXENT have removed their office from St. Louis street, No. 169, to Toulouse street, No. 56, between Chartres and Royal sts. ja3

ADL. Z. CAVELIER. L. F. MAXENT

CAVELIER & MAXENT,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
IMPORTERS OF FRENCH WINES.
No. 56 Toulouse street, between Chartres and Royal streets.

HAVE always on hand the celebrated brands of C. C. La Motte, Haut Brion, Pope Clement, Chateau Larose and Poutet Canet. ja3

PEREZ' DRUG STORE.
Corner Toulouse and Bourbon Streets.

RECEIVED per ship Denmark from Bordeaux—Pure Cod Liver Oil, Brown Syrup, pure Orange Flower Water, Lard Oil, Rose Water; Potato Starch, first quality; Gaunais Saffron, Black Mustard; Populeum Ointment; Laurel Oil; a large assortment of Pewter Syringes.

Also, by the St. Charles, Hudson and J. P. Davis, a complete assortment of fine Perfumery, Pectoral Paste, Jujube, Guimauve, Gum Lozenges, &c., &c.
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GALLERY OF PAINTINGS,
No. 87 Chartres street, between Bienville and Conti streets.

Oil Paintings.

ROBERT GSCHWINDT, of the Academies of Rome and Paris, and former pupil of the celebrated Couture, begs leave to inform the public that he has just opened his Gallery of Paintings at the above place, where families are respectfully invited to call and examine the Paintings he has brought from Rome, among which are some which figured at the late Paris Exhibition. The patronage of persons desirous of having their portraits taken is solicited.—A striking likeness and perfect finish are guaranteed. Old portraits copied, paintings of all descriptions renovated, and portraits taken from daguerreotype. Prices moderate. d29 1m

Furniture Store.
GROSJEAN & SENETEAU,
Bienville St., No. 52, corner of Exchange Alley.

HAVE constantly on hand a full and complete assortment of Furniture of all descriptions, from the best Northern and Western manufactories, such as bedsteads, bureaus, toilets, armoirs, do. with glasses, mahogany and rosewood do., chairs, tables of all sizes, sofas, lounges, parlor and bed room rosewood and oak furniture, cottage do., hair and spring matresses and others, mattings and carpets, &c., &c.

Furniture repaired and exchanged, and tables and chairs to rent for soirees and parties.
jan23 3taw

European Rose Trees and Plants.
A. Rousset,
St. Charles Street, No. 92.

Dealer in Flowers, Nurseryman in Paris and Chambery,

INFORMS amateurs that he has just arrived in New Orleans with an extensive assortment of the rarest plants, such as flower and fruit trees, magnolias, camelias, daphnes, Sicily toilet orange trees, China lemon trees, rhododendrum, 600 kinds of new perpetual rose-trees, mossy do, and others, fruit trees, comprising pear trees, apple trees, cherry trees, prune trees, apricot trees, perpetual gooseberry trees, strawberries of the four seasons, bulbous roots and flower seeds, the whole at very moderate prices. Seeds, &c. packed up and forwarded in the country.

Catalogues delivered gratuitously at No. 92 St. Charles street. jan21 1m

Inhalation. Inhalation!

DR. THOMAS H. GREENHOUGH, having returned home, respectfully informs his numerous friends and patients in New Orleans, and the United States, that he has this winter located his consulting and business office for the treatment of all Throat and Lung Diseases as above, at No. 11 Dauphin st. (one door from Canal, in the rear of Christ Church,) where he may be found from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., daily.

Patients in the country desirous of placing themselves under his care, will please address Box G, 59 Post Office, and their cases will be attended to punctually.

N. B.—DR. DAVID PALMER THOMAS, of Philadelphia, is now associated with Dr. Greenhough in the practice of his profession. Residence, 103 Love street.

☞ Dr. Greenhough's Inhalers can now be seen at Dr. Symes's Drug Store, on the corner of Carondelet and Canal streets. dec13 3m

PRIVATE BOARD.

A FAMILY consisting only of two persons, having more room than they can occupy for their own family, would rent one or two handsome, well furnished rooms fronting on a gallery, with board, at a moderate price, the object being to have good company. Address with real name Z. Z., at this office. jan21 1m

TO THE PEOPLE OF NEW ORLEANS—The wonder of the world has arrived in this city, and is daily performing his wonderful cures.

DR. SHERIDAN, from Madam Stephen's Hospital, city of Dublin, is daily restoring SIGHT TO THE BLIND and HEARING TO THE DEAF. Dr. S. will cure Cancers without the use of instruments; he will also cure the PILES at once. Persons troubled with the FITS go to the Doctor and get restored; he will also vanish RHEUMATIC PAINS on the spot; he will restore GOOD HAIR to the Bald Head. Dr. S. will cure CONSUMPTION even in the second stage, in from twenty-one to twenty-five days. SECRET DISEASES cured the first attendance and without loss of time to the patient.

Persons are allowed to see the Doctor at his office, restoring Sight to the Blind. Doctor allows his Diploma to hang in his office.

☞ Office 32 Tivoli Circle, corner Triton Walk. Hours of attendance from 8 A. M. to 8 P. M. ja26 3m

FOLKSTONE HOTEL.
No. 9 CASTELLANE STREET, PARIS.

THIS Hotel, situated in the beautiful quarter of the Madeleine, near the Boulevards, the Tuileries and the Elysees Fields, is particularly frequented by STRANGERS and ENGLISH TRAVELERS, who meet there with all desirable comforts. Mme. PRIOLLAUD, who has become the owner and manager of the Hotel, has neglected none of the improvements calculated to please her countrymen, to-wit: elegance, neatness and comfort, so seldom found in France. She hopes that those of her countrymen who may remember her, will stop at her Hotel, when sojourning in Paris, to stop at her Hotel, where they will find rooms and apartments well fitted up and an excellent are on moderate terms. d21 6mlaw

AUGUSTE LASSERRE, SUCCESSOR TO HIS FATHER,
Cutlery and Manufactory of Surgical Instruments.

BEGS leave to inform the public generally, and Doctors in particular, that his establishment, on Conde street, No. 29, will be constantly supplied with an assortment of fine cutlery, such as table knives, scissors, razors, etc., and a large assortment of Surgical Instruments, bandages, and the latest and most difficult orthopedic instruments.

The finish of his work, the care and promptness with which orders will be attended to, will, he hopes, permanently secure the patronage and confidence extended to the late house of J. P. Lasserre.
ja29 tf ATE. LASSERRE.

AMUSEMENTS

PELICAN THEATRE.

J. H. CALDER [illegible]

Third night of the romantic drama [illegible], with new scenery machinery, &c., by Messrs. C[illegible], Spencer and assistants. In course of the piece a Terrific Snow Storm and Avalanche.

THIS EVENING, Tuesday, February 13th, will be performed, for the 3d time, a new romantic drama, called THE AVALANCHE. The performances will commence with the musical burletta called THE ALPINE MAID.

☞ To-morrow, Mr. Geo. Holland's benefit—4 short pieces, Mr. DeBar, Mr. Mark Smith, Mr. Holland and Mrs. Davis have kindly volunteered their services.

☞ Doors open at 6½ o'clock. Performance to commence at 7 o'clock. fe13

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.

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

First night of Mrs. HAYNE, (formerly Miss JULIA DEAN.)

TUESDAY EVENING, February 13th 1855, performance to commence with the popular play of LOVE.—Countess, Mrs. Hayne, (formerly Miss Julia Dean); Huon, Mr. Charles Pope. To conclude with the laughable farce of MY PRECIOUS BETSY—Mrs. Wagtail, Mrs. Bernard; Mr. Bobtail, Mr. Bernard.

☞ To-morrow, second night of Mrs. HAYNE, formerly Miss JULIA DEAN. fe13

ORLEANS THEATRE.

Shrove-Tuesday Masked Ball

FEBRUARY 20th, 1855.

A GRAND MASKED BALL will be given at the Orleans Theatre on TUESDAY, 20th instant, Shrove Tuesday.

The doors will be opened at 10½ o'clock for the Ball.

After the theatrical performance, the room will be cleared, to be transformed into a ball room.

Subscribers to the boxes are respectfully requested to inform the manager whether they intend to retain their boxes for the ball.

Boxes not retained by subscribers will be disposed of on Thursday, 15th inst.

Subscribers who shall have retained their boxes for the ball may remain in the ball room during the transformation.

Tickets $1 00. Each gentleman will be entitled to two ladies' tickets.

All persons in mask will be required to unmask before entering the ball room.

Grand Vocal and Instrumental Concert
AT THE ODD FELLOWS' HALL.

ON WEDNESDAY EVENING, 14th February, 1855, given by DONNA VALERY GOMEZ, the celebrated Spanish cantatrice. On this occasion she will be assisted by the following eminent talents: Mr. J. M. WHITE (Tenor), the favorite vocalist, Monsieur FERDINAND MUSARD, the well known pianist and composer. Herr HERMANN BROWN, the distinguished violoncellist. Mr. J. LUTHER will preside at the piano.

Tickets One Dollar each. Reserved seats [illegible] and a Half—to be had at the usual places. The parties who wish to have good seats will do well to see the diagram and secure them in time, as they are only sold till Wednesday, 14th February, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Doors open at 7 o'clock. Concert to commence at 8 o'clock, precisely.

No postponement on account of weather.
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PLACE D'ARMES—CONGO SQUARE.

On SUNDAY, February 18th, 1855, at 3 o'clock, precisely. Grand popular festival, (the tree list will be generally suspended) by M. F. GODARD, for the GRAND BENEFIT. Sports in imitation of those celebrated at the National Fetes in Paris will take place, and youths can compete for the prizes.

At 3 o'clock, climbing a mast for the three prizes at the summit.

At half-past 3 o'clock, foot racing, and jumping in sacks.

At 4 o'clock, game of the Poasantere. Shower Baths.

Prizes consisting of articles of jewelry will be bestowed on the winners.

At half-past 4 o'clock, ascension of a [illegible] 32 Pilot Balloons, bearing the National Colors and each having the name of a separate State.

At 5 o'clock, precisely, GRAND ASCENSION of M. E. GODARD accompanied by 2 other persons, who in ascending, will throw down several objects worthy of the public attention.

A numerous Orchestra will execute the most popular airs.

☞ Admission 50 cents, children 25 cents.

The departure of the Grand Balloon will take place at 5 o'clock.

☞ The gates will be opened at 1 o'clock. Sports commence at 3 o'clock.

Tickets can be procured in advance at Messrs Hewlett's Library, 48 Chartres street, Exchange Hotel, Royal and Orleans Hotel, [illegible] Hotel, Canal street, and at the Cigar Store, Exchange street, Mayo's music store, Camp street, Bourbon street.

N. B. The young men who wish to take part in the various games will be required to register their names on the Place D'Armes on Friday or Saturday, from 1 to 5 o'clock.

NOTICE.—On THURSDAY next, February 22d, in honor of WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY, if the weather allows, and prizes are allowed, ascension of a [illegible] lottery, where [illegible] numbers of all the lottery ticket will be admitted without charge. fe13

The Bear Woman

WILL BE EXHIBITED DAILY, from 9 A. M. until 10 P. M., in the Ladies' Parlor of the MASONIC HALL, on St. Charles street, opposite Commercial Alley.

☞ She possesses features similar to those of a BEAR—the nose, mouth, forehead and ears being those of this animal. The mouth is misshapen and horrible and the internal teeth when revealed give her a truly savage aspect.

She is a rational creature, endowed with SPEECH, which monster has never possessed.

☞ Admission 25 cents; Children 15 cents.
J. W. BEACH, Manager.
J. H. CHANDLER, Agent.
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AMERICAN MUSEUM.

GREAT ATTRACTION!—The most talented ladies in the world, with General TOM FORD, who is of most beauty, and [illegible] in a curiosity as the famous TOM FUSS, M[illegible] NUCHI has succeeded at a great expense in engaging Mrs. Ellen Briggs and her own family; [illegible] top of three of the greatest HUMAN CURIOSITIES in the world. Mrs. ELLEN BRIGGS, formerly Miss Ellen Butler; 33 years old and 35 inches in height. Miss S. M. MOREHOUSE, 18 years old, and 41 inches high; Gen. A. GIFFORD, 28 years old and 33 inches high, which may be seen for a few days commencing on SATURDAY, January 27th, at the Museum, 180 Charles street.

Goldberger's Galvano-Electric Chains.

THE only depot for Louisiana, Mexico and Texas, of these valuable CHAINS for Rheumatism and Nervous Diseases, has been established at the Drug Store of A. SCHAWX
Conde street, No. 40 Conde st.

Each Chain is sold with a prospectus, at $1 for No. 1, $3 for No. 2 and $2 for No. 3.

Thousands of certificates and letters attest their efficacy.

S. GAUDIN,
PIANO MANUFACTURER,
104 Royal Street,

HAS just received and offers for sale, at reduced prices, an assortment of Erard's and Pleyel's Pianos, oblique and straight PIANOS.

He requests those persons who have so favored him with their custom, to visit his assortment before purchasing elsewhere, for he cannot help but hope to be able to satisfy them. He has also, in future constantly keep in store PIANOS from the above named Manufacturers, and will continue to tune and repair PIANOS. n22 3m

Dress and Masked Balls.

MADAME LUSSAN, Royal street, No. [illegible], respectfully informs her numerous customers that she has just received from France a splendid assortment of Dress and Ball Costumes, which she recommended, both on account of their elegance and freshness.

Madame L. being desirous of keeping her assortment constantly fresh, has not exhibited the same, and will unpack her goods for those only who intend to purchase. She avails herself of this opportunity to tender her sincere thanks for the patronage hitherto extended to her.

☞ Received by the same arrival, Gold and Silver Tape Lace, Gilt and Silver Cloth, do do Tassels; do do Lamins for embroideries, which are offered at the lowest prices.

DRESS AND MASKED BALLS.
M'me Gronx Fierobe.

No. 112 Conti street, between Bourbon and Dauphine.

BEGS leave to inform the public that she has opened her Store of Ball Costumes at No. 112 Conti street. M'me G. has brought from Paris a full assortment of Costumes, and invites Ball-Goers to call and examine them.

Costumes made to order, and Head-Dresses of all styles, Ribbons, &c., always in store, until Shrove Tuesday.

To Rent,

A VERY large and commodious DWELLING HOUSE, No. 142 Royal street.
Apply to EUG ROCHEREAU & CO.,
j24 17 & 19 St. Louis st

To Rent.

THE four-story brick STORES Nos. 107 and 107 Tchoupitoulas street, just at the fayette street running through to Fourth street. Possession given February 1st. Rent moderate. Apply to E J HART & CO.,
jan25 77 & 79 Tchoupitoulas st

A Fine Residence for Sale.

ON account of departure the residence of W. E. Murphy situated on the corner of Esplanade and Bourbon streets, is offered for sale. This is one of the best built and most elegantly finished houses in the city, with gas &c. &c.

Persons wishing to examine the property are to be terms, will apply to
ROBERT MURPHY, No. 62 Old Levee,
d25—2m corner of St. Louis street.

IN STORE and for sale by the subscriber—
1000 baskets Anisseed, of several qualities;
400 cases Curaçoa, 600 do Maraschino;
100 baskets and 20 cases Guignolet;
100 cases Green Cordial; 25 do Cream of Tea;
100 cases Dantzick Cordial; 25 do [illegible] of Noyau;
500 cases Cordials, of different qualities;
100 do common Absynth; 50 do [illegible];
100 do Peppermint; 100 do Stoughton Bitters;
25 do Rocker's and 50 do Gouley's Bitters;
20 do Vermouth; 100 cases Cherry Brandy;
40 cases surfine and 40 do superfine Cognac;
10 do American Brandy;
20 do superior Bourbon Whiskey;
4 bbls fine Madeira, and 3 do Porto;
20 casks family Claret;
2 hhds Jamaica Rum, and 6 do imitation;
2 pipes Holland Gin;
5 qr pipes Brandy, different brands.
an25 F. ROUMIEU, 20 St. Louis st

Literary and Musical Education,
195 *St. Joseph street, between Carondelet and Baronne streets.*

MADAME MAY informs the families of New Orleans that she will take charge of a few scholars, whom she will teach either at their parents' or her own residence. She will unite the different branches of a good Literary Education, with lessons in Music and on the Piano, for the purpose of rendering the expense of acquiring a Literary and Musical Education less costly than if families employed different professors.

Madame May will take scholars for Music or French, conjointly or separately. dec 2 3m

SILESIAN WARE.

THIS article, which gained so much admiration, and of which so many purchased last season, is now offered for sale at No. 7 Camp street, at which place old customers and new ones are invited to call and supply themselves. No Ware ever offered in the city has gained such universal approval from the purchaser, in view of the price paid. Why then expend such large sums, when the interest of your money will procure such articles as will give to your tables both elegance and durability, scarcely less than that costing ten times as much, and possessing a brightness equally lasting. Almost every variety of articles for table use are now manufactured, and of styles greatly admired; nor are they less suitable for Christmas Presents, as articles of beauty or for future use. EDSON HART,
dec25 2tawly No. 7 Camp street.

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

THESE instruments, invented by Dr. Dare, of Va., are superior to any other for supporting the back, expanding the chest, and securing an erect form so essential to health, vigor and good appearance. The ease with which they are worn, possessing great elasticity, which is never lessened by use, and being adapted to every movement of the body without constraint, will secure for them a large and extensive sale.

Having examined the above instruments, I certify that they are admirably adapted to further the purpose intended. WARREN STONE, M. D.
New Orleans, February 14, 1854.
EDSON HART,
dec25 1y6w No. 7 Camp