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MONDAY, January 6th, 1845.

This being the day appointed for the meeting of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, the Senate met accordingly in the State House, in the city of New Orleans.

The following members being present, viz:—A. G. Carter, of Feliciana, President; James G. Allen, Lafourche; Joseph Bernard, Baton Rouge; S. W. Downs, Ouachita; A. Declouet, Attakapas; Daniel Edwards, St. Tammany; Felix Garcia, German Coast; John H. Harmanson, Rapides; Duncan F. Kenner, Acadia; A. Livaudais, Third Senatorial District; Zenon Ledoux, Pointe Coupée; Henry Marshall, Natchitoches; Thomas Slidell, Second Senatorial District.

Mr Downs moved that the oath of office be administered to the members elect. His motion prevailed, and

Messrs Allen, Edwards, Declouet, Garcia, Harmanson, Kenner and Livaudais, were sworn and took their seats.

Mr Bernard moved that the Senate proceed to elect a President. His motion prevailed, and he nominated Mr Felix Garcia, of the German Coast, as a candidate.

The votes being polled, the President appointed Messrs Bernard and Downs as tellers.

The votes being counted, (thirteen members present) it appeared that Mr Felix Garcia, was unanimously elected President, for the year 1845.

And, on motion of Mr. Bernard, the oath of office was administered to Mr Garcia, who took the Chair, and addressed the Senate.

On motion of Mr Downs, the Senate proceeded to the election of Secretary.

The votes being polled, the President appointed Messrs Bernard and Allen, as tellers.

On counting the votes, it appeared that Horatio Davis had received 13 votes.

He was therefore declared unanimously elected Secretary of the Senate, for the year 1845.

On motion of Mr. Declouet, the Secretary was sworn.

On motion of Mr Carter, the Senate proceeded to the election of two Translating Clerks from English into French, and one Translating Clerk French into English.

The same Tellers were appointed.

On counting the votes, it appeared that Messrs Emile Wiltz and J. B. Maureau, had received 13 votes as translators from English into French and that St Colombe Davis had received 13 votes as translator from French into English.

They were consequently declared unanimously elected.

On motion of Mr Downs, the Senate proceeded to the election of four Enrolling Clerks.

The President again appointed Messrs Bernard and Allen, as tellers.

The votes being counted: the result was, that

Mr Adolphe Dupré, had received		12 votes.
Pierce Lecoste,	do.	8
F. B. Richardson,	do.	7
Deléry,	do.	6
D. O. Nadaud,	do.	5
J. J. Plantevigne	do.	4
Briant,	do.	5
Tête,	do.	4
Dulieu,	do.	3
A Arevo,	do.	1

Messrs Dupré, Lecoste and Richardson, having received a requisite majority of votes, were declared duly elected Enrolling Clerks.

On motion, the Senate proceeded to ballot for a fourth Enrolling Clerk.

The same Tellers were appointed, and the result was that

Mr Nadaud, had received		3 votes
Briant,		2
Plantevigne,		4
Loufeu,		2
Tête,		1

None of the candidates having received the required majority;

On motion, the Senate proceeded to a third ballot for a fourth Enrolling Clerk.

Mr Nadaud, had obtained		3 votes.
Briant,		2
Plantevigne,		6
Tête,		1

Neither of the candidates having received the necessary majority, the Senate proceeded to a fourth ballot.

The President again appointed the same tellers, and the result was as follows:—

Mr Plantevigne, had received		5 votes.
Briant,		5
Nadaud,		3

No candidate having yet received a majority, on motion, the Senate proceeded to a fifth ballot.

Before polling the votes Mr Bernard informed the Senate that Mr Nadaud was no longer a candidate.

The same tellers were again appointed by the President, and the following was the result:—

Mr Plantevigne had received		8 votes.
Briant		5

Mr J J Plantevigne having received the necessary majority of all the votes cast, was declared duly elected.

On motion of Mr Slidell, the Senate proceeded to the election of a Reporter, a Sergeant at Arms and a Door Keeper.

The President appointed the same tellers, and the result was that—

Mr R. J. Ker had received 13 votes as Reporter.

Mr C. Lemaitre had received 13 votes as Sergeant at Arms.

And Mr A. Grasset received 13 votes as Door Keeper.

They were consequently proclaimed duly elected.

On motion of Mr Carter, the Secretary informed the House of Representatives, that the Senate had elected the Hon. Felix Garcia, President, and Horatio Davis, Secretary, and that the Senate was now organized and ready to proceed to business.

Mr Downs presented the following resolution, which was read and adopted:—

"Resolved, That each member of the Senate be furnished with ten copies daily of such of the City papers as may be selected by each, for distribution among their constituents."

The President submitted the following letter which was read:

"New Orleans, Jan. 4th, 1845.

To the President and Members of the Senate of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana.

Gentlemen—You are respectfully requested to attend an examination of the Pupils of the Public Schools of Municipality No 3, which will take place on Monday and Tuesday next at half past 1 o'clock, p. m.

Your most obedient servants,

(Signed) WM. DEBUYS,
(Signed) L. DUVIGNEAUD,
(Signed) L. DELETRA,
(Signed) JNO. CULBERTSON, Pres't
Board of Direction.

Mr Slidell moved that the foregoing invitation be accepted.

His motion was carried.

The President appointed Messrs Edwards, Livaudais, and Carter, on the committee on Contingent Expenses.

By a message from the House, the Senate was informed that the House of Representatives had elected the Hon. Antoine Boudousquié as Speaker, and P. T. Landry as Clerk, and that the House was now organized and ready to proceed to business.

The concurrence of the Senate was also requested to a resolution appointing a joint committee of two members of the House and —— members of the Senate, to wait on the Governor and inform him that the Legislature was now organized and ready to receive any communication from him.

The Senate was also informed that Messrs. Stillé and Fluker were appointed on said committee on the part of the House.

On motion of Mr. Downs, the Senate dispensed with their rules and said resolution was read for the first time.

On motion, the rules were again dispensed with, said resolution was read for the second time, and the blank therein filled with the words "two members of the Senate."

The rules were, on motion, again dispensed with; said resolution was read for the third time, and was adopted.

The President appointed Messrs. Downs and Bernard on said committee.

On motion, the rules were again dispensed with and the Secretary informed the House of the concurrence of the Senate in said resolution, and that Messrs. Downs and Bernard had been appointed on the said committee, on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Bernard of the said committee appointed to wait on the Governor, informed the Senate that the committee had done so, and that the Governor would forward a message in writing.

The Honorable Zénon Labauve, Senator from Iberville, appeared and took his seat.

Mr Z Ledoux, Jr., the Governor's Private Secretary, delivered the following written message from the Governor, with the following accompanying documents, viz:

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

As a new Legislature, but lately selected from the mass of the people, and coming, as you do, from the different sections of the State, I entertain no doubt but you are well prepared to provide, by legislation, the wants of our common constituents; such measures, therefore, as you may adopt, carrying out that effect will meet with my hearty co-operation, so far as they fall within my powers and duties as prescribed by the constitution.

Taking into consideration that a convention to revise, change or amend our present constitution, has made some progress in their deliberations, and will soon again be in session, I have thought it quite likely that you would not be disposed to take up at this session any general subject of legislation, but that you would, in all probability, confine your action to such measures as were of an absolute and pressing necessity; whether I have correctly anticipated your disposition in this particular, will depend altogether upon your will.

It strikes me, however, that such a course, would be good policy under present circumstances and certainly, in a financial point of view, it strongly recommends itself to your serious attention.

I have much satisfaction in having it in my power to inform you, that the revenue of the State has been promptly collected and paid into the treasury, and that that branch of the public service, is in the most prosperous state, as will more fully appear by the annual report of the officer at its head.

The public works, with the limited means applicable to them, have, I think, advanced as much as could be expected: the detailed report of the Engineer, which he will submit to you, will show the operations for the past year. Whenever the Legislature will take up the subject of internal improvement, with a view of placing it on a permanent footing, it will be found that the present system cannot be continued with success. Desired as it was in reference to the expenditure of the large appropriations heretofore made for internal improvements, it is no longer adapted to the present limited means at the disposition of the State. Either the fund must be enlarged, or a less expensive system adopted.

I am not aware that the Banks, (that heretofore fruitful source of legislation,) will probably occupy much of your time. The present laws, applicable to them, appear to work to the satisfaction of all, for since the adjournment of the last legislature, I have heard no complaints from any quarter.

I have been informed by the Board of Directors of the Union Bank of Louisiana, that the bonds of the state, issued in favor of that institution, which matured on the first day of November last, and amounting to one million seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars have been redeemed; and will be held subject to your order for cancelling.

It is to be regretted that the act of the last session, contemplating an arrangement with several Banks, could not be carried into effect, for want of the consent of those institutions. Had the object had in view by the Legislature been accomplished, it would have enabled the Treasurer, to extinguish to a considerable amount, the indebtedness of the State, and at the same time put an end to all connection between the State and those institutions, a result desirable on account of both parties. If this subject, which I recommend to your earnest consideration, is to be pursued any further, it will be for you to decide what modification to the present law shall be made, to obviate the objections urged against it by the Banks.

A letter lately received from the Principal of the deaf and dumb Asylum of Danville, in the State of Kentucky, informs me that the two subjects sent there by the State, are progressing as well as could be expected in their studies, and that their health is remarkably good.

Under the provisions of the act of the Legislature of the 25th day of March, 1844, the Treasurer has effected the sale of the [illegible] Railroad, slaves, &c., attached thereto; also, that of the other property of the State directed thereby to be disposed of, and has obtained, I believe, fully as much as could be expected for the same; so that the proceeds of this property, heretofore useless to the State and a part of which was fast decaying, can now be made available in the discharge of the liabilities of the State, and diminish by so much our debt; and here I must be permitted to say that should the Legislature continue in the course pursued by their immediate predecessors, but a very short time will be necessary to extinguish the whole of our debt, and thereby place the State on the high road of prosperity, to which her locality, and great commercial and agricultural resources entitle her.

Under the provisions of the act of the General Assembly of the 25th of March, 1844, I have farmed out the Penitentiary at Baton Rouge, under terms and conditions which I think highly advantageous to the State; for the particulars of said lease I refer you to a copy of the contract herewith annexed. I would also call your attention to the Report of the board of Administrators which shows that for the short time the plan has been in operation it has worked well, and bids fair to be entirely successful.

The Lessees are intelligent and enterprising men, having ample funds at their command to perform all they have engaged to perform; and those far have acted in perfect harmony with the officers representing the State in the Institution. I feel perfectly confident myself that the experiment now made of leasing the Institution, will prove to be decidedly the best system that can be adopted, and be the means of saving large sums of money, whilst the Institution will be placed on a footing creditable to the State.

The sale of the lands ordered by the act of the last session has produced $40,701 60 cents.

I cannot close this communication without earnestly calling your attention to a question which during the preceding year has been much discussed by the people of this State, one which I consider of the greatest importance to our welfare and tranquillity, and certainly calculated in its result to affect seriously, for good or for evil, the interest of the whole Union; I allude to the question of the "Annexation of Texas to our confederation. Whatever may have been the division and the causes of that division among us, upon that question, I sincerely believe that late events together with the lights that have been thrown upon it by discussions, have satisfied the great majority of the people, not only of the propriety, but the necessity of the measure; although of the advantages that may be derived from it, in a pecuniary point of view, more will accrue to that portion of the Union engaged principally in commerce and manufactures than to ourself, yet in adding to our safety and to our tranquility it is recommended to us by the most weighty considerations.

Considering the great interest which this subject has excited throughout the State, and the important bearing that it must have upon our future prosperity, I would respectfully suggest the propriety of such action on your part as would be expressive of the wishes and feelings of the people of this State as regards this measure.

That the result of your deliberations may tend to increase the happiness of our common constituents and to ensure to them the blessings of our free institutions, is my most sincere prayer.

A. MOUTON.

January, 6th, 1845.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, }
City of New Orleans. }

This agreement, made this ninth day of July, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty four between His Excellency Alexander Mouton, Governor of the State of Louisiana in his said capacity of the one part, and James A. McHatton and William Pratt of the other part: Witnesseth—

That for and in consideration of the covenants and agreements hereafter expressed, and which on the part and behalf of James A. McHatton and William Pratt, their heirs, executors and administrators are to be done and performed, the Governor does hereby lease unto the said McHatton and Pratt for the term of five years from the first day of October, eighteen hundred and forty four, the Louisiana Penitentiary situated in the town of East Baton Rouge, with the right, privileges and appurtenances thereunto appertaining, the Lessees hereby obligating themselves, their heirs, executors and administrators to take charge of the Lo. penitentiary and faithfully to administer the same in accordance with the provisions of an act of the General Assembly of the State, approved the twenty fifth day of March eighteen hundred and forty four entitled, An act to provide for the better administration of the Louisiana Penitentiary.

It is agreed that the Louisiana Penitentiary from the first day of October eighteen hundred and forty four shall be placed under the control of the said James A. McHatton and William Pratt for the term of five years from that date.

That the said James McHatton and William Pratt before being placed in possession of the said Penitentiary and appurtenances as aforesaid shall execute their bond as principal, with Leo Carleton, George W. Ward, John Emerson and P. W. Farnell securities in solido in the sum of twenty five thousand dollars for the faithful performance of this contract, and on the receipt thereof shall give bond and security in the further sum of fifteen thousand dollars to secure the State for an advance to be made to that amount by the Governor and the faithful appropriation of the same in pursuance of the provisions of the ninth section of the aforesaid act in erecting machinery for the manufacture of bagging and rope from hemp and to complete the machinery for the manufacture of cotton and woollen goods, as set forth in the aforesaid ninth section of the act aforesaid.

And the said Lessees agree faithfully to repay to the State the said sum of fifteen thousand dollars in three years from the lease thereof, with interest to the State Treasury semi-annually at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable in pursuance of the ninth section of the said act.

The said Lessees agreed to give their bond to secure to the State of Louisiana the payment of the price of all the manufactured articles and materials to be purchased by the said McHatton and Pratt in pursuance of the tenth section of said act to the amount of the appraisal value thereof, payable at the expiration of the lease.

The lessees also engage to pay the sum of two thousand two hundred dollars per annum into the State Treasury quarterly for the payment of the salaries of the Clerk, Physician and Chaplain of said Penitentiary, as fixed by the fifth and seventh sections of the said act, so that the State shall be free from all charges and expense on account of the Penitentiary during the term of this lease.

Generally said Lessees engage to take charge of said Penitentiary under the direction of the Board of Directors, and conduct the same in the manner prescribed by the act aforesaid which is hereby made part of this agreement excepting that the Governor in exercising the discretion vested in him by the fifteenth section thereof, hereby agrees to exempt said Lessees from the payment of any part of the profits that may arise from said Penitentiary as required by the twelfth section of said act in consequence of the hazardous nature of this contract. And said Lessees do hereby agree to afford every facility to the Clerk, Physician and Chaplain of said Penitentiary in the discharge of their respective duties, and also to make the convicts comfortable and treat them with kindness and to comply with every thing else required by said act and the regulations of the Penitentiary, as fully as if specially stipulated in this contract.

And at the expiration of this lease the State of Louisiana is hereby bound to take all the articles manufactured in said Penitentiary and stock of materials on hand to be valued as provided in the tenth section of the aforesaid act.

And the said Lessees agree to maintain the premises leased in good order, and at the expiration of this lease to deliver up every thing placed in their possession in like good order according to the inventory which is to be made previous to taking possession of the premises by said Lessees.

The Lessees engage moreover to leave upon the premises at the termination of the lease all alterations, additions, buildings, improvements, machinery, &c. of every kind which the Lessees may place thereon during the lease, free of all charge to the State.

In faith whereof we have hereunto signed our names, this ninth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, in duplicate.

(Signed,) A. MOUTON,
Governor of the State of Louisiana.
WM. PRATT,
JAS. A. McHATTON,
By his Attorney.
WM. PRATT.

Witnesses:
ISAAC T. PRESTON,
ZENON LEDOUX, Jr.

Louisiana Penitentiary, }
Baton Rouge, 4th December, 1844. }

To His Excellency Alexander Mouton,
Governor of Louisiana—

Sir: Agreeably to the authorization of the Board of Directors of the Louisiana Penitentiary, (a copy of which is contained in the enclosed document marked A,) I beg leave to transmit to your Excellency the within documents, together with the following statement of facts and the opinion of the Board of Directors relative to the affairs of that institution.

According to the instructions of the Governor communicated to us through the Attorney General, the Board of Directors on the 12th day of October last, transferred the Penitentiary, together with the prisoners, and all materials, implements, &c., to Messrs McHatton and Pratt, the lessees, and on the 29th of October, they transferred to them all the manufactured articles which were then on hand, and took their receipts for the same, which receipts were left in the hands of the clerk, with instructions to forward them to the Secretary of State, that they might be placed on file in his office. All the property thus transferred was first appraised by two competent persons duly appointed and sworn for that purpose according to law.

Doctor F. M. Hereford has been appointed physician, and the Rev. J. Woodbridge chaplain to the Penitentiary, as required by law. The physician and chaplain entered upon their duties on the first day of November last.

The enclosed document marked B contains a statement of the increase of machinery and alterations made in the arrangement of the prison since the lessees took charge of it. The document marked C contains an application from the lessees to the Board of Directors, to recommend to your Excellency, the necessity of moving the east wall of the prison yard about one hundred and twenty feet back from where it now stands, and of raising the walls about six feet above their present hight, and also of erecting an additional two story brick building in which they propose to carry on the manufacture of bagging and rope.

These alterations and additional buildings, the Board of Directors with most earnestly to recommend to your Excellency's early consideration as highly necessary for the safety of the prisoners and of great advantage to the State, and indeed indispensable to enable the lessees to carry on the manufacture of bagging and rope to any advantage, as the present buildings are by no means sufficient; and if these changes are not made they will be under the necessity of erecting sheds outside the present wall for the purpose which would be not only exceedingly inconvenient but very unsafe, as it would be almost impossible, even with an increased number of guards, to prevent the prisoners from making their escape, as it is utterly impossible for them to perform that kind of labor with the heavy chains which they have heretofore worn.

The prisoners are treated with proper kindness and humanity, and at the same time the necessary discipline is rigidly kept up. The sick have every convenience and comfort which can be afforded to persons in their situation. The physician visits the hospital every morning and afternoon when necessity requires it.

The cell rooms, bedding and clothing are kept with great neatness, and the provisions furnished are of the best quality, well cooked and in abundance, and every part of the institution is conducted in a proper manner.

The whole establishment has undergone an entire change, and every part of the buildings and machinery are being put in a thorough state of repair, the expense of which is so great that the lessees must necessarily sustain a heavy loss by this year's operations; however, if the improvements above recommended should be carried into effect the present year, it would no doubt enable them to make the institution profitable to them during the other two years of the lease; and to the expiration of their time the Penitentiary might be again leased on terms much more profitable to the State. Without these improvements the branches of manufacture now being established as required by law, cannot in the opinion of the Board of Directors be successfully carried out.

The enclosed document marked D., contains an abridged statement of the financial affairs of the prison, up to the first of November last, at which time it was transferred to the lessees.

This Board of Directors would beg leave most respectfully to recommend to your Excellency's clemency the following named convicts now confined in the Penitentiary. To wit: Eleazer Rudd, Abraham Myers, Moses Broomfield and Alexander Adams.

The three first named of these prisoners are recommended not only for good conduct, but more especially on account of their advanced age and the infirm state of their health. Myers is entirely blind and the other two are affected with incurable diseases, and have never been able to perform any kind of labor since they came to the prison and it seems to the Board of Directors scarcely consistent with humanity to keep them any longer in confinement. For the reason why we recommend Adams as a proper subject of clemency, the Board would refer your Excellency to a recommendation given him by the former Board of Inspectors.

The Board would also beg leave to call the attention of your Excellency to the fact, that many of the criminals who are convicted in the city of New Orleans, have been detained in prison at that place during a great portion of the time for which they have been sentenced before they were sent up to the Penitentiary, so that in their cases the sentence of the law is never wholly fulfilled, and the Penitentiary is deprived of a large portion of their labor. This detention in the common prison after sentence, frequently causes them to come here entirely destitute of money and clothing; and either the State or the lessees must necessarily bear the expense of furnishing them with clothing and small sums of money when they are discharged from the prison.

We would most respectfully suggest to your Excellency the propriety of recommending the Legislature to pass a law at its next Session authorizing the President and Board of Directors, or some other person, to sue if necessary for all sums of money due from individuals to the Penitentiary. This power was formerly vested by law in the Warden, which officer has been discontinued.

The Board feel pleasure in being able to inform your Excellency that in our opinion the present system of management and the changes which are being made in the operations carried on in the Penitentiary, will, when properly completed, not only relieve the State from a heavy annual expense, but make that institution profitable to the lessees, and render it a source of revenue to the State after the expiration of the present lease.

The looms and other machinery which the lessees have erected for the manufacture of bagging, are constructed upon the latest and most improved plans, and the bagging which they are making at present is equal, if not superior to any article of the kind which is brought into the State from Kentucky.

The Cotton machinery which they have purchased was made in Lowell. It is quite new, having been in use only about six months before they bought it.—They have brought on an experienced machinist from Lowell to set it up, and it will be in full operation in the course of a few days. This machinery, and the accompanying apparatus, are pronounced by persons who are good judges, to be as good as any of the kind in the United States, and well adapted to the purposes for which it is wanted in the Penitentiary.

The lessees as so far manifest a disposition to act according to the full intent of their contract, and the law under which it is made, and to do ample justice to the prisoners and to the State, and we entertain no doubt, but that the present system, if continued and properly carried out, will promote in an eminent degree the interest of the State and the welfare and prosperity of the Penitentiary.

I have sir, the honor to be very respectfully, your excellency's most obedient servant,

(Signed) JAMES COOPER,
President Board Directors.

The foregoing message was read, and on motion of Mr Downs, it, as well as the accompanying documents, were ordered to be printed, to the number of 500 copies in each language—and in pamphlet form.

Mr Bernard presented the following resolution, which was read:

Resolved, That a Joint Committee of three members of the Senate and members of the House be appointed for the purpose of making the necessary arrangements for the celebration of the Anniversary of the Battle of the 8th January, 1845.

On motion, the rules were dispensed with, said resolution underwent its second and third readings and was adopted;

The President appointed Messrs Slidell, Kenner and Carter of said committee;

On motion, the rules were dispensed with, and the Secretary requested the concurrence of the House thereto.

He further informed the House that Messrs Slidell, Kenner and Carter were appointed of said committee on the part of the Senate.

On motion, the Senate adjourned till to morrow at 10 o'clock, A. M.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

MONDAY, 6th January, 1845

In the city of New Orleans, Monday, sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and forty-five, and of the sixty-ninth year of the Independence of the United States of America, being the day fixed by the Constitution for the meeting of the General Assembly, the Representatives of the several Parishes of the State met in the Hall of their sittings. Were present:

Messrs. A. Bickman, of the Parish	of Washington;
A Boudousquié,	St. Jean Baptiste;
D. F. Burthe,	Orleans;
E. Bush,	Lafourche Interior;
J. L. Caruthers,	Terrebonne;
J. E. Cole,	Lafourche Interior;
A. D. Crossman,	Orleans;
M. Cruzat,	Orleans;
H. Dey,	St. Helena;
A. Deblanc,	St. Martin;
Cie O. Duclozel,	St. Martin;
L. Duvigneaud,	Orleans;
D. J. Fluker,	East Feliciana;
B. G. Fonteneau,	Orleans;
W. T. Fortson,	Caddo & De Soto;
F. Gardère,	Orleans;
F. Garic,	St. Bernard;
J. K. Gaudet,	St. James;
Chs. Gayarré,	Orleans;
Wm. Griffin,	Avoyelles;
A. G. Howell,	West Feliciana;
V. Hebert,	W. Baton Rouge;
R. L. Kilgore,	Claiborne and Bossier;
F. J. Lazier,	Jefferson; [sic]
J. A. Landry,	Ascension;
J. Lavergne,	Orleans;
V. Leblanc,	Assumption;
J. Adrien Leblanc,	Lafourche Interior;
J. F. Marks,	West Feliciana;
P. May,	Ouachita, Union, [Caldwell, Morehouse &c;
J. M. Moore,	Lafayette;
Morgan Morgan,	East Baton Rouge;
R. W. Newport,	East Baton Rouge;
Hy. J. Peck,	Catahoula;
Jas. Perkins,	East Feliciana;
N. Pitié,	Orleans;
E. Rabalais,	Avoyelles;
John Ray,	Ouachita, Union, [Caldwell, Morehouse, &c;
W. B. Stillé,	Sabine,
Jas. Strawther,	St. Tammany;
L. E. Texada,	Rapides;
St. Julien Tournillon,	Assumption;
J. C. Van Wickle,	Pointe Coupée;
T. W. Wadsworth,	Plaquemines;
G. W. Waterston,	Livingston;
Benjamin Winchester,	St. James;
A. Young,	Vermillion.

On motion of Mr Wadsworth, Mr Burthe of Orleans was called to the chair as Speaker *pro tempore*.

Mr Winchester then moved that the House proceed to the election of their Speaker and nominated Mr Antoine Boudousquié member from the Parish of St. John the Baptist, as a candidate.

Mr Marks of West Feliciana, also nominated Mr T W Wadsworth of Plaquemines.

Mr Wadsworth stated to the House that he was not a candidate for said office.

All the members present having voted, on motion, two tellers were appointed.

On counting the votes it appeared that, out of forty-nine votes—

Mr A Boudousquié had obtained		31
Mr Wadsworth		15
Blank		3
		49

Mr Boudousquié having obtained the requisite majority of votes was declared duly elected Speaker of this House and took the oath of office as such.

On motion of Mr Fluker, the several representatives present took the oath of office prescribed by law.

By a message from the Senate, by Mr Davis, the House was informed that the Senate was now organized and ready to proceed to business, having appointed Mr Felix Garcia of the German Coast their President, and Mr Horatio Davis their Secretary.

Mr Howell of West Feliciana moved that the House do now proceed to the election of their Clerk and nominated Mr P T Landry as a candidate.

All the members present having voted, Messrs. Wadsworth and Stille were appointed Tellers.

On counting the votes it appeared that out of forty-eight members.

Mr P T Landry has obtained		38 votes.
Scattering		15
		48

Mr Landry having obtained the requisite majority was declared duly elected Clerk of the House of Representatives of Louisiana, during the seventeenth Legislature and took the oath office as such. On motion, the Clerk was directed to inform the Senate thereof that the House was now organized and ready to proceed to business, Mr Boudousquié being appointed Speaker and Mr Landry Clerk.

Mr Stillé offered the following resolution:

"Resolved, That a Committee of two members of the House and —— members of the Senate be appointed to wait on the Governor and inform him that the two Houses are organized and ready to receive any official communication from him."

Which resolution was read for the first time, and on motion the rules being dispensed with was read for the second time and adopted.

The speaker appointed Messrs Stillé and Fluker as members of said committee on behalf of the House.

The clerk was directed to request the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Mr Winchester moved that the House proceed to the election of a Sergeant at Arms and Door Keeper.

Said motion having prevailed, Messrs Descoteau Saucier, Remondet, and Planché were nominated as candidates for the office of Sergeant at Arms, and Messrs Louis Exnicios, Miles, Rennecke and Berwick, as candidates for that of Door Keeper.

The members present having voted, on motion two tellers were appointed.

On counting the votes, it appeared that out of forty-eight members present, Mr Descoteau Saucier had obtained 39 votes, Mr Louis Exnicois 28 votes, Mr Miles 13 votes, Mr Reinecke 6 votes, Mr Remondet 7 votes, Mr Planché 2 votes, Mr Berwick 1 vote, and one vote given in blank for Sergeant at Arms.

Messrs Descoteau Saucier and Louis Exnicois having obtained the requisite majority, were declared duly elected, the first as Sergeant at Arms, and the second as Door Keeper.

By a message from the Senate, by Mr Davis their Secretary, the House was informed of the concurrence of that body to the resolution appointing a joint committee to wait upon the Governor and to inform his Excellency that the two Houses were now organised and ready to receive any official communications from him, and that Messrs Downs and Bernard had been appointed on said committee on behalf of the Senate.

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

The House having met again, Mr Stillé, in behalf of the joint committee appointed to wait upon the Governor, reported that said committee had discharged their duty and that his Excellency would shortly send a message in writing.

Mr Stillé offered the following resolution, which was adopted, after having been amended:

Resolved, That the rules heretofore in force for the government of the House of Representatives be adopted, and that one hundred copies of the same be printed, by the State Printer for the use of members.

By a message from the Governor, by Mr Ledoux, his private Secretary, the following communication was transmitted to this House:

(For Message see Journal of the Senate.)

On motion of Mr Howell, ordered, that one thousand copies, each in French and English, of said message be printed for the use of members.

By a message from the Senate, by Mr Davis, their Secretary, the concurrence of this House is requested to a resolution appointing a Joint Committee to make the necessary preparations for the celebration of the anniversary of the Battle of the 8th of January, 1815.—Messrs Slidell, Kenner and Carter being appointed members of said committee, on behalf of the Senate.

On motion, said resolution was taken up and read for the first time.

The rules being dispensed with, the same was read a second time and adopted.

The Speaker appointed Messrs Cruzat, Howell, Stillé, Deblanc and Gayarré on said committee.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate thereof.

On motion, the House adjourned to to-morrow morning, at 10 o'clock.

AMUSEMENTS.

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LUDLOW & SMITH'S.

THURSDAY, Jan'y 16th, 1845.

Sixth night of the drama, entitled,

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With new and splendid scenery, by Mr. John Leslie, an extensive machinery by Mr. Ellsworth.

Previous to the Drama, the Comedy of

NAVAL ENGAGEMENTS:

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AT THE
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At a meeting of the subscribers, the following gentlemen were appointed Managers—

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Mr. Henry W. Olmsted,	Adj. W. E. Seymour,
Mr. E. I. Flash,	

The gentlemen whose names are marked with an asterisk, compose the Committee of Invitation.

The Second Ball will take place on THURSDAY, 16 h January, which will be MASKED.

Subscribers are requested to send in their lists of invitation.

By order of the Board of Managers.

G. CALCATERRA, Sec'y. j11

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A DRESS BALL will be given on TUESDAY next, the 14th January, to commence at 8 o'clock, P. M.

The COMMITTEE OF INVITATION meet every Monday and Friday evening, at 6 o'clock.

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ANDREW DALY, Secretary. j8

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DANIEL McCONNIKAN.

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DANIEL McCONNIKAN.

Personally appeared before me the above named Daniel McConnikan, and made oath of the facts contained in the foregoing statement.

JOHN CLOUD.

Justice of the Peace of the City of Baltimore.

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U S MAIL STEAMER WEST WIND.—For St. Louis, Alton and Illinois River, with despatch—The fast substantial light draught regular passenger packet steamer WEST WIND, R. Phillips, master, will be port in a few days, and will leave as above. For freight or passage, having fine accommodations, apply to

P C SHANNON, 51 Tchoupitoulas

☞ The West Wind will land freight or passengers at Memphis, Randolph, Mills' Point, or any other point on the coast.

U S MAIL STEAMER ST. LOUIS For St. Louis, Alton, Quincy and Warsaw, with despatch.—The very fast running regular passenger packet steamer ST LOUIS, Anderson, master, will be in port in a few days and leave for the above and intermediate ports, as above. For freight or passage, having fine accommodations, apply to

P C SHANNON, 51 Tchoupitoulas

☞ The St. Louis will land freight or passengers, at Memphis, Randolph and Mills' Point.

UNITED STATES MAIL.

Steamer BRILLIANT—Regular Packet for the COAST, DONALDSONVILLE, BATON ROUGE, PORT HUDSON, BAYOU SARA AND POINT COUPEE.

The splendid steamer BRILLIANT, Captain Jesse Hart, will leave New Orleans every Wednesday morning, at 10 o'clock, and Bayou Sara every Saturday after the arrival of the railroad cars, and arrive in New Orleans on Sunday morning. For freight or passage apply on board, or to

o8 WM H AVERY, 86 Gravier

FOR THE BALIZE—The fine steamer FAME, Captain Jourdain Martin, having been newly refitted, will leave every Monday, at 9 o'clock A. M., the foot of St Louis street, for the Balize and intermediate ports.

For freight or passage, apply to

J LAROSE, 70 Old Levee

UNITED STATES MAIL.

Regular Packet for the Coast, Donaldsonville, Baton Rouge, Port Hudson, Bayou Sara, Point Coupee, Tunica and Fort Adams.

The splendid steamer ALEX. SCOTT, Captain Swon, will leave New Orleans for the above ports, every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, and Bayou Sara every Wednesday, after the arrival of the Railroad Cars, and arrive in New Orleans on Thursday morning. For freight or passage apply on board, or to

s7—6m WM H AVERY, 86 Gravier

BALL COSTUMES.

MESSRS. MONTASSIER and DESSONVILLE have the honor to inform the public that they possess a complete and elegant assortment of dresses and costumes suitable for Mask Balls. Apply at No. 171 Burgundy st, between St. Peter and Toulouse. j6—6t

ALFRED BOISSEAU,
PORTRAIT PAINTER.

No 162 Royal street, between St Louis and Conti sts.

HAS the honor to inform the Public that his Studio is open every day from 9 o'clock, A. M. till 3 o'clock, P. M. j2d

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—J M ANGUERA having this day associated himself with MANUEL ANGUERA, the business in future will be conducted under the firm of ANGUERA & BROTHER.

J M ANGUERA,
MANUEL ANGUERA

ja. 1st. 1845—1m

HAVANA, 15th November, 1844.

MRS. ROULLIET begs leave to make known that having taken the large and airy house No. 116 in Calle de Obispo, which combines the advantages of being in the most agreeable, healthy, and, at the same time central part of the city of Havana, in the immediate neighborhood of the entrance to the harbor and has an extensive view of the sea and the Moro Castle; she there continues to offer to her friends in the United States and travellers generally, the great attention and comforts she has always bestowed on and endeavored to procure those who have honored her with their patronage. j5—30

TEN DOLLARS REWARD.

ABSCONDED, on the 8th November last, from the Brick Yard below, formerly called Falwell's Brick Yard, the griffe negro named ISAAC, by trade a carpenter speaks English only; about 27 or 28 years old; 5 feet 7 or 3 feet 8 inches high; supposed to be lurking about the 3d Municipality.

The above reward will be paid for lodging him in any jail the said negro at the Second, Third or First Municipality or on delivery to A. GORDON, WYLIE & Co.

MRS MACE has the honor of informing the ladies that on Monday, 13th inst, she will commence the sale of her large assortment of FANCY GOODS, Bonnets, &c. selling out her goods during the season, her prices will be very moderate. Merchants who wish to assort their stock will find advantageous terms.

Royal street, No 144 near Toulouse street. d18 tf

MRS FANNY FRYER has the honor of informing the ladies of the City and Country that she has just received from France a fine assortment of GOODS, which she will open on Monday next. She begs to intimate to ladies that she has brought with her two Seamstresses and has also secured the services of Miss OLYMPE, whose talents are already known. d10

VALUABLE MILL PROPERTY IN THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY.

A Steam Saw Mill and [illegible] of Land, situated at the head of navigation on the Tangipaho river, in the above parish. The Mill is large; the Engine good and capable of sawing 3000 feet of inch boards in 12 hours. The land, on both sides of the river, above the mill is well timbered, and a supply of yellow pine logs can be obtained at very small expense—the land attached to the mill is of the first quality, bearing cane and has produced fine crops of corn to the acre—on the same is a comfortable dwelling house and out buildings, good garden with fruit trees of various kinds—blacksmith's shop, tools, &c.—The said property is located in the most pleasant and healthy part of the pine wood region, and only 50 miles from the city of New Orleans.

ALSO—840 acres of good land, suitable for a cotton plantation, situated in the parish of St. Helena, on the Tangipaho river,—part of which is cleared, and the location healthy. For terms, &c. apply to FROST & Co., No. 10 Magazine street, New Orleans. d 8 1m

NOTICE.—We have associated with us from this date, Messrs J. G. STOUSE & SEBASTIAN OSER.

CHARLES ODIER & Co.

1st September, 1844.

T. E. BENOIT informs his friends and the Public in general, that he has removed his MUSIC STORE to No 75 Chartres street, between Conti and Bienville.

He has received by the Sea Lion, Norman and Taglioni a large assortment of

ITALIAN AND FRENCH STRINGS.

Also—A fine assortment of Flutes, guitars, violins, altos violincelles, double basses, drums, brass instruments, a new kind of valve trumpets, &c. &c.

DETAINED at the Jail of the Parish of St. John the Baptist, the negro girl named DAVIS or HUBERT, belonging to Mr Turnbull, in the Second Municipality of New Orleans. The owner is requested to come and take her agreeably to law.

Parish of St. John the Baptist, November 18, 1844.

j3 A. LUMINAIS, sheriff

TO MERCHANT TAILORS AND CLOTHING MANUFACTURERS.—WILLIAM FITZMAURICE Teacher of the art of measuring and drafting garments in the Parisian and London styles, respectfully informs the trade, that he is now fully prepared to give instructions in the above art, in all its branches.

He would particularly call the attention of all manufacturers of clothing to his beautiful style of cutting overcoats, sacks, D'Orsays, &c., also his pantaloons and vests, for which he is ready to furnish patterns of every size, shape and style. A line addressed to him, 3 Royal street, will meet with immediate attention.

He has good references in the city. o29—1 1 1

COAL.—The subscribers keep always on hand a large supply of the best quality, Pittsburgh and Anthracite coal, which they offer for sale to their friends at moderate prices, free of cartage.

WM J HEPP & Co.

☞ Orders left at Wm McKean's Store, corner of Camp and Common streets.

At E. Kocherean & Co's No. 182 Royal street.

Or, at the yard, Levee street, between Race and Orange streets, will be promptly executed. o22

GARTHWAITE, PAYAN & CO.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL CLOTHING STORE,
No. 30 CANAL STREET,
(between Chartres and old Levee,

HAVE now received per ships Wabash, Louisa, Uncas, Parthenon, Cores and Vicksburg, the balance of their winter goods composed of the following assortment of Ready Made Clothing, which they offer at extremely low prices for cash:

Paletots, Overcoats and Clay Coats:

Blue, white, green and blue black Flushing, blue and drab Pilot cloth; Lowell jeans; Kentucky jeans, Tweed, plaid and striped casimere.

Dress and Frock Coats, Coatees and Paletots:

French, English, German and American black, blue, green, invisible green, brown and gold colored cloths.

Pantaloons:

French and English, plain black, buckskin, plaid, striped and blue cassimere; Tweed, Kerseys, linseys, Kentucky jeans, cottonade and cassimere plaids.

Rolling Collar, Double Breasted Vests:

Black and figured silk velvet and cloth, fancy cashmere, wool velvet, figured and plain black satin, white Marseilles and black bombazine.

Shirts and Drawers:

Irish linen, linen bosom and cotton calico, check, Canton flannel, lambswool, merino and cotton shirt collars.

Figured satin and merino; rich scarfs; superior gum elastic suspenders, stocks, gloves and cotton suspenders of all kinds; 30 mens' and boys' seal caps, cloth and Japan caps.

Boys' Clothing:

Tweed and cloth paletots; black cloth frock coats, vests and pants of all kinds.

Planters, merchants and dealers are respectfully invited to examine the above goods before purchasing elsewhere.

j6 tf GARTHWAITE, PAYAN & Co.

MARSEILLES GOODS JUST LANDING—LOISON & SILVESTRE, 38 Chartres st, offer for sale on the Levee, at the landing of the ship Edinburgh, just from Marseilles—3000 empty claret Bottles; 300 baskets olive oil, first quality, of Plagniol, largest size bottles; 500 baskets do in half bottles, 150 boxes assorted Pickles, 75 do Capers, 10 do small Cucumbers; 20 bales fine beer pointed Corks, 15 do claret bottle Corks, 20 demijohns swelled Almonds; 50 boxes superfine Cordials, in 1-2 and 1-4 bottles with rich labels and caps; 100 boxes do in large bottles; 30 do Noyon Cordial first quality; 16 do Eau Verte 40.5 do Curaçao, 30 do Absynthe, warranted, 25 do Cologne water, in large flacons, 30 do do; 30 doz rounded Soap and other Perfumery, for sale by LOISON & SILVESTRE,

j4 38 Chartres

SUPERIOR WINES—WILLIAM W. BONNIN, Agent for Messrs. B. Stock & Co. Wine Merchants, of Paris, & successor to the late Dom's Lynch of New York, having just returned from France, offers for sale the following superior WINES of his own direct importation, viz:

Brane Cantenac,	1840	
do do,	1836	cases of six dozen bottles.
Grand Vin Leoville,	1836	
Chateau Lafitte.	1840	

Superior Golden Sherry, cases three dozen bottles.

Moselle Wine, do one do do

St. Julien, Sauterne, Medoc, and superfine Cognac Brandy in casks.

W. W. B. also offers any quantity of B. Stock & Co's brand, the "Cordon Bleu" Champagne, which owing to its superiority, has become a favorite Wine throughout the United States, and takes this opportunity of informing the public that a spurious article has been manufactured (bearing the same brand,) in France for the markets of the Union. None is genuine except it bears the annexed stamp on the respective corks;

The only direct importers in the United States are Messrs. Barclay & Livingston at New York, and the undersigned in this city. Apply to

W. W. BONNIN, Agent, 12 Royal street, or to

d11—89 d A. GORDON WYLIE & CO. 42 Bienville

HAVANA SEGARS—Just received per recent importations and for sale by the subscribers—500,000 Havana segars of superior kind and of the following brands—Rencurrel, Regalia and Fuertes; La Ingenuidad, do La Inteligencia, do, La Flora Celebrada, Canones & Millar; La Diana, do, La Vengadora, do, and Millar; Esculapio, do, Caballeros and Millar, La Estrella, do, La Hayana, do, El Renegado, do, Imperiales, Congresso and Millar, La Victoria, do, La Alianza, do, Upman (Woodville) do, Barones and Millar.

j10 E. JOHNS, 110 Poydras

COFFEE, LIQUORS, &c.—Sai bags Laguayra Coffee 150 bags Rio Coffee; 150 barrels Domestic Brandy Gin; Neutral Spirits and N E Rum; 30 casks sweet Malaga Wine, 20 bags pepper; 10 casks Sicily Madeira, now landing from ships Vicksburg and Indiana, and for sale by

ja23 WOOD & SIMMONS, 90 Magazine

WOOD & SIMMONS, No 90 Magazine street offer for sale, landing ex schr. Warrior: 140 tierces prime new crop, Rice—134 bbls common ex ship Sultana, Brandy—25 bbls 1st proof American ex ship Delta; Coffee—300 bags prime green Rio. j10

COASTWISE.

This line is composed of the following ships—To sail every ten days during the season—

Ship VICKSBURG, Capt.		Berry,
" ORLEANS,	....	Sears,
" LOUISA,	....	Leavitt,
" ARKANSAS,	....	Burgess
" PANTHEA,	....	Dennis,
" SARATOGA,	....	Russell,
" ALABAMA,	....	Bunker.

The above ships are of the first class, coppered and copper fastened, were built in New York expressly for this trade, are of light draught of water, and almost invariably cross the Bar without detention. These packets are commanded by captains well experienced in the trade, who will always exert themselves to accommodate. They will be towed up and down the river, and will promptly sail as advertised.

They have handsome furnished accommodations, and stores of the first quality will always be furnished, and every attention paid to the comfort and satisfaction of passengers.

Neither the owners nor captains of these ships will be responsible for jewelry, bullion, precious stones, silver or plated ware, or for any letters, parcels or packages, sent by or put on board of them, unless regular bills of lading are taken for the same, and the value thereon expressed. For freight or passage, apply to

a4 AARON COHEN, 90 Common st

FOR NEW YORK—The Louisiana and New York Line of Packets. This line is composed of the following ships:

Ship SHAKSPEARE, Captain		Miner,
" YAZOO,	"	Cornell,
" OCONEE,	"	Jackson,
" MISSISSIPPI,	"	Hillard,
" LOUISVILLE,	"	Hunt,
" GASTON,	"	Latham,
" HUNTSVILLE,	"	Mumford,
" OCMULGEE,	"	Leavitt,
" NASHVILLE,	"	Dickinson,
" MEMPHIS,	"	Knight,
" LOUISA,	"	Milford.

These ships were all built in the city of New York, expressly for packets, are of light draught of water, have recently been newly coppered, and put in splendid order with accommodations for passengers unequalled for comfort. They are commanded by experienced masters who will make every exertion to give general satisfaction.—They will at all times be towed up and down the Mississippi river by steamboats.

Neither the owners or captains of these ships will be responsible for jewelry, bullion, precious stones, silver or plated ware, or for any letter, parcel or package, sent by, or put on board of them, unless regular bills of lading are taken for the same, and the value therein expressed. For freight or passage, apply to

o22 HULLIN & WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

FOR PHILADELPHIA—HAND'S LINE OF PACKETS

This line is composed of the following vessels:

Barque SARAH HAND, Bailey, master.
Barque RAMMAHON ROY, Cutts, master,
Barque JRAD PERRY, Chase, master;
Barque [illegible], now building

The above vessels are of the first class and well calculated for the trade, being of small capacity. They will be towed up and down the Mississippi by steam, and are commanded by careful and experienced captains, and will sail punctually as advertised.

Neither the owners or captains of these ships will be responsible for jewelry, bullion, precious stones, silver or plated ware, or for any letters, parcels or packages sent by or put on board of them, unless regular bills of lading are signed for the same, and the value thereof expressed.

o20 T TOBY & BOGERT.

FOR PHILADELPHIA—New Line. This line is composed of the following vessels:

Ship CHESTER, Capt Vandyke;
Ship ST LOUIS, do Mirke;
Barque RENOWN, Watson.
Ship

These ships are of the first class, of light draught, well adapted to the trade, and have superior accommodations for passengers. They are commanded by captains well experienced, who will always exert themselves to accommodate. They will be towed up and down the river, and will sail promptly as advertised.

For freight or passage apply to AARON COHEN, 90 Common st

WANTED—A barque or ship to load for New York, from the Levee. Apply to

j14 T TOBY & BOGERT, 70 Camp

WANTED—A vessel of the capacity of 1500 tons of sugar to load from the coast for a northern port. j9 T TOBY & BOGERT, 70 Camp

WANTED—A barque or brig to load for Philadelphia from the Levee. Apply to

j14 T TOBY & BOGERT, 70 Camp

FOR NEW YORK—Louisiana and New York Line.—The splendid fast sailing packet ship GENEVA, Captain Goodhue, has a great part of her cargo engaged and going on board, will have immediate despatch. For freight or passage having unsurpassed accommodations, apply on board opposite the Vegetable Market, or to HULLIN & WOODRUFF, j14 60 Camp

FOR NEW YORK—The ship ELLIS, Captain Mix, will have despatch. For freight, apply to

j1 LEVI H GALE, 93 Common

Saturday the [illegible] instant.

FOR NEW YORK—Holmes' Line Packets—The regular packet ship VICKSBURG, Berry, master, having a part of her cargo engaged will have quick despatch. For freight or passage having elegant accommodations, apply to the captain on board opposite the Vegetable Market, or to

AARON COHEN, 90 Common

FOR NEW YORK—To sail to-morrow night, the New York and New Orleans Line—The splendid A 1 fast sailing packet ship JESSORE, Pollard, master, having the bulk of her cargo engaged, will sail as above. For balance of freight or passage, apply on board opposite the Vegetable Market, or to

FOR [illegible] & BRO. 74 Camp

Positively Saturday night.

FOR NEW YORK—The [illegible] fast sailing regular packet ship [illegible], Capt. Jameson, will positively sail on Saturday, having nearly all her cargo engaged and on board, will sail as above. For balance of freight or passage, having handsome accommodations, apply on board opposite the Vegetable Market, or to J. W. STANTON & Co., Corner Magazine and Lafayette streets

FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 ship [illegible], Captain Ryan, is now loading for the above port and will have good despatch, having a part of her cargo engaged. For balance of freight apply to the master on board opposite the Triangle [illegible], or to

J P WHITNEY & CO, 93 Camp.

FOR NEW YORK—Mutual Line—The A 1 regular packet ship [illegible], [illegible] Caswell, having a greater part of her cargo engaged, will sail on [illegible] days. For balance of freight or passage apply on board, or to

T TOBY & BOGERT, 70 Camp

FOR PROVIDENCE—The fine brig [illegible] SALINE, Captain Singer, will have despatch for the above. For passage, apply to

LEVI H GALE, 93 Common

FOR BOSTON—The A 1 fast sailing ship NESSAQUEQUON, Captain Jaques, will have [illegible] despatch for the above port. For freight or passage, having handsome accommodations, apply to the master on board, or to J P WHITNEY & Co., 73 Camp

To sail on Saturday next the 18th inst.

FOR BOSTON—The A 1 fast sailing packet ship LAVATER, Capt. Price, having three-fourths of her cargo engaged and going on board, will have despatch as above. For balance of freight or passage, having handsome accommodations, apply on board, at First Municipality, or to T TOBY & BOGERT, 70 Camp, j14 or to J A MERRITT & Co, 40 Camp

FOR BOSTON—The new A 1 ship HELEN AUGUSTA, Captain Kinsey, will have her cargo engaged, and will have quick despatch. For freight, apply to J P WHITNEY & Co. 73 Camp

FOR BOSTON—The A 1 ship ANTOLEAN [illegible], will have quick despatch. For passage only, apply to the master on board, or to

j11 J P WHITNEY & Co, 73 Camp

FOR BOSTON—The ship APOLLO, Captain Snow. For freight, apply to LEVI H GALE, 93 Common

FOR BOSTON—The A 1 barque TRIDENT, Capt Tarng, will have immediate despatch, having most of her cargo engaged. For freight or passage, having accommodations, apply to

J P WHITNEY & Co, 73 Camp st

FOR BOSTON—The fast sailing brig BETSEY, Captain Burnham, has most of her cargo engaged and will have despatch. For passage only apply to the captain on board.

J P WHITNEY & Co, 73 Camp

FOR PHILADELPHIA—Regular Packet—To sail on Friday the 17th inst.—The regular packet ship ST LOUIS, Maine, master, having the greater part of her cargo engaged and on board, will sail as above. For freight of 800 bbls sugar, the bulk thereof or passage, having elegant accommodations, apply to the captain on board, opposite the Public Square, or to

AARON COHEN, 90 Common

FOR PHILADELPHIA—The very fast sailing regular packet barque HARD[illegible] THOMSON, Captain Whipple, having most of her cargo engaged will meet with despatch. For balance of freight or passage having good accommodations apply to the captain on board, or to T TOBY & BOGERT, j14 70 Camp

FOR PHILADELPHIA—The superior and very fast sailing schooner MADISON, Captain Keller, will have despatch as above. For passage only, apply to TTOBY & BOGERT, 70 Camp

FOR PHILADELPHIA—The A 1 very fast sailing barque HARRIET THOMPSON, Captain Whipple, having the greater part of her cargo on board, will have immediate despatch. For freight of 500 bbls apply to LEVI H GALE, 93 Common

FOR PHILADELPHIA—The new A 1 barque SARANAC, Capt Carlton, will sail in a few days—can take the bulk of 500 bbls sugar. For freight of which, or passage apply to master on board, or to

j7 J P WHITNEY & Co, 73 Camp

CURE FOR CORNS.

RADICAL CURE OF CORNS without cutting or the least pain. DR ROSENBERG, from Warsaw the capital of Poland, has the honor to announce to the ladies and gentlemen and the inhabitants in general of this place that he undertakes the total eradication of CORNS, BUNIONS, NAILS, and every hard substance on or between the toes, without cutting, by means of an Elixir of his own composition. The operation is performed in the space of fifteen minutes, without the least pain, and the patient may resume his business and occupation, with the satisfaction of carrying the corn or root in his hand.

Dr. R. is in possession of a great number of flattering testimonials granted him in France and other foreign parts and by distinguished physicians and surgeons, which have been given twelve months after the cure.

The Doctor will give attendance every day from half past 8 o'clock in the morning, and from 1 to 3 in the afternoon, at 174 Chartres street corner Jefferson. j26

DYEING AND SCOURING IN GENERAL.

NOTICE.—Messrs MONDELET & Co., have the honor to inform the public, that on the 1st June last, they have opened at No 160 Chartres street, opposite the Orleans Hotel, A DYEING AND SCOURING Establishment.

The knowledge they have acquired of this art, by many years labor in the first houses in Paris, and by a diligent study of dyeing or coloring, and dyeing, induce them to hope that no hesitation will be felt in entrusting to them the most valuable articles either for dying or scouring, confident that every article entrusted to them will be as carefully and properly attended to as at Paris. Those who may honor them with their confidence will have occasion to judge of their skill, by the care and elegance of their work, and by the finish imparted to it.

They dye and scour all kinds of articles, such as silk merinos, mousseline laines, cashmeres, crapes, tulle, velvet, plain or figured, straw hats, furniture, carpets, shawls, ornaments, baréges, &c. they clean silk dresses without ripping the colors. By new chemical processes they clean; for instance, jackets and print dresses, giving them the appearance of new materials. They clean and dye all kinds of feathers, gentlemen's clothing, without injuring them, and giving them all the colors. [illegible] articles. They dye clothing black for mourning in twenty four hours, and warrant the durability of the colors. They likewise re-dye black stuffs, giving them various colors.

Terms moderate. j21—6m

SUNDRIES—40 pigs Boston double refined loaf, crushed and powdered sugar; 30 boxes Havana white sugar; 150 bags Old Java Government coffee; 500 pigs superior, Imperial, Pouchong, &c. tea; 200 boxes New Bedford sperm candles; 200 do Boston and Cincinnati mould; 500 casks Boston nails; 100 bags Sumatra pepper; 200 boxes Charleston rice; 50 Gunny bags, 100 kegs No. 1 lard, mackerel, 25 casks Boston saleratus, 40 cerons Caracas indigo; 20 boxes fine Holland gin, 15 hf-do do; 30 boxes brandy; 20 casks sperm oil, 100,000 Imperial Principe cigars, cassia, chocolate, starch, potash, currants, for sale by

d 4 tf NORCROSS & FOSDICK, 40 Gravier

WHEATON'S LAW OF NATIONS. History of the Law of Nations in Europe and America, from the earliest times to the Treaty of Washington (1842), by Henry Wheaton LL. D. 1845, just received and for sale by

ALEXANDER LEVY & Co
Law Book Sellers and Stationers
corner of Camp and Gravier streets

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THE SUBSCRIBERS have now on hand and offer to sale on good terms, the following articles, viz—300 bbls prime flour; 500 hhds Hams and Sides; 60 casks [illegible] Pork; 60 kegs prime Western Butter; superior sugar cured Hams; 60 kegs prime Western Butter; 100 kegs fair and common Lard; 60 cases Manilla Cordage; 180 boxes Boston Soap; 29 do Sperm Candles; 200 reams wrapping Paper; 75 casks Boston Saleratus, 100 barrels superfine flour, 50 hhds leaf Tobacco, 400 boxes window Glass; 700 casks best quality Fall Wheat.

j28 FRICE & FROST, 20 Poydras. j10—1w

FOREIGN PORTS

FOR HAVANA—The fast sailing Brig DANTE, Capt. Stoddard, will have despatch; if sufficient freight offers. For freight or passage, apply to

J P WHITNEY & Co, 73 Camp

FOR HAVANA—The brig T [illegible], McConnell, Master, having most of her cargo engaged will be despatched immediately. For balance of freight or passage, apply to REYNAUD & FALLON, 34 Tchoupitoulas

For England,

FOR LIVERPOOL—The A 1 fast sailing ship CYGNET, Capt Beard will be despatched for the above port having all her cargo engaged. For passage, having good accommodations, apply to the Captain on board, or to J P WHITNEY & Co, 73 Camp. j16

FOR LIVERPOOL—The A 1 fast sailing ship OAKLAND, Capt Barry, having all her cargo engaged will have quick despatch. For passage only, having good accommodations, apply to the Captain on board or to J P WHITNEY & Co, 73 Camp

FOR LIVERPOOL—The fine fast sailing ship MARY FLOWER, Captain Sawyer, will have despatch. For freight of 200 bales cotton apply to

j11 LEVI H GALE, 93 Common

FOR LIVERPOOL—The A 1 ship GENERAL VEAZIE, Capt. Coolidge, has most of her cargo engaged and will have despatch. For freight of 500 bales cotton or passage having good accommodations, apply to the master on board or to

J P WHITNEY & Co, 73 Camp

FOR LIVERPOOL—The A 1 superior ship DESDEMONA, Capt. Child, has most of her cargo engaged and will have good despatch. For freight of 400 bales cotton, apply to the Master on board, or to

J P WHITNEY & Co, 73 Camp

FOR LIVERPOOL—The fast sailing packet ship MISSISSIPPI, Captain C Hillard will have immediate despatch, for passage only—having splendid accommodations, apply on board, or to

HULLIN & WOODRUFF, 60 Camp

FOR LIVERPOOL—The fast sailing A 1 ship FRANCONIA, Captain Gannett, has most of her cargo engaged and will have immediate despatch For freight of 300 bales cotton, apply to

J P WHITNEY & Co, 73 Camp

FOR LIVERPOOL—The A 1 and fast sailing ship SARDINIA, Capt Foster will receive immediate despatch, having the greater part of her cargo engaged and going on board. For freight of 300 bales or passage, having handsome accommodations, apply to

LEVI H GALE, 93 Common

FOR LIVERPOOL—The ship TYRIAN, Captain David L Jackson, will have immediate despatch. For freight of 200 bales cotton or passage, apply to

LEVI H GALE, 93 Common

FOR LIVERPOOL.

The ship GENESEE, Captain Waite, will have despatch. For passage apply on board or to

d 27 LEVI H GALE, 93 Common street.

FOR LIVERPOOL—The A 1 ship ADAMS, Moses Gay, master, is now loading for the above port and will have good despatch. For freight of 150 bales cotton, apply to the master on board, or to

J P WHITNEY & Co, 73 Camp

For Passage apply on board.

FOR LIVERPOOL—The A 1, ship LONDON, J. C. Baker, master, is now loading for the above port. For freight of tobacco or provision apply to the

J P WHITNEY & Co.
73 Camp

For France.

FOR HAVRE—The fine ship VICTORIA, Capt Hartshorn, will have immediate despatch. For freight of 200 bales cotton, apply to

L. H GALE, 93 Common street.

FOR HAVRE—The A1 fast sailing ship TALLEYRAND, Capt Hedley having the greater part of her cargo engaged, will have good despatch. For freight of 200 bales cotton, apply to J P WHITNEY & Co 73 Camp

For passage, apply on board:

FOR HAVRE—The A 1 and fast sailing ship ORLANDO, Captain Perkins, will have immediate despatch. For freight of 200 bales cotton or passage having splendid accommodations, apply to

LEVI H GALE, 93 Common

FOR HAVRE—The A 1 splendid packet ship COLUMBIA, Captain Haley, will meet with immediate despatch. For freight of 200 bales of cotton, or passage, having unsurpassed accommodations, apply to

L. H GALE, 93 Common st

G. BOYER'S

CLASSICAL AND COMMERCIAL INSTITUTION,
No. 144 Conti Street.
(between Dauphine and Burgundy streets.)

THIS Institution, the oldest scholastic establishment in New Orleans, is well known and highly distinguished by the success which has accompanied it ever since its foundation, a considerable number of pupils who have passed to enter on the great scene of life, having already acquired some distinction in the various avocations which they have devoted themselves.

Boyer's Institution is conducted in one of the largest houses in the city, occupying a fine central position, well ventilated and in other respects perfectly commodious.

The range of studies which engage the attention of the pupils extends over all the branches of Learning which are necessary to a polite and classic education, classes ... Collegiate course.... [illegible]

BRANCHES OF TUITION.

English, French, Spanish, and Latin Languages, Geography, Mathematics, Elements of Natural Philosophy, Astronomy, &c. &c.

TERMS.

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Professor of Modern Languages and Author of the Rational System of Learning Living Languages,

191 CHARTRES STREET, NEW ORLEANS.

THIS INSTITUTION (not [illegible] established) [illegible] exclusively devoted to the instruction of young gentlemen who intend to [illegible] the [illegible] languages [illegible].

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Every branch of study commenced will be thoroughly [illegible], and a perfect knowledge of those living languages, [illegible] the power of translating, [illegible] knowledge of [illegible].

The [illegible] department of languages, &c. is conducted by J. De Falos. The other branches of instruction by Professors Oakey and Le[illegible].

[illegible] for a [illegible] admitted in the Academy. [illegible]

[illegible] day scholars only can be admitted.

[illegible] containing the branches of Instruction, terms, &c. &c. may be obtained at the Modern Academy and also at the principal book stores in the city.

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DAY AND BOARDING SCHOOL
FOR YOUNG LADIES,

founded in 1832 by Madame Lezeau and conducted since [illegible] by Madame Deshayes.

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Parents are informed that a house in Bienville street, contiguous to the Church [illegible] has been added to the Institution for the better accommodation of boarders.

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Dancing	6 do.
Washing	4 do.

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Day boarders do	do.

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Mr. Beaudeau, Ex-professor of the Normal School of Paris, superintends mathematics and drawing.

Mr [illegible], for the intermediate French classes.

Mr [illegible], for the Elementary classes.

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Tea[illegible] department is taught by Mr. Vannuy, Professor of Music, Mr. Pages, Teacher of Drawing; Mr. Davezac, Teacher of Dancing; Mr. Casper, Fencing Master.

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The discipline observed in this Seminary is strict and firm, and the co-operation on the part of parents or guardians is solicited, unless sanctioned by extraordinary cases, by the Directors themselves.

In this method of teaching, the Proprietors, are fixed that sound learning can only be acquired by system, and by long continued effort, to which they [illegible] the various branches of knowledge [illegible] time than has been heretofore devoted to them.

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