LATEST DATES.

New York	feb 18	Liverpool	jan 8
Boston	feb 17	London	jan 4
Philadelphia	feb 18	Havre	jan 1
Washington	feb 17	Paris	jan 9
Baltimore	feb 19	Bordeaux	nov 27
Charleston	feb 20	Madrid	dec 21
Mexico	feb 7	Cadiz	dec 27
Pensacola	dec 30	Havana	feb 9
Vera Cruz	feb 1	Houston	dec 24

COMMERCIAL.

Sales of Stocks.

NEW YORK, Feb 17.

50 shares United States Bank b 60 ds 116½

NEW YORK Feb 17.

Cotton—The Cotton market continues quite inactive, and the sales, which have been a little more extensive than in the early part of the week, show a farther decline of fully ½, forming a reduction of ½ of a cent per lb from the rates prevailing about ten days since. The transactions have been almost exclusively for home use, shippers inclining to await farther advices from Europe, and holders being partially influenced by the same cause, prices are unsteady. The sales include 300 bales Florida at 9½ a 11; 300 Mobile 9½ a 12, and 250 Upland 9 a 10c, forming a total for the week of about 1200 bales. Our notations are reduced to conform to present prices. The arrivals have been 1861 bales.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb 17.

Cotton—The market has become exceedingly inactive, and the demand limited. The sales have only been in small parcels to supply the immediate wants of spinners at former rates: 17½ to 13c may be quoted as the range for common to fine qualities.

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF NEW-ORLEANS.

CLEARED.

Ship Cumberland, Hasty, Liverpool, S & J P Whitney
Ship Telumah, Barstow, Liverpool, Ansley & Robinson
Ship Frances, Johnson, Liverpool, Master
Ship Creole, Tracy, Liverpool, W H Haynes
Ship Ebro, Watts, Havre, Ansley & Robinson
Ship Orion, Remmers, Hamburg, J A Merle & co
Brig Georges, Snow, Baltimore, Geo Bedford
Brig Thomas & Edward, Howett, Baltimore, Geo Bedford
Brig Laurell, Lunt, New York, Geo Bedford
Brig O C Raymond, Pool, Apalachicola, Kidder & Head
Brig Tallyrand, Dow, Boston, Kidder & Head
Schr Mary Maria, Thomas, Boston, Bailey & Aubott
Schr Eliza Warren, Lewis, New York, S & J P Whitney
Schr Susan, Bradley, Baltimore, A Bowles
Schr Charlotte, Mack, Pensacola, Master
Schr Tocorito San Sebastian, Casas, Havana, H Oxnard & co
Schr Cora, Delvaille, Tampico, M de Miranda & co

ARRIVED.

Tow boat Shark, Thomas, from the N E Pass; towed to sea ships Hebrew and Charles, and brig San …, left the N E Pass on the 24th at 11 P M. reports the bar ship Denmark with tow boat Tiger … lightening her; bark Hellen Mar at the head of S W Pass; brought up a part of the cargo of ship Alabama still ashore very bad.
Tow boat Phenix, Paulding, from the Passes; towed to sea, ships Olympia and Ohio, bark Jane, brig J… Wilson and polacre Mulatta, left the S W Pass on …, brought up ship Steiglitz, left N E pass at 10 P M. reports nothing new.
Ship Steiglitz, Oluson, from Boston Jan 26 h, to G …
Schr Ursula, Lawrence, Grand Caillou, to master.
Schr La Bruce, Gladden, 16 days from Charleston, to master.
Steamboat John Linton, Reid, from Red River.
Steamboat Warren, Walworth, from Vicksburg.
Steamboat Romeo, Taylor, from Vicksburg.
Steamboat Baltic, Mathews, from Natchez.
Steamboat Clinton, Culver, from Ouchita.
Steamboat Huntsville, Jordan, from Bayou Sara.
Steamboat Gov Clark, Reed, from Vicksburg.
Steamboat Shakespeare, Waring, from Manchester.
Steamboat Mariner, Chauvin, from Lafourche.
Steamer Columbia, Wright, 36 hours from Velasco, to … Reed & co.
Steamboat Isabella, Murray, from Mobile.
Steamboat Caroline, Jeffrey, from Mobile.
Steamboat Arkansas, Vincent, from Mobile.
Steamboat Siam, Thommason, from Thibodeaux.

Reported below.

Ship Denmark, Bangs, from Liverpool Jan —, to … & Lodge, with cargo salt coal and merch.
Bark Hellen Mar, Martin, from Liverpool Jan, … with cargo salt, coal, wares, &c.
Ship Somerset, Lewis, from St Marks, to master.
… Calawell, from …, to Bailey & …

EXPORTS.

Ship Cumberland—1369 bales cotton.
Ship Telumah—1271 do do
Ship Frances—1034 do do
Ship Creole—1654 do do
Ship Orion—964 do do
Ship Ebro—1132 do do and 43 hhds …
Brig Georges—289 hhds sugar.
Brig Thomas & Edward—417 bales cotton, 66 … rum, 21 hhds sugar and 101 bbls syrup.
Brig Laurell—100 bales cotton and 101 …
Brig O C Raymond—groceries, provisions, &c.
Brig Tallyrand—120 bales cotton, 414 bbls pork, …
Schr Mary Maria—136 bales cotton, 94 bbls pork … and 10 hhds sugar.
Schr Eliza Warren—171 bales cotton, 11 hhds …, 123 bbls molasses and 140 bbls flour.
Schr Susan—75 bales cotton, 291 sks … of bulk pork, 14 bbls beef and 334 kegs lard.
Schr Charlotte—groceries, provisions, &c.
Schr Tocorito San Sebastian—850 bbls flour and 10 kegs …
Schr Cora—dry goods, &c.

IMPORTS.

Ship Steiglitz—mdze.
Schr Ursula—125 hhds sugar and 15 bales cotton.
Schr La Bruce—rice.

RECEIPTS OF PRODUCE.

Per steamboat Gov Clark—375 bales cotton, Lyons, … & co; 111 do Prescott, Jones & co; 25 A & J … & co; 22 Nugent & Turpin; 20 Lambeth & Thompson; 14 Bennett, Ferriday & co; 6 Martin, … & co; 8 do Jas Hagerty; 27 bbls pork, 18 do whiskey and 179 kegs lard.
Per steamboat Romeo—313 bales cotton, owner on board; 90 do W M Beal; 1 box mdze, Coit & co; 45 … Nugent & Thompson; 25 hhds sugar and …, W R Avery, 15 bbls beef, Ogden & Southgate, order.
Per steamboat Mariner—55 tierces molasses, Ben… Ferriday & co; 60 hhds sugar, 100 bbls molasses … Hower; 47 hhds sugar, 99 bbls do, Lambeth & Thompson; 13 hhds sugar, W Bogart; 50 bales cotton … & co; 20 do Peyroux, Arcueil & co.
Per steamboat Shakspeare—22 bales cotton, Burke, …; 96 Brander, McKenna & co; 68 Dennistoun …; 17 Franklin & Ames; 16 to Comstock & …; 108 Nugent & Turpin; 43 S & J P Whitney; 15 … Lambeth & Thompson; 174 R Beck; 38 J H Leverich; … Smith & Voorhies; 13 Price, Johnson & co; … P Collins; 65 S Soher; 110 bbls pork and sundries, Stewart & Cobb.
Per steamboat John Linton—38 bales cotton, order. … A Maurin & co; 379 J B Plauche & co; 190 C T …; 141 Peyroux, Arcueil & co; 159 Jordan, Mc… & co; 154 Lambeth & Thompson; 68 A Ledoux, … White; 4 packs peltrys, and 2 rolls leather, to …
Per steamboat Baltic—847 bales cotton, to Buckner, … & co; 441 James Hagerty; 312 Bennet, Ferriday & co; 259 Burke, Watt & co; 123 Jas H Leverich …; Geo Green; 45 Kelly & Harrias.
Per steamboat Clinton—286 bales cotton, A Ledoux …; A Maurin & co; 67 Brander, McKenna & co; 104 Lambeth & Thompson; 19 to Turner & …; 7 Kidder & Head, 4 J W Bullivan; 3 W … Montaine; 6 Burke, Watt & co, 3 P Shannon …; 3 bales peltry, &c, A D Crossman, and … order.
Per steamboat Warren—250 bales cotton, Fountain … & Lane; 6 P Vatinel; 73 Lyons & Harrias; … Byrne & co; 205 W & P Collins; 316 … & Turpin; 60 W M Beal; 38 E H Rhodes, 28 … & co; 223 W Bogart; 44 A H Wal… & co; … Oakey & co; 11 Kelly & Harrias; … S & J P …; 93 Burke, Watt & co; 21 W Flower, 25 S … Bennet, Ferriday & co; 136 pkgs mdze, to … & Dobbin, 2 casks do, C Mariner & co.
Per steamboat Huntsville—75 bales cotton, A Le…; 78 do Lee & Hardy, 64 do Gayle & Stewart …; W Flower; 43 Lambeth & Thompson; 24 R… & co; 23 Taylor, Gardiner & co; … Peyroux, Arcueil & co; 13 do and 1 box …, Watt & co, 9 bales cotton, M White & …, 2 bbls sugar and 5 syrup, &c, A Bowie, 6 … J B Plauche, 4 do Martin, Pleasants & co; … on board. 4 do A Rivard; 4 do …, 12 do T … & co, 6 boxes, A Samat, and 1 keg, … Landa…
Per steamboat Siam—20 hhds sugar, to L. Lestrace, … & co, 27 do W Bogart, 25 do Henry & Lawrence, … Flower, 10 do and 45 bbls molasses, to … McKenna & Wright, 99 do and 25 hhds sugar … & Thomson; 22 do and 6 boxes …; … & co; 7 bbls sugar, 4 do molasses, … sacks cotton seed, to N & J Dick & co; … J B Plauche, 18 A Rivarde; 13 do Com…; … Peyroux, Arcueil & co, 14 do A R…, … bbls molasses, J Mattere; 14 bales cotton, N Gourdain, 3 hhds sugar, P H Garwey, 1 … A Maurin & co.

MEMORANDA.

The Columbia reports, that the weather has been extremely cold in Texas; at Houston on the 15th … snow fell to the depth of several inches, and … there has been a number of individuals … death.
Bark Hellen Mar sailed from Liverpool on 27th Dec, … consequence of having got ashore was obliged … and repair.
Sailed from New York for this port, Feb 17th, brig …; Ship Argo for this port, went to sea …
Cleared at Boston, Feb 15, ship Eleanor, Griffith; bark … Townsend, brig Alfred Tyler, Carpenter.
Cleared at Boston for this port, 15th, ship Charles…
… Vineyard, hence for Liverpool, was spoken … lat 39, long 79.
… Cherokee, was to sail from New York for this port 1st March.
At New York …
Sailed from Baltimore for this port, Feb 19th, brig …
Steamboat Columbus, Benthall, at Baltimore from … reports in Hampton Roads, brig Pilgrim, Staples, … days from New Orleans, bound to Baltimore, … that she had lost part of her deck load.—… Columbus was on her way to Charleston, but … Cape Hatteras, discovered some derangement in the machinery and put back.
A letter from Edgartown, dated February 12th, says … the brig Hector, from New Orleans for N… went ashore on Gay Head, on Sunday evening … has bilged—part of her cargo has been taken … brought to Edgartown. If the weather … vessel might be got off—her cargo in … state.—Boston Post.

PRIME BEEF—Prime and mess Beef, for sale by LAYET & AMELUNG. 17 Commerce st.

FAMILY BEEF—20 half bbls superior Family Beef, landing and for sale by LAYET & AMELUNG. 17 Common st.

LARD, WHISKEY & FLOUR—250 kegs lard, … bbls whiskey and 300 bbls flour, for sale by LAYET & AMELUNG. 17 Commerce st.

PORK—Mess, prime, shoulder and rump pork, in store and for sale by LAYET & AMELUNG. 17 Commerce st.

ROPE & BAGGING, KENTUCKY JEANS & LINSEYS—300 pieces bagging and rope, 300 … Jeans and Linseys suitable for negro clothing, … and for sale by LAYET & AMELUNG. 17 Commerce st.

RECTIFIED Whiskey.—275 bbls rectified whiskey, in store for sale by LAYET & AMELUNG. 17 Commerce st.

OLD MONONGAHELA—16 bbls very old, in store for sale by P H GALLWEY, 31 Common st.

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NEW ORLEANS: MONDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 26, 1838

FOR GOVERNOR, A. B. ROMAN.

Extract from the Journal of the Senate of the 6th Feb 1835.

Resolved, That the Senate of the State of Louisiana do approve of the general course of the administration of the late executive, A. B. Roman; and that he carries with him in his retirement from office the grateful remembrance of the members of this house.

Resolved, That the President of the Senate be requested to send a copy of this resolution to Mr. Roman.

Extract from the Journal of the House, of the 3d Feb. 1835.

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the state of Louisiana, that the administration of the government of the state, by the late governor, A. B. Roman, has been marked by wisdom, firmness, and a judicious and unwearied zeal for the public service; that in the execution of the laws, he has exhibited fidelity, and in the numerous and important appointments it has fallen to his lot to make, he has manifested impartiality, and a single regard to the true interests of the state; and that he retires with the full and entire approbation of this House for his official conduct, and with their personal esteem and regard.

Resolved, That the Speaker of this House transmit to the late Governor Roman a copy of these resolutions.

Representative, 1st District, to Congress, **JOHN SLIDELL.**

Recorder of the First Municipality: **PAUL BERTUS.**

Recorder of the Third Municipality: **J. B. BERTRAND.**

The Bank Bill.

[This bill was not received by us until Saturday.]

We are at length enabled to lay before our readers this important bill as now defined by the committee of conference, and adopted by both branches of the Legislature. The public will now peruse and estimate the value and tendency of this bill so long and loudly denounced by those who were too interested in the views of the banks on which they battened, to view with favor a measure calculated to annihilate the system of secret favoritism and exclusive protection hitherto pursued by the directors of these institutions. The passage of the bill is a direct and fatal blow aimed at the entire batch of stockjobbers, shavers and speculators, who from the restrictions of the new law will be reduced, if not to indigence (since this class must have before them a prospective bankruptcy) at least to comparative insignificance. No doubt it was imagined that the interests of the entire population should have been sacrificed in order that the bank clique might enjoy unlimited opulence—that the field should have been left entirely open to their ambition and cupidity; but we think that the Legislature has acted wisely in placing a limit to the abuses which have distinguished our monetary institutions, and in passing a bill, the object of which is to bring about a better state of things. Legislative interference was imperatively called for, and the prompt and effectual interposition of this body was the sole resource against the vile system which had crept upon and corrupted the financial institutions of our state. By its edicts alone could our commerce and agriculture be sheltered from new catastrophes similar to those which have been experienced within the last nine months.

Every honest man, every friend to the prosperity of the state must be indignant at beholding a … handful of individuals desirous of assuming sovereign control over Louisiana—at witnessing the efforts of a petty faction to deprecate any radical change in the odious system from which we suffer. … of the petitions which now circulate in … our city would give a moment's reflection to … consequences of success of opposition … would remember that they are seeking nothing more or less than to inflict a second time the industry of our country, and reproduce the evils from which we are so slowly recovering, we earnestly think they would … in their exertions to prevent the sanction of the governor to this momentous act. Are the … of the people to be entirely disregarded in … considerations of the opponents of the bill?

We cannot imagine whence arises the continual clamor against the provisions of this act. Let a single section be exhibited, the object of which is not to correct abuses prevailing in the greater number of the banks—let a single line be shown which does not tend to secure these institutions profitable to all and to destroy the monstrous monopolies, the existence of which we at length recognize, and we will cease to believe that the Legislature, in passing the bank bill, has conferred an essential benefit upon Louisiana.

AN ACT

Amendatory of the Bank Charters of this State, and for other purposes.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana, in General Assembly convened:* That on the 1st Monday of the month of February in each and every year, or as soon thereafter as possible, it shall be the duty of the Governor, by and with the advice of the Senate, to appoint three competent persons to constitute a board to be denominated the "Board of Currency of the State of Louisiana." The qualifications of the members of the board of Currency shall be as follows viz: 1st to have been citizens of the United States, and inhabitants of the State of Louisiana, for at least five years previous to their appointment. Not to be a director or commercial partner of any bank director, not to be a money broker.

Sect 2. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That as soon as possible after their appointment, the members of the Board shall elect one of their number for their President, and he shall continue in office as well as the other members of the board until the 2d Monday of February, in the year following their appointment, or until their successors be qualified to act; and whenever a vacancy shall occur in the board by resignation, death or otherwise, said vacancy shall be filled by the Governor or by the Governor and Senate, as the case may be. The members of the board except the President thereof shall be entitled to a salary of two thousand five hundred dollars a year each, and the said board shall have power to appoint a secretary, to whom, as well as to their president, they shall grant such compensations as they may deem reasonable and proportionate to the services by them rendered, and all expenses attending the organization and operations of the board, shall be paid by the Banks accepting this act, as hereinafter specified, *pro rata* their capital paid in; *Provided*, the total amount of the expenses of said board, including the salary of their members shall never exceed 14,000 dollars per annum, and shall be paid quarterly, on the order of the President, accompanied by a statement of said quarterly expenses.

Sect. 3. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That each member of the Board of Currency, shall before entering upon the discharge of his duties as such, take and subscribe before the Parish Judge of the Parish of Orleans, the following oath, viz: "I A. B. do solemnly swear that I will faithfully perform all the duties incumbent on me as a member of the Board of Currency of the State of Louisiana, to the best of my abilities, and agreeably to an act entitled "An act amendatory of the Bank Charters of the State and for other purposes," that I am now and have been for the last five years a citizen of the United States, and a resident of the State of Louisiana. That I am not a director or commercial partner of any Bank director, nor a money broker, nor will I be placed in any one of this positions, while I remain in office," which oath shall be deposited in the archives of the Secretary of State. And each member of the board before entering upon the duties of his office, shall give bond with at least two securities payable to the governor of the State, & his successors in office in the sum of $20,000, for the faithful performance of his duties under this act; which bond shall be received and filed away in his office, by the Secretary of State.

Sect 4. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That the board of Currency, is hereby authorised to investigate out of banking hours as often as it may deem it expedient, all the affairs of the banks of this state, whether in operation or liquidation, to call for papers & persons, & to demand every information it may judge necessary to carry into full effect the provisions of this act; Provided, they shall not have the power to transfer the books and papers out of the bank.

Sect. 5. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That it shall be the duty of the Board of Currency, immediately after its organisation, and on the last Saturday of December in each year, to ascertain as accurately as possible the true condition of every banking institution in this state, and to require of each the following statements, certified by its President and Cashier, and made up to the close of the same day.

1st. A full and detailed statement of the affairs of the Bank.

2d. A detailed statement of its cash responsibilities and of its specie on hand; which statement shall be duly recorded in a book to be kept for that purpose, and on the last day of each month, it shall also be the duty of the Board of Currency to require the following statement from every Bank, certified as above, viz: A statement of its deposits, designating the kind of money, of its circulation, designating the kind of paper, of its cash, designating the kind of money.

And from and after the 1st of March, 1840, it shall be the duty of the Board of Currency to average quarterly the amount of specie in each Bank during the previous quarter; say on the first Monday of April, July, October and January in each year, and to publish the same; and the statements and quarterly average above required, shall also be recorded; that it shall be the duty of the Board of Currency on the first Monday of each month, to publish in French and English in at least two of the papers printed in New Orleans, of which the State Gazette shall be one, a condensed statement of the circulation of each Bank, of its deposits, and of its specie; that it shall also be the duty of the board of currency, on the 2d Monday of January in each year, to transmit under a sealed cover, to the address of each House of the Legislature, a report of its operation during the preceding year, and a condensed statement of the condition of the Banks, made up to the close of the same day, together with the record book required by this section; and the Governor of this state, or a committee of either branch of the Legislature appointed for that purpose, shall have the power to examine as often as they may deem it expedient, the records of the said board of currency, and to demand copies of any documents they may require.

Sect. 6. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That all Banks accepting this act shall be authorised

1st. To emit post notes payable on the 1st March 1840; said post notes not to be of a lower denomination than $20, and not to exceed, together with all other emissions, by any Bank, the following proportion of their capital now paid in; i. e:

The Union Bank,	20	pr. ct.
Citizens Bank,	20	"
Commercial Bank,	30	"
Consolidated Association of the Planters of Louisiana,	25	"
City Bank,	35	"
Carrollton R. R. & Banking Co.	35	"
Louisiana State Bank,	35	"
Improvement & Bank Co.	40	"
Gas Light & Banking Co.	35	"
Merchants Bank,	45	"
Exchange & Banking Co.	45	"
Mechanic's & Traders Bank,	35	"
Atchafalaya R R & Bank & Co.	45	"
Orleans Bank,	50	"
Bank of Louisiana,	25	"
Canal & Banking Co.	25	"
Clinton & Port Hudson R. R.	50	"

And it shall be lawful to use as post notes the present Bank notes, not under the above denomination, *Provided*, they be stamped as hereinafter directed.

2d. To charge on all notes having less than four months to run, six per cent; having more than four, and less than six months, seven per cent; having more than six, and less than nine months, 7 1-2 pr. ct; having more than nine months, eight per cent pr annum. It being well understood that this increase of interest is not to extend to loans to stockholders of the property Banks (Banks based upon the mortgage of property) guaranteed by their stock.

That said post notes and notes issued within the proportion above fixed shall be received at par by all the Banks in payment of debts due them, whether contracted heretofore or hereafter.

That it shall be the duty of the Banks accepting this act, to exchange between themselves, every day, on opening their doors, their respective post notes and bills as far as practicable, and from and after the resumption of specie payments each of said banks shall actually pay out and use its own notes for all its daily transactions and payments when demanded.

Sect. 7. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That as soon as the circulation of every Bank in this State shall have been ascertained by the Board of Currency, as provided by the 5th section of this act, the Banks having a larger circulation than that prescribed by the 6th section, shall be notified by the said Board to curtail gradually such circulation, so that it may be within the amount by the 1st of March, 1839, and the banks having a less circulation, shall be authorised to make up the difference by issuing post notes, which notes shall be stamped by the Board of Currency: "Post Notes payable 1st of March, 1840, (Signed A. B. President, Board of Currency.)" And it shall be the duty of said board to receipt for the notes received for stamping, to keep a record of the same, and to require a receipt from the respective banks on their delivery, which delivery shall be made as soon as practicable.

That the president and directors of the banks having a larger circulation than that prescribed by this act, and increasing such circulation shall be liable in solido to a fine of $5,000 per month until they shall have reduced the same to the amount ascertained as above by the Board of Currency; and it shall be the duty of the attorney general to sue for said fine on the application of said Board.

Provided however that the protest or vote in the negative of any director against such an increase of circulation, shall exonerate said director from the penalty above stipulated.

Sect. 8. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That each Bank shall be bound to have in its vaults on or before the 1st of March, 1839, in gold and silver, at least one tenth of its capital paid in.

That from and after the 1st March, 1840, it shall be the duty of every bank to have in its vault an amount in gold and silver equal to at least, one third of its circulation and deposits; and the directors of any bank having on the 1st of March, 1839, and on the quarterly average provided by this act, less than the required proportion of metallics, shall be fined *in solido* $5000 for each offence.

That from and after the 1st of March, 1840, no bank shall be permitted to emit any Bank note not payable on demand.

That it shall be the duty of every Bank in the city of New Orleans, from and after the 1st of March, 1840, to settle its balances weekly with the other banks in said city, and to pay or require the payment, as the case may be, in specie, of any balance due to or by it, and to reject the paper of any bank neglecting or refusing to effect such settlement; and it shall also be the duty of every bank located out of the city, to settle its balances in the same manner, at least once a month, either in specie or by sight checks on the city Banks; that from and after the 1st of March, 1840, the protests made by a notary public, after due demand & refusal of payment of any bank or post notes unless declared & proved to be a forgery, shall constitute the forfeiture of the charter of such bank, notice of which protest shall be served by the notary on the president of the Board of currency; and it shall be the duty of the board of currency to convene as soon thereafter as practicable a meeting of the stockholders of said bank, for the purpose of appointing commissioners, to liquidate the concern of said Bank, and the holders of all bank or post notes of any such bank, shall hereafter be entitled to 10 per ct. per annum interest until paid.

Sect. 9. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That any Bank forfeiting its charter under this act, shall be compelled, after calling in pro-rata the amount due by each debtor, a sufficient amount to cover the cash responsibilities of said bank, and the bonds of the State falling due within two years; to grant to its debtors, if required, 1 2 and 3 years in equal instalments, at 8 prct. interest pr annum provided, such debtors shall furnish good and sufficient security, to the satisfaction of the commissioners of liquidation, and in case the said commissioners and debtors cannot agree upon the sufficiency of the security, the opinion of the Board of Currency created by this act shall decide thereupon.

Sect. 10. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That no bank in this city shall receive as cash, in payment of debts due it, or on deposit, checks drawn by individuals, companies or corporations, upon any other local Bank.

That from and after the 1st of March 1842, no notes of a less denomination than $10 shall be issued by any bank in this state, that the capital paid in of each bank, the property banks excepted, on the 1st of March, 1840, shall be considered as the full capital of said bank.

That the notes of the banks that shall not accept this act shall be refused by the other banks in payment of debts or otherwise, and the President and Directors of such Banks are hereby prohibited from issuing any bank note not payable on demand, under the penalty of $500 for every note or post note thus emitted, each penalty to be sued for on application of the Board of Currency, and the notes of such Banks shall not be received in payment of any State, Parish, City or corporation dues by any collector or receiver thereof; and all public officers are hereby prohibited from receiving the note of any such banks, in their official capacity, under any circumstance, or in any case, and if any collector, receiver or other public officer, shall infract, or in any manner evade the provisions of this section, he shall on conviction thereof, suffer fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the Court, and be removed from office.

Sect. 11. *Be it further enacted,* That no individual or corporation shall have a right to vote by procuration for bank directors, unless such procuration be given before a Notary Public, and no procuration shall contain the power of more than one stockholder when given in the parish of Orleans, nor more than twenty, when given in any other parish of the State.

That no person shall be admitted to vote on any shares of stock belonging to or hypothecated to the corporation in which the election is held. Nor shall any person be admitted to vote on any shares of stock which shall then be hypothecated or pledged, as a collateral security to any other person or company. No person shall be permitted to vote on any shares which shall have been transferred to him for the sole purpose of entitling him to vote thereon, at the election then to be held, nor upon any shares which he shall previously have agreed to sell or transfer after the election, upon any condition, agreement or understanding, in relation to his manner of voting at such election.

That every person offering to vote, may be challenged by any other person authorised to vote at the same election; and to every person so challenged, one of the inspectors shall administer the following oath: "You do swear, (or affirm, as the case may be) that the shares on which you now offer to vote, do not belong, and are not hypothecated or pledged to any corporation or person whatsoever. That such shares were neither transferred to you for the purpose of entitling you to vote thereon at this election; and that you have not agreed to sell or transfer them, upon any condition, agreement or understanding in relation to your manner of voting at this election."

That no person shall be permitted to vote upon the proxy of a stockholder, unless he shall produce, annexed to his proxy, an affidavit of such stockholder, stating the facts to which the oath of said stockholder might have been required upon a challenge, had he offered to vote in person, on the shares mentioned in the proxy.

That if any person duly challenged, shall refuse to take the proper oath, his vote shall be rejected, and shall not afterwards be received at the same election. If he shall take the oath, his vote shall be received.

That where the election or appointment of part of the directors is left to the legislature, or the executive and senate, it shall be lawful to elect or appoint such directors from among persons who are not stockholders.

That no one shall be a bank director, unless he be a citizen of the United States, and has resided in this state at least five years before his election or appointment.

That every director, officer, agent or clerk of a banking institution, who shall make any false statement or false entry in the books of said institutions, or who shall exhibit any false paper with intent to deceive as to the condition of such institution, shall be deemed guilty of felony, and shall be subject to imprisonment in the penitentiary of this State for a term not exceeding three years.

Sect. 12. *Be it further enacted &c* That immediately on the resumption of specie payments by a majority of the N. York and Philadelphia banks, it shall be the duty of the Board of Currency to convene a meeting of the Presidents of the banks of this state, which shall have accepted this act; and should a majority of them be of opinion to pay on demand such post notes as may have been emitted under this act, the Board of Currency shall consider as binding, on the day agreed upon all the clauses of this act which are not to be in force until the 1st of March 1840, and public notice to that effect shall be given in the state paper, and the clauses contained in the 6th and 7th sections of this act limiting the circulation, shall be *ipso facto* repealed: *Provided*, that this section shall not be construed so as to apply to the clause limiting the capital of all banks to the capital paid in on the 1st of March, 1840.

Sect. 13. *Be it further enacted &c* That it shall be the duty of the banks of this state, within five days after the promulgation of this act, to call a meeting of their respective stockholders, by a notice inserted daily to that effect, in French and English, in the state paper and one other paper published in the city of New Orleans, and said meeting shall take place not less than twenty and not more than ninety days after its first publication; and the approval or refusal of this act shall be decided in said meeting by the majority in number & amount of the stockholders present, or duly represented, a record of which, signed by all the stockholders present, agreeing thereto, shall be transmitted to the Board of Currency, whose duty it shall be to record the said proceedings in a book to be kept to that effect, and to deposit the original in the archives of the Secretary of State, and to publish a list of all such banks as shall have accepted this act, in the State paper, in French and English.

Sect. 14. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That it shall be the duty of the Board of Currency to direct the Attorney General to examine critically the charters of all the banks refusing to accept this act, or who shall not have accepted it within ninety days after its promulgation, and to sue them for the forfeiture of said charters, on the violation of any of the conditions therein contained, whether this violation be anterior or posterior to the promulgation of this act.

Sect. 15. *Be it further enacted &c.* That all fines and penalties under this act shall be sued for by the Attorney General; and all sums recovered shall be paid over by him, after a deduction of ten per cent, for his own services, to the President of the Charity Hospital of New Orleans, for the use of said Charity Hospital.

Sect. 16 Be it further enacted, &c; That at least two fifths in amount of all the sums hereafter let out by any of the banks of the state, whether as loans or discounts, renewals accepted to the extent of half the capital now paid in or to be hereafter paid in, of any of the banks of this State, shall be loaned to persons residing out of the incorporated limits of the city of N. Orleans, and Lafayette and without requiring the guaranty or endorsement of a resident of the said cities, and the loans, to the extent of the two fifths shall be so distributed, as to give to the citizens of every part of the State residing out of the incorporated limits of the cities of N. Orleans and Lafayette, a just proportion thereof; and it is made a part of the special duty of the Board of Currency to see that the provisions of this section are carried into effect, according to the spirit and true intent and meaning thereof; Provided, that such banks as now have, or hereafter may have branches, shall transmit said two fifths to the said branches in proportion to the respective capital of such branches, to be loaned out by the directors thereof. And it shall be the duty of the board of currency, on the 2d Monday of Dec in each year, to obtain from each bank, a statement which the said board shall verify, of the amounts loaned to the citizens of each parish, or transmitted to the branches by each of the banks, in conformity to the provisions of this section; which statement shall be condensed into one general tableau by the said board, and one hundred copies thereof printed for the use of the general Assembly by the first Monday of January of each year; and the said statements shall be recorded by the said board, in the book provided for in this act, and all loans on mortgage or long paper hereafter to be made by any of the banks of this state except to residents of the city and parish of Orleans and Lafayette, shall if required, be renewable for five successive years, on payment of one fifth, with interest on the balance, annually; except such banks as are by their charters bound to allow a further delay.

And such banks as are bound by their charters to invest a part of their capital in buildings, or other improvements, shall be bound only to loan to the country one half of their surplus capital paid in or hereafter to be paid in after deducting the cost of said improvements or other investments; Provided that nothing in this act, shall be so construed as to impose upon any bank, the obligation to loan to persons residing in the country, more than one half of its capital paid in, or hereafter to be paid in; and provided further, that every bank shall be bound to have loaned on or before the 30th of November, 1838, the full proportion of the capital allotted to persons residing out of the cities of New Orleans and Lafayette.

Sect. 17. And be it further enacted, &c: That at all committees of the different Boards of Directors, charged with the negociation of bills of exchange there shall always be at least three members present, and their transactions in exchanges shall be recorded as explicitly as possible, in the minute book of said board of directors.

Sect. 18. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That hereafter all loans, discounts and accommodations made by any bank, shall be made in such a manner as to give to every individual, as far as practicable and consistent with the security of the bank, a just and fair share of such loans, … view of obtaining this object, no loan by any bank to any individual, company or corporation, on personal security, shall ever exceed as drawer, $40,000 … endorser or discounter … (and all loans, discounts or accommodations to any individual, company or corporation … New Orleans …) in any one bank, at any one time … change operations; Provided, that the provisions of this section shall not affect … stockholders of property banks.

Sect. 19. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That if any officer or officers of any bank … permission, or … in any manner, or … in the way of any committee of … appointed by the Legislature for the purpose of examining into the condition of the banks, or … to afford them all reasonable facility … such officer or officers … pay a penalty … $500, not more than $5,000, at the discretion of any court of competent jurisdiction.

Sect. 20. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That in future, no branch shall be withdrawn … the profits arising therefrom shall be … of its capital paid … for at least … years …

Sect. 21. *Be it further enacted &c.* That in all cases where … president and directors of banks, for … who shall vote against … have the same … and conclusive evidence …

Sec. 22. Be it further enacted, &c. That hereafter there shall be elected for each bank in this state twelve Directors, exclusive of Branch Directors, and no more; whereof in the Union Bank the Consolidated Association of Planters, and the Bank of Louisiana, six shall be appointed by the Governor and Senate, or by the governor as the case may be, and in the Citizens Bank, six, who shall be elected by the … of the general assembly, and in all the other banks of the State, the Governor and Senate, or the Governor, as the case may be, shall appoint three Directors, … Directors shall be elected in the … charters of the said banks, and no person shall be eligible as … who shall be Director or Commercial partner of any Director of any other Bank. That a quorum constituted according to their respective charters, shall be present for the transaction of any kind of business, and no note of exchange, note or paper, of any kind, shall be purchased, … discounted … Directors present shall object. Provided, … three Directors, not stockholders, shall, in any case, be appointed by the State, in any Bank. And provided further, that where the city of New Orleans now has the right to appoint Directors in any Bank, said city shall continue to exercise such right, and the number of Directors to be appointed by the state shall be reduced accordingly, and in case of vacancy among the Directors appointed by the city, the right to fill up the said vacancy shall remain in the city.

Sec. 23. Be it further enacted, &c. That it shall be the duty of the Attorney General, on the affidavit of two or more respectable persons, of the non-performance of any of the duties of the Board of Currency, or of the duties imposed on said Board by this act, to proceed against such member before any court of competent jurisdiction; and if any member of said Board shall fail to perform any of the duties required by this act, or shall violate any of its provisions, he shall moreover, on conviction, be fined and imprisoned at the discretion of the Court.

Sec. 24. Be it further enacted, &c. That hereafter no bank shall be entitled to any other remedy, nor shall adopt any other mode of proceeding for the sale of mortgaged property, nor enjoy any other privilege for the sale thereof than is allowed by the existing laws to private individuals: Provided, that this section shall not apply to property mortgaged for the security of the payment of any bonds for which the faith of the state is pledged; and provided further, that it shall not apply to any existing contracts.

Sec. 25th. Be it further enacted, &c. That no Bank shall ever apply any of its fund directly or indirectly to the purchase of shares of its own stock, nor shall receive any such shares as payment or satisfaction of any debt due to the Bank.

It shall be lawful for any Bank to lend on pledge of stock, of which the full amount has been paid in, … per cent on the amount thereof and no more; and that such loans or accommodations as shall have been heretofore made on the pledge of stock, shall be reduced to the amount above stated, by the 1st of January 1840, Provided that this section shall not be so construed as to affect the rights heretofore conferred upon the stockholders of the property Banks.

Sec. 26th. Be it further enacted, &c. That it shall be the duty of every bank, on the first Monday of every month, during the suspension of specie payments; and every three months after the resumption of the same, to furnish the Board of Currency with a statement of all its debtors on personal security over $10,000, giving the names of such debtors, alphabetically arranged, and of their securities; also, a statement of such paper as may have been under protest for more than ten days, giving the names of the drawers and endorsers of such papers. And it shall be the duty of said Board of Currency to condense as soon thereafter as practicable, said statements, and to furnish a copy thereof to each Bank.

Sec. 27th. Be it further enacted, &c. That the exception contained in the 5th section of the act entitled "an act to determine the form and effects of the election of domicil with regard to promissory notes made in favor of the Banks of the State, and for other purposes," approved March 23d 1818, be and the same is hereby repealed; and hereafter no Bank shall enjoy the privilege of sueing any person or company out of his place of actual domicil, except in the cases provided for by the civil code and code of practice, or by acts of the legislature subsequently passed.

Sec. 28. Be it further enacted &c, That the several property Banks may, whenever they may be satisfied with the sufficiency of the security given by their Stockholders, defer the payment of the instalments of capital required to be paid by such Stockholders, according to the provisions of their respective charters. Provided however, that the amount of instalments thus deferred shall in no case exceed the amount of profits realized by such Bank.

Sec. 29. And be it further enacted, &c., That this act shall be in force from and after its publication in the State Gazette.

Communicated.

The high pressure bank party are moving heaven and earth to induce the Governor to veto the bank bill, which was passed by unexampled majorities in both branches of the Legislature, and in … success … exertions they have adopted two different and opposite methods—they blow hot and cold with the same breath. At one moment he is every thing that is patriotic—firm as Cato—the essence of justice—the impersonation of intelligence. If these attributes belong to him, and we are not going to dispute it, why attempt to *enlighten* him? Surely he will understand the *bearings* of the bill as well as the wise perspicacious and *disinterested* signers to the veto petition, and consequently wants none of their officious prompting.

Now for the *Jewel*-like consistency of these gentlemen. They declare that the Bill is unconstitutional, illegal, barbarous, made in violation of contracts, "*a violation of the good faith which every obligation of morality and sound policy prescribed to States as well as to Individuals*"—disgraceful to the General Assembly that passed it—and that the Banks cannot be compelled to submit to it. Why then bother their WIGS about what may be the action of the governor on the bill, which, according to these wiseacres, is a nullity and a rope of sand, without the least *binding force*? If it be all this, the Courts will declare it so, and there is no necessity, no sense, no propriety, no decency in plaguing the governor with these ill-timed petitions for or against it. But it is matter of regret, if all this is to happen, that the General Assembly should have wasted so much of their Lung-power and of the public treasure in discussions about GOAT'S WOOL, or as the Frenchman wittily says *faire le bouillie pour les Chats.*

PHILO-BANK BILL.

Bank Bill of Pennsylvania.

The Banks of New Orleans with all their mismanagement and notwithstanding the mischiefs they have brought upon the community, have been treated by the Legislature with a lenity which to some of the members appeared disproportionate to the occasion. The bill now before the Governor is entirely prospective—it has no reference to the past in the obligations and penalties it imposes—its whole object has been to guard the public from the effects of future misconduct in the Banks, from the ignorance of some Directors and the selfish intrigues of others. This the representatives of the people were bound to do, and less than this they would have been culpable if they had not done. We are inclined to believe that when the bill shall have gone into operation and its effects tested by experience, it will be found to want more than any thing else a sufficient degree of wholesome severity and that exactness and precision of phraseology in some of its sections, which will be necessary to prevent the cunning of the interested from breaking or slipping through its provisions with impunity.

The conduct of the Banks in Philadelphia wanted many of the odious traits which were conspicuous in that of the New Orleans Institutions, and which when unveiled to public gaze, filled every man, not hackneyed in the abuses that had crept into our banking system, with amazement. There was no instance in Philadelphia of a single firm obtaining in accommodations two millions of dollars from half a dozen Banks—no instance of ten or a dozen houses having seven to nine millions in loans at one time—the pernicious plan of kite drawing was comparatively unknown there—and except in the case of the United States Bank no man in Philadelphia was permitted to draw money from a bank by a due bill payable at a few days sight—no man was permitted to take up his note at one bank with a check on another bank in which he had nothing placed to his credit. The Philadelphia Banks were ignorant of many other abuses which were practised here. There is no instance known there of a Bank President having applied to the Directors of another Bank, for a temporary return of three or four hundred thousand dollars of his own bank paper on the eve of a visit from an examining committee of the Legislature. When a similar application was made here, the bank officer who had the power of granting or refusing the request, and who acquired his notions of bank operations in Philadelphia, tartly replied—"that is not the way they do business in the place that I come from." This anecdote is mentioned to show that they are not quite so familiar with the legerdemain of banking in Philadelphia as they are here.

And yet with the comparative whiteness of the Pennsylvania Banks, compared with the darker hues of ours, the Legislature of that State have before them a law which in its principal provisions is far more severe upon the banks than that which has lately passed our two houses with an approach to unanimity almost unexampled. We have no doubt that the bill in question will be adopted by the Legislature of that great and enlightened State. The members of the popular branch, at least a large majority of them, are imbued with the purest principles of democracy—the Whigs have a majority in the Senate—but we will not presume that because a man is a Whig, he is opposed to the imposition of wholesome restrictions on the banks. The whole bill is strictly conformable to the recommendations of the Governor's Message at the opening of the present session, and we believe the opinions are participated in by a sufficient number in the Senate to insure its passage. The Governor himself, is a Whig of the first water— … the election of Governor will take place next October. Gen. Ritner is too well versed in the science of electioneering to run against the popular current, by recommending an unpopular measure, or one that he thought would be likely to be defeated in the Legislature.

The following is the Pennsylvania bill—we regret that it was not known here a fortnight ago, as it contains some provisions which might have been engrafted in our own bill to its infinite advantage.

AN ACT

For the better regulation of the several Banking and Savings Institutions and Loan Companies within this commonwealth.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the …, yearly it shall be the duty … by the banks within this commonwealth … lawful for the directors of any … or of loan companies to declare a dividend of more than eight per centum … capital actually paid in, … profits arising from any of such … above eight per cent shall be … time that the yearly statements are made to the Auditor General and annually paid into the treasury for the use of the commonwealth. Provided, That the several banks subject by law to payment of a tax on dividends, shall be exempted from the further payment of the same.

Section 2. That the total amount of liabilities which any of the said corporations may at any time incur, whether by bond, bill, note or other contract (except …), shall be as follows: All banks, savings institutions and loan companies, with capitals not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars, not to exceed one hundred per cent. on the capital stock actually paid in. All such institutions with a capital exceeding five hundred thousand dollars and not exceeding one million of dollars, seventy five per cent; and all such institutions having a capital of more than one million of dollars, not more than fifty per cent. And in case of excess of said liabilities the directors, under whose administration it shall happen, shall be liable in their individual capacities for said excess, and an action of debt may be brought against them or their heirs, executors or administrators, in any court of competent jurisdiction, by any creditor or creditors of said corporation or corporations, and may be prosecuted to judgment and execution. Provided, That this shall not be so construed as to exempt or release the said corporation or its lands and tenements, goods or chattels, from the same from also being liable for and chargeable with the said excess. And provided, That such of the directors as may have been absent from the board when the excess was created, shall not be considered as assenting thereto or liable therefor, and … those directors who may have been present and who dissented from the creation of the excess, and entered upon the minutes of the board, may exonerate themselves from such liability by forthwith giving notice of the fact to the stockholders at a general meeting which they shall have power to call for that purpose.

Section 3. No loans of money shall be made on pledges of stock or any other security than that which is usually demanded by banks, and loans to directors, directly or indirectly, shall be placed under the same restrictions as those made to individuals not connected with the institutions; nor shall any director, stockholder or other individual, receive from any bank, savings institution or loan company, a loan at any time of more than two per cent. upon the amount of capital actually paid in of such institution; nor shall any stockholder be eligible as a director for more than two out of every three years, except the president for the time being, who shall be always eligible.

Section 4. That the stockholders of the several banks, savings institutions and loan companies within this commonwealth, shall be individually liable for double the amount of stock held by them at any time in said bank, savings institution or loan company, in relation to its notes or obligations in gold or silver for the amount of which said liability shall be recoverable by the holder or holders of said notes or obligations in such manner as other debts are by law recoverable. Provided, That there is not sufficient effects belonging to said institutions to pay the obligations of the same.

Section 5. That no bonus or prize shall be paid to the state for any charter hereafter granted, other than the excess over eight per cent. of the annual profits, and that all new bank stock shall be sold at auction, and the profits arising therefrom above par value after deducting the expenses attending the sale thereof shall be paid into the state treasury for the use of the commonwealth.

Section 6. That from and after the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight, the banks of this commonwealth shall redeem their notes and obligations in gold or silver.

Sec. 7. That upon the refusal of any of the said banks or savings institutions to pay any of their notes, bills or obligations, in gold or silver at or after the expiration of the time specified in the foregoing section, it shall and may be lawful for the holder or proprietor of the same to make application, in writing, to any Judge of the court, in the proper county to allow him or her to make proof of said refusal, on oath or affirmation, by one or more disinterested witnesses, before said Judge, whose duty it shall be to give at least ten days notice to the President or Cashier of such bank, savings institution or loan company, of the time and place of making such proof, to order that an opportunity may be afforded for rebutting the same, by testimony; and if the facts be substantiated, it shall be the duty of the said Judge to reduce the same to writing, and transmit it to the Governor; and it shall be the duty of the Governor immediately on the receipt of the written proof above specified, to issue his proclamation declaring the charter of the said bank, savings institution or loan company, to be forfeited; and from and after the tenth day after the date of the said proclamation, the charter of the said bank, savings institution, or loan company shall be absolutely null and void, and of no effect whatsoever, except that the said corporation shall be liable, in its corporate capacity, for the faithful performance of all contracts previously made and entered into by it, and the stockholders thereof shall have power to elect directors as usual, and be capable of compelling the fulfilment of any contract entered into with said corporation previously to the date of the said forfeiture.

Sec. 8. No bank shall, after the first day of January, eighteen hundred and forty-one, issue or receive any note of a less denomination than ten dollars; nor shall it be lawful for any person or persons, or body corporate, to issue, circulate, or cause to be issued or circulated, any note, bill or check, purporting to be a bank note, of a less amount than above specified, under the like penalty, and to be recovered in like manner as provided in the act of the twelfth of April, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight, entitled an act concerning small notes, and for the payment of debts or other obligations: *Provided*, the amount of penalty shall be increased to ten dollars.

Sec. 9. That all banks, savings institutions, loan companies, or other incorporated institutions of deposit in this commonwealth, shall be required to publish annually, for at least four successive weeks, in one or more daily newspapers, if such there be, in the proper county where such institutions are located, and also report to the Auditor General, at least one month before the meeting of the Legislature, a statement, made under oath or affirmation of the Cashier or President, of the deposits and dividends on the stock of said institutions, which have been unclaimed during the preceding year, setting forth the time and amount of the deposite, the name and residence, if known, of the depositor, the time and amount of the dividend, the name and residence of the stockholder, and the number of shares of stock upon which it was declared.

Sec 10. If it shall appear that the privileges by this act, and all former acts, granted to any of the banks, savings institutions or loan companies of the commonwealth, are injurious to the citizens of the same, the Legislature reserves full power to alter, revoke and annul them, or any one of them, at any time they may think proper.

Sec. 11. Every law, or part of any law, which is, by this act altered or supplied, shall be, and hereby is so far, and no further repealed.

"The Bowery Theatre burnt down again! A slip from the N. Y. Daily Express brings the information that this noble edifice is once more reduced to ashes. This is the third time the Bowery Theatre has been consumed by fire.

☞ Nothing of any importance from the frontier

Recorder for the First Municipality.

The office of recorder has become, by reason of the division of the city into three municipalities, an important one for the inhabitants of New Orleans, and the proper organization of an efficient police will in a great measure depend upon our choice of this functionary. In the 2d and 3d municipalities several gentlemen long and favorably known have been brought forward, as candidates, but in the first no name has hitherto been mentioned. It is therefore with extreme pleasure that we announce that Mr. PAUL BERTUS has permitted his friends to consider him a candidate for the office. The experience acquired by Mr BERTUS during the two years during which he has exercised the duties of Recorder and the impartiality and zeal he has ever displayed, present strong claims to the suffrages of his fellow citizens.

Washington.

The senate did not sit on the 17th. In the house the Frontier Bill underwent considerable discussion. Most of the members were in favor of the bill, but nearly all considered certain modifications necessary. Messrs Mason and Howard spoke at length upon the subject. Various amendments were proposed and ordered to be printed, and the house adjourned without coming to any conclusion.

Mr Mason moved that the president of the United States should be requested to state what action had been taken on a resolution of the senate of March, 1835, requiring the president to consider the expediency of opening negociations with the government of Central America, in relation to a ship canal across the Isthmus of Darien. The resolution was concurred in.

THE public are cautioned against negotiating a note drawn by the subscriber to the order of and endorsed by W. C. Duncan for the sum of three hundred dollars, dated 9th Dec. 1837, payable six months after date, and marked ne varietur by W. Y. Lewis, notary public. Said note was given to Mr. J. Mooney, in payment for an object which has proved invalid and not conformable to the guarantee and will not be paid unless compelled.
feb 26 2t W. ARMSTRONG.

STOLEN—A silver VASE, on which was engraved the name of Honorine V. St. Clair. Jewelers and Silversmiths, to whom said Vase may be offered, are invited to keep it and give notice at the office of the Bee. feb 26

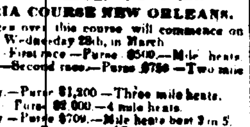
THE subscriber being about to absent himself, informs all persons … to be indebted, to present their accounts at No. 247 Royal street, from 9 o'clock, A. M., till 3 P. M., where he will be ready to pay them immediately.
He also … all those who owe him, to call at the same place and settle with him if they want to avoid cost.
feb 25—8t L. G. SASSINOT.

E. Holt vs the brig Good Hope.
IN the District Court of the United States, eastern district of Louisiana, No. —. By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed in the above entitled suit, I will expose to public sale on Saturday, the 10th day of March next, at the City Exchange, St Louis street, in this city, at half past 12 o'clock, P. M. the brig Good Hope, her tackle, apparel and furniture, as she now lies on the opposite side of the river. Terms cash. The inventory can be seen at the Marshal's office.
feb 26 J. H. HOLLAND, U. S. Marshal.

UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S SALE.
… Ferrar vs Steamboat Crusade, No. 4163.
R. Packmore vs the same, No. 4165.
J. G. Rowland vs the same, No. 4185.
Edward Alder vs the same, No. 4184.
… Vence vs the same No. 4166.
In the District Court of the United States—Eastern District of Louisiana.
BY virtue of five writs of fieri facias to me directed will be sold according to law on Saturday, the 31st day of March next, at half past 12 o'clock, P. M. at the City Exchange, St. Louis st. in this city the following described property surrendered by Richard Terrell, one of the sureties for the claimants in above mentioned suits and taken in execution as his property, to wit: A lot of ground designated by the number three situated at the south east corner of Treton and Hercules streets, in the Second Municipality of this city, measuring thirty feet ten inches front on Treton street by one hundred and thirty one feet nine inches … on Hercules street, one hundred and twenty eight feet … on the side line separating it from lot No. 2, … and forty one feet … in the rear line according to a plan drawn by C. F. Zimpel, deputy surveyor, dated seventh of August, 1832, and deposited in the office of H. B. Cenas, notary public. The said lot … to a lease of five years from the … day of December last at the rate of $400 per annum. Conditions as prescribed by the Admiralty rules of the Court—Cash.
feb 26 J. H. HOLLAND, U. S. Marshal

PARISH OF JEFFERSON—Court of Probates—Succession of Thomas T Butler deceased—Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause within ten days from the date hereof why the account presented by Joseph Butler administrator of said estate should not be approved and homologated, and the funds in his hands paid accordingly.
F. DUGUE. feb 26

PARISH OF JEFFERSON—Court of Probates—Succession of … Gibbs Clark—Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause within ten days, why the account presented by … Fielden testamentary executor, should not be approved and homologated.
feb 26 F. DUGUE, Judge.



METAIRIA COURSE NEW ORLEANS.
THE Races over this course will commence on the last Wednesday 28th, in March.
First day.—First race—Purse $500—Mile heats.
Same day.—Second race—Purse $750—Two mile heats.
Second day.—Purse $1,200—Three mile heats.
Third day.—Purse $2,000—4 mile heats.
Fourth day.—Purse $700—Mile heats best 3 in 5.
Fifth day.—Proprietors' Purse $100—Three mile heats.
The fall meeting will take place the second week in December.
By order of the Club, JAMES S. GARRISON, RICHARD ADAMS, Proprietors.
feb 26—3taw

TENERIFFE & CANARY WINES—50 casks various qualities Teneriffe Cargo, London Particular, Old London Particular and Canary Wines, landing per brig Mersson, direct from the house of Pasley & Co, Teneriffe. Will be sold on accommodating terms, by H. & W. ANDERSON, 84 Tchoupitoulas st.
feb 26

CANARY WINE—30 pipes, hhds and quarter casks Canary Wine, direct importation. This Wine is consigned to the subscribers by house from whom "Cogswell" purchases his Wine, with their guarantee, that this shipment is superior to any they have hitherto exported, for sale low, by H. & W. ANDERSON, 84 Tchoupitoulas st.
feb 26

FLOUR—300 barrels superfine Flour, in store and for sale by YORKE BROTHERS, 65 Camp st. feb 26

QUILLS for counting rooms and schools, for sale by NORMAN, STEEL & CO, 12 Bienville st. feb 26

BAGGING & BALE ROPE—650 tierces Kentucky Bagging, 100 coils do bale rope, in store and for sale by YORKE BROTHERS, 65 Camp st. feb 26

HAMS AND BEEF TONGUES—One small lot Cincinnati canvassed hams and one do dried beef tongues, in store and for sale by YORKE BROTHERS, 65 Camp st. feb 26

NAILS—1500 kegs Philadelphia Nails (assorted sizes) in store and for sale by YORKE BROTHERS, 65 Camp st. feb 26

DRAFTS ON FRANCE, for sale by LARUE & PREVOST. feb 26—6t

MESSINA LEMONS—200 boxes, a very superior article and in fine order, now landing from ship Wm Tell, two tiers below the Rail Road, and for sale by ANDREW S BARKER, No 691 Common st. feb 26 10t

BORDEAUX BRANDY—In half, and eight pipes, some 7 and some 11 years old, and Champagne do, in half pipes, for sale by QUARLES & Co, 24 Custom House st. feb 26

MOLASSES HOGSHEADS—150, for sale low by WOOD & SIMMONS, 22 Poydras st. feb 25

GUNNY BAGS—100 bales different sizes, for sale by WOOD & SIMMONS, 22 Poydras st. feb 26

INDIA BAGGING—40 bales a superior article, for sale by WOOD & SIMMONS, 22 Poydras st. feb 26

WINES—1,000 cases Claret; 15 casks and … casks old Madeira Sherry and Port; 40 bbls old Peach Brandy; 40 baskets Champagne; 40 cases Swiss Absynth; 30 cases Anisette Cordials; 50 bbls Cherry Bounce, for sale by WOOD & SIMMONS, 22 Poydras st. feb 26

BILLS OF EXCHANGE on London and Hamburg, in sums to suit purchasers, for sale by SCHMIDT & WERNER. feb 26

NOTARIAL WAFERS—Warranted superior, for sale by NORMAN, STEEL & CO, Stationers, 12 Bienville st. feb 26

BRICKS—40 thousand German bricks afloat and for sale by ANDREW S. BARKER, 691 Common st. feb 27 10t

THE PATENT FILE PRESS—A new supply of these convenient and popular presses received and for sale by NORMAN, STEEL & CO, Stationers, 12 Bienville st. feb 26

WINES & Segars.—2 pipes old E J madeira … 'Blackburn's' …, 10 demijohns & 45 cases ditto of 1 & 2 doz each, 8 qr casks & 7 Indian bls L P. Teneriffe, 11 bls sweet malaga, 39 half boxes Havana segars, in store, for sale by P H GALLWEY, 31 Common st. feb 26

LONDON EDITIONS—Langhorne's Plutarch, Wonders of Nature and Art, Cammet, Guy's Pocket Cyclopedia, Pope's Homer and Odyssey, Gibbon's Decline and Fall, Xenophon, Thucydides, Selections from British Poets, Cesar and Sallust, Burton's Anatomy of Melancholy, Georgian Era, Goldsmith's Animated Nature, Tytler's Elements, Scott's Complete Works. For sale by NORMAN, STEEL & Co. Stationers, 12 Bienville st. feb 26

OLD MONONGAHELA—16 bbls very old in store for sale by P. H. GALLWEY, 31 Common street. feb 26

NOTICE—The creditors of P. Paret are requested to hand the amount of their claims, with the vouchers, to A. Langedorff, syndic of the estate. feb 24—3t

DETAINED at the Jail of the Municipality No 3, an English negro named EDWARD, belonging to Mr Taylor, of New Orleans.—The owner is requested to claim said slave agreeably to law. A BARROSSE, Jailer. feb 26—10t

DETAINED at the Jail of the Municipality No 3, an English negro named DAMON; belonging to Mr Livingston, of New Orleans. The owner is requested to claim said slave agreeably to law. A BARROSSE, Jailer. feb 26—10t

ST CHARLES THEATRE.

Mrs. WATSON'S Benefit and last appearance Monday, Feb. 26, 1838, will be performed
THE BARBER OF SAVILLE.
Rosina … Mrs. Watson.
After which a Grand Concert by the vocal and instrumental strength of the establishment.
To conclude with the farce of
NO.
Maria … Mrs. Watson.

Grand Musicale Soiree.
MR. DEMSTOR respectfully announces that his Soiree Musicale, will take place on Wednesday evening 28th instant, in the large Room of Exchange Hotel, St. Charles street.
PRINCIPAL PERFORMERS.
Mrs. Bailey, late … Miss Watson.
Mr. Bishop. … Mr. H. Trust.
MR. DEMSTER
Tickets One Dollar to be had at Mr. Casey's Music Store and the Hotel. feb 26—3t

ORLEANS BALL ROOM.
LAST CHILDREN'S BALL.
For the benefit of MESSRS. BERTUS & ST. CYR.
Monday next, Feb. 26th, 1838.
GRAND CHILDREN'S DRESS AND FANCY
BALL
To be followed by a Grand Ball for Grown Persons.
THE FANCY CHILDREN'S BALL, will begin at 5 o'clock, and finish at 9. The Grand Ball for grown persons will take place immediately after.
Price of Admission:
Grown Persons … $1
Children under 12 years … 50 cts.
After the Children's Ball Servants must leave the Ball Room in order to avoid crowding. feb 23

ST. CHARLES THEATRE. A CARD
MRS. WATSON begs respectfully to announce that her BENEFIT is fixed for Monday evening next, February 26th, being positively her last appearance, on which occasion she will sing her most admired English, Scotch and Irish Ballads, also the BEAU DUETT with Miss Dubar, which elicited a *triple* encore on Thursday evening. The entertainments will consist of (first time at this Theatre) Rossini's opera of the BARBER OF SEVILLE, A GRAND CONCERT, and a Musical Afterpiece, in which Mrs Watson will also perform. feb 24

A CARD.
MR. PLUMER respectfully announces that his BENEFIT will take place on Tuesday, February 27th, on which occasion a lady will make her first appearance in New Orleans, and second on any stage in the variety of dancing, songs, &c. &c. Monsieur Barbiere will for the first time in this city perform on the Guitar. Mr. Plumer will sing "Oh in the Sully Night," "The Boy of Bacey and Rory O'Moore, in character."
The Box Door is now open. feb 26

TO FATHERS OF FAMILY.
THE Subscribers to the Ball by the Fathers of Family, to be given on the 14th March next, are invited to meet on Wednesday next, the 28th inst. at 7 o'clock P. M. at the Orleans Ball Room, in order to elect the Managers and make the arrangements. feb 26—3t

ORLEANS BALL ROOM.
THE subscribers to the three last Society Masquerade Balls, which will take place from Sunday next, until St. Joseph's Day, are invited to meet on Tuesday night, at 6 o'clock, in order to elect managers. The first Ball being to take place on Saturday, 31 March, they will be pleased to call for their Tickets on Thursday. feb 26—3t

FOR ST. LOUIS, ALTON, And all intermediate landings.
The splendid upper cabin steamer ST LOUIS, J C Swon, master having the most of her cargo engaged and on board, will be despatched for the above and intermediate ports in all next week. For balance of freight or passage, having splendid accommodations, apply on board opposite Gravier st, or to BOGERT & HAWTHORN, 6 Gravier st. feb 26

For Louisville and intermediate ports.
THE superior and fast running steamer MEDITERRANEAN. Thos. Baldwin master, will leave as above, on Tuesday, 27th instant, at 10 o'clock, A. M. For freight or passage, having good accommodations, apply on board opposite to Common st., or to PIERCE SHANNON & BROTHER, 57 Magazine st. feb 24

For LOUISVILLE, and intermediate ports.
The well known superior fast running steamboat GEN. BROWN, F. Carel master, will leave as above on Wednesday, the 28th inst, at 10 o'clock, A. M.
For freight or passage having superior accommodations, apply on board opposite to Gravier st, or to PIERCE SHANNON & BROTHER, 57 Magazine st. feb 24

FOR ST LOUIS, ALTON, And all intermediate landings.
The splendid upper cabin and … built steamboat George Collier, Bellighover master, having nearly all her cargo engaged and on board, will be despatched for the above and intermediate ports on Tuesday the 27th inst, at 10 o'clock, A. M. For freight of the balance or passage, having splendid accommodations (all in state rooms) apply on board, opposite Custom House, or to BOGERT & HAWTHORN, 63 Gravier. feb 26

FOR PITTSBURG, Wheeling, Portsmouth and Cincinnati.
The light draught steam boat Mermion, Stanley master, is now ready to receive freight and will have despatch. For freight or passage, having good accommodations, apply to COMSTOCK, HYDE & CO, 28 Poydras st. feb 26

FOR LOUISVILLE, Ky, and all intermediate landings.
The double engine and upper cabin steamboat SULTANA. Tufts master, is expected in port and will have quick despatch for the above port, for freight or passage, having superior accommodations, apply to BOGERT & HAWTHORN, 63 Gravier st. feb 26
The Sultana will take freight for Natchez, Vicksburg, Rodney, Grand Gulf, Memphis and all intermediate landings on the Ohio river.

STEAMBOATS FOR SALE or CHARTER. Apply to GEO. WHITMAN, Exchange Hotel. feb 23 2t

FOR LIVERPOOL.
The A 1 ship "Ambassador," Joseph W Upton, master, has a considerable part of her cargo engaged, and wants 3 or 400 bales cotton to fill up. For freight or other apply to GEO GREEN, 60 Camp st. feb 26

FOR HAVANA.
The fast sailing coppered and copper fastened brig THOOSA, Powers, master, having a part of her cargo engaged, will meet with quick despatch for the above port. For balance of freight or passage, having superior accommodations apply on board opposite St. Peter street, or to WOOD & SIMMONS, 22 Poydras street. feb 26

FOR LIVERPOOL.
The well known and fast sailing A 1 ship MILO, capt Thompson, requires 250 bales to fill up. For terms, apply to L H GALE, 93 Common st. feb 26

FOR NEW YORK.
New Line of Packets for Monday the 5th March.
The ship ALABAMA, C. C. Berry master, will sail as above. For freight or passage, apply to FRANKLIN, AMES & Co, 48 Camp st. feb 26

FOR HAVANA.
The fine and fast sailing coppered and copper fastened packet brig LANCET, Capt Young, having the greater part of her cargo engaged will meet with despatch for the above port. For balance of freight or passage, apply to the Captain on board, or to R GRONING & Co. feb 26

FOR LIVERPOOL.
The ship GLASGOW, Captain Swanton 2nd, will meet with despatch, and requires 300 bales to fill her up. For freight or passage apply to L. H. GALE, 93 Common st. feb 26

FOR LIVERPOOL.
The superior and very fast sailing A 1 barque SHANNON, Capt Stone, requires 200 bales Cotton to fill up. For terms or passage, having handsome accommodations, apply to L. H. GALE 93 Common st. feb 22

NOTICE.—The undersigned having been appointed curator of the estate of the late Victor Tulane, of the firm of Tulane & Coleman, requests all those having any claims against the said estate or firm to present them without delay: and all those indebted to the same, will please make immediate payment to PAUL TULANE. feb 24—1m2aw

☞ The following are the drawn Nos of THE LOUISIANA LOTTERY, CLASS No 12, for 1838.
58, 3, 60, 18, 4, 9, 7, 72, 47, 35, 74, 46.

DRAWS
TO-DAY.
CAPITAL PRIZE **$7,000.**
$3,000 and 100 Prizes at 100 Dollars.
TICKETS only 2 Dollars.

LOUISIANA LOTTERY.
Authorized by Act of Legislature, Chapter LXIII passed March 21, 1828.
EXTRA CLASS 7 for 1838.
To be drawn on Monday, 26th February, 1838, at the Exchange Hotel, St Charles street, 5½ o'clock, P. M precisely.
D. S. GREGORY & CO, Managers, Successors to YATES & M'INTYRE.

SCHEME.

1	Prize of	$7,000	is	$7,000
1		3,000		3,000
1		1,514		1,514
2		1,000		2,000
5		300		1,500
10		200		2,000
100		100		10,000
144		20		2,880
198		10		1,980
3756		4		15,024
22,436		2		45,872

27,814 Prizes, amounting to [illegible]

Tickets only, $2—shares in proportion.
Certificate of Package of 22 whole tickets for $22. Packages and single Tickets for sale at CHAS. A WELLS' office, No 79 Common st between Camp and St Charles streets, 30 Bienville st.
feb 21
feb 24

WHISKEY—200 bbls rectified whiskey, superior brand, landing from steamboat Commerce for sale by JOS. LANDIS & CO, 14 Poydras st. feb 26

BACON—35 hhds Cincinnati Bacon Sides, landing from steamboat Mermion, for sale by JOS LANDIS & CO, 14 Poydras st. feb 26

LINSEED OIL—30 bbls in store, for sale by G. DORSEY, 44 New Levee. feb 26

Sales at Auction.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE WITHOUT RESERVE. BY DOMINGON & SAMORY.
WILL be sold, at the City Exchange, St Louis street, on Saturday, the 3d March, at noon, that
VERY VALUABLE PROPERTY, Fronting the river, on the line between the second Municipality and the City of Lafayette, known by the name of the "TRIANGLE."
Said property is divided into thirteen lots, situated between New Levee, Tchoupitoulas and N… streets and the Public Road above; and twelve lots between New Levee street and the river; and will be sold separately, according to the plan drawn by Mr Sergi, and exhibited at said Exchange.
Terms—One-tenth payable in sixty days, and the balance in five equal instalments of four, eight, twelve, twenty-four and thirty months, in notes endorsed to the satisfaction of the vendor, and mortgage on the property sold until final payment.
The terms of sale to be complied with within five days after the adjudication, or the sale (at the option of the vendor) to be null.
The above mentioned sale will be unreserved; but in case the whole of the lots should not be sold, the vendor reserves to himself immediately after adjudication, the right of declaring whether the sale shall be valid or not; and if declared not valid the said property will then be immediately put on … sale.
It is believed that few better opportunities of making profitable investments will occur, than that which is now presented. The great public spirit evinced by the Second Municipality, and the rapid improvements now making in every quarter of the upper part of the city, through the enterprise and exertions of its wise and efficient administration, will cause a steady increase in the value of property, and especially in the value of such as is situated like the present immediately on the river, and possessing the best landing … corporations.
No error can be committed in the purchase of such property, sold without reserve, at the present unfavorable moment; but on the contrary, every such acquisition must be highly advantageous to the purchaser. feb 26

BY T. MOSSY & GARIDEL.
ON Tuesday the 27th instant, will be sold, at 1 o'clock, at their auction store, No 50 Toulouse street.
4 Casks Copperas;
4 do White Lead;
2 do Red do;
3 do Litharge;
1 Keg White Paint;
2 Casks Lamp Black … Brush;
5 Boxes Tin Plates, I.C.—I.X.—I.X.X. f23

BY J. BLACHE.
WILL be sold on Tuesday, the 27th instant at 10 o'clock, A. M. at the store of Messrs Holmes & Mills in Bank place, Gravier street—
100 2 lb canisters salmon
50 gross wine and porter bottles
58 pieces Scotch bagging
30 cases Old Sherry Wine, from two to three doz each
4 half pipes old London dock brandy
30 cases fine assorted bottled English fruits
10 cases English Mustard three dozen each
1 pipe and 1 hogshead pure old London dock Madeira wine, imported per Madison, from London, in 1834.
1 hogshead and 1 quarter cask fine old Madeira wine, imported direct in 1835
1 barrel and 1 qr cask, superior old brown sherry
And immediately after, at the store of Messrs. H. C Cammack & Co. bank place, without reserve, the following articles—
74 cases 2 dozen each fine Madeira wine, imported in the schooner Ocean, from Madeira, in 1836
40 cases Palmer Margaux … dozen in a case.
1 pipe, 1 hogshead and 1 qr cask Madeira wine, imported … from Liverpool, in 1835.
One puncheon Scotch Whiskey, imported in barque Jane, from Greenock, in 1837.
An assortment of salmon, seine and sewing twine.
Terms at sale. feb 26

BY DOMINGON & SAMORY
ON Wednesday next, 28th instant, will be sold at one o'clock, precisely, in front of their auction store Toulouse street, No. 42, by order and under the inspection of the portwarden and for account of whom it may concern, 56 tierces rice, 3 half do and 8 bbls. damaged on board of the schooner Andrew Jackson, Weeks, master, from Savannah. Terms cash. f 26 2t

BY J. LEVY.
AT the Merchants' Exchange, Royal street, on Tuesday 27th instant, at 1 o'clock, will be offered for sale the line brig KANHAWA of the burden of 174 tons. She was completely rebuilt under the superintendence of Capt Richard Hall, at Wilmington, N. Carolina, three years since of the best materials; is coppered and copper fastened and in every way well found. Her inventory which can be seen at the Exchange. Terms will be liberal. feb 26

BY FERNANDEZ & WHITING.
WILL be sold on Monday, 26th instant, at half past four o'clock, P. M. at the domicil of Mr. P. R. Cotteon, on Esplanade street, between Burgundy and Rampart. All the household furniture of said Cotteon, consisting in bedsteads, armoirs, chairs, sofas, &c.
Terms—At sale. feb 26

BY FERNANDEZ & WHITING.
ON Tuesday the 28 instant, will be sold at the City Exchange St. Louis street, at 12 o'clock 2 Slaves, a man and a woman, young and good field hands.
Terms Cash, and sale without reserve. feb 25

PACKAGE SALE BY T. MOSSY & GARIDEL.
ON Tuesday the 27th instant, will be sold, at 10 o'clock precisely, at their Auction store No. 50, Toulouse street.
A large assortment of English and American Dry Goods, suitable to the season and to the Mexican markets, consisting in part of
—ENGLISH GOODS.—
Linen sheetings, linen …, white 4/4 linen, brown do, Osnaburgs white linen ticking, brown do, new style ginghams, prints, white and brown drills, Madras hdkfs, cotton hose, blue and white hose half cotton hose, &c &c.
—DOMESTIC GOODS.—
New style spring prints, 3 4 7/8—4/4 bed ticking—4/4 shirting checks, blue drillings, furniture prints, colored cambrics &c &c. feb 26

BY JOSEPH LE CARPENTIER.
WILL be sold on Monday, February 26, 1838, at half past ten o'clock A M, at his auction store by order and under the inspection of the Port Wardens, for account of whom it may concern,
16 cases assorted Hats,
1 do Caps,
Imported and damaged on board brig Pedang … master, from New York.

BY T. MOSSY & GARIDEL.
ON Monday, 26th inst, will be sold, at 10 o'clock at the store No 76 Chartres st, between Conti and Bienville sts, to close a concern, the STOCK of fancy and staple DRY GOODS belonging to J. L. Moore & Co—Terms at sale. feb 24

CANDIDATES.

☞ Mr CHARLES LESSEPS will be supported at the ensuing election of Directors of the Improvement Bank by a large number of Stockholders. feb 14

[Communicated.]
☞ F. Peschier, Esq. will be supported at the next Election of Directors for the Improvement Bank, by a great number of Stockholders. feb 8—2t

Communicated.
The friends of the Commercial Bank, will support the following Ticket for Directors:
WILLIAM G. HEWES,
L. R. ARCUEIL,
MAUNSEL WHITE,
A. LEDOUX,
ROBERT LAYTON,
ALEXANDER LEGENDRE,
ISAAC BRIDGE,
ABIJAH FISK,
GEORGE M. LEE,
A. P. GRAY,
P. E. LAYET. feb 8

☞ The following ticket will be strongly supported by a great number of stockholders, as Directors of the Improvement Bank:
J. F. CANONGE,
JOS DEVENPORT,
J. B. DOLHONDE,
NORBERT VIGNIE,
CHARLES FORSTALL,
JAS BARTHET. feb 6—19

☞ The following ticket will be strongly supported by a large majority of the stockholders, as directors of the Improvement Bank.
JOS. DEVENPORT,
J. BARTHET,
J. B DOLHONDE,
F. CANONGE,
A. DELASSUS,
R. BRUGIER. feb 5

The following persons, composing the present direction of the Improvement Bank, will be supported at the next election of directors by a great number of stockholders—
J. F. CANONGE,
S. M. DUCROS,
A. PITOT,
Jn. BARTHET,
M. F. COUGOT.

☞ The following persons will be supported at the next election of Directors of the Improvement Bank, by a large number of Stockholders—
J. F. CANONGE,
A. DELASSUS,
JH BARTHET,
G LEONARD,
N. VIGNIE,
C. E. FORSTALL,
A. PITOT. feb 2 3t

☞ The following persons will be supported as Directors of the Improvement Bank at the next Election:—
CHAS. F. FORSTALL,
NORBERT VIGNIE,
FELIX DE ARMAS,
GILBERT LEONARD,
F CORREJOLLES,
J B DOLHONDE. feb 1

11 73 39 31 73 66 70 22 9 32 4 40
Are the drawn numbers of Class 41, OF THE FREE SCHOOL LOTTERY, Drawn Saturday Feb 24th, 1838.

TO-MORROW
TICKETS ONLY **$2 50**
FREE SCHOOL LOTTERY.
Authorised by Law, 21st March, 1826.
CLASS F.
Will be drawn on Tuesday, February 27, 1838, At half past 5 o'clock in the Evening, in the Grand Saloon of the Merchants' Exchange, Adjoining the Post Office.
J. K. MEAD, Manager.
75 Numbers—12 Drawn Ballots.

SCHEME

1	Prize of	[illegible]	$8,000
1	do		3,000
1	do		2,000
1	do		1,500
1	do		1,400
1	do		1,250
1	do		1,200
1	do		1,100
1	do		1,050
1	do		1,000
10	do	400	4,000
10	do	300	3,000
20	do	150	3,000
170	do	100	17,000

And others amounting in all to [illegible]
Tickets $2 50, halves $1 25, quarters, [illegible]
Packages of 25 Tickets, [illegible] dollars must draw [illegible] and may draw the four highest capitals, amounting to 14,400 Dollars. Shares in proportion.
Certificates of Packages, entitling the holder to all prizes above the guarantee, $7 Dollars. To be had at the Managers Offices, Merchants Exchange, adjoining the entrance into the Saloon, also at No 4, Arcade and No 118 Chartres street.
feb 26 J K MEAD, Manager.

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POUR GOUVERN…
A. B. ROMA…

Extrait de la séance du Sénat du 6 f…
"Résolu que le Sénat de l'État … approuve les mesures générales de … l'ex-gouverneur A. B. Roman, et … lui, en quittant sa place, le souvenir … Sénat.
"Résolu que le président du Sénat … voyer une copie de cette résolution à M…

Extrait de la séance de la Chambre des … du 3 février 1835.
"Résolu par la Chambre des Représentants de la Louisiane que l'administration … de l'État, par l'ex-gouverneur A. B. … marquée par la sagesse et la fermeté … …

Représentant du 1er. District …
JOHN SLIDE…
Pour Recorder de la 1re. Mun…
PAUL BERTU…
Pour Recorder de la 3me Mun…
J. B. BERTRA…

BILL DES BANQU…