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15 2m leof 90 Common st and 7 Canal st. Row.

MR. JOSEPH A. HALL is our legally authorised Agent and Attorney in fact, during our temporary absence from this city.
NORCROSS & FOSDICK.

During my absence Mr. G. LEGNAUNA is charged with the business of H. Paler & Dubon, in liquidation.
CH. DUPOIS, Liquidator.

Mr. ALEXANDRE WIEDEMAN will superintend my business during my absence. ICR. DUFOUR.

NOTICE.—Messrs. Poetz & Brothers are soon authorised to receive letters for, or attend to any unsettled business of the late firm of Poetz & North, during the absence of the undersigned from Orleans parish, Mr H North.
New Orleans, 7th May, 1843.
POETZ & NORTH, in liquidation.

BUDDECKE, WOODS & CO.,
Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
16 Gravier street, corner Tchoupitoulas.

HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN,
General Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
No. 44 Poydras street.

WILLIAM DAVIDSON, COMMISSION MERCHANT,
No. 81 Canal street,
NEW ORLEANS.

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Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
88 Tchoupitoulas street.

GEORGE BEDFORD,
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANT
No. 47 Common Street,
New Orleans.

FOSDICK & BROTHER,
Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
No. 66 Camp street.

Thomas B. Winston Louis Florian Hermann
WINSTON & HERMANN,
GROCERS—WHOLESALE AND RETAIL;
Brewer corner of Canal Street and New Levee, and corner of Common street and New Levee.
New Orleans.

HERAN, LEES & CO.,
Commission Merchants.
New York.

THE subscribers will make liberal advances, in cash, on cotton, tobacco, sugar and other produce consigned to the house at Mobile.
HEWITT, HERAN & Co.
15 Camp st

PEET & MORTON,
(FORMERLY PEET AND MORTON),
WHOLESALE DRY GOODS DEALERS,
No. 17,
Chartres Street, New-Orleans.

T. & S. TOBY & BOGERT,
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANTS,
No 70 CAMP STREET,
New Orleans.
THOMAS TOBY. SAMUEL TOBY. GEORGE C. BOGERT

NORCROSS & FOSDICK,
Commission & Forwarding Merchants.
Agents of the Boston Sugar Refinery.
H. M. NORCROSS,
New Orleans, Sept. 1, 1840. WM S FOSDICK.
40 Gravier st

ISAAC BRIDGE,
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANT,
And Agent for the sale of Robertson & Rich's improved Salamander Iron Safes, and
Amos Stevens' Patent Balances,
76 Magazine street.

OCEAN INSURANCE COMPANY,
OFFICE No 46, CAMP STREET.
Cash Capital, $300,000.
INSURES AGAINST FIRE, MARINE, AND RIVER RISKS.
WM. A. GARQUET, *President.*
CHAS. BRADDY, *Sec'y.* by ut
JOHN HARROD, FRANCIS D. DARLING, GEO. FOSTER.
HARROD, DARLING & Co,
Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
No. 4 & 6 CAMP STREET.
Boatmen's Row Orleans Regular Line of Packets,
No. 49 Common street, New Orleans.

HEWITT, HERAN & CO.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 66 Camp street,
New Orleans.
MEMBERS OF THE FIRM:
JAMES HEWITT.
DAVID HERAN.
JAMES LEES.

NOTICE.
THE subscribers have this day associated with them in the Commission and Forwarding business, Mr. James L. Carman, and the business will in future be conducted under the style of
HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN.
A. C. L. Hartwell.
Thomas Kidder.
H. DE GOER & RIFFLARD,
Importers of French, English, & German Dry Goods,
ALSO DEALERS IN
DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES
AND ALL KINDS OF
NEGRO WOLLENS AND COTTONS,
For Plantations,
H. De Goer, Paris. J. Riffelard, New Orleans.
New Orleans, No. 38, Chartres street.

YOUNG LADIES' ACADEMY,
CONDUCTED BY MRS. T. A. FIPPIN,
169 Bonsomby Street,
(Between St. Charles and Carondelet sts.)
The various branches of education are taught in both the English and French Languages.
SEASONS OF INSTRUCTION
Reading. Writing
Grammar, Arithmetic,
Geography, History,
Mythology.
Lessons in Music, Drawing, Embroidery, &c., separately given.

CHANGE OF RESIDENCE.
BATAILLE & BIGEY, now, absent for the purpose of purchasing goods, inform the public that their store, from and after the 1st October next, will be transferred to No. 62, corner of Bienville street.

ADVANCES will be made by the undersigned on consignments of flour, grain, cotton to his friends in New York.
GEO. CLIFFORD.
47 Poydras st

REMOVAL.—GEORGE BEDFORD has removed to No 54, Common Street.

FLOUR—100 barrels best Missouri flour, for sale by
HEWITT, HERAN & Co.

BACON SIDES—30 casks of good quality, for sale by
HEWITT, HERAN & Co.

EAU DE COLOGNE—14 boxes for sale by
SCHMIDT & Co, 86 Bienville s

PRINCIPE SEGARS—In store for sale by
J. M. CABALLERO, 86 Old Levee.

GUNNY BAGS—For sale by
GEO GREEN & BRO, 62 Gravier st

MANILLA CORDAGE—Manilla cordage for sale by
GEO GREEN & BRO, 32 Gravier st

FLOUR—100 superfine do, Virginia brands, landing and for sale by
PRICE & FROST, 20 Poydras st

FLOUR—In half barrels extra family ground, for sale by
PRICE & FROST, 20 Poydras st.

SADDLES—A small invoice for sale low by
FOSDICK & BRO, 66 Camp st

EXCHANGE ON BOSTON—60 days sight, for sale by
HARROD, DARLING & Co, 49 Common st

SEAL—50 half bbls Stone Shad, in store and for sale by
HARROD, DARLING & Co, 49 Common st

GUNNY BAGS—For sale by
GEO GREEN & BRO, 62 Gravier st

MANILLA CORDAGE—For sale by
GEO GREEN & BRO, 62 Gravier st

HAVANA COFFEE—In store for sale by
REYNAUD & FALLON, 16 Bienville st.

BACON SIDES—30 casks, for sale by
JOHN R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras st

SEGARS—10 bale, in store and for sale by
JOHN R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras st

LARD—40 tcrs and 100 kegs, in store and for sale by
JOHN R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras st

LARD OIL—50 brls prime lard oil, in store, for sale by
J R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras st

COFFEE—100 sacks, landing in prime order and for sale by
J R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras st

SUGAR—A white prime sugar for sale by
J R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras st

LETTERS—Sale leather in store and for sale by
REYNAUD & FALLON, 16 Bienville st.

VINEGAR—In wine, pearl and Japan for sale by
JARVIS & ANDREWS, 30 Common st.

BILLS ON BOSTON, 60 days sight, for sale by
MERLE, SEYLLE & Co, 44 Old Levee.

COFFEE—In store and for sale by
WM FRENH & Co, 56 Carondelet st

Rice and Cotton Bags, in store and for sale by
J R GAPPORT, 67 Poydras st

Steam Packets.

STEAMER CASPIAN, Capt. R. S. Freeland, for Saint Louis—This splendid new and fast running steamboat, to hearty appearance, will leave as the above for the Balize, and will meet with her usual quick despatch. For freight or passage, having superior accommodations, apply to
J. R. SHAW & Co, agents, 24 Poydras st

Mr. JACQUES LARIBE has the honor to inform the public and his friends that he has purchased from Capt. Jno. Martin, one half of the steamboat FAME. They intend having said steamboat completely repaired. The steamboat will commence her trips in the above trade under the command of Capt. F. C. Gillett, where she will run as a regular weekly packet to New-Iberia, throughout the season. For further particulars of information, apply to JOHN HALL,
No 5 Front Levee st.

U. STATES MAIL STEAMER FAME,
WEEKLY PACKET FOR THE COAST
Donaldsonville, Plaquemine, Baton Rouge, Fort Desaussure, Bayou Sara, Point Coupee and Tunica.

Capt. J. Hart having made arrangements with the Clipper to carry the Mail on Sunday, the splendid double cabin steamer HELLIANT, will hereafter leave New Orleans every Wednesday, at 10 o'clock, A. M. and Bayou Sara every Saturday, at 10 o'clock, A. M. and arrive in New Orleans early next morning. The rate of passage, &c. &c. is the same as charged by all good packets running the coast. For freight or passage, apply on board or to
WM M AVERY, 86 Gravier st

NEW ORLEANS AND BALIZE PACKET.
The steamer FAME, Capt Jourdan Martin, will leave this port for the Balize and all intermediate landings, every Saturday morning, at 8 o'clock precisely. For freight or passage, apply on board opposite St. Louis street, or to
DUBOUCT & TEULADE,
25 Toulouse st.

HAVANA COFFEE—100 bags Havana coffee landing ex brig Hope Howes and 1 3 sale by
A. DURAND, 7 Canal st.

HAVANA SEGARS—A general assortment of best Havana segars, always on hand and for sale by
J M CABALLERO, 86 Old Levee

COFFEE—3,500 Rio coffee, now landing, from barque Ganges, and for sale by
O GREEN & BRO, 62 Gravier st

RUSSIA SHEETINGS—10 bales Russia brown sheetings, for sale by
TUFTS & HOBART, 20 Customhouse st.

NAILS—200 kegs Boston Swedes iron nails, assorted sizes, for sale by
TUFTS & HOBART.

PINE APPLE CHEESE—10 boxes superior p. s. cheese, landing from ship Louisa, for sale by
TUFTS & HOBART, 20 Customhouse st

GOSHEN BUTTER—30 kegs superior Goshen butter, landing from ship Louisa, for sale by
TUFTS & HOBART, 20 Customhouse st

CORN—227 sacks of Corn, in fine shipping order, landing from Algerquin, and for sale by
HULLIN & WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

RECEIVED from Glasgow—12 bales very superior and fancy cottonade, for winter pantaloons, for sale by
DUNCAN KENNEDY, 43 Toulouse st

FLOUR—500 brls flour just received from steamer Dodson and Manhattan, and for sale by
PRICE & FROST, 20 Poydras st

BACON—3 casks bacon now landing from steamer Manhattan, 30 bbls do do, for sale by
PRICE & FROST, 20 Poydras st

LARD—3 kegs, 3 brls lard, now landing from steamer Manhattan, and for sale by
PRICE & FROST, 20 Poydras st

FRENCH BLANKETS—A few bales of 3 points, for sale by
EUG ROCHEBEAU & Co, 13 Conti st

SUPERIOR COFFING AND NOTARIAL PRESSES at various sizes, for sale at cost price
WM McKEAN, cor Camp and Common sts.

MESS BEEF—30 half bbls in store and for sale by
CLYMER, THOMPSON & Co.
48 Tchoupitoulas st.

WHISKEY—200 bbls Cincinnati rectified, in store and for sale by
CLYMER, THOMPSON & Co.
48 Tchoupitoulas st.

LARD—400 kegs and 14 tubs in store and for sale by
CLYMER, THOMPSON & Co.
48 Tchoupitoulas st.

FLOUR—50 bbls superfine and 50 bbls fancy in store and for sale by CLYMER, THOMPSON & Co.
48 Tchoupitoulas st.

PORK—200 bbls mess, M O and self mess at inspection, and for sale by CLYMER, THOMPSON & Co.
48 Tchoupitoulas st.

BUFFALO TONGUES—50 doz very superior buffalo tongues, in store and for sale by
J R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras st

BUFFALO ROBES—200 fine buffalo robes, in store and for sale by
JOHN R SHAW & Co.
24 Poydras st

BACON SIDES—30 casks of good quality, for sale by
WORSLEY & FORMAN.
74 Tchoupitoulas st.

OLD BOURBON WHISKEY—10 bbls very superior, for sale by
WORSLEY & FORMAN.
74 Tchoupitoulas st.

THOMASTON LIME—200 casks, fresh and new landing, for sale by
GEORGE BEDFORD, 47 Common st

SHOULDERS—25 casks landing from steamer Diamond, and for sale by
SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH,
24 Poydras street.

MACKEREL—30 brls No. 2 and 3 mackerel, for sale by
J W STANTON & Co,
corner of Magazine and Lafayette sts

SOAP—100 bbls Winchester's No 1 soap, for sale by
J W STANTON & Co,
corner of Magazine and Laf

FLOUR—200 bbls superfine flour, choice brands, landing and for sale by
HULLIN & WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

HYDRAULIC CEMENT—300 brls fresh, in store and for sale by
T & S TOBY & BOGERT, 70 Camp st

WHISKEY—200 bbls Cincinnati rectified; 120 bbls common Whiskey, high proof, for sale by
H McKINNELL & Co, 34 Poydras st

ITALIAN MACARONI—Landing and for sale by
J E LOREILHE,
corner of Customhouse and Royal streets.

LYON SAUSAGES—Landing, warranted new and prime, for sale by
J E LOREILHE,
corner of Customhouse and Royal streets.

MACKEREL—Nos 1, 2 and 3, in assorted packages, just received and for sale by
HARROD, DARLING & Co, 49 Common st

CORN—200 sacks white corn, in fine shipping order, for sale by
HARROD, DARLING & Co,
49 Common st

DAILS—200 doz superior painted pails, in store and for sale by
HARROD, DARLING & Co,
49 Common st

LARD—400 kegs No. 1 prime leaf lard, in brls to do, for sale by
HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN,
44 Poydras st

RIO COFFEE—3,000 bags Rio Coffee, now on p. landing from barque Ganges, and for sale by
GEO GREEN & BRO, 62 Gravier st

BALE ROPE AND TWINE—300 coils rope and 50 bales twine, in store for sale by
J R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras st

WHISKEY—200 brls common and rectified; 10 do prime old Monongahela, in store and for sale by
J R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras st

KENTUCKY JEANS and Linseys, for the negro clothing.
SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH, 24 Poydras st

BACON—Hams and clear sides, for sale by
SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH,
24 Poydras st

SEGARS—An assortment of various Havana brands always on hand and for sale by
REYNAUD & FALLON, 16 Bienville st.

PRINCIPE SEGARS—A genuine article, in store, and for sale by
REYNAUD & FALLON,
16 Bienville st

PACKING YARN—300 reels superior Kentucky manufacture, for sale by
SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH, 24 Poydras st

NEGRO BROGANS—40 cases russet brogans, for men, boys and youths, for sale by
ISAAC BRIDGE, 76 Magazine st

SWEET CHOCOLATE—3 cases sweet Spanish chocolate, received per ship Edward Everett, for sale by
ISAAC BRIDGE, 76 Magazine st

PATENT BALANCES—Seven's Patent Balance, of all sizes, constantly for sale by
ISAAC BRIDGE, 76 Magazine st

RIO COFFEE—250 sacks now landing from barque Ganges from Rio for sale by
JOHN A MERRITT & Co, 52 Camp st

FAMILY HAMS—120 bbls sugar cured hams for sale by
HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN.
44 Poydras st.

PORK—250 brls mess and M O pork, for sale by
HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN.
44 Poydras st

BUTTER—40 kegs fresh Western butter, just landing from steamer Diamond, for sale by
WM J. BRYAN & Co, 29 Chartres st

NEW BEANS—27 brls new red beans, and 4 do white do just received per steamer Harkaway, for sale by
WM J. BRYAN & Co, 29 Chartres st

TOBACCO—10 boxes manufactured tobacco, landing ex steamer West Wind, for sale by
MERLE, SEYLLE & Co, 44 Old Levee.

WHISKEY—50 barrels Cincinnati Rectified, landing and for sale by
WM. J. BRYAN & Co, 29 Commerce st

HAMS—10 casks canvassed hams, just receiving and for sale by
WM J. BRYAN & Co,
29 Commerce street.

LIGHT CARTS—For one horse, Jno Wood's manufacture, for sale low by
JAS D DENEGRE, 16 Customhouse st

CRACKERS—Boston and butter crackers in store, for sale by
HULLIN & WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

COPPER—20 cases sheathing copper, assorted sizes; 10 bags copper nails, for sale by
HULLIN & WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

TURKS ISLAND SALT—1000 sacks on board ship Louisville, for sale in lots to suit purchasers by
HULLIN & WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

YELLOW SUGAR—Just received from Havana, in store and for sale by
REYNAUD & FALLON, 16 Bienville st

TANNERS' OIL—30 brls prime tanners oil, now landing and for sale by
JARVIS & ANDREWS,
30 Common street.

SALSARATUS—11 casks salaratus, landing from Bockall and for sale by
JARVIS & ANDREWS,
30 Common street.

SPIRITS OF TURPENTINE—25 barrels Boston distilled spirits turpentine, for sale by
JARVIS & ANDREWS, 30 Common st

CAYENNE PEPPER—6 cases bottled cayenne pepper
HULLIN & WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

CLOTHING—Kersey, pants, satinnade, & red flannel shirts, stripped twilled do, on hand and for sale by
FROST & CO, 16 Magazine st

BOOTS—100 cases men's thick kip, seal and calf boots, for sale by
FROST & CO, 16 Magazine st

EXCHANGE ON BOSTON—60 days sight, for sale by
JOHN ROSS & FOSDICK

SOAP, OIL AND CANDLES—500 bxs No 1 soap, brands of James Gould, J H Horton, R Jackson and W Jackson, 1000 gallons pure sperm oil; 60 boxes Jackson's tallow candles, in store and for sale by
TUFTS & HOBART, 20 Customhouse st.

FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES,
HENRY CLAY.
NEW-ORLEANS:
MONDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 9, 1843.

CLAY CLUB.

A meeting of the members of the Clay Club will be held at their room, (22 Exchange Place), on Monday, 9th October at seven o'clock p. m.

A punctual attendance is required, as business of great importance will be submitted to them.

ALFRED ROUSSEAU,
C. C. WILLIAMS,
ALPH. CANONGE, } Secretaries.

FIRST GUN FROM GEORGIA.

We received yesterday the Columbus Enquirer, of the 4th inst., containing the returns of four counties in Georgia. The election took place on the 2d inst., and was for Governor, two Members of Congress, and the Legislature. The candidates for Governor are CRAWFORD (w.) and COOPER (L.) *The counties heard from are Muscogee, Harris, Talbot and Troup. In Muscogee the vote for Governor stands: Cooper 928, Crawford 903—Cooper's majority 25; whig gain 17 votes since the last election. The locofoco Senator is elected, and three locos and one whig are chosen to the House. In Harris the vote stands: Crawford 735, Cooper 343—maj. 392; gain about 90. In Talbot, Crawford has from 60 to 80 majority, and in Troup a reported majority of 600. In 1841 Talbot gave 35 maj. and Troup 450. In Harris, Talbot and Troup full whig tickets are chosen to the Legislature.*

It is impossible from these meagre returns to predict the result. Four counties exhibit a whig gain of 250 to 300 since 1841, when the locofoco majority was nearly 4000. A similar gain throughout the State would elect the whig candidate by a considerable majority. There are 92 counties in Georgia. In the course of two or three days we shall be enabled to speak with confidence as to the result. So far, so good.

THE MARYLAND ELECTION took place last Wednesday. By Thursday or Friday we shall have returns.—The contest this year is solely for members of the State Legislature, but it is considered somewhat important from the fact, that the duty will devolve on that body of choosing a United States Senator. Both parties appear wide awake, and the struggle has been, doubtless, animated.

We are again called upon to chronicle the demise of a member of the New Orleans press. ROBERT L. BREEHAN, late of the *Southern Sportsman*, and more recently connected with the *Tropic*, departed this life on Saturday evening, after a brief illness from the prevailing epidemic. There are few individuals in our community whose death could occasion such universal and heartfelt sorrow, as that of poor BREEHAN has elicited. But a few days since and he was in the full enjoyment of his physical and mental faculties—the hand of the destroyer was laid upon him, and he is now alas! numbered with the dead. He was a man of strong intellect, rich and ready wit, a writer of great pith, force and facility. His character combined the energy of an active and disciplined mind, with the simplicity of childhood in all that regards mere worldly matters. His was the nature that quickly wins the friendship of associates and never forfeits the kindly sentiment it has once inspired. We knew him and loved him well, and feel that in losing him, we have experienced no ordinary bereavement.

CHANGE OF WEATHER.—After a tremendous rain on Saturday night, the wind suddenly veered round to the *north, and yesterday furnished us a specimen of regular autumnal weather. The air was chilly enough at sun rise, calling winter habiliments into active requisition. About mid-day, however, a brilliant sun enlivened and warmed our streets, and the weather assumed a most genial and delightful aspect. It looks too, as if it would continue, but this we do not undertake to guarantee, for meteorological observations in New Orleans are proverbially uncertain.*

CHARITY HOSPITAL.

Report for the forty-eight hours ending at 6 o'clock last evening.

Admitted	23
" of Yellow Fever	23
Discharged	44
" of Yellow Fever	22
Deaths	24
" of Yellow Fever	21
Yellow Fever patients remaining in Hospital,	57

☞ Our thanks to the industrious C. GILES, clerk of the steamboat Concordia, for late Mississippi papers.

☞ The Hon. DANIEL WEBSTER arrived at Washington on the 29th ult., where he contemplates remaining some days.

THE SCHOONER HERO arrived yesterday from Havana, bringing dates to the 30th ult. We notice the news elsewhere.

Mr. MORRIS MORGAN, brother of our late collector and a highly respectable inhabitant of East Baton Rouge, died at his residence on the 7th inst., after a short illness of a few days. His demise is deeply regretted by a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

☞ Peter G. Chandler, who was tried in the Circuit Court at St. Louis, for throwing the engineer of the steamboat Belle of Pittsburgh overboard, between that city and the mouth of the Ohio, has been found guilty of murder in the second degree, and sentenced to fifty years imprisonment in the Penitentiary.

HEALTH OF MOBILE.—There were 7 Yellow Fever cases reported by the Board of Health on the 6th inst. The health of the city appears to be improving. Saturday's *Herald* says that there was but a single interment in the 24 hours preceding, and that was a black man.

NEW YORK.—The real and personal estate in the city and county of New York, has decreased in value since 1842, $9,809,811. The taxes to be raised on property this year are estimated at $1,885,136. The gross amount of the real estate for 1842, is given at $161,950,514—personal estate, $63,045 675.

BOSTON.—The amateurs of this interesting and difficult game will find a very ingenious table of payments, regulated according to plain principles, at the book store of Wm. McKean, corner of Camp and Common streets. The table in question differs in sundry parts from those hitherto in use. It was inventedby a gentleman of this city.

☞ We learn from the Westminster, (Md.) *Carroltonian* that the body of a man was discovered lying in a wood near that place, on Wednesday last, in such a state of putrefaction as to render recognition impossible. It is supposed that the remains are those of a German named Anthony Burghmier, a silversmith, and a resident of this city. He visited Westminster about two months since, and the remains appear to have laid there about that long. He was a very intemperate man.

COLLECTOR OF THE CUSTOM.—We understand that the commission of GREENBERRY DORSEY, Esq., Collector of the Customs for the Port of New Orleans, was received yesterday from Washington. To Mr. Tyler's peculiar friends this appointment will be most agreeable, [illegible] most aggravated feeling in the neighboring *land of the Cotton Tyler*. The particulars of which, so far as we have been enabled to ascertain, are as follows:—It appears that a young woman by the name of Ann Maria Burk, employed in the family of Mr. Wm. Wade, Esq., as seamstress, was returning home last evening about the hour of 8 o'clock, and that when at or near the corner of Mulberry street and College Alley, she received a severe blow with a club, or some other weapon of the same sort, as yet, we believe, unknown. A large gash was cut in her head, and similar one, though more extensive, on the left side of the head, were the results of this most aggravated attack. The young woman was found lying up by a colored man in the employ of a gentleman residing in the neighborhood, and conveyed home. She expressed to him at the time her perfect conviction that death would be the result. The blood flowed very profusely from the severe wounds she had received; and so much so, that the pavement and marble steps of a neighboring house were thickly crimsoned with it. She lingered in great agony until 2 o'clock, when she died. We learn that the verdict of the coroner was, that she came to her death by blows inflicted by a person or persons unknown.—*Baltimore Republican, 28th inst.*

LOCOFOCO NATIONAL CONVENTION.—The *Phoenix* states that ninety-one Delegates to the Convention have been elected and that of them Mr. Van Buren has 66, Mr. Calhoun 13, and Col. Johnson 12. The same paper estimates that the total vote of Mr. Van Buren will not be less than 144, and may be much larger. But if it should not exceed this smallest estimate he will be nominated by a majority of twenty over all others.—*News extra.—N. Y. Courier.*

On this subject the *Mobile Tribune* (the Calhoun organ in Alabama) has the following remarks:—

"Who dreams that the delegates already appointed to the democratic general convention by various States, such as Missouri, New York, Maine, &c., will ever sit in that hall? The idea is totally beyond the bounds of probability. What, allow the Hickory chosen in August and September 1843, to attempt to speak the opinions of the people of their States in May 1844? We might as well choose delegates at once for 1848 and 1852, since at the last named time, more than half of our democratic party will then be dead—and *should of course* be heard by the votes of the Kuckerbocks, who may be left behind to represent them. No, we have no fear of such a thing. The people of the several congressional districts throughout the Union, will do as they now do—choose in Mississippi, whose voice was attuned to be stilled by a caucus of her legislature, and *will be heard* in an assembly of the democratic party at Baltimore. New York will do this, as will Indiana; Ohio; Illinois and where will then be the course for Mr. Van Buren?"

FROM HAVANA.

By an arrival from Havana we have received our files of papers from that city to the 27th ult. inclusive.—They contain little of interest. In Matanzas, on the 27th ult. a tailor assassinated a fellow workman, by stabbing him with a knife, and would have killed another, their mutual companion, had he not escaped by throwing himself headlong down the stairs. The murderer was arrested, and confessed his crime, for which no motive has yet been assigned.

The Spanish schooner *Regnalo Isabela*, which was sailing from the port of Santiago de Cuba to that of Gibara, encountered a thunder-storm, and was struck by lightning. She was considerably injured by the electric fluid, and several of her crew severely shocked.

THE CONNECTICUT MURDER.—The N. Y. *Herald* says that Bell and Roberts have been examined and committed on a charge of having been concerned in the recent horrible murder of Mr. Bacon. The evidence was circumstantial and not very conclusive, but still was so as to justify suspicion. The same paper adds:—

"A gentleman who left Middleton this morning informs us that circumstances have transpired which render it probable that Bell, one of the suspected murderers, will make a full confession of his guilt. He had promised to divulge certain facts connected with circumstances already developed, relating to the murder."

POLITICAL EXCITEMENT IN PENNSYLVANIA.—The Philadelphia correspondent of the N. Y. *Tribune* says: The coming elections are the general theme of excitement in our community, and all classes appear to be more or less interested. An unusual degree of activity is manifested by both parties, and meetings are held nightly in various sections of the city and county.—There was an enthusiastic meeting of Whigs last evening in Frankford—another will take place this day at noon, at Whitehall, on the Columbia Railroad—and to night Cedar and North Mulberry Wards rally in their strength. To-morrow evening, several meetings are announced; and on Friday a mass meeting of the Third District will take place.

Thus, you see, the Whigs of Philadelphia city and county are by no means inactive. The right spirit prevails, while a degree of unanimity exists that must be cheering to the friends of American industry and the principles of HENRY CLAY.

FROM BERMUDA.—We have received Bermuda, Hamilton papers to the 12th inst. The mail boat Margaret, from Halifax, arrived at St. George's on the 11th, and was to return on the 16th.

Captain Sir Henry Chamberlain, Bart., of the Royal Artillery, died at Ireland Island on the 8th instant, and Lieut. Jenkins, of the Royal Engineers, and Ensign T. J. O. J. Peterbridge, of the 20th Regt. at St. George's on the 10th.

The health of the Garrison continued to improve, and the Royal Gazette states that he would soon be enabled to leave his chamber.

CURIOUS CIRCUMSTANCE.—Some time since a number of German emigrants arrived at the port from Hamburg. Having spent their pecuniary resources in the passage, they sold such as were not necessary for their use. Among other articles were a few bels of flax, which were shortly discovered, and upon examination was found to be American hemp, and of New-York city inspection.—*True Sun.*

A MERITED COMPLIMENT.—We learn with pleasure that a proper compliment has just been paid to the intrepid Frenchman, who at great risk of life and limb, on the coast of France, saved the life of Capt. Latour, of the brig Pacific, by plunging into the sea, swimming to the wreck, and bearing the captain, who was totally exhausted by cold and exposure, to the shore. The beautiful new brig has just been launched, named after this true-hearted hero. She is called the "Ducasse, of Philadelphia," and is commanded by Capt. Latour.

It would seem that the destruction caused by the storm at Fort Lavaca, had been greatly over-estimated. All the business houses, all the facilities of business, which were so lately afforded, and which distinguished that thriving town, have been entirely swept away.—Warehouses, stores, dwellings, stables and corrals, disappeared as if by magic. The goods which filled the warehouses, barrels, bales, bales of dry goods, furniture from houses, lie strewn along the beach through the neighboring marshes, and for miles up and down the dwelling houses, those which were not swept off, were rendered nearly uninhabitable, and the furniture ruined. The site of the town, it is thought by many, will be abandoned.—Galveston Star.

☞ The Rev. Washington Van Zandt, late an Episcopal Clergyman at Rochester, who was convicted by a jury of having seduced a Miss Sophia Murdock, a member of his church, and was subsequently acquitted on the same charge by an Ecclesiastical Court, has published in the Auburn Journal an appeal to the public, in which he sets forth the improbability, if not impossibility, of the truth of the accusation, and appends to it an affidavit of his entire innocence, signed by the *Letters from Right Rev. Bishop De Lancey, and from the venerable Vincent Matthews*, assuring their correspondents in his innocence, are also published.—N. Y. *Tribune.*

THE SPANISH THRONE.—The London Morning Post contains the following statement:

"The Earl of *Aberdeen* has addressed to the four great Powers an intimation to a special conference, at which the object should be to discuss and permanently settle the affairs of Spain. To this the Governments of Russia and Prussia replied, that, never having recognized the *Junta de Madrid*, in consequence of their conviction of the superior, because legitimate claims of Don Carlos, it would be inconsistent for them to accede to any arrangement that should assume the validity of Isabella's title to the throne. The Emperor chose to forbear, declined to be parties to the proposed conference, expressing at the same time their opinion that, sooner or later, the Spanish question must be settled by the intervention of the principal sovereigns of Europe that the wishes of every party and their fixed determination that no one Government should be permitted to interfere in arranging the Spanish succession."

GOVERNMENT CURRENCY.—Thompson's New York *Reporter* states that the Secretary of the Treasury has matured his plans for a Government circulating medium, and that fifty dollar notes, made payable to order, and bearing interest of one-tenth of one cent per hundred dollars, are ready to be issued. They will be filled to one uniform endorser, and over the endorsement, on the back, they will be made payable to the bearer, in specie, on demand, in the city of New York.

The size of the note corresponds with the old Treasury notes, having for a vignette the American eagle, with wings spread ready for a lofty flight. The figures on each hand of the eagle are connected by the coat of arms of each State in the Union, entwined so as to form a beautiful wreath. The engraving, which is done by the celebrated house of Rawdon, Wright & Hatch, is the highest specimen we ever saw.

Early in October they will be issued. The law governing the issue does not permit a smaller denomination than fifty dollars.—*Boston Advertiser.*

COTTON HOUSE DUTIES.—We took occasion, last May, to refer to the action of the Customhouse authorities of Philadelphia and Baltimore, *with reference to* articles imported from Liverpool, and composed of silk and cotton, and to the difference between the duties required in those two places, and those asked for the same articles, under the same law, in New York and Boston. Either one of the two articles was made to pay a specific duty of $2 50 per lbs, without reference to the quantity of cotton, or even of material in the fabric; while in Boston and New York, they were admitted at 25 per cent ad valorem. The Philadelphia and Baltimore course subjected the goods to a duty of from 50 to 100 per cent.

In this state of the case, respectful memorials were sent to the Treasury Department, asking for relief to those who, in this city, had *overpaid*.

It was not until within a few days that the Department made a decision upon the memorial. And we are happy to state, that orders have been received at the Custom House of this city, to place the goods on the same footing with those imported into Boston and New York, and to refund to importers whatever they have overpaid.—*Philadelphia U. S. Gazette.*

THE PROGRESS OF FANATICISM.—The Millerites are holding a camp meeting near New Bedford, Mass. attended by thousands and tens of thousands of silly men and women. A writer in the Boston Times gives an account of some of their obscene mummeries, from which we take the following extract:

"In one of the tents a scene of most singular religious delusion transpired, which we cannot forbear alluding to as evidencing a state of mind among a portion of our community, not unlike that which prevailed in the days of the Salem witchcraft, and of Mistress Ann Lee, of Quaker notoriety. Please imagine a circle of brethren and sisters in various attitudes upon the straw, and a young young sister in the centre, stricken with conviction, her hands to her face and her pale countenance bathed in tears, and expressing the most irrepressible grief, sobbing as though her heart would break.—In front of her, kneeling, and his reverend hands upon her person, is a professed minister of the gospel, at times denouncing her for her sins and hardiness of heart, and then exhorting her to flee from the power of Satan into God's marvellous light, with such expressions as these: "Dear sister, believe in God, cry aloud and Jesus will accept you. It is Satan my dear sister, who is keeping you back. Only say the Lord have mercy on me a sinner, and the powers of darkness will flee from you."

"On either side of the distressed girl is stationed one of her sex, about as far gone in religious delusion as the young man himself, and persuasive twice as bland and sincere, alternately crying, 'Glory to God!—Amen.' "Oh, she will be saved yet. Only believe, dear sister, and you are safe from the power of the devil.—Believe, believe any thing, and you will be the bride of the Lamb. Cry aloud!" The wildness, the melancholy character of the spectacle, and the evident suffering of the poor girl, we could not forbear a smile at a remark made by a female sitting on the straw at a little distance, a friend and companion of the subject under conviction, and who had accompanied her to the camp ground, but who was unfortunate enough to have become already a believer—"Oh, I hope she will be saved! She came in the Lord's ship me on purpose to be converted!"

"After witnessing a few more similar scenes we came away, being firmly of opinion that the present constitution of man and of society admits of no elements, or much of pure, unadulterated lunacitism and superstition, as ever prevailed in that period of history, which we are wont to look back upon as comprising the dark age of the world when the beautiful light of Christianity was emerged in the mist of ignorance and delusion, and enlightened art and science existed in the womb of the future."

ANECDOTE OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.—I saw it stated in some city paper lately, that the Croton fountain in the Bowling Green, occupied the ground upon which