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SURGI & DEPOUILLY,
Engineers and Architects, have removed their office to Exchange Passage, between Conti and Bienville streets, next to the Assessor's office. n29—1m

J. F. PEPIN AND C. DUVIGNEAUD, Attorneys at Law, have removed their office to the South corner of Conti street and Exchange Alley, up stairs. n30 3m

PEET & MORTON,
WHOLESALE DRY-GOODS MERCHANTS,
No 47 Bathurst street, New Orleans. n21

GARTHWAITE PAYAN & CO.,
Wholesale and Retail Clothing Store,
No. 39 Canal street,
n7 1y Between Camp and Old Levee streets.

MORTON & CO.,
Wholesale Dry Goods Merchants,
No 25 Magazine street

☞ Plantation orders strictly attended to n1—1y

☞ REMOVAL—Eug Rochereau & Co. have removed from No 174 Royal st to No 17 St Louis st. n19

☞ REMOVAL—[illegible] W. MILBANK & CO. have removed their office to No. 32 Poydras st. n1

☞ REMOVAL—FRANCIS LAMIRE, has removed to No 47 [illegible] street. o31

☞ REMOVAL—[illegible] has removed from No. [illegible] street to No 28 Old Levee. o29

REMOVAL.—H. DE GOER & RIFFLARD have removed to No. 21 Magazine street. o25

WILLIAM DAVIDSON. JOHN PARKINSON
WILLIAM DAVIDSON & CO.
Cotton Factors and Commission Merchants,
No. 91 Canal street,
New Orleans.

SAMUEL TOBY,
Commission Merchant,
New York.

☞ The undersigned give notice to their customers and the public in general that the detail of their coal will be received at the store of Mr D. B. MACAULEY, No 28 Bourbon street and at Mr E. F. DUCONGE'S Drug store, No 39 Chartres street.
o7 B & A SOULIE, 45 Conti st, up stairs

☞ WM BURK has removed from No. 39 Camp street, to No. 23 Royal street. o1

☞ The office of the British Consul is removed from No. 34 Camp street, to No 43 Royal street. o1

☞ The undersigned has the honor to inform the public that his Office is situated in Exchange Passage, between St Louis and Conti streets, and that he will attend to the business of absent persons, and the collection of accounts of all kinds. o25—1y A. DURAND

ISAAC BRIDGE,
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANT,
AND AGENT FOR THE SALE OF
Rich's Improved Patent Salamander Iron Safes, and Stevens' Patent Balances,
76 Magazine street

NORTH & BROTHERS,
DRY GOODS MERCHANTS,
Magazine Street,
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H. DE GOER & RIFFLARD,
Importers of French, English, & German Dry Goods,
ALSO DEALERS IN
DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES
AND ALL KINDS OF
NEGRO WOOLENS AND COTTONS,
For Plantations,
H. De Goer, Paris. J. Rifflard, New Orleans.
o1 New Orleans, No. 21 Magazine street.

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IMPORTER OF BRITISH DRY GOODS,
AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,
No. 20 Customhouse Street,
New Orleans.

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Messrs. Grinnell, Minturn & co. } New York.
John Mullen & co.
Isaac Low & co, Liverpool, England.
James & Thomas Kennedy, Belfast, Ireland.
James Thompson Bryan, esq. Magherafelt, do.
j14 tf

DITTRICH & SHANNON,
Commission Merchants and Receiving and Forwarding Agents,
No. 35 Poydras street,
Will make liberal advances on merchandize consigned to their address.
☞ R DITTRICH alone will sign for the firm.
The business heretofore conducted in the name of DITTRICH & co. will be continued by them.
F. C. SHANNON continues his Steamboat Agency business, and will sign individually on account thereof.
New Orleans, July 1, 1844. tf jj

ASSORTED FRUITS IN BRANDY, Prunes, Apricots, &c., for sale by G. M. LUCAS,
d16 30 Bienville street

OLD COGNAC BRANDY, 4th proof of J. J. Dupuy, for sale by G. M. LUCAS,
d16 30 Bienville street

RED WINES—Pauillac Medoc, St. Julien Medoc, Moreau Potensac, White Wine Sauterne, for sale by
d16 G. M. LUCAS, 30 Bienville street.

CHERRIES IN BRANDY, first quality, Swiss Absynth, Kirchwasser, for sale by G. M. LUCAS,
d16 30 Bienville street

SUPERFINE CHAMPION ANISE, Dark Jamaica Rum, for sale by G. M. LUCAS,
d16 30 Bienville street

OLIVE OIL—75 baskets in whole and half bottles now landing from ship Oregon, for sale by
d16 GEO GREEN & BRO, 82 Gravier

JAVA COFFEE—300 bags Old Java, superior quality, just landing, for sale by
d16 GEO GREEN & BRO, 82 Gravier

SUGAR—260 boxes Havana White, Yellow and Brown, for sale by E. TROISGROS,
d16 26 Old Levee

LEAD—1600 pigs lead, for sale by
J W STANTON & Co,
d16 corner Magazine and Lafayette sts.

CODFISH—40 drums codfish, prime quality; 100 bxs do. for sale by
d16 TUFTS, HOBART & Co, 29 Gravier.

MALAGA WINE—20 qr casks sweet Malaga wine, just received and for sale by
d16 TUFTS, HOBART & Co, 29 Gravier.

BOOTS AND SHOES—300 cases comprising a good assortment, for sale by
d16 TUFTS, HOBART & Co, 29 Gravier.

NAILS—300 kegs Old Colony brand, assorted sizes, for sale by TUFTS, HOBART & Co,
d16 29 Gravier.

BALANCES—Stevens' Patent balances, all sizes, constantly for sale by
d16 ISAAC BRIDGE, 76 Magazine.

MALAGA WINE, &c—20 Indian bbls sweet Malaga wine, 25 do dry do, 30 bbls old Port wine, for sale by
d16 FIELD & Co.

BALE ROPE AND BAGGING—400 pieces and coils superior, for sale by BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co,
d16 92 Tchoupitoulas

HEMP—200 bales superior dew rotted Missouri hemp, for sale by BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co,
d16 92 Tchoupitoulas

STAR CANDLES—40 boxes Gross & Dietrich's brand, for sale by BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co,
d16 92 Tchoupitoulas

CANDLES—500 boxes Boston, New Bedford and Nantucket sperm candles, for sale by
d16 WM. FROST & Co, 28 Old Levee

BROGANS—7 cases consisting of mens calf sewed, calf pegged and seal pegged brogans, for sale by
d16 WM FROST & Co, 28 Old Levee

EMPTY BOTTLES—100 baskets, for sale by
d13 B TALAMON, 78 & 81 St Louis

ANGER'S GUIGNOLET—15 baskets for sale by
d13 B TALAMON, 78 & 80 St Louis

BOTTLE WAX—100 baskets, for sale by
B TALAMON, 78 & St Louis

HERRINGS—50 kegs fresh Holland herrings, for sale by
d13 BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co, 92 Tchoupitoulas

FLOUR—250 bbls St Louis brands, for sale by
d13 G & R BUCHANAN & Co, 82 Tchoupitoulas

HEMP—270 bales Missouri dew rotted hemp, for sale by
d13 G & R BUCHANAN & Co, 82 Tchoupitoulas

WHISKEY—30 bbls Old Bourbon Whiskey, for sale by
d13 G & R BUCHANAN & Co, 82 Tchoupitoulas

SUPERIOR OLD WHISKEY—12 bbls. Malt Whiskey 11 years old, for sale by ISAAC BRIDGE,
d13 76 Magazine street.

UMBRELLAS—15 Cases Gingham Umbrellas, 30 to 34 inches, for sale by ISAAC BRIDGE,
d13 76 Magazine street.

LANDING from Queen Victoria, from Havre—10 baskets champagne wine, Star brand, for sale by
d13 AUGTE MOLIER, 90 St Louis

WHISKEY—15 bbls old Bourbon whiskey, for sale by
SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH,
d13 77 Tchoupitoulas

CHEWING TOBACCO—10 boxes Goodwin's celebrated fine cut chewing Tobacco, for sale by
d13 BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co, 92 Tchoupitoulas

OIL—100 baskets superfine olive oil; 87 boxes superfine olive oil, for sale by
d11 EUG ROCHEREAU & Co. 17 St Louis

SARDINES—500 boxes of sardines preserved in oil; 400 half do preserved in oil, for sale by
d11 EUG ROCHEREAU & Co. 17 St Louis

NEW ORLEANS BEE

J. MAGNE & WEISSE, PROPRIETORS.
NO. 81 CHARTRES STREET.

Official Journal of the State.

NEW ORLEANS:
MONDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 16, 1844

THE MESSAGE.

This document has doubtless been ere this perused by every member of the community in the slightest degree interested in political affairs. Opinions respecting its merits will be necessarily multiform and conflicting. And yet, it seems to us that the message contains little that will entirely satisfy the ultra of either party. It does not go the full length of the violent free trade, hard money locofoco partizan, nor does it meet the views of the whigs. Upon one topic alone is it calculated to please locofocoism in this quarter, and that is—Texas. We admit that Mr. TYLER devotes more than a moiety of his communication to the annexation question, and appears sincerely anxious to spare his successor any trouble on the score of northern and southern differences of opinion, by endeavoring by all his powers of persuasion, to induce Congress to pass a joint resolution for taking possession of the Territory.

The message opens with the usual formula of thanksgiving, and a verbose commentary on the recent presidential contest, in which the wisdom, moderation and patriotism of the people are brought forward, as is customary, to be eulogised. Next follows a panegyric on our political institutions—of which we can only say, that if they withstand the ordeal to which demagogues seem willing to expose them, they will merit the unstinted praise which is bestowed on them by the message. A passage respecting the danger of suffering our institutions to be tampered with by foreign nations, is presumed from the context, to refer to the abolitionists—they have pretty effectually killed themselves, so that we apprehend little future peril from their senseless fanaticism.

A brief review of the state of our foreign relations is next given. Negotiations are pending with Great Britain in regard to the rights of the respective nations over the Oregon Territory. Complaints are made of the inaction of the British Government as to claims by American citizens for seizures and detentions of their vessels on the African Coast, under the erroneous supposition that they were slavers. With Austria, Netherlands, France and Russia, Prussia and Belgium, our relations continue peaceful. The President alludes to the treaty with the Zoll Verein, rejected by the Senate as he thinks, for want of due consideration, and hopes negotiations may yet be renewed with the Germanic States, and the advantages intended to be secured by the treaty may be realized.

We next have a very long review of the Texas question, in which the President advances nothing new, and much that may well be disputed. He tells us that he thinks it high time the miserable predatory warfare waged by Mexico upon Texas should cease, a point on which every one will agree. But he adds, that as Mexico seemed almost without an object, to persevere in hostilities, no other alternative was left to the Executive than to endeavor to annex Texas to the United States—a most important and singular conclusion.—Finally, the people of the U. S. have never solemnly through their properly constituted representatives, protested against the warfare carried on by Mexico; next, it is well known that at the time annexation was first broached, Mexico was about settling with Texas the terms of an armistice to be followed, in the opinion of every rational observer, by a permanent peace. The negotiations were suspended as soon as the treaty became bruited about; but even now, Mexico—though full of apparent wrath and bellicose determination,—has not sent a soldier into Texas, nor invaded the soil of the Young Republic. This, however, is a topic entirely too extensive for a cursory review of the message, and we dismiss it for the present, with the remark that the President during his six months incubation, does not appear to have hatched a single new idea upon the question, except, that knowing in advance the impossibility of obtaining a constitutional majority for the passage of a treaty, he urges upon Congress the questionable mode of securing annexation by joint resolution.

We are further informed that Mexico has paid no attention to the declaration that her recent decrees in regard to passports, the expulsion of foreigners and the retail trade, are considered violations of the treaty of amity and commerce between the two countries. The difference between our government and that of Texas, on account of the illegal interference by American troops, in the Custom House regulations of the latter country have been properly adjusted.

The Message renders silent homage to the beneficent operation of the Tariff of 1842, in stating that after paying all the obligations of the Government, there will yet remain an estimated surplus of seven millions in the Treasury at the close of the Fiscal year. Mr. TYLER suggests that for the remaining stocks of the Government which do not fall due at an early day, Congress should establish a Sinking Fund similar in its workings to that created after the Revolution and the late war, by which the debts contracted during both contests, were to a great extent, extinguished. *En passant*, the President has a fling at a National Bank, and greatly lauds the sound condition of the Currency of the country. He apprehends some danger from a large surplus revenue, and holds that no greater taxes should be imposed than are necessary for the economical administration of the Government—admitting, however, the right and correct policy of discriminating in laying duties, so as to foster home industry.

In referring to the Report of the Secretary of War the Message urges the importance of placing our military posts and frontier fortifications in a state of perfect defence. In alluding to that of the Secretary of the Navy, it very properly recommends the immediate construction of lines of steam packets between the United States and Europe, so built as to be readily converted into war steamships, in the event of any emergency.

The Post Office Department has sustained itself during the past year, and requires no appropriations for its maintenance. It is free from debt or embarrassment of any kind. The propriety of the reduction of postage is glanced at. We are of opinion that before undertaking to diminish the rates of postage, the department would be better employed, in perfecting the mail service which is miserably defective and inefficient. In this city, especially, has the irregularity of the mail department become a standing and lasting reproach to the inert or imbecile functionary who is at the head of the Post Office Department.

The Message deviates from the established form of these documents, by paying an elaborate compliment to the members of the Cabinet. "Their zeal and untiring industry receive a due proportion of laudation, and in connection with this topic, the President gives us the gratifying intelligence that leg-treasurers and plunderers of the public revenue are becoming decidedly scarce and that no amount has been stolen, worthy of serious commentary.

The Message concludes by a recommendation of the District of Columbia to the care of Congress. This is well timed, for the locofoco majority in that body have heretofore not only cruelly neglected the Federal District, but sought to annoy its citizens by every species of petty tyranny.

Although the Message contains many exceptionable points, it is perhaps, more moderate, less ultra, less egotistical and more dignified than was anticipated. The verbose argument upon annexation was of course looked for. The President has tried to make out the best possible case for himself, and if he has not fully succeeded, the fault probably lies in the unsoundness and weakness of his cause.

THE ELECTORAL COLLEGES.—We have heard, says the *National Intelligencer*, from several of the Electoral Colleges, which assembled, each at the capital of its own State, on Wednesday last, to give their votes for President and Vice President of the United States. It is hardly necessary to apprise our readers, except for form's sake, that in all the States which we have heard from, including Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Maine, Vermont, Virginia, North Carolina, the votes of the Electors were cast according to the intentions of those who elected them, and that the aggregate of votes so given will turn out, as heretofore indicated, to be for Clay and Frelinghuysen 105, and for Polk and Dallas 170.

AFFINITIES OF DEMOCRACY.—FIFTY-SIX northern locofocos voted to rescind the rule excluding abolition petitions from the House of Representatives. FIFTY-SIX locofocos voted with John Quincy Adams! The South are a ruined people. Where sleeps the indignation of the chivalry? Where are the "Bluffton boys?" Where's Gen. Quattlebum? Where's Aristarchus, Jr.? And "echo answers, WHERE!"

RAISING THE WIND.—A miserable loafer in New York, for a wager, last week took a quantity of prussic acid—enough to destroy life—and immediately went to a bathing establishment and plunged into a cold bath which counteracted, it is said, the dangerous effect of he poison. This remedy was first discovered by a chemist in Paris.

POLITICS IN BOSTON.—There are no less than five candidates for Mayor in Boston. They are as follows: Democratic, A. Thaxton, jr; Whig, Josiah Quincy, Jr.; Native, Thomas A. Davis; Cold Water, Simon G. Shipley; Abolition, James M. Whiton.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.—Mr. C. Webb, a distinguished tragedian, will make his first appearance this evening in the character of Virginius. The fairy drama of the "Forty Thieves" will also be repeated.

AMERICAN THEATRE.—The Grand National Drama of the *Spy*, or a tale of the *Neutral Ground*, and the Fairy Spectacle of *Cherry and Fair Star*, are announced for this evening.

NATIONAL AMPHITHEATRE.—The managers offer an attractive bill for this evening. Miss E. Moore having recovered from a late severe illness, will appear and dance the Cachucha. Messrs. Covert and Dodge, the Boston Vocalists, are announced to sing some of their beautiful and melodious duets and the celebrated equestrian Mons. Latort, will make his first appearance and go through a number of his astonishing acts. The unrivalled Eaton Stone, will also appear on his bareback steed. Go early if you wish to secure a seat.

CRIMINAL COURT.—Henry Chambers, on Saturday last, was put upon trial, on a charge of stealing a chest of tools from on board the steamer *Patriot*, and found not guilty.

John McElroy, was tried on a charge of assault and battery, and acquitted.

Henry Williams, charged with entering the cabin of the barque *Josephine*, on the night of the 23d of August last and stealing a ships cronometer and a quantity of clothing, the property of Capt. James Malone, was tried and found guilty.

DISCHARGED.—The persons arrested on suspicion of being implicated in the supposed murder of Mr. John Turner, who died suddenly, on Wednesday last, at his dwelling in Bienville street, were discharged on Saturday, by Recorder Genois. A re-examination of the body, by coroner Raunos, assisted by several distinguished surgeons, and no marks of violence being found upon it, entirely removed all suspicions that the deceased had come to his death by violent means.

RECORDER BALDWIN'S COURT.—John McKernan, arrested on a charge of stealing two barrels of lime, the property of Mr. McIntosh was examined on Saturday and sent before the Criminal Court for trial.

Alanson Baxter and James Lynch, alias Oscar, arrested by Capt. Winters, in a cabaret at the corner of Bienville and Bourbon streets, charged with passing counterfeit money, were remanded until this morning.

John Barry, James Brown, Sandy Wilson, and J. hn Lynch, were sentenced to 30 days imprisonment in the Workhouse, under the vagrant law.

LAW SCHOOL.—The LOUISIANIAN LAW SCHOOL commences this evening. The introductory lecture will be delivered by CHRISTIAN ROSELIUS, Esq.

LOUISIANA ASSOCIATION JOCKEY CLUB RACES—ECLIPSE COURSE—CARROLLTON.
SEVENTH DAY, SATURDAY Dec. 14th, 1844.
Association Purse, $1000—Four mile Heats.

Wm. B. Greer's b. c. ROVER, by Woodpecker, out of Sally Miller, by Cherokee, 4 years old, [A. J. Minor]	1 2 1
Duncan F. Kenner's ch. c. PAT GALLWEY, by imp. Jordan, dam by Snakspeare, 4 years old,	3 1 2
S. T. Taylor's b. m. SALLY SHANNON, by Woodpecker, out of Darnley's dam by Richard, 5 years old,	2 3 3
Bailie Peyton's ch. f. TARANTULA, by imp. Bellshazzar, dam by Stockholder, 4 years old,	4 4 4

Time, 7, 56; 7,58; 8,01.

LAST DAY, SUNDAY, December 15th, 1844.
Association Purse, $290—$50 entrance, added. Three Mile Heats.

W. J. Minor's ch. m. NORMA by Longwaist, out of imp. Novelty, by Blacklock; 5 years old,	3 1 1
Duncan F. Kenner's gr. m. KATE AUBREY, by Eclipse, out of the dam of Grey Medoc, 6 years old,	1 2 2
Sewel T. Taylor's ch. m. GEN. DEBUYS, by imp. Leviathan, out of imp. Nanny Kilham, 4 years old,	4 3 3
R. Ten Broeck's Jr. Scruggs & Fanning's b. c. ILLINOIS, by Medoc, dam by Bertrand, 4 years old,	2 4 4

Time, 6,10; 5,49, 5,57.

CORRESPONDENCE OF THE BEE.
DOINGS AT WASHINGTON.
Washington, Dec. 6, 1844.

GENTLEMEN.—Both Houses of Congress very properly adjourned yesterday over till Monday, in order to allow members an opportunity to locate themselves in lodgings, and give the Speaker time to arrange the committees. Indeed, I do not know but it would be just as well were they to adjourn over the Holydays, as there is little to be done and less disposition to do anything at the present session.

The Message has made no impression whatever, though it is admitted to be a very well written document—too well, indeed, to warrant the supposition that Mr. Tyler's pen had any thing to do with it, save writing his name to it. It was expected, as a matter of course, that the occupation of Oregon would be recommended, and that the annexation of Texas would be again urged upon Congress with great vehemence; it was known also that Mr. Tyler considered the result of the Presidential election as a verdict of the people in favor of annexation. Others, however, will not so consider it. A joint resolution to annex Texas to the United States, will, I learn, be ere long introduced into the House of Representatives, and there can be little doubt but it will pass that body, though as little doubt can there be that it will fail to obtain a majority of the Senate.

The attempt thus to dispense with the treaty-making power in a master which belongs exclusively to that power, is a high handed attack upon the Constitution, and ought to be frowned down by the American people. But will it? I fear not; we have come to that pass that *party* will sanction any violation of the Constitution, provided it is done for the purpose of accomplishing an object they are in favor of. No Constitution was ever yet strong enough to resist the will of a reckless majority bent upon carrying out their purposes; if the end be approved and it becomes a *party* affair, means will not long be wanting, and will be sanctioned, whatever rights they may violate, or bulwarks they may break down. This is the lesson we learn from the history of every Republic that ever existed, and the lesson is confirmed by our own experience. We live in the age of "Progressive Democracy," and must expect, therefore, to see the "Democracy" get a-head of the Constitution, which is stationary; and to get ahead, it must either go over or go round it; in either of which cases, barriers must be broken down, and those defences which our ancestors erected with so much care and labor to protect the citadel of our liberties—"the Ark of our covenant"—must be levelled to the ground. You will infer that I do not believe Texas will be annexed in the United States at the present session; such is my opinion—whether it is liberty to be under Mr. Polk's administration, you can probably judge as well as I.

If there is anything like a piquant or interesting debate during this session, it will arise, I presume, upon this question; I know of no other likely to provoke debate, except, perhaps, the general appropriation bills.

At present a perfect calm reigns here; the surface is not even ruffled by surmises and speculations. Either the locofocos are very close-mouthed in regard to the future—the Cabinet, policy, &c; or they are entirely in the dark about them and know not what is to come to pass. I am inclined to think the latter is the case.

A case has been argued before the Superior Court yesterday and to-day, involving the question whether there was any law authorising the levying of duties upon imports between the 30th of June 1842, the expiration of the Compromise Act, and the passage of the Tariff Act of 1842. The decision has not been given.
A CALM OBSERVER.

DREADFUL OCCURRENCE.—The Mobile *Herald* of Saturday gives the particulars of a most atrocious outrage which occurred in Dallas county, Ala., last Thursday week. A party of nine men with blackened faces and otherwise disguised, made an attack upon the house of an old man, named Burge, the object of which, it is supposed, was, by threats and punishment, to drive him from the possession of his land. Burge closed his doors and prepared to defend himself. The agressors were armed, and attempted to beat down the doors. In the attack the old man was killed, and his son so dreadfully wounded as to preclude all hope of recovery. One of the daughters, a woman of eighteen, escaped from the house, and was killed about two hundred yards distant from it, a ball entering her right side below the arm and coming out on the other side below the heart. It is said that at the time she was killed she was on her knees supplicating the murderers for mercy. Another younger sister was wounded slightly in the hand.

In the defence made by Burge, a man named Holloway was killed, and another (Davis), was so wounded that there was no chance of his survival.

The rest of the scoundrels fled. Several of them, we are informed, whose names are McElroy and Harris, arrived in Mobile on Wednesday last, and immediately took passage for New Orleans.

The attack was made about 9 o'clock in the evening, and the dreadful result of it was exciting a great deal of feeling in Dallas county. A purse was collecting for the purpose of aiding in the arrest of the murderers. All the parties, it is said, were men of good standing. Burge was industrious and had amassed his little property by frugality and hard work.

☞ The Pennsylvania Electors, after casting their votes for Polk and Dallas, united in recommending Hon. James Buchanan, to the President elect, as his Secretary of State.

GUANO.—A cargo of this valuable manure was brought to New York a few days ago from an island on the coast of Peru.

CONGRESS.—On the 4th inst., there was nothing of the slightest importance before Congress. Both Houses, after a brief sitting, adjourned to Monday.

☞ The South Carolina Electors have voted for Polk and Dallas.

HON. WM. AIKEN was elected Governor of South Carolina by the Legislature on the 4th ballot, and J. E. Irwin of Darlington, Lieutenant Governor.

THE VIRGINIA House of Delegates have by a vote of 74 to 51, decided to receive the share of the proceeds of the Public Lands, accruing to that State. Let us see if the Locofoco Senate will concur.

MASSACHUSETTS AND SOUTH CAROLINA.—In consequence of the resolutions adopted by the Legislature of South Carolina, recommending the expulsion of Mr. Hoar, the Massachusetts Commissioner, that gentleman left Charleston on the 7th inst.

☞ We learn from Captain Shaw of the steamer Swiftsure, arrived last evening from the Balize, that on Monday last, Mr. Henry Collins formerly of this city, and a Mr. Brown, a Pilot, went out last Monday hunting in a small Pirogue from the Balize, and were blown off to sea; the wind at the same time was blowing strong from the north-east. Several boats went out next day and returned without bringing any tidings of the individuals lost. Pilot boats have since reached the Balize; and nothing had been heard of the individuals referred to up to the time of the departure of the Swiftsure.

DISASTROUS FIRE.—*The Cumberland Valley Railroad Bridge Destroyed by Fire—Several Lives Lost.*—A postscript to the Harrisburg *Intelligencer*, under date of Wednesday, 4th inst; 6 o'clock P. M., announces the destruction by fire on that afternoon of the noble structure which stretches across the Susquehanna river at that place, known as the Cumberland Valley Railroad Bridge.

The fire commenced about half way between the opposite shore and the island, which is about the middle of the river. There was a pretty brisk wind from the northeast, and in about fifteen minutes the part of the bridge extending to the opposite shore was entirely consumed, together with a small house on the shore.

In the meanwhile the flames were slowly but steadily spreading to the Harrisburg side. Span after span was enveloped in flames, and fell crashing in the water below. Thus the fire continued to spread until *twenty* of the twenty-four spans were entirely consumed. The account goes on to say:—

"At the fifth span from the shore on this side the flames were finally arrested, but by a means which unfortunately cost the lives of several of our citizens, and seriously injured many others. At this span the precaution had been used to cut away the roof and upper part of the bridge entirely, about half way between the two piers; and when the fire reached this point the hose companies were in readiness and were successful in arresting it, but when it burned through, contrary to expectation the whole span went down, carrying with it about fifty or sixty persons, who were standing with the hose between the point cut and the pier, crushing several between the timbers and mangling their bodies most horribly, and seriously injuring many others. One man was killed instantly, and two others we saw carried senseless to the shore, whose lives are despaired of, but who, we learn, are still living as we write. It is feared that there may still be others beneath the timbers who have not yet been found, as several hats have been picked up for which there are no owners.

"This bridge was one of the most splendid pieces of architecture in the country. The railroad track was on the top, and beneath was a carriage way and footpath. It was something over a mile long, and if our recollection serves us correctly, about one hundred and thirty thousand dollars. Its destruction will be a serious loss to the company and a great inconvenience to the community. The prospect of its being soon rebuilt, we fear, is not very flattering.

"The fire doubtless originated from a spark from a locomotive."

FROM PERU.—The barque George Henry, Kinch, of Baltimore, arrived here yesterday from Callao, which place she left on the 21st of August. The U. S. schooner Shark, from Guyakil, was the only American vessel in port. The U. S. frigate Savannah, sailed a few days previous for the Sandwich Islands. U. S. store ship Relief sailed four days previous for Valparaiso. On the 15th September, off the mouth of the Straits of Magellan, spoke the Chilian brig Volante, chartered by Capt Newcomb, late of the barque Express, lost at Morids, Straits of Magellan, and was bound to that place to take in the cargo saved from the wreck.

Capt. Kinch states that the whole country was in confusion. Gen Castello was expected at Callao with an army of about 3000 troops to attack the place. Vidal was making preparations for defence. There were about 3000 troops in the city. It was supposed that Gen. Castello would take the place. The Presidents La Fuente, Forrico and Vidal, were at Lima. President Vivanco, who had had a battle with Gen Castello, and had been beaten, and his troops dispersed, had arrived at Callao, with some of his followers; in a steamer. He was not permitted to land, but was ordered to leave. The British frigates Talbot and Dublin had taken charge of the whole Peruvian fleet as a loan—(the fleet) having fired into the British Consul's house at that place. The fleet had previously declared and given itself up to General Castello

Capt. K. states that four Presidents had been made in two years and a half; two of them were in a week previous to his sailing.

Markets at Callao for American produce extremely dull.—*N. Y. Journal of Commerce.*

LATER FROM RIO GRANDE.—We learn from Captain Means, of the brig Henry, arrived at this port yesterday from Rio Grande, 10th Oct. that it was reported there, and generally believed, that Buenos Ayres had declared war against Brazil. The Brazilian government, under Gen'l. Rivera, had collected about 1,000 troops at Potosi, and other preparations were making.—*Ibid.*

U. S. STEAM FRIGATE MISSOURI.—We learn from Capt. Townsend, of the barque Douglas, just arrived from Gibralter, that a week previous to his sailing, a S. W. gale destroyed the works which had been constructed to raise the Steam Frigate Missouri. Her bottom had split, and it would be impossible either to raise her or get any thing more from her.—*Ibid.*

MARINE DISASTERS AND LOSS OF LIFE.—It will be seen by reference to our marine list, that the packet ships Sea, from Liverpool, and Utica from Havre which arrived yesterday, report disastrous gales on their passage. The Sea on the fourth day out carried away foremast, fore topmast, fore topgallant mast, and mizzen royal mast and all the yards and sails attached. Peter Bonner and Samuel South, seamen, were on the foretop sail yard at the time, and were lost overboard; after which, she was eight days without any sail, except on the main mast, except a temporary fore sail, and has made the whole voyage, with the exception of the first four days, under jury masts. On the 19th John Nelson, seamen, fell from the mizzen top and was so much injured as to survive only twelve hours.

The Utica reports that on November 10th, while laying to in a heavy gale from N. W., sprung the head of the main mast, and shipping a heavy sea at the same time, which carried away rail and bulwarks from the fore and main rigging, struck the jibboom and carried it away close to the bowsprit cap, parting the fore topmast stays.

The Kalamazoo, from Liverpool, also reports continued gales of wind from the westward, carried away topmasts and lower yards, and lost almost an entire suit of sails. In longitude 15, William Ransom, seaman, of Liverpool, was washed overboard from the bowsprit and was drowned.

The New York Pilot Boat, New York, while in the act of putting a Pilot on board the ship Utica, on Wednesday evening, lost overboard James Brown, one of the boys belonging to the boat, who unfortunately went down before the yawl (which was immediately sent to his assistance) could get to him.—*N. Y. Courier and Enquirer.*

CHARLESTON, Dec. 9th, 1844.

FROM BERMUDA.—By the schr. *Penguin*, Capt. Dill, arrived yesterday, we received a file of the Royal Gazette to the 27th ult.

The British mail steamer *Actaeon*, Captain Jamison, was entirely lost on the 20th ult., by striking on a sunken rock, about 8 miles from Carthagena. The passengers and crew, together with the mail, were saved and taken to Carthagena. Nothing else of any consequence was saved.

The Right Rev. Dr. McDonnell, Bishop of Olympus, Vicar Apostolic of the British, Danish and Dutch West India Islands, died at his residence in Trinidad, on the 27th Oct.—*Courier.*

REPORT OF THE POST MASTER GENERAL.

We avail ourselves of the comprehensive summary of this document furnished by the Philadelphia *North American.*

The amount of service is now greater than in 1841, and further extensions would have been made but for the embarrassment occasioned by the private mail companies. The income of the department for the year ending June 30, 1844, was as follows:

Letter Postage,	$3,676,161 53
Newspaper do.	519 743 83
Fines,	135 00
Miscellaneous,	11 245 47
	$4,237,285 83

The expenditures paid during the year were $4,296,867 70. There has been no material loss from defaulters. On the all-sorbing question of lower postage, Mr. Wickliffe says:—

"Upon the most mature and deliberate reflection, I am satisfied it would be unwise to abandon the principle of requiring the Department to sustain its own expenses. An adherence to this principle is not at war with a prudent and discreet reform in the rates of postage.

Public opinion seems to demand a reduction in the rates of the letter postage. But so far as I have been enabled to understand that public opinion, it is based upon the necessity and propriety of adhering to this vital principle, and sustained by the assumption that a reduction of postage would be followed by an increase of mail matter, producing an amount sufficient to sustain the Department in all its legitimate expenditures.

He does not think that at present, lower rates than 5 and 10 cents would raise revenue enough for the Department. In relation to private mails, Mr. Wickliffe argues that the laws heretofore enacted to restrain the establishment of private mails or posts, have been found inadequate to deter individuals from transporting letters upon mail routes. Prosecutions have been instituted, with various results—the penalty he considers too small $50. He refers to the case of Mr. Hale, tried in this city, says the case is to be carried to the Supreme Court, and adds:—

It will not do for Congress to await the decision of the Supreme Court upon this question—a question which has been regarded as settled, not only by judicial decisions, but the legislation of the country, and acquiesced in by the States and the People for near a half century. A power of punishment and restraint sufficient to maintain the supremacy of the laws of the land, and suited to the present condition of affairs should at once be vested in the Judiciary Department.

I cannot concur in the opinion I have heard often expressed, that the only remedy for this evil is a reduction of postage. There is no rate of reduction which prudent legislation can, at this time, make, that will prevent successful competition in the business of carrying letters by individuals, over Post Roads. If we take the system as a whole, the Government, has conveyed, and will convey letters as cheap as it can be done by individuals. But if private mails are permitted to occupy the most productive routes, it is conceded that individuals can transport letters cheaper on these routes than the Department.

Without further legislation by Congress upon this subject, it is idle to expect the Department to sustain itself at any rate of postage. The failure to pass some act amendatory of the existing laws, at the last session, quadrupled the number of private mails then in operation. Prompt and efficient legislation on this subject is demanded by every consideration of public policy.

Mr. W. has done nothing to regulate the interchange of mail matter with other governments, and the pre payment of postage reciprocally—he suggests the use of stamps to be exchanged with other governments for foreign postage. The only other important portion of the Report is the following:

Under existing laws, the Postmaster General is not authorised to contract for transporting the mail on the high seas, or beyond the limits of the United States.—The necessity and public utility of a regular mail between this country and Cuba, and other foreign ports, must be apparent to all; and such mail would have been put in operation by me long since, if the power to do so existed. I respectfully suggest the power to contract for the transportation of mails to foreign ports be authorised, and the rates of postage fixed by law.

This policy will be more obvious, if we take into consideration the amount of postage paid for letters which now pass to and from the United States in foreign vessels. The number of letters which are transported in the Cunard line of steamers alone, between Boston and Liverpool, is about 60,000 per month, charged with a postage of $15,000, equal to $180,000 per annum, the greater part of which is a tax upon American citizens and American commerce. Would it not be better that this sum should be paid to American citizens, thereby encouraging and sustaining American enterprise and the American commercial marine, than the marine of any foreign power.

Such a power at this time is peculiarly desirable, should the enterprise, now in contemplation, of establishing a line of American steamers between the United States and Liverpool and Havre be consummated.

LATEST DATES.

Boston	Dec 5	London	Nov 4
New York	Dec 6	Liverpool	Nov 4
Philadelphia	Dec 6	Paris	Nov 1
Washington	Dec 7	Havre	Nov 1
Baltimore	Dec 7	Mexico	Nov 29
Charleston	Dec 9	Tampico	Nov 20
Cincinnati	Dec 6	Vera Cruz	Dec 2
Louisville	Dec 7	Houston	Nov 29
Havana	Dec 4	Galveston	Nov 30

COMMERCIAL.

NEW-ORLEANS SUNDAY NIGHT,
December 15 1844

We have been again disappointed in not receiving the steamer's accounts to day, which are now past due. There was a moderate demand for cotton yesterday and the sales reached to about 2500 bales at former quotations.

LIVERPOOL CLASSIFICATION.

LOUISIANA AND MISSISSIPPI.		TENNESSEE AND N. ALA.
Inferior,	3 @ 4½	Trash and Inferior,
[illegible] to Good Ord	4 @ 4¾	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Good Middling	[illegible]	Good Middling
Middling Fair	[illegible]	Middling Fair
[illegible]	5¾ @ 6¼	[illegible]
[illegible]	6½ @ 7	[illegible]
[illegible] and fine	00 @ 00	[illegible] and fine

Exchange remains as before quoted, say for sterling [illegible] per cent premium. Paris 5f 30@5f 35. New York 60 days 1½@1¾ per cent discount, Checks [illegible] per cent discount.

☞ LOUISIANA ASSOCIATION OF VETERANS OF 1814-'15.—The annual meeting of this Society will be held at the St. Louis Exchange on Monday, 23d December, at noon, for the election of officers and transaction of other business.

The subscription list for the Veteran Dinner of 8th January, is now ready for signatures at the Bar of the St. Louis Exchange, and will be closed on the 5th January. By order.
d16—t23 H. W. PALFREY, Secretary.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN
We have often remarked that persons afflicted with disease who will not try a remedy are deserving of no sympathy; yet how many there are who are suffering daily from that painful disease called Piles, who will not try that infallible remedy called "Hay's Liniment," which may be had of Messrs Comstock & Dumsey, at No. 4 Poydras street. This celebrated article has been tested for a number of years past, and has never been known to fail in its effects. d16

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M. DE VILLERS formerly director of the Royal College in [illegible], for teaching ancient and modern languages, respectfully informs the public that he has opened an establishment, [illegible] the disposal of the above named Academy. The course of studies will be entirely remodelled on his plan of educating youth, and he flatters himself to be able to give his students such a look to success, that the method of teaching will be so [illegible] as to promote the general advancement of the pupils.

☞ For a series of years, I have devoted my undivided attention to the teaching of languages, and I am confirmed in the conviction, that the mode of study I have adopted not only vastly abbreviates the trouble to the professor but alleviates the great number of difficulties that present themselves to beginners, and varies the monotony in their application.

In fact, whoever has gone through the routine of a collegiate education, must be convinced that the student finds himself often returned by rules he cannot understand, and that it is not until years of perseverance and toil that the imagination peers through the clouds of inextricable rules—of exceptions on exceptions—of syntax untrue in its application, leaving but vague and uncertain impressions on his mind.

It is thus, from having meditated on the effects of study on the young mind—after having deprived myself of the rule I acquired, to find myself thrown back upon the resources of my early years—when thought consults but the uppermost sensations, that I am brought to follow—not in anely as a manner, present rules and principles to the student with all to inculcate—that a retrospective system by aid of which I trace step by step the acknowledged roots of the tongue I propose to teach. I claim not the materials used as being an invention of my own. I take them as they stand, nearly rearing a structure, stone by stone with the pupil, until the entire completion of the edifice. I present prepared lessons in ordinary terms. I assimilate the student of the strange tongue to him, who finds himself in a foreign land where the tongue is only spoken. There the study of it matures without effort, by the internal agency of practice and usage. Rules and syntax from the completion and not the basis of the study of any language. If I were permitted, I would recall to the minds of my classic readers the fastidious errors under which they have labored of perhaps years—their time most dear.

No doubt, professors who teach according to university regulations can but regard with jealousy and disdain any dereliction from their course and method of teaching. It is natural that they should, overvaluing as they do, to their classes the more slow outpourings of their imaginations. Many a tutor has discovered a lessening of his consequence by the introduct of an important dereliction from established custom! The point most essential—the one I aim to accomplish is, to acquire a thorough knowledge of the language proposed *with as little expense as possible* in the shortest time *practicable with success.*

I will pass rapidly in review, the changes the routine system subjects the study of any language to. The recriminations of classical men and doctrinarians can influence me but little. I am in the habit of appreciating the superiority of a mode of instruction by its results; and I have at sundry times been flattered by seeing publications of my success in the French and Spanish colonies where I have directed schools, for which I confess I feel highly favored.

What course is pursued by a youth, scarcely of nine years sent to a college? I speak merely of the time of his instruction—during the first year he is gorged with elements, rudiments, French, Spanish, English and even Latin and Greek. Few profit by the explanations of the teacher. These explanations have been general and not appropriate to each one's intelligence. The most part retain some incoherent words without connecting their concomitant ideas. The grammar be o the tiresome, wherever the tutor has succeeded in attaching the student to some particular study he unintelligibly has frighted his young intellect. He impresses on his memory some few rules, but they aid him little. So that the greater part of the time one passes from difficulty to difficulty, before the former has been explained away. The young mind is easily over burthened. Then the study of the declinations and conjugations, particularly in Latin and Greek, the pupil studies and repeats, them *mechanically* without knowing *why* because he has never been taught them *practically*. When the period for versification comes, all his efforts are absorbed in divining the translation, as much so as an Orientalist strives to decypher an hyroglyphic—whether this version bears sense or not, it is of little import, so that it produces *the appearance of a translation.* Thus is a parrot tutored to repeat and chatter at the will of his teacher.—The difficulty of a language, the sense of the phrase neat, then be considered useless.

The method of teaching by University rules ought to be discarded in every community, because it is only after eight or nine years of instruction that one arrived at the end of his course of studies. Even then most are ignorant of the common rudiments of the language; distrusting his own, is completely lost in the foreign tongue, one learned in University lore yet ignorant of the most simple traits in the social relations of life.

Finally, I leave to my pupils, to those who will kindly favor my establishment with their presence during the hours of study to compare my process and plan and to distinguish the great superiority over others proffered by other professors, reserving to myself at a later period the publication practically and theoretically inform of any introduction of the study of the five above named languages.

N. B.—I beg respectfully to call the attention of parents and guardians of youth to this notice and invite their strictest inspection of my school. Having received the notification of the attendance of many pupils and as it is absolutely necessary that all should benefit by the commencement of the new method, as well as having many changes to make in the internal arrangement of the building for the purpose of more effectually carrying out my plan. I propose to defer the commencement of my method of instruction to the first of January, 1845.
d16 MARTIN DE VILLERS

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BY J. B. CABOS,
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Two boys from 12 to 15, white or colored, can find employment immediately. Also A good journeyman wheelwright and blacksmith, and 20 wood choppers for the other side of the Lake.

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The above papers are of no use but to the owner, necessary steps having been taken.

Said pocket book can be addressed to box 44, letter L.
LORENDIE & Co, corner Royal and Customhouse.
New Orleans, 14th December, 1844. d16

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I WILL be in the city of New Orleans with the finest lot of MULES, ever taken to the city, about the 15th or 20th December next, about forty-five or fifty head.
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Also—A lot of ground in same street as above between Marigny and Mandeville, with a wooden kitchen, measuring 36 feet front by 160 feet in depth, English measure.—For information apply at this office, or to
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The index has been entirely remodelled, and no exertion spared to render the work useful to the profession and others interested in the subject matter of its contents.

The expense of printing the Code has greatly exceeded the expectation of the publisher, and hence those who did not subscribe to the work will be required to pay ten dollars per copy. Subscribers will receive their's at the subscription price, to wit: $8 per copy
J B STEEL, 14 Camp st.
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24 do do 7-8 do do
30 do 7-8 m. bleached Chikopee Ed.
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d14 HEWITT, HERAN & Co, 64 Camp

GOODS FOR THE MEXICAN MARKET—Silk Hose, Platillas, Britannias in store, and for sale by
d14 A GORDON, WYLIE & Co, 52 Bienville

LEATHER—Skirting sole and hog skins, for sale by
SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH,
d14 77 Tchoupitoulas

BLACKING—50 gross Bell's superior paste blacking for sale by
d14 FROST & Co, 16 Magazine

HATS—60 cases Cassimere, Russia, Beaver and other fashionable hats, for sale by
d14 FROST & Co, 16 Magazine

WOOLEN SOCKS—cases country net woolen socks, for sale by
d14 FROST & Co, 16 Magazine

EXCHANGE on Boston at sight 30 and 60 days for sale by J. P. WHITNEY, & Co.
d12 73 Camp st

HEMP—71 bales dew rotted hemp landing from steam boat Manhattan, for sale by
d12 MERLE BEYLLE & Co. 45 Old Levee.

LIVERPOOL SALT—1900 sacks salt, half fine, in store, for sale by J B BLACHE & Co, 38 Old Levee
d14—1m between Conti and Bienville sts

LEADED PLATES—An excellent article for roofing, received and for sale by
d14 A GORDON, WYLIE & Co, 52 Bienville

BRANDY—15 half pipes Otard, Dupuy & Co, A Seignette and J J Dupuy, warranted pure, for sale by
d14 FOSDICK & BRO, 74 Camp

BLANKETS—suitable for plantations, for sale by
A. GORDON, WYLIE & CO,
d12 52 Bienville street.

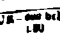
SARDINES IN OIL—2000 boxes and half do, brand of B. Guillous, landing from ship Rubicon from Havre, and for sale by AUG. MOLIER,
d6 90 St Louis

CORDAGE AND DUCK—Patent Manilla cordage assorted from 1¼ to 9 inch; English and Duck assorted for sale by J W STANTON & Co,
n5 corner Magazine and Lafayette

COFFEE—600 bags best Rio, 10 hhds superior best green Santiago; 20 bags Havana middling; 30 bags Old Government Java, for sale by
d7 FRANCIS LAMPRE, 47 Old Levee

HAVANA AND CUBA LEAF TOBACCO—[illegible] bales wrappers and fillers; Vuelta de Abajo, 30 do best Cuba leaf tobacco, landing per brig Thos Street, for sale by
d7 FRANCIS LAMPRE, 47 Old Levee

OILS—3000 gallons pure winter bleached sperm oil, 3000 gallons winter whale oil; 2000 gallons winter Elephant oil; 3000 gallons English linseed oil, for sale by
d7 FIELD & Co, 30 Old Levee


CAMELLIA FLOWERS and handsome bouquets, tastefully arranged for Balls and Parties, furnished at moderate prices, by WM DINN, 11 Common.
d4

HAVANA COFFEE—124 bags superior best green now landing ex steamship Alabama and for sale by
d9 F LAMPRE, 47 Old Levee.

SEGARS—15,000 Regalia favorite Imperial in boxes of 100 segars each, landing ex brig Thos Street for sale by
d7 FRANCIS LAMPRE, 27 Old Levee

COTTON DUCK—37 bales assorted numbers, landing ex ship Sarah Sheafe and for sale by
d13 WOOD & SIMMONS, 30 Magazine st.

FLOUR—[illegible] bbls choice St Louis bakers' brands for sale by d10 PRICE & FROST, 30 Poydras

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ORLEANS HIGH SCHOOL
(*Lycée d'Orléans.*)
THE ANNUAL EXAMINATION will be held on Monday, 16th, Tuesday 17th and Wednesday 18th instant between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M.

The distribution of Prizes will take place on Thursday 19th instant at half-past 10 A. M.

The annual Vacation begins immediately after the distribution of Prizes, and ends on the first Monday of January, (the 6th) 1845. d13—6

TABLE D'HOTE & RESTAURAT.
BY Mr. FERTE, Bienville street, No. 35, between Old Levee and Chartres. The above establishment will always be supplied with all the delicacies the market can afford. On the first floor customers to the Restaurat will be served with promptitude, and have a list of whatever the establishment contains. In the second story regular meals will be served at 30 cents per meal, or $3 50 per week. The viands and wines are selected with the greatest care.
☞ Meals served out of doors d13—1m

MANDEVILLE COLLEGE.
THE first Annual Examination will take place on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday next, and close on Thursday, the 19th instant, with the Distribution of Prizes.
BOARD OF EXAMINERS AND VISITORS:
Hon. Judge Simon, of the Supreme Court
William Frerst, Esq. C. Roselius, Esq.
G Schmidt, Esq. R M Carter, Esq

The Annual Vacation ends on the 9th of January next, when the regular classes will be resumed.

The body of Professors having been increased, the number of pupils admitted, hitherto confined to sixty, will in future be unlimited. d13

NOTICE—All persons having any claim against the succession of the late Augustin B. Macarty, deceased are requested to present and make known their claims to the undersigned, sole testamentary executor of the deceased.
New Orleans, December 13, 1844.
d14—3t F. O. TIO.

Succession of Peter Girodeaus.
ALL PERSONS having claims against the Estate of Peter Girodeaus will please present them, and all those who are indebted to the same will please make payment to JAMES BURBANK, Curator,
No. 8 Customhouse street.
New Orleans, Dec 13th, 1844. d14—3t

J. FEYTEL,
Corner Conti street and Chartres,
HAS the honor of informing his friends and the public in general that he has just arrived from the North with a fine assortment of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, which he will sell at moderate prices. The above articles having been made under his own direction, he recommends them particularly. He has also received from France a fine assortment of fine articles for Gifts.
Also—Clock maker's Furniture d14—19

TO MERCHANTS AND PLANTERS
MERCHANTS doing business in the country will find an extensive assortment of Hats and Caps of our own manufacture at very low prices, and their orders promptly filled. We have also a large supply of low priced fur and wool Hats, suitable for Plantation use.
ANDREW RANKIN & Co
d14—3t Granite Buildings, 59 Gravier

NEW PUBLICATIONS
LIFE OF LORD ELDON, by Horace Twiss
LIFE OF RICHARD III, by Halsted
THE AMERICAN HOUSE CARPENTER, illustrated by more than 300 engravings, by R G Hatfield.
PUNCH'S LETTER WRITER
JOHN LEE FROM THE POETS, by Mrs Gilman
BLUE ON THE RESURRECTION
KEITH'S LAND OF ISRAEL
FARLEY'S WHAT TO DO AND HOW TO DO IT
FARLEY'S WIT BOUGHT
Also A few copies of Dicken's Christmas Carol new edition
BINGLEY'S TALES ABOUT TRAVELLING, new edition.
PERCY'S TALES OF THE KING'S OF ENGLAND
The above together with a large collection of amusing and instructive books for Children are offered at extremely low prices, by J. B. STEEL,
d14 14 Camp st, successors to Norman, Steel & Co.

TO PLANTERS, COOPERS, & WHEELWRIGHTS
The subscribers have for sale the following articles:
75,000 Hickory hhd hoops;
60,000 tierce and bbl do;
50 pair superior turned hubs;
100 do cart and dray shafts,
250 hickory axeltrees.
50,000 bbls Pittsburg Anthracite and Engles Cannel Coal, which will be sold low for cash
TURNER & KENNEDY, Coal & Lumber Yard,
d13—6w 114 Magazine street

COAL. The subscribers keep always on hand a large supply of the best quality, Pittsburgh and Anthracite coal, which they offer for sale to their friends at moderate prices, free of cartage.
W M J HEFF & Co.
☞ Orders left at Wm McKeon's Store, corner of Camp and Common streets
At R. Rochereau & Co's No. 161 Royal street.
Or, at the yard, Levee street, between Race and Orange streets, will be promptly executed d13

BRANDY—Just arrived and for sale by the undersigned, 6 half pipes J. J. Dupuy Brandy 4th proof of 1840; 4 half and 3 quarter pipes superior old Maglory Brandy 1st and 2d proof of 1840; 10 half casks and 10 quarter casks superior do; 10 do 5 Madeira, 1 puncheon pale de Jamaica rum 6th proof; 10 do Claret, St Julien and St Estephe Medoc 1841; 20 do St Julien Medoc 1840, 170 bbls White Wine; Bienville and Haut Barsac; 460 baskets champagne Heidsieck; 30 baskets Holland Gin; Westphalian Hams; Dutch cheese; fresh salted Herrings in jars, Gerlin de Pontaut, Barley, &c. &c.
J. MIR-EGANS,
d13 25 Old Levee.

SUNDRIES—300 boxes sperm candles, 50 half boxes raisins, 100 do raisins, boxed sugar [illegible] Boston and Western soap, codfish in boxes and drums, Kentucky mustard in canisters of all sizes, packing yarn, bale rope, &c., for sale by
d13 DITTRICH & SHANNON, 35 Poydras

SPERM CANDLES—[illegible] boxes New Bedford sperm Candles, E. L. Baker's brand, in casks bbls winter sperm Oil, landing from ship Emily Taylor, for sale by
TUFTS, HOBART & CO,
d10 29 Gravier street

SPERM CANDLES—800 boxes assorted New Bedford sperm Candles, Rowland's, Gibbons & Coffin's and Barker's brands, and 50 casks winter bleached sperm oil.
J W STANTON & Co,
d10 Corner Magazine and Lafayette

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD—The undersigned will pay twenty dollars reward to any one who will lead to the detection of the thief who broke into his steamboat Fame, on Thursday evening last and robbed it.
d11 3t GEO. E. COOLIDGE, 26 Gravier

COAL ON THE LEVEE—At 6 bits per barrel delivered.—A fine lot of superior Pittsburgh coal, free from dust, now discharging on the Levee, between Girod and Notre Dame streets, for sale by the cartload and delivered at 5 bits per barrel.
d11 DITTRICH & SHANNON

COAL—Persons wishing to purchase their winter store of coal, can now do so at the low price of 6 bits per barrel delivered, while the coal remains on the levee in lots of at least 25 bbls.

W E & R MURPHY, 192 Old Levee

WINES—Very good wine for family use—7 casks Haut, Brion, 1841, 15 casks St Julien Medoc 1841; 40 casks Listrac, 1840, B Bedon's brand; 5 casks Listrac, 1839, 8 casks Moulis, [illegible] for sale by
d11 EUG ROCHEREAU & Co, 17 St Louis

CASH ADVANCES made on consignments of sugar and molasses and coffee to our friends in Saint Louis and Louisville, by G & R BUCHANAN & Co,
d11 82 Tchoupitoulas

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS—100 cases men's thick boots, kip, calf and split brogans, men's slippers, boy's and youth's' kip brogans, for sale by
TUFTS, HOBART & Co, 29 Gravier

LANDING ex brig Nautilus, from Bordeaux—14 cases of 50 boxes each, sardines from Nantes, 10 do of 100 2 do 50 boxes Angers Guignolet, for sale by
DARAN, QUEYROUZE & Co,
d10 11 & 13 St Louis

FIELD & Co. No. 30 Old Levee street, will make liberal Cash advances on Sugar, Molasses, Butter, &c. consigned to Benjamin H. Field, Esq. New York, or to M F Fowler, Esq. Boston. n30—6mos

SPERM OIL—100 cks winter strained bleached sperm oil a prime article and warranted to stand 30 degrees cold weather, for sale by J W STANTON & Co,
d10 corner Magazine and Lafayette.

SHOT & BAR LEAD—94 kegs Drop Shot, 35 kegs buck shot, 15 kegs bar Lead, landing from steamboat Norway, for sale by MERLE, BEYLLE & CO,
d10 45 Old Levee.

RIO COFFEE—2000 bags "prime Mountain Green" Rio Coffee, put up in double linen bags, for sale by
J W STANTON & CO.,
d10 Corner Magazine & Lafayette st

TEAS—20 chests Pouchong Tea, 30 12 lb boxes Imperial Tea; 100 chests Young Hyson, for sale by
TUFTS, HOBART & CO.,
d10 29 Gravier street

MOLASSES BBLS FOR SALE—1000 superior made molasses bbls about 30 gallons each, samples of which are to be seen at my office.
d9 JOHN HALL, 1 Front Levee

VOR ROUMAGE offers for sale the following articles received per ship Cabot, Lisett, Vaillant, Edouard and Sartelle, from Bordeaux:

Brandy, 4th, and 3d and 1st proof in half and quarter pipes of the Castillon & Brothers brands.
Fine and ordinary red wines, Montferrand, St Estephe, Pauillac and Haut Brion.
Very superior do in boxes of 12 bottles—Chateau Margaux, Latour, Leoville, St Julien, St Estephe.
White wine in casks and half casks, and boxes of 12 bottles, of the first qualities, Haut Barsac and Haut Sauterne.
Cherries, plums, apricots, pears and peaches in brandy
Sardines in oil, in boxes of 24 half and 24 large boxes.
Ceps in oil and green peas in cases of 25 half boxes.
Packing yarn in bundles of 2 and 20 to the lb
Dried prunes in large jars and cases of one dozen each
Anger's guignolet in baskets of six bottles each
Assorted cordials, Curaçao, Kirschwasser, Maraschino, &c. &c.
60,000 pointed corks for beer bottles
From previous importations:
Old brandy, extra superfine, of 1805, in quarter pipes and demi-johns.
Fishing lines of all sizes in hogsheads and bales
200 boxes Absynth, 5th proof.
Superfine and fine corks for bottles
n23 No. 67 St Louis street

THE subscribers have opened their new store, No. 25 Chartres, on Monday, November 11th, with a new and handsome assortment of staple and fancy dry goods, consisting in part of—
Cashmere d'Ecosse, Mousseline de laine
French calicoes, English and American do;
Black silks, colored do.
Cloths and cassimeres, satinets and cottonades;
Irish linen, 10-4 and 12-4 linen sheetings;
Hosiery, laces, &c. together with a full assortment of white and brown cottons, jeans, tickings, French and English blankets of all qualities, which they will sell at very low prices for cash.
n18 MONOD & DAVOCK, 25 Chartres st

LANDING from barque Columbus, from Bordeaux, and for sale by the subscribers—160 casks Medoc claret, 40 casks Listrac claret, vintage of 1840, 8 casks Listrac claret, vintage of 1839, 30 casks St. Julien claret, 11 half casks white wine, Sauterne, 300 boxes St Julien claret, 25 boxes Chateau Lafitte claret, vintage of 1837, 25 boxes white wine, Chateau d'Eyquem; 40 baskets champaign, 100 baskets superior olive oil, 4 half pipes Castillon Cognac, 1835, 14 qr pipes do do, 1825; 30 qr pipes P. H Godard & co cognac. EUG ROCHEREAU & Co.
17 St Louis

FOSDICK & BRO, No. 74 Camp street, offer for sale:
TEAS—100 pkgs Souchong, Hyson and Young Hyson;
VERDIGRIS—25 cases pure, ground in linseed oil,
CIDER—40 bbls Newark;
VINEGAR—30 bbls cider vinegar;
TANNERS' OIL—20 bbls tanners' oil;
SNUFF—100 jars Macabey;
CLOCKS—10 cases wooden clocks;
PAPER—100 reams Blake's and cap,
SHOES—4 cases ladies' shoes;
HAY—100 bales Northern hay,
CHAMPAGNE—25 baskets Champagne wine. d6

BLANKETS
MORTON & CO, No. 25 Magazine street, have just opened a large assortment of Three Point, French, American and common Negro Blankets, white, blue, green and scarlet Mackinaw do; saddle do, 9-4, 10-4, 11-4 and 12-4 bed do; 10-4, 12-4 and 13-4 rich fancy Marseilles quilts, new article. Also—Plain and twilled red flannels, yellow do; blue and white do—which they will sell low for cash.
n26 25 St Louis street.

WHITE LEAD—1000 kegs pure and No. 1, 25 lbs each.
50 do do do do do 100
50 do do do do do 200
30 do do do do do 300
20 do do do do do 500
in store, for sale by FIELD & Co, 30 Old Levee

SALES AT AUCTION

Superior China Dining and Tea Service.
BY BONNEVAL & LABUZAN
WILL be sold at auction this day, Monday 16th instant, at half past 10 o'clock, at their Auction Mart 60 Poydras street, for account of a respectable family leaving the city
A superior and complete China Dinner and Tea Service
Terms—Cash d16

BY BONNEVAL & LABUZAN
Furniture, Furniture, &c
WILL be sold at auction this day, Monday, 16th inst., at half past 10 o'clock, at their auction mart, No 60 Poydras street
A general assortment of Furniture, comprising Mahogany bedsteads, armoirs, sofas, dining, card and centre tables, bureaus, chairs, sideboards, looking glasses, mantel ornaments, lamps, clock, single and double mattresses, hair and moss, cooking stoves, &c.
Also—A superior French mahogany bedstead and a second hand Piano, sold by a gentleman quitting house keeping.
Terms—Cash d16

BY BONNEVAL & LABUZAN.
Sweet Oil, Soap, Sugar and Liquors.
WILL BE SOLD at Auction this day, Monday the 16th inst, at 12 o'clock, at their Auction Mart, No 60 Poydras street—
150 baskets Sweet Oil,
125 boxes Soap,
30 barrels brown Sugar,
10 qr. casks American and French Cognac,
18 barrels American Gin and Rum
10 do French white Wine Vinegar,
ALSO—
5 boxes very superior Sherry Wine, Duff Gordon brand
Terms—Cash. d16

BY BONNEVAL & LABUZAN.
Oil Paintings and Books.
WILL be sold this day, Monday the 16th inst, at their auction mart, No. 60 Poydras, at half past 10 o'clock
A collection of fine oil paintings, by the best masters
Also—A lot of Classical and Law Books
Terms—Cash d16

BY JOHN M. BACH, Auctioneer
Sale of Gold Watches, Jewelry, Silver and Plated ware, Diamond Rings and Breast Pins
WILL be sold on Wednesday, November the 18th at 10 o'clock, in store No. 3 Camp street, between Canal and Common streets
A large and valuable invoice of the above named articles. The sale will continue from day to day until finished. Sale positive—without reserve
Terms—Cash. d16

BY F H PETITPAIN
Unreserved Sale of Boots, Shoes, Hats, &c. &c.
THIS DAY, 16th December, will be sold without reserve to close consignment, at his Auction Room, No 136 Chartres street, at 10 o'clock A. M.
150 cases of boots, brogans, shoes, hats, fur and glazed caps, comprising a choice and complete assortment worthy the attention of city and country trade.
Also—20 cases russet brogans of a superior quality. d16

LAND SALES CONTINUED.

Sale of Valuable Cotton and Sugar Lands belonging to the State
in the New Orleans District
BY PETER CENAS, Auctioneer
IN conformity to law, and in virtue of the Governor's Proclamation, will be offered for sale, on Wednesday next, 18th day of December, at 12 o'clock, M. at Banks' Arcade, the following valuable lands, situate in New Orleans or South Eastern District.
New Orleans or South Eastern District.

North East quarter	Section	31	12	13	610 34
	Section	31	do	do	159 16
Lots No. 1 and 2	Section	36	do	do	6?? 73
		28	do	do	180 32
	Section	27	do	do	4?? 16
	do	26	do	do	640 96
North West quarter		24	do	do	163 9?
	Section	23	do	do	6 3 9?
	do	14	do	do	53? 95
	do	13	do	do	647 90
	do	12	do	do	648 64
	do	1	do	do	641 06
	do	10	do	do	52 ??
	do	9	do	do	436 79
	do	13	do	13	8?? 56
	do	27	do	do	634 64
	do	26	do	do	633 44
	do	21	do	do	641 14
	do	20	do	do	6?? 1?
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	do	27	do	do	631 00
N. half & S. West qr.					116 17

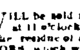
The above lands are situated between Grand river (sometimes called Belle Riviere) and Grand Bayou. They are all alluvial soil, of the first quality, and are not subject to overflow. The growth of timber is nearly uniform. All of the above lands are adapted to the growth of sugar and cotton, both of which are now cultivated in the immediate vicinity.

CONDITIONS.—The said Lands shall be sold in the same manner, and under the same rules and proceedings as the lands belonging to the United States are sold, provided the purchasers may pay for the same in the warrants or debts now due by the State, and provided the said lands shall not be sold for a less sum than three dollars per acre.

For the Lands belonging to Internal Improvements, it is further provided by said act, that it shall be lawful for all said lands to be paid for by the purchasers in warrants or debts issued by the State for the purposes of the internal improvements, or in specie. n16 17 18

BY SYKES & HYDE—A. Dovell, Auctioneer.
Boots, Brogans, Ladies and Childrens Shoes and Boots
ON WEDNESDAY 18th inst., at half past 10 o'clock, will be sold at their Sales Room 51 Magazine street, opposite Banks' Arcade
300 cases Boots, Brogans, Ladies and Childrens Shoes comprising a complete assortment of Calf, Kip, Russett, Seal, Kid and Morocco.
Also—50 pieces Worsted Hose, Russia, Cassimere, Silk and Wool. Catalogues and goods ready for examination, early on the day of the sale. d16

BY L. E. CHARBONNET.
Without reserve
WILL be sold on Tuesday, 17th December, 1844, at 12 o'clock, at Tattersalls' Stables—
40 choice Mexican Mules.
Terms—cash d16

BY L. E. CHARBONNET, Auctioneer
On THURSDAY, 26th Dec. 1844, at 11 o'clock, a. m. will be sold on the premises corner Piety and St. Bernard streets, one square from Rampart:

44 fine creole COWS, some with calves,
3 American Cows,
1 Milk Cart with harness.
1 Colt,
4 Horses,
4 Carts.
Terms—Under $40 cash; and above 90 days credit in notes endorsed to my satisfaction. d16—16t

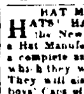
BY J. A. BEARD & Co,
J. A. BONNEVAL, Auctioneer
Choice Wines, &c.
To close a concern
WILL be sold at auction on Tuesday, the 17th instant, at 11 o'clock, at 19 Canal street Row—
The residue of a stock of WINES and SUPERIOR LIQUORS which will be sold without reserve, to close a concern, comprising Crown and other brands Champaign, Lafitte and Leoville, in quarts and pints, choice; a few cases of Stephen Girard claret, choice Sauterne in quarts and pints, superior Hock, a fine selection, Burgundy, Moselle, Old Malaga, Duff Gordon Pale Sherry, Old Grand Port, Madeira in demijohns, Raserac brandy of 1808 in demijohns of various sizes, 1 half pipe of Old Madeira, choice; 1 pipe of superior old port, Hunt's, &c. &c.
—ALSO—
To close consignments, positive sale, 100 dozen of very old choice GOLDEN SHERRY, imported in glass in 1838. The wine will be sold in lots to suit purchasers, and is worthy the attention of housekeepers.
Terms—Cash. Forty-eight hours allowed for reclamation.
For further particulars see catalogue. d13

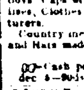
LOST—A certificate No. 318 for 10 shares of the New Orleans and Carrollton Rail Road Company. Whoever may find the same will please leave it at the office of this paper, as it is of no use to any person but the owner.
n16—3m

L DUPERRON,
DOCTOR DENTIST,
No. 209 Bourbon street,
between St Philippe and Dumaine streets
☞ His office is open from 8 o'clock A. M. till 2 P. M. and from 4 till 6 in the evening. d6

CALVIN HUNTINTON, No. 66 Bienville street offer for sale the following goods by the package, now landing:
100 bales 4-4 brown sheetings, L M C and other brands.
30 do 4-4 and 3-4 Carolina and Lowell Osnaburgs,
30 do Amoskeag and Suffolk cotton drills,
30 do 6-4 Waltham sheetings ticks and cottonades.
20 do Lin Dundee Osnaburgs, and 40 inch Burlaps.
10 do 42 inch lin Russia sheetings, part for debenture.
10 do Russia crash, Ravens duck, &c.
25 cases bleached cottons, kerseys, linseys, jeans, cotton hhdkfs, Kingston checks. d19 1m

FRED. BONIS & LOUVRIER
29 CHARTRES STREET.
HAVE now received their complete assortment of FRENCH GOODS, IMPORTED DIRECTLY. They offer it for sale at a small advance on cost. It is composed in part of the following articles:
2 cases mousseline de laine, a [illegible] headed patterns.
4 do calicoes, from the best manufacturers—Gros Odier, Dollfus, &c. &c.
Changeable silks for dresses
Heavy silks for bonnets, assorted styles and colors.
Black Italian and Swiss lustrings, 3-4, 4-4 and 5-4.
Bonnet ribbons of the newest styles.
Superfine artificial flowers.
Embroidered collars and chemisettes.
Cambric hdkfs, plain, hemstiched and worked.
A variety of gentlemen's cravats—both black and fancy
Crape of all colors
1000 doz suspenders of different patterns and prices
1000 gross pearl buttons—French, English and Chinese.
100 pounds sewing silks—all colors.
Ornamental pins, buttons, brooches, combs, &c.
All sorts of hosiery—silk, cotton and wool
A large supply of variety goods—tapes, hooks and eyes, combs, fans, &c.
Patent seamless corsets; do. French (made up)
Gros de velours—silk, do Jouvin's kid do white lustring
Perfumery—soap, Cologne water, pomatums, &c.
Curtain calicoes—buff, blue, red, &c.
FRED. BONIS & LOUVRIER,
29 Chartres street
Retail Store corner of Poydras and Carondelet streets
☞ Merchants are requested to call and see d6

TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS REWARD,

RANAWAY from the plantation of Mr Alex. Ferry, St James' Parish, the negro man AUGUSTIN, about 5 feet 6 or 8 inches high, bushy beard on his chin. He has belonged to Mr St Amant and afterwards to [illegible] DuBuys. The above reward will be given to whoever will arrest said negro, on application to
d10—5t F BOULIGNY, Jr., 35 Old Levee


DETAINED at the Jail of the Parish of St John the Baptist, the negro griffe named DAVID or HUBERT, belonging to Mr Turnbull, in the Second Municipality of New Orleans. The owner is requested to claim said slave agreeably to law.
Parish of St. John the Baptist, November 10 1844
A. LUMINAIS, sheriff.

HAT MANUFACTURERS' WAREHOUSE
HATS! HATS!—The subscribers have just opened, in the New Granite Buildings, No. 47 Gravier street, a Hat Manufacturers' Warehouse, where they will keep a complete assortment of Hats of their own manufacture, which they will sell at low prices, wholesale or retail. They will also keep an abundant supply of men's and boys' Caps of the latest style; Travellers' Trunks, Valises, Clothes Bags, Umbrellas, &c. from other manufacturers.
Country merchants' orders will receive prompt attention and Hats made to order if desired.
ANDREW RANKIN & Co.
☞ Cash paid for all kinds of Furs and Peltries.
dec 4—9m

NOTICE—All persons having demands against the Merchants' Bank of New Orleans, will present the same for settlement at the office of the Commissioners of said Bank, No 25 Natchez street, New Orleans.
New Orleans, 14th Sept. 1844. s16—3m—1aw

EDOUARD LABRONDE offers for sale, landing from ship Columbus, from Bordeaux—50 casks red wine, Medoc; 6 do St Estephe; 3 do old Margaux; 3 half casks do do; 41 half casks white wine, Haut Sauterne; 50 cases of 12 bottles each of the same quality of Ausone; 6 do of 12 rolls each of do; 30 of 24 small rolls do; 2 do of 24 transparent boxes do.
50 St Louis street.

CHAMPAGNE WINE—125 baskets Champagne Wine of the celebrated brand "Napoleon."
125 baskets do do Cheval's.
Landing from Ship Queen Victoria, for sale by
MERLE, BEYLLE & CO,
d13 45 Old Levee.

LOWELLS—18 bales Canton Lowells, landing from ship Seldon, for sale by WM FROST & Co,
d10 28 Old Levee.