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Mexico.

There is a stirring interest attached to the news from the army, received on Monday night by the steamer *Fashion*. If the statements communicated to the press may be deemed entirely worthy of credence, little doubt remains that another and perhaps an important conflict, between our army and the Mexicans, is at hand. An express, it is confidently asserted, had reached Gen. PATTERSON, to the effect that SANTA ANNA was advancing from San Louis Potosi to Saltillo, for the purpose of cutting off General WORTH. To us this intelligence appears extremely probable, and altogether in character with SANTA ANNA's policy and practice. The crafty commander of the Mexicans is fully aware, by means of his scouts and spies, that Gen. WORTH is stationed at Saltillo with a force not one-twelfth as strong as that which rumor represents as garrisoned at San Louis Potosi. To attack and overwhelm an inferior, by a vastly superior army, is in keeping with Mexican ideas of chivalry. SANTA ANNA is doubtless anxious to strike a blow somewhere, and with as little danger of defeat as can well be incurred, when he is certain of outnumbering the foe in the proportion above mentioned. It will not do to idle away the hours at San Louis, and lose the confidence of the people by inaction, neither would it be altogether prudent to assail the main body of the American army. A middle course presents itself in which success seems certain, and which may be used with infinite effect in augmenting the popularity of the Mexican chieftain, and increasing the enthusiasm of the people in his behalf. A victory over WORTH, how great soever the disproportion between the assailants and the assailed, would be a triumph of which [illegible] would not fail to make the most. The necessity of some movement, and the apparent safety of the attempt, justify the belief that it will be made.

We think, however, that if ever the Mexican General gets within gunshot of WORTH's detachment, he will be taught that numerical superiority avails but little against discipline, coolness and undaunted courage. The command at Saltillo is confided to the very man of all others best fitted for the responsible trust. Fearless in his intrepidity, yet prudent and discreet; with a heroic courage directed and controlled by a sagacious judgment, he is just the commander for a crisis such as is apprehended. He will fight the Mexicans to the last gasp, and will yet strive his utmost to fight them to advantage. It is not probable that SANTA ANNA will advance upon Saltillo with more than a part of the troops stationed at San Louis, for he would not be so foolhardy as to leave the latter city unprotected. Should the disproportion between the Mexicans and Americans not exceed four or five to one, we shall look for a victory as a natural and necessary sequence to a battle.

Another piece of intelligence that arrests the attention, is the fact that the Mexicans are laboring to recruit their army from the small towns along the Rio Grande, and that they succeed in gathering together considerable numbers. This exhibits at once the energy and excitement of the people, and the intense hatred which they bear the Americans. The latter sentiment must be powerful indeed which prompts them to organize companies in the face of the enemy, and in the very territory occupied by our troops.

SINGULAR DISCOVERY.—A meeting of the American Ethnological Society in New-York, was held last week at the house of its venerable President, Hon. ALBERT GALLATIN, at which some letters were read containing intelligence of interest in connection with the labors and objects of the society.

Several were read from Mr. E. G. SQUIER and Dr. DAVIS of Chillicothe, Ohio, detailing the progress of their explorations among the mounds and earthworks of the Scioto Valley in that State. Among other discoveries they note that of a remarkable embankment of earth 120 feet in length, exhibiting the form of a huge serpent with its mouth open, in the attitude of swallowing an egg-shaped mound, likewise of earth. This unique relic of antiquity occupies the top of a superb [illegible] of land just wide enough to admit it, on one side being perpendicular and the other very steep. The egg or oval which seems just entering the serpent's mouth, occupies the extreme point of the hill. The embankment is about five feet high and tapers toward the tail. This is justly characterized as one of the most remarkable remains yet discovered in the U. States, particularly when it is remembered that the *serpent and egg* in the same relation is here exhibited, form a prominent feature in the mythology of the Hindoos.

MINESOTA.—The nucleus of a new state, says the Washington correspondent of the New York *Journal of Commerce* has just appeared in the north-west. It is about to be christened the Territory of Minesota, (Mi-ne-so-ta), and, in some five years, it will be cleared, settled, peopled, and covered with a net-work of railroad and canals, and become a powerful state, represented in the Federal Congress, by two senators and a legion of members. Mr. Martin, of Wisconsin, which territory has just emerged from its chrysalis, brought forward the bill, to-day, for establishing the new territory, beyond the limits of Wisconsin.

FIRE IN AUGUSTA.—The Augusta Sentinel of the 23d says: Our citizens were aroused yesterday morning, about 1 o'clock, by the cry of fire, which proceeded from the African Church, on the South Common, which was entirely consumed. The building was remote from the central part of the city, and the fire had progressed so far before it was discovered, that all attempts to save it were vain. It was doubtless the act of an incendiary.

COTTON.—The Charleston *Mercury* says:—"The effect of the *Cambria's* news was immediate and decided in our market yesterday—cotton having advanced about 3-8ths cent a pound. The speculative feeling in Liverpool is likely to excite a still stronger one here. So long as we keep within the range of Liverpool prices, it is very well. But our interior merchants ought to be very careful how they speculate upon future advances, which may not come. Moderation and caution are good words for present use."

PROFESSOR MORSE writes to the Philadelphia *Ledger* an explanatory letter concerning his reputed recent modification of the telegraphic alphabet. The new contrivance is simply an apparatus for printing the common letters of the alphabet; but he says it cannot supercede his early method which communicates faster than expert penmen usually write. He adds:

"I wish it distinctly understood, therefore, that my recent invention of an apparatus for printing the common Roman letter, was not induced by any expectation that it will supercede any present plan, but solely to give the choice to any (if there are any) who, after all the evidence which has long been published of the intrinsic importance of such a result, may be desirous of seeing the common Roman letter printed, instead of my simpler character signifying the same thing. I accomplish this result by means of an apparatus very far less complicated than any yet published here or in Europe. I remain, your most obedient servant,"

LARGE AND VALUABLE CARGO.—The Charleston *Courier* of the 23d has the following:—

"The ship *Italy*, Baker, master, cleared yesterday at this port for Liverpool, by Messrs. Mitchell & Mure, with 96 bales Sea Island, and 3,103 bales Upland Cotton, 180 tierces Rice, and 500 bales Phœnix. Value [illegible]. Also, the ship *Nonantum*, Pattee, was for Liverpool by George Y. Davis, Esq. with 2,455 bales Upland Cotton, and 468 tierces Rice, valued at $100,344."

FIRES.—The new church built by the Unitarian society in Lexington, for Rev. Mr. Whitman, was destroyed by fire on Thursday night. It cost about $10,000, and we do not learn of any insurance. The cause is said to be a defect in the furnace, which was put in to dry the walls. The congregation expected to occupy it after next Sunday.

The steam saw and grist mill of J. & J. Robinson, Bath, Me., was destroyed by fire on the evening of the 15th, with a large amount of wood and lumber. Loss $8,000 a $10,000. No insurance.

The dwelling house of Mr. John Anderson, [illegible], Me., was destroyed by fire on Monday. Insured for $500.—*Boston Cour.*

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(CORRESPONDENCE OF THE BEE.)
HEAD-QUARTERS, U. S. ARMY,
Monterey, Dec. 4, 1846.

GENTLEMEN:—The mail came in yesterday from Saltillo, and with it an unusual number of rumors as to Santa Anna's movements. The Mexicans to-day report that he is eight days on the march to Saltillo, with 27,000 men, and that he assures them that he will be here before Christmas. They seem to think he will fulfil his promise, but our people attach no importance whatever to his vauntings. If he wants to come, they say let him come, and we'll give him as good a reception as we can get up. The American soldiers are of opinion that, situated as the army is at this moment, all Mexico cannot recapture this place. You have no idea how high the boys hold their heads here. Having met the enemy three times, and whipped him against great odds each time, they think the word defeat, so far as applicable to the American army, out of the question, and I begin to believe with the Mexicans, that to whip us they have to kill us all off.

Some portion of the forces now here will go back into Tamaulipas in the course of 8 or 10 days and take the Capital—Victoria. Two regiments are already under marching orders—the Baltimore Battalion, acting with the First Infantry, and Georgia regiment. It is said the enemy's forces are assembling there, and forming around the nucleus in that State—the recently retreating heroes from Tampico; but I am pretty well convinced that the movement is only to open the road to Tampico, on which Victoria is about half way. The whole of the first division may move, but up to this time none others are advised. It will be a long and tedious march, even to go to Victoria, and if they continue to the gulf, many a fellow will have sore feet before reaching it. The distance by the road through Cayderita and Linares is 400 miles, and there is no other way for wagons. Gen. Taylor accompanies the expedition, and if he takes more than the two regiments, I shall begin to think head quarters will be removed down that way.

A half an hour's conversation with an intelligent private in the 5th Infantry, a few evenings since, put me in possession of many facts relative to the causes of desertion, the character of the men, &c. He says that for the last two or three years 4-5ths of the recruits for the regular army have been made up from the foreigners who hang about the large cities of the Union, some of whom have no affinity of feeling with America or any other nation. That immediately after the cessation of hostilities, emissaries from the enemies camp, began tampering with them and they became lax in their duty; some would go off immediately, others get drunk and fear to return to their quarters after an absence of a few days, and to avoid the punishment consequent on such absence, take "French leave" altogether. He still raises on the number of deserters from his regiment, and says that they will not fall short of seventy-five since the 24th Sept. and this, too, in a regiment embracing only seven companies. I remarked that I presumed two-thirds of them were Foreigners, when he answered quickly and with much feeling, "yes, sir, three-thirds, for although Americans do occasionally desert the service at home, and in time of peace, whilst in an enemy's country the most worthless will stick by his colors." He does not think that all who desert, go into the enemies ranks, but that an affinity of religious feeling with the enemy operates so strongly upon them, that they leave us to evade a conflict with the enemy. An English physician who is now in town speaks of meeting a couple of the sons of Erin between Saltillo and San Louis Potosi, one with his belts and gun, and the other with nothing but his uniform. The doctor who is a considerable wag, and who had some hand in whipping the Mexicans out of Texas, stopped them in the road and asked their reasons for desertion. The man with the musket told him that he had fought too much against his religion already, and that he would not fight for the U. S. again until she "got into a war with England," when he "would go for a volunteer." The other one told him he was away his musket, and would never pick up another one whilst he lived. They had both passports from the Mexican commander, and an order for 25 cts per day until they could get to some port, where they could take shipping to the old country, or could get employment in the country. A horse, $25 in money and an order for $25 more on San Luis Potosi is the inducements held out here.

THE CORPORAL.

Monterey, Dec 5th.

In my letter of yesterday I forgot to mention to you the death of Lieut. Desmont, of the Macon company, in the Georgia volunteers. He died of a fever, something on the bilious order, first beginning with the chills and fever. Many soldiers are prostrated with that disease now, and from all regiments that expect to remove in a short time, the debilitated are being discharged.

I am enabled to send you in to-day's letter many interesting items from the Mexican Camp. Seven American prisoners who were released in San Luis Potosi at the request of Gen. Taylor, have arrived at this place. Two of them were rangers, captured near China, before the battle of Monterey, and the others were traders. It was thought the rangers had been murdered.

From San Luis Potosi to Saltillo there is very little water at this time, and these prisoners report a stretch of a little the rise of 50 miles without one drop of water, yet, over this desert late and barren waste the enemy think Gen. Taylor is marching to attack them. Such fortifications as the town is susceptible of are being made—ditches are being dug with the earth thrown on the side next the city, (Gen. Patterson, you may recollect, in doing a similar work in Camargo, threw the earth on the *outside*, affording the protection to the enemy in an advance,) and every thing gives note of preparation. Santa Anna has reliable information from this quarter that Gen. Taylor would leave about the 15th November with 7 or 8,000 men.

The ending of the armistice rather took Santa Anna aback, as the saying is, for he was on the point of marching to Saltillo when he received Gen. Taylor's communication to that effect. He is beyond all the passes through the mountains and cannot get possession of any of them, should it be his desire. Gen. Wool, so marching to Parras, took possession of the pass leading to Durango, which cuts off all supplies from that quarter (on this pass near 1000 mule loads of flour have been taken for the use of our army.) The Mexican General, it seems, had an eye upon this pass, and designed occupying it, but Gen. Wool anticipated him.

The Mexican force is reckoned by the prisoners at over 30,000 men, of whom 8,000 are cavalry, and although there is not another such a man living as Santa Anna, to their thinking, they are dissatisfied. Their pay has been reduced three several times, and they now receive but a picayune a day. They are promised the balance of the 25 cents at some future period.

Some little stir was made in the Mexican Camp on the 8th ult., at night, in consequence of dispatches reaching it from the Capitol, that another pronunciamiento had been made, and that Gen. Herrera, who drove Santa Anna from power before, had declared against the Government, and driven the acting President, Almonte, from the Capitol. Early the next morning Gen. Valencia, with 7 regiments of infantry, was sent off to restore order. It seems to me that 7 regiments out of 30,000 men is a very small force to send on such important business, but the rumored approach of the *formidable* force under Taylor will account for its meagreness.

The only addition of consequence made to the enemy's battery taken from this place under the provisions of the armistice is two eighteen pounders from Perote. They have collected several small pieces, four and six pounders, but they are of little account.

I find something worthy of a man, to record, in the conduct of Santa Anna. The first deserters from the American ranks arrived in San Luis whilst these Americans were there. They presented their several orders for money to Santa Anna, when he informed them that he had not enough funds to feed his own soldiers. They were worn down by travel, hungry and without the means of getting a living, so they concluded as a last resort, that they would join his army. When they applied to him for permission to go into the ranks, he replied that they would leave him should he get into a tight place. They affirmed to the contrary, when Santa Anna plainly told them that any man who would desert, one army would desert another, and he wanted nothing to do with such men. And so they left him—men who had been seduced off under the bright promises of command and money, denied even the privilege of earning their bread in the ranks of the enemy.—The beauty of it is, that neither the French nor English residents will give them work or food, and they would no doubt give their right hands to be back in Uncle Sam's ranks. No less than 46 were met on the road from San Louis to Saltillo. Nothing new about Monterey to-day. THE CORPORAL.

Monterey, Dec. 7th, 1846.

I think I can speak now with some degree of certainty as to the movement hinted at in my last. The first division, with two or three additional regiments, will shortly move towards Tampico. Gen. Taylor and his staff will go along, and the head-quarters of the army will be established either at Victoria or Tampico. Gen. Taylor will be in no hurry to reach Victoria, and the march will be made by easy stages, occupying three or four weeks. The idea of marching against the enemy is certainly abandoned for the present, and we are well satisfied that they will not march against us. We are now in possession of all the lower country, and when the forces get to Victoria, will command all the passes leading to it, and in this way things are likely to rest for some time. The Congresses of both nations are now in session, and it may be the wish of the President of the United States to see whether Mexico is willing to end the strife before again resorting to extremities. [illegible]

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looking for Taylor to come over the desert and had thrown out near 500 cavalry to watch the road. Did he feel as secure as we do, he would save his horse-flesh.

Gen. Worth has had some little difficulty in getting corn at Saltillo, but the course he pursued in the matter will prevent its recurrence. He sent out and forced the rancheros to bring it in, then refused to pay them, for refusing to bring it in. Every grain of corn that was brought voluntarily in, he told them, should be paid for, but when it had to be sent for, no pay would be allowed. Gen. Wool is still in the quiet possession of Parras, where he readily obtains every thing that is needed for his command.

I have to chronicle the death of another volunteer officer—Capt. Holmes, of the Georgia volunteers, died at Walnut Springs, on Sunday morning last, after an illness of one week. Many officers and men are now prostrate with the fever.

W. J. Downing was killed on the road to Camargo, a few days ago, by a Mexican servant, it is thought. On the same road, near the village of Ceralvo, two white men robbed a Mexican family, and then escaped from the guard. It is by no means safe to travel in this country in squads of two and three.

The mail from your city arrived here on the 5th, with dates up to the 18th ult. Politics do not rage much in camp or in the town, but the news from New York surprised all parties to such an extent that during Sunday the terms Locofoco and Whig were often heard. Gen. Taylor received the National Intelligencer with the returns several days ago, and though by no means a violent politician, thought the news was too good to keep, and immediately informed Gens. Butler, Quitman and Twiggs of the result. He is said to have made a pun on the occasion, but for the truth of which I cannot vouch. "Well, how is New York?" asked Butler. "Right" was the answer of Taylor. "It never will be any thing else; whilst Silas lives," replied Butler. "Oh," rejoined Taylor, "I do not mean she's old *Wright*, but *Young* right," and here he chuckled at perhaps the first wit he ever attempted.

A hospital steward belonging to the first regiment of infantry, was killed on Sunday evening by the guard. He was a little intoxicated, and went into a Mexican house and seated himself. The owner of the house immediately sent for the guard, and on their approach the soldier ran to avoid the guard-house for the day. He was ordered to halt, but not hearing or wishing to hear the order, he did not obey it, and two rifle balls were fired into his back, which caused his death in less than half an hour.

The 7th Infantry, who have been stationed in the town since the capitulation of the place, are now under marching orders.

THE CORPORAL.

City Intelligence.

FATAL CASUALTY.—On Sunday evening last, at about 6 o'clock, four persons were crossing the river in a skiff, opposite the lower cotton press, when they came in contact with a towboat. The skiff was upset, and one of the party, a German, was drowned. The three others were saved through the exertions of the hands on board the steamer. We understand that the collision could not be avoided.

☞ The Masons of the City celebrated yesterday the anniversary of St. John, the evangelist, by a grand procession, with music, banners, &c.

A FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE.—The police of the 2nd Municipality, arrested yesterday Jacob R. Humes, a fugitive from justice from the Philadelphia Penitentiary. He was remanded by recorder Baldwin for further examination.

COMMITTED.—John Campbell was brought up yesterday morning before recorder Baldwin, charged with stealing on board the steamer Atlantic, a trunk belonging to Mr. W. Riddle, and containing some wearing apparel, and divers other articles. Campbell was committed for trial before the First District Court.

☞ We are informed that James York, who was shot through the neck, some days ago, by a woman named Lavinia Mitchell, is now lying at Charity Hospital, in a very precarious state. He was at first doing well, as we stated, but his life is now despaired of. Recorder Genois went last evening to the hospital to take the affidavit of the dying man. Lavinia Mitchell still remains in the parish prison.

COUNCIL OF MUNICIPALITY NO. ONE.—*Monday Evening.*—The council met last evening pursuant to adjournment, Recorder Genois in the chair.

A message from the Mayor was read, informing the council that Mr. William E. Noel, recently elected collector on drays and carts, offered for his security Mrs. Manette Dagney.

On motion of Mr. Fabre, the security was accepted.

The Mayor also informed the council that he received 9 sealed proposals for cleaning the streets of the Municipality.—Laid on the table subject to call.

The Secretary read a resolution passed by the general council, requesting the different Municipalities to appoint a special committee to make suitable arrangements for the celebration of the glorious 8th of January. On motion of Mr. Shields, a committee was appointed, consisting of Messrs. Shields, Lemoine and Dubuc.

The council then took up the proposals for cleaning the streets of the Municipality. The cleaning of the streets of the 1st District was awarded to Mr. John Kelly, for a sum of $9250 per annum; 2nd District to Mr. Felix Jacob, for a sum of $2400; 3d district to Mr. Carlisle Pollock, for a sum of $2450; making a total of $7150.

The council next proceeded to the election of a commissary of the Trémé Market. Mr. Dalurgue was declared duly elected.

The Council then adjourned.

NEW WORKS.—Our thanks are due the publishers through the politeness of J. B. Steel, No. 14 Camp street, for the following new publications.

Encyclopedia Americana Supplementary volume: edited by Henry Vethake, L. L. D. Lea & Blanchard, publishers. Every scholar is familiar with the great work to which this volume is a supplement, rendered necessary by the lapse of further years since the first publication. Since then a thousand new discoveries have been made in art and science; names that were unknown or obscure have acquired celebrity, and events have transpired in the history of the world which require to be chronicled. The necessity of the volume is therefore obvious. Its execution under the superintendance of the learned seems to have been admirable. Nothing of the slightest interest is omitted; the latest and most exact information is given on all subjects; on the interesting question of magnetism, electricity, the telegraph &c. The Encyclopedia is particularly full and accurate. In short it is entirely equal to any of the preceding volumes, and this, to all who know the value of the work, will be considered praise enough.

The Chess Player's Magazine.—We are indebted to the editors for the two first numbers of this periodical. It is issued monthly, got up in exceedingly neat and handsome style, and edited by C. H. Stanley Esq. the greatest chess player in the United States. To the amateurs of this noble game, the Chess Player's Magazine will be found of infinite service. It is a repertory of all that is interesting and instructive to the science.

Christmas Stories, together with Pictures from Italy, by Charles Dickens. This volume comprises a Christmas Carrol; The Chimes; The Cricket on the Hearth; and Pictures from Italy. The three first are among the most admired productions of Boz.

Small Books on Great Subjects; No. 6 and 11, embracing a brief view of Greek philosophy from the age of Socrates to the Coming of Christ, and "Christian Sects in the Nineteenth Century." These little volumes are among the ablest and soundest disquisitions on topics connected with morals and religion, that it has been our good fortune to peruse. They are epitomes of wisdom and piety.

ANELLI'S PICTURE OF THE END OF THE WORLD.—This magnificent production is now exhibiting at Cook's National Portrait Gallery, St Charles street. It is a painting of the highest order in conception and execution. The design is grand and the pencil of the painter has done ample justice to the inspiration of the artist. As an allegorical representation it is most beautiful, and as a *tableau* its details, which are multiform and minute, are exquisite, though they require frequent and patient examination ere their beauty strikes upon the senses.

We counsel every lover of the fine arts to visit this picture. For ourselves, we intend to behold it again and again, until we are thoroughly familiar with its numerous and varied excellencies.

ORLEANS THEATRE.—Tonight, for the third time, that splendid and successful opera of the "Martyrs" is to be repeated, no doubt to a crowded and brilliant audience. The piece seems destined to have a great run, judging from the impression produced on Thursday and Saturday last. The unparalleled magnificence of the scenery, the gorgeous style of the triumphal [illegible] [illegible] talents of Mr. Poultier and M. Dubreuil, and Miles. [illegible] [illegible]

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payment for goods at their par value, holders of the bills had to pay more. Thus, in New York they had to pay in the bills of the States, at the rate of $9 for £2 sterling; and so in proportion to the depreciation of the bills in other states. The credit of South Carolina stood higher than any other State, their bills being received at 4s 6d a dollar. In this way was introduced a difference between the English sterling money and the currencies of the colonies, which remains still in the ordinary reckoning of the people.

☞ A contemporary says that old maids are getting their lips magnetized to make them attractive.

☞ About 100,000 bushels of wheat are remaining over in Buffalo for winter storage.

LATEST DATES.

New York	Dec. 20	Liverpool	Dec. 4
Washington	Dec. 21	Havre	Dec. 1
Charleston	Dec. 23	Havana	Dec. 20
Cincinnati	Dec. 15	Vera Cruz	Nov. 4
Brazos St'iago	Dec. 21	Texas	Dec. 18

COMMERCIAL.

NEW ORLEANS, MONDAY NIGHT,
December, 28, 1846.

The sales of Cotton to-day amount to about 2,300 bales, at an advance of ⅛ a ¼c per lb.

Sales of Sugar, 3511 hhds. at steady prices; of Molasses, 600 bbls. at 25c per gallon.

A very animated demand prevailed for Flour, and the transactions have reached 25,000 bbls. at $4.50.

For Corn the demand was equally lively, and the sales amount to 75,000 bushels, principally at 65c.

No change in Provisions.

Exchanges remain as last quoted.

FREIGHTS.—Several lots of Flour shipped to Liverpool at 6s., and Grain at 17 a 18d. A vessel was taken at $1.75 for Havre.

I HAVE FOUND A TREASURE.

SO SAYS the consumptive who has been laboring under a distressing *Cough, Pain in the Side and Chest*, and debilitating *night sweats*, and could not find any relief. So says the *Asthmatic*, whose difficulty of breathing was such that he could not lay down at night. So says the person who has been *bleeding at the lungs*, and who fainted day by day until he met with this invaluable help. Would you know its name?

Sherman's Olosonian, or ALL-HEALING BALSAM

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$10 REWARD.—Lost [illegible]

NOTICE.—All persons having any claims against the Succession of the late F. X. Martin [illegible] J. B. MARTIN, Testa. Ex.

FRESH GARDEN SEEDS. [illegible]

RECEIVED per consignment and for sale by the subscriber:—30 bales Hops, 1st sort Otsego Co. New York; 540 sacks Western New York Wheat. G. GERARD, 14 Conti st. d29

TEN DOLLARS REWARD. Ran away from Grande Terre, Barataria, about the 15th November last, the negro man ISAAC. He took with him a hand-some Yawl Boat, painted black, with a red stripe outside, and it supposed would proceed to the city. Isaac is black, about 6 feet in height. The above reward will be paid by the subscribers for his apprehension. WYLIE & EGANA, 32 Bienville street. d29

BROUGHT TO THE POUND of the First Municipality, Main street, between Derbigny and Roman streets, a chesnut colored horse, star on his forehead, is marked on the right rump, a short tail, low no other mark of stamp visible. If from this date to the 9th January, 1847, said horse is not claimed, he will be sold at the usual time and place, by the auctioneer, R. Kerrison. MICHEL DUREL, Pound Master. d24 10t

Ten dollars Reward. Strayed or stolen from the premises of the undersigned, corner of Seventh and Levee streets, a Horse, of the middle size, of a brownish red color, with both the hind feet white, a big white star on his forehead, the hair on the left ear clipped by the bridle. The above reward will be paid to whoever will bring said horse to the undersigned, or will give such information as will lead to the recovery of the horse and conviction of the thief. JOHN FELKEL. d28

BOOTS, SHOES & BROGANS.—108 cases now landing from ships Abby Pratt and Albert, and for sale by G. W. DUNBAR, 30 Custom-house street. d28

THE SHIP ABBY PRATT, Capt Shaw, from Boston, will commence discharging this morning, opposite the Water Works, 2nd Municipality, consignees are particularly requested to attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee, or they will be stored at their expense and risk. J. P. WHITNEY, 73 Camp st. d28

Christmas and New Year's Gifts, *Great Variety Store, Chartres St. No 50.* B. PIFFET respectfully informs the ladies that he opens This Day an assortment of fancy articles suitable for presents, such as Toys, Dolls in the newest style, Fine Baskets, Checkers, Whist, Boxes, Dominoes, Necklaces, fancy Cutlery, China Tumblers, Tea and Coffee pots, Pocket books, Card Cases, Guard-chains, Gloves, Purses, Together with a very large quantity of other fancy articles. d24

TAKEN to the pound of the Second Section of St. Bernard Parish, a bay Horse, creole, hobbled, and shod all round, one foot white, some few spots on the saddle ground, a white star on the forehead and branded [illegible] on the left hip. If said horse is not claimed on or before the 11th January next 1847, will be sold at auction on that day, at 12 o'clock, M., at the residence of the subscriber. AUGUSTE FAQUT, Syndic, St. Bernard Parish. 2t sp 10d Dec. 22.

Head Quarters, 1st Division, La. Militia, New Orleans, December 19th, 1846. *General Orders, No. 8.*

1st. The Volunteer Corps of the First Division will be held ready to join in the celebration of the approaching anniversary of the battle of the 8th of January, 1815.

2d. The artillery will be prepared to fire a national salute on that day, at sunrise, at noon and at sunset.

3d. The commanders of the several corps are charged with the execution of this order and will hold themselves subject to further orders from Head Quarters. By order of JOHN L. LEWIS, Major General, Commanding 1st Division La. Mi. Victor Wiltz, Aid-de-Camp.

DANCING SCHOOL. *No. 74 Royal street, between Bienville and Conti sts.* MONSIEUR and MADAME HAZARD respectfully inform the ladies and gentlemen of New Orleans that they have just arrived from Philadelphia, and that they have opened a Dancing School in this city, at their residence, 74 Royal street. They will also teach in families and in Academies. Madame Hazard will teach the ladies who will prefer to receive instruction from a lady teacher. In addition to polite dancing and waltzing the following dances will be taught, viz: The REDOWA WALTZ; MAZURKA WALTZ; MAZURKA QUADRILLES; VALSE à 2 et VALSE à 3 TEMPS; POLKA QUADRILLES; POLKA WALTZ. Monsieur Hazard being a native of Paris and having the advantage of being intimately acquainted with the best professors of Paris and London, he assures the persons who will patronize him, that the will teach them the above named dances exactly as they are practised in the best circles of Europe. The terms, hours of tuition, and information made known on application to Mons. and Mme. H. at the residence as above.

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NOTICE. THE SUGAR PLANTERS are requested to attend the meeting in which the regulations of the *Mutual Association of Sugar Planters* will be presented, discussed and adopted, which is to take place in New Orleans on WEDNESDAY, 6th January, 1847, at 10 o'clock, A. M., in the Saloon of the St. Louis Exchange Hall room; Planters are earnestly invited to attend. d24 31 j4

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS. General Council. Sitting of the 9th December, 1846. RESOLVED, That the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to cause the ordinance relative to fixing the tariff of Public Carriages for hire, approved July 1, 1846, to be published in the official paper of the Council, and in such other paper as he may think proper. Signed, L. E. MAZUREAU, Pres't. Approved 10th December, 1846. Signed, A. D. CROSSMAN, Mayor. A true copy. A. MAZUREAU, Secretary.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS. General Council. Sitting of Saturday, the 7th of June, 1845. *An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance relative to Public Carriages for hire in the city of New Orleans, approved May 27th, 1839."* The General Council of New Orleans ordain as follows:

ARTICLE 1. From and after the promulgation hereof, it shall not be lawful for any owner, driver, or person having charge or authority over a public hack, carriage cab for hire, to charge other than the following rates, under a penalty of not more than $50 for such offence, (unless the said driver be a slave, then the penalty shall not be more than 15 dollars for the first offence, and 30 dollars for every offence thereafter, to be recovered before any Court having jurisdiction thereof), the fines or penalties collected under this ordinance to be divided between the three municipalities, as provided for in the twenty-second section of an Act entitled "An Act to incorporate the city of New Orleans, approved March 8th, 1836.

ART. 2. For every trip within the incorporated limits of either municipality, or from the incorporated limits of one municipality to the incorporated limits of the adjoining municipality, twenty five cents for each passenger.

From Esplanade street to the Ursuline Nuns' convent, 37½ cents and lower down, in extent, according to the rates of distances hereinafter established.

From the incorporated limits of the 3d Municipal [illegible] incorporated limits of the 2d Municipality, fifty cents for each passenger.

For every trip out of the incorporated limits of either municipality to the incorporated limits of [illegible] sixty two and a half cents for each passenger.

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SARDINES landing ex bark Harbeck, from Bordeaux, 3000 half boxes Phillippe & Canaud's, for sale by EUG ROCHEREAU & Co, 17 and 19 St. Louis street. d20

HATS—Three boxes Hats Parisian style and of the last fashion, for sale by EUG ROCHEREAU & Co. d20 17 and 19 St. Louis street.

CLARET IN BOXES—300 boxes with caps and labels, for sale by EUG ROCHEREAU & Co, d20 17 and 19 St Louis street.

COGNAC—4th proof in half and quarter pipes, J B Dupuy's, Pinet Castillon & Co's and Leger Freres', for sale by EUG ROCHEREAU & Co. d20 17 and 19 St Louis street.

SUPERIOR OLD COGNAC—1st proof in half and quarter pipes Castillon, Jr's 1825 and 1815, Ph. Godard & Co's, for sale by EUG ROCHEREAU & Co d20 17 and 19 St Louis street.

BRANDY CHERRIES—New importation, for sale by EUG ROCHEREAU & Co, d20 17 and 19 St Louis street.

CANDLES—Landing from ship Robt. Patten from Boston, 80 boxes Winchester Tallow Candles, for sale by DARAN, QUEYROUZE & Co. d20 11 and 13 St. Louis street.

SOAP—Landing from ship Albert from Boston, 250 boxes Winchester No. 1 Soap, 45 lb and 40 lb each, for sale by DARAN, QUEYROUZE & Co d20 11 and 13 St Louis street.

INDIGO—5 cerroons Caracas, for sale by NORCROSS & FOSDICK, 40 Gravier st.

FOR SALE—800 sacks Liverpool salt, by PIERRE POUTZ, Customhouse st.

INDIGO—Guatemala Indigo, in store and for sale by J M CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee st. d15

CURRANTS—10 bbls Zante Currants, for sale by L. CAMPOS, 42 Gravier st. d21

RICE—20 casks Carolina Rice, for sale by F. GERARD, 14 Conti st. d24

OLIVE OIL—50 baskets, J. Blaymond's brand, for sale by LOISON & SILVESTRE, 36 Chartres st.

FLOUR—300 bbls City Mills, St. Louis, landing from steamer Schuylkill, and for sale by JAMES E WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st.

TEAS—1000 pkgs Gunpowder, Imperial, Young Hyson and Hyson, for sale by NORCROSS & FOSDICK, 40 Gravier st.

SUGARS—Havana White, Yellow and Brown, in store and for sale by J. M. CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee st. d11

PAPER SEGARS—Genuine Paper Segars, in store and for sale by J. M. CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee.

WOOL HATS—25 cases white, drab and black Wool Hats, for sale by FROST & Co, 10 Magazine st. d17

WOOLLEN SOCKS—500 doz country net Wool len Socks, for sale by FROST & Co. 10 Magazine st. d17

FLOUR—600 bbls St Louis City Mills Flour, in store and for sale by JAMES E. WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st.

PURE SPIRITS—12 hhds first proof, landing ex ship Vicksburg, for sale by ROBERTS & HALL, 75 Magazine st.

SOLE LEATHER—A lot of Sole Leather, of a superior quality, for sale low, by JOHN HALL, No. 1 Front Levee. d10

DOMESTIC LIQUORS—200 bbls rum, brandy, pure spirits, &c. for sale by ROBERTS & HALL, 75 Magazine st.

CLARET—100 cases claret, St. Julien, for sale by EUG ROCHEREAU & Co, d12 17 and 19 St Louis st.

COFFEE—A lot of old coffee, for sale by EUG ROCHEREAU & Co. d12 17 and 19 St Louis st.

HIDES—Salted and dry hides, received and for sale by REYNAUD, CUCULLU & Co. d12 Tchoupitoulas street.

HAVANA COFFEE—[illegible] bags, in store, for sale by TROSCLAIR & LAMPRE, 26 Old Levee.

COFFEE—[illegible] bags landing from brig Thomas Street from Rio [illegible] TROSCLAIR & LAMPRE, 26 Old Levee st.

RED FLANNEL SHIRTS—[illegible] for sale by JOHN BULLOW, 38 Old Levee. d12

ITALIAN GARDEN SEEDS—An assortment of [illegible] D LANATA, Nos. 9 and 10 Jefferson st.

CLARET IN BOXES—Just received per ship John [illegible] EUG ROCHEREAU & Co, 17 and 19 St Louis st.

LANDING [illegible] RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 Old Levee.

[illegible] ROBERTS & HALL, 75 Magazine st.

[illegible] JAMES E. WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st.

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[illegible] J. P. WHITNEY, 73 Camp st.

BACON SHOULDERS—[illegible] J. P. WHITNEY & Co.

CATALONIA WINE—[illegible] AUG. MOLLIERE, 64 St. Louis st.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS—[illegible]

NOTICE.—The undersigned having been appointed Wood Inspector to the Municipality No. One, hereby [illegible] CHARLES DE ARMAS.

FOR SALE—Landing from ship [illegible] POUTZ & CO., 147 Royal st. d21

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LOISON & SILVESTRE, No. 36 CHARTRES STREET,—Are now receiving per ships Hudson and Galena, the balance of their Christmas clothing, such as—Overcoats, French style, olive, green, black and Americans, new fashions; Tweeds, or very cheap paletots, for schools; Round Jackets, military style, for Uniform; Paletots or beaver cloth and Whitney; Vests of satin, cashmere, silk plaids; Mazurellos or polka suits, for children 2 to 5 years. Pants, all sizes of new fancy plaids; Frock coats of blue, green and black cloth; Cloaks or fine black cloth; Also—a large assortment of under-shirts, suspenders, cotton, wool, half hose, pocket handkerchiefs, gloves and cravats, for boys. **For Gentlemen:** A rich assortment of satin, cloth and cashmere vests, all fashions, tweeds and French paletot-dress and frock coats, &c. d22 LOISON & SILVESTRE, 36 Chartres st.

SELLING OFF—The subscriber intending to close his business carried on in Chartres street, No. 57, invites the city and country Merchants and Traders to visit his stock of goods, mostly received per ships Diana and Vaillant from Havre, consisting of: Fine black and col'd French cloth Paletots, dress and frock coats, light paletots, tweeds, water proof paletots and cloaks; blue cloth Spanish cloaks; All gentlemen's cassimere pantaloons of all sorts; cashmere morning gowns and footed cassimere and Tartan pantaloons, silk and cotton umbrellas, gents. and ladies' kid gloves; black and fancy silk and satin scarfs and cravats, silk, thread, cotton and lambs-wool half hose; silk and bombazine stocks, muslin, needlework and cotton under shirts and drawers; silk and linen cambric pocket handkfs, suspenders of all sorts, linen and cotton shirts, white and col'd linen collars, &c. *Articles for Tailors.* Fine black, red and yellow Sabaribond cloths. Do do Doeskin, 5-4 and 5-8 fancy cassimere for pantaloons; Tailors for lining, silk serge, silk, satin and cashmere vestings, the latest style. Coat and pantaloon buttons, &c. &c. *Also—Articles for hatters.* N. B.—The above goods will be sold at very reduced prices for cash until the end of this month, at which time the balance on hand will be disposed of at Public Auction. d17 A. MARCHAND, 57 Chartres st.

City Bank, New Orleans, December 19, 1846. THIS Bank will be closed on Friday next the 25th inst., (Christmas Day) and on the 1st and 8th of January next. Notes and Bills falling due on those days will be payable on the days preceding. d23 S. J. PALFREY, Cashier.

GRAND DEPOT of GRANIER'S FRENCH BLANKETS. THE subscribers, (successors to the late J. Mager,) sole Agents of Zoe Granier, of Montpellier, take pleasure in announcing to the Planters, Domestic merchants and dealers generally throughout the South, West, and South-western States, that their Depot, No. 21 Magazine-street, will always be well supplied by fresh arrivals of these SUPERIOR BLANKETS. The assortment will consist of—1st quality 3 point white Blankets, 8 to 9 lbs. per pair; Superior [illegible] do. 7 to 8 do; Superior green do. 7 to 8 do; Superior scarlet do. 7 to 8 do. Also—Superior Marino Bed Blankets, from 8 point to 12 point. N. B.—The above goods will be sold at the lowest market price, and liberal discount made from regular prices when large quantities are taken. H. DE GOER & BEFFARD, Agents for Mr. Zoe Granier, and Importers of French Dry Goods, 21 Magazine st. N. O.

RICH GOODS FOR PRESENTS.—E. M. SIMPSON has recently received and now offers for sale the following styles of rich goods suitable for HOLIDAY PRESENTS:— Rich robes of Cashmere, rich Cashmeres by the yard, printed and embroidered Barages, embroidered and printed Mousslin de Laines, splendid Silks figured and Brocaded, Silks, Mantillas and Mistles, Ladies' Paris Cloaks, Shawls of the newest styles of Cashmere, Silk and Velvet, Silk and Cashmere Scarfs, [illegible] [illegible] Muslin Robes, embroidered Muslins, [illegible] [illegible]

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WANTED a Tin Smith, to make Oil and Paint cans. Apply at the paint factory of R. GLANNON & Co., or at 46 Camp st. d16

FLOUR—400 bbls flour, landing from steamboat Anglo Saxon, and for sale by JAMES E. WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st. d12

WOOL—11 bales Mexican received per schr Equity in store, and for sale by VANCE & LEPPER, 24 Bienville st. d11

PRUNES—50 cases new crop, landing ex bark Alma, for sale by RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 Old Levee st. d4

NOTICE TO MERCHANTS—Fancy Boxes for New Year's Gifts—10 cases received per ship Vaillant, for sale cheap, by COURVOISIER & Co., Corner Royal and Orleans sts. d20

ENGLISH CANNEL COAL—1000 barrels of English Cannel Coal, for sale at $1 25 per bbl. ROBERT MURPHY, 18 Old Basin, and 92 Old Levee. d18

COFFEE—378 sacks Havana Coffee, landing per Bark Catherine, for sale by TROSCLAIR & LAMPRE, d19 26 Old Levee.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS—Now landing from ship Howard, 85 cases of seasonable goods, forming a complete assortment, for sale by G. W. DUNBAR, 30 Customhouse st. d20

RUSSET BROGANS—50 cases prime Jersey calf, kip and hemlock tan Russet Brogans for plantation use, for sale by FROST & Co, 10 Magazine st. d17

HAMILTON PRINTS—A few cases of dotted Hamilton Prints of different patterns and colors, for sale by DE FOREST & Co, 20 Customhouse st. d1

LEATHER—25 rolls leather, just received in store and for sale by REYNAUD, CUCULLU & Co, d12 36 Tchoupitoulas st.

COGNAC BRANDY—Castillon brand, 1812 and 1825, in half pipes superior old cognac brandy, in store and for sale by LEOPOLD JEANNET, 22 St. Louis st. n10

BRANDY CHERRIES—50 cases fresh brandy cherries, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & Co, d12 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

MACKEREL—300 bbls No. 1, 100 half do do, 200 bbls No. 2, 100 half do do, 100 bbls No. 3, large, for sale by NORCROSS & FOSDICK, 40 Gravier st.

COGNAC—[illegible] half and 32 quarter pipes [illegible] for sale by EUG ROCHEREAU & Co. d12 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

ALIMENTARY PRESERVES—A choice assortment of St. Louis Mr. Preserves, for sale by DARAN, QUEYROUZE & Co, d9 11 and 13 St. Louis st.

WHISKEY—30 bbls rectified Whiskey, for sale by REYNAUD, CUCULLU & Co, d12 36 Tchoupitoulas street.

LOWELL JEANS—[illegible] DE FOREST & Co, 20 Customhouse st.

RIO COFFEE—[illegible] J. W. STANTON & Co., Magazine and Lafayette sts.

LANDING [illegible] AUG. MOLLIERE, 64 St. Louis.

PEACOCK PLOUGHS—[illegible] GAY & HALL, 32 Old Levee.

PATTERSON COTTON DUCK—[illegible] LEOPOLD JEANNET, 22 St. Louis st.

SARDINES—[illegible] half boxes [illegible] DARAN, QUEYROUZE & Co. 11 and 13 St. Louis st.

LINSEED OIL—[illegible] R. GLANNON, 46 Camp st.

WINTER SPERM OIL AND CANDLES—Winter strained, bleached and unbleached sperm oil, pure and warranted, New Bedford sperm candles, for sale by J. W. STANTON & Co., corner Magazine and Lafayette sts.

COAL! COAL!—[illegible] JOHN BULLOW, 38 Old Levee.

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WINDOW GLASS, &c. [illegible] R. GLANNON, 46 Camp st.

IN STORE and for sale by the undersigned: [illegible] J. & J. LARDNER.

STORAGE.—Merchandise [illegible] A. BOULANGE.

SUNDRIES—[illegible] C. JOHN HAYMAN & CO., 11 Red Stores, 3d Municipality.

COGNAC PELLEVOISIN.—The undersigned has constantly for sale, manufactured, the superior Cognac, [illegible] TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD, 39 Customhouse st. d10

LANDING ex ship John Dunlap from Bordeaux: 150 baskets superfine Grapeshot, 50 cases superfine assorted Cordials, 50 cases genuine Swiss Absinthe, 150 cases Brandy Cherries, 500 boxes Small Peas, preserved in butter, 500 boxes Sardines, preserved in butter, 200 cases Claret, for sale by TH BAILLY BLANCHARD, d11 39 Customhouse st.

GARTHWAITE, PAYAN & Co., No. 10 Canal street, Paulding's Row, between Old Levee and Chartres street; Manufactory No. 283 Broad street, Newark, N. J. IN addition to their extensive stock of **Ready made Clothing** have received per ships Edgar, Memphis, Tennessee and Atlantic, which they offer at extremely low prices for cash only, in corresponding the following assortment of **Fall Goods:** Plantation Goods, Kersey Linseys and Tribbs and Wool sperior Paletots, Round Jackets, Sailor Coats and Pantaloons; Blue and Black, Flushing, Lion Skin, Pilot Cloth, Blue, White, Grey, Green, and Blue Fox Blankets, Black, Mixed Grey, and Plaid Satinett, Paletots, Over Coats, and Sack Coats, Heavy Black, Mixed Double Breasted Vests; Plain and Twilled Red and White Flannels; Plain and Twilled Hickory and Mariners Stripes; White and Brown Cotton; Blue Check and Cuban Shirts; Heavy Country knit Socks; 15 cases Russet Brogans manufactured expressly for Plantation wear. FOR THE CITY AND COUNTRY TRADE. COATS—STYLE OF CUT.—Paletots, Sacks, Tom Allen, Business, or Office Coat, Point, Frock, and Dress Coats, Cosaces, Coats D'Orsey, Opera and Ball Coats. MATERIALS.—French, English, German, Belgium and American Black, Green, Brown, Blue, Bronze, and Blue Black Cloth, Fancy, Foreign and Domestic, Tweed Cassimere, and Water proof Clothe; Hair Camblet and Jenny Lind Cloth. PANTALOONS.—Black Doeskin, and Ribbed Cassimere; Plain and Fancy Cassimere; Plain Black, Ribbed and Fancy Buttonia; Fancy Plaid and Mixed Tweed Cassimere; Fancy and Log Cabin Cottonade Pants. VESTS—STYLE.—Straight Collar, Rolling Collar, Double-Breasted Rolling Collar, and Robespierre, of the following materials: Black Cassimere, Black and Fancy Silk Velvet, Black Figured and Fancy Cashmere, Embroidered Cassimere, Opera and Ball Rich Gold and Silver Figured and Embroidered, Fancy and Black Satin, Barathe Silk, Scotch Plaid, Fancy Valencia, Black Bombazine and Satin Plaid. Planters, Merchants and Dealers are respectfully invited to examine the above goods, before purchasing elsewhere. GARTHWAITE, PAYAN & Co., No. 10 Canal, &c. n24—tf

WATCHES, Jewelry, Silver and plated ware, Fancy Goods, &c. The subscriber respectfully informs his patrons and the public that he has lately received and opened a beautiful assortment of new and fashionable Goods from the North and Europe, which, added to his already extensive stock, he now offers at the most reasonable prices. As he is determined not to be undersold by any one in the trade, he solicits purchasers to call and examine his splendid establishment, where they will find, besides the greatest variety of *Ladies and Gentlemen's fine Jewelry, Watches, Chains, &c.*, a large assortment of Silver and Plated Ware; Bronze and China Mantel Clocks and ornaments; a beautiful selection of fancy Porcelain, and cut glass articles of every shape and description. Also, Papier-mache works and Tea tables, &c. and fancy articles, and other fancy articles of the most recent style. Fancy Articles, suitable for the approaching Christmas and New Year's Presents. C. REDON, corner of Common and Camp [illegible] St. Charles street.

HEALTH AND LONG LIFE [illegible]

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AMUSEMENTS.

STOKES & McCOLLUM'S Mammoth Great Western Circus.

AFTER a brilliant series of representations given by this talented troop the past four weeks in Mobile, the manager proposes opening for a few days on the Washington Square 3rd Municipality, commencing next Sunday evening Dec. 27, 1846, their new and enlarged exhibition [illegible] [illegible] persons.

On New Years day commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. a very superior performance will be given for the purpose of accommodating persons unable to visit the night exhibition.

A portion of the seats will be reserved expressly for the creole population.

Admittance 25 cents to all parts of the house. Doors will be open at 6½ and the representations will commence at 7. The very efficient police force in attendance during the company's previous visit have been engaged. S. Q. STOKES, Manager. d25

GLOBE BALL ROOM—Corner of St Claude and St Peter streets, Avenue of the Old Basin. The proprietor having newly fitted up this splendid house, would most respectfully inform his friends and the public that he opened it for the season on Saturday, the 30th October, with a GRAND DRESS AND MASKED BALL, which will be continued EVERY MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, and SATURDAY until further notice. The Orchestra will be composed of the most superior artists in the city. That the public may be assured of the most strict order, the manager will have in attendance at all times a sufficient Police. [illegible] Manager.

N. B.—Attached to this establishment is a superior Restaurant and Bar, where can be procured all the delicacies of the Season, and the choicest of liquors.

Pontchartrain Railroad Ball Room. [illegible] THE Proprietors [illegible] a Grand Dress and Masked BALL will be given EVERY SUNDAY, TUESDAY, and THURSDAY, and on all AFTERNOONS, every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, [illegible]

[illegible]

A superior Orchestra is engaged, and there is no a strict attention [illegible] F. ETRIGAN, Manager.

MR. H. E. LEHMAN, of the Orleans Theatre, tenders his thanks to the public for their patronage [illegible]

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2 g. 3. Wines & Co's Canadian Vermifuge [illegible]

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NOTICE. [illegible] JAMES ROBB, President.

THE PARTNERSHIP existing between [illegible] LOISON & SILVESTRE [illegible]

THE RETAIL STORE [illegible]

WHEREAS, JOHN L. COMSTOCK, [illegible] ISAAC JOHNSON, Secretary of State.

A CARD. *To the Creoles of Louisiana.* [illegible] those **Splendid Linen and Muslin Shirts** [illegible] NEW PATTERNS and the handsome manner in which they are made [illegible] NEW ORLEANS SHIRT DEPOT, [illegible] ISAAC HART. N. B. A fine lot of Scarfs, Cravats, Satin Ties and Orleans colored kid Gloves, just received from Paris.

DOMINIQUE DE CASTELNAU, has the honor of informing his friends and the public that, since the 1st of October, he has assumed the direction of the Apothecary Store of the late A. Debeauch, whose partner he has been for eight years. His establishment is at the corner of Bienville and St. Louis streets, and he hopes that through his constant efforts, the liberal patronage bestowed on his predecessor, will be transferred to him. New Orleans, October 9th, 1846. 3m

A CARD. SPLENDID ANNUALS OF THE SEASON, 1847.—The elegant illustrated works, got up with surpassing skill and beauty, expressly for the approaching Holidays. Also, a splendid assortment of Bibles, Prayer Books, &c., together with a choice collection of rare and beautiful goods, admirably adapted for presents. Juvenile Annuals, Books, &c., in great variety, are now ready for examination. Call at the New Orleans Stationers' Warehouse 14 Camp street. d17 J. B. STEEL.

FOR SALE—Landing per ship John Dunlap from Bordeaux, the following articles: 40 cases direct prunes, 15 do do in transparent boxes, 10 cases containing 100 half boxes each, sardines in oil; 5 do do containing 50 boxes do; 3 cases Gruyere cheese; 50 baskets superfine Anisette; 4 do fine do; 50 cases fruits in vinegar; 25 cases mustard; 25 do prunes in brandy; 25 do prunes in do; 50 cases cherries in brandy; 40 do [illegible] fruits.

In Store.—15 casks Haut Brion of 1831; 25 do old do superior; 8 do ordinary wine; 5 do [illegible] wine; 30 do Barsac white wine; Haut Barsac 1837; 25 do do Haut Sauternes; 5 barrels old Monongahela whiskey; 10 cases Ardinez, different models; 60 cases old Chateau Margaux; 25 do Chateau Latitte; 25 do St. Estephe Medoc; 30 baskets fine cordials; 15 do Swiss absynth; 25 baskets champagne wine; 50 do Mansch do; 50 do cherries in Curacoa; 30 do assorted cordials, for sale by CANDIER FRERES, 145 Chartres st. d24

SEGARS—Just received, a large assortment, comprising Regalia [illegible] REYNAUD, CUCULLU & Co. 31 Tchoupitoulas st. d12

Books for School Prizes, etc. THE subscriber respectfully begs leave to call the attention of superintendents, teachers, and others engaged in Education, to his extensive and complete assortment of BOOKS in the various branches of Classical and Miscellaneous Literature, Science and Art, adapted expressly for PRIZES to Students, of both sexes, in colleges, academies, seminaries and schools.

ALSO—A choice collection of all the European and American ANNUALS for 1847, Splendid Illustrated Works, suitable for Gifts during the Holidays.

Juvenile Books. In great variety, together with a full and handsome supply of the intellectual GAMES, PUZZLES, etc. adapted for the amusement and moral improvement of children.

A beautiful assortment of Bibles, Prayer Books, Psalm and Hymn Books, bound in the most superb style, and highly recommended as Gifts during Christmas and New Year. For sale at unusually low prices at the New Orleans Stationers' Warehouse. d19 J. B. STEEL, 14 Camp st.

J. P. LASSERE, Tailor, No. 69 Canal st. [illegible]

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CHARLES A. BARRIERE, DEALER IN French, British and American DRY GOODS, No. 20 CHARTRES STREET, NEW ORLEANS. DIRECT IMPORTATIONS OF FRENCH GOODS.

WILLIAM DAVIDSON & Co. COMMISSION MERCHANTS, n17—ly No. 81 Canal street.

F. T. HOFFMAN, Broker, Office [illegible] Conti st., Office open from 8 o'clock, A. M. to 6 P.M.

WM. MURE, BRITISH CONSUL, 10 Masonic Buildings, cor Royal and Canal sts.

TARDOT GOUTENEL—Importer of Fancy Goods, French, English and German, corner Chartres and Toulouse streets. [illegible]

BRITISH CONSULATE, New Orleans, 1st December, 1846. STERLING BILLS may be had at this office for small sums, but not under £5 00—say five pounds. d5

DE FOREST & Co. Wholesale Commission Merchants and agents for the sale of Eastern Manufactured Goods, No. 20 Customhouse street. d1

Charles Maurian. Jules Lambert. MAURIAN & LAMBERT, Attorneys and Counsellors at Law, Office No 154 Royal st.

J. H. STEEL, No. 14 Camp Street, Importer and Dealer in Foreign and Domestic Stationery. Account Books for sale, or made to order. s20

Thomas G. Lewis. J. Bermudez. LEWIS & BERMUDEZ, ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW, Office No. 190 Royal street.

INFORMATION WANTED of the whereabouts of MARY KELLY, who is deaf and dumb, and formerly resided at Mrs. Brown's Boarding House in this city. Emanuel Gonzales, New Orleans, 19th Dec. 1846.

J. F. MERCIER & Co., Commission Merchants, 45 Old Levee, have constantly on hand, fresh Groceries, Wines, Liquors, &c., at the lowest prices. n10

WM. F. TALBOT, No. 20 Moreau St., 3d Municipality. Just Received and for sale a large and likely Lot of NEGROES, Consisting of Mechanics, House Servants, Field Hands, &c. &c. Will be receiving new lots regularly from Virginia. oct 3—2m

BOARD OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS—Municipality No. One. Notice is hereby given that the situation of Principal in the Girls School, First District, being vacant, applications to fill that place and respecting [illegible] Applicants [illegible] JOS. REYNES, Secretary.

Merchants & Traders Bank, New Orleans December 19, 1846. THE Annual Election for Directors for this Bank will be held on Monday the 25th of January next, at the Banking House, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. SAM. C. BELL, Cashier.

Gas Light Company, New Orleans, December 8th, 1846. NOTICE is hereby given, that agreeable to the Charter, an Election for six Directors, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, on MONDAY, 4th January next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. By order, [illegible] P. E. WOOD, Cashier.

N. O. and Carrollton R. R. Co., New Orleans, December 10th, 1846. THE annual Election for Directors of this Company to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, corner of Canal and Carondelet sts., on MONDAY, the 4th of January next, 1847, between the hours of 12 A. M. and 2 P. M. A general statement of the affairs of the Company will be submitted to the Stockholders. By order of the Board, [illegible] AUGUSTE LAVET, Secretary.

NOTICE.—Messrs. F. Loison and L. F. Silvestre have entered this day a new partnership under the firm of Loison & Silvestre, for the transaction of the Agency and Commission Business. Their office, will remain for the present at No. 36 Chartres street, where, for further notice, LOISON & SILVESTRE, 36 Chartres st, up stairs. December 10th, 1846.

FIRE INSURANCE. THE ST. LOUIS PERPETUAL INSURANCE COMPANY is now prepared to make Insurance against Loss or Damage by Fire, in connection with [illegible] A. BROTHER, Agent.

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Selling off to close Concern.—J. CHASE, No. 16 Chartres street, importer of French China, Gilt, Mounted and [illegible] Glassware, Lava Ware, Tin and Britannia Wares, Silver Plated and Bronzed Articles, Lamps, Girandoles, Castors, Candelabras, Vases, Fancy Articles, and generally every variety of Goods for housekeeping. Wishing positively to close his business, the public at large and retailers in particular, which will sell very low for cash. Proprietors of Coffeehouses and Restaurants, will find at his establishment a large assortment of articles in their line. d19

J. FEYTEL, Corner of Chartres & Conti sts. [illegible] Watches, and Musical [illegible] Clocks [illegible] All those Articles have been made to his order and are warranted to be of good quality. Also—A great variety of Jewelry, comprising the very elegant articles for Ladies and fancy Ornaments and New Year's gifts. d17—2m

OFFICE OF GENERAL AGENCY.—The undersigned have this day opened an office of GENERAL AGENCY in Exchange Passage, No. 4, between St. Louis and Conti streets. They will undertake every [illegible] of collections, [illegible] In case a guarantee should be required in important transactions, they will furnish such securities. They will settle all collections every Monday. The office will be opened from 8 o'clock A. M. till 3 P. M. [illegible] They have a special agent for the sweeping and repair of chimneys by the year. M. BERTUS, New Orleans, Aug 20, 1846. H. RUFFIER.

F. F. DE GOURNAY, Collector, No. 11 Exchange Passage, between Conti & St Louis. WILL undertake the collection of accounts at a moderate commission. He will make arrangements with merchants and physicians for the monthly or annual collection of their bills, and will, if required, furnish good security for all large amounts entrusted to him. He will undertake collection in the country, wherever part of the State, and will institute judicial proceedings at his own expense, when necessary. He will assume the agency for house rent and servant hire. Those disposed to honor him with their confidence, are requested to examine the annexed list of references: J. A. Beard, A. Bushlane; W. F. Vigers, D. E. Jennings; J. H. Ashbridge, A. Baudouin; Bras & Spence, A. Mazureau; Thibaut & [illegible], [illegible] Landreaux; J. A. Barelli, Dr. Van Pradelles; J. D. Lamber, Dr. F. Fayet.

OFFICE OF RECORDER OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS, Exchange Passage, near Bienville street. NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC. HAVING been appointed Recorder of Births and Deaths of the Parish and City of Orleans, I hereby request the citizens of the above said parish and city to conform themselves to the disposition of the following act:— *Act approved March 6, 1819.* Sec. 1. After the passage of this act, the birth of every free child in the parish and city of Orleans, shall be declared thereof within thirty days; this declaration shall be made conformably to the third section of the act to which this is a supplement, and every person offending against the provisions of this said section, shall pay a fine not exceeding ten dollars and not less than five dollars half of which shall be for the benefit of the State and the other half for the benefit of the informer. Sec. 2. The death of every free person within the parish of Orleans, shall be declared thereof within thirty days; this declaration shall be made by the nearest relations of the deceased, if they are present, and in case of absence, by the testamentary executor, if there is one, if none, by the owner or tenant of the house in which the individual will have died, and every person offending against the provisions of this section, shall be fined in a sum not exceeding ten dollars, nor less than five dollars. The undersigned will be under the painful necessity of prosecuting all persons neglecting or refusing to conform themselves to the clauses of the above act. d19—ly F. M. CROZAT.

Southern Daguerreotype Portrait Gallery and Furnishing Establishment, CORNER OF CAMP AND CANAL STREETS, New Orleans. CITIZENS and STRANGERS are invited to examine our NEW AND IMPROVED STYLE OF PORTRAITS. They will recommend themselves to the favor of the public on a critical examination better than by words in an advertisement. They are warranted never to fade. The materials used have been selected with care and are of the best quality. The camera furnished with the most costly achromatic lenses imported into this country, possessing great accuracy and quickness in fixing the image. The difficulty heretofore experienced in taking likenesses of children and family groups is overcome, requiring only a few seconds in sitting. Our rooms are handsomely fitted up and no pains will be spared to please our patrons—unless the portraits are perfect and satisfactory, no charge made. We have a large assortment of Gold Lockets and Breast Pins (fine gold) manufactured expressly for Daguerreotype Miniatures. We are prepared to furnish Daguerreotype Artists at New York prices with apparatus and all materials used in the business, wholesale and retail. Medium size cases and plates (best quality) at $3 per dozen. All other articles at the same reduced rates. Orders including the cash will meet with prompt attention and shipments made to any part of the United States or elsewhere. Bills of Lading taken and insurance effected if desired. Address oct—ly E. WHITE & Co., New Orleans.

TERMS OF THE BEE: DAILY PAPER (one year in advance) $12 00. COUNTRY PAPER, Semi-weekly, (one year in advance) [illegible] In all cases the subscriber must give one week's notice in writing, before he can be allowed to discontinue. ADVERTISING—One dollar for every ten lines, for each insertion [illegible]

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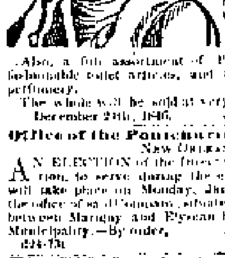
[Further advertisements]

JEAN UGO, Dealer in Barber's Goods, Corner of Bienville and Chartres street.



RESPECTFULLY informs the public that he has received by the latest arrivals an assortment of hair pomades, perfumes, brushes, combs, &c., all of which articles being manufactured by himself, he can warrant will satisfy those who may apply to him.

Also, a full assortment of Paris and N. York fashionable toilet articles, and a great variety of perfumery. The whole will be sold at very moderate prices. December 29th, 1846. d29 3m

Office of the Pontchartrain R. R. Co. New Orleans, Dec. 26, 1846. AN ELECTION of the Directors for this Institution, to serve during the ensuing year 1847, will take place on Monday, January 4th, 1847 at the office of said Company, situated in Victory street, between Marigny and Elysian Fields street, Third Municipality.—By order, PH. GUESNON, Secretary. d24 7t

BROUGHT to the Pound of the First Municipality, Main street between Derbigny and Roman streets: A gray mouth Jackass without any mark or stamp visible. If between the present date and January 4th, 1847, said Ass is not claimed, he will be sold at the usual time and place by R. Kerrison, auctioneer. d24 10t MICHEL DUREL, Pound keeper.

NOTICE.—The ship JAMES N. COOPER, from Havre, is now discharging opposite the vegetable market. Consignees are requested to take out their permits within five days, or their goods will be sent to the public store. d24 T. H. GALE.

Vol. 12th Robinson's Reports. REPORTS OF CASES argued and determined in the Supreme Court of Louisiana, by M. M. Robinson, Esq. Vol. 12th, just received and for sale by ALEXANDER LEVY & CO., Law Book sellers and Stationers, d24 Corner of Camp and Gravier sts.

BOOTS, SHOES and BROGANS.—196 Cases now landing from ships Robert Patten, David Nickels and bark Albens, comprising a good assortment of simple and fancy goods, for city and country trade, for sale by G. W. DUNBAR, d24 30, Custom House st.

Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, THE GREAT AMERICAN REMEDY, *For Consumption of the Lungs, Liver Complaint, Asthma, Bronchitis, Pains or Weakness of the Breast, Chronic Coughs, Difficulty of Breathing, Spitting of Blood, and all affections of the Pulmonary Organs.*

TESTIMONIALS.—Read the following letter written to our agent at Bowling Green, Ky., by a gentleman of high standing in that place: *Mr. Joseph Y. Youngiure:* Sir:—As a duty I owe to the community, and particularly to the afflicted, I would state that I had been for a number of years laboring under disease and weakness of the lungs, which caused me to cough a great deal, and produced a consequent debility of my system generally, to such a degree, that it was with difficulty I could walk, to do which, even for a short distance, I experienced great fatigue. I had various medicines recommended to me, which I used without any beneficial effects whatever, until I procured a bottle of Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. The use of one bottle afforded relief, entirely relieving me of cough, and restoring my lungs to healthy action. This caused it for a short time increased my general health and strength to such an extent, that I was stronger and more healthy than I had been for years before. From the relief I have received from the medicine, I can confidently recommend it as a good medicine, a certain cure for affections of the lungs, unless it may be in cases of consumption in the last stages, and of long standing. JAMES A. LEWIS, March 7, 1846. Bowling Green, Ky.

The true and genuine Wistar's Balsam is for sale wholesale and retail by Harvey Scovil, No. 60, Chartres street, New Orleans, general agent for the South Western States.

CHAMPAGNE—400 Baskets Champagne Wine of the following choice brands, landing ex ship Clifton from Havre:— Moet, Chandon of Epernay's Pink sparkling Sillery. Grand Cordon sparkling Ay vintage 1842 of S. Thomas. Cordonvert sparkling Sillery Count de Mareuil. Sketchers superior quality. Marquis de Lorme's sparkling Sillery, for sale by RAYMOND CAHUZAC, Dec. 21, 1846. 34 Old Levee st.

SUNDRIES—[illegible] TH BAILLY BLANCHARD, 39 Customhouse st.

SARDINES in Oil and Truffes. [illegible] FOUTAIN & BELLOC.

BOOTS, SHOES and BROGANS [illegible]

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