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Tuesday Morning, Feb. 20, 1849.

Mardi Gras.

[illegible] We mention the fact, [illegible] that Carnival is [illegible] at hand. As for [illegible] of former days that [illegible] boisterous gaiety, [illegible] jesting and [illegible] celebrated with such joy [illegible] has passed away forever. [illegible] and melancholy countenance [illegible] as if in mockery of the [illegible] grotesque figures perambulate [illegible] amuse themselves by dust- [illegible] the eyes of the by-stand- [illegible] sense, that the little niggers and the [illegible] hugely tickled at the spectacle and [illegible] whenever any unhappy [illegible] is followed by a handful of flour [illegible] into his face, or is converted by the [illegible] process into a striking representation of [illegible] but beyond this, there is no- [illegible] the absurd and spiritless affair to [illegible] of the time when Mardi Gras was [illegible] whose advent was hailed as [illegible] and when preparations [illegible] were made upon a scale [illegible] the magnitude of a festival [illegible] of every good Catholic. It is, [illegible] to state that this is Shrove- [illegible] the stranger who has heard [illegible] style in which it was [illegible] the pleasure [illegible] witness to-day, [illegible] Mardi Gras— [illegible] and that its [illegible].

[illegible] Lent will be upon us. It [illegible] gloom and privation, [illegible] we could have wished that it [illegible] have been deferred. It has been [illegible] good people of New Orleans near- [illegible] The cholera swept our [illegible] and severely has our [illegible] visitation of the [illegible] to resume its winter aspect [illegible] of soberness and gravity.

[illegible] It is well known, says [illegible] during the late Pre- [illegible] Whig organs throughout [illegible] Mr. Clay for the Presi- [illegible] the statesman [illegible] the bravest [illegible] the heroest invectives against [illegible] to elect another to [illegible] the Whigs of the Kentucky [illegible] Mr. Clay to the U. S. [illegible] to reappear upon [illegible].

Reception of Gen. Taylor at Louisville.

[illegible] General Taylor stopped at [illegible] on his way to Louisville, and was [illegible] with the warmest manifestations of [illegible] admiration. Mr. Thornton ad- [illegible] and General [illegible] in a speech of five minutes [illegible] The Louisville [illegible] says:

[illegible] landing, the hero was conducted [illegible] of great numbers of [illegible] receiving their welcomes and con- [illegible] heartiness, and tact [illegible] To a lady who came [illegible] by two children, [illegible] "No," she [illegible] Religion and [illegible] the crowd and seized [illegible] "General, I have [illegible] President, I never gave [illegible] I was voting for an honest [illegible] but I fear that [illegible] expectations of the people [illegible] For every one that [illegible] the General and some pleasant speech.

[illegible] General Taylor reached Louisville, a [illegible] was formed in the crowd, from the [illegible] upper edge of Water Street. The [illegible] upon the deck of the steamer [illegible] a shout ascended such as he had [illegible] the morning of Buena Vista. [illegible] up the alley in the [illegible] where the Mayor of the city, Mr. [illegible] to receive him. The Mayor ad- [illegible] the customary phrases of [illegible] congratulation. Gen. Taylor [illegible] as follows:

"Mr. Mayor: The sentiments which you have [illegible] have [illegible] which at the [illegible] of making a proper reply. You [illegible] which I received [illegible] has marked [illegible] acknowledge the com- [illegible] I must declare [illegible] to the brave [illegible] volunteers [illegible] In visiting [illegible] I was not born [illegible] I have been called [illegible] to which I have been long [illegible] new, and, to me, untried [illegible] I cannot but distrust my abilities to an- [illegible] expectations of my countrymen in so [illegible] I will endeavor to ad- [illegible] government upon the principles [illegible] the earlier Presidents of the Re- [illegible] I will dedicate all the energy and capacity I possess.

[illegible] kindness of this recep- [illegible] feel. It is a mea- [illegible] and in behalf of the citi- [illegible] my heartfelt acknowledg- [illegible] unexpected and generous wel- come."

After the close of the General's reply, he took [illegible] in a carriage prepared for him and was [illegible] to the Galt House by a crowd that [illegible] For hundreds of yards the street was completely lined with the mov- [illegible] and all the doors and windows on [illegible] the street were radiant with bright and beaming countenances. So enthusiastic a reception was never given to any man in this city. We could have wished, adds the *Journal*, [illegible] of the General's arriving on [illegible] that the reception should be of a more [illegible] but the aroused enthusiasm of the masses would have utterance.

☞ The New York *Journal of Commerce*, of Saturday, the 10th, remarks:—"If we mistake not, there has been quite a change in public sentiment at the North, within a short time, as to the expediency of passing the Wilmot proviso. Several papers, which before were silent, or advocated the proviso, have come out decidedly in favor of referring the whole case to the people of the Territories, agreeably to Mr. Douglas' bill, now before the Senate; or, in other words, authorizing them to proceed, at once, to the adoption of State constitutions, with such provisions in regard to slavery as they may deem proper."

Congress.

In the SENATE, on the 12th, Mr. Benton presented a petition for a Convoy to protect the expedition to California. The Civil and Diplomatic Bill was taken up and considered. The Committee on Finance recommended striking out the clause prohibiting flogging in the Navy. A warm debate ensued on this proposition, and the clause was finally stricken out.

In the HOUSE, the bill granting pensions to widows and orphans of officers and soldiers who died of diseases contracted in Mexico, was adopted. The bill establishing a Department of the Interior, was made the special order. A resolution was passed providing for the payment of John M. Botts for the time spent in contesting the seat of John W. Jones.

In the SENATE, on the 13th, the bill from the House, extending pensions to certain widows and orphans, was taken up and passed. The Civil and Diplomatic Bill was again discussed.

In the HOUSE, the bill establishing a Department of the Interior, was adopted. A motion to take up the bill with respect to the Slave Trade in the District of Columbia, was not agreed to. The balance of the day was spent in miscellaneous business.

The Mistakes of History.

The following paragraph has been going the rounds of the press:

Gen. Dix has found, in the archives of government, the original draft of the ordinance of 1787. It is in the hand-writing of Thomas Jefferson, and includes the famous anti-slavery cause which was struck out by Congress, but afterwards incorporated by Nathan Dane into his draft of the ordinance. Messrs. Jefferson, Howell, of R. I., and Chase, of Maryland, were the committee who reported it.

There are several material errors in this statement, and for their correction by a reference to the record, the public is indebted to the researches of the editors of the New York *Courier & Enquirer*. We call attention to their exposé of the facts.

On 19th April, 1784, Congress having under consideration the report of a committee consisting of Thos. Jefferson, Mr. Chase, of Md., and Mr. Howard, of R. I., recommending a bill for the *temporary* government of the Western territory, which was, as it is believed, drafted by Mr. Jefferson, the following provision in the bill was, on motion of Mr. Speight, of N. C., *struck out*:

"That after the year 1800 of the Christian era, there shall be neither slavery nor involuntary servitude in any of the said States, (those to be organized out of the Western territory,) otherwise than in punishment of crimes whereof the party shall have been convicted or have been personally guilty."

On the 23d April, Mr. Jefferson's ordinance, thus shorn of its prospective anti-slavery provision, was adopted.

But as expressed in its preamble, this was a temporary act—and it was soon superceded by the ordinance of '87.

The material difference between the proposition of Mr. Jefferson in '84—if it was his, as would seem doubtful, as Virginia voted for striking out the clause noted above—and the ordinance of '87 was this: the ordinance of '87 declared that from its passage slavery should not exist in the Northwestern territory, whereas the ordinance of '84, as originally reported by Mr. Jefferson, permitted slavery there till the year 1800, and *then* proposed to abolish it.

The truth is no doubt this, that the proposition made by the Committee of '84, of which Mr. Jefferson was chairman, was a *compromise* proposition, but it not being acceptable to the Congress, the anti-slavery proposition was struck out. The four New England States, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and Connecticut, together with New York and Pennsylvania, voted against striking out; New Jersey, Delaware, and Georgia, had not representatives present to vote. North Carolina was divided. Dr. Hugh Williamson voting against the motion of his colleague, Mr. Speight, and Maryland, Virginia, and South Carolina, voting for striking out.

As by the rules of Congress it required a majority of all the States—thirteen in number—to carry a proposition,—and as the question was put in this form, "shall the section moved to be struck out stand?" there being only six ayes, lacking one of an absolute majority, it did not stand and consequently was struck out.

When the ordinance of '87 was enacted, Mr. Jefferson was not in Congress, was not even in the country, as a brief recapitulation of facts and dates will show:

Mr. Jefferson was appointed Minister Plenipotentiary to France, in May, 1784, and sailed from Boston for his destination on the 5th of July, of the same year, and did not return to the United States till after the adoption of the Federal Constitution, in 1789—when he became the Secretary of State under President Washington.

THE NIAGARA'S NEWS.—The Western papers contain some particulars of the intelligence by the *Niagara*, differing materially from those furnished by the Northern Telegraph. We subjoin the following paragraphs which seem to us new.

France.

Eleven steamers are preparing at Toulon, with soldiers, to be ready to sail at a moment's warning. It is rumored that they are to proceed to the Mediterranean, to intervene in favor of the Pope. The vessels are capable of carrying from seven to ten thousand men. At the latest moments, however, no orders had been received for sailing, and the expedition had probably been abandoned.

An uneasy feeling exists throughout France. Four hundred thousand muskets have been ordered from the manufactories at St. Entrenne. The main cause of apprehension is the condition of the French finances, which will be sorely deficient at the close of the year 1849. The deficiency will amount to about 7,150,000f. The Red Republicans, perceiving the ground giving way under them, are making great efforts at Lyons. They are providing muskets and gunpowder. The pretence is resistance to the dissolving of the Assembly. The revolutionary clubs of Paris are becoming active. The conspirators of last June are to be tried forthwith by the High Court of Justice. The prices of three per cents. in the French Exchange were 45f., and five per cents. 75f.

Germany.

The news from Germany is not of much interest. Windischgratz has been captured by Count Bauderair, the insurgent leader.

Rome.

Accounts from Rome are contradictory. The protest of the Pope has been a failure. So say the journals of Rome and Tuscany. It would appear, however, that this is not the time for a decree denouncing as enemies of the country all persons who shall suffer themselves to be deterred from voting for the Constituent Assembly by the protest of the Pope.

The Pope demands the intervention of Austria to restore him to his temporal power. Both Sardinia and France have strongly remonstrated against the determination of the Roman people, who seem to have lost all reverence for the Pope, either as an ecclesiastic or as a Prince. The spiritual anathemas which he has hurled against them have been received by them with utter attempt.

GEN. SHIELDS' NATURALIZATION.—It having been stated that Gen. Shields was ineligible to the United States Senate, because he had not been naturalized a sufficient length of time, a correspondent of the St. Louis *Republican*, offers the following facts:

"General Shields was a lad when he came to this country with his father—and his father having been naturalized, he was, by the same means, naturalized himself. Some ten years ago, when there was a revolution projected in Canada, Shields then a young and ardent spirit, while travelling the circuit with a certain Judge, expressed a determination to join the Patriots. The Judge told him, if he should do so, and was caught by the British, unless he was naturalized, it might prove a hanging business for him; and advised him to be naturalized. He did so; not that he considered it necessary to render him eligible to all the privileges that are extended to citizens of foreign birth, but because he thought it might be of service to him, if, by the fortunes of war, he should fall into the hands of the British, in his proposed visit to Canada."

FATAL MALADY.—The Uniontown (Pa.) *Democrat*, gives an account of the ravages of an alarming malady which has recently made its appearance in that section. The disease is described as being somewhat similar in its symptoms to the Cholera, but the physicians are unable to assign it a name. Young persons and children are most liable to its attacks. There have been some fifty cases and twenty deaths within the two weeks since its appearance. When unchecked by medical remedies the disease proves fatal in a few hours. Sometimes the first indications of its approach are pains in the fingers and limbs, accompanied by violent fever and headache, which is followed by vomiting and diarrhœa. Some of the patients break out with spots, like the measles, and after death the body and face are covered with large black spots, the legs and arms assuming a black color.

Many are of opinion that this disease is cholera in a somewhat different form from its usual appearance.

Northern News by Telegraph.

FURTHER OF THE LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Baring's circular gives the following as the quotations for Cotton at Liverpool, viz:—Fair Uplands 4 3-8; fair Mobiles 4 3-8; fair Orleans 4 5-8. The market was freely supplied, and was higher at the close of the day on the 26th than in the morning. The sales of the day reached the unusual amount of 15,000 bales.

Our dispatch first communicating the news of the *Niagara*, it will be recollected, gave this as the amount of the sales of the week, which at the time was known to be an error, the state of the market indicating much larger transactions.

The stock of Cotton in Liverpool was 440,000 bales, of which 270,000 were American.

On the 27th ult., the market at Liverpool was very firm, and an upward tendency was apparent.

NEW YORK MARKET.

COTTON.—On Monday, the 12th, there was a better feeling in the market, and appearances of higher rates being demanded. About 800 bales were disposed of.

There was no change in the price of FLOUR, while PROVISIONS were firmer.

TREASURY NOTES advanced to 100 1-4, NEW LOAN to 110 1-2.

On the evening of Monday, it is stated that the small sales of COTTON made were at an advance of nearly a quarter of a cent, and the market very firm. The foreign letters had not yet reached New York.

LATEST DISPATCH.

The foreign private letters had been received at New York at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and fully confirm the favorable advices received by Telegraph.

COTTON was firm at New York at 7 5-8 for fair Upland, and 8 1-4 for fair Orleans, with sales of 2000 bales.

FLOUR was firm at previous rates, but not active.

Sales of TREASURY NOTES made at 109 1-2 and NEW LOAN at 111 1-2.—*Charleston Courier, 13th.*

GEN. TAYLOR AT LOUISVILLE.—We take the following from the *Louisville Journal* of the 13th:

Yesterday morning, a little before 10 o'clock, Gen. Taylor met, at the house of Col. Preston, the committee sent from Frankfort by the Senate and House of Representatives to invite him to that town. He was addressed in behalf of the committee by Col. Boyd of the Senate in an exceedingly handsome speech, and he made a brief and highly appropriate reply, accepting the proffered hospitalities of the Legislature and of the city of Frankfort.

At 10 o'clock, agreeably to previous arrangement, Gen. Taylor received his friends at the Galt House. From that time till 12, the rush was continuous and tremendous. Never did we observe such eagerness to grasp the hand of any other man. Thousands pressed around him with manifestations of the most unbounded devotion and enthusiasm. He received the attention of all with great courtesy and extraordinary tact, and occasionally, as he recognized a familiar face, his own beamed with delight, and his greeting was full of the most heartfelt warmth and cordiality. Every body was delighted with the old hero.

About 1 o'clock, Gen. Taylor received the ladies at the Galt House. For two hours the large parlors of that hotel were filled with the beauty and fashion of the city. The ladies seemed charmed with the opportunity of paying their respects and expressing their admiration to the laureled conqueror, and many of them offered their bright and beautiful lips and received as hearty kisses as lips could possibly desire. Some of the jealous young gentlemen thought that the old chieftain, instead of kissing as a mere matter of form, kissed with a very decided appetite. Whatever he does he does with a will.

At 5 o'clock, P. M., the public dinner was given to Gen. Taylor at the Louisville Hotel. It was a beautiful and magnificent affair.—Many Democrats were present, and the heartiest good feeling prevailed. Speeches were made by several distinguished gentlemen, and many handsome and appropriate toasts were given. The apartment resounded with frequent and loud shouts of applause. As we have not received copies of the toasts given on the occasion, we shall defer a full account of the dinner until to-morrow.

Gen. Taylor, escorted by the committee of the Legislature, starts for Frankfort this morning at 10 o'clock on the Sea Gull. The shouts of thousands from the shore will bid him God speed.

A CHURCH IN CALIFORNIA.—The clergy and several laymen of the Episcopal Churches in N. York and Brooklyn, have united in a circular call upon their several parishes to make contributions to fit out certain clergymen, who propose to carry the gospel to California, with the materials for a church edifice and parsonage.

An exciting scene occurred at the Walnut st. Theatre on Thursday evening. During the carnival scene in Monte Cristo, a young lady of the *ballet corps* approached so near the foot lights, that her dress took fire. In an instant she was in a blaze, and the house, as a matter of course, shocked almost beyond an exclamation. The poor girl was borne from the stage amidst the greatest confusion, and the flames quenched, but not till she had been severely burnt.

☞ The Baltimore papers of the 12th, contain Telegraphic abstracts of the news by the *Niagara*, but nothing more detailed than has already been made known to the public.

A Committee of the New York Legislature have reported unfavorably to the project of exempting the Homestead from seizure for debt.

Appointments by the President,

By and with the advice and consent of the Senate.

Samuel H. Hempstead, to be attorney of the United States for the district of Arkansas, reappointed.

CONSULS OF THE UNITED STATES.

Philo White, of Wisconsin, for Hamburg.
Robert P. De Silver, of Pennsylvania, for Macao.
H. S. Paisley, of Alabama, for Genoa.
Charles W. Bradley, of Connecticut, for Amoy, in China.
Henry Fries, of Ohio, for Fuchow, in China.

From California by the Arkansas Route.

The Washington *Union* received the following letter by the Western mail, and says of it:

"The envelope bears date 'Louisville, Feb. 4.' The enclosed letter is addressed to 'Washington Union,' (politeness of Mr. Stockwell.) We give the writer's name, with the simple remark that the name of H. Patrick could not be found in the Adjutant General's Office on any roll of the troops in California, so far as has been examined. If the name be found on the rolls yet to be overhauled, you shall have it. We have since received no further information from the Adjutant General's Office. We can scarcely believe, however, that it is a quiz, and if a genuine letter, it shows how rapidly the passage can be made from Monterey by the Arkansas route."

Here is the letter:

"MONTEREY, November 21, 1848.

"As Mr. Stockwell and his company of eight try the new route south, down the Arkansas river, this perhaps will reach you at as late a date as any news from the diggings. I want to inform you, and through you my friends, that we have no respect here for law or honor—all is gold; but not all that glitters, for we were all in a perfect rage of disappointment the last week, occasioned by an Irish Yankee who has just arrived with his chemical apparatus, and has demonstrated to us all, who had supposed we had our fortunes, that nearly three-fifths of our gold is but a worthless mineral, principally iron, copper, and these compounds; nevertheless, we have gold in greater quantities than it is usually found. An industrious man can make from five to ten dollars a day by washing, and pass the inspection of the assayers. The country is filled with sickness, principally fevers, from exposure, bad food, and intemperate habits in the mines or placers, as here called. Every article of necessity is at an enormous price, but falling in consequence of the greater portion of the mineral not proving to be gold. There are many other valuable minerals in this region aside from that of gold. I would not advise those who are coming here, to raise their hopes too high of fortunes quickly made, yet, by prudence and caution, it may be done; but the suffering and privation to do so will be death to many an adventurer not accustomed to rough usage. We are almost totally destitute in the way of provisions. The soil of the valleys of the Sacramento and San Joaquin is better adapted to grazing than anything else, its general character being light and thin. Mechanics are sure to do well here—better than any other class who may come. We are full to overflow now of speculators, but we have room for all. If any mineral had all proved to be gold, I should have taken the new route to Uncle Sam; but out of sixty thousand dollars in mineral, I only got twenty-three thousand in money. I have not time to give you a description of the climate of the country; but you will have that from Mr. Stockwell, on his arrival in Kentucky, where he is bound direct. The thermometer ranges from 45 to 80 degrees, extremes. Chilly winds are prevalent at all seasons of the year since my sojourn here. If the party succeed, this will reach you in sixty days from date.

"Respectfully yours, &c., H. PATRICK,
"Private, U. S. Army."

DISTRESSING ACCIDENTS.—By the premature discharge of a cannon yesterday, Mr. John Anderson, clerk at D. & J. Wright's, and Mr. Henry Nichols, a confectioner at Adams's, had each a hand blown off, the former the left hand and the latter the right. It was found necessary to amputate the arms, which was performed by Dr. Gross. We learned last evening that they were doing as well as might be expected under the circumstances. They are both worthy young men.

During the trip of the *Courtland*, a deck hand was severely wounded by the firing of a cannon. He will recover.—*Louisville Journal, 13th.*

A CARGO FOR AFRICA.—Brig *Messenger*, which cleared to-day for Africa, has a cargo consisting in part of 37,000 gallons of rum, 100,000 yards of domestics, 25,000 pounds of powder, &c., &c.—*Boston Trav.*

City Intelligence.

FIRST DISTRICT COURT.—The Supreme Court has taken the writ of *mandamus* applied for by Mr. Rousseau under consideration, and will decide on its merits to-day. It will be borne in mind that the Clerk appeals from the order of Judge McHenry, requiring the former to pay over the professional fee of $650 to Jesse McHenry, and prays that the command may be rescinded. The association of the Bar of New Orleans appeared before the Supreme Court yesterday, through a committee appointed for the purpose, and applied also for a writ of *mandamus*, compelling Judge McHenry to show cause why he should not forthwith open the First District Court and proceed to the transaction of regular business. The Committee represented that they were acting as legal advisers for a number of clients whose cases ought to be brought up for trial, and that they were suffering severely from this delay. Attorney Gen. Elmore remarked that the Association of the Bar only represented one third of the Lawyers of the City, and that in a matter of this important kind, a more general expression of the sentiments of the entire Bar of the City would be advisable—that in fact, the sense of a meeting of such a character could not fail to elicit all the attention which the gravity of the subject demanded. The Court sustained the Attorney General in his observations.

SECOND MUNICIPALITY.—The docket was very full yesterday morning, no less than seventy one arrests having been made since Saturday. In this connection we cannot help alluding to a most cruel practice which prevails, of locking up people for minor offences of drunkenness, etc., from Saturday night to Monday morning. Workmen, tradespeople, etc., are paid off every Saturday, and if, by chance, they get a little jovial amongst themselves, and don't walk the pavement quite as straight as the rectangular decisions of the Recorder would justify, they are taken to the watch-house and kept in a vile cell for two nights and a day. A well-dressed man, who has been dining out, and has washed down his choice viands with an extra glass of sherry or port, is not molested—that would be quite at variance with Municipal ethics—but ten to one some kind watchman leads him a helping hand and conducts him home. But our object at present is not to animadvert on the distinction which obtains between the fashionably dressed man and the humble mechanic who, with the exception of his outward gew gaws, may be infinitely the superior of the former, but we would most essentially condemn the inhumanity of keeping mechanics, artisans and laboring men in a lock up of the vilest kind for forty eight hours, when the only charge against them is that they were found drunk in the streets. The weather during Saturday and Sunday was as bitter as we have ever known it in this climate and in such a temperature, more suited to the latitude of Hudson's Bay than of the Gulf of Mexico, were people confined for two nights, without a particle of fire, and with worn out [illegible] windows exposed to the merciless blasts of a fierce Norther. This ought not to be, and we have only to mention it, we believe, to see it remedied. In this respect, the action of Recorder Genois, in the First Municipality, is most commendable. Every Sunday morning at seven o'clock, he comes down to the police office and investigates in person the character of the arrests that have been made during the night. Parties who have been on a spree and are not habitual offenders, are discharged forthwith, the Recorder justly deeming it a sufficient punishment for them to have been confined in jail for a night. This custom could be imitated to advantage in another quarter.

FIRST MUNICIPALITY COUNCIL.—This body held its usual weekly meeting last evening, fourteen members present, Recorder Genois in the chair.

A message from the Mayor was received embracing several communications, on which the Council acted *seriatim* by section. The first was a letter from [illegible] Bell, contractor for repairing the streets, asking for a delay of two months to put the work in order, and furnishing new securities for the contract. Some debate ensued on this, certain members observing that as the contract was taken without any conditions, so also ought it to be complied with. Others contended in favor of the petition, as the streets were in such a bad condition, but the matter was finally disposed of by laying the communication on the table, subject to call. *Secondly*, a letter from W. W. Montgomery, Esq., of the Finance Committee, informing the Council that the lease of the school house in Conti street would expire on the 1st April, and that after that date the owner demanded a rent of $1,200. This was referred to the Committee on Education. *Thirdly*, a communication from P. Voliolle, complaining of the action of the [illegible] in altering the grades in Canal, Esplanade, Claiborne and Rampart streets, which subjected him to heavy losses, under which he contemplates [illegible] the contract. He would engage the difference over and above the [illegible] stipulated, which if not complied with, would render it incumbent on him to institute suit against the Municipality. Referred to the Judiciary Committee. *Fourthly*, a communication from the General Council calling attention to the celebration of Washington's birth day, and asking the Council to appoint a committee to unite with the other two Municipalities in the arrangement for the observance of the day. *Lastly*, a communication from the Mayor announcing the decease of [illegible] and calling upon the Council to supply the vacancy. On motion it was resolved to proceed to an election. P. L. Blanc, Geo. Pollock, Frazier and Dumont, were nominated, and after several ineffectual ballotings Alderman Dick moved that [illegible] be nominated, which being negatived, a motion prevailed that the election be postponed, and that the Mayor be in the meanwhile authorized to appoint a temporary wharfinger. A proposition from John McDonough was received offering to sell to the Municipality $17,000 of its bonds maturing in 1843 at par, together with the interest accrued since the payment of the last semi-annual coupons. This was accepted and a resolution passed authorizing the Treasurer to draw for the amount on the Sinking Fund. A petition from several residents of the Municipality complaining of the presence of lewd women in St. Louis street, and the neighborhood, and praying that they be removed elsewhere was referred to the Judiciary committee. The Finance Committee reported in favor of paying various claims, and after the transaction of some other unimportant business, the Council adjourned.

ANOTHER MURDER.—An inquest was held yesterday morning by Coroner Spedden, at the Baronne street Watch House, on the body of a white man, name unknown, who came to his death by strangulation, such being the opinion of Dr. Lemonier as well as of the Jury. The name of the person charged with the murder is V. S. Newmaker, who states that he is from the neighborhood of Baton Rouge, having been a week in the city, and is a lawyer by profession. He was arrested on Sunday evening for creating a disturbance in the St. Charles Theatre, and before he was secured, managed to knock down several of the parties who endeavored to get hold of him. On being locked up in a cell he uttered the most violent imprecations and continued to make a great noise during the greater part of the night. The murdered man, who was intoxicated, was brought into the same cell an hour afterwards, and in the course of another hour a third party was shoved in, being in a state of beastly drunkenness. It seems that his imprisonment completely unsettled the mind of Newmaker who, like a maniac, and in a moment of fancied revenge, got hold of his unfortunate victim and clutched him by the throat until he was dead. The marks of a hand and fingers were quite visible on the throat of the murdered man. The third party who awoke from his drunken trance at about 4 o'clock in the morning, approached the body and observed to Newmaker, "this man is dead, he doesn't breathe," to which the latter made no reply, merely shaking his head. When asked yesterday whether he committed the deed, he observed "that is for a jury to decide." He was committed to the Parish Prison.

List of Interments in the city of New Orleans for the week ending Saturday the 17th inst.:

Apoplexy,	2	Fever, congestive,	1
Ascetis	1	Do. typhoid,	8
Brain, conges of	3	Gastro enteritis,	1
Bowels, ulceration of	1	Heart, affection of	3
Cholera morbus,	2	Do. hypertrophy of	1
Cholera,	82	Intemperance,	2
Consumption,	11	Killed,	1
Cough, whooping,	2	Old age, 104 years,	1
Convulsions,	3	Pericarditis,	1
Catarrh, pulmonary,	2	Small pox,	4
Croup,	1	Scrofula,	1
Diarrhœa,	4	Sore throat,	1
Dysentery,	6	Stillborn,	7
Delirium tremens,	3	Skull, fracture of	1
Dentition,	4	Tetanus,	1
Debility,	1	Unknown,	11
Exposure,	2	Variloid,	3
Fever, bilious,	1		
		Total,	157

Of which were born in Ireland, 38; New Orleans, 9; Italy 1; Germany 7; France 6; Virginia 1; Scotland 2; Tennessee 1; Philadelphia 1; Sardinia 1; Sweden 1; Kentucky 1; England 5; New York 1; Maryland 1; Maine 1; Prussia 1; Pennsylvania 1; Belgium 1.

Of these, 120 were white and 37 colored. Under 10 years of age, 36.

A. D. CROSSMAN, President.
A. HESTER, Secretary.

A FIGHT.—Yesterday morning an affray took place at Mrs. Caldwell's Coffee House, in the Third Municipality, during which a man named John F. Mohrman was severely beaten by the ubiquitous individual called John Smith. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

CARRYING CONCEALED WEAPONS.—A man named Antonio Panto was brought before Recorder Genois yesterday morning, and fined $10, for carrying a concealed weapon.

SWINDLING.—A man named Valentine Keller was arrested yesterday in the Third Municipality, charged by John Wetta with having swindled him out of $22. It appears that the latter purchased from Keller six barrels of cider on the 9th inst., and has since discovered that the property did not belong to him, and that he had no right to dispose of it. The accused gave bail to appear.

THIRD MUNICIPALITY COUNCIL.—This body met last evening pursuant to adjournment; all the members present and Recorder Jeuzaneau in the Chair. After calling the roll, Alderman Nicomede moved that the reading of the minutes of the previous sitting be dispensed with, and that the Council proceed forthwith to secret session. We waited upwards of an hour in the expectation of some development from the closed doors, when our patience being exhausted, we concluded to adjourn. Some "knowing ones" observed that the members were discussing a series of financial projects with the view of declaring a dividend. This cannot well be, for according to the old saying, *ex nihilo nihil fit.*

SERIOUS ASSAULT.—Thos. Hays, Mat. Fobley and R. Killroy were arrested on Sunday night, for having furiously attacked Thos. Gardens, Geo. Blanderman and John Stevens with clubs, stones, etc., on the Shell road. They will be examined before Recorder Baldwin, on the 21st.

WOUNDING.—Geo. Thomas and a man named Nichols, were brought before Recorder Baldwin yesterday, charged with having wounded Jose Conabal with a hatchet. There being no proof against Nichols he was discharged, whilst Thomas was sent before the First District Court and bail required in the sum of $1000.

LARCENY.—Ferdinand Laur, accused of stealing a lot of clothing, etc., from Applicher, was committed yesterday, by Recorder Baldwin, before the First District Court.

AND YET ANOTHER.—A sailor by the name of Stephens, who was dangerously wounded on the 1st instant, during a row which occurred on the ship Argo, lying at one of the wharves of the Third Municipality, died on Sunday night at the Charity Hospital from the effects of his wounds. Two sailors named Luke Lion and John Murphy were arrested yesterday on the charge of being accessary to his death, and were committed by Recorder Seuzeneau before the First District Court.

THE SECOND VOLUME of Macaulay's History of England has been published by the HARPERS. The *Courier and Enquirer* says:

"In point of literary merit it is superior to the first. It may well be deemed one grand historical drama, of which William, Prince of Orange, is the leading character, and his accession to the throne of England the great and welcome catastrophe. The preliminary sketch, embracing the outline of the Revolution which ended in the death of Charles II, and the reign of his successor, graphic and magnificent as it is, lacks the fullness of history, though it serves every purpose for which it is introduced. The second volume begins with the base, corrupt, tyrannical reign of James the Second, and the change it wrought in the temper and spirit of the English people. At the proper point comes in a grand and strongly drawn portrait of William, and thenceforward he becomes the central figure of the great drama, and all the other characters, though grand and striking in themselves, derive their chief importance from their relation to his advancement.

This second volume is, indeed, one of the finest and most superb historical essays we have ever seen. Some will insist that it is too liberal, (using the word in its technical sense) on questions both of church and state; and others, though fewer, may charge upon it the opposite fault. To our mind, it seems, in its tone and temper, as well as in grouping and in general effect, the very perfection of history. Abounding in details, it is never dry. Often philosophical, it is never dull. Its pictures of men are as full of life and as true to nature, as those of Kneller; and its descriptions of events are as graphic and as stirring as the events themselves. Its style is peculiar, and will be deemed faulty by those who judge it by the long, rich and magnificent sentences of Milton, Hooker and Burke. But it is stirring, strong and effective. Each sentence tells one thing—strikes one blow, and no more. But the blow is truly aimed,—it hits with a quick, sharp, ringing stroke, and it never fails to tell. Many writers can strike as often, and some can strike more weighty blows; but in none do they fall at once so rapid and so heavy, as in Macaulay. They ring and crack like a roll of musketry, but they crash and demolish like cannon balls."

AWFUL RETRIBUTION.—The papers of this city yesterday copied from the Hannibal *Courier*, of late date, an article to the effect, that the Sheriff of Schuyler county (Mr. Weatherford), intending to defraud the State out of the sum of $2,200, which he had collected, resolved upon robbing his own house. With this view, he left home, first committing the money to the charge of his wife. At night, an old man, a stranger, applied to stay all night—and this was at first refused, in consequence of the injunctions of the husband, but finally he was permitted to remain. Later in the night, three persons, disguised as negroes, went to the house and demanded admission and the money. A certain amount of paper money was given to them, and then they demanded some specie, which they said was in the house. She went up stairs to get it—it happening to be in the room occupied by the traveler—to whom she communicated what was going on. The traveler told her to take one of two pistols which he had—to put the money into her apron, with the pistol concealed behind it, and when either of the robbers came forward to take it, to fire, and he would save another with the remaining pistol. She did as he instructed, and one of the men fell dead at her feet. The old man fired and killed another, and the third made his escape. Upon examination, it was found that the guilty husband had fallen by the hand of his own wife.

This is the story, but we are incredulous about its truth, and for this reason. The county of Schuyler never collected taxes to the amount of $2,200, nor half that sum, nor even a third of it. Nor does it appear from the Auditor's report that there was any defalcation, on the part of the Collector, on the 30th of September last. All the money then due was paid, and this amounted to $459 69, for taxes, and an inconsiderable sum from licenses. The motive, then, in robbing himself of $2,200 of the State's money is altogether wanting, and this being the case, unless he had the money of individuals in his possession, to the amount stated, we are inclined to "quiz" on the truth of any part of the story.—*St. Louis Republican, 10th.*

THE PRIZE FIGHT.—A letter from New York to the Philadelphia *Pennsylvanian*, says:

"The excitement among the 'fancy' about the prize fight, can hardly be said to have abated, but the news of Hyer's arrest has somewhat dampened the spirits of his friends, and now that he is the winner, they are neither few nor far between. Sullivan's friends, of course, are in the deepest distress. Some of the bets that were made are immensely large; one butcher Hyer's former employer is said to have staked $20,000 upon the result, and even a well known broker in Wall street is said to have risked as much more on the right side. The headquarters of the Hyer party, in Park Row, was brilliantly illuminated last night, and 'open house' is kept all day to-day. The rowdies here are having a great time. Yankee Sullivan arrived in town by the afternoon train from the South."

We find the following advertisement in the *N. Y. Herald* of the 10th:—

Sullivan's Notice to the Public.—I hereby caution my friends throughout the country, who have had money staked on my fight with Hyer, not to give up a cent, as I won the fight, according to the rules of the ring, three times—and never lost it once. JAMES SULLIVAN.

ANOTHER INDIAN TREATY.—The Green Bay *Advocate* announces that a treaty has been made with the Stockbridge Indians, Mr. M. L. Martin acting for the United States, whereby a valuable and partially improved tract of land is thrown open to settlers. The tract lies along the east bank of Fox river, some forty miles from Green Bay, is traversed by the military road, and is represented as being very fine farming land.

Mr. Devereux, of North Carolina, a most accomplished gentleman and farmer, is the largest corn grower in the Union, his crop being largely upward of 100,000 bushels.—*Boston Atlas.*

MARRIED.

On Saturday the 17th inst., by the Reverend Abbe Moreaux, Mr. LOUIS J. HEKER to Miss MARIE CELINE SEUZENEAU, of New Orleans.

DIED.

Yesterday at half past four o'clock P. M., at the age of 45 years, JEAN VIOSCA. Friends and acquaintances of the family are invited to attend his funeral, which will take place to-day at 4 o'clock P. M., from Moreau street, between Frenchman and Elysian.

COMMERCIAL.

The Markets.

MONDAY EVENING, Feb. 19, 1849.

The sales of Cotton to-day, amount to 4,000 bales without any quotable change in prices. The difficulty of providing for freight arrests operations.

There was a good demand for Sugar, with sales of 800 hhds at full prices. Of Molasses, 1,000 bbls. were sold at a range of 18¼@20½c ₩ gallon.

The Flour market is dull with limited sales, mostly of Ohio, at $4 50. About 10,000 sacks Corn were disposed of at 36c@40c per bushel.

Provisions are heavy and declining. Mess Pork was sold to-day at $9 75@$10. A decided letdown. A sale of 100 bbls. Mess Beef was made at $13 50. Nothing of consequence to notice in Bacon and Lard.

Sales of Whiskey to a fair extent at 17c ₩ gallon for Rectified.

Exchanges are the same as last quoted. Sterling, 7@8 ₩ cent prem. France, 5f.30@5f. 37½. Bills on New York at 60 days, 1¾@2¼ ₩ cent. discount. Checks, ¼ ₩ cent discount to ½ ₩ cent. prem.

Freights are very firm and still tending upward.

☞ We are requested to call special attention to the sale which will take place THIS DAY at 12 o'clock, at the St. Louis Exchange, by N. Vignie, Auctioneer, of 14 fine Building Lots, situated near St. Augustine Church, and pointing on Bayou Road, St. Claude, and Barracks streets. Said property belongs to the estate of the late P. P. Lambert. The credit is long, the terms are liberal, and the sale is positive. For further particulars see advertisements.

☞ Messrs. BEARD, CALHOUN & Co., sell THIS DAY, at the St. Louis Exchange, a House and Lot in Bourbon street, sold for account and risk of Mr. Paul Pandelli, who failed to comply with the terms of former adjudication. The same firm sells a gang of Negroes on a credit.

☞ The steamer MON DIANA, Captain F. Delahoussay, for St. Martinsville and all intermediate landings, on WEDNESDAY, 21st inst., at 10 o'clock, A. M. f20 A. MEYNIER.

Carcel's Lamps, Moderators and Others.

BERTRAND, LAMPIST, No. 24 St. Ann st.

JUST arrived from Paris, informs the public that he will take charge of the repairs of Carcel's Lamps, Moderators and others. Nothing will be neglected on his part to satisfy those who will favor him with their confidence; he warrants his work. He also MANUFACTURES OLEASTIC LAMPS. f20 8t

☞ Persons who have claims against the schooner TRINITE, are invited to have their accounts approved by MANUEL SANCHEZ, and presented for payment at M. MARE'S, f20 corner Bienville and Burgundy.

CITY BANK. New Orleans, 19th February, 1849. THIS BANK will be closed on THURSDAY next, 22d inst. (Washington's Birth-day). Notes and Bills falling due on that day will be payable on Wednesday, the 21st inst. R. J. PALFREY, f20 Cashier.

Bank of Louisiana. New Orleans, February 19th, 1849. THIS BANK will be closed on the 22nd instant, *Washington's Birth Day.* Bills and Notes falling due on that day will be payable *the day previous*, and offerings for discount made to-morrow, 20th instant. R. M. DAVIS, Cashier.

City Bank. New Orleans, 20th February, 1849. NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders of this Bank, that an election for Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House, on Monday, the fifth of March next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. f20 R. J. PALFREY, Cashier.

CAMPHOR.—10 cases, 3 bbls. refined Camphor, for sale by NATHAN JARVIS & CO, f20 Corner Magazine and Common.

SILKS—1 case Silks, suitable for the Mexican market; 1 case Silk Stockings, pink; a small assortment of Ribbons—the whole entitled to debenture—for sale by BERNARD TURPIN, f20-3t No. 31 Old Levee st.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS.

COUNCIL OF MUNICIPALITY No. ONE.

Sitting of Monday 12th February, 1849.

An ordinance concerning the manner in which the paved streets of the First Municipality, as well as those which may hereafter be paved, shall be repaired and kept in good order.

Art. 1. The repairs shall consist in reinstating with convenient solidity and regularity, in their primitive line or level, all curb and gutter stones, paving and paved support, crossings, bridges and bridge stones, &c., &c., which by any cause what ever be sunk, raised or displaced, in order that the communication may at all times be easy and commodious. To which effect the contractor will constantly employ a sufficient number of workmen to have said repairs done in the twenty four hours after becoming necessary.

Art. 2. The contractor shall comply immediately with all orders from the Mayor, Recorder, Surveyor or Deputy Surveyor, relative to the work to be done by him, and in default by him to do so he shall be liable to a fine of fifty dollars for each and every neglect; and it shall then be the duty of the Surveyor to have said repairs done at whatever cost he may be able to obtain men and materials, which cost is to be deducted out of the monthly payment to be made to the contractor.

It shall be the duty of the Commissaries to make to the Surveyor daily reports on the condition of the streets.

Art. 3. The contractor shall not be bound to repair the damages done to the paving by the Gas Light Bank, or any other institution or individual, except such as may be done by order of the Council; but he shall be bound to make a written report at the Surveyor's office of all damages done to the paving by said Bank, or any other institution or individual, twenty four hours after they shall have been committed, and in default by him to make such report he shall be obliged to repair said damages at his own expense.

Art. 4. Whenever the contractor shall be ordered by the surveyor to have the paving of any part thereof, taken up and made anew, or the old gutter stones replaced by new ones it shall be the duty of said contractor to have the same done immediately, and in case he should refuse or neglect to execute the same as above stated, he shall be fined by the Recorder in the sum of one hundred dollars, and the contract passed shall become *ipso facto* null and void, and the repairs shall be made as it then please the Council to do, and at the expense and cost of the contractor and of his security.

Art. 5. All the materials, such as round stones, square blocks, wooden blocks, shells, gravel sand, curb, and gutter stones, &c., shall be furnished by the contractor and shall be of the best quality.

Art. 6. The contractor shall furnish good and solvent security to be approved of by the Council in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars a year.

Art. 7. The payments shall be made monthly on the certificate of the surveyor stating that the contractor has complied with the conditions of his contract.

Art. 8. It is well understood that the surveyor shall not have any repair made to the paved streets at the expense of the contractor, before giving, at least, three days written notice to said contractor.

(Signed) JH. GENOIS, Recorder.

Approved 14th February, 1849.

(Signed) A. D. CROSSMAN, Mayor.

A true copy. H. BIER, Clerk.

SALT PETRE—30 kegs refined Salt Petre, for sale by NATHAN JARVIS & CO., f20 Corner Magazine and Common.

LINSEED OIL—40 bbls superior quality Cincinnati City Mills Linseed Oil, for sale by NATHAN JARVIS & CO., f20 corner Magazine and Common sts.

ALCOHOL—50 barrels 92 per cent. Alcohol, highly rectified, in store and for sale by NATHAN JARVIS & CO., Agents for Ohio Laboratory, f20 Corner Magazine and Common sts.

COPAL VARNISH—5 barrels Copal Varnish, for sale by NATHAN JARVIS & CO., f20 Corner Magazine and Common sts.

WINDOW GLASS AND WHITE LEAD—100 boxes Window Glass, 2,000 pounds fine No. 1 white Lead, for sale by NATHAN JARVIS & CO., f20 Corner Magazine and Common.

☞ Neither the Captain or undersigned, Consignee of the British ship INDEPENDENCE, from Belfast, will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of said ship. f14 WM. MURE, 11 Common st.

☞ The packet ship QUEBEC, Capt. George S. Brewster, from New York, is now discharging at St. Joseph street Wharf. Consignees will please attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee, or they will be stored at their expense and risk. f16 J. W. STANTON & CO., Corner Magazine and Lafayette sts.

☞ The consignee of [illegible] of merchandise [illegible] ship ATALANTA, from Boston, is requested to call at the office of the undersigned and receive the same. f16 L. H. GALE, 93 Common st.

BRITISH CONSULATE. New Orleans, 19th February, 1849. INFORMATION WANTED regarding Mr. Thomas Hatton Clanahan, surgeon, a native of Scotland, who arrived in this country in the year 1848, on board the ship Sheffield, and who resided for some time with a Mr. and Mrs. McCredie. Any person knowing his whereabouts, or giving information regarding his death, if not living, will confer a favor on his relatives, by communicating with f19 3t WM. MURE, 116 Common st.

CAUTION.—All persons are forewarned not to trade for the following Acceptances, bearing date 24th Jan., 1849, as nearly as recollected as follows:—drawn by Jules Le Barre [illegible] to order of Frederick F. Bishop at 4 months, accepted George De Mever for $1674 or [illegible] the other for $2374 or $275, same drawer and endorser and acceptance, payable twelve months after date. The person in possession of them is not authorized to negotiate the above drafts. For further particulars inquire at f19 3t EDWARD BARNETT, 21 Conti st.

Five Hundred Dollars Reward will be paid to any Person or Persons who will furnish such evidence as will lead to the conviction of the Incendiary or Incendiaries who set fire to the Building of Charles White, situated near the New Basin, on the night of the 7th inst. CHAS. BRIGGS & EDW. OGDEN, Agents.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS.

COUNCIL OF MUNICIPALITY No. ONE.

Sitting of Monday, 12th February, 1849.

RESOLVED, That sealed proposals will be received until the Fourth Monday of February, for cleaning Canal Girod and digging the Canal on Broad street. The said work to be done according to specifications deposited in the Surveyor's office. Two separate offers to be made for the two above works. The offers being at so much per running acre, payment cash, after the completion of each five acres of work received by the surveyor.

(Signed) JH. GENOIS, Recorder.

Approved 17th February, 1849.

(Signed) A. D. CROSSMAN, Mayor.

A true copy. H. BIER, Clerk.

IN CONFORMITY with the above Resolution notice is hereby given that Sealed Proposals will be received by me at my office, until the Fourth Monday of February, for cleaning Canal Girod and digging the Canal on Broad street. The said work to be done according to specifications deposited in the Surveyor's office. Two separate offers to be made for the two above works, the offers being at so much per running acre. Payment cash, after the completion of each five acres of work received by the Surveyor.

f19 A. D. CROSSMAN, Mayor.

BRANDIES—80 qr pipes Ph Godard Brandy; 10 half pipes J J Dupuy's Brandy; 20 qr do do do; 5 half do Pinet Castillon do; 20 qr do do do, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO. f19 17 and 19 St Louis st.

CLARET IN CASKS—80 casks Chateau Margaux, 150 casks of the following brands: St. Julien, St. Estephe, Bourg 1re Cote, Margaux Chateau, Margaux. For sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., f19 17 and 19 St Louis st.

LIME—[illegible] bls Thomaston Meadow Rock Lime, cargo of bark California, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, f19 89 Magazine, and 11 Red Stores.

CLARET IN CASES—311 cases Claret, St. Julien. For sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., f19 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

PRESERVES—30 cases Green Peas; 70 do sardines, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO, f19 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

CHAMPAIGN WINE—50 baskets Champaign Wine, Mailly; 200 do Express brand, for sale by f19 LEOPOLD JEANNET, 22 St. Louis st.

IN STORE—and for sale, in the Customhouse Stores:
4 4 pipes Holland Gin;
8 barrels Peach Brandy;
8 do Monongahela Whiskey;
1 do Irish Whiskey;
24 do Cherry Bounce, fine and superfine;
200 cases assorted Cordials, fine and superfine;
25 barrels Animal Black, in powder and grains.
50 cases Kirschenwasser;
100 do Dantzic Brandy.
Also—Madeira, Bitters, Peppermint, and all kind of articles for Coffee-Houses.
f20 P. ROUMIEU, 28 St Louis st.

SALT—[illegible] sacks coarse; 200 do. fine Liverpool Salt, for sale by C J WHEELER, Broker, f7 5 Bank Place.

HAVANA CIGARS—A large assortment of best Havana Cigars always on hand and for sale by J. M. CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee st.

ROSIN—800 bbls. Rosin, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, f7 89 Magazine st. and 11 Red Stores, 3d Mu.

TOBACCO—500 bales Vuelta de Abajo, for wrappers and fillers, for sale by J. & J. TARDOS, 15 Conti st.

COFFEE—50 sacks green Havana Coffee, for sale by COSTA & CO., f20 5 Front Levee.

SUGAR—100 boxes Havana Sugar, white and brown, for sale by COSTA & CO, f20 5 Front Leve.

LANDING ex ship Arthemise, from Bordeaux, 100 barrels Haut Sauterne White Wine: 20 casks good ordinary Red Wine. For sale by POUGET FILS, 19 Conti street, f12 between Chartres and Levee.

GARDEN SEEDS—20,000 papers fresh Quaker Seeds, from Mount Pleasant, Kentucky, for sale by f1 R. J. HART & CO., 23 Tchoupitoulas st.

BRANDY—21 qr cks J Jacques Brandy; 24 do J Brand do; 20 bbls do do, landing ex ship Ovando, for sale by J & J TARDOS, 15 Conti st.

PORK—100 bbls Mess, landing from steamer New Orleans, and for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, f13 89 Magazine and 11 Red Stores.

OLD RIO COFFEE—500 bags Old Rio Coffee, a very superior article, for family use, for sale by J. W. STANTON & CO., f13 cor. Magazine and Lafayette sts.

JAMAICA RUM—8 puncheons real Jamaica Rum of superior quality, landing ex brig Velocity, from Kingston, Jamaica, for sale in the Customhouse stores, by O. VALETON & CO., d16 21 Tchoupitoulas st.

NATHAN JARVIS & CO., Corner Magazine and Common streets, have for sale—50 bbls. Alcohol; 20 do Alum; 20 do Linseed Oil; 40 boxes Starch; 3 cases Quinine; 40 do Peop'd Chalk; 5 do Rhubarb; 20 bbls Epsom Salts; 20 cases Camphor. Together with a full assortment of DRUGS, MEDICINES, &c. For sale on the most reasonable terms. f31tv

LANDING—Ex ship Arthemise, from Bordeaux and for sale by the subscriber—
20 half and 20 qr. pipes Brandy Cognac;
140 casks Medoc Wine, good ordinary;
20 casks superior Medoc Wine, for family use;
45 cases Bordeaux Absynth;
4 cases Shirts, made in Bordeaux.
f10 D. LANATA, 9 and 10 Jefferson st.

QUININE—1500 oz. Sulphate of Quinine, for sale by f3 R. J. HART & CO., 23 Tchoupitoulas st.

CHOCOLATE—Spiced Chocolate from the manufactory of Boorman & Chapman, for sale by R. J. HART & CO., 23 Tchoupitoulas st.

LATH—[illegible] sawed [illegible], for sale by JOHN STROUD & CO, 166 Common st.

INSTITUTIONS.

Institution for Children of both Sexes,

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF MR. AND MRS. GOUSAULT, 141 RAMPART STREET, bet. St. Peter & Toulouse sts.

EVENING CLASS.

REFERENCES—1st Municipality—Dr. A. Mercier, 10 Customhouse street. 2nd Municipality—Mr. J. M. Lapeyre, 66 St. Charles street. 3rd Municipality—A. Dumity, Esq., Superintendent of Public Schools. mr9

WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL.

Boarding and Day School for Young Ladies,

Under the Direction of Mrs. DE LA GRACERIE, Esplanade street, between Burgundy and Dauphine streets.

TO merit the confidence reposed in her by families, and to render the locality suitable to the wants of a large Boarding School, Mrs. de la Gracerie has recently purchased the house occupied by her since the foundation of her establishment.—Important improvements are already made, and new ones commenced: towards the first of October next suacious and airy dormitories will have been established.

Mrs. De la Gracerie respectfully invites families to visit her institution. au29

Day and Boarding School for Young Ladies.

Founded in 1836 by Madame Loiris, and conducted since 1840

BY MADAME DESRAYAUX,

Burgundy street, between Customhouse and Bienville streets, New Orleans.

MR. AND MRS. DESRAYAUX respectfully intimate to parents and guardians of youth that their establishment for Young Ladies is open the whole year, and that it offers superior advantages as regards health and comfort.

The house recently built, and which can accommodate sixty boarders, was erected for the express purpose of a Seminary for Ladies, and, besides being thoroughly ventilated, there is attached to it a spacious garden, well shaded with trees, to be used as pleasure ground for the recreation of the pupils.

Families are invited to visit the establishment, which is open for inspection on Sundays. Copies of the prospectus to be found at the principal book-stores. jl7 1y

Institution for the Two Sexes,

(IN ENGLISH AND FRENCH.)

THIS Institution, established five years since in Rampart street, by Mr. and Mdme GARREAU, and now transferred to Barracks street No. 122, between Bourbon and Dauphine, has been greatly enlarged and improved.

Mr. and Mdme MERRILL will hereafter conduct the English Department, and exercise a general supervision in the Institution—Mr. Garreau and lady, as usual, supervising the department in French.

An elegant Philosophical Apparatus, Cabinet of Minerals, Maps, Charts, Globes, and other useful and necessary fixtures have been procured for the School. The course of education is liberal and extensive, and its advantages are not exceeded by any in the city. The boarders will make one family with the teachers, who will also supervise their studies and recreations out of School, and guard their morals with parental care. ENGLISH will be the language of the Family.

Besides the regular course, instruction is given in Latin, Greek, Spanish, Italian, Drawing, Painting, Music, Dancing, Fencing and Sword exercise by the best Masters. Parents and Tutors are respectfully invited to visit the Establishment. The school is continued throughout the year.

Terms—payable monthly in advance.

A NIGHT SCHOOL

Is regularly organized in the above establishment, where Young Men or Adults who are otherwise engaged during the day, can be taught all the branches of a solid and useful education, and fitted for active business and commercial pursuits. The splendid Telescope, and other astronomical instruments owned by the proprietors, will afford to those who desire it, fine facilities for an observation of the Heavenly Bodies, and the acquisition of a knowledge of practical astronomy. 1 year d23

ST. LOUIS INSTITUTION.

Boarding and Day School for Young Ladies,

Established and Founded by Mad'm ARPIN, and directed by Mad'm DERON. No. 145 St. Louis street, between Dauphine and Burgundy streets.

MADAME DERON (late Miss Hue) has the honor to inform families that this Institution, directed by her and founded by Madame Arpin, being inadequately situated in the two houses in Burgundy street, where it had been established—has been removed to No. 145 St. Louis street, between Dauphine and Burgundy streets.

The site chosen for the Institution is well known and constitutes as one of the most beautiful, convenient, spacious and salubrious dwellings in the city of New Orleans. The house is vast and commodious, in a central and extremely healthy situation, and comprises an ample and extensive building, looking over several gardens, large and superb apartments, lofty and spacious dormitories, airy studies and class-rooms opening on an interior balcony, and for the recreation of the pupils a large flagged yard, a hall sheltered from the rain and sun, and a magnificent terrace.

To these material improvements, Madame Deron has added several intellectual ameliorations, which place the Institution St. Louis in the first class of educational establishments.

All the resources conducive to physical and moral welfare, so important to an Institution of this nature, have received the most ample development in that of Madame Deron.

The partnership formed by the Directress and M. Deron, with M. Deron, sen'r and Mdme. Deron, both devoted to the career of education, has supplied the Institution on a basis of singular and unequalled solidity.

Mesdames and Messrs. Deron will devote their attention to the French language, which an Governess of superior attainments and a distinguished Professor, Mr. Orton, will be entrusted with the various branches of the English language and literature.

The general system of instruction at the Institution St. Louis is the most complete and progressive that can be applied to young ladies. It comprises four divisions, viz:

1st division, two Elementary Classes.
2d " two classes of Belles Lettres.
3d " two Preparatory Classes.
4th " two Classes of Superior Studies.

The system embraces all the various branches which constitute a really finished education, viz: Reading, Grammar, Rhetoric, Composition, Prosody, Elocution; Ancient, Medieval, Modern, Sacred and Modern History; Geography and Cosmography, Arithmetic, the higher Mathematics, Astronomy, Experimental Philosophy, Zoology, Botany, (Flora Americana,) the Elements of Philosophy, the Principles of Literature, and the study of the Etymological relations between the Ancient and Modern Languages.

Lessons in Embroidery, and Lineal Drawing form an essential part of the general system, and are not considered as extra charges.

Madame Deron has added a section superior to the first of seven classes, organized by Madame Arpin, and for which she has borrowed the title "Class of Distinction" from the Institution of the Legion of Honor, "Maison St. Denis," in which she was herself educated, and where she subsequently became instructress. For the pupils of this class there is held in an especially destined for the purpose, a course of complementary studies, composed of two conferences, by M. E. Deron, and two conferences by the Mesdames Deron, per week.—This course may be attended by persons who are not pupils of the Institute.

A Music mistress, possessing an excellent method of teaching and remarkable execution, is specially attached to the Institution for the Piano and Singing.

Mesdames Boyer and Lavillebeuvre will continue to give lessons on the Piano and Harp.

TERMS.

Boarders, (payable in advance,)	$25 per month.
The directress will furnish bed and bedding, exclusive of linen, at	15 per year.
Washing done in the establishment,	9 per bl year
Half boarders,	4 per month.
Day Scholars, 1st to 3d classes inclusively,	15 per month.
" 4th and 5th "	10 "
" 6th and 7th "	8 "
	6 "

A deduction will be made to pupils remaining the whole year.

EXTRAS.

Piano or Harp,	$12 per year!
Singing,	5 "
Dancing,	6 "
Drawing,	5 "
Spanish,	5 "

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Beebe's Patent Kitchen Range.

THE undersigned, appointed by the manufacturers sole agents for the sale of their patent kitchens in the State of Louisiana, are now receiving a large assortment, for wood or coal, which they offer at reduced prices and which they will undertake to set where they may be wanted.

These Kitchens, besides the advantage of quick cooking with very little fuel, can heat water for the wants of the house, baths, &c., a copper boiler, containing 30 or 40 gallons, is placed so as to receive the water from the water works and keep it hot.

House keepers are invited to call at the store and examine one of these kitchens put up to convince the public of their superiority for economy and convenience, over every thing of the kind ever brought to this city. au26 S. MASPEREAU & Co, 22 Conde street.

To Planters, Ship and Steamboat owners.

PORTABLE FORGES.

THE undersigned, agents for the manufacturers, are receiving some of these Forges, and request the Planters, Ship and Steamboat masters to call and examine them.

These forges can be recommended for their solidity and convenience, as they are entirely made of iron, contain within their body the bellows, and take up only three feet space in diameter.

S MASPEREAU & CO. je18 Agents for Manufacturers, 22 Conde st.

Manufacture of French Hats.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

J. BENAZECH, Inventor of a New Water Proof Hat, 27 TOULOUSE STREET, respectfully offers for sale every kind of HATS, of the latest fashion. He prepares, in six hours' time, all sorts of Hats, and is ready to suit every one's taste.

Prices for subscriptions will vary according to the quality of Hats. Merchants will find it to their advantage to purchase a quantity of these Hats. They will find in the store of the undersigned every species of Hats elegantly made, and which will be offered for sale at very moderate prices. Those merchants who shall have already bought a dozen Hats, will have the privilege to make up their assortment at the price of the first dozen.

The new Water-Proof Hat dreads nothing from the rain, and does not spoil by the sweat. d6-3m

MARINE, RIVER & FIRE INSURANCE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, Agents for the UNION MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY of New York, and the Protection and Etna Insurance Companies, of Hartford, Connecticut, are insuring against MARINE, RIVER AND FIRE RISKS on the most favorable terms.

Any losses which the above Companies may sustain on Risks, taken at this Agency, will be equally adjusted according to the usages of Insurance Companies of this city, and paid with promptness in money current at the Banks of New Orleans.

Office No 47 Camp. W R FOSDICK, G C LAWRASON, s15-1y Agents.

FIRE BRICK—100,000 English and 50,000 Pittsburg, landing and in yard, for sale by f17 JOHN STROUD & CO, 166 Common st.

WOOLLEN SOCKS—600 dozen country knit Woolen Socks, for sale by f17 FROST & CO, 93 Magazine st.

ROCK CANDY, red and white, 150 boxes, for sale by R. J. HART & CO., f17 No. 23 Tchoupitoulas st.

LIVERPOOL SALT—[illegible] sacks blown and fine for sale by f16 C. J. WHEELER, Broker, 5 Bank Place.

FLAXSEED—[illegible] bushels in sacks and bbls. for sale by f16 C J WHEELER, Broker, 5 Bank Place.

BAGGING—[illegible] for sale by [illegible] C. J. WHEELER, Broker, 5 Bank Place.

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MRS. CLARET, Midwife of the Faculty of Paris, respectfully informs the ladies of this city, who she has already a practice of years standing, that she has removed to No. 99 TOULOUSE ST., corner of Bourbon.

☞ Diseases of the Uterus treated under the direction of the patient's own physician.

Reference—Dr Stone, Dr Bahier, Dr Dezel. f16 3m

GLASS WARE—200 packages, consisting of Tumblers, Goblets and Wine Glasses, Salt Cellars, Castor Bottles, Sugar Bowls, Night Lamps, Nappies, Bird Boxes, Chimney Glasses, 1, 2, 4, 8 and 16 ounce Cologne Bottles, Nursing Bottles and Flasks—pint and quart species.

For terms, apply at the auction store No. 39 Old Levee. f16 1m CHS. MAILLOT.

Garden Seeds—Fruit Trees.

RECEIVED per ships Lyons, Hargrave and Lorena, from Havre, a large assortment of Seeds for Flower and Vegetable Gardens; also, a great variety of well selected Fruit Trees, in first rate condition, such as Plum, Pear, Apricot, Peach, Nectarine, Almond and Cherry Trees; Grape Vines, red and black currant Bushes.

The greatest variety of new Roses, Plants, Evergreens and Shrubs, for sale at low prices.

J. MENARD, No. 181 Old Levee st., f16 15t between Barracks and Hospital sts.

WANTED.

WANTED to purchase or Lease for a term of years—A House and Lot in the town of Covington or Madisonville, suitable for a genteel family. Apply to f16 3t M. BARNETT, 13 Camp st.

Notice.

A LADY able to teach French, English and Music, will find a good situation on a Plantation at about 40 miles from the city, by applying at 20 Conti street. f13-6t

ETIENNE CLAUDE,

LOOKING-GLASS MANUFACTURER, Corner Orleans and Treme streets.

UNDERTAKES the polishing of Looking Glasses and restores their primitive brightness, plating, framing and guilding in every style, and undertakes every other work in his line. He has always on hand French and Belgium Looking Glasses, at the most reasonable prices. f13 1y

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

THE copartnership in commandite, formerly existing between us, has been dissolved by mutual consent, by a deed before L. Hermann, Notary Public, under date of August 12th, 1848, and the liquidation of the same was settled to our entire and mutual satisfaction. J. BEUGNOT, D. M. P., CH. LAFFON.

New Orleans, February 9, 1849. f10

☞ Picayune please insert 6t.

For Sale,

A PLEASANT RESIDENCE, near Bayou St John bridge, built on a ground measuring 127 feet, front on 2d street, 127 feet on 3d st., and 192 feet front on Washington street; together with a Garden very well divided and set in fruit trees.

A young MALE SERVANT, 15 years of age, fully warranted.

For information apply to F. EUDE, Director, or to A. BOURGEOIS BLESINE, Broker, Exchange Place, between Bienville and Customhouse. f14

House to Let and Furniture for Sale.

The HOUSE No. 70 Royal street will be rented to a good tenant who wants a comfortable furnished House. The furniture is entirely new, and well calculated for a boarding house or private family. Apply at the house. f10 tf

OFFICE AGENCY SUN MUTUAL INSURANCE CO., New Orleans, Feb. 6, 1849.

THE SCRIP issued by this Company for the year 1848, and which is forty per cent on the amount of earned premiums, has been received, and will be delivered to owners on application. f6 1m L. MATTHEWS, Agent.

Notice to Proprietors and Builders.

L. F. DELAMARE, Director and Foreman of the works belonging to the firm of La Vieille Montagne, (Moselouse Zinc Mines,) at Paris, has opened a manufactory for all kinds of works in zinc, brass, lead, tin and sheet iron, in the newest style.

He will undertake zinc roofing, and warrant his work for 20 years, without repairs, bathing squares, tin roofs, pumps, and all articles in his branch. He also manufactures embossed letters of every description.

Apply on the premises, No. 57 Franklin street, between Conti and Bienville streets, where models can be examined.

Reference—Messrs. Slark, Day, Stauffer & Co. f5

Fresh Garden and Flower Seeds.

Warranted the growth of 1848.

THE subscriber has just received from one of the best Houses in Paris a large and choice assortment of fresh Garden Seeds, consisting of the very best kinds of—
Cabbage—6 varieties.
Lettuce—3 best varieties.
Radish—6 best varieties.
Spinage—Epinard—2 best varieties.
Leek—Poreaux—2 do.
Lucern—500 Livre.
Flower Seed—100 varieties.

Every kind of Seed can be had at much lower prices than any other in this city. Apply at No. 19 Gravier street. f7 WM. DINN, Agent.

Paul Aldige & Co.,

232 Royal st., between Dumaine and St. Ann.

OFFERS for sale, a complete assortment of Fancy Goods, such as Ginghams, Scotch Cambric, Barages, Silks, plain Swiss Muslin, embroidered and plaid do, embroidered curtain Muslin, Jaconets, Organdis, Linen, Percales, Cambric Hdkfs, and a splendid choice of fancy dresses.

The above Goods have recently been received and will be sold at a very low price. f5

For California.

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the Hunting Amateurs and those who are going to seek gold in California and wishes to keep it, that he offers at a great reduction in price—
200 double Fowling Pieces, stubbing twist;
250 Hunting Knife, double edge;
100 Bowie knife, for sale by
f6 GEORGE THOMAS, 70 Old Levee.

NOTICE.

J. FEYTEL has the honor to inform his friends and the public in general, that leaving the City in eleven days, and for several months for Europe, he begs those that owe him to settle their accounts before his departure, and further, those who may have claims on him to send in their bills.

Mr. H. Gilly, will, during his absence, have power of attorney concerning the settlement of the accounts remaining.

Mr. P. Knowles will continue during his absence, the business as well as the repairs of Watches and Clocks. J. Feytel recommends him to his numerous customers, assuring them that Mr. P. Knowles will neglect no more than he the means of satisfying them.

Mr. Nardin, employer for five years in the establishment, remains as heretofore.

Mr. Ory remains collector of accounts of old as well as recent dates. f2

To Owners of Property, Auctioneers and Builders.

12 Exchange Alley, between St. Louis and Conti.

DRAWING OFFICE, under the direction of Mr. A. CAHN, Architect and Engineer, from the French Royal School of Arts and Metiers. Undertakes every kind of Drawings, Plans, Projects of Buildings, Machines, &c.

Mechanics who have something to do with drawing, will find there any kind of counsel relative to their business. j13 1y

House to Rent—On account of Departure.

TO RENT—A House situated in Peace st., Third Municipality, with a fine Garden planted with fruit trees.

FOR SALE—From the same cause—A GRIFFE GIRL, about 23 years old, good Cook, Washer and Ironer. Apply at No. 4 Peace street, between Carondelet and Moreau sts. j24 2tt

SCALES! SCALES!!

DALE'S CELEBRATED CAST STEEL PLATFORM AND COUNTER SCALES.

THE above superior Portable Scales, combining the advantages of Accuracy and Convenience, are considered, throughout the Eastern and Northern States, as the only Weighing Machine that will stand the test of hard usage. The Bearings, through out, are made of the best English cast steel, and warranted.

By using the Double Beam, the heaviest drafts are weighed with the use of only two small brass weights, of one pound each, which are permanently attached to the beams; thus avoiding the necessity of having a mass of loose and cumbersome iron weights, as in using the common single beam scales.

These Scales have taken the first premium, for eight successive years, at the great Annual Fairs of the American Institute, New York, the New York State Fair, Franklin Institute, Philadelphia; Boston Fair, and the great National Fair, Washington city.

The manufacturers, determined to bring them into general use throughout the Southern States, have reduced the price to a level with the common single beam; thereby giving every one an opportunity of supplying themselves with a fine weighing machine, as low as they can purchase the common article so generally used in this section of the country.

A full assortment, boxed, ready for shipment, for sale by PRIESTLEY & BEIN, f3 89 and 91 Camp st.

Grand Clearing Sale of French Winter Dry Goods.

D. P. SCANLAN & CO., No. 12 Chartres street, having a very large stock of rich seasonable goods on hand, which the late epidemic has prevented them from disposing of, and being determined to sell all goods in season, have decided to offer them at such reduced prices as must insure a rapid sale; the reduction will be real and no humbug, as we are determined to clear off the stock. Ladies, we will offer you French Cashmere, to-day, at 25 cents per yard, that yesterday you would have had to pay 40 cents for; French Muslin de Laines at 40 cents we sold at 60 cents, and other goods in proportion. D. P. SCANLAN & CO., j17-tf No. 12 Chartres st.

F. FRYER.

MRS. F. FRYER respectfully informs the Ladies of the city and country, that she has just received, per ships Anna and Venus, the remaining portion of her winter assortment of Modes and Fancy Goods, which she will open positively on Thursday, 7th inst.

LACE DEPOT.—According to engagements made with several Lace manufactures, Mrs. F. Fryer has received some depots of Valenciennes, Lille and Brunelles Laces, which she offers for sale at moderate prices. d5

Plantation Supplies.

JOSEPH H. PALMER would call particular attention to his Stock of Family and Plantation Goods, consisting of the very best and heavy Fabrics of Alabama, Georgia and Virginia Osnaburgs, 7 8 of a yard wide and weighing full half pound to the yard; also, 30 inch extra thick Osnaburgs, 4 4, 5-4, 6-4 and 10-4 Bleached Sheetings, Heavy Cottonades, Blondlinsins, Planters' Linen Kentucky Linseys and Jeans, &c., &c., &c.—which will be sold very low. J. H. PALMER, 56 Gravier st.

LANDING ex ship Arthemise, from Bordeaux—75 casks Montferrand Claret; 5 do Bontemps Duburry do; 15 do Cantenac Medoc do;
20 1-8 pipes fine Champaign Brandy;
24 1-4 do do do 4th proof;
30 boxes Absynth; 30 do Leoville Claret;
20 do 24 1-8 bottles Bal Air Claret;
20 do Sardines in Oil in boxes, 10 do half do;
25 do qr. do. FERDUS FRERES,
Corner Royal and Dumaine.
Note.—The Brandy is entitled to debenture. f12

FOR SALE, in store—140 casks St. Julien Medoc Claret; 25 do Extra Leoville do; 25 do Haut Talence do; 20 do Chateau Margaux do; 200 boxes Claret Margaux Claret; 200 do Leoville and Haut Brion do; 15 do Old Confectioner do; 20 do Sauterne White Wine; 20 do do, half bottles, 100 do Haut [illegible] by Champagne—for sale by P. DEHRIAN, f7 17 St. Louis st., bet. Royal and Bourbon sts.

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St. Louis Ball Room.

LAST MASQUERADE SOCIETY BALL.—Street, Tuesday, 20th February.—The subscribers or other persons desirous to attend this Ball, are requested to leave their names at the office of said Ball Room. The Committee of Admission will attend every day in order to answer to those who will call.

The Rotunda of the Exchange will be thrown open on that evening.

A room containing masks and dresses will be kept open for the convenience of those wishing to mask themselves.

The office will be opened every day, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 3 o'clock P. M., and from 4 to 5.

STONE & McCOLLUM'S NEW LEVIATHAN CIRCUS,

Under the Direction and Management of JOHN SMITH.

THE universal Public of New Orleans, are respectfully informed that the NEW LEVIATHAN CIRCUS of STONE & McCOLLUM, under the Direction and Management of JOHN SMITH, is now opened on

CONGO SQUARE.

(First Municipality.)

☞ The troupe is by far the largest in the United States, comprising a combination of talent unequaled by any Circus in this or any other country.

☞ The representations will consist of a series of Gymnastic and Acrobatic Evolutions, and of those superior Acts, Scenes, and Games in equestrian excellence, so highly applauded by the citizens of Mobile for the last nine weeks.

☞ From amongst the host of talent attached to the NEW LEVIATHAN, we would simply mention the names of the following; who in the peculiar line, are universally acknowledged to be unequaled in the world:

☞ EATON STONE, the best bare back rider in the world. T. McCOLLUM, unequaled as an Equestrian. LA BELLE ROSA, the original Mercury of Female Equestrian. JOHN SMITH, confessed the best representative of Ethopian Characters now living. H. P. MADIGAN, M. J. LIPMAN, J. BLACKWELL, J. E. GRAY, A. LEVI, D. W. STONE, COLEMAN, B. BROWN, F. FOLNS, BERNARD, A. S. W. HINCKLEY, JENNINGS, GREEN JOHNSON, &c.

☞ A leading feature of the amusements of the New Leviathan is the magnificent Brass Band, under the direction of the celebrated K. GALA.

☞ The entire Arena will be brilliantly illuminated with Gas, and seats will be arranged for the accommodation of Family Parties, and may be engaged, on application at the Box Office, between the hours of Ten and Eleven A. M.

ADMISSION:

Box Seats,	50c
Pit,	25c
Seats for Free Persons of Color,	25c
Children and Servants—Half price.	

f15 JOHN W. SMITH, Manager.

BRITISH CONSULATE, New Orleans, February 16th, 1849.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD will be paid for such information as will lead to the conviction of two or three persons supposed [illegible] sers for sailors' boarding houses, who came on board the British ship "The Duke," Capt Davies, from Hull, on Wednesday, 14th inst., but just before the vessel was made fast to the Levee, seized the sailors' and apprentices' chests, and against the orders and opposition of the Captain, forced many of the sailors on shore, besides threatening the life of the Captain. A reward of Fifty Dollars will be paid by the Captain, and a like sum of Fifty Dollars on application to WM. MURE, f17-3t H. B. M. Consul.

Notice.

WANTED—A situation as Gardener by an honest, sober and industrious man, who is well acquainted with the business. Good References. Would undertake the pruning or dressing of any kind of gardens by the day or by the job. Address W. H. through the Postoffice. f13

Owner Wanted.

RECORDER'S OFFICE, 3d Municipality. ALMOST three weeks ago, a negro dray belonging to Mr. Bruneau, brought and deposited in the high Constable's office, four barrels lard, the marks of which are obliterated by dirt. The owner or owners of the property can obtain the same by applying to the office, and paying expenses. f17 3t P. SEUZENEAU, Recorder, 3d My.

Office People's Telegraph,

Commercial Exchange, St. Charles st., New Orleans, 17th Feb., 1849.

THIS OFFICE is open for the transmission of despatches to any part of the Northern and Western States. CHAS. DOANE, Commissioner.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE Copartnership existing in this city under the firm of Martial Peyret & Co., is dissolved this day, by common consent. Mr. C. Passy is the sole liquidator. MARTIAL PEYRET, PAUL JUGE FILS.

New Orleans, 1st February, 1849. f1

Partnership.

THE Subscribers will continue to carry on the same kind of business, and forwarding commission in general, under the firm of Paul Juge Fils & Co. at 27 St. Louis street. PAUL JUGE FILS, C. PASSY.

REMOVAL—Dr. J. U. LANDREAUX, has removed to Conti street, between Dauphine and Burgundy streets, opposite Messrs. Boyer and Bird School.

DR. PIERNAS, begs leave to inform his friends and the public, that he has established his residence at 77 Canal street, where he will be found every day, from 12 M. to 2 o'clock, P. M.

American School Method.

A Manual of Orthography.

THIS little Book, comprising all the monosyllables in the English language, and also examples of the prefixes and suffixes in polysyllables, is now for sale—price 10 cents per copy—at No. 9 CANAL STREET. To Teachers and Booksellers who may purchase the work by the dozen a liberal discount will be made. j20 1m J. C. McKENNY.

Ploughs and Hardware.

THE subscribers Agents of Hall, Ballenger, of Maysville, Ky., have on hand and constantly receiving a large assortment of their celebrated Wrought and Cast PLOUGHS, which they offer at manufacturers prices—viz:

74 No. 1 Hall's Ploughs, without Cutters,				
93 No. 1	do	with Cutters,		
50 No. 2	do	do	do	cotton
75 No. 2	do	do	do	cotton
50 No. 3	do	do	do	sugar,
37 No. 4	do	do	do	sugar,
13 No. 1 Hall's Flukes,				
10 No. 1 Hall's Sub-Sod,				
6 No. 2	do	do		
30 No. 1 Ballenger Ploughs, without Cutters,				
30 No. 1	do	with cutters,		
8 No. 2	do	do		
10 No. 3	do	do		
18 No. 4	do	do		

—ALSO—

A large assortment of Plantation HARDWARE, viz: Chains, cast and wrought Nails, Hunt's Axes, Shovels, Hoes, Cane Knives, Spades, Brass and plate Irons, Grand Forest, a large assortment of English and American Bar Iron, Sperm, Whale and Linseed Oils, Spirits Turpentine, Putty, Window Glass, Paints.

They are likewise agents for the sale of Wheeling WHEELS, and have on hand 10 pairs of Wheels with iron shafts and axles from 7 to 5 inches. f27 1y HOGAN, TUREAUD & CONAND, 28 Old Levee.

PLOUGHS.

THE undersigned, agents of "Young's" celebrated "Maysville Ploughs," beg leave to call the attention of Planters and others to the large assortment of these and other good brands, viz:

Young's, Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4.
King's Carey, Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4;
Hall & Spear's, Nos. 1, 2 and 3;
Do. Improved Peacock, Nos. 1, 2 and 3.
j31-9w PRIESTLEY & BEIN, 89 and 91 Camp st.

Tennessee Iron.

THE undersigned, Agents of Messrs. Hillman, Vanleer & Co's Iron Works, beg to call the attention of their customers, the city trade, tool makers, &c., to their large and complete assortment of TENNESSEE IRON, comprising
300 tons flat Bars of all sizes;
150 do round and square do;
30 do Plough plated do;
10 do do Moulds;
300 Sheets boiler Iron;
100 bundles Sheet Iron;
All guaranteed to be of the best quality, now offered for sale in this market.
j31 3w PRIESTLEY & BEIN, No. 89 and 91 Camp st.

WILLIAM PRICE, PLUMBER, No. 16 Poydras street, respectfully informs his friends and the public in general, that he carries on the above business in all its various branches, and is prepared to supply the same with Hot and Cold Plunge and Shower BATHS, Washhand Basins, Water Closets, Fountains, Force, Lift and Beer Pumps, fitted up in the best and newest style; Lead Pipe and Sheet Lead of every description worked up; Shopwork put up and repaired. Terms moderate.

☞ Also—Agent for GATCHEL'S PATENT HYDRAULIC RAM.

CARGO of bark Scandinavian, from Marseilles, for sale by the subscriber—
250 casks Bergasse Wine; 1230 baskets Oil in bottles, and half do., Plagniol and Fauset brand; 10 barrels Madeira Wine; 50 do. Burgundy Port; 400 boxes Absynth, Pernod, Brunetin & Ch. brand; 400 do. Muscat Wine, Lunel & Frontignan; 400 traits Empty Bottles; 100 boxes Orange Flower Water; 70 boxes Olives; 25 do. Variants; 25 do. Pickles; 22 do. Assorted Fish Meat; 10 trunks Perfumery; 10 bales fine and pointed Corks.
The above is entitled to debenture.
f8 A. MOLIER, 22 Old Levee.

Red House, between the two Markets.

PAUL ALDIGE & CO.,

HAVE just received by the last arrivals from the north and Europe, the following goods, which they offer for sale at very low prices. Please call and see for yourselves.

Printed Muslin, new patterns.
Barages, assorted in colors and quality.
Muslins for Mosquito bars, 10, 12 and 25 yards.
Plain and white Mosquito Netting, damasked and embroidered, 10, 12 and 25 yards; do do Cotton 10 9 yards.
White and Brown Cotton, 3-4, 4-4, 5-4, 6-4, 12-4.
Cambric and Muslin Handkerchiefs, assorted quality.
Plantins, Irish Linen, Bretagne Sheetings and Shirtings, Scotch Cambric Dresses, Plaid and Striped Gingham, white, plain, embroidered and satined striped Muslin Dresses, White and embroidered Muslin Curtains.
Also, an assortment of Ginghams, French Cottonade, and others, fancy Furniture Prints, Ticking for Falling, &c.
Also, to close their stock of Cotton Sail Cotton, Pilot Duck, No. 3 and 8 and New England, 3 and 8 at manufacturers' prices.

Negroes, Negroes.

JUST received and for sale at No. 7 Moreau street, Third Municipality, a large and likely lot of negroes from Virginia, consisting of Field Hands, House Servants, and Mechanics. Will be receiving new lots regularly, during the season. [illegible] till the 1st April. WM. F. TALBOTT.

500 bags Coffee; 400 packages Mackerel; 100 barrels Family Flour; 100 boxes Teas, 100 boxes Candles; 20 do assorted Soaps; 20 casks Red [illegible], Sides and Hams; Pepper, Spices—for sale by W. L. BURGESS & CO., 11 Front Levee st.

OLD COGNAC—40 bbls. very old Cognac, just received and for sale by [illegible] PURCELL & CO., 93 Common st.

BRANDY—COGNAC—[illegible]

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