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The Frequency of Murder.

The insecurity of human life in New Orleans has been a common, though, we trust, an undeserved reproach cast upon our city. We have been accustomed with some appearance of justice to repudiate and disclaim the infamous reputation which ignorant and prejudiced people at the North were wont to ascribe to us, and we have contended, not without reason, that New Orleans was as moral, as law-abiding, as safe and as tranquil a city as any that borders our Atlantic coast.

It is a source of unalloyed pain to perceive that [illegible] occurred in our city for the last [illegible] to invalidate our defence, and to give [illegible] to the charges of our enemies. The frequency of murder—the most appalling and horrible of crimes—has startled and shocked the [illegible] sense of the community, and demands the prompt and powerful agency of the law for its suppression. Within less than three [illegible] a number of cases of foul assassination have occurred—some perpetrated in the darkness and mystery of night; others accomplished [illegible] light of day, some, the result of private brawls between intemperate and lawless men; others, the deliberate acts of concentrated fury and vengeance. It has been said that crimes are often occasioned by a species of monomania that suddenly seizes upon [illegible] persons in whom the animal part [illegible] predominates over the moral [illegible]. This only can we explain the [illegible] of crimes, in a city previously marked by fewer atrocious misdeeds than any in the [illegible] as revolting as any which stain the pages of the calendar of crime.

[illegible] made up of the denizens of every quarter of the globe, a considerable number of depraved and desperate characters must necessarily be found; and public peace and order might naturally be supposed [illegible] risk of disturbance. Here[illegible] however, these elements of turbulence [illegible] a great degree neutralized by the [illegible] and vigilant exertions of the police [illegible] our streets of houseless vagabonds [illegible] to temporary confinement that [illegible] which thrives only by rascality. The [illegible], so far as we can judge, is not less [illegible] nor less vigilant than formerly, yet [illegible] and that of the deepest dye, has immea[illegible].

[illegible] the cause cannot easily be traced. [illegible] should be applied without delay. [illegible] of the law should be made [illegible] to the murderer as its hitter[illegible] and it is [illegible]. A [illegible] the case of murder—by arson [illegible] every night—sometimes [illegible] was [illegible] was arrested on [illegible]

[illegible] rest us hope that the [illegible] They [illegible] awaits the [illegible] the [illegible] cannot recall.

[illegible] from Galveston, we [illegible]

The Western [illegible] 1st instant states, [illegible] near [illegible] Mexican, who was [illegible] another person.

[illegible] was murdered, lately, near [illegible] was horribly mangled [illegible] by the murderer. A [illegible] suspicion.

The *Flag* says, the number of deaths from cholera [illegible] Brownsville, cannot be far from seventy [illegible]. Among the victims are some of the [illegible] this place. The disease was on [illegible] had assumed a modified form, [illegible] to medical treatment when [illegible].

[illegible] mouth of the Rio Grande, there had [illegible] seven or eight deaths from cholera.

At Brazos Santiago, there had been several persons sick and some eight or ten deaths, but whether the disease was cholera or not, there was considerable doubt.

[illegible] California emigrants arrived at Brazos last week, on the steamer Globe, and proceeded immediately up the river.

The Government sale of steamers, in consequence of the epidemic, has been postponed to [illegible].

The Mexican Senate, says the *Flag*, has set aside the proposition of the Ministry allowing [illegible] of provisions, which are again [illegible]. We apprehend this will [illegible] depopulating the left bank of the [illegible] the right.

[illegible] in Seguin, a town not [illegible]

The [illegible] *Gazette* has the following: [illegible] San Pedro and [illegible] about two or [illegible] from Paso del Norte, [illegible] California that we [illegible] one, there is a [illegible] discovered. Lumps of [illegible] several pounds, [illegible] We shall look with much [illegible] further accounts of these mines.—[illegible] been secluded from investigation by the Indians who inhabit that section. We should not be astonished to see some [illegible] now starting from this section, [illegible] with gold dust obtained in this country.

Major Lamotte, commanding at Camp Ringgold, on the Rio Grande, has addressed a communication to the Alcalde at Camargo, calling [illegible] and desiring his aid in stopping the Mexicans from coming over on the American side and catching mustangs and cattle to drive over on the Mexican side. The Alcalde, [illegible] the mustang horses and [illegible] product of the cows and mares with which the Mexicans originally stocked the [illegible] and the right to them is secured in the [illegible] treaty.

☞ The New York Sun's establishment have [illegible] effect; the [illegible] newspaper [illegible] It is nothing less than to erect [illegible] telegraph for its own exclusive benefit, [illegible] Washington and Boston. Its whole length [illegible] 470 miles. The *Sun* says:

"The termini of both these lines in this city [illegible] at the Sun Buildings, and the instrument [illegible] be placed in the *Sun editorial sanctum*, thereby enabling our editors, at all times [illegible] our own roof, to have instant communication with the various cities through which the lines may pass, and at once to lay before our readers the very latest intelligence, without the excessive expense, trouble and annoyance to which we are now constantly subjected."

The cost of this vast undertaking, according to our contractor's estimates, will not be far from one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

FIRE IN ST. MARTINSVILLE.—The *Creole* of the 10th, says:

"We learn that the sugar-house of Mr. P. P. Briant has been consumed by fire. His sugar and molasses was also destroyed. This catastrophe happened on Monday night. We will not say much on this subject, since we have no correct information. This is the second time, in two years, that it has happened.

Correspondence of the Bee.

WASHINGTON, March 7, 1849.

The Administration is now formed and the constitutional requisitions have been fulfilled. The following gentlemen were confirmed by the Senate to-day, for the respective offices against which their names are placed:

For Secretary of State, Mr. John M. Clayton.
For Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Wm. M. Meredith.
For Secretary of War, Mr. George W. Crawford.
For Secretary of the Navy, Mr. Wm. B. Preston.
For Secretary of the Home Department, Mr. Thomas Ewing.
For Post Master General, Mr. Jacob Collamer.
For Attorney General, Mr. Reverdy Johnson.

Some little opposition was evinced towards the appointment of Mr. Collamer, by one or more of the Southern Senators; but, upon a full examination and discussion of the case, all objection was withdrawn and he was confirmed without a dissenting voice. It is admitted on all hands, that the Cabinet is strong in ability, in character and in moral power, and these elements are calculated to give a prestige to the Administration which must at once attract the confidence and respect of the country. The contrast with its predecessor, will stand out in bold relief, whenever both are tried by the impartial judgment of history.

At the meeting of the Senate this morning, before the Executive session, Mr. Foote rose and explained that the unpleasant personal difficulty between him and Mr. Cameron on the last night of the regular session, had been satisfactorily reconciled immediately after its occurrence.

A Special Committee of five has been raised, at the suggestion of Mr. Butler, of South Carolina, to investigate the question of elegibility, which has been mooted against Gen. Shields. It consists of the following gentlemen: Mr. Benton, Mr. Felch, Mr. Mason, Mr. Webster, and Mr. Pearce. It is generally understood that Gen. Shields procured his naturalization in October, 1840, and that he will not be able to establish the fact alleged in his recent correspondence with Mr. Breese, that his father had been previously naturalized during his minority. If this fact be true, then he is not elegible as a Senator of the United States until October next, nine years of citizenship being required by the constitution. Mr. Douglass is contending for a point in the case which is not admitted, viz: that if Gen. Shields is not entitled to the seat now, he will be at the next session of Congress. This position is denied by the highest legal intellect of the Senate, and if it be denied the privilege of membership now, it will be found difficult to instal him without another election.

Mr. Saunders, our Minister at Madrid, has placed his resignation in the hands of one of the Senators from North Carolina, to be tendered to the Department of State, at his discretion. This conduct is creditable to the incumbent, and it is to be hoped will be followed by others, who have rendered themselves more obnoxious to censure. It is not, the Administration has but one course to pursue, and that is, to recall every Foreign Minister who has not decency enough to retire with the change of parties.—These offices stand in a close relation of personal confidence to the "powers that be," and no gentleman, who respects propriety or the political courtesies, will consent to obtrude himself upon the privacy of a party, with which he has no sympathy of opinion or interest. There are men abroad, who are wholly incapable of any of these delicate feelings; but they should be instructed, since they are thus ignorant or obtuse, that the new Administration is sensible of its own rights, and is determined to maintain them.

The inaugural message has been received with undivided favor in all the political circles, and is the source of universal commendation for its brevity, its good sense, and its admirable sentiments. It must prove a great relief to the public, to receive a State paper of this dimension, after having been surfeited with the tedious messages of Mr. Polk.

It has been determined between Gen. Taylor and his Cabinet, that all applications for office must come through the appropriate Departments. This rule, strictly enforced, will relieve the President from a great deal of vexatious importunity, and tend to establish the dignity and responsibility of the Cabinet on their legitimate footing.

Gen. Taylor had a public reception at the White House to-day, which was attended by thousands of both sexes, although no previous notice had been given by the newspapers.

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REMOVALS FROM OFFICE AT WASHINGTON.—A number of removals from office will, it is supposed, be made in the departments at Washington. The correspondent of the Baltimore *Patriot* says the following gentlemen will have to retire:

General McCalla, Second Auditor; Edmund Burke, Commissioner of Patents; William J. Brown, Assistant Post Master General; Mr. Marron, Third Assistant, and Mr. Hobbie, First Assistant; Dr. Collins, First Auditor; Mr. Dayton, Fourth Auditor; Judge Young, Commissioner of the Land Office; Colonel Laughton, the Land Office Recorder; Major Graham, the Register of the Treasury, has already resigned; Mr. Gillett, the Solicitor of the Treasury, Col. Medcalf, of the Indian Bureau; Major Scott, Navy Agent; Major Williams, Naval Store Keeper; Colonel Gardener, City Post Master; Mr. Sengstack, Superintendent of the Penitentiary; the Chief Clerks of the State, Treasury, War, Navy and Post Office Departments, and some Chief Clerks of Bureaus; Mr. Washington, the Sixth Auditor, and his Chief Clerk.

The subordinate clerks in each department will, in some instances, be retained, and in some not retained, as the head of such may determine. President Taylor will in no wise interfere in the matter. So nobody need apply to him to be kept in, or put in, or to keep or put anybody else in or out of a clerkship in either of the Departments, the Post Offices or the Custom Houses.

The wreck of the ship Franklin, which went ashore near Wellfleet, Mass., on the 1st inst., was an appalling affair. Eleven persons were drowned in attempting to reach the shore in the ship's boat. The account in the Boston *Courier* goes on to say:

No one but an eye-witness can form an idea of the awful scene, when the boat, in which was Captain Smith and a portion of his crew, was cut loose from the vessel. The boat soon filled with water, and the sea buried them some dozen or fifteen times with its immense waves, rolling into the shore, and as often they were seen rising out of the deep, still clinging to the boat, as the maddened waters, tossed by a strong easterly wind, hurried past them. As the boat was leaving the wreck—the ship was breaking to pieces at that juncture—a young woman, Mrs. S., was seen frantically to jump into the boat among the men, and she almost as instantly disappeared.

After this appalling scene had passed, which will never be forgotten by those who saw it, some hundred spectators on the shore, the sight of the poor creatures on the wreck, holding on to a portion of the bows, which kept swinging to and fro, like the wall of a house on fire, fixed every eye, and agitated with tearful sympathy all hearts. By this time, the wreck had come nearer into shore, and a boat used for bass fishing was manned by six or eight resolute and generous fishermen, and launched upon the tremendous swell of ocean; those on shore women as well as men, holding on to a rope which was fastened on to her. In this way all were saved, except one woman, who fell overboard some five minutes before the boat reached the wreck. They were very much exhausted when taken off, and had to be taken up and placed in the boat.—Several of them had given up all for lost before their rescue, and one woman spoke of her composure, in view of death, in the assurance of the welfare of her undying soul.

☞ The President of the United States and his Family are now established in the Presidential Mansion; and though the multitude of strangers has been greatly diminished since Monday by the departure of thousands for their homes, enough yet remain to furnish a continuous stream of visiters, whom it occupies the President's whole time to receive.

This occupation, however agreeable, encroaches so far upon the time of the President, that, in order to enable him to do the business of his office, he finds it absolutely necessary to limit his reception of visiters to certain hours. Henceforth he will receive visits from 12 to 3 o'clock, and at no other hours.—*Nat. Int.*

THE GOLD DOLLAR AND DOUBLE EAGLE.—The following is the bill passed the House of Representatives on the 20th ult., and was confirmed by the Senate on the last day of its session. It is now a law:

SEC. 1. That it shall be lawful henceforward to make at the Mint and its branches twenty dollar gold coins of the weight of five hundred and sixteen grains, and gold dollar coins of the weight of twenty-five grains and eight tenths, which coins shall be legal tenders of payment according to their nominal values.

SEC. 2. That the above mentioned coins shall be made, in all respects, in conformity with the existing laws regulating the coinage at the mints, except that on the reverse of the gold dollar the figure of the eagle shall be omitted.

SEC. 3. That in adjusting the weights of gold coins henceforward, the following deviations from the standard weight shall be not exceeded in any of the single pieces—namely, in the double eagle, the eagle, and half eagle, one half of a grain, and in the quarter eagle and gold dollar, one quarter of a grain; and then in the weighing a large number of pieces together, when delivered from the chief coiner to the treasurer, and from the treasurer to the depositors, the deviations from the standard weight shall not exceed three pennyweights in one thousand double eagles, and one and a half pennyweights in one thousand half eagles, one pennyweight in one thousand quarter eagles, and one half of a pennyweight in one thousand gold dollars.

SEC. 4. That so much of this act as regards the coinage of twenty dollar and one dollar gold pieces, shall continue in force until the fourth day of March eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and no longer.

GENERAL COUNCIL.—The official report of the last sitting of the General Council was handed us yesterday morning for publication. It will appear in our next edition.

☞ General ZACHARY TAYLOR has been nominated a member of the New York Historical Society.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Judge Kingsbury, of Kingsbury, formerly State Treasurer of Maine, under Gov. Kent, dropped dead, in the streets of Gardiner, on Tuesday, the 6th instant.

SUICIDE.—A man by the name of Benjamin Boudreau, living in the Parish of St. Landry, committed suicide a few days ago, by shooting himself in the head with a musket. The fatal act was probably caused by mental alienation.

ORDINATION.—Mr. H. N. Hudson, the distinguished lecturer on Shakespeare, on Sunday last, was ordained a deacon of the Episcopal Church, by Bishop Whittingham, of Md., in Trinity Church, New York.

EXTRA SESSION OF THE NEW YORK LEGISLATURE.—It is said that one hundred members of the New York Assembly, and several Senators, though not a majority of that body, have signed a request to the Governor, to call an extra session of the Legislature, to dispose of the Code.

HARPS.—We invite the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Mr. J. F. BROWNE, in to day's paper. He is the most superior manufacturer of Harps in the country, and his instruments have called forth the unqualified approbation of such eminent judges as Bochsa, Trust and Horn. Their solidity, fineness of tone and nicety of workmanship render them decidedly the most perfect that have ever been seen in America.

INSTALLATION OF CABINET MINISTERS.—The *National Intelligencer* of the 9th inst., says:—"The Secretary of State, the Secretary of the Treasury, the Secretary of the Navy, the Secretary for the Home Department, the Postmaster General of the United States, all recently appointed, yesterday morning respectively took the prescribed Oath of Office, and forthwith proceeded to the discharge of their several duties.

The new Secretary of War, (Mr. Crawford) has not yet arrived here.

MOBILE RACES.—We copy from the *Tribune* of Thursday, the following race report:

The first race yesterday, for a silver tea service valued at $200—two mile heats—was won by Revenue. The result was as follows:

Revenue	1	1
Kate Harrel	2	2
Ann Hughes	3	3
John Bragg	4	4

Time, 3 46—3 48.

In the second race, for a saddle—mile heats—there were three entries. The first heat was won by W. H. Troone's ch. g. Sam. The second was a dead heat between Sam and W. Cummins's ch. h. Nameless; in the third, Sam was first, Nameless second. Barnes's b. h. Mexico was distanced. Time, 1 54—1 51.

The entries for Thursday's race—two mile heats—were Little Mistress and Topaz.

CLERGYMEN MURDERED IN CALIFORNIA.—The Newark *Advertiser* says—"Among the private letters received in this city from the Pacific, by the *Crescent City*, is one, which we have seen, mentioning a painful rumor that Messrs. Newman and Pomeroy, Clergymen of the Methodist and Baptist Churches, had been murdered in the gold region. The letter is of the latest date, and comes from a highly respectable source. It refers to the statement incidentally, as if it were a well endorsed fact, but gives no particulars."

OUTRAGE AT CUMBERLAND.—*Attempt to murder.*—A daring attempt was made on Tuesday evening, at Cumberland, Md., to murder the wife of Mr. Arthur Cowton, proprietor of the U. S. Hotel, by the notorious Jesse D. E. Quantrill, recently out of the Pennsylvania penitentiary. The *Mountaineer* says:

Mr. Quantrill, it seems, was at one time the husband of Mrs. Cowton, but having committed some offence against the laws of the State, forgery, we believe, was sent to the penitentiary, where he had been confined for several years. During his imprisonment, however, the lady in question obtained a divorce, and married the gentleman who is at present her husband.—Quantrill's term of confinement having expired a short time since, he immediately set out for Hagerstown, where he has been lurking for some time, or in fact up to Tuesday evening last, when he made his appearance in this place, and instantly upon the arrival of the cars, made his way to the U. S. Hotel, and enquired of a female servant in attendance for the room of Mrs. Cowton. The servant, as a matter of course, not knowing who he was, led him directly to the apartment.

He entered the room quickly and locked the door after him, and as is supposed began the assault upon her person. Some gentleman aroused the bar-keeper, Mr. James Stoddard, of Quantrill being on the premises, who immediately repaired to the room of Mrs. Cowton, and finding it locked, and also hearing some unusual noise, burst the door open, and caught him in the act of choking her to death, after having failed in his attempt with knife and pistol. We are happy, however, to be able to state that Mrs. Cowton sustained no serious injury, and with the exception of the fright, escaped unharmed. He was arrested by officer Jarboe, who brought him before Justices Taylor and Widener, who, after hearing the case, committed him to jail, to await his trial at the April term of Alleghany county court.

City Intelligence.

FIRST DISTRICT COURT.—Judge McHenry.—*Trial of John Hanks, for Murder.*—The trial of John Hanks, charged with the murder of his wife, was commenced yesterday morning, at 11 o'clock, before Judge McHenry. Messrs. Upton and Frost appeared for the prisoner, and Attorney General Elmore and District Attorney Reynolds conducted the prosecution in behalf of the State. The indictment sets forth, that on the 4th of October last, the accused assaulted a woman named Hanks, whose first name is unknown, with an axe, and inflicted two mortal wounds, one on the left side of the head, and the other on the left side of the belly, which terminated in the instantaneous death of the said woman. After the jury had been empannelled, Lieutenant Ballow, of the Third Municipality police, was called to the witness stand. He testified that he arrested the prisoner at his house, on Washington Avenue, near the Mexican Gulf Railroad—that the body of the dead woman was in the premises at the time, and that Hanks stated, in reply to whether he had done the deed, that he wasn't afraid, and didn't intend to run away. Commissary Welch corroborated, in substance, the same testimony. Rose, an Indian woman, who occupied a portion of the house stated in evidence, that on the day of the murder the prisoner had a difficulty with the deceased—that he struck her during the day with various implements, such as tin-pans, ladles, pots, &c.—that towards three o'clock, he struck her with some instrument or other, and then left the house—that when he returned in the evening, he found his wife lying on the floor, and had so mentioned. The witness saw these proceedings through a crack in the plank which separated the two tenements. Deputy Coroner Hopkins was then examined, and merely stated that he had held the inquest—described the nature of the wounds, and mentioned that the woman had died from congestion of the brain—did not pretend to say what had caused said congestion.

In reply to a question of the Court, whether there were any more witnesses for the prosecution, the Attorney General observed that he would like to have the testimony of Dr. Vandergriff, who saw the deceased after her death, and he had accordingly despatched a citation requesting his attendance. Some objection was made to this by the counsel for the prisoner, but his Honor overruled the matter by stating that the Court would wait till a specified time, it being important in case of murder to elicit all the evidence that could be arrived at. After the expiration of nearly half an hour, the messenger returned, and stated that he could not find Dr. Vandergriff. Mr. Upton then got up and stated that he had a number of witnesses present who could testify to the uniform good character of the accused, but did not feel disposed to trouble the Court by an examination of the kind; he was perfectly willing to rest the case where it stood, without further argument, and submit it to the jury. To this, the Attorney General objected, observing that he felt it necessary to argue the matter; and accordingly, Mr. Reynolds, the District Attorney, opened the prosecution, in a clear, concise and brief address. He alluded more especially to the important testimony given by the Indian woman Rose, which had remained unimpeached, and that every inference to be drawn from that evidence, was that the prisoner at the Bar had committed the fearful deed. He also laid stress on the confusion which the accused evinced at the time of his arrest, and his observation to the officers, that he was not going to run away, thus implying, or admitting in fact, the commission of some grave offence. He felt persuaded that the counsel for the unhappy man would make an eloquent appeal in his behalf, but the jury must also bear in mind that the exercise of the great prerogative of mercy must be tempered with justice, and equally remember the solemn fact that through the act of the prisoner now charged with the heinous crime, there was one human being less. Too many cases of the kind had recently occurred, and it was the duty of the jury, whilst listening to the pathetic language which the eloquent counsel might feel disposed to employ, to be guided solely by law and evidence.

Mr. Elmore, the Attorney General, then rose and stated that he had only a few remarks to make in addition. There were two counts, the first of which stated that the wound that had caused the death of the women had been inflicted with an axe, and the other, that it had been committed with an iron pot. If the Jury, however, believed that it was done with either of these articles, or with any other instrument whatever, they could find the prisoner guilty. It was quite unimportant to ascertain how the injury was done, the great question to decide was, whether the woman had died of the injuries received, and if so, by whom these injuries were given. After expatiating on the enormity of the offence, more especially when it proceeded from a husband who should have protected and sheltered the being allied to him, the Attorney General remarked that the case was free from difficulty—much more so, indeed, than most matters of the kind. He had never known a case of murder, no matter how abhorrent, but what the counsel could make the most pathetic and touching appeals on behalf of the criminal, and the Jury must therefore listen to facts only, and not allow their minds to be biassed by beautiful, but false theories. He then went into a lengthy examination of the evidence, touching upon the salient points and enlarging on the difference between murder and manslaughter. It must have been established to the satisfaction of the Jury, that a homicide had been committed, and from the testimony before the Court, it was to be presumed that the crime had been committed with malicious intent. He dwelt particularly on the facts elicited from the witness Rose, and was bound to consider that her evidence was good.

Mr. Upton then spoke at length, and feelingly, in behalf of the prisoner. He disclaimed the eloquence, learning and ability imputed to him in advance by the prosecuting Attorney—the only eloquence he could offer to the imagination of the Jury, was the position of the prisoner, who was so poor and unfriended, that the Court had called upon Mr. Frost to conduct the defence; and the latter gentleman had asked him to lend his assistance in the case. The gentleman, in analysing the testimony of Welsh, argued that the accused, so far from betraying any confusion at the time of his arrest, had, throughout the whole trying ordeal, acted with the appearance of conscious innocence. The prisoner had been the first to apprise the authorities of the death of his wife; he went and informed the Recorder of the fact at 7 o'clock on the following morning, for the purpose of having the body buried. This did not look like the act of a criminal. Would he not, if guilty, have sought refuge in flight? The gentleman also laid stress on the evidence of the Indian woman, Rose, who had stated that the deceased had been struck with a brickbat on the head by her husband, some weeks previous, and that this wound might readily have brought about the congestion of the brain of which she subsequently died. But singularly enough, the same witness, after asserting that she had been hit in that way three weeks preceding her death, goes on to say, that during that very time her husband had been absent from the house upwards of a month. He contended that the probabilities were strongly in favor of the woman's death having resulted from the throwing of the brick bat in question, and concluded by a touching appeal to the jury, in favor of one whom he considered an innocent man.

Mr. Frost then followed for the defence, but as we were compelled to absent ourselves at that moment, we are unable to give a synopsis of the gentleman's arguments. We were told, however, that he was not only eloquent, but ingenious, and after sifting the testimony and exposing some of its apparent contradictions, he contended that if the verdict of the jury should prove unfavorable to the prisoner, they at least could not find him guilty of murder, but ought to modify the conviction into one of manslaughter, as no evidence had been adduced to prove the malice aforethought. The Attorney General then made some further remarks, reiterating in substance what he had previously said, and insisting in strong terms on the direct and positive nature of the testimony that had been elicited during the trial. The summing up of the Judge was brief and pointed. His Honor contented himself simply with a reference to the law and left the case to the jury, with the usual admonition that any doubts in their minds should be construed in favor of the prisoner.

Shortly after 3 o'clock the jury retired and remained absent until half past 7 o'clock in the evening, when they returned into Court and rendered a verdict of manslaughter. The prisoner was then remanded for sentence.

FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.—*Case of the Louisiana State Bank for forfeiture of Charter.*—In the case of the Attorney General, representing the State of Louisiana, and suing the State Bank for a forfeiture of its charter on the ground of having declared a dividend on the 31st of February last, in violation of the statute of 1842, which prohibits any banking institution from dividing profits among the stockholders, when the capital of the Bank is no longer intact—the following answer was filed yesterday by John R. Grymes, Esq., counsel for the defendant.

The State
vs. } Fourth District Court.
The Louisiana State Bank.

The said defendant, for answer to the petition of the Attorney General, filed in the name and behalf of the State of Louisiana, denies all and singular the allegations of the said petition. And further answering, the said defendant denies that the charter of the said Bank is forfeited for any such cause as is set forth in the said petition. Wherefore, the said defendant prays to be hence dismissed with costs, and for all such further and other relief in the premises as justice and equity and the nature of the case may require.

(Signed) J. R. GRYMES, for Defendant.

The case will shortly come up for trial, when we shall not fail to report the proceedings.

THE MACREADY DINNER.—One of the gentlemen connected with the contemplated dinner to Mr. Macready, called on us last evening, and assured us that no idea whatever was [illegible] the transmission of an invitation to the press to send representatives to the expected [illegible]. We had written an article reflecting in terms of some severity on the singular conduct of the committee, but with drew it upon hearing this explanation. As no offence was meant, none, we presume, should be taken. But we are at a loss to conceive how the Committee could have been induced to pursue a course, to all others, calculated to prove most offensive to the dignity and delicacy of the conductors of the press.

MR. MACREADY.—We would have taken great pleasure in offering a [illegible] of Mr. Macready's readings of Shakspeare, but through some strange [illegible] we were not made the recipients of an invitation to attend them.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT.—*The Louisiana State Bank.*—The [illegible] case [illegible] before Judge Canon, took an appeal yesterday from the decision of his Honor to the Supreme Court. It has been made returnable on the first Monday in April.

AN EXTENSIVE BUSINESS.—*Three highway robberies in one night.*—Two notorious characters, individuals by the names of James Davis and Wm. Betzley, were arrested yesterday morning at three o'clock, by Corporal Whitmore, and another watchman of First Municipality, after having succeeded in the short space of a few hours, in committing no less than three highway robberies. About ten o'clock Thursday evening they encountered a countryman, who asked for information in relation to some quarter of the town he was unacquainted with, to which he received an answer in the shape of a knock down argument, after which they proceeded to rifle his pockets, but were deterred from carrying their intention into effect by the opportune arrival of some negro women, on which they took to their heels and ran off. An hour afterwards they knocked down another countryman on the Levee, near Hospital st., and robbed him of $25, the hard earnings of a little venture which he had brought down on a steamboat a few days ago. Pursuing their depredations, they finally came across a [illegible] yesterday morning at 2 o'clock, who was seated on a bench opposite French George's coffee house, on the Levee. Him they disposed of in a similar manner, but finding no money on his person, they robbed him of his handkerchief. Jack Tar, however, not relishing this summary proceeding, started in pursuit, and managed to engage two watchmen in his behalf, with whose assistance they succeeded in capturing the two scamps. They were brought before Recorder Genois yesterday morning, who committed them forthwith for trial before the First District Court.

BRUTAL ASSAULT.—Louis Blay, a cooper by trade, appeared before Recorder Genois yesterday and stated that whilst he was engaged in attending to his duties on the Levee on Thursday, some men started the bung of a cask of brandy under his charge, and commenced drinking therefrom, and that on warning them to desist, he was immediately attacked by a number of men, who beat him most cruelly, and would have murdered him if he had not been fortunately rescued. Two men named Dominick McHarrett and Patrick McNicholas were arrested yesterday on the charge of being concerned in the assault, and have been committed for further examination. Warrants are also out against some others that are implicated in the affair.

INQUEST.—The Coroner held an inquest yesterday on the body of a Scotchman named John Craig, found dead in the boarding house of Mrs. J. Williams, situated near the Triangular Buildings, Second Municipality. Verdict—"Died of acute Gastritis."

COMMITTED.—Pascal Lobran, whose arrest we have already mentioned, was brought before Recorder Genois yesterday morning, on the charge of having stabbed one Michael Galvey, three weeks ago, and also with having forcibly resisted officers Summer and Kego, in attempting to arrest him on Thursday afternoon, at a house on Old Levee st.—He fought indeed so hard and so determinedly that two hours elapsed before they succeeded in bringing him to the Watch house. Galvey, who was in Court, recognized Lobran as the party who had assaulted and stabbed him, and the other accusation being clearly established by the presence of the officers, he was committed for trial before the First District Court.

STEALING SUGAR.—Wm. McCarty, a lad, was arrested yesterday in the First Municipality, charged with stealing sugar from the Levee, and breaking open a hogshead in order to extract the saccharine product. He was sent before the First District Court.

OBSCENE BEHAVIOR.—John White and Ellen Harrald were arrested in the First Municipality on Thursday evening, charged with the commission of lewd behavior in a cab. They were fined $25 each, and in default of paying were sentenced to one month's confinement in the Work-house.

HORSE STEALING.—A man named Ralph Veira was arrested yesterday in the First Municipality, at the request of Mr. R. Murphy, who charges him with stealing a horse, saddle and bridle. He was committed for further examination.

ARSON.—Harriet, a slave belonging to Mr. Morales, was brought to the Guard house of the First Municipality last evening, for attempting to set fire to the house of Mrs. Tessa, on Old Levee, between Ursulines and Hospital sts. The case will be examined into this morning.

STEALING A KEY.—Geo. Thompson was sent yesterday before the First District Court by Recorder Baldwin, on the charge of having stolen the key of an office door, from the corner of Julia and St. John sts.

NEGRO STEALING.—Lieut. Busby, of the Second Municipality police, arrested on Thursday evening Michael Long, charged with stealing a negro boy from Mr. Sparks, who lives in Vicksburg. The accused will be sent to Mississippi, to be dealt with by the authorities there.

COMMITTED FOR ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—John Walters, John Wallace and A. V. Chereau, f. m. c., were committed yesterday, by Recorder Seuzeneau, for trial before the First District Court, all three charged with assault and battery.

BOLD ROBBERY.—The grocery store of William Cook, situated in St. Ferdinand street, Third Municipality, was entered by some thieves the night before last, who managed to get off with about $100 worth of groceries. The robbers obtained ingress through the back door by means of a false key, and their depredations were carried on through the same channel. No clue to the rascals has been obtained.

LARCENY.—Some time last month, the house of Mrs. Honora Cook, in St. Ferdinand street, was entered by some robbers, and a quantity of furniture to the amount of $70 was stolen therefrom. The lady having been informed, yesterday, that the articles were now in the possession of one Peter Prierson, made an affidavit to that effect before Recorder Seuzeneau, who caused him to be apprehended.—He will be examined to-day.

SERIOUS ASSAULT.—Yesterday morning a man named Henry Bentham *alias* Southerland, made a serious assault on one John Clark, who had refused to take a drink with him. He struck him several severe blows on the side and in the face, from the effects of which he is now lying ill in bed. A warrant has been issued for the arrest of the assailant.

COMMERCIAL.

The Markets.

FRIDAY EVENING, March 16th, 1849.

Since our last weekly report, we have received a fortnight's later intelligence from Europe, which is every respect is of a satisfactory character. The Liverpool Cotton market has advanced ⅛d with large sales, and the condition of Trade in the manufacturing Districts continues quite encouraging. The London Money Market remained remarkably easy, with an accumulating stock of bullion in Bank, notwithstanding large shipments of Corn to the Continent. In fact, as far as the telegraphic despatch or will allow us to judge, the news is both politically and commercially favorable, whilst there is every prospect of increased activity at the opening of Spring and the resumption of navigation in the North of Europe.

Our own Cotton market has become firmer since the receipt of these advices, though the advance is scarcely perceptible, and the sales have been light. This is no doubt owing to the exhaustion of previous orders, and the private correspondence will probably be requisite to impart more animation to business. In other articles the transactions have been to a moderate extent, and generally without much change in prices. Breadstuffs have declined under the influence of heavier receipts, though this remark is more applicable to Flour than to Corn. The Sugar market has been very firm, and Molasses has likewise improved. Provisions are dull. For further particulars, we must refer to the separate remarks at foot.

The weather since our last has been clear and warm. Last night, we had a heavy fall of rain, which has relieved the atmosphere of the excessive sultriness that previously prevailed. The river continues at its highest mark, and the last accounts represent all the Upper waters as rising with great rapidity. The levees in our immediate neighborhood stand firm, but there have been several serious breaks in the Upper Parishes which will destroy the hopes of many planters.

COTTON.—Arrived since the 9th inst., of Louisiana and Mississippi, 25,647 bales, Tennessee and North Alabama, 14,855; Arkansas, 713; Mobile, 304; Florida, 318; Texas, 244; together, 42,125 bales. Cleared in the same time for Liverpool, 20,365 bales; Glasgow, 2,779; Havre, 4,719; Genoa, 563; Barcelona, 705; Christiana, 492; Vera Cruz, 316; Havana, 53; New York, 2,888; Boston, 1,786; Philadelphia, 440; Brazos, 2; together, 35,066 bales, making an addition to stock of 6,997 bales, and leaving on hand, inclusive of all on shipboard not cleared this day, a stock of 258,803 bales.

STATEMENT OF COTTON.

Stock on hand Sept. 1st, 1848	bales	37,401	
Arrived this week		42,065	
Arrived previously		790,330	832,395
			869,725
Exported past week		35,066	
Exported previously		566,134	601,200
Stock on hand and on shipboard			268,525

Our last report left the Cotton market in a rather quiet state, and the demand on Saturday opened also feebly, but later in the day a very animated enquiry sprung up which led to the impression that later accounts from Liverpool of a favorable nature had been received. The sales amounted to 13,000 bales and towards the close of the day it was ascertained that the Telegraphic despatches had come through announcing the arrival of the America at Halifax, with dates from Liverpool to the 24th ult. On Monday, these despatches were published, and showed that the Cotton market in Liverpool had advanced ⅛d., whilst the sales had been on an unusually large scale, having reached on one day the enormous figure of 50,000 bales. Factors in consequence advanced their demands, but failed to be promptly met by purchasers, the market has since then been rather quiet. The sales on Monday were 5,000 bales; Tuesday 3,000, Wednesday 4,000, yesterday 6,500 and to-day 5100, making a total for the week, of 36,500 bales. Buyers for England have been the principal operators, and the remaining purchases were made for the Continent and for the North.

LIVERPOOL CLASSIFICATION—LOUISIANA AND MISSISSIPPI.

Inferior	5 a 5¼
Ordinary	[illegible]
Middling	[illegible]
Good Middling	[illegible]
Middling Fair	[illegible]
Fair	[illegible]
Fully Fair	[illegible]
Good Fair	[illegible]
Good and Fine	[illegible]

TOBACCO.—Arrived since the 9th inst., 503 hhds. Cleared in the same time, for Havre, 400 hhds; Christiana, 40; Bremen, 3; New York, 172; together, 615 hhds. Stock in warehouses and on shipboard, 8,9[illegible] hhds.

STATEMENT OF TOBACCO.

Stock on hand Sept. 1st, 1848	hhds	14,954	
Arrived this week		503	
Arrived previously		8,466	8,975
			23,929
Exported this week		615	
Exported previously		15,118	15,733
Stock on hand and on shipboard			[illegible]

The demand during the past week has continued good, but owing to the extremely small quantity on sale, the transactions have been confined to 330 hhds., and the prices embrace a wide range. We quote Lugs, 2⅛@3[illegible]; Leaf, Inferior to Common, 3½a4¼; Fair to Fine, 4¾@5¾. Choice selections, 6@6½ cents ⅌ lb. The following particulars embrace most of the sales that have been made: 1 hhd. Ad[illegible] at 6¾c; 11 do, at 5[illegible] and 1 do, at 4c; 16 hhds. Refused, at 2⅝c; 3 do at 2¾@2¾c, 6 do, at 3¼@3¾; 6 do, at 3¼; 2 do, at 3¼; 4 do, at 3½c; 14 do, at 3c; 92 do, at 2¾c, and a few small lots on private terms.

SUGAR.—The demand for Sugar during the past week has been active, and prices have experienced an improvement. The transactions since our last amount to 3,700 hhds., taken both for shipment to the North and West, and we now quote Inferior, 2⅛@3⅛c; Common, 3¼@3¾c, Fair, 3⅞@4; Prime, 4¼@4⅝c, Choice, 5@5¼c ⅌ lb. About 1,000 hhds have been sold in various crops on plantation, at 3⅛@4⅛c ⅌ lb.

MOLASSES—There has been a better demand for Molasses during the past week, which, owing to the scarcity of good lots has brought about an improvement in prices. The sales of the week amount to 4,000 bbls., at a range of 16@20c ⅌ gallon for extreme qualities. We notice sales on plantation of 40,000 gallons above the city, at 14c, and 15,000 below, at 16c ⅌ gallon.

FLOUR.—Increased supplies have had the effect of depressing the Flour market during the past week, and the sales which amount to 10,000 bbls have been made at $4 37½@$4 50 for Ohio, and $4 62½@$5 for Indiana and Illinois, and $5@$5 40 for favorite St. Louis brands.

GRAIN.—The sales of Corn during the past week have amounted to 57,000 sacks, mostly at a range of 40@45c., showing a reduction of 3c ⅌ bushel on the prices that were current last week. During the past two days the transactions have been very light, owing to the smallness of the receipts. There have been sales of Wheat to the extent of 8,000 bushels, at 92@95 ⅌ bushel. Oats have been selling at 30@34c ⅌ bushel in sacks.

PORK.—The market has been characterized by great inactivity since our last, and the sales have been confined chiefly to small parcels, at $10@$10 25 for Mess, and $9 25 for Prime. There have been further transactions in Bulk Pork at the extent of 600,000 lb, at a range of $3 50@$3 65 for hog round.

BEEF.—The dullness of the market which has prevailed for so many weeks, was relieved on Tuesday by the sale of 1,000 bbls., mostly Prime, on private terms. Our previous quotations for Mess were $14@$14 50 for Mess, and $10 50@$11 for Prime. We notice sales of 300 bbls. Prime Mess in tierces in two lots, at $15 50 ⅌ tierce.

BACON.—The market has exhibited a heavy appearance since our last, and prices are barely sustained as the supply is now more than ample to meet the enquiry. We quote Sides from 4½@5c., and Shoulders from 3⅛@4c ⅌ lb, both for old and new.

LARD.—The good demand for Lard noticed in our last weekly report has since then continued, and the sales amount to 3,300 bbls. and 2,400 kegs, at a range of 5@6¾c for the former, and from 6⅛@6¾c ⅌ lb for the latter. Nearly the whole of this business has been done for shipment.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.—The demand is as usual moderate, and without any change in prices. We quote Western Butter 9@16c ⅌ lb, and Cheese 7c ⅌ lb for a good article.

RICE.—A limited business has been done at former rates, say from 3⅝@3½c ⅌ lb, for Carolina.

SALT.—The only sales that have come to our knowledge are 4,000 sacks to arrive—terms not transpired, and 500 sacks coarse, at 80c., delivered. The usual price for the latter, is, however, from 85 @90c in lots to suit purchasers, and fine at $1 25@ $1 30 ⅌ sack, free of drayage.

COFFEE.—There has been a good demand for Rio Coffee during the past week, and about 12,000 bags have found purchasers, at a range of 6⅛@6¾c ⅌ lb, nearly all at inside rates, whilst some sales were also made at 6¾c ⅌ lb. The market closes firmly.

WHISKEY.—The market for this article has presented an inactive appearance since our last, the sales being chiefly in small parcels at 17c ⅌ gallon for rectified. Common has been sold at 18@19c., and two small parcels "Dexter's" brand, at 20½c ⅌ gallon.

BAGGING AND BALE ROPE.—The market remains firm and prices have an improving tendency. We notice sales of 200 pieces and 340 coils at 17 and 9c, both transactions on time with interest added. Small quantities are now selling at 16@17c ⅌ yard for Bagging, and 8½@9c ⅌ lb for Rope.

GUNNY BAGS.—The market was quiet at the beginning of the week, but within the last day or two, 350,000 bags have been sold, chiefly at 9¾c to bales. A small quantity of 3½ bushel bags brought 12½c each.

HEMP.—None arriving and none on sale. Prices are purely nominal.

LIME.—The sales since our last have been confined to lots from second hand, at $1 05@$1 15 ⅌ cask for Thomaston. There have been no arrivals recently.

LEAD.—There have been no sales since our last, the few parcels arriving being for transhipment. Our quotations are of course nominal, the last transaction having been made at $4 12½c.

CANDLES.—There is no change to notice in prices, and the transactions as usual are limited. We quote New Bedford and Nantucket Sperm, 33@34c; Star, 26c ⅌ lb.

TALLOW.—Since our last, there have been sales of 100 bbls. country rendered in two lots, at 7c ⅌ lb. No transactions have taken place in City rendered.

EXCHANGE.—Scarcely any alteration has taken place either in Foreign or Domestic Exchange since our last, but the market on the whole, has been dull. We quote Sterling Bills [illegible] premium [illegible] Bills on New York, at 60 days, [illegible] ⅌ cent. discount, and sight [illegible] ⅌ cent. prem.

EXCHANGE OUT DOOR.

Sterling	5@6¾ ⅌ cent. prem.
France	5f. 31¼@5f. 40.
New York, 60 day bills	2@2¼ ⅌ cent dis.
Do. Checks	½ p. c. dis.@¼ ⅌ ct. prem.
Boston, 60 days	[illegible] ⅌ ct. disc.
Philadelphia, 60 days	[illegible] ⅌ ct. disc.
Havana, at 5 to 6 days	4@5 ⅌ cent disc.

FREIGHTS.—More firmness has been displayed in the Foreign freight market since our last. The engagements include five ships for Liverpool, at ⅝d for Cotton, one for Havre at 1¼c; one for the Mediterranean and another for the North of Europe—terms not transpired. Provisions in tierces for Liverpool have been taken at 6s., and heavy freight at 50s per ton. Cotton in British vessels has been taken at 9-16@9-32d. Coastwise freights are also firmer, owing to the increased amount of heavy stuff offering. See quotations:

FREIGHTS.

COTTON—Liverpool	⅌ lb	9-16@⅝
Havre		@1¼c
New York		⅌ b [illegible]
Boston, &c.		⅌ b ⅜@—
TOBACCO—Cowes, &c.	⅌ hhd.	—@—
London		—@—
Bremen		—@—
Antwerp, Hamburg, &c.		—@—
Liverpool		—@—
Havre		—@11
New York		[illegible]
Boston		[illegible]
Philadelphia		[illegible]
SUGAR AND MOLASSES—to Northern Ports: From the Coast	⅌ hhd.	[illegible]
From the City		[illegible]
BACON—New York		[illegible]
Boston		[illegible]
PORK, &c.—New York	⅌ bbl.	[illegible]
Boston		[illegible]
London		[illegible]
Liverpool		[illegible]
PORK & BEEF—London	⅌ tce.	[illegible]
Liverpool		[illegible]
FLOUR—New York	⅌ bbl.	[illegible]
Boston		[illegible]
London		[illegible]
Liverpool		[illegible]
LEAD—New York	⅌ ton	[illegible]
Boston		[illegible]
WHEAT—Northern ports	⅌ bush	[illegible]
London		[illegible]
Liverpool		[illegible]
CORN—Northern ports	⅌ bush	[illegible]
London		[illegible]
Liverpool	⅌ 60 lb.	[illegible]
HEMP—New York	⅌ ton	[illegible]
Boston		[illegible]
Europe	⅌ lb	[illegible]

☞ We are requested to call special attention to the sale of fifty building Lots, which will take place THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, at the St. Louis Exchange, by J. Vignie, auctioneer. On each Lot are attached Citizens' Bank Stock. The terms are consequently very long, and conditions liberal. For further particulars, see advertisements.

NOTICE.

To the Voters of the First Municipality.

I having come to my knowledge that a doubt arises as to my being eligible to a place in the General Council, on account of having at this time contracts with the Municipality, I beg to inform the voters and citizens that the law of 1816, which has not been amended, states that the Mayor, Recorders and Aldermen cannot become lessees of the Municipalities, or of any of their contracts, but no law exists declaring that if a candidate for the General Council is, at the time of election, a lessee. Therefore, I stand as a legally qualified candidate for one of the General Council of First Municipality before my fellow-citizens.

m17-3t PHILIP WILLMANN.

☞ The packet ship MEDIATOR, Captain Buffum, is now discharging opposite the Vegetable Market, 1st M'y. Consignees are requested to attend immediately to the receipt of their goods on the Levee; otherwise they will be stored at their expense and risk. JNO. O. WOODRUFF & CO.
m17 93 Magazine.

☞ Consignees of the following [illegible] consigned to Order, per ship Mediator, Buffum, master, from New York, will please make their residence known to the discharging Clerk, on the Levee, opposite the Vegetable market, 1st Municipality, otherwise they will be stored at their expense and risk, viz:

B & P—12 pipes Gin;
(In a diamond) J—16 Cords;
J—2 Bales;
J—1 Pkg. Rope;
H—25 bbls. Sperm Oil;
H—37 cases Cheese.

JOHN O. WOODRUFF & CO.
m17 93 and 95 Magazine st.

☞ Ship GENESEE, Captain Watts, from Boston, is now discharging opposite Post 19, Second Municipality. Consignees are requested to take out their permits within five days, otherwise their goods will be sent to the public store at their own expense and risk. L H GALE, 93 Common st.
m15

THE Public are warned against receiving or trading for the following NOTES, the person to whom those notes are given having left the city without satisfying for the same, viz:

1 note, at 1 year, dated 1st Jan. 1849, for $240 00
1 do 2 do do do 444 44
1 do 3 do do do 444 44

Said notes are drawn by MRS. TREME COIRON, to her order.

Double Action Harps.

J. F. BROWNE, Manufacturer, London and New York, begs to inform his friends and the admirers of the beautiful instrument, that he has arrived at New Orleans, and will be happy to attend to any orders he may receive, or for repairs, strings, etc., at the St. Charles Hotel.

J. F. B. would call the attention of, on the arrival of the Harriet and Martha, hourly expected, an excellent assortment of HARPS, to which he would call the attention of the élite and professional talent of New Orleans.

J. F. BROWNE & CO.,
m17 1w 295 Broadway, New York.

Good Occasion for a Drayman.

FOR SALE—For cash—a negro man, a drayman, and a horse [illegible] about 27 years old; the dray is almost new, and the horse is very good. For terms and conditions, apply at the corner of Common and Tchoupitoulas streets.
m17 [illegible]

Grocery for Sale—On Account of Departure.

FOR SALE, the Grocery store situated at the corner of Bagatelle and Moreau streets. The conditions apply on the premises. m17-[illegible]

CIGARS—115,000 imported Havana Cigars, now landing from brig Adams Gray, consisting of the first and second qualities of Regalia, Imperiales, Lond[illegible] and Milliards, etc.; also 800 [illegible] in store. For sale, at moderate prices, and in quantities to suit purchasers, by J M CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee.
m17

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS.—3,200 cases in store, comprising a complete assortment of fresh and fashionable goods, for sale by K. G. H. [illegible]
m17 12 Customhouse st

BOOTS, SHOES and BROGANS—Now landing from ship Chas. Lander, and in store, a general assortment of Boots, Shoes and Brogans, for gentlemen, ladies and misses. For sale by FROST & CO., 13 Magazine st.

PALM LEAF HATS.—40 cases Palm Leaf Hats, assorted qualities, now landing and for sale by FROST & CO., 16 Magazine st.

SPERM OIL—5000 gallons fall and winter Sperm Oil, for sale by J W STANTON & CO, corner Magazine and Lafayette sts.
m17

CEMENT—300 bbls. Louisville, per steamer Uncle Sam to arrive, and for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, 98 Magazine st. and 11 Red Stores.
m17

LANDING ex brig Salvadora from Havana 91 bags prime Havana coffee, 25,000 superior cigars of the manufactory of La Marina, for sale by LABORDE & XIQUES, 31 Common st
m17

LATHS—300 M 1⅛ inch, to arrive, and for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, 98 Magazine, and 11 Red Stores, 3d M'y.
m17

CIDER—16 bbls. New Jersey Cider, for sale by J W STANTON & CO., corner Magazine and Lafayette sts
m17

HONEY—Superior white Havana Honey, in bbls of from 23 to 25 gallons, for sale by LABORDE & XIQUES, 31 Common
m17

RIO COFFEE—1000 bags of various qualities, for sale by J. W. STANTON & CO., Cor. Magazine Lafayette sts.
m17

QUININE—In store and for sale by E J HART & CO., 25 Tchoupitoulas st.

JUJUBE PASTE—For sale by
m17 E J HART & CO. 25 Tchoupitoulas st

SPICED CHOCOLATE, for sale by
m17 E. J. HART & CO, 25 Tchoupitoulas

HAY—400 bales eastern Hay, for sale by C. J. WHEELER, Broker, 5 Bank Place.

SALAERATUS—50 casks, for sale by
m14 H. A. NORCROSS & CO, 86 Magazine st.

PIMENTO—100 bags, for sale by
m14 H. A. NORCROSS & CO, 86 Mag st.

PEPPER—200 bags, ex ship Tennessee, for sale by
m14 H. A. NORCROSS & CO 86 Magazine st.

HAY—100 tons Hay, for sale by
m15 C J WHEELER, Broker, 5 Bank Place.

RICE—100 casks, ex ship Convoy, for sale by
m15 H. A. NORCROSS & CO., 86 Magazine st.

CLARET WINE—1,000 boxes, with caps and labels landing ex ship Oscar, from Bordeaux, and for sale by RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 Old Levee st.
m16

HAVANA SUGAR—118 boxes assorted sugar, landing from brig Adams Gray, and for sale by F. A. DEGELAN & CO., corner of St. Louis and Old Levee.
m16

HAVANA COFFEE—300 bags landing ex brigs Adams Gray and Heroine, from Havana, for sale by RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 Old Levee.
m16

GUNNY BAGS—60,000 new 2½ bushel, in bales and bundles, and 10,000 second hand, in bales, for sale low to close, by
m16 C J WHEELER, Broker, 5 Bank Place

SALT—7000 sacks coarse and fine Liverpool; 3000 sacks Turks Island; 1000 bags Bonaire; and 1500 bags St. Martin's Salt, for sale by
m16 C J WHEELER, Broker, 5 Bank Place

SODA ASH—In hhds., tierces and bbls., for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, 98 Magazine st. and 11 Red Stores.
m15

LIME—5000 bbls. Thomaston Lime, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, 98 Magazine st.
m15

PLASTER—300 bbls. Cogrins & Co's, Philadelphia, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, 98 Mag. st. and 11 Red Stores, 3d M'y.
m14

LATHS—300,000 ⅛ inch, to arrive, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, 98 Magazine, and 11 Red Stores, 3d M'y.
m15

HAVANA SUGAR—75 bxs Brown, landing ex brig Adams Gray, from Havana, and for sale by
m15 RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 Old Levee

COFFEE—600 bags, landing ex brig P. Soule, and for sale by TROISGROS & LAMPRE, 36 Old Levee.

SEGARS—100,000 Regalia & Millar, landing from brig P Soule, from Havana, for sale by
m15 TROISGROS & LAMPRE, 36 Old Levee.

INDIGO—4 seroons, landing ex brig P. Soule from Havana, and for sale by
m15 TROISGROS & LAMPRE, 36 Old Levee.

HONEY—13 bbls and casks landing from brig P. Soule, from Havana, for sale by
m15 TROISGROS & LAMPRE, 36 Old Levee.

LIVERPOOL SALT—4,000 sacks coarse and fine for sale by
m15 C. J. WHEELER, Broker, 5 Bank Place.

GUNNY BAGS—[illegible] new [illegible] bushel Gunny Bags, in bales and bundles, for sale by
m15 C J WHEELER, Broker, 5 Bank Place.

WAX—8 bales Yellow Wax, landing from brig P. Soule [illegible] for sale by
m15 TROISGROS & LAMPRE, 36 Old Levee.

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MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS.

Council of Municipality No. One.

Sitting of Monday, 8th Jan., 1845.

RESOLVED, That it shall be the duty of all owners, tenants or keepers of houses, stores, court yards or other lots of ground fronting any street or any public way within the city, to sweep or cause to be swept regularly every day the banquette, to scrape or cause them to be scraped as often as requisite, in order to remove the layer of earth that may have been there formed; the said sweeping and cleaning must be completed every day by 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and in case of neglect or refusal to comply with aforementioned commands, the police officers shall report every such offender to a court of competent jurisdiction, who shall fine each of them not less than two dollars, nor exceeding four dollars, for every such offence.

[Signed] JH. GENOIS, Recorder.
Approved 7th January, 1845.
[Signed] E. MONTEGUT, Mayor.
A true copy: A. D. CROSSMAN, Mayor.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS,
March 15th, 1849.

THE Commissaries of Police of their respective Wards are particularly requested to carry the foregoing ordinance into operation.
m15 A. D. CROSSMAN, Mayor.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS of Municipality No One.

THE annual examination of the Public Schools of Municipality No. One, will commence on MONDAY, the 19th instant, under the management of the Superintendent and of the Board of Directors.

The Schools shall be examined in the following order:

I.—Girls' Schools.

Monday, March 19—First Ward School, St. Louis street, between Rampart and Burgundy.

Tuesday, March 20—Fifth Ward School, Burgundy street, between Union and St. Philip.

Wednesday, March 21—Sixth Ward School, corner of Hospital and Dauphine streets.

Thursday and Friday, March 22 and 23—High School, Rampart street, between Main and St. Philip.

Saturday, March 24—Seventh Ward School, Rampart street, between Main and St Philip.

Monday, March 26—Second Ward School, corner of Canal and Franklin streets.

II.—Boys' Schools.

Tuesday, March 27—Fifth Ward School, corner of Claiborne and St. Peter streets.

Wednesday, March 28—Sixth Ward School, Dauphine street, between Ursulines and Hospital sts.

Thursday, March 29—First Ward School, Conti street, between Bienville and Dauphine streets.

Friday, March 30—High School, Orleans street, between Marais and Villere.

The parents, guardians, and relatives of the scholars, and all other citizens, are respectfully invited to attend.

By order of the Board,
m14 JH. REYNES, Secretary.

To the Public.

AS I am about leaving this city in order to pay a visit to my family (in Portugal), I hereby request every person who may have any claim against me, to call within ten days of this date at the Coffee House of Mr Francis Roque, corner of St. Ann and Bourbon streets.

ANTONIO FRANCISCO LIAL.
New Orleans, 13th March, 1849. m14—10t

Notice.

THE undersigned has the honor of informing his friends and the public, that he will open his Garden on Saturday next, 17th instant, on Canal street, near the corner of Baronne, State House Garden. There will be found in said Garden, as formerly, from 11 o'clock A. M. till night, Ice Creams and Sherbets of every description, Iced Lemonades, Punch à la Romaine, &c. He has just received from France a large assortment of Fruits and Juices—very fresh. He assures the public that his Creams and Sherbets will be superior this year to any previous.
m15 H. WILLOZ.

FOR SALE—A fine House, with four apartments and a kitchen, divided in two with chimneys, yard, privies, well, etc., situated on Orleans street, between Galvez and Johnson sts. The Lot measures 32 feet front on Orleans street, by a depth of 74 feet. For terms, apply to
m15-3t JOHN WILLIS, 66 St Peter st.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY from the undersigned, the griff woman ANNE CHARLOTTE, or ANNA, aged about 30 years, 4 feet 6 inches in height. She wore when she left a grey linen gown—she has a flat nose and the teeth [illegible] and a large mouth, speaking English only. The above reward will be given to whoever will lodge her in one of the jails, or bring her back to her mistress, No. 30 Burgundy, between Bienville and Conti streets.
m15 3t F. TESSIER.

Gas Light Company.

NEW ORLEANS, March 13, 1849.

A DIVIDEND of Two and a half per cent from the Assets of the late Bank Department will be paid to the Stockholders of this Institution, on and after the 1st of April next. P. N. WOOD, Treasurer.
m14—eod1m

Notice to the Public.

HERCULES COFFEE HOUSE—Old Levee.

THE undersigned have the honor of informing their friends and the public that they will open the above Coffee House on SATURDAY 17th inst., and solicit their visits. Besides the well selected choice of his Liquors, he will constantly keep the Petit Gourmet, of "Pig and Whistle," of a superior quality, which amateurs may judge by tasting.—There is also a Billiard Table, for the convenience of amateurs. Attentive bar-keepers will be in attendance. Coffee, Milk and Chocolate may be had at any hour.
m14-3t P. DINET, SON & PALVADORE MAS

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY, about 18th January, the Mulatto Boy SUNDAY, about 10 or 11 years old, of small stature, light colored and distinguishable by his small flat nose. He has a cunning look, is very playful and speaks English, German and some French. The above reward will be paid by the undersigned to any person delivering to him said slave at his residence, No. 173 Old Levee street.
m14 3t J. PH. SIMON.

Spring Prints.

JUST received in store, and also landing, an unusually large stock of PRINTED CALICOES, of all the new styles that have come out this Spring, from the different printing establishments in this country, and many of the Foreign styles, that will be sold very low by the piece or package.
m13 J H PALMER, 56 Gravier st.

LANDING ex ship Oscar, from Bordeaux—10 cs Pauillac Claret; 20 do St. Estephe; 40 do Haut Brion; 10 do Lafitte; 25 do St. Julien; 25 do Ch. Margaux; 50 do Cos Selbor; 20 do Haut Sauterne; 50 do Muscat; 50 of casks Haut Sauterne; 44 do Graves; 45 bbls Vinegar; 12 qr. pipes Brandy, 4th proof; 25 do do Dupuy; 40 boxes Absynth, for sale by VOR. MAIGNAN, 97 St. Louis st.

WINES—70 casks old Chateau Haut Brion Claret from Eugene Larrieu 1841; 50 boxes do do 1841; 24 boxes old Lanel 1840; 60 baskets Champagne, Wine, Bonet Mathieu, for sale by
m17 EDWARD SHIFF, 76 Canal st.

Copenhagen Cherry Cordial.

FIFTY boxes (quarts and pints) of superior quality Cherry Cordial, for sale by A. B. RINGGOLD, No. 20 Bank Place.
m17 6t

LANDING ex ship Oscar, from Bordeaux—24 casks good ordinary Wine; [illegible] White Wine; 30 quarter pipes real Cognac Brandy, 4th proof, POLGET FILS, 19 Conti, between Chartres and Levee.
m13

GREEN PEAS—17 cases of 24 boxes each; 4 do do 50 ½ do do; 1 do do 50 ¼ do do.
For sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., 17 and 19 St. Louis st.
m12

LANDING ex ship Oscar, from Bordeaux—1 box, containing 200 boxes, half and quarter, assorted Truffled Pies, 4 cases, containing 200 boxes, half and qr. Mushrooms in oil, for sale by FERRON FRERES, corner Royal and Domain sts.
m12

SARDINES—10 cases, of 94 boxes each; 14 do 50 half do; 5 do 100 half do, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., 17 and 19 St. Louis st.
m12

SUGAR—305 boxes white, yellow and brown, landing from brig P. Soule, from Havana, for sale by TROISGROS & LAMPRE, 36 Old Levee.
m15

TOBACCO—17 bales Vuelta de Abajo for wrappers and fillers, landing from brig P Soule from Havana, for sale by
m15 TROISGROS & LAMPRE, 36 Old Levee.

BRANDY—15 quarts 4th proof, and 10 bbls 1st proof, entitled to debenture, for sale by FERRON FRERES, corner Royal and Domain sts.

HAMILTON TICKS—30 cases Hamilton Ticks, in store and for sale by
m9 DeFOREST & CO., 30 Customhouse st.

COTTON HDKFS.—30 cases various styles and patterns, in store and for sale by
m9 DeFOREST & CO., 30 Customhouse st.

FRENCH JACONETS—4 boxes landing ex ship Delaware, from Havre, for sale by H. PAVILLIER, 28 Chartres st., up stairs.

RED WINE—141 barks, landing ex ship Oscar, from Bordeaux, for sale by A. MOLIER, 38 Old Levee.

SPOOL COTTON—100 cases spool cotton (Munson's) in store and for sale by
m9 DE FOREST & CO., 30 Customhouse st.

FIGURED LAWNS—30 cases Jaconet Lawns, subject to debenture, for sale by
m9 DE FOREST & CO., 30 Customhouse st.

BLACK COTTON VELVET—A superior article, in store and for sale by
m9 DE FOREST & CO, 30 Customhouse st.

BLUE DRILLS—15 cases Blue Drills, in store and for sale by DE FOREST & CO, 30 Customhouse st.
m9

DRILLS—4 boxes superior colored Drills, for sale by H. PAVILLIER, 28 Chartres st., up stairs.
m9

SARDINES—6000 half boxes Sardines in Oil, for sale by TH. BAILLY, BLANCHARD & CO., 30 Customhouse st.
m9 15t

SWISS MUSLINS—1 case Swiss Muslins for sale by TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO., 30 Customhouse st.

CHAMPAIGNE—[illegible] baskets for sale by TH. BAILLY, BLANCHARD & CO., 30 Customhouse st.
m6—15t

PRINCIPE CIGARS—[illegible] of the well known Steamboat brand, entitled to debenture, for sale, at moderate prices, by
m10 J M CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee.

LANDING—Ex ship Nevee, from Marseilles—16 bales, 3 points, French Blankets, for sale by TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO., 30 Customhouse st.
m9-12t

NOW LANDING—Ex ship Oscar, from Bordeaux: 50 casks White Wine, Haut Sauterne; 50 do Red, Queyries; 10 do Old Cognac; 15 qr casks Cognac, 4th proof; 10 hf do do do. For sale by FERRON FRERES, Corner Royal and Main sts.
m9

Printed Lawns and Organdies.

JUST opened, the largest and handsomest assortment of Printed Lawns, Organdies, Muslins and Ginghams, that I have ever seen exhibited in this city. J. H. PALMER, 56 Gravier st.
m14

HAVANA CIGARS—A large and well selected stock of the most favorite brands of Havana Cigars, always on hand, and for sale by LABORDE & XIQUES, 31 Common st.
m14

CHAMPAIGN WINE—[illegible] brand, landing ex ship Delaware, from Havre, and for sale by
m16 RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 Old Levee.

CLARET [illegible]

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CANDIDATES for ALDERMEN.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please to announce as Candidates to the General Council of First Municipality,

MR. C. ROSELIUS,
" JULES BENIT
" L. SURGI
m14 " PHILIP WILLMAN

☞ We are requested to announce Mr. L. J. HARKIN to represent the First Municipality at the General Council. m17

MR. EDITOR—Please announce Mr. CHARLES M. EMERSON as a candidate for Alderman of the First District. m16

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please to announce Mr. F. CALONGNE as a candidate for the office of Alderman, to represent the Fifth Ward of Municipality No One.

☞ We are authorized to say that a majority of the voters of the First Ward will support for re-election, RICHARD HAGAN, LUCIUS C. DUNCAN, E. W. MONTGOMERY.
m14

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce Mr. ALEXANDER DEKER, as a candidate for the office of Alderman of the Sixth Ward of the First Municipality, at the election of April next.
m13 SIXTH WARD.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please to announce Mr. F. M. CROZAT, as a candidate for the office of Alderman to represent the Fifth Ward of Municipality No. One.
m12 NUMBER OF FRIENDS.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please to announce Mr. E. BARTHE, as a candidate for the office of Alderman to represent the Seventh Ward of the First Municipality. m12

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce that Mr. L. P. BUREAU will be supported at the next Municipal election, as a candidate for Alderman to represent the 6th Ward of the First Municipality, by
m10-td A LARGE NUMBER OF VOTERS.

MESSRS. EDITORS—You will please announce Mr. JEAN CERON as a Candidate to represent the 6th Ward of Municipality No. One.

MR. EDITORS.—Please announce MR. FRANCOIS CORREJOLLES as a Candidate for the Office of Alderman of the 6th Ward, 1st Municipality. m9

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce J. F. BERCIER, as a candidate for the office of Alderman of the 4th Ward, of the First Municipality, at the election of April next. FOURTH WARD.

MESSRS. EDITORS—You will please announce Mr. ADOLPHE DUPRE as a Candidate for Alderman to represent the 7th Ward, 1st Municipality.

MESSRS. EDITORS—You will please announce Mr. CHEVALIER JUMONVILLE as a Candidate to represent the 7th Ward of Municipality No. One.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce GEORGE CLARK, as a candidate for Alderman of the 5th Ward, 1st Municipality, at the election in April.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce Mr. E. GIQUEL, as a candidate for Alderman for the Sixth Ward, First Municipality. m6

☞ MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce Mr. J. A. BONNEVAL, as a candidate at the next Municipal election, to represent the 6th Ward of Municipality No. One. m6

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please to announce EMILE WILTZ, as a candidate for Alderman of the Fifth Ward, First Municipality, at the ensuing election in April next. MANY VOTERS.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please to announce Mr. JOSE BARNES, as a candidate for member of the Council of the Sixth Ward, First Municipality, at the election in April next.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce Messrs. JOSEPH LANATA and ADOLPHE MAZUREAU, as candidates for members of the Council of the Third Ward First Municipality, at the election in April next.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please to announce Mr. PAULIN BLANQUE, as a candidate for member of the Council of the Fourth Ward, First Municipality, at the election in April next.

☞ MESSRS. EDITORS—Please to announce J. L. PASSE, as a candidate for Alderman of the 4th Ward, 1st Municipality, at the ensuing election in April. MANY VOTERS.

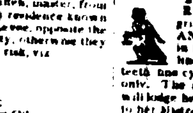
City Bank.

New Orleans, 12th March, 1849.

AT an election held by the Stockholders on the 5th instant, the following named gentlemen were elected Directors of this Institution for the ending year, viz:

Peter Conrey, Jr.,	L. Matthews,
W. H. Avery,	A. Brother,
J. W. Stanton,	Jos. W. Carroll,
Wm. Tufts,	M. O. H. Norton,
Geo. N. Squires,	Henry Renshaw,
E. J. Walsh,	Rob. Dyas.

And at a meeting of said Directors, held this day, Peter Conrey, Jr., Esq., was unanimously elected President.
m13 R. J. PALFREY, Cashier.



HEAD QUARTERS

LOUISIANA LEGION—GEN. ORDERS, No. 5.

Honors to Ex-President Polk.

New Orleans, March 16, 1849.

THE distinguished citizen who has filled the highest office in the gift of the American people, during the late eventful and glorious Presidential term, JAMES K. POLK, is expected shortly to arrive in our city, on his way to Nashville.

It behooves the citizen soldiers composing the Louisiana Legion, to unite with the rest of our fellow citizens in welcoming the ex-President and paying due homage to one who has so large a part as may be ascribed to them in the testimonials of public respect to be manifested on that occasion.

Therefore, the Louisiana Legion will stand prepared at the shortest notice to assemble in arms on the Place d'Armes.

A salute of 21 guns shall be fired from the Place d'Armes on the arrival of the ex President in our city.

The Officers of the Legion will then immediately assemble in full uniform at the City Hall.

Col. J. Tore, commanding the Infantry, Lieut. Col. Vigne, commanding the Cavalry, and Major Gally, commanding the Artillery, are charged with their respective commands, with the execution of the present order.

D. AUGUSTIN, Brig. General.
E. P. DUPREY, Aid de Camp. m12

Head-Quarters, Louisiana Legion.

New Orleans, March 13, 1849.

SPECIAL ORDERS, No. 2.

THE Officers of the line of the Light Infantry battalion, attached to the regiment of infantry of the Louisiana Legion, shall assemble on SATURDAY, the 17th instant, at 4 o'clock, P. M., at the State Arsenal, in order to proceed to the election of a Major of the regiment of infantry, commanding the said battalion, in the place of Major Fiesca, resigned.

The poll shall be presided over by Maj. F. Chalry, Brigade Inspector, Capt. D. Gusman, Assistant, and Lieut. Hunten, Secretary; and shall be closed at 6 o'clock, P. M.

The result of the said election shall be certified by the presiding officers, and submitted to Head quarters.
m13 D. AUGUSTIN, Brigadier-General

PIANOS.

The undersigned has the honor to inform artists and amateurs that the Excellent Horizontal PIANO, large size, with eleven octaves, manufactured by Pleyel, used by

Mr. STRAKOSCH,

in his concerts in New Orleans, was from the store of Mr. A. Perier. This instrument is offered for sale, together with an assortment of Erard's Pianos, just received from Paris, such as Erard's large seven octave Concert Pianos and Picolos, with oblique corde.

These instruments are offered on terms suitable to purchasers. A. PERIER, 292 Royal st., between Ursuline and St. Philip sts.
m13

Cheap Garden, Farm and Flower Seeds.

Fruit Trees, Plants and Shrubbery—Warranted the growth of 1848.—The subscriber with pleasure informs his best friends and the public, that he has just opened a branch Seed and Plant store, expressly for the accommodation of his country customers, No. 20 Canal street, where the very best quality of Fresh Garden, Farm and Flower Seeds, Plants and Shrubbery will be sold at prices much lower than any other in this city. Please call at No. 19, Gravier, or 20 Canal street, before purchasing and judge for yourselves.

☞ P. S. I have no connection with any other house in this city.
f24 WM. DINN, Agent.

LANDING ex ships Arthemise and Ivo, from Bordeaux, and for sale by the subscriber—150 casks Claret, sundry kinds; 100 bbls. Haut Sauterne Wine; 300 boxes Claret; 100 do. Haut Sauterne White Wine. G. M. LUCAS, f13 30 Bienville.

LANDING—Ex ship Oscar, Capt. Labery, from Bordeaux—8 qr pipes old Brandy Cognac, 1831; 1st proof, Henry Buttine brand; 8 bxs Red Putty; 1 do Green do; 1 do Yellow do; 16 casks Haut Sauterne, White Wine; 76 bbls do do; 12 casks old Claret; 6 do St. Estephe, 1840, for sale by
m9 S. TALAMON, 182 & 188 Royal st.

HAVANA CIGARS—2,000,000 of imported Havana Cigars, comprising a full assortment of Imperiales, Regalias Canones, Panetelas and Millares, for sale, at moderate prices, and in quantities to suit all purchasers, by
m10 J. M. CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee st.

WINES—Landing ex ship Nevee—160 casks Red Wine; 198 bbls White do; 50 do Claret; 40 do Madeira; 30 do Port; 25 boxes Green Wine; 100 do Orange Flower Water; 150 do Claret; 130 do Cote Rotie Wine. Also 350 baskets Olive Oil, 24 ounces; 20 do do, (12 half bottles); 150 boxes assorted Vermicelli; 50 do Vermicelli and Maccaroni; 30 do blue Soap; 78 bales Lanquedoc Almonds; 150 boxes Syrup and Brandy Fruit. For sale by
m8 PAUL JUGE, FILS & CO, 27 St. Louis st.

GREEN PEAS and MUSHROOM—22 cases of 50 1-2 boxes each Green Peas; 25 do of 94 whole do do do; 6 do of 94 do do Mushroom. For sale by O. VALETON & CO., 21 Tchoupitoulas st.
m8

CORKS—Landing ex ship Nevee, 20 bales fine regular Corks 13,500 each; 5 do do 20,000 each; 5 do do 10,000 each; 3 do do 13,000 each superfine, for sale by PAUL JUGE, FILS, 27 St. Louis street.
m8

BRANDY COGNAC—Entitled to debenture—10 hf pipes Cognac, 4th proof; 20 qr do, do, do, 4th proof; 20 eighths do, do, for sale by PAUL JUGE, FILS, 27 St. Louis.
m8

BRANDY FRUITS—100 boxes Apricots and Prunes in Brandy; 50 do. Brandy Cherries, for sale by O. VALETON & CO, 21 Tchoupitoulas.
m8

HAVANA CIGARS—226,700 Cigars, assorted qualities, landing ex brig Salvadora, from Havana, and for sale by
f7 J M CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee.

ASSORTED PICKLES, OLIVES AND CAPERS—500 cases, landing ex ship Nevee, from Marseilles, for sale by O. VALETON & CO., 21 Tchoupitoulas st.
m8

WINDOW GLASS AND WHITE LEAD—700 boxes Window Glass; 30,000 pounds [illegible] No. 1 white Lead, for sale by NATHAN JARVIS & CO., Corner Magazine and Common.
f10

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS—114 cases, now landing from ships York and Goodwin, for sale by W. DUNBAR, 30 Customhouse st.

CLARET WINE—300 boxes Wine, caps and labels, landing ex ship Oscar, from Bordeaux, and for sale by RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 Old Levee.

[illegible]

AMUSEMENTS, &c.

Aerial Solemnity—Grand Ascension—Without a Basket.

MR. VICTOR VERDALLE, brother of the celebrated Aeronaut EMMA VERDALLE, will make a grand Balloon Ascension on SUNDAY, 18th inst., at 4 o'clock P. M., from Congo Square.

Mr. Verdalle will ascend without a basket and with his head downwards, and will perform, while in the aerial regions, a number of wonderful feats, such as have never been witnessed in this country. Entrance 50 cents—Children half price. m17

For the Benefit of the Sculptor, Hiram Powers.

Now Exhibiting in the State House, Canal street, the Statue of the GREEK SLAVE.

Exhibition open Daily (Sundays excepted), from 9 A. M. until 9 P. M. Admittance, 25 cents Season Tickets, $1. Pamphlets, 10 cents. f24

Globe Ball Room.

Corner of St. Claude and St. Peter sts., abreast of the Old Basin.

The proprietor would most respectfully inform his friends and the public, that the above splendid and unequalled establishment, having been neatly and tastefully fitted up, will be opened for the season on SATURDAY, the 9th inst. with a GRAND DRESS AND MASKED BALL, and that balls will take place regularly thereafter, every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY.

The Orchestra will be composed of the best Artists now in the city, and nothing has been neglected calculated to render the Room one of the most agreeable places of amusement in the city. An efficient police is engaged, and strict order will be enforced.

SALVADOR VIOSCA, Proprietor.
GEO. H. STEPHENS, Manager.

N. B.—Attached to the establishment is a superior Bar, well stocked with choice wines and liquors; also, a Restaurat, where may be had, at all times, such choice delicacies of the market afford. o23—m

Franklin High School.

Royal Street, (corner of Hospital.)

TEACHERS—LEWIS ELKIN, of Mathematics. JOHN A. BREWSTER, of English & Classics. PIERRE LESESQUE, of French. WM. T. DELANEY, Principal Preparatory Department. JOSEPH VARGAS, of Spanish.

The Classes are in operation the whole year. The Institution continues to receive Boarders half Boarders and Day Scholars. m3

One Hundred dollars Reward.

LOST OR STOLEN from the ship Atlantic while discharging opposite the Vegetable Market: B. & T. St. Louis—

2 bags Coffee; 2 boxes Mdse.;
2 hf chests Tea; 1 dozen Indigo.

The above reward will be paid for the recovery of said goods on application to
m8 J. O. WOODRUFF & CO. 93 Magazine

J. FAIVRE, No. 47 Conti street, (opposite his old stand,) has just received per ships Lyons, Margrave and Pie IX, oblong and square PICOLO PIANOS new model, from the manufactories of Erard and Pleyel, and also Pianos of different descriptions from his manufactory, (improved from system.)

By his direct correspondence, he is enabled to sell at prices and terms to suit.

☞ He leases, tunes and repairs Pianos. f24

MRS. CLARET, Midwife, of the Faculty of Paris, respectfully informs the ladies of this city, who are aware 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 directions of the patient's own physician. References—Dr Stone, Dr Beaud, Dr. Deret. f16 3m

GLASS WARE—300 packages, consisting of Tumblers, Goblets and Wine Glasses, Salt Cellars, Castor Bottles, Sugar Bowls, Night Lamps, Napoleon, 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. 29 Old Levee.
16 3m CHS. MAILLOT

ETIENNE CLAUDE, LOOKING-GLASS MANUFACTURER,

Corner Orleans and Treme streets,

UNDERTAKES the polishing of Looking Glasses and restores their primitive brightness, plating, framing and gilding 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. f21

Five Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY on the 1st inst., from the stable of the undersigned, a red HORSE, full haired, with a scar on the left shoulder, and one of his hind feet white. The above reward will be paid to whoever will bring back to J. Lousper, baker, Treme street, between Barracks and Bayou Road.

RANAWAY on the 15th ultimo, the mulatto AIMAI, about 30 years old, 5 feet, 3 or 4 inches high, speaking French and English, and known as a cook. A liberal reward will be given to whoever will arrest him. Apply to
m5 CHS. DESLARC, 10 Customhouse st. new Building

NOTICE.

THE subscribers have formed this day a partnership to carry on the general Commission business, under the firm of Dufour, Williamson & co.

CHARLES DUFOUR,
JAMES WILLIAMSON,
New Orleans mr 2. PH. GRATIAA.

L. BINOCHE,

RESPECTFULLY informs the ladies of New Orleans, that he will open his Spring Goods on Monday, 5th of March. Wishing to renew his stock this year, he will offer his goods at a very low price.
m1-1m Corner Chartres & Bienville

Board of Public Schools, Municipality No. 1.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Ward Primary School for Boys, has been opened on Thursday, the 1st of March, 1849, at the Soule Chapel. By order.
m3-15t JOSEPH REYNES, Sec'y.

Draughtsman and Practical Engineer.

Office No. 34 Camp Street.

THE undersigned plans, drafts, contracts and superintends the erection of every description of machinery comprised in Cotton Presses, Sugar Machinery, Saw and Planing Mills, &c.

Drawings made for Patentees.
f3-3m F. W. C. COOK.

J. E. LOBRE & CO.,

84 Chartres Street, between Bienville and Conti.

LADIES General Furnishing Store and Toys Bazaar—Trimmings, Gloves, Purses, Fans, Hair Brushes, Dusters, Fancy Boxes, Oil Cloth, Perfumeries, Parasols, Playing Cards and other Games, Reticules and Baskets, &c., &c. f18

Paul Juge, Fils, & C. Fassy,

PAUL JUGE, FILS & CO., Importers of Wines, Brandies, Olive Oil, &c., &c., and Commission Merchants—27 St. Louis street. f21

Watches and Jewelry.

DAVID MELVILLE, Wholesale Dealer, No. 24 Chartres street, up stairs, is receiving, by every arrival from the manufactory of MELVILLE & CO., New York, all kinds of Jewelry. A good supply of WATCHES, &c., of great variety, constantly on sale—the whole of which will be sold at wholesale only, at the lowest New York prices. f21 6m

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. He 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. f13 ly

Paul Aldige & Co.,

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

OFFERS for sale, a complete assortment of Spring Goods, such as: Ginghams, Scotch Cambric, Barèges, Silks, plain Swiss Muslin, embroidered and plaid do; embroidered curtain Muslin, Jaconets, Organdie, 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 Sale.

ONE horizontal Mill of 48 to 50 inches, with carriers chain and all its necessary, as it stands on Mrs. Prevost's plantation.
f26 HOGAN TURBAND & CONAND, 99 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.
Barèges, assorted in colors and quality.
Muslins for Musquito bars, 10, 12 and 25 yards.
" " damasked and embroidered.
Plain and white Musquito Netting, damasked and embroidered, 10, 12 and 25 yards; do do Cotton do 9 yards.
White and Brown Cotton, 3-4, 4-4, 5-4, 6-4, 10-4.
Cambric and Muslin Handkerchiefs, assorted quality.
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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 120 feet front on Washington street; together with a Garden very well divided and set in fruit trees.

A young MALE SERVANT, 13 years of age, fully warranted.

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The HOUSE No. 76 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

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He will undertake zinc roofing, and warrant his for 20 years, without repairs, bathing apparatus, closets, pumps, and all articles in his branch; he also manufactures embossed ornaments of every description.

Apply on the premises, No. 37 Franklin street, between Canal and Bienville streets, where models can be examined.

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MRS. F. PRYER

[illegible] respectfully informs the ladies of the city and country, [illegible] received, per ships Anna and Vesta, [illegible] portion of her winter assortment of Bonnets and Fancy Goods, which she will open on Thursday, 7th inst.

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NOTICE.

[illegible] A. [illegible] having removed his BOOT [illegible] Chartres [illegible]

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