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New-Orleans, April 1849.

Saturday morning, April 14, 1849.

The Executive Committee of the Central Whig Rough Cub will meet at No. 10 Rue Vauban on Monday, 16th inst. at half past 8 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of taking measures to secure a full delegation of the principle native districts of the State, and also Parishes of Louisiana.

The Regular second Mondays of May next will be a full and attendance of the Committee is requested.

ROBERT B. STILES, Chairman.

The Country Mail.

The complaints which reach us from our subscribers in the interior of the State, relative to the irregularities of the mail, are frequent—so frequently a week passes that we do not hear of post, or total failures. Sometimes a part of our country mail is received, sometimes no papers whatever arrive. Nor is the evil confined to the circulation of the *live* name. All the city newspapers which enjoy a large country subscription, suffer from the same neglect and inefficiency in the management of the post office.

One of our subscribers at Pontoudoc, in the Parish of Lafourche—a highly respectable and intelligent gentleman—writes to us under date of the 6 inst., in terms of bitter dissatisfaction. He says: "The disorganization of the department seems to be complete. For the last three months the mail between New Orleans and this place has not arrived three times regularly. Last week it was impatiently expected by the mail was anxiously awaited by persons who were desirous of getting payment of the 15th inst. The mail was at last found. The papers to which we were due, did not arrive—Edinburgh, nor the Bee, nor any other city journal. Under the present administration of the post-office, there is almost invariably the manner in which business is transacted. While there was postmaster, the mail did not lag for an entire term." Our correspondent is repeating us to publish his letter, and by affing that he is prepared to vouch for the truth of his declarations. We hope, for the sake of the subscribers, that the mail will be more regular in future. They have paid their money in advance, and have a right to expect a return for it. Whatever the country may think of the post-office, it is certain that it serves for its money, and that they are entitled to receive the papers. On our side we have taken every pains to regulate our mail, and to remove the Post-Office—Postmaster of New-Orleans—from the city newspapers, which must bear the burthen of the mail, and which, which by which our subscribers are a tax on all the papers for which they will not own interests seriously.

Washington Gossip.

[illegible] Washington correspondent of the New York Courier says the Secretary of the Treasury has directed the custome officers appointed after the act evening the revenue laws to rendezvous at St. Louis between the 1st instant and 1st of May, to be ready to carry force to their destination on San Francisco, from which point the deputy collectors for Monterey, San Diego, &c., will embark. The difficulty of procuring transportation from Panama, and the necessity for the presence of these officers, have rendered this step imperative for the protection of the public interests.

☞ It be a source of deep regret to the friends of members and numerous friends of the Hon. Daniel Duncan, of Ohio, to learn that he has been detained in Washington, by a severe pulmonary attack ever since the adjournment of Congress.

☞ Mr. Which passed the House of Representatives of Massachusetts some time ago, providing for a *plurality* instead of a *majority* vote to elect Congressmen and some other officers, was rejected in the Senate on Wednesday by a vote against it of more than [illegible]

☞ The Hon. Mr. Ewing, Secretary of the Interior, has appointed Mr. Brown, of Ohio, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, in place of Mr. Medill, resigned. Mr. Brown is a lawyer of high character, and a gentleman of the first order of talent. He is a native of Virginia, and a brother of the Hon. Mr. Brown, of Tennessee, Postmaster General.

☞ Mr. Johnson, of Pa., is said to be the successful competitor of Mr. Peacock, for the Navy Department. To-day, Mr. Johnson, of Pa., and his friends gave George W. Crawford, of Georgia, the appointment of Gov. Young of New York, and of Peter Sken, Collector of Philadelphia, are not [illegible]

☞ Of the candidates for the Postmastership arrived here to-day, Mr. Lawrence met at the breakfast table, and this morning.

Mr. Lawrence, Mr. Brown and H. Talmadge are the opposing candidates to New York Marshalship.

☞ Mr. Lawrence, the Presbyterian of Washington, is now here, called on the President this morning.

☞ [illegible] LETTER WRITERS.—[illegible] those writing letters abroad to [illegible] to be sent for transmission by the steamer, should, either in their home for Great Liverpool, must be prepared at the Post Office, with the requisite for each single letter. The New York Commercial states that the letter [illegible] on Wednesday, directed to towns in 1848 elected 6 Whigs and 1 Democrat. If they do as well this year the Whigs will have a majority in both branches of the Legislature. The total vote of the State is nearly 4,000 short of that polled at the Presidential election.

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APPOINTMENTS BY THE PRESIDENT.

OFFICERS OF THE CUSTOMS.

John J. Walker, Collector, Mobile, Ala., vice James E. Saunders.

Isaiah D. Hart, Collector, District of St. Johns, Florida, vice Charles Byrne.

Wm. R. Watson, Collector, Providence, R. I., vice Ben Cowell.

Moses Richardson, Naval Officer, Providence, R. I., vice Silas Comstock.

LAND OFFICERS.

Peter J. Walker, of Alabama, to be Receiver of Public Moneys at Lebanon, Ala.

Edgar Conklin, of Wisconsin, to be Receiver of Public Moneys at Green Bay, Wisconsin.

Thomas E. Birch, of Missouri, to be Register of the Land Office at Plattsburg, Missouri.

William W. Adams, of Arkansas, to be Register of the Land Office at Little Rock, Arkansas.

INDIAN AGENTS.

David D. Mitchell, of Missouri, to be Superintendent of Indian Affairs at St. Louis, Missouri.

Chas. N. Handy, of Missouri, to be Indian Agent at Osage river Agency.

John Wilson, of Missouri, to be Indian Agent at Salt Lake Agency, California.

James S. Calhoun, of Georgia, to be Indian Agent at Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Thomas Winter, Jr., of Pennsylvania, to be the Commissioner authorized by the second case of the 4th article of the treaty concluded with the Menomonie tribe of Indians on the 18th October, 1848.

MARSHALS.

Joseph Bates, of Texas, to be Marshal of the United States for the District of Texas.

Solomon Meredith, of Indiana, to be Marshal of the United States for the District of Indiana.

Charles H. Knox, of Michigan, to be Marshal of the United States for the District of Michigan.

POSTMASTER.

Alpheus S. Williams, Postmaster, Detroit Michigan.

INSPECTORS IN THE PENITENTIARY.

John T. Towers and Thomas Donoho, of Washington, and William H. Eden, of Georgetown, to be Inspectors of the Penitentiary of the District of Columbia.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

Andrew J. Dorn, of Missouri, to be Indian Sub-Agent at Neosho Sub-Agency.

William H. Bruce, of Wisconsin, to be Indian Sub-Agent at Green Bay, Wisconsin.

William Prentiss, of Illinois, to be Indian Sub-Agent on the Sacramento and San Joaquin Rivers, California.

Ebenezer Colfax, of Wisconsin, to be Agent to accompany the exploring delegation of the Menomonie Indians, under the treaty of 18th October, 1848.

George J. Thompson, of Virginia, to be Pension Agent at Wheeling, Virginia.

John Cocke, Jr., of Tennessee, to be Pension Agent at Knoxville, Tennessee.

DEPUTY POSTMASTERS.

Oliver S. Beers, Postmaster, Mobile Alabama.

Rodney Wilbur, Postmaster, Newark, New Jersey.

Alexander W. Russell, Postmaster at Indianapolis, Indiana.

Chas. Morrison, Postmaster at Madison, Wisconsin.

APPOINTMENTS BY POSTMASTER GENERAL.

S. H. McPherson, Postmaster, Pottsville, County, Md., vice J. Harris, resigned.

Stephen B. Fogle, Postmaster, Northeast, Cecil county, Md., vice Richard L. Thomas.

James S. Jones, Postmaster, Snow Hill, Worcester county, Md., vice R. T. Walters.

John P. Brown, Postmaster, Charleston county, Va., vice J. Harris.

John Poole, Postmaster, Rockville, Montgomery county, Md., vice H. F. Viers, resigned.

THE REPUBLICANS IN THE SANDWICH ISLANDS.—In the Polynesian, received by the late arrival from the Sandwich Islands, there was a correspondence between the Government of those islands and Mr. Ten Eyck, the United States commissioner there. The result which followed, our readers are aware, was the cessation of intercourse between the Government and he Commissioner. The New York Tribune throws some light upon the subject, by the publication of a letter from the Sandwich Islands, the writer of which professes to know all the facts in the case, and to have had ocular demonstration of what he alleges, in which it is directly charged that the American Commissioner is the writer of sundry scurrilous newspaper attacks upon the Government, and that the manuscripts of such attacks, in Mr. Ten Eyck's handwriting, are in possession of the Government. The extracts given charge the King of the island with supposing "Ministers for the United States Government, to negotiate upon matters which are especially confided to our Minister at Honolulu." Some of them are in the form of letters from San Francisco, in which Mr. Ten Eyck is ridiculed for his talents, and invited to come and settle there, among his "troops of friends," who know how to appreciate him, and where he will be able to make a fortune. These letters also use hard language against the Government of the islands. He is also charged with having written and published some doggerel verses, the following four lines of which are intended to describe the King:

"Should a monkey wear a crown,
Would he tremble at his frown?
Could we, then, fear the lion roar,
Spy the strutting chattering version?"

There was also a verse of similar character in a similarly offensive style, for the Minister of Finance, also for the Judges of the Supreme Court, the Collectors, Ministers of Justice and Secretary of Foreign Affairs.

From South America, &c.

BOSTON, April 4th.

By an arrival at this port, we have dates from Bahia to Feb 15th. Signs of an outbreak among the Republicans being apparent, the Government took speedy measures to suppress it by planting a number of cannon in the streets. The insurrection finally broke out about 50 miles from Bahia, but the Government quickly put down the same without serious difficulty.

The latest accounts received at Bahia from Pernambuco, represent the country in a quiet condition—Brazil, generally, was in a troubled state.

An arrival from Cape Haytien, states that President Soulouque was marching with an army of about 15,000 men, to attack the Dominicans on the eastern frontier of the island. Every clerk in the public stores had been pressed into the army. The monopoly law was working badly. Soulouque was engaged in buying up provisions to feed the army, who were deserting for lack of food.

CONNECTICUT NOT SO BAD.—The latest returns from Connecticut are some what more favorable than was at first reported. Although three Locos are elected to Congress, their united pluralities do not exceed 350 votes, while Butler, (Whig) has 700 majority. Trumbull, the Whig candidate for Governor, leads Seymour, (Loco.) about 1,000 votes, but the Free Soil votes prevent a choice. The Whigs, it is said, have certainly elected 13 of the 21 Senators, while the House stands 106 Whigs, 95 Democrats and 13 free soil members. Stonington, Wilton, East Haven, Middlebury, Warren and New Canaan, to be heard from. These towns in 1848 elected 6 Whigs and 1 Democrat. If they do as well this year the Whigs will have a majority in both branches of the Legislature. The total vote of the State is nearly 4,000 short of that polled at the Presidential election.

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ARKANSAS.—In thirty-nine counties Wilson, (W.) for Governor, leads Roane (L. F.) 19 votes. The result is doubtful—in itself a triumph for Arkansas.

HOLDEN'S MAGAZINE.—We are indebted to the publisher for the April number of this cheap and well conducted periodical.

BLACKWOOD.—We acknowledge from Weld & Co., 72 Camp street, the March number of Blackwood's Magazine. It is as full of choice reading as an egg is full of meat.

GREAT FIRE IN TORONTO.—A tremendous fire occurred at Toronto, Canada, in the beginning of the month. The greater part of the city was laid in ruins. The loss by the conflagration is estimated at full $600,000.

☞ The Philadelphia Methodist Conference has decided to investigate the case of the Rev. Thomas J. Burroughs, who killed Mr. Bishop on the 23d ult., in Worcester county, Md. The investigation to take place after the accused has had his trial before a jury.

DEATH OF THE STATE ENGINEER.—We regret to announce the death of Col HENRY T. WILLIAMS, State Engineer. He died yesterday, after a short and severe illness, at the St. Louis Hotel. Col. Williams was a gentleman of high respectability, an excellent engineer, active and indefatigable in the discharge of his duties. He leaves behind him a large circle of friends to deplore his sudden demise.

POST MASTER AT MOBILE.—Among the appointments recently made by the President none will give greater satisfaction than that of OLIVER S. BEERS, Esq., as Postmaster of Mobile. From a personal acquaintance with this gentleman, we can testify to his talents and qualifications, to his eminent services in behalf of the Whig party and to the excellent qualities of his heart.

THE LAST LINK BROKEN.—Under this title the New York *Tribune*—a journal well known for its Free Soil sympathies—has an article amply confirming the views we expressed yesterday on the subject of the coalition between Locofocoism and Barnburnerism. We commend the article to the careful attention of the South:

When in October last we urged upon the Free Soil men of Ohio and others that the defeat of Cass and Corwin would emancipate the Northern pretenders to superior Democracy from their long endured vassalage to slavery, there were many who doubted or stubornly disbelieved. Our view of the subject was substantially this: Northern Democracy, so styled, do not steadily uphold slavery from love of it, but as a question of chances and profits. It thrive should cease to "follow fawning," they would come to fawn. Now the defeat of the Nicholson-letter-writer will go far to prove that there is nothing more to be made by going large on that track, and what is found unprofitable will soon become unfashionable.

Have not events already demonstrated the truth of this view? Consider the course of things since Cass was defeated—the utter abolition of the Black Laws of Ohio, by the votes of that party which has hitherto most strenuously upheld them—the election of Benjamin P. Cheer, an original and rank Abolitionist, to the U. S. Senate by the votes of the Cass Democracy—the stringent instructions and pledges of Senator Walker of Wisconsin—the indignant and unsparing denunciations of his treachery and faithlessness by the Legislature which elected him—the election of Senators pledged to Free Soil in Indiana and Illinois in place of Breese and Dougaas—the defeat of Greene in Connecticut, and the election of one pronounce Abolitionist to Congress thereby—and lastly, but most significant, the nomination of Ann Schaick for Mayor at Tammany Hall! Who can fail to discern the sign of the times? This cry was the crowd, of Hankerson in our State, for Solution. But for its vote, Cass would have been elected by the popular aggregate. It was so heavily for Cass that his friends here, for some days cherished sanguine hopes that he had beaten Mr Van Buren in the Senate. The Tammany politicians have gone to the extremity of supporting even the cognate Senator D. S. Dickinson, and have otherwise proclaimed their resolution to make no compromise with the Barnburners, but oppose them to the utmost. And now comes Mr Martin Van Schaick, a leading Van Buren Free Soiler, who went his length against Cass and Butler last year, nominated for Mayor by a majority of the delegates in the Cass party, and likely to be sustained by the great mass of the party.

Does any one imagine that this revolution can go backward? Does any one imagine that the Hunkers of other sections can hold out after those of this city have given in? It seems idle to expect it. The Cass Democracy is on a rapid march to the Buffalo Platform, and its next candidate for President must be a Free Soiler. A Cass man is all-sold-ie. We are far enough from complaining—only waiting and looking on.

ATTEMPT AT MURDER AND SUICIDE.—The following curious story is narrated by the N. Y. *Courier* of the 5th inst.:

The inmates of the Howard Hotel, on the corner of Maiden lane, were thrown into a state of consternation yesterday afternoon by the report of two pistols fired in quick succession in the ladies' parlor. One of the proprietors on hurrying to the room, found there a man named Laban Eastbrook, of Albany, lying on the floor with a pool of blood about him, and his aide standing by uninjured, but most wildly frightened. On enquiring of her as to what had happened, she stated that he had first attempted to shoot her, and had then shot himself, and she added very affectionately, "He's dead and I'm alive, and I'm glad of it." Such language being *rather* suspicious, the lady was taken into custody and a physician sent for to examine the dead man. It turned out, however, that he had only limited from fright and loss of blood, the ball having glanced around from the temple under the scalp, inflicting a deep but not dangerous wound.

As soon as it was found that he was out of danger, his wife was set at liberty, and she made the best of her way out of the house, and, as we presumed, took the first boat for Albany, as all efforts at discovering her have proved unavailing. Word was sent to the Chief Office, and officers Leonard and Brown were despatched to the Hotel, whence they soon returned, having with them Mr. Eastbrook, whose head had been shaved and strapped with a wig to conceal the wound made by the ball, and who treated the whole affair very philosophically. He stated that he married his wife in January last, she claiming to be the widow of a naval officer who had died in the September, but that since his marriage she had not turned out quite so well as he had a right to expect. One of her practices, which did not please him, was her coming down to this city alone from Albany, and latterly he had traced her to a house of very questionable repute in Howard street. On the present occasion, as she had been absent from home two weeks, he came down in search of her, and having heard that she was lounging up at Howard's he went thither, and the sequel has already been told. When told what his wife had said on the appearance of the landlord, he thought it a very good joke and laughed quite heartily at it, though the laugh cost him some headaches, as we could see by the way he held his head.

The Mayor, before whom the matter was brought in the absence of the Chief, allowed Mr. E. to go with his friends.

FLARE UP BROADWAY—AN EDITOR COWHIDED BY A WOMAN.—A most exciting and extraordinary scene occurred in Broadway, at the corner of Duane street, about one o'clock yesterday afternoon, the particulars of which, as we have gathered them from responsible sources, are as follows: Edward Z. C. Judson, editor of a paper well known as *Ned Buntline's Own*, was walking down Broadway, accompanied by two friends. As the three reached the corner of Duane street, a dashing-looking and fashionably dressed female rushed upon Mr. Judson, and, with a cowhide in her hand, demanded of the editor why he had published her name in his paper. To this demand he had scarcely time to make a reply before he received several severe blows on the head and shoulders from the woman, who plied her weapon of revenge most dexterously. He then ran across the street, and until satisfied that she had avenged the insult she had received. A large crowd of persons gathered around immediately, and the belligerent parties separated—the woman walking up Broadway. During the affray, it is alleged that the editor drew a pistol and threatened the life of his fair assailant; but we believe no shots were fired. The woman, we learn, is Miss Kate Hastings, keeper of a boarding-house in Leonard street. The occurrence, taking place as it did at an hour of the day when Broadway is most thronged with spectators, caused a unusual excitement. Mr. Judson, immediately after the affray, proceeded before the Mayor and made an affidavit of the assault; but his Honor, up to a late hour last night, had not issued a warrant for the arrest of Miss Kate. It is possible, however, that his Honor will send for this bold creature this forenoon, as there appears to be some curiosity to see this "female lion," who would dare to horsewhip an editor.—*N. Y. Herald.*

City Intelligence.

FIRST DISTRICT COURT—*Judge McHenry.*—Michael Lundy, accused of killing Patrick Coyle, his brother-in-law, on the 14th January last, was tried yesterday. Some four or five witnesses were examined, and the testimony being very conclusive, for our readers may no doubt remember from the facts elicited at the preliminary examination before Recorder Genoir, the Jury returned a verdict of "manslaughter," (the indictment being framed accordingly) without leaving their seats.

Thomas Rooney, charged with larceny, having stolen a barrel of pork from the levee on the 3d February last, was found guilty.

Thomas McCauley, accused of picking pockets on the 1st February last, was likewise found guilty.

His Honor has rendered a decision, refusing the application for a new trial of Jacob Dreyfous and Henry Levy, convicted of larceny, as moved by their counsel, Messrs. Rosellius and Wolfe, and the accused will accordingly undergo the sentence of the law to-day.

Messrs. Randall Hunt and Cyprien Dufour have moved for an arrest of judgment in the case of Flores, convicted of the murder of Netto. The motion has been made returnable next Saturday.

ORLEANS THEATRE.—The beautiful opera of *Lucia di Lamermoor* will be performed to-night at this popular establishment, for the last time. To-morrow evening Mrs. Richer takes her benefit, and we trust it will prove a bumper. The bill on the occasion is a charming one, comprising Donizetti's favorite opera of *La Fille du Regiment*, and a new vaudeville entitled *La Gardeuse de Bindons* or *Jaglice*, "the superintendent of turkeys."

HIGHWAY ROBBERY AND BRUTAL ASSAULT.—A poor Dutchman by the name of James Hoarpres, who only arrived in this country on Tuesday last, was the victim of a most brutal assault on the Levee, opposite Canal street, on Thursday evening. He was proceeding to embark on board a steamboat, where he had engaged passage for Fort Hudson, having previously taken his trunk on board when he was assailed by four villains, who throttled him, gouged his eye and robbed him of $9, all the money he had in the world, after which they threw him into a mud pit, leaving him in a senseless condition. Towards midnight the poor fellow managed with great difficulty to crawl on a cotton bale and remained there till yesterday morning. He presented himself at the Recorder's office in a most pitiful plight, being covered from head to foot with a coating of hard mud of about the thickness of bale an inch. Unfortunately he will not be able to identify any of the rascals, but we hope they will know where, in all the world, the police could be to find them, unless they happen to be knocked down and robbed on a public thoroughfare at 6 o'clock in the evening.

COMMITTED.—Juan Micolich was committed yesterday by Recorder Genoir, for trial before the First District Court, charged with having assaulted Nicholas Matovich, some three weeks since with intent to kill.

ASSAULT AND STABBING.—John Regan alias Rogers, T. Crosby, T. Crosby and J. D. Scott, were arrested on Thursday evening, in the Second Municipality, charged with having assaulted and stabbed one Michael McMillan, at the Indian Queen coffee house, on the Levee.

CORONER'S INQUESTS.—The Coroner held an inquest yesterday on the body of Michael Tronc, aged 3 years, who was found dead on board the bark Helen & Frances, lying in the Second Municipality. Verdict, "Congestion of the brain."

Also on the body of Francis Prendergast, aged 40 years, a native of Ireland, buried in St Vincent de Paul graveyard, and stated yesterday morning to ascertain whether he had come to his death by foul means. An examination, however, of the deceased, presented no appearance of violence, but was found drowned, and next was discovered that he had been found dead in the river on the opposite side, and seated on a cotton bale. The verdict was rendered of "Death from drowning."

LARCENY.—John Manly was committed yesterday by Recorder Genoir, for trial before the First District Court, on the charge of having stolen several articles of clothing from his lodgings, on Ursulines street, kept by Mrs. Frank George's coffee house in Hospital st.

IN A SPEEP.—John Brown and Thomas O'Donoghue were arrested on Thursday night, for having entered the premises of a Mr. Gaudin, in Chartres st., by breaking open his door. They pleaded having been on a drunken spree, but Recorder Genoir only admitted the latter to bail, in the sum of $500, and the former in $300, to be committed for fifteen days.

ROBBERY AND ASSAULT.—Frederick Binet made an affidavit yesterday before Recorder Genoir, charging one Hilaire Hilaire with having entered his coffee house, at the corner of Tremé and Bienville streets, in company with another man, and carrying away from the counter drawer the sum of 3 cents, after which Hilaire struck him and made off as fast as his legs could carry him. A warrant was issued against the parties.

A QUEER CUSTOMER.—William Mickerson, who arrested yesterday morning at 2 o'clock in the house of Sir Graham on Poydras street where he was found in bed with their mutual paramour, from the sleeping apartment of the latter, was yesterday led to be somewhat oblivious of the matter yesterday morning, but the Recorder required $1000 security for him to keep the peace.

ATTEMPT AT ROBBERY.—Early yesterday morning, when Mr. James Stapleton was in bed, one Charles McKenzie attempted to enter his room by climbing into his window, with the intention of committing a robbery. A complaint was yesterday lodged before Recorder Buzzeneau, and McKenzie was arrested and locked up. He will be brought up to day.

ANOTHER BREAK BY DROWNING.—Between 1 and 2 o'clock yesterday morning, a Chactan named Joseph Allen fell into the Levee, opposite Canal st., in the Third Municipality, and was drowned. It appears that the deceased was intoxicated at the time, and was about crossing the river in his skiff, when he missed his footing and fell into the river. The body has not yet been recovered.

COMMERCIAL

The Markets.

FRIDAY EVENING, April 13th, 1849

The market has displayed but a moderate share of activity since our last, and as not few changes have taken place, we can dispense with any one recapitulation. The news by the *Niagara* has been about counterbalanced by the intelligence by the *Cambria*, which reached us yesterday morning. Its purport will be found in the subjoined telegraphic advices from the *Picayune*:

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BACON—With a good demand and a steadily decreasing stock, prices have taken a further start, and shoulders may now be quoted at 3¾@4c, the money he had in the world, after which they threw him into a mud pit, leaving him in a senseless condition. Towards midnight the poor fellow managed with great difficulty to crawl on a cotton bale and remained there till yesterday morning. He presented himself at the Recorder's office in a most pitiful plight, being covered from head to foot with a coating of hard mud of about the thickness of bale an inch. Unfortunately he will not be able to identify any of the rascals, but we hope they will know where, in all the world, the police could be to find them, unless they happen to be knocked down and robbed on a public thoroughfare at 6 o'clock in the evening.

COMMITTED.—Juan Micolich was committed yesterday by Recorder Genoir, for trial before the First District Court, charged with having assaulted Nicholas Matovich, some three weeks since with intent to kill.

ASSAULT AND STABBING.—John Regan alias Rogers, T. Crosby, T. Crosby and J. D. Scott, were arrested on Thursday evening, in the Second Municipality, charged with having assaulted and stabbed one Michael McMillan, at the Indian Queen coffee house, on the Levee.

CORONER'S INQUESTS.—The Coroner held an inquest yesterday on the body of Michael Tronc, aged 3 years, who was found dead on board the bark Helen & Frances, lying in the Second Municipality. Verdict, "Congestion of the brain."

Also on the body of Francis Prendergast, aged 40 years, a native of Ireland, buried in St Vincent de Paul graveyard, and stated yesterday morning to ascertain whether he had come to his death by foul means. An examination, however, of the deceased, presented no appearance of violence, but was found drowned, and next was discovered that he had been found dead in the river on the opposite side, and seated on a cotton bale. The verdict was rendered of "Death from drowning."

LARCENY.—John Manly was committed yesterday by Recorder Genoir, for trial before the First District Court, on the charge of having stolen several articles of clothing from his lodgings, on Ursulines st., kept by Mrs. Frank George's coffee house in Hospital st.

IN A SPEEP.—John Brown and Thomas O'Donoghue were arrested on Thursday night, for having entered the premises of a Mr. Gaudin, in Chartres st., by breaking open his door. They pleaded having been on a drunken spree, but Recorder Genoir only admitted the latter to bail, in the sum of $500, and the former in $300, to be committed for fifteen days.

ROBBERY AND ASSAULT.—Frederick Binet made an affidavit yesterday before Recorder Genoir, charging one Hilaire Hilaire with having entered his coffee house, at the corner of Tremé and Bienville streets, in company with another man, and carrying away from the counter drawer the sum of 3 cents, after which Hilaire struck him and made off as fast as his legs could carry him. A warrant was issued against the parties.

RETURNED.—Miss Minnie Jane, the beautiful child of Mr. Gordon's, who disappeared a day or two ago, cannot some apprehension, has returned. We do not know how she came to be so long absent, but from the stories that were circulated, we feel a delicacy there is not in a few cases, uncharitable enough to be.

WATCH STEALING.—A man named James Knox was arrested on Thursday night, on the charge of having stolen a watch from Mrs. Ann Bowen.

DETAILING A MAN.—R. J. Blakmore and A. B. Richardson made an affidavit before the Recorder, on Thursday evening, charged by James Dorman with having stolen from him a horse and cab. Examination to-day.

ATTEMPT AT ROBBERY.—Early yesterday morning, when Mr. James Stapleton was in bed, one Charles McKenzie attempted to enter his room by climbing into his window, with the intention of committing a robbery. A complaint was yesterday lodged before Recorder Buzzeneau, and McKenzie was arrested and locked up. He will be brought up to day.

ANOTHER BREAK BY DROWNING.—Between 1 and 2 o'clock yesterday morning, a Chactan named Joseph Allen fell into the Levee, opposite Canal st., in the Third Municipality, and was drowned. It appears that the deceased was intoxicated at the time, and was about crossing the river in his skiff, when he missed his footing and fell into the river. The body has not yet been recovered.

COMMERCIAL

The Markets.

FRIDAY EVENING, April 13th, 1849

The market has displayed but a moderate share of activity since our last, and as not few changes have taken place, we can dispense with any one recapitulation. The news by the *Niagara* has been about counterbalanced by the intelligence by the *Cambria*, which reached us yesterday morning. Its purport will be found in the subjoined telegraphic advices from the *Picayune*:

NEW YORK, April 11, 1849.

Genesee flour sells to day at $5 50. The market is firm, with a good home demand, and some shipping inquiry. Rye is of yellow corn at 55c. Treasury notes ready at 8¾ per cent. premium; new loan 11¾ per cent. premium.

PHILADELPHIA, April 11, 1849.

Very little doing in cotton. Sales of common at 5¾@6c, and of white wheat at 92 to 96c; red 84 to 91c; oats 37 to 38c; yellow corn 51c; new loan quoted at 10¾ premium.

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ARKANSAS.—In thirty-nine counties Wilson, (W.) for Governor, leads Roane (L. F.) 19 votes. The result is doubtful—in itself a triumph for Arkansas.

HOLDEN'S MAGAZINE.—We are indebted to the publisher for the April number of this cheap and well conducted periodical.

BLACKWOOD.—We acknowledge from Weld & Co., 72 Camp street, the March number of Blackwood's Magazine. It is as full of choice reading as an egg is full of meat.

GREAT FIRE IN TORONTO.—A tremendous fire occurred at Toronto, Canada, in the beginning of the month. The greater part of the city was laid in ruins. The loss by the conflagration is estimated at full $600,000.

☞ The Philadelphia Methodist Conference has decided to investigate the case of the Rev. Thomas J. Burroughs, who killed Mr. Bishop on the 23d ult., in Worcester county, Md. The investigation to take place after the accused has had his trial before a jury.

DEATH OF THE STATE ENGINEER.—We regret to announce the death of Col HENRY T. WILLIAMS, State Engineer. He died yesterday, after a short and severe illness, at the St. Louis Hotel. Col. Williams was a gentleman of high respectability, an excellent engineer, active and indefatigable in the discharge of his duties. He leaves behind him a large circle of friends to deplore his sudden demise.

POST MASTER AT MOBILE.—Among the appointments recently made by the President none will give greater satisfaction than that of OLIVER S. BEERS, Esq., as Postmaster of Mobile. From a personal acquaintance with this gentleman, we can testify to his talents and qualifications, to his eminent services in behalf of the Whig party and to the excellent qualities of his heart.

THE LAST LINK BROKEN.—Under this title the New York *Tribune*—a journal well known for its Free Soil sympathies—has an article amply confirming the views we expressed yesterday on the subject of the coalition between Locofocoism and Barnburnerism. We commend the article to the careful attention of the South:

When in October last we urged upon the Free Soil men of Ohio and others that the defeat of Cass and Corwin would emancipate the Northern pretenders to superior Democracy from their long endured vassalage to slavery, there were many who doubted or stubornly disbelieved. Our view of the subject was substantially this: Northern Democracy, so styled, do not steadily uphold slavery from love of it, but as a question of chances and profits. It thrive should cease to "follow fawning," they would come to fawn. Now the defeat of the Nicholson-letter-writer will go far to prove that there is nothing more to be made by going large on that track, and what is found unprofitable will soon become unfashionable.

Have not events already demonstrated the truth of this view? Consider the course of things since Cass was defeated—the utter abolition of the Black Laws of Ohio, by the votes of that party which has hitherto most strenuously upheld them—the election of Benjamin P. Cheer, an original and rank Abolitionist, to the U. S. Senate by the votes of the Cass Democracy—the stringent instructions and pledges of Senator Walker of Wisconsin—the indignant and unsparing denunciations of his treachery and faithlessness by the Legislature which elected him—the election of Senators pledged to Free Soil in Indiana and Illinois in place of Breese and Dougaas—the defeat of Greene in Connecticut, and the election of one pronounce Abolitionist to Congress thereby—and lastly, but most significant, the nomination of Ann Schaick for Mayor at Tammany Hall! Who can fail to discern the sign of the times? This cry was the crowd, of Hankerson in our State, for Solution. But for its vote, Cass would have been elected by