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TERMS OF THE BEE. [illegible]

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MONDAY MORNING, MARCH 25, 1850.

[illegible] the new city charter, [illegible] obtained at this office.

THE NORTHERN MAIL failed yesterday [illegible] Montgomery.

THE NEW CITY CHARTER.

In today's paper will be found the act of the Legislature providing for the Government and Administration of the city, in case the three municipalities should be reunited. It is a very important law, and contains a large number of provisions. In view of its extreme length, we have endeavored to prepare an abstract of its leading features for our readers, who may be [illegible] the whole in detail.

[illegible]

The Treasurer shall receive a commission on all amounts received and collected by him [illegible]. The Surveyor's salary [illegible] $3500. That of the Street Commissioner, and chief of the Police, [illegible]. The City Attorney is to be elected by the Council for two years; he shall receive [illegible] per annum, and shall not be permitted to take a compensation.

The officers under the present Municipal organization shall not be superseded [illegible] new government goes into operation.

ARRIVAL OF FATHER MATHEW.—The Reverend Father Mathew, the great apostle of temperance, arrived at our city on Saturday [illegible] from Mobile. Immediately on his arrival, the Mayor dispatched a communication to the Reverend gentleman, tendering him the hospitalities of the city, in conformity with a resolution [illegible] passed by the General Council. [illegible] Bienvenu of the Second Municipality was the bearer of the invitation, and was received with much cordiality by Father Mathew, who stated that he would answer the communication today. At present we believe that he is the guest of the Right Reverend Bishop of this Diocese.

☞ Our Legislature has done one good thing in our opinion. It adjourned without taking action on the resolution providing for the election of delegates to the Nashville Convention. The project passed the Senate after being stripped of most of its obnoxious features. It died a natural death in the House, no one caring for its fate.

MR. AND MME. LEATI.—The Concert of these eminent vocalists will positively take place tomorrow evening, at the Commercial Exchange Hall. We have every reason to believe it will be a brilliant affair.

☞ We call the attention of Dry Goods dealers to the sale of Dry Goods, to be made THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock, at F. H. Pettiprin's, No. 8 Canal street.

☞ The Ladies and Gentlemen are respectfully solicited by Morley & Nevins, to call at No. 107 St. Charles street next corner Poydras, and examine the magnificent assortment of Bohemian, Venetian Dresden and French Fancy Goods, which are ready for inspection, and will be sold at auction, on Tuesday 26th inst., at 10 o'clock.

LECTURES AT ARMORY HALL.—The Lectures and experiments of Mr. Fiske are producing a greater degree of excitement than ever. On Saturday night there was an overflowing house, and universal satisfaction seemed to have been given. Many of our most respectable citizens are becoming deeply interested in this remarkable subject. Lecture and experiments this evening.

BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

[By the Southern Line.]

[TRANSMITTED TO THE N. O. BEE.]

BALTIMORE, March 22, 1850.

New York Markets.

Cotton further declined ¼c. Eight hundred bales sold. Flour unchanged. Corn 55 a 56. Pork further declined. Mess $10 8?, Prime $10 62½. Lard unchanged. Sugar large supply; 300 hhds. Porto Rico sold [illegible]. Coffee quiet; 1000 bags St. Domingo sold at 9¼. Tobacco declining.

TRIAL OF DR. WEBSTER.—On the trial of Dr. Webster at Boston, to-day, Ephraim Littlefield, the janitor of the Medical College, testified to many new facts against Parkman. (Webster, we suppose, is meant.) Webster's case looks hopeless.

MR. CALHOUN.—We learn from Washington to-day that Mr. Calhoun is dangerously ill, and there is but little hope of his recovery.

NO STEAMER YET.—At New York, at 6 P. M., no news had been received of the steamer.

SECOND DISPATCH.

BALTIMORE, March 22—9½ P. M.

ARRIVAL OF THE NIAGARA.—The steamship Niagara arrived at Halifax to-night. The news has not been expedited here to-night.

THIRD DISPATCH.

The News by the Niagara.

DECLINE IN COTTON. CORN AND FLOUR. PROVISIONS SLIGHTLY IMPROVED.

[illegible] in Tobacco—Improvement in American securities—Unfavorable Accounts from the Manufacturing Districts—France quiet—Greece still Blockaded.

BALTIMORE, Saturday, March 23, [illegible] A. M.

The steamship Niagara arrived at Halifax on Thursday evening, but the wires being down near St. John's, prevented the transmission of the news. The Niagara brings eighty six passengers, and four days' later Liverpool dates of the 9th instant.

The Europa arrived at Liverpool on the 3d instant and the Hermann at Southampton on the 6th.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.—The Liverpool cotton market during the fortnight was dull, and to effect sales holders were obliged to submit to a decline of one-eighth on all descriptions below fair. [illegible] No change in Mobile or Orleans. The [illegible] are fair Orleans, six and [illegible]; Mobile, six and three quarters [illegible]; fair Uplands, six and five eighths. 6⅝. Sales of the fortnight, fifty three thousand three hundred [illegible] bales, speculators taking twelve [illegible] bales. The demand [illegible] Sales last week twenty five thousand [illegible], speculators taking three [illegible] bales, which, American [illegible].

HAVRE COTTON MARKET.—Havre Cotton Market [illegible].

LIVERPOOL CORN MARKET.—The Corn market was extremely dull. Prices of most articles have given way. White Corn slightly declined. Yellow [illegible] Best Western Canal [illegible] declined one shilling [illegible].

[illegible] PROVISIONS, &c. MARKET.—Provisions [illegible] New Flour [illegible].

[illegible]

LONDON MONEY MARKET.—Money slightly improved. Consols closed at ninety six quarters. 96¼ [illegible] American securities in better demand, [illegible] seven half 7½ [illegible] premium.

STATE TRADE.—The accounts from the manufacturing districts [illegible].

[illegible]

FOURTH DISPATCH.

More of the Niagara's News.

BALTIMORE, March 23, 1850.

REWARD FOR THE DISCOVERY OF SIR JOHN FRANKLIN.—[illegible] discovery of Sir John Franklin [illegible].

THE FRENCH REVENUE.—The French revenue is [illegible] public demand without [illegible].

THE GREEK QUESTION.—France and Russia, it [illegible] the Greek question [illegible].

[illegible]

CANADIAN ANNEXATION.—This subject excites [illegible] in England.

FIFTH DISPATCH.

Further by the Niagara.

NEW YORK, March 23, 1850.

The armistice is to be prolonged between Denmark and [illegible]. It is reported that Denmark has concluded a private treaty with Prussia.

[illegible]

CONGRESS.

In the SENATE, on the 15th, the Census bill was taken up and discussed and the Senate then adjourned to Monday, the 18th.

The HOUSE was occupied exclusively with the private calendar.

THE WATERING PLACES.—By reference to our advertising columns, it will be seen that the fine steamer Cuvier will run daily to and from Mandeville, Madisonville and Covington. She leaves the lower end of the Railroad every morning, after the arrival of the 11 o'clock cars. The Cuvier is a safe and fast running boat, and Capt. H[illegible] is a courteous and accommodating gentleman.

A NEW BUSINESS.—It will be seen by reference to our advertising columns, that Messrs. CARMAN & RICARDO have formed a copartnership for the transaction of a general auction business. Mr. Ricardo was lately a Notary Public, and Mr. Carman a business man of considerable experience.

HAVANA AND MEXICO.—By an arrival from Havana, we have received our files of papers to the 14th inst., inclusive. They contain no local intelligence of interest, but furnishes us with some later advices from Mexico.

Don Francisco Vital Fernandez, Don Pablo Castilla, and other factious leaders in the State of Tamaulipas have surrendered to the Government forces. The insurgents knowing that a strong detachment of troops was marching against them, set at liberty the Governor, Don J. Jesus Cardenas, whom they had made prisoner, and fled, abandoning three pieces of artillery and a quantity of munitions to the Government forces. The latter were commanded by Col. Gonzales.

A number of persons have been arrested in the State of Guadalajara.

Congress is occupied with the discussion of the revenue bill. A bill has been presented for the establishment of a Ministry of Agriculture, Manufactures and Commerce.

The cholera has made its appearance in the district of Morelia.

The *Monitor* states that a tax of one real has been levied on all the inhabitants of the State of Mexico, above the age of sixteen years. The law is to take effect on the 1st April. Laborers are to be exempt from further taxation. The fourth of the amount contributed is to be applied to the purposes of public education.

Gen. Valentin Canalizo, who played a conspicuous part in the late war with Mexico, is dead.

NOTARIES PUBLIC—City and Parish of Orleans.

We have taken the pains, in advance of the official publication, to obtain the names of all the appointments of Notaries made by the Governor, whether original nominations, or made to fill vacancies, or to supply the place of others who have been dismissed. The list, we believe, is complete.

Thomas J. Beck, confirmed; H. Paul Caire, succeeds his father; H. B. Cenas, Joseph Cuvillier, Jean Agaisse, A. Drayfous, Philip Lacoste, A. D. Doriocourt, re-appointed; William Shannon, vice Corcoran resigned; John E. Holland, A. E. Bienvenu, Herman Lucas, re-appointed; James Graham, vice Joseph R. Beard, resigned; G. J. Adde, vacancy of P. P. Labarre; T. O. Stark, vacancy of William Christy; Thomas Layton, vacancy of A. Mazureau; William Monaghan, vacancy of D. I. Ricardo; H. B. Kelly, vacancy of James P. Gilly; A. A. Baudouin, vacancy of F. Percy; Adolphe Boudousquie, vacancy of Chas. Boudousquie; W. W. Wood, John Jones, Thomas J. Burke, G. W. Cable, C. A. Tallarie, Robt. M. Lussher, O. H. Perry, Michael Gernon, George Lugenbuhl, Joseph Moss, Jas. Rienhart, new appointments; John Cragg, re-appointed; Robt. J. Kerr, vacancy of Jules Mossy; O. De Armas, A. C. Ainsworth, Stewart H. Lewis, re-appointed; James Fonbouze, vacancy of J. V. Foulon; Amedee Ducatel, O. Drouet, re-appointed; A. J. Guirot, vacancy of Theodore Guyol; John Claiborne, vacancy of Lucien Hermann; Paul E. Laresche, A. Ciravella, re-appointed; Alexander Cuvillier, vice Ed Barnett, Horatio Davis, Dennis Prieur, Bernard Phillips, re-appointed; William H. Wilder, vacancy of J. M. Maureau, 3d My., 1851; Aug Devail, new appointment; Cyprien C. Lavreytee, re-appointed; P. B. Phelps, new appointment.

EXPENSIVE GABBLE.—A Georgia paper makes the following extract and comment:

"In the Kentucky Convention one man spoke 200 times, another 180, and another 170."

There were a few members in the Georgia Legislature who beat the above "all hollow."—It is estimated that one gentleman made on an average seven speeches per day for eighty-seven days, being six hundred and nine speeches during the session! The cost of these speeches to the Treasury could not have been much under eighteen thousand dollars.

☞ Gov. Crittenden has recently appointed James M. Rice, democrat, to be Judge of the 19th district of Kentucky. This is the third or fourth democrat Gov. Crittenden has appointed to offices connected with the laws and judiciary of the State. He is liberal enough to see that party principles have nothing to do with the administration of the laws.

Precious few democrats follow his example.

AN ACT

To provide for the government and administration of the affairs of the city of New Orleans, in case the three Municipalities of said city shall be reunited [illegible].

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana, in General Assembly convened*, [illegible]

[illegible]

SEC. 2. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That the city of New Orleans shall be [illegible] divided into three sections [illegible]

First Section [illegible]

Second Section [illegible]

Third Section No. 3. From the river and following the middle of Esplanade street in a straight line as far as the middle of Bayou St. John, thence following the middle of said Bayou as far as the Lake Pontchartrain, thence following said lake as far as the middle of Chef Menteur river; thence following the middle of said river as far as Lake Borgne; thence following Lake Borgne as far as the middle of Bayou Bienvenu, thence following the middle of said bayou as far as the Fishermen Canal, Canal des Pecheurs; thence following the middle of the Fishermen Canal [illegible] to the point of departure, and including [illegible] the Lake Pontchartrain [illegible]

[illegible]

SEC. 3. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That the city of New Orleans shall be divided into Representative Districts for the election of Aldermen, to wit:

1. The First District to extend from the line of the parish of Jefferson to the middle of Benjamin, Euterpe [illegible] streets.

2. The Second District to extend from the last mentioned line to the middle of [illegible] street, until it strikes the New Orleans Canal, thence down said canal to the lake.

3. The Third District to comprise the residue of section No. 2, as in the preceding section of this act.

4. The Fourth District to extend from the middle of Canal street to the middle of St. Louis street, until it reaches the Metairie Road, thence along said road to the New Orleans Canal.

5. The Fifth District to extend from the last mentioned limits to the middle of St. Philippe street, thence down said street until its intersection with the Bayou St. John, thence along the middle of said Bayou until it intersects the Metairie Road, thence along [illegible] street.

6. The Sixth District to be composed of the residue of section No. 1 as above described.

7. The Seventh District to extend from the middle of Esplanade street to the middle of Champs Elysées street.

8. The Eighth District to extend from the middle of Champs Elysées street to the middle of Enghien street and Lafayette Avenue.

9. The Ninth District to extend from the middle of Enghien street and Lafayette Avenue to the lower limits of the parish.

SEC. 4. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That the city of New Orleans shall have one government, and its affairs shall be administered by one Mayor, two Recorders, one Treasurer, one Comptroller, one Surveyor, one Street Commissioner, one Chief of the Police, and a Board of Aldermen to be styled "the City Council of New Orleans," and as many subordinate officers for preserving the peace and good order of the said city as the said City Council shall deem necessary.

SEC. 5. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That the qualifications of the Mayor, Recorders, Treasurer, Comptroller, Surveyor, Street Commissioner, Chief of the Police, and Aldermen of said city shall be the same as are required for members of the House of Representatives in the General Assembly of the State.

SEC. 6. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That the election of Mayor, Recorders, Treasurer, Comptroller, Surveyor, Street Commissioner and Chief of the Police of the city of New Orleans shall take place every two years by general ticket, on the fourth Monday of April, and they shall enter upon the duties of their office on the second Monday of May following.

SEC. 7. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That the election of Aldermen to represent the different districts in the City Council, shall take place on the fourth Monday of April of every year; and the Aldermen so elected shall enter upon the duties of their office the second Monday of May following.

SEC. 8. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That the qualification of voters for Mayor, Recorders, Treasurer, Comptroller, Surveyor, Street Commissioner, Chief of the Police and Aldermen shall be the same as are prescribed by the Constitution of the State for the election of Representatives in the General Assembly of the State.

SEC. 9. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That in each of the wards as now constituted, there shall be a poll held as nearly central as practicable for the election of Mayor, Recorder, Treasurer, Comptroller, Surveyor, Street Commissioner, Chief of the Police and Aldermen, whenever an election of all or any of said officers is or may be required by law.

SEC. 10. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That such election at each of said polls shall be conducted by three inspectors of election, one of whom shall be appointed by the Mayor of the city of New Orleans for the time being, the other two by the City Council; two clerks shall also be appointed by the City Council, to each of whom the Mayor shall administer the oath contained in the 89th article of the Constitution of this State.

SEC. 11. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That the returns of said elections shall be made by said inspectors to the Mayor, who shall, in the presence of the Recorders of the said city specially notified by the Mayor for that purpose, within three days after said returns have been received, and with the aid of said Recorders, open and examine said returns and proclaim the result of said elections, which they shall cause to be published under their official signatures, in the official Journal of the said City Council.

SEC. 12. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That in case of the resignation, death or removal of the Mayor, Recorders, Treasurer, Comptroller, Surveyor, Street Commissioner, Chief of the Police, and Aldermen, or any of them, the City Council shall, as soon as practicable, order a new election to fill the vacancy for the remainder of the term, and in the mean while, and until such election shall have taken place, said Council shall have power to appoint a Mayor, a Recorder, or a Comptroller, a Surveyor, a Street Commissioner, or a Chief of the Police "*pro tempore*."

SEC. 13. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That the Mayor, Recorders, Treasurer, Comptroller, Surveyor, Street Commissioner, Chief of the Police and Aldermen, and all other officers elected or appointed by virtue of this Act, shall, before they enter upon the duties of their said offices, respectively take and subscribe the oath prescribed by article 89 of the Constitution of the State; which oath shall be taken by the Mayor before a Justice of the Peace of New Orleans, and by the other officers respectively before the said Mayor.

SEC. 14. *Be it further enacted, &c.* That representation in the City Council shall be equal and uniform, and shall be regulated and ascertained by the number of qualified voters in each District; but each District shall be entitled to at least one Alderman.

SEC. 15. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the City Council shall, at their first regular session under this act, and every fourth year thereafter, appoint Commissioners to take the census of the different Districts of the city of New Orleans, which census shall be completed before the end of the year; and the said City Council shall immediately after the said census shall have been completed, and before proceeding to any other business, apportion the representation among the several Districts, on the basis of the number of qualified voters, as aforesaid. A representative number shall be fixed, and each District shall have as many Aldermen as its free population shall entitle it to, and an additional Alderman for every fraction exceeding one-half of the representative number; provided that the number of Aldermen shall never be less than eighteen, nor more than twenty-four. But in the first election which shall take place under this act, each District shall be entitled to as many Aldermen as it is now entitled to Representatives in the House of Representatives of the State.

SEC. 16. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the Aldermen chosen as aforesaid shall constitute the City Council, over which the Recorders shall, each one in his turn, and for the space of one month, preside; but they shall have no vote except a casting vote, and in case of the absence or inability of one or both of the said Recorders, the said Council shall have a right to choose one of their members a President *pro tempore*.

SEC. 17. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the said City Council shall be judge of the election of its own members, and it shall elect, *vice voce*, its Clerk and other officers. It shall meet at least once a month for the transaction of business, and its sittings shall be public. It shall also have the power to make and adopt all rules necessary for its own government and the proper regulation of its proceedings—to compel the attendance of its own members, to punish them for disorderly conduct; expel a member, and remove from office all delinquent officers, by a vote of two-thirds of the members elected, after five days' notice, and opportunity of being heard has been given to him, and no member shall be expelled and no officer removed except by a resolution of the Council, but such resolution of expulsion shall be of no effect unless it contain a provision for a special election within two weeks thereafter to supply such vacancy; provided, however, that such special election shall not be ordered unless there be at least two months of the time of the expelled member unexpired. The proceedings of the said City Council shall be published in French and English in the official paper of the said City Council.

SEC. 18. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That no member of the City Council shall be appointed to any employment or office under the government of the city of New Orleans during the term for which he was elected, nor for six months after the expiration of the said term. And no member of the City Council, head of Department, Chief of Bureau, Deputy thereof, Clerk thereof, or any other officer of the corporation, shall be directly or indirectly interested in any work, business, or contract, or the sale of any article, the expense, price or consideration of which is paid from the City Treasury or by an assessment levied by an act or ordinance of the City Council; nor in the purchase of any real estate belonging to the corporation, or which shall be sold for taxes or assessments or be the security of any person having any contract, work or business with the said city, for the performance of which security may be required.

SEC. 19. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the Mayor and City Council shall have full power and authority to make and pass such by-laws and/or ordinances as are necessary, to wit:

1st. To regulate the police and preserve the peace and good order of the city; to establish and prescribe rules for a city guard and patrol, and in case of insurrection, or in case of fire [illegible] free white male persons capable of bearing arms, between the ages of eighteen and fifty, to provide for and maintain the cleanliness and salubrity of the city.

2d. To regulate and make improvements to the streets, [illegible]

[illegible]

3. For the cleaning of the banks of the river and other navigable streams within the limits of the city [illegible]

4. To fix the place and mode of [illegible] steamboats and other water crafts [illegible] within the limits of New Orleans [illegible] on the Mississippi [illegible].

5. To determine the places where meat, fish, vegetables and other provisions [illegible]

6. [illegible]

7. To regulate the keeping and storing within the city and suburbs of such objects as are dangerous to the public safety, and to fix the quantity of gunpowder [illegible]

8. To determine in what part of the city wooden buildings shall not be allowed to be erected, and to prevent any person from reconstructing in wood, old and decayed frame [illegible] [illegible] the owners of wooden buildings already erected shall have the right of covering with slate or tiles [illegible]

9. To determine what animals shall not be suffered to rove, and in what cases they may be killed or conducted to the pound [illegible] prescribed by the regulations.

10. To regulate the police of slaves, the pursuit and apprehension of fugitive negroes, to determine where and to what manner such slaves shall be detained, kept and exposed for sale.

11. To regulate the police of theatres, public balls, taverns, places for boarding houses, [illegible] for the preservation of order and the police as the city may require, and to impose such duties and regulations on persons keeping such places, as they may deem necessary and proper.

12. To regulate the proper government of carts, drays, carriages, omnibuses and other vehicles of every description, which run in the streets or any where within the limits of the city, and to determine through what streets the same shall pass, to require that the owners of said vehicles shall take a license, and to fix the salaries of tenders of all drays, carriages, carts and other vehicles kept for hire. *Provided* that such power shall not extend to carts, carriages or other vehicles which only transiently enter within the limits of the city or to the drivers thereof.

13. To determine the dimensions of carts employed in carrying fire wood within the city and incorporated suburbs, to fix the places where fire wood may be deposited, and where, and in what quantities the same may be kept and sold within the limits of the said city.

14. To establish ferries and market places, and to farm out the same.

15. To regulate the form and height of enclosures wherever they may think proper, and to require the proprietors of any ground to use the same.

16. To impose fines upon any person or persons who shall maliciously or voluntarily break, or take off from fire-doors or other part of the house within the city of New Orleans, any knocker or other knocker or bell handle or knob, or other fixture, or in such capacity and voluntarily break, take down, destroy or deface any sign put up by the owner or tenant, to denote his, her, or their place of abode, occupation, business or employment.

17. To cause visits to be made by the police officers, at all inns, boarding houses, taverns, vessels, ships or other water crafts, to ascertain if there be in such places any poor or sick persons, that they may be conveyed, if necessary, to the Charity Hospital, or to such other place as the Mayor and City Council may establish for their reception.

18. To establish a quarantine in such places as they may designate and to appoint health officers necessary to such establishment; but neither the City Council nor any Board of Health established by them shall have power to detain vessels entering the port of New Orleans or the passengers on board of the same, unless said vessel should have on board one or more persons actually affected with the same disease which the resident Physician may deem infectious or contagious; unless such vessel should be in an unfit state, in his opinion, in consequence of damaged cargo or otherwise, to enter the said port.

19. To establish free public schools, appoint directors and teachers to conduct and enact ordinances for the organization, government and discipline.

20. To establish jails, houses of refuge and correction, asylums and hospitals, and to make such regulations for their government and administration, as they may deem necessary and proper.

21. To organize the different officers created by this act, appoint subordinate officers and clerks for the said offices, and exact from said officers and from all others to whom they may give contracts and undertakings, such bonds and security for the faithful performance of their duties and obligations, as they may deem proper and necessary, and to require such evidence of the solvency and sufficiency of said sureties as they may deem prudent and safe.

22. To impose and collect fines for the benefit of the City Treasury, against all persons transgressing their ordinances and regulations, and to imprison said transgressors in case of non-payment of said fines. *Provided*, that said fines shall never exceed one hundred dollars for each and every contravention; *Provided*, said imprisonment shall never exceed one month.

SEC. 20. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the City Council shall perform all the duties, exercise all the powers and be entitled to all the rights and privileges heretofore imposed upon or belonging to the General Council or the Councils of the separate Municipalities, in relation to any property belonging to the entire city, or to the separate Municipalities, and in relation to the incorporated Companies in this State, in which, by their charters, the said City or Municipalities have a right to act or to be represented; but the revenues and price of the said property, if sold, and the interest and profits arising from the said incorporated Companies, shall be held for the use and expended for the benefit of the whole City, or of that section of the city to which they have heretofore belonged.

SEC. 21. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That a majority of all the members elected shall be required to pass any ordinance or resolution; but whenever a vote shall be taken upon any ordinance or resolution contemplating any specific improvement, or involving the sale, disposition or appropriation of public property, or the expenditure of public moneys, or income therefrom, or laying any tax or assessment, the said resolution or ordinance shall, immediately after the adjournment of the City Council, be published during two consecutive days, with the ayes and noes and with the names of the Aldermen voting for and against the same, in the newspaper employed by the City Council, after which the said ordinance may be put upon its final passage.

SEC. 22. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That it shall not be lawful for the City Council to emit any bills of credit, promissory notes, or paper currency of any description, or create any debt, or loan the credit of the corporation, or purchase the stock of any individual, association or corporation. No contract shall be entered into, and no purchase shall be made, except for cash, to be paid in whole or in part when the contract, or any part of the same shall have been executed, or the property purchased shall have been delivered; and all contracts to be made or let by authority of the City Council and all materials and supplies to be furnished shall be offered by the Mayor at public auction, after the usual advertisements, and adjudicated to the lowest bidder.

SEC. 23. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the Mayor and said City Council shall have power to raise by taxation, in such a manner as to them may seem most proper, upon all movables and immovables within the said City, such sum or sums of money as may be necessary to the lighting, cleaning, paving and watering of said City, for supporting the City Watch, the front levee, or any other which may become necessary for its protection, for the maintenance of the public schools, hospitals, asylums, prisons, work-houses, and other public works, and for such other purposes as the police and good government of the City may require. *Provided*, that the whole expenses of the City shall be borne pro rata, on the sum collected by taxation or otherwise, in each section, and that no more money shall be spent in either section for purposes of local improvement than the balance which may have been thus collected after having deducted the pro rata of such section for the general expenses of the city.

SEC. 24. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the said City Council shall have power to fix and collect,—

1st. A uniform rate of wharfage to be paid by ships, steam-boats and other water crafts mooring or landing in front of all parts of the City. *Provided*, that the said rate of wharfage shall be a fixed sum for each and every entire day that the said ships, steam boats, and other water crafts remain in the said port.

2d. A uniform rate of taxes on drays, carriages, hacks, gigs, stages, carts, wagons, timber wheels and other vehicles of whatever description or denomination they may be, which run in the streets of New Orleans and are kept for hire within the limits of the same.

3. A uniform rate of taxes on all carriages, gigs, and other vehicles of whatever description which are not kept for hire.

4th. A uniform rate of taxes upon all billiard tables.

6th. A uniform rate of prices for all licenses to butchers and bakers.

6th. A uniform rate of prices for licenses to pedlars, hawkers, brokers, merchants, traders, wholesale and retail dealers, hotels, boarding houses, theatres theatrical and other like performances, grog shops, barrooms, cabarets, taverns, public ball rooms, and other public places of amusement, and colleges, professions and business.

SEC. 25. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the City Council, before they shall proceed to levy the amount of taxes to be assessed for the current year, shall [illegible] the various items of expenditures [illegible] during the current year [illegible]

[illegible]

SEC. 26. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That all the powers, rights, privileges [illegible] conferred by existing laws, not [illegible]

[illegible]

SEC. 27. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That all the bonds and recognizances taken by the Police, Mayor and Recorders of New Orleans [illegible]

[illegible]

SEC. 28. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the Mayor [illegible]

[illegible]

SEC. 29. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, [illegible]

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SEC. 30. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the Mayor shall receive an annual salary to be fixed by the City Council [illegible] thousand dollars [illegible]

[illegible]

SEC. 33. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the Recorders shall be ex-officio Justices of the Peace, and shall exercise the powers and duties [illegible]

[illegible]

SEC. 31. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the Comptroller shall receive a salary [illegible] thousand dollars. It shall be his duty to [illegible] the fiscal concerns of the corporation [illegible] to prescribe the forms of keeping and rendering all city accounts whatever, and to keep a detailed account of all [illegible] government shall [illegible]

[illegible]

SEC. 35. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That it shall be the duty of the Comptroller to make out, on the first Monday of March and on the first Monday of September, in each year, an accurate detailed and just statement of the receipts and expenditures and condition of the treasury of the corporation, and to publish the same in the official Gazette of the City Council. The said statement, before it is published, shall be sworn by the Comptroller before a Judge or Justice of the Peace.

SEC. 36. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the Treasurer shall receive an annual salary [illegible] not exceeding two and a half per cent [illegible] upon all sums collected and received by him. It shall be his duty to receive and pay out all moneys belonging to the corporation upon the warrants of the Comptroller, to keep regular accounts of the real and personal property, to receive the taxes, dues and demands belonging thereto. He shall employ such subordinate officers and collectors as he may think necessary, at his own expense and on his own responsibility, and he may require such security from them as he may think necessary. He shall deposit the moneys collected by him in such Bank as the City Council may determine. His department shall, at all times, be subject to the inspection of the Comptroller.

SEC. 37. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That there shall be one Surveyor for the City of New Orleans, who shall be well acquainted with the theory and practice of his art. His salary shall be fixed by the City Council, but it shall never exceed three thousand dollars a year. He shall furnish the City Council with all the plans, estimates, and information appertaining to his department, which the City Council may require. He shall superintend their public works, and report, after the completion of the same, the manner in which the said works have been executed.

SEC. 38. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That there shall be one Street Commissioner for the city of New Orleans, who shall have an annual salary, to be fixed by the City Council, not exceeding three thousand dollars. He shall superintend the lighting, cleaning and watering of the streets, wharves and public places, and see that all contracts given for the same, are faithfully executed. He shall make monthly reports to the Council of the condition of the streets, sidewalks, levees and other public places, indicate the repairs to be made to the same, and to denounce all nuisances which may affect the health and convenience of the citizens. The Council shall organize his department and appoint such subordinate officers therein as they may deem necessary.

SEC. 39. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the Chief of the Police shall receive an annual salary which shall be fixed by the Council, but which shall not exceed three thousand dollars. He shall be the head of the Police, and the City Council shall make such rules and regulations for his department, and appoint such subordinate officers for the same as they may deem necessary.

SEC. 40. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the City Council shall, at its first regular meeting after their election, or as early thereafter as possible, appoint an Attorney for the city of New Orleans, who shall be their legal adviser in all matters in which his advice may be necessary, and represent the city in all judicial proceedings, suits, actions and contestations in which they may have an interest. He shall keep his office two years and shall receive a salary which shall be fixed by the Council, and which shall not exceed three thousand dollars. No extra compensation of fee shall be allowed him, and no other Attorney shall, in any case, be appointed to assist him, unless by a vote of three fourths of the Aldermen elected.

SEC. 41. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That this Act shall have full force and effect and be the charter of the city of New Orleans, in case the people of the said city should desire the re-union of the three Municipalities under one government, in conformity with an act entitled, "An act to take the sense of the people of the city of New Orleans upon the union of the three Municipalities of said city into one corporation"; and the City Council then and in that case, elected under this act, shall immediately proceed, at their first regular meeting, or as soon thereafter as possible, to organize the government of the said city, in conformity with this act. But all the officers then in office, and the ordinances in the three Municipalities, shall remain in force and unchanged until the organization of the government and the appointment of new officers under it.

SEC. 42. That all the rights, powers and duties conferred or imposed by existing laws on the General Council of the city of New Orleans, be and they are hereby vested in the City Council of New Orleans created by this act.

COMMERCIAL.

The Markets.

SATURDAY EVENING, March 23d.

There was a fair demand for Cotton to-day, the sales reaching 3000 bales at steady prices. The accounts by the Niagara report a dull market in Liverpool, though the quotations are unchanged.

The Sugar market is dull; sales to-day and 250 hhds; of Molasses 800 bbls were sold at former prices.

The Flour market continues firm with limited sales, mostly to the trade. About 2000 sacks of Corn were sold at 54 @ 56c. ₩ bushel.

Provisions are unchanged; sales to-day limited. Whiskey is selling at 22 @ 22½c. ₩ gallon for rectified.

Exchanges remain as last quoted. Sterling 107¾ @ 10[illegible]; Francs 5 30 @ 5 37½. Bills on New York sixty days 1½ @ 2 ₩ cent. discount. Checks par @ ¼ ₩ cent discount.

Nothing done in Freights.

DIED

On Sunday, March 24th, 1850, at 10 P. M., of consumption, Mr. JOSEPH UZEE, of the firm of Hart, Thomas & Co. His friends, and those of his family, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, which will take place This Day, March 25, at 4 o'clock P. M., from his late residence corner of St. James and St. John Baptist streets.

I. O. O. F.—NATIONAL LODGE, No. 18.—The members of this Lodge and the other Brothers of the order, will meet THIS EVENING, at half past 3 o'clock, in the Saloon of Friendship, No. 116 Chartres st., to attend the funeral of Brother JOSE LIMONA, who died yesterday at 7 o'clock P. M.

By order, J. GALUZZO, Secretary.

☞ AN ADJOURNED MEETING of the Louisiana Grand Lodge of Ancient York Masons will be held at the Masonic Hall, corner of Perdido and Baronne streets, on TUESDAY EVENING, the 26th inst., at 6 o'clock. Officers and members are ordered punctually to attend.

Attest: JOHN GEDGE, Grand Master.

D. BLACK, Grand Secretary protem. m25

Electro Biology and the Cure of Disease.

MR. FISKE respectfully announces that Dr. C. A. STEVENS, of Buffalo, N. Y., a highly [illegible] popular Physician, will attend to [illegible] at the Armory Hall on MONDAYS and THURSDAYS for gentlemen, from 9 to 12 o'clock A. M., and on TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS for ladies, at the same hours. [illegible] m21

Mr. Fisk's Class for Instruction.

Mr. Fisk will form a Class for instruction in ELECTRO-BIOLOGY, on THURSDAY AFTERNOON, March 21st, at Armory Hall, 1½ o'clock. [illegible] m2 1m

☞ The Austrian Bark GRATZIATTA [illegible] Mont. Consignees are requested [illegible] within five days [illegible]. G. M. LUCAS, 3 Bienville. [illegible]

Missouri Institute, at Mount Pleasant, near St. Louis.

THIS establishment [illegible] Mr. Rupieux [illegible]

[illegible]

Reference [illegible] apply to F. Rupieux. [illegible]

J. B. STEELE, New Orleans Stationers' Warehouse, 14 Camp street, [illegible] NEW AND IMPORTANT LAW BOOKS. THE LAW STUDENT [illegible]

[illegible] Supreme Court of the United States. [illegible] Commercial Law [illegible] Story's Commentaries on Mercantile Law. Warren's Law Studies, with occasional Illustrations. [illegible] American Law. Appleton's New edition of Holcombe's Merchants' Book of Reference for Debtor and Creditor in the United States. [illegible] Boston Trustees. [illegible] American Law on Real Property. Dallas's Digest of the Law of Texas. Greiner's Louisiana Code of Practice. New Edition. Greiner's Louisiana Digest. Benjamin and Slidell's Digest. Enlarged. Deveaux's Digest of the Decisions of the Supreme Court of Louisiana. [illegible] Louisiana Supreme Court General Index and Digest. Martin's Reports Old and New Series, complete. Martin's Reports, New edition, vol. 1 comprising vols. 1 and 2 of the Old Series, with Judge Martin's Marginal References. For sale by

m5 J. B. STEEL, 14 Camp st.

CARMAN & RICARDO, Auctioneers, No. 61 Magazine st.

SUGAR—[illegible] White, Yellow and Brown [illegible] landing and for sale by TROISGROS & LAMPRE, 26 Old Levee.

FOR SALE—On account of departure an excellent [illegible] Piano Forte [illegible] A. DELPIT, 16 St. Louis st.

SWEETMEATS—25 boxes Havana Sweetmeats, landing ex brig P. Soulé from Havana and for sale by m25 TROISGROS & LAMPRE, 26 Old Levee.

HAVANA SUGAR—[illegible] boxes White, Yellow and Brown, landing ex brig P. Soulé, from Havana, and for sale by TROISGROS & LAMPRE, 26 Old Levee.

SPERM OIL—[illegible] gallons [illegible] bleached and unbleached winter Sperm Oil, for sale by J. W. STANTON & CO., cor. Magazine & Lafayette. m26

FOR SALE—In store, received by late arrivals—[illegible] Gruyere Cheese; [illegible] Tete de [illegible]; White Wine [illegible] Madeira Wine [illegible] Mushrooms [illegible] JEAN FISSE, Cor. St. Peter and Royal.

WINE—200 casks Red, 16 do White, 121 bbls do, 400 bxs. Claret, landing from bark Graziatta, from Bordeaux, and for sale by m22 G. N. LUCAS, 30 Bienville st.

CLARET—Landing, ex ship Graziatta, from Bordeaux, [illegible] pipes Ph. Godard Brandy; 76 casks Claret, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., 17 and 19 St. Louis st. m22

CHEMICALS—Morphine, Strychnine, Calomel, Blue Mass, Aquamonia, Hyd. de Potasse, Iodine, &c. &c., for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

MACKEREL—[illegible] for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

RED CHAMPAIGN CLARET—10 baskets Red Champaign Claret, Vale Dommage, 10 do do do Marly, [illegible] for sale by LEOPOLD JEANNET & CO., 22 St. Louis st. m20

WHITE WINE—[illegible] in store and for sale by LEOPOLD JEANNET & CO., 22 St. Louis st. m20

CHAMPAIGN WINE—40 baskets Champaign, Flag brand, on hand, and for sale by LEOPOLD JEANNET & CO., 22 St. Louis st. m20

PHILADELPHIA PRESERVES—150 cases, landing and in store, for sale by m19 J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

INDIGO—11 cerons of Guatemala Indigo, landing from brig Adams Gray, and for sale by m14 LABORDE & XIQUES, 3 Front st.

SARSAPARILLA—Just received from Tampico 200 bales Sarsaparilla, very fresh, for sale by m17 6t Fdo. de FUENTES & CO. 94 Old Levee.

COFFEE—700 bags prime Havana, in store and for sale by m14 TROISGROS & LAMPRE, 26 Old Levee.

STAR CANDLES—500 boxes, 100 half do., for sale by SECCOMB & VOORHIES, mch 4th 14 Tchoupitoulas st.

WINE—50 casks St. Emilion and Chateau Garmont, for sale by m16 PAUL JUGE FILS & Co., 27 St. Louis.

HAVANA SEGARS—300 boxes brown, landing ex brig Adams Gray, for sale by m15 MITCHEL & MASENDORFF, 36 Poydras.

COFFEE—100 bags Havana Coffee, landing from brig Adams Gray, and for sale by m14 LABORDE & XIQUES, 3 Front Levee.

EXCHANGE on Genoa—For sale by DOMIQUE LANATA, m18 9 and 10 Jefferson street.

LATHS—300,000 Northern sawed Laths, landing and for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, m14 98 Magazine st., and 11 Red Stores.

China Crape Scarfs.

SEVERAL boxes of China Crape Scarfs, red and assorted in colors, entitled to debenture, and for sale low by DUFOUR, DURAND & CO., m21 25 Chartres st.

JUST RECEIVED—40 Gruyere Cheese; 60 dos. Neufchatel, do; 100 quarts. French Lentils; 20 bbls. white Wine; 30 do, old Claret. Also—A general assortment of family Preserves. JEAN FISSE, corner St. Peter and Royal sts.

BRANDY—15 half pipes Cognac Brandy, fine Champaign, Castillon, 1815; 10 barrels do do, do, 1815; 10 quarter do, do, do, 1825; 20 half do, do, Otard, Dupuy & Co. 1840 and 1846; 30 quarter do, do, do, 1844, in store and for sale by m20 LEOPOLD JEANNET & CO, 22 St. Louis.

PATENT LEATHER—Landing ex ship Onward, from Havre, 12 doz Patent Leather, for sale by DUFOUR WILLIAMSON & CO, m5 38 Natchez st.

BROOMS—Landing and in Store, for sale by E. J. HART & CO. m18 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

MARSEILLES WINE—[illegible] casks for sale by PAUL JUGE FILS & CO, 27 St. Louis st.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Mayor.

☞ We are authorized to announce A. D. CROSSMAN, the present incumbent, as a candidate for re election, in the month of April next. f6

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce me as a Candidate for the Chief Magistracy of the city.—Election in April next. PETER L. JORE, f5 Ex-Lt. State Librarian.

For Mayor.

EDITORS OF THE BEE—*Gentlemen*—Please announce ALEX. GRAILHE, Esq., as a candidate for the office of Mayor at the next election, and oblige his NUMEROUS FRIENDS OF THE THREE m6 MUNICIPALITIES.

EDITORS BEE—Please announce THOMAS J. SPEAR, the Independent Crevasse Candidate and Poor Man's Friend, as a candidate for Mayor, at the ensuing April Election. He will be supported by the f20 INDEPENDENT MASSES.

For Recorder OF THE FIRST MUNICIPALITY.

THE EDITORS OF THE BEE: Will please announce as a candidate for Recorder of the First Municipality W. M. FLEMMING, as he will receive the vote of the PEOPLE.

☞ MESSRS. EDITORS OF THE BEE:—Please announce Mr. HENRY J. LYND as a candidate for Alderman of the First Ward, First Municipality. m25 MANY VOTERS.

☞ We are authorized to say that LUCIUS C. DUNCAN, one of the present Aldermen of the First Ward of First Municipality, will serve in the same office for the ensuing year, if chosen by the people at the election in April. m20

MESSRS. EDITORS OF THE BEE—Please announce Mr. J. A. CANNEVAL, as candidate for Alderman of the 6th Ward of Municipality No. 1. m20

EDITORS OF THE BEE—Please announce Mr. H. F. WIESE, as a candidate for Alderman of the Fifth Ward First Municipality, in April next. m12 MANY VOTERS.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce JOHN WELLS as a candidate for the office of Alderman of the Fifth District, First Municipality. m12 MANY VOTERS.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce GEORGE CLARK, Alderman of the Fifth Ward, First Municipality, as a candidate for re-election. m8

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please to announce Mr. F. SHIELDS as a candidate for Alderman of the Second Ward First Municipality, in April next, he has been requested to become one by a few of the Ward, he being a man of property.

me PROPERTY HOLDERS.

☞ MR. EDITOR—Please announce Mr. PAUL BOLLIET as a candidate for the office of Alderman of the First District, Third Municipality. f25 VOTERS.

GENERAL COUNCIL.

CANDIDATES—FIRST MUNICIPALITY.

C. ROSELIUS, L. SURGI, PHILIP WILLMAN, JULES BENIT.

MESSRS. EDITORS BEE—Please announce as candidates for Aldermen to represent the First Ward of the First Municipality:

R. H. McALPIN, R. W. MONTGOMERY, RICHARD HAGAN.

They will receive the undivided support of the m16 VOTERS OF THE FIRST WARD.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce Messrs. J. L. FABRE and PAULIN BLANQUE as candidates for Aldermen of the Fourth Ward First Municipality. They will receive the support of m16 THE PEOPLE.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce L. G. Q. EL[illegible] as a candidate for the office of Alderman of the Sixth District, First Municipality.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce as candidates for the office of Aldermen of the First District, First Municipality, Messrs. W. W. MONTGOMERY, C. DUNCAN and P. LECQUET.

MESSRS. EDITORS OF THE BEE—Please announce Dr. H. TRICOU as a candidate for the office of Alderman of the 6th District of the First Municipality. m16

MONTEREY HOTEL, AT MONTEREY, MEXICO.

TRAVELLERS going to MONTEREY or MEXICO are informed that a splendid Hotel has just been opened in Monterey, under the designation of MONTEREY HOTEL. The owner of this establishment has neglected nothing for the comfort of his boarders. The rooms are spacious and well ventilated, and the table offers all the delicacies afforded by the country. j29

Washington Hotel Restaurant.

THE subscriber has the honor to announce to his friends and the public in general, that yesterday, Sunday, March 10th, he opened his Restaurant at the Lake Pontchartrain, in the establishment well known by the name of "WASHINGTON HOTEL." He hopes that his numerous customers will continue this year, the kind patronage with which he has for many years, been honored by them, and he pledges every effort to deserve the [illegible].

☞ [illegible]

m11 1m L. FOUDRO.

LANDING ex ship [illegible] from Bordeaux, 60 cases [illegible] [illegible] N. DUDOUYT, 13 Toulouse st.

SWISS ABSYNTH—40 cases Swiss Absynth Dubied frere and fils, French, in store and for sale by m20 LEOPOLD JEANNET & CO., 22 St. Louis st.

LOGWOOD—25 tons Logwood, landing ex Victoria, and for sale by MITCHELL & MASENDORFF, m20 36 Poydras street.

HIDES—65 Dry [illegible] landing ex Victoria, and for sale by MITCHELL & MASENDORFF, 36 Poydras street.

FIRE BRICKS—12[illegible] English and Paris do, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, m19 98 Magazine & 11 Red stores.

CRANBERRIES—Landing and in store for sale by E. J. HART & CO., m19 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

MACKEREL, CODFISH, &c.—Landing and in store, for sale by E. J. HART & CO., m19 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

SUGAR HOUSE MOLASSES—Refined Sugar, for sale by TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO., m15 1m 99 Customhouse st.

PALM OIL—15 casks, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, 98 Magazine st. & 11 Red Stores.

GUNS—Several cases of Guns, for sale low, and [illegible] by m21 DUFOUR, DURAND & CO., 25 Chartres st.

HAVANA PRINCIPE CIGARS—An assortment of the best brands, in store and for sale by m21 J. N. RICULFI & CO., 17 Common st.

WINE—Sherry and Amontillado Wine, a superior article, imported direct and for sale by m21 J. N. RICULFI & CO., 17 Common st.

HAVANA COFFEE—40 bags landing ex brig Williams, for sale by m21 J. N. RICULFI, 17 Common st.

LANDING ex ship Bothnia, from Bordeaux—133 casks family red Wine; 36 barrels Haut Sauterne white Wine; 1 bale fine Corks, for sale by BOYER FRERES, m20 corner Moreau and Mandeville 34 M'y.

LANDING—ex ship Bothnia, from Bordeaux, 24 casks Claret St. Julien, 15 quarter pipes A. Seignette's Brandy 1815, 1825 1830, 20 quarter do do, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., m20 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

FRENCH LOCKS—30 cases French Locks, assorted numbers, in store and for sale by LEOPOLD JEANNET & CO., m20 22 St. Louis.

WINES, &c.—Landing ex ship Graziatta from Bordeaux: 5 casks old Claret, 1841; 200 boxes Haut Sauterne Wine, 150 casks ordinary Medoc Wine, 20 quarts 4th proof Cognac Brandy, for sale by m23 D. LANATA, 9 and 11 Jefferson st.

THE MASTON STONE LIME—100 bbls fresh Thomaston Lime, landing and in store, for sale by THO. BLOIS, 91 Magazine st.

FIRE BRICK—6,000 English, Pittsburg, Baltimore and Pensacola Fire Brick, for sale in lots to suit purchasers, by m23 TH. BLOIS, 91 Magazine st.

PLASTERING HAIR—3000 bushels of Northern and Western Hair for sale in sacks, bbls and bbls., by THOS. BLOIS, 91 Magazine st.

PLASTER OF PARIS—250 bbls fresh calcined Plaster, various brands, for sale by m23 TH. BLOIS, 91 Magazine st.

FIRE CLAY and GROUND PLASTER—200 bbls. English and American Clay; 100 bbls Ground Plaster, for manure, for sale by m23 TH. BLOIS, 91 Magazine st.

TAR AND PITCH—500 barrels Tar and Pitch, for sale by THOS. BLOIS, m23 91 Magazine street.

CEMENT—350 bbls. Roman, Rosendale and Hydraulic Cement, of the most approved brands, for sale by THOS. BLOIS, m23 91 Magazine st.

LIME—Cargoes schr Lightfoot and brig Munroe, landing and for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, m23 98 Magazine street and 11 Red stores.

SPERM CANDLES—450 boxes best New Bedford and Nantucket brands, for sale by H. A. NORCROSS & CO., in liq. m24 68 Magazine street.

WINE, &c.—100 casks Red Bordeaux Wine; 50 do White Wine; 150 bbls Vinegar, for sale by TH. BAILEY BLANCHARD & CO., m19 1m 99 Customhouse st.

SODA ASH—100 packages in tierces and bbls, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, 98 Magazine st.

MADEIRA AND PORT—200 bbls Madeira Port Wine, for sale by m16 PAUL JUGE FILS & Co. 27 St. Louis.

PALM OIL—25 casks, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, m5 98 Magazine st. and 11 Red Stores.

BUTTER & CHEESE—500 kegs Western Butter; 100 half bbls. Choice Roll; 30 kegs Goshen Butter; 400 boxes cheese, for sale by SECCOMB & VOORHIES, m4 14 Tchoupitoulas st.

PRINCIPE CIGARS, of Steamboat brand, genuine quality, just received and for sale by f2 LABORDE & XIQUES, No. 3 Front st.

CASH ADVANCES on consignments of Cotton and other produce shipped to his correspondents in Liverpool, will be made by m13 WM. MURE, 118 Common st.

SHIRTS and HATS—100 dozen Bordeau;—100 Leghorn Hats, for sale by m5 D. LANATA, 9 and 10 Jefferson st.

LINSEED OIL—300 bbls Guthrie's, for sale by SECCOMB & VOORHIES, m4 14 Tchoupitoulas st.

FIRE BRICK—100,000 English and Scotch landing; 20,000 Pensacola, in store and for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, m5 98 Magazine st. and 11 Red Stores.

EXCHANGE on Bordeaux—For sale by DOMINIQUE LANATA, 9 and 10 Jefferson street.

EXCHANGE ON TRIESTE—For sale by m18 D. LANATA, 9 & 10 Jefferson st.

CASH advances on consignments of Sugar, &c. to Messrs. Maitland, Phelps & Co., N. York, by m14 WM. MURE, 118 Common st.

HAVANA COFFEE—200 bags prime landing ex brig Williams, for sale by m21 RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 Old Levee.

HAVANA SUGAR—200 boxes white, yellow and brown, landing ex brig Williams, for sale by m21 RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 Old Levee st.

SUGAR—60 boxes Havana yellow and brown Sugar, landing from bark Williams, for sale by m21 LABORDE & XIQUES, 3 Front st.

CLARET—[illegible]

PUBLIC NOTICES.

Notice to Tax-Payers of the parish of Jefferson.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons, whether residents or non residents of the parish of Jefferson, who have parish taxes to pay in said parish for the year 1849, that the same will be due on the eleventh day of April 1850; that within thirty days thereafter the said taxes must be paid to the undersigned, Collector, at his office in the hall of the sittings of the Police Jury in Gretna, in said parish; that the undersigned will be there, for the purpose of receiving said taxes, every day during the thirty days aforesaid, from 9 o'clock, A. M., to 3 o'clock, P. M. And that at the expiration of said delay, a list of the persons who shall have failed to pay the taxes due by them shall be handed to the Sheriff whose duty it shall be to seize and sell the property of such delinquents, according to law.

Parish of Jefferson, 7th February, 1850.

9f 2taw 2m LOUIS DELERY, Collector.

TEXAS—Castro's Colony.

THE Emigrants introduced into Texas by the subscriber, under a Contract between him and the Republic of Texas, are hereby notified, that by an act of the Legislature, dated January, 1850, every family or single man is entitled to the patent for the quantity of land stipulated in the Contract signed and delivered in Europe to that effect.

Apply for particulars to the undersigned, in Castroville, Medina county.

☞ Letters to be post-paid.

f13 3m H. CASTRO.

AGENCY SUN MUTUAL INS. CO., New Orleans, Feb. 25, 1850.

THE SCRIP of this company for 1849 has been received, and will be delivered to those entitled to receive it. f26 1m

City Bank.

New Orleans, January 5, 1850.

NOTICE—With a view to the speedy withdrawal from circulation of all the notes of this Bank, the charter of which will expire on the 1st day of May next, the holders of the notes are requested to present them for redemption at the counter of the Bank as early as practicable.

By order of the Board.

j7 3m R. J. PALFREY, Cashier.

AGENCY SUN MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THIS Company has an invested capital of more than one million of dollars after paying off the scrip issued in 1846, of $207,480—and additional assets of more than seven hundred thousand dollars. Marine River and Fire Risks continue to be at the office corner of Camp and Common streets.

January 1st, 1850. [illegible] L. MATTHEWS, Agent.

THE undersigned informs his friends and the public that he has taken into partnership Messrs. F. LACAPERE and F. G. BARRIERE, and will continue business as heretofore under the title of BARRIERE, LACAPERE & Co.

m20 1-50 CHAS. A. BARRIERE.

THE undersigned hereby informs the public and his friends that he has sold the whole of the claims of the late firm of DE POUILLY & Co. to R. G. Musgrove, and that by agreement between them, the said R. G. Musgrove, has bound himself to pay all the debts contracted by the said late firm.

He further informs his friends and old customers, that he has no interest whatever in the lumber yard newly opened on the old Mill Stand, that the firm of De Pouilly & Co. of which he is the senior partner, has been transformed into the firm of De Pouilly & Gagnet, and that the office of De Pouilly & Gagnet is situated on the corner of Frankin and Toulouse streets, and at the Milton Carondelet Walk, near [illegible], between Prieur and Johnson streets. m16 J. J. DEPOUILLY.

WANTED—A WET NURSE. Apply at No. 85 Villere, corner Conti st. m3 2t

4,000 Dollars Wanted

WANTED—4,000 dollars for one year for which sum, 230,000 acres of land situated in the West of Texas, near San Antonio, will be mortgaged. If at a more convenient, an interest will be given in the above lands, which will be immediately offered for sale on the American and European markets. Apply at the office of the Bee, 83 Chartres street.

Loan on Mortgage.—Wanted a loan on Mortgage of $5,000 on a property situated [illegible] miles from the city, measuring 2½ arpents, fronting the Mississippi river, by 80 arpents deep.

A fine Dwelling House, with out houses, and a Brick Yard in full operation, having three furnaces and every other apparatus to keep them employed. Also—25 Slaves and several children.

☞ Apply at THIS OFFICE. j2

Penmanship and Book-keeping.

23 CHARTRES ST.

CLASSES at DOLBEAR'S WRITING ACADEMY, from 9½ to 11 A. M., and from 4 to 6 P. M. Classes at my residence, corner of Magazine and Race streets, from 7 to 9 A. M. Private lessons given. A few easy lessons will enable ladies and gentlemen to write with ease and elegance. Citizens and strangers are invited to call.

f25 RUFUS DOLBEAR.

MRS F. FRYER respectfully informs the Ladies that she will open, on Thursday, the 14th inst., her new stock of SPRING GOODS—printed silk Muslins, plaid and plain Grenadines, Indie Gauze, Indian silk dress organdi, Muslin brocée, Cambric, Barege Pompadour, [illegible] do, Mantillas and Shawls, white and black Lace Casaweck embroidered Muslins; large assortment of Leghorn Bonnets, rice straw and crape do, Flowers, Cravats and new Patterns of every style. m.

Hotel of Commerce, No. 108 O'Reilly street, HAVANA.

THIS HOTEL, located in the most fashionable part of the city, near the port, The Place d'Armes and promenades has been well known at HAVANA for several years. Mrs. Baker, the owner has done every thing to render this Hotel agreeable to travelers. The rooms are spacious and well ventilated, and the numerous testimonials of satisfaction she has received from the boarders give her the right to recommend her table to travelers intending to stop at Havana. j25 3taw 1m

HOLLAND GIN.

The subscriber, sole importer of the celebrated Steamboat Brand, now offers for sale—60 pipes of this superior article, landing from the brig Hope, in lots to suit purchasers, and on accommodating terms. JAMES FLINT, n17 35 Common st.

Spring Goods.

RECEIVED per ships Manchester, Radius and Vicksburg, from Havre—

10 boxes Organdies, Dolfus, Mieg & Co.
1 do Printed Albarine.
1 do black and colored plain Barege.
1 do black Italian Silk, 21 35 36 pieces.
2 do printed Barege;
4 do Lace Capes & Berthes;
1 do white and black Lace Veils;
1 do black and colored Crape;
1 do white and black net Gloves;
1 do assorted color Satin Ribbon, 1 & 12;
1 do Taffetas Ribbon, 1 & 12;
1 do Sporting Fans, and others;
1 do Embroidered Muslin Dress;
1 do Linen Cambric Hdkfs.;
10 do Plaid Muslin, 4 4 and 6 4;
10 do Plain do, 4 4 and 6 4;
2 do Dress Plumets; 2 do Jacquand do,
2 do plain assorted quality;
4 do French Madras Hdkfs; 4 do pure & white;
4 do white and black; 4 do cambric, 4 do white and colored embroidered corners;
4 do India Hdkfs; 1 do Crenoline Skirts,
4 do Embroidered Muslin Curtains;
4 do Black Cloth and Sedan Wool Satin;
4 do Black double Merinos;
2 do Gentlemen's Silk Hats;
2 do Umbrellas—22, 24, 26 & 28 inches;
2 do Pantaloons' Tickings;
2 do Cotton Lustadoes; 1 do Suspenders;
1 do Black Silk Cravats.

For sale by FREDK. BONIE, j18 29 Conti st opposite Louisiana Bank.

French Goods.

LANDING ex ships Austerlitz, Ferriere, William, Manchester, Rouennais and Radius, from Havre, and for sale at very low rates by the subscriber:—

2 cases Printed Barege;
3 do " rich colors,
6 do plain " assorted colors,
2 do " Satin striped,
3 do Silk " assorted colors;
3 do Silk Muslin and Gynadine;
1 do Tarlatan, cherry, pink, blue, white, &c.;
2 do Printed Jaconets, small patterns
4 do Printed Organdies and Muslin;
2 do Printed Perkaline new article;
4 do Silk Foulards and Napolitane and Caroline;
5 do Toile de l'Inde, Silk and Cotton;
2 do Grecian Filet Shawls, new article;
1 do Embroidered Organdies and Muslins;
5 do Damask Muslin, for curtains;
2 do Plaid and Figured Muslin, for curtains;
6 do Swiss Muslin, assorted qualities;
1 do Linen Drilling, new paterns;
1 do Plaid and striped Ginghams;
1 do Embroidered Muslin Curtains;
1 do " Lace " "
2 do Embroidered Cambric Handkerchiefs;
5 do Black Merino, Drap d'Ete;
2 do Filet Gloves and Mitts;
2 do Black Lustring and Taffetta Ribbon;
3 do Parasols and colored Umbrellas;
1 do Black and White Lace Veils;
1 do Ladies' Fil d'Ecosse Stockings;
3 do Monpelas assorted Perfumery;
3 do French and Spanish Playing Cards.

14 J. LEVOIS, 47 Chartres st., up stairs.

COGNAC BRANDY—30 quarter pipes, 1st proof, J. Boreau; 20 do do, 3d proof, do; 10 eighth pipes, 3d proof, do; 10 do do, 1st proof, Lecog; 6 half pipes, sundry brands, for sale by m19 N. DUDOUYT, 13 Toulouse st.

CLARET—50 casks St. Julien; 36 do Leoville; 50 do Haut Santerne; 20 do St. Estephe, 60 bbls Haut Sauterne; 30 drums Ginger Cheese, for sale by m19 N. DUDOUYT, 13 Toulouse st.

HALIBUT FINS—Landing and in store, for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

LATHS—375,000, Northern sawed, landing, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, m19 98 Magazine st. and Red Stores.

YELLOW OCHRE—Of Rochelle, 50 casks, for sale by TH. BAILEY BLANCHARD, m19 1m 99 Customhouse st.

PLASTER—800 bbls Newark and Rosendale, Croton Kingsland Waterspout's, landing and in store, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, m19 98 Magazine st. and 11 Red Stores.

RECEIVED per ship Brunswick, from Havre—40 drums Gruyere Cheese; 60 doz. Pate Grasse do; 60 do, Neufchatel do; 8 Roquefort Cheese, for sale by FERBOS FRERES, m19 corner Royal and Dumaine.

BUCKWHEAT—Boxes, Bags and Barrels landing and for sale by E. J. HART & CO., m19 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

TONGUES AND SOUNDS—Landing and in store for sale by E. J. HART & CO., m19 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

HAIR—15,000 bushels Plastering Hair, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, m5 98 Magazine st. and 11 Red Stores.

BLEACHED COTTONS—100 cases various qualities, in store and for sale by DE FOREST & CO., m21 20t 20 Customhouse st.

PRINTS—100 cases Prints various qualities and 16 4 4 English do., entitled to drawback, in store and for sale by m21 20t DeFOREST & CO., 20 Customhouse st.

SHEETINGS—300 bales Brown Sheetings, various marks, in store and for sale by DE FOREST & CO, m21 20t 20 Customhouse st.

SEWING SILKS—3 cases American; 2 do Italian; 3 do India, high colors, for sale by DE FOREST & CO, m21 20t 20 Customhouse st.

CARGO THOMASTON LIME—[illegible] bbls, cargo brig Monroe, landing and for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, m21 98 Magazine st. and 11 Red Stores.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Placide's Varieties... Gravier st.

NOTICE—Time altered doors open at 7 o'clock. The performances will commence at half past 7 precisely.

MONDAY EVENING, March 25th, the performances will commence with the comedy of the SERIOUS FAMILY.... To conclude with the new petite opera in three acts entitled, THE PET OF THE PETTICOATS. Chevalier St. Pierre, Mr. C. Howard; Colonel Belair, Mr. Eyre; Job, Mr. Holland; Monsieur Zephyr, Mr. T. Placide; Paul, Mrs. C. Howard; Sister Vandigre, Mrs. James Wright.

☞ Boxes and Parquette, 75 cents. Upper Boxes, 50; gallery 25.

GRAND CONCERT.

COMMERCIAL EXCHANGE HALL.

MR. AND MADAME LEATI have the honor to announce that they will give a GRAND CONCERT at the above Room, on

TUESDAY EVENING, March 26, 1850, being positively their last appearance in New Orleans.

They will be assisted by Mr. BISHOP and Mr. NORES—and in addition to the Concert, Mr. and Madame LEATI will sing, by particular request, selections from

"LUCIA DI LAMMERMOOR," "LA SOMNAMBULA," and "THE BARBER OF SEVILLE," in full costume.

☞ Tickets, One Dollar, to be had as usual. ☞ Doors open at 7—Concert to commence at 7½ o'clock. m23 3t

Marvellous Experiments

THEOPHILUS FISKE will lecture and experiment at ARMORY HALL, Every Evening, upon the newly discovered science of ELECTRO-BIOLOGY. The experiments upon persons well known in this city, [illegible] lecture to commence at 7½ [illegible] tickets, 50 cents; gentleman and two ladies, one dollar. ☞ Children half price. m9 1m

Opening of St Helene Garden, BY P. PARADAY & CO.

THE public is notified that the St. Helene Garden will be opened on SUNDAY, 24th inst. This establishment will have Refreshments of the first quality, such as Ice Creams, Sherbets and Liquors.

☞ There will be a BALL every Sunday, Monday and Thursday. m21 15t

Second Municipality Lyceum.

THE LECTURES to be delivered at the Lyceum in the Hall of the Second Municipality will begin on FRIDAY, the 22d inst., at 7 P. M. The distinguished Dr. Mitchell, of Cincinnati, who is engaged to deliver twelve lectures, on the subject of ASTRONOMY, will commence the course. He will be followed by other learned professors upon different departments of Science during the season, the profits of which by the Ordinance creating the Library and Lyceum, are to be applied. The terms of admission to the whole course of the Lectures [illegible] expected to be at a fixed number, are as follows:

Ticket, admitting a gentleman and two ladies, $6 00

Do. do. one person, 3 00

Admission to Single Lecture, 50

Tickets can be obtained from Hon. J. Baldwin, either of the undersigned, or from the Librarian. Single tickets may be had at the door, in the evening of each lecture.

N. R. JENNINGS, EDW. MACPHERSON, EDWARD RAWLE.

f20 Committee upon the Library and Lyceum.

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 spacious and elegant room having been newly [illegible] will be opened for the season on SATURDAY, the 20th inst., with a

Grand Dress and Masked Ball,

and that Balls will take place regularly hereafter every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY.

The orchestra will be composed of the best artists [illegible]. An efficient police is engaged [illegible] will be enforced.

SALVADOR VIOSCA, Proprietor.

N. B. Attached to the establishment is a superior Bar, well stocked with choice Wines and Liquors; also, a Restaurant where may be had, at all times, such delicacies as the market affords. o16

Whitehall, No. 44 St. Louis street.

NEW OYSTER ROOM, COFFEE-HOUSE, &c.—The undersigned will open on Saturday, 1st December, in St. Louis st., opposite the Exchange, an establishment, the want of which has long been felt in the First Municipality. A Saloon has been fitted up comprehending at once the conveniences and comforts of a coffee room and oyster house. In our arrangements for the gratification of the public we have spared no expense neglected no means which we believed to give to our establishment a marked superiority over all others of the same kind in New Orleans. A man of known experience and skill has been engaged to purchase the best oysters that can be had, and the liquors will always be of the best quality.

The strictest decorum will be maintained at all times, [illegible] establishment, and we shall strive to render it a place of agreeable resort during the winter months.

A magnificent Billiard room is fitted up for those who delight in that elegant exercise.

The Saloon will be richly decorated and splendidly lighted. Artists of the first merit are employed to give to it an appearance of beautiful simplicity which cannot fail to please the eye of taste.

The waiters will be polite and prompt.

A first rate Cook is employed nowhere excelled for skill in his profession.

Most respectfully we solicit the public patronage for this new and useful enterprise, and we assure our friends and fellow citizens that no sacrifice will be avoided that may contribute to the pleasure and enjoyment of those who may honor us with their visits.

n24 S. VIOSCA & CO.

Five Dollars Reward.

FOR the recovery of the girl LIZE, who ran away about five weeks since. Said girl is 13 to 14 years old, very dark, speaks English and French and is very intelligent. The reward will be paid on bringing her to No. 63, Rampart street, corner of Bienville. m9 3t

Five Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY from the Orleans Cotton Press, about two weeks ago, the slave boy JOHN, about 18 years old, five feet 10 inches high, [illegible] made, very neat; he was formerly employed on board the steamboat OLIVIA as steward. The above reward will be given for his apprehension on being lodged in any of the City jails.

m19 6t EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD will be given to any person who will deliver in jail or to the undersigned, the griff woman SOPHIE. Said slave is about 5 feet 2 inches high, speaks French and English; upper teeth decayed and has a black scar on the left cheek. She had on when she left a reddish kind of frock and black shawl. And Ten Dollars Reward will be given to any person or persons who will substantiate the person or persons with whom she has been living within the last week, so that he or they may be brought to justice.

R. H. HORN, 115 Old Levee st.

New Orleans, Feb. 27, 1850.

Five Dollars Reward

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, the mulatto, aged about 31 years, middle size, she was known as a seller of milk. The above reward will be paid for her apprehension and delivery to F. N. d'HEBECOURT, m14 Bayou Road, bet. Johnson and Prieur.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS—246 cases now landing from ships Bay State, Suffolk and Lochinvar, for sale by m25 G. W. DUNBAR, 30 Customhouse st.

BOOTS, SHOES & BROGANS—292 cases just landed from ships Scotland, Sultana and Geo. Turner, for sale by 18 R. G. HOBBS, 12 Customhouse st.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS—Now landing and in store, a general assortment of goods in the above line, suitable for the present and approaching season, for sale low by m15 FROST & CO., No. 10 Magazine st.

PALM LEAF HATS—40 cases, assorted qualities, for sale by m15 FROST & CO., No. 10 Magazine st.

BROGANS, LADIES', MISSES AND CHILDREN'S SHOES—54 trunks of fine goods of Philadelphia and Newark manufacture, now landing from ships Wabash and Telegraph, for sale by G. W. DUNBAR, m7 30, Customhouse st.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

Sugar Plantation for Sale.

A SUGAR PLANTATION, situated in the parish of St. Charles. For sale by the Consolidated Association Bank. For further particulars, apply to G. MILTENBERGER, Cashier.

GROCERY STORE FOR SALE—To be sold, a retail Grocery Store, situated in the upper part of the Second Municipality and doing a first rate business. It is well supplied with a full stock of Goods, carefully selected, and will be disposed of on liberal terms, solely on account of the proprietor leaving for California. For terms and particulars, apply to DYAS & CO., m23 1w 40 and 41 New Levee.

COFFEE HOUSE and GROCERY STORE for sale on account of departure, situated at No. 16 Madison street. Apply on the premises. m19 5t

For Sale at Private Sale or Auction—A two story frame house, situated in Greenmen street, No. 140, measuring 31 feet front by 12 feet deep. Said house contains 4 rooms, with fire places, a two story kitchen, paved yard, two cisterns, well, privy, and a carpenter shop for ten hands. If not sold at private sale by the 1st April, it will be sold at auction on that day. Apply to JOACHIM OPENWEYER, m19 12t 136 Greenmen st.

For Rent—Low—Two new two story HOUSES, on the shady corner of Bienville and Derbigny streets, one of them built expressly for a store or a boarding house. For particulars, apply to L. A. GUILLEMAIN, m15 1m 200 Circus st., near the New Basin.

To Rent—Two story Houses, just finished, situated at the corner of St. Andrew and Levee, Lafayette. These dwellings are intended for families; they have two stories in the rear, paved yards, cisterns, &c. Possession given immediately. Apply to AUG. MOLIER, 90 St. Louis st. m14

For Rent—The very desirable Store No. 68 Magazine street. Possession given 1st February. H. A. NORCROSS & CO., In Liquidation.

To Let—A Front Counting Room on the first story, with or without the loft, in a most eligible situation. Apply at 36 Poydras street. j10

To Rent—For the season, or for any length of time—The Washington Ball Room and appurtenances, situated in St. Philipe st., between Royal and Bourbon streets—being the largest and best adapted room in the city for balls, concerts, &c. Apply to LABORDE & XIQUES, 3 Front st.

Bath Houses to Rent. Either or both of those well located and handsomely furnished BATHING ESTABLISHMENTS on Canal street, near Dauphin, and on Exchange Place, between Customhouse and Bienville streets, will be leased on accommodating terms to a responsible person, for one to five years. Apply to J. P. KIRWIN, [illegible]

For Sale.—A double frame TENEMENT, with kitchens, cisterns, &c., situated on the West side of Hercules street, between [illegible] and Thalia streets. Lot, 30 feet front, by 120 feet deep. For sale by [illegible] E. J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas [illegible]