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Friday Morning, August 12, 1853.

For Congress:
SECOND DISTRICT
T. G. HUNT.

For State Treasurer,
HARRY T. HAYS, of Orle

For Auditor Public Accou
JOHN E. KING, of St. Land

For Superintendent of Public Education,
A. H. LAMON, of W. Baton Rouge.

☞ The Northern Mail failed yesterday from beyond Mobile. A few old papers, which should have arrived a week ago, came through.

THE SECOND DISTRICT.

The Donaldsonville *Vigilant* of the 6th inst., comes in retaining at the head of its columns the name of Louis Bush, as a candidate for Congress in the Second District. The *Vigilant* is an attache in the rebellion, and we believe that it will continue to enjoy the uneasy reputation of being the only Press in the District that, in its days, lays such marked disloyalty to its political faith, and the teachings of experience and sound principle. The *Vigilant* essays with feeble and faltering accents to vindicate its extraordinary position. In the course of a labored article, it endeavors to rehearse to its readers all the griefs and indignities which the district, in its opinion, has been compelled to endure from the city. It pleases the *Vigilant* to regard the precedence of the Convention as a "device" because, according to that sage sheet, the representatives of New Orleans refused to adopt the basis of legislative representation, and went into the electoral basis. This is the gist of the complaints and jeremiads of our cotemporary. The New Orleans delegates would not submit to a basis at once novel and unjust; they therefore went to withdraw from the Convention, if no basis was forced upon them. The country delegates, perceiving that an obstinate adherence to error would jeopard the harmony of the party, yielded after a severe struggle. A committee was appointed, which reported the electoral basis—the Convention adopted the report, and for the first ballot resulted in the nomination of Col. Hunt, by a majority of six over all others. If Col. LANDRY had obtained the nomination, the *Vigilant* would have regarded the proceedings as most serious, instead of a very idle farce.

With the exception of this complaint touching the basis, the article in the *Vigilant* fails to show a single source of grievance, or a solitary fact that can even extenuate the conduct of that print. It is a mere series of vague charges of arrogance and impracticability leveled at New Orleans. The *Vigilant* promises to show that New Orleans proceeding was irregular and disorderly. We await its proofs. Meanwhile, we beg to call the attention of that journal to one or two facts. The electoral basis is almost invariably chosen by Conventions of both parties. In the late Whig State Convention, as our columns at the time can prove, it was adopted without a dissenting voice. It is universally considered a safe and equitable ratio. Why should a Democratic Convention have pretended the adoption of it a constant practice? We can not understand that the friends of Colonel HUNT were anxious for his nomination, and were desirous their desire to secure the most favorable basis for the fulfillment of their desire.

We were driven from their stand by the will of a majority, and have voted in the opposite ranks for the man of their choice, and suffered in common with what plea of political subtlety can attempt to palliate the gross impurity of forcing the regular nominee, and attempting to set him defeat, by running a worthy and popular Whig against him? It is without the pretext that New Orleans seeks at all to dictate to the country in really preponderating. Why, in nearly twenty years New Orleans has been unduly suffering herself to be overwhelmed by the country parishes, and has been deserted? Time and again her Whigs have, unbiddenly, White, Democratic, and Law-and-Order, to the most generous and self sacrificing extent. Now that they have a candidate who, it is admitted by a majority of the district, had properly organized Convention, should receive from upon the country for a libel of political support? Unquestionably we have, and the right is fully recognized by every voter in the District, save the Editor of the *Vigilant*. He should be worsted in the unequal contest, the editors of the *Vigilant* are exclusively responsible for the discord which ensues. We must blight the fortunes of the Whig party for many a long year. Its enemies in the country betray us, it betrays it. It cannot strike a blow upon the Whigs of New Orleans, without being prostrated by the

☞ We are requested by Dr. JONES, the Democratic candidate in the Second Congressional district, that he only remains in the field because the democratic return from making a canvass, and that should the latter at any time that the convass resolve to nominate a candidate, he will immediately withdraw and support the regular nominee—Col. HUNT.

TENNESSEE ELECTION.

The Memphis papers furnish us with some of the general election held in Tennessee on the 4th inst. As far as heard from, they are favorable for the ... and foes, they have nothing to ... Whigs. In most places the Whig gain over the Presidential vote is ... Memphis *Eagle* says: "The election of HENRY is elected Governor; the Legislature is ... by one or two we shall no doubt have a majority ...

The Democratic ... lost held in Madison, on Saturday, ... Democratic candidates for Congress, ... were successful in the choice of JACKSON, ... and CRADDOCK, Whig.

ALABAMA.—The Democratic election in Alabama has resulted as follows:

Advertiser.—The returns show a majority ... in the District for Phillips.

Flag of the Union.—The Columbus city Times ... Whig.—It is now certain that ... is elected to Congress in the ... District. The detection of the Scott ... Marion, Barbour and Montgomery, put ... conclusion in point, and would indeed have insured the election of Clopton, if the Southern ... quota Democrats of the lower counties had not ... election under the banner of the "Big Captain," and helped it to triumph through the fight. So ... as heard from, Clopton has only carried Macon county, and his majority has been decreased ... more accurate returns below two hundred.

Advertiser.—Dale county has carried Russell by over ... hundred. Pike by nearly two hundred, and Montgomery by a small majority. The returns from Henry show that his success in the ... district will be equally decisive."

Democratic Herald.—Sampson Harris, the present ... in the Third District, is elected ... majority. He had no Whig ... ...

Eutaw Democrat.—The returns are in from all the counties in this district, and show the re... elected by a large majority. He had no Whig ...

Democratic Sentinel.—The returns are so from all the counties in the district, and show the re... elected by a majority of ... votes.

Democratic Herald.—Hon. W. R. W. Smith over Moore, the Democratic nominee, and S. F. Hale, Whig:

	Smith	Moore.	Hale.
Lawrence,	980	389	523
Lauderdale,	960	1060	82
Limestone,	680	575	612
Morgan,	923	660	705
Franklin,	904	804	427
Colbert,	142	467	537
	5064	3975	2766
	3975		
Smith's majority,	91		

Tuscaloosa Independent Monitor.—Hon. Thos J. Judge is elected. He had no opposition.

Tuscaloosa Gazette.—Cobb, the old member, and ... Esq., Democratic, were the candidates. We have no return of importance ... ...

Mobile Register.—James F. Dowell, Democrat, ... beyond a doubt elected. He was opposed by Thomas H. Garrett, Esq., who is clear ... a Nominal Democrat. N. Whig candidate in the field.

NEW BOOKS.

... new books are due the publishers, through ... Messrs. of the Literary Depot, for the ... a new publications:

Hill's Notes Abroad. A clever collection of sketches and observations derived from ... Levant. Peterson, publisher.

Lectures and Life. The anti-Popery ... of the distinguished apostle of religious ... have been collected and published in a ... and convenient form, by Messrs. Dewitt & Davenport. The volume likewise contains a ... on Martin Luther, of Father Gavazzi, re... by himself. We know of few works better ... to attract general attention.

Mark Hurlestone, or the Two Brothers—... a powerful story, in which character is ... with wonderful nicety, and incident ... up to the highest point of excitement. ... from the pen of Mrs Maddin (the author of ... Scout" et al. in the Bush." Dewitt & Davenport, publishers.

Ivy Jay Jenkins, a novel, by Cockton, author of "Valentine Vox." Mr. Cockton, in humorous description and delineation of odd characters, is scarcely surpassed by any writer of the day.—Peterson, publisher.

Le Hove's Review, for August. Westminster Review, Blackwood's Magazine—all capital numbers, including in varied interest and valuable information.

☞ NEW COTTON.—The steamer *Caddo No. 2*, Capt. Brady, from Williamsport, arrived yesterday morning, brought down from the plantation of Richard Flower, Esq., Bent Fabliaus, one bale of new cotton, consigned to the house of E. Dreher & Co.

LATER FROM MEXICO.

Arrival of the Steamship Texas.

The steamship *Texas*, H. Place master, arrived yesterday morning from Vera Cruz, which she left on the 8th inst. She brings the following passengers:

Mrs G W Burr, M A Monfort and servant; U S A; Lieut J J Hibbets, U S N; Dr D B Cooper, U S A; C C Blume, M Berea, lady, child and servant; O M Niles, M Miranda, A G de Corlo; F Otto; J Douderi, M P Salazar; J Weighman; W H Roberts; Mr Buchan; P Baker; Burlage; G Goss, 10 steerage.

CONSIGNEES—E J Forstall $20,000—Brigadier & co $1,000—J Daily Blanchard & co $1,300—Schmidt & co $5—M del Campo 906—Cranmer & co $300—M Payne $100—Total $27,631

The *Texas* left at Vera Cruz barque Gore, Huntley, to sail on the 9th inst., for New Orleans.

Left discharging brig *Ardeanca*, the crew all sick with the fever, except the captain.

We have received by the Texas our files of papers from Vera Cruz to the 7th and from Mexico to the 6th instant—both inclusive.

The Minister of Finance is busily engaged in preparing the budget, for the ensuing year, and has already made known the present condition of the Treasury. The statements published show that at the end of the year 1854 the deficit will exceed sixteen millions.

The *Siglo* has a long and very gloomy article on the subject. What, asks that journal, can be done? A foreign loan is impossible; a domestic debt can only be incurred on the most ruinous conditions. The system of jobbing has been condemned by all parties. In the meanwhile, it is difficult to ascertain the positive resources of the government, as the fruits of the new tariff and other financial measures will only be known after some time. The reduction in the active contingent of the army is estimated by the *Siglo* at a gain of five millions to the Treasury, and that journal hopes that in the other branches of the government rigid economy will be practiced.

A project for the establishment of a National Bank is published in the papers. The papers do not say whether it meets with the sanction of the government.

The property of Don Guadalupe Perieda—a citizen of Guerrero—has been confiscated by the authorities, in consequence of his having been an adherent to the late revolutionary party. He claims indemnity under the act of sanity decreed by the Supreme Government.

A decree has been issued ordering the honorable sepulture of the remains of Padre Jarauta —the famous Guerilla chief. Another decree calls for the prompt arrest and condign punishment of deserters from the army.

The papers absolutely teem with accounts of the murders and robberies committed by the Indian in Coahuila, Durango and other States.—These barbarians assassinate all the men they can find unarmed, steal the cattle, and carry off the women and children. In some instances, they have beaten the troops sent against them, while in others they have been worsted, and forced to deliver up their captives and plunder.

A few days ago, a band of robbers attacked the cars of Da Savero del Rio, while on its way from Fresnillo to Durango, and killed four persons, but were ultimately compelled to abandon the contest, having been gallantly resisted by the remainder of the convoy.

A letter from Tehuantepec states that all is quiet in that vicinity, the Government having established a strong force for the protection of the inhabitants.

The cholera has disappeared from Vera Cruz.

Manuel Serrano and Manuel Diaz have been condemned to the galleys for five years, for forgery and robbery.

Don Nicholas Bravo has written a letter in which he expresses his entire adhesion to the existing Government.

Gen Manuel Maria Villada, Governor and Commandant General of Guerero, died lately at Acapulco of the black vomit.

On the 16th ult., one Gonzales was executed at Tepic for highway robbery. He was hung at the very spot where he committed the crime.

LOUISIANA ITEMS.

The Opelousas *Whig* says:

We have had some bright and pleasant days during the past week. The nights have been quite pleasant. An occasional shower has fallen, but they seemed not to have been very general. Cane is growing finely. Cotton looks large and healthy, but is in devoid of bolls. The yield must be very light. We understand from visitors, from above, that the army worm is doing its appearance on some plantations in the neighborhood of Holmesville.

This is the weather for them.

Health was never better at this season.

The *North Louisianian* has the following:

The Cotton crop in our Parish was decidedly surprising a few weeks ago; but the rain that has fallen during that time has so far benefitted it that one would scarcely recognize the fields as being the same. The growing crop now looks very well, and in many localities will turn out an average yield. The corn crop, owing to the long drought, will necessarily be somewhat short; yet we are persuaded there will be generally enough for all practical purposes.

The Bayou Sara *Ledger* learns from the clerk of the steamer Caddo that a negro boy fell overboard and was drowned, while the Caddo was on her downward trip, opposite the Pointe Coupee Echo office.

The Ouachita *Register* speaks of the crops as follows:

Since the late rains the corn has improved very much, and it is now thought there will be very near an average crop throughout the parish. As to cotton, we hear some complaints—the weed is growing too fast, causing the bolls to shed.

The Pointe Coupee *Echo* says:

We regret to be obliged to announce that the cotton crop of the parish cannot possibly be a full one this year. For months we have noticed that it was very backward; more so indeed than any that has fallen under our observation, since our attention has been directed to this subject, but that might have been made up by a late fall. Now, however, under the influence of the unparalleled wet weather which we have had since the 1st of July, the plant is shedding its bolls and forms to an alarming extent, and rust and rot are in many places destroying those that remain. The weather is still unsettled.

HAVANA LOTTERY.—Principal prizes in the Havana Lottery of 3d August:

No 6331, $100,000; 5708, $50,000; 4617, $16,000; 13,551, $8000; 4893, $4000; 8291, $3000; 10,612, $2000; 927, $1000; 952, $1000; 3072, $1000; 6171, $1000.

☞ We learn, says the Vicksburg *Whig* that Mr Isaiah Brown was shot on Old River, Yazoo, on Saturday night. Mr. Brown and his son were coming down the river in a skiff, when some person on shore hailed them, and asked who was in the skiff—on the answer being given that it was Isaiah Brown, a gun was fired from the woodyard on shore, lodging 18 buck shot in Mr. B's breast, killing him instantly. It is supposed that a wood-chopper—whose name is not known—but is usually called "Ben," is the murderer. He is still at large.

A SMOAL IN THE GULF OF MEXICO.—Captain ROACH, of the schooner *Medea*, arrived last evening from Havana, reports having passed a shoal on the 6th instant, in long. 27, lat. 87 west. The water was of a light green color, and was near to the spot where was discovered gold! silver, and other valuables, to the amount of which an account was published in the Northern papers.

HOMICIDE.—The Unionville, S. C. Journal, of the 29th ult., announces that Mr. Jno. Hughes, dr., was killed by Captain James A. Price, on the 26th ult. Price was arrested, and committed to jail on the following day.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE WHIG STATE CONVENTION.

In accordance with previous arrangement, a Convention of the Whigs of the State of Louisiana assembled in the Hall of the House of Representatives at Baton Rouge, on Monday the 8th day of August, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices of Auditor of Public Accounts, State Treasurer and Superintendent of Public Education.

At 11 o'clock the Convention was called to order by Hon. J. B. Dafrocq, who nominated the following officers:

President, Jacob C. Vanwinkle, of Point Coupee. Vice Presidents, A. Marston, of East Feliciana, S. M. D. Clark, of West Baton Rouge. Secretaries, Philip Winfree, Jr., of West Baton Rouge, James W. Duplessis, of New Orleans.

Said nominations having been unanimously confirmed, and the officers elected having taken their seats,

B. R. Calion, of W. B. R., offered the following resolution which, on motion was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Electoral basis shall be the basis upon which the Convention shall proceed to vote for candidates for Treasurer, Auditor and Superintendent of Public Education; that is, one vote for each one hundred whig votes cast at the last election, and one vote for every fraction over fifty.

P. H. Morgan, of East Baton Rouge, offered the following, which, on motion, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of one from each Parish and Representative District be appointed, whose duty it shall be to report the names of candidates for the offices of Auditor, Treasurer and Superintendent of Public Education.

The President appointed the following gentlemen on said committee:

Point Coupee,	F. D. Conrad, Chairman;
W. Baton Rouge,	B. R. Calion;
E. Baton Rouge,	P. H. Morgan;
E. Feliciana,	A. Marston;
Concordia,	Thos. Alexander;
Lafourche,	Louis Bush;
Orleans, 1st Dist.	B. H. Prendergast,
" 2d	"
" 3d	" J. W. Duplessis;
" 4th	"
" 5th	" F. C. Gandy;
" 6th	" J. A. Boisseau;
" 7th	" A. Bisabe;
" 8th	" F. C. Laville;
" 9th	" "
" 10th	" H. E. Johnson.
" 11th	" "

A letter was then read to the Convention from Hon. L. Bordelon, declining the nomination for Auditor, and pledging his cordial support to whoever might be the choice of the Convention.

The Convention then adjourned for an hour in order to allow the committee time to report.

Upon the Convention being again called to order, the committee reported, through their chairman, F. D. Conrad, that in the opinion of a majority of the committee, the wording of the resolution was such as to make it the duty of the committee, simply to report the names of all persons who might be suggested to them for nomination. In accordance with which they reported the names of a number of gentlemen.

On motion of Mr. LeMoss the resolution for the appointment of the committee was then amended so as to make it the duty of said committee to report the names of one candidate for each of the offices to which nominations are to be made by the Convention.

The committee then retired, and, after a short absence, returned and made the following report:

The committee to whom was assigned the task of making choice of three persons, to be submitted to the Convention as candidates for the offices respectively of Auditor, Treasurer, and Superintendent of Public Education, beg leave to report, that after due deliberation, they have from the distinguished names submitted to the committee, made choice of the following persons:

For Treasurer:
HARRY T. HAYS, of New Orleans
For Auditor:
JOHN E. KING, of St. Landry.
For Superintendent of Public Education:
A. H. LAMON, of West Baton Rouge.

and recommend them to the serious consideration of the Convention.

F. D. CONRAD.

On motion of Mr. McCutchen, the Convention then proceeded to the nomination of a candidate for Treasurer. In addition to the name of Mr Hays, who was nominated by the committee, J. A. Watkins, of New Orleans, was nominated by James W. Duplessis.

Upon counting the vote, it appeared that Mr. Hays had received 41 and Mr. Watkins 15 votes; whereupon, Harry T. Hays was declared to be the unanimous nominee of this Convention.

The Convention then proceeded to the nomination of a candidate for Auditor. Messrs King and R. H. Day being placed in nomination, upon counting the votes, it appeared that Mr. King had received 41, and Mr. Day 15 votes; whereupon, Mr. King was declared the unanimous choice of this Convention.

The Convention then proceeded to nominate a candidate for Superintendent of Public Education. Messrs. A. H. Lamon and R. H. Bryan being put in nomination, upon counting the votes, it appeared that Mr. Lamon had received 47 and Mr. Bryan 9 votes. The nomination of Mr. Lamon was then made unanimous.

On motion of Mr. McNeese, a committee of five, consisting of Messrs. F. D. Conrad, E. L. Noble, W. G. Bryan, S. Henderson and J. B. Dufrocq, was appointed by the President to inform the candidates of their nomination, and to report to the Whig Central Executive Committee, hereinafter appointed.

Mr. Conrad offered the following resolution which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of one from each Parish and Representative District be appointed by the President, with the assistance of the Vice Presidents, which committee shall be called "The Whig Central State Committee," to be domiciled in the city of New Orleans, and to be empowered to fill any vacancy which may occur in the Whig State Ticket, and generally to take into consideration the interests of the Whig party of Louisiana. Their appointment to continue until the next Whig State Convention.

Under the foregoing resolution, the President appointed the following gentlemen to constitute the

WHIG STATE COMMITTEE.

New Orleans.

1st Rep. District,		H. M. Summers.
2nd	" "	A. J. Wedderburn.
3rd	" "	Chas. H. Waterman.
4th	" "	M. E. Edwards.
5th	" "	Joseph Lanata.
6th	" "	Louis Burgo.
7th	" "	T. W. Collins.
8th	" "	J. P. LaBarre.
9th	" "	Wm. Lee Bags.
10th	" "	John A. Wilkins.
11th	" "	John M. Burke.
Orleans R. Bank,		A. B. Sager.
Pequemines,		Dr. J. B. Wilkinson.
St. Bernard,		Jacques Toutant.
Jefferson,		Fergus Gardere.
St. Charles,		Dr. Wm. R. Taylor.
St. John,		A. Bourdequin.
St. James,		Alfred Roman.
Ascension,		L. D. Nichols.
Iberville,		J. L. Petit.
W. Baton Rouge,		J. V. Duralde.
Pt. Coupee,		A. Provosty.
E. Baton Rouge,		F. D. Conrad.
West Feliciana,		Robt. I. Barrow.
East "		D. C. Halden.
St. Helena,		Hezekiah Thompson.
Washin ton,		Nicholas Edwards.
Livingston,		George McMichal.
St. Tammany,		J. Krenn.
Concordia,		D. L. Rivers.
Tensas,		John Routh.
Madison,		W. S. Scott.
Carroll,		T. Anderson.
Catahoula,		Sam. Bowman.
Franklin,		C. E. Savage.
Jackson,		M. McCranie.
Morehouse,		R. B. Todd.
Union,		W. C. Carr.
Caldwell,		J. Stringer.
Ouachita,		T. C. Scarborough.
Avoyelles,		Adolphe Coco.
Rapides,		Octave Ogden.
Natchitoches,		Sam'l Clark.
De Soto,		Samuel Carruth.
Bossier,		Robt. J Swasey.
Claiborne,		Dr B Exans.
Caddo,		W B Douglas.
Sabine,		R R Bullie.
Calcasieu,		A Pujo.
St. Landry,		A Dupre.
St. Martin,		Alex. DeClouet.
St. Mary,		F D Richardson.
Lafayette,		H H Wilkerson.
Vermilion,		A Nunez.
Terrebonne,		J Ayme.
Lafourche,		R F Dardenne.
Assumption,		C Barilleau.

On motion of J. A. Bouseval, the thanks of the Convention was then returned to the Presiding Officers and decretaries, for the able and dignified manner with which they have discharged their duty; and to J. H. Perkins, Sergeant at Arms of the House, for his attention to the delegates, and for the use of the Hall.

There being no further business before the Convention, it adjourned in a spirit of harmony and good feeling, augaring success to the Ticket.

J. C. VANWINKLE, President.
PHILIP WINFREE, Jr.,
JAS. W. DUPLESSIS, } Sec's.

☞ The Illinois central road is being pushed forward with a great deal of energy on the part of the contractors. There are now over 10,000 men engaged on it. Over 100 miles of it is already in operation, viz: from Chicago to Kankakee, and from Lasalle to Bloomington. About two-thirds of the distance from Cairo to the junction is graded and ready for the rail. With in a year the road will probably be opened its entire length between Chicago and Cairo.

☞ The best mercantile subject to the draft of the Treasurer of the United States, on Monday, July 25th, was $23,696,206.76, of which $86,250 66, were in the hands of the Assistant Treasurer in this city.

☞ A faithful body servant of the late Vice-President King, it is said, is now living at Washington. He was set free by Mr. King, who also gave him $2,000 and his gold watch, for the faithful manner in which he served him.

Correspondence of the Mobile Register.

HAVANA, August 3d, 1853.

The U. S. sloop-of-war Albany has disappeared from our offing, weary of waiting to communicate with the Commodore.

The three American steamers, held for being engaged in the service of the slaver Jasper, are yet in prison, and the recipients of as much brutal treatment as can well be invented for them by Spanish authority. It has been ascertained by the Government that five of the six American seamen that were concealed upon the Cayo Cortes are yet there, but it has not been convenient to bring them to Havana. There seems here to be no doubt that those unfortunate men have been deceived originally in their destination to New York, and that they have in fact been guilty of no crime against the laws of Spain—certainly not against her customs.

In looking for the sailors of the Jasper, and for the vessel which was sunk near the point where the negroes were landed, the cable was made discovery of a Spanish clever, the brig Unva Empresa, which had a few days previous effected a landing at or near the same point with the Jasper. They captured also the crew of the vessel with considerable trouble, and they are now in prison in this city, which makes the first attempt to punish their own people for a lone period.

The distinguished ladies, Mrs. Clara Fleury Paley and her friend Miss Ellen Harvey, leave for the United States in the steamer Isabel to-morrow morning. They move north, then east, and late in the fall descend the valley to the south west, and prepare making their winter quarters in Havana. Their residence in the Hotel Cabano was made pleasant by all the gifts of the distinguished and intellectual of our rank and file of dignity—the Captain General contributing with great courtesy to their entertainments by his attentions.

Our markets and wants remain as last advised. Freights dull. Exchange on the U. S. par to ¼ per cent premium.

As ever, your obedient servant,

JAMES.

☞ The Mediterranean steamboats advertise an excursion which they call a *train de dereition*, from Lyons to Jerusalem. They receive the passengers at Marseilles, and land them at Jaffa; will take them up again at Cape Carmel, and bring them home ex Alexandria. The price through is to be 1600 francs; and the duration of the journey 40 days. The managers trust that the public will appreciate these facilities offered for their accomplishment of vows. Some of the papers consider this a rather profane mingling of speculation with serious matters. "Pilgrimage made easy," is the attractive heading upon the bills circulated by the company.

☞ The Amazon Steam Ship and Trading Company of New York have in progress of building at the latter place a large sea steamer and several smaller ones for river service. Large grants of land have been made to this company by the Brazilian and Bolivian governments; and an agent is to be sent out without delay to take charge of them to form stations along the river, and to perfect the enterprise.

☞ We understand that a railroad is in contemplation from St. Paul to Fond du Lac, Lake Superior; that a charter has been procured, a company has been organized, and the stock all taken. There is to be a meeting of the stockholders some time during the present month, at St. Paul, to make preparations for immediately commencing the work.

This road will be from eighty to one hundred miles in length, and of great importance will be manifest to every one who is well familiar with this section of the country. It will open an outlet, and the most legitimate one for the trade of the whole Upper Mississippi region. It will also bring into use a vast and fertile tract of land now considered almost *out of the world*.

City Intelligence.

INTERMENTS IN ALL CEMETERIES FOR THE TWENTY-FOUR HOURS ENDING AT 6 A. M. ON THE 11TH INSTANT:

	for adults.	for children.	total.
American, Girod street	2	1	3
Cypress Grove, Bridge	8	0	8
Lafayette, Girod	46	5	51
Odd Fellows' Rest	21	4	25
Charity Hospital	53	1	54
Calvary			0
St. Patrick's,	25	3	28
Lafayette No. 1, 6th District	29	3	32
Hebrews,	2	0	2
St. Vincent de Paul, 3d Dist.	39	1	40
Catholic No. 1,	1	0	1
Catholic No. 2	1	0	1
	226	18	244

CHARITY HOSPITAL.—OFFICIAL.—Report for the 24 hours ending on midnight on Wednesday, 10th instant:

Admissions, 83; Discharges, 44; Deaths, 67—of which 45 were of Yellow Fever.

STEAMER BIG SHOT.—Stephen Ryan, who resides at No. 65 Toulouse st, was arrested on Wednesday, by officer Cavalier, on the charge of wounding with a knife in the neck with a table knife. The wound was found lying on the floor covered with blood and dirt, by the police. They captured also the knife with which the wound was inflicted. Ryan was yesterday examined before acting Recorder Kerr, to which the charge upon him and was committed for trial before the First District Court. Bail fixed at $1000.

BOND ON FREE.—Emile Beauregard, keep er of the Second District Police, yesterday made oath to the effect that a negress named Betsey has been imprisoned since the 26th of November last as a runaway, and that she has been claimed by Wm. Bell, and at the time that she has a bill and other rights to her freedom. Beauregard says that Bell, the alleged owner, is dead, to appear and make good his claim to the woman or abandon it, so that she may be discharged from jail. The law is made and provided, direct. Warrant issued.

BEATING A WIFE.—Mads Penner, grocer on corner of Bayou road and Bolivar, was brought before Recorder Winter, and required to find bail to keep the peace for three months and in the sum of $500. The latter stated that he could only return to jail, as he was unable to find bail. He alleged as the cause of his imprisonment, that he had been beating, bruising and shamefully ill-use in the most shocking manner his wife, Mrs. Penner. The latter has not only become more frequent, but his conduct on such occasions has been so shamefully savage that she has been driven from his house, and the family are in fear that the protecting arms of the law be poured before such a fiend could do that she may be in future safe from the effects of her husband's cruelty. A warrant was issued in the premises.

ASSAULT.—Frederick Boldeau was yesterday arraigned before Recorder Winter, and remanded till the 17th inst., when he is to be examined on a charge of having on the night of the 30th ult., at Perdido street, maliciously and feloniously attacked and wounded one Antonio Bruno, boy and body, one James Percay, with a sling shot, against the State's peace and dignity.

ASSAULT.—Patrick Cohen, on the 15th instant, to be examined before Recorder Winter, on a charge of having, on board of the steamboat Fanny Smith, on the night of the 30th ult., assaulted, stoomstrom Isaac Fowler, seven feet and groins.

ROBBERY, &c.—Mary Ann O'Brien deposes that at the corner of Bayou road and Orpheus streets, on Wednesday night, James Rogers broke into her room, beat her, robbed her of two dresses, and caused her to drop in the street one or eight five franc pieces, which she has not been able to find again; she therefore charges said Rogers with robbery and assault and battery. Rogers was arrested and committed to be examined before Recorder Winter, on the 15th inst.

Whig Central Association of the Third District of the City of New Orleans.

This Association will meet on Monday the 15th instant, at 8 o'clock P. M., at their Hall, at the United States Hotel, corner of Polydras Fields and Varieties streets.

F. C. LAVILLE, } Secretaries.
E. FEARS, }

Havana Produce.

LANDING ex brig John P. Gittings:
250 boxes sugar—soft, quadroids;
174 400 Cigars of the following brands: Cosmopolite; Reputation Cosmopolite; Flor-de-pas; Minerva Mensajero; Fonticha; Cazadores; Regalia de Londres, &c. &c., in storage and for sale at the store of

J. M. CABALLERO, 26 Old Levee st.
aug12 Between Chartres and Decatur sts.

SARSAPARILLA—A lot in bond for sale by

J. M. CABALLERO 26 Old Levee st
aug 12 Between Chartres and Decatur sts.

HAVANA CIGARS—121,500 Havana Cigars, just arrived ex brig Mary Elizabeth. This is an excellent assortment of Regalias, Londres, Cabanelas, &c., of the celebrated brands: Paz de Empire, Bilbao, and J. Gutierrez, apply at

J. M CABALLERO,
26 Old Levee, between Chartres and Decatur sts.

MACKEREL—In store large No 3 Mackerel; 50 bbls and 1 bbl; 50 bbls small No. 3 Mackerel, for sale by JOS H MARKS,
aug11 76 and 76 Magazine st.

SUGAR—200 bbls crushed; 50 bbls pulverized sugar; 50 bbls A-1 loaf sugar; 50 half do do, in store and landing ex ship Walter Jones, for sale by

JOS H MARKS,
aug11 76 and 76 Magazine st.

KITTS No 2 Mackerel, for sale low to close consignment, by JOS H MARKS,
aug11 76 and 76 Magazine st.

PEPPER—500 bags heavy Sumatra, for sale by

JOS H MARKS,
au 11 76 and 76Magazine st.

CLARET—100 cases Margaux Medoc, for sale by

JOS H MARKS,
au 11 76 and 76 Magazine st.

CASSIA, Cloves, Pimento and Pepper for sale

JOS H MARKS,
au 11 76 and 76 Magazine st.

CASHEW BUTTER—15 firkins superior quality, for sale by JOS. H. MARKS,
au11 76 and 76 Magazine st.

LEMON SYRUP—100 boxes, Milder, in store and for sale by JOS. H. MARKS,
au11 76 and 76 Magazine st.

TAMARINDS—100 kegs from Tamaulipas, for sale by O. VALETON & CO.
au9 35 Tchoupitoulas st

HOLLAND CHEESE—200 do second Cheese, in prime order, for sale by

O. VALETON & CO.
au9 35 Tchoupitoulas st

CLARET WINE—60 casks good Bronzy Claret, for sale to arrive by ship Thomas Wright, from Bordeaux. O. VALETON & CO.
au9 35 Tchoupitoulas st

PICKLES—600 boxes, gallons, half, quarts and pints of E H Van Benschoten, of New York, for sale by O. VALETON & CO.
au9 35 Tchoupitoulas st

FRENCH PICKLES—500 boxes Onions, Capers, assorted, and Anchovies, for sale by

O. VALETON & CO.
au9 35 Tchoupitoulas st

HONEY—50 barrels of White Honey, for sale by

O. VALETON & CO.
au9 35 Tchoupitoulas st

SYRUP—25 boxes Congress, for sale by

E. J. HART & CO.
au 11 76 Tchoupitoulas st

ORANGE FLOWER WATER—300 boxes of assorted sizes, landing ex ship Ann Lizza, from Marseilles, and for sale by E. CARUSO & CO.
au9 76 Old Levee st

BEEF TONGUES—1 from the choicest cattle, for sale by the undersigned, and for sale by

KOSTERING & CO.

COMMERCIAL.

The Markets.

SEE OFFICE,
THURSDAY EVENING, Aug. 11, 1853.

The Cotton market has been rather more animated, and to-day's transactions amount to nearly 600 bales at unchanged prices.

LIVERPOOL CLASSIFICATION—LOUISIANA AND MISSISSIPPI.

Inferior,	7—7¼	Fully Fair,	10¼
Ordinary,	7¾@8	Good Fair,	10¾
Middling,	8¾@9¼	Good and Fine,	11
Middling Fair,	9¾@10		

Nothing done in Tobacco.

Sales of Sugar and Molasses confined to small lots.

In Flour, but little has been done, the sales being confined to 600 bbls St. Louis, on private terms; a small lot of superfine at $7, and 146 extra choice at $7 87½ @ bbl.

Sales of Corn, 3000 sack, at 56@60c for mixed and yellow, and 58c for prime white.

Nothing done in Oats or Bran.

Mess Pork was retailing at $15 @ bbl.

Sales of Bacon, 200 boxes plain Hams at 8c; 20 casks Shoulders at 6, and 20 Sides at 7½c.

About 300 bags Seed were sold on the Levee, at 2½c.

Transactions in Whiskey limited to retail lots.

Nothing done in Freights.

No alterations in Exchange. We quote:

EXCHANGE ON COIN DOMS.

Sterling,	———	½	———
France,	5.16@5.18¾	⅛	———
New York, sixty day bills,	19@19⅛	¼	———
Do. Checks,	par@¼	¼	———
Baltimore, sixty days,	¼@½	¼	———
Boston, sixty days,	¼@½	¼	———
Havana, at five to eight days,	½—3@5	½	———

Steamboat Departures—This Day.

Rubis,	Florida, Grant,	———
Ocean Springs,	Goode, Walker,	———
Covington,	St. Charles, Dumont,	———
Bayou Sara,	J. W. Devoe, Usher,	———
Princeton,	Frank Lyon, Fates,	———
Plaquemine,	Pelican, Tompkins,	———
St. Louis,	Sunbeam 11th, Dowling,	———
St. Louis,	Ivy, Georgia, Reynolds,	———

☞ The best evidence that can be adduced in favor of the efficaciousness of Hoofland's German Bitters, is proved by Dr. C. M. Jackson's the vast preponderating demand for them from all parts of the Union; and although there may be many compounds prepared and represented as being worthy of a liberal patronage, none have ever manifested so much real merit, or been so constructed in the city of New Orleans, and to be empowered to fill any vacancy which may occur in the Whig State Ticket, and generally to take into consideration the interests of the Whig party of Louisiana. Their appointment to continue until the next Whig State Convention.

Under the foregoing resolution, the President appointed the following gentlemen to constitute the

WHIG STATE COMMITTEE.

New Orleans.

1st Rep. District,		H. M. Summers.
2nd	" "	A. J. Wedderburn.
3rd	" "	Chas. H. Waterman.
4th	" "	M. E. Edwards.
5th	" "	Joseph Lanata.
6th	" "	Louis Burgo.
7th	" "	T. W. Collins.
8th	" "	J. P. LaBarre.
9th	" "	Wm. Lee Bags.
10th	" "	John A. Wilkins.
11th	" "	John M. Burke.
Orleans R. Bank,		A. B