THE DAILY BEE, PUBLISHED BY
G. F. WEISSE & CO.
Editors and Proprietors,
G. F. WEISSE, S. HARBY,
E. DUVERGES, N. DUFOUR.

DAILY PAPER, (one year in advance,) $10 00
COUNTRY PAPER, semi-weekly, (one year in advance,) 5 00
In all cases, subscribers must give one week's notice in writing, before they can be allowed to discontinue.

The New Orleans Bee.

NEW ORLEANS, MONDAY MORNING, MARCH 13, 1854.

No. 4248 Vol. XI.—NEW SERIES
Vol. XVII.—Whole No. 2363.

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

One square, (12 lines,) first insertion, $1 00
One square, (12 lines,) each subsequent insertion, 50
Each additional line, first insertion, 8
Each additional line, subsequent insertion, 4
The above rates are for any square every other day.

THE DAILY BEE.

Monday Morning, March, 13, 1854.

LOSS OF STEAMBOAT DEPARTURES see FRENCH SIDE.

THE MAILS.—Since our last publication a number of back mails have come through. Our dates from Boston are to the 6th, from New York to the 7th, from Washington to the 8th, and from Charleston to the 8th inst.

VOTE ON THE NEBRASKA BILL.

The vote in the Senate on the final passage of the Nebraska bill was taken at 4 o'clock on the morning of the 4th March—the debate, which lasted a few days, was of a most bitter, exciting and personal character, having lasted all night. The "ayes" were but few, there being 37 votes cast—37 for, and 14 against. We give below an analysis of this vote, which presents some strange political and sectional features, deserving the study of the curious.

FOR THE BILL.

NORTHERN DEMOCRATS.

Messrs. Bradbury, Me.		Messrs. Petit, Indiana.	
Clark, R. I.	"	Shields, Illinois.	
Dodge, Iowa.	"	Weller, Cal.	
Douglas, Ill.	"	Thompson, N. J.	
Dixon, Conn.	"	Toucey, Conn.	
Johnson, Geo.	"	Walker, Cal.	
Norris, N. H.	"	Williams, N. H.	14

SOUTHERN DEMOCRATS.

Messrs. Adams, Miss.		Messrs. Fitzpatrick, Ala.	
Atchison, Mo.	"	Hunter, Va.	
Bell, Tenn.	"	Johnson, Ark.	
Brodhead, Pa.	"	Mason, Va.	
Evans, S. C.	"	Rusk, Texas.	
Gwin, Alabama.	"	Sebastian, Ark.	
Hunter, Va.	"	Slidell, La.—14	

NORTHERN WHIGS.

Messrs. Badger, Conn.		Messrs. Jones, Tenn.	
Bayard, Del.	"	Morton, Fla.	
Fish, R. I.	"	Pratt, Md.	
Hamlin, Me.	"	Thompson, Ky.	
Pearce, Md.	"		7

AGAINST THE BILL.

NORTHERN DEMOCRATS.

Messrs. Bell, N. H.		Messrs. James, R. I.	
Cooper, Pa.	"	Walker, Wis.—	
Hamlin, Me.	"		

NORTHERN WHIGS.

Messrs. Chase, O.		Messrs. Seward, N. Y.	
Fessenden, Me.	"	Smith, Ct.	
Foot, Vt.	"	Wade, Ohio.	4

INDEPENDENT FREE SOILERS.

Mr. Chase, O.		Mr. Sumner, Mass.—	2

SOUTHERN WHIGS.

Mr. Bell, Tenn.			1

SLAVE DEMOCRATS.

Mr. Butler, S. C.			1

			14

FOR THE BILL—			37
AGAINST IT—			14
Northern Democrats,			14
Southern Democrats,			14
Northern Whigs,			7
Southern Whigs,			1
Independent Free Soilers,			2
Slave Democrats,			1
Southern Whigs—Jones, N. C., and Toombs,			2

The Northern Democrats who voted against the bill are Messrs. Bell of New Hampshire, Cooper of Pennsylvania, Hamlin of Maine, and James of Rhode Island. Of these, Messrs. Bell and Cooper are about equally divided. Messrs. Hamlin and James would have voted nay; while Messrs. Bell of New Hampshire, and Pearce of Maryland, would have said aye. How Chevalier, of Detroit, would have voted is more than we can divine, for in his speech he seemed both to favor and oppose the bill.

Of the Whig Senators who voted against the bill, we shall have to refer to the call for the 4th and last resolutions by the subscribers to the Cass Nebraska Club Institution.

Mr. Seward was the whole nine passenger by the Texas left yesterday for Washington city. We shall send he bears with him the offer of the Mexican government to the late modification proposed to the Gadsden treaty.

CANDIDATE FOR TREASURER.—The announcement of W. H. H. GUILLARD, as a candidate for City Treasurer appears in our columns this morning. Mr. Guillard is a native citizen of this city, and has given the highest possible satisfaction by his prompt, efficient and masterly administration of the duties of his office. He will be warmly supported by a host of friends.

THE EUROPEAN NEWS.

Our readers will find with morning's paper the news by two Europe in steamers, conveying one of the most important character. Spain still rages, and every thing seems to be tending to the intervention of the two powers. Communication between Constantinople and New Orleans being not obtainable by electric wires. This is rather an unfortunate circumstance.

Arrival of the Daniel Webster.—The steamship *Daniel Webster*, Capt. Wamack, arrived in Saturday from San Juan, with 103 passengers.

The steamship Star of the West left San Francisco for Panama on the 1st inst. with $1,000,000 in treasure.

The Sacramento whose position in reference to the Indians excited so much curiosity, has left for Benicia.

The U. S. steamer Fulton, through which the Panama railroad passes, contains already seventy buildings.

ISTHMUS OF DARIEN.

The Aspinwall *Courier* furnishes the subjoined interesting information:

Mr. Holcomb, a gentleman whom most of our readers know as having been for a considerable time in the employ of the P. R. R. Co. on the Isthmus, and more recently engaged in furnishing materials for the construction of their road, joined the Darien Expedition at Caritagena, about the 10th of January last, as a volunteer, and continued with them, until the 20th instant. From this gentleman, who arrived at this port in the English steamer from Caritagena, we have received several items of information of considerable interest respecting the party, which we give, in order, below.

The last news that had been received at the city of Panama was to the 20th inst.

One of the most formidable of the gang which has preyed upon the public in transit of the Isthmus, for some months past, was arrested last week, we are informed, in a billiard room at Panama, with his command about him. He is said to be chiefly playing billiards, without disguise, unobserved, and without arms. And the five hundred dollars reward, which had been offered, having stimulated the police, Saldillo was taken, after considerable single-handed resistance, and lodged in the Panama jail.

The vicinity of Obispo, through which the Panama railroad passes, contains already seventy buildings.

ISTHMUS OF DARIEN.

The Aspinwall *Courier* furnishes the subjoined interesting information:

Mr. Holcomb, a gentleman whom most of our readers know as having been for a considerable time in the employ of the P. R. R. Co. on the Isthmus, and more recently engaged in furnishing materials for the construction of their road, joined the Darien Expedition at Caritagena, about the 10th of January last, as a volunteer, and continued with them, until the 20th instant. From this gentleman, who arrived at this port in the English steamer from Caritagena, we have received several items of information of considerable interest respecting the party, which we give, in order, below.

The last news that had been received at the city of Panama was to the 20th inst.

One of the most formidable of the gang which has preyed upon the public in transit of the Isthmus, for some months past, was arrested last week, we are informed, in a billiard room at Panama, with his command about him. He is said to be chiefly playing billiards, without disguise, unobserved, and without arms. And the five hundred dollars reward, which had been offered, having stimulated the police, Saldillo was taken, after considerable single-handed resistance, and lodged in the Panama jail.

The vicinity of Obispo, through which the Panama railroad passes, contains already seventy buildings.

DEATH OF GEN. WASHINGTON.

The Washington *Union* announces the death of Gen. Washington, the last male descendant of the immortal Washington. He died on the 6th inst. at his residence in Jefferson county, Virginia, and it is supposed that he was about 70 years of age. He was the nephew of Mr. Harris, of Georgetown, D. C. Washington relatives are requested to attend the funeral, which will take place from the residence of Mr. Harris, on Thursday, the 9th inst., at 11 o'clock A. M.

SPIRITUALISM.

It will be seen by reference to our advertising columns, that Mr. Doct. Britt, having received an intimation from an unerring source, has in accordance with what he considers an imperative duty, repaired to this city with the purpose of enlightening our citizens from the subject of spiritualism.

Mrs. Britt is a resident of St. Louis, and while in that city in September last she had frequent opportunities of listening to the eloquent periods which flowed from her lips while in a trance. We also frequently saw her rise in the midst of a crowded and highly intelligent audience and discourse beautiful vocal music in the shape of a hymn that no human eye had ever seen.

Mrs. B. is accompanied on her mission by her husband, a physician of St. Louis, and Mr. T. G. Forster, a distinguished writing medium. Those of our readers who desire to investigate for themselves the mysteries of this new science, have now an unusually favorable opportunity presented them—and we expect their attendance at the Mechanic's Institute to-morrow evening.

CALIFORNIA.

The steamship *El Dorado* arrived on Saturday from Aspinwall, bringing the Pacific mails and California dates to the 16th ult.

The news from California is of little interest. The United States Land Commission was despatching the business before it with promptitude.

The clipper ship *San Francisco* had been lost on the coast. A portion of the cargo was saved.

There had been a very violent gale on the coast.

The Chinese immigration had recommenced.

Further news of the Walker Expedition had been received. The San Francisco *Chronicle* says:

The events of the two past weeks have not been very marked, and consequently we have very little comment to make in our summary of news. The bribery case in the Senate resulted in eliciting nothing more than the statements of Peck and Palmer. Peck accused Palmer of an attempt to bribe him in the sum of $5,000 to bring on the Senatorial election this winter, and Palmer swore positively that Peck offered to vote for the election if Palmer would give him $5,000. The Senate, after investing about two weeks to the investigation of the matter, voted that it be dropped.

The Senate, after investing about two weeks to the investigation of the matter, voted that it be dropped.

The Legislature in Lower California are evidently cut off from all chance of invading Sonora. Forty-six of their number have deserted and returned to this city. They expressed that Walker was waiting the return of the Anita from this port, to convey his men to Sonora. The Anita has been in this city, and is to be used in the coasting trade between this city and Guaymas, and her name has been changed to Petrita. The U. S. sloop-of-war Portsmouth and the steamship Columbus are now on the Mexican coast for the purpose of overawing the landing of filibusters. The Columbus is supposed any new expedition will be deterred from leaving this port. For those on board of the Anita, Walker's forces must disband without being able to reach Sonora.

We have melancholy accounts of depredations by the Indians in the Northern part of the State. In one engagement with the Indians and two Americans were killed. The Indians in that section of the State are powerful enough to muster three tribes from the neighborhood, and measures have been taken to send an organized force of U. S. troops against them. Considerable rain has fallen throughout the State within the past few days, and there is no longer want for water. Hail fell in this city on Sunday, 12th instant, covering sidewalks, house tops and the adjacent hills with a white covering.

The miners are doing an excellent business.

MEXICO.

The steamship *Texas* arrived on Saturday from Vera Cruz, with dates from that place to the 8th, and from the city of Mexico to the 4th instant.

Capt. Place reports that the American schooner *Red Fox*, Stinson, master, had from Vera Cruz, for Tampico, on the 7th inst. The American bark *Flash*, Capt. Wilson, was to sail for New York the same day, and the American brig *John Wallaran*, Capt. Goodspeed, was left in port discharging.

The most important item of intelligence brought by the *Texas* relates to the return of Acapulco, of which our correspondent gave an inkling some days ago. Gen. Alvarez has raised the standard of revolt, and rumoring that the government troops sent to that quarter had the protection of the frontier, had been secretly instructed to murder him and his supporters. He has retreated with the troops into the interior territory, and has raised an armed force, and is in open resistance to the government. In the meantime the steamer Guerrero, with a body of 400 men has been ordered to repair to the disaffected territory, and more troops are to follow. The country is deserted of vast importance, and is indicative of the disturbed state of feeling throughout the country.

The port of Acapulco has been declared closed to commerce.

Mr. Louis de la Rosa, late Minister of Mexico, at Washington, and Mr. Silfeio, a lawyer, have taken leave from the capitol.

The *Diario* official states that the object of Mr. Atocha's visit to Mexico was to lay before Santa Anna the amendments proposed to the Gadsden treaty by the House of Senate. That the 3d declares that these amendments have been accepted by the Mexican government.

The capture of the Indians in Durango still continue unabated.

The papers are filled with decrees, most of them of little importance.

FROM PANAMA.—Our dates from Panama are to the 20th ult.

One of the most formidable of the gang which has preyed upon the public in transit of the Isthmus, for some months past, was arrested last week, we are informed, in a billiard room at Panama, with his command about him. He is said to be chiefly playing billiards, without disguise, unobserved, and without arms. And the five hundred dollars reward, which had been offered, having stimulated the police, Saldillo was taken, after considerable single-handed resistance, and lodged in the Panama jail.

The vicinity of Obispo, through which the Panama railroad passes, contains already seventy buildings.

DEATH.

DEATH.—The Madison *Courier* announces the death of John McCain, which occurred on the 27th ult. at his residence in Madison county, Miss.

The body of John McCain was found on the 27th day last, near the plantation of the late T. H. Scott. Mr. McCain had been missing for three days, and a search had been instituted by his neighbors for several days before his body was found. He was last seen alive with his wife's brother, Mr. Williams's family in this place on Tuesday, on Wednesday, the 15th inst., and it is supposed that he was murdered on that day.

The last Indians who came in declared positively that Steele's party were alive; that they were feeding on game, and that they would still manage. Hope for the best.

The expedition against Mr. Gisborne, by the Indians, during his former visit, and the ridiculous course they seem to have led him, instead of going directly to the road made by the Kentucky party, under Gen. Prevost, leaves us to apprehend he may have difficulty with them.—One thing is evident, they intend he shall not learn the most direct route through them.

The Ten Rivers mentioned in our account of the Keonish route is the Chinquinea, and the New Year's river, a branch of that.

STEAMBOAT BURNING AND LOSS OF LIFE.—By the arrival of the steamboat *Glendale*, we have the particulars of the loss of the steamboat *J. L. Avery*. She took at Black Hawk Point at 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, and when the boat and freight are valued at [illegible].

The Glendale was unable to render assistance in rescuing the lives of those who perished from the wreck. The Glendale laid by the wreck until daylight, taking from it [illegible] and other effects.

Four persons, viz: the Second mate, and three passengers, one of whom was a woman, were lost. The names of the passengers we have not learned, but it is supposed that Mr. Shaw was found in the cabin with his head awfully crushed.

[By the Red River Line.]

Steamer Lost.

NATCHITOCHES, March 11. The steamer Caspian bound for New Orleans, down the Red River, with several hundred bales of cotton on board has been sunk and is a total loss. The greater part of the cargo will be saved.

TERRIBLE DISASTER IN VIRGIN BAY.—On the 2nd inst., while the passengers from Calliot inn were being conveyed to the Lake Steam ship Ometepeco, lying in Virgin Bay, one of the launches having some eighty persons on board, capsized and filled and nearly all on board were precipitated into the water, of whom 24 were drowned. Nineteen of the bodies had been recovered at last accounts, and were buried at Virgin Bay. The agent of the Transit Company, at that place, was using the utmost exertion to find the other bodies. Every attention was paid to the survivors that was possible.

Annexed is a list of names of most of the persons whose bodies were recovered, and the amount of treasure attached to their bodies:—The treasure, we understand, is in the hands of the agent at Virgin Bay:

Wm. H. Gardiner $900 gold and draft for $1400. Francis Harris, [illegible] dust; Isaac Edge, $1000; engineer, name unknown; C. Vine; D. W. Loud; Fred Cleary, boy; Daniel Churchill; Edward Thomas, boy; Jarvis Lewis, New York; Charles Lyon, gold bean from Michigan, name unknown; William Lyon; T. Samoot, Frank Flynn, Mercy Moore, a native; David Lewis, a black; an English woman.

We have also the following list of persons not found:

H. W. Stidley; James Potter; an Englishman husband of the woman whose body was found—had on his body $3,500.

Late Telegraphic News.

Burning of a Cotton Mill.

BALTIMORE, March 7.

The Cotton Mill of Messrs. Watkinson and Farquhar, at Patterson Park, Canterbury, near Hartford, has been destroyed by fire, involving a loss of $50,000, and throwing two hundred hands out of employment.

Rail-Way Accident.

BALTIMORE, March 7.

A train on the New York and Susquehanna Rail Road ran down an embankment on Monday afternoon, making a frightful descent. Dr. Mosley, of Pittsburg, was badly hurt, and six or seven others slightly injured.

New York Markets.

BALTIMORE, March 7, 8:40 P. M.

[illegible] March 8, 3 A. M.

The advices by the steamship Alps, from Europe have caused a decline in Cotton [illegible] prices were stiffer, but [illegible] Cotton was [illegible] Coffee was [illegible] Rice was dull, [illegible] Sugars were firmer. Molasses was [illegible] Whiskey was [illegible] Provisions were [illegible] Freights were [illegible] Exchange is without alteration. We quote: Sterling, 107½@108¾. Paris, 5.20@5.17½. Bills on New York at 60 days, 1½@2 ₱ cent discount. Checks, ¼@¾ ₱ cent. discount.

EXCHANGE OUT DOOR.

Sterling	7½@8¾ ₱ ct.
France	20@20 15%
New York, sixty day bills	1¼@2¼ ₱ cent dis
Charleston, sixty days	¼@¾ ₱ cent dis
Boston, sixty days	¼@¾ ₱ cent dis
Philadelphia, sixty days	¼@¾ ₱ cent dis
Havana at five to sight days	½@¾ ₱ cent dis

Two ships were taken for Liverpool, at 5d. for Cotton and 9s. ₱ bbl. for Flour; also, a ship for the Baltic, at 1d., and a bark for Havre, at 1 11-16d.

SPIRITUAL LECTURES.

MRS. DR. E. BRITT, of St. Louis, Mo., inspirational orator, designs commencing a series of lectures upon the Spiritual Phenomena of the age, on Tuesday evening next, at the Mechanic's Institute, Phillip street, between Common and Canal street.

Mrs. Britt has been a speaking Medium for more than a year, and has lectured for long time, we say, before she left St. Louis that she was a believer. Her lectures are delivered while under spiritual influence, and in point of diction, are beyond her capacities while in her normal state. She is entranced by her invisible guides, in the presence of the audience, and remains in that condition during the delivery of the discourse.

Price of admission—50 cents to the lower floor; 25 cents to the gallery. mr 13—2t

CARD.

PLACIDE'S VARIETIES.

MR. BASS respectfully announces to his friends and the public, his BENEFIT at the above house on WEDNESDAY next, March 15th, when will be performed, an entirely new piece, entitled

MINING AND MINERS.

The highly laughable interlude of the

MISTAKEN MILLINER.

supported by a very powerful cast—and, for the first time for many years, the Zouave old dance of

Jersey Belles, Mr. J. S. Browne; Farmwell, Mr. Bass; Jesse, Mr. Holland; Miss Lizzy Durable, Mrs. Rose; Mary Ann, Mr. Bass.

For Next Week.

MR. BASS respectfully announces to his friends and the public, that he will play an entirely new piece, entitled

THE MISTAKEN MILLINER.

Mr. Bass' first appearance in the character of Jeremy Diddler, Mr. J. S. Browne; Farmwell, Mr. Bass; Jesse, Mr. Holland; Miss Lizzy Durable, Mrs. Rose; Mary Ann, Mr. Bass.

FOR NEXT WEEK