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NEW ORLEANS:
TUESDAY MORNING, JAN. 22, 1867

VALUABLE PLANTATION AT AUCTION BY THE SHERIFF.—We call attention to the sale at auction to be made this day, at noon, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, of that valuable Plantation situate on the right bank of the river in this Parish, formerly owned by Gabriel Moniere Fazende. For particulars and terms see advertisement.

COAL.—Messrs W. G Coyle & Co. advertise for sale, at the lowest market rates, at their yards, corner Magazine and Girod, and on Magazine between Washington and Sixth streets, a superior article of Pittsburg, English Cannel and Authracite Coal.

COAL.—Mr. David Stickney advertises for sale the best quality of Pittsburg and Anthracite coal, raw dirt, and screened expressly for family use, to be delivered free of cartage in any desired quantity, and at the lowest market prices. He guarantees the prompt filling of orders left either at his coal yard, corner of Levee and Louisa streets, or at his office, No. 6 Carondelet street.

PREMIUM LIGHT HOUSE OIL.—We invite attention to the advertisement of R Bleakley & Co., in another column, regarding this celebrated non explosive oil, which they pronounce superior to any burning oil now in use, stating, as will be seen, the numerous properties which recommend it to the public. This oil, it may be remembered, took the first premium at the State Fair, and is now offered for sale at the stores of Messrs Bleakley & Co., Nos. 56, 58, 60, 62 and 64 Poydras street, where persons desiring can test its merits for their better satisfaction.

THE BARBER OF SEVILLE.—Last night "The Barber" was given at the Opera House, with Madame Tomasi as *Rosina*, Norma," was expected on this evening but, owing to the indisposition of the leading tenor, it was found impossible to give that opera, and at the very last moment "Il Barbiere was substituted. It was evident from the steady tones of the prompter—which were far from agreeable—that none of the singers had had time to study their parts, but the music was given admirably, and Madame Tomasi's splendid acting amply made up for the one fault. Not having a bill during the evening, we could not recall the names of the tenor, buffo, *Lindoro*, the baritone, but both did as well as could have been expected. The pantomime was exceedingly well done. Nothing could exceed the grace with which Madame Tomasi played the part of *Rosina* throughout, while in some parts she was positively charming. There has been no sweeter voice than hers open our stage for many a year.

Little things, they say, are much more observed than great ones upon the stage, and the seat shown in the attachment which Madame Tomasi attracted by the graceful management of her hands and arms—beautiful hands they are too—and the versatile expressions of her face. This criticism, it is fair to say, belongs to a lady, and it is therefore the more complimentary to Madame Tomasi. Of course it is unfair to find fault where the excuse given for faults was so good, but we did think that a little more vivacity would have added a great deal to the rendition. The opera, like *Don Pasquale*, the *Ordre Donizetti*, has a spirited movement resembling the *Brindisi* of Naples, and required great life. The gem of the evening was *La Absenza*, sung by Madame Tomasi in the music lesson. It was encored, and received with great applause.

The steamship Huntsville, Capt. Ryder, from New York the 31st inst. with merchandise and passengers, consigned to D. McCoard, arrived at her wharf yesterday morning. On the second day out experienced strong gales and high seas on the 19th, experienced strong gales from the northeast, and a sudden change of wind at 10 P M from the southeast to west, blowing heavy, with high seas, stripped a section of the cabin doors, and a large quantity of water came in the cabin. Forty miles northwest from Tortugas, passed the ship Pride of the Port, steering to the northwest.

The Huntsville arrived at the bar at 7 A M on Sunday, and crossed at 2 P M. The bar being well blocked up, waited outside five hours for a channel to cross.

ARRIVAL OF THE GEN. GRANT.—Passengers per steamship Gen. Grant, Capt. Geo. W. Conch, from New York.

Jas. A Wall, Mr. J S Y, Mr F W Dion, O D Lee, Mrs Dion and 2 children, Mr H M Grice, J M Grice, Fred Ke ler, Jas Fitzpatrick, F H Holman, Lieut C F Pen, C H Coombs, and servant.

RAPID GROWTH OF TEXAS.—The following, which we clip from one of our exchanges, finds color, if true, a very rapid growth of population in our sister State

Houston, before the war, had 5000 inhabitants. They now number 20,000. The *Telegraph* says: Our city is perfectly filled with strangers from all the four quarters of the globe, and our hotels and restaurants are filled to overflowing with them. We are at a loss to know where they all come from. But the best of it all is they have no office, or factory, and are buying up the vacant lots and blocks around the city, with the intention of building on them.

THE KILLING OF SENATOR CAGE IN OBION COUNTY.—CORRECT PARTICULARS.—A correct account of the killing of Senator Cage in Obion, representative District, recently charged him with bribery, perjury and theft. There is scarcely a doubt but that these charges only told half the story, in proof of which we refer to the broken-hearted and abandoned and abused wife.—*Cairo Democrat.*

The newest Yankee invention is an umbrella with a gutter around the edge and a spout at one corner.

Of the four fatal cases of cholera in Charleston last week, one was produced by eating largely of cucumbers, and three by eating fresh pork. So reports the health officer.

A tartleton, who is something of a wag, suggests that the very best name for a horse is Hercules, because the original chap was so successful in "cleaning out" other people's stables.

Five Russian convicts escaped from the Chicago county jail the other day.

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THE GIROD LEGACY.

It is a common saying that men think twice before spending their own money, anxiously once when dealing with the public funds. In the general acceptation of this saw, whatever the incidents which gave rise to it, it may be considered a slander upon men. Probably it is so. But we must confess that there have been examples enough of breach of trust, or maladministration, to give it some coloring of truth; while, on the other hand, examples are not wanting to show that this may be merely an exception to a general rule. Its discussion would bring up a nice point in ethics; but, assuming public opinion to be correct in this matter, there can be no doubt that men do give more thought to investments where the money comes out of their own pockets than they do when acting as agents merely. In urging this we do not necessarily reflect upon the character of any man, nor do we impugn his honor or honesty, but we wish to show the difference in the matter of responsibility when a man is directly concerned in the profit or loss, and when he is entirely free from either. He may believe that he is doing the correct thing, and be perfectly honest in that belief, when he would have given it far more forethought had it been an affair concerning his own interest merely. In cases of disputed successions, of course, the law steps in to decide upon the proper course, but when left to individual action, it is rare to find the original plan as best understood and appreciated, fully carried out.

A case in point is now before the people. Some thirty years ago Mr. Nicholas Girod died, possessed of a large estate as he supposed, and among the legacies designated in his testament was one donating $100,000 to build an Asylum for the relief and succor of the orphan children of French citizens of New Orleans. From the estimate of his property, it turned out that the estate could realize only twenty eight cents on a dollar. Instead of $100,000, therefore, the legacy only amounted to $28,000. Under these circumstances the heirs at law filed a claim for the possession of this sum, upon the plea that the deceased was not worth $100,000 and therefore the bequest could not be carried out. The Supreme Court decided against their claim, and ordered the money to be put at interest on properly invested until the original sum should be reached. By the terms of the will $100,000 were to be appropriated from the receipts for the construction of an edifice bearing the name of M. Girod, in the Parish of Orleans, to receive and afford succor to the French orphans living in New Orleans. The money was invested by the city, or by the Mayor as the legal representative, and when Mayor Monroe succeeded Mayor Seith, it had reached the sum of $48,000. New Mayor Monroe recommends that the sum has reached $100,000, and that there is no reason why the original plan should not be carried into effect. Proposals for plans for a suitable building were called for, and one selected, if we may judge from the specifications in the by-form contract, which cannot cost less than ninety or one hundred thousand dollars. From this we infer that the intention is to put the whole of this money into a building. Though the kindness of Mr. John Davidson, a public spirited and charitable citizen, a lot has been donated on the Metairie Ridge, near the City Park, but beyond this there are no donations for the Asylum. The question then arises is it right now, or is it carrying out the original intention of the donor, to put the whole of the legacy into a building, leaving nothing for an endowment? Have the parties concerned given the question sufficient thought? Are all their queries of action based on the interests of the public, may be from circumstances of the moment which actuated the decision.

By the terms of Mr. Girod's will we find that he not only contemplated the erection of a building, but a fund for the orphans who might receive the benefits of his legacy. At the first glance the two things may appear synonymous. It would seem that Mr. Girod's system united in the succor and relief by providing an asylum; but the question can only be decided by a knowledge of the men and of his motive and views. He, however, says he wishes to know, first, that the money will go forth for a double purpose—that a building and to provide it with an endowment. He had intended to have the whole of the sum put into a building, trusting to some other source for subsequent maintenance. Most of the orphan asylums of New Orleans do absorb all the money that they can raise, and private individuals are taxed as much now-a-days as they were before the war. There is no certainty to either of these assumptions, and a sober second thought, reflecting upon the matter as if we were executors the donors, would tell us that the latter plan would be best calculated to carry out and have some ready money on hand for the individual wants of the orphans. Say for example a building is erected costing only fifty or sixty thousand dollars, there is then a large sum for the use of the orphans. Experience has shown that estimates, as time progresses, fall far short of the final cost of a building. The contractor is awarded the job at the lowest bid, and it may be depended on that the contractor will not put one dollar's worth of work on the edifice more than he is positively obliged to. When he has completed his task there yet remains much to be done, and a large sum of money will be needed to fit the building for use. If the whole of the fund is awarded to the contractor there is a good prospect of the Asylum remaining unfinished for a long time, for example are the many wanting of buildings partially completed standing for years before sufficient money could be obtained to finish the work, while in many instances, new structures, costing enormous sums, have been left to decay like some medieval ruin.

It is very true that what could be saved from the contract would not form a sufficient endowment, but it would at least serve for a time, and would be a nucleus for the establishment of a permanent fund. It is possible that all of these things have been maturely considered, and that the decision has been made after proper thought, but if so the matter is not thoroughly understood by the public, and as it has been the subject of much discussion within the past week we have given publicity to the idea that have been suggested to us. Unless it has already been done we hope the Mayor will take the subject into consideration, and reflect upon the suggestions here thrown out.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

An Error Corrected.—The chair for the President of the Merchants' Exchange has arrived and been placed in position in the rooms of the Association in the Merchants' Building. It is beautifully and appropriately designed and elegantly carved with emblematical figures, expressive of the wealth and the great interests of agriculture, commerce, etc., which it is the object of the Association to foster. Over the President's head, when seated, may be seen the Pelican feeding her young, the coat of arms of the State, and the motto "I live and die for those I love," all standing each in full relief. The chair, we understand, cost $600 in New York.

Southern Hospital Association Ball.—This ball, it should be borne in mind, will come off on the 29th inst. Thursday, in the New Opera House, and will doubtless be one of the most superb affairs of the kind that season, as preparations are being made on a grand scale. Tickets can be procured at the office of Irenæus H. Mauny, the Secretary of the Association, No. 188 Gravier street, and at the office of G. Ley Ferret & Co., No. 16 Royal street.

There was a spirited sale of the most eligible seats for the ball, Nelligan yesterday at the Auctioneers Exchange. Some of the stage boxes and seats in the front row of the dress circle went for high as $40 each, therefore, about $30 each. The second row averaged about $18, the front row in the second tier about $10, and those of the second row about $5. The total amount realized was several thousand dollars.

Inspector Of The Peace.—For the information of those of our community required by law to pay licenses it would be well for them to bear in mind that after the 31st of the present month an addition of ten per cent will be added to those who have up to that time failed to pay into the city treasury the amount of their license.

The Homicide on the Red River.—We yesterday, regret to the circumstances of the killing of Bernard McNeely, a passenger on the Lizzie. The facts as elicited were in accordance with our statements, with the addition that the same was done by Charles Heather and Wm. McCaffrey, found sleeping on the levee, were sent to the House of Refuge.

Alexander Miller, with U. S. Colored Cavalry, and Thomas Burke, were held for hearing on a charge of fighting and disturbing the peace on Rousseau street.

Recorder Abner's Court.—Robert Gilbert, colored, was examined yesterday, and sent for trial before the First District Court, for stealing a bolt of calico from Israel's store, corner of Circus and Poydras streets.

James Keegan, charged by Carrie L. Smith, of 42 Magazine street, with the larceny of a diamond cross, valued at $1,000, was held for trial in the sum of $500. On the evening of the 20th inst. He gave the young man who was engaged to be married to the young lady and did not return at the time appointed for the nuptials, for the very obvious reasons which appear above. The bonds were fixed at $300.

A number of parties were fined $5, $10 or $25 each, for various minor offenses.

BY TELEGRAPH.

[To the New Orleans Bee.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The President, in response to a call from the House has submitted copies of papers relative to St. Lucas Bayou, received by a military commission at Omaha, in lieu of a charge to release the prisoners Captain Hughes and Chase, and now sentenced to death. He also submits that the President approved and the Judge-at the Court Martial with their recommendation that the sentence be commuted to imprisonment for life at the Dry Tortugas, owing to the successful progress of the war in that period.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Southern States have adopted the Constitutional amendment.

The Commissioner of Agriculture has a letter from San Antonio, Texas, stating that there had been terrible storms there which very few could remember, and that point on New Year's day. It alone has never been altered, pleided from the cold in that neighborhood.

A special order this morning by the Assistant Judge Advocate General has established at Lampasas in 1841. Gen. Dana, presiding, reports here for duty.

The Internal Revenue receipts today were nearly $1 000,000.

Ib.—A bill was introduced in reference to the care of sick and disabled of the U. S. Courts, which was referred.

Maynard of Tennessee introduced a bill providing for the payment of the balance of the back pay and pensions of the States lately in rebellion, which was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

My Bakers, of Kansas, introduced a joint resolution looking to the relief of States inhabited by persons lately emancipated. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Broomwell introduced a joint resolution declaring the rebel States entitled from taking seats pending the proposed constitutional amendments but formally restored, and to the meantime three-fourths of the representative States are employed to accept the Constitutional amendment. Referred to the Committee on Reconstruction.

A bill suspending the further cancelling or stamping of legal tender notes, remaining two years was referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

A bill to organize the Supreme Court, by the appointment of one additional associate justice was referred to the Judiciary.

The Ways and Means Committee have reported a bill which requires two-thirds of settlement in Washington and New York, declaring the Secretary authorized to pay such for the balance in gold. Also requiring the Sixth Auditor to settle the accounts of the Quartermaster's department, in New York and all may be referred hereafter shall be awarded to the highest bidder. The bill passed.

The Committee on Elections was instructed to inquire into the alleged election and report whether the laws disfranchising rebels is properly enforced.

The standing rule was taken up. The House is sitting at midnight and will vote upon it to-morrow.

SENATE.—Four petitions were presented from Ohio asking the passage of the House bill.

A petition from Pennsylvania was presented asking the compensated abolishment of color and a regular drilling element.

A petition was read from Northern and Western Pennsylvania asking the repeal of the tax on crude petroleum or crude.

The Military Committee reported the House bill for a national soldiers' and sailors' home and a joint resolution transferring the fund of Point Lookout for a disabled volunteers' asylum. Both passed.

The Indian Committee were instructed to investigate the late massacre of reports measures to protect the western frontier.

Mr. Brown introduce a bill granting land for a railroad and telegraph wire from Arkansas to the Pacific.

The President 2. called upon for the correspondence relative to the resignation of the Secretary of the Navy.

Digest admits regarding the matter to we cure the blacks in voting and collateral matters occupied two hours.

The Tariff bill was taken up read and discussed till adjournment.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The Secretary of the Treasury and the Commissioner of the Internal Revenue, were before the Ways and Means Committee on Saturday on the gold bill. It is stated Mr. Hulburd urged the public sale of gold —the time and mode to be discretionary with the Secretary.

There were no trains from Baltimore last night or this morning.

It is doubted in shrewd circles whether the tariff tax and bank bills will pass this session. Gen. Logan, just from Illinois, says the people are generally in favor of the impeachment programme.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—In the House to night Mr. Stevens gave notice that he would move the previous question after the morning hour to-morrow, when he will speak an hour and then close the debate. He thinks the bill will pass by a small majority. Dodge, of New York, stated he would vote against the bill and give elaborate reasons why in so voting he was not abandoning the party which elected him.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The Grand Jury are investigating John H. Surratt's case. Jno. Lloyd and David Reed testified on Saturday.

New York, Jan. 21.—N. P. Willis is dead—aged 60.

Arrived, steamer Alsatia, from Liverpool.

The money market opened easy at 7 per cent. There was only a moderate demand from stock houses. Government Banks generally supplied at 6. Gold fell from 136¾ to 136¼. Sterling Exchange is quiet—prime bankers 109¾ to 109¾. Governments were steady, but quite dull. Stocks were firmer at the last open board. Missing stores were quiet at both sessions.

Cotton dull and nominally 1c lower; sales 2,000 bales at 31½c. Flour a shade firmer, without change. Wheat dull and 1@2c lower. Corn 1c better; sales 72,000 bushels; Mixed Western 2c @ 1 7. Pork, a shade firmer; sales 2,000 bbls at $21 20@21 30. Lard 1@2c lower. Prime 15 75 to 16. Lard unchanged. Whisky quiet. Rice scarce and firm; sales 50 tierces, Carolina 10½ to 10¾c. Sugar steady. Coffee firm and in demand; sales 1,000 bags at 15c, in gold at board. Molasses firm. Naval Stores quiet. Spirits of Turpentine 67 to 68c. Rosin $4 to $10.

Arrived, steamers Queen, from Queenstown the 20th; Havana, from New Orleans; Elicide, from New Berne.

Augusta, Ga., Jan. 21.—Flour, quiet and steady; receipts 1851 bbls. Wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn better; receipts 1125 bushels. Rye quiet. Oats a shade firmer. Pork, new Mess, $21 37½. Old $19 75 to $19 87½. Lard quiet; no receipts, 12 to 13½c. Dressed Hogs are firm at 8½ to 9½c for Western and 9½ to 10c for city. Barley quiet. Peas nominal. Cotton quiet at ¾c for Middling Uplands. Freights quiet and firm.

Philadelphia, Jan. 21.—The steamer Tennessee is at the breakwater with 96 boxes of time, consigned to Mr. Shee. She passed the steamer Whirlwind, South of Cape Henry.

Wilmington, Jan. 21.—Cotton.—Middling 31½c.

Memphis, Jan. 21.—The weather is moderating and the river is declining with heavy running ice. The boats report six feet at Plum Point. The T. L. McGill, bound for Cairo, loaded with cotton and miscellaneous freight is hard aground at Plum Point. The river is gorged one mile above Columbus.

Down: Mary E. Forsyth, for New Orleans. The steamers Stonewall, Mary McDonald, Ruth and Dove have arrived from New Orleans and have laid up for the season. The Liberty No. 2 has arrived from Evansville. There is no appearance for above to-day. Memphis is the last one at navigation.

Cotton quiet at 30¾ to 31¾c. Pork $25 @26. Corn firm at $1 00 @ $1 10. Hay $36 per ton. Flour firm. Choice $14 @ $15 per bbl. Oats 80 to 85c. Dressed Hogs 9c to 9½. Clear sides 14c. Sugar-cured Hams 23c. Lard 15 to 15½c.

Charleston, Jan. 21.—Cotton is depressed and has declined 1c., Middling 31c.

New York, Jan. 21.—The *Herald's* Panama correspondent says United States Minister Benton had a serious difficulty with President Mosquera and demanded his passports. Benton broke off all communication with the Columbian officials. The yellow fever had broken out but was not epidemic.

A Lexington (Missouri) correspondence says the excitement has been revived by the arrival of troops. Bushwhackers have disappeared. Business is entirely suspended in Lexington owing to the presence of the troops who exercised terrorism over the people.

New York, Jan. 20.—Arrived: steamer Zodiac, from Savannah.

Indianapolis has just been visited by the heaviest storm experienced in two years.

The Ohio is closed at Wheeling for the first time in ten years.

The New Jersey and Camden and Amboy roads have been closed. Four thousand persons have been detained since Thursday.

Baltimore, Jan. 20.—The steamship Cuba, for Havana and New Orleans, forced her way through a fleet of ice on Saturday, reaching Fort Carroll to-day. She got clear before the storm. She has a full cargo and twenty-five passengers.

The steamer Fanny, for Savannah, attempted to follow the Cuba but was compelled to return. Preparations are making to open a track.

Savannah, Ga., Jan. 21.—The snow is two feet deep. All the railroads are blockaded.

New York, Jan. 21.—The steamer City of New York, from Queenstown on the 10th has arrived.

The London *Times*, of the 9th, says it is now left for the Government of the United States to say whether they will accept arbitration or not. The great question of the Alabama claims remains. It thinks the law officers of the two countries could, in a few hours, frame a perfectly satisfactory statement. It believes Lord Stanley, in making the proposal declined by Russell, will be supported by public opinion.

The English papers contain accounts from all parts of the country, of great storms, floods, shipwrecks and deaths from cold and starvation.

The students lately arrested in Paris, for holding an illegal meeting, had been condemned, one for fifteen years.

Gen. Medici has been nominated Senator.

The Prussian Government will not suppress the public functionaries in the provinces who will take the oath of allegiance.

Three thieves had been swept by the Emperor of Russia concerning Poland. One places her finances under Russian direction, the second regulates postal affairs and sub-relates them to Russia, and the third divides Poland into five instead of ten provincial governments, gives fuller powers to the Governors, and forms local quarters.

New York, Jan. 21.—Exchange 109¾ @ 109¾. Gold 136¾. Money 7. U. S. 6-20's coupons of '62, 106¾ to 106¾. Do. coupons 1865, 106 to 106¼. Do. 10-40's, registered, 99¾ to 99¾. Do. coupons 1865, 106¾ to 106¾. Virginia 6's, new, 69¾ to 69¾. Missouri 6's, 92¾. Canton Co. 38. Hudson River 119¾. Clear Sales 10,000 Bales. Reading 94¾. Panama 119¾. Cotton 32. Cotton 32. Flour $8 @ $10. Wheat 2 @ 3c. Corn 1 @ 2c. Pork $21 @ $21 50. Lard 15½ @ 16c. Whisky 1 @ 2c. Rice 10½ @ 10¾c. Sugar 13½ @ 14c. Molasses 1 @ 2c. Naval Stores unchanged. Freights dull.

Boston, Jan. 21.—Cotton quiet—Low Middlings 31c.

Cincinnati, Jan. 21.—Flour unchanged. Wheat scarce and dull. Corn—the receipts are light and demand moderate. Oats dull. Mixed 88c to $1. Oats 50@60. Coffee steady. Sugar inactive and firm. Country hogs of Whisky at $2 15 to $2 20 in bonds $2 35 to $2 36.

Cincinnati, Jan. 21.—Passed up: Dan Able at 6 P. M. and down: Pittsburg Carroll, at noon, Clara Dolsony, with barge, at 4 P. M. Rain and falling rapidly. The weather has the appearance of summer.

Louisville, Jan. 21.—Tobacco active at $4 50 to $14 for Superior Leaf from $10. Mess Pork $21 50. Clear Shoulders 13½. Hams 17. Lard Barrels 15½. Clear Sides 16½. Country bank notes 70. Gold 136. Cotton 32. Cotton 32. Hay $21.

Navigation reported. The river fell an inch in the night. Weather slightly. Mercury at Barometer 29 40 and rising.

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St. Louis, Jan. 21.—Flour and Wheat firm and unchanged. Corn firmer at 70c. Oats dull at 48. Provisions firm; nothing doing. Whisky unsettled at $2 @ $2 36.

The steamer Meteor, from the arsenal, was burned to-night. Another has been purchased by Heiskell, Sallom and another called—loss $10 000.

Louisville, Jan. 21.—Tax payers by a small majority refused to subscribe $1,000,000 for the stock of the city to the amount of $1,000,000 for an extension of the Lebanon Branch Railroad toward Knoxville in the State line.

The sales of tobacco at auction to-day were at 5@6c. Sales of tobacco in bulk at 4@5c.

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Cincinnati, Jan. 21.—Barrels are demanded for refined and in bulk—are offered for immediate transportation. Only 11 bales were sold at 31c—ranging from 30 to 31c.

Cincinnati, Jan. 21.—Cotton—Open Hour was to-day drawn by Henry Meyer, saloon keeper, at the Kingsland, corner Chicago.

London, Jan. 21, noon.—U. S. 5-20's, new, 71½. Erie 19¾. Illinois Central 89¾.

Paris, Jan. 21.—All the members of the Cabinet have tendered their resignations to the Emperor. Rouher's resignation was not accepted. The resignation of M. Fould was among those which were accepted. M. Rouher remains in the Cabinet. Fould will probably be President of the Finance and State Departments and will control by intermittent visits all the subordinate departments. The rest of the Cabinet is unchanged.

London, Jan. 21.—It is said there is much excitement in Paris over the changes in the Imperial Cabinet. It is said they indicate a more warlike policy on the part of the Emperor. The French press applauds the retention made by Rouher.

London, Jan. 21.—Lord Derby has consented not to present a Government reform bill to Parliament.

Paris, Jan. 21.—It is stated in official circles that the power of the Senate will be increased. The majority of the members of the city, in public opinion in this respect, declare the reforms announced by the Emperor to be inadequate.

A rumor is current here that an order has been issued which deprives Marshal Bazaine of his high powers in Mexico.

Liverpool, Jan. 21.—Cotton to-day shows a declining tendency. The market is dull, and the sales of the day will amount to 6000 bales. Middling Uplands 14d.

London, Jan. 21.—Consols 90¼. U. S. 5-20's 72¾.

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Paris, Jan. 21.—All the members of the Cabinet have tendered their resignations to the Emperor. Rouher's resignation was not accepted. The resignation of M. Fould was among those which were accepted. M. Rouher remains in the Cabinet. Fould will probably be President of the Finance and State Departments and will control by intermittent visits all the subordinate departments. The rest of the Cabinet is unchanged.

London, Jan. 21.—It is said there is much excitement in Paris over the changes in the Imperial Cabinet. It is said they indicate a more warlike policy on the part of the Emperor. The French press applauds the retention made by Rouher.

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A rumor is current here that an order has been issued which deprives Marshal Bazaine of his high powers in Mexico.

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Gibraltar, Jan. 21.—Passed up: Dan Able at 6 P. M. and down: Perkins Carroll, at noon, Clara Delsony, with barge, at 4 P. M. Rain and falling rapidly. The weather has the appearance of summer.

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Navigation reported. The river fell an inch in the night. Weather slightly. Mercury at Barometer 29 40 and rising.

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MONETARY AND FINANCIAL.

MONDAY EVENING, JAN. 21, 1867.

The general market has exhibited a fair degree of animation, and several of the leading articles have undergone a quotable alteration. Sugar and Molasses have been active at previous prices, and the movement in Western Produce has disclosed considerable activity, attended with an advance in Flour, Corn, Oats, Hay and Pork, while operations in our leading staple have been exceptional, although at easier prices, the sales at the close summing up 36,000 bales, the market closing with a softening tendency.

The movement in Coin has exhibited little activity atany time from the opening to the close of business. Gold opened this morning nominally at 136¾, and after the transaction of a moderate amount of business closed steady at the same. There were no sales at the Board of Brokers. In the open market the transactions comprised $5000 and $15,000 at 136¾, $2000, $5000, $10,000, $10,000, $15,000 and $16,000 at 136¾, $10,000, $15,000 and $20,000 at 136¾, $500 and $3000 at 136¼, and $20,000 at the same. No sales of Silver were reported. The counter rates for American Coin were 137 to 137½, and for Mexican dollars 135 to 135½.

Foreign Exchange has been nominally quiet throughout the day. The amount offering was of a restricted character, and the demand at no time better than limited. The following rates to banks and bankers have been reported: £1500 sight, £1500 bill of lading Steamers at 109¾, £1000 Clear at the same, £1000 Clear at £1500, £1000, and £2000 bill of lading and clear at 110, £500 at 110¼, £1000 at 110¾, £1000 at 110¾, £1000 at 110¾ to 111, and £1000 at 111 sales of $40,000 and $10,000 At commercial at 108½ on 60,000 at 108½, and 109 and 109¼ sterling may be considered quoted at 111 to 111¼ for bill of lading bills, 110 to 110¼ for At to 1 days and 109¼ to 109¾ for bank and Private Bills, 108¼ to 108¾ for At commercial, and 108 for Bills.

Domestic Exchange has undergone no material alteration. The Banks checked on New York at 75c per $1000 premium, selling and buying the latter at 50c premium. The counter demand is quoted at 100 to 112½ for sight, and 100 to 112½ for At to 3 days sight, and 100 to 112½ for At to 10 days. Currency at 2½ per cent discount.

The Cotton market was active and firm. There were no sales—Buyers and sellers were reported as follows: Louisiana Bank at 2½ per cent discount; Union Bank at 2½ per cent discount; Mechanics' Bank at 2½ per cent discount; Bank of the Republic at 2½ per cent discount; Citizens' Bank at 2½ per cent discount; Canal Bank at 2½ per cent discount; Commercial Bank at 2½ per cent discount; Merchants' Exchange Bank at 2½ per cent discount; Atlantic Mutual Insurance