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CHRISTMAS DAY.

We greet our readers on this joyous occasion with the most cordial salutations. The day is endeared to us as to them by happy recollections. We endeavor on its annual recurrence to lay aside all weighty cares, and to abandon ourselves to the festivities of the Christmas season. Those who do not, may find enjoyment in seeing how much others enjoy them. He must be very cold-hearted and unimpressionable who cannot extract some moments of happiness by contributing to the wants and to the comfort of his more unfortunate fellow beings and by devoting himself to the gratification of the youthful generation by whom he may be surrounded. For this once, we refuse to think of the doings of Congress; we are perfectly indifferent to what Grant may or may not do when he takes hold of the reins, the legal tender act and the condition of the national finances we can surely forget for twenty-four hours; the various subjects of local interest we also remit to the consideration of some future day; the properties of egg nog and its congeries form a much more agreeable subject of investigation and discussion, than any other matter however engrossing. We devote the day to the interchange of compliments and of friendly feeling—to unlimited revelry at the domestic fire-side, and if the weather be not too cold, there may be those who can even derive gratification by proceeding to some quiet suburban spot and swinging on a gate by way of a change, thinking of nothing. "The Country Parson" whose writings are so full of sound practical good sense, and whose nom de plume is familiar to Magazine readers, says, rest is obtained less by an entire cessation from labor than by simply changing one's occupation. He says for instance that a horse which all the week turns a grinding mill by going round and round, obtains rest simply by reversing the movement—that is by turning round the other way. Our own opinion founded on observation is, that horses and other animals used for purposes of work enjoy intensely the luxury of *doing nothing*. And we don't know but that the human animal likewise enjoys a similar luxury. Who has not watched for hours and hours gas escaping from coal burned in a grate and been amused by the operation? Each of our readers will have his own method of participating in the relaxations of the season, and we wish them all, in so doing, a very happy Christmas.

If these observations seem incoherent, our readers, we know, will kindly attribute their valuelessness to our natural desire to be momentarily relieved from the duty of writing of something more worthy of their attention, and to an excusable abandonment of ourselves to the hilarity of the hour.

THE GERMAN PRESS.—Our excellent cotemporary and neighbor, *The German Press*, which has done such important service, not only for the Democratic cause but in the cause of sound, safe, conservative principles, we regret to say has been sold out to the Radical party, and now becomes a Radical organ. It is henceforth to be under the editorial control of Radicals. Mr. George Foerster, who has with such signal ability and industry from the beginning presided over its editorial department, retires, and will have no connection with the paper. We regret our professional association with Mr. Foerster has thus been severed, and hope it will shortly be renewed under more favorable circumstances. We cannot now part with him without expressing our esteem for his character and our high appreciation of his unwearying labors in behalf of the re-establishment of constitutional government and of all praiseworthy public interests.

Krug.

We believe "Krug" is now the favorite brand of Champagne wine; at all events it is undeniably a most delightful drink. The pronunciation of the word calls up the most agreeable and enlivening recollections. We have often tested its virtues, and never regretted having made its acquaintance. There is not a headache in the wine even if you were to swallow a basket of it. We can safely recommend Krug, speaking as we do from experimental knowledge.

An opportunity to speak of this wine on the present occasion has been politely afforded us by Messrs. Rochereau & Co., of this city, who are the sole agents for it in the United States, and to whom we tender our acknowledgments for their attention. We avail ourselves of their courtesy to say "Krug" retains the high reputation it has always borne. Its quality is the same to-day that it was when first put upon the market. Messrs. Rochereau & Co. have sold millions of bottles of it, and have yet to hear the first complaint that the popularity of the brand is not justified by the properties and virtues of the wine.

PONTCHARTRAIN RAILROAD COMPANY.—Mr. William J. Carter, Secretary of the Pontchartrain Railroad Company, announces through our advertising columns that the annual election of Directors of the Company by the Stockholders thereof, will be held at the office of the Company, on the 1st Monday in January (4th January) next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

THE CRESCENT CITY MUSEUM.—We call the attention of our readers to this attractive resort. The managers, we are informed, have made every exertion to gratify their visitors. They will distribute to the more youthful of their patrons an immense number of beautiful gifts during the Holidays; among them many of those trifles from their glass-blowing machine. Mantle ornaments, glass-statuary, French toys, Bonbons, etc., etc., compose the list of presents. The Museum is well worth a visit.

THE FRENCH OPERA.—"Barbe Bleue" will be repeated to-night and on Saturday with the same distribution as on its first presentation. We commend to the lovers of comic-opera this popular work of Offenbach which has had such an unprecedented run in Paris and in the northern cities of our country.

The Manager of our opera House has been at great pains to put it upon the stage in its completeness and there is every probability of his being rewarded by the public favor in return.

AMUSEMENTS.—"Undine" at the Academy of Music, at the Christmas noon matinée to-day, when presents will be distributed to the audience. "Undine" again at night.

"Cinderella, or, the Glass Slipper," at the noon matinée at the St. Charles, where presents will also be distributed to the audience. "Cinderella" again at night.

Presents will also be distributed at the Crescent City Museum, opposite the St. Charles Hotel, which will be open for visitors all day and to-night.

The splendid play "The Lancashire Lass" at the Varieties Theatre this evening.

The opera of "Barbe Bleue," or "Blue Beard," at the Opera House to-night.

There is no mistake about it, Plantation Bitters will ward off Fever and Ague and all kindred diseases, if used in time. No family need suffer from this distressing complaint if they will keep Plantation Bitters in the house, and use according to directions. The most important ingredient of this medicine is Calisaya or Peruvian Bark, which is known to be the finest and purest tonic in the vegetable kingdom. The extract of this Bark is the active principle of all the good Fever and Ague Medicines prescribed by intelligent doctors. Calisaya Bark is used extensively in the manufacture of Plantation Bitters, as well as quinine, and we dare say they owe their popularity mostly to that fact. We can recommend them.

Magnolia Water, superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price.

PAPAL EXECUTIONS.—The execution of Monti and Tognetti, by order of the Pope, has produced in Paris a universal feeling of reprobation, and was considered, says the London *Star*, a strange proceeding on the part of him who represents himself as being Christ's vicar on earth. Chevalier Banal, member of the Institute Historique de France, and who never loses an opportunity of raising his voice in defence of political victims, was about to publish a pamphlet entitled "Lettres à Pie IX," pointing out the scandal of this ignominious sentence.

There is a certain species of young animal, held by many mothers as at best a doubtful blessing, by many sisters of slightly superior years as an irrepressible nuisance; by settled spinsters and contemplative old ladies as a sort of small Apache skirmishing upon the outposts of civilization, and specimens of which these good people would involuntarily invite into drawing room or flower garden no sooner than wild horses. This creature is a boy.—*Boston Transcript*.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

Reportorial Repertory.—The thermometer yesterday and Wednesday night, ranged principally at about 28 degrees, and the prospects last night were that the weather would be even colder this morning.

The coming of Christmas has raised the prices of oranges from $2 and $2 50 to $4, $5 and $6 per hundred, according to size and quality, and of turkeys from $1 and $1 50 to $2 50 and $3 50 each, according to size. Many other things in most demand for the holidays have risen in like proportion.

To-day being Christmas the Post Office will be closed at 10 A. M.

The opera "Barbe Bleue" (Blue Beard) will be given at the Opera House to-night.

Our always mindful friends of the Central Hancock Club have our thanks for a polite invitation to the *Bee's* hive to be present at their splendid rooms, corner of Gravier and Carondelet street, to partake of a Christmas lunch to-day, noon.

The Hope Benevolent Association are to have a grand fancy dress and mask ball in Carroll Hall on New Year's Eve, Dec. 31st.

The Olympic Varieties Company, who have suffered so much loss by the burning of that theatre Tuesday night, are to have a benefit to-morrow, (Saturday) evening, at the National Theatre.

We are indebted to S. Marx, President of the Deutsche Company, for a ticket to the soirée dansante, to be given at the company's hall, corner of Bienville street and Exchange alley, on Saturday evening, 26th instant.

The Board of Aldermen meet to-morrow (Saturday) night, to take action on the tax and license ordinance lately adopted by the Assistant Board.

The "Steam Man" was unable to make his appearance according to announcement, in consequence of the vessel he is on getting aground at the mouth of the river. He will probably appear to-day, or, at all events, to-morrow, at No. 34 St. Charles street.

Knocking down and robbing men is getting to be quite common—cases occurring here every night. Tuesday night, Thomas Haynes was robbed of $150, and a Mr. Granger the same night of a gold watch.

Messrs. Bidwell & Parle, of the popular old "Phoenix House," next door to the Academy of Music, on St. Charles street, have our thanks for very materially contributing to our inner man, as usual, Christmas eve, by sending us last night some fine egg-nogg, mince pies and other good things, such as their elegant saloon and restaurant afford.

The Jackson Railroad will not receive freight this (Christmas) day after 10 o'clock this morning.

We are indebted to his diminutive diminutiveship, "Gen. Tom Thumb," for invitations to his levees in this city, commencing on Monday, January 4th, at Masonic Hall. He is accompanied by his equally diminutive wife, née Cora Nutt, and Miss Minnie Warren, another Lilliputian.

Mr. Geo. Jacobshagen has our thanks for a pitcher of delicious egg nog, sent us last night as a specimen of what he will have on hand to-day for the accommodation of the many friends of the "Sumter House," an old and popular institution opposite the Post Office.

There will be a noon matinée to-day, both at the Academy of Music, and the St. Charles Theatre, at each of which places several thousand presents are to be distributed for the benefit of all, and particularly the little folks.

Our enterprising young friend, Charley Ames, proprietor of the Crescent City Museum, opposite the St. Charles Hotel, determined to be as liberal as any one, will distribute thousands of Christmas presents at the Museum, which will be opened all day and during the usual hours at night.

The colored man, Wm. White, who, on Monday, got his leg caught in machinery and terribly crushed, has since died of his wounds.

A man named John Rizzoti left his residence in the Third District, and has not been heard of since. It is feared he has committed suicide by drowning, as he left his wife sick in bed and took more than usually affecting leave of his family.

The German paper of this city, the *German Press*, heretofore Democratic, and so ably edited in chief by Mr. George Foerster, has changed hands and will, after to-day, be under the control of the Radicals, so we are advised, with Mr. Henry Heidenhain, of the Legislature, editor in chief. Mr. Foerster has entirely dissolved his connection with the paper.

The Peruvian monitor and their convoy, the Maranon, are expected to sail from this port about the 1st of January, orders having been received from Washington not to intercept their departure.

Mr. Paul Fourchy has been unanimously elected President of the Merchants' Mutual Insurance Company, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. John Pemberton. Mr. G. W. Nott was chosen Secretary.

Judge Durell has granted a new trial to John Conroy, the sailor recently convicted of the murder of Captain Low, of the ship Polar Star.

The St. Louis Rotunda Café and Concert (under the St. Louis Hotel) was opened last night, under the auspices of Mr. Eugene Kroot as proprietor. Mr. K. intends to make such improvements in the establishment as will render it one of the best kind in the city.

The compositors of this office are under obligations to Mr. August Caron for a magnificent bowl of punch, accompanied with a bountiful supply of cake, etc.

The Locquet Institute.—The annual commencement exercises of this well-known institution for young ladies (located in Camp street, between Julia and St. Joseph streets) drew together at Odd Fellows' Hall a brilliant array of the *élite* of our up-town society. It was truly a delightful sight to witness the bright cluster of happy and rosy faces, ranging from the tiny little belle of seven or eight years to the blooming beauty of "sweet sixteen," who stood upon the platform, the cynosure of all eyes and hearts.

The exercises of the young ladies of the Locquet Institute were in the highest degree creditable to themselves as well as to their talented and accomplished principal, Miss Mary A. Burr, and to the very able and efficient corps of teachers she has gathered around her. The declamations and dialogues, in French and English, and the well-written compositions in both languages we had the pleasure of listening to, show that the course of instruction at the Locquet Institute is both comprehensive and thorough, and that it is eminently fitted to prepare Miss Burr's fair wards for the highest positions in after-life.

Among those young ladies whose compositions and recitations struck us as most deserving of praise, we will take the liberty of naming the following: Misses Florence Aunt, Sarah Crawcour, Marie Santini, A. Blanc, C. Myers, Theodora Conant, Joanna Thomas, Livia Hatch, Emily Smith, Annie Gordon, Kate Jones, Jennie Judson and Carrie Moore, all daughters of well known and highly respected citizens of New Orleans.

The musical part of the programme was, of course, the grand attraction of the evening. Under the skillful leadership of Mr. Eugene Prévost and Madame Magioni, two overtures were played on six pianos by twelve young ladies with great precision, brilliancy and effect. The variations from "Lucie de Lammermoor," by Miss L. Doswell, and Gottschalk's Bamboula by Miss Kate Jones, elicited warm and well deserved applause. Both of these young ladies are pupils of Mr. Prévost.

Of the superb singing and magnificent voice of Mrs. S*** and of Miss Marie G***, pupils respectively of Mr. Prévost and Madame Boudousquié, we will simply say that it fully sustained the high reputation these accomplished lady amateurs had already achieved among the select circle which had heretofore been privileged to hear them.

At the conclusion of the musical exercises, addresses highly complimentary to the teachers and pupils of the Locquet Institute were made by G. W. Race, Esq., and Professor Alexander Dimitry, and the names of the scholars entitled to prizes and medals were read by our well known fellow-citizens R. M. Lusher and Albert Fabre, both of whom have charge of important branches of instruction at the Locquet Institute.

Diplomas were awarded to two young ladies, who graduated with great distinction at the close of this year's session, Miss Agnes Cass, of New Orleans, and Miss Augusta Lamkin, of Mississippi, the latter receiving also the "Prize of Honor" for general excellence.

Previous to the distribution of prizes and diplomas, Mr. J. Santini, of this city, presented to the Locquet Institute four beautiful gold medals, to be awarded hereafter to the most proficient scholars.

Altogether, the exhibition was in the highest degree creditable to Miss M. A. Burr and her able corps of Teachers, and gave ample evidence that the popularity of her school is well merited and cannot fail to be ever on the increase.

Mandamus Against the Recorder of Mortgages.—Judge Cooley, of the Sixth District Court, has on the application of A. Dreyfous granted a mandamus ordering M. A. Southworth, Recorder of Mortgages, to record a mortgage which the Recorder had refused to record because it was written in French. The case is to be argued to-morrow, Saturday.

The One Per Cent Tax.—The question of the constitutionality of the one per cent tax law is in the way of receiving a speedy judicial determination. Some ten or twelve cases, involving large amounts, are pending before the Seventh District Court. Moody, Tyler, Frellsen and others have enjoined the tax collectors from taking proceedings to collect, alleging that the law levying the tax is unconstitutional and void.

These cases came up Wednesday. The plaintiffs in injunction are represented by Messrs. Campbell, Spofford & Campbell, and Breaux & Fenner. H. C. Dibble and Attorney General Belden for the State. The argument will be resumed on the thirteenth of January, when Judge J. B. Robertson will conclude for the State, and the case will be closed by Judge Spofford for the plaintiffs in injunction.

The Metropolitan Police Bill.—This law, among other things, gives the Police Board the power to "arrest all mendicants and beggars, and all dangerous and suspicious characters, loafers and pimps, provide proper police attendance at fires, assist, advise and protect emigrants, strangers and travelers on public streets, at steamboats and ship landings, and at railroad depots, carefully observe and inspect all places of public resort and amusement, all houses of ill fame and prostitution and houses where prostitutes resort or reside, all lottery or policy stands and shops, all gambling houses, cockpits, dogpits, ratpits, all common dance houses and ball rooms, and to repress and restrain all unlawful or disorderly conduct or practices therein, enforce and prevent the violation of all laws and ordinances in force in said district; and for these purposes, with or without warrant, to arrest all persons guilty of violating any law or ordinance for the suppression or punishment of crimes and offenses."

One Wm. Foley, arrested with others under the provision of this act, was examined before Recorder Becker, and sent for trial before the First District Court.

Attempt to Kill.—A lady named Mrs. De Costas, residing at No. 480 Carondelet street, was badly injured Wednesday by being struck on the back part of the neck with the sharp point of a chisel, by a furniture man residing on Dryades street. The assailant has been arrested.

A Nuisance.—Citizens residing on the lower side of Esplanade street complain that their boxes of offal put on the banquette, to be taken away by the corporation carts, are left untouched for two and three weeks. So long do they remain exposed to the air that the stench arising is a nuisance to the neighborhood.

The Grand Jury.—The Grand Jury Report shows that there are now 120 inmates in the Lunatic Asylum of this city. The Asylum of the Immaculate Conception, at the corner of Love and Elmira streets, has 95 girls as pupils, taken from infancy to 18 years of age.

The Widows' Home, at the corner of Laharpe and Johnson streets, has 87 women and children and 22 old men.

The Parish Prison contains about 240 inmates. The building ought to be pulled down.

The Charity Hospital has 590 patients.

The Workhouse is nearly empty, and has but 29 inmates.

The House of Refuge has 123 boys. The Protestant Episcopal House, on Camp and Poydras streets, has 70 boys and girls. The Good Shepherd House, at the corner of Bienville and Broad, for the redemption of abandoned women, had 150 females. More would be received if there was any room. The St. Vincent Asylum, on Bienville street, has 64 boys.

The New Orleans Female Orphan Asylum, at the corner of Camp and Prytania, contains 200 inmates; the St. Vincent Asylum, at the corner of Race and Magazine, is for children of the most tender age admitted under no restriction; the St. Elizabeth Asylum has 170 pupils; the St. Joseph Asylum, at the corner of St. Joseph and Laurel streets, has 200 inmates; the Protestant Orphan Asylum, at the corner of Constance and Seventh, has 100 inmates.

The House of the Jewish Widows and Orphans, on Jackson street, has 100 children.

St. Ann's Asylum has 73 inmates.

The report is signed by E. F. Lavillebeuvre as foreman, and is generally complimentary to the institutions visited.

The Case of W. G. Mank.—The jury in the case of W. G. Mank, charged with embezzlement of money from letters sent to the New Orleans Postoffice, while he was a clerk under Postmaster Tallaferro, are:

William Vigers, John Cockron, A. M. Victor, L. D. Larrieux, Eug. V. McCarthy, L. D. Suser, Aug. Le Blanc, Godam Cazenave, C. Campe, Junius Lewis, William Bailey, Louis Converté. About one-third of these are colored men.

A few witnesses were examined yesterday, and the case continued till 11 o'clock Saturday. Judge Durell will not adjourn his court till this case is concluded.

The Killing of the Negro Todd.—A colored man named Bill Combs was arrested yesterday as the party who beat the negro Todd to death with a club last Monday night. A number of witnesses to the killing have been arrested. The facts of the case were developed through the investigation of Capt. White, Chief of Detectives.

Fire.—About 6½ o'clock last evening, a fire broke out in a two-story frame building, corner of Claiborne and St. Louis streets, owned by Mr. Lacroix, and occupied by a colored family. The fire originated from a stove pipe running through the roof. The house was totally destroyed. Loss covered by insurance.

Suspected Attempt to Murder.—A negro named Bradly, a desperate character, has been arrested as a principal, and his wife Mary, as accessory, on suspicion of having, Monday night, beat and rendered insensible thereby an unknown Spaniard or Mexican with some blunt instrument, so that his recovery is very doubtful.

A pistol bloody on the end was found by the wounded man, and appeared to have been placed there by the assailant as if to create an impression of suicide where it is suspected murder and robbery was intended, and the latter at all events probably accomplished.

Murderous Assault.—Wednesday morning, Mrs. De Costos, residing at No. 480 Carondelet street, was cut on the neck with a chisel, in the hands of a furniture man who lives on Dryades street. The wound, though serious, is not considered dangerous. The assailant has been arrested.

First District Court—Judge Abell.—John Alberto, convicted of larceny committed on the 24th of November, was sentenced to one day's confinement in the Parish Prison.

John Brown, colored, was sentenced for larceny of $75 from J. L. Childress, on the 8th of November, to eighteen months hard labor in the Penitentiary.

Frank Faxie pleaded guilty to carrying concealed weapons.

Severely Burned.—An interesting little girl six or seven years old, was shockingly burned Thursday morning, about 10 o'clock, by her dress catching on fire, at the residence of her parent, Mrs. Flood, on Johnson street, near Gravier.

Recorder Becker's Court.—Hugh Kennedy, charged by Special Officer David Hennessey with waylaying a gentleman named Captain Rodgers, on the levee, on the 2nd instant, and robbing him of a gold watch and chain and $220 in currency, was remanded until the 22d of January, and was imprisoned for thirty days for disturbing the peace of the court room and using abusive language.

Moses Wilson, a colored man, living at No. 133 Erato street, makes affidavit that on Tuesday, while he was standing at the new Pontchartrain railroad depot, on New Levee street, he was approached by one George Howard, who represented that he had a load of freight there, and desired to pay the bill for it, but had only a check on the Citizens' Bank, and it being after banking hours he was unable to cash it. Would the complainant let him have nine dollars—to be returned in half an hour. Very foolishly Moses let him have the money, which, as he had previously informed Howard, was all he had. The half hour elapsed, but the borrower and another accused, Walker, who had gone off with him, failed to return.

Thereupon Moses found a policeman, went in search, found the accused on Girod street, near Tchoupitoulas, and had them arrested. On the way to the lock up, the officer avers, they dropped two checks on the Citizens' Bank of $2400 each, which were picked up and brought to the Superintendent's office. The Recorder sent him before the First District Court under bonds of $500 each.

The charge against Henry Myers of most brutally outraging a little girl, Barbara, living at Mr. Wm. Kiernan's, was partially examined and continued.

Stolen Property.—A man named Geo. Roman has been arrested, on Magazine street, charged by Officer Clark with having in his possession goods recently stolen from the residence of Mr. Camp. He was locked up.

Fire.—About 8 o'clock Thursday morning a fire broke out in the residence No. 47 Soraparu street, occasioned by a defective chimney. It was, however, extinguished before material damage was done.

At a late hour Wednesday afternoon a fire broke out in the roof of the residence No. 237 St. Ann street. It was, however, extinguished, without the necessity of an alarm, by the officer on the beat.

Recorder Gastinel's Court.—The charge against William Parker of picking the pockets of Mme. Ann Grattot, on Canal street, on the 18th, and of Mrs. Stevens, on a subsequent day, was sent before the First District Court. Parker, though a rather hardened looking youth for fourteen, wanted to write home for evidence of good character.

Geo. Johnson had taken from him $30, and this sum he charges to have been taken from him in the show, opposite Jackson Square.

Louis Johnson, colored, was sent before the First District Court upon a charge of larceny made by A. D. Lytle, of the steamer B. L. Hodge.

Henry Parks was sent before the First District Court upon a charge made by Ophelia Rowe, on Villeré street, near Conti.

The Coin Redemption Bill.

The following is the bill introduced by Senator Morgan on the 14th:

A bill to provide for the redemption in coin of the United States notes and fractional currency.

Section 1. *Be it enacted, etc.*, That hereafter there shall be no sales of gold belonging to the treasury; and that which may hereafter accrue, over and above the amount required to pay the interest of the public debt and for other specific uses, specified by law, shall be reserved and set for the redemption of United States notes and fractional currency.

Sec. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That on and after the first day of July, 1871, the treasurer of the United States shall pay in coin at the treasury of the United States, at Washington, in the District of Columbia, and at such other points as may be designated by the secretary of the treasury, all notes and fractional currency that may be presented for redemption.

Sec. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That on and after the first of January, 1872, the national banks shall pay in coin such of their notes as may be presented for redemption; and shall, on and after the first day of July, 1870, reserve and hold in their vaults all coin that may be received by them as interest on their stocks, held by the government, for the redemption of their stocks.

Sec. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That until the 1st of January, 1872, at which time they are required to begin the redemption of their notes, the national banks shall keep and hold in their vaults the whole reserve of legal tender notes, as now required by law; and on and after that time, the reserve of legal tender notes, as fast as withdrawn, shall be replaced with coin and a like amount; and said banks shall thereafter be required to hold a reserve in coin to the like amount, and for the same purpose as now required by law, to be held in legal tender notes, provided that the controller of the currency may, with the consent of the secretary of the treasury, allow said banks to hold a portion of said reserve, not exceeding two-fifths of the amount required by law in United States notes.

Sec. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That the secretary of the treasury may cause so many of the United States notes, that may be redeemed under the provisions of this act, to be cancelled, as may in his judgment be necessary to the proper limitation of the currency; *Provided further*, That all fractional currency that may be redeemed shall be redeemed. (1)

Sec. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That on and after the 1st day of January, 1872, the United States notes shall cease to be a legal tender in payment of debts, but shall be receivable in payment of Government dues, as now provided by law.

Sec. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That the Secretary of the Treasury shall have the power to negotiate and sell bonds of the United States, to be due in thirty years, and redeemable by the Government at its pleasure after ten years, and bearing interest at the rate of seven per cent., the principal and interest payable in gold, to such an amount as may be necessary to carry into operation the provisions of the section of this act.

WORKING OUT AN ABSTRACTION.—In the preamble to Mr. Sumner's resolution, guaranteeing the right of every citizen of the United States to vote, without regard to color, he recites as follows:

"And whereas, further, it is expressly declared in the Constitution that the United States shall guarantee to every State in the Union a Republican form of government, and it is plain that inequality of rights is inconsistent with a Republican form of government and the promises of the Declaration of Independence."

The Norfolk *Virginian* mentions as an illustration of the characteristic sagacity of the late Governor Tazewell, of Virginia, that he always maintained that the clause in the Constitution alluded to by Sumner would ultimately be quoted to sustain federal assaults on the rights of the States. The reply to this prophetic declaration of the great statesman and jurist was, that he was an "abstractionist;" and yet to-day we find his prediction verified to the letter!

BY TELEGRAPH.

(To the New Orleans Bee.)

FROM WASHINGTON.

Amnesty Proclamation by the President.

Gen. Grant Opposes Further Grants of Lands to Pacific Railroads.

FROM EUROPE.

Collision of Egyptian Mail Steamers—Great Loss of Life.

Further from the Cuban Insurrection.

Telegraph Operators Shot for Taking Interests in the Insurgents.

Miscellaneous Matters.

WASHINGTON ITEMS.

Washington, Dec. 24.—The dispatch telegraphed last night from the New York *Tribune* was not authorized by Senator Kellogg or Harris.

It is stated that Grant has expressed himself in favor of the commencement of the next Congress on the 4th of March. He opposes further grants of lands or bonds to new Pacific railroads, or branches to the present roads.

Admiral Davis writes from Montevideo that he will proceed to Paraguay, with Minister McMahon, on the Pawnee, and that the Quebang and Kansas will ascend the Parana river and rendezvous at Dramante Pass, where they will command the river and await orders. The health of the squadron is good.

By the President of the United States of America:

PROCLAMATION.

Whereas, The President of the United States has heretofore set forth several proclamations, offering amnesty and pardon to persons who had been or were concerned in the late rebellion against the lawful authority of the Government of the United States, which proclamations were severally issued on the eighth day of December, 1863; on the 26th day of March, 1864; on the 29th day of May, 1865; on the 7th day of September, 1867, and on the 7th day of July, in the present year; and

Whereas, The authority of the Federal Government having been re-established in all the States and territories within the jurisdiction of the United States, it is believed that such prudential reservations and exceptions as at the dates of the said several proclamations were deemed necessary and proper may now be wisely and justly relinquished, and that an universal amnesty and pardon for participation in said rebellion, extended to all who have borne any part therein, will tend to secure permanent peace, order and prosperity throughout the land, and to renew and fully restore confidence and fraternal feeling among the whole people, and their respect for and attachment to the national Government, designed by its patriotic founders for general good.

Now therefore be it known, That I, Andrew Johnson, President of the United States, by virtue of the power and authority in me, vested by the Constitution, and in the name of the sovereign people of the United States, do hereby proclaim and declare unconditionally and without reservation, to all and to every person who, directly or indirectly participated in the late insurrection or rebellion, a full pardon and amnesty for the offenses of treason against the United States or of adhering to their enemies during the late civil war, with restoration of all rights, privileges and immunities under the Constitution and the laws which have been made in pursuance thereof.

In testimony whereof, I have signed these presents with my hand and have caused the seal of the United States to be hereunto affixed.

Done at the city of Washington, the twenty-fifth day of December, in the year of our Lord, 1868, and the independence of the United States of America, the 93d year,

By the President, ANDREW JOHNSON.

F. W. SEWARD, Acting Secretary of State.

McCulloch leaves Northward to-night, but will return on Tuesday.

MISCELLANEOUS INTELLIGENCE.

New York, Dec. 24.—James Bowles, editor of the Springfield *Republican*, was imprisoned in Ludlow street jail on Tuesday night, on the charge of libel, preferred by James Fisk, of the Erie Railroad. He was released yesterday on $50,000 bail.

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 24.—The St. John's Episcopal Church, at Waterbury, was burned to-day. Loss $100,000.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

New York, Dec. 24.—Cotton quiet and steady. Sales 2000 bales; middlings 25c. Flour quiet without decided change; superfine, State and Western, $5 90 to $6 25; Southern dull and unchanged. Wheat unchanged. Corn 1c better, more doing; new white Southern $1 03 to $1 06. Pork quiet and heavy. Lard heavy; kettle rendered 17¼ to 17¾c. Whisky quiet at $1. Groceries quiet. Turpentine 45 to 46c. Rosin $2 35 to $7 50. Freights a shade firmer; cotton by steam 5-16 to ⅜. Money easier at 7 currency. Sterling dull at 9¼ to 9⅝. Gold firmer, closing at 135¼. Governments more active and higher. 5 20's of '62, 110⅛ to 110⅜. State bonds steady.

New York, Dec. 24.—Coupons of 1881, 114⅛ to 114⅜; 5-20's of '62, 110⅛ to 110¼; of '64, 106⅛ to 106⅜; of '65, 107⅛; new issue, 110⅛; of '67, 110⅛ to 110¼; of '68, 110⅛ to 110⅜; 10-40's, 105¾ to 105⅞; old Louisiana's, 69¼ to 70⅛. Levee bonds 61½ to 63¼. Stocks steady—no afternoon Board.

Sub-Treasury balances $91,500,000.

Cincinnati, Dec. 24.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat $1 75. Corn 56 to 57c. Oats 62 to 63c. Cotton 23¾c. Whisky $1. Mess Pork $27 50 to $28. Bulk Meats—shoulders 11c; sides 13½ to 14½c. Lard 17¼ to 18c. Butter 26 to 40c. Cheese 17 to 18c.

St. Louis, Dec. 24.—Tobacco—nothing doing. Flour—superfine $6 to $6 25. Wheat dull, $1 70 to $2. Corn 62 to 66c. Oats 53 to 55c. Pork $27 75 to $28. Bacon—clear sides 17½c. Whisky 97½c.

Louisville, Dec. 24.—Sales 52 hhds. Tobacco—lugs to medium leaf 5 to 12¾c. Cotton 22½ to 22¾c. Hogs 9 to 9¼ gross. Mess Pork $28. Lard 18c. Bulk Meats—shoulders 11¼c, clear rib sides 15c, clear sides 15¾c. Superfine Flour $5 50 to $6. Wheat $1 80 to $1 95. Corn 63 to 65c. Oats 56 to 58c. Whiskey $1.

Savannah, Dec. 24.—Cotton opened dull and closed firmer; middling 23½c; sales 800 bales; receipts for two days 5098; receipts for week 17,074 bales uplands and 220 bales Sea Island, Exported—to Great Britain 139 bales Sea Island and 3346 bales uplands; to the continent 1771 uplands; stock 3292 Sea Island 41,882 uplands; sales of the week 7837.

Mobile, Dec. 24.—Cotton in active demand; sales to-day 1800 bales; market closed firm at 23¼ to 23½c; receipts to-day 243 bales; receipts of the week 10,359; exports to Great Britain 3524; to other foreign ports 1351; stock on hand 52,241.

RIVER NEWS.

Louisville, Dec. 24.—River stationary, 6 feet 1 inch in the canal, full of floating ice. Weather clear and cold.

FROM SOUTHWEST PASS.

Southwest Pass, Dec. 24.—6 P. M.—Barometer 30 20. Wind North, blowing hard. Weather clear and cold.

Arrived ship Moses Day, Woodward, master, 22 days from Bath, in ballast to master.

Sailed bark Lucy A. Nichols, bark Guayaquil.

On the bar—Steamship Cortes, bound in, and steamship Bremen, bound out.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Havana, Dec. 24.—Count Balmaseda had returned to Nuevitas with reinforcements and supplies. In accordance with instructions from Captain General Lersundi, he will probably remain inactive until the arrival of Dulce. Insurrectionists and Spanish troops, in the neighborhood of Santiago de Cuba, both exchanged salutes with the United States steamer Penobscot on her arrival at that port.

Two telegraph operators who accompanied Balmaseda from Puerto Principe, were shot by his order for having acted in the interests of the insurgents.

Marseilles, Dec. 24.—A dreadful accident is reported as having occurred near Smyrna, in Asia minor. Two Egyptian mail steamers collided, and over two hundred persons are reported lost.

London, Dec. 24.—The *Times*, reviewing the Spinner's report, derives altogether disheartening views of American finances.

It is now regarded as almost certain that France and England will join a conference for the settlement of the Eastern question.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

London, Dec. 24, evening.—Consols 92¼ to 92⅜. Bonds 74⅛. Tallow 49s. Bullion increased in the Bank of England £500,000.

Frankfort, Dec. 24.—Bonds weak, 78¼.

Liverpool, Dec. 24—evening.—Cotton quiet and steady; sales to-day 10,000 bales. Yarns and Fabrics steady.

[Previous Dispatches.]

Savannah, Dec. 24.—An accident occurred to a passenger train on the Gulf Railroad. Baggage was burnt but nobody hurt.

The down train on the Central Railroad collided and was detained six hours. No lives lost.

Further trouble has occurred off the Ogechee river; two white men were shot last night by an armed body of negroes, who took possession of the crop and carried it off, amounting in value to about $2500.

The planters declare they will be compelled to leave the country and come to the city unless protected.

Washington, Dec. 24.—A general amnesty proclamation is expected to-morrow.

London, Dec. 24, noon.—Consols 92¼. Bonds quiet, 74⅛.

Liverpool, Dec. 24, noon.—Cotton—Sales 12,000 bales. Sales for the week 81,000 bales, of which 16,000 bales were for export and 11,000 bales for speculation. Stock 335,000 bales, of which 59,000 bales are American.

Paris, Dec. 24.—The *Moniteur's* Paraguayan advices say Lopez will seek reconciliation with the United States, and continue energetic resistance to the movements of the allied army.

Little Rock, Dec. 24.—Refugees from the militia continue to arrive. The reported investigation by Gen. Grant causes widespread rejoicing.

Havana, Dec. 24.—Montezuma arrived from Nuevitas on the 10th. Four thousand troops, with ten pieces of artillery, were moving on Bayamo.

Nuevitas and Puerto Principe were still in communication.

Liverpool, Dec. 24, afternoon.—Cotton afloat, 339,000 bales, of which 150,000 bales are American. Lard heavy, 5s 6d. Turpentine 28s 6d.

Havre, Dec. 24.—Cotton easier. On the spot 1.23; afloat 1.21½.

New York, Dec. 24.—Stocks strong. Money active at 7 and commissions. Sterling 109¾. Gold 134⅞. 5-20's of '62 110; North Carolina's 66½ asked, do., new, 62; Virginia's, ex coupon, 55, do., new, 57; Tennessee's, ex coupon, 68¾, do., new, 68.

New York, Dec. 24.—Flour dull and drooping. Wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn ½ to 1c better. Pork dull, new $27 75. Lard dull; steam 17 to 17¼. Cotton steady; middling uplands 25c. Turpentine steady at 45 to 45½c. Freights firm.

Southwest Pass, Dec. 24, noon.—Barometer 40 00. Wind north, and blowing hard. Clear and very cold. No arrivals.

Sailed, steamships Gen. Meade and Trade Wind; bark Guayaquil and Lucy A. Nichols. Steamship Cortes still on the bar.

Vicksburg, Dec. 24.—Passed down, Louisville at 9 o'clock last night, and Mollie Able at 10 this morning. Up, Indiana at midnight, and Atlantic and barges at 9 A. M. River falling.

The Loved and Lost.

The following poem, from the *Church of England Magazine*, will come like a "song in the night" to many a stricken heart:

"The loved and lost!" why do we call them lost?
Because we miss them from our onward road.
God's unseen angel o'er our pathway crost,
Looked on us all and loving them the most,
Straightway relieved them from life's weary load.

They are not lost; they are within the door
That shuts out loss and every hurtful thing—
With angels bright, and loved ones gone before,
In their Redeemer's presence evermore,
And God himself their Lord, Judge and King.

And this we call a loss! O selfish sorrow
Of selfish hearts! O we of little faith!
Let us look round, some argument to borrow,
Why we in patience should await the morrow,
That surely must succeed this night of death.

Aye, look upon this dreary, desert path,
The thorns and thistles wherever we turn;
What trials and what tears, what wrongs and wrath,
What struggles and what strife the journey hath!
They have escaped from these; and lo! we mourn.

Ask the poor sailor, when the wreck is done,
Who, with his treasure, strove the shore to reach;
While with the raging waves he battled on,
Was it not joy, where every joy seemed gone,
To see his loved ones landed on the beach?

A poor wayfarer, leading by the hand
A little child, had halted by the well
To wash from off her brow the clinging sand,
And tell the tired boy of that bright land
Where, this long journey past, they longed to dwell.

When lo! the Lord, who many mansions had,
Drew near and looked upon the suffering twain,
Then pitying, spake, "Give me the little lad;
In strength renewed, and glorious beauty clad,
I'll bring him with me when I come again."

Did she make answer selfishly and wrong—
"Nay, but the woes I feel he too must share!"
Or, rather, bursting into grateful song,
She went her way rejoicing, and made strong
To struggle on, since he was freed from care.

We will do likewise. Death hath made no breach
In love and sympathy, in hope and trust.
No outward sign or sound our ears can reach,
But there's an inward, spiritual speech,
That greets us still, though mortal tongues be dust.

It bids us do the work that they laid down—
Take up the song where they broke off the strain;
So journeying till we reach the heavenly town,
Where are laid our treasures and our crown,
And our lost, loved ones will be found again.

(From the Albany (N. Y.) Argus.)

Suffering Among Prisoners of War.

It appears from recent statements of those in position to understand the case, that the barbarity practised toward prisoners of war was not all on the side of the South. A medical officer who served several months in the camp of prisoners at Elmira, in this State, has made a written statement, showing that the mortality among the rebel prisoners at that place was fully equal, if not in excess, of that at Andersonville.

He says that some 3000 out of 11,000 lie buried there. The only water for all this crowd of men was obtained from a small stream, which also furnished the only bathing facilities and carried off the accumulation of garbage and excrement. The food was scant, and wholly lacking in vegetables. The tents were greatly crowded, and the hospital the same, so much so that the small pox patients were huddled together and could not move or be moved without distressing each other. The matter furnished for vaccination was bad, and horrid diseases were thus introduced. The writer of this shocking narrative says that the same state of things prevailed in the prisons at Sandusky, Fort Delaware, &c., though there were two or three honorable exceptions. The starvation of these prisoners was not a matter of necessity, not practiced to gratify the cupidity of the officials in a position to make money out of it. He says the trouble at Andersonville was one of an absolute lack of provisions—the prisoners fared nearly as well as the rebel soldiers in the field. In Texas, where food was comparatively plenty, the prisoners were well supplied. This revelation of a competent officer enables us to understand why the Radicals in Congress have always refused to investigate the treatment of prisoners confined at the North. Some day the truth will come out in spite of the efforts of partisans to make it appear that the enormities were all on the Southern side of the line. The deliberate refusal to exchange prisoners, when it was known that thousands of Union soldiers were suffering the horrors of slow starvation, will yet blacken the names of those guilty of the atrocity.

GARIBALDI AND HIS SONS.—A correspondent at Florence, writing on the 9th, says: "I can assure you there is not the slightest foundation for the rumors which have been circulated in the press about Menotti and Ricciotti, Garibaldi having gone to Bucharest to assist in the revolutionary projects of the government there against Turkey. Menotti is now on his farm at Caprera, and neither he nor any member of his family has any idea of going to Roumania. These Italian agitators have gone to Bucharest, but they are Mazzinians, who have nothing in common with Garibaldi. Mazzini and his friends accuse the General of having caused the failure of the Roman insurrection last year, saying that if he had had the patience to wait a month longer a revolution would have broken out at Rome itself, and that France, in the face of so evident a manifestation of the feelings of the Roman people towards the Government, would not have dared to interfere. These reproaches, combined with domestic trouble, have, I fear, so pained Garibaldi that he has determined to leave Caprera and go to America, as for Mazzini and the party of action, they seem to have for the present abandoned the idea of making any more attempts to invade the Papal territory. They wish to precipitate a solution of the Roman question by involving France in a great war which would compel her to withdraw her troops from Rome; and it is with this object, apparently, that their emissaries are now preparing, together with the Roman Government, to stir up disturbances in the East."

NEWSPAPER REPORTERS.—The following is from a book recently published in London: "I know no single profession that in the course of the past forty or fifty years has, considering its own numbers, produced a more distinguished group of men than the parliamentary reporters. Poetry, law, literature and science have all replenished their ranks from the gallery, and the names of most of these men are eloquent of genius. Take poetry. There are Samuel Taylor Coleridge and Thomas Noon Talfourd—these are the only poets that I can call to mind on the spur of the moment; but they represent a host in themselves. In the literature of art and science it is enough to refer to Mr. S. C. Hall, the editor of the *Art Journal*, and Dr. Forbes Winslow and Richard Lalor Sheil may stand as the representatives of oratory. It is in the law and the literature of imagination that we find the most distinguished names of parliamentary reporters. At the head of the list stands plain John Campbell, Lord High Chancellor; Baron Alderson and Mr. Justice Talfourd stand by his side, and I could select more than one name from the present list of Judges in Westminster Hall to bracket with these—There are dozens of men at the bar who began their career in the Reporter's Gallery. In literature I need only refer to Charles Dickens, Shirley Brooks and W. H. Russell. Editors the gallery has produced by the score; and several of these have attained the highest posts in their profession—the chairs of the *Times*, *Daily News*, *Morning Post*, *Morning Advertiser*, and, in its day, of the *Morning Chronicle*."

THE PRESENT TENANTS OF THE WHITE HOUSE.—When moving day comes for the occupants of the White House, on the 4th of March next, they will go out with the cleanest of hands and the most spotless of social reputations. There will be no charges or insinuations against them of having made away with the furniture or fixings. Neither will there be any murmurings of disappointment on the part of such pure patriots as are ever ready to prove their devotion to men in high position by rich presents of horses, equipages for plate. Mr. Johnson, be it said to his credit, never lowered himself or the dignity of his station by the acceptance of such gifts.

The people ought to remember him kindly, if only for that one trial of high-mindedness. It is rarely that they see instances of it. More's the pity. And as to the ladies of his household, they have the credit in Washington of discharging the duties of their position with a degree of order, elegance and grace never exceeded in the White House. That is something to be said to the credit of Mr. Johnson and his family. Much as the President has been persecuted politically, no taint of corruption, or meanness, or selfishness clings to him. He will leave the White House with clean hands, and, we trust, with a pure heart.—*New York Telegram*.

Eugene Baylor, formerly of New Orleans, one of the most delightful pianists in the country, is now attached to the editorial corps of the Louisville *Courier-Journal*. He will shortly issue a series of musical compositions, the result of recent unemployed hours, entitled "Chansons Creole," which are said to be musical gems of the first water. Mr. Watterson, the editorial manager of the *Courier Journal*, is also an accomplished pianist, with one of the sweetest touches we ever remember to have listened to. The last named gentleman, during the war, once got into the Federal lines, where he so charmed the wife and daughters of the Commanding General by his music, that he obtained a pass at headquarters to proceed at pleasure.

The annual report of the Postmaster General states that the total amount of expenditures of that department during the year ending June 30th, was $22,730,592 25, and the total amount of receipts $16,292,600 80, showing an excess of expenditures amounting to $6,437,991 81.

MONETARY AND FINANCIAL.

TUESDAY EVENING, Dec. 24, 1868.

We have no change to report in the Money market proper. The street rates may still be quoted at 10 per cent per annum to 1 per cent per month for A1 notes with unquestionable collaterals and 1¼ to 1½ for second grade; 1 per cent per month for strictly first class business paper without collaterals and 1½ to 2 for good and second class. Mortgage notes are done occasionally at 10 to 12 per cent per annum for A1 and 12 to 15 for second grade. The banks discount most of the approved business paper offered by their customers and are free lenders on call or for short periods on solid collaterals.

Gold opened at 135¼ (against 134⅞ at New York) and closed at 135⅛ to 134⅞. The sales include $1500, $2000, $4000, $4000, $5000, $65,000, $30,000 and $65,000 at 135, $10,000 at 135 to 135⅛, $8000, $25,000 and $30,000 at 135⅛. Nothing reported in Silver. We quote 132 to 133½ for American half dollars and 138¾ to 139½ for Mexican dollars.

Operations in Foreign Exchange were on a moderate scale, rates ruling lower during the early part of the day in consequence of the decline in gold at New York, but under the influence of a reaction in the latter, closing at ⅛ per cent. higher than our quotations of last evening. The sales of Sterling included £1000 clear at 145¼; £13,000 bill of lading at 146; £1500 and £5000 A1 at 146⅛; £2000 and £2000 A1 clear and £2500 bill of lading at 146⅜; £3000 A1 clear at 146¼ and £2000 bank at 146⅝. In France 35,000 private bankers' sold at 3 85. We now quote Sterling at 145¾ to 146¼ for A1 bill of lading and clear, and 147 to 147⅛ for bank; and Francs 3 88¾ to 3 87½ for the former and 3 85 to 3 83¾ for the latter.

There was only a moderate degree of animation in the market for Domestic Exchange, rates ruling lower towards the close. The banks checked on New York at ⅛ per cent discount, and the sales of commercial included $40,000, $50,000 and $100,000 New York sight at ⅜ discount, $25,000 and $25,000 at 11-16, $30,000 and $50,000 at ¾, $12,000 sight on Boston at ⅜, $10,000 one day's sight on New York at ⅝, $50,000 five days' sight at ¾, $25,000 sixty days' sight on Boston at 2 5-16, and $10,000 ten days' on Chicago at 1⅛.

In Stocks 600 shares Opelousas Railroad sold at $1 87½; 500, deliverable on Saturday, at $2 25, and 300 Jackson Railroad, buyers' option, thirty days', at $7 25; $1000 city ten per cent bonds sold late yesterday at 73⅛.

State Warrants were in request and commanded still higher rates; $1000 changed hands at 75, and $3000 at 76. At the close holders refused to accept the latter.

City Treasury notes were inactive. The only sale reported is $2000 at 43 per cent. discount. The dealers bought the small sums offered across their counters at 43 to 44 discount, and sold at 41.

COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE BEE, THURSDAY EVENING, Dec. 24, 1868.

COTTON.—The sales to-day comprised 4800 bales at stiff prices for the better qualities, and no variation in the lower grades. We quote ordinary at 21¼ to 21½c, good ordinary at 22¼ to —, low middling at 22¾ to 23c, middling at 23½ to —, and strict middling at 23¾ to 24c.

Middling and strict middling were scarce and in request, in consequence of which they ruled disproportionately high compared with low middling. In fact, all good cottons were in very limited supply, and as high as 23½c was offered for strict low middling. Parties at all rigid in their classification were unable to find low middling at the inside figure. Good ordinary and strict good ordinary were neglected. The demand was mostly for Great Britain and the North, buyers for the former again coming forward with a fair degree of spirit.

COTTON STATEMENT.

Stock on hand September 1st, 1868, bales	2,644
Arrived since last statement	418
Arrived previously	413,798
	416,842
Cleared to-day	285
Cleared previously	285,556
Stock on hand and on shipboard	130,286

The exports to-day embraced 595 bales to Genoa and 1292 to Boston. The receipts as above include 3706 last evening, after our statement.

FREIGHTS.—The market is without change. Business to Liverpool is brisk, but to Havre it is very dull. To other foreign ports there is not much demand for room. The regular steamers for the North are getting good cargoes at full rates.

We quote, by steam: Cotton to Liverpool ¾d; to Bremen and Hamburg 1¼d; to New York 1¼c; to Boston 1⅜c; to Philadelphia 1c per lb; Sugar to New York $7 to $8 per hhd; Molasses to do and Boston $3 per bbl; Flour to do 90c, to Philadelphia 80c per bbl; Corn to do and Boston 21 to 25c per bushel; Pork and Beef to New York $2 per bbl. By sail: Cotton to Liverpool 9-16 to 19-32d, to Havre 1 3-16 to 1¼c, to Bremen 1 3-16c, to Boston 1⅛c per lb; Sugar to Boston $6 per hhd; Sugar to New York $8 per hhd; Molasses $2 25 per bbl; Corn to do 17c, do to Liverpool 12 to 15d per bushel.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES.—The receipts this morning comprised 783 hhds Sugar and 1510 bbls Molasses. The demand is active, and all receipts were sold at full prices. Inferior sugar 5 to 8½c, common 9 to 9¾c, fair 10 to 11¼c, fully fair 11¼ to 12c, prime 12¼ to 12½c, choice 12⅝c, seconds 10 to 11¼c, yellow clarified 13 to 13¾c, white 14¼ to 14½c. Centrifugal Molasses 52½c, common 55 to 60c, prime 64 to 65c, choice 67 to 68c per gallon.

ARRIVALS FROM THE WEST.—The Peoria City, from St. Louis, has arrived since our review of yesterday.

FLOUR.—We have again to note a brisk demand for the medium and lower grades, and a further advance of 12½ to 25c per bbl. The market is bare of superfine, while fine, single and double extra are scarce, the supply consisting mostly of treble and choice extra. The sales include 2443 bbls, of which 100 fine at $6 62½, 24 and 50 superfine at $7 50, 100 single extra at $7 62½, 50 and 100 double extra at $7 62½, 100 single extra at $7 75, 50, 100 and 100 double extra at $7 75; 300 treble extra at $8 12½, 100 double extra at $7 75, 300 treble at $8, and 300 do on private terms.

CORN.—In light supply, and the market is very firm. Sales to-day 1800 sacks, of which 100 Louisiana, 200, 300 and 400 Western white at 80c, and 700 yellow at 93c per bushel.

OATS.—The supply on the landing is light—350 sacks sold at 65c per bushel.

BRAN.—The market is dull at $1 43 per 100 lbs.

HAY.—Prime Western is selling to the trade at $26 to $27, fair $25, and ordinary $22 per ton. 300 bales prime sold at $26 per ton.

PORK.—The market is quiet but firm, at $29 per bbl for mess. There were sales yesterday at that, and the stock is held to-day at these figures. It is retailing at $29 50 to $29 75 per bbl. A lot of 120 bbls sold to-day at $28 75 per bbl.

BACON.—Is scarce and prices are firmer—10 and 17 casks shoulders sold at 14c; clear rib sides are quoted at 18½ to 18¾c, clear 19½c, and sugar cured hams at 17 to 18c per lb.

LARD.—Continues scarce. It is in request, and prices are very firm. Tierce is quoted at 18½ to 19c, keg 19 to 19½c.

DRY SALTED MEAT.—Shoulders are retailing at 12½c per lb. A lot of 10 casks sold at 12c per lb.

SALT.—Liverpool Salt is in fair demand and good supply. We quote fine from warehouse $2 10 to $2 15 per sack, do from store $2 20 to $2 25; factory filled do from warehouse $2 20 to $2 25, do do from store $2 30 to $2 35. Coarse from warehouse $1 90 to $1 95; do from store $2 to $2 05 per sack. No cargoes offering. We note sales of 550 sacks coarse and 350 factory filled fine at $1 90 per sack for the former, and $2 15 for the latter. There is no Turks Island on hand.

WHISKY.—Western rectified is steady at $1 17½ to — per gallon. 50 bbls sold, to arrive, at $1 15, and 20 half bbls at $1 25 per gallon.

RICE.—Louisiana Rice is in active demand, and prices have advanced ⅛ to ¼c on all grades. We quote choice 8¼ to 9c, prime 7¼ to 8c, ordinary 6½ to 7¼c per lb. The stock is becoming reduced.

MALT AND HOPS.—Malt is in heavy supply and limited demand. Choice Western is quoted at $2 50 to $2 75, and Canada $2 75 to $2 85 per bushel. Hops are very dull, new being quoted at 20 to 25c per lb.

WOOL.—The stock is very light. Rates are steady at the following figures, viz: Washed 30 to 35c per lb, burry 12 to 15c, Mexican 16 to 21c, Louisiana 18 to 21c, Texas ½ to ¾ merino 23 to 25c, do first class 20 to 23c per lb.

CORN MEAL.—The market is very dull. Round lots of choice kiln-dried are offered at $4 per bbl.

CHEESE.—The demand is fair and prices are firm. We quote Western Reserve and factory 18 to 19c per lb, English dairy 19c, inferior to fair Western 10 to 15c, fancy factory 22 to 23c, Northern at 19 to 21c for cream and English dairy, and 10 to 12c for skim.

DIED.

At half-past twelve o'clock, on Thursday, JOHN WATT, a native of Ayrshire, Scotland, aged 68 years.

The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral at 10 o'clock, on SATURDAY MORNING, from his residence, 217 Carondelet street.

MARINE NEWS.

Port of New Orleans, December 25, 1868.

CLEARED YESTERDAY.

Steamship Oriental, Palne, for Boston. Wm Creevy

Steamship Morgan, Talbot, for Galveston. C A Whitney & co

Hol Brig Cornelia Abramina, Bron, for Genoa. Lovell & Bailey

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamship I C Harris, Lockwood, from Brazos Santiago via Indianola, to C A Whitney & co—1st district.

Bark P Peters, Hooper, from Pensacola, to Thorndyke & Norton—2d district, 10.

Steamer Mary, Carroll, from Mobile.

ARRIVALS AT OLD BASIN.

Schr Antonia, from Blind River—40 cords wood.

Schr Lillie, from Blind River—40 cords wood.

ARRIVALS AT NEW BASIN.

Schr Perseverance, from Tchefuncte—60 cords wood.

Schr Borrae, from Blind River—30 cords wood.

—STEAMBOATS—

Nina Simmes, Greathouse, from Bayou Sara.
Henry Ames, Boyd, from Memphis.
Rose Franks, McClure, from Jefferson.
New Era, Dugas, from Donaldsonville.
Thos Powell, Dinvant, from Donaldsonville.
J M Sharp, Aucoin, from Thibodaux.
Frolic, Hasberlo, from Grand Ecore.
Lulu D, Graee, from Jefferson.

BELOW COMING UP

Steamship Cortes, Nelson, from New York 12th inst, to A Moulton.

Ship Lady Clarendon, Baily, from Liverpool Oct 29, to A J Jones—cargo salt.

Ship Arran, Lawson, 47 days from London, in ballast, to G A Bryson.

Ship Astronom, Klepper, from Bremen Oct 4, to Theile, Seller & co.

Bark Concepcion, Payes, 6 days from Havana, in ballast to Puig Bros.

Bark Maria (Spanish) Ratio, from Marseilles Nov 16, to Avendano Bros.

Schr J H Whipple —, 12 days from Brazos Santiago, to Oddenbow & Kelly.

EXPORTS.

BOSTON—Per steamship Oriental—1292 bales cotton, 500 bbls green hides, 500 dry do, 500 bbls molasses, 352 sks oil, 25 pkgs mdse.

GALVESTON—Per steamship Morgan—300 bbls flour, 126 bbls whisky, 190 sks coffee, 120 sks salt, 30 hhds sugar and sundries.

GENOA—Per brig Cornelia Abramina—595 bales cotton.

IMPORTS.

BRAZOS SANTIAGO, VIA INDIANOLA—Per steamship I C Harris—$16,000 in specie C T Buddecke & co—$14,367 do Seig & Krug—$11,000 Avendano Bros—$1466 do C A Whitney & co—$7916 do O B Graham & co—$2208 Jno Marks & co—$3552 do 1,000 currency; Texas Ex co—$515 do Schmidt & Zeigler—45 bales goat skins C A Whitney & co—6 bales cotton 5 pkgs pecans Frasche & Desmerl—8 do 2 bales cotton I Williams & co—2 bbls eggs 1 bbl pecans Hays, Tunstall & co—sundries to order—Total, $68,481 in specie.

MOBILE—Per steamer Mary—3 bales cotton to T & S Henderson—42 bales mdse Lehman, Newgass & co—6 Wallace & co—3 bbls do Webster & co—9 hhds sugar to A Thomas & co—697 sks coffee J L Phipps & co—20 do Webster & co—sundries to order.

RECEIPTS FROM THE INTERIOR.

BAYOU SARA—Per steamer Nina Simmes—52 bales cotton to E H Ross—22 to Richard Flower—40 A Levi—20 Scott, Cage & co—17 Lehman, Newgass & co—17 to Jurey & Harris—27 to Meyer, Deutsch & Weis—15 Sam Stafford & co—11 Renshaw & Cammack—5 J D Blair & co—5 Garrard & Craig—6 Penn, Pace & Nixon—6 to E Newman & co—4 F J Da Silva—4 A J Da Silva—3 B H Aby & co—3 L D B Carroll & co—3 to Alcus Scherck & Autey—2 J B Vanhorn & co—2 D C Clifton—1 to Carl L Brauer—6 Pritchard & Bickham—5 M Hiller & co—5 Jno Davis—5 Ben Buleson—2 to S Friedlander—1 Bbls Broe—19 bbls molasses to E K Converse—10 do 16 hhds sugar F J Da Silva—6 do Bouligny & Esclapon—10 do 45 bbls molasses A Thibaut—45 do 16 hhds sugar P Maspero & co—3 do 3 bbls molasses M Hiller & co—50 do 15 hhds sugar to G W Barrow—48 bbls molasses J W Burbridge & co—100 do A Miltenberger & co—10 do Boyd & Martin—100 do 20 hhds sugar to McStea, Value & co—75 bbls molasses Milliken & Bringier—15 do H Tete—10 do 12 hhds sugar Lafitte, Dufilho & co—100 bbls molasses F F Spencer & co—20 do 30 hhds sugar to G Sabatier—46 bbls molasses Garner & McCarthy—41 sks cotton seed to S F Powers—17 do to order—5 sks corn F. Boleman—2 hhds hides 3 bbls do W F Witherell—3 empty bbls Bonbagny & Esclapon—[illegible] do to Best—4 bbls syrup Ext Jas Gal lier—1 do E J Forstall & Sons—sundries to order—Total 310 bales cotton 41 sks cotton 142 hhds sugar 636 bbls molasses.

MEMPHIS—Per steamer Henry Ames—105 bales cotton to Sewell & co—72 M Greenwood & S—69 to G A Hewitt & Broe—41 Meyers, Morrison & co—20 Bryan & Patton—16 Jno Phelps & co—14 H W Connor—15 Ober, Atwater & co—[illegible] J Summerell & Brandon—13 E Pritchard & Bickham—9 J W Burbridge & co—[illegible] Stewart, Galbraith & Fite—15 J R Powell—15 J T Hardie & co—6 Garrard & Craig—[illegible] W J Behan—[illegible] O'Bryon & Hall—20 J W Burbridge & co—[illegible] Fisher—8 Buckner & co—4 Woods, Mathews & co—7 Campbell & Strong—12 to Richardson & May—6 T & S Henderson—6 R L White & co—4 Avet, Schenck & Autey—4 Hobbs & Craig—3 Violett, Black & co—8 Lehman, Newgass & co—3 Penn, Pace & Nixon—3 Barrett & Le Bueeter—1 Voo Phul Broe—2 Phelps, McCullough & co—2 Ar Miltenberger—1 Meyer, Deutch & Weis—1 J K Hoey & co—1 H McColl—1 P Harrison & Son—16 Boyd & Martin—30 plows Keep & Hogan—72 do 84 pkgs Black, Stauffer & co—313 sks corn E Sullivan—27 casks bergamo L Stern & Bro—40 tcs lard Howard & Preston—50 bbls pork 37 bbls whisky Fairchild & Bingham—[illegible] mdse Wheelock, Finlay & co—53 bbls Harvey & co—9 pkgs castings C L Walmsley—[illegible] J A Harrell—35 bales hair Meyer, Weis & co—4 bbls eggs Schneider & Zuberbier—12 pkgs Payne, Huntington & co—24 sheep Internat & co—4 bu eggs 1 keg butter 25 coops poultry Meyer—20 hogs Wm Gill—100 sheep T G Noel—coops poultry J Cobb—12 sks cotton seed Jos Fisher—65 S F Powers—20 to Mason Pilcher—12 F Bingham—12 cases boots and shoes to K L Mills—sundries to order—Total 738 bales cotton.

JEFFERSON—Per steamer Rose Franks—[illegible] cotton to Sprake & Buckner—110 Jno Phelps & co—J Chaffe & Bro—96 to T & S Henderson—62 to Sweeney & co—56 to J W Burbridge & co—54 Carter & co—30 Aymar & co—11 F F Golman & co—Payne, Huntington & co—3 L F Berge—3 Jos Hoy—100 tcs beef E H Wilson & Son—6 bales hides Vey Tramm co—3 do 220 hides S L Mann & co—do 1 do pelries 1 bag wool 1 box skins 4 bbls W F Witherell & co—125 sks cotton seed Jos Fisher—27 bbls peas to T & S Henderson—30 bbls do soda lot iron Board of Underwriters—sundries—Total, 687 bales cotton.

DONALDSONVILLE—Per steamer New Era—[illegible] hhds sugar 74 bbls molasses to A Thibaut—10 hhds Ben Toledano—1 bbl molasses to F Bourgeois—5 sugar J B Vanhorn & co—26 do 72 bbls molasses—[illegible] pore & co—6 hhds sugar F J Forstall & Sons—Jno S Walts—12 do 41 Lafitte, Dufilho & co—[illegible] hhds sugar R Fragier—16 bbls molasses J Bettis—13 do D B McCarthy—20 do 66 hhds sugar J—11 do Blanchin & Giraud—22 Dymond & Lally—[illegible] Shaffer & co—50 hhds sugar Milliken & Bringier—molasses A Miltenberger & co—20 hhds sugar F—45 bbls molasses 5 half bbls and 30 qr bbls do—Forstall—1 bbl sugar 1 do syrup Wm Erdman—Chauvin—2 do 1 do sugar 1 keg do J Lally—sundries to order—Total, 300 hhds sugar 403 bbls molasses.

DONALDSONVILLE—Per steamer Thomas Powell—14 hhds sugar Lapene & Ferre—6 do 15 bbls J L Couret—12 do Ed Bourgeois—7 do sks sugar & Esclapon—2 bbls tallow Hays & Noble—13 [illegible] Jas Walsh—15 do Joe Girard—50 do 29 sks beans—sundries to order—Total, 16 hhds sugar 25 bbls molasses.

THIBODAUX—Per steamer J M Sharp—[illegible] sugar 127 bbls molasses H Tete—20 bbls and [illegible] do S House—6 hhds sugar 34 bbls molasses B Esclapon—22 do 12 A Thibaut—[illegible] do 47 bbls F Avet & Cambon—10 hhds sugar to W Bogart—molasses to Milliken & Bringier—11 hhds sugar Sivra—7 do Toledano & Thorahl—12 P J Pavey—1 half bbls molasses N Jumonville—1 bbl syrup bbls do E W Burbank—2 bbls molasses 1 do [illegible] do sugar A F Hickman—1 bale cotton P J Pavey—1 do H Tete—sundries to order—Total 2 bales cotton, hhds sugar 319 bbls molasses 4 half bbls molasses.

GRAND ECORE—Per steamer Frolic—276 bales cotton to C L Walmsley & co—85 Jos Hoy & co—Toledano & Thornhill—7 Bouligny & Esclapon—D B Carroll & co—62 Clapp Bro & co—34 Marks & co—24 Beraud & Gibert—16 Warren, Crawford—J W Burbridge & co—19 P J Pavey & co—18 Wood—18 Spyker & Sandidge—19 F K Converse—P S Hetzel—16 Summers & Brannins—17 Ar Miltenberger—13 L & P Eldridge—10 Chas Clinton—9 Scherck & Autey—8 C G Johnson—8 J McD—[illegible] J M Oglesby & co—7 Owen Bro—7 T F Thibodaux—Winston, Morrison & co—6 Stewart & McCarty—Heydel & Gaspard—3 to C H Mouton & co—3 Barstow—2 Lehman, Newgass & co—2 Randall—Lafitte, Dufilho & co—2 J C Denis—3 Meyer, Deutch & Weis—2 Board of Underwriters—1 to J A Ross—[illegible] bbls molasses C L Walmsley & co—31 do J L—11 do R Hare—1 bbl hides Stewart & McC—10 hides 1 box beeswax to Griffin & Porch—1 bbl Randall & co—10 bbls peas 2 sks do 3 bbls—27 hides to M Labusquiere—6 bbls peanuts S Zeigler—J L Couret—1 broom corn J W Burbridge—sundries to order—Total, 389 bales cotton 64 bbls molasses 1 hhd tobacco.

JEFFERSON—Per steamer Lulu D—142 bales cotton to J W Burbridge & co—14 Payne, Huntington & co—81 Jno Phelps & co—43 Blakemore Wooldridge & co—65 Sprake & Buckner—42 Stewart & McCulloch—Wroston, Morrison & co—37 Lehman, Newgass & co—36 Ober, Atwater & co—45 Clapp Bro & co—39 Garrard & Craig—33 J Chaffe & Bro—19 H W Farley & co—26 J T Hardie & co—21 Warren, Crawford & co—17 Perkins, Swenson & co—18 H Ware & Son—5 Pope, Williamson & Rowling—9 Jos Hoy & co—4 Kirkpatrick & Keith—3 Jurey & Harris—6 to Aymar & co—7 Candler, Wingo & co—5 C L Walmsley & co—6 H K Carter & co—3 Hugh Allison—3 Gaines & Eggleston—4 O'Brien & Hall—335 bbls beef E H Wilson & Son—32 bbl hides and sundries to order—Total, 1000 bales cotton.

OPELOUSAS RAILROAD.

Dec 24—37 hhds sugar to Blanchin & Giraud—30 bbls molasses J A Bonnabeau—17 hhds sugar A Miltenberger & co—36 hhds sugar 131 bbls molasses J I Adams & co—15 do 3 hhds sugar G W Byrne & co—6 do P S Wiltz—17 bbls molasses L Greven berg—8 E J Hart & co—11 do Wm Greene & co—18 do 36 hhds sugar R Hare—27 bbls molasses J K Gourdain—14 do J B Vanhorn & co—27 do W H Henning & co—51 do Ed Bourgeois—35 do 6 hhds sugar P J Pavey & co—12 do 12 bbls molasses A Pettrow & co—4 H P Given—50 do to Ar Miltenberger—10 hhds sugar 75 half bbls molasses Lapene & Ferre—10 do C F Leverich—20 G Sabatier—30 do L Grandpre—21 do 4 hhds sugar to Dymond & Lally—10 do 2 bbls molasses A Rochereau—10 do 2 bbls molasses P Harmann—24 do A Bower—10 hhds sugar Lafitte, Dufilho & co—F Avet & Cambon—75 bbls molasses H Tete—3 bales cott n J W Burbridge & co—5 do J Chaffe & Bro—6 do C H Mouton & co—half bbls molasses 2 bbls potatoes to Suberbielle & Gautreaux—17 hides 1 bbl and 1 bbl do box tallow lot sundries to F Dufour—4 bbls oranges 1 bag Hope & Labone—4 sks seed cotton Hunt & Maguire—half bbl molasses Renshaw & Cammack—53 hides 3 bbls and 1 bbl do 1 crate horns 20 half bales moss 4 bbls dries to DeBlanc & Beer—15 bbls rice 6 pkgs skins hides 7 hides L Surle—half bbl molasses B Chalaron—bbl molasses 1 do sugar R L Gibern—7 bbls rice—Sevin—1 hhd hides F L Adley—132 head stock to order—1 bbl rice 1 pkge skins and sundries L Terrebonne—Total, 197 hhds sugar 714 bbls molasses 78 half bbls molasses 13 bales cotton.

N. O. JACKSON AND G. N. RAILROAD.

Dec 24—[illegible] bales cotton to Richardson & May—15 do Nelson, Lamphier & co—1 C A Green & co—3 J [illegible]—19 Joe Hoy & co—3 West & Wright—12 J Williams & Son—60 T H & J M Allen & co—25 Lacey, Terry & co—2 Battle & Noble—36 Lehman Newgass & co—29 J R Powell—9 Barrett & Le Bueeter—29 R L Adams & Son—20 T & S Henderson—10 Ben [illegible]—19 Alcus, Scherck & Autey—1 C S Whitcomb—10 Winston, Morrison & co—11 Meyer, Deutch & Weis—7 W B Thompson—11 to Jennings, Oates & co—1 Hogan & Patton—30 J T Hardie & co—1 J K Hoey & co—18 Payne, Huntington & co—12 J Chaffe & Bro—6 C L Walmsley & co—8 H K Carter & co—1 J R Hoey & co—11 Payne, Huntington & co—1 B H Aby & co—7 S Friedlander—2 J P Harrison & Son—32 Warren, Crawford & co—87 M Hiller & co—9 D G Cooke—1 R L Adams—2 H S Addison—50 bbls J K Villavasso—35 do 1 bbl whisky Schneider & Zuberbier—11 do Harris & Bidwell—25 do Isaacson & Siesse—70 do Blanchin & Giraud—25 tcs lard to Schmidt & Zeigler—25 do 50 kegs lard A D Grieff & co—25 bbls whisky Isaacson & Seixas—5 bxs h ware Boleman & co—21 bxs hats Guttman Bros—32 J J Albert—17 F E Hunter—3 do Vincent & co—19 do G Leaumont—4 F. Booth & co—2 do E S Benedict—7 do shoes S S Zeller—36 hides J R Stagg—2 crate cabbage Greve & Wildermann—sundries to order—Total, 634 bales cotton.

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dec25 1t L. LADMIRAULT.

Office Pontchartrain Railroad Company, New Orleans, December 23d, 1868.

THE annual election for Directors of this Company, by the Stockholders, will be held at this office on the First MONDAY in January, the 4th prox., 1869, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

dec25 td WM. J. CARTER, Secretary.

New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroad Company, New Orleans, Dec. 24, 1868.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—No freight will be received FRIDAY, the 25th inst., after 10 A. M.

dec25 1t T. S. WILLIAMS, General Superintendent.

Bank of America, New Orleans, December 23d, 1868.

THIS Bank will be closed on FRIDAY, the 25th inst., and on the 1st and 8th January, 1869. Notes and bills maturing on those days must be paid the day previous.

dec24 tjan8 J. E. PASCAL, Cashier.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE copartnership heretofore existing under the name and style of PIKE, LAPEYRE & BROTHER, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, by the withdrawal of J. M. Lapeyre, who has disposed of all his rights and interests in the concern to his late partners Wm. S. Pike and Alex. Brother, they assuming all the liabilities of the same.

New Orleans, Dec. 21st, 1868.

WM. S. PIKE, J. M. LAPEYRE, ALEX. BROTHER.

dec23 3m

THE business of Pike, Lapeyre and Brother will continue to be conducted under the same name and style until the first day of January next, (1869,) when Alfred Sheppers and Paul Blanc have an interest in the business, which will thereafter be conducted under the name and style of PIKE, BROTHER & CO.

New Orleans, Dec. 21st, 1868.

WM. S. PIKE, ALEX. BROTHER, ALFRED SHEPPERS, PAUL BLANC.

dec23 3m

Union Bank of Louisiana.

THIS Bank will be closed on FRIDAY, 25th inst., and 1st and 8th January, 1869. Notes falling due on those days must be paid the day previous.

GEO. A. FREERET, Cashier.

New Orleans, Dec. 23d, 1868. dec24 tjan8

Office of the Merchants' Mut. Ins. Co., No. 104 CANAL STREET, New Orleans, December 23d, 1868.

AT a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, PAUL FOURCHY, Esq., was unanimously elected President to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of the Hon. John Pemberton, and Mr. G. W. NOTT was elected Secretary.

dec24 1w G. W. NOTT, Secretary.

Office Board of Underwriters, New Orleans, Dec. 23, 1868.

THE offices of the companies composing this Board will be closed after 11 o'clock A. M. on the 25th inst., and on the 1st and 8th of January next, and on and after this date, on business days, at 3 o'clock P. M., instead of 3 o'clock P. M.

By order of the Board, H. P. JANVIER, Secretary.

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Office of the Merchants' Mutual Insurance Company, New Orleans, December 23, 1868.

AT a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Company, held this day, Mr. P. S. Wiltz introduced the following preamble and resolutions, which was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, By the interposition of Divine Providence, the Hon. JOHN PEMBERTON, President of this Company, from its foundation, has been removed from among us, we trust, to a better world;

Whereas, In his demise his family loses an exemplary husband, father and relative; the country a devoted and spotless citizen; and this Company a signally able, courteous and correct officer, whose valuable services shall ever be appreciated;

Resolved, That as a sincere token of profound respect for his memory, and heartfelt sympathy to his disconsolate widow and children, and to all who deplore his loss, the office of this Company shall remain draped in mourning for the space of thirty days.

That this resolution be spread on the minutes of this Board; published in all the city papers; and that an authenticated copy thereof be transmitted by the Secretary to his bereaved family. G. W. NOTT,

dec25 4t Secretary.

Office N. O., Opelousas and G. W. Railroad Company, New Orleans, Dec. 19th, 1868.

IN conformity with the 14th section of the Charter of this Company, a meeting of the Stockholders will be held at the office of the Company, on MONDAY, the 18th of January 1869, at 12 o'clock, M.

dec20 30d G. W. SQUIRES, Secretary.

Office N. O., Opelousas and G. W. Railroad Company, New Orleans, Dec. 20th, 1868.

IN conformity with the 8th section of the Charter of the Company, an election by the Stockholders for Eighteen Directors, to serve for one year, from Monday the 1st of February, 1869, will be held at the office, No. 60 Canal street, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th of January, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

dec23 30d G. W. SQUIRES, Secretary.

Citizens' Bank of Louisiana, New Orleans, Dec. 21, 1868.

THIS Bank will be closed Fridays 25th inst., 1st and 8th January, 1869.

Offering days, Wednesdays, and Discount days, Thursdays, previous.

dec22 taw3w—1kw J. L. DELERY, Cashier.

St. Louis Church of New Orleans, SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Pew-holders of the St. Louis Church, to call at my office, No. 20 St. Anthony Alley, before FRIDAY, 1st January, 1869, and settle for the amount of their Pews for the year 1868, at the same prices as the present year, 1868.

Said Pew-holders having the privilege of their Pews at former prices, and all Pews not retained and paid for on above specified date, shall be, according to custom, rented by the undersigned.

dec23 25 27 29 31 L. PRADOS, Secretary.

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Office of Atlantic Insurance Company of New Orleans, No. 30 Camp street, New Orleans, December 20th, 1868.

AN ELECTION for nineteen Directors of this Company, to serve for one year, from date of election, will be held at the office of the Company, on MONDAY, 4th January 1869, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

dec20 tjan3 H. P. JANVIER, Vice-President.

Office of N. O. Gas Light Company, December 16, 1868.

AT a meeting of the Board of Directors of this Company held this day, a dividend of six dollars per share was declared out of the earnings of the past six months, payable on and after Tuesday, January 12, 1869, to the stockholders or their legal representatives, at the office of the Company.

dec18 1m WM. S. BROWN, Treasurer.

Copartnership.

MR. FRANK H. HOOKER becomes a partner in my house from January 1st, 1869. The firm will be under the name and style of J. A. LUM & CO.

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Merchants' Bank, New Orleans, December 10, 1868.

THE annual election for five Directors of this Institution to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at its Banking House, No. 40 Camp street, on MONDAY, January 11th, 1869, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

dec10 td

Office Mississippi Valley Navigation Company of the South and West.

THE undersigned respectfully invites all subscribers of the above Company to come forward and pay their TEN PER CENT. on the stock subscribed, and sign the Constitution and By-Laws as prescribed; and that Subscription Book is now open at the wholesale drug store of Messrs. Magnus & Bogel No. 45 Magazine street. Office hours from 3 to 4 P. M.

dec13 3m JOHN PAUL BAKER, Agent.

Office of the New Orleans Mutual Insurance Co., Corner Canal and Camp, NEW ORLEANS, December 7, 1868.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in conformity with article fifth of the Charter of this Company, the annual election for twelve Directors, to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at this office, on MONDAY, 28th December, 1868, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

dec8 td J. W. HINCKS, Secretary.

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Office New Orleans and Carrollton Railroad Company, New Orleans, La., December 24, 1868.

THE annual election for Directors of this Company will take place, according to law, on MONDAY, the 4th January, 1869, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., at the office of the Company, No. 17 Baronne street.

dec24 td P. McBRIDE, Secretary.

Office Jefferson and Lake Pontchartrain Railroad Company, New Orleans, La., December 24, 1868.

THE annual election for Directors of this Company will take place, according to law, on MONDAY, the 4th January, 1869, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 12 P. M., at the office of the Company, No. 17 Baronne street.

dec24 td P. McBRIDE, Secretary.

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JUDICIAL SALES.

Sheriff's Sale.

ON the 2d of January, 1869, will be sold, at Thibodaux, parish of Lafourche, right bank, a SUGAR PLANTATION, measuring thirty arpents front by forty in depth, together with a Sugar House, Steam Engine, Cane in windrow, steam Saw Mill, dwelling house and various buildings.

On the same day, will also be sold, at Thibodaux on the opposite side of the above plantation, (the whole can be made to form a single plantation) a tract of vacant land, measuring thirty-six arpents front by forty in depth.

For further particulars apply at No. 61 Carondelet street. F. J. PAVY, Syndic.

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Sheriff's Sale.

ON the 9th of January, 1869, will be sold, at the Court-house of Napoleonville, parish of Assumption, a small PLANTATION, measuring about two hundred and forty arpents, together with a Sugar House, Steam Engine, and various buildings.

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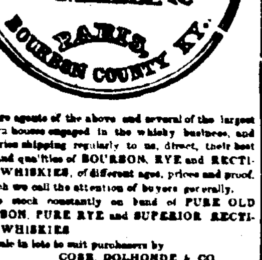

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The steamship UNITED STATES, Geo. L. Norton, Commander, will leave her wharf, opposite Jefferson street, on Sunday, December 27, at 8 A. M.

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GEORGE PANDELY, Superintendent.

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