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Amusements This Evening.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE—Lydia Thompson Troupe—Burlesque "Richard III."
ACADEMY OF MUSIC—Engagement of Miss Lucille Western. "East Lynne."
BULLARD'S PANORAMA, of New York City, at Lyceum Hall, City Hall Building, at 3 and 7½ o'clock, P. M.
CRESCENT CITY MUSEUM—No. 49 and 51 Chartres street.
DAN RICE'S CIRCUS—Corner St. Joseph and Baronne streets.

A LOST OPPORTUNITY.

Of all the nominations for Senator of the United States on Tuesday last, it is generally conceded that Gen. West, the successful candidate, was the least objectionable. No one expected that any Democrat or anti-Republican stood the slightest chance of being chosen by the General Assembly constituted as it is. The Republicans in that body number one hundred and eleven, (111) and the Democrats or anti-Republicans number 38. From these figures, it is manifest that the only choice the minority had, was either to abstain from voting altogether or to vote for the nominee of the majority party who should seem to them best fitted for the high position. The general opinion is that the minority had it in their power to obtain from the majority, divided as the latter was into two hostile factions, some equivalent for the benefit of their constituents, in return for their votes for Gen. West. That gentleman was the candidate of Gov. Warmoth, without whose support he could not have been nominated, much less elected. It must then have been important to Gov. Warmoth that Gen. West should be chosen, and that result could have been prevented by the co-operation of the Democrats with the Dunn faction, who together numbered eighty-six while the Warmothites numbered only sixty-one. Standing firm, the Democrats might have exacted terms from Gov. Warmoth, looking to the repeal of those obnoxious laws which disgrace the statute book of the State and enable him to play the rôle of a dictator. We are not to be blinded by the action of the Democrats in the Senate, in nominating and voting for a candidate who claims to be of that faith, in opposition to Gen. West. Those members thus voting, knew perfectly well that they were throwing away their votes. We think it would have been much more creditable to have voted at once as did the Democrats in the House, for General West. Gov. Warmoth's friends boast that he controls the whole party, and that he obtained that control by some trifling pledges, such as the appointment to office in the parishes, of persons who call themselves, but who are very far from being, Democrats. It is this very appointing power which we wish to take from the Governor, because while he holds it, he can exercise more power over the future fortunes of Louisiana than Queen Victoria can exercise over those of Great Britain.

And we deny that the members of the Legislature have any right thus to barter away for their individual benefit the interests of the people, whom they have undertaken to represent. The future will show to what use Gov. Warmoth will put this victory over his opponents. If he shall, as his apologists say he will, turn it to good account and for the benefit of the people over whose fortunes he wields such control, none will be better pleased than ourselves, but we should have preferred to have had some equivalent for Democratic support of greater value than the petty offices to which he is said to be willing to appoint those who have hitherto opposed him. The people were entitled, we think, to have had some good tangible security in hand for the future conduct of his Excellency, because a politician like himself, may at any time compose his differences with the faction of the Republican party who at present stand in a hostile attitude towards him. As it is, the Governor has made no pledges nor promises beyond throwing a bone or two to men whom he thoroughly estimates at their true value. We consider him entirely master of the situation, and that an excellent opportunity to obtain some amelioration of our public affairs which we may never have again, has been completely thrown away. How can the Democrats now call for investigation of various important matters which need probing—for instance, the levee disbursements and the affairs of the State Penitentiary? We shall see how far they are committed to covering up transactions which our financial men tell us will not bear examination.

THE VAGRANT LAW MAINTAINED.

We publish elsewhere a brief report of an important opinion rendered yesterday by Judge Collens, of the Seventh District Court, on an application for the writ of *habeas corpus* to release a party who had been arrested and committed to the Workhouse as a vagrant under the late act of the Legislature. Judge Collens, unlike his brother Cooley, of the Sixth Court, maintains the constitutionality of the law, and decides that parties arrested under it are not entitled to a trial by jury. He finds authority under the common law—that is the unwritten law—for denying to those accused of vagrancy the benefit of those guarantees against arbitrary arrest and imprisonment which are embodied in all American constitutions, and the end of the very necessity which bears upon the government of the State to adopt measures for the prevention of crime as well as to punish its commission. He regards a person accused of vagrancy as being presumptively an offender, and that society has the power to require him to show that he has a settled home, and is working for an honest livelihood.

Whether or not this be an unquestionable law of Louisiana, the community will be gratified to learn that a magistrate of such learning and character as Judge Collens has taken his stand upon their side and, against that portion of the population who are reasonably suspected of lying in wait to prey upon those who sustain themselves and their families by pursuing an honorable occupation. It is well that all persons not so occupied and who do not contribute to the maintenance of government but who on the contrary, occasion a large expenditure for police purposes, should be compelled to show that they are not of the class of offenders referred to in the Vagrant Act. We therefore applaud Judge Collens for the bold stand he has taken, on the side of order and good government, and believe his decision will have the happiest effect upon the criminals who continually infest this city relying upon the efficacy of the Habeas Corpus law for their release when imprisoned on suspicion of intention to commit a crime or otherwise.

FRENCH BAZAAR LOTTERY—DRAWING OF THE HIGHEST PRIZE.—The bearer of the ticket number [illegible] has won the large prize of $6000 in gold.

BANK OF ORLEANS.—It is elsewhere announced in this issue that Chas. Cavaroc, Esq., was re-elected President of the Bank of Orleans at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 10th inst. [illegible]

For Coughs, Colds [illegible] Pierce's Alt. Ext. [illegible] covery. [illegible] Lives [illegible] Scrofulous and skin diseases [illegible] Blotches [illegible] Eruptions [illegible]

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BY TELEGRAPH.

To the New Orleans Bee.

THE FRANCO-PRUSSIAN WAR.

Rear Guard of the German Army Attacked by Faidherbe.

Bapaume Again Occupied by the French.

Trochu Will Fight to the Last.

Germans Evacuated Mont Avron.

Movements of the Armies.

HOME NEWS.

Congressional Proceedings.

Outrages in Scott County, Ky.

Amnesty Question in the South Carolina Legislature.

Miscellaneous.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Paris, Jan. 6—Via Balloon.—The Reds have placarded a revolutionary poster, which declares the government cowardly and inconsistent, and claims that the people are starved while favorite soldiers are overfed. The poster was torn down by the government agents.

Bordeaux, Jan. 11.—An official announcement is made to the effect that the Germans on the 10th redoubled their efforts against the army of Gen. Chanzy, who, pressed on all sides, retired to his original position. Action hotly disputed, one French brigade resisting incessant attacks of the enemy for six hours. Losses considerable on both sides.

Gen. Bourbaki, commanding the army of the East, telegraph that his troops passed Tuesday night in driving the enemy from the houses of Villersexel.

Advices from Lille represent that the army of the North has advanced beyond Bapaume.

Versailles, Jan. 11.—The bombardment of Paris forts was vigorously kept up to-day, and batteries which had been pushed forward toward the city opened fire this morning. The barracks in Fort de Issy are in ruins.

London, Jan. 11—Midnight.—A dispatch from Lille states that General Faidherbe surprised the rear guard of the German army, and 50 of the enemy were killed and [illegible] taken prisoners. The French did not loose a man.

The French army has again entered Bapaume.

London, Jan. 12—3 A. M.—A dispatch from Versailles says a large fire is raging within the outer walls of Paris and on the north side of the city.

[World's Special.]

London, Jan. 11.—A Brussels dispatch of the 11th says, the result of the ten days bombardment of nine forts and seven French batteries, between the forts is, no serious damage has been done, not a single gun dismounted, but 330 Germans have been killed and wounded.

Mont Avron was swept away by the French fire and the Germans evacuated that position.

The guns at Chamort reach the Invalides, and Camp de Mars.

Paris advices, of the 8th, say, shells are falling in Montinort, and persons have been killed in the church of Saint Sulpice.

Bands of "Reds" posted red placards which were torn down by the people.

Gen. Trochu issued a proclamation today declaring he will fight to the last.

London, Jan. 12.—A letter from Berlin, 10th, says orders have been issued that French officers who escaped from places of confinement in Germany shall, upon recapture, be treated as felons.

The *Times* special from Berlin says: Count Bismarck repudiates the article of the Versailles *Moniteur* on the subject of the defences of England.

[Herald's Special.]

Brussels, Jan. 10.—Pinard, a former Minister of the Empire, was recently arrested for alleged political intrigues, and sent to Lyons under guard.

Dr. Crossman passed Brussels on a visit to Eugenie. He is said to be connected with a new movement for the restoration of the Regency.

Intelligence from Paris confirms the report of bread riots in the city, and a collision between the mob and the military has taken place. Prussian shells on the 8th are said to have fired parts of the city, and an early capitulation is predicted.

London, Jan. 11.—A colliery explosion has just occurred near Sheffield, by which 26 persons were killed.

London, Jan. 11—10 P. M.—Latest balloon advices received from Paris report many slight engagements near Malmaison and Bicêtre and also on the line of the Paris and Strasburg railway, in all of which the Germans were repulsed with considerable loss.

Thousands of balls from German guns fall during the night in the outskirts of Paris, creating havoc in all directions, killing some women and children, and striking ambulances, museums, school-houses, etc.

The population of Paris are more than ever resolute in their intention to resist to their utmost. No fears are entertained of a surrender, as Gen. Trochu has issued a proclamation to the citizens to the effect that the army of Paris will not capitulate.

London, Jan. 12.—At the annual dinner of the Devon Chamber of Agriculture last evening, Mr. Newton, ex-Lieut. Governor Wayland, of Connecticut, and Mr. Fish, son of Hon. Hamilton Fish, Secretary of State, of the United States, and other Americans were present. Mr. Wayland, in a speech, repudiated the doctrine of Gen. Butler's recent speech at Boston on the fishing and Alabama question.

London, Jan. 11.—Chunghow, the new Chinese Ambassador to Western Powers, arrived at Alexandria, Egypt, on Tuesday, *en route* for France.

A correspondent of the London *Times* writing from Berlin says that Prussia [illegible] antagonism on the part of Austria to the wishes of the Czar on the Euxine is endeavoring to effect a postponement of the London conference. The same correspondent mentions the report that Turkey is willing to dispense with action by the powers on the subject.

Brussels, Jan. 11.—Avoda has been summoned to surrender.

Pas de Calais is overrun with Germans.

Pesth, Jan. 11.—A majority of the Austro-Hungarian delegations sympathize with France, and a demonstration has been planned in favor of France and peace.

FROM HAVANA.

Havana, Jan. 12.—The reports published in American journals announcing that Gen. Valmaseda caused many Cubans in Havana and other places to be imprisoned, are pure inventions. The only arrests were of vagabond negroes, known as dangerous characters.

Another negro, suspected of complicity in the assassination of Oberbeck, the German, has been arrested, and attempts are being made by the citizens to obtain the punishment of this dangerous class of the population.

Advices from the City of Mexico, to the 4th of January, have been received. The Presidential election is absorbing [illegible], and much bitterness is shown. The Opinion Nacional newspaper, supports Lerdo de Tejada. He will probably resign the present position.

Havana, Jan. 12.—Cona, the rebel bearer of dispatches captured with Madame Cespedes, was executed to-day.

Madame Tejera, wife of the Mexican [illegible], is dead.

Havana, Jan. 12.—The wife of Cespedes sailed this evening for New York.

FROM MEXICO.

[Herald's Special.]

City of Mexico, Jan. 3, via Havana.—The [illegible]

FROM WASHINGTON.

[illegible]

Congress.—Mr. [illegible] Mr. Chandler said the River and Harbor bill, with estimates for all these improvements, would be reported within four [illegible]

After an extended discussion, the motion to refer was objected to. The bill passed and goes to the President for approval.

A committee to investigate the claims for Indian depredations in Kansas and Nebraska was authorized.

A bill [illegible] members of Congress from the [illegible] of office-holders was discussed to adjournment.

Silas [illegible], of Nebraska, was nominated [illegible] of Utah Territory.

[illegible] Commissioner of the Dominican [illegible]

Washington, Jan. 12.—The Secretary of the Treasury decides that all rum, gin and whisky imported into the United States since January 1st, 1871, is subject to a duty of $2 50 per proof gallon, under the laws of Congress. This is a disappointment to importers, who expected the decision would place the duty on these liquors the same as that on imported brandy, $3 per proof gallon.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The Senate, in executive session considered naval matters, and [illegible] to-morrow and dispose of the question of Admiral and Vice Admiral.

MISCELLANEOUS INTELLIGENCE.

New York, Jan. 12.—A writ of attachment has issued for the arrest of Gen. Webb, the commandant of Governor's Island, for refusing to surrender a minor who was enlisted in the army without the consent of his parents.

An investigation of the charges against the Rev. M. Lanahan, assistant agent of the Methodist book concern, has commenced.

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 12.—The House of Representatives passed the following resolutions, which were introduced by a negro member: "Whereas certain bills are now being considered in Congress, providing generally for amnesty to all persons now laboring under political disabilities by reason of their participation in the rebellion; and whereas, in our judgment, ample relief is afforded such persons by the 3d section of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States. It is therefore resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that our Senators in Congress be instructed and our Representatives requested to vote against all such laws granting general amnesty and relief to those now under political disabilities. Resolved, that a copy of this preamble and resolution be transmitted to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

Much excitement prevails among the members of the Legislature, at Columbia, owing to the disturbed condition of affairs in the upper counties of the State. The Ultra Radicals, under the lead of Elliott, negro member elect of 3d Congressional district, charge the whole responsibility of the trouble upon the inefficiency of Governor Scott's administration in not organizing negro militia and declaring martial law. There is even talk of impeaching the Governor.

The more moderate Radicals, Conservatives and the Lieutenant Governor support the policy of Governor Scott, which is understood to be: to send only United States troops to the disturbed counties if military force is required at all.

The people of those counties have held large public meetings in the interests of law and order.

The State Senate has tabled the anti-amnesty resolutions passed by the House.

Louisville, Jan. 12.—It is reported that a party of [illegible] masked men yesterday afternoon attacked a party of negroes at their stamping ground in Scott county, killing three of them. The party of maskers went the same night to the Forks at Elkhorn, in Scott county, where they were in turn attacked by a party of armed negroes and one of their number killed. In this last affray three negroes were wounded. The masker who was killed has been identified as a young man by the name of Force, from Henry county. The negroes excited and frightened, are flocking in crowds into Frankfort.

A negro named Henry Barnes fell or was thrown from the New Albany train at Jeffersonville, Indiana, last night, and instantly killed. He was stealing a ride on the cars.

St. Louis, Jan. 12.—Several boats came to the levee to-day to load for the South, but none departed. A large advance in freights checked shipments, and the loading of boats is not rapid. It is not yet certain that the river is open to Cairo, but it no doubt will be to-morrow. The channel is said to be in very bad condition and the water low. There is a slight rise coming from above, and a fair stage to Cairo is a good way to be expected. Weather warm and clear. Mercury ranging above 50 degrees.

Cincinnati, Jan. 12.—A public meeting held to-night at Pike's Music Hall in aid of the suffering French peasants was well attended, the audience embracing many of the most prominent citizens, besides many ladies. Bishop McIlvaine presided. Speeches were made by Hon. J. D. Cox, Murat, Halstead and Rev. Dr. Biggs. A collection was taken up, and a committee appointed to canvass the city.

Evanston, Wyoming Territory, Jan. 12.—The surveying expedition for the mining district in the interest of the survey of public lands reached here to-day.

The expedition reports gold and silver as Maxinos Bow and Snake river mountains, and coal all the way from Bear to Snake river.

Boston, Jan. 12.—In the Massachusetts Senate a resolution offered, thanking Senator Sumner for his action on the Dominican question, was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

London, Jan. 12—Noon.—Consols 92¼. Bonds 89¼.

Liverpool, Jan. 12—Noon.—Cotton market dull; uplands 7½d; Orleans 8¼d; sales estimated at 10,000 bales. Breadstuffs and Provisions unchanged.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

New York, Jan. 12—Evening.—Money easier, 5@6 per cent. currency on call loans. Sterling 9½@9¾. Gold 110⅝@111. Governments very dull—5-20s of 1862, 109¾; Southern Securities dull, except Tennessees and new South Carolinas; Tennessees 64; new 61; Virginias 65; new 61; [illegible]; Georgia 7s [illegible]; North Carolinas 45; new 25; South Carolinas 80; new 60.

New York, Jan. 12—Evening.—Cotton dull and heavy; sales 2000 bales; middling uplands 15¼c; Orleans 15¾c. Flour firm and in fair demand; common to good Southern $6 25@6 65. Whisky a little firmer, 91@92c. Wheat unchanged. Corn a little better. Pork firmer; old $19 50; new $20 50@20 50. Beef quiet. Lard firmer; kettle 13c. Turpentine lower, 49c. Rosin dull, strained $2 20. Tallow quiet, 8½@9c. Freights dull—Cotton by steam ¼.

New York, Jan. 12—Evening.—Money increasing in ease. Gold rather weak to-day and transactions were light. Governments very dull all day and rather heavy in the afternoon—[illegible].

Savannah, Jan. 12.—Cotton market firm; demand light; middlings 14⅝c. Net receipts 3175 bales; exports coastwise 901; sales 1000; stock on hand 80,388 bales.

Mobile, Jan. 12.—Cotton market quiet; middlings 14¾c. Net receipts 2874; exports to Great Britain 354; coastwise 654; sales 2000; stock [illegible].

Boston, Jan. 12.—Cotton quiet and steady; middlings 15½c. Net receipts 385 bales; gross 350; sales 500; stock 4,000.

Baltimore, Jan. 12.—Cotton market quiet but not quotably lower; middlings 15⅛c. Net receipts 585 bales; gross 585; exports —Continent 1480; coastwise 600; sales 295; stock 12,425.

Wilmington, Jan. 12.—Cotton quiet and steady; middlings 14c; net receipts 167 bales; exports coastwise 208; sales 111; stock 2841 bales.

Charleston, Jan. 12.—Cotton quiet and steady; middling 14¾c; net receipts 2113 bales; exports coastwise 235; sales 580; stock [illegible].

Norfolk, Jan. 12.—Cotton quiet; low middling 14c; net receipts [illegible]; exports coastwise [illegible]; stock [illegible].

Memphis, Jan. 12.—Cotton quiet and steady; middlings 14¼c; sales 2000 bales; receipts [illegible].

Cincinnati, Jan. 12.—Cotton—demand active; [illegible]

Louisville, Jan. 12.—[illegible]

RIVER NEWS.

Memphis, Jan. 12.—Weather clear. [illegible]

Cairo, Jan. 12.—Down—W. R. Arthur at 9 [illegible] Laborne at 12 last [illegible]

[illegible] Up—Guiding Star at 5, Evening Star at 3 P. M. [illegible] Jim Leathers, with 8000 sacks, and the R. E. Lee with 3000 sacks [illegible]

Memphis, Jan. 12.—[illegible] Magnolia, Elliott, Ed. [illegible] Blackhawk, [illegible] Nashville [illegible]; also a [illegible] Hamburg [illegible] for Arkansas river [illegible] Evening Star at 3 P. M. [illegible] Grand Tower Jim Leathers with [illegible] Nashville [illegible] Red River arrived at [illegible].

Sailed—Steamship Hudson.

Special Dispatches.

London, Jan. 11—Evening.—Consols 92½, 5-20s of 1862, 88¾.

Liverpool, Jan. 11—Evening.—Cotton closed quiet and steady; Uplands 7½d; Orleans 8⅛d. Sales 12,000 bales, of which 3000 were for export and speculation. Flour 26s 9d. Corn 35s. 3d mixed 34s 6d.

London, Jan. 11.—Fort Nogent, which has of late been silent, has again commenced firing.

Prussian shells at Fort Issy, it is reported, have been discontinued. Shells were thrown into Paris and the Lycens military schools. It is also rumored that the Hospital des Invalides has been hit.

Nearly all the French forts have yet been reached by the German [illegible]. Recapture [illegible] the advance [illegible] field [illegible] wearing [illegible]

Havana, Jan. 12.—A dispatch from [illegible] the Captain General [illegible] the interior [illegible], waiting for a vessel on which to embark and leave the island.

The same dispatch makes Miss Cespedes speak in the highest terms of the kind and gentlemanly treatment she has received from the Spaniards.

Captain General Valmaseda has abolished court-martial, except for treason, rebellion and sedition.

London, Jan. 11.—It is reported that Peronne has capitulated, by which 3000 prisoners fell into the hands of the Germans.

Gen. Werder defeated Gen. Bourbaki, on the 9th inst., south of Vesoul, taking 800 prisoners.

St. Louis, Jan. 12.—All efforts so far made to unite the Republicans of Missouri have been ineffectual. Blair's chances for United States Senator are still best. He is the foremost man in the pure Democratic caucus, and a liberal Republican German paper published in Jefferson City favors Blair.

Nashville, Jan. 12.—Many persons in Tennessee, including Judges of the Supreme Court, Attorneys in United States Courts and several Magistrates have been indicted for holding office in violation of the Fourteenth Amendment. A bill is pending in the Tennessee Legislature providing counsel to defend them.

Cincinnati, Jan. 12.—The Ohio Legislature defeated the bill forbidding Bibles in the public schools by a vote of 75 to 24.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE ST. CHARLES.—The disagreeable weather of last night had a most damaging effect on the attendance at this theatre. In the face of the weather, and notwithstanding all the drawbacks such a weather must have been, the St. Charles could still boast of a paying house. Not only was "Richard III, or Bad Dickey," something which would "draw," but the farce of "In and Out of Place," was not the least of the attractions offered to the audience. People who have been old time attendants of theatres had a strong remembrance of *Miss Louisa Lane*, when she was the most popular of the "Marsh Troupe." Young in years, but almost mature in form, she was then considered one of the most promising actresses in her line. That she has not achieved the position she deserved, if the *favors* she then excited is to be considered a basis for judgment of the future, is due to the fact that she has for a long time almost withdrawn from the stage, and allowed others to acquire a right of possession to rôles which ought to belong to her. Miss Arnot carried the farce out last night on her own shoulders, with little assistance.

THE ACADEMY.—Miss Lucille Western takes a benefit to-night. During her engagement she has, as usual, drawn very large houses. She is a favorite here, and when the New Orleans people elect a favorite they stand by her. We have known her in the character which she represents to-night to be her own. As *Lady Isabel* and *Madame Vine*, Miss Western, is playing character particularly developed for her. That she does it well, it is not necessary to state. She owns the house.

BULLARD'S LYCEUM PANORAMA.—All the people that Lyceum Hall could contain was pushed into it yesterday to see the Panoram of New York City. It exhibits here only to-day and to-morrow, at 3 and 7½ o'clock.

DAN RICE'S CIRCUS.—The great Italian and American Circus was remarkably well attended last night, when the nature of the weather is considered. Although Sebastian Quagliani's department is certainly magnificent, Dan's own private show is not to be surpassed in the line of business to which its members devote themselves. The children have had glorious fun since Dan Rice's own steamboat brought the circus to town.

CHEAPEST AND BEST.—Mrs. Winslow's Syrup for children is sold by druggists, for 35 cents a bottle and is an admirable preparation for infantile disorders.

LEGAL DECISIONS.—The Supreme Court of the third district of New York has recently decided that under current published in a newspaper for public information and for general purposes, are admissible in evidence to prove the market value of grain at a specified time. The same court also decided that the drawer of a check is to be treated as a principal debtor, and is not discharged by any neglect of the holder in not making due presentment, or in not giving notice of dishonor, unless he has suffered loss thereby, and then only to the extent of his actual loss. It was further decided that the holder of a check has the day after its receipt in which to make presentment, and that therefore the payee of a check was not guilty of neglect in not presenting the check on the day of its receipt at the bank which suspended next day. The court also decided that the giving of a check is not payment unless by express agreement, and that the original indebtedness remains and can be recovered by the proper action at law.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

Fifth District Court.—In the case of Duncan N. Hennen vs. New Orleans and Carrollton Railroad Company, suit is brought to recover the value of three lots of ground. This case was originally filed October 13, 1865, and having been continued from time to time, is set again for trial to-day.

The plaintiff in his petition sets forth that in the year 1844 he and John Nicholson, now deceased, purchased from the New Orleans and Carrollton Railroad three several lots of ground, situated on Poydras street, between Circus and Phillips street, for the sum of $19,000, for which payment was made by the transfer of 381 shares in the capital stock of said company, at the agreed price of fifty dollars per share.

Petitioner further shows that afterward, by act before Alphonse Barnett, notary public, he acquired the interest of John Nicholson's heirs in and to the individual half of said three lots. Mrs. Francis Ogden, on the 21st day of January, 1853, the usage [illegible] in the partition of the estate of the said [illegible]. Afterward a bill in equity was filed against petitioner as owner of said lots, in the Circuit Court of the United States, holding sessions in and for this State, by Myra Clark Gaines, claiming said lots as heir of Daniel Clark, her father, which judgment having been rendered against said Myra by said court, an appeal was by her taken to the Supreme Court, by which said decree of said Circuit Court was reversed, and a decree entered in favor of said Myra Clark Gaines, remanding said case with orders to Circuit Court: 1. To place in possession of said lots said Myra C. Gaines; and 2. To order an account of the rents and profits from May 12, 1844, to be given by petitioner to said Myra.

Petitioner alleges that the order of said court was fulfilled by the United States for said district, and the petitioner forcibly ejected from the possession of said lots.

Petitioner avers that said railroad company sold to John Nicholson and himself said lots, with full warranty, etc., and they have become liable for the return of said purchase money, $19,000, with interest from March 5, 1844, together with rents and profits which may be hereafter recovered by said Myra Gaines from said petitioner.

C. M. Conrad & Son for plaintiff; Jas. McConnell and Miles Taylor for defendant.

Fourth District Court.—John Kuhl vs. Given, Watts & Co.—Judge Theard.—The plaintiff has brought suit against the defendants, alleging in his petition that divers times during the year 1869 he shipped to the defendants, then doing business in this city as commission merchants, certain goods and merchandise to be sold by them on commission for him, and alleges that they received the goods as agents and in a fiduciary capacity; that they sold the goods, and only partially accounted for the same; [illegible] to the plaintiff; and he files an account current rendered by the parties, showing the balance due August 25, 1869, of $781 17, and remaining unpaid, for which he prays judgment. The defendants appear and file a peremptory exception and plea in bar setting up their respective discharges in bankruptcy, bearing date March 9, 1870, and pray to be hence discharged. After fully considering the authorities, the Judge ruled that the exception must be maintained, and that the discharge of the defendants, pleaded by them, are a complete bar against the plaintiff's demand, and there be judgment in favor of defendants, with costs.

Drowned.—Charles Hays, one of the crew of the ship Alcoe, fell into the river Wednesday night, and was rescued from drowning by the harbor police.

First District Court.—Judge Collens [illegible] *habeas corpus* [illegible] vs. James [illegible], committed on charge of vagrancy [illegible] as follows:

[illegible] considered and decreed that the [illegible] be released, but that [illegible] which he is held [illegible] so as to set forth [illegible] the within named James [illegible] was this day brought before this [illegible] writ of habeas corpus, it was [illegible] ordered for the reasons [illegible] by virtue of act 95 of the Code [illegible] that the said James Tierney [illegible] to the custody of the Keeper of the Workhouse and that he be there [illegible] the commitment issued by [illegible] Justice of the Peace [illegible] mentioned [illegible] Tierney shall in the meantime [illegible] according to law, in [illegible] good and solvent security [illegible] the State.

Fire.—[illegible] At half-past [illegible] night the alarm [illegible] from the box of [illegible] Company No. [illegible]. The fire was caused by the explosion of a coal oil lamp in the kitchen of the house No. 380 Common street, occupied by Mrs. Loiseau, a [illegible] and belonging to the Lamen estate. Before the alarm was given the fire had communicated to the house, a one story double frame, and the whole neighborhood was endangered. No. 383 Common street was slightly damaged, but was saved without much trouble, as the strong southerly wind carried the flames in the direction of Howard street, Nos. 391, 393, 395 and 397 [illegible] street were destroyed [illegible] Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Molyneux and Mrs. Barnes [illegible] Mrs. Molyneux was insured in the [illegible] Office for [illegible].

While the fire was sweeping down Common street, it also extended through from the kitchen in which it originated to Palmyra street, destroying a stable on its way. The first house attacked on the latter street was a double two-story building, occupied by Mr. William [illegible] and [illegible]. The fire [illegible] the [illegible] communicated to the neighboring [illegible] street, between Common and Palmyra streets, and these three [illegible] burning at once. Among the sufferers on Palmyra street [illegible] Mrs. Michael Millmegger. The [illegible] Palmyra street saved nearly all their furniture. The total loss of the fire is variously estimated at from $20,000 to [illegible].

It is due to the firemen to say that to their exertions alone is due the fact that the fire was checked when it was.

First District Court.—The Grand Jury has found a true bill against James Cushman [illegible] charged with attempting burglary [illegible] caught by some young men on Canal street, on the premises of some citizen where he intended to commit a burglary. At the time he was stabbed and severely wounded.

The case of Timothy Hays, charged with the murder of Thos. Kennedy, in 1866, who was granted a new trial by the Supreme Court, will take place on Thursday, [illegible].

The celebrated Boulier-Isaac-Falkenberg forgery case, where $10,000 of [illegible] were [illegible] will come up on the 16th inst.

Frank Williams alias Dary Frank, the notorious Chicago burglar, in whose room a set of burglar's tools were found, and Dave Cumming, have made two attempts [illegible] were arrested. Bonds ordered by Justice Myers, $5000, reduced in Criminal Court to $250.

Burglary.—An enterprising burglar by means of false keys succeeded in obtaining admission to the house No. 224 Baronne street, about [illegible] yesterday morning, and entered the house, carrying with him a gold watch and seventy-five dollars belonging to Mr. Mouton, one of the inmates.

Robbery.—Mr. Fredericks, residing at the corner of Prytania and Third streets, was visited at one o'clock yesterday morning by two young thieves, who were discovered before they had effected entrance into the premises. The negroes [illegible] fired at by the [illegible] one of them [illegible] with a ball [illegible] in one of the [illegible].

Shot by a Cop.—Yesterday afternoon a young woman, a [illegible] an Italian woman residing at the corner of Frenchmen and Royal streets, was attacked and bitten by a cow running at large on Esplanade street. The woman was seriously injured and was taken to her residence by the police. Dr. Cooper, Police Surgeon and City Physician, was summoned to attend her.

Inquest.—Coroner Jackson held an inquest, yesterday, on the body of a male child, found buried on the Levee, near the Vegetable Market. John Baptiste, a colored man and the father of the child, was brought up to the party who had buried it. He claimed that the child was still-born, and that he had buried it at the place through poverty and ignorance. Dr. Cooper made a post-mortem examination and decided that the child had been still-born. Baptiste was then discharged by the Coroner, but immediately arrested by the police on the charge of violating the city ordinances.

Re-elected.—Charles Cavaroc, Esq., was yesterday at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Bank of New Orleans, unanimously re-elected President of that institution.

Drowned.—At half-past 8 o'clock last night an unknown white man, while attempting to go on board the ship J. Strickland, lying at pad 21, Third District, fell into the river and was drowned. He is supposed to have been employed as a seaman on that vessel.

LOUISIANA LEGISLATURE.

TENTH DAY.

THURSDAY, January 12, 1871.

Senate.

At 12 M. Lieut. Gov. Dunn called the Senate to order.

Twenty-three Senators present.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Burch.

Under a suspension of the rules, Mr. Thomas called up the bill for the relief of Dixon. Read twice and referred.

The bill to provide gratuitous vaccination and to prevent the State from the ravages of small pox, was referred.

The bill to more clearly enlarge and define the certain duties of the Board of Health, was referred.

Mr. Butler introduced a bill to locate the Court-House of Plaquemine, etc. Referred.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill to protect the interest of commerce by establishing the Louisiana Warehouse Company. Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Also to incorporate the Farmers' and Manufacturers' Aid Association. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. O'Hara called up his bill authorizing a [illegible] of $20,000 for the purpose of building a [illegible] for Terrebonne. Referred.

Mr. Hunsacker introduced a joint resolution authorizing the appointment of a special joint committee of three members of the House and two of the Senate, to investigate into the affairs of the late [illegible] at Baton Rouge, and that [illegible] be authorised to call for persons and papers.

Several [illegible] speaking against [illegible] resolutions, as it [illegible]. Mr. Hunsacker wanted [illegible] responsibility where is belonged [illegible] all men who are innocent [illegible] truth may go to [illegible] have been permitted [illegible] for trial and who [illegible] may be exonerated [illegible] of the State.

Mr. Lynch believed that as justice would be done it would be an unnecessary waste of time and expense to pass such a [illegible].

Mr. Pinchback said he never knew any beneficial result to come from these investigating committees.

Mr. Thompson moved to lay the joint resolution upon the table. Upon this the yeas and nays were called by Mr. Todd, resulting 12 yeas to 10 nays. Laid upon the table.

[illegible]

Mr. Campbell introduced a resolution that the members of the press, through the Representatives, be furnished with the printed bills, and the daily Journal of the House the same time as Senators. Adopted.

[illegible] introduced by Mr. [illegible] was [illegible] Reconstruction [illegible]

[illegible] introduced a resolution [illegible] the Metropolitan Police bill be [illegible] city members of the [illegible]

[illegible] that all bills referring to [illegible] the city be referred to the city delegation. Lies over.

Mr. Pinchback introduced a resolution that [illegible] committee of three be appointed by the President for the purpose of investigating the affairs of the Board of Metropolitan Police Commissioners, for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not they have complied with the Metropolitan Police law. Said committee to report [illegible] for the Metropolitan Police District. Read and referred to the Senators of the Metropolitan Police District.

The President stating that no law could be passed until the Committee on Apportionment made their report, a motion was made to adjourn. Carried.

The Senate then adjourned until 12 M. to-morrow (Friday).

House.

Speaker Carr in the chair, at 12 M. 91 members present.

[illegible] resolution to investigate the affairs of the Metropolitan Police Board [illegible] J. G. [illegible] of [illegible] G. H. [illegible] of Union, Thos. Murray of Orleans, and F. Sabourin [illegible].

STANDING COMMITTEES.

On Drainage and Canal—Sauvé, Hamilton, Gardner, Floyd, Quinn, [illegible]

The Special Committee Relative to the Assignment Bill—Murrell, Dewees, [illegible] Coakrian and Barrett.

On Penitentiary—Bacon, Riley, Washington, Hingald, Madison and Marigny.

On Public Buildings—Quinnek, Bales, Marvin, Sheppe, Carter, Adolphe, Beesley, Hobson and Hyams.

On Pensions—Davis, Bentley, Barrett, McFarland, Campion, Barber and Tallman.

On Railroads—Brewster, Adolphe Dewees, Lott, Mahoney, Scheumacher and Waters.

On Ways and Means—Carr, Baker, Otto, Souer, H. Mahoney, Barber and Darling.

On [illegible]—[illegible], Green Davidson, Dynck, Lott, Ellis, Mahony, Brown and Shaw.

A resolution by Warrall, of Jefferson, to appoint a special committee of three to inquire how many prisoners have been discharged from custody by Judge Cooley. The resolution passed, and the committee will be appointed in the morning.

Notices of bills being read in due course were given.

A joint resolution by Antoine that the order of the day should be called at one o'clock, the regular hour. Adopted.

Mr. [illegible] to reconsider [illegible] of the Governor's [illegible] to the previous day [illegible] called the [illegible] question [illegible] the yeas and nays. [illegible] was prevailed.

The House then adjourned.

MONETARY AND FINANCIAL.

THURSDAY EVENING, Jan. 12.

The money market continues without any marked change. The supply of available funds is increasing, and approved business paper meets with ready negotiation at bank. The street rates are still 10@12 ₱ cent. per annum for A1 notes with unquestionable collaterals and A1 and first class business paper without collaterals. Mortgage paper rules at 10@12 per cent. per annum for A1 and 15@18 for second grade.

Gold opened at 110⅝@110¾ (against 111 in New York) and after touching 110¾ and 110⅛, closed at the opening rates here and in that market. The sales included $5000 and $5000 at 110¾; $5000, $3000, $5000 and $12,000 at 110¾; $1500, $2000 and $11,000 at 110⅜; $1500 at 110 15-16; $10,000 at 110⅝@110¾; $5000 at 110¾@110¾, and $5000 at 110¾. In Silver $1000 in American halves sold at 105½ and $1000 at 105¾.

There was less animation in Sterling Exchange and with lower gold the market rule easier, closing at a slight decline from yesterday's figures. The business embraced £16,000, of which £1000 and £3000 bill of lading at 119, £3000 at 119¾—bill of lading and clear at 119½@119¾, £10,000 bill of lading and clear at 119@119¾ and 119⅝, £10,000 clear at 119¾@119¾, £1000 and £5000 clear and £3000 A1 bill of lading at 119¾, £2500 A1 bill of lading at 119⅝ and £1500 and £3500 first class, equal to private bankers', at 120. Sterling may now be quoted at 119¾@119⅞ and 120, for good to A1 bill of lading and clear, and 120@120¾ for bank.

The offerings of Domestic Exchange were very light and rates ruled stiff. The banks drew on New York for remittance at ¼@⅜ ₱ cent. discount, and the sales included $34,000 commercial sight on New York, $10,000, $10,000, $15,000 and $15,000 bank and $35,000 and $35,000 private bankers' at 7-16 discount, $55,000, $16,000, $20,000 and $20,000 commercial and $15,000 private bankers' at ¾, and $10,000 sight on Boston at the same.

Operations in Stocks included 100 and 1200 shares Slaughter House at $38 to 100 Mississippi Valley Levees at $2 25, 100 and 200 do at $2 50, 2 Sanitary and Fertilizing at $37 50, and 50 Bank of New Orleans at $68 50. At the close $38 was bid for Slaughter House.

Nothing transpired in Bonds.

There appeared to be nothing doing in Warrants. Dealers bought new State at [illegible] and new Metropolitan Police at $7, and sold the former at 80@82½, and the latter at [illegible].

Dealers' rates for City Treasury Notes were 98 ₱ cent. discount buying and 99 @ 99¼ selling.

COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE BEE,
THURSDAY EVENING, Jan. 12, 1871.

COTTON.—The sales to-day were only up 7150 bales, at prices showing some irregularity, but not requiring any change in our quotations, which we repeat as follows: Low ordinary 11@11¼c, ordinary 12@12½c, good ordinary 12¾@13¼c, low middling 13¾@14c, middling 14¼@14½c, strict middling 14¾@15c, and good middling 15@15¼c.

The demand was fair without being active, and while some descriptions, embracing strict low middling and all clean white lots of other grades, commanded full prices, others were rather dull, ruled in favor of buyers. Strict good ordinary sold as high as 13¾c, and 14c, with, staple, at 13¾c, but it is also sold at 13½c. Low middling sold at 13¾c, 14 and 14¼c, and strict at 14⅛ and 14½c, usually at the latter. Some clean sold at 13¼c. Middling sold at the above quotations, and strict at the outside figures for that grade.

COTTON STATEMENT.

Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1870	[illegible]
Arrived past three days	[illegible]
Arrived previously	[illegible]
Cleared to-day	11,47[illegible]
Cleared previously	[illegible]
Stock on hand and on shipboard	[illegible]

To-day's exports embraced 10,493 bales to Liverpool and 985 to Boston. Receipts proper since last evening 12,941 bales, against 2742 last year, making an aggregate since Friday evening of 39,581 bales, against 40,871 for the corresponding week last week and 27,613 last year, and since August 31 of 684,219 bales, against 513,751 last year.

FREIGHTS.—Foreign freights are firm under a good demand for room. Coastwise no change. Cotton to Liverpool, sail 11-16d. Genoa—sail 1¼c. Oil cake to Liverpool, sail, 45s @ 47s 6d; oil to do, 6s; flour to do, 2s; tallow to do, 57s 6d. Cotton to New York, steam, ¾c; to Philadelphia, ⅞c; to Boston, steam, to do, 50c; sugar to do, 90c.

SUGAR.—Received to-day 1389 hhds. We note a fair demand for choice dry sugar, but a dull market for the lower grades, and prices are easier for buyers. The supplies are selling at 8½@8¾c for inferior, 9@9½c for common, 8¾@9¾c for fully fair, 9⅝@9½c for prime, 7½c for seconds, 10@10¼c for yellow clarified, 11@11¾c for white. There is no choice open kettle Sugar in market.

MOLASSES.—Received to-day 2680 bbls. Choice is in brisk demand with a scarcity, while other descriptions sell slowly. The supplies are selling at 30@35c for inferior, 40@45c for common, 45@55c for fair, 54@60c for prime, 60@65c for strictly prime, and [illegible] for choice.

FLOUR.—Yesterday we noted sales of [illegible] bbls for export. To-day fully [illegible] were taken for Great Britain and Cuba, at $5 75 for double and $6@6 37½ for treble to good treble extra. There is very little doing in the local trade, [illegible] treble is extra sold at $8, and [illegible] do at $8 25. The market is bare of double extra and the grades below, and the stock on hand consist of good treble and choice extra.

CORN.—There is none on the landing and very little in warehouse. 85 sacks white sold at 86c, 200 do at 90c, and 200 yellow at 90c ₱ bushel.

OATS.—There are none on the landing; 300 sacks St. Louis sold at 58c, and 500 St. Louis at 58c ₱ bushel.

BRAN.—The landing is bare. It is selling in warehouse at $1 50@1 55 ₱ 100 lbs.

HAY.—We note a light supply and firm market. Western is held at $30; choice $32 ₱ ton.

PORK.—Is quiet but firm, with mess held at $21@21 50 ₱ bbl. It is retailing at $21 50@22 00.

BREAKFAST BACON.—Northern is selling at 16c; Western at 15@17c ₱ lb.

LARD.—50 kegs choice packers sold at 14¾c ₱ lb. Tierced is quoted at 13¼@14c. Western are quoted at 13@13¾c. The stock is light and the market is firm.

BACON.—Is dull and nominal; clear rib sides are quoted at 12¼c, clear ribs 12c, sugar-cured hams 18@19c. There are no shoulders here.

DRY SALT MEAT.—Is in light supply and firm. Shoulders command 9c, and loose ones 10½c ₱ lb.

RICE.—The demand for both Carolina and Louisiana Rice is good, and prices are very firm. There is no stock of the former in first hands, but receipts are expected daily. We quote Louisiana 5¼c ₱ lb for common, 6¼c for ordinary, 7½c for prime, and 8¼c for choice. Carolina is worth 7½@8c ₱ lb for fair, and 8¾ for good.

SALT.—The demand for Red, Arkansas and White river is good. Dealers sell Liverpool coarse at $1 45@1 50, and fine at $1 50@1 55 ₱ sack. When large lots are taken at warehouse by boats a deduction is made for drayage. Turk's Island nominal. Table Salt, in pockets, 4 lbs, 6c; 8 lbs, 9c.

BUTTER.—The market is more than amply supplied and very dull. Quotations are little better than nominal, at 12½@15c ₱ lb for the common and medium grades of Western, and 25@30 and 31c for good and choice. Choice Goshen 41@45c. Common 30@35c ₱ lb.

CHEESE.—Is in light supply and firm at 18@18½c for choice Western factory, 14½@15c for [illegible], and 17c for English dairy.

COFFEE.—There is no stock in first hands. We quote Rio nominally prime (gold duty paid) 15½@15¾c ₱ lb, good 14¾@15c, fair 14¼@14½c, ordinary 13½c ₱ lb. The jobbing trade is good.

TALLOW.—Prime country is in demand at 8½c ₱ lb. Common held at 8¼c.

BAGGING.—The season is about over, and the demand for the country is therefore limited. Dealers' rates are irregular and nominal, and approximating figures we give $3@3½c ₱ yard for India in bales. Domestic in rolls, 20@22c for Domestic jute.

IRON TIES.—Are retailing slowly at 8@8½c ₱ lb.

Office of New Orleans Mutual Insurance Company.

NEW ORLEANS, JANUARY 4, 1871.

In conformity with the requirements of its Charter and the act of the Legislature of Louisiana, the New Orleans Mutual Insurance Company makes the following statement of its assets and liabilities [illegible].

[illegible]

We the undersigned hereby certify the above to be a correct copy from the books of the Company.
J. TUYES, President.
J. M. [illegible], Secretary.
Sworn to and subscribed this 4th day of January, 1871, before me.
JOHN F. MONTAMAT, Third Justice of the Peace.

Notice.

ANY ONE having a copy of the Charter and By-Laws of the LOUISIANA STEAM COTTON PRESS CO. will confer a favor by leaving it at [illegible].
PAULIN DUREL.

I HAVE THIS DAY sold to MESSRS. A. FERNANDEZ & CO. my interest in the Jackson Dry Goods Store.
Widow L. E. LAROSE.
New Orleans, Jan. 2, 1871.

HAVING purchased the interest of Widow L. E. Larose in the Jackson Dry Goods Store, we have associated with us as partner, Mrs. A. LAROSE, and the business will be continued under the firm of FERNANDEZ & CO. [illegible] the old firm Widow L. E. Larose.
A. LAROSE.
A. FERNANDEZ & CO.
January 2, 1871.

C. H. Mehle & Co.,
CHRIS. MEHLE. B. C. STEINBACH. S. DONALDSON.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS FOR THE SALE OF LIVE STOCK.
Stock Landing, New Orleans.

Merchants' Bank, New Orleans.

AT the annual election, held on the [illegible] the following named gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year:
S. H. KENNEDY,
JOHN WILLIAMS, of Jno. Williams & Sons,
JAS. H. HEATH, of [illegible] & Co.
GEORGE O. GARNER.
JOHN BERNHARD, of Bernhard, Vignes & Son.
SAMUEL BOYD, of Chiere & Boyd.
[illegible] of [illegible] Wolf & Co.
SAM'L JAMISON.
JOHN MARKEY.
WM. [illegible] MATTHEWS, of Woods, Matthews & Co.
At a meeting of the Board [illegible] S. H. KENNEDY [illegible] President.
T. L. [illegible], Cashier.

Partagas.

10,000 LONDRES PARTAGAS, now [illegible]
GONZALES BROS.

Office of the [illegible] Railroad Co., New Orleans, Jan. 10, 1871.

AT an election by the Stockholders of [illegible] the following gentlemen were elected Directors of the Company for [illegible]:
[illegible] A. WHITNEY,
[illegible] B. [illegible]
[illegible] ROBINSON,
[illegible] FANDELY
[illegible] LARQUE,
P. A. LULING.
And at a meeting of the Board this day [illegible], GEORGE PANDELY was duly elected President.
W. J. CASTELL, Secretary.

Pike, Brother & Co.,
BANKERS, NEW ORLEANS, LA.

THE COPARTNERSHIP [illegible] on the 1st day of January, 1871, [illegible] continued and [illegible].
[illegible] PIKE,
ALEXANDER BROTHER,
ALFRED BREFFERS,
PAUL BLAIN.

City Licenses.

Department of Finance, City Hall, New Orleans, Jan. 4th, 1871.

THE Licenses [illegible] are now ready for delivery at this office.

All persons doing business, or owning vehicles, [illegible] to procure [illegible]. I have [illegible]
JOHN S. WALTON, Administrator of Finance.

Crescent Mutual Association of the New Orleans Savings [illegible].

THE annual election for Three Directors [illegible] will be held [illegible] MONDAY, the [illegible] February next [illegible]
M. L. PEINE, Cashier.

Washington College, Virginia.

GEN. G. W. CUSTIS LEE, PRESIDENT.

THE spring term of the present session begins on the 1st of FEBRUARY. [illegible] at this time pay only half fees. [illegible] Academic Schools of the College, or [illegible] Professional Schools of LAW and ENGINEERING, are in full operation.
For particulars address
WILLIAM DOLD, Clerk of Faculty, Lexington, Va.

Swiss Mulls,
IN STORE AND TO ARRIVE
For sale by
J. C. LOBOZAM & CO.
7 Carondelet street.

Notice of Copartnership.

FROM and after the 1st of January, 1871, Mr. VICTOR PRADOS is a partner in our [illegible]. The style of the firm will [illegible].
New Orleans, December 31, 1870.

Copartnership.

THE undersigned have this day formed a copartnership under the name of [illegible] & BARCENTA, for the purpose of [illegible] general Importing and Commission business [illegible] No. [illegible] street (late New Levee). They [illegible] the patronage of their friends and of the public [illegible].
New Orleans, January 1st, 1871.

Notice.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing [illegible] under the firm of A. J. Avenard [illegible].

Mr. J. Avenard & Cordier will attend to the liquidation [illegible]
New Orleans, Dec. 31, 1870.

Bank of New Orleans.

AT a meeting of the Board of Directors [illegible] CHARLES CAVAROC was re-elected President [illegible]
H. AUGUSTIN, Cashier.

Louisiana Savings Bank.

AT a meeting of the Board of Directors, held [illegible] a dividend of FIVE PER CENT. was declared [illegible] payable on and after [illegible]
CHAS. L. C. DUPUY, Cashier.

Citizens' Bank of Louisiana.
New Orleans, January 4, 1871.

THE annual election for seven Directors of this Bank [illegible] MONDAY, [illegible] between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.
J. J. [illegible], Cashier.

Notice.

FROM and after this date, my son CHARLES CAVAROC, Jr., will be associated in business [illegible]. The name and style of the house will be that of C. CAVAROC & SON.
C. CAVAROC.
New Orleans, January 1st, 1871.

New Orleans [illegible] Insurance Company.

AT an election [illegible] the following named gentlemen were elected Directors:
CHARLES CAVAROC, E. F. MIOTON,
[illegible] A. AVENDANO,
[illegible]
And at a meeting of the Board, held this day, C. CAVAROC, [illegible] was re-elected President.

New Orleans [illegible] Canal and Banking Co.

AT an election by the Stockholders [illegible] the following gentlemen were duly elected Directors:
[illegible]
[illegible] J. W. BABCOCK
[illegible] J. M. ALLEN
And at a meeting of the Board, held this day [illegible] was re-elected President.

AMUSEMENTS.

St. Charles Theatre.

LAST NIGHT and Saturday last Matinee but one of the World Renowned LYDIA THOMPSON TROUPE in their new operatic burlesque of RICHARD III, or BAD DICKEY, concluding with Mr. Lorrer's Farce of IN AND OUT OF PLACE. Miss Louisa Arnot in five characters. To-morrow—CLOSING Matinee. Look out for BEACH EYED SUSAN.

Burns' Birth-Day Festival.

ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH ANNIVERSARY.

For the benefit of the Widows and Orphans' Fund of the New Orleans St. Andrew Society.

In the Masonic Hall, No. 128 Clio street, WEDNESDAY EVENING, Jan. 25, 1871, at half-past 7 o'clock.

ALEXANDER HAY, President New Orleans St. Andrew Society, in the Chair.

DUNCAN SINCLAIR, Croupier.

Tickets [illegible] $5 00.

Grand Lottery

Of the Fair for the Relief of the Sufferers of the War in France.

TO BE DRAWN POSITIVELY AT THE ST. LOUIS HOTEL, ON MONDAY, JANUARY [illegible], at [illegible] o'clock P. M., and every Monday [illegible]

[illegible] ONE PRIZE IN GOLD, valued [illegible]

Price of a Ticket $1 00

FELIX LABUE, President.
ALEXIS BOCKERSAN, P. LOCAIRE,
P. A. CHAFFRAIX, Vice Presidents.
E. L. MARCHAND,
New Orleans, December 31, 1870.

IRISH ROOFING FELT.

Commended by the Emperor Napoleon at the Industrial Exposition of Paris, 1867.

PATENTED, October 20, 1866, and May 12, 1868.

SEVERAL PRIZE MEDALS.

NEW PREPARED ROOFING (Un-Inflammable)

BY D. ANDERSON & SON, SOLE MAKERS AND PATENTEES.

Manufacturers of Patent Roofing Felt, [illegible]

LAGAN FELT WORKS, BELFAST, and 12 and [illegible] Street, London.

THIS NEW PREPARED PRODUCTION is [illegible]

J. LANGHAM & CO., Agents, No. 2 Carondelet street.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
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DEALERS IN
ANTHRACITE, CANNEL AND PITTSBURG COAL.

M. ELIE,
[illegible] ROYAL STREET [illegible]

Louisiana Savings Bank and SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY.
No. 51 Camp Street [illegible] No. 51
JOSEPH A. COTTE, [illegible] W. VAN NORDEN, [illegible] Treasurer.

Sugars and Molasses.

REFINED SUGARS.—Cut Loaf, Crushed and Powdered.
A. THOMSON & CO.,
18 Tchoupitoulas street.

GOLDEN SYRUP.—A Superior Article of Crescent City Refinery.
A. THOMSON & CO.

REFINED MOLASSES.—Crescent City Refinery.
A. THOMSON & CO.

CLARIFIED SUGARS.—Various Grades of White and Yellow.
A. THOMSON & CO.

LOUISIANA SUGARS.—Various Grades of [illegible]
A. THOMSON & CO.

CUBA SUGARS.—In Boxes and Hogsheads.
A. THOMSON & CO.

The Incomparable Perfume!

[illegible] Murray & Lanman's Florida Water!

C. F. Helle & Co.,
Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
— AND —
DEALERS IN WESTERN PRODUCE, WINES AND LIQUORS.
— ALSO —
Agents for the Celebrated [illegible] Lager Beer.
[illegible] MAGAZINE STREET [illegible]

E. L. FEYRE,
[illegible] ROYAL STREET [illegible]
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Leather and Shoe Findings.

V. HIRI,
[illegible] WILLOWWARE.

H. W. Johns' Asbestos Roofing.

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New Orleans, May [illegible], 1870.

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