TRADE AND COMMERCE.

DEPARTURE OF THE ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

FROM ENGLAND.	FROM AMERICA.
March 4	April 1

EXPORTS.

Havre—For ship Hamilton—2000 tubs butter, 1000 pkgs ...

Liverpool—For ship Hamilton—2000 tubs butter, 1000 pkgs ...

Bremen—For ship Hamilton—2000 tubs butter, 1000 pkgs ...

Trieste—For brig Agenor—300 bbls cotton, 600 pkgs beef ...

New York—For brig Olive—400 bbls pork, 100 bbls and ...

Sagua Ponce, 14 bbls lard, 7 do do, 4 do pork, 16 do hams, 8 ...

Savannah—For schr Tenaw—81 casks tobacco, 25 bbls sugar, 100 pkgs sundries, 12 bbls lard, 1 qrt lard, 100 pcs ...

Mobile, 136 coils rope, 14 bbls beef, 74 do pork, 16 do hams, 8 ...

Providence, R I—For brig Agenor—300 bbls cotton, 200 ...

Boston, 4 casks tobacco, 100 bbls beef, 100 bbls cotton, 100 ...

Liverpool—For ship Aurelius—1000 bbls cotton, 1 do wool ...

St Jago de Cuba—For schr Wm Wirt—400 bbls beef, 200 do pork, 200 kegs and 5 bbls lard ...

Charleston—For schr Robert Ogden—34 bbls cotton, 5 bbls tobacco, 40 coils and 150 bbls bones, 100 bbls molasses, 50 ...

IMPORTS.

Liverpool—For ship Berbalion—9 hd ales malt, to L H Gale ...

Liverpool—For ship Chapman—300 coils rope and sundries, to order.

Liverpool—For ship Swanton—3000 make salt, to R O Lawrence & co; and order.

Kingston, Ja—For brig Lottery—20000 specie, to Lindsay & Russell.

CONSIGNEES.

For ship Charles Carroll—Assorted m ins, to E K Kimball & J Cobb & co; Keene & Bayne; M Frost & co; Jerry & Hoffman; Jones & Hughes; Jones & Andrews; Stevens Frost; F M Weld & co; Hallen & Woodruff; Hunt, Dering & co, G H Freeman; W G Brown.

For ship Cuba—Rice, Morton & Montgomery; Taylor & Medley; T Brand; Forcade & co; W Jenson & co; Hencken & Gomez; T Johnson; and order.

RECEIPTS FROM THE INTERIOR.

Bayou Sara—Per steamer Rainbow—63 bales cotton, to Hewlett & Hamilton; 12 do do, to Mason & Bowman; 10 do do, Payne & Harrison; 66 J Lallande; 10 Hewitt, Horan & co; 5 W Stoinmiz & co; 2 E Smith & co; 9 M White & co; 4 Hale & Carey; 2 J B Hamilton & co; 4 J A Hardy & co; 1 do Oakey, Payne & Hawkins; 6 Ferrier & Dupuy; 5 C C Lacoste & co; 3 Shaw & co; 1 do Hamilton & Lewis; 2 Fairbanks, Wait & co; 1 N C Hall—total 277 bls cotton—30 hds sugar, T Barrett; 92 J R Shaw & co.

Vicksburg—Per steamer Texas—219 bls cotton, Roepes & Bailey; 100 Buckner & Stanton; 100 Payne & Harrison; 67 J B Byrne & co; 9 Smith, West & co; 9 W Jackson & co; 41 J H Morse; 41 Gilmore & Henderson; 31 Ward, Jones & co; 30 J H Lovrich & co; 31 Grayson & Lane; 10 Brander, Williams & co; 4 Oakey, Payne & Hawkins; 4 do Gardner, Shannon & co; 6 Robertson & Downes; 7 Bell & Hewmits; 13 Bayley & Beck; 16 Duncan, Morrison & co; 8 Watson & McAllister—total 1159 bls cotton—50 cts repd.

Nashville—Per steamer Lafayette—38 bls cotton, W C Hughes & co; 1 do and 50 do sold on account, Yeatman & co; 30 kegs tobacco, Steele, Baker & co; 24 do Gabraith & Green; 31 do 4 kegs do, Hewitt, Brown & co; 10 kegs tobacco, 60 do boxes, 1 bale cotton, Pillow, Johnson & co; 10 kegs tobacco, 1 bale cotton, Hunter & Hunter; 35 kegs tobacco, 1 bale cotton, Johnson & Hunter; 10 kegs tobacco, 1 bale cotton, Pillow & co; 41 do Pegram & Boyce; 12 do Lancaster & Davis; 87 A C Addison & co; 12 do and 18 bls cotton, Dick & Hill; 43 kegs tobacco, Warnock & Kirchhoff; 8 do Gilmore & Spyker; 4 do Pilcher & Bayliss; 9 do A Peay; 1 do Turner & Wilson; 48 bales cotton, Keller, Martin & co; 91 do Fleming & co; 40 W Jackson & co; 162 Ward, Jones & co; 41 J B Byrne & co; 66 J M Bell; 50 O A B P D Cannon & co; 17 Brandt, Williams & co; 300 ...

Memphis—Per steamer Rainbow—115 bls cotton, C Doane & co; 114 do cotton, 6 bbls potatoes, J R Cole; 945 sacks corn, 2 do potatoes, 18 bbls pork and 20 sacks lard, Jno Shade Hamson; 15 ...

RECEIPTS PER FLATBOATS.

Mississippi—Per Dowley's flatboat—95 bales cotton, Fitzgerald & co; 9 do E King; 10 Armour, Lake & co; 31 Gilmore & Walker; 40 Allen, Mallory & co; 40 Gaines & co; 21 Oakley & co; 8 Hamilton & co; 8 Bailey & Beck; 8 Duncan, Morrison & co; 8 Watson & McAllister—total 638 bales cotton.

North Alabama—Per Mathews and Peck's flatboat—416 bales cotton, to Gaines & co; 20 Hewitt, Brown & co; 20 Crenshaw & co; Kirkman & Abernathy; 8 O Nelson & Bro.

South Alabama—Per Robinson & Malone's flatboat—365 bales cotton, to Tevis & co; 20 Martin, Pleasants & co; Fenn, Crenshaw & co; Kirkman & Abernathy; 8 O Nelson & Bro.

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WEDNESDAY, 20th March, 1844.

The Senate met agreeably to adjournment.

Present—Messrs. Felix Garcia, President; Brandt, Carter, Dunbham, Downs, Dupré, Lafaurie, Lizardi, Marshall, Morse, Pitkin, Sparrow, Stewart and Walker.

On motion of Mr Morse, the Senate reconsidered the bill entitled:

An act to provide for the voluntary liquidation of the Union Bank of Louisiana.

Mr Morse moved to reject the 5th section of said bill. His motion prevailed unanimously.

Mr Morse moved that the 3rd section of said bill, which, was as follows, viz:

Section 3. Be it enacted, &c, That it shall be lawful for the Union Bank of Louisiana to withdraw her branches established in the country or any of them; Provided, that the debtors of said branches be not required to pay more than ten per cent. on the amount of their debts principal and interest annually for the two first years and fifteen per cent thereafter, until the whole is discharged, on their complying with the requests of the law in such case made and provided;

Be amended by striking out after the words "in the country or any of them," the words "Provided that the debtors of said branches be not required to pay more than ten per cent on the amount of their debts, principal and interest annually for the two first years and fifteen per cent thereafter, until the whole is discharged, on their complying with the request of the law in such case made and provided," and inserting in their lieu the words "provided that the debtors of the said branches shall have the same time and facilities that have been conceded to the debtors of the branches of the New Orleans Canal and Banking Company, and the Mechanics' and Traders' Bank;

The amendment was adopted.

On motion, the rules were dispensed with, said bill was read for the third time and passed as then amended.

On motion of Mr Morse, the title of said bill was amended by striking out the words "and for other purposes."

Mr Carter introduced the following resolution, which was adopted, viz:

That the Secretary of the Senate inform the House of Representatives that the Senate is prepared to receive the Managers appointed to conduct the impeachment of Judge Elliott, Judge of the City Court of Lafayette, Benj. C. Elliott, Judge of the City Court of Orleans, and that they may prefer their articles of impeachment agreeably to the notice given to the Senate.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

SECOND READING.

The Senate took up An act to amend the several Acts incorporating and regulating the Congregation of the Roman Catholics of the Parochial and Cathedral Church of St. Louis of New Orleans;

Said bill was read for the second time;

On motion, the rules were dispensed with, said bill was read for the third time and passed.

Mr Ledoux, of the Committee of Enrolment, reported the bill of the Senate entitled: An act to fix the mode and time of holding elections in the parish of Pointe Coupée, as correctly enrolled.

He also reported the following bills and resolutions of the House as duly enrolled, and the President of the Senate signed the same, viz:

An act annexing Embourg Delacroix to the City of Lafayette, and for other purposes.

An act establishing an additional election precinct in parishes of Avoyelles and St. Martin.

An act to provide for the establishment of a House of Refuge for the Reformation of Juvenile Delinquents in the State of Louisiana.

An act granting to the securities of Silas Shelburne, deceased, additional time to collect the taxes unpaid in the parish of Rapides, and for other purposes.

An act relative to the collection of the State and Parish tax in and for the Parish of St Landry.

An act to change one of the election precincts in the Parish of Livingston.

An act to authorize the present Sheriff of the Parish of Rapides to collect the balance of taxes due, in and for the said Parish, for the year 1841.

An act to authorize the Parish Judges of the Parishes of Tensas and Ascension to appoint clerks for the Parish Courts of said Parishes.

An act to change the election precinct from Tuscumbia in the Parish of Madison to Young's Point in said Parish. And

Resolution ordering the superintendent of public works to repair to the Parish of Lafourche Interior with the colored convicts of the State, and to cut a road leading from opposite Thibodaux ville, to a convenient point on the Mississippi river, in the Parish of St. James. And

The Secretary informed the House that the President of the Senate had signed the transmitted enrolled bills and resolution of the House.

He also requested the signature of the Speaker of the House to the above mentioned enrolled bill of the Senate.

The Secretary also requested the concurrence of the House in

An act to provide for the settlement of the interest of the State, in the Bank of Louisiana.

Resolution instructing the State Treasurer, in relation to the tax on auction sales of the property belonging to the New Orleans and Carrollton Railroad Company.

The rules having been dispensed with, he further requested the concurrence of the House to the bill in relation to the liquidation of the Union Bank.

He also informed the House of the concurrence of the Senate with amendments, to the body and title of

An act for the relief of Etienne Boisdoré, clerk of the City of New Orleans, one of the veterans of 1814 and 1815.

The Secretary further informed the House, that the Senate is prepared to receive the managers appointed to conduct the impeachment of Benjamin C. Elliott, Judge of the City Court of Lafayette, and Benj. C. Elliott, Judge of the City Court of Orleans, and that they may prefer their articles of impeachment agreeably to the notice given to the Senate.

Mr Davidson of the Committee on contingent expenses to whom was referred the return made by the Governor, of the contingent expenses of the year 1843, reported that the Committee had examined the vouchers, and recommend the return to be correct.

Mr Davidson also made the following report, viz:

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The committee to whom was referred the bill respecting the inspection of tobacco beg leave to report:

That, from the extended information laid before them, and the want of sufficient time, considering the present state of other business by reason of the approaching close of the session, they have not been enabled to agree upon, and report fully as to the details of the bill. Your committee therefore, repeat the hope they expressed from the House and will present verbally at its discussion their respective views with relation to the same. Your committee, however, observe that the great predominance of public sentiment seems to be in favor of abolishing the present classification and instituting the classification of merchantable or unmerchantable only and that such is believed to be the opinion of the House committee. They recommend respectfully the early discussion of this bill as being one very important in a commercial point of view.

March 20th, 1844.

(Signed) THOMAS GREEN DAVIDSON, Chairman of the Committee.

On motion of Mr Davidson, the bill entitled: An act regulating the inspection of tobacco in hogsheads and in casks, was made the special order of the day for Friday next, immediately after the reading of the Journal.

On motion of Mr Sparrow, the Senate took up

An act to abolish the salary of the Adjutant and Inspector General of the State of Louisiana.

Said bill was read for the second time, and on motion of Mr Sparrow, was laid on the table indefinitely.

Mr Ledoux, the Lieutenant Governor, presented a letter from the Governor.

On motion of Mr Davidson, the bill entitled: An act to amend an act entitled, an act to incorporate the West Feliciana Marine and Fire Insurance Company, approved March 27th 1832; and also to amend an act entitled:

An act to amend the charter of the Western Marine and Fire Insurance Company, approved March 25th 1835; was made the special order of the day for to morrow.

On motion of Mr Sparrow, the Resolution requiring the State Engineer to open a Cut-off at the Recourse; Bend on the River Mississippi and for other purposes, was made the special order of the day, immediately after the disposal of the forementioned bill.

Mr Slidell obtained leave to introduce without having given previous notice thereof, a bill entitled:

An act for the relief of the Female Orphan Society.

Said bill was read for the first time, by the title.

On motion, the rules were dispensed with, it underwent its second and third reading and passed.

On motion of Mr Davidson, the Senate took up

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church for Wesley Chapel, in the City of New Orleans.

Said bill was read for the second and third time, and passed.

Mr Slidell again obtained leave to introduce without notice; an act relative to the minor Herbert Ayre.

Said bill was read for the first time.

On motion the rules were dispensed with, it underwent its second and third readings, and passed.

Mr Ledoux introduced without notice, an act relative to the State Treasurer.

Said bill was read for the first time, and on motion of Mr Ledoux, was laid over subject to call.

On motion of Mr Downs, the Senate took up an act to regulate the currency of the State, and for other purposes.

Said bill was read for the second time and was amended.

Mr. Downs introduced the following additional section as an amendment, viz:

"Section 19th. Be it &c., That the first section of an act entitled: An act amendatory of the several acts relative to the Banks of the State, approved 6th of April, 1843, be and the same is hereby repealed, and the several acts or parts of acts repealed by said section be and the same are hereby revived: Provided, that the members of the Board of Currency shall each receive a salary of twelve hundred dollars annually."

Mr. Carter moved for the yeas and nays on the adoption of said section:

For its adoption were: Messrs. Downs, Ledoux, Livaudais, Marshall and Slidell—5 yeas. Against it were:

Messrs. Bernard, Carter, Dupré, Lafaurie, Morse, Sparrow and Walker—7 nays.

Said amendment was consequently lost.

On motion the bill was adopted as amended.

On motion the rules were dispensed with, said bill was read for the third time and passed as amended.

On motion of Mr. Slidell, the Senate took up: An act to amend an act entitled: An act to create the office of Collector of State Taxes in and for the parishes of Ouachitas, approved 19th March, 1838.

Said bill was read for the second time and adopted;

On motion the rules were dispensed with, it underwent its third reading