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GENERAL COUNCIL—FIRST MUNICIPALITY.

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JULES BENIT,
J. E. CALDWELL,
PHILIP WILLMAN.

FOR LIQUIDATION OF THE CITY DEBT.

PETER DEVERGES,
J. W. ZACHARIE.

☞ For Legislative matter see THIRD PAGE.

☞ The Northern Mail came through yesterday, with the latest dates.

ELECTRO BIOLOGY.

The sojourn in our city of Mr. Fiske, and his expositions and private lectures in relation to this recently discovered department of psycology have awakened the attention of the curious and elicited very opposite opinions. Many have pronounced Electro-Biology a humbug—a convenient and summary method of dismissing a subject which superficial intellects cannot grasp. We have observed that the most sceptical in regard to the effects produced by Mr. Fiske and his pupils, are generally the most ignorant, and invariably those who have witnessed little or nothing of these experiments, and are altogether unacquainted with the theory of their action, and the process by which they are effected. We will not inflict upon the reader any illustration of the universally acknowledged facts, that new truths win their way slowly; that mankind habitually distrust what they cannot explain; and that it is far easier for the indolent mind to cling to the errors of the past, than to explore, by the zealous and resolute labor of reason and investigation, those novel doctrines and startling phenomena which conflict with preconceived notions and prejudices. They who reflect upon such matters will not fail to comprehend the motives that induce thousands to wrap themselves up in a self-complacent scepticism, and to imagine that when they have articulated with an oracular air, the dissyllable "Humbug," argument is at an end, and the new philosophy may be considered incontinently annihilated.

The thinking mind rejects nothing, without examination, and is not deterred from exploring the domain of thought, because sciolists and smatterers hold it to be impenetrable. To those who intrepidly repudiate antiquated prejudice when called upon to observe and analyse new facts, the demonstrations in Electro-Biology have been a source of profound interest. It is of minor consequence whether these astonishing developements spring from an influence wholly distinct from the magnetic powers; whether they consist of modifications of mesmerism; or whether they are neither more nor less than manifestations of animal magnetism. We know quite as little of the ultimate cause of the one as the other, and for all useful and practical purposes, Electro-Biology may be Artificial Magnetism, or something sui generis, without detriment to its wonderful phenomena. It will be time enough to settle the question of identity or diversity, when we are enabled to say what Animal Magnetism is. But we can no more doubt the power of man to control the muscular movements, the senses and the imagination of his fellow-man, while the latter continues in a perfect state of wakefulness, than we can question the existence of heat, of electricity, of thought, or any other principle of whose essence we are ignorant, and which we recognize only by its effects.

A day or two ago we witnessed evidences of the truth of Electro-Biology, a thousand fold stronger than the testimony upon which Professor Webster has been convicted of murder. We beheld a gentleman of the highest standing and respectability, perform a series of experiments on a younger brother—a mere child—and elicit every phase of development which the most impressible subjects evince. The muscles were as obedient to the will of the operator, as are the wheels and pistons of a steam-engine to the controlling power of the agent which propels them. Voluntary motion, taste, memory, vision, speech, and many of the higher faculties of the mind, were completely at the mercy of the experimenter. At his pleasure, he deprived the subject of motion or rendered it irregular and distorted; made him dumb and blind; took away his memory so thoroughly, as to extinguish the recollection of his name and residence; made him taste various flavors in a glass of pure water; and finally presented to his imagination a thousand fanciful images, which were forthwith seized and converted into facts, under the iron domination of the operator's volition. These experiments were so astounding, as to convert scepticism into wonder. Collusion was in every respect impossible. The high character of the operator, the fact that the subject was a child, without intelligence enough to act a part requiring consummate powers of imitation, and the evidence presented by the phenomena themselves, some of which cannot be counterfeited, all forbid such a supposition. Those who had come to sneer, went away astounded and perplexed, and several of the witnesses frankly acknowledged that no man in his senses could doubt the reality of what had been accomplished.

Fire.—Yesterday morning between 6 and 7 o'clock a fire broke out in a two story building on Baronne near Julia st., occupied by Mrs. McConnell. The firemen were promptly on the ground, and by their exertions confined the flames to the premises in question. The frequency of fires has now become so alarming that we trust the citizens will promptly act up to the recommendation of the Mayor, and organize themselves into patrols for the protection of the city.

The News Letter.—This excellent publication has now reached its sixth edition, and is established on a permanent basis. As an epitome of the news of the week, political, local, and commercial, it is as neat and perfect a digest as can be desired. To merchants and the public in general, this sheet is invaluable and we expect to see it shortly attain a circulation of two or three thousand per week. If it were patronised according to its real merits, every man in the community who corresponds would make use of the "News Letter." Not only would it save much time and trouble to the writer, but it would also be most acceptable to the recipient at a distance.

New Work.—Our thanks are due the publisher, A. Hart, through J. B. Steel, No. 14 Camp street, for a copy of a new novel entitled "The Creole, or the Siege of New Orleans." An historical romance, founded on the events of 1814-15; by Joseph B. Cobb. It is a very fair production, evincing talent of no mean order. The characters are well delineated and the incidents numerous and varied.

St. Charles Theatre.—Macallister, the famous necromancer and magician, whose performances on Sunday night elicited such universal applause, will appear again this evening at the St. Charles. His feats are positively astounding.

Orleans Theatre.—The magnificent opera of "The Prophet," will be repeated to night at the Orleans Theatre. Of course the house will be crowded to its utmost capacity.

☞ Mr. Dumas forms a class in Electro-Biology this afternoon at the St. Louis Hotel—in French. Public lectures and experiments commence Wednesday evening.

The Wife of the Hon. Wm. C. Dawson, U. S. Senator from Georgia, died at Washington on the morning of the 7th inst.

BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

[By the Southern Line.]

[TRANSMITTED TO THE N. O. BEE.]

New York Markets.

New York, April 15, 1850.

Cotton market active and prices have advanced ⅛c. Sales 3000 bales. Middling Uplands 11¾; Orleans 12. Flour duller. Corn 56 to 58. Mess Pork $10 19; Prime, $8 60 to 8 37. Lard, 6¾. Groceries unchanged.

Money Market.—Treasuries 15. Coupons 19¾. Sterling 9¾@9⅞ (?)

The Empire City sailed to-day, from New York, with 500 passengers.

The ship Inca arrived to-day from Canton.

CONGRESS.

In the Senate on the 8th, after the presentation of memorials, Mr. Benton took the floor on the California question, and spoke until the hour of adjournment.

In the House, there was very little done. A motion to suspend the rules for the purpose of acting on the resolution seconding Mr. Grinnell's proposition for a supply of Naval Officers and men, to go in search of Sir John Franklin, was negatived.

The House then resolved itself into Committee of the whole and the California question was discussed at length.

TEXAS.

By an arrival from Galveston, we have received our files of papers to the 19th inst., inclusive:

A large portion of the State has been recently visited by severe hail storms, and it is to be feared that much damage has been done to the crops. The Western Texian of the 28th ult., says:

About sun-set the sky was suddenly overcast with clouds, and in half an hour the hail stones, as large as hen's eggs, were pouring down with a rush. The storm lasted about half an hour. It came up so quick that but little time was left for preparation, and the consequence was, that many windows were broken, and those most exposed were completely demolished. The peach trees in and around the city, which were all in full bloom, were completely stripped of their foliage and blossoms. We have not yet learned whether the planters and gardeners have suffered to any great extent, but from the severity of the storm, we fear the damage has been considerable. It is some consolation, however, to reflect that many of our planters have not yet put their corn under ground, and those who have, will have ample time to secure a good crop by replanting.

The Houston Telegraph of the 11th, says that verbal returns have been received at Austin, giving that place a majority of 900 votes over all other places for the seat of Government. This majority is independent of the Rio Grande vote, which is doubtless almost unanimous for Austin. Of the result, therefore, no doubt appears to be entertained. The value of property is said to be rapidly advancing in Austin. Per contra, the Galveston Journal thinks the result yet very doubtful.

The receipts of Cotton at the port of Galveston have fallen off only 2,000 bales, as compared with those of last year.

Supreme Court.—This tribunal affirmed yesterday the decision of Judge Buchanan in the notarial mandamus case of Baudouin vs. Percy. The appointment of the former is therefore recognized as valid. The mandamus case of Borgstede vs. Clark was also decided, the opinion of the lower Court being sustained.—Borgstede had been elected Recorder of Jefferson Parish, but the defendant, who is the old incumbent, refused to surrender his office. This decision, however, compels him to do so.

First District Court—Judge McHenry. Joseph Hardin and Samuel Otterson, were tried yesterday on the charge of having attempted to set fire to the premises occupied as a grocery at the corner of Hevia and Philippa sts., on the 22d December last. They were both found guilty.

Police News.—Antonio Pando, Andre Catino, Mary Nicholas and Catherine Pando were arrested yesterday in the First Municipality, on the affidavit of G. Van Poetnitz, who charges Catino with having fired a loaded pistol at him which he dodged, though the ball struck his friend Dr. C. Hankel in the shoulder. The affair occurred between 9 and 10 o'clock on Sunday evening in St. Peter street, cause jealousy. The accused were committed for further examination. Several suspicious characters were arrested both in the First and Second Municipalities, and received accommodation at the work-house. A man named Mathew Kennedy was committed by Recorder Baldwin before the First District Court on a charge of larceny.

Wounding a Negro.—A man named Chas. Harrison was arrested last evening in the First Municipality, on the charge of having seriously cut a negro belonging to Judge Beverly in Bienville st.

The Mexican Boundary.—We learn from the correspondence of the New York Commercial Advertiser, that the commissioners for running the boundary line between the United States and Mexico had a meeting on the 15th of February at San Diego, when it was determined that, as it was impracticable during the present state of things in California to advance beyond the mouth of the Gila, toward New Mexico, and nothing of importance remained to be done on that side of the line, the commission should adjourn to meet at Paso del Norte, on the 4th of November next.

Col. Weller was a passenger in the last trip of the Oregon to San Francisco, and General Conde and suite were also passengers in her to San Blas, on her trip down.

The most amicable feeling had continued to exist, between the commissions, and letters expressive of such had passed after the adjournment. Col. Weller had also given a dinner to Gen. Conde's suite.

It was decided by the Commissioners to have monuments placed at the following points:—One monument of white marble at the initial point, the base block to be three feet square, with an obelisk of nine feet, with the following inscriptions:

On the Pacific front—"Initial point of boundary between the United States and Mexico, established by the Joint Commission, 10th of October, A. D. 1849, agreeably to the treaty dated at the city of Gaudalupe Hidalgo, February 2, A. D. 1848.

JOHN B. WELLER, U. S. Commissioner.
Andrew B. Gray, U. S. Surveyor."

Beneath this will be the same inscription in Spanish, substituting the names

"PEDRO GARCIA CONDE, Mexican Com.
Jose Salazar Y. Ylarrigin, Mexican Surveyor."

On the side fronting the United States, viz: the North,

"United States of America."
(an arrow cut over the inscription.)
"Direction of the line."

On the opposite side, or that fronting Mexico:

"Republica Mexicana."
"Direccion de la Linia."

On the remaining side, its geographical position, "north latitude 32 deg. 31 min. 59s. 58 Longitude, 7h. 26m. 21s. 1 west of Greenwich, as determined by Wm. H. Emory, on the part of the United States, and Jose Salazar Ylarrigin, on the part of Mexico."

Another of the same material and dimensions will be placed at a point agreed upon, near the mouth of the Gila; it will bear the same inscriptions as the former, except the latitude and longitude, which will be, "north latitude 32 deg. 43 m. 31 s. 58, longitude 7 deg. 35 min. 12 s. 27, W. from Greenwich. Distance from the middle of the Gila, where it unites with the Colorado, 327 metres, as determined by Lieutenant A. W. Whipple on part of the United States, and Jose Salazar Ylarrigin on part of Mexico."

This monument will be erected about ten feet above the adjoining level.

In addition there will be erected five monuments of cast iron, about 400 pounds weight, with the same inscriptions, except as to latitude and longitude, and the names of the astronomers.

They are to be constructed in the United States, and Lieutenant Whipple, who was passenger in the Oregon on her late trip, has been entrusted with the superintendence of the same.

Sale of Paintings.—A sale of paintings was made in New York on Wednesday last, and several celebrated productions were disposed of. The names of some of the pictures and the prices at which they were sold are as follows:

The City of Edinburgh, by Naysmith, $525; Madonna, by Sirani, $[illegible]; Madonna, by Parmegiano, $340; Angel's Visit, by Stella, $[illegible]; Madonna and St. Elizabeth, $400; Sheep and Goats, by Rosa da Tivoli, $150; Portrait of Mrs. Robert Morris, by Stuart, $[illegible]; a beautiful Landscape, by Fabricus, $170; Beggar Boy, Murillo, $175; Boy Firing a Pistol, $100; Canal at Venice, $105; Head of a Cow, $100; Holy Family, by Battoni, $170; Madonna, on copper, $150; View in Holland, by Berkleyden, $100; Children Playing with a Mouse, by Brakelenkay, $230. And a great number sold at from $50 to $150 each. The whole sale was admirably arranged, and went off with spirit to the last. Whole amount, from $12,000 to $15,000.

Mauneewudaus, the Chippewa Chief.—This celebrated Indian Chief arrived at Washington, D. C., on Saturday last, and took rooms at the National Hotel. Upon his entry into the hotel, he was introduced to the Hon. Henry Clay, who received him with great cordiality, and they mutually expressed their gratification at the meeting. Mr. Clay conducted him into the ladies' parlor, where he introduced him to some fifty or sixty ladies, officers, and other gentlemen.

Mr. Clay said that he could not help envying the chieftain his splendid form, broad chest, his manly strength, and his height of stature.

"I have to look up to you," said Mr. Clay; "you are the stronger man. Our strength is in our numbers, I hope; but our strength is your strength also." He inquired if Maungwudas was married, and in reply the chief stated that his wife died in England; had spent some years with his family in Europe; had become acquainted with some members of the royal family in England; also with the Bey of Tunis, Louis Philippe, and others; and he showed an elegant gold medallion presented to him by Louis Philippe.

Mr. Clay humorously remarked that, as the chief was now a widower, he was entitled to have the youngest and prettiest lady in the room for a wife. This made a great laugh.

Mr. Clay requested him to dance before the ladies, but he excused himself on account of the absence of his drum and war club; otherwise he would have been glad to please the ladies. The Senator then replied that the ladies must dance themselves, so as to charm the chief; and this they did at once, and the chieftain thanked them for the pleasure they had afforded him.

On Sunday morning Mr. Calhoun died. He had been acquainted with Maungwudaus; and in looking upon the calm, placid, and beautiful corpse of the departed great man, the chief was much affected.

On Tuesday, Maungwudaus went to see the President by appointment, and there delivered the following speech, in substance, having presented a pair of large snow shoes, such as are used by his tribe:

Venerable Father: Having traveled over many countries beyond the sea, and having been welcomed to the hearth-stones of many of the chiefs or sovereigns of Europe, I cannot refrain from expressing my gratitude to the Great Spirit for his goodness in conducting me again to the home of my fathers; and I desire, before returning to the bosom of my kindred, to grasp, in friendship, the hand of the great father of his people."

To this the President replied that he was very happy to extend the hand of friendship to the representative of the Chippewa nation, and expressed a warm personal interest in their welfare. He concluded by presenting to the chief a large and elegant silver medallion, as a token of respect and regard.—*Washington Union.*

Boston, April 5.

Cotton Factory Destroyed by Fire—Marine Disaster and Loss of Life.—The large cotton factory at Kennebunk, Maine, owned by the Messrs. Brown, was destroyed by fire at 10 o'clock this morning. The fire broke out in the picker-machine shop. The counting-house and books were saved.

A severe storm visited us last night. In the adjoining county towns, snow to the depth of one inch fell.

The schooner Pearl, from Boston, for Portsmouth, yesterday went ashore on Coffin beach, at Gloucester. All hands on board perished. The body of Captain Tuckerman has been washed ashore, and $400 was found on his person. None of the bodies of the crew have yet been recovered. The cargo of the Pearl consisted of cotton and flour, and is a total loss.

The factory was insured for the following amounts in this city: $15,000 in the Manufacturers'; $10,000 in the Merchants'; $5,000 in another, and in Philadelphia for $10,000 in the Franklin.

Probability of a Pardon for Webster.—The Boston correspondent of the New York Mirror says, in reference to Professor Webster's sentence:—There is not the slightest probability, I am given to understand by those who ought to know best, that the penalty of death will be commuted to any less degree of punishment. On this point a very strong feeling of jealousy exists here just now. The efforts made so zealously and so ineffectually for the procurement of the pardon of Washington Goode, or a commutation of his sentence, are as yet well remembered by all, and the sentence of similar ones in favor of a professor would produce a sensation scarcely, if any, short of tumultuous in this community.

Rhode Island Election.—The Whig ticket for State Officers of Rhode Island has succeeded by an overwhelming majority. The vote was small, and the opposition merely nominal. The returns thus far show the following result: Whig 4,896, Democratic 794, Free-Soil 128.—Eight towns are yet to be heard from. The Whig officers thus re-elected are:

Henry B. Anthony, Governor.
Thomas Whipple, Lieut. Governor.
Christopher E. Robbins, Secretary of State.
Joseph M. Blake, Attorney General.
Stephen Cahoone, General Treasurer.

Great Freshet.—Storms.—A tremendous freshet has occurred in Canada, and great danger anticipated to be the result.

A severe storm of snow and rain, has been experienced at Boston, New York and Philadelphia, occasioning serious damage. The mails have become deranged, and serious disasters look for.

The "Gift of the Gab."—The Washington Daily Globe, of Saturday, says: "During the first session of the last Congress, we printed about 1,396,000 pages of speeches of members in pamphlet form, and in the same proportion at the second or short session, and the number we shall print this session will probably not fall short of one million five hundred thousand copies."

It becomes a serious question as to who reads it all?

Return of a Comet.—Lieut. M. F. Maury communicates to the National Intelligencer some interesting astronomical news. He states that a letter from the Rev. Mr. Jenkins, of Georgetown College, who sailed from Rio in October last, contains the following item:

"On November 28th, at 7½ P. M., we saw distinctly a comet westward, nearly in the track of the sun, and about fourteen degrees above the horizon, as measured with the quadrant, the nucleus very distinct, and about as large in appearance as Mars; the tail curved and pointed towards the south, (S. W.) quite bright) and nearly a degree in length, as visible to the naked eye, but much larger when viewed with the spy-glass. It was seen by all the crew, for twenty minutes, when a cloud intercepted it, and it never more was seen.

It is thought that this may be the great comet of 1264 and 1556, the return of which astronomers are expecting about this time.

☞ A correspondent of the Charleston News writing from Washington City, says: "The assertion of Professor Agassiz at the Scientific Convention in your city that the human family is not of one common origin, has caused a considerable sensation among our Divines, who, I presume will, on his return to this city, challenge him to a discussion on the subject. Such a controversy would be highly interesting, more especially as the Professor says he can maintain his position from Scripture. But Holy Writ emphatically declares, that "in Adam we all died," and how could this have been unless the whole human race descended from him.

Fire.—The fine mansion at Montpelier, nearly opposite the village of Bluffton, S. C., belonging to the estate of the late Wm. E. Baynard, was entirely consumed by fire, a little before day, on the morning of the 4th instant. This was one of the handsomest, largest and most commodious country seats in the State, and is celebrated as the scene of a tragical event in the partisan warfare of the revolution: a son's revenge for the murder of his father, long and perseveringly followed to its bloody consummation.

Gas.—A gas apparatus was received by the last steamer from Liverpool, by which gas can be manufactured of rosin and water, at a cost of about one dollar per thousand feet. The process is very simple, and the gas, when made, much purer than that of the gas companies of this city. We shall witness an exhibition of this gas in a few days, which will throw some light on this gas question.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

Melancholy Suicide.—An old and highly respectable citizen of New York, Abraham Lockwood, Esq., committed suicide on Friday morning, by cutting his throat. Mr. Lockwood was a very wealthy man, but the perplexities of business pressing upon him, in a period of temporary indisposition, depressed his spirits, and even deranged his mind—for it is said that the apprehension of impending poverty impelled him to the dreadful deed. He was 51 years old.

☞ We learn from Boston that that the family of Dr. Parkman paid Littlefield voluntarily, on Saturday, the reward of $3,000, offered by them for finding Dr. Parkman.

☞ Advices from Columbus, Ohio, state that the Convention for revising the Constitution will be Democratic by a considerable majority.

☞ Sadler & Co.'s jewelry store in Baltimore street, (Baltimore,) was robbed last night of six thousand dollars worth of goods, including one hundred gold watches.

☞ The Europa arrived at New York on [illegible] the 5th inst., at about 1 o'clock, P. M.

OFFICIAL.

LOUISIANA LEGISLATURE.

Official Report of Debates.

SENATE.

Thursday, March 14, 1850.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment. The Hon. J. B. Plauche, Lieutenant Governor, presiding.

Mr. Peck moved to reconsider that section of the School Bill imposing a tax on trades and professions, and one-fourth of one per cent on all auction sales. This section, said Mr. P., had not been introduced by the committee who reported the bill, but was presented at a moment when the Senate had become fatigued with the discussion, and was passed, he was led to believe, without sufficient reflection. He had voted for its passage, but had since become convinced that it operated unjustly. He desired an opportunity of changing his vote, as he was satisfied that the section ought not to have passed. It was suddenly pressed upon the Senate, and he had voted on it without an opportunity of examining it with that attention which its intrinsic importance demanded.

Mr. Moore seconded the motion to reconsider.

Mr. Ray raised the question of order; that the section having already been reconsidered, and re-adopted, it was not in order to move another reconsideration. He had no objection that the gentleman should change his vote, but that would not vary the result.

Mr. Moore hoped that, by the consent of the Senate, the bill would be reconsidered, and the clause struck out. He was fearful that it would defeat the bill in the other House.

Mr. Ray considered that this very clause would obtain more votes in the other house than any other portion of the bill. In any event, it could be no great stumbling block; for if the House did not concur, the Senate could recede, or a Committee of Conference might be appointed, and the disagreement in that way be settled. He would insist on applying the rules.

Mr. Peck accordingly changed his vote.

Mr. Van Wickle, on behalf of the Joint Committee appointed to inquire into the present laws governing the making of Levees, made a report, which, on motion of Mr. Cole, was ordered to be printed—1000 copies in English and 1000 in French.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the Penitentiary Bill.

Mr. Ray moved for the adoption of the first section of the House bill. He considered that it embraced every thing that could legally be accomplished.

Mr. Peck opposed the motion, and offered a substitute for said bill. He insisted, that by the express words of the contract, and by the law, the lessees were bound to leave any additions or improvements free of all charge, and that they had no right to prefer a claim therefor. These additions and improvements were to be left free of all charge, to the State.

Mr. Moore sustained a similar view of the subject, referring to the several laws and to the contract of lease itself.

The question was further debated by Messrs. Bryce, Swayze, Drew and Ray, in favor of the House bill.

When the question was taken on the motion to lay the substitute on the table, which motion prevailed on a call for the yeas and nays.

The 1st section was then amended and adopted as amended by a vote of 21 yeas, 6 nays.

The balance of the bill was amended and adopted.

The question recurring on the final passage,

Mr. Peck called for the yeas and nays—22 yeas; 6 nays.

Mr. Beebe called up the bill for the relief of Bernard Lafaye, a veteran of 1814—'15. Adopted.

Mr. Adams offered an additional section granting a similar sum to Francois Heromme, a veteran, which was adopted, and the bill finally passed.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

Act for the relief of the inhabitants of the State subject to inundations from the Mississippi river, &c.

It was laid on the table subject to call.

The Senate took up the act to change the sessions of the Supreme Court from Opelousas to St. Martinsville.

Mr. Duncan advocated its passage.

Mr. Swayze opposed it.

Mr. Sigur moved to lay it on the table.

Mr. Moore opposed the motion to lay on the table, and called for the ayes and nays—18 ayes, 9 nays.

Mr. Ray called up the resolution requiring the State Engineer to make a levee on the Macheir de l'Ours. Amended on motion of Mr. Peck and passed.

On motion of Mr. Beebe the Senate took up the act to provide for the support of the Charity Hospital. Passed.

Mr. Cole called up the resolution requiring the State Engineer to make certain surveys and improvements on the Bayou Lafourche. Passed.

Mr. Van Wickle, on behalf of the Special Committee to whom was referred the memorial of John C. Sims, reported adversely to said memorial.

He also, at the same time, submitted a minority Report,—his own—dissenting from the opinion of the majority of the Committee in this, that this was a peculiar case and out of the general rule laid down by the Committee, and in which general rule he concurred. He therefore thinks the memorialist ought to be indemnified and reports accordingly.

On motion of Mr. Dufour, the Senate took up the act defining what rights and property shall be exempt from seizure.

Mr. Swayze moved that the bill be postponed indefinitely.

Mr. Dufour opposed the motion and sustained the bill as a wise, just and necessary measure.

Mr. Swayze considered that by existing legislation a sufficient amount of property was exempted from seizure. Not only by the Code of Practice, but by other legislation. The effect of this bill was to place every thing beyond the reach of the creditor and to create a privileged class in the community not subject to pay their debts, or contribute towards taxation.

Mr. Waddill said he did not see the point of the argument of the Senator from St. Landry (Mr. Swayze). These laws of exemption already exist by our legislation and the bill only brings them together, so that they can all be found in one place.—Their necessity and wisdom have stood the test of experience and cannot be doubted.

Mr. Dufour remarked, that these laws were in accordance with the progressive spirit of the age, and were designed to prevent the extension of pauperism. They had been adopted in most of the States of the Union with beneficial results. He would call for the yeas and nays.

10 yeas—16 nays.

The question recurring on the adoption of the section.

Mr. Dorsey expressed himself opposed to the clause which exempted but one half of the salary of public officers from seizure. He considered that the whole amount should be exempted.

Mr. Sigur moved to amend the bill by striking out after the words 'and for salary of office, the words 'to the amount of one half thereof' and inserting the words of state officers

Mr. Drew opposed the amendment. He said he was averse to favoring a class already too highly favored. He saw no reason why public officers should enjoy such exemption. They were bound to pay their debts and their salaries should not be shielded by any partial legislation. He would call for the ayes and nays. He could not give his sanction to any such principle, and if embraced in the bill, he should vote against it.

8 ayes—17 nayes. The amendment was lost.

Mr. Swayze said he wished to place all on an equality, and would therefore propose to amend by adding after the words "money due for wages," the words "for labor and income." The amendment was adopted and the section adopted as amended.

Mr. Sigur moved that the Senate adjourn until this evening, at 6 o'clock P. M.

Mr. Ray moved that the Senate adjourn until tomorrow, at 9 o'clock.

The question was taken on Mr. Ray's motion, and Mr. Richardson called for the ayes and nayes—17 ayes, 13 nayes.

Whereupon, the Senate adjourned.

BY AUTHORITY.

[No. 243.]
AN ACT

To authorize Charles Boudousquie to adopt Marie and Charles Paul Leduc.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana, in General Assembly convened*, That Charles Boudousquie, of the city of New Orleans, be and he is hereby authorized to adopt as his children Marie and Charles Paul Leduc, and to give them, in place of their present names, that of Marie Boudousquie and Charles Paul Boudousquie.

Sec. 2. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That said adoption shall be effected by means of an authentic act passed before one of the Notaries Public and for the city of New Orleans.

Sec. 3. *Be it further enacted, &c.*, That the adoption being thus effected, the said Marie and Charles Paul Leduc shall be entitled to all the rights and privileges appertaining to legitimate children, and shall, for all interests and purposes, be considered as if they were actually and in fact the legitimate children of Charles Boudousquie.

E. W. MOISE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
J. B. PLAUCHE,
Lieutenant-Governor and President of the Senate.
Approved March 20th, 1850.
JOSEPH WALKER,
Governor of the State of Louisiana.
Certified to be a true copy from the original.
CHARLES GAYARRE,
Secretary of State.

[No. 244.]
AN ACT

Authorizing the payment of certain sums to persons therein mentioned.

Whereas, The Legislature, at its sessions in the years eighteen hundred and forty-seven and eighteen hundred and forty-eight, released Aaron Adams and Henry J. Adams, and their securities, from two judgments rendered against them in favor of the State for five hundred dollars in each case, said judgments were rendered upon two bonds executed by the parties for their appearance at the District Court, in the parishes of Washington and St. Tammany, upon charge of larceny, and as a consequence of said release, the Sheriffs and Clerks of said parishes, and the witnesses in said prosecution, were prevented from recovering their fees; Therefore, be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana, in General Assembly convened, That C. P. Bailey, who was then Sheriff of the parish of Washington, Abraham Penn, Sheriff of the parish of St. Tammany, Hardy Richardson, Clerk of Washington, Wesley Mallory, Clerk of St. Tammany, and all the witnesses in both of said cases, whose accounts are to be made out by the Clerks of said Courts, and attested to by the Judge of the District Court for that District, shall be paid by the State Treasurer, upon the warrant of the Auditor of Public Accounts: Provided, That the sum hereby appropriated shall not exceed two hundred and fifty dollars, and that this act be in force from and after its passage.

E. W. MOISE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives,
J. G. BRYCE,
President pro tem. of the Senate.
Approved March 21, 1850.
JOSEPH WALKER,
Governor of the State of Louisiana.
Certified to be a true copy from the original.
CHARLES GAYARRE,
Secretary of State.

[No. 245.]
AN ACT

To exempt the property held by Charitable Institutions from Municipal taxation.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana, in General Assembly convened, That the property of the Female Orphan Asylum of New Orleans, of the Poydras Asylum, of the New Orleans Catholic Association for the relief of Male Orphans, of the Mylne Asylum, and the property of all other charitable institutions, be, and the same are hereby exempted from any taxation by the City of New Orleans, or the several Municipalities thereof.

E. WARREN MOISE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
J. B. PLAUCHE,
Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate.
Approved 21st March, 1850.
JOSEPH WALKER,
Governor of the State of Louisiana.
Certified to be a true copy from the original.
CHARLES GAYARRE,
Secretary of State.

[No. 246.]
AN ACT

Declaring valid certain Notarial Acts which have been [illegible]

OFFICIAL.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana, in General Assembly convened, That all acts [illegible] eighteen hundred and [illegible] notaries public, until their successors are appointed or elected, be, and the [illegible], shall be valid, and to have full force and effect against the parties to said acts.

E. W. MOISE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
J. B. PLAUCHE,
Lieut. Governor and President of the Senate.
Approved March 21st, 1850.
JOSEPH WALKER,
Governor of the State of Louisiana.
Certified to be a true copy from the original.
CHARLES GAYARRE,
Secretary of State.

[No. 247.]
RESOLUTION.

Whereas the improvement of the Bayous Macon and Tensas is of a vital importance to a large and wealthy portion of the State, and as the improvement of said Bayous has been heretofore very much neglected,

Be it therefore Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana in General Assembly convened, That the State Engineer be, and he is hereby required to direct the State Boat belonging to the Second Internal Improvement District, to repair to those streams, as soon as the stage of the water will permit, and commencing with the Macon, continue the force on those works, till all the obstructions to the safe and successful navigation of those Bayous be fully removed; Provided, this work do not interfere with works previously ordered.

E. WARREN MOISE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
J. B. PLAUCHE,
Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate.
Approved March 21st, 1850.
JOSEPH WALKER,
Governor of the State of Louisiana.
Certified to be a true copy from the original.
CHARLES GAYARRE,
Secretary of State.

[No. 248.]
RESOLUTION

Instructing the State Engineer to remove the obstructions from Bayous Breaux and Paul.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana, in General Assembly convened, That the State Engineer be, and he is hereby instructed to employ the State hands, or a portion of the same, in removing the obstructions from the Bayous Breaux and Paul, in the parish of Iberville, provided that the same done not interfere with the works previously ordered.

E. W. MOISE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
J. B. PLAUCHE,
Lieut. Governor and President of the Senate.
Approved March 21st, 1850.
JOSEPH WALKER,
Governor of the State of Louisiana.
Certified to be a true copy from the original.
CHARLES GAYARRE,
Secretary of the State.

COMMERCIAL.

The Markets.

Monday Evening, April 15, 1850.

The Europa's letters were received to-day, and are generally considered to be quite discouraging. As a consequence, our Cotton market was very quiet to-day, and we could only hear of 1,000 bales sold. If there is but little disposition to buy, there is less inclination to sell, much to the discomfiture of those who would like to "take a hand" now that the crop is going to be 2 to 400,000 bales short of their estimates. Shippers, to be sure, have not had a good season of it thus far, and few will be willing to the fact of having operated. They will [illegible] change in the course of a few weeks, which people will be surprised to hear how much Cotton is owing to [illegible] have engaged in any transaction exceeding a hundred bales, or by the very parties who now [illegible] toward a single bale. This was not [illegible] though it does not speak much in favor of the courage of Cotton operators.

Sales of Sugar to day, 300 hhds., and of Molasses, 500 bbls., at former prices.

The Flour market is unchanged, and sales principally confined to the Trade. Corn is active, and selling at 60@62c ℘ bushel.

Provisions are in moderate request, without any change in prices. Mess Pork $9 75. Prime $7 50. Lard is active, at previous rates.

Whisky is selling at 19½@21½c. ℘ gallon for rectified.

Exchanges remain as last quoted, demand fair. Freights remain very dull.

Foreign Markets.

PER EUROPA.

Liverpool, March 22.

A somewhat improved demand has prevailed during the present week, the very limited supply held by the trade compels them to buy ... to their consumption, and ... creasing demand for export. Still the ... large import consequent ... easterly winds, cotton has ... although the advices received by the ... Tuesday, conform to those previously received, which state the general estimate of the crop to be 2,050,000 to 2,100,000 bales; holders have ... demand freely. The sales of the week have been 50,000 bales.

To day, the advices from India are favorable, and they have advanced ... spinners being here; the sales are 5,000 bales, including 1,000 American taken for export and speculation, at previous rates. American ... are in fair request both for ... export; but the choice of ... have partially declined. Fair Orleans are ... for export, and being scarce, ... Surats, ... leans and Mobile are the ... of Uplands is reduced ⅛d ℘ lb., ... and middling qualities ... decline of ⅛d ℘ lb. ... and Egyptians are dull of sale, and ... about last week's quotations; ... can have been taken on speculation, and ... for export.

Sales, 170 Sea Island, Georgia, 11¼@[illegible]; 150 Stained do. 8¼; 11,250 Upland, bowed, 5⅞@6⅞; 9,190 New Orleans, 5¾@[illegible]; 2,640 Mobile, 5¾@[illegible]; 6⅞d; 2,140 Pernams and Paraibs, 7@[illegible]; 1,880 Bahia and Marcano, 6¾@6¾; 1,390 Maranham, 6½@7d; 780 Egyptian, 6¾@8¾; 2,060 Surat, 3¾@4¾d.

Imports.—To this date, 1850, 396,835 bags; same time, 1849, 418,813 bags.

Stock.—On this date, 1850, 490,890 bags; same time, 1849, 409,350 bags.

Sales.—Total sales to the 23d March, 1850, 556,130 bags; total sales to the 14th March, 1849, 480,340 bags.

Havre, March 20.

Cotton.—The sales during the past fortnight do not exceed 7,500 bales, of which, 2,000 bales were realized within the last two days; the imports during the other [illegible], only reach 2,108 bales per Gallia, from New York, the only Cotton ship that has reached our port within said time.

The following were the sales—2,054 bales New Orleans, 105 to 105; 444 do. Mobile, 92 to 99; 1,239 do. Upland, 91 to 97; 41 do. Pernambuco, 107.—Total, 3,775 bales.

Statement of Cotton in Havre, on the 20th March.

Stock to 1st January,	36,000, of which	33,706	U. S.
Imp. from 1st Jan.,	87,177	"	84,322
Bales,	123 237	"	118,398
Sales for consump.	63,531	"	57,799
Taken on speculation	23,000	"	22,000
Sales this day	61,706	"	61,899
Same time last year.			
Imports,	71,875	"	79,173
Deliveries,	74 590	"	70,173
Stock,	17,204	"	16,936

FOR ST. THOMAS—via Saint Pierre, Martinique.—The ... DUNCAN, Captain Gilchrist, will sail with despatch for the above port. For freight or passage apply on board to the Captain, Post 9, Second Municipality, or to

TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO.
a16-5t 99 Customhouse st.

FOR CADIZ.—Passage only.—The A 1 fast sailing bark WM. HENRY, Capt. Watts, will have quick dispatch, and has superior state room accommodations for four cabin passengers.—Apply on board opposite stave yard, at Lafayette, or to a16 L. B. GALE, 93 Common st.

HAVANA SUGAR—134 boxes yellow and white, landing ex bark Millaudon, for sale by ap16 RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 Old Levee st.

HAVANA SUGAR—540 boxes white, yellow and brown, in store and for sale by ap16 RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 Old Levee st.

SWEET OIL—500 baskets, 24 ounces, James Plagniol's brand, for sale by an16 RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 Old Levee st.

HOLLAND GIN.—25 pipes key brand, for sale by RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 old Levee. a16

CHAMPAGNE.—600 baskets Ducal grape, (genuine) Natchez and Lallemand brands, for sale by RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 old Levee. a16

BRANDY CHERRIES.—300 boxes, for sale by RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 old Levee. a16

CEMENT.—4,000 barrels Newark & Rosendale—1,000 do Nelson Brown's—1,000 do various brands—100 do Roman Cement, for sale by HAYMAN HOLDEN, a16 98 Magazine st. & 11 Red Stores, 3d My.

THOMASTON LIME—400 bbls in store and landing, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, a16 98 Magazine st. & 11 Red Stores, 3d My.

SODA ASH, &c.—50 casks Soda Ash; 30 do Palm Oil, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, a16 98 Magazine st. & 11 Red Stores, 3d My.

PLASTERING HAIR—6,000 bushels, in casks, bbls and bags, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, a16 98 Magazine st and 11 Red Stores.

FIRE BRICK—140,000 English; 60,000 Scotch, 90,000 Americans, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, a16 98 Magazine street and 11 Red Stores.

FIRE CLAY—200 bbls English and American, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, a16 98 Magazine st. and 11 Red Stores.

PLASTER—1500 bbls calcined Plaster, Westerspoons, Oroton, King's and Newark and Rosendale, landing and in store, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, a16 98 Magazine st.

LANDING ex ship Espindola, from Havre, 15 cases Gruyere cheese, 1st quality; 20 boxes Tetes de Maure cheese, for sale by D. LANATA, a16 9 and 10 Jefferson st.

HAVANA CIGARS.—Of the best manufactures, such as Sigaro, Puntualidad, 3 Marias, Palmas, Colebada, &c., in store and for sale by J. N. RICULFI & CO., a16 17 Common st.

HAVANA COFFEE—Prime Green in store for sale by J. N. RICULFI & CO., a16 17 Common st.

HAVANA CIGARS.—A large assortment of best Regalia Cigars, in store and for sale by J. M. CABALLERO, 22 old Levee. a16

CUBA TOBACCO—[illegible] Bales for ... sale by ... [illegible]

[illegible] ... Antonio, for sale by ... [illegible]

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

PROCLAMATION.

Mayoralty of New Orleans, April 14, 1850.

Whereas, the continued and frequent recurrence of fires in the city, even during the day, and the circumstances attending most of them leave no doubt of the existence of a band of incendiaries in our midst; and

Whereas though the firemen have been zealous, diligent, and indefatigable in their exertions to arrest the flames, and have under all the circumstances been extremely successful in so doing, yet still a large amount of property has been destroyed, and numerous families rendered houseless, and reduced to great distress, and

Whereas, Though the police have been kept in a state of constant activity and vigilance, they have as yet been unsuccessful in detecting and arresting any of the guilty parties: Now therefore I, A. D. Crossman, Mayor of the city of New Orleans, issue this my Proclamation, recommending and requesting all good citizens to be on the alert against similar attempts on their premises, to adopt all precautionary measures in their power against them, and to aid and assist the police in their exertions to detect and arrest the miscreants who are guilty of these infamous proceedings. I further recommend to the citizens to organize patrols in their respective districts, as a further protection for their lives and property, and those of their fellow-citizens. I also order and direct the police to continued vigilance and activity in their endeavor to arrest all parties who may be engaged in any way concerned in these nefarious acts.

a15 A. D. CROSSMAN, Mayor.

500 DOLLARS REWARD!!

Mayoralty of New Orleans, April 8, 1850.

WHEREAS, the frequency of fires within the last few days, leaves no doubt that they are the work of incendiaries, I, A. D. Crossman, Mayor of the city of New Orleans, do therefore deem it my duty to offer the following reward for the apprehension and conviction of any person or persons caught setting fire to any property within the limits of the city of New Orleans.

FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD.

In accordance with the existing ordinances, the above reward will be paid to any person who may arrest and bring to conviction any person or persons setting or causing to be set in any manner whatever, fire to any house, store, shed or other building in the city. a9 A. D. CROSSMAN, Mayor.

Office of the New Orleans Insurance Co., New Orleans, April 13th, 1850.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders that the annual election of Nine Directors to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at the office of this Company, on Monday, the 29th inst., between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

a13 14t J. TUYES, Sec'y.

CUSTOMHOUSE, NEW ORLEANS, Collector's Office, April 15, 1850.

NOTICE.—There will be sold on Wednesday, the 1st day of May next at Public Store, No. 62 Bienville street at 12 o'clock, M., by Sykes, Hyde & Co., E. B. Sykes, Auctioneer,

10 half Pipes Brandy, C. H. No 1 to 10;
10 qr. do do C. H. " 11 to 20.

Said Brandy having been imported from Bordeaux, per bark Rosa Maria, and is to be sold under the eighteenth section of the act of Congress of 30th August, 1842.

a15 dtd SAM. J. PETERS, Collector.

Official Notice.

THE undersigned is prepared to receive for all Taxes due the State for the year 1849, on Real Estate, Slaves, Capital, &c., and to issue Licenses to those pursuing trades, professions, and occupations subject to taxation within the limits of the Fourth Representative District.

☞ Office No. 16 Royal street.

THOMAS McKEON, Collector of Fourth Representative District.

a4 2m

Notice to the Tax Payers of Municipality No. Three.

THOSE indebted for Rural Taxes for the years 1843, '44, '45, '46, and '47, and for the ordinary and special taxes of the year 1848, will please call at the office of the undersigned, No. 6 Exchange Place, and settle for the same, or suits will be commenced in three days from the 10th inst.

WHITTAKER & LUGENBUHL,
Attorneys for Municipality No. 3,
New Orleans, April 12—3t

Official Notice.

ALL persons owing State Taxes in the Second Representative District, city of New Orleans, are here by these presents notified that the collector of said District is ready to receive the amount of their Taxes due the State of Louisiana, and also to deliver licenses for trades and professions, which are taxable according to law.

Second District bounded by Julia, Benjamin Easele, Thalia and the Metarie Ridge.

Office hours from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M. Office in Erato street, between Prytania and Nayades sts.

a13 2m THOS. ASKEW, Collector 2d Dis.

Collector's Office, Third Representative District, City of N. Orleans.

STATE TAXES.—Notice is hereby given to all persons who may be indebted for State taxes on Real Estate, Slaves, Capital or other property, subject to taxation on the assessment roll of the Third Representative District, city of New Orleans, that if the taxes are not paid previous to the 1st day of June next, 1850, such property will be seized and sold for the collection of taxes for the year 1849.

A. W. PCATE, Collector.
April 1st, 1850. 1m 25 St. Charles street.

Executive Office, Baton Rouge, March 25th, 1850.

Whereas J. B. Dionie, Collector of State taxes for the Fifth Representative District of the city of New Orleans, has applied to me for the cancelling of the following bonds, to wit:

1. A bond subscribed by him on the 11th day of February, 1846, as Collector of State taxes for the Fifth Representative District of Orleans, together with Louis Bouneman as surety for the sum of $5,000.

2. A bond subscribed by him on the 11th day of February, 1846, as Collector of State taxes of the Fifth Representative District of Orleans, together with Jean Baptiste Jeannin as surety for the sum of $10,000.

3. A bond subscribed by him on the 11th day of February, 1848, as Collector of the Fifth Representative District, together with Jean Baptiste Jeannin as surety for the sum of $7,500 as surety.

4. A bond subscribed by him on the 11th day of February, 1849, as Collector of State taxes for the Fifth Representative District of Orleans, together with W. C. C. Claiborne for the sum of $5,000 as surety.

5. A bond subscribed by him on the 11th day of February, 1849, as Collector of State taxes of the Fifth Representative District of Orleans, together with George R. Rogers as surety for the sum of $5,000.

Notice is therefore given to all persons interested herein to show cause in writing at the office of the Secretary of State within sixty days after the last publication hereof, why said bonds should not be cancelled and annulled.

Given under my hand and Seal of the [SEAL.] State on this 25th day March, 1850, and of the Independence of the United States the seventy fourth.

By the Governor, JOSEPH WALKER.

Charles Gayarre, Secretary of State. 30t

Auditor's Office, Baton Rouge, March 28, 1850.

The 35th section of an act entitled "An act to establish and regulate the Treasury Department," provides,

"That it shall be the duty of the Auditor, when collectors of the revenues, or holders of the public money, shall fail to pay the amount due by them, into the Treasury within the time prescribed by law, to publish the names of the defaulters within thirty days after such default, in four newspapers printed at the most public places in the State, ten days, with the amounts respectively due by each and the penalties and forfeitures herein prescribed, shall be a lien upon the real and personal estate of such defaulter and his securities, from the time of such defalcation."

In compliance with the requirements of the law above quoted, the names of the following collectors of State taxes are now published with the amounts due by each respectively, viz.:

Benjamin Parker, parish of Bienville, amount due on the roll of 1848,	$1083 90
Samuel Anderson, parish of Madison, amount due on the roll of 1848,	$9416 32
A. H. Bradley, parish of Franklin, amount due on the roll of 1848,	$1592 57

10d LOUIS BORDELON, Auditor.

Office Union Towboat Co.

April 1, 1850.

A MEETING of Stockholders in this Company, will be held at this office on MONDAY, 13th May, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to adopt proper measures to wind up its affairs, in accordance with the provisions of the charter, which expires on 31st May next. JOHN. S WALTON, Secretary.

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BARRIERE, LACAPERE & CO., 20 Chartres street.

JUST received by late arrivals from the North and Europe, the following articles—

5-4 Irish Linens;
[illegible] Irish pillow case Linens;
Linen Lawns, Brittanias and Platillas;
6-4, 8-4, 10-4 and 12 4 Irish Linen Sheetings;
5-4 French Linen do
Blue and red border Linen Table Cloths and Napkins;
White and brown Linen Damask Table Cloths and Napkins;
7-4, 8 4 and 10-4 French and Irish Linen Damask;
Hem stitched Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs,
Linen Cambric Hdkfs, with borders;

Printed	do	do	do
Riviere	do	do	do
Scalop	do	do	do
Embroidered	do	do	do

Embroidered Collars and Chemisettes;
Berthes, Scarfs and Lace Mantillas;
Printed Lawns; Cravats;
Black and white Lace Veils, Embroidered Muslin Capes; blue, straw, white and black Crapes; colored Tarlt Hdkfs; Gents fancy Silk Cravats, 24, 34 and 36 inches, black Italian Silk Cravats; white Thread Edges and Insertings; black do do do; Valenciennes Edging and Inserting, white Cotton Laces; black and white embroidered do; Bobinet Laces; for Mantillas and Capes; Umbrellas; Parasols; Purses; white and black Filet Gloves and Mitts; half fingered do; white and gents white and colored Fil d'Ecosse Gloves; do do colored and black Silk Gloves; Plaid Poplins, 32, 34, 36 and 38 inches black Italian Silks; Silk Foulard Hdkfs; Cotton do; Madras do; No. 1¼ to 12 black Taffetas and Satin Ribbons; Silk Shoe[illegible]; white and brown Cotton do; pure linen brown and white Half Hose; white and brown Cotton Socks; ... Ladies do do; Muslin and Barege Shawls; 10 4, 11 4 and 12 4 white Counterpanes; do do blue and pink, white and colored Toilet Covers; plain and embroidered Swiss Muslins; Cambric do; white Cambrics and Jaconets; Mull Muslin; Bishop Lawns; white and brown Netting; Cotton do; plain and printed Bareges; plaid and striped do; new style printed Jaconets, Balzorines and Organdies; Muslins; Linen Checks; real Nankins; Toile du Nord; Gingham; Silk and Linen Ginghams; plain, plaid and striped Cottonades; Bone Buttons, Pearl do; Hooks and Eyes; Linen Tapes; Linen Bobbin, Suspenders; Needles, Pins; Pails; Alexander's black Sewing Silk, Coats and Ingham's 200 yards Spool Cotton; Marshall's brown, blue, white and black Thread; 10-4 and 12-4 white, blue and pink Bobbinet; Mosquito Netting, &c. &c.

—ALSO—

A large assortment of PLANTATION GOODS, such as 7 8 and 4-4 Lowells, twilled do; 7-8 and 4-4 Virginia Osnaburgs; 3-4, 7-8, 4-4, 5 4 and 6 4 brown Cotton do do do white do; superfine English Long Cloth; Denims; Cotton Checks; Camlet; Jeans; Linseys; Kerseys; blue Romal Hdkfs; Woollen Caps; Blankets, and Woollen Socks.

BARRIERE, LACAPERE & CO., 20 Chartres st.

TEXAS MONEY WANTED.—The highest price paid for Texas red backs, interest notes or bonds.

EDWARD GOTTSCHALK, Broker, 11 Camp st.

a15 3t

SARDINES IN OIL.—2,000 ½ boxes of the well known brand B. Guillour, for sale by A. MOLAIRE, 69 St. Louis st.

SAUSAGES FOR CALIFORNIA—[illegible] ... [illegible]

PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE—The creditors of Gorlie & Guillot are hereby notified to call within ten days at No. 45 St. Louis Exchange Alley, from 11 A. M. to 12 M., in order to receive the last dividend accruing to them. H. LE CARPENTIER, a15 3t10d F. CORREJOLLES.

Estate of Joseph Unse.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Joseph Unie, deceased, are hereby requested to present their claims, with proof thereof, to Widow Unie, tutrix, corner of St. James and St. Jean Baptiste sts., or to the subscriber. P. SEJON, Attorney for the tutrix,

a8-3t 31 St. Anne st.

TEXAS—Castro's Colony.

THE Emigrants introduced into Texas by the subscriber, under a Contract between him and the Republic of Texas, are hereby notified, that by an act of the Legislature, dated January, 1850, every family or single man is entitled to the patent for the quantity of land stipulated in the Contract signed and delivered in Europe to that effect.

Apply for particulars to the undersigned, in Castroville, Medina county.

☞ Letters to be post-paid.

f13 3m H. CASTRO.

Agency Sun Mutual Insurance Company.

THIS Company has an invested capital of more than one million of dollars after paying off the scrip issued in 1848, of $[illegible], and additional assets of more than seven hundred thousand dollars.

Marine, River and Fire Risks continue to be at the office corner of Camp and Common streets.

January 1st, 1850. to1 L. MATTHEWS, Agent

DISSOLUTION—The co-partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the firm of TROISGROS & LAMPRE is this day dissolved by limitation. S. TROISGROS, F. LAMPRE.

New Orleans, 15th April, 1850.

COPARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned will continue the affairs of the late firm of TROISGROS & LAMPRE, under the style of TROISGROS & CO.

J. VILLARRUBIA, JR.,
CHAS METEYE,
S. DE VISSER
E. TROISGROS,
in Commendam.

New Orleans, 15th April, 1850. a16

NOTICE.

MR. FERDINAND MATHON becomes a partner in our House from this date. Business will be continued under the firm of P. & E. REILLY & CO a13 1m P. & E. REILLY.

DISSOLUTION.—The Partnership existing in this city, under the firm of E. VALMONT & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Madame FANNY BECHER FEYER is charged with the liquidation thereof, and will settle all debts due by the said late firm, and is fully authorized to collect all debts due to the same.

FANNY BECHER FEYER,
E. VALMONT.

New Orleans, April 2, 1850. a5

THE undersigned informs his friends and the public, that he has taken into partnership Messrs. F. LACAPERE and F. G. BARRIERE, and will continue business as heretofore under the title of BARRIERE, LACAPERE & CO.

m 20, 1850 CHAR. A. BARRIERE.

THE undersigned, herby informs the public and his friends that he has sold the whole of the claims of the late firm of DE POUILLY & Co., to R. G. Musgrove, and that by agreement between them, the said R. G. Musgrove, his bound himself to pay all the debts contracted by the said late firm.

He further informs his friends and old customers, that he has no interest whatever in the lumber yard newly opened on the old Mill Stand, that the firm of De Pouilly & Co. of which he is the senior partner, has been transformed into the firm of De Pouilly & Gagnet, and that the offices of De Pouilly & Gagnet are situated on the corner of Franklin and Toulouse streets, and at the Mill on Carondelet Walk, near Tivoli garden, between Prieur and Johnson streets m16 J. J. DEPOUILLY.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

☞ The ship Lyons, Captain Caines, will clear for San Francisco to-morrow. Shippers will please hand in their bills of lading in the course of the day at the office of the consignee.

PIERRE POUTZ, a16 93 Customhouse street.

☞ The ship ESPINDOLA, Capt. Barstow, from Havre, is now ready to discharge cargo opposite the Mint, First Municipality. Consignees will attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee, or they will be sent to public store at their expense and risk.

a16 L. H. GALE, 93 Common st.

☞ The consignee of a lot of Foresters marked J. per ship IONIAN, from Boston, is requested to make himself known to the discharging clerk on the Levee. a16 L. H. GALE, 93 Common st.

☞ The ship Isaac Newton, from Glasgow, is now ready to discharge her cargo, Third Municipality. Consignees are requested to attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee, or they will be sent to the public stores at their expense and risk.

a16 L. H. GALE, 93 Common st.

☞ The Consignees of mdz. marked Ready and Houghton, Wetumpka and John Milton, Merrill Point, to order, per ship IONIAN, from Boston are requested to make themselves known to the discharging Clerk on the Levee, otherwise the goods will be stored at their expense and risk.

a13 L H GALE, 93 Common st.

☞ The ship IONIAN, from Boston, is discharging opposite the Vegetable Market, First Municipality. Consignees are requested to attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee, otherwise they will be stored at their expense and risk.

a13 L H GALE, 93 Common st.

Grand Lodge of the State of Louisiana.

NEW ORLEANS, 28th March, 1850.

A meeting of this GRAND LODGE will be held at the Hall of PERSEVERANCE LODGE, corner of St. Claude and Dumaine streets, on FRIDAY evening, the 19th of April, 1850, for the purpose of adopting a new constitution. The lodges under the jurisdiction of this Grand Lodge, including those lately under the jurisdiction of the State Louisiana Grand Lodge of Ancient York Masons and the members of this Grand Lodge, are summoned and notified to attend said meeting by their proper representatives or proxies.

By order of the Grand Lodge,
a1 19t J. J. E. MASSICOT, Grand Sec'y.

☞ During my absence from the city, my brother CHAS. LAMBERT, is my duly authorized agent as per act passed before Octave de Armas, Notary in this city. X. LAMBERT, 62 Magazine st. April 4th, 1850.

Mr. Fisk's Class for Instruction.

Mr. Fisk will form a Class for instruction in ELECTRO-BIOLOGY, on FRIDAY EVENING, April 12th, at Armory Hall, at 7½ o'clock. All who attend will be fully enabled to perform all these extraordinary experiments with perfect success, and to know how to apply this astonishing remedial agent to the cure of disease, as the fee charged for instruction (ten dollars) will be promptly returned. Each member of the class will receive a ticket admitting a gentleman and lady to all the public lectures and experiments. Ladies Class on Thursday afternoon, at 4½ o'clock. a10 1m

THE Subscriber, about leaving for France, informs the public that he has given, this day, his power of attorney to J. Cazenave & Co., for the liquidation of his affairs. All other powers of attorney heretofore given from this date null and void. POUGET FILS, a10 19 Conti st., between Chartres & Levee

NOTICE.

COURVOISIER & CO., having sold their establishment, and leaving for France in May next, give notice to their debtors that they will have to settle with them immediately, and request their creditors to present their accounts for payment.

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ROBBERY—The house of the subscriber was broken into last Sunday night, and the following articles stolen:

One Mantel Clock, of black marble, edged with gilt ornaments; two figures in bronze on the top, of a Shepherd and Shepherdess, the former playing on a pipe.

One large silver Cake Basket, marked "C. W. T."
One silver Teaspoon, marked "A. L."
Two silver Napkin Rings; one plated do.
One pair of gold-mounted Spectacles.
Two small plated Salvers or Waiters.

☞ A Reward of Fifty Dollars will be given for the apprehension of the Thieves and recovery of the Goods, or in proportion for any part of the property described.

ALEXANDER LEVY, 216 Canal st., a9 or A LEVY & CO., Stationers, Camp st.

California. California.

THE Undersigned inform the merchants trading with California that they have a large stock of Lumber on hand of the following descriptions—Scantlings; inch Boards; Dress Flooring and Ceiling, tongued and grooved or square edge; and that they are ready to fill up orders with promptitude and at the most reasonable prices. Office corner of Franklin and Toulouse sts, head of the Basin, or at the mill, Carondelet Walk, near Tivoli Garden.

a6 DE POUILLY & GAGNET.

POCKET MAP of New Orleans and Environs; folded for the pocket, or on paste board. Engraved by J. T. Hammond, 1850. For sale by ALEXANDER LEVY & CO., a4 Cor. of Camp and Gravier sts.

Red Store—between the two Markets

JOS. N. ROBERT & CO.,
(Successors of Paul Aldige & Co.)

HAVE just received per ships St. Louis, Creole, Vicksburg and Commonwealth, a large assortment of DRY GOODS and FANCY GOODS, which they will sell at very reduced prices. Flattered with the encouragement they have received from their friends and the public, they will endeavor to deserve it.

Merchants and Planters are invited to call and examine their assortment, and ascertain their prices, before buying elsewhere.

a5 JOS. N. ROBERT & CO.

LIQUIDATION OF THE HARDWARE STORE SITUATED No. 162 OLD LEVEE ST., BETWEEN BARRACK AND HOSPITAL STS.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his patrons, builders, city and country merchants, and the public in general, that from this date, he will sell at price cost, all his goods, comprising a large assortment of kitchen articles, cutlery, iron ware for buildings, carpenters' and cabinet makers' tools, materials for making safes, cast and wrought iron, nails, and many other articles too numerous to be mentioned.

All persons indebted to him are requested to settle their accounts, and those having claims will please present them before the end of the month.

a1 1m C. VASSEROT.

J. B. STEEL,

New Orleans Stationers' Warehouse, 14 Camp street.

JUST received at this Book and Stationery store, the following new and interesting publications—Marco Montague, or a Young Christian's Pride—by C. B. Mortimer.

Woman's Friendship; a story of Domestic Life—by Grace Aguilar, author of Home Influence.

"To show us how divine a thing
A woman may be made"—*Wordsworth*.

Choix de Poesies pour les jeunes personnes—par Mme. A. Campan.

Diary of a Physician in California, being the results of actual experience, including Notes of the Journey by Land and Water, and observations on the climate, soil, resources of the country, &c., by James L. Tyson, M. D.

Exploring Expeditions of Wilkes, D'Urville, Ross and Lynch, with numerous illustrations—edited by John S. Jenkins. Complete in 1 vol, 8vo.

Nos. 5 and 6 Byrne's Dictionary of English Work and Engineering—price, 25 cents each.

—ALSO—

All the other new publications of any note, lately issued from the northern and eastern press, with a great number of English Books, recently published in England. For sale by

a13 J. B. STEEL, 14 Camp st.

Paris Commissions Bureau.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Messrs. Editors—Please announce me as a Candidate for the Chief Magistracy of the city.—Election in April next. PETER L. JORE, Ex Lo. State Librarian.

For Recorder OF THE FIRST MUNICIPALITY.

The Editors of the Bee

Will please announce as a candidate for Recorder of the First Municipality W. H. FLEMING, as he will receive the vote of the PEOPLE.

For Recorder of Municipal No. One.

Messrs. Editors—

☞ Please announce Mr. JOSEPH GENOIS, the present worthy and popular incumbent, as a candidate for re-election for Recorder of the First Municipality, on the 22d inst., and oblige all the a13 VOTERS OF THE FIRST MUNICIPALITY

Mayor's and Recorder's Court.

Editors Bee:—Please announce PERRY S. WARFIELD as a candidate for the office of Second District Attorney. Election by the people on the fourth Monday of April. He will be supported, irrespective of party, by THE PEOPLE.

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☞ We are authorized to announce Mr. L. F. MAXENT, as a Candidate for Alderman of the Third Ward, First Municipality, at the ensuing election.

☞ We are authorised to announce Mr. JOSEPH LANATA, as a candidate for re-election for Alderman of the Third Ward, First Municipality, on the 22d April. a8

☞ Please announce Mr. A. DERBES, the present incumbent, as a candidate for re-election, as Alderman of the Sixth Ward, First Municipality, at the approaching election.

HIS NUMEROUS FRIENDS.

March 29th, 1850. m30

☞ Messrs. Editors of the Bee:—Please announce Mr. HENRY J. LYND as a candidate for Alderman of the First Ward, First Municipality.

m25 MANY VOTERS.

☞ We are authorized to say that LUCIUS C. DUNCAN, one of the present Aldermen of the First Ward of First Municipality, will serve in the same office for the ensuing year, if chosen by the people at the election in April. m30

Messrs. Editors of the Bee.—Please announce Mr. J. A. BONNEVAL, as candidate for Alderman of the 6th Ward of Municipality No. 1. m30

Editors of the Bee—Please announce Mr. H. F. WIESE, as a candidate for Alderman of the Fifth Ward, First Municipality, in April next.

m19 MANY VOTERS.

Messrs. Editors—Please announce JOHN WELLS as a candidate for the office of Alderman of the Fifth District, First Municipality.

m12* MANY VOTERS

Messrs. Editors: Please announce GEORGE CLARK, Alderman of the Fifth Ward, First Municipality, as a candidate for re-election. m8

Messrs. Editors: Please to announce Mr. P. SHIELDS, as a candidate for Alderman for the Second Ward, First Municipality, in April next, as he has been requested to become one for the interest of the Ward, he being a man of property.

m8 PROPERTY HOLDERS.

☞ Mr. Editor: Please announce Mr. PAUL BOUTET as a candidate for the office of Alderman of the First District, Third Municipality.

f 25 VOTERS.

Messrs. Editors Bee:—Please announce as candidates for Aldermen to represent the First Ward of the First Municipality:

R. H. McALPIN, RICHARD HAGAN.

They will receive the undivided support of the m16 VOTERS OF THE FIRST WARD.

For Alderman of the Fourth Ward.

Mr. J. F. Bencure having consented to the use of his name as a candidate for Alderman of the Fourth Ward, you will oblige us by announcing him as such. We trust that all the property holders in the Ward will sustain him, for it is to their interest to do so. His numerous friends will be at the polls, and will take care that the revolving frauds perpetrated at the last election shall not be renewed.

a13 A LARGE NUMBER OF VOTERS.

Messrs. Editors: Please to announce HENRY DENIS, Jr., as a candidate for Second District Attorney; election on the fourth Monday of April. a10

Messrs. Editors—Please announce the name of DONATIEN AUGUSTIN as a candidate for the office of Second District Attorney. Election on the 22d inst., by the voters of the three Municipalities.

WITHOUT DISTINCTION OF PARTY.

Messrs. Editors:—Please announce Messrs. J. L. FABRE and PAULIN BLANQUE as candidates for Aldermen of the Fourth Ward, First Municipality. They will receive the support of a16 THE PEOPLE.

Messrs. Editors: Please announce E. GIQUEL, as a candidate for the office of Alderman of the Sixth District, First Municipality.

☞ We are authorized to announce Capt. JOHN YOUENES, the present attentive and efficient incumbent, as a candidate for the office of Captain of the Guard, on the 22d April. a9

Commissioners of Liquidation.

The voters of the First Municipality beg leave to present the name of PETER DEVERGES to their fellow-citizens, as a candidate for Commissioner to liquidate the debts of the old Corporation, and of the Municipalities, at the ensuing election on the 22d April. His character, standing and ability will insure him the vote of

a10 THE FIRST MUNICIPALITY.

Comptroller of the First Municipality.

We are authorized to announce O. DeBUYS, the present Deputy Comptroller, as a candidate for Comptroller of the First Municipality, at the election on the 22d April. a8

Editors of the Bee.—Please announce Capt. JOHN H. SCOTT, as a Candidate for the office of Wharfinger First Municipality, at the ensuing election. HIS NUMEROUS FRIENDS.

☞ Please announce Mr. THEODORE BRAUNS, the present efficient Commissary of the Sixth Ward, as a candidate for Wharfinger of the First Municipality, at the next election. By doing so you will oblige HIS NUMEROUS FRIENDS.

For Wharfinger—1st Municipality.

We are authorized to announce ARMAND DEJAN, actual incumbent, as a candidate for re-election, at the election of 22d April a1

For Wharfinger—1st Municipality.

Please announce Mr. FERNANDO MENDOZA, as a candidate for this office, at the election on the 22d April, 1850. a4

☞ Please announce L. H. PILIE as a candidate for the office of Surveyor, First Municipality. ap2

☞ Please announce Mr. EMILE BADOUIN, as a candidate for the office of Wharfinger, First Municipality. [ap2] VOTERS.

☞ We are authorized to announce FREDERICK PREVOST, as a candidate for the office of Wharfinger of Municipality No. One.

For Treasurer of the First Municipality.

We are authorized to announce J. A. DUREL, the present incumbent, as a candidate for Treasurer of the First Municipality at the Election on the 22d of April. a1

Messrs. Editors:—Please announce Mr. LEWIS SERE, as a candidate for the office of Treasurer of the Municipality No. One, at the election to be held on the 22nd April, 1850. a1

☞ Candidate for Surveyor First Municipality, L. BURGI. a1

WANTED, LOST, &c.

ANY PERSON knowing aught of the whereabouts of one ALEXANDER PETERKIN, a native of Edinburgh, Scotland, who removed from the State of New York to this city in April, 1846, will oblige by affording information on the subject to WM. MURE, Esq., H. B. M. Consul,

a13 118 Common st., New Orleans.

A CLERK well qualified for retail business, and speaking French and English, will find a situation by applying by letter through the Post Office to Box D 118. Good references wanted. m26

Loan on Mortgage.—Wanted, a Loan on Mortgage of $27,000 on a property situated at 2 miles from the city, measuring 2¼ arpents, fronting the Mississippi river, by 80 arpents deep.

A fine Dwelling House, with out-houses, and a Brick Yard in full operation, having three furnaces and every other apparatus to keep them employed. Also—25 Slaves and several children.

☞ Apply at THIS OFFICE. f28

IN STORE—40 boxes Dry Prunes; 300 boxes, 200 half boxes and 1500 quarter do Sardines, A. Gillet & Co.'s brand; 700 boxes old Claret; 50 casks old Wine, 1841, '42 and '44; 27 casks St. Julien family Wine; 50 bbls Haut Sauterne White Wine; 121 boxes do do; 200 boxes L. Jeanrenaud Absynth; 150 boxes Kirsch; Corks, Aniseed, Liquors, Champagne, Bitters, Burgundy Wine, &c., for sale by

a3 B. TALAMON, 182 and 186 Royal st.

LINEN GOODS.

REGULAR WHOLESALE DRY GOODS TRADE.

THE subscriber offers to the trade a good assortment of LINEN GOODS, embracing every grade of dressed and undressed Linens, pillow case Linens, 6-4, 10-4 and 12 4 Linen Sheetings, Linen Drills and Checks, planters', brown and green Linens, white and brown Hollands, Linen Diapers and Damasks, Towels, Napkins, Nettings, &c.

a3 J. H. PALMER, 56 Gravier st.

BRANDY—In store—4-4 and 4 8 pipes H. Sutton Brandy, Cognac, 1st proof, 1820; 20-4 do do do, 1831; 10 4 do J. B. Clarc, do do, 1831; 18 4 do Martellen, do do, 1835; 10-4 do J. J. Dupuy, do do, 1840, for sale by B. TALAMON,

a3 182 and 186 Royal st.

LANDING ex ship Orbita, from Marseilles, 50 casks Bergasse Red Wine; 70 boxes Olives; 60 boxes Pickles; 10 boxes Anchovies in salt; 10 do assorted salt meat; 50 boxes Orange Flower Water; 100 baskets J. Plagniol Olive Oil 24 ounces; for sale by B. TALAMON,

a3 182 and 186 Royal st.

MANTAS, IMPERIALES, &c.:

30 bales 4-4 Chicopey D brown Sheetings;
30 do do Cabot A do do;
20 do do Milledgeville. do;
40 do English Imperiales, a superior article,

together with a general assortment of Linen and Muslin goods, well adapted for the Mexican trade, just received and for sale by

a6 9w McDOWELL & PECK, 66 Gravier st.

LOG CABIN AND FANCY COTTONADES—Received per brig Thos. Walter, from Philadelphia:

20 Cases Log Cabin Cottonades;
5 Cases Emerald stripe do;
5 Cases Brazil striped do;
5 Cases Florentine, do for sale by

a6-9w McDOWELL & PECK, 66 Gravier st.

THE undersigned, having been appointed agents for Messrs. COIRIN'S Brick Yard, are prepared to execute promptly, all orders left with them.

a15 R. & A. SOULE, 84 Bienville st.

PLASTER OF PARIS—300 bbls fresh calcined Plaster of Paris, landing and for sale by

a11 THOS. BLOIS, 91 Magazine st.

INDIGO—Guatemala and Manilla Indigo, in ceroons and boxes, in store and for sale by

a9 LABORDE & XIQUES, 3 Front st.

E. Grasier's Blankets.

LANDING—From ship Orbita, from Marseilles—40 bales white Blankets, first quality; 10 bales blue do extra quality, for sale by

a9 E. DE GOES & RIFFLARD.

HAVANA SEGARS—A large assortment of the brands, such as Cabanas, Cabanga, Partagas, Figaro, Sevillana, Palma, ... Ugues, Flor, Sien de Oro, Union, ... for sale by ... a6 ... 20 Gravier st.

HAVANA SEGARS—[illegible]

AMUSEMENTS.

Placide's Varieties.... Gravier st.

TUESDAY, April 16, will be performed the comedy of the SERIOUS FAMILY—Charles Torrens, Howard; Aminadab Sleek, Holland; Lady Creamly, Mrs Rowe; Mrs. Torrens, Mrs. Howard.... After which a grand DIVERTISSEMENT, by all the principal artists and ballet corps.... To conclude with the PRETTY GIRLS OF STILLBURG—Ernest, Placide; Bobby, Dawson; Popplewig, Holland; Margot, Mrs. Howard, Christine, Mrs. Johnson.

In Rehearsal "CAMARALSAMAN." a16

St. Charles Theatre.
TRIUMPHANT SUCCESS OF
MACALLISTER.
THE PRINCE OF MAGICIANS,

WHOSE novel and extraordinary FEATS and TRANSFORMATIONS were received with unusual marks of approbation. He will make his second appearance on

TUESDAY EVENING, April 16.

In the ENCHANTED PALACE, in two dreams, introducing a variety of feats and experiments, both philosophical and mechanical.

Prices of Admission, Dress Circle, Private Boxes and Parquette, $1 00. Family Circle (2d tier) Pit and 3d tier, fifty cents. Gallery twenty-five cents.

Box Office open from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M., and from 7 1-2. Performance to commence at 8. a16

Grand Concert at the Lyceum Hall.

WILLIAM VINCENT WALLACE,

HAS the honor to announce to his friends and the public, that he will give a CONCERT on FRIDAY EVENING, the 19th inst., assisted by some eminent Vocalists, and a powerful Orchestra, on which occasion he will perform on the Piano his GRAND FANTASIE on MARITANA, a NOCTURNE, (le Zephyr,) and a TARANTELLE DE BRAVOURE, and on the Violin BRILLIANT VARIATIONS on themes from Bellini's opera, the "Straniera," and "Romambula;" also, a new FANTASIE DE CONCERT on the Irish melody, "Tis the Last Rose of Summer," composed expressly for this Concert.

☞ Tickets $1 each—To be had at the principal Music Stores, at the office of the St. Charles Hotel, and at the door.

☞ Concert to commence at 8 o'clock. a15

Wonderful and Amusing.

THEOPHILUS FISKE, of Philadelphia, begs leave to announce that M Dumac and his assistants will deliver a course of Lectures upon the newly discovered science of Electro-Biology or the Electrical Science of Life, at the Saloon of the St. Louis Hotel (entrance on Royal street) in the French language, commencing on WEDNESDAY EVENING, April 17th, at half past seven o'clock. After the lecture, a series of the most astonishing and amusing experiments will be performed, that have ever been witnessed in any age of the world. Persons of well known character and standing, who come forward voluntarily from among the audience, will be experimented upon in a perfectly wakeful state, their voluntary motions completely controlled, so that they can neither rise up nor sit down except at the option of the operator; the taste of pure water will be changed to that of vinegar, honey, milk, wormwood, lemonade, brandy, &c., &c. All this while the persons experimented on are perfectly awake, in the full possession of all their faculties, and that too without any mesmeric process whatever. Mr. F. pledges his word that all these experiments, remarkable as they may seem, are really and truly performed without resort to trick or collusion. The wonderful cures of palsy, neuralgia, dyspepsia, and all classes of nervous diseases, that have been effected by this astonishing remedial agent, prove it to be one of the most beneficial discoveries that have ever been made to the world.

☞ Tickets of admission, 50 cents; a gentleman and two ladies, $1 00. Eight Tickets for $2 00, reducing the price to 25 cents each; Children, half price.

Classes will be formed every week (in French and English) for thorough instruction in this new science, of which public notice will be given. Invalids will be attended at the Saloon every morning at 9 o'clock. Charges moderate. a12

GLOBE BALL ROOM.
Corner of St. Claude and St. Peter sts., abreast of the Old Basin.

THE proprietor would most respectfully inform his friends and the public, that the above spacious and unequalled establishment, having been neatly and tastefully fitted up, will be opened for the season, on SATURDAY, the 20th inst., with a

Grand Dress and Masked Ball,

and that Balls will take place regularly hereafter every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday.

The orchestra will be composed of the best artists now in the city, and nothing has been neglected calculated to render the room one of the most agreeable places of amusement in the city. An efficient police is engaged, and order will be enforced.

SALVADOR VIOSCA, Proprietor.

Whitlock, Manager.

N. B. Attached to the establishment is a superior Bar, well stocked with choice Wines and Liquors; also, a Restaurant, where may be had, at all times, such delicacies as the market affords.

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Ice-Cream.—Sherbets.

COURVOISIER & CO., will open their Ice Cream Pavilion, on St. Anthony Square on SATURDAY, 6th inst.

Amateurs will always find there the best ICE CREAM and SHERBETS. a5

300,000 Dollars To be Distributed!

BRITANNIA RACING PORTRAIT CLUB,
PLYMOUTH ENGLAND.

THE Managers beg to acquaint their Patrons, at home and abroad, that there will be a Grand Distribution of PORTRAITS OF RACE HORSES for the "GREAT ST. LEGER RACE," to be decided September, 1850.

10,000 Members at 20 Dollars each.
10,000 Members at 10 Dollars each.

Parties should make early application for Shares. The Fortunate members who draw the various Portraits of those Horses which are entered for the Race, will be presented with the following Bonuses in specie.

	1st Class Bonuses.	2d Class Bonuses.
Portrait of Winning Horse,	$50,000	$25,000
" Second do	40,000	20 000
" Third do	30,000	15 000
Divided amongst Starters,	40,000	20,000
" Non-Starters,	40,000	20 000

The Drawing to be conducted upon the same legitimate principles as those adopted by the "Art Union." Full particulars of the result, with a List of the Fortunate numbers will be sent to absent Members, that each may know his position. Bonuses presented immediately after the Race. Scrip transmitted on receipt of a remittance. Dollar Notes, Bills of Exchange, &c., to be addressed to the Managers, W. JAMES & Co.—Office Commission 10 per Cent. a16

HORATIO DAVIS.
NOTARY PUBLIC.

St. Charles street, under the St. Charles Hotel, near Common street, New Orleans. a5

THEODORE O. STARK,
NOTARY PUBLIC,

No. 88 Gravier Street, and No. 10 Banks' Arcade Passage. a5 1y

J. MAGNE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW.
Office 82 Chartres street.

☞ R. & A. SOULE have opened their office at 84 Bienville street, between Royal and Bourbon streets. a8 6tis 2w

D. BORNIO, Jr., COMMISSION MERCHANT, and Importer of Havana Segars and Tobacco, No 34 Gravier street. a4 1y

BOOTS, SHOES & BROGANS—400 cases discharging from ships M. A. Cooper, Avalanche, Cornelia, Sheffield, Silas Holmes, Mayflower, Hero and bark Arthur; for sale, by ap15 12t R. G. HOBBS, 12 Customhouse st.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS.—176 cases now landing from ships Sheffield and Beatrice, for sale by a12 G. W. DUNBAR, 20 Customhouse st.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS—Now landing and in store, a general assortment of goods in the above line, suitable for the present and approaching season, for sale low by m15 FROST & CO., No. 10 Magazine st.

BROGANS, LADIES', MISSES AND CHILDREN'S SHOES.—24 trunks of fine goods of Philadelphia and Newark manufacture, now landing from ships Wabash and Telegraph, for sale by G. W. DUNBAR, m 7 20, Customhouse st.

BOOTS, SHOES and BROGANS—296 cases discharging from ships Lochinvar and Calcutta and for sale by R. G. HOBBS, 11-22a 12 Customhouse street.

PALM LEAF HATS—50 cases Palm Leaf Hats Men's and Boy's assorted qualities, for sale by a9 FROST & CO., No. 10 Magazine st.

PALM LEAF HATS—40 cases mens' and boys' Palm Leaf Hats, assorted qualities, now landing from ship Lochinvar, for sale by m30 FROST & CO. No. 10 Magazine st.

Five Dollars Reward.

FOR the griffe boy JERRY, who formerly belonged to L. Morel—well known to the frequenters of his coffee-stand in the Meat Market, First Municipality.

He is without a pass from us. We will give $5 reward for his delivery at our counting-room, free of all other charges.

R. J. HART & CO.,
a16 3t 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

Twenty Five Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY from the plantation of V. B. Marmillion, St. John the Baptist parish on the 12th April, the negro man OSCAR BROWN; he is about 33 years old, 5 feet 10 inches high, and strongly built. The above reward will be paid to whoever will deliver him to his master, or lodge him in one of the South jails.

Apply in New Orleans, at a15 3t McMARTIN'S, 171 Chartres st.

Twenty-Five Dollars Reward

WILL be paid by the undersigned for the apprehension of the negro man TEAM, who left Grande Isle plantation about six weeks ago, and is no doubt lurking in the rear of the city, where he has been seen several times. TEAM is a cooper by trade, and about 6 feet high, 25 years of age, and has lost his front teeth. Coopers are cautioned against employing him. JUAN Y de EGANA,

april 16d 47 Bienville st.

Fresh Garden, Farm and Flower Seeds.

WARRANTED THE GROWTH OF 1849.

The subscriber has just received, by the bark Arthur, from Philadelphia, a large assortment of seasonable GARDEN SEEDS, consisting of the following, viz:

Beets, assorted;	Leek;	Peppers, assort'd;
Beans, "	Lettuce;	Pumpkins;
Broccoli, "	Musk Melon;	Radish;
Cabbage, "	Water Melon;	Spinage;
Cauliflower "	Mustard;	Squash;
Celery, "	Egg Plant;	Rutabaga;
Carrot, "	Onions;	Tomatoes;
Cress, "	Okra;	Turnips;
Cucumber "	Peas;	Parsley, etc.

Prices to Market Gardeners greatly reduced. Please call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

WM. BUNN, Agent, 20 Canal st.

a9 New Buildings on the Levee.

WINES—[illegible] ... [illegible]

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