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☞ For Legislative matter see THIRD PAGE.

THE NORTHERN MAIL arrived through yesterday, bringing the latest dates.

THE ELECTION—THE RESULT.

When on Monday morning we informed the Whigs that their adversaries were well organized and would struggle desperately for success, we neither exaggerated facts, nor overestimated the skill and energy of Locofocoism. The partizans of Democracy did turn out on election day and gave us as fierce a battle as we have ever had to fight. That they accomplished nothing in the First Municipality is due to our voice of warning being heard and heeded.—They were met in that quarter and driven from all their vantage grounds. The Municipality is Whig to the core. The four members elect of the General Council, ten out of the sixteen Aldermen, and a brilliant majority for CROSSMAN attest the manfulness with which the Whigs performed their duty. That the result in the Second Municipality was less auspicious—that Locofocoism in that section succeeded in defeating the efficient and indefatigable BALDWIN, in increasing their numbers in the Board of Aldermen, and in cutting down, to some extent, the Whig majority on the popular vote, is wholly attributable to the overconfidence and supineness of the Whigs themselves. The Locofoca wards exhibit an enormous vote; the Whig wards a comparatively slender one. Had the Whigs toiled with the same zeal and activity as their antagonists, not a solitary murmur of regret would now mingle with their shouts of triumph.

Still the fruits of the contest are substantial ones, and the Whigs have gathered nearly the entire crop. We have the Mayor, the General Council, the Municipal Councils in the 1st and 2d Municipalities where alone political issues prevailed, and almost all the officers elected by the people. The Locofocos have elected CALDWELL, Recorder in the 2d Municipality—this being the Alpha and Omega of their victory. They went to work with the determination to defeat Mr. BALDWIN, and they succeeded, in no inconsiderable degree by Whig votes. We trust that those Whigs who helped to oust one of their own party, and to put in a most bitter Locofoco, feel pleasant at the fulfilment of their wishes.

It had been thought by some that CROSSMAN's majority would have been larger; but those only entertained the opinion, who were simple enough to believe that the show of indignation against BELL, by the Democrats, meant something more than a rhetorical flourish. Catch a genuine Locofoco refusing to vote the ticket dictated to him by a Convention or a Committee! Such a phenomenon has rarely, if ever been witnessed; and the miserable vote given to SPEAR proves conclusively that in this instance, as usual, the Locos vaunted of principle but stuck to party.

THE RETURNS.

We are yet destitute of the complete and official returns throughout the city. By some oversight, the clerks in most of the Wards neglected to prepare lists for the press, and sent the votes and ballot boxes to the Mayor's office, where they will remain until 12 o'clock, to day, when they will be counted in the presence of the Mayor and Recorders, and officially promulgated. We prefer, therefore, to give general results, and await the official count.

THE MAYOR.—The vote for Mayor will not vary much from our statement yesterday morning. CROSSMAN is elected by a majority little below six hundred. The majority against him in the Third Municipality is counterbalanced by that in his favor in the Second, leaving him a round majority of nearly 600 in the First.

RECORDERS.—In the First Municipality, GENOIS is chosen by a very large majority. In the Second, CALDWELL beats BALDWIN by a little over 100 votes. In the Third, SEUZENEAU is elected over COLLINS by about 150 votes. The election in the Third Municipality will be contested, on the ground of gross frauds perpetrated in the First Ward.

GENERAL COUNCIL.—We believe that in the First and Second Municipalities a clean Whig ticket is chosen, though it is not absolutely certain that no Locofoco has slipped in. The Third Municipality will of course be represented in the General Council by four Locofocos.

ALDERMEN.—The Board of Aldermen in the First Municipality will consist of ten Whigs and six Locofocos; in the Second, of nine Whigs and seven Locos; in the Third, there will be a Democratic majority.

SURVEYOR.—Pilie is chosen in the First, Dunbar in the Second, and D'Hemecourt in the Third Municipality.

TREASURER.—In the First Municipality Mr. Durel is re-elected, in the Second, Col. Garland, and in the Third, Mr. Esnard.

COMPTROLLER.—In the First Municipality Ovide DeBoys is elected without opposition; in the Second, Adolphe Layet is re-elected by a handsome majority. In the Third, McNeil is elected.

CAPTAIN OF THE GUARD.—In the First Municipality, John Youenes, the terror of evil-doers, is re-elected without opposition. In the Second, Captain Forno is chosen over many formidable competitors. In the Third, Captain Mazaret has obtained a majority.

SECOND DISTRICT ATTORNEY.—The result of the election for this office is yet uncertain, but as far as heard from the chances appear to be in favor of Charles S. Reese, who runs very closely with Perry S. Warfield.

LIQUIDATING COMMISSIONERS.—In the First Municipality, Messrs. A. Bodin and J. M. Lapeyre have succeeded by a considerable majority, though last in the field. In the Second, the Commissioners elect are Wilhelmus Bogart and W. P. Converse. In the Third, Messrs. Walton, Wilder and Wiltz run highest. It is thought that the two latter are chosen.

Aldermen Elect.
FIRST MUNICIPALITY.
1st Ward—Messrs. McAlpin, Hagan, *Lynd.*
2d " Messrs. *Silk* and *McLaughlin.*
3d " Messrs. J. Lanata and F. Maxent.
4th " Messrs. J. L. Fabre and F. Blanque.
5th " Messrs. *C. Ramos* and G. Clarke.
6th " Messrs. Giquel, Bonneval, *Derbes.*
7th " Messrs. *Dupre* and C. Janionville.
SECOND MUNICIPALITY.
1st Ward—Messrs. Marks and Yancy.
2d " Messrs. Renshaw and *Sewell.*
3d " Messrs. *Pride* and *Johnson.*
4th " Messrs. Hale and Shields.
5th " Messrs. Montayne and Lawrason.
6th " Messrs. Peters, Shakespear and Hawthorn.
7th " Messrs. *Hooper, McCormick* and *Stewart.*
THIRD MUNICIPALITY.
1st Ward—Messrs. W. C. C. Claiborne, *Mark Dodard,* L. J. Heres.
2d " Messrs. Hooper, Dene, *Weisheimer.*
3d " Messrs. Flanders, Hernandez and Boelet.
4th " Messrs. Paimly and Brunot.

RETURN OF A CALIFORNIA MILLIONAIRE.—The Providence Journal says that Mr. Stephen A. Wright, who left South Kingston several years ago for the West, and finally reached California, where he was settled when the discovery of gold was made, has just returned with a fortune of about half a million, with which, like a sensible man, he has come to live in the land of his birth.

☞ We are indebted to the Hon. DANIEL WEBSTER and the Hon. S. W. DOWNS, for interesting public documents.

BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

[By the Southern Line.]
[TRANSMITTED TO THE N. O. BEE.]

Arrival of the Steamer.

BALTIMORE, April 19.

The steamer arrived at Halifax last night, and left to-day at 9 A. M., with 71 through passengers. The Canada arrived at Liverpool on 2d April, and her advices caused an advance of ⅛ to ¼d. in middling qualities of American Cotton. Sales during the last two weeks 66,000 bales, of which speculators took 17,000 and exporters 5,500, nearly all of which was done the last week, in which 45,000 bales were sold.

There is an increased buoyancy in the Corn market. Flour and Indian Meal have each advanced one shilling. Coffee has risen. There was a public sale at Amsterdam, which caused prices to recede, but they have since rallied; but the market is so unsteady that quotations would be useless.

The market has been duller for American provisions, and the prices are lower, especially for Bacon Hams and Lard, each of which have receded about one shilling. American Rosin, 3s. to 3s. 2d.

Public order prevails in Paris, but political affairs have assumed a more threatening aspect.

Sugar holders show a disposition to realize, at a reduction of 6d to 1s. per cwt. At London, the market was dull, except for refined. The market for Tobacco was less active than for some time past—holders, however, are firm, and prices unchanged.—The sales for March are upwards of 800 hhds. Tallow commands 37s.

The Money market is easier, and the stock of bullion is increasing in the Bank, and exceeds £17,000,000. Consuls fluctuated last week from 95⅞ to 96⅜—closing at 96⅜ for money and account. American stocks in good request, but we have received no quotations.

The report from manufacturing districts better. The Manchester market for some days has been gradually improving, especially for yarn and fine goods. Freights continue high, and American vessels are scarce.

The English coast was visited by a severe hurricane on the 30th March, causing much destruction of shipping, and a frightful loss of life among the vessels lost. The *John Skiddy* gone ashore on the coast of Wexford, and totally wrecked—captain, passengers and crew saved. The *Howard*, from New Orleans, also wrecked at the entrance to the Mersey. Steamer *Charlotte*, from Dublin, for London, wrecked near the mouth of the Thames, and all on board, numbering 200, drowned. The coast is everywhere strewed with the wrecks of vessels which have been lost during this frightful gale.

SECOND DISPATCH.

Brown, Shipley & Co.'s Circular quotes Fair Orleans 6⅞, Mobile 6¾, Uplands 6⅝, Middling Orleans and Mobile 6⅛ to 6⅜. Stock on hand 505,000 bales, of which 222,000 are American. The article was firm on the closing of the week ending 31st.

THIRD DESPATCH.

BALTIMORE, April 20.

LIVERPOOL, 6th.—Advices have been received from Van Dieman's Land up to the last November. Smith O'Brien and his associates had arrived there.

Ireland.

The Repeal agitation had partly revived in Ireland, in consequence of the intention of England to abolish the Irish Vice Regal Government and to transfer the Judiciary to London.

France.

In the French Assembly, a proposition was made by Larosche Jacquelin for a motion to vote definitively on the formation of a government by inscribing the words "Republic" or "Monarchy" on the ballots. The proposition was received in silence, until it was seen that it was not seconded, when the "mountain members" vociferated "*Vive la Republique!*" Several angry communications passed between the parties on both sides.

A serious rupture has occurred between the governments of Prussia and Wirtemberg, the Prussian ambassador being recalled.

It is said that negotiations had commenced between the Central States of Germany and the United States, the object of which is to furnish the German States with American built vessels of war fully equipped.

Turkey.

Advices from Constantinople say that preparations are being made to conduct Kossuth and the other Hungarian refugees to Wallachia or Asia Minor there to be confined for five years. On the 29th of March an insurrection broke out at Boutnes, (?) which was extending and increasing in strength. Two thousand Turkish troops had been defeated by the insurgents, and compelled to evacuate the fortress of Ban Gulka.

Spain.

The report that a speedy reconciliation would take place between Spain and England is confirmed. The state of the Island of Cuba is causing great solicitude on the part of the Spanish Government.

Greece.

Sir Wm. Parker has given up eleven of the captured vessels.

FROM CHAGRES.

By the steamship *Falcon*, Lieut. HARTSTEIN, arrived last evening, from Chagres 11th inst., via Havana 20th, we learn that there had been no later arrivals at Panama than was received by the *Ohio*. Every thing remained quiet at Panama.

The *Falcon* brought the following passengers:

From Chagres—A C Heinkin, J Lethbridge, C B Toan, J Homer, N Choral, W Mix, A Tein, J D Doner, J C Lee, W Cooley, J M Chere, L B Johnson.

From Havana—S W Weaver, E A Keeling, A Sellous, Captain A M Williams, J & Orr, W H Whiting, Mr Strabrook, Master Cassine, Mr A Vignon, Miss Vignon, Mr Bendall and lady, Jos Robb, J Fonlhouse, G Belcher, A Rigel, H Stakue, A Dickson, Jas Lawton, H Yeiverton, H Tolon, E Caspee, E Heirn, Jno Flack.

From New York—P Fannug, D Arnaud, J Stout, J R Gould, Jno Ball, J L Robinson, H E Manning, W C Carter, S Hollie, W. Danbridge.

EXPLOSION.—We learn from the St. Louis Republican, that the steamer New Orleans, bound from Cincinnati to this city, (New Orleans,) bursted her starboard boiler at Saline tow-head, a few miles below Shawneetown, on Sunday, the 14th inst. The explosion did considerable damage to the upper works of the boat, but strange to say, no one was killed or seriously injured. About ten feet of the boiler was blown out.

VIRGINIA AND THE NASHVILLE CONVENTION.—The Richmond *Times* says that, so far as it is informed, the following are all the counties in Virginia which have as yet moved in favor of the Nashville Convention, viz:

Amelia, Appomattox, Greenville, Brunswick, Mecklenburg, Halifax, Madison, Louisa, Princess Anne, King William, and Campbell.

The following have voted, in court-house meetings, against the appointment of delegates: Albemarle, Augusta, London, King George, Franklin and Caroline.

No county west of the Blue Ridge has yet had a meeting for sending delegates to Nashville, except that the Democrats of Jefferson have declared themselves in favor of the measure.

☞ The *National Intelligencer* of the 16th, has an article in reference to the rumors of unfriendly relations between the President and the Cabinet, in the course of which, that article pronounces these statements utterly erroneous. The *Intelligencer* says:

It is not true that the enemies of the Cabinet "have won the President over to them;" nor is it true that "the President has intimated a strong disposition" to "form a new Cabinet."—There exists, we have reason to know, entire concord between him and his Cabinet; and there is not, we verily believe, a single member of the Cabinet who would not retire from his station instantaneously on discovering that his presence in the Council Chamber was not desired by the President. There is not, we are persuaded, one of them who is not affectionately and deeply attached to the President, and proud that he enjoys the esteem and confidence of that eminent man. Nor is there in fact any division, or any want of harmony, between the President and the members of the Cabinet.

Sincere friends to the President, grateful for the services which he has rendered, and those which he is now performing, for his country, we are rejoiced to be able to say, as we now do upon the best authority, that there is not a shadow of truth in the rumors respecting the relations between the President and the Cabinet to which we have in the preceding paragraphs referred.

Appointments by the President.

By and with the advice and consent of the Senate.

Wills de Hass, of Virginia, to be Consul of the United States for Merida and Sisal, in Yucatan.

Curtius H. Saunders, of Tennessee, to be Consul of the United States for St. Catherine's, Brazil.

J. J. Wickes, to be Assistant Treasurer of the United States, and Treasurer of the Mint at New Orleans, in the State of Louisiana.

THE HUNGARIANS.—We learn that Ladislaus Ujhazy, late Governor of Comorn, with his lady, two daughters, and three sons, Major Beranyi, Captain Gakais, Captain Remenyi, and Captain Gonsuthz, left New York on the 13th instant for Iowa, to select land for their settlement, and for such of their brave compatriots as may join them.

☞ THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, the Succession Sales of Hilligsberg and Ebel, will be sold at auction at Banks' Arcade, by J. A. Beard, Auctioneer. The property for sale comprises vacant Lots near the New Basin, St. Peter, Claiborne and Derbigny streets, and improved property on Religious street, near the Water Works Basin.

The terms are extremely liberal, and the property is worthy the attention of purchasers.

CONGRESS.

In the SENATE, on the 15th, the resolution directing the purchase of 2000 copies of the reports of the debates of the California Convention was adopted.

The Deficiency Bill was then taken up, and the Patent Office appropriation was passed.—Additional Clerks in the Post Office Department were provided, and various appropriations to complete public works in Washington were adopted. When, before finishing the bill, the Senate adjourned.

In the HOUSE, the Speaker announced the death of Mr. Campbell, the Clerk.

Mr. Gentry offered resolutions of respect to his memory—prefacing them with a eulogium upon the character of the deceased—which were unanimously adopted, and then the House adjourned.

In Advance of the Mail.

The St. Louis papers contain the following intelligence, which is 24 hours in advance of the mail:

SENATE.—After the transaction of the morning business, the Deficiency bill was again taken up, and the debate resumed on an amendment of no general interest.

Mr. Cass moved to strike out the appropriation for outfit for a Charge to Austria.

Mr. Foote expressed the hope that a provision would be made, in the amendment of the Senator from Michigan, for the re-establishing of diplomatic relations with the central Government of Germany.

Mr King opposed Mr. Cass' amendment.

After some debate on the general principles involved in the amendment, it was rejected by yeas, 17—nays, 28. The bill, having been amended in several particulars, was passed.

Mr. Foote moved to take up his motion for a select committee of 13. Mr. Dayton suggested that there was much pressing executive business, and hoped that the Senate would go into Executive session. Mr. Foote insisted on his motion, and in the course of his remarks, repeated a portion of a song recently published in New York, advocating the proposed reference, and the uniting of California's admission with other measures. This he considered the latest authentic indication of public sentiment. Mr. Hale suggested that the Senate sing it! (Great laughter.) Mr. Clay suggested, as a reason why the motion for a select Committee should be decided, one way or the other, that he understood that the committee of six, appointed to convey the remains of Mr. Calhoun to their final resting place were to leave the city tomorrow, to perform the duty assigned them—if this were true, it was important that these gentlemen should have the opportunity of participating in the vote upon the pending question before they should leave. Mr. Mason said that the committee referred to did not purpose to leave the city until Monday next; in behalf of the gentlemen composing it, he desired to express the hope that the business of the Senate would be so arranged that no vote would be taken during their absence, on important questions pending before this Senate. After further debate, it was suggested to make Mr. Foote's motion the special order for half-past 12 to-morrow. The Senate then went into Executive session, and afterwards adjourned.

HOUSE.—On the fourth trial for Clerk, Young received 55 votes; Prendle, 45; and Walker, subordinate Clerk of the House, 33; remainder, scattering. An ineffectual motion was made to adjourn. Fifth vote, Young, 63; Prendle, 32; Walker, 57; scattering, 33. No election.

The House adjourned.

Telegraphic Items.

LOUISVILLE, April 15.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE IN LOUISVILLE, KY.—A destructive fire occurred here on Saturday night, in the wholesale grocery establishment of Messrs. Brannon & Morton, which, before it could be subdued, destroyed the entire establishment. The loss is estimated at $20,000.

ST. LOUIS, April 15.

SNOW STORM IN ST. LOUIS.—We were visited by a severe snow storm yesterday, which fell without ceasing for nine hours. The snow now measures eight inches deep on a level.—The weather to-day is cold, but mild in comparison with what we have had for the last two days.

ST. LOUIS, April 15.

TRIAL OF THE MONTESQUIEUS.—The trial of the brothers Montesquieu, for the murder of young Barnum, is drawing to a close. The defence was opened on Saturday by Mr. Bates. Much sympathy is felt for these unfortunate strangers. The court room is daily crowded to excess, and a large number of ladies are in attendance.

ST. LOUIS, April 15.

SUFFERING AMONG THE CALIFORNIA EMIGRANTS.—Recent accounts have been received here from St. Joseph, which represent much suffering existing among the California emigrants. The diarrhea had become an alarming epidemic, and numbers were dying from its effects. Many of those who had not been attacked by the disease, or who had recovered, were returning home.

A BURGLAR AND A HEROINE.—At Philadelphia, early last week, a negro man was discovered in the upper rooms of Mrs. Ellen Royondi's boarding-house, whilst in the act of securing his plunder, by Miss Sarah Ann Drane, a lady from Virginia, who was visiting at the house. As he made his escape out of the window on an arbor, she held the candle in his face, and then ran down into the yard to intercept him.—As he reached the pavement, she seized him by the wool, and screamed for help, when he drew a knife and cut her slightly on the side, passing through her clothing and cutting the flesh, and made his escape from the heroic girl. From her description of him, the police were satisfied that it was a notorious fellow called "Black Bill" who, on being arrested, was fully identified by Miss Drane.

We copy the following paragraph from the Georgetown, S. C., *True Republican* of the 17th inst.

PICKED UP.—We are informed upon pretty reliable authority, that Mr. Timothy Coward, who resides at Godfrey's Ferry, on the Pee Dee, while engaged in fishing some few days since, heard the cry of a child, and on looking in the direction whence the noise came, he discovered an object floating rapidly down the current of the river. He immediately went in pursuit of the object, overtook and raised it in his canoe, when it proved to be a wooden box, containing a live infant, apparently some three or four days old. The box seemed to have been made with great care, well finished, and water proof, and was well lined inside with flannel; and the little equarian—if we may so speak—very handsomely dressed in its "best bib and tucker."

Fortunately for the poor babe, and equally fortunate for the peace of mind of the diabolical wretch who placed the infant in so perilous a condition, it has fallen into the hands of a humane and generous man, who sets up a claim of *salvage*, covering nothing short of the vessel and cargo entire. Mr. Coward would not exchange the little Moses—a name we take the liberty to suggest—for all other babies *afloat*.

BONNET CARRE CREVASSE.—We copy the following from the Mobile *Register* of Monday:

This outlet for the waters of the Mississippi river, formed in opposition to the design and purposes of man, we learn, gives promise of forming for itself a deep channel with well defined boundaries, and becoming a permanent outlet. It will prove a great blessing to our New Orleans friends, one which, by the same token, we fear they will rather complain of, than be as thankful for, as they should be.

Some of the effects of this crevasse are of a singular character. The flood of fresh water pouring from the river into Lake Pontchartrain, and thence into the Gulf, has so freshened the water in the vicinity of Shieldsboro' and Pass Christian, as to have destroyed the oysters in its course and driven away or destroyed the fish. Then there are various opinions, we learn, as to the effect which the flow of water into the lake may have on that body. By some it is supposed, that the deposit from the river will gradually fill up the lake. Others think the current is so strong that it will keep it open, as the turbid waters of the great river itself, never allow its depth to be lessened. As these are but conjectures, we will offer ours. And it is this—that the crevasse will create for itself and keep up a deep channel, wherever the main body or current passes through the lake, and on either side of this channel, deposits will be formed at every freshet, by the eddies, and wherever there is dead water. These deposites will be elevated from year to year by accretions, till the lake is filled up, leaving the deep channel as before mentioned, with the regular outlines of a river with low banks, such as characterize the Mississippi itself. The depth of water in the main channel of the crevasse where it has broken through the levee is now eight feet, and will no doubt be deeper. We have not heard of steamboats ascending it and passing into the river, but we would suppose it very practicable.

HEARTRENDING CASUALTY.—On Saturday evening last, Miss Lucinda Scott, of this place, in passing along the street, on horseback, became alarmed at the speed of the horse, which was greater than she was accustomed to, and, in an attempt to jump off, was thrown with violence to the ground, breaking and severely [illegible] her ankle. The shock which this [illegible] accident gave her nervous system was so great as to prostrate it, and all efforts to produce a re-action proved fruitless. After lingering in considerable pain until Thursday morning at one o'clock, she expired.

The death of this most estimable young lady under any circumstances would have produced a deep sensation in this community, among whom she had lived, and by whom she was much beloved; but the painful circumstances attending that event render it doubly distressing. Her heart-stricken relatives have the deepest sympathies of all in their bereavement.—[Yazoo (Ms.) *Planters'* Whig.

The Electrical Light.

We find Mr. PAINE's statement as to his discoveries of Electrical Light confirmed in the following letter, dated at Worcester, (Mass) and published in the Vermont *Chronicle*. It will be found exceedingly interesting. The new theory of water being an elementary body, seems to be sustained by one or two remarkable facts:

Messrs. Editors—I think I have seen in your paper some short notices of the discoveries, made by one of our citizens, Henry M. Paine, Esq, by which he succeeds in decomposing water into oxygen and hydrogen by means of a magneto-electrical apparatus, and then uses these gases for the production of light.

It is now several months since I have had the pleasure of a personal acquaintance with Mr. Paine, and have had repeated conversations with him in regard to his discoveries. He has just now succeeded in bringing his apparatus to such a degree of perfection that he feels prepared to bring it before the public. Last evening, he exhibited it in one of our large halls to a crowd of our citizens and strangers from abroad. He goes from here to Boston, and thence he will direct his course to Washington, stopping at the principal cities on his way. His exhibition here was very satisfactory, and I now feel at liberty to lay before your readers some little account of the discoveries made, and the apparatus constructed by him.

Within a few years past, great advances have been made in the science of electricity, and many things which we were taught to believe as undoubted truth, during our academic course of education, have been shown to be erroneous. It is now conceded by scientific men that the attraction of gravitation, magnetism, and galvanism are nothing more or less than electricity, or in other words manifestations or modifications of electricity.

Some few years ago, it was discovered that if two horseshoe magnets were placed horizontally one above the other, in all its parts, and two pieces of soft iron wound thickly with a coil of copper wire, and placed perpendicular between the poles of the two magnets, were made to revolve by mechanical means (by a weight and clock work, for instance,) so that each should pass rapidly between the poles of the magnets, electricity would be evolved. Mr. Paine makes use of this means for procuring his electricity. The construction of his helices—as the pieces of soft iron wound with copper wire are called, is peculiar; but this peculiarity is at present a secret. I understand, also, that there is a secret in regard to his magnets. He has three placed in juxtaposition, and three more in juxtaposition placed some five inches above the first; and the helices revolve between them. In his apparatus he has three sets of these magnets and helices, and is able to evolve electricity with greater rapidity.

Mr. Paine applied the electricity thus evolved, to the production of gas from water some years ago; but believing in common with others, that it was necessary to have an aqueous communication between the two poles of his battery, in order to complete the circuit; he acted accordingly, but found the same difficulty that others had found in preventing explosions, and at last was nearly killed by one. He then abandoned his experiments for some months, till one day it occurred to him that possibly a metallic communication between the two jars of water might complete the circuit, and thus enable to keep his gases entirely separate, and ensure safety to the operator. Before he slept, he put this matter to the test, and found that by connecting two tumblers of water standing in opposite corners of the room, by means of a copper wire, the desired connection was perfect, and he could evolve his oxygen in one and his hydrogen in the other.

He then thought his object was accomplished; but subsequently found that in bringing the apparatus into practical use, there would be sometimes such a rapid accumulation of electricity as to destroy some portions of his apparatus. This trouble he has at length obviated by an ingenious contrivance, by which any excess of electricity conveys itself off; and he can now with perfect safety produce any desired quantity of the gases, which by proper apparatus may be applied to the production of light, heat or power.

For the production of power, he proposes that the gases in proper proportions and quantities be introduced into cylinders furnished with pistons in a very similar manner to those used in steam engines, and the pistons worked by exploding the gases with an electrical spark.

That both light and heat in any quantities can be easily produced by their combination, no one will doubt who has ever seen the operation of the compound blowpipe, in which these gases have for many years been used by chemists. I have repeatedly witnessed the light produced by Mr. Paine. Last evening the hall was well lighted with common gas; but his gas light from one point radiated from a reflector, was as much brighter than that of the ordinary gas from the usual number of burners as the bright sunshine is brighter than the daylight of a cloudless day. Some months since I saw an exhibition of it in the evening. From the top of our Exchange building he threw a light upon the buildings of the Lunatic Asylum, situated nearly half a mile distant, so bright, that every object could be seen with as much distinctness as by daylight. It appeared fully equal to the brightest sunshine, and it covered of course, at that distance, quite a large space. To the eye, the light point of the reflector presents all the brightness of the sun at noon day. I am told that he has from an eminence thrown a light to the distance of about one mile upon a portion of our city, by which any one could read a newspaper print with perfect ease.

In the course of his experiments, Mr. P. believes that he has discovered several important facts or truths.

1. That an aqueous communication is not necessary between the poles of the electrical machine in order to complete the circuit and generate the gases. This he has proved beyond all doubt.

2. That electricity is not uniformly diffused through the atmosphere, but that it exists in currents or waves, somewhat like the wind. He states that at times while his machine has been in operation, the evolution of electricity has been suddenly and astonishingly increased, and this has been often repeated, and under such circumstances that he cannot account for it upon any other supposition. He has also set his machine in operation in several places at some distance from each other in the course of a few hours, and has found that in some of them the evolution of electricity was very rapid, and in others there was very little, and that too, under such circumstances that he could not account for the difference, except as above.

3. He says that he has been able to weigh electricity in nice adjusted scales. It has been supposed to be imponderable. It has weight.

4. That the old theory that water is a compound of oxygen and hydrogen is erroneous.—He believes that water is a simple substance, and that oxygen is water held in solution by positive electricity, and Hydrogen, water held in solution by negative electricity.

He is able to transform the whole of any given quantity of water into either oxygen or hydrogen gas as he chooses. When he has generated the oxygen gas, at the positive pole of this battery, from a jar of water, the remaining water is not at all changed in its properties, it is simply diminished in quantity; and the same is true of the water from which hydrogen gas been made at the negative pole.

The gases when produced can be preserved in the same manner as other gases, and can be used in the ordinary gas pipes and fixtures. The expense is only the wear of the machine and the labor of winding the weight by which the helices are made to revolve, and the interest upon the first cost of the aparatus, which is not great. Water costs nothing.

Mr. Paine has been engaged about five years in bringing his apparatus to its present degree of perfection. Heavy capitalists are interested in it, so that funds will not be wanting in order to bring it into notice; but time and experience will test its applicability to general use.

Yours, T.

GENERAL JAIL DELIVERY.—Last evening, about dusk, six of the prisoners confined in the jail of this county, made an attack upon the sheriff and jailer, who had entered for the purpose of securing them for the night in their cells.

The jailer was first knocked down and overpowered, a pistol with which he was armed taken from him, and he would undoubtedly have been shot with it, had not one of the prisoners interfered and saved his life.

The sheriff was thrown into one of the cells, and locked in, and the key carried off by one of the rascals that escaped.

The jailer, after recovering from the stunning blow he had received, followed after them and succeeded in securing one of the ringleaders, and bringing him back to prison.

Every effort to relieve the sheriff from his unpleasant predicament proved abortive, until a blacksmith was procured, who, with the aid of a saw, succeeded in cutting asunder the bars of the iron doors of the cell.

Five of the prisoners, four of them United States prisoners, (counterfeiters,) are still at at liberty.—*Ohio State Journal, 10th.*

RIDING ON A RAIL.—A shameful outrage was perpetrated in Milwaukie, some days ago. A man named Herman Krahn was tarred and feathered, and then rode on a rail. The cause of this outrage was the alleged ill treatment of his wife during confinement, in consequence of which she died. A coroner's jury, however returned in their verdict that he was not guilty.

☞ MR. EDITOR: I supplied in e Signor Vito Viti's sale the other day, and I must freely admit, that I was much astonished at the beautiful collection of the works of art which he has gathered together. I believe that to taste upon the experience and judgment of this gentleman, is a work of supererogation. He has been known to the citizens of New Orleans these last 27 years—he ransacks and rummages every corner of the civilized world, to tickle our taste, administer to our wishes and satisfy our judgment; and he most unquestionably and signally succeeds. Witness the beautiful works that ornament the residences of many of our citizens, who, though they may have the inclination and the taste, may not have the time or the opportunity to purchase for themselves. The French portion of the population have always warmly patronized these sales; but he has now in the little boys cart, he hopes for the taste, to-wit: rich services of the best French porcelain, worthy of the most exalted personages—they are indeed superb. He never forgets his American friends, and recommends to their special notice his pieces of sculpture, which are most judiciously selected. They are what would be expected of an Italian refinement, chaste, classical, and well executed, the marble [illegible] without blemish, their [illegible] cold and breathing marble [illegible] in life. I cannot refrain from [illegible] of [illegible] to the [illegible].

COMMERCIAL.

The Markets.

TUESDAY EVENING, April 23, 1850.

The sales of Cotton to-day, amounted to 2,800 bales, at full prices—Middling, 11⅜@11½c ⅌ lb.

Small sales of Sugar and Molasses, at former prices.

The Flour market is dull, at former prices. Corn is scarce and in demand at 72@76c., with sales of 2,340 sacks.

The Provision market is unchanged, and the transactions were only to a moderate extent.

Whiskey is selling at 19@19½c. ⅌ gallon for rectified.

Exchanges remain as last quoted.

Freights are very dull.

DIED

YESTERDAY, at 6 o'clock, P. M., Mrs. WM. ESNAU, at the age of 87 years. Her friends and acquaintances are requested to attend her funeral, which will take place to-day, at half past four o'clock, P. M., from the corner of Customhouse and Rampart sts.

FOR SALE—Landing ex ship Emma, from Bordeaux, 10 1-2 pipes fourth proof Brandy; 300 baskets Chauvet Anised; 10 boxes assorted Liquors, first quality; 10 boxes Maraschino and Curacoa; 10 do Dantsic Water; 20 do Brandy Apricots; 25 do Cherries do; 10 baskets Guignolets; 500 boxes St. Julien Claret; 30 1-2 casks Haut Sauterne White Wine; 30 1-2 casks Haut Barsac; 4 casks Red Wine St. Estephe Camarsac; 5 bales assorted Corks. a24 V & E MAIGNAN, 85 and 87 St. Louis st.

WINES IN BOXES—510 boxes, 15 bottles Claret, entitled to debenture, landing ex ship Emma, from Bordeaux, and for sale by V. & E. MAIGNAN, 85 and 87 St. Louis st. a24

COGNAC PELLEVOISIN, 4th proof—30 half, 75 quarter, 200 barrels Pellevoisin Brandy, 4th proof, dark; 10 half, 15 quarter, 30 barrels Pellevoisin Brandy, landing ex brig L'Abeille, from La Rochelle, for sale by TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO. a24 20t 99 Customhouse st.

HAVANA SEGARS—297,000 of the 1st brands, such as: Cabanas, Partagas, Figaro, Ugues, Sevillana, Dos Hermanos, Cabargo, El Dorado, and others, ex brig Adams Gray, from Havana, and for sale by D. BORNIO, a24 No. 34 Gravier street.

WINES, &c.—Landing ex ship Emma, from Bordeaux: 64 cases Montferrand and Haut Brion Red Wine; 140 half casks Haut Sauterne Barsac White Wine; 20 boxes ass'ted, Meringues, for sale by A MOLIER, 90 St. Louis st. a24

LANDING ex ship Emma, from Bordeaux—40 casks family wine, 70 barrels Haut Sauterne White Wine; 8 casks White Wine Vinegar, 1st quality, 9 barrels do do do; 10 bales pointed Corks, 30,000 each. a24 N. DUDOUYT, 13 Toulouse st.

SPERM OIL—3,400 gallons pure, bleached and unbleached Winter Sperm Oil, for sale by J. W. STANTON & CO., a24 1f corner Magazine and Lafayette sts.

COTTON SHEETINGS—Shirtings and Osnaburgs—220 bales Cotton Goods, from the Northern, Southern and Virginia Manufactories, to be sold at the lowest market rates. a24 3tdw J. H. PALMER, 56 Gravier street.

SUGAR CURED HAMS—100 bbls. Duffield's, Stagg & Shays', Davis', Schooley & Hough's, extra quality, for sale by SECCOMB & VOORHIES, a24 6t 14 Tchoupitoulas st.

MACKEREL—200 packages Nos 1 and 2, landing ex ship Oxenbridge, for sale by SECCOMB & VOORHIES, a24 6t 14 Tchoupitoulas st.

MESS BEEF—Barrels, halves and quarters Mess via family Mess Beef, constantly on hand, for sale by SECCOMB & VOORHIES, a24 6t 14 Tchoupitoulas st.

STAR CANDLES—300 boxes Star; 225 do. Adamantine, for sale by SECCOMB & VOORHIES, 14 Tchoup. a24 6t

SOAP—200 boxes Palm—200 do. White—20 do. Sensey, for sale by SECCOMB & VOORHIES, a24 6t 14 Tchoupitoulas st.

LARD OIL—50 bbls extra No. 1, for sale by SECCOMB & VOORHIES, a24 6t 14 Tchoupitoulas st.

CLARET AND WHITE WINE, in casks and boxes—120 boxes Bordeaux Claret, St. Julian; 300 do. do Pauillac; 400 do. do, St. Estephe; 200 do White Wine, Haut Sauterne; 15 casks Claret, Cantenac; 25 casks Bordeaux Claret, Palus delt. Laboisse, For sale by FERNANDO DE FUENTES & CO. a24 22 Old Levee.

COGNAC—Just received per bark Emma, from Bordeaux—20 quarter pipes Cognac, 4th proof, J & J Prom & Co., La Rochelle; 20 do, Cognac, 4th proof, Washington brand; Cognac: 40 do, Cognac, 4th proof, Bue Champaign, J & J Prom & Co, Cognac; 14 eighth do, Cognac, St. Croix, La Rochelle; for sale by F de FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee a24 6t

HAVANA COFFEE—85 bags Havana Coffee, in store and for sale by Fdo. de FUENTES & CO, 22 Old Levee a24 6t

HAVANA SEGARS—Constantly on hand, superior assortment of the best Havana segars manufactories, for sale by Fdo. de FUENTES & CO., 22 Old Levee a24 6t

HAVANA LEAF TOBACCO—50 bales Havana Leaf Tobacco, in store and for sale by FDO. de FUENTES & CO. a24 6t 22 Old Levee.

HAVANA SUGAR—640 boxes Brown, Yellow and White Sugar, in store and for sale by RAYMOND CAHUZAC, a24 6t 34 Old Levee.

HAVANA SUGAR—215 boxes brown, white and yellow Sugar, landing ex brig Adams Gray, and for sale by R. CAHUZAC, 34 Old Levee. a24

P. MALLARD, being about to leave for France is ready to receive orders which may be entrusted to him. He respectfully requests his friends to call at his store, 67 Royal street, and settle their accounts. a24

ENGLISH CONFITURES AND PICKLES.—Received per ship Joseph Bradish, from Liverpool, a fine assortment of Jellies and Jams, Mustard, Pickles, Chaese, and assorted Pickles of the mark, Cross & Blackwell. DUNTZE & IKEN, a23 Cor. Royal and Conti sts.

INDIA PALE ALE.—Barclay, Perkins & Co's India Pale Ale, in whole and half bottles, for sale by DUNTZE & IKEN, a23 cor. Royal and Conti sts.

ENGLISH SAUCES AND KETCHUP.—Lately received from London the genuine Worcestershire Sauce, Anchovies, Reading & John Bull Sauce, Walnut and Mushroom Ketchup, for sale by DUNTZE & IKEN, a23 corner Royal and Conti sts.

HIDES—400 Dry Salted Hides, per schooner Fairy, from Tampico, and for sale on the Levee, by J. F. BERCIER & CO., 54 Old Levee. a23

LANDING ex brig Treckroner, from Bordeaux—24 casks Claret St. Julien, 30 boxes Claret St. Julien; 5 half pipes Brandy, Jas. Hennessy, 50 do. do. do., for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., a23 17 & 19 St. Louis st.

LANDING ex brig Abeille, from Rochelle—4 qr. pipes Rochelle Brandy; 14 octaves do. do., for sale by EUG ROCHEREAU & CO., a23 17 and 19 St Louis st.

SUGAR CANE—1500 Sugar Cane Plants in good order, received per schooner Fairy from Tampico, for sale by BERNARD TURPIN, a21-6t 20 Old Levee.

WRAPPING PAPER—1100 reams superior quality, received from New York and for sale by BERNARD TURPIN, a23-6t 20 Old Levee.

WINE, &c.—Landing ex ship Treckroner, from Bordeaux: 60 casks St. Estephe Medoc Red Wine, 50 half casks Haut Barsac White Wine; 200 boxes St. Julien Medoc Claret; 10 bbls do; 100 boxes Haut Barsac White Wine; 10 quarts Cognac Brandy, 4th proof, 30 eighth pipes do. do. for sale by V. & E. MAIGNAN, a23 85 and 87 St. Louis st.

J. B. Steel,
"*New Orleans Stationers' Warehouse,*"
14 Camp street.

JUST received at this BOOK AND STATIONERY STORE, the following new and very interesting work on Cuba, the Cubans, &c.: CUBA AND THE CUBANS, comprising a History of the Island of Cuba, its present Social, Political and Domestic Condition, and its Relation to England and the United States; by the author of "Letters from Cuba." With an Appendix, containing important Statistics, and a reply to Senor Saco on Annexation, translated from the Spanish. Also, a Map of the Island, and its relative situation to the other West India Islands and different parts of the United States. For sale by J. B. STEEL, 14 Camp st. a22

FOR SALE—In store, to close sundry invoices—40 casks old Leoville Wine; 30 do St. Julien do; 20 do St. Estephe do; 50 bbls old Haut Sauterne Wine; 40 bbls ordinary White Wine; 400 bxs Claret, sundry kinds; 100 bxs Haut Sauterne White Wine; 10 baskets Guignolet; 50 boxes old Muscat Wine; 10 do Curacoa; 130 do Orange Flower Water; 200 bales pointed Corks, 30,000 each; 30,000 superfine Corks; 100 baskets Pignolet Oil. a22 N. DUDOUYT, 13 Toulouse st.

BRANDY—10 half pipes Cognac Brandy, sundry brands; 10 quarter do do do C. Marguette brand; do do do Cormon and Martin Rochelle; 30 do do 10 J. Borreau, 1st proof, very old; 20 do do do 3d do; 10 eighth do do do do. a22 N. DUDOUYT, 13 Toulouse st.

ABSYNTH, &c.—100 boxes Pernaud Absynth, Croix liberal label; 80 do 'Y. Lecoultre; 30 do do do Kirsh; 150 do Sauvejol and Brenton Absynth; 10 do Pernaud do. a22 N. DUDOUYT, 13 Toulouse st.

COGNAC—500 casks of the well known brands, Jean Louis, Maglory, J. J. Durand, Otard Dupuy & Co., Alex. de Montague, A. de Mondore, A. J. Slaville, J. Cassany fils, J. Eraud, John Durand & co., La Rochelle, &c. &c., in the warehouse stores of the Customhouse, and for sale by J. & J. TARDOS, 31 New Levee. a22

WINE—300 boxes Claret, Haut Talence, St. Emilion, St. Julien, Chateau Leoville, Brand Mouton, for sale by J & J TARDOS, 31 Old Levee. a22

CLARET—125 casks Haut Talence Margaux Medoc, St. Julien Medoc, Montferrand, in store and for sale by J. & J. TARDOS, No. 31 Old Levee. a22

CALIFORNIA SAUSAGES—5,000 lbs. Sausages put up in small tin cans, so as to be brought early into the interior, for sale by J. & J. TARDOS, No. 31 Old Levee. a22

CHAMPAGNE WINE—600 baskets of Hipponite Dinet, à Epernay, H. Paul & Co., à Reims, for 2d quality, for sale by J. & J. TARDOS, No. 31 Old Levee. a22

LANDING—Ex ship Raimond, from Genoa, 400 baskets H. Sue Oil, for sale by PAUL JUGE, FILS & CO., a1 27 St. Louis street.

SPERM OIL—5000 gallons pure, bleached and unbleached Winter Sperm Oil, for sale by J. W. STANTON & CO., [illegible] cor. Magazine & Lafayette sts.

LONDON PORTER AND ALE, &c.—Received from England, [illegible] London Porter, [illegible] Ale, [illegible] Spanish and Irish Whiskey, for sale by LOREILHE & CO., [illegible] corner Customhouse and Royal sts.

UNDERSIGNED [illegible] Fruit, Olives, Pickles and [illegible] for sale by LOREILHE & CO. [illegible]

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE—The creditors of Gurlie & 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 according to them. JL. LE CARPENTIER, F. CORREJOLLES. a15 3t10d

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 1846, of $687,400—and additional profits 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 tol L. MATTHEWS, Agent

DISSOLUTION—The co-partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the firm of TROISGROS & LAMPRE is this day dissolved by limitation. E. TROISGROS, F. LAMPRE.
New Orleans, 15th April, 1850. 1m

COPARTNERSHIP—The undersigned will continue the affairs of the late firm of TROISGROS & LAMPRE, under the style of TROISGROS & CO. J. VILLARUBIA, 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. a11 2m 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 FRYER 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 FRYER, E. VALMONT.
New Orleans, April 3, 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 30 1850 CHAS. A. BARRIERE.

☞ During my absence from this 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.

THE undersigned, having been appointed agents for Messrs. COIRON'S Brick Yard, are prepared to execute promptly, all orders left with them. R & A MOLLE, 84 Bienville st.

☞ The subscriber, about leaving for France informs the public that he has given his Power of Attorney to Mr. J. LACOSTE. BOULNOIS. New Orleans, April 19, 1850. a20

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

☞ The ship JOSIAH CROWELL, Capt Kelly, from Liverpool, is discharging opposite the Orleans Press. Consignees are requested to take out their permits within five days, otherwise the goods will be sent to the public stores. a23 L. H. GALE, 93 Common st.

☞ The bark EMMA, from Bordeaux, is landing opposite the Mint. Consignees are requested to take out their permits within five days, and attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee, otherwise they will be stored at their expenses. a24 A. MOLIER, 90 St. Louis st.

☞ Neither the Captain nor the Consignee of the bark EMMA, will be responsible for any debt that her crew may contract. A. MOLIER, 90 St. Louis st.

☞ The French brig L'ABEILLE, Captain Le Guerel, from LaRochelle, is now discharging opposite the Public Square. Consignees are requested to have their permits on board within the five days allowed by law, otherwise their goods will be stored at their expenses and risks, to the Public Stores. TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO. a24 1w 99 Customhouse st.

☞ No debts contracted by the crew of the French brig L'ABEILLE, will be paid either by the captain or consignees. a24 12t T. B. BLANCHARD, 99 Bienville st.

THOMAS C. PAYAN & Co.—
No. 10 CANAL STREET, Paulding's Row
(Between Chartres and Old Levee streets.)
MANUFACTORY—No. 311 BROAD ST., NEWARK, NEW JERSEY.

HAVE received per Mediator, Ohio and Saluda, which they offer at extremely low prices for cash, the following assortment of SPRING GOODS.

COATS—STYLE—Dress and Frock Coats, Cerro Gordo, Guarantine, Paletots, business, sacks, and Quaker Coats.

PANTS—STYLE—W th and without straps.

MATERIALS.—French, English, German and American black, merino, drab and brown Cashmeretts, blue, green and brown Merinos, silk and cotton Warp, black, brown, olive, green and drab and Pearl Alpaccas, striped and check Drilling Linen and Cotton Jeans, Mohair Cord, printed Jeans, brown and red Linen, &c.

VESTS—SATIN silk—Black and fancy Satin, Bombazine, Silk, French Barathea, Italian Florentine twilled Silk, summer Cashmere, Valencia, white and figured Marseilles, Parish Lustre, French Drill Vestings.

LINEN SHIRTS—French and home made, superior article, from $12 to $66 per dozen, embroidered Tiger Calicoes, Checks, Taylor Stripes, hickory, linen, brown and cotton Shirts, net, brown, white, red, Chase Lisle Thread Silk, merino and lambs wool shirts.

Just French and American make, Gum Elastic Suspenders, brown and mixed cotton half Hose, London Silk, Cambric and Fancy Satin Neck Ties, Stocks, Bar Stocks and Neck Handkerchiefs of all colors and price.

Planters, merchants and dealers are respectfully invited to examine the above goods before purchasing elsewhere. The few winter goods now remaining on hand, we are selling very low, and at a very small advance above cost price.

a24 3m THOMAS C. PAYAN & CO.

New Law Books, &c.

THE LAW OF Marine Insurance, and Average, with references to the American cases, and the later Continental Authorities, by Joseph Arnould, Esq, 2 vols. 1850.

TREATISE ON THE POWER and Duty of an Arbitrator, and the Law of submissions and awards, with an appendix of forms and of the Statutes to Arbitration, by Francis Russell, Esq, 1849.

UNITED STATES DIGEST, including supplement, table of cases, and annual Digest, in all 8 vols.

SPENCE'S EQUITABLE Jurisdiction of the Court of Chancery, complete in 2 vols. The second volume to be had separate.

TREATISE ON PRESUMPTION and Presumptive Evidence, by John H. Mathews, Esq, with notes and references to American cases, by Benjamin Band, Esq.

RIGHTS, DUTIES and Liabilities of Husband and Wife, at Law, and in Equity, by Charles Clancy, Esq., 2d American, from last London edit.

CONKLING'S UNITED STATES Admiralty Jurisdiction, Law and Practice, in 2 vols.

STEPHEN'S NISI PRIUS, in 3 vols.

BARBOUR & HARRINGTON'S Equity Digest, in 4 vols.

SMITH'S Mercantile Law, by Holcombe & Gholsone, Esqrs. Just received and for sale by ALEXANDER LEVY & CO., Law Book Sellers and Stationers, corner of Camp and Gravier sts. a24

OPIUM—2 cases prime Turkey, for sale by E. J. HART & CO., m28 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

TISSUE PAPER—1 case colored tissue Paper, for sale by E. J. HART & CO. m28 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

BUTTER & CHEESE—500 kegs Western Butter; 10.0 half bbls. Choice Roll; 30 kegs Goshen Butter; 400 boxes cheese, for sale by SECCOMB & VOORHIES, m4 14 Tchoupitoulas st.

SWISS ABSYNTH.—40 Cases Swiss Absynth Dubier frere and fils brands. In store and for sale by LEOPOLD JEANNET & CO., m20 91 St. Louis st.

ORANGE FLOWER WATER—200 boxes different sizes, for sale by LOREILHE & CO., a19 corner Royal and Customhouse sts.

SUGAR—Yellow and brown Havana Sugars, in store and for sale by a19 LABORDE & XIQUES, 3 Front st.

GUATEMALA INDIGO—Superior Guatemala Indigo, in store and for sale by a19 LABORDE & XIQUES, 3 Front st.

FRENCH COTTONADE—Landing ex ship Scargo, from Havre: 10 bales plain Blue Cottonade; 6 do children's do; 1 box New Nankeen; 1 box white Fine Muslin, for sale by H. DE GOER & RIFFLARD, a18 21 Magazine st.

PRINCIPE CIGARS—Of the steamboat brand, in store and for sale by a1 J. N. RICULFI & CO., 17 Common st.

OLIVE OIL—Landing ex ships Orbita and Raimond: 300 baskets Marcelin Sue Olive Oil, 24 oz; 50 baskets and boxes do do. 16 oz; 15 do do, 12 oz, 24 lbs, for sale by PAUL JUGE, FILS & CO., a9 27 St. Louis st.

EAST INDIA NANKEENS—15 cases superior yellow Nankeens, just received and for sale by a3w McDOWELL & PECK, 96 Gravier st.

LOGWOOD—25 tons prime Honduras, received direct, for sale by a6 J. Y. de EGANA, 47 Bienville st.

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

PLAYING CARDS.—Genuine Spanish Cards; a first rate article for California for sale by D. BORNIO, 34 Gravier Street. a10

Printed Calicoes, Muslins, etc.
REGULAR WHOLESALE DRY GOODS TRADE.
THE undersigned has in store a large assortment of Printed Goods, embracing Prints, Muslins, Lawns, Jaconets, and all other goods suited to the trade of the city and country. J. H. PALMER, 56 Gravier st. a1

MARSEILLES WINE—60 casks Bethfort, landing ex bark Orbita, in store and for sale by ap11 J. F. BERCIER & CO., 54 Old Levee.

MATS and MATTING—100 bundles Mats No 1, 90 rolls Matting, in store and for sale by DUFOUR, WILLIAMSON & CO., a17 35 Natchez st.

CALF SKINS—Landing ex ship Jersey, and for sale by the subscribers: 40 doz Calf Skins. DUFOUR, WILLIAMSON & CO., a17 35 Natchez st.

SUNDRIES—In Store—25 boxes Dry Prunes, sundry sizes; 2000 half boxes Sardines in Oil; 1500 qr boxes do; 400 boxes do; 100 baskets Olive Oil, J Pignol, 24 oz. For sale by B. TALAMON, a17 182 & 186 Royal st.

LANDING ex ship Granada, from Bordeaux, 100 barrels Haut Sauterne white Wine, for sale by D. LANATA, 9 & 10 Jefferson st.

FOR SALE by the subscribers, and landing ex ship Treckroner, from Bordeaux: 200 casks Red Wine; 100 boxes Claret; 100 [illegible] [illegible] half casks White Wine; 20 [illegible]. G. DE LOGNA, 90 Bienville st.

COTTON YARNS AND [illegible]—In store and for sale at the [illegible] Cotton Yarns in [illegible] Also—2,675 pieces of [illegible] J. H. PALMER, 56 Gravier st.

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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, constant, 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 homeless, 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 engage in or 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 N. O. AND CARROLLTON R. R. Co., New Orleans, 23d April, 1850.

NOTICE.—The following Liquidation Dividend will be paid on and after the 1st May next, to Stockholders of the institution, or to their legal representatives, to wit:

$18 00 per share on shares of	$85 00
5 00	"	"	"	42 50
2 50	"	"	"	40 00

This being a distribution of cash assets, made in reduction of capital, Stockholders are requested to produce their certificates of Stock, on applying for their dividend, so that the same may be written off.

By order of the Board:
a23 10t CHARLES BAQUIE, Secretary.

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 141 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. 83 Bienville street at 12 o'clock, M., by Sykes, Hyde & Co., R. 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 Marie, and is to be sold under the eighteenth section of the act of Congress of 30th August, 1842.
a15 dvids SAM J. PETERS, Collector.

Official Notice.

THE undersigned is prepared to receipt 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
a4 20t of Fourth Representative District.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, Baton Rouge, March 25th, 1850.

Whereas J. B. Dorsè, 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 Bonnemer as surety for the sum of $10,000.

2. A bond subscribed by him on the 11th day of February, 1847, as Collector of State taxes for the Fifth Representative District of Orleans, together with Jean Bonnot 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 Jeanin 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, together with W. C. C. Claiborne for the sum of $5,000 as surety.

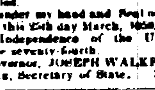
5. A bond subscribed by him on the 11th day of February, 1849, as Collector of State taxes for the Fifth Representative District of Orleans, together with George K. Rogers as surety for the sum of $5,000.

Notice is therefore given to all persons interested therein to show cause in writing at the office of the Secretary of State within ninety 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

Head-Quarters—Louisiana Legion.



NEW ORLEANS, April 19th, 1850.

General Orders, No. 3.
SECOND INSPECTION AND REVIEW.

IN conformity to law, the LOUISIANA LEGION will assemble in arms, in full parade dress, on the Place d'Armes, on SUNDAY, the 19th May, at half-past 8 o'clock A. M., for Inspection and Review.

The commanders of companies shall deliver to the Brigadier Inspector on MONDAY the 20th, a correct roll of the men present under arms at the said review.

The company of Cazadores of New Orleans, Capt. Leon Queyrouse, shall be stationed one-half hour previous to the time of review, to guard the gates.

The Field Officers are charged with the execution of the present order.

D. AUGUSTIN, Brigadier General.
T. CATHRAN, Aid de Camp. a19

BARRIERE, LACAPERE & Co.,
20 Chartres street.

JUST received by late arrivals from the North and Europe, the following articles—
5-4 Irish Linens;
6-4 Irish pillow case Linens;
Linen Lawns, Britannias and Platillas;
6-4, 8-4, 10-4 and 12-4 Irish Linen Sheetings;
5-4 French Linen do;
Blue and red borders Linen Table Cloth 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 Crape; colored Filet Hdkfs; Gents fancy Silk Cravats, 32, 34 and 36 inches, black Italian Silk Cravats; white Thread Laces and Insertings; black do do do; Valenciennes Edging and Insertings; 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 Sugared do; ladies and gents white and colored Fil d'Ecosse Gloves; do do colored and black Silk Gloves; Plaid Foulards; 32, 34, 36 and 38 inches black Italian Silks; Silk Foulard Hdkfs; Cotton do; Madras do; No. 1½ to 12 black Taffetas and Satin Ribbons; Silk Stockings; white and brown Cotton do; pure Linen Bosoms and white Half Hose; white and brown Cotton Socks; children's do do; Muslin and Barege Shawls; 10-4, 12-4 and 14-4 white Counterpanes; do do blue and pink; white and colored Toilet Covers; plain and embroidered Swiss Muslins; Brocade do; white Cambric and Jaconets; Mull Muslins; 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; Ginghams; Silk and Linen Ginghams; plain, plaid and striped Cottonades; Bone Buttons; Pearl do; Hooks and Eyes; Linen Tapes; Linen Bobbin, Suspenders; Needles; Pins; Fans; 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.

a15 BARRIERE, LACAPERE & CO., 20 Chartres st.

LIQUIDATION OF THE HARDWARE STORE SITUATED No. 182 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.

Paris Commission House.

THE subscribers respectfully inform their friends and merchants, that their new house in Paris will buy on commission, GOODS of all kinds, either for the United States or any other country. Their experience in business will enable them to satisfy those who will trust them. They will also receive consignments for sale, either in Paris or New Orleans, and will advance money on reasonable terms.

H. DE GOER & RIFFLARD, 30 Petites Ecuries st., Paris, a15 21 Magazine st., New Orleans.

BRANDY—60 qr pipes 4th proof Castillon Brandy; 25 do do do, A. Navarene; 4 do 3d proof fine Champaign, Gravet, 1840; 15 do do do, C. Maurice, 1809; 10 eighth do do do, 1809, for sale by a1 A. MOLIER, 90 St. Louis st.

TRUFFLES, &c.—6,000 half boxes Sardines in Oil, 100 half boxes Truffles, 100 half boxes Mushrooms, 6 barrels Absynth, for sale by TH BAILLY, BLANCHARD & CO. 99 Customhouse st.

CARGO OF THOMASTON MEADOW ROCK LIME—[illegible] bbls Meadow Rock Lime, cargo of [illegible] HAYMAN & HOLDEN, [illegible] Magazine st.

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WANTED, LOST, &c.

GOOD WET NURSE AND SEAMSTRESS—A good Wet Nurse, speaking English only, wishes to find a situation; she is also a Seamstress.
Terms will be moderate.
Apply at 240 St. Peter street. a24 2t

Situations Wanted.

TWO French LADIES, recently arrived from France, wish to find situations—one of them as a waiting woman, who will engage to travel abroad, and the other who would act as a nurse and superintend the education of young children. They speak English a little. Apply at Mrs. MICHEL, 120 Conde street. Good references will be given. a23 4t

A GENT. EMAN who has been a resident of this city for a long time, and who understands perfectly well the general business, wishes to employ several hours every day, either as a Book Keeper in some establishment, or as an Agent in any kind of business which will be trusted to him.
Best references will be given.
Direct through the Postoffice to letter R. box M, No. 200. a17 3w

Ten Dollars Reward

WILL be paid to whoever will deliver at No. 41 Esplanade street, a BRACELET, which has been lost in going from the Orleans Theatre to Esplanade street, by Royal st. a24 2t

LOST—A DRAFT OR BILL OF EXCHANGE, (mailed at New Orleans, 15th June, 1849, but never received here) drawn by Sam. D. Kelly, on Downes, Cuddy & Co., of New Orleans, and accepted by them, payable to the order of R. O. Skinner, but not endorsed, for three hundred and twenty five dollars, dated New York, June 6, 1849, at 6 months, payment of which was stopped. A favor will be conferred by returning the same to the subscriber. R. O. SKINNER, ap18 4t 290½, Broadway.

Loan on Mortgage.—Wanted, a Loan on Mortgage of $37,500 on a property situated at 3 miles from the city, measuring 2¾ arpents, fronting the Mississippi river, by 30 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. 128

EIGHT BALES OF COTTON FOUND on board the ship Ionian, Capt. Emmett, in her late voyage from this port to Boston, which the owner can have on proof of property and payment of the expenses. Apply on board opposite the Vegetable Market, or to LEVI H. GALE, ap23-3t 93 Common st.

JOS. N. ROBERT & CO.,
Red Store.
(Between the Two Markets.)

SUCCESSORS OF PAUL ALDIGE & CO., offers for sale, in quantities to suit purchasers—
Jaconets, new patterns, at 10c. to 25c per yard; French Balzorines, at 20c.; French Organdies and Jaconets, at 20 to 30c.; Fast Colors Fancy Prints, at 10c.; Irish Linen, warranted pure Linen; Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs; Swiss Muslins; Drillings, Listados, Gloves, Diapers, Victoria Lawn Linen, and Cotton Netting, and a great variety of Fancy and Plantation Dry Goods, which they will positively sell at very low prices.
a20 JOS. N. ROBERT & CO.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE copartnership heretofore existing between F. Lindo and F. Olivella, under the name of F. OLIVELLA & Co., for the drug store, situated No. 150 Old Levee, between Ursulines and Hospital sts., has been dissolved by mutual consent from this day. F. Olivella takes the charge of settling the affairs of said drug store, and will continue, as heretofore, to exert his best to deserve the patronage of the public. F. OLIVELLA, Druggist. 150 Old Levee, between a26 6t Ursulines and Hospital sts.

To the Debtors of J. Ducourneau & Co.

ALL persons indebted to the old firm of J. DUCOURNEAU & CO., are cautioned that their accounts and bills, if not settled before the 30th inst., at 12 o'clock will be sold at public auction in the Rotunda of the St. Louis Exchange. a20

CUBA COFFEE—A lot to close consignment, in store and for sale by MITCHEL & MASENDORFF, a20 1f 36 Poydras st.

BALLAST—100 tons Stone Ballast, for sale on board ship Bay State, Capt. Simms. Apply on board at post 15, 2d Municipality, or to L. H. GALE, 93 Common st.

HAVANA SUGAR—12 Boxes Brown's in store and for sale by a20 1f MITCHEL & MASENDORFF, 36 Poydras.

TOBACCO—115 bales Cuba Tobacco, just received, in store and for sale by a20 1f MITCHEL & MASENDORFF, 37 Poydras.

JAMAICA RUM—6 puncheons, in Customhouse store, for sale by a20 1f MITCHEL & MASENDORFF, 36 Poydras.

BERGASSE WINE—In store and for sale, 20 casks Bergasse Wine; 20 do St Julien red Wine; 20 do Chateau Latour do; 30 barrels St Estephe do; 100 do Haut Sauterne White Wine, 6 half pipes 4th proof Brandy Cognac, sundry brands; 20 qr do do do; 30 eighths do do do; 15 grade cognac. a19 A LAMBERT, 62 Magazine st.

CIGARS—30 m Havana Cigars, of Regalias, Milares, and others of the manufactories of Conquistador, Montezuma, Volusmeres, Siempreviva, Tres Marias, Conquista, Floridana, Tropical, Aquiles and Cabanas, just received and for sale by a19 LABORDE & XIQUES, 3 Front 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 Linens, pillow case Linens, 6-4, 10-4 and 12-4 Linen Sheetings, Linen Drills and Checks, planters' brown and grass Linens, white and brown Hollands, Linen Diapers and Damasks, Towels, Napkins, Nettings, &c.
a19 J. H. PALMER, 56 Gravier st.

BRANDY—In store—4 and 4-8 pipes H Sutton Brandy, Cognac, 1st proof, 1800, 50 4 do do do. 1831, 10 4 do J. R. Cierr, do do, 1831, 18 4 do Martel, do do, 1835; 10 4 do J. J. Dupuy do do, 1842, 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; 50 boxes Pickles; 10 boxes Anchovies in Salt; 10 do assorted salt meat; 50 boxes Orange Flower Water; 100 baskets J. Pignol Olive Oil 24 ounces for sale by B. TALAMON, a3 182 and 186 Royal st.

PLASTERING HAIR—10,000 bushels, in casks, bbls and bags, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, a16 98 Magazine st. and 11 Red Stores.

FIRE BRICK—100,000 English, 40,000 Scotch, 20,000 American, 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, Wetherspoons, Croton, King's and Newark and Roseandale, landing and in store, for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, a16 98 Magazine st.

LANDING ex ship Espindola, from Havre, 5 casks Gruyere cheese, 1st quality, 30 boxes Tetes de Maure cheese, for sale by D. LANATA, a18 9 and 10 Jefferson st.

HAVANA CIGARS.—Of the best manufactures, such as Sigaro, Puntualidad, 3 Marias, Palma, Colebada, &c., in store and for sale by J. N. RICULFI & CO., a15 17 Common st.

HAVANA COFFEE—Prime Green in store for sale by J. N. RICULFI & CO., a15 17 Common st.

HAVANA TOBACCO—Just received per brig Tit, from Havana—50 bales leaf Havana Tobacco, very superior, for sale by Fdo. de FUENTES & CO.

CUBA TOBACCO—433 Bales for wrappers and fillers, landing ex bark Milhaudon from Havana, and for sale by TROISGROS & CO., a16 26 Old Levee.

BRANDY—In Customhouse—10 quarter and 10-8 fine Champaign Brandy, 1815, Castillon; 15-4 and 15 8 do do, 1827, do; 10-2, 8-4 and 16-8 do do, 1848, do, for sale by a4 NADAU DU TREIL, 20 Jefferson st.

WINES—Landing ex ship Pilgrim, from Bordeaux, 125 casks Red Wine, for family, for sale by FRED. BONIS, a5 68 Conti—opposite Louisiana Bank.

EXCHANGE on Genoa—for sale by DOMINIQUE LANATA, m18 9 and 10 Jefferson street

PAPER CIGARS—6 bbls, landing ex brig Adams Gray, and for sale by j3 LABORDE & XIQUES, 3 Front st.

PICKLES, Assorted—75 cases, landing from ship Oswego, for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas st. d1

GRAIN SACKS—2,000 second hand Cotton Sacks, 3 bushels each, very strong and in good order, for sale by J. P. WHITNEY & CO., d22 61 Camp st.

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

SLATES—67,000 best Jestimog Slates, assorted sizes, received per ship Virginia, from Liverpool, and for sale on liberal terms, by j22 J. P. WHITNEY & CO., 61 Camp st.

CLARET—1500 cases Claret, of the following brands—Ch. Lafitte, Ch Margaux, Leoville, Latour, Beychevelle, Batailly and St Julien, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., f26 17 and 19 St Louis st.

LANDING ex ship Lucion, from Bordeaux—190 casks good family red Wine; 46 bbls. Haut Sauterne white Wine; 16 qr. Cognac, 4th proof; 4 bales fine Corks; 2 do. for demijohns, for sale by BOYER FRERES, f14 corner Moreau and Mandeville, 3d M'y.

TAR AND PITCH—300 barrels Tar and Pitch, for sale by THOS. BLOIS, m9 91 Magazine street.

CEMENT—550 bbls. Roman, Rosendale and Hydraulic Cement, several brands, for sale by a11 THOS. BLOIS, 91 Magazine st.

FIRE BRICK—50,000 English, Pittsburg and Pruencola Fire Brick, for sale by ap11 THOS. BLOIS, 91 Magazine st.

LANDING ex ship Bonieta, from Bordeaux—133 casks family red Wine; 36 barrels Haut Sauterne white Wine; 1 bale fine Corks, for sale by BOYER FRERES, m30 corner Moreau and Mandeville, 3d M'y.

OPIUM—3 cases prime Turkey, in store and for sale by E. J. HART & CO., a8 79 Tchoupitoulas street.

THOMASTON LIME—1000 bbls fresh Thomaston stone Lime, for sale by m29 THOS. BLOIS, 91 Magazine st.

PISTACCIOS—24 bbls. fresh Pistaccios, landing and for sale by j26 J. F. BERCIER & CO., 54 Old Levee.

LONDON PORTER and INDIA PALE ALE—10 casks, in quarts and pints, for sale in quantities to suit purchasers, by D. VALETON & CO., f8 25 Tchoupitoulas st.

BUCKWHEAT—100 packages, fresh, landing and in store, for sale by E J HART & CO., f12 No. 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

HAVANA CIGARS.—Cabanas and Dos Hermanos, just received and for sale by LABORDE & XIQUES, m20 No. 3 Front street.

WINES—In boxes, entitled to debenture,—200 boxes St Julien Claret, landing ex ship Pilgrim, from Bordeaux, and for sale by V & E MAIGNAN, [illegible] St. Louis st.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Placide's Varieties....Gravier st.

BENEFIT OF MRS. C. HOWARD.

Mrs. HOWARD respectfully announces to her friends and the public generally, that her Benefit is appointed for this EVENING, WEDNESDAY, April 24th, when will be performed the elegant modern comedy, by the author of London Assurance, entitled

Old Heads and Young Hearts.

Mr. W. R. BLAKE, the eminent Comedian, will make his first appearance in New Orleans.
First appearance in New Orleans of Mrs. W. R. BLAKE.

Mrs. Howard also acknowledges the liberality of the lessee, which permits her to announce the engagement of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. BLAKE, and the kindness of those established artists in waiving the accustomed privilege of an exclusive opening night. Mr. Blake will appear in his celebrated character of Jessee Rural; Lady Pompion, Mrs. Blake; Lady Alice Hawthorn, Mrs. C. Howard.

The entertainments will conclude with a Divertisement, in which Mlle. Hilariot, and the whole Corps de Ballet, will appear.

For particulars, see bills of the day.

☞ Prices of Admission—Boxes, 1st and 2d Tier, and Parquette, 75 cents—3d Tier, for colored persons only, 50 cents—Gallery, 25 cents.

St Charles Theatre.

Another ENTIRE CHANGE OF PERFORMANCE.
Seventh appearance of
MR. MACALLISTER,
THE CELEBRATED NECROMANCER.

THIS EVENING, Wednesday, 24th April, will be given the MYSTERIES OF THE ENCHANTED PALACE, in Two Dreams, introducing the Wonderful Disappearance of Mr. MACALLISTER, at a Pistol Shot. The National Feat of the Flags. EL CHAPEO DEL TRAVELLO, del Signor Macallister. And by request, the great Mechanical Pieces—The CHINESE TEMPLE, The PORTFOLIO, and The PEACOCK, with a variety of New and Amusing Feats.

Box Office open from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M., and from 7 1-2. Performance to commence at 8. a21

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 splendid 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.

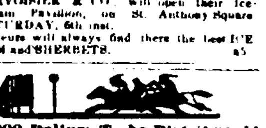
The orchestra will be composed of the best artists now in the city, and nothing has been neglected calculated to render the room one of the most agreeable places of amusement in the city. An efficient police is engaged, and strict order will be enforced.

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.
a16 ☞

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,	$ [illegible]	$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. 89 Gravier Street, and No. 10 Banks' Arcade Passage. a3 1y

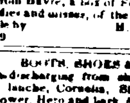
J. MAGNE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW.
Office 83 Chartres street.

☞ R. & A. MOLLE have opened their office at 84 Bienville street, between Royal and Bourbon streets. a2 6m

D. BORNIO, Jr., COMMISSION MERCHANT, and Importer of Havana Segars and Tobacco, No 34 Gravier street. a6 1y

THOMAS C PAYAN & CO
No. 10 Canal street.
Manufacturers and wholesale and retail dealers in ready made Clothing.
Manufactory.
Little & Payan, No. 311 Broad street (up stairs,) Newark, N. J. a24 1y

DOLBEAR'S WRITING ACADEMY,
29 CHARTRES ST.



OPEN DAILY from 9 to 12 A. M., and from 4 to 8 P. M. Pupils from 6 to 50 years of age are received. A finished business hand is guaranteed to every pupil who attends to the lessons. Ladies and Gentlemen are invited to call.
Dolbear's Superior Gold Pens for sale.
a19 RUFUS DOLBEAR.

Store to Rent—Store No. 73 Levee street, between St Louis and Conti. Apply at P. A. LANAUZE, a19 59 Old Levee street.

BONNETS—Received per ship Scargo, from Havre, a box of Summer Bonnets, for ladies and misses, of the newest patterns, for sale by H. NOEL & GUIRAUD, ap19 103 Royal street.

BOOTS, SHOES & BROGANS—402 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 a18 G. W. DUNBAR, 30 Customhouse st.

BROGANS, LADIES', MISSES AND CHILDREN'S SHOES.—54 trunks of fine goods of Philadelphia and Newark manufacture, now landing from ships Wabash and Telegraph, for sale by G. W. DUNBAR, m7 30, Customhouse st.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS—250 cases now landing from ship North Atlantic and other late arrivals, and for sale low by m18 FROST & CO., No. 10 Magazine st.

HATS, CAPS, &c.—350 cases Hats, comprising a general assortment of Fur, Musk at, Silk Russia, Casimer, Palm Leaf and Mexican Hats, for sale by a18 FROST & CO., No. 10 Magazine st.

BOOTS, SHOES and BROGANS—200 cases discharging from ships Lochnivar and Calcutta and for sale by R. G. HOBBS, 11-2th 12 Customhouse street.

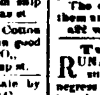
DETAINED at the First Municipality Police Jail, JOE, griffe, about 25 years old, 4 feet 9 inches high, speaks French and English, says he belongs to Mr. Barnor of Barnes, cotton planter, Memphis, Tennessee.

RICHARD, griffe, about 12 years old, big eyes, says he belongs to Mr. Rodgers.
HENRY, negro man, about 30 years old, 5 feet 1 inch high, says he belongs to Mr. Preston, sugar planter, near Baton Rouge.
The owners of said slaves are notified to claim them and pay the expenses.
a22 w3w E. PLANCHARD, Keeper.

Twenty five Dollars Reward

RUNAWAY from the plantation of the subscriber, in St. James parish, the negress LUCINDA, about 25 years old, five feet high, ugly, strongly built, very black, and is pregnant. She used to live in the Third Municipality. Apply at Roman & Kernion's, 3 Front Levee.
a22 2awlm SEPTIME FORTIER.

Pumpkin Seed.



Warranted the growth of 1849.
The subscriber has just received a supply of very superior large field Pumpkin Seed. Also, Buck Wheat, Hemp Seed, Blue Grass, &c. Price moderate.
Scotch Oat Meal, fresh and genuine, at 5c per lb.
W. DINN, Agent.
a18 20 Canal st. new buildings, on the Levee.

VANILLA BEANS—One box Vanilla, landing from schr. J. P. Smart, from Tampico, for sale by (m6) J. M. CABALLERO, 38 Old Levee.

LOGWOOD—25 tons pure Honduras, just received and for sale by f1 J Y de EGANA, 47 Bienville st.

PORT AND MADEIRA WINE.—200 bbls Port and Madeira Wine, for sale by a8 PAUL JUGE, FILS & CO, 27 St. Louis st.

HAVANA CIGARS.—A large assortment of best Regalia Cigars, in store and for sale by a16 J. M. CABALLERO, 38 old Levee.

QUININE—16.0 ounces in store and for sale by E. J. HART & CO., a8 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

DUFFIELD HAMS—30 tierces of these celebrated Hams just received—
—ALSO—
Stagg & Shays, John Shays and Davis' best Sugar Cured, on hand for sale by SECCOMB & VOORHIES, a8 14 Tchoupitoulas street.

ALEXANDER'S THREAD.—30 cases Cotton Thread, in spools and balls, assorted numbers put up for the Mexican Markets, in store and for sale to close consignments, by DUFOUR, WILLIAMSON & CO., a17 35 Natchez st.

CASH ADVANCES on consignments of Cotton and other produce shipped to his correspondents in Liverpool, will be made by m13 WM. MURE, 119 Common st.

LANDING ex ship Arsenal, from Bordeaux, and for sale by the subscribers—54 half casks Haut Sauterne white Wine, 1st quality. BOYER FRERES, j26 corner Moreau and Mandeville, 3d M'y.

LIME—Cargoes schr Lightfoot and brig Monroe, landing and for sale by HAYMAN & HOLDEN, a20 98 Magazine street and 11 Red stores.

WHITE AND RED WINE—In store—60 casks Chateau St. Corbion, 1841; 10 do Vendeuil Medoc, 1841; 10 do St. Julien, 1844; 6 do Leoville Claret, 1841; 30 bbls Haut Sauterne White Wine; 300 boxes Claret, for sale by a17 B. TALAMON, 182 and 186 Royal st.

A [illegible] sale by A. [illegible] & CO., 34 Old Levee.