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THE [WEEKLY] BEE.
[illegible] JAN. 12, 1856.

The carriers of the Bee are authorized to receive subscriptions by the [illegible], at the rate of 25 cents.

The Necessity Man called yesterday from beyond Montgomery.

THE POSITION OF THE HOUSE.

It is sufficiently manifest that the Democratic party in the House of Representatives are bent upon securing the Speaker as a unit to the next Presidential election, if the thing be humanly possible. To accomplish so desirable an object, they have placed themselves in a position of [illegible] to the Freesoil faction on the one side, and the American party on the other, remaining [illegible] indifferent to the organization, and [illegible] whether BANKS be elected or defeated. They have determined not to budge an inch from their original platform, and though repeatedly solicited by the National representatives to consent to a compromise by which the latter would be enabled to unite with them, without utterly discarding dignity and self-respect, as well as consistency of opinion, they have steadily withheld their consent.

There is no patriotism in conduct like this. The Democrats profess to be eminently national in their principles, and yet by obstinately adhering to their candidate and their intolerant platform, they are hourly improving the chances of the Freesoil nominee. What sort of nationality is this? Is it not evident that the tranquillity of the Union, the security of the South, the peace and harmony of the House of Representatives, are, in the opinion of the Democrats, matters of minor consideration compared with the importance of achieving a party triumph? How stands the case? The National representatives say to the Democrats, "You profess profound respect for the constitutional rights of the South, and invincible opposition to the restoration of the Missouri Compromise. We agree with you in these views. There is a faction in the House differing toto coelo from you and us on these vital questions—a faction nominally strong, but fortunately less than a majority. United, we have it in our power to compass the overthrow of this dangerous faction. But you have chosen, upon an extraneous issue of infinitely less moment, to adopt a series of resolutions so insulting to us, that we cannot, as gentlemen of honor and principle, affiliate with you. It is true you announce your willingness to receive us, but it must be on your own terms. We must approach as suppliants with bated breath and whispering humbleness. You will concede nothing, while you require us to surrender everything. Knowing as you must the impossibility of a combination upon terms so unequal and unjust, is not the inference reasonable, that you are not particularly desirous to defeat the Freesoilers, and that you seek to maintain your isolated position exclusively in the hope that you will, by this manœuvre, persuade the South that you alone are its real and unflinching friends?"

This is the truth, and it presents a dilemma from which the Democratic party will not easily escape. Vainly will they repeat that they are in the minority and the opposition in the majority, and that the latter must accept the responsibility for a failure to organize. The plea is sophistical, frivolous and false. There is no party in the House which can assume to control that body. The Freesoilers are not in a majority, else would they long since have elected one of their number as Speaker. The Democrats are likewise in a minority and so are the Nationals. Nothing is more certain than that the House can only be organized by a coalition of minorities, comprising in the aggregate a majority. The responsibility for the existing state of things rests upon all parties. Minorities are as much bound to perform their duty to the country as majorities, and if any minority factiously obstructs the organization of Congress, its accountability cannot be shuffled off by futile efforts to proclaim its impotence. There is abundant evidence to prove that the Democratic minority, by factiously interposing an insurmountable obstacle to a reunion with those who agree with it on topics of paramount concern to the whole country, does obstruct the organization, and must be held to its due share of responsibility. The offence is the graver, because the object which every truly national member must have at heart, is to preclude the success of a third party which aims at sectional legislation, and all of whose principles are eminently perilous to the welfare and stability of the Union. The party, therefore, which goes before the people with honeyed professions of national doctrine on its lips, and at the same time indirectly endeavors to promote the success of a sectional faction, is recreant to honesty and good faith, and merits execration instead of encomium.

The upshot of the business is that the Administration members can organize the House whenever they please. They have simply to meet the National Americans upon equal terms, and the object will be accomplished. If they think fit to retard this consummation upon their heads be the consequences. We presume the country can get along without a Speaker better than President PIERCE, his Cabinet and the federal office-holders.—We do not exactly see how the government is to be administered without appropriations, as no warrants can be drawn upon the treasury without the sanction of law. It is, therefore, probable that when the coffers of the government become thoroughly depleted, the President will instruct his liege men to suffer the House to be organized, and this will be done by the preconcerted absence of a sufficient number of those enormous patriots, to allow Mr. BANKS to succeed by a minority vote. We shall be equally astonished and delighted should the event prove otherwise.

ORPHAN BOYS' ASYLUM, THIRD DISTRICT.—The report of the Grand Jury, published a few days since, alludes to this establishment as follows: "A fine building, but the bedding filthy and insufficient; the children squalid and unhealthy in appearance. Water scarce and sparingly used."

As great injustice, however unintentional, has been done to the Asylum by this statement, we take occasion to make certain corrections and explanations, based upon thorough information of the facts. The Grand Jury visited the Asylum on Saturday. The boys change their clothing every Sunday, consequently it so happened that they were examined by the Jury at a time when their garments were unduly worn from several days wearing, and from the well known careless habits of boys. The bedding is likewise shifted regularly on Sunday, and of course at the end of the week could not have looked particularly clean. If it be asked why the boys' clothes and bedding are not changed more frequently, the answer is simply that the means of the Asylum are of the most limited character; that its support is slender and precarious, and that nothing but the fervent zeal and unceasing benevolence of the Sisters of Charity has preserved the Asylum from hopeless bankruptcy and its inmates from utter destitution. With respect to the supply of water, we will state that during summer the only manner in which this indispensable fluid could be procured was by drawing it from the [illegible] has but one cistern, which [illegible] rainy season, affords a scanty supply. [illegible] regards the unhealthy appearance of the children, it must be remembered that a considerable proportion of them have been received into the Asylum in a diseased condition, with impure blood, and vitiated habits of body—the Sisters' feeling that their duty forbade them to exclude these unfortunate creatures, because they had been heavily afflicted by Providence.

In short, we know that the ladies having charge of the Male Orphan Asylum of the Third District do every thing in their power for the health, comfort and personal cleanliness of the objects of their care, consistent with the restricted resources at their disposal. Were the public and the legislature somewhat more liberal, there would be no occasion for even unmerited censure.

JACKSON AND NEW ORLEANS.—We are indebted to J. C. MORGAN for a copy of Judge ALEXANDER WALKER's sketches of the events preceding and accompanying the battle of New Orleans. The work is not only intensely interesting, but exceedingly valuable as an accurate historical record of one of the most memorable conflicts in ancient or modern time. The author enjoyed uncommon opportunities of gathering minute and accurate knowledge of all the circumstances connected with the defense of New Orleans, and by his unwearied zeal and diligence was enabled to obtain a mass of important and hitherto unpublished information, as well as to rectify a host of errors which had crept into previous accounts. The sketches are written in an agreeable and attractive style. They are marked by felicity diction, and by graphic earnestness, and are entirely free from partisan bias. The work is published by J. C. Derby, New York.

[illegible] Witherspoon, one of [illegible] of Charleston, extensively [illegible] as a cotton and rice factor, died of apoplexy on the 4th instant.

By Telegraph.

Transmitted to the New Orleans Bee.

[By the National Line.]

Three days later from Europe.

ARRIVAL OF THE CANADA.

PARTICULARS OF SWEDISH TREATY.

POSITION OF NORWAY.

SWEDEN TO TAKE THE FIELD.

THE AUSTRIAN ULTIMATUM.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The Royal Mail Steamship Canada arrived at Halifax this morning. She brings news three days later than the Arago.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Sales of the week 30,000 bales—of which exporters took 3000. Our quotations are as follows: Orleans Middling 5 11-16, Uplands Middling 5½, Uplands Fair 5¾.

BREADSTUFFS.

Flour has advanced, and our quotations are as follows: Western Canal 42s., Ohio 44s. In Corn there is little speculative demand, and our circulars show a decline of 1s. White is quoted at 46s., Yellow 44s. 6d., Mixed 44s.

There is little speculative demand for wheat.

PROVISIONS.

Denniston & Co. quote Pork as quiet at 80s. Beef—In Beef there is an improved demand, and the quotation is 120s. Lard has improved, and is quoted at 63s. In Bacon there is also an improvement in the demand, and our circular quotes it at 58s.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The money market is more stringent.—Consols for money are quoted at 88½ to 88¾.

The Canada brings Liverpool dates to the 22d. She had a very boisterous passage.

The Austrian ultimatum, after some modifications, was received finally by Austria, France and England, before it was sent to St. Petersburg.

The Moniteur of Paris has published an article stating (semi-officially) that the treaty now concluded between France, England and Sweden is calculated to prevent any complication of a nature that might disturb the balance of Europe.

Sweden agrees not to cede any of her territory to Russia, nor to make any exchange of territory with her, nor to allow her the right of pasturage or fishery ground on the coast of Sweden.

Norway, it is said, will repel any pretensions of Russia to exercise such rights, and will inform the Allies of any proposition from Russia touching said matters.

The Allied powers engage to provide Sweden with a sufficient naval power to resist all claims of that nature, or other aggressions on the part of Russia. There is a secret clause appended to the treaty, providing that Sweden shall in time take the field against Russia.

FROM SEBASTOPOL.

We have nothing of interest from Sebastopol, or any part of the Crimea, except that the Russians are maintaining a steady fire from the north side of Sebastopol.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Flour is a trifle lower, and Southern sells to-day at $8 87½. Wheat—Western Red $1 92. Corn is dull—sales of mixed at 85c. Mess Pork $17 75. Lard is lower, and sold to-day at 11¼. Whisky is selling at 36½c.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 8.—Flour is dull, and good state commands only $6 87½. Whisky has declined, and sells to-day at 25c.

RIVER INTELLIGENCE.

VICKSBURG, Jan. 8.—The Natchez passed here at 12 o'clock, and the Ingomar at 1 this p. m., for New Orleans.

CONCERTS OF CLASSIC MUSIC.—It gives us great pleasure to announce that Professor F. COLLIGNON, well known for his profound musical attainments, has made arrangements for a series of instrumental concerts, to be executed by a number of the most distinguished artists of New Orleans. The first of the series will take place on Wednesday evening next, the 16th instant, at Lyceum Hall.

We congratulate the lovers of the highest department of musical science upon this prospect of enjoying the grand inspirations of Beethoven, Mozart, Glück, Piccini, and the mighty masters of harmony, whose immortal productions are rarely heard now-a-days, so completely have mere melodic prettinesses usurped and depraved popular taste. To listen to a sonata of Beethoven, or one of the sublime quatuors of Mozart, is a pleasure seldom vouchsafed to the public—we must say, because the latter usually fail adequately to appreciate and properly to compensate those who proffer them such delicate entertainment. Genuine and finished musical taste can only be cultivated by the study of the great composers whose works, pilfered and tricked out in meretricious gewgaws, have established the reputation of a host of minor satellites. We trust that Mr. Collignon's enterprise will receive all the patronage to which it is so clearly entitled. See the advertisement in our columns.

COLONEL WOOD'S MUSEUM OF LIVING WONDERS.—At No. 18 St. Charles street may be seen some of the greatest living curiosities in the world; such as Madame Clofulia, the bearded lady, her Son, a little fellow with a splendid pair of whiskers, who is appropriately styled the Infant Esau; Miss Sylvia Hardy, the American Giantess, nearly eight feet high, and weighing three hundred and eighty-one pounds, and the Swiss Warbler, a young gentleman possessing extraordinary powers of imitation. As Colonel Wood remains but a few days in our city, we advise the curious to visit his museum without delay.

UNITED STATES RESTAURANT.—Messrs. PINO & LEVEQUE will open on Saturday next, at No. 89 Common street, an excellent restaurant which will be conducted upon the Parisian plan. The cookery will be choice, and prices moderate. See advertisement.

M'LLE PARODI's last grand concert takes place to-morrow evening. A magnificent selection of melodies will be found in the programme. The public will be glad to learn that on this occasion M'lle PARODI will sing, by general request, the celebrated French national hymn, "La Marseillaise."

We beg leave to call the attention of the public and the trade in general to George Palfrey's extensive auction sale of Confectionery, Wines, Liquors, Preserved Fruits, Condiments, Pickles, Candles, Furniture, Machinery, &c., to be sold this day at No. 143 Canal street, at 10 o'clock, for account of succession of S. Morrison. Catalogues of the sale can be obtained at the office of the auctioneer.

Advices have been received of the death of the eldest brother of the house of Rothschild, at Frankfort, on the 6th ult. Baron Anselm Von Rothschild is the third of the brothers who has departed this life in 1855, the head of the house in Naples, Carl, and the head of the house in Vienna, Solomon, having already died last year. Of the five brothers there remains now only James, the head of the house in Paris. Baron Anselm was looked on as the founder of the great financial Rothschild power, and though possessed of less cultivation and education than his brother, was a decided genius in money matters; he died childless, and has left to the house a fortune of 30,000,000 gulden. The funeral took place on the morning of the 8th ult., and though devoid of any attempt at external splendor, it was attended by more than one hundred carriages of persons to whom during life he had stood in so many varied positions of man of business, patron, friend and benefactor, including all religions and professions.

The International Commission for constructing a canal through the Isthmus of Suez left Marseilles on Nov. 8. Having arrived at Alexandria 18th, and passed three days in that city, whither M. Negrelli, the Austrian engineer, had preceded it, the Commission made excursions West and East, to the Marabout Fort, and to Damie, to investigate the nature of the rocks and sands that extend along the whole line of coast as far as the mouths of the Nile. The Commission elected for its President M. Conrad, the Dutch engineer, and on the 23d was received by Said Pacha, the Viceroy of Egypt. The Commission will first proceed to Upper Egypt, to report to the Viceroy on the subject of works for the internal canalization of the country, and will then return to Cairo, afterwards proceeding to Suez for the scientific examination of the Isthmus as far as Pelium. During this time the business of taking levels, &c., will be proceeded with. Parties are at work making hydrographic observations in the Gulf of Pelusa, where the canal is to have its mouth.

The widow Wakeman, Abigail Sables, and Thankful S. Heron, confined in the same cell at New Haven, for being concerned in the late murder of Matthews, spend most of their time in prayer, and seem to regard the whole proceedings thus far as a "persecution" instead of a "prosecution." The prophetess says she has a revelation from God every [illegible].

[illegible] Legislature.

[illegible], January 7.—The Legislature of [illegible] has fixed the 15th inst. for the election of a U. S. Senator.

The Legislature of New York has not yet organized, and [illegible] are being made to unite the [illegible] the Softs.

The Legislature of [illegible] American officers.

[illegible] news from the Newark [illegible] information has arrived [illegible] the death of [illegible] Porth [illegible] who has been laboring [illegible] for twenty-four years.

Our Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30, 1855.

In regard to the subject I gave you the same day, no Speaker elected. We thought, yesterday, that there was at least some probability of one being elected before the House adjourned, as the Democrats seemed to meditate a disposition to yote, had not left, and to vote on, and not adjourn till six o'clock. They held a caucus the evening before, and it was given out that they would, in some way, no one could tell exactly how, allow a Speaker to be elected; probably, it was supposed, by some few of their number going out of the hall, so that the Banks men might find themselves in a majority. But if any such purpose had been entertained it was not carried into effect, and no Speaker was elected. It was currently reported, the fact, the President had said that he wished the House to organize without further delay, as the public business was suffering.

The Democrats have had an opportunity of placing in the Speaker's chair a truly national and conservative man, Mr. Fuller, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Zollicoffer, or Mr. Paryear; but no, they would do no such patriotic act. To prevent a union with the National Americans, they, in the outset, adopted a resolution insulting to them, and subsequently, tauntingly told them that they, the Americans, might come to them, provided they would come, upon bended knees, with confessions of their sins, prayers for forgiveness, and shackles upon their hands; thus declaring to the world that all their affected horror at seeing "a Black Republican" placed in the chair of the House, was nothing but dissimulation, hypocrisy, and falsehood. They have all the time desired the election of Mr. Banks; but they wished it to be done with their seeming opposition. They desire to get up a sectional agitation; to carry the South against the Americans upon that issue, or rather to merge in that all other issues, thinking that if they could do so they could get the support of the Americans, which they have so much reason to fear. This is the true secret why they adopted the insulting resolution they did at the outset, and why they tendered the Nebraska question as the great issue before the country. They knew that the Republicans, and the North generally, were ready to accept that issue, which the National Americans preferred to ignore that question and the question of slavery intimately connected with it. If, therefore, Mr. Banks or any other Republican shall be elected Speaker, the fact will be due to the course of the foreign or Democratic party.

A laughable incident occurred in the House a few days ago. Mr. Shorter, of Alabama, rose when his name was called to vote, and in a very patriotic, independent strain, declared that he neither wore the white nor the red rose, and looked only for his guidance to the true interests of the country. That he had voted for nearly four weeks for Mr. Richardson; but he now thought it time to try some other candidate.

At this point Mr. Elliott, of Kentucky, rose and said if the gentleman from Alabama now deserted the Democratic candidate, he would never call him Democrat again.

Whereupon, Mr. S. said that if it were against the wishes of his party that he should vote for any other person than Mr. Richardson, he would continue to vote for Mr. R., and sat down amid roars of laughter, calling out the name of Richardson.

In a doggerel address from the ladies to the galleries to the members of the House, remonstrating against the rude, not to say disgraceful, practice of smoking in the hall, which some members have been guilty of this session, written by some wag, the incident above mentioned is thus alluded to:

"The wisdom assembled from every quarter,
Should be as polite as one Mr. S——;
Who, acting upon only half of a hint,
Took back, in his speech, all the spunk there was in't."

There is some indication of a disposition among a portion of those who have been voting for Mr. Banks, to concentrate on Mr. Pennington. There are some ten or fifteen who have not voted for Mr. B., who are ready to support Mr. P., and a portion of the Southern Americans will do the same, if by their votes he can be elected.

The news by the Pacific does not fully confirm the rumors which had reached us by the preceding steamer, of peace; though the impression in the best informed circles here is, that peace will be brought about without the agency of another campaign.

The doings of Walker in Nicaragua, it is apprehended, will involve the U. S. in trouble with other nations; no such apprehension, I presume, is felt in your city.

The contest for the printing in the Senate, between the Union and the Sentinel, waxes warm. The opposition—Whigs and Americans—might decide it, and perhaps will; they are assiduously courted by both; but they cannot forget that the Sentinel, soon after it became the organ of the Senate by the vote of the Whigs, two years ago, came out in a most insolent, insulting, and denunciatory article, in which every senator who should dare to oppose Mr. Douglas' Nebraska bill, was declared deserving the burning scorn of the whole country! And yet, it is said, that in the face of this denunciation, and insolent attempt to dictate and intimidate them, some Whigs and Americans have promised to vote for Mr. Tucker! No paper has been more abusive of the American party than this, insultingly so, especially during the gubernatorial campaign in Virginia.

We had last night a heavy rain, which froze as it fell, and this morning the streets, ground, trees, everything out of doors was covered with ice. The trees presented a fairy scene, as the sun rose brilliantly and shone upon them, causing them to glisten as if loaded with diamonds.

A most disgraceful circumstance has lately taken place in the Legislature of Virginia. A bill was pending to establish an Orphan Asylum at Portsmouth; as usual, the member from Portsmouth drafted the bill, and inserted therein, as trustees of the institution, citizens of all parties, being those who had been most active in alleviating the sufferings of the sick and dying during the late terrible scourge that visited the city. But the anti-Americans, or foreign contingent in the Legislature would not permit the names of some of the most distinguished and benevolent citizens to remain in the bill as trustees, because they were Americans! A motion was accordingly made and carried to strike them out and insert others, of the foreign party!

The names of the member who made this motion and those who voted for it should be published and held up to universal scorn and execration. MAISON ROUGE.

Department Reports.

WASHINGTON, January 2.—The report of the Secretary of the Interior is very interesting. The cash receipts from the sales of lands during the year show an increase of nearly $2,500,000, and the sales 8,500,000 acres over the preceding year. The decrease in the number of acres located on scrip and warrants is upwards of 7,000,000 acres. Efforts are making to adjust all the claims of the States for lands. The Mesilla Valley contains 30,000,000 acres, and parts of it are very productive of grain; gold, silver and copper are also found on the hills. The amount of stocks held in trust for the various Indian tribes is $3,000,000. The Secretary recommends a more liberal and generous policy towards the Indians.

The correspondence relative to the Sound Dues is published. Denmark holds the right to the Sound Dues independent of all treaties, and never will consent to abandon it. On the 14th of April, Mr. Henry Bedinger, resident U. S. Minister at Copenhagen, by instruction of his government, gave notice of the termination of the Convention. The Danish and Foreign Ministers hoped that propositions would be made to open the way for a new treaty to prevent placing the vessels of the United States upon a footing different from those nations to whom no favor was shown. In October, Denmark recommended that a congress of powers should be held at Copenhagen in November. An early date was fixed, in consequence of the strenuous urgings of England and Prussia, and the other powers; and it was proposed that the Capitalization Dues should be the basis of the quantity of merchandise passed through the Sound and the Belts.

Mr. Marcy, on the 3d of November, wrote Mr. Bedinger that the President continued to decline the invitation, without questioning the fair intention of Denmark, and claimed that he was vindicating a great national principle, which, if yielded in one case, it would be difficult to maintain in others. Another objection was, that the United States would never consent to the pretention that the new world should be appropriated to adjust the political balance of the old world. While considering that the free navigation of the Sound was an indubitable right, the United States was willing to pay an equivalent for any advantages derived from outlays for keeping up light-houses, buoys, &c.

The Secretary of State's report shows that Mr. Marcy wrote to the British government, in decided terms, refusing to yield to the English interpretation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, to which Lord Clarendon replied that England would adhere to her interpretation of it.

The Secretary of War urges an increase of pay for the army, and favors the construction of the Pacific railroad.

The Secretary of the Navy recommends the construction of additional steamers, and is in favor of sustaining the action of the late Naval Board, but thinks that those officers who may have been unjustly treated should be restored.

The Postmaster-General suggests the restriction of the franking privilege, the imposition of full rates on newspapers, and a rigid enforcement of pre-payment of postage. He also urges that a notice should be given to the Collins' steamships, that their pay will be discontinued.

WEAR A SHAWL.—If you want to be in fashion, wear a shawl; if to 'tickle' ladies, an attraction, wear a shawl; if to sheep and cows a terror, or like shanghais in full feather, or even rags upon the heather, wear a shawl; your shirt and vest unfolded or unpleasant to behold, wear a shawl; if your dearest wore fine linen, wear a shawl; you might whip your lassie in it—in your shawl, it's like charity on [illegible], and hides a multitude of sins, although it causes grins—does your shawl. If you want to be a dandy, wear a shawl; or have a cover handy, wear a shawl. In a word, it is almost useful article, as you may wrap your feet, head, body, knees, make a seat, a blanket, a bed, a mask, a pillow, a wrap carpet or a Scotch plaid of your shawl. In our peregrinations through the city we notice many beautiful articles of shawls the great fashion. They are most faultful in style and color and can only be excelled by the [illegible] manner in which they are worn. [illegible]

[illegible] The Rule of [illegible] was [illegible] before C. H. [illegible] of the peace, for the arrest [illegible] accused of [illegible] on the evening of the 25 [illegible] of witnesses before the [illegible] that the wound was in [illegible] the night side [illegible] only a few hours. [illegible] to the parish [illegible].

TEXAS.

By the arrival of the steamer Galveston, from Indianola and Galveston, we have received Texas papers to the 5th inst., inclusive. They contain little news of interest.

The cars of the Harrisburg road are now delivering passengers and freight within three hundred yards of the company's ferry, on the Brazos, at Richmond.

The Galveston News announces the death of Judge Munger, of scarlet fever. The [illegible] says:

"This intelligence will be received with deep felt sorrow for the loss of one of our best judges, and a man universally esteemed for his many excellent qualities of head and heart, and with profound sympathy for his bereaved and afflicted family."

FATAL ACCIDENT.—On Saturday, the 22d ult., an unfortunate affray took place in Lockhart, between a Mr. Caviness and Mr. Asa Perry, which resulted in the death of the former.

We copy the following from the Civilian of the 4th instant:

"The schooner Chrysolite, Capt. Ackley, left New Orleans at 7 o'clock last Sunday morning, came out of the S. W. Pass at 8 P. M., and arrived off Galveston bar at 2 o'clock on Tuesday morning—one of the quickest trips ever made by a sail vessel—being equal to 10½ miles an hour. The Chrysolite had a valuable cargo of groceries, wines and liquors for H. de St. Cyr, of this city.

The new bark Nueces, built at Farmingdale, Maine, for the Boston and Galveston line of packets, (of which Messrs. B. K. Nichols & Co., are agents,) arrived at Galveston last Tuesday, after having been detained outside a week by adverse weather. The Nueces is commanded by Capt. W. [illegible], [illegible] feet long, 31 feet in breadth, [illegible] draft, and will carry 1100 cotton bales measurement. She was built expressly for the Boston and Texas trade, and is in every way prepared and adapted for a successful packet.

Among the arrivals last night, by the Houston boat, are Major McCulloch, the U. States Marshal, and Colonel Hay, the U. S. District Attorney. Judge Watrous arrived several days ago. The U. S. District Court will commence its session on Monday next. Numbers of lawyers and parties interested in suits pending before that Court, are already present.

Commerce of New York.

The New York Journal of Commerce supplies a full statistical exhibit of the import of dry goods at that port during 1855, from which we condense the most important results. The year 1853 witnessed the largest imports at New York ever since the country was settled. The receipts of dry goods, alone, for that year reached $93,704,211, an increase of over 50 per cent. upon the total of the preceding year. In the beginning of the year 1854, the imports fell off, but with some fluctuations, and the decrease was not very strongly marked until September of that year, when the falling off became rapid and uninterrupted, continuing monthly, without exception, until September, 1855, a period of twelve months. Part of this decrease was of course included in last year's summary, the total imports of dry goods for 1854 being only $80,842,836, against $93,704,211 for 1853. The decrease continued until September, 1855, when the trade turned, and each month since has shown a comparative increase, leaving the total for the year 1855, $15,868,874 below the total for 1854, $28,738,149 below that of 1853, but $6,349,918 greater than for the year 1852, when the total was only $61,564,145. We annex a summary comparison for three years:

Imports of Dry Goods at New York for the year.

Desc. of Goods.	1853.	1854.	1855.
Manuf. of Wool	$29,384,146	$22,690,666	$15,681,827
Do. Cotton	16,803,473	15,862,365	10,510,728
Do. Silk	34,139,876	25,823,104	23,997,480
Do. Flax	8,790,136	7,683,522	6,792,364
Misc. Dry Goods	4,766,579	6,900,338	5,922,155
Tot. im. D. Goods	$93,704,211	$80,842,836	$64,974,002

Of the total decrease of $15,868,874 for the year $4,052,321 has been in woolens, $5,481,603 in cottons, $5,330,436 in silks, $937,368 in flax, and $177,086 in miscellaneous dry goods.

The comparison between the totals thrown upon the market and the totals entered at the port, are very instructive. In 1854 the total receipts of the port was $80,842,836, while the total thrown on the market for consumption was only $78,161,318. In 1855 the order is reversed, the total receipts being $64,974,062, while the total thrown on the market for consumption was $66,836,768. This shows that in the former year the receipts were in excess of the demand, while in the last year they have been less than the wants of the trade.

FRIGHTFUL RAILROAD ACCIDENT—Seven Cars Demolished.—Last Tuesday evening, about sunset, as the train was coming up about twenty miles South of this, seven freight cars were thrown from the track and precipitated down an embankment some twenty-five or thirty feet, and completely demolished. The accident occurred at Dick's creek, about two miles below Red Bluff station, where the embankment is said to have been made of sand. The rise in the river had backed the water up the creek, causing the base of the embankment to be submerged some ten or fifteen feet. A continual settling and spreading of the base was going on, causing a falling and sliding from the sides above until the grade was very much disturbed and there was scarcely width enough to support the cross ties. The repair hands had just left it, having patched it up, as they vainly supposed, so that the train might pass. As the train dashed on it at considerable speed, the whole embankment gave way and the seven freight cars were crushed, broken and tumbled down the embankment and much of the freight and fragments submerged in the water. By a miracle, no lives were lost. A freight car got wedged on the track and stopped the passenger cars from going over. One man went down the embankment with the wreck and escaped without fatal injury. The locomotive escaped by a hair's breadth. The driver saw the cars tumbling down behind him and put on all steam. So near was the earth giving way behind the locomotive that the tender was falling, and was dragged to a place of safety off the rail. Misfortunes never come single. This seemed to be accident enough for one day, but another was close upon its heels. A messenger was sent to bring a locomotive a few miles distant to assist at the scene of the disaster. After night it came—came thundering on, and finished up the day's work by running into the passenger cars left standing on the track, and making a very general smash of locomotive cars and everything smashable. We have heard nothing since the night of the catastrophe, from the scene of the "wreck of matter and crush of cars."—Quitman Intelligencer.

ANOTHER BLOODY TRAGEDY.—A bloody tragedy occurred night before last, at a gambling house on Madison street, resulting in the death of the proprietor of the house, Mr. G. W. Murry. It originated at the card table where Mr. Murry and a man by the name of A. B. Hudson were playing, upon the former refusing to play any longer. Hudson stabbed Murry two or three times with a bowie knife, one blow taking effect in the region of the heart, from which he died in a few minutes, but not until the deceased had knocked Hudson down and stamped him.—Hudson attempted to escape, but was arrested by Messrs. Thomas, Good and Tucker, of the night police, near the Worsham House, and taken to prison. He will be examined this morning. Murray leaves a widow and several children to mourn his untimely end.—Memphis Whig, 5th.

City Intelligence.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.—There was a meeting of this body last evening—Alderman Lugenbuhl in the chair.

The President on taking his seat, stated that he was sorry that certain members of the Board had taken umbrage at the manner in which he had enforced the rules of the Board, and that if he had erred it was a fault of the head and not of the heart.

Alderman Gilmore arose and said that he supposed he was one of the persons alluded to by the President. [illegible] at a recent meeting of the Board, when he was speaking, and considered himself in order, he was not a little angry when the President had rapped angrily with his gavel, and exclaimed, "sit down, sit—sit down!" This was language unfit to pass between gentlemen; and when the President ordered him in such a manner to take his seat, and enforced his order by repeated and violent blows with his gavel, [illegible] him from his chair, had he (the President) had two legs instead of only one.

Mr. Lugenbuhl [illegible] Alderman Bailey to the chair, and on taking the floor inquired of Mr. Gilmore if he wished to raise a personal issue, here or elsewhere? (Ominous silence through the room.)

Mr. Gilmore replied with an emphatic "Here or anywhere you like."

Mr. Lugenbuhl rejoined, "This is not the place, but I am ready to meet the gentleman outside any time."

Mr. G. immediately opened the door and moved out into the vestibule, Mr. Lugenbuhl hobbling out on his crutch closely after. Apprehending a serious collision between the two Aldermen, Alderman Gilmore, the President and members, together with the reporters, rushed out to the scene of the proposed combat, [illegible] excitement and tumult became intense, when the prompt interference of several gentlemen prevented the two excited gentlemen from doing any harm to each other. All parties then returned to the Council Chamber, the chief actors looking much cooled down and relieved by this little "blow out." The scene, like many others "not down in the bills," was excessively funny, and was a perfect God-send in the way of relieving the dreary monotony of Aldermanic proceedings.

The Board then proceeded to the consideration of the consolidated loan tax on real estate and slaves, of the Lower Board. After considerable discussion, rates agreed upon by the Lower Board were adopted. They are as follows:

First District............... 65 cts. per $100
Second District............... 65 cts. per $100
Third District............... 50 cts. per $100
Fourth District............... 75 cts. per $100

The tax of 34 cents per $100, for the payment of the interest on the railroad bonds, levied by the city, was adopted in 30 cts per $100.

The resolution levying a tax of ⅛ per cent. on all the licenses levied by the city, for the purpose of [illegible] was concurred in.

A resolution appointing the polls and inspectors for the elections for representative in the Eighth and Ninth Precincts, on the 14th instant, was then concurred in. The places and inspectors are the same as those of the last election.

The Board then adjourned to Tuesday evening next.

[illegible] Aldermen [illegible] Board [illegible] Robert Bruce, [illegible] Jno. Cooper, Fred. Dowsey, [illegible] E H Randall, E Wyckoff, [illegible]

WHOLESALE LARCENY.—François Bordes, who keeps an oyster shop in [illegible] street, was yesterday [illegible] for selling liquor [illegible]

CUTTING.—An Englishman named William Cellar got into a difficulty with another man, whose name he does not know, on [illegible] street, after night, and was quite seriously [illegible] in the Charity Hospital. The other party [illegible]

DISTRICT COURT.—Hon. J. B. Robertson, Judge.—In the case of Scully vs. Dominguez, [illegible] a writ for the discharge of the First [illegible] defendant, who was [illegible] charged to have been made in the engagement of Jones [illegible]

PROBATE DISTRICT COURT.—Hon. M. M. Reynolds.—The case of [illegible] vs. her husband J. [illegible] of [illegible] by Dr. James Wallace, [illegible] voyage [illegible] cruelty and violently assaulted, [illegible] she had [illegible] the Court [illegible]

Charles Otter & Co., lessees of that portion of the city wharves between Toulouse and Esplanade streets, have sued the agents of the U. S. Steamship Co., Messrs. Jennings, Laughland & Co., for [illegible] due to them as wharfage [illegible] to be paid by the Company, under a contract made by the Company and passed [illegible] Board of the [illegible]. The defendants consider that as the coal boats were not moored to the wharves, they are not obliged to pay the sum demanded.

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT.—Hon. D. [illegible] Alex. Edward, f. m. c., yesterday, through his counsel, N. Saul, Esq., entered suit in the Court for damages against Mr. [illegible] on the night of November last, at the corner of Burgundy and Ursulines streets, he was attacked and stabbed three times by George Clovis, slave of the defendant. Owing to these wounds, he was confined for several weeks, and that defendant had given him the amount of $1,190 00, for which the defendant, as master of the slave, is responsible.

J. B. Jacquet yesterday entered suit to recover $66 from Jerome J. [illegible], which sum was placed in the defendant's possession about a year ago by plaintiff's brother, to be paid to this plaintiff when he should ask for it. The plaintiff alleges in his petition that, although he has made suitable demand, he has been unable to get the sum which had been placed in trust for him.

Mrs. V. Pierobe née Marie Therese Menardi, has entered suit for a divorce from her husband Pierre Pierobe. The alleged reasons for this application are that he had abandoned her in France, where they were married in 1845, and came to this country three years ago; that he is now living in open concubinage with one Madame Greuze; that he has grossly abused her since her arrival in this country, a few weeks since, and that he made a false and malicious charge against her before Recorder Summers, in order to get her locked up in prison over night, &c., &c. The defendant is a respectable tobacconist in this city.

COMMITMENTS.—Bridget Dunn was yesterday sent before the First District Court by Recorder Bright, for trial, for larceny. Bridget, who lives in a state of ill-fame in Perdido street, stole $20 from a countryman, named B. B. Hager, from Attakapas, whilst he was asleep in her room on the night of the 7th inst.—She was put in prison, in default of bail.

Dr. James Wallace, of Nayades street, was committed for trial, for carrying a bowie knife concealed on his person. Bonds $500—given.

Gilbert Garcia was committed to prison by Recorder Ramos, to await trial for an assault and battery upon Gustavus Youillett.

Fritz Smith was sent before the First District Court, to be tried for stealing $65 from the trunk of John Galloway, at a Jefferson street boarding house. As he could not give bail, he was sent to the parish prison.

ASSAULTS.—Dr. James Wallace, of No. 69 Nayades street, is to answer on the 14th to Recorder Bright, for having, on Friday last, kicked Abraham Stiewel out of his (Wallace's) house, for being a little too importunate in collecting a bill.

William Kither, first clerk of the steamboat New Lucy, is to answer on the 11th, for having, during the last trip of that boat from Cairo hither, assaulted a passenger who had been a little noisy in his berth, since the arrival of the boat, abused and threatened him.

ROBBERIES.—Victor Girard is now in prison awaiting examination before Recorder Ramos, for having, on the night of the 7th inst., stolen from Mr. A. Lecompte, who lives in Royal street, near St. Ann street, $278 in money and a gold and silver watch, most of which were found in the possession of the accused when arrested. It seems that Mr. Lecompte took Girard into his room to sleep for the night, and that the latter arose in the night, stole the valuables, and absconded.

Lawrence Rider, who keeps a Gallatin street shop, was yesterday arrested for having, on Monday evening, enticed a man named J. C. C. Deems into his house, and then forcibly and by threats extorted $71 from him. Where Rider was arrested the notorious John Swan was by, and attempted to rescue him, but did not succeed, and was himself arrested. He is also in prison awaiting examination for attempting to create a riot.

WOMAN BEATING.—A young "man about town," named August Madeleine, was yesterday arrested for having, on Tuesday night, entered the house of Mrs. Wilkes, a Burgundy street lady, and giving her a severe kicking and beating, so that she was compelled, through fear of her life, to flee to the house of a neighbor. Madeleine, in default of bail, was sent to prison.

A FOND WIFE.—M. J. Hote, who keeps a store at the corner of Dauphin and Orleans street, yesterday procured the arrest of his wife Mary, who, he states, is in the habit of using grossly obscene language in the presence of their children, and has, on several occasions, secretly taken a quantity of articles in his house and sold them. The accused, in default of bail, is held to prison.

BRUTAL TREATMENT OF A WOMAN.—Robert Hart was yesterday arrested for having, on Tuesday, brutally cuffed a woman named Margaret Austin, and knocked her down with a blow of his fist, in her house, corner of Treselines and Burgundy streets. The accused gave bonds for his future appearance.

CONCEALED WEAPONS.—Alexander Rathman was yesterday arrested for carrying a concealed weapon, to wit, a spring knife. He was sent to prison in default of bail.

Penmanship, Book-keeping, English, French, Spanish, German, Arithmetic, Surveying, Navigation, and Phonography, are taught at Dolbear's Commercial College, 105 Canal street, to all who wish. Professors. Maximilian are all to call and judge for themselves.

GUNSMITH, MUSEUM, &c.—The attention of buyers is called to the sale of [illegible], weapons, &c., to take place THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock, at R. Fryhand & Co.'s auction room, No. 22 Old Levee street. Terms, liberal at sale.

Hoofland's German Bitters. Certificate of [illegible] Bitters" [illegible] of Old [illegible], Ohio. Inquired, October 30, 1854.
Dr. C. M. Jackson—Dear Sir—The Bitters are in great demand here. In addition to the quantity sold by [illegible], your agents, the two other stores here have sold [illegible] other medicine. I find they are much used by country merchants [illegible] to rebuild their broken constitutions. I have used during the last summer, to my own family, four bottles. [illegible] recommended to me first by a neighbor, [illegible] the effects of a Bitters Fever. They gave me an appetite, and restored a tone and vigor to my whole system [illegible] good effects of the Bitters [illegible] had a large sale, and have now become the standard medicine in this vicinity.
In conclusion, I would say that I feel great pleasure in giving you this testimony of the value and success of your preparation.
Respectfully, yours, RALPH LUTZ.
See advertisement.] For sale by J. WRIGHT & CO., 151 Chartres street, N. O. dec18 1m3taw

SARSAPARILLA—112 bales in bond, for sale by BRUGUIERE & CO., 16 Bienville st.

TOBACCO—7 bales Mexican Leaf Tobacco, for wrappers; for sale by BRUGUIERE & CO., 16 Bienville st.

LANDING ex ship St. Paul, from Havre—5 tons Gruyere Cheese. For sale by jan8 J. N. CURIEN, 33 Toulouse street.

RASPAIL CORDIALS—Landing and for sale by jan7 ANT GIRAUD, 44 Old Levee.

CATALONIA WINE—25 pipes superior; Flagniol Oil, 300 baskets genuine; Vermouth, 300 boxes Le Noilly; 240 boxes Turino Vermouth; Muscatel, 100 boxes Frontignan Muscatel. For sale by jan7 ANT GIRAUD, 44 Old Levee.

CORKS—10 bales fine pointed Corks, 30,000. For sale by jan7 ANT GIRAUD, 44 Old Levee.

WHITE WINE—75 boxes Haut Sauterne; 150 do old Cassis. For sale by jan7 ANT GIRAUD, 44 Old Levee.

ABSYNTH—40 boxes Swiss Absynth, Yersin & Lecoultre. For sale by jan7 ANT GIRAUD, 44 Old Levee.

VERMICELLI AND MACARONI—Always in store and for sale by jan7 ANT GIRAUD, 44 Old Levee.

PICKLES—200 boxes Marseilles Pickles, all qualities, for sale by jan7 ANT GIRAUD, 44 Old Levee.

BLUE MOUNTAIN CHEESE—Landing and for sale by jan7 ANT GIRAUD, 44 Old Levee.

LANDING ex ship Lemuel Dyer, from Bordeaux, and for sale by the undersigned—6 casks Pauillac Claret; 10 qr pipes Cognac, St. Claire, 4th proof; 10 bbls old Cognac Brandy; 25 boxes, 12 glass jars, dried Plums; 10 do 25 do do. V. & E. MARGNAN, 85 and 87 St. Louis st.

LANDING ex ship Protector, from Bordeaux—4 bales fine Corks, in cases of 500; 4 do do demi-dium, 10,000 each; 2 do do do; 4 qr. pipes pale short Sep 15 qr Goldenburg Cognac, 1850; 24 qr do do 1850; 5 qr Cognac, Chalonel, [illegible], Rochelle, 4th proof; 10 eighths do do do; 12 eighths do do Larronde, 1825. For sale by jan7 V. & E. MARGNAN, 85 and 87 St. Louis st.

HOPS—15 bales prime Eastern. Landing and for sale by jal 9w H. S. BARLOW & CO., 12 Canal st.

CIGARS—200,000 received also by the Elizabeth and Miller, of the celebrated brands Sultana, Lastrilla, Montero, El Sol, Don Andres, Moscocoa, Ingenuidad, Duende, Castellanos, &c., &c., comprising the different classes of regalias, media regalias, vegueros, cilindrados, millares, Londres, &c., in store and for sale by dec1—1m ANT. COSTA, 16 Customhouse st.

CACAO—300 bags Guayaquil, superior quality. In store and for sale by ANT. COSTA, 16 Customhouse st.

LEAF Tobacco—Received by the brigs Mary Elizabeth and Miller, from Havana—100 bales of the best Vuelta Abajo leaf tobacco, for fillers and wrappers; 160 bales Cabezadeques, also for fillers and wrappers; and constantly receiving by all the arrivals from Havana, fine tobacco of the best Vegas, in store and for sale at the very lowest prices, by ANT COSTA, dec1—1m 16 Customhouse st.

OLIVES—300 kegs Spanish olives, fresh, in store and for sale by ANT COSTA, dec1—1m 16 Customhouse st.

TO lithographers and cigar manufacturers—Paper—3 cases colored, embossed, size, of different colors, in store and for sale by ANT COSTA, dec1—1m 16 Customhouse st.

[illegible] BUTTER—3 cases superior Goshen Butter, [illegible]

[illegible] Produce and Family Provisions. A LOT of new No. 2 MACKEREL, just landing; [illegible] FLOUR, LARD, BACON [illegible] All of the [illegible] by [illegible]

WHITE [illegible] for sale by [illegible] & CO., 10 Magazine st.

ARRIVED, per ship Blue Fly [illegible] 2 fine Cottons, ex [illegible]

J. B. C. [illegible]. SPLENDID FRUIT AND FLOWER [illegible] [illegible] street, No. 88. [Next to Mr. Piffet's superb store.] [illegible] from Versailles, near Paris, also from [illegible] from France with a splendid collection of flower and fruit trees, camellias, magnolias, rhododendrons, Peonia arborea, and the richest collection of [illegible] rose trees. Also, pear, apple, plum and cherry Trees, perpetual gooseberry bushes and other kinds, onion, roots, Bulbous flower roots, flower and garden seeds, and other plants too numerous to be mentioned. Purchasers [illegible] Charles st. [illegible]

[illegible] REWARD. The [illegible] who will deliver at No. 74 Camp street, or lodge in one of the city jails, the negro man PIRMON, aged 40 years, 5 feet 10 inches high, stout, and well known in New Orleans as having belonged to Mrs. Leopold Guichard, f. w. c., of the parish of St. Bernard. An additional reward of $150 will be paid on conviction of the person or persons harboring him. He is a cooper, and ran away on the 2d of December last. THOMAS C. PAYAN & CO., ja18 1m 74 Gravier street.

[illegible] proposals will be opened on the 10th of January, 1856, at 12 o'clock, M. ja10 1m

UNITED STATES RESTAURANT, Common street, No. 89, between St. Charles and Camp streets. MESSRS. PINO & LEVEQUE respectfully inform the public that they have opened a Restaurant at the above place, on the PARISIAN STYLE.—Nothing will be left undone to insure public patronage, and amateurs may rest assured that the fresh and best dishes and most exquisite wines will constantly be found at the establishment. Terms, very moderate. The RESTAURANT will be opened on SATURDAY NEXT, January 12th. P. S. Besides the large hall, there are private saloons for families or friends. ja10 1m

JUST landing from ship Agamemnon, from Marseilles—25 bales Almonds, soft shell; 30 boxes Vermouth, of Barnagon; Chartreuse [illegible] Absynth, 40. For sale by B. TALAMON, 188 Royal street.

JUST landing from ships [illegible] and Provence, from Bordeaux—60 boxes assorted Fruits, in juice, of Lafaurie; 20 do Strawberries, in juice, of Prunes; 30 do Brandy Fruits, assorted; 10 half pipes Cognac, [illegible], assorted; 10 half pipes [illegible] 1851; 40 quarter pipes do, do; 300 boxes Red Wine, St. Julien; 107 do White Wine, Haut Sauterne; 44 barrels do do; 150 casks Red Wine, various brands; 20 barrels Vinegar. For sale by B. TALAMON, ja10 188 Royal street.

HAVANA LEAF TOBACCO—146 bales, [illegible] Vuelta Abajo, for wrappers and fillers, in store and for sale by BORNIO & BROTHER, jan8 24 Gravier street.

CIGARS—18 barrels and 14 cases Havana Cigarettes, of the brands Figaro, Españolas, Distinguida, Garcia and Honrados, in store and for sale by jan8 BORNIO & BRO., 24 Gravier st.

HAVANA SWEETMEATS—4 bbls Guava Jelly and Paste. In store and for sale by BORNIO & BROTHER, ja10 24 Gravier st.

HAVANA CIGARS—Of the Regalias, Londres, Conchas, [illegible] brands, [illegible] Perfeccion, Sultana, Cabanas, Washington, Ingenuidad, Nicotiana, Moston and others. Landing ex brig Wm. Clark, and for sale by BORNIO & BROTHER, ja10 24 Gravier street.

DOLBEAR'S COMMERCIAL COLLEGE, 105 CANAL STREET. PENMANSHIP, BOOK-KEEPING, ENGLISH, FRENCH, SPANISH, GERMAN, ARITHMETIC, ALGEBRA, GEOMETRY, SURVEYING, NAVIGATION and PHONOGRAPHY. Are taught by able and experienced Professors. NEW CLASSES begin THIS WEEK. Citizens and Strangers are invited to call and judge for themselves. There are nine apartments. RUFUS DOLBEAR, d17 105 Canal street.

L. ROCHE & CO., Chartres street, No. 105, corner of Toulouse. (Entrance on Toulouse street, up stairs.) Importers and Commission Merchants. RECEIVED per ship Johannisberg an extensive assortment of fine black Velvets, figured Velvets, in plain and quilled colors; Velvet Ribbons, all Nos., qualities and colors, which are offered wholesale. H. L. ROCHE & CO.

Gas Fixtures. OEHMICHEN & LOEFFLER, No. 142 Chartres street, RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and the public generally, that they have and are constantly receiving a large supply of the latest patterns of Gas Chandeliers and Fixtures, of all descriptions. They will guarantee to fulfil all work entrusted to their care in the best and neatest manner. [illegible] They are also agents for Elder's Gas Regulator. dec17 1y

CHILDREN'S TOYS AND FANCY ARTICLES, FOR NEW YEAR'S GIFTS. [illegible] RECEIVED per ship United States, from France, a large assortment of Dressed and undressed Dolls, Toys, all descriptions, and variety of FANCY ARTICLES. Received per same ship, a large assortment of Embroideries and Laces. Woolen and cotton Hose and Half Hose. Woolen articles for children. Silk Cravats. Woolen, kid and lisle Gloves. Ribbons, Velvets, Trimmings, Tuck Combs, Silk and marker Buttons, &c. &c. Dealers are invited to call and examine our goods before purchasing for New Year's day. decl1-1m F. RIMAILHO & CO.

JUST landing from ship Protector, from Bordeaux—500 boxes Red Wine, St. Julien Medoc, of 18 bottles each, of the brand of Tenet, Bordeaux, 1848. For sale by HENRY VALETON, jan8 90 St. Louis street.

SARDINES IN OIL—50 cases, 100 half boxes each, marked [illegible] Nantes, landing ex ship Protector, from Bordeaux, and for sale by PREAU & COUTURIE, jan8 31 and 33 Gravier street.

WHITE WINE—25 boxes White Wine, superior quality, from J. B. Clerc & Co., Bordeaux, landing ex ship Protector, and for sale by PREAU & COUTURIE, jan8 31 and 33 Gravier street.

LANDING ex ship Oceana, from Bordeaux—60 casks Claret Wine; 218 boxes do do C.—1848. For sale by LOUIS F. MAXENT, jan8 50 Toulouse street.

JUST landing from ship Hattie, from Bordeaux—500 boxes Red Wine, St. Julien Medoc, of 12 bottles each; 10 do do Champin Sauterne, 1846, do. For sale by HENRY VALETON, 90 St. Louis st.

CHERRIES—100 boxes Brandy Cherries, landing ex ship Oceana. For sale by R. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

FRUITS IN JUICE—25 boxes landing ex ship Oceana. For sale by R. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

COGNAC—1 hf, 8 qr, 8 octave pipes Cognac, Gibos, 1st proof. Landing ex ship Oceana, from Bordeaux, and for sale by R. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

HAVANA SUGAR—473 boxes white, yellow and brown Sugar. Landing ex brig Wm. Clark, and for sale by R. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

HAVANA COFFEE—436 bags Havana Coffee. Landing ex brig Wm. Clark, and for sale by R. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee st.

SARDINES—30 cases Sardines in oil, landing ex ship Oceana. For sale by R. CAHUZAC & CO., jan8 30 Old Levee.

RED WINE—200 casks Red Wine, landing ex ship Oceana. For sale by R. CAHUZAC & CO.

JUST landing, from ship Oceana, from Bordeaux—60 casks red Wine, Pauillac, G. M. L.; 60 casks ditto, St. Julien, G. M. L.; 300 boxes ditto, Pauillac, G. M. L.; 500 boxes white Wine, Haut Sauterne, G. M. L.; 23 packages Cognac, A. Tournade, Rochelle; 10 packages ditto, Seguin, Rochelle. For sale by G. CAVAROC & CO., 144 Royal st.

CLARET WINE—1500 boxes Claret Wine Caps and Labels, landing ex ships Protector and Oceana, from Bordeaux. For sale by R. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee.

SWEETMEATS—30 boxes landing ex brig William Clark. For sale by R. CAHUZAC & CO., jan8 30 Old Levee.

LIMES AND ORANGES—300 boxes Limes and 100 boxes Oranges. For sale by LANATA BROTHERS, jan8 Jefferson street.

JUST landing from ship PROTECTOR from Bordeaux— 3 casks Wine, old Chateau Margaux. 10 do do St. Julien. 60 do Ordinary wine, Quayries. 10 boxes Wine, Eanzan Medoc. 50 do do Canteneo. 50 do do St. Julien. 6 do Superfine Anisette. 6 do Petit Pois. 2 do Capers in oil. 2 Sales Cork. 25 boxes Dry Prunes. 1 box Labels. For sale by FERRON BROTHERS, jan8-1m 247 and 249 Royal st. cor. Bienville.

POTATOES—3000 bbls Plakeyes, in flatboats, for sale in lots to suit; ONIONS—150 bbls Wethersfield, in flatboats; POTATOES—2500 bbls prime Louisville Meschaneks, in flatboats; GREEN APPLES—250 bbls Bellflower and Russets, in flatboats; POTATOES—1000 bbls Peach Blossoms, blue, white and London Lady, in flatboats; ONIONS—300 bbls Western silver skins, in store; ONIONS—300 bbls Red New York, in store; BEANS—200 bbls Red Gallipolis, in store; BEANS—200 sacks new small white Navy, in store; BEANS—200 bbls Boston and New York white, in store; PEAS—50 bbls Lady and white, in store; DRIED APPLES—250 sacks new Western and Northern, in store; DRIED PEACHES—100 sacks new Western, in store; DRIED APPLES—175 bbls new Northern, in shipping order; DRIED APPLES—150 bbls new Western, in store; DRIED PEACHES—145 bbls liquor-cured, in whisky barrels; SWEET POTATOES—Always on hand. POTATOES—500 bbls Northern, Western and Planting, in store, and for sale by DONNELLY, [illegible] & CO., jan7 [illegible] Tchoupitoulas st.

NEW STYLE TRIMMINGS. WE offer to the trade a large assortment of NEW GALLOONS, TRIMMINGS, such as—FANCY PLUSH GALLOONS; FANCY VELVET GALLOONS; FANCY WATERED GALLOONS; FANCY MOSS GALLOONS; FANCY FRINGED GALLOONS. These Goods are just landed, and will be sold at cost to close a consignment. J. [illegible], JR., & CO. dec26 75 Chartres street, up stairs.

[illegible] CHARTRES STREET. Cloth, Vests, Cashmeres, etc., etc., and Tailor's Articles. P. BESSEC. JUST RECEIVED by late arrivals from Havre, his fresh assortment of Goods, consisting in—Fine French black Cloth; [illegible] do various shades; [illegible]. A full and complete assortment of Fancy Cashmeres of the latest styles. Also, velvet and plush Vests, figured satins, [illegible]. As the above articles will be disposed of at the most reasonable prices, the public are respectfully invited to call and examine them before purchasing elsewhere. [illegible] P. BESSEC.

L'ÉCLAIR. [illegible] No. 80 Old Levee [illegible] OFFERS for sale [illegible] Maraschino; Curaçoa; Cherry Brandy; Cherry Bounce; Absynth; Kirschwasser; Anisette; Absinthe, in barrels; Anisette; Assorted Liquors; Peppermint; Stoughton's Bitters; Bentley's Bitters; Lemon Juice; Orange flower Water; Brandy Fruits; Wines in dry; Assorted Syrups; Orgeat; Lemon; Pine Apple; Raspberry; Gooseberry; Vanilla; Natural Syrups, &c. &c. jan8

ST. LAURENT [illegible] RESPECTFULLY informs the public that he keeps constantly on hand an assortment of French looking-glasses, and is receiving per steamer, via New York, from France and Germany, silvered or plain looking-glasses of every description for store fronts. Also, a rich and choice assortment of ornamental and plain frames, every form and size, and an extensive collection of pictures, black and colored lithographs, engravings and oil paintings. He will order, in the shortest delay, looking-glasses of all sizes, plain or silvered, and cases to be made, under his direction, by [illegible].

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A RETAIL WINE STORE, with all necessary fixtures, horse, cart, etc., on State street, No. 47. Apply on the premises to PAUL LACROIX, 33 Toulouse st.

Forty Dollars Reward. WILL be paid by the undersigned for the apprehension and lodging in the Police jail in this city, of the slave named GOYAVE, a negro man, belonging to Mr. Eleazar Louis Labranche. Goyave is aged about 22 years, [illegible], but strong. He has run away from the plantation of Mrs. Louis LaBranche, and has been seen frequently in New Orleans, where he hires himself as a day laborer, but his no pass. F. GRIMA, [illegible] 34 Royal street.

Watches, Jewelry and Silverware. E. FEYTEL, No. 4 CHARTRES STREET. JUST received from France and the North, a splendid assortment of ladies' and gentlemen's JEWELRY; also, some fine Gold and Silver WATCHES and Silver and Plated WARE. Particular attention will be given to the repairing of Watches and Jewelry, and to the setting of Diamonds—all of which will be fully guaranteed. dec21 tf

A LA COQUETTE, 180 Royal Street. MADAM FLANDRAIN, from Paris, Garment maker to the artists of the Orleans Theatre, invites the ladies, before their party and ball dresses are completed, to order one of her splendid Corsets, [illegible]. As unsurpassed of the kind, they are infinitely superior to the former corsets, which being loaded with whale bones, are frequently a cause of restraint and fatigue. Their graceful cut and remarkable flexibility exhibit to a greater advantage the beauties of the figure. Madam FLANDRAIN manufactures to order silk wedding corsets, do. for ladies in family way, children's shoulder braces, and every article in the orthopedic line. All goods from Mrs. F.'s store bear the stamp of the house, in order to prevent counterfeit. ja4 1m

For Sale at Private Sale and on a Long Credit. A PROPERTY in the Second District of this city, forming the corner of Bayou Road and Prieur street, in the square bounded by Esplanade and Roman streets, measuring 100 feet 2 inches and 4 lines front on Bayou Road, 108 feet in the rear, 78 feet 11 inches on Prieur street, and 92 feet 10 inches on the other end; together with all the improvements thereon, consisting in a small house at the corner of Bayou Road, a kitchen in the rear, slate roofed, cistern, pigeon house, room, stable, poultry house, privies and shade, a large yard, well, water works—the balance, a market garden, with fruit trees. The whole suitable for a store, grocery, or bakery. Apply on the premises jan6 1m

STRAY OR STOLEN, since Sunday last, December 30th, a white setter, the head and part of the body dark brown; answering to the name of Dash. A reward of five dollars will be given for the delivery of said dog to the undersigned. V. A. BELAUME, jan3 1w Branch of the Louisiana State Bank.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE. AT BILOXI. ALL the Personal Estate of Mr. Pierre Pradat and Mrs. Elizabeth Exelin, deceased, consisting of six negro slaves, Silverware, Jewelry, and all the Furniture and Accessories of the Green Oaks Hotel, Biloxi, Mis., will be sold on MONDAY, the 21st day of January next. The sale will take place on the premises. Terms—six months' credit, with approved endorsed notes and good and ample security, from date of sale. LOUIS E. PRADAT, Administrator.

The heirs of Mr. P. Pradat and of Mrs. Elizabeth Exelin inform the public that they have no intention to purchase the Furniture, &c., belonging to said Hotel, now the Hotel itself, which will be sold in March next, as they do not contemplate continuing said business; consequently they invite those persons who may desire to purchase said establishment to appear with confidence at the sale. The Hotel enjoys an excellent reputation, is in a perfect order, and could be opened for reception by the first of June; it being well situated, and commodious. The place would also be suitable for a college, and could also be repaired so as to make four or five very convenient, spacious and splendid family residences. LOUIS E. PRADAT, d18 t21 Administrator.

THOMAS C. PAYAN & CO., MANUFACTURERS, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN FASHIONABLE CLOTHING, No. 74 Canal street, between Chartres and Old Levee streets. Sales Room in New York, 19 Murray street, between Broadway and Church streets. Manufactory No. 309 and 311 Broad street, Newark, New Jersey. HAVE received per steamships Crescent City, Granada, Black Warrior and Cahawba, and will be receiving by each trip of those steam packets, which they offer at extremely low prices, the following Fall and Winter Goods, manufactured expressly for this market, viz: COATS—Style, Dress and Frock Paletots, Office Sacks, Overcoats, Pardessus, Opera Coats, a beautiful new style of Frock Coats, Talmas, Opera Cloaks, Basquines, new style. Material—French, English, Belgian, German and American black, blue, brown, green, orange, grey mixed, plain mixed, light drab, swift color cloth and cassimere. PANTALOONS—Black and blue cloth, drill satin, drab, green, mixed, ribbed, plain checks, striped, &c., and all sorts of colors and style of French, English and American Cassimere. VESTS—Black, blue, mixed, drab and fancy Cassimere, fancy figured cassimere, Valencia, black, plain and figured satin, plain and fig'd French grenadine, white silk, white marseilles, fancy, rich figd and plain, fancy and black silk Vests; black merino and cashmere, fancy merino, Florentine, Bonpur, Florentine, and Barathea.

PLANTATION GOODS. Blue and fancy Blankets, coats of all kinds and descriptions; 1500 dozen Kersy Suits, red, grey and white Flannel Shirts; 500 dozen Hickory striped Shirts, first quality, and dozen do. second quality; 700 dozen Check Shirts, and dozen do. Red and Flannel Shirts and Drawers; white and brown twilled and plain Cotton Drawers; Jean Rubber Overcoats and Leggings; 1200 dozen linen bosom and Cotton Shirts—price 80 cents to $2 per dozen; and everything in the Clothing line, that French and Manufacturers of the country could possibly make. An assortment of French Calico and Jaconet Shirts. A full assortment of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods; an assortment of Youth's and Children's Clothing and Shirts. Planters, Country Merchants, and Dealers will do well to call and examine the stock before purchasing elsewhere. a20 3aw

Domestic Dry Goods. 4 CASES 12-4 merino bed Blankets, (ribbon bound;) 20 do 4-4 Brooklyn Sheetings; 30 do 4-4 Dwight do; 20 do 10-4 Manchester Quilts. For sale by O. B. GRAHAM, jan8 2w 96 Gravier st.

WHISKY—100 bbls Boyle's Rowe; 260 bbls rectified. For sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO, jan9 33 Tchoupitoulas st.

ALCOHOL—[illegible] For sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., jan9 33 Tchoupitoulas street.

PURE SPIRITS—[illegible] For sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO, jan9 33 Tchoupitoulas st.

BRANDY AND GIN—50 bbls New York Brandy and Gin. For sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & Co., jan9 33 Tchoupitoulas st.

DRIED PLUMS—160 boxes small glass jars, landing ex ship Lemuel Dyer, from Bordeaux, and for sale by jan9 O VALETON & CO, 25 Tchoupitoulas st.

BRANDY CHERRIES—100 boxes, landing ex ship Oceana, from Bordeaux, and for sale by jan9 O VALETON & CO, 25 Tchoupitoulas st.

Dissolution of Copartnership. THE commercial partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm of CAVELIER & MAXENT, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st instant. L. F. Maxent is alone entrusted with the liquidation of the affairs of said firm. ADR. E. CAVELIER, L. F. MAXENT. New Orleans, July 7, 1855—jy9 1y

Notice. The undersigned informs his friends and the public generally that he will continue the Commission and Wine business as heretofore, for his own account and in his name only, at the old stand, No. 50 Toulouse street. jy9—1y L. F. MAXENT.

For Sale. A SUGAR PLANTATION, in the parish of St. Bernard, on Bayou Bienvenu, six miles from the Mississippi river, with or without the slaves, to suit purchaser. For terms and conditions, apply JORDA & REGGIO, on the premises. dec24 1m

New Style Paper Hangings. Corner Bourbon and St. Louis streets. SALE of Paper Hangings at 20 per cent. below market prices—the undersigned having purchased very low a splendid assortment at the auction sale of Mr. G. Dupuy's rich stock. The above article is superior to any in the city as far as color and freshness are concerned. Persons desirous of purchasing Paper Hangings for their rooms are invited to call and examine the stock. Rooms fitted up by the undersigned personally on very reasonable terms. E. CHRISMAN, d10 Corner Bourbon and St. Louis streets.

LOAF SUGAR—100 boxes—For sale by E. J. HART & CO., jan4 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas street.

DRIED APPLES—100 bbls. For sale by E. J. HART & CO., jan4 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas street.

ROSE WHISKEY—100 bbls for sale by E. J. HART & CO, jan4 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

WHITE BEANS—50 bbls for sale by E. J. HART & CO., jan4 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

CASTOR OIL—30 bbls. For sale by E. J. HART & CO, jan4 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

ST. Louis Flour—500 bbls. For sale by E. J. HART & CO, jan4 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

RAISINS—1000 packages. For sale by E. J. HART & CO., jan4 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

STARCH—500 boxes "Pearl." For sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO, jan4 33 Tchoupitoulas st.

LANDING ex ship Protector, from Bordeaux: 300 casks claret, Pauillac, G. M. L.; 60 do do St. Julien, do; 250 boxes do Canteneo, do; 125 do do do St. Julien, do; 100 do do Pauillac, do; 150 do do Leoville, do; 200 do White Wine, Haut Sauterne, do. For sale by jan4 G CAVAROC & CO, 144 Royal st.

LANDING ex ship Malhouse, from Havre: 12 boxes Absynth, Edward Pernod; 12 do Kirschenwasser, do. For sale by G CAVAROC & CO, jan4 144 Royal st.

LANDING ex ship Lemuel Dyer, from Bordeaux—60 boxes Fruits in juice, Toulouse. For sale by G CAVAROC & CO, 144 Royal st.

LARD OIL—100 bbls choice winter strained. For sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO., 33 Tchoupitoulas street.

CANDLES—[illegible] boxes [illegible] quarter boxes, [illegible] For sale by JOSEPH LANDIS & CO, 33 Tchoupitoulas st.

No. 8 Chartres street, near Canal. Temple of Flowers. V. LEYTET, FLORIST and Nurseryman, from Angers, (France) and Branch Nurseries in Algiers (Africa), respectfully informs the public that he has just arrived with the richest collection of plants to be found, such as flower and fruit plants, Camellias, Magnolias, Daphnes, Citron Lemon Trees, Rhododendrons, Peonies, Arbores, 1500 new Rose Trees, Fruit Trees, Pear, Apple, Cherry and Peach Trees, Vines, Gooseberry, Raspberry and Strawberry Bushes; Perpetual Flemish Pinks, Bulbous Flower Roots; Potato Seeds, having the same taste and flavor as the Perigord truffles; new early Peas of a prodigious size, and delicious. The whole at very moderate terms. N. B.—Persons residing in neighboring States, and desirous of purchasing Plants and Fine Seeds, will please send in their orders, and the articles will be forwarded through the Post Office, at 91 per bundle of fifty. Packing up for the country and abroad attended to. The goods are guaranteed. Catalogues to be had, gratis, at No. 8 Chartres street, near Canal. ja10—1m

Strayed. A REWARD of FIVE DOLLARS will be paid to the person who will bring to our office a liver colored POINTER DOG, having the end of its tail cut off, and answering to the name of Bull. jan9 WHITE & DUPEIRE, 36 and 37 Old Levee.

Millinery ... Millinery ... Millinery. NOTICE TO MERCHANTS AND MILLINERS. LION & PINARD, 63 and 65 Royal street, corner of Bienville, have just received, by late arrivals from Havre, an assortment of MILLINERY, such as Ribbons, Tape, Fringe, Velvet, Buttons, Trimmings, Laces, Bobs, Edgings, Hoods, &c., for sale by wholesale, at very advantageous terms. Also, a large selection of black crape collars, collars and sleeves, English embroideries, embroidered chemisettes for ladies; tortoise-shell combs, [illegible] and silk head dresses and bonnets, kid, [illegible] and silk gloves, &c. &c. FURNISHING GOODS, such as cotton, woolen, silk and merino undershirts; drawers of every description; cotton, linen, woolen, merino and silk socks; men's shirts of every kind; cravats, ties, collars, Byron collars, American, Palmerston, Washington collars, &c. Spanish silk and hooded coats, &c. Suspenders, [illegible] silk and [illegible] stockings for ladies, children, girls and little girls. French perfumery from the best establishments of France; brush of every kind; combs, fancy articles, portemonnaies and cigar cases, &c.

Notice. TWO YOUNG MEN, speaking English and French, and very familiar with the retail sale of dry goods, can find a situation by applying to Messrs. MACOY BROTHERS, corner of Poydras and Baronne streets. None need apply who cannot come well recommended. jan8—tf

A SUIT—A loan of $2,000 has been honestly taken away from me, on the ground that I had slandered a woman with whom I have never meddled, and whose name has been published in a paper, by her husband, for having left his house. It seems that my establishment was injuring my neighbor, and I have lost a suit unparalleled in judicial annals. My store, coffee-house and grocery have been seized and sold, and the costs of court added to the damages claimed. Since the suit was brought against me, the plaintiff would have willingly withdrawn the affidavit, but the lawyers did not give their consent, and, after having taken away a portion of my property, are endeavoring to deprive me of the whole. I have thought proper to lay the case before the public. d13 1mlaw ALPHONSE MARINIER.

GRAND JUNCTION CANAL. BOOKS OF SUBSCRIPTION for the Stock of this Company will be opened on TUESDAY, the 1st day of January, 1856, at No. 79 Gravier street, under the supervision of the undersigned—S. W. OAKEY, JOHN B. SHAW, SAMUEL SMITH, R. O. YERKES, JOHN A. DUMONSEY, GEORGE MAY, SAMUEL A. CARTWRIGHT, Commissioners. d14-tf

Wanted. IN a private family, two French or German GIRLS—one to do the house work, and the other to do the cooking and washing. They need not apply without a good recommendation, at No. 6 Chartres street. dec18 tf

F. A. Aubert, ACCOUNTANT, ENGLISH AND FRENCH TRANSLATOR, OFFERS his services for the adjusting and closing of old sets of books, the making up of all kinds of accounts, memoirs, &c., commercial and administrative memoirs, reports; the preparing of all kinds of documents and private correspondence, in either the French or English language. Translation done with correctness and despatch. He will be found from 9 A. M. to 3 o'clock, P. M., at the office of Weights and Measures, First District, 128 Julia street. Orders left at his residence, 208 Bayou Road, between Rampart and St. Claude streets, will be promptly attended to. dec11 1m

F. A. Aubert, General Accountant and Book-keeper, HAS the honor of informing the public that, at the solicitation of many young gentlemen, he has opened his classes of Commercial Academy for the teaching of Book-keeping, Arithmetic, and Accounting, including the making up of all kinds of commercial and administrative accounts, statements, reports, &c. His class will be opened at his residence, 208 Bayou Road, between Rampart and St. Claude streets, from 6 to 8 A. M., and from 9 to 4 o'clock, P. M. Terms liberal, payable in advance. d11 1m

Notice. SUCCESSION OF WILLIAM HARTKOPF. ALL persons having claims against the late WM. HARTKOPF will please present them for settlement to the undersigned. Those indebted to the estate are requested to make payment to FELIX GRIMA & H. BONZANO, Testamentary Executors, 118 Royal st. nov30

Dissolution of Copartnership. THE copartnership heretofore existing under the style of CHOUTEAU & VALLE is dissolved by the death of Mr. HENRY CHOUTEAU. The name of the firm will only be used in liquidation. NERIE VALLE, Surviving Partner. The Commission business of CHOUTEAU & VALLE will be continued by the undersigned in his own name. NERIE VALLE. St. Louis, November 20, 1855. n30 6m

Copartnership Notice. BY virtue of an act deposited in the office of the Commercial Tribunal of Antwerp, (Belgium,) Joseph Deynoodt, of New Orleans, and Marie Van Heerenbrugge, of Antwerp, have entered into a copartnership. The two houses are united and responsible in solido. The style and commercial title of this copartnership is expressed. JOSEPH DEYNOODT, New Orleans. 42 2m MARIE VERHEERBRUGGEN, Antwerp.

Diamonds. A. CANDIDE, JEWELER, Chartres street, No. 96, near Conti, offers at the lowest prices, a choice assortment of Bracelets, Brooches, Crosses, Breastpins, Studs, Earrings, Finger-rings, &c., &c., and JEWELRY of the latest style. Also, an assortment of Watches, Porte-monnaies, &c., and Fancy Articles generally. Mr. Candide has also on hand all sorts of Diamond Sets, Parisian style. dec11 1m

PURE COIN SILVER WARE. WE have added to our stock a complete assortment of the newest style of Silver Ware, of plain and ornamental patterns, every article of which we pledge our FULL GUARANTEE is manufactured of PURE COIN, without adulteration. Table Spoons and Forks; Dessert do do; Tea do; Soup and Sauce Ladles; Mustard and Salt Spoons; Tea Sets, Cake Baskets; Fish Knives; Casters; Cordial Stands; Napkin Rings; Children's Cups; Sugar Tongs; Fruit and Pie Knives; Ice Tongs, &c. &c. We have also arrangements complete for furnishing at the shortest notice to order, all Fancy Articles of Silver, such as— Tea Trays, Table Services, Urns, Presentation and Prize Plate, &c. dec29 1m HENDERSON & GAINES, 90 Canal st.

A. HERNANDEZ. NE PLUS ULTRA SEGAR STORE, No. 50 St. Charles street, corner of Gravier, New Orleans. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. Direct Importation of Havana Cigars. ALWAYS on hand a large and well-selected stock of the most favorite brands of Havana Cigars, Paper Cigars, Virginia fine cut, Perrique chewing Tobacco, Turkish, Caporal, and Maryland smoking Tobacco and Pipes, for sale in quantities to suit purchasers. Brands: Figaro, Partagas, Cabarga, Ugues, Intimidad, Sol, Washington, Cervantes, Ingenuidad, Nicotiana, Flor de la Habana, Cautiva, Monte Cristo, Nueva Empresa, Designio, &c. of all descriptions and sizes. dec31 3m

Nurse Wanted. A RESPECTABLE French, English, or American woman, who is capable of taking the entire charge of an infant. Best of references required.—Apply at 165 St. Joseph street. d24

ALGIERS SUGAR MART. THE undersigned is now prepared to receive on storage for sale or reshipment, in fire proof warehouses, well lighted, or on the platform recently erected, to be covered with tarpaulins, sugar or molasses, having capacity for 15,000 hogsheads. Planters or merchants on the line of the Opelousas Railroad can have their products discharged from the cars, either in warehouses or on the platform, and delivered to ships and steamboats free of all charges, except the amount of storage as per tariff. —TARIFF— SUGAR—Per hogshead, 25 cents, from 1 to 15 days, or 40 cents per month; and 25 cents each succeeding month. MOLASSES—Per barrel, 8 cents, from 1 to 15 days, or 12 cents per month; and 8 cents each succeeding month. No insurance required if placed on the platform covered with tarpaulin; if in the depot or warehouse, it can be effected at the lowest rates. REFERENCES BY SPECIAL CONSENT. Juan Y de Egana; Darby & Tremoulet; George Urquhart; J D Denegre; Clark & Mosby; Brand & Landry; Price, Converse & co; Rowlts, Norton & co; B Geddes; J W Stanton & co; Martin, Owen & Cobb; A D Kelly & co; J P Whitney & co; P Maspero; Lobit & Charpentier; W & D Urquhart; Comstock, Squires & West; F Kennett & co; Fellowes & co; W G Hewes; Augustin & Thibaut; Charles Dodge; John O Woodruff & co; S O Nelson & co. N. B.—Sugar or molasses sold at the Algiers Sugar Mart will be delivered at the city (if required) at same rates as charged from Opelousas Railroad Depot. Address BROOKLYN WAREHOUSE COMPANY, Algiers, or THOMAS J. CASEY, dec31 1m No 91 Camp st.

Imperials, Prints, Muslins, Thread, &c. In bond. 25 BALES 4-4 Imperials; 30 cases 3-4 Prints and Muslins; 30 do Spool and Ball Thread, Alexander and Clark; 50 do Pistillas, Britannias, and Crees; 50 do Silesias, Estopillas and Listados; 20 do India Book, Swiss, and Tape Check Muslins, adapted for the Mexican markets. Landing and for sale by O B GRAHAM, jan9-1w 96 Gravier street.

LANDING ex ship Oceana, from Bordeaux, and for sale by the undersigned—10 qrs. Cognac, Gelleanburg, 1838; 10 qrs. ditto, ditto, 1830; 100 boxes, 12 glass jars, assorted brandy fruits. V. & E. MARGNAN, jan9 85 and 87 St. Louis street.

LANDING ex ship F. W. Brune, from Havre—76 baskets, of 12 bottles, Champagne, Fleur de Bouzy; 25 baskets, 24 half bottles do do; 100 bottles, 12 bottles, do, Creme de Bouzy; 100 baskets, 24 half bottles, do do. For sale by V. & E. MAIGNAN, jan9 85 and 87 St. Louis street.

MODERATEUR LAMPS—Received from Havre, 200 Lamps, every description, Bronze, China and imitation, from the best French manufacturers. These articles are from the best French manufacturers, and are fully guaranteed. For sale by LION & PINARD, jan9 63 and 65 Royal street, corner Bienville.

FRUITS IN JUICE—50 boxes assorted Fruits in juice, landing ex ship Oceana, from Bordeaux, and for sale by O VALETON & CO., 25 Tchoupitoulas st.

VERMICELLI AND MACARONI—385 half boxes Vermicelli and Macaroni, landing ex ship Agamemnon, from Marseilles, and for sale by O VALETON & CO, 25 Tchoupitoulas st.

CASTILE SOAP—50 boxes landing ex ship Agamemnon, from Marseilles, and for sale by O VALETON & CO, 25 Tchoupitoulas st.

[illegible] ex ship Agamemnon, from Havre— [illegible] & Co.; [illegible] Brandy, [illegible]; [illegible] Wine; in store and for sale by J. N. CURIEN, 33 Toulouse street.

RECEIVED, per ship Adler, 15 [illegible] Hats [illegible]. For sale by SCHROEDER & CO., 32 St. Charles street.

FOR CALIFORNIA, via HAVANA, ASPINWALL and PANAMA.—The U. S. Mail Steamship Company's fine steamer NORTH STAR, Warlock, commander, will leave the wharf, opposite Jackson Square, on SUNDAY, 20th January, at 8 o'clock A. M., precisely, with the U. S. mail, passengers and specie, connecting with the U. S. Mail steamship PHILADELPHIA at Havana, and the Pacific Mail steamship GOLDEN GATE at Panama. THE PANAMA RAILROAD IS NOW OPEN FROM OCEAN TO OCEAN and the transit is made in four hours. The days of sailing will hereafter be the 5th and 20th of each month from this port, via Havana. Through tickets can now be obtained at the office of ARMSTRONG, HARRIS & CO., jan8 45 Natchez st., near Camp.

For New York via Havana. UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.—The new and elegant steamship NORTH STAR, Capt. Warlock, Commander, will leave for New York, via Havana, on SUNDAY, 20th January 1856, at 8 A. M., precisely, with the Government mails and passengers. For freight or passage, apply at the office of the Company, 73 Magazine street. JENNINGS, LAUGHLAND & CO., jan8 Agents.

FOR HAVANA—The fast sailing clipper brig WILLIAM CLARK, R. W. Eastman, master, having part of her cargo engaged, will meet with a quick despatch. For balance of freight or passage apply to the Captain, on board, or to jan8 R. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee.

For California. Leaves on FRIDAY, January 11, at 8 A. M. THE New Orleans and California Steamship Line via Nicaragua.—Only direct line from New Orleans to San Francisco.—The superior steamship DANIEL WEBSTER, J. W. Patterson, commander, will leave for Punta Arenas, Nicaragua, as above, connecting with the steamship Uncle Sam on the Pacific, at San Juan del Sur. Passengers by this line are offered great inducements, both in economy and time. The Company have several fine new iron steamers on the lake and river, and are enabled to transport passengers with great despatch and comfort across the Isthmus. For freight or passage, apply to jan7 W. C. THOMPSON, 75 Camp st.

Mr. Ems. Chalbon-Hallema, PROFESSOR OF SINGING, and late a member of the Concert Association of the Conservatory, in Paris, tenders his heartfelt acknowledgment to the persons who have been so kind as to send in their visiting cards, but have forgotten to give their residence. ORLEANS HOTEL, New Orleans, Jan. 7th. ja8 2t

Wanted. BY two young men, one of whom is a confectioner, and the other a cook, situations as cooks in a family. Apply at Mrs. SIMONIN'S, 85 Chartres street. ja8 tf

Notice. THE copartnership between the undersigned, for carrying on the business of the DRUG STORE at the corner of Bourbon and Toulouse streets, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 1st of January. Mr. A. TRENS alone will attend to the liquidation. A. TRENS, P. PEREN. New Orleans, January 7th, 1856. ja8 3t

IN STORE and for sale, wholesale and retail, by the undersigned—200 casks prime Carolina Rice, 250 bags prime Rio Coffee, 100 barrels crushed Sugar, 100 barrels Sweet Oil, 20 frails soft-shell Almonds, 100 boxes Winchester Soap, 50 dozen Brooms, 100 barrels red Northern Onions, 200 do Northern and Western Potatoes, 30 do white Beans, 50 kegs prime leaf Lard, 10 tierces do do, 100 barrels Mackerel No. 2. A. TITUS, jan8 No. 73 Old Levee st.

The Norwegian ship PROTECTOR, Stephensen, master, from Bordeaux, is now ready to discharge her cargo in the Second District. Consignees are requested to attend to the receipt of their goods on the levee. All goods not permitted within five days from this notice, will be sent to the public stores at their expense and risk. C. CAVAROC & CO., ja8 2t 144 Royal st.

Neither the Captain nor consignees of the Norwegian ship PROTECTOR, Stephensen, master, from Bordeaux, will be responsible for any debts which may be contracted by the crew of said ship. ja8 2t C. CAVAROC & CO, 144 Royal st.

Consignees by the Norwegian ship OCEANA, from Bordeaux, are requested to take out their permit within five days, and attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee, otherwise they will be stored at their expense and risk. Neither the Captain or Consignee of the Norwegian ship OCEANA will be responsible for any debt contracted by the crew of said ship. jan8 R. CAHUZAC & CO., 30 Old Levee.

Notice. THE annual meeting of the Female Orphan Society for the purpose of electing managers to serve the ensuing year, will take place on Wednesday, the 16th inst., at the Poydras Asylum, between the hours of 12 and 2 P. M. jan7 10t

Citizens' Bank of Louisiana. JANUARY 4th, 1856. AN Annual Election of seven Directors by the stockholders of the Bank will be held at this office, in conformity to the charter, on MONDAY, 4th February next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. jan5 6aw-1m E. ROUSSEAU, Cashier.

Consolidated Association of the Planters of Louisiana. JANUARY 4, 1856. AN Annual Election of three Directors by the stockholders of this institution will be held on MONDAY, the 4th of February next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., at the Banking House, No 79 Toulouse street. jan5 2aw1m H. L. PERRE, Cashier.

Old Union Bank of Louisiana in Liquidation. NEW ORLEANS, January 4, 1856. A DIVIDEND of Two Dollars per share has been declared out of the assets of this Bank, payable to the shareholders on and after the 15th inst. jan5 till 15 GEO. A. FRERET, Cashier.

Union Bank of Louisiana. New Orleans, 4th January, 1856. THE Board of Directors have this day declared a dividend of five per cent. on the capital stock out of the profits of the last six months, payable to the stockholders on and after the 10th inst. jan5 till 10 GEO. A. FRERET, Cashier.

Mechanics' and Traders' Bank. New Orleans, January 3d, 1856. THE Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of five per cent. (5 per cent.) on the capital stock, which will be payable on Thursday, the 10th instant. jan4 G. CRUZAT, Cashier.

Notice. THE Sun Mutual Insurance Company of New Orleans have this day commenced operations, and are prepared to take Fire, Marine and River Risks, at the usual rates. —Directors— E. J. Hart, J. Y. de Egana, Jas. D. Denegre, A. C. Tremoulet, Alex. D. Kelly, E. A. Rawlins, H. T. Lonsdale, Henry Renshaw, Hugh Wilson, J. H. Stauffer, J. C. Rieds, Jno. G. Gaines. THOMAS SLOO, President. JAS. D. DENEGRE, Vice President. JAS. EDWARDS, Secretary. ja5 1m

Notice. ACADEMY SUN MUTUAL INSURANCE CO., New Orleans, Nov. 2, 1855. THE Trustees of this Company having determined to close the affairs of this Agency, no new risks are hereafter to be taken, or applications thereafter entertained. THOMAS SLOO, Agent.

Office of the New Orleans and Carrollton Railroad Company. NEW ORLEANS, 12th Dec., 1855. THE Annual Election for Directors of this Company will be held, in accordance with the charter, at the office, No. 18 Baronne street, on MONDAY, the 14th January, 1856, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. ALBERT G. BLANCHARD, dec13-1d Secretary.

FACTS FOR THE MILLION! We guarantee 60 cents in Sylvic Oil to equal $3 50 in Sperm Oil; 60 cents in Sylvic Oil to equal $1 87 in Lard Oil; 60 cents in Sylvic Oil to equal $4 50 in Burning Fluid; 60 cents in Sylvic Oil to burn as long as $3 50 in Camphene. We guarantee Sylvic Oil to be a pure oil, and as free from explosion as Sperm, Lard, or any other oil, and to illuminate equal to the best Sperm Oil. The Sylvic Oil and Lamps are sold at No. 35 Commons street, the Oil at 60 cents per gallon, and the Lamps at prices varying from $1 25 to $15 each. jan5 3m W. P. KIRKLAND, & Co, Agent.

NOTICE. THE interest of JOSEPH MENARD in the firm of MENARD & VIGNAUD is by mutual consent changed from an active one to an interest in commendam, as per act before Guy Duplantier, Notary Public. The business of the firm will be continued under the same style, by B. O. VIGNAUD, LUCIEN MENARD, JOSEPH MENARD, in commendam. New Orleans, January 1st, 1856. jan1 1m

Copartnership. THE undersigned have formed a copartnership for the purpose of transacting a GENERAL EXCHANGE and BANKING BUSINESS, under the style of MENARD, THESON & Co.—office No. 19 Camp street. JOSEPH MENARD, THESON & BANJEN, WM. S. PIKE, in commendam. Joseph Menard, New Orleans. Theson & Banjen, St. Louis, Mo. William S. Pike, in commendam, Baton Rouge. New Orleans, January 1st, 1856—1m

Notice. BY limitation of copartnership, the interest of the late Mr. THOS. MURRAY in our house ceased yesterday. Mr. J. A. Ozzo is this day admitted a partner in the firm. W. H. LETCHFORD & CO. New Orleans, Jan. 1st, 1856. ja 1m

Notice. THE undersigned have formed a Copartnership, to commence this day, under the style of CABALLERO & RASUALDO, as per act, passed before T. Guyol, Notary Public. The affairs of J. M. CABALLERO will be liquidated and settled by the new firm. J. M. CABALLERO, J. M. RASUALDO. New Orleans, January 1, 1856.

TO THE SUGAR PLANTERS. THE undersigned, proprietors of the "New Orleans Bi-Sulphite Chemical Works," encouraged by the ample patronage you have given them this season in the consumption of their BI-SULPHITE OF LIME, will no longer delay to return you their grateful acknowledgments. This support, which has so valuably contributed to the enhancement of most advantageous results, has enabled them not only to complete another, the manufacturing apparatus, but also to obtain other improvements, enabling them to diminish the expenses and manufacture very largely. Desirous not to reap all the advantages of these alterations themselves, but share them with the Planters, they have come to the conclusion of reducing the price, and hereby beg to notify all Planters and Agents in general, that commencing from THIS DAY, they will supply their BI-SULPHITE OF LIME at $6 per barrel only, which they guarantee as heretofore of 8 to 10 degree baumes. The undersigned feel convinced that this sporting move in your favor will be duly appreciated, and that not only will you continue to draw supplies from them, but protect them in their future enterprise. JULIA H. BONNABEL, d30 3m PAUL MARCELIN.

IMPORTANT TO SUGAR PLANTERS. THE undersigned will, from this day, sell their BI-SULPHITE OF LIME at $6 per barrel, drayage included. EDW. SHIFF & CO., No. 130 Common street. New Orleans, Dec. 29th, 1855.

DR. ALFRED MERCIER, Of the Medical Faculty of Paris, has made New Orleans his Residence. HE will apply himself to all the branches of his profession, and attend to any call that may be made for him at the house adopted by Mr. SOULE, in Rampart street, near Canal street. dec26-1m

CRANE'S PATENT METALLIC BURIAL CASKET. P. M. COOK & CO., proprietors of and wholesale dealers in Crane's Metallic Burial Casket, for the States of Louisiana and Mississippi. Office and sample rooms No. 49 St. Charles street, opposite the St. Charles Hotel, New Orleans. d29 tf

Office of the New Orleans, Opelousas and Great Western Railroad Company. New Orleans, 29th December, 1855. THE annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held at this office on the 21st of January next, and an election of thirteen Directors will be held at the same place, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M., and 4 o'clock, P. M., on the Wednesday, the 16th January, 1856. d27 HENRY F. FLANDERS, Secretary.

AMUSEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE. UNDER THE MANAGEMENT OF DION BOURCICAULT. LAST APPEARANCE OF MISS AGNES ROBERTSON. THIS EVENING, (Thursday,) January 10th, will be presented, for the second time, the comedy of LOVE AND MONEY—Principal characters by Messrs. J. B. Booth, J. E. Owens, W. F. Johnson, Dion Bourcicault, Fred N. Thayer, Miss Agnes Robertson, Miss McLean, Mrs. Place, &c. To conclude with the farce of MY WIFE'S WARDROBE—Betty Baker, Miss Agnes Robertson, Mouser, Mr. J. E. Owens. In preparation a new, grand Biblical Drama, entitled Azael; or, the Child of Israel. Box Office open from 10 to 4 o'clock, where places may be secured. jan10

ST. CHARLES THEATRE. MANAGER, B. DeBar—STAGE MANAGER, S. B. DEVERE. LAST NIGHT BUT TWO OF MR. AND MRS. BARNEY WILLIAMS. THURSDAY, January 10—Performance to commence with TICK, THE NEWSBOY—Jack, Mr. Barney Williams; Mundell, Mr. Shedley; Pete Wilkins, Mr. Vining Bowers; Martha, Mrs. Booth. PATIENCE AND PERSEVERANCE—Patience, with new song, Mrs. Barney Williams; Col. Abel, Mr. Mark Smith; Poppy Cox, Mr. Vining Bowers; Mrs. Weasealippe, Mrs. Booth. O'FLANNIGAN AND THE FAIRIES—Phelim, with song and Irish jig, Mr. Barney Williams. To-morrow Mr. and Mrs. Barney Williams. ja10 C. G. CHESLEY, Treasurer.

PELICAN THEATRE. SIGNOR DONETTI'S ACTING MONKEYS, DOGS AND GOATS, Whose wonderful performances comprise peculiarities, correct delineations and natural drolleries, have excited the mirth and admiration of the young and old, grave and gay of both continents, and who held the supremacy over all other fashionable entertainments in Paris one whole season, and at the Astor Place Opera House in New York.

For 120 Successive Nights, and whose success throughout the principal cities of the United States, has been unprecedented in the annals of amusements, will make their first appearance in three years in this city, in a series of their serio-comic, tragi-comic, and pantomimic representations, together with scenes in the circle, or circus performances, on Saturday evening, January 12th, and remain every evening next week, (Sundays excepted.) The order of this novel entertainment will commence with the MONKEY FEAST, or Banquet d'Afrique, the most amusing and laughter provoking spectacle ever witnessed. To be succeeded by Slack Rope and Equestrian performances. Grand Military Spectacles. Laughter exciting Melo-dramatic Representations. Mirth provoking Pantomimic Scenes, (with magnificent and appropriate costumes,) never yet equaled on any stage. After which HERR VON SPINGALEN, the Rotary Wonder, or Whirling Phenomenon, will go through a number of the most difficult performances. The whole to conclude with the grand ascension of the Hon. JOHN BULL, surrounded by a terrible EXPLOSION OF FIREWORKS. For particulars see small bills. The doors will open at 7, and performance will commence at 7½ o'clock precisely. Polite and attentive ushers will be in attendance. Dress Circle and Parquette 75 cents. Family Circle 50 cents. Children under 12 years to Dress Circle 50 cents. ja10

Col. Wood's Museum of Living Wonders Is Now Open at the Splendid Room, 18 ST. CHARLES STREET, Opposite the Southern Bank, New Orleans. THE INFANT ESAU AND HIS MOTHER, Mme Clofulia, the Greatest Curiosity of the Century, and is a subject of admiration and wonderment to all persons who have seen her in Switzerland, France, England and the United States. It is to be seen in the place for several days. THE AMERICAN GIANTESS, Miss Sylva Hardy, from Wilton, Franklin county, Maine, who is nearly 8 feet high, weighs 381 pounds and requires 15½ yards of ordinary dry goods for a complete dress. THE SWISS WARBLER—A young gentleman possessing great powers of imitation. Doors open from 9½ A. M. till 3 P. M., and from 6 to 9½ P. M. Admission—25 cents. Children and servants half price. ja10

GRAND CONCERT. CLASSIC INSTRUMENTAL AND VOCAL MUSIC BY F. COLLIGNON. At Lyceum Hall, Lafayette Square. MR. F. COLLIGNON informs subscribers and the public that the first concert will take place on the 16th inst. at 8 o'clock P. M. precisely at the Lyceum Hall. Persons desirous of subscribing to the series of concerts of classic music, will please apply to Mr. Ruffier at the Orleans Theatre. Terms of Subscription.—For the six concerts, $20. Subscribers are entitled to three tickets for each concert. Each subscriber will have moreover, the right of purchasing supplementary tickets at $1 50 per ticket for each concert. The tickets will be forwarded to subscribers the day before the concert. jan8—1t

Mr. Etienne St. Paul's Ball Room. YOUNG MEN'S SOCIETY MASKED BALLS. THE soirees of the Society will take place as follows: January 12th 1856, Saturday evening. January 19th, Saturday evening. January 26th, Saturday evening. COMMITTEE OF INVITATION: Louis Dyague, Pierre Barthe, Jacques Carpentier, Esteben Pascal. jan8 2t

VANNUCCHI'S AMERICAN MUSEUM, No. 102 St. Charles Street, (Nearly opposite the St. Charles Theatre and formerly Dan Rice's Museum.) GREAT EXCITEMENT. MONS. ALONIS, the great French Magician, is now engaged at the Museum, at an enormous expense, and gives, EVERY EVENING, his GRAND SOIREE MAGIQUE. The collection of WAX STATUARY, consisting of the group of the Leopard's Repast, the Providence and Belligerent Generals of Europe, and the Distinguished Men of the country and Europe. PERFORMANCES of the Magician every evening. Amongst the objects of interest in the Museum are two magnificent Paintings—one representing the BATTLE OF NEW ORLEANS, and the other THE CAPTURE OF SEBASTOPOL. A LIVING OURANG OUTANG, the largest specimen of its kind in the country. Admission 50 cents. Children half price. ja5

ST. CHARLES THEATRE. Military Masked and Fancy Dress Ball. Second Ball—January 8th. COMMITTEE OF INVITATION: Col. Henry Forno, W. A. Bouman, Esq.; Col. Girard Erriot, Lieut. Samuel L. Tobin; Capt. Chas. D. Dreux, Chas. J. Jos. Denis, Esq.; Lt. J. A. Benisel, John J. Jacoby, Esq.; Antonio Duprez, Esq., John J. Danies, Esq.; Julius Cavalier, Esq., D. C. Johnson, Esq.; Wm. Arnot, Esq., J. F. Pelletier, Esq. Each Lady and Gentleman will be required to unmask. Tickets for Ball and Performance $3 each. Tickets to performance only usual price. All invitations for ladies must pass through the committee. ja7

ONE MILLION CURIOSITIES. SPALDING & ROGERS' MUSEUM, Costing upwards of $100,000. Elaborately fitted up on board the FLOATING PALACE, Embracing selections from all the best Northern Museums, and including the celebrated and valuable old Albany Museum entire, containing Antediluvian Remains, Modern and Ancient Implements of War, Husbandry and Mechanism, from every quarter of the globe. 1000 Ancient Coins; Relics from Herculaneum and Pompeii; Mementos of the Revolution, and the early settlement of our country. $20,000 worth of Paintings; rare Treasures of the Earth and Sea; innumerable specimens of Zoology, Ornithology and Entomology, prepared by skillful Taxidermists, of almost every living animate in the Heavens above, the earth beneath, and the waters under the earth; Ores, Mosses, Petrifactions and Fossils, suggestive of the creation and progress of the material world, and of its inhabitants from the creation to the present day. A Large Statue Gallery, Embracing life-size representations of many Heroes of sacred and profane history, and countless other Rare and Valuable Curiosities, That cannot be seen any where else, and for enumeration here of which there is not room, affording altogether the finest instructive and valuable Museum probably now on the American continent, will be exhibited at Carrollton, 5th, and at the foot of Canal street, NEW ORLEANS, (for eight days) commencing SUNDAY January 6th, and ending Sunday, January 13th. Admission to Museum 25c. Children and servants 25c.; Clergymen and their families, free. Favorable arrangements with schools. Immediately after each exhibition in the Museum, a recherche Concert will be given in the elegant Music Saloon, on board the steamer "James Raymond," adjoining, by a celebrated band of Negro minstrels. Admission, 25c. d25 3w

Return of the Old Favorites AT ODD FELLOWS' HALL. On TUESDAY EVENING, Dec. 25th, 1855, for a FEW NIGHTS ONLY. THE OLD AND ORIGINAL CAMPBELLS, organized in 1847, and are still composed of the following talented Artists: T. B. PRENDERGAST, W. W. NEWCOMB, J. M. BURDATT, DAN BRYANT, S. E. CLARK, FRED WILSON, G. S. FOWLER, H. FENTON, G. W. DEMEREST, J. H. ROSS, E. H. WINCHELL, F. M. BELAR. With the above array of distinguished talent, the CAMPBELLS are prepared to far excel any other similar party ever organized. First night will be played the Christmas Pantomime by the BLACK RAVEL FAMILY. Admission 50 cents. Doors open at 6½ o'clock, commence at 7½ o'clock. Seats can be secured at the Hall from 9 to 1 o'clock, without extra charge. T. B. PRENDERGAST, Manager. de16 H. B. NETTLETON, Agent.

ROPER'S GYMNASIUM, Pistol Gallery and Chess Room, 10 PERDIDO STREET. WILL be opened on Monday, October 22d. Hours of instruction from 6 A. M. to 10 P. M. Sundays excepted. Each Department in separate portions of the building. Teacher of Gymnastics, Prof. HILDET, of the Berlin Gymnasium. oc28 6m

Flower and Fruit Plants. French Horticulturist, St. Charles street, No. 7, near the St. Charles Hotel. MR. BALMAIN, French Horticulturist, from Angers, and a member of several learned Societies, respectfully informs ladies and gentlemen of New Orleans that he has lately arrived from France with a splendid collection of Flower and Fruit Plants of the latest kind, such as Camellias, Magnolias, Rhododendrons, Peonies, Jessamines, grafted and engrafted Rose Trees of the finest known varieties, Fruit Trees of every description, Gooseberry Bushes, Vines, Dahlias, Bulbous Roots of all kinds, Flower and Garden Seeds, Windflowers, Ranunculi. The whole on very moderate terms. The store will be opened on the 8th inst. jan7 1m

NERIE VALLE, (Successor to Chouteau & Valle) Commission and Forwarding Merchant, No. 24 Levee, St. Louis, Mo. tf

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES INSPECTOR'S OFFICE, For the First District. 128 JULIA STREET 128. Opened from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M. ja10 3m

FOR sale, from on board ship Agamemnon, from Marseilles—100 boxes vermouth, La Neully best; 48 do muscat; 10 do Beauvais wine; 8 do [illegible]; [illegible] brand; 1 bbl Cassis [illegible]. For sale by d27 J N CURIEN, 25 Toulouse st.

Cost Price, Cost Price. Positive Liquidation for Cash. THE undersigned, wishing to liquidate his splendid stock before the opening of the spring season, offers it at cost price for cash. He invites families and the public to call and examine it before purchasing elsewhere. P. A. HEBRARD, d26 No. 118 Canal street, near Royal street.

New Music. T. E. BENOIT, dealer in Music and Musical Instruments, 70 CHARTRES STREET, between Conti and Bienville, informs amateurs and the public that he has just received an extensive assortment of the latest Music. A large lot of new and choice Operas will be found at his store. Pianos and portfolios for piano solo, and an extensive assortment of songs for piano and guitar, for flute and violin, selections from the latest operas. n30