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NEW ORLEANS:
MONDAY MORNING, MAY 9.

Sales at Auction This Day.

By R. T. Montgomery, at 2 o'clock, at the Camp street, [illegible]

By M. Cornish Lowry, at 11 o'clock, at their auction room, Magazine Hall building, and at 10 o'clock, auction place, 14 Royal street, [illegible]

By E. M. Jones, at 10 o'clock, corner of Elysian Fields and Chartres streets, [illegible]

By W. L. P. Nugent, at 11 o'clock, at 45 Old Levee street, [illegible]

Messrs. John M. Leavenworth and John R. Armer, Clerks of the steamer Henry Ames, have our thanks for newspaper favors.

The Henry Ames, arrived yesterday, left St. Louis on the 1st, but brought St. Louis dates via Cairo, two days later.

DIARRHŒA, CROUP, NEURALGIA, &c.—Mr. Rice, 137 St. Ann street, has remedies for the above diseases. See his card and certificates in another column.

The Sheriff sells at auction this day at Jackson and A. M., on the premises, on Chartres street, between St. Anna and Marais, 24 District, the Contents of a Dying Store. See advertisement.

Tuesday at 11 o'clock, Messrs. McGerren & Landry will sell for the benefit of whom it may concern, 14 bales Russia sheeting, and also, at the same time, a fine assortment of furniture, at the Magnolia Hall, corner St. Charles and Perdido streets.

A New St. Louis Packet.—From the St. Louis papers we learn that a new packet to Lewis town was to leave the next day, at 10 A. M., for New Orleans, on her maiden trip as a lower river packet. She is fitted up in one of the finest passenger boats afloat.

Two Day Later via the River.

ARRIVAL OF THE HENRY AMES.

THE WAR IN VIRGINIA.

Lee Reinforced.—He is said to Command 200,000—General Grant 240,000.

REBEL TROOPS HURRYING TO RICHMOND FROM NORTH CAROLINA

THE WAR IN ARKANSAS.

INTERESTING OFFICIAL, PROFESSIONAL, AND PRIVATE NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

Startling Developments Regarding the Navy Department.

LATER FROM EUROPE.

GOLD IN NEW YORK ON THE 30TH. COTTON 83c.

We take respectfully the steamer Illinois and [illegible] the Western papers, to refer to [illegible] for news, which we give a variety of interesting.

The War in Virginia.

THE SITUATION PRESENTS NO IMPORTANT CHANGE—REINFORCEMENTS.

Washington, May 1.—[illegible] from the Army of the Potomac [illegible] Corps has reached Manassas Junction [illegible] Fredericksburg [illegible] Burnside [illegible] Meade [illegible] Sheridan's cavalry [illegible] Wilderness [illegible] Rapidan [illegible] Rebels are said to be [illegible] Richmond [illegible] Lee's army [illegible] 80,000 [illegible] 40 Old Levee street, [illegible] Rebels were running night and day, bringing up reinforcements.

(Special Dispatch to the Chicago Tribune.)

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From Washington.

(CONGRESSIONAL, POLITICAL, AND MILITARY.

(Special Dispatch to the Chicago Tribune.)

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The President to day approved of Gen. Hunter's sentence in the case of three officers who resigned from the civil department, and in the eye of his complaint. These are reduced to the ranks as privates to serve until the end of the war.

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[illegible] the exchanges for the [illegible] flag of truce boats [illegible] James river.

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