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NEW ORLEANS:
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Amusements This Evening.

FRENCH HOUSE.—"The Barber of Seville" and "Le Sourd ou l'Auberge Pleine."

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.—"Little Nell," and "The Marchioness."

ACADEMY OF MUSIC—Engagement of Lydia Thompson Troupe.

THE RESULT OF THE CAUCUS.

The reform movement in which the opponents of Gov. Warmoth in the Legislature of the State have been engaged, met yesterday with a severe reverse in consequence of the treachery of two Senators who had been pledged to sustain the movement, and up to yesterday morning had been acting with its supporters. We allude to Mr. Lewis, the Senator representing the parishes of De Soto, Natchitoches and Sabine, and Mr. Thomas, the Senator representing the parishes of De Soto, Iberville and Claiborne. The latter announced by card in the *Times* of yesterday that he would thenceforth act neither with the Warmoth nor the Carter faction. It would hold himself free to act as an independent member of the Senate. Of course this meant that he intended going over to the enemy, because in such a contest as that which has been going on between the Governor and the Reformers, there could be no such thing as neutrality or independent action. The fight was not one between two political factions, both of whom sought for power and that alone, but was a fight between Gov. Warmoth, chief of the carpet-baggers and plunderers, and the people of Louisiana seeking to rid themselves of a most oppressive government. This defection of Senator Thomas reduced the Carter Senators to 16, and made it useless longer to remain out of the Senate Chamber in the Mechanics' Institute, because his presence there gave the Warmoth Senate a quorum of the body. The Senators adhering to Carter (16) therefore determined to resume their seats in the State House with a view of testing the sincerity of their colleagues in the matter of reform, and, if possible, preventing Monopolitan legislation. After this had been accomplished, the first business in order was to decide upon the question of the legality or illegality of the extra session of the body in December, and the election on that occasion of Mr. Pinchback as President of the Senate. And here the Carter Senators commenced a course of what is termed "filibustering," with the design of throwing an obstacle in the way of the Warmoth men, who were evidently determined to confirm the action of the extra session in December, and thereby to declare Mr. Pinchback President of the Senate and Lieutenant Governor of the State. Several votes were taken to test the sense of the Senate, and these ended in the ratification of the proceedings of the extra session and the recognition of Mr. Pinchback as President of the body.

Those who witnessed the contest in the Senate yesterday, to effect the object we have just stated, tell us it was a most disgraceful scene. Gov. Warmoth himself was on the floor of the Senate directing in person the movements of his followers. No doubt he felt that his fortunes were trembling in the balance and that success depended on his personal efforts and supervision, but we must say that a more shameless proceeding was never enacted in any legislative assembly. The Governor prompted the chair sometimes by word of mouth and sometimes by a signal, and he did not hesitate to prompt the members who were regarded as his friends. He stood about from side to side of the chamber constantly, conversing with Senators Campbell, Hunsacker, Harris and Anderson, who seemed to be the leaders of the Warmoth host. The result we have stated was obtained through the treachery of two Senators. Mr. Thomas, we learn, was invited to the house of D. W. Iverson, Esq., on Canal street, on Friday, and there met Gen. Richard Taylor, and Mr. Duncan F. Kenner, who are believed to have influenced him to come over to Gov. Warmoth's side. The Judas of the Reforming Senators was Mr. Thomas, of Bossier, who compelled the return of his colleagues to the State House in violation of a solemn written pledge. Senator Thomas C. Anderson, of St. Landry, is not less despicable than Messrs. Thomas and Lewis. Although he broke no pledge, he refused to co-operate with the Carter men and threw his entire influence on the side of the Governor. In these circumstances we are shut up to this conclusion that the victory achieved by Gov. Warmoth is due to the lavish use of money and to the bond of communicated guilt, which unites him to the bulk of our citizens who are directly or indirectly interested in the perpetuation of his power and the success of those financial and other speculative schemes which have made Governor Warmoth's administration so notorious.

The defeat of the Reformers of the Senate we thus record should not discourage them in the work they have undertaken, but, on the contrary, should stimulate them to renewed endeavor. They have now mustered swords with the enemy and can form a better idea of his strength. They know the kind of weapons he uses and the weak points of his armor. There is no reason why 16 Senators in a house of 34 members should not wield a powerful influence over the actions of the body, and finally achieve success. Gov. Warmoth now knows how impopular his administration is, and that nothing but bribery of the people's representatives has saved him from impeachment. But he must not expect to defy public sentiment as he has done hitherto, and if he wishes to serve to the end of his term he will shape his conduct so as not to provoke another such uprising of the people as that we have just seen. The people are determined to have reform, and are not to be cheated out of it either by the Governor or those who aid him.

The Status of Senator Thomas.

From the N. O. Times of Saturday

The following communication from Senator Thomas explains the position of that gentleman in the present political contest:

To the Editor of the New Orleans Times:

While I appreciate the motives of my colleagues who have deemed it their duty to abstain from occupying their seats in the State Senate, I have a specific duty to perform which I owe my constituents and the people of the State as a Senator in the General Assembly. There are times when the good of the State is above personal or party considerations, and in my particular case the history of the last session of the legislature that demands of me free and decided action to aid in bringing relief to our people in certain matters which are universally demanded. I therefore withdraw from any further participation in this contest between the Reformers of the Kenner party, and I will resume my seat in the Senate and act with that party which will give its aid to pass those measures of reform which we all profess so earnestly to demand.

S. M. THOMAS, State Senator.

ANDERSON'S PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO.—Among the most attractive photograph establishments of New Orleans is that of Mr. Anderson, at 183 Canal street, where will be found all the latest improvements in the art. His pictures are certainly as fine specimens as can be seen anywhere, and that called the "San Pearl" is very much admired and sought after by those who seek to possess true likenesses of their relatives, and at the same time handsome ornaments for the parlor.

If The customers of Charles Leighton, Esq., manufacturer of gentlemen's furnishing goods, corner Canal and St. Charles street, will be pleased to learn of his return to the city after an absence of several months, during which he has been engaged in catering to the taste of his numerous friends. All the latest novelties in his lines will shortly be spread before the public.

Thanks to Messrs. Williams, Esperty & Co., agents of the Hamburg steamship Germania, and to the officers of the mess for late papers from German ports.

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AMUSEMENTS.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—The celebrated Lydia Thompson troupe commence an engagement to-night at the Academy, and the announcement cannot fail to draw a crowded house, for the piquant and humorous performances of the company, together with the great personal popularity of Miss Thompson, render the advent of the troupe, at all times, a gratifying event to play-goers. There is an appetite almost insatiable for burlesque, and Miss Thompson seems to have hit, exactly, the sort of burlesque that is wanted. "Blue Beard" is on the bills for to-night.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.—The public seem to never weary of "Little Lotta," and the manager of the St. Charles in securing her has secured a magnet, the attractions of which are irresistible. She appears to-night in "Little Nell and the Marchioness," a piece which, perhaps, more than any other she performs, affords full play for her peculiar style; perhaps it would be better to say styles, for versatility, as well as originality, contribute to her engagements.

VARIETIES THEATRE.—To-morrow night "Saratoga, or Life at the Springs," will be put on the stage at the Varieties, and the best talent of the highly capable company of the house will appear in the performance.

We acknowledge the politeness of American Hook and Ladder Fire Company No. 2 for cards of invitation to attend a grand fancy dress, masquerade and calico ball, to be given by them on Saturday evening, February 3d, at Odd Fellows' Hall.

A like acknowledgment is tendered to the Hope Benevolent Association for cards of invitation to a calico and mask querade ball to be given by them at Carroll Hall, on Saturday, January 27.

Also to the Turner Association for cards of invitation to a grand dress, calico and mask ball, to be given by them at their Hall, on Saturday, February 3d.

DELAYS ARE DANGEROUS.—Mothers as you love your offspring don't fail to use Mrs. Whitcomb's Syrup for soothing children.

WARMOTH'S LEGISLATURE.

Saturday, January 20, 1872.

SENATE.

At ten minutes to twelve o'clock the novelty was presented in the Senate Chamber of the Senators of the Session who had absented themselves since the day appointed for the commencement of the session, Governor Warmoth was also present and freely mingled with the members, his countenance expanding at times into a broad smile. The lobby and floor of the Hall were noticeable for the presence of the Governor's friends, and remarkable for the absence of the people, who were still denied admission on the plea of Metropolitan necessities. The lines of Dryades street and other avenues to Mechanics' Institute. At twelve o'clock Senators Thomas, Pitkin and Lewis had not made their appearance.

Senator Pinchback called the Senate to order. The following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson, Antoine, Barber, Blackman, Bowman, Butler, Campbell, Coupland, Daigle, Gallup, Harris, Harvey, Hunsacker, Ingraham, Jenks, Kelso, Lynch, McMillan, Noland, O'Hara, Ragan, Ray, Smith, Swords, Sypher, Thompson, Tunnell, Todd, Whitley, Wilson, Pinchback—31.

Mr. Harris offered a resolution ratifying the action of the Senate, in extra session, in electing Hon. P. B. S. Pinchback Lieutenant-Governor of the State. Mr. Harris moved the previous question on the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Blackman arose to object to the previous question, saying that there being no rules in operation, the previous question could not be called. Senator Pinchback evinced a disposition to hear whatever Mr. Blackman had to say, and, further, was willing to leave the matter to the decision of the Senate.

Mr. Thomas entered at this moment. He inquired what the question was. It was explained to him.

Mr. Lewis also entered.

After dilatory debate, the question was put to the Senate in the motion to entertain the previous question in order.

The senate decided, by 17 to 16, that the motion was not in order.

Mr. Blackman hereupon offered the following substitute:

To the Hon. the Members of the Senate of the State of Louisiana:

Gentlemen—We the undersigned Senators representing the Senate of Senator Pinchback as President of the Senate and ex-officio Lieutenant-Governor, was illegal and unconstitutional, as the election of the Senate was in violation of the plain and express words of the Constitution and the laws on the subject matter of convening in extraordinary session the General Assembly. We therefore move that the Senate now proceed to the election of a President of the Senate to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Lieutenant-Governor Dunn.

Mortimer Smith,	W. P. Blackman,	
S. O'Hara,	John Ray,	
P. F. Herwig,	A. J. Sypher,	
T. V. Coupland,	Jas. H. Ingraham,	
C. C. Antoine,	W. L. Thompson,	
J. B. Lewis,	F. Daigle,	
C. Wilcox,	S. S. Bowman,	
E. M. Thomas.	Sam Todd.	

Mr. Blackman then spoke at some length on the substitute, and gave his reasons for offering it.

He was followed by Mr. Ray, who spoke on the constitutional question involved in the calling of the extra session by the Governor.

Mr. Hunsacker charged Mr. Ray with inconsistency, because he said Mr. Ray had made the motion at the extra session to go into an election.

Mr. Blackman and Mr. Thomas denied the charge, saying that Mr. Ray had simply moved to go into an election for Governor, Chairman of the Senate. Notwithstanding this refutation Mr. Hunsacker continued to argue on the premises which had been laid.

Mr. Thomas interrupted Mr. Hunsacker, to say that he (Mr. Thomas) had understood that if he came here, this question would not be raised; the election of Senator Pinchback.

Mr. Antoine made some remarks on the question, the substance of which was that although he entertained full confidence in Mr. Pinchback as a man and as a Republican, he still had his opinions, and he considered the calling of the extra session by the Governor an unconstitutional act.

Mr. Ingraham took the floor, and was proceeding to remark that the Senate could no longer trample upon the laws and the rights of the people, nor use a pliant tool for his designs.

Senator Pinchback became very wrathful, and from the chair denied that he was the tool of anybody. He would not allow himself to be insulted. He would hold Senators to the rules.

Senator Ingraham, keeping very cool, stated that he had said that Senator Pinchback was the tool of the Governor. He, the Speaker, however, entertained apprehensions to that effect, and he thought that he had a right to his opinions. If he had any insult to offer to the Senator he would do so outside.

Senator Pinchback still raging: "You dare not."

Mr. Ingraham quietly resumed his remarks. He had not proposed for the Senator Pinchback arose once more to state that he would maintain the parliamentary usages. That he would defend himself against any aspersions on his character, from white or black, here or outside.

This brought on applause from the lobby.

Senator Pinchback rebuked the spectators, and, on motion, the Senate went into executive session.

When the public session was resume Senator Parker took the floor and spoke at some length in favor of the extra session proceedings.

Mr. Thomas said he had appeared on the floor to give Senators an opportunity to deliver themselves of the speeches which had filled them for twenty days. He (Mr. Thomas) could not vote to introduce needed reforms. If there were any other motives he had not the astuteness to see them. Mr. Thomas said something else, but was rather inaudible.

Mr. Ray arose to say that he did offer, at the extra session, the resolution to go into an election for Lieutenant-Governor, but he had not therefor abandoned his views of the unconstitutionality of the session. He had done so on finding that it had been decided to hold such an election. He did not expect the charge to come from Mr. Hunsacker, to whom he had communicated his views in private conversation the day before the meeting of the extra session.

Mr. Antoine requested a division of the preamble from the resolution. He did not wish to vote on the constitutionality of the proposition was seconded by Mr. Ray, and opposed by Messrs. Blackman and Ingraham.

The vote to strike out the preamble being taken resulted in 17 yeas, 16 nays.

Mr. Ingraham moved to strike out all after everything that was behind the words the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Senate proceed to the election of a President of the Senate.

The vote was taken and resulted in 16 yeas to 17 nays, and the resolution was lost.

Mr. Hunsacker raised the point that Senator Pinchback could not vote.

The Chair decided that when a question arose in the Senate touching the rights of the House of Representatives in the Army Investigation, he had the right to vote, and in this matter, even if he did vote, it would only result in a tie, and hence the motion failed.

Mr. Ingraham moved that the proceedings of the Senate of the State of Louisiana be published in the Senate and House journals.

The vote was then taken, and resulted in 17 yeas to 16 nays.

Mr. Hunsacker moved to lay the motion on the table.

Mr. Ingraham—Requiring J. Pinckney Smith, Warrant Clerk, to furnish a detailed statement of amounts paid by him for all purposes.

By ——: To inform the Governor and the House that the Senate is ready for business.

By Mr. Blackman—To inform the Governor, officially, of the death of Senators Pierce and Fish;

Also to remove all troops and police from Mechanics' Institute.

By Mr. Gallup—Declaring vacant the office of Warrant Clerk, and also to investigate all outstanding warrants and vouchers.

A joint resolution was introduced, to ascertain the amount of the State debt.

The Senate adjourned.

THE WARMOTH HOUSE.

The House was called to order at noon by Mr. Brewster.

On motion of Mr. Davidson the vote of expulsion of the Speaker was reconsidered so far as the seat of Mr. Laurent was concerned.

The following bills were introduced:

By Mr. Foutaliou—Relative to the qualification of jurors in the parish of Vermilion.

By Mr. Sartain—Relative to public education in the State of Louisiana, and defining the expenses and mileage of school officers.

By Mr. Gardner—Compelling the New Orleans and Carrollton Railroad Company to lower their track in the streets of New Orleans and Carrollton to a level.

By Mr. Murray—Providing for the abolishment of the Sixth District Court.

By Mr. Ogden—To amend an act relative to the location of a State House.

By Mr. Faulkner—Creating the parish of Greenland.

By Mr. Faulkner—Preventing members of the General Assembly from holding offices of trust or profit, etc.

All of which were referred.

The bill making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of mileage and per diem was taken up, referred to the committee of the whole and gave rise to debate.

The House resumed its session, the bill was once more referred to the committee of the whole, and the House adjourned.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

The District Attorney has entered *nolle prosequi* in the case of Mr. Ernest Meele, who was accused of altering a municipal certificate of indebtedness in the office of the Administrator of Public Accounts.

Richard Delmore, a young man about 21 years of age, is charged with being the person who stabbed policeman Patterson, on Dauphine street, on Thursday night. A woman named Lizzie Smith is accused of being an accessory to the act. Both are under arrest, and it is said that the policeman has identified Delmore as the party who did it.

The number of inmates in the Insane Asylum, which is reported by Dr. Lyons, Jury to be in a healthy condition, is 139, viz: White men, 47; white women, 40; colored men, 17; colored women, 35. Number of admissions during the year, 224; number of discharges, 167; number of deaths, 25; average number under treatment, 196. Total cost for the year, $19,400; cost per patient, $143. Deaths January 1, 1872, men, 71; women, 65. Total, 136. There were 66 cases (45 men and 34 women) of insanity from alcohol. One-fifth of all the cases were of alcoholic origin.

The Carter Assemblage.—The Representatives who adhere to the Carter organization met at the Mechanics' Institute in the Cosmopolitan Club and resolved to issue an address to the people, which will be found in another column.

The City Insane Asylum.—The present Grand Jury, like many of its predecessors, having visited the City Insane Asylum, they have, through Mr. Townsend, W. Booth, made known its condition in a special report to the First District Court, the following extracts from which will show to the public some idea of the sufferings of the wretched inmates of the institution:

We have, the honor of assuring the court that if the good people of our city could but see, in all its atrocity the condition of the unfortunate beings confined there, it would tingle with sudden glow the cheek of every woman, and fire with indignation the blood of every man to whom it might be exhibited.

We have spoken of the favorable condition which surround these unfortunate insane people—shall we trespass upon the patience of the court by simply enumerating some of the conditions which do surround them?

Thorough cleanliness impossible; indiscriminate congregation, irrespective of condition; no possibility of creating or encouraging any industrial efforts or disposition; exceedingly restricted space; in winter cold; unbolstered beds or bedding, late, in some cases, perhaps, unavoidable; constant dampness in winter; cold prison cells, bolts, chains, darkness, pitch-blank wall, despair—this last, seemingly, about their only friend.

How many of us to-day are sane would long remain so if persistently subjected to these conditions?

Nor is the complaint and report of ours. It is not the first report, a new discovery. Some of us remember that twenty years ago these same complaints were made of this same institution. The honor has repeatedly heard them from our predecessors, with what effect our present report unfortunately shows; but we will not be deterred on that account from renewing our complaint, and if language were a cataract, it could never voice forth how we have seen enough this cold day, the 15th of January, 1872, to justify us in barring our denunciations against the system which has allowed such things to go down the stream of time unchallenged.

Many of the inmates are in a state of being inquire; that there exists a conspiracy between Adam Ehrenhauser, and band of said Alice Ehrenhauser, and the persons in charge of said institution, and particularly the Sister Superioress thereof, whose name is unknown to relator, to hold and detain said Mrs. Ehrenhauser, and prevent her from exercising her legal and civil rights before the courts of this State; that they keep her in close confinement and shut off all acces to her; that this relator well knowing the facts and circumstances, and further knowing that it was the intention of said Mrs. Alice Ehrenhauser to appeal to the courts of justice for relief, against her husband, by said conspiracy, to prevent her person and her property from him, in the future, has made repeated efforts to see said Mrs. Alice Ehrenhauser to aid her and obtain the necessary legal authority to institute proceedings, for her relief, but was not permitted to see her, even to communicate with her in writing. Petitioner therefore avers that said Mrs. Alice Ehrenhauser is illegally held and deprived of her liberty by the Sister Superioress of the institute known as the House of the Good Shepherd, without warrant of law or right, and contrary to the privileges and immunities secured to all persons under the laws and Constitution of the State.'

The petition concludes with a prayer for a writ of habeas corpus and was signed not by the relator as "Mrs. Mary Watson," but as "Mrs. Mary Watkins." Relator is able to write her name her signature is made with a cross. As already stated the petition was filed at about half-past 10 on Friday morning. By order of Judge Lea the writ was made returnable at 1 o'clock the same day.

At that hour the following return was made upon the writ:

'Received, January 19, 1872, and on the same day, month and year, served a copy of the within writ of habeas corpus on the Sister Superioress of the House of Good Shepherd, in person, who, after reading the same, refused compliance with the mandate of the court, alleging the order was not legal; that she had received such papers heretofore and paid no attention to them and would not in this case. All which I have the honor to return to the court. Signed, John McK. Richards, Deputy Sheriff.'

The paper upon which this endorsement was made was addressed to the Sister Superior and was an order "to produce in open court this 19th day of January, 1872, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the body of Adam Ehrenhauser, now in your custody, together with the cause of her detention."

At about a quarter before 3 o'clock the copy of the writ upon the Sister Superior was returned to the court by the lady herself with the following return upon it:

HOUSE OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, New Orleans, Jan. 19, 1872.

To the Honorable the Fifth District Court, Parish of Orleans:

The said lady (Mrs. Ehrenhauer—Rep.) is no longer under my charge, having been released by her husband.

SR. MARY ROSE, Superior.

Under another order of the Judge the Sister Superior was brought by the sheriff a prisoner into court yesterday morning to answer for the contempt of court. The lady was accompanied by another Sister, but had no counsel. The contempt with which she was charged was the refusal to produce her before the Deputy Sheriff in his return and releasing Mrs. Ehrenhauser after the writ had been served upon her. The Judge at once sentenced her to imprisonment for three hours and to pay costs. Mr. Buck, who was present to counsel with relator, Mrs. Mary Watson, alias Watkins, suggested that the Lady Superior had been sufficiently impressed with the power and dignity of the court by the admissions which the Judge had addressed to her when sentencing her, and the sentence of imprisonment was remitted.

This is, in every respect, so very singular a case—the intervention of a woman, who claims no personal interest in the matter, having herself nothing to do with the remarkably short time between the filing of a petition and the time fixed for trial, the prompt and full action of the Executive Government, in all cases, is to be presumed to be his own opinion and that as soon as his own interest and judgment shall direct, and any assumption of the exercise of power in the violation of the spirit of this resolution will be regarded as an authority shall be punished by removal from office.

Wilmington, Jan. 20.—Lieut. Colonel Feeria has been assigned to quartermaster's duty in the Department of the South, relieving Major Eddy, who is assigned to the Department of the Gulf. Lieut. Colonel Feeria who is assigned to the Department of Texas.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

Paris, Jan. 20.—Evening.—Bourse closed dull.

Rome, Jan. 20.—Evening.—Cotton closed dull; sales to-day 1,000 bales, of which 500 were for export and speculation. Middling Orleans 103½.

London, Jan. 20.—Evening.—Consols 92¾. Bonds 93¾.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Evening.—The Bank statement is as follows: Loans increase $1,300,000; specie decrease $650,000; legal tenders increase $1,750,000; deposits decrease $6,500,000. Money in excess of demand, leaving 6 per cent. sterling nominal. Gold 109¾ @ 109⅞. Governments strong at advance. 6's @ 5—81s, 115¾; 5-20s, of 1862, 110¼; 65s, 109⅝, 111¾; new, 110¾; 67s, 113¾; 68s, 113¾; 10-40s, 107¾; Virginias 66; new 55; Louisianas 78; new 70; Levees 6s, 60; 8s, 70; Alabama 5s, Georgias 76; North Carolinas 60; new 34¾; South 16; South Carolinas 50; new 38.

New York, Jan. 20.—Evening.—Cotton dull and nominal; Uplands 22¾; Orleans 23¾. Sales to-day 2,000 bales.

Futures sold last evening, 7,736 bales as follows: January 21¾, 21 13-16; February 22, 21 15-16; March 22 1-16, 22 1-8; April 22 5-16, 22 7-16; May 22 13-16, 22¾; June 23.

Futures sold to-day 9000 bales as follows: January 21¾, 21¾; February 22, 21 15-16, 22¼; March 22 1-16, 22 3-16; April 22 5-16, 22 7-16; May 22 13-16, 22¾; June 23.

Boston, Jan. 20.—Barometer 30.70. Wind N. N. W., strong.

Arrived, Schooner Mary B. Towner, Cabaras, master, 6 days from Porto Antonio, Jamaica, with fruit to R. Tramontin. Had pleasant weather. Brig Prince Lewis, Lewis, master, 16 days from New York, general cargo to Geo. A. Fosdick & Co. Ship Queen Victoria, Constantia, John Parker and Antarctic.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Mr. Voorhies withdrawing from the Louisiana committee, Mr. Archer substituted Mr. Archer, of Maryland.

(Provence Dispatches.)

St. Louis, Jan. 20.—Edward Freeman, county clerk of Quasqueton's land, attempted suicide by shooting himself in the head, yesterday morning. Jay and Alice the war residing in Louisiana, was brought here yesterday by two men representing themselves as sheriffs of Louisiana, on the presence of warrants being issued for prisoners by the Governor of Missouri, they said, offered a reward of $2000 for him. He, one appearing to take him into custody, Gen. Harding, whom he shot dead, pulled a pistol and shot the officer down the screen which has not long hidden from public execration the infamies of the New Orleans Purgatory for the insane.

May it please the court, we hasten with this report and give it precedence over all other business, because we think that the amelioration of the condition of our insane should meet with prompt and careful attention. Not that we should be loud in providing accommodation for them which would not be a disgrace to our civilization, more especially as these objects of our care are helpless beings, and cannot return to us any recompense of reward for the good we may do to them.

The remedy would seem to be easy of accomplishment, and we will not believe that our citizens would object to any reasonable disbursement for so excellent a purpose.

A few acres of ground on the outskirts of town, a few suitable buildings, which had better be erected by the city, with many rules and regulations and a necessary complement of officers to operate the whole machine, is everything that the city of enterprise and the thing is done. We have many willing testimony to the evil which faithfully indicated, and Alice Ehrenhauser, of the present Surgeon-General, Dr. H. Dudley, of whom it is but just to say that he has done the best he can under the circumstances.

In conclusion, we beg your Honor to excuse us for making this report, and also as a most important one upon this our first visit, and we have many more of twenty years hence, if we have the power to enforce the report of to-day we have the honor to be your Honor's obedient servants.

The Chester Case.—Pinchback and Others Indicted.—In the case of T. Morris Chester, charged with the murder of Capt. Kelly, on board the steamer Nevada, on the Mississippi river, on the night of the 4th of July, 1871, the Grand Jury yesterday presented an indictment against P. B. S. Pinchback, Lieutenant-Governor; W. Wilkinson, Sheriff, and Thomas Allen, Police Commissioner, charging them with murder in the first degree. The bail of the first named was fixed at $10,000, and that of the others at $5,000 each. Chester was also indicted for the murder of Kelly. Morris Chester will be tried to-morrow.

Following a recent law the Grand Jury adjourned yesterday without finding indictments against the Governor.

Berlin, Jan. 20.—The North German *Gazette* says relations have been resumed between Germany and Brazil on the most friendly footing. The difficulties between the two countries have been settled owing to the conciliatory behavior of Brazil.

The Columbian Consul here contradicts the statement made by the New York *Herald*, *Sunday Times*, that the Minister of Columbia at Washington had applied to the American Government for the postponement of the payment of $140,000, the amount due the United States from his Government.

The Consul says Columbia owes the United States nothing, and her financial condition is most satisfactory.

FROM MEXICO.

Matamoras, Mex., Jan. 20.—The revolutionists under Quiroya attacked Cortina's forces at Camargo yesterday; the fighting still continues.

The Custom-house here refuses to allow anything to pass into the country.

The diligence and mail service from the interior have been discontinued in anticipation of the fall of Camargo.

The rebels under Generals Martinez and Arnaiz are besieging the city of San Luis Potosi and hold portions of that State. Generals Guerrero and Garcia de la Cadena are besieging the city of Zacatecas and hold nearly all of that State. General Santiago Tapia Durango and has sent one thousand men to occupy Chihuahua. The States of Coahuila and Nuevo Leon are held by Treviño, while Quesiga invades the State Tamaulipas to capture all towns on the frontier. It is evident that this city will soon be surrounded by the revolutionists if not taken.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The Treasury balance at the close of business to-day was $108,927,000; currency $10,998,000; coin certificates $37,944,000.

WEATHER REPORT.

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MISCELLANEOUS INTELLIGENCE.

New York, Jan. 20.—Minister and Madame Lerdo departed for Europe to-day. Cataonay has high hopes for the American people notwithstanding their present corrupt government.

The deficit in Market Savings Bank, which closed this morning, is $100,000.

New York, Jan. 20.—John Russell, a thief, made off with Metropolitan Bank, was robbed in the street about noon to-day, of $25,000 in gold certificates and a quantity of notes and bonds. No arrests as yet.

City Chamberlain Palmers says that five million dollars belonging to the city are deposited in the Howard Bank, and that the Controller is at liberty to draw on this deposit to pay the police their back wages.

The excitement around the suspended Market Bank this afternoon was very great. A crowd of indignant depositors lurked in the passages and indulged in vigorous threats against the officials.

The principals of some of the public schools to-day made a request that the children hand further charge be vaccinated. There were 35 deaths from small pox during the past week; 10 cases were reported yesterday.

The schooner H. Bulwenkle, from Rockland for New York, was burned at sea on the 16th inst. The captain and crew were saved and brought here by the schooner Portland.

Annapolis, Jan. 20.—The court adjourned to Monday without concluding the arguments.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 20.—The Rev. Dr. Symons of the Euclid Presbyterian Church, is dead.

Rock Ark, Jan. 20.—One-half of the town of Monticello, Drew county, was destroyed by fire to-day; five stores of S. F. Arnold, W. J. Jetter, Smith & Bro., Kelly & Co., E. Owens & Co., and others were burned.

A few days since a terrible storm passed over Monticello, destroying two churches and several other buildings, and uncovering the court-house.

Memphis, Jan. 20.—Upon the representation that Charles Parker, a sailor in the Navy Yard employés were politically controlled in their local affairs, Secretary Boutwell in a circular desires it understood that such is not the policy of the Government; in all cases, is to be permitted to the free exercise of the right of suffrage, according to their own opinions and judgment shall direct, and any assumption of the exercise of power in the violation of the spirit of this resolution will be regarded as an authority shall be punished by removal from office.

Wilmington, Jan. 20.—Lieut. Colonel Feeria has been assigned to quartermaster's duty in the Department of the South, relieving Major Eddy, who is assigned to the Department of the Gulf. Lieut. Colonel Feeria who is assigned to the Department of Texas.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

Paris, Jan. 20.—Evening.—Bourse closed dull.

Rome, Jan. 20.—Evening.—Cotton closed dull; sales to-day 1,000 bales, of which 500 were for export and speculation. Middling Orleans 103½.

London, Jan. 20.—Evening.—Consols 92¾. Bonds 93¾.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Evening.—The Bank statement is as follows: Loans increase $1,300,000; specie decrease $650,000; legal tenders increase $1,750,000; deposits decrease $6,500,000. Money in excess of demand, leaving 6 per cent. sterling nominal. Gold 109¾ @ 109⅞. Governments strong at advance. 6's @ 5—81s, 115¾; 5-20s, of 1862, 110¼; 65s, 109⅝, 111¾; new, 110¾; 67s, 113¾; 68s, 113¾; 10-40s, 107¾; Virginias 66; new 55; Louisianas 78; new 70; Levees 6s, 60; 8s, 70; Alabama 5s, Georgias 76; North Carolinas 60; new 34¾; South 16; South Carolinas 50; new 38.

New York, Jan. 20.—Evening.—Cotton dull and nominal; Uplands 22¾; Orleans 23¾. Sales to-day 2,000 bales.

Futures sold last evening, 7,736 bales as follows: January 21¾, 21 13-16; February 22, 21 15-16, 22¼; March 22 1-16, 22 3-16; April 22 5-16, 22 7-16; May 22 13-16, 22¾; June 23.

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FROM SOUTHWEST PASS.

Southwest Pass, Jan. 20.—Barometer 30.70. Wind N. N. W., strong.

Arrived, Schooner Mary B. Towner, Cabaras, master, 6 days from Porto Antonio, Jamaica, with fruit to R. Tramontin. Had pleasant weather. Brig Prince Lewis, Lewis, master, 16 days from New York, general cargo to Geo. A. Fosdick & Co. Ship Queen Victoria, Constantia, John Parker and Antarctic.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Mr. Voorhies withdrawing from the Louisiana committee, Mr. Archer substituted Mr. Archer, of Maryland.

(Provence Dispatches.)

St. Louis, Jan. 20.—Edward Freeman, county clerk of Quasqueton's land, attempted suicide by shooting himself in the head, yesterday morning. Jay and Alice the war residing in Louisiana, was brought here yesterday by two men representing themselves as sheriffs of Louisiana, on the presence of warrants being issued for prisoners by the Governor of Missouri, they said, offered a reward of $2000 for him. He, one appearing to take him into custody, Gen. Harding, whom he shot dead, pulled a pistol and shot the officer down the screen which has not long hidden from public execration the infamies of the New Orleans Purgatory for the insane.

May it please the court, we hasten with this report and give it precedence over all other business, because we think that the amelioration of the condition of our insane should meet with prompt and careful attention. Not that we should be loud in providing accommodation for them which would not be a disgrace to our civilization, more especially as these objects of our care are helpless beings, and cannot return to us any recompense of reward for the good we may do to them.

The remedy would seem to be easy of accomplishment, and we will not believe that our citizens would object to any reasonable disbursement for so excellent a purpose.

A few acres of ground on the outskirts of town, a few suitable buildings, which had better be erected by the city, with many rules and regulations and a necessary complement of officers to operate the whole machine, is everything that the city of enterprise and the thing is done. We have many willing testimony to the evil which faithfully indicated, and Alice Ehrenhauser, of the present Surgeon-General, Dr. H. Dudley, of whom it is but just to say that he has done the best he can under the circumstances.

In conclusion, we beg your Honor to excuse us for making this report, and also as a most important one upon this our first visit, and we have many more of twenty years hence, if we have the power to enforce the report of to-day we have the honor to be your Honor's obedient servants.

The Chester Case.—Pinchback and Others Indicted.—In the case of T. Morris Chester, charged with the murder of Capt. Kelly, on board the steamer Nevada, on the Mississippi river, on the night of the 4th of July, 1871, the Grand Jury yesterday presented an indictment against P. B. S. Pinchback, Lieutenant-Governor; W. Wilkinson, Sheriff, and Thomas Allen, Police Commissioner, charging them with murder in the first degree. The bail of the first named was fixed at $10,000, and that of the others at $5,000 each. Chester was also indicted for the murder of Kelly. Morris Chester will be tried to-morrow.

Following a recent law the Grand Jury adjourned yesterday without finding indictments against the Governor.

Berlin, Jan. 20.—The North German *Gazette* says relations have been resumed between Germany and Brazil on the most friendly footing. The difficulties between the two countries have been settled owing to the conciliatory behavior of Brazil.

The Columbian Consul here contradicts the statement made by the New York *Herald*, *Sunday Times*, that the Minister of Columbia at Washington had applied to the American Government for the postponement of the payment of $140,000, the amount due the United States from his Government.

The Consul says Columbia owes the United States nothing, and her financial condition is most satisfactory.

FROM MEXICO.

Matamoras, Mex., Jan. 20.—The revolutionists under Quiroya attacked Cortina's forces at Camargo yesterday; the fighting still continues.

The Custom-house here refuses to allow anything to pass into the country.

The diligence and mail service from the interior have been discontinued in anticipation of the fall of Camargo.

The rebels under Generals Martinez and Arnaiz are besieging the city of San Luis Potosi and hold portions of that State. Generals Guerrero and Garcia de la Cadena are besieging the city of Zacatecas and hold nearly all of that State. General Santiago Tapia Durango and has sent one thousand men to occupy Chihuahua. The States of Coahuila and Nuevo Leon are held by Treviño, while Quesiga invades the State Tamaulipas to capture all towns on the frontier. It is evident that this city will soon be surrounded by the revolutionists if not taken.

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