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MONDAY MORNING, JAN. 21, 1833.

FOR GOVERNOR:

J. B. DAWSON.

Fire.—A fire broke out last night about 9 o'clock, at the corner of Magazine and Delore streets, on the premises occupied by Messrs. F. Buchme & Co. as a Cotton picking, the whole of which including out houses to a considerable extent, and a large quantity of Cotton were entirely consumed. By the rapid progress of the flames, which enveloped the whole block in a short space of time, and taking into consideration the calmness of the evening, we are induced to believe the above to have been the work of an incendiary.

The papers furnished by yesterday's Northern Mail, were anticipated beyound Charleston, by those furnished on Saturday. Our date from Charleston is to the 12th inst, but contains nothing important. By an arrival at Havanna from Cadiz, which port she left on the 4th December, we have obtained information of the capture of the Citadel of Antwerp, by the French troops.

IMPORTANT.

A gentleman arrived here from Havana, which place he left on the 13th inst. reports that on his departure, Mr. Guillemin, the French consul, informs him that a vessel had just arrived from Cadiz, whence she had sailed on the 4th December, bringing the news that CITADEL OF ANTWERP HAD CAPITULATED after having sustained a bombardment of fifty six hours.

We have received our file from Havana to the 8th inst. they contain news from Madrid, to the 27th November,—from Cadiz, to the 2d December.

The creation of a Minister of the Interior, (Secretario de Estado y del Despacho del fomento general del Reyno) mention of which has been made by the Indicateur, and been repeated by us three days ago, took place on the 1st December, by a Royal Decree. This department has been committed to Don Victoriano de Emuma-y-Picha.

To the date of the 27th November, the convalescence of the King, continued to be perfectly satisfactory.

On the 19th, on the occasion of the anniversary birth-day of Princess Dona Maria Isabella, the King's elder daughter, there has been a general levee, at which attended the Diplomatic Corps, the State Council, the Grandees of Spain, and the titularies of Castillo, the Deputies of the Provinces, magistrates, high functionaries, general military chiefs, and a great number of other distinguished persons who eagerly seized that opportunity of congratulating their Majesties. In the evening the capital was illuminated.

Several high personages having asked the Queen the permission of opening a subscription to erect a monument which should perpetuate the memory of the decree of amnesty, her Majesty yielded to their demand, and ordered that the plan of their monument should be presented to her without delay.

A letter from Irun, dated the 16th, mentions that the Lazaretto is already encumbered with a great number of refugees, who in compliance of the decree of amnesty came back to their country. The ex-deputy Ferrer was expecting at Bayonne, the moment he might enter the Lazaretto.

The news from France, England, Portugal and Belgium, comprised in the Havana paper are not of a later date, than those we already have by our files from the North.

CONGRESSIONAL ANALYSIS.

IN SENATE, JANUARY 4th, 1834.

John C. Calhoun from South Carolina; Mr. Rives from Virginia, and Mr. Waggaman from Louisiana, appeared and took their seats. Mr. Miller presented the credentials of John C. Calhoun, as senator from South Carolina. Mr. Benton presented the credentials of Wm. C. Rives, as senator from Virginia; both new senatois were then sworn to support the Constitution of the United States.

Mr. Dickerson presented several petition from New Jersey, praying that Camden may be made a port of entry, which was referred to the Committee on Commerce. The bill to increase the pay of the Medical Staff of the Army, was read a second time.

The Chair laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of State, enclosing a copy of a letter from John C. Calhoun, resigning his office as Vice President of the United States.

The following bill from the House, was read twice; and referred. A bill to improve the condition of the non-commissioned officers and privates of the United States Army, and to prevent desertion.

The Hon. John C. Calhoun appeared in the Senate yesterday, was qualified, and took his seat as a SENTOR from South Carolina, and has, of course, resigned the office of Vice-President of the United States.—*Nat. Intel.*

[COMMUNICATED.]

Last Monday we had an opportunity of witnessing another interesting trial of skill and agility between O'Rourk, the Champion of the Western world, and a celebrated boxer, which took place at St. Philip street theatre to the entire satisfaction of all present. We unhesitatingly say that the genius of Mr. O'Rourk is of great advantage as a protection against assault and battery, by the introduction of which, the constant use of weapons to decide a trifling dispute, to the regret and misery of many, will be dispensed with, and an exercise of particular use to the human frame, introduced in lieu thereof, the constant attendence to which will give elasticity to the limbs, for which particular purpose we recommend it to the notice of youth.

GYMNASTICK.

The following characteristic story is from the Portsmouth Herald:—

Rich Fodder.—Last week the crew of the United States ship Concord were paid off at the Navy Agent's office in this town, and discharged from service. Forthwith these reckless sons of the ocean were seen wandering up and down our streets, some in coaches and some in chaises which they hired for the day, and some reeling along the roads and sidewalks, "half seas over," as sailors term it. One of the crew who was pretty essentially drunk, had about two hundred dollars of bank bills in his pockets, but knew not what to do with them. His ship-mate advised him to deposit it in the Portsmouth Savings Bank. Jack was very good-natured about it, and said that he would follow their advice; so he marched on in a direction entirely contrary to the one that led to the Bank, singing and whistling, and as jolly as seed be, when suddenly he spied a poor miserable old cow just ahead. He made up to her as well as he could, put both arms round her neck, kissed her, hugged her for several minutes and then went off to buy her something to eat. He soon returned with a small basket of potatoes. "Here, eat these, my old charity sweetee," said she at the same time putting one into her mouth. "Here, that's good,—now take another—you shall have 'em—and you shall have some of my money, you old honey—you poor old coamely," and he crammed two five dollar bills into her mouth. His mates saw what what was going on and asked him what he meant by feeding the old cow with bank bills? Why do n't you put them into the Savings Bank? "Never mind, she is poor and I am rich; I've got enough left ye," and in went another potato, followed by a ten dollar bill. Here the other sailors seized hold of him and put a stop to his folly.

NOTICE.—Is hereby given to the creditors of the late Joseph Bastide that they may present their claims to P Soule Esqr attorney of Widow Bastide, and of the curator to the absent heirs; St Louis street, No 86—Those who are indebted to the said succession are requested to pay in the shortest possible delay j 21

NOTICE.—The undersigned having formed a copartnership under the firm of COLSON & GURLIE, announce to the public and their friends that they will keep at their store at the Basin a constant supply of the fallowing articles, viz:—Lime; fire bricks; bricks; sand; charcal; fur; pitch; hay &c.—and that orders that may be intrusted to them, will be executed with the greatest care and promtitude.

P H COLSSON.
j 21 A GURLIE.

A Dog and a Bitch having committed some damage have been detained—the owner may claim them by applying to the undersigned, corner of champs Elisees and Victory st j 21 L. E. EVRARD.

THE undersigned having dissolved the co-dartnership which existed under the firm W. GADEUILHE & CO. the establishment in Chartre street 137 near the Exchange will hereafter be conducted by W. Fadeuilhe—P J Salvetot will conduct that in Chartres street No 11 opposite Mr Warton's coachmaker—at both establishments may be found a rich assortment of house furniture consisting of fine papers & borders; landscapes, figures, columns; also socks, fringes, lace, silk tassels for beds and bell strings, golden ornaments of all kinds, seats and chairs in great variety, hair and moss mattresses feather beds and pillows and a number of other valuable articles

W FADEUILHE,
j 21 P J SALVETAT.

NOTICE.—All those having claims against the steam boat Water Witch, will present them to the undersigned for settlement at Richardson's Hotel, and those indebted will please to make immediate payment.

j 10 WM T. RICHARDSON.

(*By authority.*)

LAWS OF THE STATE.

AN ACT

In relation to the College of Jefferson.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana in general assembly convened*; That until the college of Jefferson be in operation that the president of the board of directors, be, and he is hereby authorized to convene a meeting of the same, at any time or place in the city of New Orleans, that he may deem proper; and that this act be in force from and after its passage.

(Signed,) ALCEE LABRANCHE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
C. DERBIGNY,
President of the Senate.

APPROVED January 18th, 1833.

A. B. ROMAN,
Governor of the State of Louisiana.

LOUISIANA LEGISLATURE.

ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE—FIRST SESSION

JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

TUESDAY 15th January 1833.

Mr. Robin agreeably to previous notice, introduced the bill entitled an act granting certain powers to the police jury of the parish of Pointe Coupee, which was read for the first time and ordered for a second reading on to morrow.

Mr. Canon gave notice that to to-morrow or on a future day he will introduce a bill entitled an act for the relief of the Mayor, Aldermen and inhabitants of New Orleans.

Mr. Sibley agreeably to previous notice introduced the bill entitled an act to abolish the fees of justices of peace in criminal cases, which was read for the first time, and ordered for a second reading for to-morrow.

Mr. Marigny as chairman of the committee of election reported as duly elected the following members from the parish of Plaquemines Mr. Charles Forstall.

From the parish of Orleans, Messrs, B. Z. Canonge, W. F. C. Duplessis, Albert Hoa, B. Marigny, C. F. Dauney, John B. Grymes and E. A. Canon.

From the parish of St. Charles, M. Alcée La Branche.

From the parish of St. John the Baptiste, Mr. Florian Boussel.

From the parish of St. James, Messrs. John B. Ory and John Watkins.

From the parish of Azsumption, Messrs. Aince Guillet and Zephirien Folse.

From the parish of Lafourche Interior, Messrs: James Borter, Zenon Chauvin, and Pierre Lagarde.

From the parish of Terrebonne Mr. Leandre B. Thibodeaux.

From the parish of Iberville, Mr. Timoleon Lassasier.

From the parish of West Baton Rouge, Mr. Thomas W. Chinn.

From the parish of East Baton Rouge, Messrs. Thomas G. Morgan and Raphael Legendre.

From the parish of Pointe Coupee, Mr. Alphonse Robin.

From the parish of West Feliciana, Messrs. Isaac Johnson and Alexander Barrow.

From the parish of East Feliciana, Messrs Reddin, Brown and John B. Horton.

From the parish of Concordia, Joseph M. Patton.

From the parish of St. Mary, Mr. Joseph Charpentier.

From the parish of St. Martin, Mr. Alexander D. Bienvenu.

From the parish of Lafayette, Messrs. Francois Breaux, and Cornelius Voorhies jr.

From the parish of St. Landry, Messrs. Cyprien Dupré, Rice Garland and Jean M. Debaillon.

From the parish of Avoyelles, Mr. William Voorhies.

From the parish of Catahoula, Mr. David Holstein.

From the parish of Ouachita, Mr. Stephen W. Maddox.

From the parish of Rapides, Messrs. Joseph Walker and Charles Mcilhollan.

From the parish of Natchitoches and Claiborne, Messrs. C. A. Bullard and John Sibley.

From the parish of St. Helena, Mr. Samuel Leonard.

From the parish of Washington, M. Robert Edwards.

From the parish of Livingston, Mr. Alexander H. McRea.

From the parish of St. Tammany, Mr. Jesse R. Jones.

On motion ordered that said report be adopted.

Mr. Horton gave notice that to-morrow or some future day he will introduce a bill "entitled an act for the appointment of an additional Notary Public for the parish of East Feliciana."

A message from the senate by Mr. Davis, their secretary requesting the concurrence of the house in the bill entitled an act in relation to the college of Jefferson which was read for the first time.

Mr. Nicholls moved that the house dispense with its rules and proceed to the second reading of said bill.

Said motion being adopted.

Said bill was read for the second time.

On motion ordered that the house dispense with its rules and proceed to the third reading of said bill.

The house took up said bill.

On motion ordered that said bill be adopted.

On motion ordered that said bill do pass and return its title.

The clerk was directed to inform the senate thereof.

By the same message from the senate, the house was informed that the senate have rejected the additional section introduced by the house in the resolution relative to the Union Bank of Louisiana.

On motion ordered that the house recede in their amendment.

The clerk was directed to inform the senate thereof.

Mr. Garland presented the petition of certain inhabitants of the parish of St Landry, praying for a new election precinct in said parish.

On motion ordered that said petition be referred to the committee on elections.

Mr. Garland presented the petition of certain inhabitants of the parishes of St. Landry and Lafayette praying that a priviledge be granted to Cyprien Arceneaux to keep a ferry.

On motion ordered that said petition be referred to the committee on proposals and grievances.

Mr. Marigny agreeable to previous notice introduced the bill entitled "an act to increase the salary of certain public officers and for other purposes" which was read for the first time and ordered for a second reading on to-morrow, and ordered to be printed.

M. Voorhies of Avoyelles introduced the following resolution.

Resolved, That a joint standing committee of two members of the senate and three members of the house of representatives be appointed with authority to take such measures as may be necessary for the preservation of the books belonging to the state; and that the sum of——dollars be put at their disposition to purchase such books as in their opinion may form a useful part of a library for the Legislature.

Said resolution was read for the first time and ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

Mr. Forsta I gave notice that to-morrow or a future day he will introduce the bill entitled an act relative to the assessors of the parish of Plaquemines.

Mr. Garland, chairman of the committee of revisal and unfinished business, made the following report.

The committee of revisal and unfinished business respectfully reports.

That in discharge of the duty imposed upon them by the house, they have proceeded to examine a number of bills which have been laid before them by the clerk of the house as remaining unfinished at the close of the last session of the Legislature.

Before proceeding to report to the house any of the bills that have been submitted to them, your committee wish to be instructed whether they shall report all the bills now in their possession or only such as the committee may be called on to report to the house, the committee therefore await the instruction of the house upon the subject.

Signed R. Garland Chairman.

On motion ordered that said report be adopted.

Mr. Garland introduced the following resolution.

Resolved, That the committee of revisal and unfinished business, be instructed to report such bills only as the committee may be requested by a member of the house.

On motion ordered that said resolution be adopted.

Mr. Hea gave notice that to-morrow or on a future day he would introduce a bill entitled "an act to amend an act entitled an act to organize the City Court of New Orleans and for other purposes" approved February 19th 1825.

Mr. Chinn, chairman of the finance committee, to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Andrews and Eloy Landry made the following report.

The comittee of finance to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Andrews and Eloy Landry, securities of B. S. Haw late Sheriff of the parish of St. Landry, have had the same under their consideration, and beg leave to report the following bill for their relief.

Signed Thos. W. Chinn chairman.

On motion ordered that said report be adopted.

The bill reported by the above mentioned committee entitled an act for the relief of Joseph Andrews and Eloy Landry was read for the first time and ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

Mr. Garland introduced the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the committee of ways and means be instructed to inquire into the expediency of so modifying the law or laws laying a tax on slaves, as to exempt from taxation those under ten years of age, and report thereon by bill or otherwise.

Resolved, That the said committee also be instructed to inquire into the expediency of so modifying the law or laws laying a tax on lands in this state, as to apportion said tax equally among the owners of land. Also to inquire whether the revenue of the state will be increased or diminished by laying an ad valorem tax of ten cents upon each hundred dollars of land subject to taxation, instead of levying a tax in the manner now directed by law. And also to inquire generally, what mode of laying a tax on lands will, in the opinion of the committee be least onerous to the people, and at the same time produce a sufficient revenue to the state, and report by bill or otherwise.

Resolved, That said committee be instructed to inquire into the expediency of modifying the law or laws laying a tax on license to merchants and traders generally, so as to make the same as equal as it can be under existing circumstances. Also, to enquire if there are now any classes of merchants or traders of any description, not paying a tax to the state, upon whom a tax ought to be laid; and also to inquire whether there are any description of licenses upon which the tax ought to be increased or diminished, and report thereon by bill or otherwise.

On motion, *Ordered*, That said resolutions be adopted.

Mr. Walker introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the respective committee of expenditures of the senate and house of representatives, be authorized to have the side-walk in front of the state house, paved with flag stones.

On motion for the adoption of said resolution, the yeas and nays were called for by Mr. Garland, when it appeared that Messrs. Barrow, Bienvenu, Bouligny, Brown, Bullard, Canon, Canonge, Charpentier, Chauvin, Chinn, Dauney, Debuillon, Duplessis, Dupré, Edwards, Folse, Guillet, Hoa, Holstein, Horton, Johnson, Lagarde, Legendre, Leonard, Lessassier, Maddox, McRae, Marigny, Mulhollen, Nicholls, Ory, Patton, Robin, Russell, Sibley, Thibodeaux, Voorhies of Lafayette, Voorhies of Avoyelles, Walker and Watkins, had voted in the affirmative—40 yeas; and that Messrs. Breaux, Garland and Jones have voted in the negative—3 nays.

Said resolution was consequently adopted.

The clerk was directed to request the concurrence of the senate therein.

A message from the senate by Mr. Davis their secretary, requesting the concurrence of the house in the following bill, entitled "An Act to incorporate the New Orleans Commercial Library."

Said bill was read for the first time, and ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

By the same message, the concurrence of the house is requested in the bill entitled "An Act to incorporate the Clinton and Port-Hudson rail road company.

Said bill was read by the title only, for the first time, and the house having dispensed with its rules said bill was read a second time, and ordered for a third reading on to-morrow.

By the same message, the house is informed that the senate had concurred in the resolution relative to disabled and discharged soldiers of the United States and also in the resolution relative to the late proceedings of South Carolina, and that Messrs. Thomas, Dupré and Nicholas, are appointed members of said committee on the part of the senate.

By the same message, the house is informed that the senate have adopted with an amendment, the resolution from the house relative to the public land, in which amendment, the concurrence of the house is requested:

The house took up said amendment.

On motion, *Ordered*, That said resolution and amendment be laid on the table, subject to the call of the house.

A message from the senate by Mr. Davis, their secretary, informing the house that the senate have rejected the first and second section of the bill, entitled "An Act relative to the Supreme Court," and have substituted one section.

The house took up said amendment.

On motion, *Ordered*, That the same be adopted.

The clerk was requested to inform the senate thereof.

Mr. Hea, on behalf of the committee appointed to revise the rules of the house presented the report of said committee.

On motion, *Ordered*, That the same be laid on the table, subject to the call of the house.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

The bill entitled "An Act to incorporate the New Orleans and Carrollton Rail Road Company, was read for the second time, and ordered for a third reading on to-morrow.

The bill entitled "An Act to alter the laws now in force on the separation of bed and board, between spouses," was read for the second time, and ordered for a third reading on to-morrow.

The bill entitled "An Act to repeal several sections of the act approved March 6th, 1830, for the relief of the Parish of Orleans," was read for the second time, and ordered for a third reading on to-morrow.

The bill entitled "An Act to dispense the persons therein-mentioned, with the time prescribed by law, to attain the age of majority," was read for the second time, and ordered for a third reading on to-morrow.

The resolution relative to the Charity Hospital, was taken into consideration.

On motion, *Ordered*, That the same be adopted. Whereupon, the speaker appointed Messrs. Watkins, Dauney and Nicholls, members of said committee.

The resolution relative to the Orphans Boys Asylum, and the Female Poydras Asylum, was taken into consideration.

On motion, *Ordered*, That the same be adopted. Whereupon, the speaker appointed Messrs. Canon, Dupré and Bullard, members of said committee.

The clerk was directed to request the concurrence of the senate in the foregoing resolution.

The resolution relative to the Bayou Grosse Tête, was taken up.

On motion, *Ordered*, That said resolution be referred to the committee on internal improvements.

A message from the senate by Mr. Davis their secretary informing the house of the concurrence of the senate in the resolution relative to paving the side walks in front of the state house.

By the same message, the house is informed that the senate have rejected the resolution relative to the calling of a convention.

On motion, the house took up the amendments proposed by the committee, appointed to revise the rules of the house which were laid on the table, subject to the call of the house.

During the discussion of said amendments the house adjourned until to-morrow morning.

WEDNESDAY, January 16, 1833.

The House met agreeably to adjournment.

Mr. Voorhies, chairman of the committee of enrollment, reported as duly enrolled, the bill entitled "An act relative to the Supreme Court of the state: An act the resolution relative to disabled and discharged soldiers of the United States.

On motion: *Ordered*, That said report be adopted.

The Speaker having signed the above mentioned bill and resolution, the clerk was directed to request the signature of the president of the senate to the same.

Mr. Canonge gave notice that to-morrow, or on a future day, he will introduce a bill entitled An act to create a Police Court for the city of New-Orleans.

Mr. Voorhies, of Lafayette, agreeably to previous notice, introduced the bill, entitled "An act to continue in force "An act to incorporate the Roman Catholics of the Parish of Lafayette," which was read for the first time, and ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

Mr. Walker, chairman of the committee to whom was referred the petition of the Chasseurs-à-Cheval d'Orleans, presented the following report:

The committee on the militia, to whom was referred the petition of the mounted Chasseurs of the city of New-Orleans, praying they may be furnished with one hundred short muskets, or musquetons, and a like number of brace or pairs of pistols, having taken the same into consideration, and after mature reflection, are of opinion that the prayer of the petioners is reasonable and ought to be granted, and in this view they have prepared the following bill which they beg leave to submit to the house.

On motion: *Ordered*, That the report be adopted.

The bill accompanying said report, and entitled "An act for furnishing the mounted Chasseurs of New-Orleans with certain arms," was read for the first time, and ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

Mr. Dupré, agreeably to previous notice, introduced the bill entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act to establish the College of Franklin in the Parish of St. Landry;'" which was read for the first time, and ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

Mr. Canon, agreeably to previous notice, introduced the bill entitled "An act for the relief of the Mayor, Aldermen and inhabitants of the city of New-Orleans;" which was read for the first time, and ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

Mr. Walker, agreeably to previous notice, introduced the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Mechanics' and Traders Bank of New-Orleans."

On motion, the house having dispensed with its rules, said bill was read for the first time, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Duplessis presented to the house the petition of F. B. DeBellevue, praying for certain relief.

On motion: *Ordered*, That said petition be referred to the committee on proposals and grievances.

Mr. Garland, chairman of the committee of revisal and unfinished business, made the following report:

The committee of revisal and unfinished business, respectfully report,—That they have been requested, and now report to the house the following bills, which remain as part of the unfinished business at the close of the last session of the Legislature, to wit:

An act for the benefit of Henry Hunt,

An act to amend the 620th article of the Code of Practice.

An act further amending the Code of Practice.

An act for amending the laws of prescription.

An act to encourage the culture of raw silk.

An act to authorize the emancipation of Carmelite a woman of colour, and her children.

An act to authorize Alexandre Boujat and Marie Anne Soileau his wife, Guy H. Bell, Henri Giron f. m. c. and Veronique Carriere f. w. c. of Parish of St. Landry, to emancipate certain slaves.

An act regulating otteries.

All which is respectfully submitted.

[Signed] R. GARLAND, Chairman.

On motion: *Ordered*, That said report be adopted.

The following bills, introduced by the committee of revisal and unfinished business,

An act to authorize Alexandre Boujat and Mario Anne Soileau his wife, Guy H. Bell, Henri Giron, f. m. c. and Veronique Carriere f. w. c. of the Parish of St. Landry, to emancipate certain slaves,

An act to authorize the ensancipation of Carmelite, a woman of colour, and her children.

An act for the benefit of Henry Hunt; were read for the first time, and ordered for a second reading to-morrow.

On motion: *Ordered*, That the five following bills, introduced by the above mentioned committee, be read by their titles, for their first reading, to wit:

An act to amend the 622th article of the Code of Practice,

An act further amending the Code of Practice, and

An act for amending the laws of prescription.

On motion: *Ordered*, That the three foregoing bills be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

An act relating to lotteries.

On motion: *Ordered*, That said bill be referred to the committee on lotteries.

An act to encourage the culture of raw silk.

On motion: *Ordered*, That said bill be referred to the committee on commerce and manufactures, and that said committee be authorized to correspond at the expense of the state, with any person in the United States and of Europe, from whom they may derive any information on that subject.

Mr. Chinn, chairman of the committee of finance, made the following report:—

The committee of finance, in the discharge of what they deem to be a portion of their duties, have taken into consideration the propriety of a sale of a portion of the real estate purchased by the state from the Charity Hospital, and after due deliberation, have come to the conclusion that a sale of a part of said property ought to be made, and they accordingly offer the following bill to that effect.

On motion: *Ordered*, That said report be adopted.

The following bill introduced by the committee of finance,

An act authorizing the sale of certain property in the city of New-Orleans, belonging to the state, was read for the first time; and ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

On motion: *Ordered*, That the said bill be printed.

Agreeably to previous notice, Mr. Voorhies, of Lafayette, introduced the following bill,

An act to provide for the appointment of a Notary Public for the Parish of Lafayette, which was read for the first time, and ordered for a second reading on to-morrow.

The speaker laid before the house the report of the clerk of the second district court for the Parish of Lafourche Interior stating that no district court was holden in said parish.

On motion: *Ordered*, That said report be laid on the table.

Mr. Duplessis chairman of the committee on contingent expenses made the following report.

The committee on contingent expenses to which was referred the resolution authorizing a subscription to a limited number of Newspapers, have the honor to report.

That they do consider it highly essential that the members and officers of the general assembly should be furnished with the newspapers published in the city of New Orleans, and the state generally, because the people, for whose special benefit our government is established should be heard upon all occasions; that there are many important subjects of Legislation, whereupon it is very requisite that the Legislature should be in possession of the opinions and sentiments of the people, and reading the newspapers as one of the channels, through which such opinions and sentiments can be obtained.

They would therefore recommend that the House of representatives do subscribe for all the newspapers, published in the city of New Orleans and Country; and that the clerk be directed to subscribe for fifty copies of each newspaper and that the same be paid for by the committee on contingent expenses.

They therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolution.

Resolved, That the clerk of the house of Representatives be authorized to subscribe for fifty copies of each newspaper published in the city of New Orleans, and throughout the state; and that the same be paid for by the committee on contingent expenses.

Signed W. F. C. Duplessis chairman.

On motion: *Ordered*, That said report and resolution be adopted.

Mr Horton agreeably to previous notice introduced the bill entitled "an act for the appointment of an additional Notary Public in the parish of East Feliciana was read for the first time and ordered for a second reading on to morrow.

Mr. Garland agreeably to previous notice introduced the bill, entitled "An Act to provide for taking a census of the votes in the state, and other purposes," which was read by the title only, for the first time, and ordered to a second reading on to-morrow.

Mr. Johnson gave notice that to-morrow, or on a future day, he will introduce a bill, entitled "An Act supplementary to an act, entitled an act granting certain privileges to John H. Harmanson, and for other purposes.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

The following bills—

"An Act granting certain powers to the police jury of the Parish of Pointe Coupee."

"An Act to abolish the fees of justices of peace in criminal cases."

"An Act to increase the salary of certain public officers, and for other purposes."

"An Act for the relief of Joseph Andrews and Ely Landry," and

"An Act to incorporate the New Orleans Commercial Library," were read for the second time and ordered for a third reading on to-morrow.

On motion, the house resumed the discussion of the amendments proposed to the standing rules of the house the same having been amended.

On motion, *Ordered*, That they be adopted.

Mr. Robin offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Rules adopted by the house, be printed in a pamphlet form, to the number of two hundred copies in each language, and that the translations be made under the inspection the committee, charged with the revisal of the Rules of the house.

On motion, Ordered, That said resolution be adopted.

The bill entitled "An Act to repeal several sections of the act approved March the 6th, 1830, for the relief of the Parish of Orleans," was read for the third time, and taken into consideration, section by section.

On motion, *Ordered*, That said bill do pass and retain its former title.

The clerk was directed to request the concurrence of the senate therein.

On motion, the house adjourned.

Marine Journal.

PORT OF NEW-ORLEANS.

CLEARED,

Ship Dublin Packet, M'Pherson, Marseilles, J Quentin and Boston
Barque Prince Regent, Hill, Liverpool, L H Gale
Brig Columbus, Luke, Portsmouth, W Nott & co
Brig Lavester, Celly, Cete, L H Gale
Schr Mobile, Barclay, Mobile, L H Gale
Schr Crawford, Chase, Honduras, T Toby
Schr Diana, Bardajano Tampico, B Henshaw
Schr Teta, Pons, Matanzas, Lizardi brothers
Schr Bien Apanceda, Villanueva, Havana, Estavane & Courval
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ARRIVED.

Steamboat Huntress, Herriman, from the passes: towed to sea, ships Trenton and Girard, from Liverpool, and schr Montanera, for Havana; brg't up packet brig Henry, Rice, from Boston, brig Charles Joseph, from Portsmouth, and schr Sabin.

Steamboat Porpoise, Marshall, having towed to sea ship General Hamilton; in side the bar; bound out brig Ohio—towed up ship W Henry; brigs Mary Jane and Dos Hermanos.

Steamboat Pocahontas, Hubbie, from the passes—towed to sea ships Helvitia and Hewes—brought up brigs Intrepido and Wankinco.

Steamboat Pilot, Riddle, from red—bro't up ship Mary and Harriet, brig Lottery, and schr Martha.

Ship Wm Henry, Willcutt, of Boston, 5 days from Havana, to Linton & Green; cargo 1810 bags coffee, 50 boxes white sugar, 40 pkgs white wax, 109 qr bxs segars 30,000 brick, fruit &c to Lincoln & Green; and others.

Ship John Hale, Crowell, 18 days from Portsmouth—ship and cargo of hay to the master.

Ship Mary & Harriet, from N York—cargor

Ship Caravan, Nichols, Nichols, from Newburryport.

Brig Lottery, Bell, 14 days from Kingston—cargo. The brig Kentucky, hence 20th ult:—Up for this port, brig Rob Roy, to sail on the 10th inst:

Brig Wankinco, Wing, 26 days from Wareham, to Cockayne, Watts & co—cargo 2000 kegs nails to the consignees.

Brig Intrepido, Botta, 5 days from Havana, to Tufts and Clark—cargo coffee &c.

Brig Mary Jane, Higgins, 17 days from St Thomas to the master.

Brig Henry, Rice, 24 days from Boston—to Stetson and Avery—cargo to sundry consignees.

Brig Charles Joseph, Conger, 25 days from Providence; cargo to Waterman & Burgess; and others.

Brig Dos Hermanas, 14 days from Havana; in ballast.

Schr Martha, Burdick, from Nantucket.

Schr Sabine, Brown, 5 days from Brassaria—cargo cotton to Peters & Millard; 12 pass.—Schr Exert, Fuller, was outside the bar of Brassaria, bound in.

Schr Martha Ann, from Covington, with 213 bls cotton to Fisk, Watt & co; Reynolds, Byrne & co; Stillwell & Kimball.

Steamboat Heroine, J Hulfish, from Manchester—cargo to Fisk, Watt & co; Reynolds, Byrne & co; and others—36 pass.

Steamboat Trenton, Hart, from Bayou Sarah—cargo cotton &c to sundries.

Steamboat Courier, Keating, from Wheeling—left on the 7th inst.—Cincinnati on the 9th and Louisville on the 11th—cargo to sundries—100 pass.

Steamboat Illinois, Saunders, from Ouchitaw—full cargo and 4 pass.

Steamboat Magnolia, Church, from Cincinnati—full assorted cargo.

Steamboat Consart, Rockingham, 10 days from Cincinnati; full cargo and 12 pass.

Steamboat Black Hawk, Hartshorn, from Cincinnati—full cargo.

Steamboat Halcyon, Isler, from Lafourche Interior—cargo, cotton &c.

Steamboat Telegraph, Mumford, from Bayou Sarah—cargo cotton.

Steamboat Chief, Streck, from Lafourche, with sugar &c

Steamboat Cassius, Kilby, from Natchez—cargo 1351 bales cotton to Fisk, Watt & co; Bullitt, Shipp & co; Reynolds, Byrne & co; J Linton.

Steamboat Union, Snell, from Baton Rouge—cargo cotton, &c to T Sewell; M White; Fisk, Watt & co; Merimond, O'Duhigg; Chabertrand & Legendre.

Steamboat Neptune, from Cincinnati, with 3 hulls in tow—cargo provisions.

10,000 Gallons molasses on a plantation for sale by
j 19 HARRISON, BROWN & Co. 117 Royal st.

GENERAL RECAPITULATION

On the Taxes imposed on the respective Parishes of the State of Louisiana, for the year 1831; as appears by the Assessment Rolls, transmitted to the Treasury Department in obedience to law.

PARISHES.	Value of Landed Property.	Tax on Landed Property.	Number of Slaves.	Horses and Mules.	Cattle.	Wholesale and Commission Merchants.	Retailers.	Taverns and Grog-shops.	Brokers.	Auctioneers.	Notaries.	Druggists.	Carriages.	Gigs.	Exchange Brokers.	Billiards.	TOTAL.
Orleans,	$16,104,130	40,324 95	5,483	188	23,[illegible]	211	554	419	49	8	14	29	63	83	5	5	$57,348 56
St. Bernard,	663,700	995 13	2,323	856	900	....	....	6	....	....	....	....	24	15	....	....	3,538 77
Plaquemines,	850,000	991 00	3,956	936	2,016	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	26	20	....	....	4,435 21
Jefferson,	1,823,850	2,621 83	4,622	1,336	3,041	....	13	11	....	....	....	2	41	57	....	2	8,464 34
St. Charles,	845,750	3,091 40	3,757	1,108	2,364	....	8	2	....	....	....	....	34	35	....	2	7,615 28
St. John Baptist,	727,450	1,947 80	3,137	680	1,025	....	6	2	....	....	....	....	21	30	....	6	3,653 65
St. James,	758,262	1,580 00	4,928	935	1,661	....	8	2	....	....	....	....	21	55	....	4	4,207 75
Ascension,	727,500	1,200,00	4,471	....	....	....	12	12	1	....	....	....	14	26	....	6	5,586 00
Assumption,	683,600	1,000 16	1,949	....	....	....	9	11	....	....	....	....	3	16	....	3	3,454 16
La Fourche Interior,	348,500	500 00	2,175	414	1,501	....	13	9	....	....	....	1	1	11	....	....	2,375 42
Terrebonne,	552,950	1100 00	1,175	....	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	....	3	5	....	....	1,390 00
West Feliciana,	1,468,300	1,362 87	6,297	1,589	7,331	....	12	20	....	....	....	2	27	30	....	2	8,740 85
East Feliciana,	1,500,600	1,462 97	4,892	884	3,727	....	19	10	....	....	....	....	10	8	....	3	7,141 76
East Baton Rouge,	1,778,752	1,799 52	9,236	532	4,520	....	40	52	....	....	....	....	11	26	....	3	6,460 05
St. Tammany,	313,300	255 15	1,256	....	9,701	....	13	10	....	....	....	....	8	4	....	2	9,994 84
Washington,	233,400	250 00	581	1,[illegible]	24,962	....	2	16	....	....	....	....	3	1	....	1	1,0[illegible]07
St. Helena,	600,000	600 00	1,377	4[illegible]	5,533	....	8	9	....	....	....	....	2	2	....	2	2,383 71
Iberville,	1,112,150	1,900 39	2,265	436	1,198	....	14	22	....	....	....	....	15	18	....	4	6,711 05
West Baton Rouge,	484,350	630 00	2,011	378	1,032	....	2	4	....	....	....	....	7	18	....	1	2,992 66
Pointe Coupee,	769,420	2,600 00	4,373	631	1,783	....	16	....	....	....	....	....	6	49	....	2	7,656 26
St. Mary,	[illegible]	950 00	4,357	2,146	10,956	....	21	9	....	....	....	....	9	29	....	3	6,270 94
St. Martin,	58[illegible]552	1,060 00	3,838	2,812	17,8[illegible]8	....	23	8	....	....	....	....	6	45	....	3	6,021 24
La Fayette,	419,184	640 00	2,429	5,284	29,551	....	9	9	....	....	....	....	1	15	....	2	3,933 03
S. Landry,	1,254,710	1,942 78	5,065	6,717	74,965	....	39	18	....	....	....	....	3	77	....	4	9,558 95