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For Mayor.

☞ We are authorized to announce the Hon. A. D. CROSSMAN as a candidate for election to the office of MAYOR of the city of New-Orleans.

For Congress.

☞ We are authorized to announce EDGAR MONTEGUT as a candidate to represent the First District in Congress, at the ensuing election.

For Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

☞ We are authorized to announce CHARLES LABORDE as a candidate for the office of Sheriff at the ensuing election, to be held on the first Monday in November next. If

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For Representative.

MESSRS. EDITORS.—Please announce Mr. J. J. MCKEAN as a candidate for re-election to the Legislative Institution in the House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana.

Collector of State Taxes.

☞ Please announce JOHN N. ELLIOT as a candidate for Collector of State Taxes in the Sixth Representative District, composed between Esplanade street and Bayou St. Paulin, to the River and the Lake.

☞ Please announce MCFEDERICK BUSH, as a candidate for the office of Collector of State Taxes for the fourth representative district, comprised between Canal and St. Louis streets.

☞ Please announce CHARLES BURCUBISE, as a candidate for the office of Collector of State Taxes in the Fourth Representative District, at the ensuing election. His claims to the support of the Democratic party ranges from Esplanade to Canal street.

☞ Please announce Mr. JOHN THE DEUCE, as a candidate for the office of Collector of State Taxes, in the Sixth Representative District. The Democracy are requested to remember the services of the First Municipality.

☞ We are authorized to announce Mr. CHESTER DUPARY as a candidate for the office of Collector of State Taxes, for the Fifth Representative District, at the ensuing election.

☞ Please announce Mr. CHARLES D. FRONIS as a candidate for the office of Collector of the State Taxes for the Fifth District, at the election on the 4th and 5th Monday in March, and that he will be supported by

ALL HIS FRIENDS.

For Constable.

☞ We are authorized to announce JOHN P. WALDEN, the present incumbent, as a candidate for the office of Constable for the Third District of the Parish and City of Orleans, at the ensuing election on November next.

☞ We are authorized to announce FRANCIS MONTEGUT, the present incumbent, as a candidate for re-election to the office of Constable of the Second District of the Parish of Orleans, at the ensuing election on November next.

☞ We are authorized to announce LEVI C. STAVE, ALEXANDER the present incumbent, as a candidate for the office of Constable for the Fourth District of the Parish of Orleans, at the ensuing election on November next.

☞ We are authorized to announce ANDRES BECERRA, as a candidate for the office of Constable for the First District of the Parish of Orleans, at the election to be held on the first Monday in November next, and will be entitled to the support of his friends.

☞ We are authorized to announce ALEXANDER BALDWIN as a candidate for the office of Constable for the Fourth Justice of the Peace, at the election to be held on the first Monday in November next.

For Justice of the Peace.

☞ Please announce the name of P. E. B. DE PRESSAC, as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace for the Fourth District of Orleans.

☞ Please announce Mr. ALEXANDER DERBIGNY, as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, at the approaching election in the Fourth District of Orleans.

☞ Please announce that ALEXANDER DER-BIGNY is a candidate for the office of Fourth Justice of the Peace for the Parish of Orleans, at the next election.

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P. A. BERTRAND.
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BARRIERE & CO.,
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French, British, and American
DRY GOODS,
20 CHARTRES STREET,
New Orleans
Have on hand a full assortment of FRENCH GOODS
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W. H. de G. W. Moss have removed their Commission Store to 14 Camp street.

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COTTAGE.—On the 1st inst., on the fine high ground, in the Fourth District, a COTTAGE, with two rooms and kitchen, &c. Apply to FOREST & CO.,
oct27 1t 12 Camp st.

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MATCHES.

THE undersigned is prepared to inform that the well known FRICTION MATCHES of W. A. Brooks, Connecticut, can be bought from the AGENT, at the corner of Bienville and Levee streets, near the New Basin, and Old Levee between the markets, where sale or exchange will be constantly on hand.

H. MILLER.

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Planing and Scouring by Steam.

ALL STUFFS WATERED.

PERINAT.

CHARTRES STREET..... 136.

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The New-Orleans Daily Bee.

Wednesday morning, Oct. 27, 1847.

For Congress—SECOND DISTRICT.
H. G. THIBODEAUX.

State Senate,
ROBERT PREAUX.
JAMES DICK.

House of Representatives.

First District—I. WIGHTMAN SMITH, P. S. WARFIELD.

Second Dist.—W. J. WEDDERBURN, WM. H. GARLAND.

Third District—W. H. AVERY, J. T. RUSSELL, A. C. BULLITT.

Fourth Dist.—PRESTON W. FARRAR, THEO. ZACHARY, GREER B. DUNCAN.

Fifth District—ARNOLD BODIN, JULES MOLAISON.

Sixth District—ARMAND PILIE, JOHN WATKINS.

Seventh Dist.—JULES CASSARD, L. DUVIGNEAUD.

Eighth Dist.—VICTOR LEBLANC.

Ninth District—A. PIERNAS.

The Canvass in the Second District.

If any fact were needed to convince the Whigs of the insane folly of giving the slightest countenance to the candidature of JACOB BARKER, it would be found in the manner in which that individual is treated by the Locofoco press. The Whigs may justly suspect themselves of treason to their political faith, when they behold in the columns of an organ of Locofocoism, the warmest and most urgent appeals to them to sustain Mr. BARKER. That Locofocoism should entreat Whiggery to stand by its own principles would be a monstrous anomaly, were it not that in the double and deceptive game that is now being played, the friends of the Locofoco candidates plainly perceive that to secure the success of Mr. LANDRY, they have only to induce the gulls and jackalls among the Whigs to swallow their ridiculous endorsement of Mr. BARKER'S whiggery. If the Locofocos can detach from the support of Mr. THIBODEAUX some two or three hundred votes, they stand a chance of defeating him—not, Heaven save the mark, by voting for BARKER, no, no! They are too smart for that. They leave such consummate follies for the nondescripts who call themselves Whigs. Their cue is to bolster up the "Independent candidate" till the bullet-boxes are opened, and then they will desert him in a body, leave him to the disinterested friendship of recreant Whigs, and cast their suffrages to a man, for the nominee of their party. Their organ admits that Mr. BARKER will receive few Locofoco votes, and openly calls upon Whigs to abandon their organization and support a candidate who never gave a Whig vote since he has been qualified by age to exercise the privilege.

Now we ask those Whigs who from a freak, a preposterous and inexplicable notion, have resolved to sustain Mr. BARKER, whether they have ever been in the habit of consulting Locofoco papers to discover evidences of a candidate's political orthodoxy? Are they not ashamed to proclaim themselves in favor of a man who is avowedly attempted to be foisted upon them by the leaders of Locofocoism? Do they not blush at being compelled to seek for proofs of Mr. BARKER'S Whiggery in the most violent anti-Whig Journal in the State? Is it not passing strange that while the Whig press denounces Mr. B as a Locofoco and proves him to be one, the Locofoco press should be striving with desperate zeal to substantiate his claims to the appellation of a Whig. Would not any real Whig, having a reasonable share of brains in his cranium, at once detect and despise so shallow a trick? It cannot be, but that those of our party who profess to support Mr. BARKER, upon discern the drift of the Locofocos, and if with the entire evidence before them, that a bold and unrelenting effort is made to render them the blind and passive instruments of Locofoco cunning, they yet fall into the snare, we are forced to conclude that they are pre-determined and deliberate seceders from the Whig cause, and reluctantly compelled to brand them as renegades, and bid them hereafter take their position in the ranks of our opponents.

This is plain language, but we have neither the art nor the disposition to mince our words, when the crisis calls for frankness. He is, who is not for us, against us. Better an open enemy, than a smiling, treacherous friend. Those who desert the Whig party when their votes are most needed, cannot complain if they are hereafter mistrusted and treated as votaries of democracy. But we enquire them to pause, ere they pursue a course which will irrevocably alienate them from long tried associates, with whom they have time and again marched to glorious victory, or sustained honorable defeat. We entreat them to remember that the great principles which it has so long been their pride to assert, remain unchanged; that the Whig of 1847 stand upon the same platform as did those of 1844; that every true Whig will come forward on Monday next, and disregarding lly-brid candidates and Locofoco appeals, will vote for the Whig nominees, and that those who fly from us in the hottest period of the fight, ar'd take refuge among hollow and hypocritical neutrals and avowed enemies, forsake their political faith in the hour of trial, and will ever after be deemed backsliders and apostates.

When, in 1844, Texas-Whigs meanly sacrificed HENRY CLAY, language was too feeble to express the withering scorn felt for them by some of the very men who are now, with even less extenuation than was pleaded by the deserters then, about to abandon Whig principles and Whig candidates, without a solitary motive other than a nameless caprice. Take heed ye Barker-Whigs, that you be not classed with recreants of '44.

GEORGIA COMPLETE.—The Savannah *Georgian* contains the following report of the election in Ware county:

Cinch, 205 | Towns, 205

McDonald, Democrat, elected Representative. Hilliard, Democrat, elected Senator from Ware and Lowndes.

The Whigs have, therefore, a majority of three in the Senate and four in the House—seven on joint ballot.

MARYLAND—*Official*.—The vote for Governor of Maryland stands as follows: Thomas, (D) 34,368; Goldsborough, (W) 33,730—majority for Thomas 638.

DEPARTURE OF TROOPS.—The Mobile *Advertiser* says: "The U. S. steamers *Fashion* and *Col. Stanton* arrived at this port on Saturday evening from New Orleans, and sailed again yesterday for Vera Cruz, with ninety-four men and horses on board, being a portion of the Georgia battalion of Cavalry.

The remainder of the battalion we learn, will leave during the present week.

TROOPS.—The steamship *McKim*, Delesdernier, from Baton Rouge, arrived yesterday with 200 men for the 7th Regiment U. S. Infantry, under the command of Lieut. F. S. Mumford. Lieut. Scott accompanies the command.

The Charleston *Courier* publishes the following extract of a letter from an officer in the army. It is valuable from conveying assurances of the safety of Major Gladden and other officers of high merit:

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 26, 1847.

"Since last writing, we have had some very hard fighting. We lost many men on the 13th, when we took Chapultepec, and on the entrance into the City. On the 8th, in my regiment—the 8th Infantry—we had more than three hundred and twenty men and nine officers wounded, besides the killed, which was proportionately large. You no doubt will see details, accounts of the different battles in all the papers, so I will not take time to describe them. If you see any of the Blanding, or Beaussure, or Shirley, or Gladden family, you can say that they are unhurt. I know how anxious the families of these citizen soldiers must be, and how great a satisfaction it will prove to them to hear of the safety of their relations. Lieut. ROBERTSON is also unhurt. Few opportunities occur of writing to the United States, and it is by a special favor I get this sent to assure you of my personal safety.

"On the 8th inst., Assistant Surgeon ROBERTS was severely wounded, and Dr. SIMMONS, of South Carolina, struck in the neck by a spent ball. The latter has recovered.

THE LOAN.—A Washington letter in the N. Y. *Herald* states that all the eighteen million loan is paid in except about $4,000,000, which, added to $12,000,000 in the treasury, will give Mr. Walker $16,000,000 for the current expenses to December, in addition to current receipts.

TERRIBLE HURRICANE.—A fearful hurricane passed over a narrow portion of Hampshire co., Va., on Tuesday night week. Several dwelling houses, barns, &c., were unroofed. Orchards uprooted, a number of cattle killed, and much damage done to fences and other property. No lives were lost.

LATER FROM EUROPE.

Arrival of the Cambria and Missouri.

Telegraphic despatches announce the arrival at Boston of the British steamship *Cambria*, and at New York of the French steamer *Missouri*. They both arrived on the 19th inst. The intelligence is excessively meagre, but is ominous of commercial disaster and depression. The Cotton and Grain markets have fallen; the Money market is utterly deranged, and many new failures have occurred.

BALTIMORE, October 19, 1847.

By Telegraph to Richmond.

The steamers *Missouri* and *Cambria* both arrived this morning, and I hasten to forward a brief despatch of the news.

LIVERPOOL, October 4th.

Best Western Canal Flour was selling at 26s, a 26s. 6d. per bbl. Richmond and Alexandria, 25s. a 25s. 6d. New Orleans and Ohio, 23s. a 24s. White and mixed Wheat is selling at 7s a 8s. per 70 lbs. Red do., 6s. 5d. a 7s. 6d. Indian Corn remains firm and unchanged.

An unparalleled derangement in the money market, and the terrific monetary occurrences of the past fortnight, are assigned as the cause of the decline in Breadstuffs and Cotton.

COTTON.—New Orleans, Ordinary to Middling, 5a 5 3-4d.; Fair to Good Fair, 6 3-8 a 6 3-4d.; Good to Fine, 7 1-2 a 8 1-2d. per lb.—Mobile, Ordinary to Middling, 5 a 5 3-4d. Fair, 6 1-4d. Bowed Georgia, Ordinary to Middling, 5 a 5 3-4d.

The following despatch is from the office of the Charleston *Evening News*:

Arrival of the Cambria.
Correspondence of the Evening News.
Telegraphic Despatch.

BALTIMORE, October 19—5 o'clock, P. M.

The *Cambria* has arrived in Boston.

American Flour has declined in England 2s to 2s6; Western, 25 to 26s.; Richmond, 22 to 23s.

CORN—Prime white, 30 a 32s.

CORN and MEAL has also declined in England.

COTTON—Upland, 5 7-8 a 6 1-8; Orleans, 6 5-8.

WESTERN LARD, 7 1-2.

Money market, horrible.

Failures, immense.

Cockerel & Company failed for $600,000.

Hon. Alexander II. Everett died in China.

French steamer *Missouri* arrived.

New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore markets, unsettled.

Insurrections in Italy.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, October 18—P. M.

The market for Breadstuffs has been in quite an unsettled state to-day, our merchants being in momentary expectation of later news from England, by the French steamer *Missouri*, which is more than due at this port, by the *Cambria*, which has been fourteen days out. Up to the present hour, however, neither of them have been telegraphed.

Notwithstanding the anxiety for news, the Eastern demand for Flour continued to give some activity to the market. About 10,000 bbls. were sold in the course of the day, of Genesee, Western and Oswego, at $6 50, @6 56 1-4, and $6 75. There is still a great scarcity of Eastern vessels. Small sales of Howard street Flour were made at $6 62 1-2. Wheat is very firm and in good demand, though the quantity offered is very limited. Considerable sales of Ohio red are making at $1 40, and of fair red at $1 30, for Genesee. Corn is in moderate demand, and a little heavy, without actual change. Sales of 10,000 bushels were made at 71 a 72c. There is a good demand for Rye. About 5,000 bushels were sold at 92c. Whiskey is improving, and in good demand. About 100 bbls. were taken to-day at 24c. per gallon.

Cotton is still in favor of the buyer, but operators are waiting for the steamer's news. About 800 bales were sold to day.

☞ From the following paragraphs which we find in the Washington *Chronicle*, we should imagine that the people in the North State are getting tired of the war:

VOLUNTEERING.—Capt. Wm. J. Price, of the N. C. volunteer regiment, who was sent home to get new recruits, informs us that with four or five weeks active exertions at different places he has not been able to obtain *the first one*.

Capt. Williamson (of the same regiment, who also came on on the recruiting service, has, we learn, obtained *one* man in the Western part of the State.

Capt. Cameron, who was authorized by the President to raise an extra company in the State provided it could be done by the 15th of October, but was subsequently allowed until the 10th of November to do it, had but 20 men enlisted on the 11th instant.

STEAMER CALIFORNIA.—A new steamer called the *California* arrived at Charleston a few days ago from New York, and left again on the 21st instant, a New York paper thus speaks of this vessel:

Such is the name of a new and very beautiful steamer just completed in this city, which will soon take her place in the U. S. Mail Line between New Orleans and Mobile. She was built at the yard of Messrs. Lawrence & Sneden, under the superintendence of James L. Miller, one of the proprietors of the Line, and a gentleman of much experience and taste.

The length of the California is 208 feet on deck, 29 1-2 feet beam, and 9 feet hold. Her engine, which is a very powerful one, is a very fine specimen of mechanism, and does great credit to the scientific attainments of its builders, Messrs. Allaire & Co. The entire finish, fixtures, and furniture of the boat, are neat, elegant and appropriate, uniting all that comfort, and luxury, and security requires.

"An experimental trip was made by the California through Long Island Sound, on Saturday last, and although there was a spanking breeze blowing at the time, she performed in first rate style, and returned to New York yesterday afternoon, and will leave for her destination, under the command of Captain Charles Reynolds, a gentleman of the South, well known for his accomplishments as a sailor and a gentleman. A number of her state rooms have already been engaged."

ANNIHILATION OF SPACE.—We learn from Mr. Carter, the efficient chief operator at this terminus of the North Western Telegraphic Line, says the New York *Herald*, that the wires were connected from this city through to Montreal on Saturday evening, and a direct communication opened to the latter city, *a distance of over one thousand miles*. The following, among some other communications, came through:

TORONTO, October 16th, 1847.

For New York and Montreal:

Mr. Izard, of the British Colonist, Toronto, offers his congratulations to New York and Montreal, on attaining 1,021 miles of telegraphic wire, her Majesty's subjects and the citizens of the United States, each enjoying a moiety of the benefits resulting from such connection.

This is the greatest distance yet achieved over the wires. The communication was opened by Mr. Otis Wood, at this end, and Mr. Orin Wood, in Montreal, both accomplished operators, and a lively conversation kept up from one point to the other, with perfect ease. The greatest annihilation that space ever received previous to this, was between Toronto and Hartford, a distance of seven hundred and eighty-five miles. Now, over a thousand miles have been overcome; and we understand Mr. Carter intends shortly to attach his line to Boston, and then nearly thirteen hundred miles will be accomplished.

Thus, before the ink is dry in this city, the word is received at a distance of over one thousand miles, and an answer returned!

SAVANNAH GEORGIAN.—This old and respectable journal comes to us in an entirely new and handsome dress. It has our cordial wishes for success.

☞ We copy the following from the Charleston *Courier*:

SENATOR EVANS.—In the list of the wounded of the Palmetto Regiment, in the battles at and near Mexico, published in our paper yesterday, occurs the name of N. R. EVANS, of Company B, wounded slightly. We think it probable that the name N. R. EVANS is a mistake for that of the Hon. N. R. EVANS, the gallant veteran, from Chester District, who has left wealth and station to fight, as a private, the battles of his country.

MEXICAN WISDOM.—The Locofoco organs seem of late not to know any name for the Whigs but "*American Whigs*." Let us mention a few facts for the benefit of these callers of hard names. Two Kentucky regiments destined for Mexico are now encamped near this city, and we are assured by gentlemen of the highest respectability, who profess to know the fact, that a large majority of the rank and file of both regiments are Whigs. The regiments are made up of men from nine of the ten Congressional districts of Kentucky; but Lynn Boyd's district, the only Locofoco district in the State, is not represented by a solitary volunteer in either regiment! Let the Locofocos, whose tongues are so familiar with the phrase "Mexican Whigs," digest these facts as they may.—*Louisville Journal*.

FLOUR FOR THE QUEEN.—We saw yesterday the bill of lading for three barrels of flour shipped by J. Chappell & Co., of Rochester, on the boat Wm. H. Grant, J. M. Dudley, master, to be forwarded to Queen Victoria. Four years since the same firm sent a barrel, and subsequently received an order for 6,000 bbls. From this it may be inferred that it was found to be a first rate article by the royal kitchen. The barrels in which the sample flour was inclosed were finished in a style equal to cabinet work, and done up in canvass.—*Utica Gaz.*

THE SMALLEST HORSE YET.—A mere baby horse, weighing only forty-five pounds, the smallest one that ever lived, has been sent to Gen. Tom Thumb, as a present, from Java. It is a great wonder.

City Intelligence.

RECORDER GENOIS.—Mr. Joseph Sirerol made yesterday, before Recorder Genois, an affidavit against one John Fletcher, f. m. c., whom he charges with burglary. It appears that the complainant occupies a room in the coffee house kept by Francisco Mercadal, at the corner of Madison and Old Levee streets; that on Monday night last, at about twelve o'clock, he entered the alley gate to go to his room, when he found the accused concealed behind the door, in a very suspicious manner. He immediately arrested him in company with a watchman, and on his way to the guardhouse, the accused dropped down a bowie knife and also a chisel. The prisoner was yesterday brought up before Recorder Genois, who, after a short examination, committed him for trial before the First District Court.

Mr. Charles Chauvière, the testamentary Executor of the estate of the late Francois Reynaz, made also an affidavit against one Mr. Roipi, charging her with having appropriated sundry articles, which belonged to the estate, to her own use, without being authorized to do so. Recorder Genois issued a warrant for her arrest.

John Lyons was sent to the First District Court to answer a charge of burglary brought against him by John Lawless.

On Monday morning last, two chests and a trunk, the property of Mr. James Quinn, were broken open by some one, supposed to be the accused, and sundry wearing apparel taken therefrom.

EXAMINATION OF THE ARSON CASE.—Caroline Dennis, charged by Mr. Smellser with attempting to set fire to his premises, on Tchoupitoulas street, was yesterday examined before Recorder Baldwin, and released. There was no evidence before the Court to send the accused before the First District Court.

STABBING.—William Robinson was yesterday arrested by the Second Municipality police, for stabbing with a knife Mr. Henry Dark, at Jackson's coffee house, situated at the corner of Poydras and Baronne street. Dark is a butcher by trade, and is dangerously wounded in the breast. Recorder Baldwin will probably investigate the case this morning.

INQUEST.—An inquest was held yesterday on the body of a white man named Aunt Beard, aged about 25 years, who died suddenly in a house on St. Joseph street, between Magazine and Camp streets, Second Municipality. It was at first supposed, that she had died from the effects of an overdose of Laudanum; but after a post mortem examination, it was discovered that she had died of "Chronic Gastro-Hepathetis."—A verdict was given accordingly.

COUNCIL OF MUNICIPALITY No 2.—The Council met last evening for the transaction of the weekly business. Recorder Baldwin in the Chair.

The weekly statement of the Treasurer was read as follows:

By balance at last report,	$ 18 93
Amount received since,	4057 24
Total,	$4076 17
Disbursed during the week,	4066 09
Balance on hand,	$ 10 08

A communication from the Surveyor was read, enclosing sundry sealed proposals from different individuals, for the cleaning and repairing the streets in the several districts of the Municipality. Referred to the committee on streets and landings.

A petition from Dr. Fornstedt, the executor testamentary of the late Mr. Rozanda, praying that the slave Maria be emancipated, was read and referred to the police committee.

Several reports from various standing committees were read and adopted.

The Council proceeded afterwards to the order of the day, which was Mr. Peters's resolution levying an annual tax of $10 per thousand for the ensuing year. After some few remarks from Mr. Peters, the resolution was unanimously adopted.

The ordinance imposing an annual tax on dogs was laid over.

Mr. F. Young was afterwards elected commissary of the sixth ward, in the room of Mr. Leonard, deceased,—and the Council adjourned.

☞ We are indebted to the Captains of the brigs *Adams Gray* and *F. Soule*, from Havana, the former on the 21st inst., and the latter on the 19th, for late papers from that place. They contain, however, nothing of particular interest.

☞ We are indebted to the officers of the steamboat *Julia* for late St. Louis papers.

NEW WORKS.—Our thanks are due J. C. Morgan, of the Literary Depot, Exchange Place, for the following new publications:

Pictorial History of England, No. 29:—The present number of this admirable work is occupied with a review of English literature, laws, manners and customs, and the progress of the Arts and Sciences during the reigns of Elizabeth, James the First, Charles the First and the Protectorate.

Ardent Trowchton, or the Wrecked Merchant, by Capt. Marryatt.—This scene of the clever sea sketches for which Marryatt has attained a deserved reputation. It abounds in adventure and incident, and contains a few scenes of marked and graphic power.

Norman's Bridge, or the Modern Midas.—This is an exceedingly interesting story, by the author of Two Old Men's Tales. It delineates the corroding influence of the master passion avarice, and describer the evils which spring from its tyranny, and the fearful wrongs to which it not unfrequently leads.

Camp and Quarter-Deck.—This is a history of the various battles fought on sea and land from the breaking out of the French revolution to the battle of Waterloo—comprising a period of 23 years. It will contain over one hundred original and complete biographical sketches of the Military and Naval Commanders of the age, and will be accompanied by numerous illustrative engravings and portraits. The first number promises well.

Wagner, the Wehr Wolf, by the author of Life in London.—The lovers of horrors have here a banquet on which they can feed full. For ourselves, we have little taste for moral monstrosities.

Boys' Treasury of Sports, Pastimes and Recreations, with nearly 400 engravings.—A work that every youth will gladly possess. It is filled with instructions in every manly sport, pleasant and rational game, or philosophical experiment. The work is from the press of Lea and Blanchard.

Landreth's Rural Register and Almanac for 1848.—This is a useful, publication and we recommend it to all who are engaged in the pursuits of husbandry. It teems with information of value upon agriculture and horticulture.

RORY O'MORE.—Lea and Blanchard have put forth a new edition of this charming and popular Irish romance. It is enriched with illustrations by the author. Few works of fiction have been more universally read than Rory O'More.

SHOCKING ACCIDENT AT PRINCE EDWARD'S ISLAND.—A large number of men were engaged, on Thursday, in erecting the frame of a Roman Catholic Chapel at Crapaud,—all the lower part of the frame was raised, but not secured, when the sea beam, on which were a number of men, suddenly broke, and the whole frame fell to the ground, burying some beneath, and knocking others several feet from the frame—seriously injuring twenty-five persons. Some of them remained insensible up to yesterday morning—one man had both legs broken—fractured skulls, dislocated joints and broken bones, constitute the majority of the injuries.—Want of precaution, we are informed, is the cause of this melancholy accident.—*Charlottetown Adv.*

GRADUAL RISE OF NEWFOUNDLAND ABOVE THE SEA.—It is a fact worthy of notice, that the whole of the land in and about the neighborhood of Conception Bay, very probably the whole island, is rising out of the ocean at a rate which promises, at no very distant day, materially to affect, if not to render useless, many of the best harbors we have now on the coast. At Port de Grave, a series of observations have been made, which undeniably prove the rapid displacement of the sea level in the vicinity. Several large flat rocks, over which schooners might pass some thirty the forty years ago, with a great facility, are now approaching the surface, the water being scarcely navigable for a skiff. At a place called the Cosh, at the head of Bay Roberts, upwards of a mile from the sea shore, and at several feet above its level, covered with five or six feet of vegetable mould, there is a perfect beach, the stones being rounded, of those now found in the adjacent land-washes.—*Newfoundland Times*.

A TOUPELO TRAP.—A shop keeper in Pratt street, near the Eastern Spring, had frequently missed money from his drawer, and being at a loss who to suspect, fell upon the following original and ingenious method of detecting the thief. Before retiring to bed, he placed a number of torpedoes on the floor, in the vicinity of the money drawer. During the night he was awakened by the noise of the exploding tell-tales, and, running into the store, he found a colored servant girl standing by the drawer, the most perfect imaginable picture of terror; an explosive torpedo had set the prince of mischief himself was at her elbow, and fearing to move, lest she should feel the hot gripe of his Satanic Majesty about to remove her to the shades below.—*Baltimore Sun*.

"Breeches of faith," screamed Mrs. Partington, maybe heard that term applied to Mexican violations of the armistice. "Well, I wonder what they will have next. I have heard tell of "clothes of hypocrisy" and "robes of purity," but I never heard of "breeches of faith" before. I hope they're made of something that won't change and wear out, as old Deacon Gudgine's faith did, for his was always changing. He went from believing that nobody would be saved to believing that all would be, and at last turned out a phrenologue, and didn't believe in nothing! I wonder if it's as strong as cassimere!" and she bit off her thread and prepared a new needleful.

☞ Pursuant to a call for a public meeting at the Louisiana State Coffee House, in the 4th Representative District, a large and enthusiastic meeting of the residents of the District convened, and on motion, Capt. Burt was called to the Chair, and H. J. Ranney appointed Sec'y. After the Chairman had in a very lucid manner explained the objects of the meeting, Mr. Greer B. Duncan, after repeated calls, rose and addressed the meeting, remarking that he was a candidate, and wished to explain that the interests of the District required, they should discard all party interest in the selection of their particular Representatives;—that old "Rough and Ready" was no party man, and like him for his country, he was for his District, which had been too much neglected heretofore; that he, Mr. D, wanted the water works carried to every man's door; the streets to be extended back, and the city of New Orleans to be retained in its present position, &c.

Mr. Farrar rose and with his usual eloquence addressed the meeting—disclaimed on his part all sectional and local feeling—had served the district before, with industry he hoped, and presented his claims for re-election in favorable terms—he spoke severally on the subject of the Common Schools—the State University—the wants of the rear ward of the district, and his advocacy of the system of draining which was being progressed in the rear of the city—showing the natural tendency of the city was in the latter shore, and not in an oblong direction, up the river. In the course of his remarks he paid an eloquent and just compliment to his colleague Col. ZACHARY.—After which the meeting thanked the proprietor of the house for the use of his room, and adjourned. E. BURT,
H. J. RANNEY, Sec. Chairman.

Whig Central Committee.

A Meeting of the Whig Central Committee will be held at Hunt's Room, No. 16, Exchange, THIS EVENING, at 7 o'clock. Punctual attendance of every member is earnestly requested. They are expected to come prepared with proper papers to compose Challenging and Vindicating Committees for each Poll at the approaching election. oct27

Whig Mass Meetings.

Messrs Editors of the Bee:

You are hereby authorized by the Whig Central Committee, to be requested to call Mass Meetings of the party as follows:

1ST MUNICIPALITY—At the *St. Louis Ball Room*, on THURSDAY EVENING next, 28th inst., at 7 1-2 o'clock, P. M.

2ND MUNICIPALITY—At the *Arcade*, Magazine street, on SATURDAY EVENING next, 30th inst., at 7 1-2 o'clock, P. M.

3RD MUNICIPALITY—At the *Bull Room*, corner Bayou street and the Rail Road, on FRIDAY EVENING next, 29th inst., at 7 1-2 o'clock, P. M.

Council of Municipality No. 2.
EXTRA SITTING OF MONDAY,
October 25, 1847.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, The Honorable P. Seghers, President of the Council: Messrs Cougot, Sizeresen, Jones, Meehan, Wiltz, Piernas Delcambre, Duvignaud & Solomon. Absent, Messrs. Navonedre, and Bertrand.

On motion the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

MAYOR'S MESSAGE.
MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS,
October 25th, 1847.

To the Honorable the President and members of the Council of Municipality No. 2.

GENTLEMEN:—I have caused you to be convoked on this occasion at the request of Messrs. Wiltz, Jones and Piernas, who will explain the object of the meeting.

I am, respectfully, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
(Signed,) A. D. CROSSMAN, Mayor.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS,
October 23d, 1847.

To the Honorable the President and members of the Council of Municipality No. 2.

GENTLEMEN:—Having on a previous occasion assigned my reasons, at full length, for withholding my approval from all resolutions of the Council, having for their object to permit gambling of any description, I refrain at this time from enumerating the grounds upon which my opposition is founded. I beg leave respectfully to return for your further consideration, the resolution passed by your honorable body on the 16th instant, ordaining that from and after the 1st of November, 1847, the license on the game of Bagatelle, shall be $100 per month for each and every table.

In refusing to approve said resolution, I deem it to be my duty to state that I am actuated in the same as being contrary to the act of the Legislature, approved March 19th, 1835, entitled "An act to prevent gambling."

I am respectfully, gentlemen,
Your most obedient servant,
(Signed,) A. D CROSSMAN, Mayor.

On motion of Mr. Delcambre to pernsit, notwithstanding the Mayor's veto, Mr. Meehan called for the yeas and nays.

Yeas—Messrs. Cougot, Sizeresen, Jones, Wiltz, Piernas, Delcambre, Duvignaud and Solomon—8. Nay: Mr. Meehan—1. Consequently the above motion was carried.

A letter from Widow J. Bunn, in which she prays the Council to grant her six months for the payment of the side walks in front of the lot on the front of her property on Dorgenois street, was read.

On motion of Mr. Solomon, said demand was granted.

Mr. Solomon offered the following preamble and resolution, which were adopted:

Whereas, A certain clause exists in the charter of the Pontchartrain Rail Road Company, concerning the construction of a shell road through Champs Elysees street to the Lake, and of said Rail-Road at Milneburg, the completion of which would be an important improvement to this portion of the city and of great interest to the village of Milneburg. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That a committee consisting of four members of this Council be appointed, one for each Ward, to have an understanding with the directors of said Rail-Road Company, relative to the construction of said road.

The Chair appointed Messrs. Solomon, Piernas, Jones, and Nicomede on said committee.

Mr. Piernas offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That from the 1st of November next, the commissaries of all the halls of this Municipality be appointed by the Committee on Police.

Mr. Duvignaud offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the President of the Board of Directors of the Public Schools, be authorized to have three chimnies built—one in the second Ward school house—and two in the fourth Ward school house.

Mr. Wiltz offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay, on the warrant of the Mayor, to Mr. A. Hodi, for candles furnished to the Council, $9 50.

Mr. Cougot offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That from and after the first of November, 1847, the license upon the game of Bagatelle be one hundred dollars per month.

On motion to adopt said resolution, Mr. Jones called for the yeas and