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**Friday Morning, Jan. 9, 1852.**

THE MAILS.—We received yesterday Washington and other journals south of that city as late as due. No New York papers came through.

### MR. ROBB'S SPEECH.

Although our sketch of Mr. Robb's speech before the Convention on Wednesday evening was a tolerably full one, we feel that but scant justice has been done to this remarkable effort. Mr. Robb addressed the Convention for over two hours; in a style of forcible reasoning and earnest argument that carried conviction to the minds of his hearers. Though not an orator in the conventional sense of the term, Mr. Robb is a thoroughly practical and effective speaker—His information is ample and always at command. He possesses abundant intellectual resources, great force of character and an overwhelming energy of will that is electric in its influence. He is moreover a bold and ardent seeker of the truth, and he never hesitates to lay facts before his audience, however unpalatable they may be.

Mr. Robb spoke of the resolutions offered by Mr. Benjamin unreservedly endorsing the three propositions before the Convention, as the only feasible means of building railroads, viz: by grants of public lands from Congress, by private subscription and by taxing landed property. In his comments on these points, and in the collateral questions which grew out of them, Mr. Robb took occasion to advert to some of the causes which embarrassed enterprise in Louisiana, and foremost in the list was placed the the miserable division of interests by which New Orleans has been split up into a tripartite municipal government. To this prominent evil much of our apathy, our lack of unity and our insensate prejudices was to be imputed. He looked upon consolidation as the first among the remedies, by which New Orleans would be benefitted, and restored to her pristine standing and credit. We rejoice at the manfulness with which Mr. Robb has met this question. The authority of such careful observers and practical men of business go far to convince the opponents of consolidation that they are warring against the dearest interests of our city, and that a re-union of the three Municipalities, is the *sine qua non* of our future prosperity.

We have not space enough at our command to dwell at any length on the various topics touched upon by Mr. Robb. His defence of the right and expediency and absolute justice of taxation for the construction of railroads was unanswerable. He demonstrated that New Orleans could never expect to increase largely in population, until she established an importing trade, and that this would inevitably follow the completion of lines of communication with the West, by which our merchants would have every inducement to import largely, in order to supply the wants of the vast region which would then be dependent on us. Imports invite population and manufactures. No city can grow largely that trusts exclusively to an export trade. She must have elements of increase from within, or she will remain almost stationary.

The common error that we have not capital enough was effectually disposed of. Bad laws and short sighted policy had done what they could to drive capital from us. Taxes had been improperly laid, and legislation of the most vicious character had been adopted, almost as it were with the avowed purpose of breaking down the resources of the State. Taxes on capital were regarded as eminently unjust and improper. Upon this branch of the subject Mr. Robb was more than commonly clear and explicit. He showed conclusively that we did not lack capital, but confidence, security, and sage laws.

In this strain of plain sensible and sincere discussion—scarcely adorned with a rhetorical trope and wholly unaided by the artificial gloss of declamation—did Mr. Robb lay before the Convention the stores of his sagacious intellect and ripe experience. He made an admirable and telling speech, which we trust, like that of his associate Mr. Benjamin, will be published in full. Such efforts are instructive, as well as delightful. The people of New Orleans have the will to act, but their energy has been so recently aroused, that literally their zeal is greater than their knowledge. They have asked for light, and it has been furnished them in copious streams. It will be their own fault, if they cannot now see their way.

### Celebration of the Eighth.

The Anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans was celebrated yesterday in becoming style. The day was singularly beautiful, and a large portion of the population turned out into the streets to witness the military and civic processions. The whole city was densely crowded, and Canal street in particular presented a gay appearance, the sidewalks and the green being lined with spectators, whilst the balconies of most of the residences were thronged with beautiful ladies. Though the [illegible] of the day was [illegible] composed [illegible] previous [illegible] the [illegible] of the Grand Marshal, the procession was in every respect a creditable one. The military turned out in very large numbers, and, with their showy uniforms and the [illegible] martial music the pageant had some [illegible]. The Veterans of 1815 attracted of course much attention. Time has thinned their ranks, but there is yet many a bold spirit left that would face the enemy to-morrow with the same energy that they displayed thirty seven years ago on the Plains of Chalmette.

The Procession having passed through the principal streets of the city, dispersed at about two o'clock.

In the evening the principal places of entertainment were thronged, and the whole population seemed determined on enjoying themselves. Altogether the celebration of the day was conducted most worthily.

POLICE NEWS.—The Courts were all closed yesterday, so that we have no police items worthy of note to record.

U. S. SENATOR FROM KENTUCKY.—Hon. Archibald Dixon (W.) was elected by the Kentucky Legislature, on the 30th ult., to succeed Mr. Clay in the United States Senate, from September 1st, 1852, to March 4th, 1855. The vote stood, Dixon 71, all others 62.

### KEY WEST.

By the *Isabel* at Charleston, advices from Key West have been received to the 30th ultimo.—We copy the following from the Charleston Courier:

KEY WEST, Dec. 28, 4 P. M.

Messrs. Editors—Subjoined I hand you a full account of all that has occurred since my last.

The expenses for the necessary repairs to the [illegible], of Philadelphia, amounted to $[illegible]. The amount was advanced and she sailed [illegible] on the 20th inst.

The brig *Mechanic*, of New Orleans, Cox master, from Savannah, with a full cargo of Rice, ran ashore on the Florida Reef, near Carysfort, on the 20th instant, at [illegible] o'clock, with [illegible] weather with light winds. She immediately backed all sails in the hope of getting off. A strong current setting her directly on the Reef. Tried to hire a wrecker to carry out an anchor. At 6 P. M. the wind being fresh from the Eastward, and finding all exertions useless, she was obliged to take assistance from wreckers who at 7 commenced lightening. The vessel thumping badly, carried out an anchor. [illegible] she leaks a little.

[illegible]—By steamer *Isabel*, we learn that the [illegible] brig ashore on the reef near Indian Key [illegible] loaded with logwood, mahogany, [illegible].

Dec. [illegible].—Barque *John Stroud*, Elwell, is [illegible] by order of survey, and will [illegible] for further examination. Barque [illegible] is also undergoing repairs. Schr. [illegible] repairing. Brig *Mechanic*, Cox, of New Orleans, is discharging cargo per order of surveyors, and will be also hove out and repaired. She has been libelled for salvage.

Dec. 27.—The barque *White Cloud*, of New York, Dinkwater, master, from Bonaire, with a cargo of Salt, ran ashore on the Colorado Reef, on the [illegible] instant, commenced leaking, and, as [illegible] this day, whilst ashore was obliged to throw overboard about 4000 bushels salt. She [illegible] leaking. Surveyors have ordered the [illegible] discharged and sold at auction on the [illegible]. Consigned to P. J. Fontane.

[illegible] have just left to assist a schr. ashore [on the] Washerwoman Shoals.

[illegible] from Havana, with a cargo of [illegible], leaking badly. [illegible]

Dec. 27, 4 P. M.—The schooner ashore on Washerwoman Shoal, is Government Schooner *Captain Williams*, Capt. York, from Carysfort Light House, bound to this port. It is presumed that she will be gotten off at high water without assistance.

☞ The St. Louis Republican of the 3d ult says:

The Delegates to the New Orleans Convention [illegible] yesterday afternoon, and [illegible] to meet again on the 5th January. We learn that it is contemplated then to make definite arrangements as to leaving, and [illegible] to adopt a series of resolutions which will be [illegible].

☞ [illegible] to draw the attention of our country [illegible] to the sale of the splendid [illegible] Plantation, sixteen miles below the city. It is considered to be one of the most productive and best [illegible] sugar plantations in the State. The sale will be made on MONDAY next at the St. Louis Exchange, by Messrs. J. A. Beard & May, Auctioneers, [illegible]

[illegible] AND CATALOGUE SALE OF DRY GOODS.—The particular attention of buyers is called to the catalogue sale of a splendid assortment of Irish linens, muslins, ginghams and other goods, to take place This Day, at 10 o'clock, at F. H. Pettipain's auction room, No. 8 Canal street.

Terms very liberal at sale.

### CONGRESS.

The SENATE was not in session on the 30th ultimo.

In the HOUSE, a resolution appointing a committee to wait on Louis Kossuth and introduce him to the House was discussed at great length and without any definite action. The Committee of the Whole finally rose, and reported inability to come to any conclusion and the House adjourned.

On the 31st, the SENATE did not meet.

In the HOUSE, a resolution was adopted limiting discussion to half an hour in Committee of the Whole on the disposition to be made of the President's message. The debate on the Kossuth resolution was then resumed and continued throughout the day, when the House adjourned over to the 2d January.

### KOSSUTH AT WASHINGTON.

Mr. KOSSUTH and suite arrived in Washington on the 30th ult. We learn from the *Intelligencer*, that a considerable throng were assembled at the railroad depot when the cars arrived, and that after Mr. KOSSUTH entered Brown's Hotel, three or four hundred persons congregated in front, and were soon after briefly addressed by the Hungarian chief.

In the course of the day a deputation of the Jackson Association were introduced, and Mr. Hoover, the Chairman, read an address, to which M. KOSSUTH replied.

A number of members of Congress and other distinguished citizens also called to pay their respects to M. KOSSUTH, amongst the Secretary of State, Major General Scott, Senator Cass, Senator Douglas, &c., &c.

The next day at noon KOSSUTH called at the President's mansion, and was formally introduced by Mr. WEBSTER. After a short pause, the illustrious Magyar spoke as follows:

"Mr. President: Enlightened by the spirit of your country's institutions, when we succeeded to consolidate our natural and historical State's right of self government, by placing it upon the broad foundation of democratic liberty:

"Inspired by your history when we had to fight for independence against annihilation by centralized absolutism:

"Consoled by your people's sympathy when a victim of Russian interference with the laws of Nature and of Nature's God:

"Protected in exile by the government of the United States, supporting the Sultan of Turkey in his noble resolution to undergo the very danger of a war, rather than leave unprotected the rights of humanity against Russo Austrian despotism:

"Restored by the United States to life because restored to freedom, and by freedom to activity in behalf of those duties which, by my nation's unanimous confidence and sovereign will, devolved upon me:

"Raised in the eyes of many oppressed nations to the standing of a harbinger of hope, because the star-spangled banner was seen casting protection around me, announcing to the world that there is a nation, alike powerful as free, ready to protect the laws of nations, even in distant parts of the earth, and in the person of a poor exile:

"Cheered by your people's sympathy, so as freemen cheer—not a man whatever, but a principle:

"I now bow before you, sir, in the proud position of your great nation's guest, generously welcomed by a resolution of the Congress of the United States, with equal generosity approved and executed by your Excellency:

"I beg leave to express my fervent thanks, in my name, and in the name of my associates, who, after having shared my misfortunes, have now the reward to share the honor and the benefit which the great republic of the United States was pleased to bestow upon Hungary by bestowing it upon its freely chosen chief when it became a persecuted victim of despotic violence.

"I beg leave to express my fervent thanks in my country's name also, which, amidst the sorrows of its desolation, feels cheered by your country's generosity, and looks with resolution to the impending future, because it is confident that the time draws near when the eternal code of the law of nations will become a reality.

"President! I stand before your Excellency a living protestation against the violence of foreign interference oppressing the sovereign right of nations to regulate their own domestic concerns.

"I stand before your Excellency a living protestation against centralization oppressing the State right of self government.

"May I be allowed to take it for an augury of better times that, in landing on the happy shores of this glorious republic, I landed in a free and powerful country, whose honored Chief Magistrate proclaimed to the world that this country cannot remain indifferent when the strong arm of a foreign power is invoked to stifle public sentiment, and repress the spirit of freedom in any country.

"I thank God that He deemed me not unworthy to act and to suffer for my fatherland.

"I thank God that the fate of my country became so intimately connected with the fate of liberty and independence of nations in Europe, as formerly it was intimately connected with the security of Christendom.

"I thank God that my country's unmerited woes and my personal sufferings, became an opportunity to seek a manifestation of the spirit and principles of your republic.

"May God the Almighty bless you with a long life, that you may long enjoy the happiness to see your country great, glorious and free, the corner stone of international justice, and the column of freedom on the earth, as it is already an asylum to the oppressed.

"Sir, I pledge to your country the everlasting gratitude of Hungary."

The President replied briefly to M. Kossuth's address, in substance as follows:

"I am happy, Governor Kossuth, to welcome you to this land of freedom, and it gives me pleasure to congratulate you upon your release from a long confinement in Turkey, and your safe arrival here. As an individual I sympathized deeply with you in your brave struggle for the independence and freedom of your native land. The American people can never be indifferent to such a contest, but our policy as a nation in this respect has been uniform from the commencement of our government, and my own views, as the Chief Executive Magistrate of this nation, are fully and freely expressed in my recent message to Congress, to which you have been pleased to allude. They are the same, whether speaking to Congress here or to the nations of Europe.

"Should your country be restored to independence and freedom, I should then wish you, —as the greatest blessing you could enjoy—a restoration to your native land; but, should that never happen, I can only repeat my welcome to you and your companions here, and pray that God's blessing may rest upon you wherever your lot may be cast."

### Telegraphic Items.

*Destructive Fire at Philadelphia—Barnum's Museum Destroyed, &c.*

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 30.

Our city has again been visited by a most destructive fire, like that of Saturday last, demolishing another of those fine structures that have recently been erected on Chestnut street.

About 5 about o'clock this afternoon, fire was discovered in Barnum's Museum, on the South East corner of Seventh and Chestnut streets, which occupied the upper stories of the magnificent brown stone building erected there some five years since. In a short time the whole building was one mass of fire, and from the combustible character of its contents, the efforts of the firemen to subdue the flames were altogether unsuccessful. The museum contained the large collection of curiosities known as Peale's, with many others which have been added since it fell into the hands of Mr. Barnum. The theatrical saloon alone was as large as most theatres, and fitted up in magnificent style. The flames spread with great rapidity, burning downward until they reached the music and book stores on the lower story, the owners of which succeeded in saving their stocks, though in a damaged condition.

*Later from Buenos Ayres.*

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.

By the arrival of the brig Cohensy, from Rio Grande, we learn that the steamer Don Pedro was to leave that port on the 4th of November, with $[illegible],000 for the use of the Montevidean Government.

Gen. Urquiza was about to embark at Buenos Ayres with the Brazilian fleets, to attack Gen. Rosas.

*Opening of the Western Navigation.*

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 29.

The weather to-day has been very mild, and the ice and snow melting fast. The great body of ice in the river moved off at 11 o'clock. There is now seven feet water in the channel, and the river rising fast. The Cincinnati packets will leave on Wednesday, for certain.

BROWNSVILLE, Dec. 29.

There has been a ten feet rise in the river since yesterday. The ice disappeared last night.

*The Ohio River—Navigation Resumed—Destruction of Boats, &c.*

CINCINNATI, Dec. 30.

The river has risen to-day fully four feet. The ice is broken up and boats will leave on Wednesday.

The steamer Skipper and a new boat not yet finished have been destroyed by the ice. A number of flat boats have also been destroyed.

*Destructive Fire.*

BOSTON, Dec. 30.

Four new buildings in Appleton village, near Roxbury, were fired by an incendiary on Saturday night and totally consumed. They belonged to the heirs of Saml. Pope.

*Railroad Accident.*

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 30.

The train of cars coming down about six miles below Frankfort, were thrown off the tracks by a rock, and the locomotive was smashed to atoms. Fortunately no one was injured.

*Sailing of Steamers, &c.*

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.

The steamer Europa sailed to-day for Liverpool, with 51 passengers, and $847,494 in specie.

The steamer Independence, which sailed for Chagres yesterday, was detained at quarantine by the dense fog.

*Destructive Fire.*

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Dec. 31.

The dwelling and out buildings of Benj. Webster, were totally consumed by fire yesterday. The loss is about $6,000.

☞ The celebrated Lola Montes made her first appearance in New York on Monday evening, 29th ult., at the Broadway Theatre. The *Herald* says:

The debut of Lola Montes as a *danseuse*, came off last evening at the Broadway Theatre. The house was crowded, almost exclusively with the male sex. She was well received, but the audience seemed to be actuated by a curiosity to see the woman rather than the dancer. It appears from our report that she did not excel as an artist, or accomplish much with her heels or toes, but was regarded rather as a graceful, girlish, pretty, piquant, lady like woman, moving with great natural ease, and presenting some [illegible] attitudes. This was just as we anticipated. It will be perceived that the legal warfare has begun between her and Ross, and that there is probability of seeing her in a short time in a new and more interesting character than as a danseuse in a ballet.

### Further by the Canada.

**Hungary.**

THE MOTHER AND SISTERS OF KOSSUTH.—We read in a letter from Pesth, of the 1st, in the Correspondenz Blatt: "The house occupied by the mother and sisters of Kossuth, opposite the Karoly palace, was surrounded in the night, and perquisitions were made in their apartments. Kossuth's sisters, Mesdames Ruttkay and Messelengi, and the tutor of the latter's children, were afterwards removed to another part of the building. The mother of Kossuth obtained permission to remain in her apartment, but she was placed under the surveillance of the police. The tutor was subsequently put in [illegible]."

**France.**

[illegible] SUPPRESSING INTELLIGENCE—[illegible] STATE OF AFFAIRS IN THE PROVINCES—RISING OF THE INHABITANTS OF THE [illegible]—FORMIDABLE MOVEMENTS, &c.

The French President has received letters warning him to be on his guard against assassins, but he pays little if any attention to them: His friends consider that he exposes himself too much.

It is impossible to gain any clear knowledge of the actual state of the French provinces. The Government uses every means to suppress all intelligence unfavorable to the usurpation.

A journalist has the following remarks:

"Louis Napoleon permits the world to know only just as much as suits himself and his creatures to tell. The French press is extinguished, at least for the present; public meetings are pronounced treasonable; and whilst foreign journals are prohibited, correspondents of the London papers are obliged to put up with such intelligence as the police may choose to communicate; if they write unfavorable ideas, their parcels are stopped, and then [illegible] with expulsion."

Notwithstanding the precautions which have been used to prevent the transmission of intelligence from the disturbed districts, we have been able to learn the following particulars, which show that France is by no means what the Government organs represent her to be—"perfectly tranquil."

All the country papers are stopped at the post office, and extracts favorable to the Government are selected by a government agent and sent to the three or four papers still published in Paris. As far as is known, the following appears to be the result:

"For the first five days after the news of the revolution reached Lyons, there was serious uneasiness. A strong display of troops prevented an actual outbreak. At Bordeaux, a great number of persons had been arrested. At Toulouse an attempt at an insurrection was made, but it failed. A protest against the *coup d'etat*, signed by about fifty persons, was published, and those who signed have been arrested.

"The Allier has been the theatre of fresh troubles. An attempt at riot was made at Moulin, sixteen persons having been arrested.

"At Agen a troop of sixteen hundred peasants marched on the place, but were unabled to make any impression, the national guard having assembled and repulsed them.

MARSEILLES, *December* 7.—The news received to-day from the adjacent departments is most unsatisfactory. In the Var, the insurgents greatly increase in numbers, and have established a species of provisional government. The mail coach yesterday was stopped on entering the department, the dispatches opened, and all those intended for the Government detained. The travelers were treated with urbanity. Previous to the departure of the mail, the conductor received a pass with the seal of the mairie, which permitted him to traverse the whole revolted district without further molestation. The conductor says that all the high roads are overrun with well-armed men, and that he was informed that the insurgents, whose numbers he imagined to exceed 5,000, intend marching on Draguignan, the principal town. It appears that whenever the insurgents undertake an expedition they place at their head the clergy and rich proprietors, with muskets in their hands, and threaten to shoot them, unless they stand firm on approaching the troops, and instantly fire on them.

*Great Movements in the Alps.*—The High and Low Alps are, if possible, in a far worse position than the Var. The insurgents here number, at least, 10,000 armed men. They already possess Manosque, Valensolle, Riez, Forcalquier, and other places, and in all probability, at the present hour, they are in possession of Digne, the capital of the Lower Alps. Yesterday, about 2,000 of the insurgents were encamped at Estoublon, from whence they intend marching on Digne, about 1,500 men left Manosque the same day as a corps de reserve.

The inhabitants of the Alps are a hardy race of mountaineers—very headstrong, and should they take to guerilla warfare, it will be very difficult to subdue them.

*Triumphs of Socialists.*—The department of Vaucluse is, in some parts of it, in a state of great agitation. Five hundred socialists got possession of Pertuis and a battalion of infantry had marched from Aix against them.

*Brignolles*, Dec. 5.—The socialists are masters of the town, and have driven the authorities out of it. They have liberated the prisoners, and named a new municipal council. They are in possession of all the government dispatches, and allow no one to leave the city without an authorization from the new mayor. It is difficult to describe the appearance of our once peaceable city. Beneath my window the socialists are drinking from a pipe of wine, singing revolutionary songs, and uttering the most infamous threats. They are laying down their plans for pillage and rapine.

The commune of Bedarine, in the Vaucluse, is in the hands of the socialists, who have organised a Committee of Public Safety. Troops are marching against them.

The whole of the right bank of the Durance is in open revolt; the socialists marching in bands of 50 or 60, with drums at their heads.

*Other Disturbances.*—Information is received of a conflict at Toulouse between the students and the troops; upwards of 50 on each side were killed, besides a great many wounded.

Disturbances have taken place in the department of the Aveyron. Armed men marched on the town of Rodez, nominated a democratic commission, and sent delegates to summon the General commanding the department to recognise it as the authority of the department.—Others proceeded to Milhau, captured the Hotel de Ville, and a quantity of muskets of the National Guard; but the brigades of the gendarmerie in the district having been hastily assembled, they dispersed. At Asque a band attempted to force the Mayor to give them the arms of the National Guard.

The district comprised between Clamecy, Decize, department of the Nievre, and Coulanges-sur-Yonne, department of the Yonne, has been the theatre of grave disturbances. In every commune bands attempted to possess themselves of the mairies, in order to seize the arms of the National Guard. One portion of these insurgents proceeded to Clamecy, where they committed excesses; another marched on Coulanges-sur-Yonne, but the inhabitants resisted, and for three days prevented the insurgents from forcing their way into the town. A great number of smaller communes were disarmed and sacked.

One fourth of the departments of France are now under martial law. The war has not been begun in the manufacturing towns in the principal cities. It is a peasant's war—it is a civil war—it is a jacquerie.

*Lamartine on the Coup D'Etat.*—In the Pays, Lamartine's paper, on Wednesday, the following occurs: "At present we raise our voices neither to approve nor to protest. We feel that all discussion is impossible, not only because the government would not permit it, but because our conscience would prevent us.

What we every day asked for was, that France should be saved from the crisis which awaited her in 1852. The Assembly clung with obstinacy to the fatal law of May 31, and that body has ceased to exist. The Assembly perished precisely from two causes, the disastrous effects of which we had in vain attempted to paralyse; the law of May 31st destroyed the majority, and socialism destroyed the minority. Between the law of May 31st and socialism there were the republic and universal suffrage, and it is precisely these two words which were invoked by Louis Napoleon Bonaparte to dissolve the Assembly, and thus to destroy the constitution. We were marching forward to catastrophies amidst those two currents of passions, ambitions, rancours and hatreds, the bellowing of which scarcely permitted some independent voices to make the cry of alarm heard which France was raising. If those voices had been heard, if the law of May 31st had been repealed, if the revision of the constitution had been accepted by the minority, if all the parties had consented to do what Louis Napoleon Bonaparte had just done himself—that is to allow the people to decide—we are convinced that what has happened would never have occurred. We accuse no one; for, were we to commence, we should be obliged, perhaps, to accuse every one. The present situation is not our work.—We have not desired it, but we take it as it is, and with the desire, as public men, to fulfill all the duties which it imposes. The Assembly is dissolved, and the constitution has disappeared. But there remain two great things—the republic and universal suffrage. There remains, also, what we desire to preserve and defend above all things—namely, France.

**Ireland.**

The report is revived that Her Majesty will visit Ireland next summer, and that Bristol will be honored as the port of embarkation.

Lord Downshire assisted last week at the Belfast Iron Company's Works, in rolling the first boiler plate that ever was made in Ireland.

Upwards of 300 respectable persons have joined the masonic body, in Ireland, since the denouncement of the order by Primate Cullen.

It is said that Mr. Norris, the solicitor to Cardinal Wiseman, will offer himself as a candidate for the representation of Cashel, in opposition to Sir Thomas O'Brien.

The Marquis of Clanricarde is about putting forth his influence in Galway county for the return of his son, Lord Dunkellin, to Parliament, with his relative, Sir Thomas Burke, M. P.

The Dublin Express states that the returns of emigration from the Irish ports, between the months of March and October inclusive, will exhibit the astonishing number of 270,000 souls.

From the 1st of January, 1851, to the 6th Dec. 1851, there sailed from the port of Limerick, for Canada, New Brunswick and the United States, seventy-nine passenger vessels, with 11,941 emigrants, of which number 6,097 were for Canada and 3,214 for the States.

The Chancellorship of the Dublin University, vacant by the death of the King of Hanover, has been conferred on his Grace Lord John George Beresford, the Primate of all Ireland. His Grace was a graduate of Oxford.

The Cork and Bandon Railway had been opened.

Lord Plunkett, whose illness was of an alarming character, is recovering.

The Connaught Watchman gives an account of the mobbing and stoning of a Scripture reader in the streets of Tuam.

The Tribune has a letter from San Juan, Nicaragua, under date of the 20th instant, which says:

Gen. Munoz has been banished into Honduras for the ostensible term of two years, but I suspect that Munoz sold himself to the Granadinos. The report in my last of another revolution turns out to be a resurrection of the old Pichongo party, which is by far the most formidable faction in the country. They already have 1,000 muskets in Leon, and will make a fight for the control of the State.

SIMEON DRAPER of the great New York Auction House of Haggerty, Draper & Jones, has withdrawn from that firm, and has commenced the business of a Note and Exchange broker.

### Council of Municipality No. One.

*Sitting of Monday, 5th January*, 1852.

The Council met this day, pursuant to adjournment.

Members present: Hon. J. Genois, Recorder and President, Aldermen Blake, J. Benit, Bonneval, Vr. Benit, Clark, Derbes, Fabre, Giquel, Lanata, Pecquet, Peire and Ramos—12.

Absent: Aldermen Hagan, Richardson and Stickney—3.

Absent on leave: Alderman Barthe—1.

On motion, the reading of the journal was dispensed with, and the President authorised to sign the same.

The following message from the Mayor was read:

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, 5th January, 1852.

To the Honorable President and Members of the Council of Municipality No. One.

Gentlemen: I beg to apprise your honorable body that, under the act of 4th May, 1847, it is made the duty of your honorable body, before proceeding to any other business, to set apart annually in the month of January, from the revenue arising from wharfage and the markets, a sum sufficient for the gradual extinguishment of the obligations issued by virtue of that law. It will therefore become necessary for you to comply with the provisions of this statute.

The will of the late John McDonogh directs the municipal councils to elect annually, on the first Monday of January, a commissioner for the management of the general estate, who, in conjunction with two commissioners from the other municipalities, are to represent the city of New Orleans in the administration of that fund. You will therefore have to elect, at your sitting of to-day, a citizen to act as commissioner on behalf of Municipality No. One.

Among the annuities bequeathed by John McDonogh is the one-eighth part of the yearly revenues of the estate, until $600,000 shall have been obtained, for the purpose of establishing an asylum for the poor of both sexes. To carry out the provisions of this bequest, it will become necessary for your honorable body to appoint to-day one citizen out of each ward of the municipality, who shall be commissioners for the management of the institution.

Two citizens out of each municipality are to be elected annually on the second Monday of January, who, in conjunction with the three commissioners for the management of the general estate, are to administer the school fund accruing under the will of John McDonogh, to the Mayor, Aldermen and inhabitants of New Orleans. Your honorable body will therefore have to elect three two commissioners on Monday next.

At the election held for wharfinger of Municipality No. One, on the 29th December last, to fill the unexpired term occasioned by the resignation of Captain E. M. Scott, Mr. Lucien Dubuc having received the majority of votes, was declared elected, and has duly qualified himself to take charge of the office. Enclosed I beg to hand you a communication from this gentleman, in which he offers the names of his securities.

I would inform your honorable body that the General Council has appointed a committee to act in conjunction with similar committees from the different municipalities, in making suitable arrangements for the celebration of the eighth of January.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obt. svt.,

[Signed] A. D. CROSSMAN, Mayor.

On the first paragraph of said message, Mr. Pecquet, as chairman of the finance committee, presented the following resolution, which, on motion, was adopted, the rules being dispensed with:

*Resolved*, That the sufficient amount of the revenues of the markets and the port be set apart and deposited in the Bank of Louisiana, by the treasurer of this municipality, to secure the payment of the bonds and interest thereon, due this year.

On the second paragraph, the Council proceeded to the election of a commissioner for the management of the general estate of John McDonogh.

Mr. J. Benit nominated E. A. Michel, Esq. Said gentleman received the votes of Messrs. Blake, J. Benit, Bonneval, Vr. Benit, Clark, Derbes, Fabre, Giquel, Lanata, Pecquet, Peire and Ramos—12.

Mr. E. A. Michel was declared unanimously elected commissioner for the management of the general estate of John McDonogh.

On the third paragraph, the Council proceeded to the election of seven gentlemen, one out of each ward, to be commissioners.

Mr. Blake nominated N. C. Folger for the first ward.

Mr. Pecquet nominated John Egerton for the second ward.

Mr. Lanata nominated Hy. Peychaud for the third ward.

Mr. Fabre nominated Paulin Blanque for the fourth ward.

Mr. Clark nominated Victor Wiltz for the fifth ward.

Mr. Giquel nominated Fre Correjolles for the sixth ward.

Mr. Vr. Benit nominated H. Pedesclaux for the seventh ward.

And said gentlemen received the votes of Messrs. Blake, J. Benit, Vr. Benit, Clark, Derbes, Fabre, Giquel, Lanata, Pecquet, Peire and Ramos—12.

Messrs. N. C. Folger, 1st ward; John Egerton, 2d ward; Henry Peychaud, 3d ward; Paulin Blanque, 4th ward; Victor Wiltz, 5th ward; Fr. Correjolles, 6th ward; Hughes Pedesclaux, 7th ward, were declared duly elected commissioners for an asylum for the poor of both sexes.

On motion, the fourth paragraph was laid on the table, subject to call.

A letter was read from Mr. Lucien Dubuc, wharfinger, offering as his securities Messrs. Antoine and Joseph Dubuc. Referred to the finance committee, with power to act.

On the sixth paragraph, relative to the celebration of the eighth of January, on motion, the chair appointed Messrs. Peire, Fabre and Clark a committee to make suitable arrangements.

With leave, Mr. Bonneval on behalf of the improvement committee, presented the following report and resolutions, which were severally adopted, the rules being dispensed with.

Mr. Stickney takes his seat.

When the third resolution was under debate ordering the repairing and painting of the market, Mr. Derbes moved to strike out the word "painting." The yeas and nays being called for, resulted as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Blake, Derbes, Lanata, Pecquet, Peire and Ramos—6.

Nays—Messrs. J. Benit, Bonneval, Vr. Benit, Fabre, Giquel and Stickney—6.

Said motion was carried by the casting vote of the President.

REPORT.

The improvement committee, to whom were referred a letter from the surveyor, relative to the sale of the several contracts for the cleaning and repairing of the streets, and a paragraph of the Mayor's message relative to the repairing and painting of the markets, beg leave to submit the following resolutions:

*Resolved*, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to sell at auction to the lowest bidder [after] sixty days notice, the two contracts for the cleaning of the streets, the contract for the repairing of the unpaved streets, and the contracts for the repairing of the paving of the streets. The whole as per specifications of the surveyor hereto annexed.

*Resolved*, further, That the contracts for the cleaning of the streets and repairing of the unpaved streets shall be let out for a term of two years and the contracts for the repairs of the paving of the streets shall be let out for a term of one year.

*Resolved*, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to sell at auction to the lowest bidder after [illegible] notice, the contract for the repairing of the [illegible] markets in accordance with specifications on file in the surveyor's office.

*Resolved*, further, That the surveyor be and he is hereby authorized to have the [illegible] of the markets repaired immediately.

New Orleans, 5th Jan 1852.

(Signed) J. A. BONNEVAL, C. P.
GEORGE CLARK.
JULES BENIT.
ALFRED STICKNEY.

Specifications concerning the manner in which the paved streets of the First Municipality as well as those which may hereafter be paved shall be repaired and kept in good order.

The work shall be adjudicated in two sections and to two different contractors, who shall be bound to superintend the work in person.

The first section shall comprise all that part of Municipality No. One, bounded by the centre of Canal street, the centre of St. Peter street, the Levee in front of the Municipality and the Metairie road.

The second section shall comprise all that part of Municipality No. One, bounded by the centre of St. Peter street, the centre of Esplanade street, the Levee in front of the Municipality and the Bayou St. John.

The repairs shall consist in reinstating with convenient solidity and regularity in their primitive line or level, all curb and gutter stones, paving and paved support, crossings, bridges and bridge stones, wings, etc., etc., which by any cause whatever may be sunk, raised or displaced; in order that the communications may at all times, be easy and commodious, to which effect the contractors shall constantly employ a sufficient number of workmen to have said repairs done in twenty-four hours after their becoming necessary.

The contractors shall not be bound to repair the damages done to the paving by the gas light or water works companies, or by any other institution or individual, except such as may be done by order of the Council; but they shall be bound to make a written report at the surveyor's office of all the damages done to the paving by said companies or any other institution or individual, twenty four hours after they shall have been committed, and in default by them to make such a report, they shall be obliged to repair said damages at their own expense.

For the repairs the contractors shall not be allowed to use any other materials but river or sharp sand and lake shells. They shall also furnish all other materials such as square blocks, gravel, round stones, curb and gutter stones, etc., etc., which shall be of the best quality.

The contractors shall comply immediately with all verbal or written orders from the Mayor, Recorder, Surveyor, or Deputy Surveyor, relative to the work to be done by them, and in default by them so to do, they shall be liable to a fine of not less than $10 nor more than $50, for each neglect, said fine to be imposed by the Recorder, and it shall be the duty of the surveyor to have said repairs done at whatever cost he may be able to obtain men and materials, and at the expense of the contractors. The amount of the fine and of the men and materials shall be deducted from any of the monthly payments to be made to said contractors.

Whenever the contractors shall be ordered by the surveyor to have the paving of any street or of any part thereof taken up and relaid or the old gutter stones replaced by new ones, it shall be the duty of said contractors to have the same done immediately, and in case they should refuse or neglect to execute the same as above stated, they shall be fined by the Recorder in the sum of one hundred dollars, and the contract passed shall become *ipso facto* null and void, without any application before a court of justice, and the repairs shall be made as it may please the Council to do and at the expense of the contractors and of their securities.

The contractors shall be bound to call at the Surveyor's office, once on each and every day to receive orders relative to the work to be performed by them.

Each of the contractors shall furnish good and solvent securities in the sum of five thousand dollars to guarantee the faithful performance of their contracts.

Payments shall be made monthly on the presentation of the surveyor's certificate.

New Orleans, Dec. 1st, 1851.

(Signed) LOUIS H. PILIE, Surveyor.

Specifications concerning the repairs of the unpaved streets of Municipality No. One.

The contractor shall be bound to fill up with hard rubbish, river sand, gravel or shells when the same shall be necessary, all the holes, ruts, cart and carriage tracks, etc., in all the unpaved streets, alleys, lanes, roads and public ways, within all that part of Municipality No. One, comprised between the centre of Canal and Esplanade streets, the Levee in front of this Municipality and Metairie road, inclusively, immediately on their first appearance, and shall, under the superintendance of the surveyor keep and preserve the grades of said unpaved streets, alleys, lanes, roads and public ways in a regular curved form, and the surface even and smooth so as to throw the water in the gutters and sluice ways on both sides.

The contractor shall be bound to repair the shell road on the north side of Canal Carondelet and along side of Bayou St. John as far as the division line between Municipalities Nos. One and Three, for which repairs he shall employ lake shells only.

The contractor shall be bound to roll with a 6000 pounds roller all the unpaved streets in the limits above mentioned, as often as may be necessary at the superintendance of the surveyor.

All the streets which may be found too low shall be filled up by the contractor and those that may be [too] high shall be picked up and graded by him under the superintendence of the surveyor.

The earth scraped from the paved streets by the contractors for the cleaning shall be hauled by said contractors for the filling and deposited in such streets as may require filling up under the superintendence of the surveyor and of the contractor for the repairs of the unpaved streets, the surplus of earth required in all filling of streets to be furnished by said contractor for the repairs of the unpaved streets.

The contractor shall be bound to cut and remove all the grass and weeds and other vegetable substances that may be found growing on said unpaved streets.

All the materials required for the repairs of said streets shall be furnished by the contractor.

The contractor shall comply immediately with all verbal or written orders from the surveyor or deputy surveyor relative to the work to be done by him, and in default by him so to do, he shall be liable to a fine of not less than $10 nor more than $50, for each neglect, said fine to be imposed by the Recorder, and the surveyor shall then employ laborers and carts to have the work done at the expense of said contractor; the amount of the fine and of the laborers and carts shall be deducted from the monthly payments to be made to said contractor.

The contractor shall be bound to call at the surveyor's office, once on each and every day at 12 o'clock, M., to receive orders relative to the work to be performed by him.

Payments to be made monthly on the presentation of the Surveyor's certificate.

The contractor shall furnish good and solvent security to an amount of $3,000, and the Council shall have the right at any time to require other securities.

In case the contractor should have been fined three times in a month, the Council shall have the right to declare the contract *ipso facto*, null and void, without any application before a Court of Justice.

The contractor shall be bound to superintend the work in person.

New Orleans, December 1st, 1851.

(Signed) LOUIS H. PILIE, Surveyor.

Specifications concerning the cleaning of all the streets in Municipality No. One.

The work shall be adjudicated in two sections and to different contractors, who shall be bound to superintend the work in person.

The first section shall comprise all that part of Municipality No. One, bounded by the centre of Canal street, the centre of Orleans street, the river and Metairie Road inclusively.

The second section shall comprise all that part of Municipality No. One, bounded by the centre of Orleans street, the centre of Esplanade street, the river, the Bayou St. John and the Metairie Road, inclusively.

The contractors shall be bound on each and every day, during the continuance of their contract to clean out thoroughly all the gutters, sluiceways, crossings under all the bridges, in all the streets, alleys, lanes, roads, public way, and public places, levees and wharves within the limits of their section, and to remove therefrom by 10 o'clock, A. M., all kinds of filth, dirt, grass, weeds or vegetable substances of every description that may be found growing in or upon the borders of the same, or upon the sides of the curb stones, and also to remove all substances whatsoever that may obstruct or hinder in any manner the free circulation or passage of the water in and through said gutters, sluiceways, crossings and under said bridges.

The contractors shall be bound on each and every day during the existence of their contract, to take or cause to be taken and carried away from and out of all the streets, alleys, lanes, roads, public ways, public places, levees and wharves, and from all the sidewalks or banquettes of the same by 8 o'clock, A. M., all the filth, rubbish, manure animal and vegetable substances, offals, kitchen stuff, and feculent matters of every description whatever that may be found there, prejudicial to the health and cleanliness of the Municipality; and said contractors shall be further bound also, to take or cause to be taken away on each and every day, all dirt, rubbish, manure animal and vegetable substances, offals, kitchen stuff and feculent matters of any description whatever that may be found contained and deposited in boxes, barrels, baskets, tubs or other vessels, or may be thrown or lying in any of said streets, alleys, lanes, roads, public ways, public places, levees and wharves upon any of the side-walks or banquettes of the same, or that may be found thrown upon the border or margin of the river down to the water's edge.

The contractors shall be bound to remove and carry away on each and every day, during the existence of their contracts, all dead animals and vermine, found within the limits of their respective sections, and to deposit or bury the same in such places as the Surveyor shall direct.

The contractors shall be bound for the efficient accomplishment of the work aforesaid, to keep and employ a competent and sufficient number of carts and workmen. The carts employed shall be constructed and kept in such a manner as that none of the substances or matter put and conveyed therein, shall drop or run through and be scattered out; each of said carts shall be furnished with a bell of six inches in diameter, hanged with a spring to announce to the inhabitants its approach.

All carts and workmen employed by the contractors for the purpose aforesaid, shall pass through all the streets, alleys, lanes, roads and public ways and on the levee and wharves twice on each and every day, in the morning, by 8 o'clock, A. M., and in the evening by 4 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of taking and carrying away all the substances and matters of every description whatever required to be removed and carried away; upon the accomplishment of which, and as soon as the removal of said substances and matters shall have taken place on each and every day, said contractor shall be bound to let the water [run] from the hydrants in such quantity as may be necessary, and therewith thoroughly sweep and cleanse out all said gutters, sluiceways, crossings, and under all said bridges in all the streets, alleys, lanes, roads, and public ways through which the Commercial Bank has conveyed the water.

The contractors shall be bound on each and every day to sweep, scrape and collect together in small heaps near the gutters, all the dirt, manure, rubbish, mud and earth, that may be accumulated in, and in the center or [illegible] in any manner, any of said streets, alleys, lanes, roads or public ways that are paved, or that may hereafter be paved, and immediately thereupon to remove and carry away the same, under the superintendence of the surveyor and of the contractor for the repairing of the unpaved streets.

The contractors shall be bound on each and every day to take or cause to be taken away at such hour or hours of the day as may be prescribed by the Council all the filth, rubbish, mud, animal and vegetable matters and feculent matters of any description, that may be or shall be made and thrown down in the public markets of this Municipality.

The contractors shall be bound to call at the Surveyor's office, once on each and every day, at 12 o'clock, to receive orders relative to the work to be performed by them.

The contractors shall comply immediately with all verbal or written orders from the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Surveyor, Deputy Surveyor and Commissaries, relative to the work to be done by them; and in default by them so to do, they shall be liable, each one, to a fine of not less than $10, nor more than $25 for each neglect, said fine to be imposed by the Recorder, and the Surveyor shall then employ laborers and carts to have the work done at the expense of said contractors. The amount of the fine and of the laborers and carts shall be deducted from any of the monthly payments to be made to said contractors.

The contractors shall, each, furnish good and solvent securities to an amount of $5,000, and the Council shall have the right at any time to require other securities.

In case the contractor should have been fined three times in a month, the Council shall have the right to declare the contracts, *ipso facto*, null and void without any application before a Court of Justice.

New Orleans, December 1st, 1851.

(Signed) LOUIS H. PILIE, Surveyor.

LETTERS AND PETITIONS.

A letter was read from Capt. J. Youenes, informing the Council of the vacancies existing in the Police, and transmitting two affidavits filed against Eugene Paysant, a day police officer.

On motion, that letter was laid on the table subject to call, and the affidavit referred to the Police Committee.

A petition was read from sundry citizens, praying that the limits for drays [illegible] be extended only to Roman street. Referred to a special committee composed of Messrs. Clark, V. Benit and Stickney.

A letter was read from E. R[illegible], claiming $25 for [illegible]. Referred to the committee on claims.

A petition was read from Fire Company No. 7, for a new charter. Referred to the Fire committee.

Letters were read from [illegible] George Walsh, offering himself as candidate for the [illegible] day police.

Letters were read from Messrs. P. Ducos and P. N. [illegible] offering their services as watchmen. Laid on the table subject to call.

A bill was read from Mr. P. Fournier, claiming $15. Referred to committee on claims.

A letter was read from A. Lance, Commissary of the 4th Ward, on the bad condition of the side walks of the 2d ward public school. Referred to improvement committee.

A letter was read from [illegible] asking the appointment of a commissioner to inquire whether they are bound by their contract to furnish the squares to provide the lamps with gas.

The chair appointed as said committee—Messrs. Giquel, Derbes and Fabre.

A letter was read from Mr. Galibardi, offering himself as candidate for the situation of sergeant of the main port.

A letter was read from Frank Smith, offering his services as watchman.

A letter was read from O. Cavelier, offering his services as day police officer.

A letter was read from John Betillon, offering his services as watchman. Laid on the table subject to call.

A petition was read from Estevan Aynan, to open his store in Chartres street, for the month of December last, without paying any of the annual tax of 1851. Laid on indefinitely on the table.

A letter was read from A. Suarez, tendering his resignation as member of the police. Said resignation was accepted.

A letter was read from Mr. Z. Latour, attorney of A. Dervion, claiming $72 30.

A letter was read from Mr. Z. Latour, attorney of Dr. Giovani Folegni, claiming $[illegible] 31. Referred to the Judiciary committee.

A petition was read from P. Engleman, watchman, to be paid during sickness. Referred to the Recorder with power to act.

A petition was read from P. Nuna, carpenter, praying to be paid during sickness. Referred to the police committee jointly with the Surveyor, with power to act.

A letter was read from Mr. Murphy, praying to be paid $150, difference between $1,650 he owes to the municipality and $1,500 due him by the corporation.

Mr. Hagan takes his seat.

Mr. Giquel with leave, offered the following resolution, which on motion, was referred to the Finance committee.

*Resolved*, That the Treasurer be authorized to give Mr. Murphy a receipt for $1,650, for one years' lease of the Ferry, and up to the 31st December, 1852.—Mr. Murphy giving for the same a receipt of his property, leased by the Municipality for one year, and to the 31st December, 1852, and the balance, say $150 in cash.

REPORTS.

Mr. Pecquet, chairman of the Finance committee, submitted the following report and resolution, which on motion were adopted, the rules being dispensed with:

The Finance committee to whom was referred the letter of Henry Lecendre, beg leave to report that they have found it just, and offer the following resolution.

*Resolved*, That the Finance committee be authorised to settle with Henry Lecendre agreeable with the terms mentioned in his letter of December 29th, 1851.

[Signed.] PAUL PECQUET, Ch'n.
H. L. PIERE.
T. N. BLAKE.

Mr. Giquel moved that the rules be dispensed with, to proceed to the election of police officers.

The yeas and nays being called for, resulted as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. J. Benit, Bonneval, Derbes, Fabre, Giquel, Hagan, Peire and Ramos—8.

Nays—Messrs. Blake, V. Benit, Clark, Lanata, Pecquet and Stickney—6.

Said motion was lost, having failed to receive the vote of two-thirds of the members.

A motion of adjournment was made and lost by the following vote:

Yeas—Messrs. Fabre, Lanata, Peire, and Stickney—4.

Nays—Messrs. Blake, J. Benit, Bonneval, V. Benit, Clark, Derbes, Giquel, Hagan, Pecquet and Ramos—10.

Mr. Derbes, chairman of the Judiciary committee, submitted the following report and resolution, which on motion, was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—Messrs. Bonneval, V. Benit, Derbes, Pecquet and Peire—5.

Nays—Messrs. Blake, J. Benit, Clark, Fabre, Hagan, Lanata and Ramos—7.

The Judiciary committee to whom have been referred the letter of Mr. Robert Murphy, in relation to the Ferry wharf, beg leave to report:

That they have carefully examined the terms of the contract entered into between this corporation and that gentleman, that at first it might have been construed as throwing the burden of expenses of repairs or construction on the lessee, that on the contrary, the Municipality has always paid the repairs to be made and has paid for them.

Your committee is therefore of opinion that a lawsuit, if brought, would be decided against us, because it is a well settled point of our jurisprudence, that a court of justice will never give a contract a different interpretation than that given by the parties interested, and beg leave to submit to your approval the resolution presented at the last sitting, which has been referred to them.

Signed, A. DERBES, Chairman.
PAUL PECQUET.

*Resolved*, That the Surveyor be and he is hereby authorised to cause to be made or repaired on the shortest delay, the wharf of the Ferry of the First Municipality, and to that effect to require the contractor to perform the said work according to his contract.

Mr. Giquel, chairman of the Fire committee, presented the following report and resolution:

The Fire committee, to whom has been referred the petition of Neptune Fire Company No. 4, praying for a new engine, after having carefully examined the demand of the petitioners, have come to the conclusion that the prayer ought to be granted, and propose the following resolution.

Signed, F. GIQUEL, Chairman.
G. RAMOS.
JULES BENIT.

*Resolved*, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorised to issue his warrant on the Treasurer of Municipality No. 1, in favor of Neptune Fire Company No. 4, for the sum of twelve hundred and fifty dollars for the purpose of purchasing a new engine.

*Resolved*, that the Mayor be and he is hereby authorised to sell at auction after ten days notice in the official paper, the small engine belonging to this Municipality, now in the possession of Neptune Fire Company No. 4.—Terms of sale—Cash.

Mr. Clark moved to strike $1250 and to insert $1,000, said motion was lost.

On motion, the foregoing resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the rules being dispensed with:

Yeas—Messrs. J. Benit, Bonneval, Victor Benit, Clark, Derbes, Fabre, Giquel, Ramos and Stickney—9.

Nays—Messrs. Blake, Hagan and Lanata—3.

Mr. Hagan tendered his resignation as member of the Charity Committee.

Said resignation being accepted, the chair appointed Mr. Pecquet on said committee.

Mr. Lanata moved that the chair be authorized to appoint a member on the committee of Claims, in place of Mr. Barthe, absent, said motion being carried, the chair appointed Mr. C. Ramos on said committee.

Mr. Derbes moved that the chair be authorized to appoint a member on the Judiciary committee in place of Mr. Barthe, absent, said motion being carried, the chair appointed Mr. Fabre on said committee.

Mr. Ramos, chairman of the Police committee, submitted the following report and resolutions:

The Police committee take this opportunity to offer to your Honorable Body the following resolutions suggested by his honor the Mayor in his message of November 17th.

*Resolved*, That the number of the day police officers be increased by four, and that of the night watchmen by ten—the day police officers to be placed on the Levee and the watchmen in the rear streets of this municipality.

*Resolved*, That the captain J. Youenes, be and he is hereby authorized to purchase for the use of the police, sixty rattles and eighty capes.

[Signed] CLEMENT RAMOS, Chairman.
VICTOR BENIT.
R. RICHARDSON.

Mr. Lanata moved to amend the first resolution by increasing the number of day police by two members and the number of watchmen by five members for six months only.

Mr. Stickney moved to amend the resolution by increasing the number of the watchmen by eighteen members—said motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—Mr. Stickney—1.

Nays—Messrs. Blake, J. Benit, Bonneval, V. Benit, Clark, Derbes, Fabre, Giquel, Hagan, Lanata, Pecquet, Peire and Ramos—13.

The motion of Mr. Lanata was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—Messrs. Blake, J. Benit, V. Benit, Hagan, Lanata and Peire—6.

Nays—Messrs. Bonneval, Clark, Derbes, Fabre, Giquel, Pecquet, Ramos and Stickney—8.

Mr. Clark moved for a division of the question—said motion being carried, the Council voted on the increase of four day police as proposed by the resolution.

Said increase was rejected by the following vote:

Yeas—Messrs. V. Benit, Pecquet and Ramos—3.

Nays—Messrs. Blake, J. Benit, Bonneval, Clark, Derbes, Fabre, Giquel, Hagan, Lanata, Peire and Stickney—11.

The Council next voted on the increase of ten watchmen.

Said increase was rejected by the following vote:

Yeas—Messrs. V. Benit, Clark, Pecquet, Ramos and Stickney—5.

Nays—Messrs. Blake, J. Benit, Bonneval, Derbes, Fabre, Giquel, Hagan, Lanata and Peire—9.

On motion the second resolution authorizing the captain to purchase rattles and caps, was adopted after suspending the rules.

Mr. Ramos, as chairman of the Police committee, presented the following report and resolutions, which were adopted after suspending the rules.

The Police committee to whom has been referred the letters of Messrs. Gardette and Lumaden, the first on the 24th of November last and Saturday the 20th of December, and proceeded to the examination of the witnesses in the two above cases.

Joseph Gardette complaining of the conduct of watchman Delery, and F. A. Lumaden complaining of the conduct of watchman Gravoise.

In both cases the evidences against the accused were so palpable and in order to establish as a principle hereafter, so that the police officers may know it, the committee unanimously agreed to offer the following resolution.

*Resolved*, That Felix Delery and Gravoise, both watchmen of this municipality, be suspended for one month from the 24th November last.

The same committee examined the cases of Alderman Richardson against Gonzales, of captain Youenes, Aldermen Richardson and Giquel, against watchman Everret, and the petition of J. Thierry, asking permission to build a warehouse in the rear of his lot situated on Ursulines street, between Royal and Condé streets.

The committee have the honor of offering to your adoption the following resolutions.

*Resolved*, That Mr. Gonzales be reinstated in his duty as watchman.

On motion of Mr. Richardson:

*Resolved*, That watchman Everret be and is hereby dismissed.

*Resolved*, That permission be and is hereby granted to J. Thierry, to build a warehouse in the rear of his lot of ground.

(Signed) VICTOR BENIT, Chairman.
PAUL PECQUET.
J. LANATA.
R. RICHARDSON.
F. GIQUEL.

On motion of Mr. Giquel, the Council proceeded to the election of the first Lieutenant.

Mr. Giquel nominated Mr. O. Bonneval.

Mr. Lanata nominated Mr. Alex. Baldwin.

Mr. Bonneval obtained the votes of Messrs. J. Benit, Bonneval, Vr. Benit, Fabre, Giquel, Pecquet and Stickney—7.

Mr. Baldwin obtained the votes of Messrs. Blake, Clark, Derbes, Hagan, Lanata, Peire and Ramos—7.

No election.

The Council proceeded to a second ballot.

Mr. Bonneval obtained the votes of Messrs. Benit, Bonneval, Vr. Benit, Fabre, Giquel, Pecquet and Stickney—7.

Mr. Baldwin obtained the votes of Messrs. Blake, Clark, Derbes, Hagan, Lanata, Peire and Ramos—7.

No election.

On motion said election was postponed till the next sitting.

Mr. Lanata moved that all the other elections be also postponed—Lost.

On motion of Mr. Stickney the Council proceeded to the election of a Commissary for the Second Ward.

Mr. Ramos nominated J. Peralta.

Mr. Stickney nominated Mr. Rogers.

Mr. Fabre nominated Mr. J. B. Waldon.

Mr. Peralta obtained the votes of Messrs. Blake, J. Benit, Vr. Benit, Clark, Derbes, Lanata, Peire and Ramos—8.

Mr. Rogers obtained the votes of Messrs. Bonneval, Giquel, Pecquet and Stickney—4.

Mr. Waldon obtained the votes of Messrs. Fabre and Hagan—2.

Mr. Joseph Peralta was declared duly elected Commissary of the Second Ward.

On motion, the other elections were postponed.

On motion, the Council adjourned till Monday the 2d of February next, at 6 o'clock, P. M.

JOSEPH REYNES, Secretary.

THE MINISTER OF FRANCE AND THE PRESIDENT.—We learn, says the *National Intelligencer* of the 31st ult., that his Excellency the Minister of France called yesterday at the Department of State, by the direction of his Government, officially to announce that the President of the French Republic had adopted a great measure of public safety; that the Chief of the State owed to the six millions of Frenchmen who had elected him, and to the world which had received his nomination as a new era of tranquility for France, to preserve her from a revolution of which the world might feel the recoil; that, strong in his consciousness of patriotic intentions in repelling dangers which threaten France and Europe without end, he invited the nation to its free choice of a firm and durable Government, that he appealed to the suffrage of all in a moment so solemn to the country, and thought that this appeal ought to enlighten Europe and the world in regard to his object.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.

A report prevails in the city to the effect that Wm. C. Carrington, Esq., editor of the Richmond Times, is dead. This report is since confirmed.

### Southwestern Railroad Convention.

The Reception Room, No. 9 Second Municipality Hall, will be open To-Day, and continue open until the close of the Convention, from 8 A. M. until 8 P. M., where the Delegates to the Southwestern Railroad Convention are respectfully requested to call and register their names in a book prepared for that purpose, and where a portion of the Reception Committee will attend daily to receive and introduce the Delegates.

The privileges of the Second Municipality Public School Library, opposite to the Reception Room, and Merchants' Exchange Reading Room, have been tendered to the members of the Convention.

JOSHUA BALDWIN, Chairman of the Reception Committee.
New Orleans, January 3, 1852—tf.

## SUNDRIES.

**DOLBEAR'S** WRITING AND BOOK-KEEPING ACADEMY, 36 Canal st. (Established 1836.) Is open from 8 A. M. to 9 P. M. for ladies, gentlemen and children. Ornamental Penmanship executed equal to the best engraving. Several gentlemen will be qualified as teachers of penmanship. Dolbear's Science of Penmanship, 7th American edition, and Dolbear's superior Gold Pens, for sale by RUFUS DOLBEAR, 36 Canal st. ja7 1m

**J. W. Dolbear's** WRITING ACADEMY, No. 29, Camp street. An easy, free, business style of WRITING is, in a short time, taught to gentlemen, ladies and children. Children can receive lessons without being time from other schools. Hours, 9 to 11 A. M., 4 to 6 P. M., and 7 to 9, P. M. J. W. DOLBEAR, Camp st.

**DOCTEUR,** Corner of Bourbon and Toulouse streets. MONEY lent on deposit at liberal terms. Furniture, Chrystals, Jewelry, etc., bought and sold. He also undertakes removals and the repairing of Furniture, with the greatest care. ja5 1m

**Fowling Pieces, Rifles, Pistols, &c.** The undersigned has received and offers for sale, a choice assortment of double and single barrelled FOWLING PIECES, from one of the first manufacturers in England. Also, American Rifles, 6, 8, and 6 shot Pistols, Game Bags, Shot Pouches, Powder Flasks, Percussion Caps, &c., &c. A. FOUBIE, 160 Chartres st.

P. SCHOMBERG, dealer in Coal and Wood, corner Rampart and Main streets. Office 16 Exchange Place, New Orleans. English Cannel, Anthracite and Pittsburgh Coal, always on hand. Cannel Coal delivered at $1 per bbl. Also—A lot of 150 barrels best English Coal at wholesale, cheap. ja5 1m

**COAL. COAL.** 200 HDS. Anthracite coal, on hand, at 77 Customhouse street, City Coal Yard. 300 do Pittsburgh, put up expressly for plantation use. 300 tons English superior Anthracite, as low as can be offered in market, in lots to suit purchasers. Pittsburgh coal by the cargo afloat. ja5

**Jacomy Chemical Works,** NEAR PHILADELPHIA. RICHE, LEMING & CO., Proprietors. Oil of Vitriol; Rain Vitriol; Aqua Ammonia; Aqua Fortis; Muriatic Acid; Pure Nitric Acid; Nitrous Acid; Tartaric Acid; Salt of Tin; Muriate of Tin; Oxy-muriate of Tin; Alum; Copperas; Soda Ash, Sulphate Alumina, &c., &c. The subscribers, Agents for the above extensive Chemical Establishment, receive orders for all articles manufactured at the Laboratory, delivered on ship board, at prices current at the manufactory. E. J. HART & CO., 73 Tchoupitoulas st. ja5

50 BOXES Absynthe de [illegible]; [illegible] 50 do Cotta & [illegible]; [illegible] 400 boxes do St. Julien Medoc; 100 do [illegible] White Wine Haut Sauterne, 100 do Haut Sauterne, 50 do old Haut Sauterne and Chateau Lafitte; [illegible] Sauterne do 4 casks white Wine, sauterne; [illegible] Languedoc Sweet Almonds, 6 cases [illegible]; 300 baskets empty bottles, [illegible]; 10 do fine regular, 6 do Dymijohns, 200 baskets olive oil, for sale by PAUL JUGE FIL & CO., 87 St. Louis street.

**Bathing and Cooking Apparatus, &c.** JOHN McCARTHY, PLUMBER, No. 134 Camp st., New Orleans, has just received a large and new assortment of Brass Cocks, various sizes, Force and Lift Pumps, Beer Pumps, etc. etc.; Cooking Ranges, Bathing Tubs, and Shower Baths. Also—Laying and repairing Lead Pipes, Sheet Lead work of every description, Ship and Steamboat Work promptly put up on board, Kitchen Ranges. All orders punctually attended to. [illegible] Charges moderate. ja20

FOR SALE by the undersigned—Sardines in Oil, in whole, half and qr boxes; Mushrooms, do do do; Truffles do do and ½ do; Truffled Pies, whole half and qr. do; Green Peas, in whole and half do; Fruits in juice, fine assortment; Fruits in Brandy; dried Prunes; French and Lubeck Asparagus; French and English Pickles; assorted extra Cordials; Claret and Brandies in casks and boxes, Sausages, Cheese, &c. 431 DUNTZE & IKEN, 93 & 94 Royal street, corner Conti.

**Landing Ship Andover from Bordeaux.** MUSHROOMS in oil, in half boxes. Truffles pure. Truffled pies in whole ½ and ¼ boxes. Sardines in oil. Prunes in their juice in bottles. For sale by F. LORFILUE, Corner of Custom House and Royal.

**Havana Sugars.** 358,000 Regalias, Canones; Panetelas; Londres, Predominio; Cazadores; Dominicanas; Cabanas; and a large assortment of Millares, in quarters, and tenth boxes, from the very best brands, landing ex brig Mary Elizabeth from Havana, for sale by D. ROBRIO, Jr, 34 Gravier street.

NOTICE.—[illegible] for sale by J. CASSOU, [illegible]

MEXICAN SUGAR CANE—[illegible] bundles of superior quality for planting, landing from Tobasco, and for sale by R. D. BLOSSMAN, 12 Conti st.

[illegible] orders and offers for sale the following articles: 50 casks Claret, best brands, 100 do, 40 do St. Julien, 100 do White Wine, Haut Sauterne; 300 boxes Claret, best brands, 175 do White Wine, Haut Sauterne; 50 do Madeira and [illegible] Port Wine, Anisette, Curacao, Maraschino; Jamaica Rum, assorted Cordials, &c., &c., for sale by FERBOS BROS., 247 & 249 Royal street corner Dumaine.

LANDING ex ship Attica, from Bordeaux, 1500 ¼ boxes Sardines in oil; 500 whole do; 50 ½ do do; 100 do Cepes in oil, 200 ¼ do, 150 do Truffles in oil; 10 do Tomato sauce, 50 do Partridge truffled, 1000 do Alimentary preserves, for sale by FRERE, [illegible] 247 and 249 Royal st. corner Dumaine.

TOBACCO OLKAF—[illegible] bales of superior quality, for wrappers, for sale by BRUGUIERE & CO. 9 Bienville st.

SARDINES IN OIL—100 cases Sardines, for sale by BRUGUIERE & CO., 9 Bienville st.

LANDING from ship Attica, from Bordeaux—[illegible] cases Claret, ordinary, 30 do do, [illegible] boxes Truffles, [illegible] qr and half boxes assorted Pies, 20 do White Wine, for sale by JEAN FISSE, cor Royal and St. Peter sts.

SWEET MEATS and PRESERVES of the well known brand "Demarica," for sale by DELVAILLE & MORENO, 34 Old Levee street.

HAVANA SUGAR—White and Quarabrado, in store and for sale by DELVAILLE & MORENO, 34 Old Levee street.

F[illegible] AND TUMBLERS—50 crates pint Flasks, ½ do Tumblers, for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

PEPPER—50 bags Pimento, 20 do in head and in store, for sale by E J HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

[illegible]—[illegible] cases, [illegible] Lemons, [illegible] for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

PAPER—[illegible] cases Letter Paper, assorted qualities; [illegible] English Copying Paper, for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

LANDING ex bark Laurel: 30 bales Oakum, for sale by WILLIAMSON, ZARATIN & GRATIAA, 30½ Poydras st.

CLARET—Ex bark Laurel: 10 casks Claret Wine, & [illegible] assorted, for sale by WILLIAMSON, ZARATIN & GRATIAA, 30½ Poydras st.

500 Quintals Log Wood, on the Levee, on board the Mexican schooner Isabella, for sale by PUIG Y PUIG, 60 Common st.

LEAF TOBACCO—Genuine Vuelta de Abajo, assorted, for wrappers and fillers, for sale by PUIG Y PUIG, 60 Common st.

BUTTER—40 firkins fresh Goshen, for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas.

TRUFFLES—One lot of half boxes lately receive, and for sale by LORFILHE & CO., corner Royal and Customhouse sts.

LANDING—Ex ship Belle Assise, from Havre—30 baskets of 12 bottles Champaign, Bourg; 20 do do, Sillery, R. Desloudes; 10 do 24 half bottles do; 30 do do, Comte de Moulet, for sale by V. & E. MAIGNAN, 85 & 87 St. Louis st.

LANDING—ex ship Andover, from Bordeaux—[illegible] casks Claret, Brenne, Cantenac, Medoc; 210 boxes of 12 bottles white Wine, Haut Sauterne, for sale by V. & E. MAIGNAN, 85 & 87 St. Louis st.

FOR SALE on the arrival of ship Attica, from Bordeaux—30 quarter pipes of old fine Champagne Brandy. X. LAMBERT, 62 Magazine st.

PRESERVES AND SWEETMEATS—A fine assortment, just received from the manufactories Diana and Quedada, Havana, and for sale by DELVAILLE & MORENO, 34 Old Levee st.

SUPERIOR BURGUNDY WINES—60 casks Romanee, Chambertin, Nuits, Montrachet, Goutte d'Or, and Meursault, for sale by TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO., 28 Customhouse st.

COGNAC PELLEVOISIN—650 packages fourth proof, pale or dark; 100 do, third proof, pale, vintage of 1835; 100 do, second proof, pale, vintage of 1825, for sale by TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO., 28 Customhouse st.

GREEN PEAS, &c.—2,000 half boxes green peas, [illegible] 500 half do them, 200 cases brandy cherries, 3 casks cherry juice, 200 cases absynth, for sale by TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO., 28 Customhouse st.

SARDINES IN OIL—5000 half boxes, 3000 quarter boxes, 1000 whole boxes, for sale by TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO., 28 Customhouse st.

COGNAC—J. Faure & Co., 5 barrels 4th proof pale and dark, 5 do, 1st do, old pale, for sale by TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO., 28 Customhouse st.

OCHRE—25 casks Yellow French Ochre, for sale by TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD, 28 Customhouse st.

TEAS—1000 packages Green and Black, in store and for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

RICE—[illegible] tierces, in store and for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

WHITE SUGAR—150 packages Philadelphia loaf crushed and powdered Sugar, for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 75 Tchoupitoulas st.

STARCH—[illegible] bbls prime Havana, in store and for sale by DELVAILLE & MORENO, 34 Old Levee st.

GRAPE Vine Cuttings for sale by the 100 or 1000 H. BONNABEL, Corner Natchez and Tchoupitoulas streets.

GRAPE VINES—Well rooted, of 1, 2 and 3 years, such as Isabella, Catawba, Scuppernong, of the best quality and bearing very large grapes, for sale by H. BONNABEL, corner Natchez & Tchoupitoulas sts.

PAPER CIGARS—Of the manufacture of [illegible], for sale by LABORDE & XIQUES, 37 Common st.

CIGARS—Havana Cigars of all kinds, a large supply on hand, for sale by LABORDE & XIQUES, 37 Common st.

SUGAR—100 boxes of Havana Sugar, white, yellow and brown, for sale by LABORDE & XIQUES, 37 Common st.

COFFEE—50 bags of Havana Coffee for sale by LABORDE & XIQUES, 37 Common st.

EXCHANGE ON HAVANA, for sale by LABORDE & XIQUES, 37 Common st.

VARNISHED CALF SKINS—[illegible] dozen landing ex ship Antarctic, from Havre, for sale by H. NOEL & GUIRAUD, 105 Royal st.

PLAIN SILKS—One case landing ex ship Alerican, from Havre, for sale by M. NOEL & GUIRAUD, 105 Royal st.

PAPER HANGINGS—[illegible] cases landing ex ship Antica, from Bordeaux, for sale by H. NOEL & GUIRAUD, 105 Royal st.

SHELLED ALMONDS—[illegible] boxes just received, for sale by DELVAILLE & MORENO, Old Levee street.

CHOICE SHERRY—[illegible] demijohns Desert Sherry, in store and for sale by WILLIAMSON, ZARATIN & GRATIAA, 30½ Poydras st.

EXCHANGE on Paris, England and New York, for sale by A. & J. DENNISTOUN & CO., [illegible] Gravier st.

WINES, etc.—450 casks Claret, ordinary, in do old; 30 do Bergerac Wine; 75 bbls Vin Blanc; 34 casks do; 15 half do; 2600 boxes Claret; 125 boxes Apricots in Brandy; 100 bxs Cherries do; 30 boxes Pears do; 25 bxs Prunes do; 24 boxes of 40 half bxs Sardines; 175 baskets Olive Oil, 12 bottles, 50 do 24 half bottles; 5 trunks true India Handkerchiefs; 11 cases Syringes, for sale by CHARLES CAVAROC, 30 Bienville st.

MOLASSES BARRELS.—1000, warranted good, for sale, delivered on the coast above, at one dollar each, by LOISON & SILVESTRE, 94 Customhouse st.

GOLDEN SYRUP—In very superior quality, in half barrels, from Toulouse Sugar Refinery, for sale by LOISON & SILVESTRE, 94 Customhouse st.

HAVANA SEGARS—A large stock, constantly on hand, of every description, from the most renowned brands, and genuine manufacture. PRINCIPES, of direct importation from Fuerte Principe.

HAVANA SUGAR—White, brown and yellow, for sale by J. M. CABALLERO, 36 Old Levee, between Customhouse and Bienville sts.

LANDING ex ship Diogenes, from Marseilles—50 casks Bergerac Wine, for sale by CHARLES CAVAROC, 30 Bienville st.

PAPER CIGARS AND PICADURA—A very fine lot of each, just received and for sale by DELVAILLE & MORENO, 34 Old Levee.

STAR CANDLES—200 boxes for sale by E J HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

SUGAR—Superior white, brown and yellow Havana, in store, and for sale by LABORDE & XIQUES, 37 Common st.

LIME—Thomaston Lime afloat—500 bbls. Thomaston Lime now landing and for sale by THOS. SLOIS & CO., 91 Magazine st.

WHITE WAX & COCOA BUTTER—Just received, and for sale by S. M. VISSER & CO., 26 Old Levee.

HONEY—25 bbls also Honey, of superior quality, landing ex brig Adams Grey, from Havana, and for sale by S. M. VISSER & CO., 26 Old Levee.

PORT & MADEIRA—10 bbls Crown Port, 50 do Madeira, in store and for sale by WILLIAMSON, ZARATIN & GRATIAA, 30½ Poydras st.

ASSORTED PICKLES—30 boxes, in pints, quarts and gallons, in store and for sale by WILLIAMSON, ZARATIN & GRATIAA, 30½ Poydras st.

BRANDY AND GIN—100 bbls. American, for sale by CONVERSE & CO., 97 Tchoupitoulas st.

SPOOL THREAD—5 cases, in Custom House, for sale by WILLIAMSON, ZARATIN & GRATIAA, 30½ Poydras st.

CHAMPAGNE—[illegible] the brands of [illegible], in quarts and pints, for sale by TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO., 28 Customhouse st.

JALAP—[illegible] bales Jalap, in store and for sale by DELVAILLE & MORENO, 34 Old Levee.

LINSEED OIL—50 bbls. Western, for sale by PECCOMB & VOORHIES, 15 Tchoupitoulas st.

WRAPPING PAPER—[illegible] reams, various sizes, for sale by CONVERSE & CO., 97 Tchoupitoulas st.

HAVANA SUGAR—[illegible] boxes white and brown, landing ex brig [illegible], in store, for sale by RAYMOND CARUZAN, 30 Old Levee st.

FIRE BRICKS—[illegible] English, 30,000 Pittsburgh, for sale by THOMAS SLOIS & CO., 91 Magazine st.

HAVANA SUGAR—White and Quebrado, in store and for sale by DELVAILLE & MORENO, 34 Old Levee st.

EXCHANGE on Genoa, for sale by D. LANATA, 8 & 10 Jefferson st.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE annual meeting of the subscribers to the Female Orphan society, for the election of officers to serve during the ensuing year, will take place at the Poydras Asylum, Friday, January 9, between the hours of twelve and two. New Orleans Jan. 6, 1852.

UNION BANK OF LOUISIANA, New Orleans, January [illegible], 1852. AN election by the Stockholders for Directors will take place at the Banking House, in Royal street, on MONDAY, the 2d day of February next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and [illegible] P. M. E. A. FREY, Cashier.

BANK OF LOUISIANA, New Orleans, January [illegible], 1852. THE Stockholders of this Institution are hereby notified that the annual election for Directors will be held at the Banking House on MONDAY, 26th instant, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. R. DAVIS, Cashier.

MECHANICS AND TRADERS' BANK, New Orleans, [illegible] 1852. THE Board of Directors of this Bank have this day declared a Dividend of [illegible] per cent out of the profits of the last six months, payable to the stockholders in this city on and after MONDAY, the 12th inst., and to the stockholders in New York on or after the 1st February next. G. CRUZAT, Cashier.

CONSOLIDATED ASSOCIATION OF THE PLANTERS OF LOUISIANA, New Orleans, December [illegible], 1851. THE annual election of Directors by the Stockholders, to serve during one year, will take place on MONDAY, 26 January next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. By order of the Board. F. GUEX, Cashier.

MECHANICS AND TRADERS' BANK, New Orleans, December 27, 1851. THE annual election of Directors for this Bank, will be held at the Banking house on MONDAY, the 26th January next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. G. CRUZAT, Cashier.

OFFICE [illegible] MUTUAL INS. CO., New Orleans, December 13, 1851. THE Dividend for 1851, on the Scrip of this Company, will be paid on the 15th inst. L. MATTHEWS, Agent.

CITIZENS' BANK OF LOUISIANA, New Orleans, Dec. 31, 1851. AN annual election of three Directors, by the Stockholders of this Institution will be held at this Banking House, on MONDAY, the 2d February next. EUG. ROUSSEAU, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE MERCHANTS' INSURANCE CO., New Orleans, December 29, 1851. THE Annual election of Directors will be held at the Office of the Company on Monday the 12th January, 1852, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. JOHN PEMBERTON, President.

OFFICE N. ORLEANS & CARROLLTON R. R. Co., New Orleans, 29th December, 1851. NOTICE—The yearly election of Directors of this Company to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at the office, on MONDAY, the 12th January next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. By order of the Board. CHARLES BAQUIE, Sec'y.

**Lost.** ON Friday evening, a square Mosaic BROOCH, representing the Vatican at Rome. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at No. 26 Poydras street. JOSEPH MITCHEL.

**Lost or Mislaid.** A BILL OF LADING, dated May 10th, 1851, for one parcel of Goods shipped on board the C. F. Watkins, and marked as follows: H (in a diamond) 43, Nashville, Tenn. Any person finding the same, will confer a favor by leaving it at the office of the undersigned. P & F REILLY & Co., cor Canal and Royal.

A BAY HORSE, having two hind legs white, a star on the forehead and one on the nose, with a saddle and a double bridle, was found alone at the corner of Tonti and [illegible] streets, on Friday night, at half past 9 o'clock. The owner can have said Horse by proving his property and paying the cost of advertising and keeping. Apply to JEAN MARIE JOURNE, Carondelet st., between Tonti and Galvez sts.

**Carpet Warehouse—63 CHARTRES STREET.** WE offer now at very low prices our large assortment of all kinds of CARPETINGS, comprising Velvet and Brussels Tapestry, English and American, 3 ply, Brussels, Ingrains and Venetian Carpetings, Window Shades, Hair Cloth, Figured Rubber and Linen Crumb Cloths, Stair Rods, Table and Piano Covers, colored and white Mattings, &c. Floor Oil Cloth from 3 to 24 feet wide, various qualities, at wholesale and retail. A. BROUSSEAU & CO., 23 Chartres st.

HAVANA SEGARS.—The undersigned now offers for sale 350,000 segars, comprising a splendid assortment of Imperiales, Regalias, Media Regalias, Canones, Cazadores, Conchas, Prepados, Panetelas, Londres, Millar and Damas of the following brands, viz: La Belleza, Cabanas y Carbajal, El Catalan, Favorita, Predominio, [illegible], Principe, Cazadores, Dos Hermanos, Todos de 3 [illegible], Del Paso Roman, Flor de Cuba, [illegible]; Americanos, Victoria, Zoyos, Lobos, [illegible], Proclamacion, [illegible], Gen. [illegible], Hoyo Monteray, &c., &c. DELVAILLE & MORENO, 34 Levee street.

**Grand Choice of Pianos,** *At manufactory prices, on account of liquidation.* J. PERRIER, 219 Royal street, between St. Philip and Ursulines streets. A splendid assortment of PIANOS of Pleyel and Erard's manufacture, Parisian [illegible] Pianos of 6½ and 7 octaves, at $300, $325 and $350; Pianos, Pleyel and Erard large size, at $500, $550 and $600. J. PERRIER being on the eve of departure for the North, and for France, informs his patrons that he will attend to all commissions concerning Pleyel and Erard's Pianos that may be entrusted to him. HARMONIUM ORGANS of three registers, for sale at $100 and $150. MIRROR PIANOS, upon which persons ignorant of music can execute in one lesson, any Mazurka, Polka, etc. The advertiser warrants the performer to use upon said pianos, the compass of the machinery and of the hammer in the wires.

**FRESH GARDEN SEEDS,** At Bachelier & Co.'s New Seed Store, No. 99 Canal street, near Baronne st. WE have just received by the late steamers from New York, a supply of fresh Garden Seeds suitable for the present season, and, among others, we enumerate the following:

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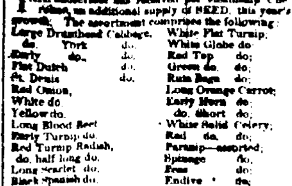
| Cabbages, | Turnips, | Spinach, |
| Do Creole | Flower Ball, | Lettuce, |
| Do large Drum head | Flat Dutch, | Radish, |
| Do Early York | Red Top, | Onion, |
| Do large York | White flat, | Cucumber, |
| Do late Dutch | Rutabaga, | Endive, |
| Cauliflower, | Turnip Cabbage, | Parsley, |
| Brocoli, | Beets, | Squash, |
| Peas, | Beans, | Carrots, | Cress, etc. |

A good lot of Osage Orange and Box Wood, fine quality. We will continue to receive during the Fall and Winter, from the North, English, [illegible] assortment of [illegible] French Seeds, carefully selected [illegible]. All our [illegible] we have opened [illegible] all orders [illegible] to give [illegible]. BACHELIER, Seedsman and Botanist, Ursulines st., bet. Old Levee and Conde.



**GROWTH OF 1851.** THE subscriber has received per steamship Cherokee, an additional supply of SEED, this year's growth. The assortment comprises the following:

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| Large Drumhead Cabbage, | White Flat Turnip; |
| do. York do. | White Globe do; |
| Early do. do. | Red Top do; |
| Flat Dutch do. | Green do. do; |
| St. Denis do. | Ruta Baga do; |
| Red Onion, | Long Orange Carrot; |
| White do. | Early Horn do; |
| Yellow do. | do. Short do; |
| Long Blood Beet | White Solid Celery; |
| Early Turnip do. | Red do. do; |
| Red Turnip Radish, | Parsnip—assorted; |
| do. half long do. | Spinage do; |
| Long Scarlet do. | Peas do; |
| Black Spanish do. | Endive do; |

☞ Planters, Market Gardeners, Country and Commission Merchants, and others, supplied with Seed in any quantities, at moderate prices. D. MAUPAY, Seedsman, 67 Gravier st., near Camp. au11

LANDING ex ship Cumberland, from Marseilles—100 boxes Muscat Frontignan, 12 bottles; 60 baskets Olive Oil, Flagnini, 12 do; 20 do do do, 24 do; 50 boxes Orange Flower Water; 155 do Olives, Pickles, etc.; 10 do Anchovies in oil; 1 jar Nougat in boxes, for sale by V. & E. MAIGNAN, 85 & 87 St. Louis st.

HAVANA SEGARS—Landing ex brig Mary Elizabeth, from Havana: 19,000 Cabanas y Carbajal, 116,150 of other celebrated brands, and 20,000 genuine Principes, for sale by J. M. CABALLERO, 36 Old Levee st., between Customhouse and Bienville sts.

LANDING ex ship Attica from Bordeaux, 300 ¼ pipes cognac Otard & Martin, 4th proof; 70 boxes of 50 ¼ boxes Sardines in oil; 30 do, 100 ½ do do, for sale by PAUL JUGE FILS & CO., 87 St. Louis st.

CLARET—In store and for sale by the undersigned, an assortment of choice Claret, in casks and boxes. DUNTZE & IKEN, corner Royal and Conti sts.

BELLE CHASSE Sugar Refinery.—Loaf, crushed and powdered refined Sugar of superior quality, from the above Refinery, for sale by JUAN Y. DE EGANA, 27 Bienville st.

MUSTARD—150 dozen superior Kentucky; 100 do fine do, for sale by CONVERSE & CO., 97 Tchoupitoulas st.

MACARONI & VERMICELLI—[illegible] boxes, for sale by LOREILHE & CO., cor. Royal and Customhouse sts.

PEPPER AND ALLSPICE—75 bags, for sale by CONVERSE & CO. 97 Tchoupitoulas st.

NAILS—[illegible] kegs, for sale by CONVERSE & CO., 97 Tchoupitoulas st.

BUTTER—[illegible] packages prime Western and Goshen Butter, for sale by PECCOMB & VOORHIES, 15 Tchoupitoulas st.

HAVANA SEGARS—[illegible], for sale by LABORDE & XIQUES, 37 Common st.

RED WINE—[illegible] landing ex ship Andover from Bordeaux, for sale by X. CASSAGNAC, 30 Old Levee.

LANDING ex ship [illegible], from Havre—[illegible] for sale by DOMINIQUE LANATA, 8 & 10 Jefferson st.

COFFEE—[illegible] for sale by LABORDE & XIQUES [illegible]

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## PUBLIC NOTICES.

**NOTICE.** MR. JOHN B. ZOLEZZI would respectfully inform his friends and the public, that he has taken the Grand Saloon in the Placide Varieties, and will use his utmost endeavors to keep his Saloon well stocked with the best of Liquors, the choicest of Wines, good and polite attendants, and every convenience and attention towards pleasing the patrons of the Varieties. d5 1m

**Change of Business Residence.** LABORDE & XIQUES do business now at No. 37 Common street, and they have for sale, Havana and Principe Sugars, of direct importation, a large stock, comprising the best brands and qualities. ALSO—Havana Sugar white, yellow and brown, Havana Coffee, etc.

ADVANCES—The undersigned will make Cash Advances on shipments consigned to our friends in Havana. DELVAILLE & MORENO, 34 Old Levee st.

WE will make CASH ADVANCES on consignments of Produce to Mills, McDowell & Co., New York, or to our friends in London, Liverpool, Glasgow or Belfast. McDOWELL, MILLS & CO., 96 Gravier st.

THE undersigned have formed a co-partnership under the style of AVET BROTHERS for the transaction of a general grocery business, as formerly pursued before A. Chapelle, [illegible] in this city. FRED. AVET. J. B. AVET. J. AVET, in commendam. The undersigned will henceforth do a commission business. J. AVET.

**Removal.** L. MAJESTE, Commission Merchant informs the public that he has removed his Store from 26 Toulouse street, to No. 115 Chartres street, between St. Louis and Conti sts.

**REMOVAL.** THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public, that he has removed his JEWELRY STORE to No. 123 Royal street, nearly opposite the St. Louis Hotel. He has neglected neither pains nor expense in fitting up this new establishment, wherein will be found a complete assortment of Fine Jewelry, Diamonds, Watches, Chains, Clocks, Mantel Ornaments, Silver and Plated Ware, China and Cut Glass Ware, Bronze and Papier Mache Ware and a variety of Fancy Articles. He is daily receiving new and fashionable Goods, and respectfully solicits a call, assuring his customers and the public that he will sell his goods at very moderate prices. C. REDON.

**Children's Clothing.** F. FABRE & CO. 29 Magazine street, have recently received per 'Empire City,' a large additional supply of Children's CLOTHING, which, with that previously on hand renders their assortment now very complete; we particularly invite our friends to an examination of the same. F. FABRE & CO. 29 Magazine st.

**Shirts! Shirts! Shirts!** F. FABRE & CO. 29 Magazine street, have lately received a fresh supply of Linen and Cotton Shirts of the latest styles and manufactured of the best materials, and in the best manner. F. FABRE & CO. 29 Magazine st.

**Intelligence Office and General Agency.** M. G. POTIER has opened a General Agency and Intelligence Office, No. 26 Hospital street. He engages himself to furnish servants, mechanics, workers, etc., for the country. Apply through the Post office.

**To Steamboat Agents.** THE undersigned has in store a second hand BLOWER, in first rate order, and for sale at a moderate price. Apply to JOS. MITCHEL, 36 Poydras st.

**ALEXIS & FABRE,** DRUGGISTS, (Successors of P. A. BERTRAND, corner Royal and Bienville streets.) INFORMS the public that they have resumed the manufacture of artificial waters. They will constantly have on hand Seltz, Sedlitz and Vichy Water. The Purgative Lemonade, made of citrate of Magnesia, will always be prepared very carefully, in order to obtain the result for which this remedy is taken. Orders for the city and country will be promptly attended to.

**Railroad Laws and Charters.** THE RAILROAD LAWS and Charters of the United States, now for the first time collated, arranged in Chronological order, and published with copious and explanatory remarks by W. P. Gregg and Benjamin Pond, of the Boston Bar, in 3 vols. A few more copies of the above just received and for sale by ALEXANDER LEVY & CO., Law Book Sellers and Stationers, 51 Camp st.

CLARET—Landing ex ship Attica, from Havre—300 cases Claret Wine, of 12 bottles each, for sale by X. LAMBERT, 62 Magazine st.

LANDING ex ship Attica, from Bordeaux—Liquor Cases, Cognac, fine Champagne, Eagle, eighth do do, 1825, 1 qr do do do, 1819 for sale by QUEYROUZE & LANDROCHE, 13 & 15 St. Louis st.

LINEN GOODS—25 cases superior Irish Linens, 10 bales Russia Crash, [illegible] Shirting, Muslins, assorted, 3 bales Scotch [illegible], 3 cases Table Diaper, Napkins and Towels, 10 cases white and brown Muslin [illegible], 25 do Linen and Union [illegible], Linen and Stripes, [illegible] Linen Sheetings and Pillow-case Linens, for sale by McDOWELL, MILLS & CO., 96 Gravier st.

**French Books at a great Reduction of Prices.** A GENTLEMAN, in difficult circumstances, offers 200 French Volumes, well bound, comprising a great variety of choice reading. These volumes are very suitable for persons in the country who have much time for agreeable recreation. For more particulars, apply to H. BONNABEL, corner Natchez & Tchoupitoulas streets.

**Cologne Water—the best offered in the Market.** P. LEVERRIER, 70 Chartres street, between Bienville and Conti, offers for sale under Farina price, in large or small quantity, [illegible] bottles, rollers and in boxes. Good quantities $1 50 per gallon; Superfine $2 50 do. This article is particularly recommended to country merchants and perfectly suitable to the trade.

**Re-Opening.** Royal street, No. 132, below St. Louis Hotel. J. HERNANDEZ begs leave to announce to his friends and to the public in general that he has re-opened his SEGAR STORE, where a select assortment of the best brands and qualities will always be found. ☞ He hopes to see all his friends continue their patronage to him.

**F. JAUFROID,** *Late of Chartres street*—62 *same street*. HAS always on hand, a full and complete assortment of Trimmings, Shell Combs, Perfumery, Toys, Hosiery, Zephyr Worsted, Fancy Articles, and every article of Ladies' Furnishing Goods. City customers and strangers visiting the city, are respectfully invited to visit the new establishment, 62 Chartres street, before purchasing elsewhere. ☞ Justice Department up stairs.

**F. JAUFROID,** 62 Chartres st. between Customhouse & Bienville. **Toys Toys Toys.** RECEIVED by the last arrivals, a large assortment of TOYS of all kinds, for sale at the lowest prices of the market. Dealers are invited to call.

**To Sugar Planters.** ON hand and for sale by the subscriber, an assortment of wrought and cast iron Sugar Kettles—36, 42, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60 inch [illegible] manufacture—from the celebrated foundry of Mr. Marre, whose reputation for manufacture, articles of this description [illegible]. Planters who have used those Kettles uniformly pronounce in their favor. [illegible] purchase, and compared [illegible] the materials to insure durability. Grate Bars and Furnace Mouths, etc., for sale, by JUAN Y. DE EGANA, 27 Bienville st.

**Tennessee Sugar Kettles.** STACKER IRONWORKS formerly STEWART & [illegible]. THE subscriber, sole Agent for those celebrated Works, has constantly on hand a large and complete assortment of KETTLES, Furnace MOUTHS and GRATE BARS of the most approved patterns, which he offers for sale. The decided preference given to these Kettles, throughout the Sugar Districts of Louisiana and Texas during the last twenty-five years, and the continued demand for them is the best evidence of their superiority over any other offered in this market. Orders received and promptly executed by J. J. LAVILLEBEUVRE, Sole Agent, 157 Carondelet st.

**For the Mexican Markets.** 50 bales Imperiales; 10 do colored Lastings; 10 do Bayettas and Alpacas; 100 cases bleached cotton Sheetings; 25 do Platillas and Estopillas; 25 do Britanias and Creas; 10 do white and colored Drillings; 40 do Cottonades and Denims; 25 bales blue and colored Prints; [illegible] cases white and colored crape Shawls; 10 do Pongee and Foulard silk Handkerchiefs; 20 bales Russia Sheetings, for sale by McDOWELL, MILLS & CO., 96 Gravier st.

**DR. FRYER, the Indian Doctor,** IS a Regular Graduate of Nature's wide Botanic Garden and Common Sense Medical College, and has made the study of Herbs his profession for thirty years, and daily cures more patients than any other physician in New Orleans. ☞ Office hours from 6 o'clock A. M. till 9 P. M. All orders enclosing $5, post-paid, will be thankfully received and punctually attended to. ☞ Residence and office, No. 33 Frenchmen street, Third Municipality, New Orleans. W. K. F. FRYER, Indian Doctor.

**ERARD & PLEYEL'S PIANOS.** W. HARTKOPF. 172 ROYAL STREET, BETWEEN TOULOUSE AND ST. PETER STREETS. BEGS leave to inform the public that he has returned from Europe, and offers for sale Pianos selected by himself, in the manufactures of Erard & Pleyel, of superior qualities, and disposed to resist the temperature of this climate. ☞ Received by ship Emperor, six Erard's Pianos. Three Oblique three cords Pianos in engraved palysander. One Grand Founat Piano, 7 Octave, new style. Two Pianos, Drain Iron system. A large assortment of Erard & Pleyel, expected by ship Laurel Dyer. ☞ Mr. HARTKOPF, will as heretofore undertake to repair Pianos. ALSO—PIANOS to rent and change.

THE undersigned has constantly on hand and offers for sale:— HAVANA CIGARS—The choicest selection of the very best genuine brands. PRINCIPES—Of direct importation, from Puerto Principe. HAVANA SUGAR—White, brown and yellow. J. M. CABALLERO, No. 36 Old Levee, Between Customhouse and Bienville sts.

CHAMPAGNE WINE—A few baskets first and second quality, direct importation. HAVANA SEGARS—A few thousand of choice quality. JAMAICA RUM—10 puncheons superior quality in Customhouse Stores, for sale by JOHN MITCHEL, 36 Poydras st.

200 casks Claret, St. Julien Medoc, 150 do do St. Estephe; 120 boxes do, St. Julien Medoc, 1848; 4 casks White Wine, Haut Sauterne, 50 boxes do do do, 50 do old do do do, Chateau Lafitte, 20 do do do do, Barsac, 100 boxes do do, Haut Sauterne, superior; 100 do Muscat Frontignan, for sale by PAUL JUGE FILS & CO., 87 St. Louis st.

**PORTABLE FORGES.** THE undersigned, agents for the manufacturers, are receiving some of these Forges, and request the planters, ship and steamboat masters to call and examine them. These forges can be recommended for their solidity and convenience, as they are entirely made of iron, contain within their body the bellows, and take up, [illegible] space. [illegible] A. MASPEREAU & CO., Agents for the manufacturers, 25 Conde st.

**Force Pumps for Wells.** THE superiority of these Pumps over every other kind, [illegible], is that they have the property of drawing and raising water from a depth of 20 feet, and throwing it at the same time to a height of at least 30 feet. Every planter should have one of these Pumps. For sale by A. MASPEREAU & CO., Agents for the Patentees, 25 Conde st.

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## AMUSEMENTS, &c.

**Placide's Varieties.**

**Friday Evening, Jan. 9th.**

☞ The Extravaganza of the MAD WAG OF BAGDAD. After which, CATARINA, in which Mad. and Mons. Montplaisir, and the entire troupe will appear. To conclude with COCKNEYS IN CALIFORNIA.

PRICES OF ADMISSION—Boxes and Parquette, [illegible]; Upper Boxes, 75c; Gallery, 25c.

☞ Doors open at half past 6; performance to commence at [illegible].

**"The Campbell's are Coming."** FOR A FEW NIGHTS ONLY, AT ARMORY HALL. MONDAY EVENING, January 5, 1852—WEST & PEEL'S Burlesque Opera Troupe, the Original Campbell Minstrels have the honor to announce to the ladies and gentlemen of New Orleans, that they will give an entertainment of Songs, Operatic Choruses, Burlesque Italian Opera, etc. etc. ☞ For particulars, see programmes. ☞ Tickets, 50 cents. ☞ Doors open at 6½, to commence at 7½ o'clock. D. F. A. JONES, Agent.

**A GRAND MASONIC BALL** WILL be given at ARMORY HALL on FRIDAY EVENING, the 16th JANUARY, 1852, in full Masonic Costume and Clothing, for the benefit of the General Relief Fund, under the patronage of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of the State of Louisiana, and under the direction of the following gentlemen as MANAGERS:

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| John McKee, | F. Cologne, |
| T. R. Brady, | G. W. Race, |
| F. G. Beck, | A. Fernandez, |
| J. Santini, | B. C. Elliott, |
| D. Goodman, | A. Brown, |
| L. A. Guest, | F. Sancho. |

COMMITTEE OF INVITATION.

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| B. Herriman, | F. Bloomfield, |
| J. T. Pemberton, | B. P. Voorhies, |
| M. W. Perkins, | J. Gerlach, |
| E. Barnett, | A. Bolemare, |
| T. Blake, | J. Landry, |
| J. L. Warner, | A. Derbes. |

Tickets $3 each, to admit one gentleman and as many ladies as he may think proper to invite, to be procured by the Committee of Invitation. The public are respectfully informed that no Ticket will be made personal, and not transferable, [illegible] be had at the principal Book and Music Stores and from the Committee. N. B.—No tickets will be sold at the door on the evening of the Ball. ☞ Ladies invitations may be procured at all times on Fashion Basket, Grand Secretary, 21 Conti street.

**GLOBE BALL ROOM,** CORNER OF ST. FERDINAND ST. CLAUDE STS., NEAR THE OLD BASIN. THIS splendid Room is now open for MASQUERADE BALLS. Handbills will announce the days BALLS take place. A select Band of Music, under the direction of a good leader, will execute the most modern Waltzes, Polkas, and Contre Dances. In a Saloon, will be found a good BAR, with a plentiful supply of the best Liquors and Refreshments.—Also—an Eating Room under the care of an excellent master Cook. Five Police Officers appointed by the Recorder, will preserve peace and decorum during the [illegible]. ☞ No person will be admitted into the Ball with arms or weapons of any kind. S. VIOSCA, Proprietor.

**The American and Spanish Cock-Pit.** WILL be open on CHRISTMAS DAY, 25th December, and the 1st January, and every SUNDAY during the season, the new and commodious PIT, newly built, corner of Good Children and History streets, 3d Municipality, where regular fights will take place between the best game COCKS in the country will take place. Doors open at 9 o'clock. Fights to begin at eleven o'clock.

**MODERN LANGUAGES.** FRENCH, SPANISH AND ITALIAN, TAUGHT BY PROFESSORS P. A. GIAMARCHI and F. J. GOMEZ, Office, No. 99 Exchange Place, up stairs, Between Canal and Customhouse streets, nearly opposite the Post-office. ☞ Private lessons given at the Professors' rooms or at the learner's residence. Terms moderate.

**SPLENDID GIFT BOOKS For the New Year of 1852,** AT J. B. Steel's NEW ORLEANS STATIONERS' WAREHOUSE, 60 CAMP STREET. **FLORAL WORKS.** "Flowers are all the jewels I can give thee." THE FLOWERS OF SHAKESPEARE—Being a series of thirty elegantly colored flowers, with appropriate quotations from Shakspeare. Roscoe's Floral Illustrations. Emma's Floral Gems, or American Wild Flowers in their native haunts—By Emma C. Embury. Flora's Dictionary—By Mrs. Wirt, of Virginia. The Language of Flowers. The Lady's Book of Flowers and Poetry. The Poetical Language of Flowers; or The Pilgrimage of Love. Edited by Mrs. E. Oakes Smith. The Queen of Flowers. The Poetry of Flowers and the Flowers of Poetry. The Romance of Nature or The Poetical Language of Flowers. Flowers and their Kindred Thoughts, with Poetry. By M. A. Bacon. Legends of the Flowers—By Susan Pindar. A large assortment of ALBUMS, handsomely bound and finely illustrated. A beautiful assortment of **Catholic Prayer Books,** Bound in the most superb manner, and particularly adapted for Presents at this season of the year. Bibles and Prayer Books of all descriptions and styles of binding. Together with a large assortment of FAMILY BIBLES, of various kinds, including the Oxford editions, and Butler's elegant quartos. **FANCY ARTICLES.** Writing Desks—In Mosaic, Ebony and Papier Mache. Oriental Cheaverton—[illegible]. Ladies' Fancy Inkstands—A great variety. Portfolios—Various styles and sizes, with or without lock and key. Porte Monnaies—A large and beautiful assortment. Fancy Penholders, Paper Weights, Paper Stands, Fancy Note and Billet-doux Papers—with envelopes to match. Gold Pens and Pencils—In great variety, of the newest and best kinds. ☞ For sale at the New Orleans Stationers' Warehouse, by J. B. STEEL, 60 Camp street.

**J. BERTIN,** HAVING just arrived from the North, where he received his orders from France and England, informs his friends and the public in general, that he is now opening his splendid assortment of JEWELRY, of the new style and model and composed of Brooches, Rings, Breast Pins, Diamond Earrings, do. Ruby do. Emerald, Pearl Necklaces and Chatelaines, etc., with Bracelets, &c. [illegible] of all descriptions and [illegible]. His assortment of WATCHES cannot be surpassed, for the value of the movements or the elegance of the cases. These Watches are from the best manufacturers, and partly from J. T. Cooper and David Taylor, London, and M. S. Tobias, Liverpool, [illegible] Watches, Savonettes, Anchors, Ladies' Watches ornamented with precious stones, etc. He trusts that by his reduced prices, and the general style of his goods, these persons who may visit his establishment will not fail to be entirely pleased. All the articles will be sold guaranteed. He has received a complete assortment of sets of French Silver Forks and Spoons in cases; also, numerous articles Galvanized by the Ruolz process. He offers also the last articles at the lowest market prices, specially invited. Mr. Feyrol being prepared to accommodate them in any quantity they want.

**B. DOUCE, Watchmaker,** HAVING removed his Goods from the store of Mr. D. T. Lillie & Co., to No. 66 Customhouse street, between ROYAL AND EXCHANGE ALLEY, informs his friends and the public in general, that he will henceforth devote his time to the reparation of Watches, Clocks, &c. Notwithstanding his moderate prices, he can assure those who may favor him with their patronage that the work which will be entrusted to him will be guaranteed. He will constantly have on hand a fine assortment of Swiss and English Watches. ALSO—WATCH-MAKERS TOOLS AND MATERIALS.

**J. TURPIA,** IMPORTER OF JEWELRY, No. 65 Chartres street, corner of Bienville. GREAT assortment of JEWELRY, newly imported from Paris and London, consisting of Watches, Ear-Rings, Bracelets, Breastpins, Clocks, Chandeliers, Fleur Vases, Combs, Spectacles, Watch Chains, Silver Ware, Work Boxes, &c. &c.

**One Hundred Dollars Reward.** Ran away on Tuesday, the 5th of August last, a mulatto boy named ROBERT REED. He is a light mulatto, between 21 and 25 years old, about 5 feet 6 inches in height, weighing about 140 pounds, and has a rather stiff, downcast look. The above reward will be paid for the delivery of said boy to the undersigned. He is supposed to have escaped to a free state. F. FABRE & CO., 29 Magazine st.

F. FRYER informs the Ladies that he [illegible] store No. 54 Chartres street, is well assorted with all kinds of Fancy Goods, Silks, Barrege Dresses, Hair Dresses, &c. He calls especial attention to his fine assortment of mourning Goods, such as black Mousseline de Laine, Barrege, plain and fancy etc.

F. FRYER begs leave to inform the ladies, that she has received by the ship Globe, from Havre, a fine assortment of fashionable goods; such as colored silks, and a magnificent choice of [illegible] articles for New Year gifts; such as [illegible] lace and embroidered handkerchiefs, shirts, rich bonnets, fans, &c., at 54 Chartres st., and corner of Bienville and Royal streets.

FRENCH HATS, BY WHOLESALE—Received by ship Emperor, from Havre, a large assortment of French Hats and Caps, men's and children's, for sale by THEODORE FROIS, 14 Carondelet st.

**At Albert & Tricou's Stores,** 37 Chartres st., corner Royal and St. Louis sts. NEW FASHION HATS—The first of the season just received, from Paris. ALSO—A large assortment of plain Hats and Caps, fancy Hats and Caps for youths, boys and infants, riding Hats for ladies.

HATS MADE TO ORDER, in the best style and manner, at the Hat Manufactory of ALBERT & TRICOU, corner Royal and St. Louis sts.

HATS, CAPS, &c.—100 cases now landing from ship Jersey, and in store for sale low by FROST & CO., 10 Magazine st.

HATS! HATS! HATS!—Now landing from ship Pacific, and in store a general assortment of Wool Fur, Silk, Leghorn and Moleskin Hats, for sale on liberal terms by JNO. M. GOULD & CO., 8 Magazine st.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS—300 cases of Boots, Shoes and Brogans, now landing from ships James Cook, Forest Prince, Andover and Jacob Small, for sale low by JNO. M. GOULD & CO., 8 Magazine st.

BOOTS, SHOES AND HATS—The subscribers have in store, received by late arrivals, 500 cases best quality Russet BROGANS, extra calf, sewed and pegged; 500 do seal and kip do; 500 do kip, calf and seal BOOTS; 300 do mud; 300 do [illegible] do for ditching; 500 do ladies', misses' and children's SHOES; 300 do silk and beaver HATS; 100 do wool and fur, soft, do. All the above is [illegible] and will be sold on liberal terms, by JOHN M. GOULD & CO., 8 Magazine st.

BOOTS, SHOES AND HATS—[illegible] cases now landing from ships [illegible], Highway, Charles Rathe, [illegible], James Cook and schooner E. S. Janes, for sale by I. HOBBS & CO., Successors to E. & I. Hobbs, 73 Customhouse st.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS—100 cases now landing from ship [illegible], and for sale by FROST & CO., 10 Magazine st.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS—[illegible] packages landing from ships [illegible], assortment in store, for sale by G. W. DURAND, [illegible]

[illegible] BOOTS, [illegible] and WOOL HATS, for sale by FROST & CO., 10 Magazine st.

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