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NEW ORLEANS:

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Amusements This Evening.

OPERA HOUSE—At noon, "La Dame Blanche," Evening, "Robert le Diable."

ST. CHARLES THEATRE—Miss Lydia Thompson troupe.—"Paris, or the Apple of Discord."

ACADEMY OF MUSIC—"The Gaiete Comique troupe—"Robinson Crusoe."

THE SENATORIAL CONTEST.

In a late issue we chronicled the existence of a fierce contest for the seat of Mr. J. S. Harris, present Senator for Louisiana in the Congress of the United States, whose term expires on 4th March next. This conflict may well be termed an irrepressible one from the character of the aspirants, the circumstances under which they meet and the determination which inspires them to win the race. Two other candidates have publicly announced themselves since our comments were made—Messrs. L. A. Sheldon and J. R. West. The former is at present a member of the House of Representatives, and the latter a member of our City Council. Gen. West is said to be trotted out by Warmoth. The contest, as will be seen from the names of the candidates, is entirely between nominees of the different wings of the Republican party, the Democrats abstaining from nominations entirely. All the signs forbode a fearful row before the thing is finally settled. Since the return of the oleaginous [illegible] from Washington, that wing of the party which rejoices in its extreme equality—"without reference to race, color or previous condition," and which musters under his broad pennant, has grown uncommonly bold and aggressive. They say the carpetbaggers have fed them on promises long enough—that they have "gone back" on all their covenants with them, and that while they (the colored element) have done all the voting, they have simply been thrown the scraps from the tables of the great Belshazzars of the party—Warmoth and his ilk—like dogs in the street. By turns they grow even more truculent and say that the cabalistic writing is already on the wall, pronouncing the early doom of these traffickers in the flesh and blood of their party. They say Warmoth is a swaggerer—that he tries to carry his points, and has carried them so far, by bullying and threats, but that his teeth are out and he can bite no more—that his patronage has been all dispensed already, and that every office he has given has made him ten enemies and one ingrate—that his reputed power is simply a scare-crow put up by his henchmen for effect—that he was beaten by Dunn in the last convention of the party, and has been lately check-mated at Washington by the same illustrious champion. They say the time has come when tales must be told and the people apprised of how Warmoth, Lee, McMillen and Company have robbed the State, and by their conduct in high places made the name of Louisiana a hissing and a bye-word with reputable people. They say the facts about the Levees, the Slaughter-house, the Jackson Railroad and the other gigantic wrongs they have perpetrated, must see the light and the people afforded some knowledge of the way in which these large fortunes were obtained with which they are striving to buy the Legislature into a fresh act of submission to their will. Such is the smart talk of Burch, Pinchback and others, field-marshals of their race in the Legislature. On the other hand, Warmoth, who has in the last day or two come to the front and taken active command of the carpetbaggers, is for the first time alarmed. The threat of investigation into his official conduct and that of his friends, with sly hints at probable impeachment, has taken the starch out of the Governor and put him on the defensive. The Democrats are urged to come to his aid, and the story goes that overtures are being made in all directions to the thirty-six Democrats in the Legislature to support him in this hand to hand contest with a section of his own party. Before falling in with these invitations we presume they will be closely examined and that Warmoth's past conduct will be reviewed for the purpose of ascertaining how far such a man can be trusted.

The Democrats know very well that overtures would not be made to them by Warmoth unless he were in a very tight place and needed their help. They will therefore consider how far it will be proper for them to listen to his proposals. It for the interest of the people of Louisiana to entertain these proposals, they will have it in their power to dictate terms. It is an opportunity when they can perhaps render a great service to their constituents. Let them not listen to evil suggestions, but be on their guard against the tempter.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE ACADEMY.—To-day will be a gala day for the little ones, for they can go and see Robinson Crusoe, in his own hut on his island home; make the acquaintance of Friday, the veritable goat, cat and monkey, and all the other comfortable arrangements with which Robinson surrounded himself. Then, besides, there is the grand olio performance, which affords ship-loads of fun.

THE ST. CHARLES.—Remember the matinee to-day, when the blondes will appear in all their glory. "Paris" will be withdrawn after to-day's matinee and to-night's performance, and the capital burlesque "Sinbad" substituted. As every one should see both, the opportunity should not be lost.

RAILROAD FROM NATCHEZ TO NEW ORLEANS.—An election was held in Adams county, Mississippi, on Dec. 20th, to determine whether or not the county should subscribe six hundred thousand dollars towards constructing a rail connection between Natchez and the New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroad. The subscription was approved by the following vote:

For railroad..............................1236

Against..48

Majority..................................1188

The Hon. W. B. Woods, Judge of the Circuit Court of the United States for Louisiana, is now holding court in Mobile. It is expected he will preside in the Circuit Court at New Orleans towards the end of January.

AN ESTEEMED FAVORITE.—"Brown's Bronchial Troches" have been before the public many years. Each year finds them in new localities in various parts of the world. The Troches are pronounced universally superior to all other articles used for similar purposes. For relieving Coughs, Colds, and Throat Diseases, the Troches have been proved reliable.

INFANTS.—Much suffering to these tender little buds of the human family might be allayed by using Mrs. Whitcomb's Syrup. See advertisement in another column.

Louisiana Intelligence.

OUACHITA PARISH.—The Monroe Telegraph of the 24th inst. contains these items:

N. L. & T. Railroad.—For the third or fourth time, we hear that this road has been leased to responsible parties who are to complete it at once; and we are inclined to believe, notwithstanding all former disappointments, that the rumored lease will be perfected, and the agreement understood to have been made, is [illegible] when it comes to signing the papers.

Lost.—No final transfer of the railroad has as yet taken place,—or had not up to Saturday, December 24. The chances are still doubtful.

Mr. H. B. Holmes has leased the Lilac place, below town, for next year, at $[illegible], which is about [illegible] per acre.

Though Mr. Sumner became very much excited in the recent personal debate in the Senate, he yet found occasion for facetiousness. At one time he declared that Chandler "had done him a great [illegible]" and he sought to rise now in his seat and acknowledge it." There has been no more delicate piece of satire during the present session; for, of course, Chandler was in his chronic state of [illegible] and couldn't get up. Sumner had him "on the hip."—*Chicago Times.*

BY TELEGRAPH.

To the New Orleans Bee.

THE FRANCO-PRUSSIAN WAR.

Prussians Badly Punished by a Sortie from Belfort.

Prussian Excesses at Orleans and Blois.

Duty of Bourbaki's Command.

Whole Number of French Troops 750,000 Men.

HOME NEWS.

Arrest of Embezzling Revenue Collectors.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Miscellaneous.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Bordeaux, Dec. 30.—A dispatch just received from Rocheseur, Yonne, 29th, reports the landing of a balloon from Paris, at that place, with intelligence that the Prussians on Wednesday furiously attacked Rosny, Nogent and Mont Avron. Some of their siege batteries were unmasked and an attempt made at regular bombardment, but the attack was repulsed with heavy loss to the enemy.

The morale of Paris is excellent.

A dispatch from Rocroi, 29th, says the French artillery at Mezieres prevented the Prussians from establishing their siege batteries.

Account received here (Bordeaux), show that both the Prussians and French troops suffered terribly from cold. Strong reinforcements have been sent forward to all points to replace the soldiers thus incapacitated. Vast quantities of material calculated to increase the comfort of the troops, have also been sent to the front.

It appears the Prussians committed excesses at Orleans and Blois, because the inhabitants, who have been ruined, were not able to meet their requisitions. At Orleans the Prussians threaten to take away as hostages 50 prominent citizens unless 600,000 francs are paid for the maltreatment of Prussian soldiers.

Versailles, Dec. 30.—Last night a detachment of Saxons advanced on Mont Avron only to find the works evacuated by the French, and the guns removed.

An attack will be made soon on the southeastern forts.

London, Dec. 30.—A dispatch from Belfort reports a successful sortie by the garrison in which the Prussians were badly punished.

From private sources, Tours estimates the entire number of French troops at 750,000 men.

Bourbaki's command is charged especially with the duty of revictualling Paris, and has already on hand a vast amount of live stock and provisions for that purpose. At the proper moment this army will make a desperate effort to join Chanzy's forces and reunite with the army of the Loire, which will then with great energy push on for Paris.

Gen. Palladine's reverse is now charged to meddling politicians, who persuaded Gambetta to interfere with his military operations.

Earl Granville has received an official dispatch from the French Government at Bordeaux, in which the French declare a determination not to send a delegate to the peace conference, to be held in London. The rulers of the British Government shall first recognize the Republic. A dispatch of a similar tone has been sent to each of the powers.

Advices from Madrid state that Gen. Prim has announced his determination to resign in person to King Amadeus, and pleads a desire to retire to private life.

Dispatches from Versailles state that the general evacuation of the departments east of Paris, which have been occupied by the German troops, still continues. It is thought this is being done in order to concentrate Prussian strength in and around Versailles.

London, Dec. 30.—Gen. Pettingeans has arrived at Havre from Bordeaux, to superintend the defense of that city. He was received enthusiastically by both the troops and citizens.

A dispatch from Bestnion says General Freskow has issued an order confining the population to the right bank of the river Doubs.

London, Dec. 30.—Dispatches from Stuttgart and Darmstadt announce the ratification of the federal treaties by the Chambers of Wurtemburg and Hesse.

London, Dec. 30.—The bark Benefactress, Eldred, master, from Yokohama, September 9th, for New York, was totally wrecked near the Cape of Good Hope. The crew were all saved.

The investigation into the cause of the loss of the Captain, has resulted in an order from the Admiralty for alterations in the British iron clad navy in the construction of the length and weight of the masts, and the use of concrete for ballast to be introduced into a cellular bottom.

London, Dec. 30.—A Prussian dispatch reports Colonel Baltzenden, commanding a detachment of six companies, two squadrons of cavalry and two guns, surrounded by the French near Montivrie, after a desperate fight, cut his way out, losing only 100 men and taking 30 prisoners.

London, Dec. 30—Evening.—The conference on the Eastern Question has been indefinitely postponed, as France has refused to take part—and the absence of one of the signataries of the treaty of Paris would render the meeting useless.

London, Dec. 30.—The Germans invested the Fortress of Peronne, in the Department of Somme, on Wednesday, after a sharp fighting.

Philip Hardwick, an English architect, is dead.

Liverpool, Dec. 30.—The steamer Holland from New York for Liverpool, touched at Queenstown yesterday, and proceeded to this port.

Bark Thusnelda, Captain Vorstatz, from Philadelphia for Bremen, is ashore at Langeroon. All the crew except three sailors were saved.

The Artesian from Philadelphia was spoken. She threw overboard 900 casks of petroleum during the voyage.

[NOTE.]—This vessel mentioned above is probably the ship Artesian, Capt. Smith, from New York, November 19th, bound for Rotterdam.

Rome, Dec. 30.—An overflow of the Tiber has flooded half the city and occasioned great damage to property.

Madrid, Dec. 30.—The Cortes has adopted a resolution expressive of horror at the attempt to assassinate Gen. Prim, and passed a vote of confidence in the Government.

Madrid, Dec. 30.—Gen. Prim is rapidly progressing towards recovery from his wounds. Several of the slight balls lodged in his shoulder have been extracted, and his condition is comfortable. He has, however, suffered the loss of two fingers.

Admiral Topete has assumed temporarily the functions of Gen. Prim as Minister of Foreign Affairs and was as well as the presidency of the council.

[illegible] has been appointed Minister of [illegible].

Madrid, Dec. 29.—Several battalions of national guards, who were residing in the Republican quarters of Madrid, refused to attend the review held Sunday in honor of the new king.

Serious disturbances are apprehended.

Madrid, Dec. 29.—Information obtained from papers shows that the conspiracy for the assassination of Gen. Prim was extensive. Members were sworn to exterminate the enemies of the Republic. The number of [illegible] on the ground that [illegible] the advocates of [illegible] prevailed. Lots were drawn for the selection of three persons to [illegible] Prim. It is said [illegible] in possession of [illegible] which [illegible] have [illegible]. There were some [illegible] who [illegible] the people [illegible].

[illegible]

To-day [illegible] and other [illegible].

Berlin, Dec. 30.—The King telegraphs the Queen from Versailles that the [illegible] of Fort Avron [illegible] the railway station at [illegible] and the French artillery at [illegible]. The garrison of [illegible] into Paris.

Bucharest, Dec. 30.—A new Servian Ministry has been formed with Prince Ghika at its head.

Copenhagen, Dec. 30.—The harbor of Copenhagen is blocked with ice.

FROM NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 30.—Herald's special: Havana, Dec. [illegible] de Cuba, dated [illegible] Spanish troops [illegible] instruments [illegible] armed with [illegible] Bassett, a [illegible] village [illegible] south [illegible], opposite the [illegible] at the [illegible] of the harbor. They forced a small detachment of defenders to retreat, and killed nine persons, including two women. They decamped after sacking everything from the village.

The Moro fired twice at the party, but ineffectually. As there were no boats to carry troops over, those which were sent to intercept the rebels arrived too late. On entering the village they found the corpses of the victims partly baked in a horrible condition. The rebel President Cespedes was in the jurisdiction of Santiago.

A brig had arrived at Santiago bringing a report that the filibuster steamer Hornet passed Inagua on the 18th, followed three hours later by a British steamer.

It is rumored here (Havana) that the Hornet has entered the Bay of Nipe and landed the expedition.

New York, Dec. 30.—*World's* special:

London, Dec. 30.—It is officially announced that Bismarck was asked by Washburne, if Favre could have safe conduct to the conference.

Bismarck, however, objected.

Fortescue has been appointed President of the Board of Trade.

Marquis Hartington has been appointed Secretary for Ireland. Other Cabinet changes are contemplated.

German reinforcements now on the way to France number 150,000 men.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Col. Dayton, of Gen. Sherman's staff, has resigned.

The census returns from 1060 counties show a colored population of 1,507,011, against 1,441,402 in 1860, an increase of a little over 4½ per cent., but leaving out the northern counties included above, the increase is a little less than 3 per cent. The smallness of the gain in this population is considered surprising.

Receipts of customs for the week ending the 17th inst.—total, $9,000,000.

The revenue office has advice of the arrest of ex-Collectors Tullis and Glenn, of Texas, for embezzlement.

A dispatch hence to the *Tribune* says, Senator Abbott, of North Carolina, announces his intention to contest the election of Gov. Vance to the Senate upon the ground that he received the votes of a majority of those who are legally qualified as members of the Legislature. It is being charged that there are a number of persons holding seats who are disqualified under the Fourteenth Amendment.

Washington, Dec. 30.—In compliance with request and official advice from Mayor Emery, John H. Surratt has indefinitely postponed his lecture in this city.

MISCELLANEOUS INTELLIGENCE.

Richmond, Dec. 30.—The ice in the river has put a stop to navigation. The steamer Niagara, from New York, got within 20 miles of the city to-day, but was forced to return to City Point and discharge her cargo, to be sent thence to Richmond by rail.

San Francisco, Dec. 30.—Charles Dill, who shot and killed Charles F. Fisher, in Sacramento two weeks ago, while Fisher was beating him over the head with a heavy cane for paying attention to his (Fisher's) daughter, has been discharged from custody on the ground that the homicide was an act justifiable in self-defense.

Five car loads of seal skins from Alaska and 14 car loads of China and Japan teas were shipped eastward yesterday.

The mouth of the Columbia river is free from ice and the steamer George S. Wright left yesterday for Vancouver with a company of soldiers.

Charles Reed, station keeper, James Lytle, stage driver, and Lourney, a cook, were murdered on Christmas eve at the Mission Camp stage station, near Tucson, Arizona, and Miss Reed was shot, but not killed, by a party of Sonorians, who plundered the place, shot a teamster on the road, and escaped over the border into Mexico.

Pittsburg, Dec. 30.—The Marshall House, at the West end of the wire bridge over the Allegheny River at Franklin, Penn., took fire this morning. The flames communicated to the bridge, and the cables soon becoming red hot parted from anchorage, precipitating the bridge structure into the river. About 200 persons were on the bridge at the time. Wm. N. Farmer, Mrs. McIntyre and Mary McIntyre, the wife and daughter of the toll-keeper, who were engaged in removing furniture on the bridge, were fatally injured and bodies recovered.

Geo. McIntyre, John and Alex. McCartney, John Menage and two unknown persons were seriously injured. Wilford Kilgore, Freight Agent of the Allegheny Valley Railroad, is supposed to have been buried in the ruins, as he was known to be on the bridge. The bridge was nearly accorded and cost $30,000. The Marshall House cost $6000. No insurance on either.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 30, 4:30 P. M.—Cotton closed quiet and unchanged; sales to-day 12,000 bales, including 3000 for export and speculation.

Official figures given to-day show that the stock of cotton heretofore has been largely over-estimated.

London, Dec. 30, 4:30 P. M.—Consols closed unchanged. American Securities firmer.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

New York, Dec. 30.—Gold closed very strong; opened 110¾; few sales; 110⅝. Governments advanced about ⅛. Southerns dull except Tennessees.—Tennessees 64¼; Virginias 67; new 63; Louisiana 6s, 70; new 64; Levee 6s, 70¼; 8s, 84; Alabama 8s, 100¼; 5s, 70; Georgia 6s, 81; 7s, 91; North Carolinas 45; new, 23¼; South Carolinas 86; new, 63¼.

New York, Dec. 30—Evening.—Cotton closed quiet; sales 3000 bales; middlings 15½c. Flour quiet and unchanged. Whisky dull, 94½@95c. Wheat unchanged. Corn scarcely firm—new 75@78c. Pork heavy and irregular—old $19@19 50; new $19 75 @20. Beef steady. Lard heavy—kettle 12¾@13¼c. Turpentine strong 47½@48c. Freights firm.

RIVER NEWS.

Vicksburg, Dec. 30.—Passed down—John Howard, 8 last night; Henry Ames, 7 A. M. Passed up—Belle Yazoo, 9 A. M.; Frank Pargoud, 1 P. M. River rising. Weather clear and pleasant.

Memphis, Dec. 30.—Weather clear. Mercury 45. River falling. Ice still heavy, but thinning out. A number of boats started for Cairo.

Passed up—Republic, Lockwood, Labarge, Indiana and Bellis.

FROM SOUTHWEST PASS.

Southwest Pass, Dec. 30.—Barometer 30:10. Weather calm.

No arrivals or departures.

FROM PASS-A-L'OUTRE.

Pass-a-l'Outre, Dec. 30.—Weather calm and cloudy.

Arrived—Spanish bark Sunrise, Borg, master, 10 days from Matanzas, in ballast to P[illegible] Bros. No departures.

[Previous Dispatches.]

San Francisco, Dec. 29.—Sixty thousand pounds of powder was exploded on the Blue Point Gravel gold mine this afternoon. Gold bearing earth, two hundred feet square and seventy-feet deep, was lifted twenty feet and completely shattered. This was the greatest mining blast ever fired in California.

New Haven, Dec. 30.—A meeting of the stockholders of the Home Insurance Company have discovered that the stock has never been over $400,000, though nominally $16,000,000. The company's statement in 1869 made a false report. The present indebtedness of the company exceeds the assets $300,000. Agents have been notified to stop insuring.

Memphis, Dec. 30.—John Bell Crockett, a grandson of David Crockett, was found murdered on his trading boat at Island [illegible]. The boat had been plundered. No clue to the murderers.

St. Louis, Dec. 30.—Vehicles of all descriptions are crossing on the ice above the piers.

Boston, Dec. 30.—Col. Thomas E. Chickering's residence burned. Cause, overheated furnace.

New York, Dec. 30.—The Tammany Hall General Committee met last night to arrange for the reception of the recently liberated Fenian prisoners, whose arrival [illegible] daily expected. [illegible] immediately [illegible] amount [illegible] be raised to $50,000.

The French Democratic Central Club held a mass meeting last night in the Cooper Institute, to express sympathy for France. Gen. [illegible] Bartlett, ex-Minister to Sweden, [illegible] and August [illegible]. Victor [illegible], Vicomte Dubois [illegible] and John Mitchell were Vice Presidents. [illegible] were made and resolutions adopted expressing sympathy for the French Republic.

Baltimore, Dec. 30.—John H. Surratt, after lecturing last night, was arrested by revenue officials on the charge of not having paid his license as a tobacco dealer two years ago. The object of the arrest, it is supposed, was to prevent his lecturing in Washington. He was bailed in the sum of $[illegible].

New York, Dec. 30.—A row of eleven two-story buildings were burned this morning in Brooklyn, leaving twenty-two families homeless.

Paris, Dec. 29.—The French Consul [illegible] island of Jersey has ordered all [illegible] to report to headquarters [illegible] otherwise they will be [illegible] as deserters.

The French have resolved to defend Cambray at all hazards. It is stated that there are 3000 Prussians at St. Quentin, twenty-five miles south of Cambray.

Bordeaux, Dec. 29—Evening.—Gambetta's presence here has given great impetus to military preparations. Troops [illegible] being forward rapidly, and new forces and [illegible] have been sent to the [illegible].

[illegible] continues to circumscribe [illegible]

[illegible] is moving eastward [illegible] the Prussian lines [illegible]

[illegible] sent a strong column [illegible] driving the Prussians out of [illegible] and taking many prisoners.

[illegible], Dec. 30.—The Prussian Government [illegible] a note to the English Government [illegible] they will give indemnity bonds [illegible] the owners of the British vessels destroyed to impede navigation on the Seine, but declines to compensate the sailors for the harsh treatment accorded them.

Receipts of Cotton at New Orleans—Crop of 1870-71.

The following table shows the receipts proper, in bales, of the new or incoming crop of cotton at this port, from September 1st, 1870, and subsequent aggregated receipts to date, together with corresponding receipts of the crop of 1869-70, as compared with those of 1870-71:

1870.		Crop '70-'71	Crop '69-'70	Difference.
From Sept. 1 To Nov.	1.	128,642	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	2.	132,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	3.	134,130	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	4.	136,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	5.	140,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	6.	147,462	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	8.	151,500	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	9.	162,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	10.	167,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	11.	178,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	12.	182,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	13.	184,751	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	15.	197,319	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	16.	204,345	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	17.	207,814	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	18.	212,819	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	19.	219,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	20.	223,910	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	22.	231,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	23.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	24.	241,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	25.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	26.	254,330	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	27.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	28.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	29.	279,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
To Dec.	1.	288,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	2.	294,365	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	3.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	4.	308,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	6.	316,304	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	7.	326,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	8.	331,561	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	9.	346,410	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	10.	357,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	11.	361,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	13.	370,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	14.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	15.	39[illegible],502	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	16.	402,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	17.	412,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	18.	414,505	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	20.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	21.	432,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	24.	4[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	26.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	27.	4[illegible],741	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	28.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	29.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	30.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
..	31.	[illegible],719	[illegible]	[illegible]

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

French Benevolent Association of Jefferson City—An Interesting Ceremony.—Our French compatriots of Jefferson City who organized themselves about a year ago for benevolent purposes, had a most interesting celebration on Thursday last, the occasion being the presentation and blessing of a banner and two standards, the gift of the ladies of Jefferson City to the Association. At an early hour of the day expectation was on tip-toe, the members of the society and the ladies of their families, preparing for the ceremonies appropriate to the transfer of the flags from the donors to the recipients.

The society numbers upwards of 80 members, and includes nearly all the French residents of Jefferson city—now the Sixth District of New Orleans. It was incorporated on November [illegible], under a constitution and by-laws, setting forth the motives and objects of the organization and providing for their being carried into effect. The objects are the same as those pursued by similar societies and are sufficiently described when we say that it is to extend to each other mutual assistance whenever circumstances call for the exercise of the same. Among the original members were the following citizens: Messrs. Raymond Pochelu, Jean Marie Rey, A. Cazabat, Paul Esteben, Silvain Verges, P. L. Boulocq, Laurent Fleury, B. Guerre, Pierre Artigue, Pascal Survat, D. Pochelu, and others.

At an early hour on Thursday, which had been set apart as a holiday, all the members of the society and their families, they assembled at the residence of their esteemed President, Jean Marie Rey, corner of Louisiana Avenue and Annunciation street. Here a band of music was in waiting to accompany the procession which was to be formed there and to march to the residence of Mr. [illegible] Esteban, on Apollo street, where the flags and banner were to be presented. After paying their respects to Mr. Rey, the society took up the line of march by way of Magazine, Eighth to Apollo street. The presentation ceremonies having been performed by Miss Clotilde Esteban, the beautiful daughter of Mr. Esteban, one of the prominent members of the Society, and a committee of reception by President Rey, accompanied by suitable addresses, the procession moved by way of Louisiana Avenue and Magazine street to St. Stephen's Church, Jefferson City, where the benediction of religion was to be pronounced upon the emblems of the society, and the members of the association. Here the Reverend Father Mandin delivered an eloquent and forcible address, in which he charged them concerning the duties they had assumed; and invoked the blessings of Heaven upon the holy work which the Association had pledged themselves to perform, concluding with the consecration of the standards. These consisted of the banner which had been prepared by the ladies of Jefferson, inscribed with the name of the society and the date of its incorporation, the national standard of France and the national standard of the United States. All these were of silk, edged with gold fringe, and of the most gorgeous description both in material and work. At the altar as sponsors were Miss Clotilde Esteban, in the character of godmother, and Mr. Ernest Pochelu, in that of godfather. The ceremonies at the Church being concluded, the procession re-formed and moved by way of Napoleon Avenue and Tchoupitoulas street to the residence of their first Vice President, Mr. Raymond Pochelu, to whom they paid their respects, winding up the day at the residence of their present President, Mr. J. M. Rey, nothing having occurred to mar the pleasure of the occasion which [illegible] the society together.

The procession was exceedingly imposing and well conducted all through the day.

Fire.—A fire broke out about four o'clock Thursday morning in a [illegible] on the corner of St. Charles and Washington streets, owned by John Shay and occupied by Mrs. Tinney. The building and contents were totally destroyed. The fire was supposed to be the work of an incendiary. The property was insured.

The Steamship Robbery Case.—This case was continued yesterday, the prosecution concluding their evidence, and the defense opening. The latter examined several witnesses, the object being to show that the man Harry, so much spoken of in connection with the case, is the real guilty party. That Abraham Leopold bought the goods from Harry in good faith, and sold them to Leopold & Oppenheimer at a good round profit, checks corroborative of the transaction being produced in evidence. Quite a scene was produced in court in consequence of an attempt to impeach the integrity of the arresting officer, Sergeant Malone. The attempt was a total failure, the witness not being able to verify their private statements when put upon the stand. The case was continued over to Wednesday.

Police Steamer.—A neat little steamer, carrying an engine of ten-horse power, built by Mr. John Mahoney, for the use of the Harbor Police, has been launched and will make her trial trip this afternoon.

Steamboat Shooting.—Morris Gibbs, mate of the steamboat Wild Wagoner, was arrested yesterday evening on the arrival of the boat, on the charge of having shot and dangerously wounded a deck-hand named Edward Roy. The occurrence took place at a wood yard, near Bayou Sara. Gibbs is locked up at the Central Station, and the wounded man is in the Hospital.

Died of his Injuries.—The man who was injured in the collision between the tug Reliance and the steamboat John Kyle on Thursday night, has since died in the Charity Hospital.

Burglary.—The residence of Gov. Warmoth was entered on Thursday night by some of his friends, who managed to abstract several articles of value before being frightened off by the Governor's favorite black and tan.

Another Greenhorn Taken In.—About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon the celebrated Jimmie Owen, trouper, at Dryades street, came trooping to the Central Station, escorted by men in blue, and accompanied by a very forlorn-looking knight, bearing the countenance of a bewildered and repentant [illegible] dealer from the wilds of Texas. His story runs upon the books of the station, that the unfortunate horse dealer was green enough to allow himself to be enticed into Lizzie's den, and while enjoying the enchantments of the place became minus the nice little sum of $600. He accuses one Sarah [illegible] of the theft, but very properly the whole establishment were arrested. James Gilmore, which is the name of the unfortunate, will scarcely ever see enough of that pile to buy a cocktail. Experience is a dear school, but fools will learn at no other.

No. 68 Sold Down.—Recorder Houghton done the business men of St. Charles street and mankind in general great service yesterday, by sending James Flynan, the proprietor of the notorious den known as 68 St. Charles street, before the Criminal Court on the charge of keeping a disorderly house.

First District Court.—In the case of William Johnson, the colored boy, convicted of manslaughter by shooting and killing a boy named Nicholas Ryan, at the corner of First and Dryades streets, a new trial is granted to the accused.

The Grand Jury entered a new true bill against Pierre Martin, Jean Capdeville, James Sayers, Edward Malone, Mat Hogan, Frank Post, alias Frank Thompson, and one Bennett, charging them with breaking and entering the store of Messrs. A. Rochereau & Co., in the night time, armed with dangerous weapons. The former true bill having a flaw in it, a nolle prosequi was entered, and this morning the new bill filed by the Grand Jury. The Grand Jury was finally discharged this morning.

A fac-simile, with the French text translated into English, of one of the Paris journals, of the kind sent from the city by balloon-mail to friends outside, is published. It is printed in condensed form on a single leaf of thin paper, about 8 by 6, and sells for 10 centimes per copy. The title of this miniature journal is *Lettre-Journal de Paris, Gazette des Absents.*

FROM WASHINGTON.

San Domingo Again.

The *Tribune's* Washington correspondent telegraphs that those Senators who decided after the speech of Senator Sumner on the San Domingo resolutions and the Senate which followed it, to attempt to remove the Massachusetts Senator from the chairmanship of the committee on foreign relations, have generally come to the conclusion to abandon the undertaking. First, because it is impracticable of accomplishment, and second, because they are satisfied that Sumner is the most capable man in the Senate for the position. Heretofore a majority can so arrange matters as to bring treaties and other like subjects before the legislative sessions, and thus prevent them or such of them as Sumner opposes from going to the foreign committee. Many of the most Radical administration Senators are satisfied from the words of Sumner, which have been repeated to them, that he is not opposed to the general foreign policy of the President, and that he said much in the excitement of debate which he did not intend to say, and which he regrets. He does not express any animosity against the President and he intends to give all the administration measures a fair and cordial support.

Senators Sumner, Schurz, Morton, Patterson, and another member of the committee on foreign relations, had an interview with Secretary Fish at the Department of State this morning.

Alabama Claims.

A new step is about to be taken in the matter of the settlement of the Alabama claims. The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations held a meeting to-day at the State Department to discuss the proposition made by the President to Congress in the annual message for the appointment of a commission to receive, examine, and audit the claims of Americans arising from the depredations of the Alabama, Shenandoah, Florida, etc. These claims are now filed in a rough state, unsupported by detailed evidence, at the Department of State, and amount to fifteen millions of dollars.

It is thought that through a proper examination the aggregate as claimed may be reduced one-half. The committee will probably frame a bill for the action of Congress. The authorization of such a commission, however, will have nothing to do with the negotiations to be continued at London for the payment of the claims by Great Britain; they of course will be continued.

GERMANY AND ENGLAND.—The feeling of Germany towards England is one of the most unaccountable phenomena of the situation. It fills the press, it is testified to by all tourists in Germany, and the English correspondents at Versailles declare that everybody, from King William to the smallest private soldier, says England is responsible for this war. Every wounded German believes he has been shot with an English rifle. Every widow and orphan in Germany blames England for the sad bereavement. There is no use in reasoning with them about it. England ought to have declared war against France. The fact that nearly all England blamed France and sympathized with Germany at the outbreak of the war, seems to have made not the least difference in German feeling. Well, this unreasonableness of Germany has probably had something to do with the reaction here, for to-day the feeling is more decidedly for France almost, than it was at first for Germany. A great French victory would now be welcomed with almost universal rejoicing. Everywhere England condemned France, she waited; but there would be little pity for the Germans, they have been so insolent in their strength, so cruel in their good fortune.—*London Cor. N. Y. Times.*

David Dudley Field, one of the ablest lawyers in New York, is said to have received as counsel for the Erie Railroad Company alone, in a single year, upwards of $[illegible]00.

The total receipts of cotton in the United States the present season, up to the 23d instant, were 1,[illegible] bales, [illegible] showing an excess of [illegible] thus far.

MONETARY AND FINANCIAL.

FRIDAY, EVENING, Dec. 30, 1870.

The Money market continues gradually to relax and most borrowers are now [illegible] accommodations readily at the banks. [illegible] the negotiations [illegible] nearly all the approved paper [illegible] at bank, and we hear of several considerable transactions at our quotations. To-day, [illegible] $10,000 secured by A1 collaterals was done at 10 per cent. per annum. We quote 10 per cent per annum on 30, 60 and 90 day [illegible] for A1 paper; [illegible] per month for A1 notes secured by unquestionable collaterals and 12@18 per cent per month for A1 paper without collaterals, and 10@11 per cent per annum for A1 mortgage notes, and 12@14 for second grade.

The Germania National Bank declared a dividend of 10 per cent. from the profits of the past six months, payable tomorrow (the 31st.)

Gold opened at 111@111⅛ (against 110⅜ at New York) and closed at the opening rates, [illegible] 110⅞, [illegible] 111⅛. Sales: [illegible] at 111⅛ [illegible] $10,000, $10,000 and $10,000 at 111⅛; $70,000 at 111⅛; [illegible] at 111⅛ [illegible] $3000 at 111⅛.

The Silver $6000 in American half-dollars sold at 109⅛. It is quoted at 109@109⅛ for American silver, and 1@1⅛ per cent. premium in gold for Mexican dollars.

The offerings of Foreign Exchange were not large, but with the decline in Domestic and the withdrawal of several of the leading buyers from the market until after the first, rates were weak and, notwithstanding the slight improvement in gold, closed [illegible] lower. Sterling commercial bills. [illegible] The transactions traced [illegible] £10,000 bills of lading at 119½; £30,000 bill of lading and clean at 119⅛@119½; £20,000 bill of lading and clean at 119½@119⅛; £7000 at 119⅛@119½; £3000 bill of lading [illegible] £4000, £5000 and £4000 A1 clear at 119¼; £2000 first class at 119⅜, and £3000 private at 119⅛. On France 500,000 commercial sold at 4.77 and 60,000 at 4.75. Sterling 60 days [illegible] quoted at 119@119⅛ for good to A1 bill of lading and clean [illegible] for bank.

The market was better supplied with Domestic Exchange and rates ruled lower. The banks supplied the remittance demand for sight drafts on New York at ¼ @⅛ cent. discount, and the business included $25,000, $15,000, $15,000 and $20,000 bank sight on New York, $50,000 bank and commercial, $10,000, [illegible], $10,000, $10,000 private, $40,000 private [illegible] and $7000 and $10,000 commercial at ¼ discount, $6000, $10,000, $20,000, $15,000 and $20,000 commercial at 7-16 and $10,000 and $10,000 commercial sight and $10,000 one day sight at ¼.

Some of the banks drew gold checks on New York at ⅛ cent. discount.

Late last evening 100, 100 and 100 shares Slaughter-house stock changed hands at [illegible], and to-day 100 at [illegible] net, and 100 at [illegible], and 100 Barbarin's Gas Light Co. at $110.

Nothing reported in Bonds.

$900 Fiscal Agency Certificates (July 16) with interest sold at 80; a small amount of new (small) State Warrants at 73, and $2000 Metropolitan Police at 87. Yesterday, not reported, $5000 of the latter sold, in small lots, at 88. Dealers bought new State at 71@74 and new Metropolitan Police at 97@97½, and asked for the former 72@75 and for the latter 98@[illegible].

A lot of $1000 City Treasury Notes changed hands at 26¾ per cent. discount, and $300 (yesterday) at 23¾. Dealers' rates for small sums were 25@26 per cent. discount buying and [illegible] selling.

We quote:

Louisiana State Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mechanics' and Traders' Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Canal Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Union Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Citizens' Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bank of New Orleans	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Southern Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Merchants' Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Crescent City Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bank of America	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Germania National Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Louisiana National Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Peoples' Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hibernia Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lafayette Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Louisiana Savings Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Teutonia National Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Insurance Company	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mechanics and Traders' Ins. Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Canal	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Valley Navigation Company	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mississippi Valley Levee Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Steamship Freighting Co. (old)	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mechanics' and Agricultural Fair Association	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Louisiana State Lottery Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sugar Shed Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Loan and Pledge Association	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jackson Sulphur Mine Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Barra Barra Copper Mine	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Barbarin's Gas Light Company	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Charles Hotel	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Opera House Association	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Polk County Copper Mine	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Bonded Warehouse	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pontchartrain Railroad	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Carrollton Railroad	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jackson Railroad	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
N. O. City Railroad	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Charles Street Railroad	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Crescent City Railroad	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Canal and Claiborne St. R R	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Orleans Railroad	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Levee Steam Cotton Press	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gas Company	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Louisiana State Sixes of 1866	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Louisiana State Sixes of 1870	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Louisiana State Sixes (old)	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
State Penitentiary Sevens	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
State North Louisiana and Texas Railroad	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
State Levee Sixes	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
State Levee Eights	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Consolidated City Bonds	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Railroad City Bonds	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
City Five Per Cents	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
City Seven Per Cents (old)	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
City Seven Per Cents (new)	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
City Ten Per Cents	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
City Floating Debt Certificates	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
City 7-30 Certificates	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jefferson City Bonds (old)	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jackson Railroad First Mortgage Bonds	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jackson Railroad Second Mortgage	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jackson Railroad Consolidated	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jackson Debt Bonds	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Charles Hotel Mortgage	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Opelousas Railroad Bonds	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mortgage Bonds	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

*With dividend.

COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE BEE, FRIDAY EVENING, Dec. 30, 1870.

COTTON.—The sales to-day summed up [illegible] bales at irregular prices, closing rather firmer than last evening. We now quote low ordinary at 11@11¼c, ordinary [illegible], good ordinary at 12¾@13¼c, low middling at 13½@14c, middling at 14¼@14½c, strict middling at 15@— and good middling at —@15¼c.

The market opened with a fair inquiry and the supply on sale being limited, factors were enabled to realize fuller prices, good styles low middling readily commanding 14c, and strict 14¼c; and as high as 14¼c, but later in the day, especially after the receipt of the Liverpool telegram, reporting a decline of 1-16d, the advantage was more on the side of the buyers, and the closing quotations as above, showed no material change from yesterday except in raising the figures for low middling ¼c.

The sales for the past three days, including [illegible] addition to yesterday's report, sum up 25,100 bales, making a total for the week of 35,900, against 37,500 last week, and 53,400 the week before. Week's receipts [illegible], embracing [illegible] from other delivery ports and [illegible] proper, against [illegible] last week, and 43,405 last year. Receipts proper since August 31, 508,719 bales, against [illegible] last year. Week's exports [illegible] bales, embracing 17,565 to Liverpool, 3031 to Antwerp, [illegible] Barcelona, [illegible] to Genoa, [illegible] to Vera Cruz, 919 to Boston, 2260 to New York and [illegible] coastwise.

COTTON STATEMENT.

Stock on hand Sept. 1st, 1870—bales.........[illegible]

Arrived since [illegible] statement......[illegible]

Arrived previously.......................[illegible]

Cleared to-day.......................[illegible]

Cleared previously......................[illegible]

Stock on hand and on shipboard—bales......[illegible]

To-day's exports embraced 6281 bales to Liverpool, [illegible] to Barcelona and 251 to New York. We had added to the previous exports 508 bales forwarded to Mobile per Chattanooga Railroad. Receipts proper since last evening's statement 7707 bales, against [illegible] last year, making an aggregate since Friday evening of 35,512 bales, against 41,095 last week, and 43,405 last year, and since August 31, 508,719 bales, against 445,639 last year.

SUGAR.—Received to-day [illegible] hhds. The demand is fair, but it is restricted by the landing being so blocked up as to prevent delivery. Prices are unchanged, and we quote 6@6¾c for inferior; 6¾@7¾c for common, 7¾@8¾c for fair, 8¾@8⅞c for good fair, 8⅞@9⅛c for fully fair, 9⅛@[illegible] for prime, [illegible] for seconds and centrifugal, [illegible] for yellow clarified, 11¼@12¼ [illegible] for white. The market [illegible] open kettle Sugar.

MOLASSES.—Received to-day 1560 bbls. The demand has shown less activity, and prices are easier, though without any decline. The supplies were sold at 35@40c for inferior and centrifugal, 50@55c for common, 56@57c for fair, 58@61c for prime, 62@63c for strictly prime to choice, and [illegible] for choice.

TOBACCO.—We have no movement whatever to report in this article during the past [illegible] week. Quotations are nominal. Receipts past three days 2 hhds; exports; stock 5025 hhds.

FREIGHTS.—Foreign freights exhibit no variation. Under a good demand for cotton room, rates rule steady and firm. Coastwise, the steamer rate on cotton has dropped to ⅜c. We quote: cotton to Liverpool, ⅝d, sail, ⅝d, steam; Amsterdam, sail 11-16d; Hamburg, sail 11-16d; Bremen, sail 11-16d; Antwerp, sail 11-16d; Genoa, sail 1¼c; New York, steam ⅜c; Philadelphia, ⅜c. Sugar to New York, $6 50. Molasses $3; tallow to Liverpool, sail 7s 6d; flour to do 5s; oil cake to do 30s@35s.

FLOUR.—As usual, at the close of the month, the demand has fallen off, but the market is firm, with a scarcity of double extra and the grades below. Superfine is quoted at $5 50@5 75; double extra $5 90@6; treble extra $6 12½@6 25; choice treble extra $6 50@6 75, and choice and family extra $7 25@8 per bbl. Only a few small sales were made to-day at these prices. Receipts exceeding 160 bbls.

RYE FLOUR.—Some 12 bbls sold at $5.50 per barrel.

CORN.—Is in light supply and demand. 1500 sacks were sold to-day, of which 500 yellow and 800 mixed at 80c; 100 yellow, 70c white and yellow at [illegible] bushel.

OATS.—The demand is limited, with a light supply on the landing; 300 bushels choice St. Louis sold at 54c ⅌ bushel.

BRAN.—Is in light supply and firm; 300 and 600 sacks sold at $1 [illegible] ⅌ 100 lbs.

HAY.—Is scarce, and prices have advanced. About 800 bales were sold at 3000 lbs of which 50, 150, 200 and 200 prime at $[illegible], and 50 choice at $[illegible] ⅌ ton.

DRY SALT MEAT.—A lot of 30 casks shoulders sold at 8c. Rib sides are quoted at 9½c, clear sides 11¼c. The stock is light.

BREAKFAST BACON—In good supply. Western [illegible] 16c ⅌ lb.

PORK.—The market is quiet. To-day an advance is offered at $21 @ arrive, 100 bbls prime, and mess held on the spot, at $21 50. Last evening 100 bbls mess, sold to arrive, at $21 50, and 25 old, over weight, condemned, at $21 25 ⅌ bbl.

LARD.—The stock is light and the market is firm. [illegible] tierces steam-rendered sold at 11¾c, and 500 kegs prime at 13¾c ⅌ lb. Tierces are quoted at 12¼@12¾c; kegs 13¾@14c ⅌ lb.

BACON.—The stock is light, but the demand is limited, and prices are nominal. Shoulders are quoted at 12½c, clear rib sides 13½, clear sides 13¾c. Sugar-cured hams 19@[illegible]c.

WHISKY.—The market remains unchanged. The supply is limited, and with a fair demand prices are steady and firm. Rectified $1 05 ⅌ gallon for good proof Indiana, and $1 05@1 07½ for Cincinnati. Bourbon $1 [illegible] $1 25 for patent and $1 50@3 for pure.

COFFEE.—The stock in first hands is considerable—3000 bags ex-Kate Agnes. The demand is good and prices are firm at 15¼@16¼c for ordinary, (gold duty paid), 16¼@16¾c for fair, 16¾@17c for good and 17¼@17¾c ⅌ prime.

RICE.—Texas Beef is in fair demand. The supply is [illegible] at [illegible]; we quote mess [illegible] at $15 ⅌ bbl and $[illegible] tierce; clear $15@[illegible] ⅌ bbl and $17@17 50 ⅌ tierce. India mess $25 ⅌ tierce.

COTTON SEED.—Good local demand at $12@[illegible] per ton—sacks returned.

COTTON SEED CAKE—No export demand, manufacturers shipping on their own account. The quotations are $25@30 and $[illegible] per ton of 2000 lbs.

RICE—The demand for Louisiana rice is fair and prices are steady. We continue to quote; common 5c, [illegible] ordinary, 6c, prime 7c, choice 8c ⅌ lb, as to market, in first hands.

ESCULENTS.—Potatoes are selling on the levee at $3 50@4 ⅌ bbl for Western; Apples at $[illegible] ⅌ bbl; Sour Krout at $9 ⅌ bbl, and Cabbage at $[illegible] per crate, according to size; Onions are very dull and are quoted nominally at $1 50@3 50 ⅌ bbl.

BEANS—Western white are selling at $3 @7 50, and Northern at $[illegible] ⅌ bbl.

DRIED APPLES—Dull at 8@9c ⅌ lb.

POULTRY AND EGGS.—Western Chickens are selling on the landing at $4@5 50 per dozen, Geese at $8@10 and Turkeys at $15@20 ⅌ dozen. Western Eggs are in more than ample supply and very dull at 15@16c per dozen for limed and 20c for fresh.

LARD OIL—Winter strained $[illegible] per gallon.

BUTTER—Choice is in fair supply and demand at 30@32c ⅌ lb for Western, and 42@44c for Northern. Roll Butter [illegible]c ⅌ lb. We have no change for the better to notice in the poorer qualities. The market is overstocked with them, and they are almost entirely neglected.

CHEESE—Choice Western factory and Reserve are in light supply and good demand at 15½@16c ⅌ lb for the former and 14@14½c for the latter. English dairy dull at 17@17½c ⅌ lb.

SUNDRIES—Pigs-feet are selling at $2 90 @3 ⅌ keg, Spare-ribs $15@16 ⅌ bbl, and Pigs Tongues [illegible] ⅌ lb.

CORN MEAL—Continues scarce and in request, at $3 25 ⅌ bbl for kiln-dried on the landing, and $3 50 from store.

TALLOW—Texas rendered is in demand for export, at 8@8½c ⅌ lb.

SALT—The demand is good and prices are steady. We quote dealers' rates for new delivered $1 65@1 70 per sack for coarse, $1 90@1 95 for fine; old Salt sell and [illegible] less than the foregoing. When large lots are taken at warehouse by boats a deduction is made for drayage. Turk's Island Salt dull and nominal at 35c, ⅌ bushel. Table Salt in pockets, 4 to 8c.

Cattle Market.

NEW ORLEANS, December 31, 1870.

Arrived during the past week—2458 Texas Beeves, 274 Calves and Yearlings, 1605 Hogs, 271 Sheep and 23 Milch Cows.

[illegible] Texas Beeves, [illegible] Calves and Yearlings, [illegible] Hogs, 1267 Sheep and 8 Milch Cows.

[illegible] on sale—1749 Texas Beeves, 278 Calves and Yearlings, 772 Hogs, 2287 Sheep and 28 Milch Cows.

Western Beeves, corn fed, ⅌ lb net	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Texas Beeves, choice, ⅌ head	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Texas Beeves, corn fed city fed	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Texas Beeves, 1st quality, ⅌ head	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Texas Beeves, 2d quality, ⅌ head	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Texas Beeves, 3d quality, ⅌ head	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hogs ⅌ lb gross	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock Hogs ⅌ head	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sheep, 1st quality, ⅌ head	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sheep, 2d quality, ⅌ head	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sheep, 3d quality, ⅌ head	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Milch Cows (choice) ⅌ head	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Milch Cows, ⅌ head	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Texas Cows, with Calves, ⅌ head	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Yearlings, ⅌ head	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Calves, ⅌ head	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Goats, ⅌ head	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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Invalids, broken down in health and spirits by Chronic Dyspepsia, or suffering from the terrible exhaustion which follows the attacks of acute disease, the testimony of thousands who have been raised as by a miracle from a similar state of prostration by Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, is a sure guarantee that by the same means you too may be strengthened and restored. But to those who stand in peril of epidemics, to all who, by reason of exposure, privation, and unwholesome climate or unhealthy pursuits, may at any moment be stricken down, this paragraph is most particularly and emphatically addressed. You, who are thus situated, the safeguard against sickness, the danger that menaces you. Tone and invigorate the system with this harmless medical stimulant, the alterative, and you will be prepared against the maladies which make their inroads in the air around. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters are not only a standard Tonic and Alterative throughout the United States, but they are accepted by the certificates of the most distinguished citizens of the Union, to the people of all other lands. In Canada, Australia and the West Indies they are [illegible] place of all other stomachics, whether native or foreign, and as surely as truth is progressive and demonstration overthrows doubt, they will eventually supersede every other Invigorant and Restorative now employed in medical practice.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE Copartnership heretofore existing between Mr. Fini & A. Simon, under the style of FINI & SIMON, ceases from this day by limitation. Mr. Fini [illegible] charged with the liquidation, and [illegible] of the firm FINI & SIMON, in liquidation.

New Orleans, December 30, 1870. FINI & SIMON.

For Sale.

ONE of the [illegible] CRESSES, will [illegible] SHOOKS [illegible] situated in the [illegible].

For particulars, inquire at the [illegible] Office, [illegible] & CAMBON, [illegible] Old Levee.

[illegible] Bank of Louisiana, December 27, 1870.

THE annual election for ten Directors of the Bank, to serve the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House on MONDAY, January 2d, 1871, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. [illegible], Cashier.

New Orleans Canal and Banking Company, New Orleans, December 24, 1870.

AT a special meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, a semi-annual dividend of FIVE per cent, was declared payable to the Stockholders on the 3d MONDAY of January next. CH. JUMONVILLE, Cashier.

[illegible] Robert E. Lee Monumental Association, New Orleans, Dec. 28, 1870.

NOTICE is hereby given that books of subscription to the capital stock of the Lee Monumental Association, are to be found at all of the Banks, Banking Houses and Insurance Offices in the city.

Office New Orleans and Carrollton Railroad Company, New Orleans, La., December 23d, 1870.

AT a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, a dividend of FIVE PER CENT. was declared payable on and after the 3d of January, 1871. [illegible] McBRIDE, Secretary.

153 DR. CRANE, 153 MEDICAL INSTITUTE.

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Bank of America, New Orleans, December 19, 1870.

AT the annual election held yesterday, the following gentlemen were elected Directors of this Institution, to serve for one year: J. M. FORTIER, W. B. SCHMIDT, [illegible], [illegible] FERNANDEZ, [illegible], [illegible], DAVID JAMISON.

And at a meeting of the Board, this day, AM. FORTIER was unanimously re-elected President. J. H. PASCAL, Cashier.

Auction Notice.

THE undersigned begs leave to inform his friends and the public that he has taken a License as Auctioneer for the City of New Orleans, and will devote his time and attention to the Sales of Real Estate, Stocks, Bonds, Port Warden's Sales, Furniture, and all out-door sales. Having been connected with Auctions in this city for twenty-five years, he hopes that his experience will be appreciated by the public. His office will be at 38 Gravier street, [illegible] his friends his [illegible] on St. Louis street, for the purpose of [illegible] Auction Sales, three times a week, [illegible] Office 38 Gravier street, [illegible] MAURICE BARNETT.

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Office Algiers [illegible] Company. [illegible] CAMPBELL, New Orleans, December 27, 1870.

IN conformity with the requirements of the Charter, an election will be held at the office of the Company, on MONDAY, the 2d of January next, between the hours of 10 and 1 o'clock, for nine Directors, to serve for the ensuing year. [illegible] H. F. CANTIER, President.

Crescent City Bank, NEW ORLEANS, December [illegible], 1870.

THE annual election for Thirteen Directors of this Bank, to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House on MONDAY, January 2d, 1871, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. CHAS. FAVRIE, Jr., Cashier.

Pontchartrain Railroad Company. New Orleans, [illegible].

THE annual election for Seven Directors of this Company, for the ensuing year will be held on MONDAY, January 2, 1871, at the Office, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. W. T. [illegible], Secretary.

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Office New Orleans and Carrollton Railroad Company, New Orleans, La., Dec. 24, 1870.

THE annual election for Directors of this Company will take place at the office on MONDAY, January 9th, 1871, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 1 P. M. [illegible] P. McBRIDE, Secretary.

Office Jefferson and Lake Pontchartrain Railroad Company, New Orleans, La., Dec. 24, 1870.

THE annual election [illegible] Company will take place at the office on MONDAY, January 9, 1871, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 1 P. M., at the office of the Company, No. 17 [illegible] street. P. McBRIDE, Secretary.

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Have a large Stock of Good things for the CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR HOLLIDAYS. FRENCH VEGETABLES—in Cans, direct and in paper parcels. LIQUORS—Of finest brands and quality. WINES—Champagne, claret, etc., &c., etc., and in fact all that the finest [illegible] and [illegible] taste pride can wish for.

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St. Louis Church of New Orleans, Secretary's Office.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Pewholders of the Church of Saint Louis, as well as any others, that the Pews will be sold [illegible] SUNDAY, 1st January, 1871, at the sacristy, for the purpose of [illegible] at the [illegible] hour, at the principal door of the Church, [illegible]. Pews at former prices, and all Pews not rented and paid for on above specified date, shall be [illegible] to others. [illegible], Secretary.

AMUSEMENTS.

St. Charles Theatre.

THE LYDIA THOMPSON TROUPE. Day and Evening, "PARIS," SATURDAY, Dec. 31st, Matinee, and Evening, and Grand Farce of NAN THE GOOD FOR NOTHING. SUNDAY EVENING—The long [illegible] Sinbad, with Harper [illegible] [illegible] Grand [illegible] Year [illegible].

French Bazaar.

IN order to complete certain arrangements calculated to greatly facilitate the delivery of the prizes, the drawing of the GRAND LOTTERY is postponed until the first day of January. FELIX LABBE, President.

For Sale.

THE Large SUGAR PLANTATION known as the Olivier & Woods place, situated on the Bayou Terre aux Boeufs, in the parish of St. Bernard, having a [illegible] arpents front by [illegible] arpents in depth on each side of said bayou, and containing about 2300 arpents, of which about 800 are in cultivation, and 1500 in heavy cypress timber. There is now on the place 100 arpents of plant cane and 150 arpents of first year ratoons, a large sugar house with steam mill, and everything necessary to take off a large crop, large stables for 80 mules, a large dwelling house, overseer's house, a large [illegible] for [illegible], and [illegible] outbuildings, also in good order. There is also on the plantation 52 mules, [illegible] oxen, [illegible] the necessary farming utensils, including cane and wood carts, [illegible] of [illegible]. The above plantation is offered for sale, to be delivered 1st January, 1871, with plant cane enough to plant 100 arpents, and as much more as the purchaser wishes, at the current market value, if spoken for in time. This place is free from overflow from the Mississippi River, and the land known to be as productive as any in the State. WM. H. [illegible], 26 Peters street.

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A HOUSE forming the corner of Clio and Carondelet streets, south side, [illegible], built with cypress wood, bricks, [illegible] slate roofed, cemented, [illegible] throughout, divided into two, having [illegible] rooms below and four above, attics with closets, pantries, galleries and balconies, and attic windows. The kitchen contains two rooms below with two above, and two rooms above, [illegible].

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THIS Roofing consists of a foundation of strong canvas, manufactured expressly for the purpose, saturated and coated with an elastic water-proof composition. This, when coated with the Asbestos Roof Coating, forms a strong elastic covering with a smooth surface of stone which is proof against burning cinders or coals. It is adapted to all climates and is the only composition roofing which will withstand the heat of the tropics. It is used for all kinds of roofing, including Cars and Steamboats, and Factories where the roof is liable to damage from cinders. It is insured by Insurance Companies at same rate as tin roof.

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NOTICE TO THE STOCKHOLDERS —OF THE— New Orleans, Canal and Banking Company.

THE STOCKHOLDERS of the New Orleans Canal and Banking Company are hereby notified that in pursuance of a resolution of the Board of Directors, adopted November [illegible], 1870, a meeting of the stockholders of the said company will be held at the office of the said company, in the Second District of the city of New Orleans, in the State of Louisiana, on Thursday, the 12th day of January, 1871, [illegible] at 11 o'clock A. M., which will be adjourned from day to day, and continued over until the [illegible], and every day thereafter until [illegible] day of July, 1871 inclusive, to take and decide the question and decide

1. Whether or not they accept the benefits and provisions of an act of the Legislature of Louisiana, approved March 16, 1870, entitled "An Act extending the charter of the New Orleans Canal and Banking Company, and the duration thereof for twenty-five years, and authorizing the reduction of its capital stock to one million of dollars."

2. Whether or not the said capital stock shall be reduced to one million of dollars.

The said act [illegible] to is in the following words and figures, viz:

[No. 72.]

AN ACT extending the charter of the New Orleans Canal and Banking Company, and the duration thereof for twenty-five years, and authorizing the reduction of its capital stock to one million of dollars.

SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana in General Assembly convened, That the charter of the New Orleans Canal and Banking Company granted by the act entitled "An act to incorporate the subscribers to the New Orleans Canal and Banking Company," approved March 5, 1831, be and the same is hereby extended for the term of twenty-five years, from the thirty-first of December, eighteen hundred and [illegible]. [illegible] eighteen hundred and seventy, and the thirty-fourth section of said act of incorporation is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "That the company hereby incorporated and their successors and assigns, shall be, and are hereby created a corporation, by the name and style of the New Orleans Canal and Banking Company, and shall so continue until the first day of December, in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-five; and by that name shall be able to contract, sue, receive and [illegible] all kinds of property, movable and immovable; and to lease, negotiate, grant and dispose of the same; to make use and [illegible] and to establish such by-laws as may be convenient, provided they are not contrary to this act or to the Constitution of laws of the United States or of this State."

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, etc., That it shall be lawful for the New Orleans Canal and Banking Company, by resolution of its board of directors, to reduce the capital stock of said company to one million of dollars, provided that such resolution shall be submitted to the holders of the stock of the said company at a general meeting of stockholders to be called according to law, or by any special meeting called for the purpose, and approved by the [illegible] of said stockholders; that after the [illegible] and considering the [illegible] to reduce the same.

SEC. 3. Be it further enacted, etc., That nothing in this act contained shall be held to construct or extend or grant, to the said Canal and Banking Company any other than the banking privileges to be contained in the original charter and its subsequent amendments, and all the rights under the charter shall be [illegible] on the said [illegible] capital stock of said company, and [illegible] New Orleans Canal and Banking Company shall be subject and [illegible] to the operations of the [illegible] under the laws of this State.

(Signed) MORTIMER CARR, Speaker of the House of Representatives. OSCAR J. DUNN, Lieut. Governor and President of the Senate. Approved March 16, 1870. (Signed) H. C. WARMOTH, Governor of the State of Louisiana. A true copy. GEO. E. BOVEE, Secretary of State. By order of the President and Directors, CH. JUMONVILLE, Cashier.

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