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New Orleans, 27th Dec. 1845.

ED. CLAGUE, No 36 Old Levee—*Importer of Hams and Produce, Tobacco, Sugar, Coffee, &c.* f20

WILLIAM DAVIDSON & CO., COTTON FACTORS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, 81 Canal. a10

WM. MURE, BRITISH CONSUL, 10 Munson's Buildings, cor Royal and Canal sts.

PATOUT BROTHERS—*Importers of Fancy Goods, French, English and German*, corner Chartres and Toulouse streets. f3

F. F. BOURNON, SURGEON DENTIST, corner of St. Louis and Burgundy streets. Office open from 6 to 8 A. M. and till 3 P. M. n11

FRANCIS CTO. BERCIER.

J. BERCIER & Co., COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND GROCERS, 45 Old Levee, have constantly on hand fresh Groceries, Wines, Liquors, &c. at moderate prices. n10

AD RINCK—PORTRAIT PAINTER, respectfully informs his friends and the Public that he has removed to No. 30 between Canal and Custom House. j12

COMMISSION HOUSE.
TO Northern and Western Merchants.
THE undersigned have on hand and are constantly receiving from the interior and Northern States, New England, Boots, Shoes and Brogans, which will be sold at very low prices for cash, they being the sole agents for the large establishment of the best Tanneries in the country, and have constantly on hand a prime assortment of LEATHER.
N. B.—Cash advances on LEATHER and WESTERN PRODUCE.
DOWLEIER & WHALEY, Commission Merchants,
Lea A Bowker 21 and 22 Pearl street, Boston.
Joseph B. Whaley
REFERENCES:
Messrs. Jos. Whitney & Co., Boston.
Joseph M Jones, Esq., Boston.
Messrs. Spofford Tileston & Co.,
Shepherd Knapp, Esq., New York.
Messrs. C. Benjp & Co.
Messrs. Baldwin Harnitz & Read, Philadelphia.
Messrs. Poland, Jenkins & Co., Baltimore.
Messrs. Friend, Humphrey & Co., Albany. p20

J. N. DE PALOS,
PROFESSOR OF MODERN LANGUAGES, AUTHOR OF A SCIENTIFIC PRACTICAL METHOD OF TEACHING THE FRENCH AND SPANISH LANGUAGES.
HIS instructions are invariably attended with success, and persons who have studied by any other system, and have failed to attain the necessary knowledge, can become perfect in either the French, Spanish, English or Italian languages by the true method of J. N. de Palos.
Terms per Month.—Pupils in Classes, lessons three times a week of one hour's duration $8 each. One pupil do $12, payable in advance. Gentlemen wishing to join any of Holiday or Evening Classes, are requested to enter their names at his office No 14 Exchange Place, where he will be found from 9 o'clock in the morning until 1 P. M. and from 4 to the evening until 8. f4

MILITARY NOTICE.
THE members of the YAGER BAND, respectfully inform the public of New Orleans that they have formed themselves into a band to be known hereafter as the NEW ORLEANS BRASS BAND, and having provided themselves with a new and splendid uniform, are prepared to furnish music for military and civil parties and Parties, Serenades, &c. &c.
Application at Mr John Lindner's music store, No 47 Chartres street; Mr B Cavey's corner of Dominique and Levee; at Mr Hopf's, leader) No 257 Conti street, will receive prompt attendance. j21—3m

Orchestra for Balls.—Mr F. Legendre, Leader of the Orchestra at the St. Louis Ball Room, and Washington Battalion Armory, offers his services for Balls, Weddings, Parties &c. &c.
Mr Legendre will execute the latest quadrilles and most fashionable waltzes.
His terms will be very moderate.
Apply at No 284 Dauphine street, or at the offices of the above Ball Rooms. j30;3m

FRENCH SHIRTS.
ST LOUIS STREET, BETWEEN ROYAL AND BOURBON.
MADAME J. HENRY, from Paris, has the honor to inform the gentlemen of fashion in New Orleans, that she has just arrived, and has established a depôt for the special purpose of Shirt making to order and by measure. Having been honored with the confidence of the beau monde Parisian, she trusts to obtain the patronage of the Orleanais, as well by the excellence of her work, as the moderate price of her shirts, made of the materials the most fashionable, viz: every kind of Embroidery, but particularly upon Cambric, velvet, and satin.
Madame Henry is now in possession of some beautiful patterns, and will take a gentleman's measure for a shirt, and warrant a good fit. f3—1y

DENIS COUTEAU, *Merchant Tailor*, No. 35 Old Levee street, corner Bienville, has the honor to inform his friends and the public that having secured the services of Mr. Perot, so advantageously known in this city as a cutter, he is therefore enabled to make every kind of clothing to their order in the most fashionable manner, which cannot be surpassed. His prices are very moderate.
He takes the pleasure to inform his numerous friends that he will receive every article of goods the following spring, as received by his agents from Europe and the North Parties, viz: Cloths, Pantaloons, Waistcoats, Shirts &c. j19—3m

MR. JACQUES LAROSE informs Sugar Brokers, Merchants &c., that he places at their disposal the steamboat WAVE, Captain A. Tassbury, for the transportation of Sugar and Molasses. For arrangements, apply to J. LAROSE, 71 Old Levee st. d11

DE COMMUNY SURGEON DENTIST.
DR. DUPERRON has the honor to inform the citizens of New Orleans that, having given up his office to Dr Communy, he trusts that those persons who have heretofore confided in him with their confidence will continue to extend it to his successor, who is fully merited by his skill and surgery.
Dr. E. Communy informs the public that his office will be open from 6 o'clock A. M. to 4 P. M. at No. 280 Bourbon street, between Main and St. Philip. d22

DUFFAU & Co have the honor to inform the Public that they have bought from Mr Brosse the stable situated No 116 Bourbon near St Louis street, like their predecessors, they will take care of horses and vehicles, and will hire out saddle and riding vehicles at very moderate prices.
Mr Duffau will, as heretofore continue his profession of Veterinary Surgeon and Horse shoer, at No 141 Royal street, and undertake also to sell or buy horses. f3—6m

NOTICE.—The undersigned has the pleasure to be certainly that a large quantity of SAYER of the very best quality, is daily sold or sent into the country by some unscrupulous dealers and other petty retailers, who, by fraudulently using my name, as well as empty jars, bearing my seals and labels, takes this method of informing the country merchants and consumers of this fact, in order that from now on they may not be deceived again by this most unpalatable fraud.
N. B.—From this day, the labels bearing the name of my house and the designation of the quality of the snuff, will be printed under the cover of the jars, and no longer pasted on the outside as heretofore.
A. DELPIT, No. 168 St. Louis st.

TO CAPTAINS OF VESSELS.—Masters of Vessels will find a boat in readiness to tow their vessels up down the Coast to take in cargo, or from one part of the port to another, by applying at the First Municipality Steamboat Wharf opposite the Public Square.
The boat is constructed expressly for towing and has sufficient power to move the largest class of ships. Steam will be used when the weather is such as to give immediate attention to orders. Terms most liberal.
Agency Sun Mutual Insurance Company.
NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 13, 1845.
THE SUN MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK, in pursuance of their Charter, closed their accounts on the fourth of last month, and after paying all their losses, including those of the great fire on the 19th of July last, have remaining in good assets, $675,338 00. Since then the premium notes and cash received for risks taken, exceed $180,000, which added to the above, make a fund of at least $780,000.
Since the 4th of last month, the parties doing business with the Company, do not share, in any way, with the losses of the preceding year, which, with the means above stated, the undersigned believes, present more than ordinary protection and inducements to persons desiring insurance.
Policies against the perils of Fire, Rivers and Seas, continue to be issued by L. MATTHEWS, Agent,
corner of Camp and Common sts.

MUTUAL INSURANCE.
THE General Mutual Insurance Company of New York having assumed and taken over the unexpired risks of the Ocean Mutual Insurance Company of this city (which Company has gone into liquidation) are prepared to insure against Fire, River and Marine Risks, at the late office of the Ocean Insurance Company, No 45 Camp street, on the most favorable terms.
The General Mutual Insurance Company have a large capital well invested; they have paid back to the persons who have insured with them 92 per cent of their premiums, during the past three years, in scrip, bearing six per cent interest, payable annually; and as the business of the Company is conducted altogether on the mutual principle—that is, dividing among those who pay the premiums the entire profits of the office—as large a dividend as is paid by any other mutual office may be confidently expected from their future operations.
This Company offers the additional advantage to those who insure with them, of paying their losses either in New York or New Orleans, at the option of the assured.
ADAM BRIGGS,
JOHN L. OGDEN, } Agents.
Office No 38 Camp street. e10-1y

STEEL LEAD AND IMPROVED PATENT LEAD PIPE.—The undersigned continue to manufacture his improved London Pipe, and solicits the attention of Plumbers and others to the same. This pipe affords great facility for the conveyance of water from long distances, either from springs or by pumps from streams, and merits the notice of residents in the country, and of the city establishments. It can be made of any size, from one-fourth to four inches diameter, as may be desired, and affords decidedly the cheapest material for the purpose.
Orders for the above will be filled and attended to by application to the manufacturer.
W. W. THOMPSON, St. Louis, Mo.,
Agents in New Orleans,
CHARLEY & DIX, 71 Poydras st.
e22—1y.

NOTICE TO AGENTS.—THE BOSTON, Capt. Hall, and the Ambassador, Capt. Ayres, of the Packet Line of Boston Packets, arrived by ship Brazil, and have discharged their cargoes of Ship STEAM FLOUR, and highly particulated, that the Agents of the Ambassador, ORNAMENTAL FLOUR, viz: Fancy Brands of Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Baltimore, Georgetown, Richmond, Petersburg, Alexandria, Fresh Peach, Peach to Peach, Apple, Virginia, Baltimore, Orleans and a variety of Southern Flour.
f4 ROBT. CHARTRON, STREET.

CLARET.—For family use; 50 cases Claret, 10 do Medoc, 10 do Sauterne, 25 do Rhenish Wine, 25 do Schiedam Peppermint, London, for sale by
BUG. BOSSIERIEAU & Co.,
f7 Tremé St. St. Louis st.

Saturday morning, Feby. 28, 1846.

Our Foreign Relations.

So numerous and diverse have been the various propositions made to both branches of Congress for the settlement of the Oregon controversy, that it is no easy matter to keep the run of them. That our readers may be well advised of the exact state of the question in the Senate, to which the debate is now transferred, we subjoin the resolutions under discussion in that body:

1st The Joint Resolutions presented by Mr. ALLEN, as Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations, and which runs thus:

"*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That in virtue of the second article of the Convention of the 6th of August, eighteen hundred and twenty-seven, between the United States of America and Great Britain, relative to the country westward of the Stony or Rocky Mountains, the United States of America do now think it fit to annul and abrogate that convention, and the said convention is now entirely annulled and abrogated: *Provided*, That this resolution shall take effect after the expiration of the term of twelve months from the day on which due notice shall have been given to Great Britain of the passage of this resolution. And the President of the United States is hereby authorized and required to give such notice; and also, at the expiration of said convention, to issue his proclamation setting forth that fact.

2nd. The substitute offered by Mr. CRITTENDEN, which, after reciting the provisions of the Convention of 1827, continues as follows:

And whereas, it has now become desirable that the respective claims of the United States and Great Britain should be definitely settled, and that said territory may no longer than need be, remain subject to the evil consequences of the divided allegiance of its American and British population, and of the confusion and conflict of national jurisdictions, dangerous to the cherished peace and good understanding of the two countries:

With a view, therefore, that steps be taken for the abrogation of the said convention of the sixth of August, eighteen hundred and twenty-seven, in the mode prescribed in its second article, and that the attention of the Government of both countries may be the more earnestly and immediately directed to renewed efforts for the settlement of all their differences and disputes in respect to said territory:

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby authorized, at his discretion, to give to the British Government the notice required by its said second article for the abrogation of the said convention of the sixth of August, eighteen hundred and twenty-seven: *Provided, however*, That, in order to afford ample time and opportunity for the amicable settlement and adjustment of all their differences and disputes in respect to said territory, said notice ought not to be given till after the close of the present session of Congress.

3d. The resolutions of Mr. MANGUM, which, are identical with those of Mr. KING, submitted in the House. These resolutions recommend arbitration, but say that mode of settlement has been peremptorily and unconditionally declined by the Executive, the Senate will not probably be pressed to a vote on Mr. Mangum's proposition.

4th. The House Resolutions, which are of course, familiar to our readers.

The first of these resolutions is a naked proposition to give the notice provided for by the Convention of 1827. It confers no discretionary power whatever on the President, devolves no responsibility upon him, treats him as the mere instrument of the will of Congress, and is bold, brief and abrupt in character. It embodies the views of the ultra members of the Senate. We think that it cannot pass. Arrayed against it will be found the entire Whig phalanx, Mr. CALHOUN, Mr. MCDUFFIE, Mr. CONQUITT and probably Messrs. HAYWOOD, BENTON and WESTCOTT. Mr. CRITTENDEN's resolutions are milder, more conciliatory and may be considered a *basis* whereon between the unconditional proposition of the Committee, and the opinions of that small fraction of members who are invincibly opposed to giving the notice. These resolutions defer the notice until after the session of Congress and do not specify any time for its promulgation, thus vesting in the President a wide authority and an unlimited discretion. A powerful effort will be made to obtain their adoption, and we should not be surprised either at their passage in their present form, or at the incorporation of their leading principles in the House Resolutions. From the sentiments already expressed by one or two Southern Senators—friends of the administration—it may be reasonably expected that some such course will be pursued.

The debate being still in full progress, and nearly every Senator intending to develope his opinions on the subject, the final vote is not likely to be taken before the end of March or beginning of April.

Seat of Government.

Our report of the House will show that after a severe struggle, Baton Rouge has been fixed upon as the future Seat of Government. A strong effort will be made to prevent that choice from being permanent, by endeavoring to refuse appropriations for building a State House, &c.—with what success remains to be seen.

PETER PARLEY.—We have been requested to invite the Principals of the Public Schools, and the heads of our Orphan Asylums, as well as the Teachers of the Private Seminaries in our City to visit Mr. Goodrich, this day, with the children under their care, from 12 to 3 o'clock, at the residence of Alfred Hennen Esq., No. 38 Royal street;

We would also remind "Mothers with their Children," of the *like* invitation extended to them by the Committee of the *People's* Lyceum, and of the citizens generally.—(See advertisement.) We understand that Mr. G will probably address his visitors during the above hours. We trust and believe that the fair daughters of Louisiana will throng to visit PETER PARLEY, Jr. Mr. Hennen's to-day.

JAMAICA.—We are indebted to Capt. Dunton, of schr *Callao*, arrived last evening from Jamaica, for papers from that city up to the 5th February. We could find nothing of any importance to our readers in the papers we have perused.

☞ We think it exceedingly likely that by to-day's mail we shall receive later European news, not merely because both the *Massachusetts* and *Cambria* are fully due, but because we had yesterday an almost invariable precursor of foreign intelligence in the shape of a mail failure.

CHOCTAW EMIGRATION.—The Vicksburg *Intelligencer* of the 23d instant, says:—A party of Choctaws, about 300, "Bogue Chittos," are encamped near the plantation of Col. Hebron, about nine miles from this City, where they were met by Gen. Armstrong, preparatory to the delivery of their scrip and land patents. Another party, 600 "Six Towns," crossed the Big Black on Saturday. This party has requested Gen. Armstrong to deliver their scrip and patents to them near the plantation of Gen. Dunlap, about eight miles from this city, in Louisiana. A third party, about 150 "Yoko Nooknies," are on the road, near Canton, and will reach the main Emigration before it leaves this vicinity. The Indians are in excellent health and are anxious to reach their homes in the West.

These Indians are under the care of Col. H. N. Barstow, Contractor for the Emigration and Col. Geo. W. Clarke, U. S. Agent. These gentlemen entertain sanguine hopes that the remainder of this tribe will emigrate the present year.

RATS.—The Mobile *Herald* of Thursday says: A man by the name of John Hutchisson, was brought up yesterday and examined before R. D. Wiggins, Esq., on the charge of committing a rape on the person of one Mrs Mahala A. Smith, at Spring Hill, on the night of the 21st inst. He was committed for trial at the next Criminal Court.

FROM NASSAU.—By the schr *Nathan H. Hall*, Capt. King, the editors of the Charleston *Evening News* have received a file of Nassau papers to the 7th of February. The only item of interest they contain is the following:

NASSAU, Jan. 31, 1846.

The brig "Tuscan" of Ellsworth, Maine, from Thomaston, bound to Charleston, S. C., with a cargo of lime, experienced a very heavy gale on the 18th inst., and the following morning was discovered to be on fire. Every precaution was taken to prevent the progress of the fire, and the vessel arrived in this port on the 28th inst., nine days after the accident occurred. She has been scuttled, and efforts are now being made to raise her. Her cargo is of course a total loss, and the vessel, we apprehend, will be found to be seriously damaged.

BOGUSLAR.—A friend of ours from Emanuel County, informed us the other day, that during the late thaw, a hole of water was left in the Ohoopie, all the rest of the creek having dried up. This being the only water for many miles around, every inhabitant of the finger resorted to it for water. Our friend visited it on uncertain occasion, to see whether it had dried up or not, and found seven large turkey hens, a gobler, a very large buck, and a large little buck, all dead near the edge of the water. Many of the hens had visited the place, and will tender to their lords and masters. It is thought by many, that the gobler died of the effects of the poison, that they all drank, but the other hens, on seeing their lords and masters dead, ventured to die. *Telegraph.*

A [illegible] following from a late [illegible] Dr. Venable, of Mobile, [illegible] and one dozen of the [illegible] Dr. Venable [illegible] for [illegible] Union [illegible] to have a [illegible] the [illegible] Dr. Venable [illegible] Union [illegible] Dr. Venable [illegible] Union [illegible] Dr. Venable [illegible] Union