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ED. CLAGUE, No 36 Old Levee—*Importer of Havana Produce, Tobacco, Sugar, Coffee, &c.* 1-29

WILLIAM DAVIDSON & Co, Cotton Factors and Commission Merchants 81 Canal. m10

WM. MURE, BRITISH CONSUL, 10 Musson's Buildings. 1-29

TAYLOT BROTHERS *Importers of Paints, Oils, French, English and German*, corner Chartres and Bienville streets. 1-3

F. E. BOURGEOIS, Surgeon Dentist, corner of St. Louis and Burgundy street. Office open from 8 o'clock A M until 6 P M. m11

F. BERCIER & Co., Commission Merchants and Grocers, and Grocers' Gold Levee, have constantly on hand Groceries, Wines, Liquors, &c., at moderate prices. 1-29

D. RINCK, Portrait Painter, respectfully informs the Ladies and the Public that he has removed to the rear of No. 20 between Canal and Custom House streets. p12

COMMISSION HOUSE.

To Southern and Western Merchants.

THE subscribers are on hand and are constantly receiving from the best manufactories in New England a large and well selected assortment of BOOTS, SHOES and BROGANS, which they offer at very low prices for cash; they solicit the orders of their agents.

They are also agents for several of the best Eastern manufacturing and have connections on hand, to the extent of many thousand dollars, which they will dispose of on favorable terms.

N B—Cash advances on Leather to Western Produce agents and dealers.

DOWLER & WHALL, Commission Merchants.
LEVI A. DOWLER, } 21 and 22 Front street, Boston.
JOSEPH B WHALL, }

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Joseph Mason, Esq. }
Messrs Spofford Preston & Co. } New York
Shepard Knapp, Esq. }
Messrs C. N. Gregg & Co. } Philadelphia.
Messrs Baldock Bevanline & Read, Philadelphia.
Messrs Poland, Jenkins & Co. Baltimore.
Messrs Ferrel Humphrey & Co. Albany. 1-29

J. S. DE PALOS,

MODERN LANGUAGES, At their own or Scholars' residence.

EXCLUSIVE PRACTICAL METHOD OF TEACHING THE FRENCH AND SPANISH LANGUAGES.

A limited number of scholars attended with success. Circulars to be had at the store of Mr. Bernard, French and Spanish Bookseller, 3 doors above the Exchange, Canal street, where Mr. De Palos will be found from 9 o'clock in the morning until 1 P M and from 3 to 5 P M. 1-29

MILITARY NOTICE.

THE members of the EAGLE BAND respectfully inform the public of New Orleans that they have formed a NEW ORLEANS BRASS BAND and have engaged several of the most celebrated musicians in the country to form a new and splendid organization in perfect accordance with the times. In order to obtain employment for the Band Parties, Serenades, &c. &c.

Orders can be left at Mr. John Landis' restaurant, Camp street, corner of Gravier. Mr. B Gray can be found at the store of Mr. Hall, Camp street, where all orders will be punctually attended to. 1-29

ORLEANS THEATRE.

Engagement of the celebrated Violinist Mr. Ole Bull, and the whole of the orchestra of the St Louis Theatre, by the kind permission of Mr. Caldwell, on Monday, March 2d, 1846, will be performed a Grand Concert, in which Mr. Ole Bull will perform several of his most favorite pieces. Mr. Lecocq will assist on the violoncello. Conductor Mr. Wikgren.

Boxes and seats will be ready for delivery at the theatre on Monday morning, from 10 o'clock to 12 M. Doors open at half past 6 o'clock, and the concert to commence at half past 7 o'clock precisely. m2

FRENCH SHIRTS.

No. 1 LOUIS STREET (Exchange Alley) NEW ORLEANS.

MADAME J. HENRY, late of Paris, has the honor to inform the gentlemen of this city and New Orleans, that she has just received the latest fashions of the season, and a special assortment of Embroidery, to order and for inspection. She also begs to call the attention of the ladies to her Corsets, which are unrivalled for elegance and comfort, and which she warrants to be the excellence of her work, as she has been long and favorably known in the first circles of Paris. She attends likewise to the cutting and making of ladies' dresses, in the newest and most fashionable manner.

Widows' weeds on short notice—Mourning Shirts, &c. &c. m2-1m

DENTISTRY.

DR. JAMES C. DEAD, *Surgeon Dentist*, has removed to Camp street, corner Bienville, where he has the honor to inform his friends and the public that having secured the services of Mr. Peck as assistant, he is prepared to execute all orders in his profession, to which he respectfully solicits attention, and hopes, from his long practice and strict attention to business, to merit a liberal share of public patronage. m10

He has the pleasure to inform his numerous friends and the public that he has removed to the corner of Camp and Common streets, where he will be found ready to attend to all calls in his profession. m10

MR. JACQUES LAMONE informs Sugar Brokers, Merchants &c. that he places at their disposal on the steamboat Alert, Captain A. Tamboury, for the convenience of Sugar and Molasses. For arrangements apply to J. LAMONE, Old Levee. m11

DR. E. COMMY'S SURGEON DENTIST

DR. DUPERRON has the honor to inform the citizens of New Orleans that, having given up office to Dr. Commy, he trusts that the persons who have favored him with their confidence will continue to call at No. 5 Bienville street, between Main and St. Louis. 12-

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ARRIVAL OF THE CAMBRIA.

THIRTY-ONE DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

The mail of Saturday morning brought us full accounts of the European intelligence received by the *Cambria*, and which is justly regarded as eminently important. Through the efforts and enterprize of a number of New York, Philadelphia and other papers, her advices were brought by express from Halifax, so that they absolutely reached Boston before the steamer herself. This advantage was, however, lost between Boston and Hartford, and consequently the express arranged between the *N. Y. Herald* and *U. S. Gazette*, between Boston and New York, arrived first and the *Herald* boasts largely of having distanced all its contemporaries.

The news *in extenso* occupies only seventeen mortal columns of the *Herald*. We shall endeavor to give as complete a summary as the pressure of our advertising columns will permit.

The meeting of Parliament, and the Queen's speech, and the remarks of Sir Robert Peel and Lord John Russell in relation to the foreign affairs of Great Britain, particularly with the United States, are a very favorable complexion to the Oregon question.—*Sir Robert and Lord John condemn the course pursued by Mr. Pakenham on the Oregon question, particularly his refusal of the offer of Mr. Buchanan, without submitting it to the consideration of his government.*

Lord John Russell has expressed his decided disapproval of the increase of the Army and Navy.

Trade was pretty active. The Cotton market was in *statu quo*. This is ascribed to the lightness of monetary affairs.

Parliament assembled on the 22d January, and was opened by the Queen in person, with the following speech:

My Lords and Gentlemen

It gives me great satisfaction to meet you in Parliament, and to have the opportunity of returning to your counsels that advice.

I continue to receive from my allies, and other Foreign Powers, the strongest assurances of the desire to cultivate the most friendly relations with this country.

In concert with the Emperor of Russia, and through the success of our joint mediation, I have succeeded to adjust the differences which had long prevailed between the Ottoman Porte and the King of Portugal, and had seriously endangered the tranquility of the Peninsula.

For several years a desolating and sanguinary warfare has afflicted the States of the Rio de la Plata. The commerce of all nations has been interrupted, and acts of barbarity have been committed, unknown to the practice of civilized people. In conjunction with the King of the French, I am endeavoring to effect a pacification of those States.

The Convention concluded with France, in the course of last year, for the more effectual suppression of the slave trade, is about to be carried into immediate execution, by the active cooperation of the two Powers on the Coast of Africa.

It is my desire that our present union, and the good understanding which so happily exists between us, may still more be employed to promote the interests of humanity and to secure the peace of the world.

I regret that the conflicting claims of Great Britain and the United States, in respect to the Territory on the North Western Coast of America, although they have been made the subject of repeated negotiation, still remain unsettled.

You may be assured that no effort consistent with national honor, shall be wanting on my part to bring this question to an early and peaceful termination.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons.

The Estimates for the year will be laid before you at an early period. Although I am deeply sensible of the importance of enforcing economy in all branches of the service, yet I have been compelled, by a due regard to the exigencies of the public service, and the state of our naval and military establishments, to propose some increase in the estimates which provides for their efficiency.

My Lords and Gentlemen.

I have observed, with deep regret, the very frequent instances in which the crime of deliberate assassination has been committed in Ireland.

It will be your duty to consider whether any amendments can be devised calculated to give increased protection and tendency to justice the perpetrators of such dreadful crimes.

I have to lament that, in consequence of a failure of the potato crop in several parts of the United Kingdom, there will be a deficiency in the supply of food, which will fall with chief subsistence of great numbers of my people. The manner in which the plant has been affected has prevailed with the utmost rate of its kind.

I have adopted all such precautions as it was in my power to adopt for the purpose of alleviating the sufferings which may be caused by this calamity; and I have the confidence to rely on your co-operation in devising such other measures as may be for the same benevolent purpose as may receive the sanction of the Legislature.

I have had great satisfaction in giving my assent to the measures which you have presented to me from time to time, calculated to extend commerce, and to stimulate the industry and activity, by the repeal of prohibitory and the reduction of protective duties.

The prosperous state of the revenue, the increased demand for labor, and the general improvement which has taken place in the internal condition of the country, are strong testimonials in favor of the course you have pursued.

I recommend to you to take into your early consideration whether the principles on which you have acted may not with advantage be yet more extensively applied, and whether it may not be in your power, after a careful review of the existing duties upon many articles, further to relieve the future of other countries, to make such further reductions and remunerations as may tend to insure the continuance of the great benefits to which I have adverted, and to enlarging our commercial intercourse, to strengthen the bonds of unity with Foreign Powers.

Any measures which you may adopt for effecting the great objects will, I am convinced, be accompanied by precautions as shall prevent permanent loss to the Revenue, or injurious results to any of the great interests of the country.

I have full reliance on your just and dispassionate consideration of matters so deeply affecting the public welfare.

It is my earnest prayer that with the blessing of Divine Providence on your counsels, you may be enabled to provide unobtrusively for the best interests of my people, and to maintain contentment and happiness at home, by increasing the comforts and bettering the condition of the great body of my people.

ENGLAND AND THE UNITED STATES.

The next day Mr. HUME introduced a motion in the House of Commons, the relations of Great Britain and the United States. He said he hoped the Prime Minister would be able to preserve the good understanding which existed between the two nations. It was in the power, he said, of England and France to preserve the peace of the world. He approved heartily of the Queen's recommendation for an increase of the naval and military force of the country, which he was sure would meet the approbation of the House and the nation. He expressed the more gratification with this "when he found the chief magistrate of a great country, from whom he expected better things, venture to set at naught all those rules and regulations which civilized nations observed towards each other."

Sir Robert Peel responded to this as follows:

"I never entertained the slightest apprehension that any contrast between the language employed in her majesty's speech in reference to those unfortunate disputes that still prevail between this country and America, and that which has been used by the chief magistrate of the United States, would have been made in this House. I never thought that that could be mistaken or misrepresented. We have no hesitation in announcing our sincere desire, for the interest of the United States and for the interest of the whole world, in continuing to strain every effort which is consistent with national honor, for the purpose of amicably terminating those disputes. [Hear.] I never had any apprehension of such misrepresentations or misunderstanding as would lead to any language which the honorable gentlemen (Mr. Hume) the uniform and consistent advocate of the strictest economy has just made, confirms me in that my anticipations will not be disappointed. [Cheers.] I am glad to hear a proposal which her Majesty's Government may feel it their duty to make for the maintenance of essential rights, or of the national honor, shall be responded to and supported by this House, then I am sure he will be taken. I think it would be the greatest misfortune if a contest about the Oregon between two such powers as England and the United States could not, by the exercise of moderation and good sense, be brought to a perfectly honorable and satisfactory conclusion. [Cheers.]

On the 24th Lord John Russell spoke. He alluded to the proposition for a compromise made by the President, and declared inadmissable, by the British Minister (the 49th parallel, without the free navigation of the Columbia.) He called for some explanation respecting this matter from the party in power.—With respect to the increase in the military and naval estimates he remarked:

He could well understand that with the increased possessions of this country abroad and the consequently increased demands on the army, the amount of military and naval forces in every part of the world, there might be reasons for the increase of the estimated even at a season of profound peace, and when nothing threatened on any side; and he trusted that it was on these grounds, and on no others, that any thing in the aspect of affairs, with reference to the United States, that Her Majesty's Government made this increase. He, for his part, had for some time thought that the efficiency of the military force of this country at its present amount was too much tried and that too much was demanded from that force."

He next referred to the British intervention in the affairs of the Argentine Republic, and asked of Sir Robert Peel whether he proposed laying on the table any papers explanatory of the ground upon which Her Majesty's Government thought it necessary to interfere with the warfare which had occurred in the River Plate.

To this Sir Robert Peel replied that he was not prepared to give an answer to all the questions that had been put; but in regard to Oregon he made the following very important declaration:

"With regard to the Oregon territory I have to state that a proposition was made by Mr. Buchanan, with the authority of the President of the United States, to Mr. Pakenham, and the proposal so made was not of a division of the territory. Whether or not that proposal ought to have been accepted I cannot say. Mr. Pakenham thought the terms proposed were not sufficiently favorable to be acceptable, that he did not feel himself warranted in transmitting the proposal to the Government at home; and on that ground this fact to Mr. Buchanan, without immediately stating that the proposal was withdrawn. This is the state of the negotiations as far as I am informed, respecting the proposition made by Mr. Buchanan. I have not thought it consistent with my duty, *I have not thought the grounds of difference between the two countries* [confidence in their friendly relations] *have been taken by the Government of the United States, as to make it consistent with my duty to lay before Parliament the whole correspondence which has taken place between the two Governments.* I have not thought it consistent with my duty to do so, because I have not thought that the discussion of the question in Parliament would be conducive to the interests of peace.