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The Commission on the part of the North, said a new effort is being made to secure the passage of the bill for the relief of the colored people on Friday night. The great feature of the occasion was a speech from Mr. Conway, in which he reviewed himself a considerable amount of his own work in the past. He said that he had been in the city for a number of years, and that he had seen the progress of the colored people from a very low state to a position of respectability. He said that he had seen the colored people of this city from a very low state to a position of respectability. He said that he had seen the colored people of this city from a very low state to a position of respectability. He said that he had seen the colored people of this city from a very low state to a position of respectability.

**Information for Voters.**  
The office of the Registrar of Voters will be closed after Thursday, the 2d November. There is, then, no time to lose on the part of those who desire to vote at the approaching election. The office is in its old place at the City Hall.

**The Steamer James, which underwent repairs on the way, arrived here on Saturday, October 29, at 10 o'clock, P. M. Saturday. At the time of the accident there were 500 odd men working under the hull, all three working under her bottom under cover by getting in through the hatch. The workmen were endeavoring to get her out and while raising her the ways broke and the water lay partly exposed and nearly full of water, and her hull badly holed. It is believed that the accident was due to a poor project of sailing her.**

**Commissioner Conway left this city for Washington on Saturday, and took with him, it is stated, a letter from Gen. Canby to Gen. Howland, regarding his official career. This letter, dated as far back as the 10th of October, was published in the Bee on the 12th. It was a letter from Mr. Conway to Gen. Howland, and was a very interesting one. It was a letter from Mr. Conway to Gen. Howland, and was a very interesting one. It was a letter from Mr. Conway to Gen. Howland, and was a very interesting one.**

**Direct Steam Connection with Liverpool.**  
In referring to the project of the project of some Western merchants to procure stocks of goods from Liverpool via New Orleans, we have asked why not make the latter the American port for the West? The plan referred to proposed to transfer cargoes from New Orleans, without breaking packages, from Liverpool to New Orleans, and then to transfer them to the West. It is a very interesting project, and one which should be given careful consideration.

**As we observe, since the close of the war, a tendency to the West to deal with European markets, through other means than New York, or by some other method than by procuring European commodities from New York, is becoming more and more apparent. It is a very interesting project, and one which should be given careful consideration.**

**Experience has proved that the screw propeller combined with steel casings is the best and most reliable system of propelling steamships. It is a very interesting project, and one which should be given careful consideration.**

**A Special Privilege.**  
In the Louisiana Presidency lately the Rev. Dr. Nelson, formerly of this city, made a strong speech, in which he said:  
"He was not one of those who could see any trace of an overrating Providence in the event of the late year, or that Providence had any special favor for him. He was not one of those who could see any trace of an overrating Providence in the event of the late year, or that Providence had any special favor for him."

## BY TELEGRAPH.

**London, Oct. 30.**—The British ship *Mermaid*, which was captured by the French ship *Orion* on the 29th inst., has been released. The British ship *Orion* was captured by the French ship *Mermaid* on the 29th inst. The British ship *Orion* was captured by the French ship *Mermaid* on the 29th inst.

**Washington, Oct. 30.**—The President has received a report from the Secretary of the Interior, in which he has stated that the land in the State of Louisiana, which was reserved for the colored people, is now being sold to the highest bidder. The land in the State of Louisiana, which was reserved for the colored people, is now being sold to the highest bidder.

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## CITY INTELLIGENCE.

**Corrections.**—In our report of the Bank of the South, published yesterday, an error occurred which we have corrected in this issue. The error was in the name of the President of the Bank, which we have corrected in this issue.

**Commercial.**—The Commercial Bank of New Orleans has received a large amount of business since the 1st of the month. The Commercial Bank of New Orleans has received a large amount of business since the 1st of the month.

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