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FOR MAYOR
A. D. CROSSMAN.

Tuesday morning, March 24, 1846.

THE NORTHERN MAIL failed yesterday from beyond Baltimore.

The uncertainty in which the position of the President is enveloped in regard to the Oregon difficulty, is almost an anomaly in the history of our government. We do not remember a solitary instance of a momentous international question, the settlement of which is fraught with consequences so vital, upon which the public mind was unable to determine the stand which the chief magistrate had taken. In respect to all subjects of purely domestic policy, the annual communication to Congress leaves no doubt as to the views of the Executive. Men do not hesitate in regard to his opinions of a protective Tariff, his sentiments upon the Currency question, his principles upon Internal Improvement. The Message affords conclusive evidence that in relation to these and kindred topics the mind of Mr POLK is made up. It is only when we come to examine his ideas upon Oregon that we discover an obscurity of expression and seeming uncertainty of opinion, that have puzzled his friends and perplexed his enemies. Like a half defaced inscription on some monumental relic of the past, that portion of the message has been subjected to the laborious scrutiny of a thousand eyes, and has received manifold interpretations, which have for the most part greatly depended upon the preconceived conclusions or wishes of those who have attempted to pick out the heart of its mystery.

Mr. HAYWOOD, for instance, like a determined antiquarian, puts on his spectacles, and tracing with uncompromising patience every dubious phrase and half intelligible sentiment, arrives at the inference that there is no truth in man if Mr. POLK be not willing to compromise the question upon the parallel of 49°. Mr. HANNEGAN, on the contrary, after an investigation equally minute and protracted, considers Mr HAYWOOD's construction utterly erroneous, and is so fully convinced that the President is a decided stickler for 54° 40', that he does not scruple to assert, that should Mr. POLK give way, he would be consigned to an infamy so profound, a damnation so deep, that the hand of resurrection will never reach him. Thus the President's opinions, like a hoop, are trundled from one party to another, gyrating towards the *forty-nines*, and then sent back with redoubled impetus to the fifty-fours.

We have not been behind the age in the attempt to fathom the profundity of Mr. POLK's international views; and though the effort has not been quite as vain as sounding the Bay of Portugal, "which hath no bottom," it has convinced us that good grounds exist for the multitudinous and conflicting interpretations which prevail. Whether we are by nature pacifically inclined, and thus make the wish the father to the thought, or that we have read the message with sober deliberation and in a spirit of dispassionate enquiry, we are inclined to think the *forty-nines* very near the truth. The ultraisms in the message, compared with the calm, sensible and moderate phrases, look like Arabesque dottings upon an otherwise plain surface, or, in the language of Mr. HAYWOOD himself, appear to us like "stickings in parenthetically" to suit the "all of Oregon" western fire-eaters.

Collateral evidence is not wanting to give strength and plausibility to this view, and among other proofs we may cite the following, which we clip from a correspondent of the Philadelphia *North American*. The writer, it will be seen, speaks almost by the card:—

"A vast number of collateral circumstances have turned up since the *denouement* on Thursday last, which contribute to fix an official stamp upon Mr Haywood's speech. I will present one which is convincing to my mind, for the edification of the 'Union,' and I furnish the authority that there may be no misapprehension or juggling about a reply, if any is ventured.

"Mr. Bagby, of the Senate, called upon the President a few days since upon matters of an official nature. During the interview the President referred to the embarrassments that had occurred, and was proceeding to express his views at length, when Mr. Bagby respectfully suggested, he would prefer not to be made their depository, with peculiar reference to the President himself, because he was liable to be called upon in the Senate, and such a demand would be unpleasant to all concerned. Notwithstanding, this admonition he continued, but I am uninformed as to the material of the conversation. There is one important fact, however, that I am enlightened upon. The President, I understand, admitted to Mr Bagby *that he had not communicated freely with any person in Congress in reference to the Oregon question, except his old friend and colleague, Haywood*, or words to that effect. When it is remembered that they were chums if not classmates in College, that they are both from the same State, that their political sympathies and predilections have always assimilated, that they belong to the same class of men, and that Mr. Haywood has the singular faculty of understanding the purposes and opinions of the "powers that be," and the still happier one of never finding himself in the *shade* of the reigning favor, while the *sunshine* is to be obtained, there is every thing to strengthen the plausibility, even if the fact was otherwise, which I should like to hear Mr. Ritchie assert in direct terms."

AN IMPOSTER.—The Louisville *Journal* cautions the public not to be duped by one B. B. Bowen, a blind young man, and formerly a pupil of the institution for the blind in Boston. The *Journal* says that in Shelbyville, Cincinnati and other places, he stated publicly, that he was traveling in behalf of the press established by that institution in Boston, for printing books for the blind, and that the amount of the collections taken at the close of the lectures, after deducting a small sum, sufficient to pay his travelling expenses, would be sent to the conductors of that press. Pleading the importance of the object of his pretended mission, and aided by letters from respectable individuals, he succeeded in obtaining large contributions, professedly for printing books for the blind, but really for his own benefit, and, when charged by gentlemen at Trinity with his dishonesty, he denied having any where solicited contributions to aid the press in Boston, and declared explicitly that his only object in traveling was to gain a support for his family.

It is understood that Bowen will visit New Orleans, and the *Journal* therefore, calls the attention of the south western press to the real character of the man, remarking that though it may seem ungenerous to assail a person who is blind, the cause of the blind should not be permitted to receive injury from one who is laboring under the same affliction.

THE COMMITTEE appointed by the U. S. Senate to investigate the charges preferred against Senators by the Washington *Times*, have begun their labors. The correspondent of the Baltimore American says:

The editors of the Times, Messrs Robinson and Dow, have been examined, besides several other witnesses. The committee were in session until a late hour yesterday and to-day. Among the witnesses examined this morning was Mr. Davis, of Alton, Illinois, the editor, I believe, of the Whig paper in that place. He is now under arrest by the Sergeant-at-Arms for refusing to sign the interrogatories of the committee. Mr Davis gives, I learn, as his reasons for not signing the interrogatories that his testimony has been mutilated.

So far as the investigations of the committee have been made, and the result communicated to the busy world beyond the Senate Chamber, the information is that nothing approximating proof of the charges has been elicited. This is only rumor, however. The committee will soon report to the Senate, and the public will be able to judge for themselves. The committee are in session as the cars leave.

FIRE IN CAMDEN, S. C.—We learn, says the Charleston Courier from a letter received in this city from Camden, dated March 16, that a fire occurred in that town the night previous, in an old Gin house of Mr. Doby, which was entirely destroyed. There was at the time twenty kegs of gunpowder in the building, which exploded and threw large balls of fire in every direction over the tops of houses, and had it not been for previous rains which had moistened the top of the houses, an extensive conflagration would have been the probable result.

NAVAL.—The U. S. frigate *Raritan*, Capt. Gregory, arrived at Pensacola on the 19th, after a passage of 43 days from Rio Janeiro. Officers and crew all well. Left at the River La Plata the [illegible] ... of Commodore Rousseau ... *Columbus*, sloops of war ... brig *Bainbridge*. The ... to proceed to Vera Cruz, after taking in supplies. [illegible]

Lynch Law at Nashville.

The *Tropic* of yesterday contains the subjoined narrative. If correct, no language is too strong to express our abhorrence of the extra-judicial and lawless vengeance inflicted on Judson by the infuriated populace. Lynch-law is at no time the fitting remedy for wrong; but when applied, as would appear in this instance, to a man who shot another in self-defence, it becomes a most atrocious and iniquitous mode of glutting popular rage. The details of the affair are sickening in the exhibition of human nature in its most repulsive form, when converted by unbridled passions into blind and demoniac fury:

We are indebted to a passenger on the steamer Clarksville, which arrived from Nashville last evening, for the subjoined particulars of the murder of Mr. Robert Porterfield, a clerk in the house of Conner & Co. of that city, by E. L. K. Judson, formerly an officer in the U. S. Navy, and at the time editor of a scurrilous paper called "Ned Buntlin's Own," printed at Smithland, Ky., but issued and purporting to be published at Nashville, together with the popular excitement, &c. which followed:

To begin, we are informed that Judson had for some time been circulating a report that he had had criminal connection with Porterfield's wife. Porterfield, a day or two previous, in company with a friend to whom Judson had related the report, met the latter on capital Hill, and charged it upon him, which J. positively denied. Porterfield, under intense excitement, drew his pistol to shoot him, when Judson pulled open his vest and told him to fire, saying that, if he did, he would shoot an innocent man. Upon this, Porterfield's brother, who is one of the firm of Pilcher & Porterfield, interfered, and prevented further difficulty at that time.

Things remained thus until the afternoon of Saturday, the 14th inst., when a rencontre took place at the Sulphur Springs about a mile from the Nashville Court House, between Robert Porterfield and Judson, in consequence of the reports referred to above. Porterfield, it is said, fired a pistol at Judson without effect, when the fire was returned, Judson's ball taking effect in Porterfield's head, which proved fatal an hour or so afterwards. The moment the death of Porterfield was known in Nashville, the citizens, old and young, armed themselves and turned out *en masse* with the intention of *slaying* the murderer. The police officers, however, succeeded in arresting him before the popular vengeance was wreaked upon him, and conveyed him for examination to the Court House, which was soon thronged with an infuriated multitude. In the midst of the examination, the brother of the deceased entered the Court-room, and fired two balls from a revolving pistol at Judson, neither of which struck him, but one of which wounded Mr. James Walke, Secretary of an Insurance Company there, slightly in the back, the other wounding a Mr. Penticost in the arm. At this instant, a cry went up from the crowd—"Give Porterfield a chance at him!" The crowd then opened to the right and left, and Porterfield, who was armed with three revolving pistols, of five barrels each, again commenced firing at Judson, who rushed from the Court House and fled to the City Hotel. Before, however, he had reached the Hotel, Porterfield had discharged at him the contents of his three pistols, one ball only, appearing afterwards, to have slightly grazed his head. Judson hastened up to the third story, but finding himself so hotly pressed, attempted to escape by sliding down the posts of the balcony. His foot slipped and he fell to the ground, breaking, it is said, one of his legs, and being stunned in the fall. He was then conveyed to jail.

The next day, Sunday Judson was taken by the citizens from the jail to a place hard by, for the purpose of inflicting upon him, according to the "latest and most improved" forms of Lynch law, the summary punishment of *hanging!* A rope was placed about his neck, he was placed upon the gallows and swung off, but the rope broke, and he fell to the ground, when the authorities again interfered and conveyed him back to jail. We are informed that when he was taken out to the gallows, Judson told the lynchers to do their worst, but that the Lord was on his side! Without exactly believing that the Lord was with him, it would yet seem that he "bore a charmed life," sixteen balls from two persons having been discharged at him, and he having once fallen from a three story balcony, and finally escaped the gallows from which he was swung by an infuriated multitude.

GERMAN PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY.—The first concert of this Society will take place on Monday evening the 30th inst. Our readers must not suppose that the Society derives its name from being exclusively composed of Germans. Such is not the case, for musicians of every nation are admitted as members. This association takes its title from the fact, that its leading object is to execute music of the most celebrated German Schools, such as the compositions of Beethoven, Weber and others, the intricacy and difficulty of which demand a full orchestra and no ordinary skill. On the coming occasion, we are gratified to perceive by the program that the entertainments will be of a high order and exceedingly choice. Among other selections is the glorious symphony of Beethoven in C. minor—a work that has elicited the rapturous admiration of every true *dilettante*—the overtures to Egmont, Oberon and Der Freischuytz, several songs by Mr. Santini, &c.

BLOODY AND FATAL AFFRAY.—The Lexington Miss. *Advertiser* gives an account of a dreadful affray at Richland, in Holmes County, on the 7th inst., between Richard Gage, of that county, and Jacob Varnall and Lewis Alexander, of Rankin. It appears that in the midst of a squabble about a horse race Alexander knocked Gage down. Gage rose, went into a house, and soon reappeared with a double barrel gun, both barrels of which he fired, the second wounding Alexander mortally in the thigh. Varnell, at this, came into the fight, and shot Gage with a pistol through the shoulder.

Alexander died in half an hour of the gun shot wound, and Gage died on the next Monday of the pistol shot. Varnell, the only survivor, has been arrested and committed for trial.

We mentioned a few days ago the sinking of the steamer *Pride of the West*, hence for New Orleans. We now learn by the St Louis papers that she was got afloat and arrived at St. Louis on the 10th inst. and had gone to the docks for repairs. She came very near being sunk again by striking a log a short distance below the city; it increased the leak, and she came into port with all her pumps going. She may now, says the *New Era*, be considered safe.

THE RIVER.—We learn from the Louisville papers of the 16th, that the river had risen rapidly, and fears were entertained of an overflow. Boats from Pittsburg report both rivers rising very fast, and the rain pouring down in torrents.

At St. Louis on the 12th, the Mississippi was rising fast, with 8 feet water in the channel to Cairo. The Cumberland was falling on the 11th but high enough for the largest class of boats.

STEAMER ZANESVILLE PACKET BURNED.—This steamer, while lying at McConnellsville (O.) was nearly destroyed by fire on the 2nd inst. Nothing saved the boat but the presence of mind of the Clerk who kept the hatches, and prevented the fire from extending, for want of air. The damage to the boat is some hundred dollars, and to the cargo about two thousand dollars.

THE MORMONS—*Departed at Last*.—We learn, says the Warsaw Signal of the 4th inst., that the Saints took up their line of march, from their encampment in Iowa, on Saturday morning last. About 2,000 went along.

☞ John Hampden Pleasants died poor, but his dying words to his little son were, "throughout life, be virtuous, honest, and true." These words may prove a richer legacy than an untold amount of earthly possessions.

☞ Mr. R. M. Pitman, a highly respectable citizen of Boyle county, Ky., was killed a few days ago by the falling of a tree which his negro had cut down.

THE SOUTHERN DAILY MAIL between Charleston and Savannah has been resumed.

☞ Our thanks are due the officers of the steamboat *John Hancock*, for late Louisville papers.

PISTOLS AND COFFEE FOR TWO.—While the male part of our community have been and still are determined to put down duelling, we are sorry to say that the female portion are determined to set a bad example in this particular. We make this allusion from the fact that an interesting female named Mary Adkins sent a challenge the day before yesterday to Miss Mary Turner. The matter having been brought before Recorder Genois yesterday morning, we were politely furnished with the identical document, which as we handled it smelt strongly of villainous saltpetre, and we expected it to explode every moment. We give our readers a copy of this belligerant epistle:

"Miss Turner:—I trust that you have not forgotten the quarrel that took place between us at the ball last night. As I am not satisfied in the manner it terminated, you will confer a particular favor upon me by giving me *immediate satisfaction*: if you do not do so, you may anticipate a *cowhiding* the first place I meet you. I do not wish to meet you in a public place, as I do not wish for an exposure, and I suppose you are of the same opinion. I request an answer of you as soon as possible. I also request of you *to keep this private.* MARY ADKINS."

This young lady had no fear of the Constitution before her eyes, but we suppose she cares little about voting, or running for any office. We deprecate her bellicose disposition, particularly as Miss Turner said to the Recorder yesterday that she had nothing against Mary Adkins, but she was afraid of her, and a cowhiding was not the most pleasant thing in the world. The Court supported this view of the case as taken by Miss Turner, and issued a warrant for the arrest of Miss Adkin. We are of opinion that the latter young lady, will feel mortified that Miss Turner did not keep the affair private; but Miss Turner has a keen perception of right and wrong, and imagined that as Miss Adkins thought she had a right to send a challenge, she, (Miss T.), did not consider it wrong to lay the matter before the Recorder. We could not ascertain the name of the bearer of the challenge, but Miss Turner declared it was sent by a little colored boy. This was a most undignified proceeding of Miss Adkins, but we presume the [illegible] ... will no doubt be investigated ... this morning. [illegible]

City Intelligence.

FIRST MUNICIPALITY COUNCIL.—The Council met last night pursuant to adjournment. Mr. Hermann read the Finance Committee's yearly report of the First Municipality from which we extract the following summary:

Indebtedness of the Municipality in bills payable,	$581,371 71
Bonds in favor of John McDonough, maturing in 1862, with interest at 6 pr ct,	247,000 00
Outstanding Municipal circulation,	11,471 00
Certificates at one year, part due and not claimed,	200 00
Bonds at 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 years,	7,100 00
Total,	$847,142 17

The available means of the Municipality are as follows:

Cash on hand on 28th Feb., 1846,	$ 16,988 09	
Bills receivable,	64,875 72	
Capital of ground rent,	150,237 66	
Capital of Parish Jail and interest,	121,808 79	
Real estate as per schedule,	147,050 00	
Real estate sold in January last,	44,991 00	
Due by Municipality No. 3,	21,000 00	
Bills receivable protested, bearing mortgage on property sold by the Municipality several years since,	$223,294 67	
Probable realization on this sum,		50,000 00
Total,		616,965 26

Receipts and disbursements during the twelve months commencing on the 1st March:

Receipts,	$353,741 96
Expenditures will not exceed	340,833 52
Surplus at end of year,	$ 12,908 44
Cash on hand 28th Feb. last,	16,988 09
	$29,896 53

Debt increased last year $58,698 83, owing to amounts given to public improvement and utility—landings, wharves, and public schools, and drainage. Steamboat wharfage and taxes, amounting to $56,504 01 against $48,928 09 during the preceding year. Paid to General sinking fund since 1836, $284,124 95, for its proportion of the debt of the old city corporation. The amount disbursed by the Municipality last year for public schools was $27,664 89. In addition to the resources of the Municipality, as given above, we have been informed that the square on which the Customhouse stands should be included, amounting to $300,000.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.—Mrs. Mowatt's Comedy of Fashion will be performed here to-night, this lady taking the part of Gertrude. We have heard very favorable mention made of this Comedy as a work of merit, and when we recollect that it was played in New York for twenty-six consecutive nights, we may infer that it is both interesting and attractive.

FRENCH THEATRE.—Donizetti's magnificent opera, "The Martyrs," will be produced at this theatre to-night, for the first time. This opera abounds with so many beautiful gems of music, and is so attractive as a *spectacle* that we look for an unusually crowded house.

☞ We were informed yesterday that the name of the man who died on Friday, at No. 156 Chartres street, was Micholet, and not Guignolet, or Violet, as before stated. We understand that there is no proof of the deceased having any money about him at the time of his death, and are inclined to believe that he brought none with him when he last arrived from Pascagoula. A few days, however, may decide this matter.

FLATBOAT SUNK.—A flatboat from Ohio, owned by Mr. Winchley, with a cargo of about 1200 barrels flour and 2 or 300 barrels pork, in going alongside of a ship lying in the river opposite Lafayette, was sunk yesterday morning. A portion of the cargo will be saved in a damaged condition. The boat was towed to a landing below Lafayette.

INQUEST.—The body of a white male child was yesterday found in a coffin at the South-west corner of Treme and Canal streets. The coffin was covered with a rough sack marked "N. L. No. 1," and the body was clothed in a chemise marked "Felicie No. 25." The child appeared to have attained the seventh month, and the verdict rendered by the Coroner was "stillborn."

ANOTHER INQUEST.—The Coroner was yesterday called to hold an inquest on the body of a white man named Louis, about 44 years old, found floating in the New Basin, opposite Circus street. Verdict, found drowned.

GOING IT LIKE BRICKS.—Michael Barry, who we published as having been arrested for stealing a quantity of slate from Messrs. Lyall and Davidson, was up before Recorder Baldwin yesterday morning. While awaiting his examination, another affidavit was made against him by Mr. John Fuller, foreman of Mr John Mitchell, accusing him of stealing a lot of bricks, belonging to Mr. Mitchell. Barry was remanded for further examination.

BREAKING FURNITURE.—Mary Ann Wilcox yesterday made affidavit that Richard Boyd entered her house, No. 154 Bienville street, assaulted her, and then commenced breaking her furniture. These improper proceedings of Mr Boyd will be looked into by Recorder Genois, this morning.

STABBING—MYSTERY.—Francisco Miranda, Matthias Scovez and Antonio Reveiro, were yesterday arrested by the Second Municipality Police, accused of stabbing a man named Jack, who owns an oyster boat at the New Basin. This occurrence took place the night before last, on the wharf of the New Basin. While the officers were in search of these men, the man Jack must have been spirited away mysteriously, for he has not been seen since. The impression is that the prisoners believed he had money, and attacked him in order to obtain possession of it. They have been remanded to prison to await the unravelling of the mystery which hangs over this mysterious affair.

STABBING AND DEATH.—*Inquest*.—Coroner Spedden was yesterday called to hold an inquest on the body of Edward Ennis, who died at the Charity Hospital, in consequence of two stabs, inflicted in his side with some sharp instrument and from subsequent exposure. On the 4th instant the deceased was drinking in the Brilliant Coffee-House, at the corner of Marais and Canal streets. It appears that late at night a quarrel took place between the deceased and the bar-keeper of the above named Coffee-House, named Manuel Sanz de la Maza, and the latter jumped over the counter and stabbed the deceased. Maza was arrested a few days ago, accused of having stabbed Ennis, but was afterwards released on bail. The police were after him again yesterday.

WATCHMAN STABBED.—Jacob Feltner a watchman of the Second Municipality arrested a man, name unknown, on Sunday night, found in Mrs. Taylor's house under suspicious circumstances. While being conducted to the Watch house, the prisoner drew a Dirk and stabbing the watchman in five different places, effected his escape. We regret to say that the villain is not known to the watchman. The latter is in the Charity Hospital and little hope is entertained of his recovery.

SHOOTING.—Jules Palatin was yesterday arrested for shooting at and deliberately killing three hens belonging to Mr. J. Delord. The latter gentleman not wishing his poultry to be made *game* of, had Palatin arrested, who paid for the hens, and gave bail in $400 to keep the peace towards Mr. Delord and his poultry generally.

SENT DOWN.—Hugh McKenzie was yesterday sent down to the Workhouse for 30 days, for stealing a ham from on board the steamboat *Queen of the West*.

ROBBERY.—The cabin of the ship Amazon, Captain L. L. Bachelor, was entered on Sunday night between 10 P. M. and 5 A. M. and the Captain's writing desk taken therefrom. It was found broken open on the warf and about $200 in money besides some jewelry and the Captain's wife's miniature stolen.

CRIMINAL COURT.—Samuel Wade and John C. Risk, accused of assault and battery, were arraigned and pleaded not guilty. A *nolle prosequi* was entered in the cases of Thomas Jones, W. B. Greenwood, and James Terry, accused of larceny. General John L. Lewis, the newly elected Sheriff, presented his commission to the Court, but the Judge refused to swear him in, on the ground that he had not been appointed Sheriff of the Criminal Court. Mr Grymes argued the case for the Sheriff, and contended that as the Sheriff had been elected by the people, he was, in every sense of the word, fully empowered to act as the Sheriff of that Court. The Judge maintained his position, however, and stated that he could not swear the new Sheriff in until he be appointed by the Governor and the Legislature. In the meantime Col. Peire will continue to act as Sheriff of that Court.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

MONDAY, March 24.

The President laid before the Senate a communication from Mr. Stephen Mazureau, enclosing a prospectus for a new edition of the Civil Code with annotations.

Mr. BRIANT gave notice of a bill to improve the navigation of Bayou Teche.

After some business of no public importance, Mr. DURANT introduced a bill to amend the act of 1832 to suppress more effectually the sale of intoxicating liquors to slaves. The same member gave notice of a bill to augment the number of Aldermen in the 4th ward of the Second Municipality; a resolution to enquire into the jurisdiction of the United States District Courts; an act granting additional privileges to contractors on the property built; a bill to protect the people from the acts of public functionaries elected by the people; an act to incorporate a Mutual Insurance Company; an act to exempt certain property from execution; a resolution instructing a Committee to enquire into the expediency of effecting the gradual suppression of a paper circulation; an act amending the several laws relative to divorces, and an act to facilitate the empannelling of juries in Courts having original jurisdiction.

Mr. FARMER, from the Committee on Claims, reported unfavorably to a petition from Mr. Thompson, and asked for the rejection of the claim.

Mr. PORTER, in behalf of the Committee of Elections, reported in favor of a petition from sundry inhabitants of the Parish of Vermillion, asking the Legislature to create a new Election Precinct in that parish, and presented a bill for that purpose.

Mr. DURANT introduced a bill vesting additional powers in the General Council of New Orleans.

The Senate then resumed the discussion of the bill granting preemption rights to settlers on the Public Lands, and after adopting the several sections, adjourned without acting definitively on the bill.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

MONDAY, March 23, 1846.

Mr FARRAR submitted a resolution instructing the Judiciary Committee to enquire into the expediency of purchasing a certain number of copies of Mazureau's Commentaries on the Civil Code. Being cognizant of the high reputation of Mr Mazureau for legal learning, he thought that the State would do well to assist in the publication of the proposed work. Adopted.

Mr TUOMEY introduced a bill for the relief of Jas H Thompson, tax collector for the parish of Claiborne for the year 1845. Referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr JONES gave notice of an act to provide for the trial of Justices of the Peace.

Mr OGDEN, of Orleans, agreeably to notice, presented an act to amend the 609th article of the Code of Practice. Read twice and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr SMITH submitted a petition in relation to the Pilot Laws, signed by a number of merchants and traders of the city of New Orleans, thanking the Legislature for the prompt attention paid to the various memorials on the subject, representing that for six years the community had been looking for a relief from a monopoly, which had hitherto been maintained by identifying it with party, and trusting that the Legislature would take early steps to reform the existing system of pilot laws, and the manifold abuses to which it has given rise.

On the question of disposing of the memorial some discussion arose. Mr FARRAR thought it discourteous in tone, and reflecting upon previous Legislatures. Mr MOISE considered a portion of it levelled against him, and indirectly assailing his conduct and motives. He treated these insinuations as slanderous, and repelled them in warm and emphatic language. Mr SMITH deprecated this view of the petition, did not regard it in such a light. Had he done so, he would not have been the medium of its presentation to the House. He professed the utmost respect for Mr Moise, and would eschew the slightest reflection upon that gentleman. If there were any portion of the memorial improper or objectionable, let it be striken out.

Mr BULLITT said that he did not object to the spreading of the memorial on the journal, though he considered himself bound, in view of the constant clamor against the pilots and the attempts to forestall the opinion of this House, to state that the Committee, in their visit to the Balize, had been astonished at witnessing the dignity, civilization and social organization prevailing in a village, built in the most desolate and forbidding portion of the State—education attended to, and the children reared in the ways of wisdom and of peace. What the Committee would report he could not yet say, but he deemed it imperative to state this much in explanation: He had been the more surprized, as he had previously felt a vague prejudice naturally enough cherished by a whig against a portion of the State which uniformly gave a unanimous democratic vote.

Mr SMITH corroborated Mr BULLITT's remarks in respect to the condition of the pilots at the Balize. Their village was like a thriving hamlet in New England, flourishing and waxing prosperous under the protective system. Mr S. went on describing the comforts of the pilots, and said that it convinced him that, whatever changes might be effected by the Legislature, they would be enabled to maintain their places, despite competition and diminished rates. In conclusion, Mr SMITH asked leave to withdraw, as it was considered objectionable. Leave was granted.

Mr LEA presented an act to regulate the holding of the sessions of the Supreme Court. Read twice and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The House took up the Senate bill relative to the functions of the Sheriff in Municipal Elections. The bill was read twice, and a motion was made to have the bill printed. Some opposition was made to the motion, and on the vote being taken, no quorum voted. A call of the House was ordered, when it appeared that 54 members answered to their names. The motion to print the bill was then put and rejected—Ayes 24—nays 33.

Mr PILIE then moved that the bill be referred to the committee of the whole, to be taken up on Friday next. Lost.

The previous question was moved on the 1st section of the bill, but the House refused to adopt the motion, and the bill was consequently laid aside until to-morrow.

The House then got into another snarl on the question as to what was the order of the day, some contending that it was the Printing Bill, and others that it was the bill to equalize representation in the Municipal Councils. The latter bill was finally taken up and discussed.

Mr SMITH objected to the apportionment on the ground that the number of Aldermen would be increased.

Mr CALONGNE offered a substitute to the division of the First Municipality.

Mr FARRAR submitted an amendment to the first section, proposing that the first ward of the First Municipality should remain undivided, and be entitled to five members. This proposition excited some debate, and was opposed by Messrs Moise and Calongne. The amendment was lost, and the substitute of Mr Calongne adopted.

Mr VASON offered a substitute to that portion of the second section which apportions the Third Representative District. He proposes to carve out the district into four wards, and to give them in the aggregate seven Aldermen.

Pending the discussion of the substitute,

The House adjourned.

DIED—Yesterday morning, at 10 o'clock, Madame ADELE GALLY (born Verret), wife of Hypolite Gally. The friends and acquaintances of the Gally and Verret families are invited to the funeral, which will take place at half-past 4 o'clock this evening, from her late residence in St Peter st, between Burgundy and Rampart sts.

LATEST DATES.

NEW YORK	MAR 14	LIVERPOOL	FEB 7
WASHINGTON	MAR 13	HAVRE	JAN 31
CHARLESTON	MAR 19	MEXICO	FEB 12
CINCINNATI	MAR 15	TEXAS	MAR 20
ST. LOUIS	MAR 13	HAVANA	MAR 10

☞ CARD—For Bayou Sara and Fort Adams—U. S. Mail—The CLINTON, arrives this day and leaves on TO-MORROW, (Wednesday), 25th inst at 10 A. M. m24 W H AVERY.

☞ Ship ELIZABETH, Capt Hasty, from Havre, will commence discharging opposite Orleans Press. Consignees are requested to attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee and take out their permits within four days, or their goods will be sent to the public stores. m24

☞ NOTICE.—Barque KILBY, from Liverpool, is now discharging opposite the Vegetable Market. Consignees are requested to take out their permits within five days, otherwise their goods will be sent to the public stores. m24 LEVI H GALE, 93 Common st.

☞ NOTICE.—Consignees per barque Kilby, Captain Jarvin, from Liverpool, will please call at the subscriber's office and sign the average bond. m24 L H GALE, 93 Common st.

☞ The bark STRAFFORD, from Bordeaux, is now discharging opposite the Beef Market, 1st Municipality.—Consignees are requested to make their entries within five days, otherwise their goods will be sent at their own expense, to the Customhouse stores. m24 5t G M LUCAS, Consignee, 30 Bienville st.

☞ The consignee of 4 bxs marked D in a diamond, per ship Oswego, from New York, will please make his residence known to J E WOODRUFF. m23 60 Camp st

☞ NOTICE.—The Letter Bag of the ship Leonidas for Havre will be taken away from the subscriber's office to day at 4 o'clock, P. M. Shippers are requested to make their exports early. m23 LEVI H. GALE, 93 Common st

☞ Ship MONUMENT, Capt Marshall, from Havre will commence discharging this morning. Consignees are requested to attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee, and take out their permits within five days, or their goods will be sent to the public stores. m23 J P WHITNEY & Co, 73 Camp st

☞ Ship ALBANIA, Capt Prowell, from Liverpool. This Ship will commence discharging this morning, opposite the square, First Municipality. Consignees will please take out their permits and attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee. m21 J P WHITNEY & Co, 73 Camp st

☞ The ship WALDRON, Capt Cheever, from Liverpool, is discharging opposite the Orleans Press. Consignees are particularly requested to sign the average bond, and to attend to the receipt of their goods. m18 LEVI H GALE, 93 Common st

F. T. BURNOS, SURGEON DENTIST, 95 Conti street. Office open from 8 o'clock, A. M. until 6 P. M. m17

ED. CLAGUE, Importer of Havana Produce, No. 28 Gravier street. m7

WILLIAM DAVIDSON & Co., Cotton Factors and Commission Merchants, 61 Canal. n12

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

RICHARD HAGAN, A. SIDNEY ROBERTSON, ALEX'R STUART. RICHARD HAGAN & Co., General Commission Merchants and Wholesale and Retail Grocers—No 13 Canal street row. m6 1m

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE BROCCHIERI WATER. At Mr E LAVENERE, Apothecary, corner Carondelet and Frenchmen streets, 3d Municipality. m13—1m

J. F. BERCIER. FRANCISCO TIO. J. F. BERCIER & Co., Commission Merchants and Grocers, 45 Old Levee, have constantly on hand fresh Groceries, Wines, Liquors, &c, at moderate prices. n10

LAW NOTICE.—E SIMON and A MORPHY, Attorneys and Counsellors at Law, have associated themselves for the practice of their profession. Office: Royal street, next door to the office of the Recorder of Mortgages, No 111. Residences: E Simon, Esplanade street, No. 137, and A Morphy, Royal street, No 111.

WAS BROUGHT to the Second Municipality Police Prison EDWARD, a griffe, about 25 years old, 5 feet 3 inches high, says he belongs to Madame Ubar. The owner will please call, prove property, pay charges and take him away. New Orleans, March 24th, 1846. m24—1aw4t A. H. ELDREDGE, Warden.

WAS BROUGHT to the 2d Municipality Police Prison, LUCY, a griffe, about 45 years old, 5 feet 1 inches high, says she belongs to Mr Hernandez. The owner will please call, prove property, pay charges and take him away. m24 1law4t A H ELDREDGE, Warden. New Orleans, March 24, 1846.

WAS BROUGHT to the Second Municipality Police Prison, JIM, a black, about 29 years old, 5 feet 8 inches high, says he belongs to Mr William Polk, about 25 miles above Helena, Arkansas. The owner will please call, prove property, pay charges and take him away. New Orleans, March 24th, 1846. m24—1awtf A H ELDREDGE, Warden.

FOR SALE by the undersigned, landing from ship Strafford from Bordeaux: 23 bls White Wine Vinegar, superior; 46 cases Sardines in Oil, J. Peneau brand, in boxes, halves and thirds; 27 cases assorted fruits in their juice from J Peneau; 10 cases Strawberries and Raspberries in their juice from do; 8 cases Prunes, Apricots and Cherries in their juice from do; 16 cases assorted Fruits in Brandy and Strawberry boxes; 5 cases pure Truffles from Perigord, different sizes; 3 cases Pigs and Chickens in Truffles; 4 cases Ceps and Mushrooms ... 8 cases Truffled Pies, different sizes. LOREILHE & Co. corner Royal and Customhouse streets.

FOR SALE by the undersigned, landing from ship Strafford of Bordeaux:—20,000 colored tickets at 24 per bottle; 30,000 caps for bottles; 200 quarter boxes sardines; 18 cases fruits in their juice; 18 bottles per case; 11 do do; 26 half bottles per case. ST. V. BARRETT, 28 Old Levee and 21 Gravier st

FOR SALE.—Landing from ship Strafford from Bordeaux, 4 half pipes fine Champagne Brandy ... Olivier; 4 quarter do ... Olivier; 25 bbls White Wine Vinegar. DABAN, GUEYROUZE & CO, 31 and 33 St Louis.

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LANDING from ship Strafford from Bordeaux—25 half casks Claret, Medoc; 20 casks do Montferrand; 30 bbls Cognac, Eagle brand, for sale by REYNAUD, CUCULLU & Co. m24 34 Tchoupitoulas st

IN STORE and for sale by the undersigned—3000 cases White and Red Wines; 200 do do in cases of 24 half bottles; 400 baskets Marseilles and Bordeaux Sweet Oil. m24 ST. V. BARRETT, 28 Old Levee and 21 Gravier st

FOR SALE by the undersigned, the following goods, now landing ex bark Strafford, from Bordeaux: 304 casks Red Wine, various qualities, 95 ¼ casks and barrels White Wine, Haut Sauterne. m24 1m G M LUCAS, 30 Bienville st.

IN STORE and for sale by the undersigned—3,500 Army Muskets, in good order, for sale on sample, by ST. V. BARRETT, m24 28 Old Levee and 21 Gravier st.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS—60 cases now landing from ship Essex, comprising a general assortment of prime and seasonable goods, for sale by m24 G W DUNBAR, 30 Customhouse st

PATTERSON COTTON DUCK—300 Colt's brand, for sails, awnings and tarpaulings, 25 and 44 inches wide, landing from ship Charlemagne, for sale by m24 6t LEOPOLD JEANNET, 22 St Louis

FOR SALE by the undersigned, landing from ship Monument from Havre 100 baskets Champagne, good quality. ST. V. BARRETT, m24 28 Old Levee and 21 Gravier st

CORKS—For sale now landing from ship Strafford, from Bordeaux, 600,000 Corks. m24 AUG MOLIER, 90 St Louis st

BRANDY CHERRIES—For sale, now landing from ship Strafford from Bordeaux, 50 cases Brandy Cherries. m24 AUG MOLIER, 90 St Louis st

COGNAC BRANDY—5 half pipes Cognac Brandy of superior quality "Castillon" brand, for sale by m24 LEOPOLD JEANNET, 22 St Louis st.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS—80 cases landing from bark Santee, for sale by f 24 R G HOBBS, 12 Customhouse st

CHERRIES IN BRANDY AND IN THEIR JUICE—50 cases, for sale by AUG. MOLIER, m23 90 St Louis street.

MADDER AND INDIGO—10 casks prime madder, 20 ceroons Caracas indigo, for sale by m23 W F VREDENBURGH & Co, 30 Old Levee st

PORT WINE—40 qrs single and triple grape brands, for sale by W F VREDENBURGH & Co, m23 30 Old Levee st

SPERM OIL—2000 gallons winter bleached, warranted pure, for sale by W F VREDENBURGH & Co, m23 30 Old Levee st

MALAGA AND CATALONIA WINE—80 barrels and quarters Sweet Malaga, and 5 pipes Catalonia Wine for sale by AUG MOLIER, 90 St Louis st. m23

SARDINES IN OIL—4000 boxes and half boxes, of the well known mark of B Gilloux for sale by m23 AUG MOLIER, 90 St Louis st.

CHAMPAGNE WINE—600 baskets, Star and Eagle's brands, for sale by AUG MOLIER, m23 90 St Louis st

SUGARS—50 hhds, a prime article in store and for sale by RICHARD HAGAN & CO. m23 1t 13 Canal street Row

CLARET IN BOXES—250 bxs Claret in customhouse entitled to drawback, for sale by m23 LOBSON & SILVESTRE, 36 Chartres st

DOMESTIC LIQUORS—80 bbls Anchor Gin and Brandy, light and dark colored, for sale by m23 ROBERTS & HALL, 75 Magazine

SPICES—300 pkgs Pepper, Race Ginger, Cloves, Nutmegs, Cassia, &c, for sale by m23 ROBERTS & HALL, 75 Magazine st

GROUND SPICES—200 pkgs Ginger, Cloves, Allspice, Cinnamon, Mustard, Cayenne Pepper, &c, for sale by m23 ROBERTS & HALL, 75 Magazine st

WHEAT—2000 bushels superior Iowa Wheat landing from steamboat Concordia from St Louis, for sale by m23 J E WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

FLOUR—1000 bbls Missouri Flour landing from steamboat Concordia from St Louis, for sale by m23 J E WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

LARD—300 bbls No 1 Leaf Lard landing from steamboat Concordia from St Louis, for sale by m23 J E WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

BEANS—80 bbls Beans landing from steamboat Concordia. m23 J E WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

SWISS ABSYNTH, Curacao, Maraschino, Dantzick ... for sale by m23 B TALAMON, 80 St Louis st

ORANGE FLOWER WATER in bottles of different sizes. m23 B TALAMON, 80 St Louis st

BACON—20 casks Bacon Sides Wood & Wade; 40 do do Shoulders Wood & Wade, for sale by m23 J E WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

PALM LEAF HATS—40 cases assorted, now landing from ship Granada, and for sale by m21 FROST & Co, 10 Magazine st.

CAMPEACHY HATS—Double brim and superfine, for plantation use for sale by FROST & Co, m21 10 Magazine st.

TUSCALOOSA WHISKY—60 half bbls very old and superior article, just received, for sale by m21 REYNAUD, CUCULLU & Co, 34 Tchoupitoulas st

TOBACCO—100 bales Cuba wrappers, landing per brig P Soule, for sale by TROISGROS & LAMPRE, m20 25 Old Levee

HAVANA PRESERVES—75 boxes Havana preserves, for sale by TROISGROS & LAMPRE, m20 25 Old Levee

COFFEE—305 sacks landing per brig P Soule, from Havana, for sale by TROISGROS & LAMPRE, m20 25 Old Levee

HAVANA SUGAR—285 boxes landing per brig P Soule for sale by TROISGROS & LAMPRE, m20 25 Old Levee

HAVANA SEGARS—70,000 assorted brands, landing per brig P Soule, for sale by m20 TROISGROS & LAMPRE, 25 Old Levee

BORDEAUX CLARET AND WHITE WINE in store and for sale by REYNAUD, CUCULLU & Co, m20 34 Tchoupitoulas st

HAVANA SUGAR—93 boxes new crop, landing from brig P Soule, from Havana, and for sale by m20 L CANTIN, 62 Gravier st

SEGARS—61,400 Regalia Segars landing ex brig Pierre Soule, from Havana, for sale by m20 J M CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee

HAVANA SEGARS—A complete assortment of choice Havana segars, in store and for sale by m20 J M CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee

LEAF TOBACCO—A few bales Vuelta de Abajo tobacco, for sale by J M CABALLERO, m20 32 Old Levee

SUGARS—Havana White, Yellow and Brown, in store and for sale by J M CABALLERO, m20 32 Old Levee

SPERM OIL—1500 gallons best winter bleached and strained, warranted pure article, for sale at 30 Old Levee, by m20 W F VREDENBURGH, & Co

MOSQUITO NETTINGS—A few bales brown nettings, extra salvage, for sale by m20 VANCE & LEPPER, 24 Bienville street

BALE ROPE—75 coils Missouri rope, in store, and for sale by J E WOODRUFF, m20 60 Camp street

SIDES AND SHOULDERS—50 casks Sides and Shoulders, in store and for sale by m19 J E WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

SUGAR CURED HAMS—75 bbls Ames & Co's Sugar Cured Hams, put up expressly for family and hotel use, for sale by J E WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st. m19

WHITE LEAD—60 kegs Philadelphia No 1 White Lead in store and for sale by m19 RICKER & PEARSON, 92 Camp st

GUNNY BAGS—1,000 second hand Gunny Bags in store and for sale by RICKER & PEARSON, m19 92 Camp st

NEST CASKS—50 nest casks and 200 Molasses barrels, for sale by RICKER & PEARSON, m19 92 Camp st

MACKEREL—60 half bbls No 2 Mackerel, in store and for sale by RICKER & PEARSON, m19 92 Camp st

ST DOMINGO COFFEE—300 sacks of superior quality in store and for sale (to close consignment) by m19 2w S R SNIDER, 64 Poydras st

HATS—2 cases beaver and silk hats for sale by TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD, m17 99 Customhouse st

SARDINES, &c—25 cases in one half boxes 5 do small boxes for sale by TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD, m17 99 Customhouse st

COFFEE—Havana Coffee, landing ex brig Hope Howes and for sale by RAYMOND CAHUZAC, m17 34 Old Levee st

SEGARS—Regalias and Millars, different brands, landing from brig Hope Howes, from Havana, and for sale by m17 RAYMOND CAHUZAC, 34 Old Levee st

FOR SALE—143 tons Salt, coarse and fine, per ship Venilia from Liverpool, for sale by m17 MURE & BARBRE, Cor Royal and Canal sts

PRUNES—In glass jars and boxes, just landing and for sale by RAYMOND CAHUZAC, m17 34 Old Levee st

RICE—100 tierces prime, now landing from brig Harris and for sale by WOOD & SIMMONS, 80 Magazine st m17

BACON—10 hhds Sides; 5 do Shoulders; and 141 barrels Hams, landing from steamer Iowa, and for sale by m17 WOOD & SIMMONS, 80 Magazine st

MACKEREL—Nos 1, 2 and 3, in bbls, half bbls and qrs, for sale by NORCROSS & FOSDICK, m16 40 Gravier st

BOSTON REFINED SUGAR—100 packages loaf, crushed and powdered, for sale by m16 NORCROSS & FOSDICK, 40 Gravier st

TEA—600 packages Imperial, Gunpowder, Young Hyson, Souchong, &c, for sale by m16 NORCROSS & FOSDICK, 40 Gravier st.

SPERM CANDLES—300 boxes New Bedford; 100 do "Star" for sale by NORCROSS & FOSDICK, m16 40 Gravier st

TOBACCO—Vuelta de Abajo, fillers and wrappers, landing ex brig Hope Howes and for sale by m16 EDWD CLAGUE, 28 Gravier st

TOBACCO—Cuba Tobacco, wrappers and fillers, landing ex brig Hope Howes, for sale by m16 EDWD CLAGUE, 28 Gravier st

SUGARS—Havana white, yellow and brown Sugars, landing ex brig Hope Howes, for sale by m16 EDWD CLAGUE, 28 Gravier st

TOBACCO—10 bales Vuelta de Abajo, new crop, landing ex brig Hope Howes, from Havana, and for sale by A16 L CANTIN, 62 Gravier.

BALE ROPE AND BAGGING—300 coils and pieces Missouri, for sale by BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co, m16 98 Tchoupitoulas st

SEGARS—5000 Regalias, Rionda brand, for sale by BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co, m16 98 Tchoupitoulas st

SMOKING TOBACCO—200 dozen fine cut smoking tobacco, for sale by BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co, m16 98 Tchoupitoulas st

LIME—600 bbls best quality Missouri Lime, for sale by BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co, m16 98 Tchoupitoulas st

STAR CANDLES—40 boxes Star Candles, for sale by BUDDECKE, WOODS & Co, m16 98 Tchoupitoulas st

FRENCH MERINO—3 cases lately received from Havre and for sale by R CAHUZAC, m13 34 Old Levee.

CHAMPAGNE—65 baskets Champagne, Fountain brand now landing ex ship Corsica from Havre and for sale by LOBSON & SILVESTRE, 36 Chartres st. m13

MUSHROOMS in bxs and half boxes fresh mushrooms, for sale by EUG ROCHEREAU & Co, m19 17 and 19 St Louis st

MESS BEEF—50 half bbls Johnson's extra Mess Beef, for family use, just arrived per steamer Ohio Belle, for sale by m10 J. F. BERCIER & Co, 54 Old Levee.

STAR CANDLES—35 half boxes Gosse & Deitrich, and Verdick & Werk's Star Candles, assorted sizes, for sale by J. F. BERCIER & Co, 54 Old Levee

SUGAR—100 boxes Havana, landing from ... for sale by [illegible]

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AMUSEMENTS.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.

N M LUDLOW } LUDLOW & SMITH. {SOL SMITH

Mrs MOWATT, Mr W H CRISP and Mr CHIPPENDALE. First night of the New American Comedy of FASHION; as originally performed at the Park Theatre, New York, with great success for Twenty six consecutive nights.

New Scenery by Mr H. B. Stockwell.

TUESDAY EVENING, March 24th, 1846—The new comedy, in 5 acts, called FASHION!—written by Mrs ANNA CORA MOWATT.—Adam Trueman, Mr Chippendale; Count de Jolimaitre, W H Crisp; Mr Tiffany, Mr Flemming; Snobson, Mr Skerrett; Zeke, Mr Jefferson; Gertrude, Mrs Mowatt; Mrs Tiffany, Mrs Cantor; Prudence, Mrs Rowe; Millinette, Mrs Shea. To conclude with DOBSON & CO!—Dobson, Mr Skerrett.

FIRST CONCERT OF THE German Philharmonic Society, AT THE ARMORY HALL, ON MONDAY, 30th MARCH, 1846.

PART I.

1. Overture to "Egmond" full Orchestra, ... Beethoven.
2. Concerto for the Violin, performed by Mr A. Waldauer, ... De Beriot.
3. Air, sung by Mr R. Santini, ... Donizetti.
4. Overture to "Der Freischutz," ... Weber.

PART II.

1. Overture to "Oberon," ... Weber.
2. Air, sung by Mr R. Santini, ... W. Furst.
3. Symphony in C minor, ... Beethoven.
   1. Allegro con brio.
   2. Andante con moto.
   3. Allegro and Finale.

Tickets, $1. For sale at the Music Stores, at the Hotels and at the door. The Concert will commence at 8 o'clock precisely. m24

LAST WEEK Of the Ivory Statue of Christ!

THE exhibition at the NATIONAL GALLERY, No. 13 St. Charles street, will close on SATURDAY, P. M., 28th inst, and the Statue immediately removed from the city.

Admission—Fifty Cents, (including the Gallery of Paintings). Hours from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M. m23

People's Lyceum.

THE 13th and closing LECTURE will be delivered by the President of the Institution, M. M. COHEN, Esq. Subject—"Analysis of Wit and Humor."

The lecture will be given in the ARMORY HALL, Camp street, on MONDAY, March 23d, at half-past 7 o'clock, P. M.

The public, particularly LADIES, are respectfully invited to attend.

JAMES PAUL, } Committee on
G. W. CAMPBELL, } Lectures.
ANDREW DALY, Secretary. m23

Washington Battalion Armory Ball-Room.

HEADS OF FAMILIES' BALL.

Heads of Families, desirous of paying a well merited compliment to the Gentlemen who have given a series of Balls at the above room, are informed that a Subscription List is now open, at the office of the Armory, by H Ruffier, and at the office of the St Louis Ball room. m21

AD. RINCK.—PORTRAIT PAINTER, respectfully informs his friends and the Public that he has removed to Bourbon st. No. 20, between Canal and Custom House sts. j14

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS.

MARCH 20th, 1846.

THE Price of Fresh Flour being this day, $4 60 per barrel, according to the Tariff, the Bakers will give 30 ounces of Bread for Ten Cents, during the ensuing week, commencing on MONDAY NEXT, 16th inst.

The loaves of Second quality or three for Ten Cents must weigh 25 per cent more, that is to say, 46⅞ ounces. m21 Signed E MONTEGUT, Mayor.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS.

MUNICIPALITY NO. THREE.

PURSUANT to law and in conformity with a resolution passed by the Council of Municipality No Three on the 9th inst.

Notice is hereby given that an election for Mayor of the City of New Orleans, Recorder of Municipality No Three, four Aldermen to represent the same in the General Council, and seven Aldermen to represent it in the Council thereof, viz: One Alderman for the Fourth Ward and two Aldermen for each of the remaining Wards, will take place on MONDAY, the 6th of April, 1846, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M. at the places and under the superintendence of the persons hereinafter named, to wit:

In the First Ward—At the Engine House of Creole Company, No. 9, on Esplanade st, between Frenchmen and Victory sts—Inspectors, Victor Andry and F. Guinault. Clerk, Mat. Dodart.

In the Second Ward—In the Watch House at the corner of Champs Elysees and Grands-hommes sts—Inspectors, A. Rousseau and Octave Le Blanc. Clerk, G W Harby.

In the Third Ward—In the "Girquel Hall" on Moreau st, between Clouet and Louisa sts—Inspectors, J R Viener and Louis Deletra. Clerk, Robert Wynn.

In the Fourth Ward—At the Coffee House of Mr. A Paizan, Tontine, between Esplanade and Bayou Road—Inspectors, John E Holland and Joseph Solomon. Clerk, Pierre Castanova.

New Orleans, March 21st, 1846.

E MONTEGUT, Mayor.

N B.—The Inspectors and Clerks hereinbefore named, are requested to call, as soon as practicable, at the Mayor's office, in order to take the oath required by law. m23

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS.

MUNICIPALITY NO. ONE.

PURSUANT to law, and in conformity with a resolution passed by the Council of Municipality No. one, on the 16th instant.

Notice is hereby given that an election for Mayor of New Orleans, Recorder of Municipality No. One, four Aldermen to represent the same in the General Council, and twelve Aldermen to represent it in the Council thereof, viz: Four for the First Ward, and two for each of the remaining Wards, will take place on MONDAY, the 6th of April, 1846, between the hours of 9 o'clock, A. M. and 5 o'clock, P. M. at the places and under the superintendence of the persons hereinafter named, to wit:

In the First Ward—At formerly Richardson's Hotel, at Conti street, between Levee and Chartres streets.—Inspectors, John Winthrop and Gustave [illegible]—Clerk, Charles Lee.

In the Second Ward—At the City Coffee House, corner Chartres and St. Peter streets.—Inspectors, James Marks and Jules David.—Clerk, Armand Pellerin.

In the Third Ward—At Salaun's Coffee House, in Orleans street, between Royal and Bourbon sts. Inspectors, Paulin Blanque and Emile Bourdes.—Clerk, Armand Dessommes.

In the Fourth Ward—At the Engine House in Hospital street, between Bourbon and Royal streets.—Inspectors, William E Murphy and Theodule Montreuil—Clerk, Victor Sere.

In the Fifth Ward—At the Engine House in Dumaine street, between St Claude and Rampart streets.—Inspectors, Victor Wiltz and Emile Rabouin—Clerk, William Autry.

New Orleans, March 21, 1846.

E. MONTEGUT, Mayor.

N. B. The Inspectors and Clerks hereinbefore named are requested to call as soon as practicable, at the Mayor's office, in order to take the oath required by law.

☞ The Courier will please copy.

L. DUPERRON being about to absent himself from New Orleans, for a few months, requests all persons who may have claims against him, situated corner of St Peter and Bourbon streets, and known under the name of "The Queen of Cypress," to call on him within ten days from this date, as also those who are indebted to him, to come and settle within the same delay.

During L. Duperron's absence, P. IBOS will hold his power of attorney, and act as his agent. m17

NOTICE.—The public is hereby notified and cautioned that the following Bill of Exchange, which has come to me, has been lost of mislaid, to wit: A bill of exchange for the sum of three thousand four hundred and ninety eight dollars and two cents ($3,498 02), drawn by James Trotter to his own order, and by him endorsed—directed to and accepted by Dick & Hill, at New Orleans, dated at New Orleans, on the 20th of May 1845, and payable ten months after date.

FRANCES W. BOYD
By Peyton & Smith, Attorneys.
m21

DRAY HORSE—Wanted, a good working Horse, from 5 to 8 years old. Apply to m23—3t J P BERCIER & Co, 54 Old Levee.

FOR SALE—A second handed Carriage suitable for a family. Apply at No. 46 St Ann street. m18

DETAINED in the Police Jail of Municipality No 3, since the 17th instant, a mulatto girl named LOUISE, says she belongs to Mr Grailhe, residing in the First Municipality; she is aged about 18 or 20 years, 4 feet 11 inches high, speaks but French. The owner of said slave is requested to claim her at the office of the Recorder, in conformity to law. New Orleans, March 23d, 1846.

M HERNANDEZ, Jr.
m23—10t 2d Lieut and Jailor

TEN DOLLARS REWARD—Run away from the subscriber the negro girl ESTHER, aged about 20 years, about 5 feet in stature. She is likely, and has large eyes but not protruding; her two front teeth of the upper jaw are widely separated. The above reward will be given to any one who will apprehend the said slave, and lodge her in one of the city jails. m21—3t L J COIRON.

CHOICE SELECTION OF CATHOLIC BOOKS, for sale at the "New Orleans Stationer's Warehouse," 14 Camp st. Grounds of the Old Religion; Gother's Defence; Bornhold's Sacraments; [illegible] ... Imitation of the Blessed Virgin; [illegible] ... Irish Gentleman; Interior [illegible] ... Lessons for Lent; [illegible] ... Manual of Catholic [illegible] ... Carmody; [illegible] ... Friends; Pise's History of the Catholic Church; Newman's Essay on the Development of Christian Doctrine, a new and very valuable work.

A great variety of other books usually read and much esteemed by Roman Catholics. For sale at low prices by m21 J B STEEL, 14 Camp st

Cheap Bareges and Muslins.

C. M. SIMPSON, 37 Chartres street corner of Customhouse street, has just received from New York Auctions, a large quantity of CHEAP BAREGES and MUSLINS suited to the present season: 1 case Bareges at 25 cents per yard; 1 do all colors 37½ do do; 1 do sup. sup. 45 cents do do; 3 cases Lawns and Jaconets, very low. Also—5 cases Calicoes from 8 to 12½ cents, together with a general assortment of Family Dry Goods purchased at Auction and will consequently be sold very low. m23

FOR SALE, landing from ship Stafford from Bordeaux: 24 casks Claret Wine, Montferrand; 100 baskets superior Aniseed; 100 reams Letter Paper; 300,000 pointed Corks; 100 bbls White Wine, Haut Sauterne, 1842, by FOUGET, fils, m22 147 Royal st, between St Louis and Toulouse

MACKEREL—50 bbls No 1 large Nova Scotia; 50 bbls No 2 large Nova Scotia; Boston inspection No. 1, 2, and 3, in all size packages; Syrup and Sugar Molasses in half bbls, put up expressly for family use. With a variety of choice articles too numerous to be mentioned. RICHARD HAGAN & CO. m23 1t Canal street Row.

SWISS ABSYNTH—60 bbls Swiss Absynth; 30 do superior do; 250 baskets Oil in bottles and half bottles; 9 bales, 30,000 each, Corks; 100 bxs Cordials in large half and quart bottles; 30 do Orange Flower Water; 15 baskets Champagne; Curacao; Kirsch, &c, for sale by m23 LOBSON & SILVESTRE, 36 Chartres st

FLOUR—500 bbls Washington Mills, St. Louis; 1000 do City Mills, St Louis; 500 do Hermann Mills, Quincy; 500 do Quincy Mills, do; 500 do C H Eagle Mills, Peoria; 300 do Beardstown City Mills; 300 Chamston Mills, Peoria; all in fine shipping order and choice brands, for sale in lots to suit, by m23 J E WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

CORKS AND EMPTY BOTTLES—Fine and Surfine Corks, in bales of 30,000 and 10,000 each, and bags of 500 and 100; 100 crates empty bottles, for sale by AUG MOLIER, 90 St Louis st.

ALEX SEIGNETTE'S BRANDY—For sale in customhouse store, with the benefit of drawback, 5 half pipes Brandy; 5 qr do superior, 1835; 4 qr do old, 1826; by m23 LOBSON & SILVESTRE, 36 Chartres st

CHAMPAGNE—Crochet Rouge—50 baskets received direct from Messrs Lanson, Jr, of Rheims, by Queen Victoria from Havre, for sale by LOREILHE & Co, m7 corner of Royal and Customhouse

SWISS MUSLINS—An additional supply of the real article has just been received from ... [illegible]

PROPOSALS will be received until 12 o'clock M WEDNESDAY the 8th April next at the office of the New Orleans Draining Company, No. 15, Bourbon street, for the digging of the following Canal:

One in Broad street, commencing at Canal Carondelet and running to the New Canal on Julia street, twenty feet wide at top, ten feet wide at bottom and six feet deep.

One in Carrollton, Canal Avenue, commencing at Julia street, and running to Orleans street, twenty feet at top, ten feet at bottom and six feet deep.

One each side of Common street, commencing at Claiborne street and running to the New Canal, fifteen feet wide at top, seven feet wide at bottom, and ten feet deep.

Persons offering to contract for above works will name the rate per running acre or cubic yard. For terms of payment apply at the office.

RICHARD HAGAN,
Chairman, Executive Committee N. O. D. Co.
m20,23, a 1,3,4.

ST. CHARLES PAVILLION.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—The undersigned has the honor to inform you that he will open his Pavilion in St Charles street near the Rev. Mr Clapp's Church on SATURDAY, the 21st instant. It will be supplied every day, from eleven o'clock A. M. until evening, with ice creams and sherbets of all kinds, Roman punch, lemonade, &c. The care and attention he still bestows upon the business induce him to hope for a continuance of the patronage heretofore extended to him.

m19—3t H WILLOZ

ATTENTION.

THE Collector of Taxes, imposed according to law by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, hereby notifies all persons, whether residents or non residents, who have such taxes to pay, that said taxes will become due on Monday, the thirtieth of March next, and that his office is kept at the Parish Court House, city of Lafayette, and is open from 9 o'clock, A M to 2 P M every day.

Parish of Jefferson, January 22d, 1846.

j 23—2m—3aw V LIVAUDAIS, Collector.

POUND.

The Pound of the Third Municipality is situated in Esplanade street, between Claiborne and Derbigny streets. m10—3t

SHEET LEAD AND IMPROVED PATENT LEAD PIPE.—The subscriber continues to manufacture his Improved Leaden Pipe, and solicits the attention of Planters 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 meets the notice of residents on the Coast for the supply of their establishments. It can be made of any size, from one fourth to four inches calibre, as may be desired and affords decidedly the cheapest medium for the purpose.

Orders for the above will be filled at short notice by application to the manufacturer.

W W THOMPSON, St Louis Mo., or his Agents in New Orleans,
m23—1y KENNETT & DIX, 71 Poydras st

GREAT ECONOMY IN WOOD.

TO SUGAR PLANTERS.

NELSON FOUCHE has the honor to inform his former customers, and the Sugar Planters in general, that he has recently acquired the knowledge of an infallible plan for the rapidity of boiling and the saving of wood. He is so thoroughly convinced of its success that he will undertake to state the quantity of Sugar that will be made to the cord of wood in twenty four hours, and the saving of wood is so great that from the very first grinding the planter will save the amount of the cost of the machinery. Those Sugar Planters who are desirous of testing its quality, can easily do so by witnessing the operation during the present grinding season, on the plantations whereat it has been established by him. He invites those planters who may be out of wood, to apply to Mr Arnaud Lanaux, of the Parish of Plaquemines, on whose plantation he has established a machine for burning coal. Mr Lanaux has been greatly the gainer by the process. He burns only one cord of wood and a few barrels of coal to each hogshead of sugar. His machinery makes eight or ten hogsheads in twenty four hours.

The proprietor of the machinery being a very important point, he requests those Sugar Planters who contemplate contracting with him, to make known the required dimensions of the boilers.

The price of the machinery is but $50 a boiler and $75 for the chimnies. The works already completed by him will attest the solidity of his labor.

REFERENCES.

Messrs Martin Gordon, 31 Camp st
J A Merle, Tchoupitoulas st
John Thibaut, 29 Old Levee st
Cordeviolle & Lacroix, 23 Chartres st
Dr Stone, Parish Iberville.
Messrs. R McCall, } Parish of Ascension
J B Letorey, }
Trasclle, Parish of Assumption
Tureaud, Parish St James
J Dussuau, } Parish of Jefferson.
Edward Fortier, }
Arnaud Lanaux, }
A Preggio, } Parish of Plaquemines
Octave Labranche, Parish of St Charles

For further information apply to

NELSON FOUCHE,
24—6m 128 Moreau st Faubourg Marigny.

TO SUGAR PLANTERS.

ECONOMY IN THE CONSUMPTION OF WOOD.

APOLINAIRE PERRAULT, has the honor to inform the Sugar Planters, that he is in possession of an INFALLIBLE PLAN for boiling Sugar and for Economy in the Consumption of Wood. He is so certain of success that he will undertake to state the quantity of wood which his apparatus will consume in the space of 24 hours, and the saving of one cord and three quarters per cord. By this method apparatuses with 4 kettles can make from 7 to 9 thousand pounds of sugar in 24 hours. He likewise guarantees that apparatuses made according to his plan with 4 kettles can be made to make three hogsheads of Sugar, without its being necessary to withdraw the fires. Planters desirous of having ... his ... confidence, may trust the note implicitly to his declaration, and he will not receive any compensation until the working is tested and accepted, after the grinding.

☞ The price of the Kettles is $40 and of the flues $50. Apply to Mr. J. LABOSE, No. 17 Old Levee street, to Mr. DAUBOY, No. 165 Orleans street, to Mr. FLOWER, No. 37 Natchez street, and to Mr. OSBORNE, Jefferson Parish, Barrataria Road. m22 6m

TO SUGAR PLANTERS.

WROUGHT IRON SUGAR KETTLES of superior quality from the works of Edwin Maw, Liverpool.—Sizes varying from 54 to 92 inches, for sale by m4 WYLIE & EGANA, 32 Bienville st.

RICHARD HAGAN & Co, 13 Canal st Row—offers to the trade, to the country and to all purchasers: Mountain Green Rio, Prime Green Havana, Laguayra, Maracaibo and Old Government Java Coffee; New Bedford Sperm Candles of the most approved brands, and all other articles in our line.

Liqueurs—1 pipe Gilmore's Reserved Cognac Brandy; 1 puncheon pure Old Jamaica Rum, 30 years old; a small quantity Old Rye Whiskey, in old casks; Claret, in casks and bottles, of superior quality, together with a choice assortment of Wines of every description.

Creole Butter, not to be surpassed in the Philadelphia market. This article we receive twice a week from our friends on the coast.

TO HIRE—a first rate Cook, Washer and Ironer—also, a first rate Dancing Room Servant Boy. Enquire of m20 RICHARD HAGAN, 13 Canal at Row.

FOR SALE by the undersigned to close several invoices.

94 cases genuine Swiss Kirsch
200 baskets superfine Bordeaux Anisette
50 baskets Angers Guignolet
1 thousand fine pointed Corks
100 do do ordinary
50 cases Orange Flower Water
10 jugs Orange Flower Water
20 cases assorted Cordials, half and quarter bottles
6 boxes Paris Green Paint
3 jars Anchovies
40 dozen Mulhouse colored Shirts
100 pairs French Boots
100 Silk Hats.

DUDOUYT & TEULADE
m20 13 Toulouse st

New York Silk Goods Warehouse.

NO. 17 CHARTRES STREET, NEW ORLEANS.

WEST, OLIVER & WOODLIFF, invite the attention of merchants, both of the city and those throughout the South-west who may visit this market the present season, to their new and extensive assortment of Silk and Fancy Goods, comprising the latest and most fashionable styles imported this season. The facilities afforded them by their house, No 136 Pearl street New York in supplying this branch with the latest importations of EUROPEAN GOODS, also with goods purchased at great bargains from the New York auctions, enable them to present inducements equal to any other establishment in the city. Their stock comprises principally the following articles viz:

Rich printed Cachmere d'Ecosse, Mousselines de Laine and Reps de Laine
Black Alpacas, Bombazines, Balzorines, Bareges and Mousselines de Laine
Extra rich Bareges, Balzorines and Crapes for Ball dresses
Rich embroidered Muslin and Tarlatan Dresses
Black Gros de Suisse, Levantine Gros de Rhin, India Silks, Sinchew Silks and watered Gros de Naples
Rich brocade chameleon armure plaid, striped and figured Pekin Silks
Rich Poult de Soie and Bonnet Silks
White and colored plain Satins and Gros de Naples
Assorted Florences and Marcelines
Black Silk and worsted Serges
Black, White and Pink Crape
French Merinos and Silk Velvet
Very rich Cashmere Shawls, new styles, Paris Exposition and Louis XIV patterns
Black Cashmere and Damask Wool Shawls

Also—A complete assortment of mousseline de laine, nett wool, merino and many various styles of Fall and Winter Shawls

Ladies' Dress Handkerchiefs and Scarfs, of different styles and patterns

A large assortment of men and women's Kid, Silk, Pilot, Cashmere and Buckskin Gloves. Also, a variety of fancy long Mitts and Gloves;

Hemstitched and riviere embroidered linen cambric Handkerchiefs;

Gent's linen cambric, Pongee, Spitalfield and Bandana Handkerchiefs;

Also, Gent's rich silk Scarfs and Cravats, gum elastic Suspenders, silk and cotton Hosiery; Coat Cords and Bindings; Sewing Silk and Twist; Polka Gimps and Cords; Girdles of different styles; Veils and demi Veils; French Silk Umbrellas; green Barege; a full assortment of cardinal, polka, Mechlin, Valenciennes and Lisle Edgings and Insertings; also Swiss and Jaconet do.

Always on hand—A full assortment of satin gros de Naples and gauze Ribbons of the latest styles, for bonnets and caps; also satin and taffeta do, assorted numbers. nov 10

NO. 58 CHARTRES STREET.

THE undersigned has just received from Paris the following articles, which are of the latest style and fashion, and have been selected by our Mr. Wm. Barbarin during his late visit, and which they offer to sell at the lowest prices—viz:

Blue, black and colored Cashmere Cloths
Black and colored Cassimeres
Pilot Cloths; Billiard Cloths
Ready made Paletots and Tweeds
Dress and Frock Coats
Cashmere Vests, double and single breasted
Velvet do do do do
Silk do do do do
Silk and embroidered Vests, for soirees
Black Satin and Cassimere embroidered Vests
Colored Silk and Satin Jouvin Scarfs and Cravats
White, black and colored Kid Gloves
White and colored Military Buckskin Gloves
Silk and Cotton Suspenders
do do Socks
Fine Linen Shirts
Polka and Mazurka Hats
Chapeaux, with trimmings for Generals and Colonels
Epaulettes for Generals, Captains, and Lieutenants, Sergeants and Corporals
Embroideries for Major Generals, Lieutenants of the Navy, Passed Midshipmen and Midshipmen; Straps and Eagles, with the numbers for officers of the U. S. Army
Gold and Silver Laces
Gold Aiguillettes
Plumes for Officers, do for Dragoons
Swords of all kinds

☞ Paletots, Dress and Frock Coats, Vests and Pantaloons made to order, in the latest Paris fashion.

nov 19—tf L A & W BARBARIN.

MEDICINES!!—GEO W CARPENTER & Co's celebrated Medicines, consisting of the following in store and for sale by W F VREDENBURGH & Co, 30 Old Levee, agents for the Manufacturers:—Sarsaparilla, Cubebs and Copaiva, Buchu, Pink Root, large Liverwort, Pink Root, small, Wahoo, Extract Bark, Kreosote, Blue Mass, &c. &c., in quantities to suit purchasers, and at manufacturers' prices.

CLARET IN CASKS—12 casks St Julien Medoc; 9 do Montferrand, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & Co, m21 17 and 19 St Louis st.

CLARET IN BOXES—100 boxes claret, St Julien, with caps and labels, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & Co, m21

SARDINES [illegible]

AUCTION SALES.

TO-DAY.

BY N. VIGNIE.—No. 77 Chartres street.

WILL sell THIS MORNING, at 11 o'clock, at the Auction Room—Sundry lots of DRY GOODS: 1 case Cambric Handkerchiefs; 3 fine Clocks; Several fine Gold Watches; Assorted Jewelry and a variety of fancy articles, now landing direct from New York.

Also, at private sale—50 baskets Champagne WINE, of superior quality. m24

Flour! Flour!

BY SYKES & HYDE.

A. DUVALL, Auctioneer.

THIS DAY, Tuesday 24th at 10 o'clock, will be sold on the Levee opposite Lafayette street by order and under the inspection of the Port Wardens for account of whom it may concern.

525 bbls Flour, damaged on board flatboat No 87, Capt Shaw, from Ohio, reshipped on steamer Convoy, landed at this port.

Terms—Cash. m24

Trade sale of Imported Glass—to close consignments.

BY BEARD, CALHOUN & Co. Auctioneers.

WILL be sold at auction, on TUESDAY, 24st inst., at half-past 10 o'clock, at Banks' Arcade Passage, in front of the office of the auctioneers:

125 cases imported Glass, comprising				
10 boxes	50 doz each	tumblers,		heavy;
10	do 50	do	do	painted;
25	do 50	do	do	fine glass;
10	do 50	do	do	ordinary do;
10	do 50	do	do	fine cut bottom do;
10	do 50	do	do	do do fluted;
7	do 50	do	do	super. do;
10	do 50	do	liquor glasses;	
10	do 50	do	wine glasses;	
5	do 50	do	do sup. do;	
10	do 50	do	fine cut, assorted patterns;	
6	do 50	do	Champagne do;	
1	do 50	do	Hock Glasses;	
1	do 50	do	Green do;	
1	do 50	do	Goblets do;	
3	do 50	do	Painted mugs.	

Terms—All sums under $200 cash; and under $500, and upwards 4 months credit, for approved endorsed paper or approved city acceptances.

This sale is made without reserve, and is worthy the notice of the trade. m23

Flour and Pork.

BY SYKES & HYDE.

A. DUVALL, Auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY afternoon, 25th inst, at 4½ o'clock, will be sold on the Levee opposite St James street near the dividing line of 2d Municipality and Lafayette, by order and under the inspection of the Port Wardens for account of whom it may concern.

645 bbls Flour, 166 bbls Pork, damaged on board flatboat Osceola, Capt Devols, from Ohio.

TO CAPITALISTS.

Valuable Camp street Store, &c.

BY BEARD, CALHOUN & Co. Auctioneers.

WILL be sold at auction on SATURDAY, 11th of April, at 12 o'clock, at the Commercial Exchange, St. Charles street.

That very desirable four story BRICK BUILDING, situated on the South-west corner of Camp and Gravier streets, measuring 22 feet 6 inches front on Camp street, 91 feet 7 inches front on Gravier street, 50 feet in depth on the line of lot No. 47, and opening in the rear 22 feet 3 inches.

The building is constructed of the very best material, the lower floor is divided into four convenient offices and under rent of $2,730. The upper stories being divided also into finished offices, with grates in all the second floor, and now under rent of $1,480—the entire building being under rent of $4,210, and is susceptible of a rental of $5,000 per annum.

The property, from its central situation for business in the Second Municipality, is considered to be the most valuable in New Orleans, and offers to capitalists a favorable opportunity for a profitable investment.

TERMS OF SALE—One-fourth, cash; balance at 6, 12 and 18 months credit for approved endorsed notes, bearing interest from date of 6 per cent per annum. If the said notes are not paid at maturity, to bear interest of 8 per cent per annum until paid.

Act of sale before H B Cenas, Esq., Notary Public, at the expense of the purchaser. m24 41

West Biloxi Lots for Summer Residences.

BY BEARD, CALHOUN & CO. Auctioneers.

WILL be sold at Auction on MONDAY 30th inst, at 12 o'clock, at Banks' Arcade.

Nine very desirable LOTS OF GROUND situated in the most desirable situation at West Biloxi, numbering on the original plan deposited in the office of F. Grima, Esq. N. P., as lots Nos 11, 12, 13, 36, 38, 61, 62, 71, 73. The said lots measure each, one arpent front on the Bay by 7 arpents deep, excepting lots 72 and 73, which measure each 10 1-2 arpents deep. The property is beautifully situated for Summer Retreats, being surrounded by game of every description, and the Lake abounding with the choicest Fish and Oysters.

The sale is positive and this perfect.

Terms—Half cash, balance in one year for notes endorsed to the satisfaction of the vendor without mortgage. Acts of sale before J. Guyol, Esq., N. P. at the expense of the purchasers.

The plan will be exhibited at sale. m24

Handsome Property.

BY M. PAFNETT, Jr. Auctioneer.

WILL be sold on THURSDAY, March 26, 1846, at noon, at the St. Louis Exchange:

A handsome property established as a Flower Garden, situated in faubourg Washington, near the Tobacco Warehouses, comprising the lot in Levee, measuring 165 feet 4 inches front on Pologne street, by 180 feet in depth; 54 feet front on Lesseps street, by 180 feet in depth and fronting Moreau street, making a corner.

The house fronts on Pologne street, measures 50 feet and is composed of two rooms, a windowed gallery inside, two cabinets and another gallery on the yard. The kitchen consists of two apartments, cabinets and a gallery. There is in the backyard a servants' room, a shed for smoking and two privies.

In the garden—two hot-houses, 35 to 60 feet long by 16 to 18 in breadth, a shed, a large building having 3 apartments and a garret, another building, stable and coach house fronting Lesseps and Moreau streets.

There are in the garden, a quantity of fruit trees in full bearing, other trees and ornamental shrubs and plants; also, ten hot beds.

Terms—One half cash, the balance at 6 and 12 months in notes endorsed to the satisfaction of the vendor, and bearing mortgage until final payment; those remaining unpaid when due will bear interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum until final payment.

Act of sale before L T Caire, Notary Public, at the expense of the purchaser.

Persons desirous of purchasing said property at private sale are invited to visit it, and to apply at the office of the above mentioned auctioneer, No. 26 Conti street. m24

BY E. GUINAULT.

WILL be sold on SATURDAY, 4th April, 1846, at noon, precisely, at the City Exchange, St. Louis street:

That fine COUNTRY RESIDENCE situated on the Gentilly Road, at about two miles from New Orleans, near Clarke's House, having one arpent front on the Chemin de la Creta, bordering the Gentilly Road, by forty arpents and twenty toises in depth, the whole is cleared and part under culture. This property is fenced in with pickets on the road up to the depth of four arpents, which comprises the garden; the balance forms a field for raising corn, grass, &c.—and there is a ditch ... Bayou. In the garden there are two fine wells on artesian and a large number of fruit trees recently planted; together with the improvements, consisting of a house divided into four apartments (front and back gallery), a building in the yard divided into five rooms with fire places, galleries, &c; another building divided into three rooms, one of which is used as a kitchen, stables, coach house, shed, sheds, poultry houses, piggeries, &c, the whole in good order, having been repaired lately. There is a fine brick well in the yard, and in the court near the stables.

Terms—$600 payable in 6 months, $1,800 payable on 1st November, 1846, $600 payable on 1st May, 1847, and balance cash.

The above property can be purchased at private sale on application to the Auctioneer, office 26 Conti street. m20

TRANSLATIONS—The undersigned will undertake the translation of any documents which may be confided to his care. ADRIEN AUBRY, Office of Mr. Bussey, Attorney at Law, f 30 St. Peter street, between Chartres and Royal

INFORMATION WANTED—If M LAZZAROVICH, of Sabioncello, Dalmatia, is still in this country, he is invited to call or send his address to Messrs Dutilh & Cousinery of New York, who have something very much to his advantage to communicate to him. f26—1m

INFORMATION WANTED—Any persons knowing the residence of Mr GRENIER dit LA FEUILLADE or LA TOULADE or the place where he died, are requested, in the interest of his family, to communicate it to EUG ROCHEREAU & Co, f 10 17 and 19 St Louis st

INFORMATION WANTED of the whereabouts of THOMAS HOWELL, formerly of Clay, Norfolk, England. British Consulate, 10 Musson's Buildings. f10 Royal street

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 at all times to furnish music for military and civil parades, ball parties, Serenades, &c. &c.

Any orders left at Mr John Lindner's music store, No 47 Chartres street, Mr B. Casey's, corner of Common and Camp, or at Mr C Hopf's, (leader) No. 257 Gravier street, will meet with punctual attendance. f21—3m

Orchestra for Balls.—Mr F Leguerre, Leader of the Orchestra at the St. Louis Ball Room, and Washington Battalion Armory, offers his services to Soirees, Balls, Weddings, Parties, &c. &c.

Mr. Leguerre will execute the latest quadrilles and most fashionable waltzes.

His terms will be very moderate.

Apply at No. 294 Dauphine street, or at the offices of the above Ball Rooms. f30—3m

NOTICE.

IN CONFORMITY to notice given by the Commissioners, an election for Directors of the Mexican Gulf Railway Company was held on the 3d of March, 1846, at the office of A. Gordon, No. 32 Bienville street, and the following gentlemen were duly elected to serve for the ensuing year.

A. GORDON, G. MUSSON,
PETER CONREY, Jr. WM. MURE,
L. MILLAUDON.

And at a meeting of the Directors of the Mexican Gulf Railway Company, held at the office of A. Gordon, on the 5th March, 1846, the following gentlemen were nominated and appointed as follows.

PETER CONREY, Jr. Esq. President pro tem.
G. MUSSON, Comptroller.
J. W. SMITH, Chief Engineer.
H. TURNER, Superintendent of Motive Power.

2,863 Shares of the Stock have been pledged—and it is proposed to close the books as soon ... [illegible]

The Stockholders are hereby notified, in conformity with the 6th section of the charter of the Company, that by a resolution of the Board of Directors, they are called upon to pay to G. Musson, Comptroller, on the ... April next, an additional instalment of three dollars per share. New Orleans, March 6, 1846. m ... 3w

DETAINED at the residence of the undersigned, at the Parish of St Bernard, at about 9 miles from the city of New Orleans, a negro named DAVIS or ROBERT, and a negro woman named MARY—both say they belong to David Young, of the Parish of St James. The negro will be delivered with an iron ... The owner will ... to claim said slaves on paying expenses.

Parish of St Bernard, 11th March, 1846.

JOS B CUCULLU, Sheriff

COMMISSION HOUSE.

To Southern and Western Merchants.

THE subscribers have on hand, and are constantly receiving from the best manufacturers in New England, a prime stock of Boots, Shoes and Brogans, which they will be sold at very low prices for cash, ... the only ...

They are also agents for several of the ... Tanneries in the country, and have constantly on hand a ... assortment of ...

N. B.—Cash advances on Leather ... [illegible]

... & WHALL, ... [illegible]