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NEW ORLEANS:
FRIDAY MORNING, JAN. 30, 1863.

Sales at Auction To-Day.

By J. B. Crozat, at 11 o'clock, A. M., at No. 96 Royal street, near St. Louis, furniture.

By T. Keelar & Son, at 10 o'clock, at No. 73 Camp street, assorted dry goods.

By D. E. Morphy, at 11 o'clock, at No. 84 Magazine street, sundries.

By G. P. Phinney, at 10 o'clock, on the levee, sugar and molasses.

By the Sheriff, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, an improved lot of ground on Perdido street.

THE VARIETIES THEATRE.—The largest and most brilliant audience of the season crowded this favorite place of amusement last night, on the occasion of Mr. Vining Bowers's benefit, which, in every particular, was worthy of the justly popular beneficiary. The principal piece of the programme, "Victorine; or the Dream o' the Working Girl," a piece of fine comic situations, was well calculated to bring forth successfully the peculiar qualities of Mr. Bowers as a comedian of discernment and taste. There is an individual trait in Mr. Bowers's personality which places him in our opinion, above most actors of his class, and that is the originality with which he delineates his characters, for we have seldom known him to enslave himself to the peculiar traditions which another actor may have imparted to a particular character. Without wishing to draw invidious comparisons, in the traditions of the Varieties, the *Major De Boots*, the *Uriah Heep*, *Mr. Dore*, in "Married Life," and *Graves*, in "Money," has spersonated by Mr. Bowers, have never been surpassed and seldom equaled. We confess that to our mind, the portraiture by Mr. Bowers of the crafty, scheming and designing knave, *Heep*, in "David Copperfield," has never had its equal upon our boards. He acts the part as a man who has entered into its spirit, as one who has read and fully appreciated the villany of the character as drawn by Dickens. With such credentials before him, it is not strange then that Mr. Bowers, after even so long an absence from this city, should have lost none of that favor which has made him so universally popular among our play-goers. In "Toodles," a character in which we learn he appeared for the first time last night, Mr. Bowers recalled those pleasant nights when the people of New Orleans were made mirthful and gay by the sunning radiance of peace and prosperity, when Mr. Powers's old friend Ben DeBar was wont to see the old St. Charles in a roar in his inimitable character of *Timothy Toodles*. In this piece, apart from his usual comicality, Mr. Bowers's make up was faultless.

Whilst paying the beneficiary all the tribute which he has well earned, we must not forget to state that the artists who contributed their talents to the evening entertainment, Mrs. Baker, Mr Baker, Mr. Eyer and Miss Wallace, a new subject, acquitted themselves, the three first, with their usual ability, and Miss Wallace for a *debutante* performed the part of *Sophie* quite satisfactorily. Miss Sefton displayed her usual grace in the pretty Spanish *lotta la Madrileena*, which she dance with a perfection, gracefulness and ease, which would do no dishonor to a Galetti or a Cappel. To-night we have "Victorine" again, to conclude with "Robert Macaire."

The United States mail steamship North Star, P. E. Lefavre, commander, sails this morning for New York, with a freight, the United States mails, and the following passengers:

Mrs. Dr Craven, John Herron, Mr. Watson, S Howell, Geo H Frost, Geo M Reiv, Miss Maria Moore, S W Green, Mr Donovan, Miss Emeline Cash, Dr. C Daniels, D Berger, Mrs. Hyman, Miss Cash, Mrs. Crawford, C Hecdrell, h, M Davis, J Haggerty, John Kelly and two children, Hannah Haynes, J Smith, J P Brazier, Mrs. Bradley, Margaret Larkin and child, F Passero, T Cain, P Brady, Margaret Larkin and child, F Passero, T Cain, P Brady, Margaret Larkin and child, F Passero, T Cain, P Brady