U. S. CIRCUIT COURT.—The cases of *Wood & Hughes* vs. *C. Redore et al*; *Platt & Brother* vs. *the same*; *Arrowsmith et al* vs. *the same*; in which a re-hearing had been granted, all came on for trial yesterday before the Court—the jury having been waived. The plaintiffs were all represented by Mr. Upton, and the defendants by Messrs. Eyma and Gustavus Schmidt. Some interesting questions in the law of respite were disussed, and we understood it to have been decided that the decision made some years since by Judge McKinley, in the case of Rullitt vs. Thayer, touching the decree that respite was a proceeding in insolvency, and did not affect the rights of foreign creditors to their actions before the Federal Judiciary, was fully recognized. Then came the question whether or not the plaintiffs had made themselves parties to this respite, by their agreement of March, 1847, passed with Mr. Browne, the agent of Messrs. Platt & Brother. To this point the agreement was submitted by plaintiffs' counsel. No decreee has yet been drawn up.

BRUTAL.—A watchman belonging to the Second Municipality, was yesterday brought before Recorder Baldwin, on the charge of having struck a drunken man that he was conducting to the guard-house. The name of the watchman was Wm. Ferguson—that of the drunken man we did not learn, but one thing is certain, he received a blow upon the side of his head from Ferguson's club that was strong enough to have felled an ox. A citizen who was passing by saw the transaction, and upon his testimony Ferguson was yesterday sent before the First District Court.

ARRESTED.—James Fitzpatrick was yesterday evening arrested on the charge of having obtained money under false pretences. Furthermore the reporter saith not, until Recorder Baldwin peers into the facts of the case.

## PORT OF NEW ORLEANS.

LATITUDE, 29 57 30 N.—LONGITUDE, 90 W.—in Time, 6h

**Cleared Yesterday:**

Ship Diogenes, Goodall, Liverpool, J. W. Giffney
Ship Brandywine, Merryman, Liverpool, Bailey & Baxter
Ship Empire Queen, (Br.) Porter, Liverpool, J. F. Lovell
Ship Marians, (Sp.) Mujia, Vigo and San Sebastian, Puig y Puig
Bark Boston, Stackpole, Boston, C. J. Meeker
Bark Delawarian, Hayne, Baltimore, C. J. Meeker
Brig Duncan, Gilchrist, Philadelphia, Chas. Deake & Co
Brig Palo Alto, McIntyre, New York, C. J. Meeker
Brig Hadoo, (Swed.) Westerburg, Gottenburg, A. Lanfear & Co
Brig Markland, Gracia, Kingston, Ja, J. W. Zacharie & Co
Schr. Elizabeth, Canna, Mobile, C. D. Lehman
Schr. Cecile, Wilson, Vera Cruz, John Alexander
Schr. Union, Anderson, Mobile, C. D. Lehman
Schr. Heroine, Ensor, Vera Cruz, Dobbin & Wickham
Schr. W. H. Gatzmer, McKay, Tampa Bay via Cedar Keys, Master
Schr. Elizabeth, Miller, Mobile, C. D. Lehman

**Arrived Yesterday:**

U. S. steamship New Orleans, Auld, fm Vera Cruz, 23d inst, to U. S. Quartermaster—3d my.
Ship Sunbeam, Winsor, 20 days fm Boston, to master—30 my.
Ship Montreal, Dixer, 16 days fm New York, to master—30 my.
Ship Galena, Leavitt, 16 days fm New York, to A. Cohen 1st my.
Ship Robert Parker, Weeks, 17 days fm New York, to J. W. Stanton & Co—2d my.
Schr. Oregon, Almoy, fm Tampico 18th inst, in ballast, to master—1st my.
Schr. European, Brower, 4 days fm Matagorda, to A. F. Cochran & Co—1st my.

STEAMBOATS:

Ia. L. Day, Wood, fm Mobile.
Lana, Fairchild, fm Bayou Sara—13 bales cotton.
Henry Lind, Haygood, fm Opelousas—57 bales cotton.
Cincinnatus, Goodloe, fm Cincinnati.
Iowa, Morehouse, fm St. Louis.
Towboat Louisville, Steele, fm the Passes.
Towboat Diamond, Davis, from the Passes.
Towboat Phœnix, Crowell, fm the Passes.

**Memoranda:**

Towboat Diamond, towed down and to sea on the 21st inst, ships Katahdin and Genoa, schr. Florinda.
Towboat Phœnix towed down and to sea, on the 21st inst, ships B. C. Bailey and Element, bark Mindora.

**Spoken:**

On the 21st instant, 270 miles from the Passes, ship Vicksburg, hence for New York.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ **Perseverance Fire Company No. 13**—Your presence is called to the Monthly Meeting of the Company, which will be held in the Hall of Louisiana Hose Company on MONDAY EVENING NEXT, May 29, at 8 o'clock.
m25 CHAS. H. CHURCHILL, Secretary.

☞ **Mrs. C. E. da PONTE, would respectfully** inform those persons who are desirous of learning either DRAWING or PAINTING, that she is prepared to give private lessons to young Ladies in either of those beautiful accomplishments upon the most reasonable terms. Apply at this Office. ap12

**NOTICE.**

MR. L. S. HOUGHTON, of Vicksburg, and MR. R. W. WORTHINGTON, of Rodney, are duly authorized agents to receive subscriptions and receipt for all moneys on account of the "CRESCENT."

**A CARD.**

R. C. MATTHEWSON respectfully informs the citizens of New Orleans, and the public generally, that he is necessitated to visit Texas upon urgent business, but that he will return and take charge of LA PATRIA, in conjunction with Messrs. Aleman & Gomez, as soon as the requisite number of subscribers shall have been obtained, agreeably to the *Prospectus*. m8

## WANTS.

**TO MERCHANTS.**

A YOUNG MAN of experience, and well conversant with business, wishes a Situation, for the coming season, in a good Commission or Grocery House. The best references given. For particulars, apply at this office. my5 tf

**INFORMATION WANTED.**

IF the Widow of BERNARD BOWLES, lately deceased, is in New Orleans, she is requested to call on the undersigned, where she will learn something to her advantage relative to the affairs of her late husband.
my13 tf J. O. PIERSON, 67 Gravier st.

**TO MERCHANTS.**

A GENTLEMAN perfectly acclimated, who is at present out of employment, wishes to obtain a Situation as Book-keeper, or in such other capacity as will enable him to realize a moderate compensation for the ensuing season. Unexceptionable references given, and security, if required. Address W. V. B., office of the "Crescent," 95 St. Charles street. my6 2w

**SITUATION WANTED.**

A GENTLEMAN from Alabama, who is extensively acquainted in that State, wishes a situation as salesman or out-door clerk, either in a dry goods or grocery house. Compensation moderate, and is willing to remain through the summer. He believes he can make himself useful and profitable to his employer. Inquire at Mrs. Taylor's, 82 Canal street. mh16

**REMOVAL.**

GEO. W. PRITCHARD, *GENERAL BROKER*, has removed from 67 Gravier street to No. 18 EXCHANGE PLACE—up stairs. my24 4t

EVERY ONE looks well in a new HAT. Persons desirous of availing themselves of an opportunity to try, can find some at C. D. BUNCE'S,
my26 3t 30 Canal st.

FINE DRAB BEAVER HATS.—A full supply of fashionable Drab Beaver Hats, at all prices.
my26 3t C. D. BUNCE, 30 Canal st.

CARGO LIME.—1600 casks THOMASTON LIME, landing from brig Susan Ingraham, for sale by
my24 JOHN STROUD & CO., 146 Common st.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS.—134 cases landing from ship Orphan and bark Geo. Henry, for sale by R. G. HOBBS,
my25 6t 12 Customhouse st.

**DISSOLUTION.**

THE firm of COLEMAN & CO., is this day dissolved, by mutual consent. E. D. COLEMAN,
New Orleans, May 23, 1848. J. W. HUTCHINSON.
☞ The subscriber will settle all claims against the firm, and continue the business in his own name.
my23 3t E. D. COLEMAN.

**TO THE PUBLIC.**

RICHARD TERRELL, respectfully offers to the public his services as *AUCTIONEER* for the sale of REAL ESTATE and SLAVES, and for OUT-DOOR SALES, pledging his utmost exertions to promote the interest of those entrusting business to his care.
☞ Negroes of every description constantly on hand, at private or public sale.
☞ Liberal Cash Advances made on consignments.
my20 RICHARD TERRELL, Auctioneer, Nos. 18 and 20 Banks's Arcade Passage.

*GRAND MUSICAL PROMENADE!*

**AND FASHIONABLE ICE CREAM SALOON,**

*At the Armory Hall, Camp Street.*

The Proprietor begs leave to announce to the public generally, that in order to render this delightful place of resort still more agreeable, he has engaged a splendid BAND, who will perform all the latest Music—and being supplied with the richest and best flavored CREAMS, SHERBETS, etc., intends to be patronized in proportion to the superiority of the Saloon and its Creams.

Families and Parties can be supplied on the shortest notice in any quantity.

N. B.—During concerts or Balls which may take place, the public will be admitted, and the Creams will be served up in the Supper Room, which is also a large, cool and airy Saloon. my23 1m

**SHIP CHANDLERY AND HARDWARE.**

SAMUEL LOCKE, *Nos. 7 and 8 Front Levee*, is now receiving and has in store—
200 coils of Manilla Rope, assorted to 8 inches.
200 do. Tarred Hemp, do. 1 to 8 do.
100 coils Spun Yarn and Marlin.
3000 gallons Boiled Paint Oil; White Lead.
2000 do. Sperm Oil, Land and Whale Oil.
40 cases of Sheathing Copper, assorted, from 14 to 28 oz; Composition Nails and Spikes.
500 tons of Bar Iron, assorted—American, Swedes, etc.
2000 kegs of Cut Nails, assorted, 4d. to 60d.
100 Anchors, assorted sizes, from 40 to 2500 lbs.
50 tons Chain Cables, assort: 1, from ⅝ to 1⅛ inch.
600 sheets of Braziers' Copper, 10 to 100 lb. sheets.
500 boxes Tin Plates, ⅓ X Charcoal.
100 do. extra size Tin Plates, 14 x 20.
100 boxes Leaded Plates, 14 x 20 IC, and IX.
2000 yards of Cotton Canvas, No. 1 to 10.
Tin and Japanned Ware by Wholesale; Spelter Solder; Block tin; Sheet and Pig Lead; Rivets; Kettle Ears; Brass and Iron Wire; Bolt Copper; Tin Smiths' Tools and Machinery; Circular Shears; Pocket and Table Cutlery, a large and fresh stock of late importations. my25

**IRON, NAILS, &c.**

20 TONS Boiler Iron, Juniata and Tennessee.
5 do. Plough Slabs, assorted sizes.
5 do. Sheet Iron, Nos. 19 to 26, Juniata.
5 do. Hoop Iron, ¾ to 2 inch, do.
20 do. Flat Bar, Round and Square Band, etc.
5 do. each American Spring and Blister Steel.
300 kegs Nails, 3 to 20 penny. In store and for sale by
my23 3t L. J. WEBSTER, 26 Gravier st.

# NEW ORLEANS:

*SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 27, 1848.*

NO COURT NEWS.—Dame Justice, (we have to speak of her every day,) was yesterday taken with a fit of somnolency. She tried to open her eyes for a few moments, but it was impossible. Somebody had been giving her laudanum in some shape or other, and she slept beautifully. The clerks reposed upon the well earned honors of their pens, the lawyers upon the fatness of their fees, and the judges rolling themselves up in their unspotted ermined robes, snoozed away the twenty-four hours of May the 25th, 1848.

INTERESTING CASE.—A very interesting examination came off yesterday, before Mr. Commissioner Haralson, in the case of the Government vs. Capt. Williams, of the ship Orphan. One of the sailors of the ship had refused to do duty, and the Captain was very careful to proceed in the precise mode pointed out by law, in order to exact obedience and to punish the departure from duty. Upon arrival at this port, the sailor made his complaint, and the case was referred to one of the United States Commissioners for examination. The Government was represented by the U. S. District Attorney, Mr. Horner, and the defendant by Mr. Creevy, the agent of the ship Orphan. The defendant was fully justified in the course he took.

FOND OF SEGARS.—A middle aged gentleman, by the name of Patrick Golding, is remarkably fond of segars. He buys them when he has money, begs them whenever he gets an opportunity, and steals them occasionally. Patrick was yesterday brought before Recorder Baldwin, on the charge of having stolen a box of segars from the bar of a Coffee-house, at No. 6 New Basin street. The thieving lover of the "narcotic weed," was sent to the First District Court.

MONEY FOUND.—Officers Petrie and McDonald reported last evening that they had found a coat, in the pocket of which they discovered eighteen sovereigns. The coat was stolen from Mrs. Grant's boarding-house, at the fire on Sunday last. The owner no doubt will be happy to recover his coat and its contents.

BREACH OF TRUST.—Iram Kary yesterday made an affidavit before Recorder Seuzenean that he had deposited a trunk containing a large quantity of wearing apparel in the house of a man whose name he did not know, but whom he could point out to the Police. When the deponent returned to his premises, he found that his trunk had been broken open and the contents extracted. A warrant was issued for the arrest of the thief.

A DISCIPLE OF ESCULAPIUS.—John Lynch is quite tidy at doctoring horses; but the medical knowledge that he possesses is not sufficiently refined to enable him to operate on the human system. If a horse is sick, John is immediately sought after, and (in all cases, made and provided that he is sober) is immediately engaged, and seldom fails to effect a cure. John prides himself particularly upon having discovered a vermifuge for young colts, and a kind of horse *pulv. doveri* for old mares. John is likewise great on all diseases pertaining to mules in the consumption; but he is still greater on whisky. Night before last, John and his better-half were drinking each other's healths, and thinking of the time when "potheen" was much cheaper than it now is, when suddenly Mrs. Lynch was taken—to use her own beautiful language—"suddintly wid a pang." Mr. Lynch led the partner of his bosom to a couch composed of a broad wooden table and any quantity of dirty coverlids. Hearing his gentle spouse snoring with apparent difficulty, he came to the conclusion that she had a touch of apoplexy, and, believing strongly in depletion, he out with the lancet that had pierced the hide of many a four-footed animal, and gave his wife a dig with it in her right arm. She jumped as if there was a coal of fire under her back, but he told her "to be aisy, that he was relaving her ov her pang." John, finding that the first plunge of the lancet had no effect, and that his wife was quite drunk, went anew to work, and bled her in *twenty-seven* different places! When the poor woman awoke, she was so weak that she could scarcely speak; but John administered a little whisky, which, to a certain extent, revived her, and she fell into a slumber, whilst her husband fell into the hands of the police. John will make his bow before Recorder Baldwin this morning.

ACCIDENT.—Yesterday morning, a drayman, named John Lindsay, whilst unloading his dray in the Third Municipality, got his leg broken by the falling off of a barrel of whiskey, while he was unloading his vehicle. The physician who examined him thought that amputation would be necessary.

ROBBERY.—Wm. Atson was yesterday arrested by officer Petrie on the charge of having committed a robbery on the 21st of the present month. On Sunday last whilst Mrs. Grant's boarding house on Magazine street was on fire, Atson very coolly carried off a black cloth frock coat belonging to Peter Carter. In the pocket of the coat there were about twenty sovereigns, and a five dollar bill. Atson was sent to jail for further examination.

THE SHOOTING AFFAIR.—The examination of George H. Finney, for having shot a boy named Patrick Donnelly, on Thursday evening last, took place yesterday before Recorder Baldwin. Donnelly is represented to be a boy about fourteen years of age, and was attendant upon a beer-cart at the time that he was wounded. One of the witnesses examined testified that he heard the conversation that took place between William Safely, the mate of the steamboat Atlantis, and the prisoner at the bar. Safely approached Finney and asked him, "George, are you under bonds now?" in a rather sarcastic tone. Finney told Safely to go away from him, and that he did not wish to have any thing to do with him. Safely replied, "Well, I've got you now," or words to that effect, immediately drew a pistol, and fired at Finney. After he had fired he retreated, and Finney, pulling out a revolver, fired at him in return. One of the shots took effect upon the person of poor little Patrick, who was merely a "looker-on in Vienna," the ball passing through the fleshy part of his arm, and lodging in his side. The wound is said to be severe, but not dangerous. The Court yesterday would not discharge Finney, on the ground that he had fired at Safely while he was retreating—moreover, that Safely had a one-barreled pistol and Finney a six-barreled revolver. The accused gave bail in the sum of $2500 for his further appearance. The boy Donnelly, at last accounts, was suffering much, but his situation was by no means precarious.

DISGUSTING.—We yesterday saw a burly negro with a white woman in his arms, going up St. Charles street. The woman was young and good looking, but she was beastly drunk. She was found lying on the pavement in Camp street, and when officer Petrie attempted to arrest her she took out about an ounce of the flesh of his hand with her teeth. She'll be sent to the workhouse to-day.

FIRST MUNICIPALITY COUNCIL.—At a special meeting of the First Municipality Council, held last evening, there were present, Recorder Genois and Aldermen Fabre, Duplessis, McNeil, Hagan, Lanata, Blanque, Lilly, Barnes, Gourdain, Dupré, and Barthe.

The journal of the last sitting was read, and on motion of Mr. Dupré corrected in some of its prominent points, and then adopted.

Mr. Hagan offered a resolution, providing that the resolution passed at the last sitting of the Council, for the completion of certain works on the wharves of the First Municipality, be so amended as to extend the time for the delivery of 50,000 feet of timber to the month of July, and the balance in the month of August next. The contractor offered to give security in the sum of $5000 for the faithful performance of his contract. This was adopted.

Alderman Barthe presented a resolution directing the Surveyor to build a "nuisance boat," provided the cost did not exceed $1500. After much discussion, this resolution was laid before a Special Committee, and directions given to report at the next meeting.

A letter from the Deputy Surveyor, Mr. Surgi, was read, concerning the erection of a house on St. Philip street, contrary to the ordinances. Laid on the table subject to call.

A letter from the Commissioners appointed by the Government, for the erection of the New Customhouse, was received and read. The petitioners pray that they be allowed to lay a railroad track from the landing on the levee to the square fronting on Customhouse street, in order to facilitate the carriage of materials for the erection of that building. This was referred to a Special Committee.

A letter from Messrs. Spear and Delery, auctioneers of horses and cattle, asking the Council the use of a portion of Canal street near the levee, for the purpose of there making an auction mart, was referred to the Police Committee.

After some unimportant discussion, the Council then adjurned.

## NEW ORLEANS MARKETS.

CRESCENT OFFICE,
Friday Night, May 26, 1848.

Our market has generally presented quite a heavy appearance for three days back, more particularly in Grain, Flour and Provisions, for which there has been merely a home demand. Cotton has been rather inactive, though without any material change in prices, and a fair business has been transacted in Tobacco.

We have news of the Caledonia's arrival at Boston, but nothing definite as to her commercial advices, though they are stated to be decidedly favorable for our great staple.

COTTON.—Since our report of last Tuesday evening, when we left the Cotton market quite firm, no material alteration has taken place in prices, though they are slightly easier for the middling and lower grades, and rather higher for the finer descriptions. The business of Wednesday and Thursday summed up 7000 bales, chiefly for the North, at 5@5⅝ for Low to strictly Good Middling, and 6⅛@6⅛c. for Middling Fair. To-day, the Caledonia's arrival at Boston being known and rumors afloat that her advices are quite favorable, some 1200 bales have changed hands at steady prices, making the sales of the three days 8200 bales, and of the week 26,000 bales, taken chiefly for the North and for England. We have slightly lowered our figures for Middling and raised them for Middling Fair and upward. The receipts at all the United States' ports now show an increase of 401,119 bales as compared with last year's receipts.

NEW ORLEANS CLASSIFICATION.

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| Inferior | 3¾@4¼ | Middling Fair | 6⅛@6½ |
| Ordinary | 4¼@4½ | Fair | 6⅝@6⅞ |
| Middling | 5 @5¼ | Good Fair | nominal. |
| Good Middling | 5⅜@5⅝ | Good and Fine | do. |

COTTON AND TOBACCO STATEMENT.

| | Cotton, bales. | | Tobacco, hhds. | |
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| Stock on hand, Sept. 1 | | 23,493 | | 22,326 |
| Received past 3 days | 4,725 | | 588 | |
| " previously | 1,121,551—1,126,276 | | 37,235—38,487 | |
| | | 1,149,769 | | 60,813 |
| Exported past 3 days | 14,933 | | 150 | |
| " previously | 949,033—963,966 | | 35,313—35,471 | |
| Stock on hand, not cleared | | 185,783 | | 25,352 |

TOBACCO.—There has continued to be a good inquiry for Tobacco, and further sales of about 450 hhds. have been made, making the week's business 1100 hhds. As to prices, they have stiffened a little, but still not sufficiently to justify any alteration in our quotations. Besides these sales, others are reported on private terms. We repeat our last quotations—Inferior to Common qualities, 2@3¼; Fair, 4@4¼; Choice and Selections, 4¾@5½c. ℔ lb.

SUGAR.—There is no alteration in the prices of Sugar, and the demand also continues limited. The week's sales are 1300 hhds. (including 600 for the past three days) at our last quotations—Inferior and Common, 1½@3; Fair, 3⅛@3¾; Prime, 3⅞@4; Choice, 4¼@4½c. ℔ lb.

MOLASSES.—The same moderate demand exists, and with little or no variation in prices. Some 500 bbls. have changed hands at 14@16c. Fair to Choice, and 10@13c. for Inferior and Ordinary.

FLOUR.—The Flour market has varied but little since our last semi-weekly report, and prices have been rather firmer, owing to the small arrivals. The demand, however, has been chiefly for home use, and the sales are but 5000 bbls., including one lot 1600 bbls. Ordinary St. Louis at —, 632 do. Choice (for Rio) at $5 25 and the rest Illinois and Ordinary St. Louis at $4 37½@4 62½ ℔ bbl. To-day's sales are 500 bbls. at the above range.

Arrived past three days, ..... 2,421 bbls.
Exported same time, ..... 1,330 bbls.

GRAIN.—The receipts of CORN have been light, but buyers have generally declined paying the extreme rates asked, and only some 4500 or 5000 sacks have been taken mostly at 35@38c. ℔ bushel.... We do not hear of any transactions in WHEAT.... Sales of about 1200 or 1500 sacks OATS have been made at 33@35½c. in sacks.... A lot of 203 bbls. White Kiln-dried CORN MEAL sold from store yesterday at $1 35 ℔ bbl. Yellow may be quoted at $1 75.

Arrived past three days, ..... 7,190 sks Corn.
Exported same time, ..... 14,119 " "

PROVISIONS.—The PORK market has continued steady at the advance of last week, but the sales have been limited to some 1200 bbls. at $9 20@9 37½ for Mess, $8 50@8 75 for Mess Ordinary and about $7 25 for Prime. To-day, sales of 800 bbls. at $9 37½@9 50 for Mess, $7 37½@7 50 for Prime. ..OF BACON, some 150 casks found purchasers chiefly at 4¼ for Prime Sides, 3⅞@3¾ for Prime Shoulders, 3½@4c. for Plain Hams and 6 to 8c. ℔ lb for Canvassed and Sugar-cured ..BEEF is selling slowly at $7 25 for Prime, $11 50 ℔ bbl. for Mess, &c.....IN LARD we notice nearly 300 bbls. Inferior Grease sold at 3½@4, 465 bbls. Prime at 6, and 500 kegs at 5@7c. ℔ lb for Inferior to Prime Leaf.... WESTERN BUTTER is more plenty, and prices have declined to 14@15 for Prime, and WESTERN CHEESE 6½@6¾c. ℔ lb.

WHISKY.—The receipts are large and prices lower. Sales of 450 bbls. Rectified at 15½@16c. ℔ gallon.

RICE—is exceedingly dull at 3½@3¾c. ℔ lb—the latter rate for Prime.

COFFEE.—Rio in better demand, and 4500 bags sold at 6⅞@7c. ℔ lb for Prime. Two cargoes, together 7200 bags, just received.

BAGGING AND ROPE.—The few sales making are at the same rates—say, 12@13c. Good Bagging and 6¾@7c. ℔ lb for Rope.

GUNNY-BAGS—Are selling at 9¾@10c. for New in bales, and 5@6c. for second-hand.

LIME.—Small sales are making at $1 20@1 25 ℔ cask for Thomaston, &c.

LEAD.—Not a single transaction has been reported.

HEMP.—The last sale was 280 bales Dew-rotted at $82 50 ℔ ton—two weeks since.

SALT.—Some sales of Liverpool have been made, but on private terms. The rates, in small lots, are $1 10@1 20 for Coarse, and $1 45@1 50 for Fine, delivered.

HAY.—The only sale we heard of was 95 tons Western at $17 ℔ ton.

EXCHANGE.—The business in Exchanges has been moderate and with scarcely any alteration in the rates, which are—for Sterling, 3@7½ ℔ ct. prem.; N. York, 60 days, 2¼@3½ disc.; Sight do., ½@1 ℔ct. disc.—Bank Checks, ½@1 ℔ct. premium.

FREIGHTS.—The rates, both Foreign and Coastwise, are again rather lower. American ships have been filling up with Cotton for Liverpool at 7-16d., but shipmasters are now again asking ½d. For Boston, the rates for Cotton have declined to ⅛c., and to fill up, lots have been taken at ⅜ ℔ bale.

## INSURANCE OFFICES.

**DIVIDEND MUTUAL SAFETY INSURANCE COMPANY.**

PARTIES doing business with this Agency are informed that the Certificates of Scrip for the profits of the past year, are ready for delivery, and that SIX PER CENT. in cash on the reduced amount of Scrip for previous years' will be paid on presentation at the office of the Company, corner of Camp and Gravier sts. THOMAS A. ADAMS,
my10 1m Agent Mutual Safety Insurance Company.

**RIVER AND FIRE INSURANCE.**

**Ætna Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn.**

STATEMENT OF ASSETS ON 1st MARCH, 1848.

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| Cash deposited in Phœnix Bank, Hartford, | $33,000 |
| Cash deposited in Banks in Hartford, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per ct., per annum, | 75,000—114,000 |
| Stock in Hartford Bank, Hartford, | 12,600 |
| " " Phœnix " " | 11,300 |
| " " Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank, Hartford, | 11,200 |
| Stock in Exchange Bank, | 16,950 |
| " " Connecticut River Bank, | 8,250 |
| " " Eagle Bank, Providence, | 1,800 |
| " " Lee Bank, Lee, Massachusetts, | 800 |
| " " Connecticut River Company, | 1,500 |
| " " Hartford and Tariffville Railroad, | 4,500 |
| " " Hartford and New Haven Railroad, | 3,000 |
| The above Stocks are of the most substantial character, yielding 7 to 8 per cent. interest annually, and are worth at this time an advance on the above mentioned cost prices, of | 31,000—103,040 |
| Bonds of Hartford and New Haven Railroad Co., | 21,000 |
| Real Estate in Hartford, valued at, | 32,240 |
| Bills Receivable, payable in 30 days after demand, amply secured by pledge of Real or Personal Estate, or solvent endorsers, | $125,000 |
| Total Assets of the Company, | $395,250 |

AGENCY OFFICE, No. 47 Camp street.

☞ The undersigned, Agents for the above Company, continue to issue policies at the lowest rates of premium, returning to customers 10 per cent.

WM. R. FOSDICK,
my10 till 1st N GEO. C. LAWRASON

**NEW CANAL—SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.**

NOTICE—The Passenger Barges on the NEW CANAL, will commence their regular Summer trips, on SUNDAY, the 15th inst., leaving the New Canal Depot, foot of Julia street, as follows:

SUNDAYS, from City to Lake, ..... 6, 8 and 10 A. M.
" " " Lake to city, ..... 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 P. M.
" " " Lake to city, ..... 8, 9 and 11 A. M.
" " " " ..... 2, 6, 6½, 7½ and 8½ P. M.
WEEK DAYS, from City to Lake, ..... 6 A. M.
" " " " ..... 2, 4 and 5, P. M.
" " Lake to City, ..... 8, A. M.
" " " " ..... 3, 6½ and 7½, P. M.
my12 JAMES STOCKTON, Superintendent.

**NEW ORLEANS & CARROLLTON RAILROAD**

*Depot, corner of Baronne and Perdido streets.*

A single ticket, any distance above Pleasant st., ..... 20 cents
A single ticket for children over 5 and under 12 years 10 "
50 tickets, (Red), ..... $7 50
Half the above rates for any distance below Pleasant street.
Servants (slaves,) for any distance, ..... 10 cents.

☞ Residents in Lafayette, Carrollton and vicinity, are informed that this Company has fixed an uniform rate of commutation tickets for passage in the Cars, to-wit: $5 00 per month (in advance,) for either Road and for any distance. Children half price—no such tickets given for any other period than the first to the last of each month.

A Car, expressly for ladies, in each train.

*SUMMER ARRANGEMENT:*

| FROM NEW ORLEANS: | | FROM CARROLLTON: | |
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| Horse Car, at | 6½ A M | Horse Car, at | 8 A M |
| Locomotive, at | 9 A M | Locomotive, at | 7½ A M |
| " at | 11 A M | " at | 10 A M |
| " at | 1 P M | " at | 12 M |
| " at | 3½ P M | " at | 2 P M |
| " at | 5½ P M | " at | 4½ P M |
| " at | 7½ P M | " at | 6½ P M |
| Horse Car, at | 9¾ P M | Horse Car, or steam, if necessary, at | 8 P M |
| " at | 11½ P M | " at | 10 P M |

☞ The Cars will leave New Orleans and Carrollton every hour after 1 o'clock on Sundays, if the weather is fair.

☞ The Lafayette Horse Cars will leave every 15 minutes from the corner of Baronne and Canal sts. my12 1stNov

W. R. HALL, *SURGEON DENTIST*, No. 14 CARONDELET STREET, (between Common and Canal,) New Orleans. my12 6m

**SUMMER HATS.**

CAMPEACHY, Panama, China Pearl, Tuscan Braid, English Dunstable, Chinese and other Spring and Summer styles of Hats, in every variety, can be found at D'ARCY'S, cor. Canal and Chartres sts.

P. S. A few more REVOLUTIONARY HATS, just received this morning by Telegraph. ap8tf

## AUCTION SALES.

**Horses, Mules, Cattle, Carriages, &c.**
**BY BENJAMIN KENDIG & CO.**

H. B. KENDIG, Auctioneer.

SATURDAY, May 27, at 10 o'clock, A. M.—Will be sold at the Auction Mart, corner of Circus and Common streets—

HORSES, MULES, CATTLE, CARRIAGES, etc.

TERMS—Cash.

☞ Persons having Stock for sale will please be punctual to the hour. my27

**Positive and Cash Sale of Building Lots in the City of Lafayette.**
**BY PIERSON & BONNEVAL.**

*Office No. 67 Gravier street.*

SATURDAY, May 27, at 12 o'clock—Will be sold at Auction, at Banks' Arcade, without reserve—

THREE LOTS OF GROUND, in the square bounded by Camp, Magazine, St. Andrew and Josephine streets—each Lot measuring 31 feet 5 inches 4 lines front on Camp street, by 106 feet 6 inches deep, between parallel lines.

These Lots are located within one square from the new Market-house, and suitable for private residences. The sale is positive.

TERMS—Cash.

A 2d sale before J. B. Marks, Esq., Notary Public, at the expense of the purchasers. my26

**Consigned Negroes.**
**BY PIERSON & BONNEVAL,**

*Office No. 69 Gravier street.*

SATURDAY, May 27, at 12 o'clock—Will be sold at Auction, at Banks' Arcade, without reserve, the following described Negroes—

WILLIAM—Negro Man aged about 27 years—Field Hand; fully guarranted.

JOHN—17 years—Plough Boy and Cotton Picker; title guarranted only.

FRANK—Boy aged about 12 years—good Plough Boy and Cotton Picker; fully guarranted.

—ALSO—

CAROLINE or QUEEN—Negress aged about 22 years—Cook, Washer, Ironer and House Servant; fully guarranted against the vices and maladies prescribed by law.

TERMS—Cash.

Acts of sale before J. R. Beard, Esq., Notary Public, at the expense of the purchasers. my25

**Valuable Family of Negroes.**
**BY PIERSON & BONNEVAL.**

*Office, No. 67 Gravier street.*

SATURDAY, May 27, at 12 o'clock—Will be sold at Auction, at Banks' Arcade, on account of the owner leaving for the North—

JAMES—Negro Man aged about 25 years—a first rate Dining-room Servant.

RACHEL—Negress, 24 years (his wife)—a good Cook, Washer and Ironer; and their Children:

ELLICK—Negro Boy, 3 years; and an Infant aged 4 months.

The above family is fully guarrantied against all the vices and maladies prescribed by law—and are recommended as good subjects.

TERMS.—One-half cash; balance at 12 months' credit for approved endorsed note, bearing mortgage until paid.

Acts of sale before G. N. Haralson, Esq., Notary Public, at the expense of the purchaser. my15

**Horses, Bread Carts and Harness—Succession of Charles Monrose.**
**By PIERSON & BONNEVAL, Auctioneers.**

*Office No. 67 Gravier street.*

SATURDAY, 27th instant, at half-past 4 o'clock, P. M.—Will be sold by virtue of and in pursuance to an order from the Hon. the Second District Court of New Orleans, dated the 8th of May, at the bakery situated at the corner of Conti and Villere steeets, the following property belonging to the estate of Charles Monrose, deceased—

Four Horses, four Bread Carts and Harness.
A quantity of articles suitable for a Bakery.
Also, the lease of said Bakery, expiring in June, 1855.

Terms—CASH. my16

**Delightful Residence at Madisonville, Without Reserve.**
**By PIERSON & BONNEVAL,**

*Office No. 67 Gravier street.*

SATURDAY, May 27, at 12 o'clock—Will be sold, at Banks's Arcade, without reserve—

A delightful COTTAGE RESIDENCE, situated at Madisonville, about one-fourth of a mile from the Steamboat Landing, and on the road between Madisonville and Covington, in the neighborhood of the residences of Major Balham and Gen. Morgan—the tract of land containing about 52 80-100 acres land. The improvements comprise a handsome Cottage, 48 ft. front by 30 ft. depth, entirely new and well finished—together with a Kitchen, Stable and Carpenter's-shop, as well as other out-houses. The whole according to a plan which will be exhibited at the sale.....

There is also a line of omnibuses running between Covington and Madisonville.... Persons desirous of purchasing the property will do well to go and examine the premises before the sale. There are two boats running now between the above named cities and NewOrleans.

Terms—One-half cash; balance at 12 months' credit for notes bearing mortgage until final payment. my18

**Twenty-five Lots of Valuable Ground in the Second Municipality.**
**BY BEARD, CALHOUN & CO.**

J. A. BEARD, Auctioneer.

TUESDAY, May 30th, at 12 o'clock—Will be sold at Auction, at Banks' Arcade, without limit or reserve—

TWENTY-FIVE LOTS OF GROUND situated in the square bounded by Perdido, Gravier, Bolivar and Bertrand streets, and designated as Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30, as per plan which will be exhibited at sale. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, front on Perdido street. Lot No. 1 forms the corner of Perdido and Bolivar streets. Lot No. 8 forms the corner of Perdido and Bertrand streets. Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, front on Bertrand street. Lots Nos. 16, 17, 18 and 19 front on Gravier street. Lot No. 16 forms the corner of Gravier and Bertrand streets. Lots Nos. 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30, front on Bolivar street; all more fully described by plan exhibited at sale.

TERMS.—One-third cash, balance at one and two years, for notes without endorsers, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum from date until maturity, and 8 per cent. after maturity, if not then punctually paid.

Acts of sale before J. R. Beard, Notary Public, at the expense of the purchasers. my24

**Succession of John S. Lindner.**
**PUBLIC AUCTION.**

LEWIS FLORANCE, Auctioneer.

TO COMMENCE ON THURSDAY, 3d June next—The greater part of the rich and valuable PERSONAL PROPERTY of the deceased, situate in the store *No. 47 Chartres street*, will be sold as above. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, and to be continued from day to day, as the executors may direct.

The property consists of splendid rosewood PIANOS, rich, rare and valuable Musical Instruments; CHOICE RHINE WINES; SELTZ WATERS; FINE CUTLERY, and an infinite variety of GERMAN TOYS.

D. MIESEGAES, } Executors of the
J. W. HINKS, } will and testament
my20 10t HANS ADDICKS, } of John S. Lindner.

**AUCTION NOTICE.**

HAVING made arrangements with Mr. Garnet, the proprietor of the extensive Stables on the corner of *Common and Circus Streets*, for the purpose of selling HORSES, MULES, CATTLE, CARRIAGES, etc., the undersigned will hold regular sales at the above place on every WEDNESDAY, at 10 o'clock for fine stock, and SATURDAY, at 10 o'clock for common stock. The first sale to take place on SATURDAY, the 27th instant. Persons having Stock for sale will please call at our office, at the Camp street Auction Mart. B. KENDIG & CO.
my25 3t H. B. KENDIG, Auctioneer.

## MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS.

**MRS. McCLUSKEY.**
**FASHIONABLE MILINER AND DRESS MAKER,**
(COR. CIRCUS AND GRAVIER STS., N. O.)

*Tuscans, Leghorns, Panamas and Straws*, Cleaned, Dyed, and altered to the present fashion.

N. B.—The above will be executed in the most fashionable style and on the most reasonable terms. ap14 6m

**MRS. INGRAM,**
**FASHIONABLE MILLINER,**

*Tuscan and Straw Hat Manufacturer,* No. 172 Camp street, New Orleans.

Tuscan, Straw, and Neapolitan Hats cleaned and altered in a superior style. mh20 1y

☞ Country orders will be punctually attended to.

**SPRING GOODS.**

MRS. BANISTER'S *MILLINERY and FANCY STORE, No. 66 Royal street, corner of Bienville street*—Just received from Paris, by direct importation—SPRING AND FANCY GOODS—consisting of Bonnets, Ribbons, Flowers Rich Silks, Bareges, Fine Muslins,