DAILY CRESCENT.

NEW ORLEANS:

FRIDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 16, 1849.

SUPREME COURT.—The important decision in the case of "Hepburn & Turpin vs. the Commissioners of the New Orleans Exchange and Banking Company and others," will be found published at length under its appropriate head.

FOR CORPUS CHRISTI.—The steamship Fanny will sail for Corpus Christi to-morrow morning, at 8 o'clock, from the foot of Gravier street, and by reference to our advertising columns it will be seen she has arrangements made to meet the steamer Kate Ward at Saluria, to convey passengers to Matagorda City. The Fanny is a fine vessel, staunch and well built, and one of the most comfortable afloat. She makes her trips in quick time, and is the regular packet to Corpus Christi, which promises to become the most popular route from here to California.

CAPT. GEORGE KERR.—Our friend Capt. Kerr left yesterday for California by the way of the Isthmus. Capt. K. done good service in Mexico with the Louisiana Mounted Battalion, as most of our readers are well aware. We hope his present expedition may prove both pleasant and profitable, as we fully believe a more honorable man has not left the "white settlements" for California, as a host of friends will testify.

Important Articles on 1st and 3d pages.

SHIP FEVER.—The British ship John Garrow arrived here yesterday from Liverpool, after a boisterous passage of sixty-five days. She had on board 255 steerage passengers, among whom the ship fever had prevailed to a great extent during the passage. A number had died during the voyage, and there are at present nineteen cases on board. The vessel is at the Point.

FOR CALIFORNIA.—The following is a list of the passengers per steamship Galveston, Capt. Crane, for Chagres:

John V. Plume, Wm. M. Burgoyne, R. E. Coles, B. Burgoyne, A. W. Alexander and lady, Lewis Dickson, H. G. Brown, Jas. A. Kidd, Chas. Chinn, Dr. S. W. Rogers, Rev. S. Lindsley, S. L. Jacobs, A. Hess, L. Lizard, J. Wood, O. M. Sheldon, Dr. Gindrat, S. Paul, J. Davidson, Clock, Bibb, Bond, Oakes, Gerald, Cowles, Lewis Cabot, Yarborough, Dr. R. Bell, Dr. W. A. Shaw, John Irwin, J. L. Badger, Jas. Walker, J. Fitzgerald, R. Scranton, M. T. Byrne, Wm. Dewey, Daniel Ritchie, M. Smith, Robert Blacow, John Crook, John Truefell, Henry Suchwalow, Frederick Jobus, S. Greenfield, P. H. Bartlett, T. J. Young, J. Thompson, D. Disborough, Thomas Knapp, John McClintock, Aaron Nash, G. J. Rogers, George W. Burns, Wm. R. Madeck, James Anthony, William Crane, W. A. Piper, J. M. Julian, Jeremiah Murphy, J. Q. Piper, W. P. Henry, James W. Blackburn, Michael L. Memper, Hiram Weston, Henry Weston, A. Chabot, W. Anderson, Clemon Peves, Joseph Green, F. Renegle, Charles Phillips, T. Gosling, L. G. Lyon, Joseph Gantz, Joseph Taylor, Joseph Blood, E. W. Fish, Curtis Smith, Joseph W. Hammond, Thomas E. Gray, J. McGehee, T. Chowallader, Thomas Phillips, S. Fleisbecker, William Hornbeck, Israel Miller, Thomas McFarlane, J. Benson, C. Ackerman, M. Schardt, H. Bodenheim, A. Wise, Wm. G. Peters, S. H. Cady, E. A. Faber, G. H. Peabody, D. McLaren, D. J. Lemmon, John Ward, E. Williams, R. C. Webb, Daniel Dayne, U. Rostrup, E. Beard, T. E. Moss, John Dunning, J. T. Simmons, R. G. Rieber, T. Jackson, G. Scott, J. Thompson, R. J. Manning, Eugene Spalding, Edward Lewellyn, Charles Korgay, J. J. Ayres, Jacob Stutsman, T. W. Gason, J. C. Lander, Alexander Todd, W. C. Bailey, Gilbert Stephens, Joseph Parker, J. S. Fullerton, H. Fullerton, J. H. Miller, Gantry, J. M. Gerish, John Rich, Robert O'Brien, B. M. Jordon, J. Cook, J. Moreland, S. Stanghill, G. L. Leece, W. W. Rose, D. C. Wood, J. Wood, jr., J. J. Maxwell, C. Brown, David Woods, C. G. Ammon, J. J. Kendrick, J. G. Donna, J. A. Talbot, Wm. Wilson, J. A. Madrivore, Patrick Hale, Albright, Lum, Bennett, Curtis, A. Paro, Benedict, J. D. Burn, Hendry, G. W. Clarke.

Besides these passengers the Galveston took two thousand barrels of freight.

☞ The bark McKim, hence for San Francisco, went to sea from the South-west Pass on the 13th inst. The Sheriff of the parish of Jefferson, who was placed on board the McKim as a keeper, returned on the towboat Louis Philippe, which towed her to sea.

NEW PAPER.—From Houston, Texas, we have received the first number of a new paper called the Houston Gazette, which, from its appearance and contents, promises well. Among its other good qualities, it will advocate the cause of temperance. We perceive in the Gazette an article of our own upon French affairs, credited to another journal. The sentiments contained in that article are, we believe, of all the city press, peculiar to ourselves, and it is only that our contemporary to whom it is credited may not be misrepresented that we allude to it.

MR. CLAY AS U. S. SENATOR.—The National Intelligencer, in noticing the reëlection of Mr. Clay to the U. S. Senate from Kentucky, remarks that "well informed persons" do not "doubt" that he comes with a disposition to give a "cordial, constitutional support" to Gen. Taylor's administration.

☞ The steamer Peytona, from Louisville, brought down a "Greek Slave" said to be much finer than the one here. It is consigned to M. K. Kellogg.

☞ We are grateful to the Granada (Mississippi) Republican for its kind notice of our weekly. We should also take this occasion of thanking all our contemporaries who have favored us in the same manner. The number of these complimentary notices, *and* the subscriptions, convinces us that our weekly is obtaining a large share of popularity in the country.

WORK ON CALIFORNIA.—J. B. Steel has just received and has for sale a work on California, compiled from Frémont's Geographical Memoir. It is accompanied by a map of the gold region, and is a valuable work.

☞ Col. Richard M. Johnson, ex-Vice President of the United States, arrived in Washington on Monday evening, the 5th.

SQUARE GRANITE PAVING.—If any entertain doubts in regard to the propriety of instituting square for the round stone pavement, we would advise them to visit and inspect the work now being made by Sam. L. Forgay, around the new square of ground recently laid out in front of the old Custom House. We were most agreeably surprised to find it in such a state of forwardness, and the fine appearance of the work.

We yesterday paid a visit to the lots situated on Hercules street, between Triton Walk and Calliope streets, complained of by "a citizen," as being filled by the contractor with offal, and we find our correspondent mistaken as to the material being used. The carts of the contractor were bringing the scrapings of the streets and filling up these lots, and this has been customary heretofore. A portion of the carts carry offal, and others the street scrapings from the streets, and there is nothing objectionable in the use of the latter for filling lots. We noticed some lots directly in the rear of the above, with about a foot of water on them, and it occurred to us that this was an evil in direct violation of the ordinances. Whenever any of our citizens have complaints of this kind to make, it is only necessary to go to the Surveyor, who is charged with such business, and we are satisfied it will receive immediate attention.

NATURAL MAGIC.—Herr Alexander, who is now exhibiting to full and fashionable audiences at the Armory Hall, is undoubtedly the greatest professor of the "black art" that has ever visited our city. His performances, which are highly amusing, create feelings of awe, astonishment and delight, and are received with overwhelming applause. His "Magic Mirror, or the Mirror of Fate," is decidedly a favorite with the ladies. He performs again this evening. Every one should see the "Mirror."

OHIO RIVER.—The river at Louisville, on the the 8th inst., was receding quite fast. On that evening there were about 16 feet water on the falls. During the previous twenty-four hours the river had fallen 30 inches.

☞ There has been a great freshet in the St. Joseph river, by which a number of bridges were swept away.

Later from Chagres.

Arrival of the Isthmus—California left Panama—Gen. Smith and all the passengers departed, etc.

The steamer Isthmus arrived yesterday from Chagres by way of Havana. She left Chagres on the 27th ult., and Havana on the 9th inst. We learn from Capt. Baker, of the Isthmus, that the long expected steamship California had at last arrived at Panama. She sailed on the 27th, taking Gen. Smith and 400 passengers. Three more large vessels had also left Panama, taking all the passengers, so that the Isthmus is now entirely clear. The agents of the Company have succeeded in procuring abundance of transportation across. The Orus is running on the river to Cruces. The Isthmus brought $12,000 in gold bars to Havana, which was shipped at that place on the Isabel for Charleston. The mails were also sent to the same place, by the same vessel, and no letters were brought here. The steamship Falcon arrived at Havana on the 8th and left again on the 9th. Nothing had yet been heard of the steamship Crescent City, which sailed from New York on the 5th.

The agents have received positive information that ten or twelve vessels have left various places on the Pacific coast for Panama, in order to take passengers, so there will be no want of transportation from that point. The Isthmus will meet the California on the 15th prox., at which date the latter vessel will again leave Panama. The Isthmus will take no freight so as to afford all accommodation for baggage. Capt. Baker says that the gold stories have not been at all exaggerated, but are rather below the truth.

JOHN H. PEOPLES.—*The Army Press.*—We noticed a few days since the departure of Mr. Peoples, editor of the Corpus Christi Star, for the region of Gold. Wherever adventure is to be found, there will be Mr. Peoples. At the breaking out of the Mexican war—when Gen. Taylor called on Gov. Johnson for troops, and that call was so nobly responded to by our citizens—Mr. P. was one of the earliest to enrol himself. On the discharge of the Louisiana Volunteers on the Rio Grande, he published the "American Flag" at Matamoros. As soon as Gen. Taylor moved on Monterey, he accompanied the army, always on hand for any service—even to ride fifty miles over the guerilla range, to carry an order from one section of the army to another, or on the field of battle. The cannon of Vera Cruz had hardly grown cold, before the "American Eagle"—which he (in connection with Mr. Jas. R. Barnard) published and edited—was issued from the press; the retreating foe from Cerro Gordo had scarcely passed Jalapa before the "American Star" was shining upon our victorious army; in Puebla the same "Star" was seeking to light the vainglorious enemy to the honor of peace, by admonishing them of the consequences of further resistance; and when, at last, the capital was taken, and, as the "Star" foretold, the enemy scattered to the four winds, it appeared daily in that capital; and towards the last at a sacrifice to its publisher, until the treaty of peace was signed and ratified by both nations, when it set with the rise of the Mexican colors upon the National Palace.

Whilst the "Star" advocated an honorable peace, it fully maintained the honor of our Country and Army, and none attacked either without meeting a champion in its editor. Mr. Peoples had but few enemies in the army, and those few were principally from the ranks of those who sought ephemeral fame by attempting to forestall public opinion at home, and converting solely to their own brows the laurels won by the whole indomitable host.

Nor was the Star without its influence upon the Mexican people. It gave them an idea of our institutions and the operation of our wholesome laws. A series of articles against the military and ecclesiastical rule of the country appeared some time before the treaty of peace was ratified, exposing to the people the abuses of the military and clergy, which created such an excitement amongst the clergy, that money was loaned the peace party through their influence. The Archbishop of Mexico was prevailed upon to take a place in the Congress of Querétaro, and by his influence changed the sentiments of some of the most violent opponents of peace. The Star's articles had been copied into the Mexican papers before those editors were aware of what the result would be, and so excited became the people, that the clergy, who had been the bitterest opponents of peace, became its strongest advocates, in order to get rid of a people whose influence was causing an inquiry into the abuses of the Church—not, however, shaking their faith in the purity of its doctrines.

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, Feb. 6.—No. 29.—E. P. Fourniquet and wife *vs.* John Perkins. In error to the Supreme Court of Louisiana. Mr. Justice Daniel delivered the opinion of this court, affirming the judgment of said Supreme Court in this cause, with costs.

MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE TELEGRAPH.—At a meeting of the Charleston Stockholders of the Washington and New Orleans Telegraph Company, held at the Charleston Reading Room, on Friday, the 8th inst.

On motion of Major Alex. Black, it was

1. *Resolved*, That this meeting accept the proposition of John J. Haley, on the terms proposed, provided satisfactory security be given to fulfil the contract on his part, and a sufficient forfeiture inserted for the non-performance of any, and every part of the contract.

On motion of Henry Ravenel, Esq., it was

2. *Resolved*, That the lease to Mr. Haley, be for three years, and that he be required to furnish the Board of Directors with a semi-annual statement of the receipts and expenditures of the lease.

On motion of Maj. Alex. Black, it was

Resolved, That a Committee of three be appointed to wait on the absent shareholders, to obtain their signatures, and that a copy of these proceedings, signed by the Chairman and Secretary, be forwarded to the President and Mr. Haley

DISTINGUISHED ARRIVALS.—Among the passengers by the United States are Mlle. Euphrasin Borghese, the highly popular vocalist; M. Corelli, a tenor whose reputation is well known in Europe, and M. Adrien, the celebrated magician.

AMERICAN THEATRE.—The first appearance of Mr. Booth, since his severe indisposition, was greeted by a cordial welcome from his numerous admirers, although we regret to state the dreadfully inclement state of the weather materially affected the receipts of the house. The *Stranger* was the part played by this admirable actor; it was sustained with the strict attention to the individuality of the character which ever marks this gentleman's mind-like performance. The scene in which he meets his repentant wife was one of intense feeling, and worked strongly on the sympathies of the audience, winning the sweet applause of deep attention and sorrowful interest. Mrs. Coleman Pope, always a favorite, entered fully into the spirit of the erring wife, but a still devoted mother, and supported Booth most efficiently. The grand legendary drama of the "Flying Dutchman," increases in favor. The scenery is beautiful, and the accuracy with which the effects are accomplished deserves all praise. We have seldom the good fortune to see a drama of this nature so well put upon the stage in every respect.

The delightful little Herons commence an engagement to-morrow night, and will, we have no doubt, prove trump cards for the active and enterprising manager.

STICKNEY'S CIRCUS.—This "model circus" still holds "the even tenor of its way," being nightly crowded by delighted and fashionable audiences. The three great stars, at present in the city, are Macready, Booth and Levi North, and the great equestrian is as warmly applauded as his dramatic contemporaries. This evening he will again repeat his graceful performance of the Zephyr. Tammany will dance; and the whole company will appear in a variety of pleasing performances.

Telegraphed to the "Daily Crescent."

General Taylor at Louisville—Tremendous Enthusiasm—Sad Accident—Stock Market.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 12, 1849.

Gen. Taylor arrived at Louisville yesterday. The boat on which he was, was accompanied by two steamers perfectly crowded. On the way he remained a few hours at New Albany. At Louisville he was received by the Mayor, who made a speech, to which Gen. Taylor replied in a handsome manner. The houses, streets and windows were crowded with a multitude of spectators. The General while at Louisville stopped at the Galt House; thence he goes to Frankfort, and will stop at Cincinnati on Friday, from which place he will proceed to Pittsburg, etc.

John Anderson and Henry Nicholls, each had an arm blown off by the explosion of a cannon.

SECOND DISPATCH.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 12, 1849.

Government Securities have advanced in New York fully one per cent. since the receipt of the Niagara's news. Treasury Notes nine and a quarter, (9¼,) New Loan ten and a quarter, (10¼.) Cotton firm. Breadstuffs unchanged.

ARREST OF HYER.—The Charleston Courier states that on the 9th inst., information was received in that city, that Hyer had been arrested in Philadelphia, on a requisition from the Governor of Maryland. A requisition had been made on the Governor of New York, for the arrest of Sullivan.

Congressional.

[Telegraphed to the Charleston Mercury.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7, 6 P. M.—*In the Senate*, Mr. Benton offered a resolution to make the Secretary and other officers of the Senate permanent. He also introduced a bill to construct a road from St. Louis to the Pacific, part railroad, part turnpike.

The Military Academy bill and the Naval Pension bill have both passed.

The House refused to consider the resolutions proposing to count the votes for President and Vice President on the 14th inst. In Committee of the Whole the Fortification bill was considered, on which Mr. Preston, of Va., made a speech, favoring the admission of California into the Union as a State. Mr Brown, of Pa., spoke in opposition.

APPOINTMENT BY THE PRESIDENT, *by and with the advice and consent of the Senate.*—Cornelius S. Bogardus, Naval Officer for the district of New York, in the State of New York, vice Michael Hoffman, deceased.

SOUTHERN MEETING.—A meeting of the citizens of Macon, Ga., was held the 6th inst., to consider the Abolition movements in Congress. Mr. A. H. Chappell presided, and the following, among other resolutions, was adopted:

Resolved, That this meeting do adjourn until 10 o'clock on 1st Sunday, when the citizens of Bibb county generally, are requested to assemble at the Court house, to take what action may be necessary respecting the recent alarming progress of abolition in Congress.

PUBLIC DINNER TO GEN. CASS.—A brilliant entertainment, as we learn from the Detroit Free Press, was given in honor of Gen. Cass, at Lansing, the capital of Michigan, on the 22d January. Among the regular toasts were the following:

Our Senator—Gen. Cass.—The accomplished scholar—the able diplomatist and statesman—the man of the nation.

Gen. Zachary Taylor.—The President elect—the fame of his military genius and heroic achievements complete the page of his country's glory.

☞ A public dinner was to be given in New York, on the 13th inst., to Messrs. Bergen & Ryan, who suffered imprisonment in Ireland for their sympathy with its misgoverned people.

FROM BERMUDA.—The N. Y. Journal of Commerce has files of Bermuda papers to the 23d ult.

The Royal mail steamer Severn had arrived in eighteen days from Southampton.

There was no news of the steamer Avon since her departure from England on the 2d of December. The opinion appeared to be that she had either put back to Madeira, or gone to the West Indies.

Some of the bills of the West India banks, issued at Barbadoes, have been redeemed.

A smart shock of an earthquake was felt at Tobago on the morning of the 15th of November; no damage sustained. There was another shock on the 19th.

THE LATE DAVID HALE.—Mr. Hale, says the Journal of Commerce, gave away nearly all his available earnings, but his interest in the Journal of Commerce is alone a handsome property, and his estate, after deducting indebtedness, cannot be less than 75,000 or $80,000.

A CALIFORNIA TRICK.—The brig Baltimore, advertised to sail from Philadelphia with passengers for California, *via* Tampico, has been detained in consequence of the sudden disappearance of the person who chartered her. He has gone to California in the steamer Falcon with the money belonging to the passengers.

☞ The Pike No. 7 made the trip between Cincinnati and Louisville in 6 hours and 56 minutes. The fastest yet.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMSHIP UNICORN.—The steamship Unicorn arrived at New York on the 4th from Halifax, having left that port on the 1st inst. She has been purchased for the California trade.

☞ The detention of the steamship United State on her last voyage, was owing to unavoidable circumstances. She encountered all the way a series of terrific gales, and at last put in at Halifax for coal. The cargo of the United States is worth nearly $1,000,000.

FIRE AND LOSS OF LIFE.—The tavern and grocery of Peter Valecalt, near Fort Wayne, Indiana, was burnt on the night of the 25th ult., and his son, about twenty-one years old, perished in the flames while endeavoring to rescue a sick brother. About a dozen teamsters only escaped by jumping from the windows.

NEW BOOK.—The Albany correspondent of the Courtland County Whig says, that "Gov. Seward is writing the life of John Quincy Adams."

ORLEANS THEATRE.—We have seen the Monplaisirs in the grand ballet of "Esmeralda," and can only say that their performance was as chaste and delicate as nature's purest blush. The house was full, and the greatest satisfaction was evidenced by the audience. We have before this spoken of the Monplaisirs in terms of rapture, and a minute dissertation on their powers at this day would be useless. "Esmeralda" is a most beautiful ballet. The music and scenery are charming, and the stage appointments are worthy of the enterprizing manager. It were useless to attempt a description of the many beautiful dances executed by the Monplaisirs. The lady is as graceful and powerful as when she first visited our city. Mons. Monplaisir is decidedly the best dancer we have ever seen. His power is only equalled by the grace that adorns all his efforts. A word about Mons. Monplaisir apart from his profession. Last October, as the ferry-boat plying between Hoboken and New York was on her trip from the former to the latter place, Capt. Canon, son of our Honorable Judge of the Second District Court, by accident, fell overboard. Mr. Canon had been on a hunting excursion, and was heavily loaded with powder, shot and game bags, and was consequently in great danger of drowning. The alarm was given and the boat was stopped. In this moment of anxiety, Mons. Monplaisir being, also a passenger on the boat, plunged into the river to the rescue of a fellow-man. It was night, and the weather was cold; but his courage brought him to the consummation of his manly efforts. He succeeded in rescuing Mr. Canon from a watery grave. When we consider that these gentlemen were strangers to each other, and that Monplaisir by his generosity laid himself liable to destruction by disease, setting apart his risk of life in the perilous undertaking, his conduct on the occasion merits more than language can express. The Monplaisirs merit all the patronage our generous public can bestow.

Correspondence of "The Daily Crescent."

Snow storm—Sleighing in prospective—Departure of the Crescent City—Expected arrival of the Isthmus—Intense excitement—The Money Market, stocks and rents—Police Statistics—The steamship United States—Pardon of Harrison the gambler.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5, 1849.

Eds. Crescent—Another snow storm set in last night, and at sunrise this morning gave promise of glorious sleigh rides, with all their concomitants, for a week or two to come. Before noon, however, the prospect was changed, the fleecy shower was suspended, and the sun made some vain efforts to spoil the pretty carpet spread over our avenues. The continued gloom indicates a recommencement of the storm during the night, and we may yet have the snow as deep as the gayest and the fairest desire. There is *now* good sleighing in the upper wards and in Brooklyn, but the joyousness of the season is not fully developed until the Broadway Omnibuses exchange their wheels for "runners," and their horses don their jingling necklaces.

The Crescent City has got off, well filled with passengers, as fine and as joyous a crowd as I ever saw congregated—full two hundred and fifty, and perhaps more. She does not seem so much crowded as the Falcon was, but I judge her passenger list will pay better.

There have been no clearances for San Francisco to-day, but three or four vessels that had anchored in the lower harbor have sailed.

People are anxiously awaiting news of the arrival of the Isthmus, which vessel is expected to bring intelligence from San Francisco of a late date. You have no conception of the interest with which this news is looked for. I have never seen it equalled in the instance of an arrival from Europe at the most interesting periods of steam packet history. Anxiety for the steamer United States (now by-the-by just reported as coming up) is lost in the all-absorbing subject of the Isthmus.

Strange it is, that strong as confidence is as to the character of her expected news, fear has a greater practical force, and the pulse of Wall street goes pit-a-pat at every breath from New Orleans or Washington.

Treasury Notes sold to-day at 107 (only $500 *bona fide* however) and U. S. 6's' 68 at 108⅝, the lat er of which was yesterday's closing rate. If I had the funds, I would buy half a million of each at those prices and run the risk of the next news from San Francisco.

Money is by no means so easy as it has been for a month or two past. An immense amount is locked up in the Sub-Treasury vault, and no inconsiderable sum is taken from the general circulation by emigrants for California. Still business is brisk, and must remain so for some time to come; and, as a general thing, prices are raising. Rents average about 10 per cent. higher for the coming year than those of 1848, and houses are readily taken at the advance. My impression is that there are not so many buildings to-day, in this city, as there were on the 5th of February last year, and the increase of rents is reasonable.

The report of the Chief of Police, for the last quarter, exhibits the following condition of city morals, habits, &c.: Number of arrests during the quarter 6,166, of which 746 were for petit larceny and 97 for grand larceny, 31 for burglary and 33 for passing counterfeit money. 12,486 lodgers were provided for in the station houses; 306 lost children were restored to their parents; 24 persons were rescued from drowning; 42 fires were extinguished, and 212 stores and dwellings, found open and exposed at night by carelessness, were taken in charge by policemen.

The arrival of the steamer United States diffuses an extraordinary degree of pleasure throughout the city. Deep alarm for her had begun to take possession of every body interested in her passengers or cargo, a state of feeling which enhances the pleasure with which she is now hailed. The passengers represent her as a glorious craft, she having carried them safely through weather that few ships could have stood. From the hour she left Cowes until she arrived at Halifax, where she stopped for a supply of coal, she had not been free from storms, some of them of a terrific character. About half way across the Atlantic she encountered a regular hurricane, which tested her capabilities to the utmost, but she proved too strong for the tempest. No part of her machinery has been put out of order by her labors, and she is in as perfect condition as when she left New York. Her cargo is even more valuable than I represented it to be the other day, exceeding, it is said, a million of dollars. She reached Halifax on the 31st ult., and sailed from thence on the 2d inst.

Gov. Fish has pardoned Harrison, the Park Row gambler, and he has left the hospitalities of his kind patron, Acker, at Blackwell's Island Institute.

Respectfully yours, INDICATOR.

☞ Religious Notice.—NICHOLAS and MARGARET BROWN, of the Society of Friends, from Canada, will hold a meeting for Religious Worship, THIS EVENING, at 7 o'clock, at the Methodist Episcopal Church, on Poydras street. fy16 1t*

OFFICE PEOPLE'S TELEGRAPH,
Commercial Exchange, St. Charles street.
NEW ORLEANS, 16th February, 1849.

This Office is now open for the transmission of DISPATCHES to any part of the Northern and Western States. fy16 6t CHAS. DOANE, Commissioner.

☞ Notice.—If Mr. LEWIS GRAHAM, Private, and GEORGE F. WEIR, Sergeant, of Capt. Hen's Company, Andrew Jackson Regiment Louisiana Volunteers, are in the city, and will please call on the undersigned, they will learn something to their advantage. fy16tf HYDE & OGLESBY, 12 Poydras st.

CLOTHING AT COST.

THE subscriber informs the public that he received, per ship Union, yesterday, another invoice of WINTER CLOTHING, which he offers *AT COST*, owing to the lateness of the season. Those who are bound for CALIFORNIA will find an excellent article of OVER SACKS at this store.

FREDERIC ANTHON,
fy16 2dptf under St. Charles Hotel, one door from Common st.

To the Surveyor.

☞ *Mr. Crescent*—I would like to ask, if the Surveyor of this Municipality is authorized to permit Contractors to fill up vacant lots with offal—and as an instance, in which this thing has been done, I refer to a lot on Hercules street, between Triton Walk and Calliope. A CITIZEN. fy16 6t*

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February 16, 1849.
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A GENTLEMAN well known in the City, who has for upwards of fifteen years, previous to and during the late Mexican war, travelled and traded through the whole Republics of Mexico and Texas; and who speaks and translates the Spanish, English and French languages, wishes to obtain a Situation with any person or Company, about starting for California, or about establishing a Trading House in Chagres, or any Spanish, Mexican or California Territory. The best references will be given. For information, inquire at this office. fy16 4t

FLORIDA CEDAR.

WE have just received a choice lot of FLORIDA CEDAR, which we will saw up to order.

Also, in Yard—St Domingo, Cuba and Honduras MAHOGANY and SPANISH CEDAR, for sale in Log, or Sawed and Turned to order.

CHERRY, BLACK WALNUT, HICKORY, ASH, OAK, BEACH, MAPLE, CLEAR WHITE PINE, CYPRESS, POPLAR and Y. PINE, assorted sizes and well seasoned. *ARCADE MILLS.*

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CLEVELAND
WATER-CURE ESTABLISHMENT.

THE Subscriber has erected in the immediate vicinity of CLEVELAND, Ohio, large and spacious Buildings, for the accommodation of Patients who may feel disposed to make a practical application of the HYDROPATHIC or WATER CURE Treatment, under the most favorable auspices for the removal of Disease.

The Water at this Establishment is very pure, soft and abundant; some of the Springs are very cold—one, in which the thermometer stands at 48° Fahrenheit, in Summer. The best and most experienced German Nurses are in attendance. All Patients are required to furnish three Comforters; two large Woolen Blankets; two coarse Cotton Shirts; one coarse Linen Sheet, that may be cut; with pieces of Linen or Cotton for Bandages, and six Towels.

The subscriber intends, as the *location* of his establishment is second to none in the country, to have the *reputation* second to none.

Patients should bear in mind, that as the restoring of health will be the *sine qua non* with *him*, so it should be the great desideratum with *them*. Everything else should be made subservient to that great object.

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PRIVATE LESSONS given during the Day or Night. TRANSLATIONS from English, French, Portuguese or Italian, into Spanish; or French, Spanish, Italian or Portuguese into Enoglish, done at shortest notice. fy16 6m

COTTON SEED.

ON HAND and for sale in quantities to suit purchasers, the best PETIT GULF COTTON SEED, from plantation near Rodney, by ja22 1mdp LATHROP, KNOX & CO. 71 Poydras st.

FOR SALE.

A NEGRO WOMAN, aged about 22 years, good Cook, Washer and Ironer, fully guaranteed. For particulars apply at 26 Tchoupitoulas street. fy10tsf

Died!

On Thursday morning, 15th instant, Mr. JOHN R. KELLY, aged 32 years, a native of Ireland, and a resident of this city for the last 13 years.

☞ His friends, and those of the family, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his mother, No. 810 Philippa street, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock.

☞ Delta please copy.

On Thursday morning, the 15th instant, at half-past 12 o'clock, ROBERT FRANCIS, infant son of J. H. and Mary Webb, aged 5 days.

Steamboat Departures This Day.

☞ *SEE ADVERTISEMENTS ON THIRD PAGE.*

Mobile.....JAS. L. DAY, Giberson, 2½ P. M. cars.
Mobile.....MOBILE, Sutton, 5½ P. M.
Yazoo River.....MUSCLE NO. 2, Gwartney, 4 P. M.
Pittsburg.....NEW ORLEANS, Faller, 12 M.
Pittsburg.....MELODEON, McMahon, 10 A. M.
Pittsburg.....SARANAK, McIntyre, 10 A. M.
Pittsburg.....BAY STATE, Collier, 5 P. M.
Pittsburg.....COMMODORE PERRY, Washen, 5 P. M.

☞ Yazoo Packet Muscle No. 2.—For Grenada, Troy, Greenwood, etc.—This splendid packet is now receiving freight at the foot of Canal street, and will leave THIS DAY, Friday, at 5 o'clock, P. M. HYDE & OGLESBY, 12 Poydras st.
Passengers will please be on board at the above hour. fy16

☞ U. S. Mail New Orleans—For Louisville, Cincinnati, Wheeling and Pittsburg—THIS DAY, Friday, at 12 o'clock, M., positively, from the foot of Poydras street.
fy16 HYDE & OGLESBY, 12 Poydras st.

☞ U. S. Mail Melodeon—For Cincinnati and Louisville will leave THIS DAY, Friday, at 10 o'clock, A. M.
HYDE & OGLESBY, 12 Poydras st.
Passengers will please be on board at the hour. fy16

☞ U. S. Mail Saranak—For Pittsburg and Wheeling, (direct)—THIS DAY, Friday, at 10 o'clock, A. M., positively, from Poydras street wharf. HYDE & OGLESBY, 12 Poydras st.
Passengers will please be on board at the above hour. fy16

Auction Sales This Day.

MORPHY & NEVIUS will sell, at 10 o'clock, at No. 57 Magazine street, Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats, etc.

H. F. SMITH will sell, at 11 o'clock, at the New Orleans Bazaar and Auction Mart, corner of Perdido and Carondelet streets, Carriages, Wagons, Horses, etc.

N. VIONIE & Co. will sell, at 10 o'clock, at Banks Arcade, 150 Camellia Japonicas.

R. M. ARMFIELD will sell at the store of Jasper F. Smith, 7 Canal street, Dry Goods, Hats, Boots, Shoes, etc., without reserve. [☞ See Auction head.]

S. of T....Meetings This Evening.

UNION DIVISION No. 3, Crystal Fount Hall, 222 Tchoupitoulas street, at half-past 7.

LOUISIANA DIVISION No. 11, at Unity Hall, Marigny Buildings, Third Municipality, at half-past 7.

STAR OF HOPE DIVISION No. 26, at Y. Brothers Hall, Lafayette, at half-past 7.

Arrivals at the Principal Hotels Yesterday.

HEWLETT'S....Robert Gennary, Frank Hitchcock, Centreville, Miss; W M Dunon, Lake Providence; J M Trumbull.

ST. LOUIS....J Armstrong, John Henderson, Jr, N O; C N Worth, Coast; Mrs Chas Leacock, St Louis; Mr Pomeroy and lady.

VERANDAH....J S Williams and lady, Mrs Mobley, Lafourche; J Gibson, Mobile; H H Handy and lady, Canton, Miss; Jas Marks, Washington, Geo; G C Williams, La; W C Hite, Mc. Moore, steamboat Peytona.

PLANTERS'....A Fazendo, P Reinhard, Havana; W W Anderson, H Fagon, N O; J M Albritton, Little Rock; John J Spencer, Ala; F A Seymour, Sparta, Ala; W P Maulding, Texas; C Powell, Columbus, Miss; D N Hunt, Pass Christian; S Carkley, Coast; C C Willits, Philadelphia; T W Robertson, F H Mallon, Frederick Scruggs, Jas W Bricker, A F Jeffries, C Suares.

ST. CHARLES....L Latsky, Frankfort, Ky; Jas A Hatton, Baton Rouge; W H Bell, Dr Wm M Sheppard, A McCleary, Columbus; Wm Burchard, New York; Chas M Poutteway, Philadelphia; S M Todd, Mrs J B Todd, Mrs A Smyth, Mobile; Capt Johns, U S A; Charles Mansfield, Boston; Albert Winterhoff, Rio Janeiro; Noah Walgely, St. Louis; R E Butler, Turrebonne; Capt A Q Breath, Geo S Guion, N F Comly and lady.

LECTURES

For the Benefit of an Asylum for the relief of DESTITUTE FEMALES.

The first of the series will be delivered by the Rev. WM. R. NICHOLSON, at the *ARMORY HALL*, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, the 21st instant, at half-past 7 o'clock.

Subject—"Civil ration in its relation to indigence, or civilization the friend of the poor."

Price of Tickets—Admitting a Gentleman and Lady for the series, $5. Ticket for a single Lecture of the series, 50 cents.

☞ Tickets for sale at the principal Bookstores, and by the members of the General Committee.

Committee on Lectures:
M. M. COHEN, JAMES SAUL, R. M. NORMAN.
☞ See Programme. fy10 2dtd

☞ Grand Division S. of T., State of Louisiana.—There will be a Special Meeting of the Grand Division of the S. of T., at Temple Hall, No. 284 Canal street, on SATURDAY EVENING, the 17th instant, at 7 o'clock. A general attendance of Representatives is earnestly requested....By order of the G. W. P.
fy15 E. L. LEWIS, G. S.

☞ Grand Temple of Honor, State of Louisiana.—The Regular Quarterly Session of this Temple will be held on FRIDAY EVENING, February 16, at half-past 7 o'clock, at Temple Hall, No. 284 Canal street. P. W. T.s will please be punctual....By order of R. L. BRUCE, G. W. T.
fy15 J. K. GILE, Ac