DAILY CRESCENT.

NEW ORLEANS:

MONDAY MORNING, APRIL 30, 1849.

See Third Page for CITY NEWS, &c.

TEMPERANCE CELEBRATION.—The Younger Members of the Sons of Temperance have a celebration of their third anniversary this evening, at No. 222 Tchoupitoulas street. We have no doubt that the ceremonies will be very interesting, and tend to promote the excellent objects of the association.

☞ The Boston Journal of the 18th inst. says: "We understand this morning that all letters intended for the *continent* of Europe by the steamer Niagara, on which *five cents* postage was not prepaid, were liable to be retained in the post-office here. This fact should be universally known, as it applies to letters received per mail from New Orleans to Eastport, as well as to those dropped into the post-office here."

☞ Thanks to the officers of the Uncle Sam for late St. Louis papers.

APPOINTMENTS.—The Charleston Mercury of Tuesday publishes a dispatch from Baltimore dated the previous evening at 8 o'clock. It contains the announcement of the following appointments of Postmasters by the President, viz: Abraham Jones, Quincy, Mass.; Richard S. Wilson, Chicago, Ill.; Anema Austin, Lynn, Mass.; Julius Ackley, Ithaca, N. Y.

NAVAL.—It is said that the squadron of Commodore Morgan, in the Mediterranean, is to be forthwith strengthened, and perhaps Com. Kearney, who was strongly supported for the command in that sea, will be sent with a couple of frigates to the Baltic, to form, with one or two vessels now in the neighborhood of the German Ocean, a squadron of observation for the protection of American ships from the possible effects of the collisions of the inferior maritime powers.

COL. BENTON.—Col. Benton left Washington City on the 20th for St. Louis. It is his intention to remain in St. Louis only a few hours, and to proceed at once to the frontier to address the emigrants, now collected there, destined for California. On his return from the frontier, he will continue in St. Louis probably for some time. So says the St. Louis Union.

ILLINOIS SENATOR.—The Quincy (Ill.) Whig says that Judge Young has written home, announcing his intention to resign his place as Commissioner of the General Land Office, on the 29th of the present month. It is said that he will be a candidate for the Senate of the United States. It is believed that an extra session of the Legislature will be called next winter to elect a Senator.

MORTALITY OF NEW YORK.—The deaths in the city of New York, during the year 1848, were 14,553, only 112 over the mortality of the preceding year.

THE PRIZE ESSAY ON THE PATENT LAWS.—The proprietors of the Scientific American recently offered a prize of one hundred dollars for the best essay on the American Patent Laws. The premium has just been awarded to Mr. Edmund Maher, Civil Engineer, Washington, D. C. It is said to be ably written.

THE AMERICA.—The British and North American royal mail steamship America, Capt. Harrison, which sailed from Boston on the 21st and Halifax on the 23d ult., reached the Rock Light in the Mersey early on the morning of the 3d inst., after a rapid run of little more than 9½ days from the latter port.

BOSTON AND CALIFORNIA.—A public meeting was to have been held in Boston on the evening of the 20th, to consider the project of a railroad from the Atlantic to the Pacific, or rather, from Boston to San Fracisco.

A BOSTON NOTION.—The Bostonians talk of presenting a frame school-house to the Californians. This must be with an eye to the future, for a majority of the children who have recently emigrated to that country are "boys" who have grown out of the reach of the schoolmaster's discipline.

☞ James B. Cahon was elected Mayor of the city of Portland on the 18th inst., by the City Council, the people having failed to elect.

THE TURPENTINE TREES.—The Wilmington (N. C.) Chronicle states that the insect which was so destructive last year to the turpentine trees in that section, is again at work, and that serious injury is apprehended from its ravages.

[From the Albany Atlas of the 19th.]

ANOTHER DISASTROUS FIRE AT TROY—*Hudson's Panorama of the Ohio and Mississippi Destroyed.*—We regret to state that the city of Troy was visited by another disastrous fire last night. The upper stories of Morris Place Hall, together with Hudson's magnificent Panorama of the Ohio and Mississippi, which was exhibiting there, was entirely destroyed. This is truly unfortunate. The painting was valued at $30,000. The Troy Daily Post of this morning gives the following account:

"A fire broke out at about half-past 11 o'clock last evening in Morris Place Hall, Congress street, and rapidly consumed the third story of that fine building. The Hall had been occupied during the evening with the exhibition of the Panorama. The great promptness and efficiency of the fire department soon subdued the raging flames, and saved the city from a more disastrous fire. The panoramic paintings were all consumed, and were but slightly insured. The building was owned by Mr. Gardiner Rand, and insured in the Troy Mutual for $7000. The damage done to the building will be about half that amount. The stores on the first story were occupied by J. Vanderwerken, grocer, George Bristol and Wm. B. Fry, dry goods merchants, and R. Rowell, druggist. Vanderwerken was insured $4000 in the Columbus. Bristol & Fry were insured in the Ætna of Hartford, Fry for $5000. Most of their goods were got out. Rowell was insured in the North-Western. The insurance will cover the loss, except Hudson's Panorama, on which there was an insurance of $10,000. A Daguerreotype artist in the second story not insured.

☞ Henry Apple, who murdered a man last fall, we think named Swain, living in Illinois, some eight miles from this city and then robbed his house, has been tried at Waterloo, found guilty and sentenced to five years' imprisonment in the penitentiary for the murder, and fifteen years for stealing three guns from the premises belonging to Apple. Guns appear to be scarce in Illinois since the California excitement, as three of them, and they of indifferent quality, are of more value than a man's life in the estimation of the court.—*St. Louis Union.*

☞ The following is the result of the drawing of the Grand Consolidated Lottery, Class No. 21, which took place at Baltimore, Md. on the 21st: 25, 42, 55, 52, 78, 5, 26, 8, 60, 31, 17, 38, 59, 24.

BENEFIT OF FRED. HUNT.—Fred. Hunt who is a gentleman in every sense of the word, and therefore deserving the encouragement and support of the public, will take a benefit to-night at the Olympic Circus. Independent of the character of the beneficiary, the attractions to be presented are in themselves sufficient to ensure a full house. In the first place, the excrutiatingly amusing new burlesque entitled "California, or I'll see that and go a peck better," will be performed. The charming "Belle Rosa," Elouise, and many others who are well known and have repeatedly enchanted their audiences, will appear. Ben Jennings, that most inimitable clown, will convulse his hearers with his really original and witty jokes. Such a combination of attraction and talent is rarely seen, and we advise every one to go and be amused, even though it be in spite of himself.

ORLEANS THEATRE.—*Benefit of Madame Lecour, First Dugazon.*—Auber's grand opera of "Le Philtre" is to be performed this evening, for the first time this season. It will give musical amateurs a better opportunity than they have yet had of hearing the entire strength of the company, and of judging of the respective merits of the several artists. The performance will be concluded by a charming new vaudeville called "M'lle de Choisy." Madame Lecour should not be forgotten this evening.

MEDICAL BOOKS.—"Who shall decide when doctors disagree?"—but they have decided that our friend Thos. L. White, No. 53 Camp street, has one of the best stocks of medical and surgical, illustrated works to be found in the city. See his advertisement.

NEW MUSIC.—We have received from the publisher, Mr. W. T. Mayo, No. 5 Camp street, the following new pieces of music, to which we call the attention of the music-loving community: "Come and dance to-night," "The Sisters," "Santa Anna's Leg," "Look upon that Banner," "No. 5 Camp street Polka."

The State Engineer.

An article which appeared in this paper last Saturday morning, and which was written by the junior editor without any consultation with his collaborator, has called forth two communications in defence of the appointment for State Engineer, lately made by the Governor. One of these communications was signed "Justitia Fiat," and was addressed to the Picayune; the other was signed "Civis," and appeared in the columns of the Delta. It is well that the signatures chosen are in a learned language. If we could only translate "Justitia Fiat" and "Civis" into the plain English of their authors' names, the public would probably be much edified and amused at the motives which prompted those worthy gentlemen. Neither "Justitia Fiat" nor "Civis" could get an editor to endorse their statements; for the Delta only says that it is "*requested to call attention* to the communication of 'Civis.'"

We begin with "Justitia Fiat," as he seems to be more furious and therefore more interested than "Civis." Indeed "Justitia" (as we will call him for the sake of brevity) has let his anger carry him beyond the bounds of propriety, to say nothing of his transgressing the limits of right reason. For example, he wishes to represent us as a scoffer at religion and all the decencies of life. Every one who read the article of Saturday must see that this is a gross misrepresentation; and that however many professions of justice and charity "Justitia" may make, his practice reveals many lamentable short-comings. As for our regarding the frequenters of tippling-shops with peculiar favor, we will say that there are some vices in comparison with which even drunkenness, bad as it is, is a virtue. We do not mean this at all for the Rev. Mr. Wooldridge; for from all we have heard from his friends, his character is fair and honorable. We say it only to let "Justitia" and others know that we regard avarice and intrigue, and trading on the public interests, fully as despicable and degrading as drunkenness. The latter may be the vice of an over-ardent temperament; the former betray the existence of a depraved head and distorted conscience.

"Justitia" runs counter to logic as well as common sense, when he tells us in the first part of a sentence that Mr. Wooldridge "possesses a high order of intellect," and "a thorough scientific education," whilst the closing clause affirms the strange fact, that the labors of our State Engineer "principally consist in the science of pulling snags out of bayous, and cutting away bending trees which obstruct navigation." What use for the thorough scientific education, if "Justitia" has a proper conception of the duties of State Engineer? As to Mr. Hébert's residence, we were mistaken; we thought he lived in Assumption, but have since learned that he lives in Iberville. But does he stoop to practise the arts of caucuses? Can he manage many votes in his neighborhood? Whereas, although Mr. Wooldridge may not *now* live in the Third District, his friends assume to sway the Piny Woods. St. Tammany is gratified by the appointment of the new Engineer. Its breast swells in sympathetic unison at the triumphs of its favorite sons. The suspicion expressed in the closing sentence of "Justitia" is unfounded. No one connected with the Crescent ever applied to Gov. Johnson for an office, either directly or indirectly; though if we had thought ourselves peculiarly unfitted for any place in the gift of the Governor, we might have been daring enough to deem success probable. Our vanity, however, prevented us from supposing ourselves possessed of the "first, last, best" qualification—probably we ought to say disqualification—for receiving an office from Gov. Johnson.

Now we come to "Civis"; and "Civis," if not so angry as "Justitia," makes some very grotesque efforts to be witty and sarcastic at our expense. He has evidently pondered long on the description of *rigmarole* which he places at the head of his article; and no doubt the author of Don Juan, if he were alive, would thank "Civis" for the fine practical commentary he has furnished of the lines so appropriately prefixed to his communication. The attempts of "Civis" at wit remind us of the gambols of—an elephant, we were going to say; but we beg the elephant's pardon for such an intention. They are not lively enough to be compared to the antics of a monkey, nor graceful enough to be likened to the waddle of a duck, and we are afraid we shall have to descend for a simile to the top-loftical serio-comic strutting of a gander. As for the arguments of "Civis," they are about on a level with his wit. At one time he defends Mr. Wooldridge's appointment by representing that gentleman as very scientific, raising the new Engineer, by the force of an exuberant imagination, to a place among the Newtons, the Laplaces, and the Descartes. Then he says that "mere men of science are, in general, wofully deficient in the details of business." Does "Civis" mean to put Mr. Wooldridge among the mere men of science? But the "Finally" of "Civis" overturns all the first part of his article; for it informs us that no scientific attainments are necessary in order to make a competent State Engineer. After elevating science and scientific men above the stars, "Civis" laughs at "the ridiculous absurdity of the Crescent's complaints on the score of science." We, forsooth, require the Engineer to be too scientific. One more remark to "Civis," and we have done with him. He says "abuse is more kindred to some minds than reason." Too true, my dear "Civis," and you showed your good sense by not qualifying your assertion with the truth that there are some minds too weak for their malice to rise to the height of abuse, although they may all the time be lacking in every thing like reason. The absence of abuse does not indicate the existence of reason. Your article, my dear "Civis," amply proves that there are some minds that reason avoids as if they were tainted with the plague-spot.

Having answered our friends "Justitia" and "Civis," we return to the original question of the motives with which the appointment for Engineer was made and the qualifications of the new incumbent for his place. The motives lie on the surface; he that runs may read. When we see clearly the object after which Gov. Johnson is striving, there is no difficulty in accounting for his appointment of Mr. Wooldridge. As for Mr. Wooldridge's qualifications, we only know that he has no practical acquaintance with Engineering; and this is enough for us to declare, in the words of Mr. Webster, that "it was an appointment not fit to be made." Even Solomon, with all his wisdom—the quondam clergyman will admit the weight of the authority—called to his assistance a practical architect when he began the building of the magnificent temple at Jerusalem. But our Solomons are "wiser in their day and generation." They are Engineers by the force of reflection, unaided by practice—accomplished architects by the intuition of a heaven-soaring imagination.

Our motives for speaking out our opinions on this appointment, have been attacked by those incapable of conceiving how men can act from other than private and interested motives. We scorn such imputations; we pity as well as despise the groveling thoughts of men who fancy others to have no feeling for the general good. Our hands may be weak and our voice deficient in strength, but as long as we can raise a hand or utter a note, they shall be used against all low intrigue and corruption in high places. We trust we shall ever be able to look with leniency on those who administer the public affairs, well knowing the difficulty of the task they have undertaken; and when we raise our voice against the *weakness* of public officers, it shall always be "far more in pity than in anger." But when we see the weakness coupled with a spirit of intrigue—imbecility, without the honesty and directness of purpose which make it comparatively respectable—then shall it be our humble duty to "cry aloud and spare not."

A NEW MINT.—The New York Sun alleges that there is a private mint in one of the Eastern States where pennies, worth only forty-five cents a hundred, are manufactured and circulated.

LABLACHE IN ENGLAND.—Lablache, the celebrated Basso has just terminated, says an English paper, a musical tour truly wonderful. From the 29th of January to the 23d of February, he sang every night except Sunday, in a different town, either in England or Scotland. On the 19th, he sang twice, at Derby and at Notingham. He was accompanied by Thalberg, his son-in-law, and Mlle. Vera.

☞ James Morier, the celebrated author of "Hajji Baba," and other works, died on the 2d inst....The Earl of Gosport died on the 27th ult., aged 75.

SINGULAR DISCOVERY.—The Baltimore Sun says: "The broken pieces of the original bottle which contained the attar of roses, stolen from the Patent Office at Washington, have been recovered in Philadelphia by the Recorder's police, together with two skeleton keys, and a quantity of type of various kinds, with fancy borders. These articles were taken out of the cess-pool in the yard of Jacob Shuster's *alias* Hand's residence, in that city. They will be conveyed to Washington."

FROM VALPARAISO.—The bark Elizabeth Hall, from Valparaiso, January 23d, arrived at Boston on the 19th inst.—bringing plenty of copper, but no gold.

☞ The crimes of treason, rape and arson are punishable with imprisonment for life, in Massachusetts, if the new bill passes, instead of hanging, as the law now provides.

FRENCHMEN FOR CALIFORNIA.—Five foreign vessels were advertised at Havre on the 24th ult., for California, and six French vessels at Bordeaux, for the same destination, on the 17th ult.

VERY PROBABLE.—We were looking for the latest report upon gentlemen's fashions lately; a New York house says "there is not much *change* in gentlemen's pants this month!" Very likely.

A VERMILION EDICT.—The Rev. Dr. Southard, of New York, has issued an edict to his parish—which he calls a pastoral—forbidding them to marry any one to whom they may be related nearer than the fifth degree.

☞ The Chartists who were convicted some time ago at Edinburgh, having been released from imprisonment, were entertained at a banquet in that city on the 22d ult.

☞ The Lords of the Admiralty have ordered the Lark, a small vessel lying at Chatham, to be fitted as a yacht, for the use of the President of the African Republic of Liberia.

☞ Henry A. Washington, of Va., has been appointed Professor of Political Economy and History in William and Mary College.

SPECS.—The editor of the Mirror, who is the original of originals, and "is'nt anything else," is especially severe upon the "old boy in specs," [Matthew L. Davis, the "Spy in Washington" of the N. Y. Courier,] because he has been from his youth upward a consistent friend of Henry Clay. Talking of specs, we opine that the Mirror's support of Gen. Taylor was a *spec.* Whether it will or will not turn out a good spec remains to be seen. *Noah's Messenger.*

LOUIS BLANC.—The following letter appears in the London Times:

Sir—In your paper of the 8th of March you have given an extract from the act of accusation directed against me in France. As a proscribed man in exile, may I hope, from your impartiality, that I may be indulged with a small space in order to reply? In that act of accusation, which is but a tissue of the blackest and most impudent calumnies, it is put down that, according to the pretended deposition of M. Martougen, on the 15th of May, a working-man assisted me to escape from the Hotel de Ville, by taking me in his arms. Well, that which it will be very difficult to believe in England—a country where the idea of justice is understood—is, that the deposition of this M. Martougen, affirmed and produced by the Procureur General Baroache, is a forged document. I offer you this irrefragable proof of the fact: M. Martougen has just written to the journals of Paris the following letter:

"*Citizen*—I shall be obliged to you to insert in your next number that I protest energetically against the deposition that has been attributed to me, against the citizen Louis Blanc; for this assertion is completely false. Accept, etc.,

"Paris, March 10. MARTOUGEN, JR."

Thus, sir, you have suppositious testimonies of real perjuries which the law would punish with the penalty of the galleys. It is of such materials that the act of accusation is composed, of which you have given an extract—an act that will remain in history as a monument of atrocious ignominy. As to those ferocious words which this official liberal attributes to me—"If more blood is wanting we will find many victims," it is an abominable invention to which an educated man in these days would not condescend to give any attention; and on this subject I will tell you, sir, that not only in all my works have I advocated the abolition of the punishment of death, but that it was through me that this question of the abolition of the punishment of death was offered to the consideration of the Provisional Government on the 26th of February, 1848; the initiative taken anteriorly by M. de Lamartine having been already negatived. I had just read an article which asserted that our Republican Government would probably become a Government by the executioner. Under feelings of indignation I ran to the Council, and I said most energetically to my colleagues that it was high time to put a stop forever to such unbecoming attacks—that it was necessary to reply to them in a manner which could not easily be effaced from the memory of man, and I took up again the proposition of M. de Lamartine. The scene which followed will forever remain in lively colors in my recollection. M. de Lamartine ran up to me, took my hands enthusiastically, and, with a voice full of emotion, cried out, "*Ah, vous faites là une noble chose!*" The sentiment I had expressed was that of all my colleagues, and it was with a passionate joy that we voted the decree for the abolition of the punishment of death—a decree of which the arrangement and wording of the second part was the work of M. de Lamartine, and that of the first part was mine. I leave you now to determine, sir, whether there is any probability that the cruel words which have been attributed to me so falsely could by possibility have escaped from my lips. Now my enemies may, if they please, condemn me; history will judge their judgment. I remain, sir, your obedient servant,

87, Piccadilly, March 12. LOUIS BLANC.

Letters from the Frontier.

[Correspondence of the Missouri Republican.]

ST. JOSEPH, APRIL 14, 1849.

In my two last from this point I gave you the names of a number of gentlemen, composing companies that are in camp in this vicinity, as emigrants to California, and ready to move so soon as Nature provides sufficient grass upon the plains for the sustenance of their stock. In addition thereto, I forward you the following, which comprise the whole number in camp at this date. (We omit the names.) This, with my previous letters from this place, gives you the names of 1124 persons that are in camp in the vicinity of St. Joseph, equipped and ready to move—some of them are already on the road. Four hundred would be a large estimate for those yet boarding in town—thus giving 1500 as the highest number of emigrants at St. Joseph. Every boat that arrives adds to this number; of all new-comers I will apprise you in time.

The weather continues cold and disagreeable. Last night there was a heavy frost, and this morning ice, three-quarters of an inch thick, was found on still ponds of water. Camp fires are blazing in every direction around which a shivering mess, wrapped in their blankets and robes, are huddled together, cheering each other on the prospect before them. Insubordination has been manifested in several companies. Many members have "bolted" the camp, and took to hotels, having become convinced that it is time enough for a man to do camp duty, when he has no other accommodation.

The steamer San Francisco arrived to-day with a large number of passengers. CALIFORNIA.

INDEPENDENCE, (MO.) April 17, 1849.

Every location in this vicinity, affording facilities for that purpose, is now occupied by some emigrating party as their camping ground, and the bustle and confusion, pertaining to the discharge of camp duties by inexperienced persons, meets the eye in all directions. As each company completes its outfit and other arrangements, it moves to some more distant camping place; thereby making room and yielding the advantages of a proximity to town, to the new comer. This system of moving has continued until camps have been established for sixty miles out. No companies, excepting those of Lieut. Paul and Capt. Pye, have yet made a final start or regular marches; but, in the course of a few days, several will do so. Discontent pervades in many of the companies to such an extent as to render it necessary for them to move in order to preserve their organization. The members are becoming tired of further delay, and, urged by the desire to reach their destination, and realize their golden dreams, are ready and desirous to launch themselves upon the plains, without sufficient feed for their stock, and before nature has afforded its supply. The great number of persons that will cross the plains this spring and summer, all largely supplied with horses or mules, has rendered it a question of much concern to many, whether or not the grass near the points where they must necessarily encamp, will be sufficient to sustain their stock, upon which nearly all solely rely. Those best acquainted with the country deem it ample; but all admit that such as have the lead, must certainly fare the best. Hence the desire of all to move, and many will pack forage for a given number of days.

In a public point of view, the transportation of *passengers* is one of the most novel and important features in the emigration to California overland. There may be various plans for this object; if so, none have come under my observation, except the "Pioneer Line," established by Messrs. Turner, Allen & Co., of your city, and designed, as I am informed, to be a permanent means of conveyance from the Missouri to the Pacific. In all respects, this presents superior advantages in the completeness of outfit, first-rate teams, etc., being provided, besides being conducted by men experienced on the plains. I understand that nearly all the seats are taken. The teams and wagons are all here, and the company is rapidly completing its arrangements for an early start. I do not think their first train will get off before the 1st of May, as the grass will be insufficient. A return train of this line will come in from California during the fall. From the encouragement these gentlemen have received this season, I have no doubt that the line may be considered as permanently established.

The company under Col. W. H. Russell moved to day from its camping ground, near the town, and are now located about three miles beyond the "Big Blue." * * *

The past several days the weather has been very cold for this season of the year. Emigrants continue to arrive daily. The number at either point of rendezvous is greatly exaggerated. At this time there are between 2000 and 2500 persons at this place—the number will range between the two estimates, and certainly will not exceed the highest. One hundred will count all at Westport, the same number those at Kansas, the same number those at Weston, while at St. Joseph the number will not exceed 1500. Allowing that two hundred persons have gone to Fort Kearny and Council Bluffs, which is the highest number that could possibly be given, and you have, at this date, with the largest estimate for each place of rendezvous, 4,500 emigrants ready to move for the Plains. Many arrive, expecting to find at least that number at this point, and are greatly surprised when they ascertain the correct number. CALIFORNIA.

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ENTIRELY NEW!!
A MOST superior and New Style of Men's Summer HATS; Youth's and Children's Fancy Hats and CAPS, received by late arrivals. These goods are unsurpassed in this or any other market, and can be found, together with a complete and varied assortment of Hats, Caps, Umbrellas and Baby Jumpers, at
ap30 3t D'ARCY'S, Corner of Chartres and Canal sts.

FURTHER REDUCTION.
4000 YARDS Printed Lawns, a yard wide, reduced this day to 10 cents per yard.
1 case richest Satin Plaid Printed Bareges, all at 25 cents per yard.
1000 yards finest Silk Tissues, now selling for 35 cents. These goods are worth 75 cents.
2 bales, 1700 yards rest French Jaconets, 25 cents per yard. The finest Satin-striped French Printed Jaconets, 30 cents per yard.
5 cases Calicoes, small figures, all at 5 cents.
1 case French Ginghams, 10 cents per yard.
ap30 3t THOMAS BRADY, 21 Chartres st.

PATRONAGE.
THERE is probably no city in the Union where persons in business are less patronized simply for their fashionable location, or their splendid and costly furnished stores, than in this city. Persons in this city are mostly patronized according to their capacities for business, or the real *advantages* they offer to the public. This is as it should be, and the ladies in New Orleans are beginning to think so. Many who formerly patronized only the splendid Millinery Stores on the fashionable streets, with large windows and costly fixtures, may now be seen at Mrs. CAMPBELL'S, *corner Poydras and Carondelet streets*—and that is the RIGHT place to buy MILLINERY and FANCY GOODS; there you can find CAPOTES and BONNETS, of the latest and best styles; EMBROIDERIES, LACES, LACE CAPES, BOYS' and INFANTS' Leghorn HATS, COMBS, BRUSHES, PERFUMERY, etc.; and the prices are far less than those asked for the same kind of goods in the more costly stores down town.

N. B.—And that is the RIGHT place to get your old BONNETS CLEANED and PRESSED, if you want them done well, or if you want your DRESSES made in a proper manner. ap30 6t 12 Camp st.

$25,000 Worth of Dry Goods at Cost.
P. J. O'DOHERTY, *Corner of Tchoupitoulas street and St. Mary's Market*, would respectfully inform the Ladies of New Orleans and Lafayette, that he will, from to-morrow to the 1st of June, dispose of his entire stock of Rich French, English and American
DRY GOODS AT COST!
Ladies in want of Dress and House-furnishing DRY GOODS would do well to call before purchasing elsewhere, as they may rest assured of getting good bargains, as the undersigned intends leaving early in June for the North and Europe, to make his purchases for the fall.
Three cases of 4-4 French GINGHAMS, warranted fast colors, for 15 cents per yard, and all other goods equally cheap
P. J. O'DOHERTY'S,
ap30 1t Corner of Tchoupitoulas and South Market sts.

BUTTER, CANDLES, &c.
GOSHEN BUTTER—50 firkins Butter; 100 boxes English Dairy CHEESE;
KENTUCKY MUSTARD—100 dozen, landing;
WESTERN BUTTER—100 small kegs do.;
PRESERVES—100 cases, assorted;
CRANBERRIES—150 packages;
STAR CANDLES—250 boxes. For sale by
ap30 E. J. HART & CO., 25 Tchoupitoulas st.

SPICES, PICKLES, &c.
CLOVES, Nutmegs, Allspice, Pepper, Cinnamon, etc.;
Old Monongahela WHISKY, 100 bbls.;
PICKLES and KETCHUPS—125 cases;
CHEWING TOBACCO—500 pkgs, various brands;
Mackerel, Salmon, Codfish, Herring, etc.;
Pecans, Almonds, Filberts, etc.;
RICE—50 tierces Carolina. For sale by
ap30 E. J. HART & CO., 25 Tchoupitoulas st.

Summer Hats of Every Variety,
SUCH as LEGHORN, PANAMA, CAMPEACHY, CANADA STRAW. All kinds of Children's Fancy Hats for summer. C. D. BUNCE'S Premium Hat Store,
ap30 3t 30 Canal st.

HAY.
240 BALES Prime Eastern Hay, on board bark Gen. Taylor, from Boston, and for sale by
ap30 3t DEWEY & CO., 67 Gravier st.

PEARL STARCH.
40 BOXES Colgate's Pearl Starch, in store and for sale by [ap30 3t] CHAS. STOUGHTON, 94 Camp st.

PRUNES, &c.
PRUNES, Preserves, Jellies, Jams, Fruits and Figs, in store and for sale by
ap30 3t CHAS. STOUGHTON, 94 Camp st.

HONEY.
A FEW boxes of Honey in the Comb, of fine quality, in store and for sale by
ap30 3t CHAS. STOUGHTON, 94 Camp st.

STONEWARE.
1000 GALS. Stoneware Goods and Jugs, in store and for sale by
ap30 3t CHAS. STOUGHTON, 94 Camp st.

FLOUR.
FIVE HUNDRED bbls. St. Louis flour for sale by
ap30 WHITTEMORE & CUTTER, 10 Tchoupitoulas st.

LARD.
ONE HUNDRED bbls. No. 2 Lard; 500 kegs No. 1 do.; for sale by
ap30 WHITTEMORE & CUTTER, 10 Tchoupitoulas st.

WHEAT.
SIXTEEN HUNDRED bags of wheat for sale by
ap30 WHITTEMORE & CUTTER, 10 Tchoupitoulas st.

MACKEREL.
TWO HUNDRED bbls. No. 2 and 3 Mackerel; 200 kits No. 1 Mackerel; for sale by
ap30 WHITTEMORE & CUTTER, 10 Tchoupitoulas st.

SPERM CANDLES.
THREE HUNDRED boxes Sperm Candles for sale by
ap30 WHITTEMORE & CUTTER, 10 Tchoupitoulas st.

LINSEED OIL.
THIRTY bbls. Linseed Oil for sale by
ap30 WHITTEMORE & CUTTER, 10 Tchoupitoulas st.

Died:

On Saturday night, (28th inst.) after a few hours' illness, ANNA MAYBIN, wife of John W. Andrews, of this city.

☞ The friends and acquaintances of the family are invited to attend her funeral THIS AFTERNOON, 30th inst., at 5 o'clock, from her late residence on Camp street, near St. Joseph.

On Saturday morning, 28th inst., of cholera, POLLY WILLIAMS, aged 46 years, formerly of Baton Rouge, but for several years past a resident of this city. The deceased was well known and universally respected....☞ Baton Rouge papers will please copy.

On Sunday, 29th inst., at 12 o'clock, M., JOSEPHINE, infant daughter of Joseph and Sarah Bowles, aged 5 months.

☞ Her funeral will take place THIS MORNING, at 9 o'clock, from No. 51 Canal street.

On Sunday afternoon, 29th inst., of cholera, Mr. JOHN M. RICHARDS, of Philadelphia.

☞ His friends and acquaintances are invited to attend his funeral THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock, from his late residence, corner of Camp and Poydras sts., without further notice.

In the city of New York, on the 18th inst., in the 74th year of his age, STEPHEN WILSON, father of Samuel F. Wilson, one of the proprietors of this paper.

Arrivals at the Principal Hotels Yesterday.

ST. CHARLES....E S Greenwood, Ga; S S Hewitt, Ark; W W Morris, A B Hugh, Benjamin Fosque, Ala; G B Tate, N O.

NERANDAH....Dr. Hensley, N O; W Polk, Coast; L Cammell and lady, steamboat Hartley.

HEWLETT'S....J B Eastland, J G Eastland, N O; A B Caldwell, R I; J L Nelson, R Richards, La.

PLANTERS'....James Brown, Ala; G H Ish, N O; H Gibon, J H McRae, C Maynard, Texas; L M Brown, Ind; R E Harris, Miss; S H G Crane, Mo; W W Hatch, La; A McNeil.

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

ORLEANS TENT, I. O. R., No. 300, meets at Temple Hall No. 58½ Canal street, at 8 o'clock.

CRESCENT DIVISION No. 7, at Pelican Hall, corner of St. Charles and Common streets, at 7 o'clock.

LANE DIVISION No. 9, in the Methodist church at Algiers, at half-past 7.

HARMONY DIVISION No. 15, at Crystal Fount Hall, 222 Tchoupitoulas street, at half-past 7.

☞ Younger Brothers of Temperance.—*Postponement.*—The members of the different Fountains of the Younger Brothers of Temperance are hereby notified that the celebration of their Anniversary is postponed, on account of the inclemency of the weather, to MONDAY, April 30. On that day, they will please meet at No. 222 Tchoupitoulas street, at half-past 3 o'clock, punctually.

By order of the Committee of Arrangements.
ap28 2t HENRY BLANCHARD, A. S.

Steamboat Departures This Day.

☞ SEE ADVERTISEMENTS ON THIRD PAGE.

Texas.....E. A. OGDEN, Kercheval, 12 M.
Mobile.....OREGON, Hiern, 2½ P. M. cars.
Red River.....W. A. VIOLETT, Claiborne, 5 P. M.
Red River.....CREOLE, Wilson, 5 P. M.

☞ The steamship E. A. Ogden—For Galveston, Brazoria, and all landings on Brazos River, leaves St. Louis street wharf THIS DAY, Monday, at 12 o'clock M. positively.
ap30 HYDE & OGLESBY, 12 Poydras st.

☞ The bark Convoy, Capt. Hupper, from New York, is now discharging her cargo nearly opposite the Mint. Consignees will please attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee, otherwise they will be stored at their expense and risk.
ap30 JNO. W. ANDREWS & CO. 91 Common st.

☞ The ship Byron, Capt. McLellan, from Boston, is now discharging her cargo at Post 18, Second Municipality. Consignees will please attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee, otherwise they will be stored at their expense and risk.
ap30 JNO. W. ANDREWS & CO. 91 Common st.

☞ The ship Harrisburg, Capt. Mathews, from Philadelphia, is now discharging her cargo at the Red Stores, Third Municipality....Consignees will please attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee, or they will be stored at their expense and risk.
ap28 JNO. W.