The Daily Crescent.

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For the Fall Trade.

THOMAS BRADY,
21 CHARTRES ST. 21

Dry Goods... *Opening of the Fall Trade.*

EVERY VARIETY of Foreign and Domestic DRY GOODS, comprising all the new designs in Fancy Goods, together with the best and most approved STAPLE AND DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES, are now being offered considerably lower than our usual uniform low prices.

Plain and Fancy Silks.

Rich Watered and Striped Poult de Soie;
Heavy Lustre, Black Mattioni Silks;
Small Checks, in Changeable Glacé Silks;
Rich Detached, Figured and Satin Striped Silks;
Very Heavy Corded and Chiné Gros d'Afrique;
Rich Colors in Glacé and Chiné Silks;
Very Rich Plain Black Watered Silks;
Rich Black Berthenes and Armlets;
A few Dresses of Double Damassine Louis XIV Brocades. These goods, being inimitable, are very choice and scarce.
Plain Florences, in all colors—dry, crimson, green, cherry, white and pink;
Sky, Crimson, Green, Cherry, White and Pink Plain Satins;
Blue and White, Purple and White, Black and White, Chocolate and White, and rich Crimson and White Foulard Silks.

Cashmeres and Muslin de Laines.

Satin Striped and Plaid, rich Printed Cashmeres;
Detached Figure and Polka Spot Cashmeres;
Trail Pattern and Mingled Figured Cashmeres;
White Star Pattern on Plain Ground;
All varieties in Persians and Cedar Ground Cashmeres;
Plain Scarlet, Blue, Green, Cherry, Mazarine Blue, Pink and Royal Purple Cashmeres;
Duplexine Colors in Mousseline de Laines;
4-4 or full yard wide Swiss de Laines;
All styles in Printed de Laines;
Changeable Cashmeres, in every variety of color.
Plain and Changeable Alpacas and Lyonese Cloths, in all colors;
Ribbon Striped Changeable Alpacas;
Barages, Tissues and Grenadines, in all the choice styles and colors.

Embroidered Velvet Cloaks and Mantles.

These Goods are unusually rich.
Embroidered and Plain Mexico Cloaks and Mantles;
Changeable Embroidered and Changeable Silk Mantles.

Embroideries and Lace Goods.

Mecklin and Honiton Lace Capes;
Apliques work Lace Capes, new styles;
Trimmed Apliques Lace Capes, double bows;
Very rich Black Lace Capes;
Same Goods, richly trimmed, double bows;
Full Lace Sleeves, all styles;
Plain Mecklin and Honiton Lace Sleeves, all styles;
Valenciennes Trimmed Sleeves;
Plain Cambric Chemisettes and Mandalines;
Ruffled Edged and Trimmed Cambric do.;
Fine French Worked Collars;
Scotch and Swiss Worked Collars;
Richly Embroidered French Cambric Handkerchiefs;
Very handsome Scolloped Edge Handkerchiefs;
All prices in Plain Tape Linen Hemmed Handkerchiefs;
Plaid and Hollow Hemmed Handkerchiefs;
Moxie Hollow and Hem-stitch Handkerchiefs;
Golden Flax Bright Linen Hemmed Handkerchiefs;
Gros Linen Handkerchiefs, superior quality;
14 boxes—636 dozen—Plain Cambric Handkerchiefs, from seventy-five cents to one dollar and a half a dozen;
10 boxes—480 dozen—Corded Hemmed Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs—raw Sellers per dozen;
Rich Mechlin and Valenciennes Laces;
Honiton and Rich Pillow Laces;
Brussels and English Thread Laces;
All qualities and styles in Thread Edging and Insertings;
Worked Swiss Edgings and Insertings;
Worked Jaconet and Mull do.
Valenciennes, Mecklin and English Thread Edgings;
Lace, Jaconetta and Swiss Embroidery Edgings and scalloped Laces;
New Patterns, dotted;
Plain and Figured Bobbinets, for Capes;
4-4, 5-4 and 6-4 Plain Queen's Bed;
4-4, 5-4 and 6-4 Plain Blond do.

Ribbons.

Bonnet, Cap and Belt Ribbons;
Plain Satin and Gauzetting Ribbons;
Narrow Fancy Sash do.
Velvet and Terry Velvet do.
Narrow Gilloons and Bindings.

Hosiery.

500 dozen very superior English Cotton Hose, all qualities;
Mixed and Mode Colored Cotton Hose;
Black, Brown and Jaconia Cotton Hose;
Pearl and China Heavy Silk Hose;
Very heavy English Pearl Hose;
Black Worsted and Vigonia Hose;
White Merino and Embroidered Hose;
Mode Color Vigonia and Merino Hose;
Mode and Fancy Colored Cotton Hose;
Very superior Black Satin Silk Hose;
Extra fine Cashmere Black and Colored Hose;
A full assortment of Children's, Misses' and Boys' Half-hose;
Balmoral Vigonia Hosiery, Saxony Hosiery;
McGregor, Mottistah and Molter Plaid Socks, for Children;
Kid, Woolen, Silk, Net and Lace Gloves.

Shawls.

Cashmere and Lyons Shawls;
Woolen Shawls, in all styles;
Fancy Plaid and Striped Tartan Shawls;
Plain Black and Colored Merino Shawls;
Very heavy Silk Fringed Merino Shawls;
Plain and Embroidered, very rich Canton Crepe Shawls, deep fringes. These goods vary from $16 to $100.
Black and Black Lace and Brocaded Silk Shawls;
Barege and Mousseline de Laine Shawls;
Lumbered Plaid Shawls.

Linens and Domestics.

50 pieces super 10-4, 11-4 and 12-4 LINEN SHEETINGS, all qualities. These goods are pure flax, and fully guaranteed.
12 boxes—648 pieces—6-4 IRISH LINENS. Having imported these goods direct from the Irish factories, we offer them confidently as to purity of material and durability.
Extra fine and super fronting Linens;
40 to 90 inch Pillow-case Linens;
5-4, 6-4, 8-4 and 10-4 Marseilles Damask;
Blue, Domed and Seed Pattern, very fine Damask;
Every size in Double Damask Cloths;
Damask Napkins, 5-4, 6-4 and 7-4, all qualities;
Huckabacks, French Colored Huckaback Towels;
5-8 and 3-4 Scotch Diapers, Birdseye Diapers, Crash;
Burlaps, and every description of Toweling;
Texas heavy Scotch Linens;
All brands of American Bleached Shirtings;
Very fine English Long Cloths, very cheap;
New York and 40 Yard Mills Brand Bleached Shirtings;
Bleached and Unbleached Canton Flannels;
Cottonades, Hickory Stripes, Marlborough Stripes, Ticklings, Linseys and Rotteras;
5-4, 6-4, 8-4, 10-4, 11-4 and 12-4 Bleached and Unbleached Sheetings.
Lancaster, Tabit, Imperial and Parti-Colored Quilts, in all sizes.

Flannels and Blankets.

Gala, Cot and Steamboat Blankets;
Very fine ribbon-bound Bath Blankets;
Extra heavy Red Wool Whipped Blankets;
Fine French heavy Blankets;
All styles in Mackinaw and Mixed Mackinaw Blankets, for Planters.
A full assortment of Superfine Rose Blankets;
Two bales, all qualities, Real Welsh Flannels. These goods are fully guaranteed not to shrink.
Fine 3-4, 4-4, 5-4 and 6-4 Rogers's Patent Flannels;
Super and Extra Fine Silk Warp Flannels;
Yellow, Red, Green and Blue Flannels.

Prints, etc.

Merrimack, Cocheco and Full River Calicoes;
4-4 Real English Calicoes;
7-8 Checked Ground Real English Calicoes;
4-4 French Calicoes; 4-4 Turkey Red Calicoes;
Buff, Blue and Red Curtain Cambrics;
Fugitive Prints; Real English do.;
Damask Morocco; Waterd Moreens; and all styles of FURNISHING GOODS..... Together with a FULL STOCK OF

Haberdashery.

Comprising
Buttons, Pins,
Tapes, Needles,
Suspender Buttons,
Spool Cottons, all makes; Linen Threads,
Silk Bindings, Gorgs, Fringes, Hooks and Eyes, Sewing Silks, Cotton Cords,
Linen Braids, Silk Braids, Silk and Cotton Suspender Lace, Linen Shoe Lace, together with AN ENDLESS STOCK of small wares.

Mourning Goods.

Black Bombazines, Alpaccas and Orleans, extra fine;
Black Mousseline de Laines, Black Barages, all qualities;
Black Silks, Widows' Silks, Lace Veils and Handkerchiefs;
Black Embroidered Cambric Handkerchiefs;
Black Printed Bordered Handkerchiefs;
Black and White Lawns; Black and White Calicoes;
English Checked Calicoes; Black and White Chintz Gingham;
Black and White Shepherds' Plaid Ginghams;
Black Crapes, Black Alpacinnes and Widows' Crapes;
White Crape and Alpacinnes; Black Silk Tulle;
Real Lodi Plain Black Calicoes, etc. etc.

THOMAS BRADY,
21 CHARTRES STREET.

☞ On the first day of November my store will remove to the Store No. 22 Chartres street, directly opp. oct5

CRESCENT JOB OFFICE.

All New Materials Of the Latest Style

☞ The proprietors of the "Daily Crescent" would respectfully inform their friends and the public, that they have added an extensive JOB OFFICE to their establishment—and are now prepared to execute all kinds of printing on the most favorable terms, viz:
BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS, CIRCULARS, LAWYER'S BRIEFS, BILLS OF LADING, DRAY RECEIPTS; CARDS, POSTERS, STEAMBOAT BILLS, &c., &c., in every style.
All their materials—Type, Presses, etc.—are entirely new, and the very latest improvements, which will enable them to execute their work in a manner not to be surpassed in this city. The Presses are from the foundry of Messrs. R. Hoe & Co., New York, which is a sure guaranty of their excellence—the type is from the well-known foundries of Messrs. George Bruce & Co. and John T. White, and have been selected with great care to adapt it to the business wants this city.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

TWO or three elegantly furnished Rooms to be rented at a very reasonable rates, through the Summer. Inquire at 139 Carondelet street.

GENTEEL FURNISHED ROOMS

CAN be obtained at No. 96 CUSTOMHOUSE STREET, with Shower and other Baths, 2d doors from the Post-office—a very pleasant part of the city....N. B. References given and required. jy9

FOR RENT,

SEVERAL DWELLING HOUSES and LOTS, for rent in various parts of the City. Apply at No. 22 Natchez Street, no stairs. jy9

FOR RENT,

FROM the 1st of October next, The Second, Third and Fourth Floors of No. 94 Camp street. The Second Floor is well calculated for a large Commission House, having no partitions in it, as also the Third Floor. For terms apply to
CHAS. STOUGHTON, 94 Camp st.

FOR RENT.

THREE LARGE ROOMS in the building No. 96 St. Charles street, suitable for Drill Room, or for meetings of Societies. They will be rented on moderate terms, until 1st November, or longer. Apply at this office. oct8

TO RENT,

A TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, on Baronne street, left-hand side, near Julia. The House is furnished, and will be rented for the summer months to a good tenant. Possession given immediately. Apply at 57 Tchoupitoulas street. je27 tf

Dry Goods by the Package.
N. BRANDER SMITH,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,
s14 No. 89 GRAVIER STREET. 1y

H. HAMBURGER,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
164 Camp Street,
Opposite the Florence House.

HAS on hand, and is constantly in receipt of large additions of FRENCH AND ENGLISH CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and VESTINGS, of the finest and latest styles and best manufacture, and is now well prepared to supply his friends and the public with FALL and WINTER CLOTHING, made in the best manner of the latest Paris and Northern styles, and at very reasonable prices.
Also on hand a fine stock of Clothing, of Paris and his own manufacture.
Also, a fine stock of SHIRTS, CHAVATS, etc.
☞ Terms—Cash and short time for approved city acceptances. s13 3m

Close of the Season.
SPRING AND SUMMER DRY GOODS
Selling off at a Sacrifice!
THOMAS BRADY, 21 Chartres Street,

WILL, from this date, commence selling off his entire stock of FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS, in order to make room for his fall supplies. Purchasers in want of Silks, Shawls, Barages, Printed Muslins, Irish Linens, or any article in the Dry Goods line, will consult their own interest by examining the Stock before making their purchases, as the Goods will be sold at a BARGAIN.
☞ T. BRADY will, on the 1st November, remove to Store No. 22 *CHARTRES STREET*, opposite, where he will open a new and splendid stock of *Fall and Winter Dry Goods.* jy6 tf

Andrews's New York Cheap Store,
Corner Julia and St. Charles sts.
New Stock of Fall and Winter Goods.

WE are now receiving, per daily arrivals, a fall and complete assortment of the following:
Richly Embroidered French Cambric Handkerchiefs;
Plain " " " "
Very handsome Scolloped Edged " "
IRISH LINENS, all qualities;
Cashmeres and Mousseline de Laines;
JEANS Blankets, QUILTS and FLANNELS;
EMBROIDERIES and FANCY DRY GOODS;
Bonnet, Cap and Belt RIBBONS;
Plain, Satin and Lutestring do.
GALLOONS and BINDING;
Plain Black and Colored MERINO SHAWLS;
WOOLEN SHAWLS, several variety;
Scotch and Birdseye DIAPERS;
Linen and Domestic SHEETINGS, all widths;
4-4 French CALICOES; 4-4 Turkey Red do.;
Merrimack and Full River PRINTS, new styles;
Fine French WORKED COLLARS;
All styles of Printed DE LAINES;
Rich Watered and Striped POULT DE SOIE;
Heavy Lustre Black Mattioni LUTESTRING;
300 dozen Very Superior COTTON HOSE;
Gros Linen HANDKERCHIEFS;
Worked JACONETS and Mull INSERTIONS;
MOURNING GOODS, every variety;
Coates's SPOOL THREAD.
Together with a full assortment of Cotton Cords, Linen Braids, Linen Thread, Silk Braids and Watch Guards, Buttons, Pins, Needles, Tapes, Stay Binding, Silk, Cotton and Linen Stay Laces, Ladies' Silk and Kid Gloves, etc.
The above Goods were all selected in New York, at rates that will enable them to sell at LOWER RATES than the City Dealers generally.
ANDREWS' NEW YORK CHEAP STORE,
oct19 corner Julia and St. Charles streets.

CLOTHING!
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
13 Camp st. M. BARNETT 13 Camp st.

HAS now on hand, and is constantly receiving, a large and magnificent assortment of FINE Ready-Made CLOTHING, all of which being his own manufacture, enables him to sell as cheap as any other establishment of the kind in the United States. City Wholesale Dealers and Country Merchants are respectfully invited to call and examine for themselves. Every garment is finished in a superior style, and will be sold at the LOWEST NEW YORK PRICES.... The following is a limited list of Clothing now on hand:
Superior Black Cloth Dress and Frock Coats;
Black, Brown and Olive Sacs and Paletots;
Gold Mixed and Fancy Mixed Cassimere Paletots;
Brown, Dahlia and Olive Dress and Frock Coats;
Superior Light Brown Overcoats;
Black and Blue Cloth (full circle) Cloaks;
Extra Fine Black Doeskin Pants;
Brown, Olive and Blue Cassimere Pants;
Fancy Plaid and Striped Cassimere Pants;
Tweeds, Check Tweed Pants;
Black, Mixed and Fancy Satinet Pants;
Black and Fancy Satin, Cashmere and Cloth Vests;
Black and Fancy Embroidered Cassimere Vests;
Figured White Satin Ball Vests;
White Marseilles and Fancy Vests, etc. etc.
o5 1m M. BARNETT 13 Camp st.

NEW FAMILY GROCERY AND TEA STORE.

I HAVE now on hand a large and well selected Stock of Fresh GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, TEAS, BUTTER, FINE LIQUORS, WINES and CORDIALS, &c., all of which have been selected with great care, and are offered at as low prices as any wholesale or retail store in the city. My stock consists of

Havana, Lagunayra, Rio, St. Domingo, Java, Manila and Mocha COFFEE;
Crushed, Powdered, Loaf, Refined, Clarified and Brown SUGARS;
The best of all kinds of TEAS—equal to any other importation;
SOAPS of all kinds;
FLOUR, LARD;
BACON—Ham, Sides, etc.
Superior Goshen and Western BUTTER;
English, Western and Pineapple CHEESE;
Crackerware; Buckwheat;
Prepared Cocoa;
Spices of all kinds;
Fire-works, etc.
Tobacco; Cigars; Ink;
Blacking and Brushes;
Almonds, Green Nuts; Filberts;
Pecans; Raisins; Currants;
Citron, Canton Ginger;
Boston Crackers; Soda Biscuit;
Lard, Whale and Sperm Oils;
Sperm and Olive Oils; Nails;
Shot and Ammunition Candles;
Soap and Tallow do.
Indigo; Alum; Saltpeter;
Saleratus; Soda Salt;
Vinegar; Molasses;
Potatoes; Eggs; Apples; Onions;
Letter and Wrapping Paper;
Rice; Beans;
Mackerel; Salmon; Codfish;
Herrings; Clams; Lobsters;
Hermetically Sealed Fish;
Prunes; Rice; Sago;
Tapioca; Sardines;
Golden Syrup;
Sugar-house Molasses;
Castile Soap; Starch;
Tamarinds; Hominy;
Arrow Root; Pearl Barley;
Fulton Market Beef; Candy;
Cayenne; Cards; Brooms;
Pickles, Ketchups and Sauces of all kinds; Pipes;
Dates; Figs; Tumblers.

Woodenware, Hardware, Crockery,
And every other article usually kept in a Grocery.
☞ *Goods sent to any part of the city by my wagon Free of Charge.*
☞ The LADIES are especially invited to call.
CHAS. H. LISTER, Store 116 Julia st.,
Near Camp, Camp and Gravier streets.
N. B.—Particular attention will be paid to keeping very select articles of TEA, COFFEE, BUTTER and OILS. o10

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Book and Stationery Establishment,
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BOOK-BINDING AND PRINTING—On the most reasonable terms.
☞ Merchants and others are requested to examine our Stock before purchasing. o4 2t

To Planters, Builders & House Owners.
A NEW ARTICLE.
PATENT INCLINED-PLANE GATE-HINGE.

THE above article, the best HINGE now in use, for self-shutting Gates, can be seen at No. 48 Chartres street. They are without exception the most useful article now in use for keeping Gates before Farmers' dwellings and cottages shut without trouble. Call at W. A. BEECHER'S, No. 48 Chartres street.
ALSO ON HAND.....
A lot of FISHING TACKLE, GUNS, PISTOLS, HARDWARE, and Building Materials. jy26 tf

A. F. COCHRAN & CO.
27 Tchoupitoulas street,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS and Direct Importers of FRUITS, NUTS, WINES, etc., have always on hand:
RAISINS—In quantities to suit purchasers.
ALMONDS—300 bales and bags Soft Shelled Almonds.
SHELLED ALMONDS—200 boxes, in fine order.
PECANS, BRAZIL NUTS and PEA NUTS—350 bags and barrels.
PEPPER, RACE GINGER, &c.—400 bags.
STARCH—Agency of Hath, Floyd & Co.
LOBSTERS, &c.—Agents for Caldwell & Co.
OLIVE OIL—500 baskets, pints and quarts, "Pignol."
SARDINES—Whole, halves, thirds and quarter boxes.
WINES—Muscat, Claret, etc., in boxes; Malaga, sweet and dry; Port Wine, various qualities, etc.
BRANDIES—Various qualities.
BUTTER—Always on hand, a supply best St. Louis.
ORANGES and LEMONS—Of direct importation, and all kinds of Foreign Fruits, etc.
PRUNES—In jars and fancy boxes.
CITRONS—300 boxes superior Genoa Citrons.
CHAMPAGNE—100 baskets.
POWDER—Agency of the celebrated "American Chrystal Powder Company," guaranteed equal to any Powder manufactured. o11

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Nos. 50 and 52 Common st.

We are now receiving and receiving fresh supplies, by every arrival to our large and complete assortment of SADDLES and SADDLERY WARES: Bridles; Pillings; Whips; HARNESS of all kinds; Collars and Harness Trimmings; Leather and Findings. Also, MILL BANDS of Gum Elastic, Gutta Percha and Patent Stretched Leather; INDIA RUBBER STEAM PACKING and HOSE; India Rubber Leggings, Clothing, etc. etc. With every other article in our line, to which we invite the attention of our friends and the public. SMITH & BROTHER,
oct6 50 and 52 Common st., 20 door from Magazine.

ARMY AND NAVY CAPS.
20 DOZEN Army and Navy Caps, fine;
75 " Men's Cloth Caps, new style;
42 " Boys' " do. do.
o12 6t D. W. & F. BELDEN, 5 Chartres st.

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NEW ORLEANS:
FRIDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 19, 1849.

FROM NICARAGUA.—The Empire City brought to New York highly interesting accounts from Nicaragua. They state that the New York Company for the ship-canal have obtained an absolute and unconditional grant from the Nicaragua Government, and until the completion of the canal, the exclusive right of navigating the river San Juan, and lakes Nicaragua and Leon. When the Vice Consul of the British Government at Leon ascertained the fact, he wrote to the Nicaragua Government, complaining of them for having asserted that a revolution or insurrection in Nicaragua had been stirred up by British agents, and treated it as cause of offence to his Government. The Nicaragua Government replied, that it had so asserted, believed it to be true, and reiterated the declaration. The Nicaragua Government, in its prompt reply to the remonstrance of the British Vice Consul, no doubt relied upon the protection of the U. S. Government, if it should be deemed necessary. Among the passengers in the Empire City is Mr. White, who, it is understood, was an agent there of the New York Company. Mr. White, who is bearer of dispatches, brings with him a copy of the commercial treaty lately made by the U. S. Chargé with the Nicaragua Government. The charter, a grant which the New York Company have from the Nicaragua Government, secures to all nations, not to the United States alone, the use of the ship canal on such terms as the Company prescribes—but which must always be uniform, so that the vessels of one nation can have no advantage over those of another. Great Britain, therefore, has nothing to complain of.

FROM VENEZUELA.—Intelligence has been received by the New York Express of the 9th, of the publication in a decree, on the 24 of September, 1849, of what Monagas, the President of the Republic, is pleased to call an amnesty, which provides for the punishment of the distinguished Gen. Paez and his late companions, in the most severe manner. The decree remits a trial, but banishes Paez permanently from his country, at the same time that it authorizes the President to keep him in confinement until the country is pacified; or, in other words, as long as Monagas pleases! The rest of the insurgents are to be temporarily banished or imprisoned, according to their respective degrees of criminality, and the President is authorized, after the punishment shall have been awarded, to substitute imprisonment for banishment, and vice versa. The general opinion in Venezuela is, that Monagas has no power to punish any citizen without trial and conviction.

BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD.—The annual report of the condition of this magnificent work was made to the meeting of stockholders last week. It makes a very favorable showing, and gives the promise of an early completion through to the Ohio river. The Engineer-in-Chief has expressed the opinion that the whole road may be finished within two years from the first of June next. The previous calculations required six years.

On the main road, during the fiscal year ending on the 30th of September, 1849, the aggregate receipts of the company from passengers, mails and merchandize, have amounted to $1,241,205 45; being an increase of $27,540 88 over the preceding year. Of this amount $846,708 42. was received from freight, and $394,496 96 from passengers, showing a large augmentation of the former, and a decrease of $72,009 05 in passengers.... The total cost of working the road, and keeping it in repair, during the same period, has been $644,634 15. The net revenue of the company is thus shown to be $596,571 02—about 8½ per cent. upon the augmented capital of $7,227,400, and an excess of $45,113 23 over the year 1848....On the Branch road to Washington City, the gross revenue of the year ending on the 30th of September, 1849, was $274,832 95, and the expenses have amounted to $109,174 94; to which, if we add the bonus, there will be left to the State the sum of $161,194 71 chargeable against the earnings of this road. The nett revenue, notwithstanding, will be found to exceed that of the preceding year....One hundred and three miles of the road beyond Cumberland, has been put under contract.

INDIAN INTELLIGENCE.—John Drennen, lately appointed Superintendent of Indian Affairs in the West, passed up on the Bulletin on Thursday evening, 11th inst., with $322,000 in specie to distribute among the Indian tribes in November and December next. The amount paid out annually to the Choctaws, Chickasaws, Creeks, Cherokees, Osages, Seminoles, and other small tribes, amounts to $330,000. The Choctaws appropriate money to the support of missionaries and schools, and are making rapid progress in civilization. The Seminoles and Osages prefer remaining in a rude state; and very little change has occurred with the other tribes, within the last few years.

Mr. Duval, the Seminole agent, has been requested by Government to proceed to Florida with a delegation of the Seminoles, in order that they may exert a beneficial influence in the removal of the tribe West of Arkansas.

Should the Government agree to pay next year, to the Cherokees, the head right or *per capita* money due them, amounting to some six or seven hundred thousand dollars, it will make money plenty and give renewed impulse to business in that region of country.—*Natchez Courier, 16th inst.*

SEARCH FOR SIR JOHN FRANKLIN.—The Cleveland Plaindealer of the 5th inst., has a letter dated "Ste. Marie River," Sept. 28th, announcing the arrival of Sir John Richardson, from the fruitless search after the lost Polar expedition of Sir John Franklin, of whose dreadful fate among the ices of the Arctic Ocean there is left little or no room to doubt. Sir John Richardson, having failed to find even the remotest clue to the Franklin expedition, is now on his way back to England. He left there in April, 1848; and from the Sault Ste. Marie has made the voyage in canoes and boats and overland, a distance of three thousand five hundred miles and back, by way of the Lake of the Woods, Mackenzie's River, &c. After reaching the Arctic Ocean, they travelled five hundred miles along the coast. He speaks confidently of the existence of a northern passage; practicability, he says, is another question—the summers being only from 30 to 60 days long. He goes by way of Toronto and Montreal to Boston.

DEATH IN CHURCH.—Rev. Edward J. Helme died suddenly on Sunday morning, the 7th inst., at Newport, R. I., just as he was entering a pew at Trinity Church.

From Texas.

By the Palmetto steamer, which arrived yesterday, we have Galveston papers of the 15th inst. We copy such items as are of interest:

THE WEATHER AND THE CROPS.—A dry north wind has prevailed for the last 6 or 7 days, which must have a highly favorable influence in maturing the sugar cane. The growth is already sufficiently luxuriant, and the crop in an advanced stage. With a continuance of the present favorable weather, the sugar crop will be by far the largest, and probably far the most profitable, of any ever produced in Texas. Planters inform us that they can make sugar at 2½ cents per pound and do very well. There are hundreds of planters upon the worn out lands of other States, whose property would increase at least 100 per cent in value and productiveness by a removal to Texas.

The weather of the last four days, although not cold enough for frost, has been such as effectually to put a stop to the ravages of the cotton worm, and check the further growth of the plant—both desirable results. If, however, the weather, in other States, has corresponded with that here, it is to be apprehended that the more northern cotton growing regions, where the crop is much later, have suffered seriously from frost.—*Civilian, 9th inst.*

☞ The weather here, for the last three or four days has been of the finest description—a cross of the Italian and Indian summer, or spring and autumn. The most perfect health prevails among our citizens, and any one who does not feel the pleasure of existence in Galveston at this time, must be decidedly hard to please. As for subsistence, one has but to cast a line or draw a net in the bay or any of the bayous about us, to procure a supply of fish which would gladden an epicurean, and change to one an anchorite.—*Ibem, 12th.*

THE CROPS.—We trust, from some late information, that the crops of this State, especially of the interior, may not prove as bad as they have been represented. A letter dated Leona, the 2d, says:

"You are not correctly informed in regard to the crops in this country. Below this, it is true, they have suffered dreadfully from the ravages of the worm. But in this county and Limestone, Anderson, Houston and Brazos counties, I hear very little complaint."

We also learn that a large planter, on the Brazos, who, it has been said, would not make the fourth of a crop, having suffered more from the worm than almost any other, now says he will make full half a crop. In fact, should the weather continue as favorable as it now is, there is some reason to hope that the failure will not prove so serious as has been generally apprehended.—*Weekly News.*

THE CROPS.—We have letters from various sections of Texas of a late date. The accounts of the cotton crop vary with various localities. The following extracts will serve as a specimen:

"*Texana, Sept.* 29.—Crops of cotton and corn are fair in this county. The worm made its appearance a few days since in the cotton. We have had incessant rains in this neighborhood in the last few days. General health good."

A letter from Wheelock, Robertson county, dated Sept. 27, says: "The cotton crop is fine in this immediate neighborhood, having escaped the ravages of the worms. The farmers are actively engaged in picking out, and preparing to meet the advanced price in the market."

A letter from Jasper says: "The cotton worm began to show by its webing about the 1st of August, and by the 1st of September the whole of the crop in this county had been stripped of the leaves, cutting off the crop at least two-thirds and probably three-fourths. Corn is a fair crop. Our county people are very healthy."—*Civilian, 12th inst.*

The Telegraph estimates the cotton crop of the Trinity valley, this year, at 3000 bales. This is rather discouraging, not only to planters and merchants, but also to steamboat owners.

WHEAT CROP.—The Telegraph says the wheat crop in the North-eastern counties of this State has almost entirely failed, owing to the frost in the Spring and the recent wet weather. The average, in many of the Upper Trinity counties, it is said, will not exceed five bushels to the acre.

☞ The trial of Geo. A. Davis, for the murder of E. W. Banton, in Walker county, is represented by the Huntsville Banner to have been of a highly interesting character. The lawyers, on the part of the State, were Messrs. S. D. Hay, District Attorney, H. Yoakum, P. W. Gray, A. M. Branch and S. D. C. Abott; for the defence, Messrs. Sam Houston, J. M. Maxcy, A. P. Wiley, Ebenezer Allen and H. N. Potter. The jury found a verdict of "guilty of murder in the second degree," and fixed the punishment at three years' imprisonment in the Penitentiary.

☞ Sansum, one of the negro thieves arrested in Fayette county, has arrived at Huntsville, and has the honor of being the first convict in the Penitentiary of Texas.

☞ A paragraph is going the rounds of the whig papers in other States, claiming that Col. Bell, the Governor elect in Texas, is a whig. The statement is erroneous. He is a democrat, and so declared himself in his circular, before the election. Gov. Wood is a democrat also. We believe a majority of the whigs voted for Col. Bell—not, because he was less a democrat than Gov. Woods, but on other grounds. It is not probable, however, that he received a sufficient preponderance of whig votes to make up his entire majority in the contest. The democrats had made no nominations, and nearly every candidate for Governor, Lieut. Governor, and Congress, declared himself to be a democrat. Not one ran as a whig.—*Civilian.*

BRAZOS NAVIGATION.—The Washington Ranger of Friday last contains the following notice on this subject: "Last week a subscription was gotten up for the purpose of clearing out the river, and in a few hours $600 was raised. Every preparation was made to start the steamer Washington to engage in the enterprise, but on Tuesday the river rose five feet, which will prevent any further work thereon during the fall and winter, unless the river should again get unusually low, which from present indications, looks quite improbable. The steamer Brazos has made a channel through Rardon's Shoals, sufficient for the boats to run in the lowest stage of the river, and when she was overtaken by the sudden rise, she was cutting her way through Cooper's Shoals. She is expected here this evening, when these fine steamers will commence and continue their regular trips."

☞ Gen. Davis, of Polk county, informs the editor of the Telegraph that the Trinity river is now sufficiently high for boats of a medium size to ascend several hundred miles. This has been the case for nine months, with the exception of a few days last spring.

CALIFORNIA EMIGRANTS.—The Houston Telegraph of the 12th says: "We have been informed by a gentleman who arrived a few days since from Bexar, that a party of thirteen California emigrants lately arrived at that place on their return from El Paso. They stated that provisions were so scarce at El Paso that many of the emigrants were unable to procure only the coarsest and cheapest kind of food, and in consequence they were suffering severely. They however had committed no excesses, and the people of El Paso are doubtless greatly rejoiced that their city has not been sacked as they expected. Most of the emigrants remain on this side of the river, and are waiting until their animals can be recruited, previous to renewing their journey to California. About three thousand emigrants were encamped opposite El Paso at the last accounts. Several of them were so discouraged that they intended to return as soon as their animals were sufficiently recruited."

EDITORS IN OFFICE AT WASHINGTON.—The Baltimore Clipper contains a letter from Washington, in which the writer says he can count fourteen or fifteen gentlemen who have been appointed to office in that city within the last six months, and who were connected with the press as editors or correspondents. At least seven of them still supply distant journals with news, always being in the hot bed of it.

THE PENNSYLVANIA ELECTIONS—*The Result in Philadelphia City and County.*—The Pennsylvanian of the 10th is studded with pictures of big guns, stars, banners and eagles, in honor of the triumph of its party in the County and State. We trust to the cooler head of the Evening Bulletin for the following summary of the issue:

"The result of the election in the City and County of Philadelphia is equally curious and unexpected. Each party is disappointed in some respects, but more than gratified in others. In the city, Judge Jones has defeated Mr. Gilpin, the regular whig candidate for Mayor, by a majority of about 65; but the regular Whig Council ticket has beaten the Independent ticket by a respectable majority. The defeat of Gilpin is a personal, rather than a party failure, therefore. Judge Jones's election is attributable to some popular sentiment in favor of a change, and to a considerable degree of feeling in favor of him in consequence of his compulsory resignation as President of Girard College. That the whig party, as a party, is still in the majority in the city, is evident from the success of its Council ticket. The opposition, this year, was the most thoroughly organized which has made its appearance for years, and was assisted by circumstances peculiarly favorable to its success, and not likely soon to be rallied again in favor of any opposition. The City Assembly ticket is elected by a handsome majority. In fact, except on the merely Municipal question, the whig party shows, not indeed the majority of last year, but its usual majority. It gives Rothermel, the Sheriff, 2563 votes more than Deal, which is quite up to the standard.

"In the County, the democratic Assembly ticket has been elected. Spring Garden chooses a "Rough and Ready" Municipal ticket; while Kensington, Moyamensing, and the Northern Liberties have gone for the democrats. The Rough and Ready candidates for County Treasurer, Clerk of Orphans' Court, and County Commissioner, appear to be chosen; but the democratic Sheriff, Register of Wills, and Auditor, have probably beaten the Rough and Ready candidates. The defeat of Rothermel, the Rough and Ready nominee for Sheriff, is attributed chiefly to the fact that a native candidate, Mr. Farr, was in the field, so that the combination of natives and whigs in favor of Rothermel was not complete. Mr. Deal is the first democratic candidate for Sheriff who has been elected in the City and County of Philadelphia for twenty years. The democratic Canal Commissioner, Mr. Gamble, has been elected by a majority ranging from 15,000 to 18,000. The House of Representatives is also democratic this year. Great apparent changes have taken place in the interior counties; but those changes were predicated on the Presidential election last Fall. For instance, the democrats have gained 1500 in Schuylkill county over last year; but, in reality, have only restored to that county its usual political character."

[Correspondence of the Charleston Mercury.]
WASHINGTON, Oct. 10, 1849.

The political cast of Pennsylvania has no doubt undergone a change. The whigs here expected a Waterloo defeat of their ticket for the Legislature and Canal Commissioner, and they will not be disappointed.

Some of the whig papers undertake to account for the late popular demonstrations against the Administration and the whig party. Certain it is that most of the elections for Congress since March 4th have gone against them. The democrats attribute this to an alleged transfer, by Gen. Taylor, of his power, and duties, and judgment, to his Cabinet; to alleged administrative errors, and to an alleged inconsistency between the acts after, and the professions before the election of President. But the whigs say that it is owing to an injudicious use of the Executive patronage, whereby the Administration had been weakened, instead of strengthened. The N. Y. Courier and Enquirer hints that there is too much nepotism in the distribution of office.

Gen. Taylor will probably commence his second tour on the 11th. It has been asked how he can leave public affairs! The answer is that he does not leave them. He can give an order in Boston as well as in Washington. He signed the Cuba Proclamation in Harrisburg. Gen. Jackson issued the order for the removal of the deposites while in Boston, on his grand tour.

Purser Beale arrived here, the other