NEW ORLEANS:

THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 11, 1850.

THE CITY.—Business still continues as brisk as ever, and the Levee presents as bustling a scene as it did a month since. Our retailers are reaping a golden harvest during this fine weather, and the gay costume upon the streets proclaim the advent of the summer fashions.

Building is rapidly progressing from the river to the lake; many handsome private residences are in the course of erection, and blocks of stores are extending the commercial portion of the city.

Even the rumor of sickness has passed away, and our bills of mortality compare most favorably with our Northern neighbors.

Nature is dispensing her bounteous gifts. The markets are well provided with the luxuries of the season. Strawberries, blackberries, pompano and poultry are part of the good things of this life that are now vouchsafed us.

THE WEATHER.—All that we can say of it is that it is delightful—neither the heat of summer nor the chilling air of early spring. Yesterday we had cloud and sunshine—the former paying flying visits, and promising copious showers, without giving us a touch of their quality.

THE LATE RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—The lad so severely injured on the Carrollton Railroad on Tuesday was the son of James M. Rand, of Julia street. We learn that he had obtained a footing upon one of the middle cars while the train was in motion, and while passing a pile of lumber he was struck by a board and thrown off, his leg falling upon the rail, and the remainder of the train passing over it. Amputationwas found necessary.

RECORDER BALDWIN'S COURT.—The calendar yesterday was bare of cases; the dock presented two or three forlorn-looking specimens of humanity, who were arrested for drowning recollection in whisky; and with a couple of spicy interludes in the way of trials for assault, the business of the day ended.

FIRE.—A fire broke out yesterday morning in the large stable of Mr. Wright, on Gironde street, between Perdido and Poydras. It was destroyed, and one mule was burned to death.

FIRE.—A fire occurred this morning about half-past 2 o'clock, in a small bake-house on Hevia street, between Baronne and Phillips, which, together with a double frame tenement adjoining, was entirely consumed. The property, we are informed, belongs to the Second Municipality School Fund.

INQUEST.—An inquest was held yesterday on the body of the young German, Henry Heimer, who committed suicide in one of the cells of the First Municipality watch-house on Tuesday night, and whose sad story we related yesterday. The verdict was in accordance with the above.

DEATH FROM HEMORRHAGE.—Patrick Hutchinson, aged 45 years, a native of Ireland, died suddenly yesterday at his residence in St. Mark street near Gravier. An inquest was held and a verdict rendered—"Died of hemorrhage."

FIRST DISTRICT COURT.—Samuel Wylie was tried yesterday on the charge of arson, in setting fire to his jewelry store, in Champs Elysees street. The evidence given did not sustain the accusation, and the accused was acquitted.

Samuel Livingston was arraigned on the charge of robbery. He pleaded "not guilty," and was remanded for trial.

Timothy Dickinson, charged with inveigling a slave, was also arraigned; made the same plea and was remanded.

SWINDLING.—Diego Roselila *alias* El-Freley and Francisco Roig were examined before Recorder Genois, on the charge of stealing six boxes of segars from Amat, 134 Condé street, under the pretence that they were ordered by the proprietor of the Louisiana Ball Room. Both of the accused are young men. Roselila has formerly been connected with the Catholic Church on the Continent, as his *alias* shows; he has a respectable appearance and rather prepossessing face; his past history is a curious one, and the shaven crown speaks for itself. The petty offence, which was clearly proved, shows the reckless character of the accused, who, for a few dollars, would risk detection and ultimate punishment. They were both sent before the criminal court for trial.

COMMERCIAL NEWS.—The telegraphic dispatches received by the Europa have had but little effect on the cotton market, and Michael O'Donnell, well known for his operations on the Levee, continued, to a late hour yesterday, engaged in his usual speculations. But, alas for Michael; his views were in direct contradistinction to the rules of the Board of Trade, and opposed to the ordinances "made and provided." The samples that he secured were out of proportion to his purchases, and his industry in accumulating them excited a suspicion prejudicial to his character for fair dealing. The law at last took cognizance of the amount of the great staple accumulated by Michael, and also attached his person. The former was restored to the owners and the latter sent for fifteen days where the wicked cease from stealing and vagrants find no rest.

THIRD MUNICIPALITY—*Recorder Seusenau.*—The local items of the Old Third were of little interest yesterday, except to the few vagrants and reeling disciples of Bacchus, who were brought up to receive the salutary discipline laid down in the statutes. The Recorder tempered his decisions with mercy, and the sitting was brought to a close without any extraordinary manifestation of the depravity of the human heart.

THE TORCH OF THE INCENDIARY.—Late on Tuesday a missile was found in the yard of M. White & Co.'s Planeing mills, on the New Basin, which was evidently intended to fire the premises. It consisted of a large stone to which was bound a bunch of matches, with a slow match attached. The latter had been ignited, but fortunately had become extinguished before it reached the large bed of shavings in which it was thrown. On Tuesday night the police formed a patrol and guarded the mill and yard. Capt. Forno informs us that the villains were on the alert and that the gas light at the corner was put out by them, but taking the alarm from some cause they gave up the attempt.

This discovery leaves no doubt that the recent fires were caused by missiles of this kind, and also corroborates the statements made by others in reference to their origin. It is now rendered imperative on our authorities to adopt every measure of precaution within their power. The reward of $500 offered by Mayor Crossman, is one step toward this, but an efficient patrol should be immediately organized besides the corps of Fire Police retained by the Insurance Companies. The torch of the incendiary has been applied with a success which is an earnest of future operations, and the bold attempt frustrated in the present instance is a warning that should not be disregarded. Property to the amount of half a million depended upon the flickering match which was so well applied; and had the material fully ignited we should, without doubt, have been called to record another terrible conflagration.

DEATH OF LIEUT. WASHINGTON REID.—From a private letter dated Para River, Brazil, 20th February, 1850, we learn that Lieut. Washington Reid, of the navy, died on board the U. S. ship Albany on the 18th of February last, of bilious fever, after a short illness, in the 33d year of his age. He was buried at Colares, a small town on the right bank of the river, with military honors, and interred in the consecrated grounds of the Catholic Church at that place. Lieut. Reid was the son of Captain Samuel C. Reid, of New York, and was well known in this city. He entered the service in 1832, and served with distinction on the coast of Africa, where he was instrumental in capturing and bringing to Boston the slaver Spitfire, some years ago. He was a gallant and accomplished officer, and by his uniform courtesy of deportment was universally esteemed, and had endeared himself to all who knew him. He leaves a wife and two children, besides his own connections, to lament his loss, and with them all we sincerely condole. He has made his last cruise in the service of his country, and his soul has anchored in the blue sea of heaven, where no storm or threatening billow can disturb his rest.—*Picayune.*

GOOD HIT.—The New York Times says of the Globe newspaper of that city: "We have all heard that the Globe goes *round*—but our New York Globe has only become flat.

APPOINTMENT BY THE GOVERNOR.—Andrew Jackson Wagner to be his private Secretary in place of Zenon Ledoux, Jr., deceased.

Additional California Items.

We give the following additional extracts and gleanings from San Francisco papers brought by the Ohio.

[From the Pacific News, March 1st.]

* * * The influx of population still continues. Wealth still transpires from our hills. San Francisco grows with the same rapidity. And towns are springing up all over the land. It has become really a matter of some difficulty to keep the run of all the new settlements that dot the valleys of San Joaquin and Sacramento. Our friends in the States have heard of Benecia, of New York of the Pacific, of Sacramento and of Stockton. What would they say if they knew of the rapidity with which lots are sold, and houses erected at Vernon, and Fremont, at the junction of the Feather with the Sacramento; at El Dorado, higher up on the left bank of the Feather; at Plumas, between El Dorado and that celebrated rancho, called Hock Farm, which is the present residence of the renowned Capt. Sutter; at Nicholaus, upon the right bank of the same stream still higher up; at Yuba City, on the left bank of the Feather, opposite the mouth of the Yuba; at Marysville, on the Yuba, at its junction with the Feather! Then again, there are the two towns on Bear Creek, which flows parallel with the Yuba, emptying into the Feather, viz: Oro and Kearny. The settlements upon the American river and its forks are not to be forgotten; Coloma, Hangtown, Weaversville, Auburn, Morrisville, etc. And then what shall we say of the host of towns in the San Joaquin valley!

Another indication of the rapidity and energy of movement which marks as a distinguishing characteristic California, is the number of steamboats now plying daily upon our magnificent rivers. The Sacramento and the Fire-fly ply between Alviso and San Francisco. Several run up the San Joaquin. The Senator, the El Dorado, the McKim and the Hartford, run between this city and Sacramento. The El Dorado also runs up as high as Yuba City. She is not sufficient to transport from Sacramento and San Francisco the loads of merchandasi that are daily waiting at these two places, but is assisted by the Lawrence, the Linda and the Phœnix, that ply between Sacramento and Marysville. * * * * * * *

A petition has been presented to our State Legislature, praying that general corporation laws may be passed as speedily as possible, in order that a company may be formed to start a railroad between Sacramento City and Colomas. This great enterprise is not only calculated to be of immense advantage to the two great interests of our State—the mercantile and the mining—but it must tend to increase beyond conception the size of the two places which it will connect together. The road probably would not stop at Coloma, but several branches would extend from that place both into the Southern and Northern Mines. Thus the wealth of the gold region could not fail to pass through Coloma and Sacramento. The termini of all the branches would also be centres of considerable importance. * * * * * * *

The members of the bar of San Francisco have held several meetings relative to the adoption, by the Legislature, of the Common Law of England, for the regulation and government of the courts in this State and the practice therein. After a considerable debate as to the best course to be pursued, the meeting adopted the following resolution, which was offered by Mr. Halsted:

Resolved, That the Legislature be recommended to adopt the simplest forms of practice and pleadings compatible with the common law system.

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☞ There will be a vast amount of mining done the coming season with quicksilver, as on many of the rivers the particles of gold are extremely fine. The Virginia, or "Burke Rocker," is going extensively into use, either by purchase or manufacture here—the price being about $250 each. By the use of steam or water power, a gang of five or ten rockers may be put in motion, and fed with water, reducing the number of hands necessary to supply them with dirt at least one-half, and more than doubling the quantity that can be daily washed. In "banks" that contain no more than *fifteen* cents to the bucket or panfull, the quicksilver rockers thus worked produce from ten to twenty ounces per day each. Dirt that pays less than twenty-five cents to a panfull is rarely considered profitable to wash with a common rocker. * *

People who come to California to make money by mining, should be prepared for the hardships of a mountain life, and not only possess good constitutions, but avoid the dissipations which are too *frequently* the cause of a greater portion of the sickness that has given the mining sections of the country their reputation for unhealthiness. We can do without that class of good-for-nothing, thriftless fellows, who won't work at home, but who think if they can only get to California their fortune is sure to be made in a few months. Men of nerve and industry will here, as every where else, be successful; and as to health, no one with a good constitution and using common prudence need fear sickness in this country more than in the States. We deem California, *in every respect*, as healthy as any equal extent of territory on the face of the globe.

There are now about 120,000 inhabitants in California, mostly male adults; it can well sustain a population of millions; and even in the mineral regions several hundred thousand men could not occupy the whole ground. * * * *

LEGISLATIVE—*February* 2.—Gov. Burnett sent to both Houses, a message in relation to a proposition from the State of Deseret, asking this State to call a new convention, to be composed of delegates from *all* California, on both sides of the mountains, with the view of framing for the present, *one State*, to cover the whole territory acquired from Mexico, and at the same time agreeing upon certain boundary lines, which shall ultimately separate California from Deseret. The message, (which, with the accompanying papers, was promptly but most respectfully laid on the table,) is an able one paper, and the Governor therein gives his reasons why the Legislature should reject the proposition *in toto*.

An act has been passed creating a temporary State loan, and bonds issued redeemable after one year. It is believed the issue will not exceed $150,000 to meet the present wants, in anticipation of the collection of taxes, for which a bill has been nearly matured.

The acts dividing the State into counties, and fixing the time for the first county elections, have become laws, and our county organizations will soon be in full operation, superseding the Spanish laws by which we have been governed since the acquisition of the territory.

[Correspondence of the Alta California.]

Speaking of the numerous towns that have recently sprung up in the mining districts, a correspondent, writing from Sacramento City, February 18, says:

Many doubt that so many places can flourish in such close proximity. They are each the river representatives of a large and prolific mining district; some of them having good access to the mines during the wet season, will have no interference in their trade. Their growth in the short period of their existence shows the estimation in which they are already held. Marysville, a few weeks the older, presents the most active business aspect at this time. Yuba city has forty wooden houses; many more in progress, besides tents and tent houses in proportion. A gentleman from San Francisco, who went up at the same time with me, purchased a large number of lots in the latter place on which he will erect stores, hotels and other buildings immediately. To merchants of small means, these points offer similar advantages to those of Sacramento city a year ago. Property can be had low at original prices, and every facility in terms is given to those who purchase to settle and improve, and there as well as here the enhanced value of property alone will make the first settlers rich. There will be no lack of people to populate them. No young man in America, nor any who has not passed the period of ambition and enterprise; and who is not here or on his way, can live contented or die happy without seeing this great miracle—California. The rest of the world, who must hereafter always be a little behind us, will soon find themselves in the same category. This country and its commerce will flourish as well when its mines yield only two or three dollars per day, with the increased facilities of reaching and working them, as now when from six to nine dollars is the product. That time we all know here is a long way off. Then, too, the mining region will be vastly extended, indeed we may expect it to be every where; since the first gold has been washed out along the levee of our city and almost any where about. On the last trip of the Lawrence, while lying to a short time below the rapids at the mouth of the Yuba to get up more steam, a passenger in getting ashore took up some dirt from the bottom of the river and washed from it a piece of gold about a half inch long. At Marysville and for two miles above, the bars and bed of the river is claimed in sections of ten feet square, and some are said to make their ounce a day already. * *

SACRAMENTO CITY, February 19.

There are now lying along the bank of the river, in front of this city, twenty-eight vessels, viz: sixteen barks, eight brigs and four schooners. Many of these vessels this winter have been used for the purposes of storage; others for the accommodation of boarders and lodgers; one or two as hospitals. * * * * * *

There are now in this city in the process of erection, between forty and fifty buildings. Some of these are larger and much more substantially put together than any thing we have at present matured. Business is daily improving, mechanics find plenty of work and the command high wages, and if there was not a tightness in the money market, our city would present a livelier appearance than it has ever before. * * *

STOCKTON, February 15.

The weather is now delightful—the roads are improving fast—business is reviving—winter is over, and Stockton will soon be itself again. Wagons can, even now, run from this place to the mines; but in a week the roads will be in good order, and freight will be lower than at present. The information from the southern mines generally is quite encouraging. Those who worked faithfully, during the winter, in the gulches around the Mokelumne, and between the Smalalque and the Tuolumne, have done well—better, perhaps than those on the Mariposa and farther South. The impression which so generally prevails among the new comers, that nothing is to be learned from experience in gold digging, is quite erroneous. Those who remain a length of time in the mines, (a few months, say,) exercising judgement in selecting places to work, and who choose at the same time to be industrious and economical, can undoubtedly make money. Most of those who leave the mines discouraged, are men of no nerve, perseverance or energy. If they do not succeed in striking a rich place, on the first attempt at digging, they abandon the business in August, and retire to the towns or cities to loit or starve. As well might a printer's apprentice threw down his composing stick, because he found it impossible to learn the art and mystery of printing in a week. For my own part, I was well pleased with the result of my labor in the mines. I never expected to pick up gold on the surface of the ground, without labor, and was not disappointed. I left the mines with reluctance, and determined on returning, in case I failed in a line of business less laborious—satisfied that for fifty years to come the valley of the San Joaquin could not be exhausted of gold.

As to *new* diggings, I can give no certain information. There are several reports in circulation concerning new discoveries, but I cannot vouch for the accuracy of any of them. Several friends of mine are preparing to spend the summer on the head waters of the San Joaquin. It is said that late last summer rich deposits were found in that quarter; and I am told that men are working there even now. It is certain that new places have been found on the upper part of the Stanislaus and about the Merced and Mariposa. * * *

For several days past we have had a *twenty-three* pound lump of gold exhibited in Stockton. It was found at or near Wood's Dry Diggings, between the Stanislaus and Tuolumne. A number of pieces weighing fifteen and twenty ounces, were found this winter in the same neighborhood. It is now said that a *ninety-three* pound lump has been found near the Stanislaus. The report is that it expected daily at the store of Mr. Lane, of this place.

A NEW CUSTOM-HOUSE AT SAN FRANCISCO. On the corner of Portsmouth Square, Clay street, a large fire-proof building has been erected, the upper story of which is now fitted for the Custom-house—quite an improvement upon the dilapidated, leaky building heretofore devoted to this use. The lower story of the building is likely to be used for the Post-office—an arrangement which would be highly satisfactory.

SAN JOAQUIN CITY.—This new city, situated in the Southern Valley, two miles below the mouth of the Stanislaus, and at the head of navigation on that river, is growing with astonishing rapidity, and promises soon to occupy an important position in the history of California's prosperity.

YUBA CITY.—This new city, situated on Feather river, opposite the mouth of the Yuba, appears to be taking rapid strides in substantial prosperity. Several steamers are now plying between San Francisco and this point. A post-office is established there, to which the mail is carried weekly. Yuba city is the central depot for the extensive mining region watered by the Feather and Yuba rivers, and promises to be the most rapidly growing and best located of any of the up country towns.

LUMBER.—It is estimated that over *three million feet of lumber* arrived in the port of San Francisco from the United States in one week, ending the 3d of February!

SUPREME COURT.—The Governor, on the 14th of February, gave notice to the Legislature that he had signed "An act to organize the Supreme Court of the State of California."

GOVERNMENT LOAN.—The Senate had passed, on its third reading, a bill authorizing a loan of money on the faith and credit of the State, to the amount of $1,000,000; for the payment of Government expenses. We have private information that such loan would be taken at not less than 4 per cent. per month.

THE CURRENCY AT PANAMA.—Glance at the currency—Mammon himself could not understand it. It is one thing one day and another the next. Verbal orders and store pay, and we have had some experience in both, are altogether preferable. The Spanish, Mexican, and American quarter—the pistareen and two-frane piece—the English shilling and the cross-piece of Caracas, with about fifty more varieties of coin, are all the same here. The American, Mexican, and Spanish dollars, according to a late proclamation of the Government, are placed on a level with the base dollar of this country, which is worth in the United States only about sixty cents. This is done, of course, to promote the circulation of the New Granadian money and drive the other out of the market.

Our dimes, six of which contain sufficient silver for a New Granadian dollar, are purchased by the Government at the rate of eight for a dollar; they are then coined, and we are called on to take this villainous currency at the same rate as North American money; a snug operation in favor of the Government of 25 per cent. The only plan to obviate all this difficulty and loss, is to do business hereafter upon the American system, taking the currency of the United States for the standard; and when Colombia, or other base money is presented, to take it at its true value and nothing more, regulating the prices accordingly. By this means, too, will the vast profits made by a few capitalists who import dimes into this country to shave the balance of their countrymen, be brought to a timely end.—*Panama Star, March* 19.

THE OREGON SPECTATOR.—Files of this interesting paper were received by the Ohio's mail. We extract from it the movements of the troops, as the friends of the officers will be glad to hear of their whereabout. The contrast between the Oregon and California papers is very striking. Those of Oregon are calm, moderate—those of California full of excitement. In the long run, Oregon will win the race.

☞ The Bar at the mouth of the Columbia River is not such a formidable barrier as was feared. It has been passed one hundred and fifty times during the year by vessels of various draught, without any accident. A lighthouse and buoys are needed to make the navigation safe and easy.

☞ The towns of Oregon are rapidly increasing in population, notwithstanding the drain of California.

☞ There has been a great freshet in the rivers of Oregon. Mills have been swept off to the value of $75,000.

ARMY INTELLIGENCE.—The following is a statement of the present disposition of United States troops, in 11th Military Department:

Oregon City—Headquarters of the 11th Department, Headquarters and six companies of the regiment of Mounted Riflemen. Bvt. Col. Wm. Wood, Commanding Department; Bvt. Capt. J. P. Hatch, Acting Assistant Adjutant General; Maj. George B. Crittenden, R. M. R.; 2d Lieut. J. N. Palmer, Post Adjutant; Assistant Surgeon J. Moore, U. S. A.; Assistant Surgeon Chas. H. Smith, U. S. A. Company A, Capt. M. E. Van Buren, 2d Lieut. C. E. Irvine. Company D, Capt. Llewellen Jones. Company G, Bvt. Major J. S. Simonson, 1st Lieut. Chas L. Denman, 2d Lieut. J. McL. Addison. Company H, Bvt. Lieut. Col. J. R. Backenstos, 1st Lieut. Julian May. Company K, Bvt. Maj. G. F. Ruff, 1st Lieut. Wm. H. Emory, 2d Lieut. W. H. Jones. Company E, Bvt Major S. S. Tucker, Bvt. Captain Thos. Claiborne. 297 non-commissioned officers, musicians and privates.

Depot at Fort Vancouver—Major B. B. Reynolds, Paymaster; Capt. Rufus Ingalls, Chief Quartermaster; Capt. George McLane, Chief Commissary.

Cantonment Loring, near Fort Hall—Two companies Rifles. Bvt. Lieut. Col. A. Porter, Commanding; 2d Lieut. George W. Hawkins, Post Adjutant; Assistant Surgeon W. F. Edgar, U. S. A. Company B, Capt. Noah Newton, Bvt. Capt. Gordon Granger, Company F, 1st Lieut. F. S. S. Russell, 2d Lieut. George W. Howland, and 122 non-commissioned officers, musicians and privates.

Fort Vancouver—One company 1st Artillery, Bvt. Maj. J. S. Hathaway, Commanding Artillery Battalion; 2d Lieut. J. B. Fry, Battalion Adjutant; Assistant Surgeon Levi H. Holden, U. S. A. Company L, 1st Lieut. Theodore Talbot, 1st Lieut. J. J. Woods, and 70 non-commissioned officers, musicians and privates.

Steilacoom—One company 1st Artillery. Capt. B. H. Hill, Commanding; 2d Lieut. Grier Talmadge, Post Adjutant; Assistant Surgeon John M. Hales, U. S. A. Company M, 1st Lieut. J. I. Gibson, 2d Lieut. John Dennis, and 79 non-commissioned officers, musicians and privates.

Astoria—A detachment of Rifles. 1st Lieut. A. J. Lindsay, Commanding; 1 sergeant; and 10 non-commissioned officers, musicians and privates.

GIRARD AND MOBILE RAILROAD.—The Columbus (Ga.) Sentinel estimates the cost of this road at $2,000,000, and the probable extent of its revenues at about $522,000 per annum; which would be 25 per cent. on the entire cost. If the road can pay half so much, it should be built.

A YOUTHFUL PAGANINI.—The Portsmouth (Va.) Pilot thus styles Theodore Thomas of that place, who, though but fourteen years old, is now a professional fiddler, and was last winter leader of the orchestra at the Avon theatre. He is now on a visit to Baltimore.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—TWO SQUARES OF GROUND in Bouligny, one of them on the river and the other adjoining in the rear.

A Square of high Ground in Lafayette.

Country Residence to consist of a Dwelling and several acres of Land, not exceeding two miles from New Orleans.

House and Lot at Bay St. Louis. T. D. HAILES, Broker, mh26 117 Common street.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—FIRST MUNICIPALITY (SINKING FUND) BONDS, issued in 1837, for $15,000; and 400 shares, with loan, CITIZENS' BANK STOCK.
apl 8 THOS. D. HAILES, Broker, 117 Common st.

FOUND—A small sum of MONEY, which the owner can have by applying, to
mh25 S. WOLFF, 25 Gravier st.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF UNDERWRITERS, New Orleans, March 23, 1850.

REWARD.—$100 Reward will be paid by this board for the conviction of any free person of mature age, and $25 for the conviction of any slave, who may have been discovered, either as principal or accessory, in setting fire to any building or buildings in this city of Lafayette.
mh18 W. CHAMBERS, Secretary.

NEW ORLEANS MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE DELTA, Thursday Morning, April 11, 1850.

COTTON—There was but little done in the Cotton market yesterday, and the sales were confined to 1300 bales. Prices without further change.

NEW ORLEANS CLASSIFICATION.

Inferior	7½@8	Middling Fair	11½@11¾
Ordinary	8¾@9¾	Fair	12@12½
Middling	10 @10½	Good Fair	12½@13
Low Middling	10½@10¾	Good Ordinary	9 @9½
Good Middling	11 @11½	Good and Fine	nominal

TOBACCO—There was some inquiry and 73 bhds changed hands as follows: 8 R at 6¾@7, 4 R at 6, 1 at 6½, and 60 bhds, 45 A at 6, and 13 R at 5½ ⅌ lb.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES—About 300 hhds Sugar were sold yesterday at full rates, say 4¾@4¾ for Fair to Prime. Also, 400 bbls Molasses at 17@19½c for good Fermenting, and 21@22½c for Re-boiled.

FLOUR—The market continued heavy, and the sales reached 1600 bbls, including 200 bbls Pine Illinois (unexpected) $5 00, 100 Missouri unbranded at $5 00, 400 bbls Ohio at $5 30 or under, 100 bbls Superfine St. Louis at $5 60, 200 do Superfine Illinois at $5 40, 50 do at $5 50, 300 bbls Ohio, in lots, at $5 40@$5 45, and some Extra St. Louis at $6 37½@$6 50 ⅌ bbl.

CORN—Prices have advanced again, and 4500 sks were sold, including 300 sks at 60 and 61, 600 at 62, 300 at 63 and 64, and 2810 sks (305 and 1744 from flatboat) at 65c ⅌ bushel.

OATS—Sales of 300 sacks Indiana at 47, and 1284 sacks St. Louis, in store, on terms equal to 36½c.

PROVISIONS—The Pork market was quiet but steady, with sales of about 400 bbls at $9 75@$9 87½ for Mess, $7 50 for Prime, and $9 12½ for M. C. Some 50,000 ⅌ Bulk Pork (in casks) were sold at 4¾ for Hams, and 2¾c for Shoulders. Sales of 80 casks Bacon at 5½ for Cincinnati Sides, and 3½@3¾ for Shoulders. Of Lard, 38 bbls taken at 5½@5¾, 147 bbls No 1, and 600 kegs No 1 at 6, and 42 bbls and tierces at 6½c ⅌ lb.

COFFEE—200 bags Prime Rio sold, in lots, at 9c, and 2000 at —.

LIME—A sale of 300 casks Western at 61 20.

WHISKY—Lower. Sales of 300 bbls Rectified at 20¼, 140 at 20¼@21, and 65 Raw at 20½c ⅌ gallon.

FREIGHTS—No new engagement.

NEW ORLEANS CATTLE MARKET.

JEFFERSON CITY, Wednesday Evening, April 10, 1850.

Arrived per steamers A Scott and G Washington, 56 Beef Cattle, 14 Cows and Calves, 404 Sheep, and 37 Horses.

Prices:—*Beef Cattle*, 6@7½c ⅌ lb net; *Hogs*, 4@5c ⅌ lb net; *Sheep*, $1 50@$5 00 ⅌ head; *Milch Cows*, $30@$40 ⅌ head; *Calves*, 7@12c. ⅌ lb net.

PORT OF NEW ORLEANS.

LATITUDE 29° 57' 30" N.—LONGITUDE 90° W.—In Time, 6h.

Cleared Yesterday.

Br. ship Allen, McArthur, Liverpool, Hughton, Rankin & Co
Bark Kirkwood, Martin, Baltimore, C. J. Meeker & Co
Br. bark Margaret, Bienkie, Liverpool, W. H. Hayden & Co.
Br. bark Amazia, Jenkins, Liverpool, Klingender & Co
Brig Extra, Long, St. Thomas, Hillman & Steinaker
Brig Florina, Pendleton, New York, via Barataria, Wetherby & Hopkins
Schr. Kate Aubry, Anderson, New York, via Barataria, Wetherby & Hopkins
Schr. Lightfoot, Couch, New York, via Barataria, Wetherby & Hopkins
Br. schr. John Wesley, Parsons, Kingston, Ja., P. Nathan
Schr. Star, Parker, Arcanas and Corpus Christi, L. Dobbin

Arrived Yesterday.

U. S. steamship Fashion, McBlaker, from Fort Brooke, Fla., 7th inst., U. S. Quartermaster—34 mules.
Ship Benitou, Rogers, 18 days from Boston, to master—1 m.
Ship Camillus, Sylvester, 42 days (in Liverpool, to c. Brown 32 days.
Bark Tamaulipas, Winslow, 30 days fm Boston, to master—1 m.
Schr. Mary F. Lounsbury, Somers, 18 days from Philadelphia, to O. Wickham—Powder House.

F. M. Stueck, Stueck, from Lafourche.
Duck, Prescott, from Barataria.
Gem, Taylor, Jeffersonville, from Donaldsonville.
Geo. Washington, Carroll, from Cincinnati.
Bulletin, Church, from Memphis—400 bales cotton.
J. T. Maxwell, Kimball, from Grand Ecore—425 bales cotton.
Nashville, Belknapper, from Nashville—248 bales cotton.
Fashion, Martin, from the Coast.
Mobile, Sutton, from Mobile—196 bales cotton.
Oregon, Horn, from Mobile.
Swan, Foster, from Mobile, via the River.
Towboat Mary Kingsland, Wheaton, from the Passes.
Towboat Southwestern, Martin, from the Passes.

Memoranda.

The U. S. steamship Fashion left Fort Brooke on the 7th inst., at 12 M.; left at Tampa schooners Southerner and Madona; met in the Bay schooner Hornet; touched at Pensacola and Fort Pickens; came into Pass La Lande yesterday morning at sunrise—saw nothing off.

The steamer Nashville left Nashville on the 3d—reports six feet water on Harpeth's Shoals and falling; in port, loading for New Orleans, steamers Old Hickory and Knoxville.

Towboat Mary Kingsland towed down and to sea, on the 2d inst., barks Orbit and Marcodes, and brig Selina.

Towboat Southwestern towed down and to sea, on the 5th inst., schr. Mary Filkins; on the 7th, ship Humboldt.

Passengers.

Per steamship Fashion, from Fort Brooke—Mrs Wingfield, Moses Kelsom and three negroes, and 10 rank and file.
Per ship Camillus, from Liverpool—240 in steerage.

AUCTION SALES.

J. A. BEARD, Auctioneer.

☞ *Sales Arrangements for the Season*—Stores, Bank and other Stocks, Tuesdays and Thursdays; Real Estate, Wednesdays and Saturdays, at 12 o'clock, at Banks Arcade; General sales, intermediate days. ☞ Office No. 10 Banks Arcade Passage.

Groceries.....Provisions.....and Liquors.

BY SYKES, HYDE & CO.

THIS DAY, Thursday, April 11, at half-past 10 o'clock—Will be sold, at their Auction store, No. 81 Magazine street—
500 boxes Sessions; 300 do Tablets Lard Oil;
100 boxes Tobacco; 20,000 Cigars;
2000 pounds Cabbages; 40 kegs Pigs' Feet;
20 boxes Tumblers; 30 do Plates;
25 bbls Domestic Brandy; 10 do. Gin;
100 boxes No 1 Soap; 100 boxes Claret;
Teas, Nutmegs, Oil, Vermicelli, Pipes, Champagne, Hams, Shoulders, Beef, etc. apl1

Coffee.....Coffee.....Coffee.

BY SYKES, HYDE & CO.

THURSDAY, April 11, at half-past 10 o'clock—Will be sold at J. Their Auction store, 81 Magazine street—
280 bags RIO COFFEE; 30 do. Havana.
.....Immediately after.....
Groceries, Provisions and Liquors.
Terms cash. apl0

Catalogue Sale of Foreign and Domestic Goods.

BY F. H. PETITPAIN.

THURSDAY, April 11, at 10 o'clock—Will be sold at his Auction Room, No 8 Chartres street,
130 packages and lots of Foreign and Domestic GOODS, consisting in part of Fancy Silk Velvet Drill, Brown Linens, Linen Checks, Linendas, Turkey Red Cambric Calico, Ingham Spool Cotton, Organdies, Printed Muslins, Black and White Prints, Linens, Damasks, Marseilles Counterpanes, Hosiery, Cotton Flannels, Cotton Flannels, Blue Drills, Denims, Shirting Stripes, Log Cabin Cottonades, Jeans, York Mills Cottonades, Bleached Cottons, Cotton Umbrellas, Chambrays, Belting Taking, Blue and White Prints, Light Prints, Long Cloths, Osnaburgs, etc. etc.
Terms liberal at sale.
☞ Catalogues will be ready, and Goods can be examined early the morning of sale. apl0

Teas.....Teas.....Teas.

BY SYKES, HYDE & CO.

THURSDAY, April 11, at half-past 10 o'clock—Will be sold, at J. their Auction Store, 81 Magazine street, for account of whom it may concern—
10 chests TEA, Souchong, Pouchong, and Imperial, slightly damaged on ship Nathaniel Kimball, on voyage from Boston to this port.
Terms cash. apl0

Rice.....Rice.....Rice.

BY SYKES, HYDE & CO.

FRIDAY, April 12, at 10 o'clock—Will be sold, at No. 108 Magazine street, by order and under the inspection of the Port Warden, for account of whom it may concern—
96 casks Carolina RICE;
3 hogsheads do do;
slightly damaged on the voyage from Charleston to this port.
Terms cash. apl1

Choice Old Wines.....Liquors, etc.

BY FLORANCE & TAYLOR.

Office 81 Gravier street.

FRIDAY, April 12, at 11 o'clock—Will be sold, at the Commercial Exchange, corner of St. Charles and Perdido streets—
14 bbls. very superior old Winchester (Va.) and Monongahela Whisky
11 demijohns very superior Sherry and Madeira Wines—"Olivera," "Linta," etc.
— cases very superior Margaux and Brown Sherry.
1 quarter cask Hermany & Nephews' Sherry—very superior.
10 cases fine chop Teas.
12 boxes old Windsor Soap.
3 boxes Cheroots best Havana Tobacco.
4 demijohns fourth proof old St. Croix Rum.
9 demijohns very superior old Jamaica Rum.
and sundry other articles.
Connoisseurs are particularly invited to attend this sale.
Terms cash. ☞ Sale positive, to close. apl0

BOARDING.

A LADY AND GENTLEMAN and two or three Single Gentlemen can be accommodated with BOARD in a private family upon the most reasonable terms—$4 50 per week—by early application at No. 294 GRAVIER STREET, between Circus and St. John streets. mh15 2m

BOARDING—A gentleman and his wife, or one or two single can find comfortable apartments at No. 179 Gravier street, and within one minute's walk of the principal thoroughfares. References given and required. apl0 1f

ONE or Two Families and a few Single Gentlemen can be accommodated with ROOMS and BOARD on moderate terms, No 136 *Carondelet street, near Poydras street Church.* Day Boarders $3 per week. Lodging, with Board, $4. mh30 1m

A FEW Gentlemen can be accommodated with BOARD, at a moderate price, by applying to Mrs. C. M. JONES, at the corner of Girod and Carondelet streets, above the drug store. apl1 1m*

A GROCERY STORE FOR SALE.

A GROCERY STORE, containing a large and well assorted stock of FRESH GROCERIES, and having a good run of custom—located in the upper part of the Second Municipality—is for sale upon very reasonable terms. The proprietor has determined upon emigrating to California. Apply for information in regard to the above to T. BLEAU, No. 53 Tchoupitoulas street, or at the corner of Religious and Market streets, Lafayette. It is expected the business will be disposed of at public auction. apl1 1w*

A RARE CHANCE.—The HALF of a valuable NEWS. PAPER OFFICE, now doing a good business, located just out of the city of New Orleans, will be sold *at a bargain* to a Practical Printer who has $800 cash to lay down. For further information, inquire at this office. apl1 1f

BY THE OHIO, I have just received a fine assortment of PANAMA LEGHORN, and CANADA STRAW HATS
apl0 2t C. D. BUNCE, 9 Canal street.

RICE—500 casks prime Carolina in store, for sale by
apl0 BARELLI & CO., 61 Common st.

TO BUILDERS.—Proposals will be received until the evening of the 15th instant, to repair the brick house of Mr. N. N. Wilkinson, on Prytania street, and the house and kitchen on the north-west corner of Constance and Melicerte streets, with a dwelling on Melicerte street, belonging to John Brown. apl10 L. MATTHEWS, Agent.

CALIFORNIANS will find it to their interest to call and examine my assortment of HATS, CAPS, TRUNKS, UMBRELLAS, CANES, ETC.
At No. 9 *Canal street*, where can also be found a large assortment of Boots and Shoes, of every variety.
apl10 2t. C. D. BUNCE, 9 Canal street.

THE OHIO HAS ARRIVED, And so have some more of BUNCE'S HATS. *MOLESKIN BEAVER—BLACK and DRAB—AND CASSIMERE HATS*
apl0 2t C. D. BUNCE, 9 Canal street.

INFORMATION WANTED—Of the person who discharged a vessel at Post 27, about the 12th of October last, at the Dryrocks, who received TWO BOXES ARCHITECTURAL Painter's Materials, on the 16th November, marked K. & H., AUGUSTA, GA.; they having been delivered by mistake. Any information given to the undersigned, by any person who may have received said Boxes, will be thankfully received and ample recompensed by [adv] E. R. HARRISON & CO., 14 Gravier st.

AMUSEMENTS.

PLACIDE'S VARIETIES.

BOXES and Parquette, 75 cents; Upper Boxes, 50 cents; Gallery, 25 cents.....Doors open at 7 o'clock; performance will commence at half-past 7 precisely.....THIS EVENING, Thursday, will be performed, for the seventeenth time, the Comedy, entitled

THE SERIOUS FAMILY.

Mr. Torrens.....Mr. C. Howard
Capt. Maguire.....Mr. Dunvant
Annerdale Reed.....Mr. Rokend
Mrs. Torrens.....Mrs. Johnson
Madeline.....Miss C. Howard
Lady Creamly.....Mrs. Knox
Mrs. Dinmont.....Mrs. Johnson

To be followed by a
GRAND DIVERTISEMENT,
by Mesdms. Hinzen, Sarrio, R. Valle, Meesrs. Ferguson, Ma