MUNICIPAL ELECTION.... Candidates.

For Mayor:

We are authorized to announce A. D. CROSSMAN, the present incumbent, as a candidate for reelection, in April next.

Edit. Crescent—Please announce the name of JOHN M. BELL as a candidate for the office of Mayor of this city, at the ensuing April election, and oblige many friends in the [illegible] THREE MUNICIPALITIES.

Messrs. Editors: Please announce me as a Candidate for the Chief Magistracy of the city. Election in April next. fri PETER L. JONES, ex-La. State Librarian.

For MAYOR, THOMAS J. SEXTON, Independent Creolian Candidate—the Poor Man's Friend—to be elected in April next. fy19

For Recorder:

JAMES H. CALDWELL, who has received the unanimous nomination of the Democratic party. sp11 is

Edit. Crescent: Please announce to the Voters of Municipality No. One, that W. M. FLEMING is a candidate for Recorder, and will be supported by MANY VOTERS. sp8 M tf

Edit. Crescent: Please announce JOSHUA BALDWIN, the Recorder of Municipality No. Two, a candidate for reelection in April next, and that he will be supported, irrespective of party, by the [mh31] THE PEOPLE.

Edit. Crescent—Please announce L. U. GAIENNIE as an Independent candidate for the office of Recorder of the Second Municipality, and oblige [fy11] MANY VOTERS.

Mayor's Court.

PERRY S. WARFIELD is a candidate for the office of Second District Attorney. Election by the people on the fourth Monday of April. sp1 td

Edit. Crescent: Have the goodness to announce CHARLES S. REMEN, Esq., as a candidate for the office of Second District Attorney. Election fourth Monday of April. sp3 MANY FRIENDS.

Treasurer Second Municipality:

WM. H. RUSH is a candidate for Treasurer of Second Municipality, at the ensuing Election, 23d inst. sp10

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM H. GARLAND, the present incumbent, as a candidate for reelection at the approaching Municipal Election. sp9

For Comptroller:

JOHN CALHOUN is a candidate for the office of Comptroller of the Second Municipality. sp10*

The undersigned is a candidate for the office of Comptroller of Municipality No. Two, at the approaching Election on the 22d inst., and respectfully solicits the suffrages of his fellow-citizens. sp6 ADOLPHE LAYET.

The undersigned announces to the people of the Second Municipality that he is a candidate for the office of Comptroller, and respectfully solicits their suffrages. sp9 WM. EMERSON.

For Wharfinger:

Messrs. Editors: Please announce JOHN ANDERSON as a candidate for Wharfinger of Municipality No. Two, and oblige his [sp11*] FRIENDS.

We are authorized to announce Capt. S. S. SELLECK as a candidate for the office of Wharfinger of Municipality No. Two at the ensuing election on the 23d inst. sp10*

The undersigned, the present Ship Wharfinger, is a candidate for the office of Wharfinger of Municipality No. Two, at the Election on the 23d inst. A. H. ELDRIDGE. sp10

For Surveyor:

The friends of J. W. SMITH announce him as a candidate for the Surveyorship of the Second Municipality. He will be supported by all parties. Election April 22. sp12

GEORGE T. DUNBAR, the present incumbent, presents himself as a candidate for the office of Surveyor of Second Municipality, and solicits the votes of his fellow-citizens at the election to be held on the 23d inst. sp10

Captain of the Watch.

Edit. Crescent—We are authorized to announce CHARLES FETRIE as the People's Candidate for the office of Captain of the Night Watch, Second Municipality, at the election on Monday, the 22d inst. From his long experience and practical acquaintance with its duties, having been for many years a faithful and diligent officer of the Municipality, he hopes to receive the favorable consideration and support of the people. sl4 FRIENDS OF THE MUNICIPALITY.

Edit. Crescent—Please announce BENJAMIN BUYMAN as a candidate for Captain of the Night Watch, Second Municipality. Election the fourth Monday of April. sp11

Edit. Crescent: Please announce Mr. J. WORRELL as a candidate for Captain of the Night Watch. sp6 MANY FRIENDS.

Edit. Crescent: Please announce HENRY CRANE (formerly Lieutenant of Second Municipality Police) a candidate for Captain of the Night Watch of Municipality No. Two. HIS MANY FRIENDS.

Election fourth Monday in April. sp8*

Edit. Crescent: Please announce SAMUEL L. BEELMAN as a candidate for Captain of the Night Watch of the Second Municipality, which duty he properly understands, having served as a Lieutenant under the late Capt. Harper for six years. sp8

DAN BURKE offers himself as a candidate for Captain of the Night Watch of the Second Municipality. sp8

Messrs. Editors: Please announce Capt. HENRY FORNO as a candidate for the office of Captain of the Watch of Municipality No. Two. Election the fourth Monday in April. sp1

For Alderman:

Edit. Crescent—You will please announce Capt. C. J. Young, of the Independent Winter Guards, as a candidate for Alderman of the Sixth Ward. He will be supported by a mass of INDEPENDENT VOTERS. sp12

The present Aldermen of the Second Ward, HENRY RENSHAW and JAMES BOURKE, are candidates for reelection, and will be supported by THE PEOPLE. sp10

INDEPENDENT TICKET.—We present to the voters of the Seventh Ward, as candidates for Alderman,

WILLIAM BARNES,
CLAIBE BLUNDEN,

subject to a meeting to be called at Charles Meyer's Coffee-house, corner of Julia and Circus streets, on Monday Night 22d inst., at 7 o'clock. FRIENDS TO THE WARD. sh13

EDS. WS, the citizens of the Seventh Ward, Second Municipality, do nominate Dr. S. W. DALTON, as an independent candidate for Alderman at the next April Election. MANY VOTERS. mh13

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MUSIC STORE,
Nos. 5 and 7 Camp St.,
Three doors from Canal.

THE undersigned desires respectfully to inform the public that they can always find at his MUSIC STORE, a large and choice assortment of *PIANO FORTES*, at very reasonable prices, and on accommodating terms.

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Orders for Guitars, Violins, Violoncellos, Clarionets, Flutes, Flageolets, Strings, and Musical Merchandise of every description, will be promptly executed at reasonable prices. Band supplied with Brass Instruments and Band Music.

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The most infallible remedy ever discovered for that class of diseases for which it is given—namely Copaiva and Sarsaparilla have been found worthless. The extraordinary and enormous sale this medicine has attained for the last nine years, is a certain criterion of its immense utility. It has acquired its almost world-wide fame by its own merits. It has been examined, approved of, and sanctioned by the testimony of medicine, and recommended by the most eminent of the profession.

Our recommendation this preparation enjoys above all others, is its most perfect uniformity in purpose—the mode in which it may be taken, being both easy and pleasant—its wonderful celerity in curing, as evidenced from daily business. Travelers regretting to recall feel this medicine highly useful, and ought never to be dispensed with a preparation possessing the combined virtues of the Copaiva and Sarsaparilla. Accompanying the medicine is a pamphlet, explanatory of the different stages of the disease, which may easily change, containing full and ample directions. It contains no mercury.

Prepared by J. D. Thorn, chemist, London, and for sale by SICKLES & CO., Druggists, 69 and 71 Canal street, New Orleans. sp3 lm&lp

Upper Ten Thousand.

The following lines was received from Mr. J. Sikes, a gentleman of respectability and fortune, as to well and widely known, DR. S. T. TOWNSEND'S SARSAPARILLA has created thousands of patients in the upper circles of society, and is used both in New York and Albany by the Aristocracy of the aristocratic families. They purchase in the opinion of Dr S. P. Townsend, half a dozen at a time, and when the whole family are in for a month or six weeks, one or two will. There is no pretension for disease like it. These families rarely, if ever, lose a child or require a physician.

NEW YORK, January 4, 1850.

DR. S. P. TOWNSEND—Sir: In justice to your remedy, I take the liberty of stating, that about the years since, I took a violent cold which I could not remove. It became a settled cough, and a hemorrhage of the lungs and lungs, which distressed me very much indeed. My little son was in extreme ill health, and I procured one of your Sarsaparilla for him. He took it but a short time, when we thought he had the premonitory, but found it shook a bit through the system. He soon got better, which induced me to use it myself, and am very happy to acknowledge that it actually cured me and my son, and we are now in the enjoyment of excellent health. Your Sarsaparilla is, beyond doubt, a most excellent remedy, and should be widely known.

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The Daily Crescent.

NEW ORLEANS:

SATURDAY MORNING, APRIL 13, 1850.

POLITICAL SHORTTISEMENTS.—We must hereafter refuse to publish notices of meetings, etc., etc., unless a responsible name is sent with each.

☞ Mr. CHARLES T. BADGER is our Traveling Agent for the Daily and Weekly Crescent. We bespeak for him a liberal reception in all portions of the country which he may visit.

The Extra-Mammoth Weekly Crescent! Will be published this morning at 9 o'clock. It will contain the usual amount of miscellaneous and news matter. For sale at the desk—single numbers, in stout wrappers, 10 cents.

NEXT NEWS FROM EUROPE.—The Hermann will bring the next news from Europe. She is now due.

THE GALPHIN CLAIM.—Quite an excitement has grown out of the allowance of $190,000 as interest on a debt admitted to be just, and the principal paid by Mr. Walker, the late Secretary of the Treasury. It seems to us that when once the Government, by its proper officers, acknowledges an indebtedness, it should pay interest like any other debtor. We can conceive of no reason why the creditor who is kept out of his money by the Government, should not be allowed the same rate of damages as he could demand from any other debtor. The claim of Galphin, it is admitted, originated in 1773, and at that time amounted to $49,000. From that date until 1816, his representatives have been urging the allowance of the claim. That year the law was passed referring it to the Treasury Department. The Secretary allowed the principal, and turned over the question of interest to his successor. Mr. Meredith received the opinion of the Auditor against the allowance, and of the Attorney General in its favor, and concurred with the latter. It is said that the Government never pays interest. Then it is a dishonest debtor; it refuses that justice which it enforces between man and man. If interest is wrong, let it be abolished in all cases; do not permit the citizen to suffer under an oppressive law. But if it is nothing more than the rent of money, then let the Government pay for its use, as it pays in any other case in which the property of the citizen is taken for the general good. The Secretary of the Treasury fortunately is not a politician; his life has been passed in the study of the great principles of law, which is but the adaptation of good morals to the ordinary transactions of men. Familiar with these principles, he has at once applied them to this claim. Is this claim a just one? The late Administration has answered in the affirmative. When was the debt created? In 1773. Have the claimants slept on their rights? No; they have besieged Congress for years. Is there any good reason why the public creditor should not receive the interest which he could demand from a private debtor? No; except that it makes a large sum. Then let the debt be paid. Can any of those who guard the public treasure so faithfully answer this catechism? Until they can prove that there is a rule of honesty for the Government different from that which obtains between men, the decision of the Secretary must stand.

FATHER MATHEW.—The cry, "still they come," can well be applied, in recording the progress of this devoted missionary of temperance. In the morning, at noon, and throughout the afternoon, may be witnessed crowds of citizens coming to see the good father, and to receive the total abstinence pledge at his hands. The number now computed to have been enrolled in New Orleans under his spotless banner exceeds nine thousand, and amid the vast array might be observed many hardy sons of the Emerald Isle, who displayed feelings which evidently denoted the earnestness with which they came forward to lay the foundation of their future happiness in this country by the observance of true sobriety.

On this evening (Saturday) Father Mathew removes to St. Patrick's church, Camp street, where he will preach, and administer the pledge tomorrow and every day during the ensuing week. He will attend for the same purpose, commencing at half-past seven, in the forenoon. In the evening he will attend at seven o'clock.

GREAT DECLINE IN COFFEE.—It will be seen by our Commercial article that over 8000 bags of Rio coffee have been sold within a day or two, at *eight cents per pound*. Early in February the current rate was 14¼ cents, so that the fall in prices since that time is about *six and a half cents* per pound, or more than $10 per bag.

STEAMBOAT COLLISION.—At about 2 o'clock, P. M., on Thursday last, at the head of Milliken's Bend, the steamers Fashion and Wm. A. Noble—the former going up, the latter descending—came in collision, just forward the boilers of each boat. Both were very seriously damaged. The passengers of the Wm. A. Noble were brought to this city by the Magnolia; those of the Fashion got off on the Glencoe.

☞ We retura sincere thanks to the steamers Fanny Smith, Chancellor, Amranth and Magnolia, for late river papers.

THE VARIETIES.—There was a crowd again at Placide's last evening. But how could it be otherwise? The universal favorite, Mrs. C. Howard, is there; the peerless Hilariot is there; the elegant and graceful M'lles Baron and Vallee are there—(Our partialities are for the feminines by a sort of natural prompting,) and Holland is there, and Tom Placide is there—all are there—and, in head *and heels*, are stars—all. By the way, the Varieties is a star establishment, and no mistake.

ORLEANS THEATRE.—The grand opera of Jerusalem will be performed this evening. The announcement is sufficient to crowd the house.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.—Remember that this is the first night of the great Magician Macallister, whose feats rival the wonderful exhibitions of the Hindoo jugglers, and whose sleight of hand is only equalled by the workings of the telegraph. The St. Charles is the great point of attraction this evening.

LAST OF MR. FIKE'S LECTURES.—This evening Mr. Fake will conclude his lectures and experiments at Armory Hall, for the present, in order to make room for Dr. Williams, who will commence a course of lectures upon the same subject on Monday evening.

FOR HAVANA AND NEW YORK.—Those who are about to visit Havana, or going to New York by sea, had better secure their berths to day in the splendid steamship Ohio, which will leave punctually on Monday, the 15th, at 9 o'clock, A. M., and arrive in New York at least a week before Monday. They will find green peas and straw berries scarce in that cold region.

FOR LOUISVILLE.—The Magnolia, Captain Thomason, leaves this evening at 5 o'clock. The Magnolia is well known as a crack boat on the Southern waters.

FOR MOBILE AND THE NORTH!—The fine steamer Oregon leaves to-day at half-past 2 o'clock, and will arrive at Mobile early on Sunday morning. She will lay alongside of the splendid packet Daniel Pratt, who will receive her passengers for Montgomery, at which point they will arrive on Tuesday morning in time for the cars. Captain Johnson, of the Pratt, is an experienced commander, and extends every courtesy to the traveling public. A more pleasant boat can not be found on the Alabama. The Pratt is the regular Sunday packet, and leaves at 9 A. M.

TROTTING MATCH OVER THE METAIRIE.—The contest to come off on the 16th, has created much interest among the lovers of the turf. The nags are crack ones, and already the funds have circulated to a lively tune on the result. Mr. Ellis, the proprietor of the Trotting Course, has spared no pains to please the public in his arrangements, and he deserves encouragement in return.

GREAT HURDLE RACE—*Bingaman Course.*—To-morrow an exciting race comes off over the Bingaman, between Jackson, the "American Deer," and Barlow, his former competitor, in a match for $1000. The distance, mile heats, best three in five, with ten hurdles in each mile, will afford a fine opportunity for testing the powers of these extraordinary pedestrians, and a large attendance will no doubt be called together by the novel sport. The course is in beautiful order.

THE EAGLE.—A pleasant retreat bearing this name, has just been opened in Gravier street. It is a "bird," and one which will fly away with time, unless its wings are clipped by a retreat in season. If all the luxuries of an A No. 1 house can insure patronage the Eagle will wing it with the best.

☞ The "St. Louis" is the name of the largest and most magnificent steamboat ever built in the West. She is intended as a regular packet between St. Louis and NewOrleans. Her capacity to carry freight is estimated at at 2000 tons, being one-fourth more than any boat ever built for the Mississippi. The apparatus for extinguishing fires is very complete. There are to be bath-rooms supplied with warm and cold water. The cabin is 262 feet long and 16 feet wide. The ladies' cabin contains 16 rooms as large as in ordinary hotels. She may be expected here in a few days.

The Forrest Case.

In the Home Journal of the 6th inst., N. P. Willis, one of its editors, over his individual signature, publishes a card to the public of four columns, in which he attempts to put a fair coloring upon Mrs. Forrest's side of the question.

We have already expressed our opinion as to the impropriety, if not criminality, of which Mrs. Forrest was guilty, in receiving *and retaining* the extravagant love epistle of Jamison. This impropriety Mr. Willis seeks to palliate by a statement of the circumstances connected with the acquaintance and association of Jamison with Mr. and Mrs. Forrest. Jamison was introduced by Forrest to his wife as his friend, and took especial pains to bespeak for him her attentions and civility. They subsequently met in this city. Jamison was engaged to accompany Mr. Forrest, whose wife was with him, on a professional tour for months through the Western States. A very kindly feeling grew up between the friend and the wife—the natural consequence of reciprocal courtesies and constant association. "This kindness, [says Willis] and the unreserved intercourse of persons thrown constantly together in travel made an impression on Jamison, which none will wonder at who have seen the beauty, and know the winning frankness, of the lady. Mr. Jamison is an imaginative man, and, like most actors, has become confused as to the real-life value of the high-flown language of the stage. At Cincinnati, near the close of this tour, he had been reading the new novel of 'Consuelo,' and had become completely intoxicated with its love-story. With the facility of his profession he assumed the part of a lover, and addressed the language of the book to Mrs. Forrest, who had become the 'Consuelo' of his imagination. The letter he wrote to her, at parting, was a very improper one, but it would have been addressed, we venture to say, to the most innocent woman in the world, under similar circumstances." A very lame defence, to say the least of it, for Mr. Jamison—a man who has and then had a wife and children.

And now what is said for Mrs. F. in this transaction? "She [says Willis] answered the letter, with a lady's mild rebuke for the erroneous construction it put upon her kindness; forbore to infuriate her husband with the knowledge of it, and threw it aside, with a vague thought that her sister might be interested in it as a circumstance of her Western tour." This letter was afterwards found by Mr. Forrest in the possession of that sister, and upon it he relied chiefly as the evidence of his wife's guilt. Forrest says the letter was *secreted* by his wife; Willis says that it was carelessly left among the papers of her sister, "which," he adds, "*a woman who knew it to be a proof of guilt would have secreted, or burnt.*" Which of the two tells the truth we are unable to decide.

One paragraph in Mr. Willis' card strikes us forcibly—that in relation to the testimony of Forrest's servants—though we do not know with what justice it can be made to apply to the case in question. It is this: "Reading this testimony of Forrest's two servants, and of Lawson and Stevens—his low agent, and lower jackal—and comparing it with what we know to be true, we feel that *there is not a lady in New York safe from destruction by the easy conspiracy of vile men, nor a gentleman's house, waited on by servants, where the hospitality may not be sworn to as debauchery.*"

RULES OF THE SENATE.—The disgraceful altercation which recently took place in the U. S. Senate between Mr. Benton and Mr. Foote, has rendered it necessary, as announced by the Vice President from his Chair on the 3d inst., that he should exercise greater stringency in his official capacity in future. He says that, after a careful examination of the history of the rules of the Senate, and the decisions of his predecessors, he has come to the conclusion that the *power to call to order* has been vested by the Senate in the presiding officer, and that he is determined hereafter to exercise it.

The determination was cordially approved of by some of the oldest and most experienced Senators. Mr. Foote stated that if he had, on a late occasion, transgressed the rules of the Senate, he regretted it, and it must be attributed to no disrespect to the body, but to human infirmity.

☞ The Natchez Free Trader applauds the conduct of Mr. Foote in his recent attack on Mr. Benton. We had hoped that no press would have been found to uphold conduct unworthy of the society of gentlemen. Mr. Benton is one of the great men of the age. His powerful intellect and profound learning have produced important revolutions in the public sentiment of this country. He did more than all the politicians of his party to put down the Banking System; he carried through the Expunging Resolutions; he sustained President Jackson in the Nullification *emeute*. It is too late now for the Free Trader to speak of him as a Senaterial ass, or a solemn owl. Mr. Foote, a man *of yesterday*, never heard of beyond the circumference of County Court yard, a mere flippant talker, getting into the Senate by accident, commits a gross violation of the decencies of society; and so bitter is party spirit, that the party press sanctions this outrage. We are glad to say that the Free Trader is the only paper we have seen which sustains the Senator from Mississippi.

"EVERY WOMAN HER OWN DRESS MAKER." An article under this caption is going the rounds. Why not say "Every man his own tailor?" There is no objection to a lady's employment of others to make her dresses, if her means will justify it. She might as well be expected to cook and wash. Extravagance is a relative term; it depends altogether on the wealth of the party. So with economy. An act which in one man is prudence, in another be comes meanness. The luxuries of one man often furnish comfort to many. The wealthy lady who hires the mantua-maker to make her dresses, dispenses benefits. The fault is only where this or any other expense is indulged without adequate means.

"DIARY OF A PHYSICIAN IN CALIFORNIA; being the results of actual experience, including scenes of the journey by land and water, and observations on the climate, soil, resources of the country, etc.: by *James L. Tyson, M. D.*"

If this title does not insure purchasers for the book, nothing that we may say can. It is for sale at Steel's.

"THE AMERICAN REVIEW AND WHIG JOURNAL."

This sterling monthly has been politely sent to us by Weld & Co., at whose establishment, No. 68 Camp street, books and periodicals can be had to suit every variety of taste.

LITERARY NOTICES.—"Choix de Poesies," by Mme. A. Coutan, is the title of a very elegant volume of poems in the French language. The selections are from Chateaubriand, Lamartine, Victor Hugo, Beranger, and others of high literary reputation. The work can be had at J. B. Steel's, 14 Camp street...."Cuba and the Cubans."—This volume gives a history of the Island of Cuba; its present social, political and domestic condition; its relation to England and the United States. These are subjects which are particularly interesting to the public at the present time. The book should be bought and read. It can be had at Steel's.

MR. WEBSTER'S PERSONAL APPEARANCE.—The Washington correspondent of the Newark (N. Y.) Advertiser says that, on the occasion of his late speech in the Senate, Mr. Webster was dressed in his usual care, and looked the very personification of the majestic orator. He wore a suit of deep blue, a buff vest, and white neck-cloth; and but for the appearance of ill-health, which stamped its seal on his large eye, and a slight inclination which marked the weight of years, he stood before the people the Daniel Webster of 1830 and 1833.

☞ The Governor of Illinois has appointed Hon. David S. Gregg to fill the vacancy in the office of Secretary of State, occasioned by the death of Gen. Horace S. Cooley.

☞ The Fort Smith Herald says that a wagon train will leave that place for California in a few weeks. There will be no pilot, and there is no necessity for one, as the road is as plain as any traveled road in Arkansas.

☞ Losses of steamboats on the Western rivers for the quarter ending April 1, 1850—sixteen boats totally lost, ten of them on *snags*.

Edt. Crescent.—Please announce that the Grand Exhibition of Fire Works and Instrumental Concert for the benefit of the Camp street Female Orphan Asylum, has been postponed until *Wednesday Evening, April 17*, at the urgent solicitation of the Messrs. Catoir, who have requested the extension of timethat they may be enabled to meet public expectation.

The most ample accommodation will be provided for visitors, and all who desire to lend a helping hand to a noble charity will be truly gratified by a visit to the Place d'Argent on Wednesday next. sp11 tf

Telegraphed to the "Daily Crescent."

[BY THE SOUTHERN LINE.]

NEW YORK, April 9, 1850.

Cotton has declined ¼c. since the arrival of the Europa. Sales to-day 1300 bales. Middling Orleans, 11¼...Ohio Flour, $4 62½. Common, firm. Coffee declining; 1000 bags Rio were sold at 9¼ to 10¼....Stock firm....Other things unchanged.

The steamer Georgia has arrived from Chagres, but brings no later news.

SECOND DISPATCH.

BALTIMORE, April 10.

At NewYork to-day the Cotton market was drooping. Sales 700 bales. Middling Upland 11¼. Flour has improved....Corn unchanged....Sugar steady....The Coffee market is dull. 5000 bags Domingo were sold to day at 7¾....Tobacco is drooping. At auction, to-day, 150 hhds. Kentucky were sold at 5¼ to 8¼....Stocks are declining.

At Baltimore, to-day, 5000 bbls. Flour were sold at $4 87.

THIRD DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, April 10.

Mr. Clay made a speech to-day, and warmly denounced the Northern abolitinists.

Telegraphed to the "Daily Crescent."

TELEGRAPH OFFICE, ALGIERS, April 12, 2 P. M.

The following dispatch has just been received at this office:

Capt. Brown, of the brig Water Witch, from Vera Cruz, reports that the brig Titi, Capt. Rodevich, ran ashore at Vera Cruz, on the 23d of March, in a Norther.

The Titi is a total loss. She had a number of passengers, and $30,000 in specie. All the passengers and crew were saved, as was the specie.

SOUTHWEST PASS, April 12, 2½ P. M.

Mr. John Fullerton is dead. All the others who were scalded are doing well.

FROM THE PLAINS.—Traders have come in from the Fort of the Union Fur Company, forty miles below St. Pierre. They left on the 1st of March. There had been but little snow, and the winter unusually mild. In November, a small party were attacked by the Indians and plundered. Buffalo are unusually abundant. The Crows and the Sioux are as usual at war. In a recent battle, eight were killed on each side. The Crows, however, reaped the fruits of victory, stealing 150 horses. The company have been very successful, and will bring in about 400 packages of furs.

☞ The funeral of Gen. H. S. Cooley, who died in our city on the 22d ult., took place at Quincy, Ill., on the 4th inst. A very large number of citizens from different portions of the State, united in paying the last sad rites. The Masonic Order was numerously represented.

SENATOR BENTON'S SCHEME FOR A NATIONAL HIGHWAY TO THE PACIFIC.—The bill prepared by Senator Benton for a railway from St. Louis to the Bay of San Francisco, sets apart the proceeds of the sales of the public lands for opening such a communication with California, New Mexico, Oregon, and Salt Lake settlements. A breadth of one mile of the public lands is to be appropriated to the central highway, and one thousand feet to the branch roads, on each of which lines are to be constructed a railroad and a common road, and lines of telegraph. The common roads to be free of toll, and the railroads to be taxed for transportation no higher than is necessary to keep them in repair. The Indian titles are to be extinguished on the routes to the breadth of one hundred miles. Military stations are to be established, 160 acres of land will be given to every male over eighteen years of age, who shall settle on the line of said road or branches within twelve months after the Indian titles are extinguished, and pre-emption rights to the same extent to those who shall afterwards settle. The bill also provides for surveys and examinations as to the best route, and for the completion of the common road in one year, and the central road, in seven years, after located. The use of the railway, when finished, is granted to individuals or companies for a limited time, who shall contract to transport persons, mails, munitions of war, and freights of all kinds, public and private, in vehicles furnished by themselves, at such reasonable rates as may be agreed upon.

SINGULAR STATEMENT—*Dr. Parkman.*—The Boston papers continue to publish every matter that transpires in reference to the Parkman murder. Among other items, we find the following from the Atlas of the 1st:

"The rumor that Dr. Webster was discovered over the dead body of Dr. Parkman, by a medical student, proves true. The student was returning to the lecture room for his over-shoes, and found the door locked. He then went down through the basement into the lower laboratory, and passed up stairs to enter the lecture room by Dr. W.'s private door. As he got into the upper laboratory, he saw Dr. Webster standing over the corpse of Dr. P. Either by entreaty or threats, the student was induced to take a solemn oath not to divulge what he had seen, and the next day he left for home, down East. A short time since he was taken with the brain fever, and in his delirium raved about the mysterious murder. He called for a clergyman, and asked him if he was bound to keep such an oath as he described. The result was that he divulged all to the minister, who came to Boston and informed the government, but it was too late to use the evidence.

P. S. The name of the medical student is Hedges. He belongs in Bridgewater, and is the son of a minister. During the excitement and trial he has been in Maine, but is now in Boston. The report is on good authority.

PROF. DIMITRY'S ADDRESS.—In the Natchez Free Trader, we find the following notice of this gentleman:

"The Address of Prof. Dimitry before the Literary Societies was an admirable effort. It was the speaker's aim to show that all the geological revolutions of the world, and all the innumerable and wondrous features of creation, were perfectly adapted to the nature and wants of man. The argument was powerful and triumphant, and the whole address was fraught with racy thought and brilliant illustration. The delivery was dignified and eloquent, though somewhat inclined to the formal and monotonous."

RAILROAD SUBSCRIPTION.—By a vote of the citizens of Memphis, it has been determined by a large majority that the city shall take stock to the amount of $500,000 in the Charleston and Memphis railroad. The road will be built, that is clear

Communicated.

Eds. Crescent—For the benefit of suffering humanity, as well as an act of justice to Dr. SAMUEL GILBERT, I make the following statement:—That in June last I had a small tumor upon my face, rather between my nose and cheek, which gradually increased, during the past summer, in size and extent; on amount of which I consulted several truly eminent physicians, under whose treatment I received no relief. In the latter part of last January I visited this city. In the space of seven days, before reaching the city, the tumor greatly enlarged, and the inflammation increased to an alarming extent; so much so, that from the inner corner of my eye to the end of my nose, and out to my cheek bone, became literally a lump of pained flesh. The disease had also made its appearance on the opposite side of my nose. In this condition I presented myself to Dr. Samuel Gilbert, not knowing with what disease I was afflicted. Dr. Gilbert pronounced it an eating Cancer, of the most virulent character. I put myself under his treatment. He extirpated the tumor without the use of the knife, and in four weeks my face was well, as I then and still believe. T. M. TUCKER.

New Orleans, March 13, 1850.

Dr. Gilbert's office is No. 17 CROSSMAN street, in the building between the Customhouse and the River. sp10 12p

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Arrivals at the Principal Hotels....13th.

ST. CHARLES—C Fellows, S O; R Ballard, Mobile; G B Koontz, Natchez; P Osgood, Cincy; R D Hardin, Chas; J Stirling, C Knott, T Hawkins, T O'Hara, Wm Sterling, A W Johnson, W L Johnson, J R Downing, Ky.

VERANDA—T Johnson, M E Edwards, J Holt, R H Harris, Lai; J D Kennedy, steamer Saladin; G T Martin, Miss; J McCollim, Mobile.

ARCADE—G T Martin, J Fairbanks, California; T H Hill, R Grant, Rodney; J W Brooks, N O; H Davidson, Miss; T J Moore, Mr Robinson, Ky.

HEWLETT'S EXCHANGE—W Downing, Point Coupee; J Hewitt, Home; S W Aldrich, Mexico; J Baldwin; Thos A Jacobs, Phil.

PLANTERS—J Milbanks, Pensacola; P M Covington, Ky; T J Moore.

Died:

On Saturday morning, April 13, at quarter-past 3 o'clock, AMANDA ANN, wife of Frederick Stringer.

☞ Her Funeral will take place THIS MORNING, at 10 o'clock, from the residence of her mother, Mrs. Shepard, corner of Crepe and Spain streets. The friends of the family are requested to attend, without further notice....There will be carriages in attendance to convey persons from the corner of Canal and Royal streets, from 9 till half-past 9 o'clock. sp12*

Auction Sales This Day.

SYKES, HYDE & CO. will sell, at half-past 10 o'clock, at 51 Magazine street—Groceries, Provisions and Liquors.

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

WASHINGTON FOUNTAIN, No. 1, at the Hall of Crystal Fount Division, 222 Tchoupitoulas street, at 8 o'clock.

PEARL DIVISION, No. 8, at Pelican Hall, corner of Common and St. Charles streets, at 8 o'clock.

....*To-morrow Morning*....

LIBERAL DIVISION, No. 17, at Pelican Hall, corner of Common and St. Charles streets, at 10 o'clock.

NEWORLEANS, April 9, 1850.

Mr. T. PLACIDE—*Dear Sir*: In behalf of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of this city, we would respectfully request the use of your Theatre on Friday, April 26, for the purpose of Initiation, and other ceremonies which will take place on that day in commemoration of the anniversary of the Order in the United States, and