# NEW ORLEANS:

MONDAY MORNING, MAY 13, 1850.

CHARITY HOSPITAL.—During the last week the deaths in this extensive establishment have only averaged three or four per day, and on Friday but one person died. The present number of patients is 546.

STRAY CHILD.—A little girl about five years of age, who says that her name is MARGARET, has been under the charge of Capt. Forno for several days past. The child can give no account of her parents.

INQUEST—*Found Drowned.*—The body of a white man was discovered on Saturday afternoon floating in the Mississippi, opposite the Second Municipality Ferry. The corpse appeared to be that of a laborer; it had on a white shirt, also a red flannel shirt and cottonade pants. The hair of the deceased was light, and his complexion fair. "Found drowned" was the verdict rendered by the jury of inquest.

FIRST DISTRICT COURT.—On Saturday the following persons were sentenced: Robert Barry, to the Penitentiary at hard labor for two years, for manslaughter on George Henry Graffenham, in November last. Wm. Robinson, for larceny, six months at hard labor in the Penitentiary. Arsenwall, for larceny, eighteen months hard labor in the Penitentiary. William Abel, larceny, one year imprisonment in the Parish Prison, and John McCarthy, a lad, two years imprisonment in the House of Refuge.

FIRST MUNICIPALITY COUNCIL.—This body met on Saturday evening. An ordinance was adopted reducing the number of Commissaries of Police from seven to three, and fixing their salaries at $900 per annum. An ordinance regulating the duties of Wharfinger was also adopted.

The principal business transacted was establishing the salaries of the Municipal officers, they were mostly placed on the footing of those of last year. The Council after a long discussion adopted these rates, and then adjourned to meet on Tuesday, for the purpose of going into an election.

## Personal News.

Count Bodisco, the late Minister from Russia, has been decorated by the Emperor with the grand cross of the order of Waldimar. Count Bodisco is now in Washington.

Dr. Mackay has a new volume of "Poems" in the London press.

Mr. Dickens's first number of "Household Words" has appeared in London.

Died, in Scituate, Mass., 22d ult., Mr. Simeon Pincin, aged 97 years. His wife, who survives him, is 102 years of age. They have been married 75 years, and are supposed to have been the oldest couple in the State.

The Rev. Canon Bowles, the poet, who had the controversy with Byron, died at Salisbury, in England, on the 7th ult., at the advanced age of 89.

Rev. Dr. R. B. C. Howell, of Nashville, Tenn., has accepted a call to the Second Baptist Church, Richmond, Va.

Mr. Dana Hyde and son, aged 12 years, were drowned, near Brattleboro', Vt., on the 28th ult.

Mrs. Pierson has ceased to conduct the Lancaster Gazette.

Hon. Edward Everett is to deliver the oration at the Bunker Hill Celebration, on the 17th June.

Mr. F. Robinson (dem.), declines to be longer a candidate for Congress, in the Fourth District of Massachusetts.

Mr. Elmore had not arrived at Washington, on the 3d inst, and some anxiety was felt about Mr. Berrien, who is much required in his seat. Senator Berrien is detained at his home in Savannah, by the serious illness of an interesting son.

The Senate confirmed, on the 2d inst, the nomination of the Hon. Neil S. Brown, of Tennessee, as Minister to Russia.

Hon. George Folsom, of New York, has been appointed Minister to the Hague, in place of Major Davezac, removed.

Clement Smith, Esq. once of Georgetown, who commanded the company of Independent Greys, having lately returned, after an absence of some years; the gentlemen who had been members of his company gave him a dinner.

Geo. Vandenhoff will commence an engagement at the Boston Museum, shortly.

TORONTO (C.W.), May 3.—Mr. De Blaquin has been elected Chancellor of the University at this place. The steamboats have commenced their regular trips between here and Montreal.

Hon. Timothy R. Young, Member of Congress from the Third District of Illinois, is dangerously ill. His physicians have but slight hopes of his recovery.

Late advices state the decaying health of the poet Moore, and that his death was daily apprehended.

Hon. George Bancroft is about taking rooms at Newport, for the summer. Park Benjamin, Esq., and family are domiciled there already.

Ely Moore, of New York, has purchased the Warren County (N. J.) Journal, and has removed to Belvidere to take charge of it.

William M. Blackford, has been appointed Postmaster at Lynchburg, Va., in place of Robert Cawthorn, removed.

Mr. D. Blaquin has been selected Chancellor of the University of Toronto.

Mr. A. Black, late Postmaster, has been elected Mayor of Plaquemine.

Miss Charlotte Cushman is playing in Washington to crowded houses.

MR. LAYARD.—Late advices received from Mr. Layard, at Nimroud, state that in a part of the building not far distant from that containing the throne, the whole of the culinary apparatus of the Monarch of Assyria has been discovered. It consists, among other things, of an immense cauldron, and more than 100 dishes, etc., of the same size.

POISONED BY CHEESE.—In Philadelphia, on the 1st inst., two of Mr. A. B. Warden's children, and two others named Moore, relatives of the family, were all seized with violent vomitings, after eating cheese at tea. Medical aid was procured, and the proper remedies applied, which finally had the effect of relieving them. The cheese has been analyzed, and found to be impregnated with some poisonous ingredient used in the manufacture, for the purpose of giving it a rich yellow color.

A NEW IDEA.—The upper ten-dom, of Philadelphia, was in full feather on the evening of the 3d inst., at Perelli's soiree, at the Musical Fund Hall. These are private musical entertainments, in which the pupils of Perelli perform as vocalists in the compositions of their learned *maestro*. The solos and choruses are by about forty ladies and gentlemen, who, being members of the first families, are screened from the vulgar gaze by a screen of gauze suspended before them. The orchestra of the Musical Fund Society performed the instrumental music, led by Perilli.

A MAN THROWN OUT OF A WINDOW.—At Boston on the 3d inst., a curious case of homicide occurred, which is given in the Herald as follows:

"At 11½ o'clock, last evening, Mr. James D. Saunders, the bar-keeper of the Massachusetts House, on the corner of Endicott and Cross streets, looked out of his window, and discovered two men in a house on the opposite side of the street, fighting in a third story room of the boarding house of Mr. Arthur McKenna, No. 3 Cross street. The larger one was soon forced through the window, carrying away the entire sash, and came down upon the sidewalk, striking upon his head and breaking his skull. He died in about five minutes after. The man's name was ascertained to be Peter Carney; he came to the city yesterday from Providence with his room-mate, John Conley, whom he was to get employment for on some railroad; both retired to the same room about 9½ o'clock, in the evening. No noise was heard by the people on the same floor, who were up at the time of the fatal occurrence, and heard nothing till the crash of the window. The watch in a few minutes after the occurrence, broke into the room and arrested Conley, who pretended that he did not know any thing about the matter, and asked with assumed innocence where his room-mate was. He acted very stupid and was apparently drunk. He was committed to jail to await an investigation."

GOVERNOR OF CONNECTICUT.—The Legislature of Connecticut, having on the 2d inst. elected a Speaker by *one* majority, in joint convention proceeded to the election of State officers. Thos. H. Seymour was chosen Governor, receiving 122 votes to 115 against him, and Charles H. Pond, Lieutenant Governor, by 124 to 105. These gentlemen were the democratic candidates for their respective offices at the late election. A democrat had been elected Speaker in the Senate by 15 to 5.

The screw-dock at Market Slip, New York, caught fire on the 4th inst., and before it could be extinguished, considerable damage was done. The flames communicated to the bowsprit of the brig Torno, of Baltimore. A number of men mounted the rigging, at the peril of suffocation, and by means of ropes and buckets succeeded in extinguishing the fire. The brig will lose her bowsprit, jib-boom, fore-topmast, and probably her foremast, with most of the rigging attached.

## Foreign News.

The U. S. mail steamer Washington, George W. Floyd, commander, from Bremen, April 15th, via Southampton, April 20, half-past 7 P. M., arrived at New York on the 4th inst. She brings dates from the South of England and from the continent one day later than were received by the Canada. The intelligence from Liverpool is not so late, and the commercial reports from other quarters contain nothing new. The English Ministry still hold together.

The Greek difficulty is considered settled, and the official statement is daily expected. Admiral Parker is to give up the captured vessels. The return of his fleet to Malta is looked for daily.

From Ireland there is nothing new to report, except a continuance of favorable weather for the agriculturists. Many of the emigrants now leaving for the United States are people of considerable means.

There was a terrible tornado in Dublin on the night of the 18th of April, destroying a very large amount of property, estimated at least at £30,000, a great portion broken windows.

The Repeal Association rents, declared on the 9th, have sunk to £4. Mr. John O'Connell again threatened that if universal Ireland did not come forward to support his establishment, the doors should be closed, and there would be the end of repeal.

The Marquis of Westminster has been appointed Lord Steward of Her Majesty's Household and a member of the Privy Council.

The news of Mr. Calhoun's death created a great sensation in England.

Two columns and the gateway of the temple erected by Thothmes III. and Pharaoh of Exodus, have been dug up at Heliopolis.

Mr. Macready was so ill during the evening of the 15th of April, at Glasgow, while playing *King Lear*, that he was obliged to retire after the performance of the first act. A sudden and severe attack of rheumatism prostrated him.

At a public banquet in Glasgow, on the 15th, the following toast was given:

"The President of the United States of America, Gen. Taylor."

The political parties of France are busily preparing for the election of a deputy to the National Assembly, which was to come off on the 28th of April. The Conservatives, after a great deal of controversy, have nominated a Mr. Leclerc for their candidate, and the nomination has become exceedingly popular.

Mr. Eugene Sue, the celebrated novelist, is the candidate of the Socialists and Democrats; but the Conservatives are most confident of success.

The party of order in the department of the Sarthe have obtained a signal triumph in the election of a member of the Council General to replace Ledru Rollin.

A frightful event occurred at Angers, 170 miles from Paris. On the morning of the 16th ult. a squadron of Hussars, coming from Nantes, had crossed over the suspension bridge of the Basse Maine, although the wind blew very heavily from the west, and the river was much agitated, when the head of the column of the 3d battalion of the 11th Light Artillery appeared on the other side. Reiterated warnings were given to the troops to break into sections as is usually done, but the rain falling heavily at the time, the warning was disregarded, and the battalion advanced in close column. The head of the battalion had reached the opposite side, when a horrible crash was heard; the cast iron columns of the right bank suddenly gave way, crushing beneath them the rear of the 4th company, which, with the flank company, had not entered on the bridge. A frightful spectacle ensued; the scene at the bridge of Beresina can alone give an idea of it. The whole town rushed to the spot to give assistance. In spite of the storm which was raging, all the boats which could be got at were launched to pick up the soldiers in the river, and a great number who were clinging to the parapets of the bridge, or who were afloat by their knapsacks, were immediately got out. The greater number of them were, however, found to be wounded by the bayonets or by the fragments of the bridge falling on them. The suspending chains at first gave way at one side only; the soldiers on the bridge naturally rushed to the other side, when the chains there also gave way, and the whole floor of the bridge fell. From one bank to the other the river was completely blocked up with the soldiers struggling to reach the shore. If the weather had been calm, the greater number of them would in all probability have been saved. The wind, however, blew a perfect hurricane, and the waves were very rough. Of the 1st, 2d and 3d companies, there only remain 14, 16 and 19 men respectively. Two hundred and fifty-two lives were lost.

A telegraphic dispatch received at Paris announcing the arrival of the Pope at Rome was dated Toulon, April 18. It consisted of a few words to the effect that the whole city expressed the greatest joy at the return of the Holy Father, and the population went out to meet him. It is thought probable that his Holiness will, after some time, make a tour in his States.

The late warlike news from Russia is still confirmed by all the German and Austrian papers. The Russian troops on the frontiers of Prussia are quoted at 160,000 men, and strong reinforcements are said to be marching up. 50,000 among them are Bashkir and Circassian horsemen.

## Irish Items.

Arthur O'Donnell and Mr. Scalan have been murdered in the County of Clare.

The County of Donegal is in a bad state; in almost every part of it is an organized system of ribbonism.

The gas-lights are withdrawn from Clonmel, which town at night is in complete darkness. A borough rate is threatened.

John Ryan, who was found guilty at Tullamore, of having murdered Sergeant Grant, was executed lately. His brother stood at the foot of the gallows.

Several hundred emigrants left the city of Cork recently, by the Nimrod and Albert steamers for Liverpool, to take passage for America. The deck of the former steamer was densely crowded with men, women, and children, the greater number of them comfortably attired.

The late Thomas Cormick, of Wexford, has bequeathed £200 to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith; £50 to the Sisters of Mercy of the town; £100 to Olive Mount Institution, Dublin; and £25 to the Presentation Convent, Wexford. But not one farthing to the *starving thousands* of his country.

FOREIGN THEATRICALS.—From the London Journals, per last arrival, we glean the following: "The Keans will finish their engagement at the Haymarket, and commence a provincial tour. Macready had returned to town, and was to make his appearance at the Haymarket. Gustavus Brooke, the tragedian, was performing at Marylebone theatre. The Olympic theatre is still closed. Mrs. Mowatt and Mr. Davenport are not playing at any house. The two Opera-houses and the French theatre are liberally patronized. Drury-lane theatre does not prosper. Anderson has a poor company, and his entertainments are not attractive. The Lyceum, Adelphi, Strand and Surry theatres are well filled every night. It is reported that Mr. Chas. Kean will succeed Mr. Maddox as lessee of the Princess' theatre. Young Hernandez, the American equestrian, is at Astley's.

THE RIVER.—The Vicksburg Whig of the 9th, says: "The river at this point is within 24 inches of the highest water of this season, and rising at the rate of half an inch in twenty-four hours. At latest accounts the water at Memphis was within two inches of high water mark and rising."

HEALTH OF LONDON.—In the week ending the 6th of April, the deaths of 1124 persons were registered in the metropolis.


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my10 3t. corner of Magazine and Common streets.

DISCHARGED SOLDIERS—BOUNTY LAND and PENSIONS obtained at *No. 3 St. Charles street*, (room No. 3, up-stairs,) at the U. S. Commissioner's office, near the corner of Canal st. ap8 3mis

BOURLICK WATER—At the FALCON HOUSE, by the bbl. gallon or glass. my10

FAMILY BEEF AND PORK—60 half bbls. very superior Family Beef; 20 do. do. Pork, for sale by
my10 3t. P. RYAN, 28 Old Levee st.


# NEW ORLEANS MARKETS.

CRESCENT OFFICE,
Monday Morning, May 13, 1850.

COTTON—There was a fair, though not general demand for Cotton on Saturday, and the sales embraced 3500 bales, a considerable portion of which was for England. Prices have been quite firm since the Niagara's news. The receipts are still falling off, and the decrease at all the Southern ports, as compared with last year, is now 631,000 bales.

NEW ORLEANS CLASSIFICATION.

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| Inferior | 10 @ 10½ | Middling Fair | 12½ @ 13½ |
| Ordinary | 11 @ 11½ | Fair | 13 @ 13½ |
| Middling | 12 @ 12½ | Good Fair | 13½ @ — |
| Good Middling | 12½ @ 12½ | Good and Fine | nominal. |

TOBACCO—We only heard of two sales, viz: 21 hhds., 12 A at 7¾, 4 R at 6, 15 at 5¾; and 83 hhds (a low running lot) at 7¼ for A, and 5¾ for Refused.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES—About 200 hhds Sugar sold at full rates, say 4½@4¾ for Fair, and 5c for Prime: also, 300 bbls Molasses at 23@25c for good Fermenting, and 26@27c ℔ gallon for the best Refined.

FLOUR—There were some buyers in the market, and 1200 bbls changed hands as follows: 100 bbls St. Louis, not inspected, at $5 50, 150 bbls at $5 80 for Superfine and $5 30 for Fine, 100 St. Louis at $6 00, 100 at $5 87½, 400 Fine (200 Illinois and 100 St. Louis) at $5 35, and several smaller lots.

CORN—Prices steady. Sales 5000 sks, including 1384 sks Yellow, in second hand sks, at 72, 300 at 73@75, 1030 (850 and 180) at 75, 1025 White at 77, and 400 sks at 80c. Also—1500 bbls Ear Corn at $1 15 ℔ bbl. At the close but little in first hands.

HAY AND BRAN—50 bales Western Hay sold on the Levee at $22 00 ℔ ton, and 113 sks Bran at $1 20 ℔ 100 lb.

PROVISIONS—The Pork market was rather dull, the largest sale being 100 bbls Mess at $19 50 ℔ bbl. In Beef we heard of none but retail transactions. Bacon steady and 30 sks prime Side Bacon at 4¾, and 17 do Shoulders at 3½c ℔ lb. Lard is rather on the advance, and nearly 4000 kegs were disposed of, including 1495 Prime on the Levee at 6 9-16, and 2500 kegs in store (one lot) at 6½c ℔ lb.

COFFEE—Lower. 600 bags Rio sold at 8@8¼, and a large lot offered at less.

BAGGING AND ROPE—50 pieces were sold at 14, and 60 coils at 7c, both cash.

WHISKY—Prices firm. 100 bbls sold at 20½@21c for Rectified.

LEAD—100 pigs sold to a city manufacturer at 5c ℔ lb.

FREIGHTS—Nothing doing. Cotton to Liverpool 5-32@3-16d.

# NEW ORLEANS CATTLE MARKET.

JEFFERSON CITY,
Sunday Evening, May 12, 1850.

Arrived to-day per steamers P Pennywit and Galveston, 121 head of Western Beeves, including 50 head of Texas.

PRICES.—*Beef Cattle*, 4½@6c ℔ lb net; *Hogs*, 3 @3½c ℔ lb net; *Sheep*, —@— ℔ head; *Milch Cows*, $20 @$45; *Calves*, $3 00@$6 00 ℔ head.

# PORT OF NEW ORLEANS.

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

## Cleared Saturday.

Steamship Yacht, Thompson, Brazos, Harris & Morgan
Steamship Plata, Simmons, Genoa, L H Cable
Ship Geo Green, Redman, Liverpool, Geo Green & Bro
Bark Syria, Bill, Malaga, E Menlove
Schr Cora, Potter, Roble, Master
Schr John C Caywood, Phillips, New London, Master
Schr Louisa Sears, Sears, Apalachicola, E G Rogers & Co
Schr Rosamond, Chaine, Point Isabel, C Wickham
Schr Newton, Matson, Brazos River, McDowell & Peck

## Arrived Saturday.

Bark Roanoke, Kelly, from Rio de Janeiro, 19th March, to A F Elliott & Co—1st *my.*
Brig Hope, Pierce, 20 days from Marseilles, to master—2 my.
Schr Gen W H Harrison, Cozzens, 2 days from Pensacola, to master—3d my.
Schr Nile, Tackaberry, 9 days from Chagres, in ballast, to R M Harrison & Co—1st my.

STEAMBOATS.

Gen. Taylor, Power, from Donaldsonville.
Giper, Lee, from Bayou Sara—20 bales cotton.
Ama, Johnston, from Bayou de Glaise—70 bales cotton.
Harrison, Wilson, from Shreveport—110 bales cotton.
J L Welsh, Keans, from Quachita.
Hecla, Kay, from Grand Ecore—48 bales cotton.
Towboat Southwestern, Marin, from the Passes.

## Arrived Yesterday.

Steamship Galveston, Pease, from Lavaca and Galveston, to Harris & Morgan—3d my.
Ship St Charles Hellyard, 18 days from New York, to J W Stanton & Co—2d my.
Span bark Marianna Nevera, from Havana, 3d inst, in ballast, to master—1st my.
Brig Octavia, Madden, 15 days from Chagres, in ballast, to Spain & Mendoza—1st my.
Schr Mary Ellen, Nelson, from Havana, 5th inst, to J B McClosky—1st my.
U S Schr Wave, Commander Arnot, 5 days from Brazos St Jago, in ballast, to U S Quartermaster—3d mo.
Schr Geo Lincoln, Rogers, 5 days from the Mouth of the Rio Grande, to O Wickham—1st my.
Brit schr Adventure, Saunders, 10 days from Island Guanaell, Yucatan, to Brands & Co—2d my.

STEAMBOATS.

Lowndes, Jr, Jenks, from Rodney—427 bales cotton.
Meteor No 2, Fassett, from Attakapas.
Aberdeen, Cloudis, from Camden—32 bales cotton.
Shamrock, Hart, from Shreveport—5 bales cotton.
P. Pennywit, Beatty, from Fort Smith—280 bales cotton.
Caddo, Graham, from Shreveport—323 bales cotton.
Ben Franklin, Simmons, from Pensacola.
California, Griffin, from Mobile.
Towboat Corinne, Sutton, from the Passes.
Towboat Tensas, Hedges, from the Passes.
Towboat Conqueror, Heaton, from the Passes.

## Spoken.

By the bark Roanoke, in lat 7° 50' south, lon 34° 30' west, British ship Robt Peel (or Robt Field), from Callao, for Cork; on the 6th inst, off Cape St Roque, propeller Endora, from New York, for San Francisco—all well.

## Memoranda.

Capt Rogers, of the schooner Geo Lincoln, arrived yesterday from the Rio Grande, reports a schooner sunk about eight miles to the westward of the S W Pass, in four fathoms water, both masts standing—supposed to have been capsized during the squall of Wednesday morning last.

A seaman belonging to the bark Roanoke, named George Shields, a native of Bucksford, Maine, died at Rio de Janeiro on the 16th March, of the prevailing epidemic.

Towboat Southwestern towed down said to sea, on the 8th inst, ship Sheffield, brigs Erie and Albion.

Towboat Corinne towed down and to sea on the 10th inst, brig D Wild and schr Ira Bliss.

Towboat Conqueror towed down and to sea, on the 5th inst, bark Champlain and brig Hollander.

## Passengers.

Per steamship Galveston, from Galveston—Mrs Price and son, Mrs McDonough, Mrs Gibertson, Miss Fry, H Boehner and lady, Mrs Beckworth; Messrs Watkins, Walker, Ford, Chapman, Douglass, Perkins, Brander, Hyde, Webb, Allen, Donahoe, Tolbut, Hotchkiss, J Allen, Conyngham, Garway, N Cunningham, Cunningham, Leigh, Rev Mr Walden, Coleman, Wright, Atkinson, Larkin, Mathewson, Segni, Jr, Cooke, Lacoe, Col James Mainland, Lieut John Griffin—and 8 on deck.

## Proceedings of the Board of Liquidators.

SATURDAY, May 11, 1850.

The Board met at 5 o'clock, on a call of the President.
Present—The Hon. A. D. Crossman, President; Messrs. Bedin, Richards, Converse, Lapeyre, Lanaux and Wilson.

On motion, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Mr. Bedin, as Chairman of the Committee to demand and receive the assets of the General Sinking Fund, presented the following report, which was adopted:

In compliance with a resolution passed on the 5th instant, appointing a certain number of Committees to demand and receive the assets of the General Sinking Fund of the city of New Orleans and of the several Sinking Funds of the several Municipalities, the Special Committee appointed for the General Sinking Fund, beg leave to report, that they have called on the Comptroller, P. Deverges, Esquire, and obtained from him the delivery of all the assets and vouchers appertaining to said General Sinking Fund. The books and furniture of the office have also been delivered to the Secretary of the Board.

Your Committee deem it their duty to inform the Board of the position they assumed, upon applying for the transmission to them of all the effects and papers and of the cash on hand, which belonging to the General Sinking Fund, which money being defined by the law creating the Board of Liquidators, is the same as regards the surrender, by the respective Municipalities, of the assets of the other Sinking Funds.

Under the act approved 4th May, 1847, three different Sinking Funds in each of the three Municipalities, were organized for sinking the amount of their respective debts. The General Sinking Fund, relating to the debts of the city prior to the division in 1836, was left untouched. The Council of Aldermen in the three corporations became the administrators, under the law, of the Sinking Funds, wherever in extant, or thereafter to be raised, whereswith to meet the claims of bondholders and other creditors. The power thus conferred on the Council could of course be at any time, withdrawn from them by the Legislature and placed in other hands, without in the least affecting the rights of creditors. Your Committee consider that in organizing the Board of Liquidators, he operated a change of mandatories for superintending the payment of the city and municipal debts. The authority which the Aldermen and Councils of Aldermen were clothed for that particular branch of the public service, has been taken away from them; and such being the case, as they can have no other authority than is specially vested in them by the law, any attempt on their part, even prompted by the best of motives, to continue in the exercise of functions withheld from them would be a nullity and an usurpation of power.

But it has been urged that the law creating the Board of Liquidators has made another radical change by providing for a more modest and economical mode of transacting the functions of the Municipalities are affected by the change, it becomes the duty of the Municipalities as parties to existing contracts, to defend those rights.

Your Committee would humbly suggest that even supposing the rights of creditors to be affected by the law alluded to (which your committee do not at all disposed to admit), the Municipalities, being mere fictitious persons, cannot act but through the intervention of constituted agents, and the agents now constituted by law, in respect to all that which concerns the debts of the Municipalities, are not the Aldermen, nor Councils of Aldermen, but the Board of Liquidators; and, consequently, if our Municipal corporations be in honor and duty bound to protect the rights of their creditors, it will then be the part of your Board to act for the Municipalities and see those rights safe and unimpaired.

It has always been considered, that the assets of the different sinking funds should not be surrendered until the debt of each Municipality had been determined, and the advertisements for the extinction of such debt had been published. Your committee consider that, under the third section of the act, the Board of Liquidators must *ascertain* the city and Municipality debts; and, under the seventh section, they must take possession of the debts and of the proceeds of the sinking funds," shall form the indebtedness to be apportioned to each Municipality, as its own debt, for which new bonds may be exchanged; and, in view of which, the Board are authorized to levy a tax on the people. The operation, therefore, of demanding and receiving the assets of the different sinking funds, to realize the same, must precede the act of determining such separate Municipality debt, and the publication in the papers, for exchange of bonds.

Your Committee hope that these views on the position of your Honorable Body, as established by the action of your Board, may meet with your approbation, and be sanctioned by the adoption of the report.

The only property of the assets enumerated in the inventory of the General Sinking Fund, which your Council did not receive from the Comptroller, consists of—1st, the property known as the Girard Legacy; 2d, the notes and obligations sold to the Louisiana State Bank, in relation to which the Honorable Body have not as yet taken any action; and 3d, the claims in the hands of the attorney for collection.

On motion, the Board adjourned to Wednesday, the 15th of May, 1850, at 5 o'clock, P. M.

JOHN CALHOUN, Secretary.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS,
May 10, 1850.

IN pursuance of a resolution, passed by the Council of a Municipality No. Two, at its sitting of 7th inst. notice is hereby given that in not less than ten, nor more than thirty days, from the first publication hereof, the Council of Municipality No. Two will proceed to act on the improvement contemplated by the said resolution, viz: the opening and extending, in a straight line, and of the same width, North Foydras street, from its present termination through Barcome Place, and extend it to the provisions of the act of the Legislature, of the 3d of April, 1832, regulating the opening of streets, etc. within the city of New Orleans, and of the act amending thereof, approved 3d May, 1847.

A. D. CROSSMAN, Mayor.

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THIS DAY, Monday, May 13, at 10 o'clock—Will be sold, at No. 1, 105 Magazine street—
2000 bags RIO COFFEE, sound, in good order. my13

Furniture.....Furniture.....Furniture.

BY SYKES, HYDE & CO.

MONDAY, May 13, at half-past 10 o'clock—Will be sold, at the dwelling No. 85 Union street, just below Barracks street—
All the FURNITURE in said house, consisting of Rosewood, Sofas; Dressing Bureaus, with Glass; Bedstead and Bedding, Mirrors, Chairs, Tables, Armoire, Carpets, Crockery and Kitchen Ware, Curtains and sundry other articles.
Terms cash. my11

Sale.....On account of departure.

BY ANTHONY FERNANDEZ,
Auctioneer.
*Office No. 59 Toulouse street.*

MONDAY, May 13, at 10 o'clock—Will be sold, at No. 61 Toulouse street, between Chartres and Royal—
THE FURNITURE of said house, consisting of Bed and Bedding, Tables, Bookcases, Glasses, Armoire, Sofas, Divans, Curtains, Carpets, Chairs, Rocking Chairs, Crockery, etc.; and the Kitchen Furniture.
Also ....
Several valuable SERVANTS, who can be seen at any time by applying on the premises. my8

Extensive Sale.....of.....French Goods.

BY P. H. PETTEPAIN.

TUESDAY, May 14, 1850, at 10 o'clock—Will be sold, at Mr. O. Talamon's store, No. 61 Chartres street—
His large stock of FRENCH GOODS—comprising upwards of 400 pieces Silks and lots of fresh and desirable goods, to which the attention of city and country dealers is particularly called.
TERMS—Over $200, 6 months' credit.
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Brandy.....Gin.....Port.....and.....Madeira.

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WEDNESDAY, May 15, at half-past 10 o'clock—Will be sold, at No. 55 Gravier street, to close consignments, the following
8 pipes Schiedam Gin, Nolet's Eagle, pure.
12 quarter casks A. Seignette Brandy.
10 octaves do. do.
20 quarter casks Madeira Wine.
1 bbl. St. Croix Rum.
4 bbls. Jamaica Rum, sixth proof.
70 cases London Dock Port Wine.
50 do. do. do. Madeira Wine.
7 cases Preserves.
Terms at sale. my13

Liberal Credit Sale of Valuable Building Lots on Canal street, Second Municipality, to be sold without reserve, immediately after the sale of the State House Square.

BY J. A. BEARD, Auctioneer.

THURSDAY, May 16, 1850, at 12 o'clock M.—Will be sold at auction, at Banks Arcade, without reserve—
(The sale to be made immediately after W. H. Palfrey offers the State House Square.)
Two LOTS OF GROUND, with all the improvements thereon, in the square bounded by Canal, Common, Philippa and Cirese streets, being Nos. 1 and 2, and forming the corner of Canal and Philippa streets. No. 1 measures 86 feet, 10 inches and 6½ lines front on Canal street by a depth and front on Philippa street of 122 feet, 8 inches and 6 lines, and 122 feet, 4 inches and 3 lines on the other line, and 21 feet and 5 lines front on an alley of 4 feet in the rear. No. 2 measures 28 feet, 10 inches and 6½ lines front on Canal street by a depth of 122 feet, 4 inches and 3 lines on the line of No. 1, and 120 feet and 6 lines in the rear line, and fronting an alley of 4 feet. The improvements comprise a two story frame building, now rented as a furniture store.
TERMS—One quarter cash, the purchaser to assume payment on each lot for $2500, payable in 1 years from April 1, 1850, with 6 per cent. interest from date to maturity, and if not then paid, to bear interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum. The balance of the payment in 1, 2 and 3 years from April 1, 1850, with 6 per cent. interest, payable at the office of the vendor. The whole of the notes to bear mortgage on the property.
Act of sale before James Graham, Esq., N. P., at the expense of the purchaser. my13

P. B. TAYLOR,

AUCTION AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, has removed to No. 88 Gravier street, where he will give particular attention to the sale of Real Estate, Stocks, Damaged Cotton, Port Wanlens, Household Furniture, Slaves, etc.; will also makes advances on Merchandise placed in his hands. my2

Lost or Mislaid:

THE following described Notes have been lost or mislaid. All persons are cautioned not to the public not to negotiate or trade for them, as payment has been stopped, viz:
Messrs. LEEDS & CO.'S Note, dated New Orleans, May 10th, 1850, at 60 days after date, payable to the order of the subscribers for $250.
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A single ticket any distance to or from, or above Louisiana Avenue.....$0 12
Ditto ticket, children over 3 and under 12 years 0 10
To or from Louisiana Avenue, (children half price,) 0 10
50 tickets for above Louisiana Avenue, or from Carrollton.....6 00
50 tickets to or from Louisiana Avenue.....4 00
Personal monthly tickets, (from the first to the last of each month only,) any distance.....5 00
*The Cars depart from the Bayenne street depot as follows:*
Home Cars, 6½ A. M., 9½