## STEAMBOAT DEPARTURES.

| November. | Steamer. | Captain. | Hour. | Destination |
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| Friday, 21. | CALIFORNIA, | Scaggs, | 4 o'clock | Mobile |
| " " | ST. JAMES, | Kentzhal, | 5 o'clock | Vicksburg |
| " " | OPHELIA, | Gordon, | 10 o'clock | Port Hudson |
| " " | NEW LATONA, | Lindsey, | 5 o'clock | Bayou Sara |
| " " | POST BOY, | Pepkes, | 10 o'clock | Balize |
| " " | DOVE, | Sun, | 5 o'clock | Louisville |
| " " | ATLANTIC, | Scaggs, | 5 o'clock | St. Louis |
| " " | RECRUIT, | Gordon, | 5 o'clock | Ouachita |
| Sat'y, 22. | J. E. DORWELL, | Cathcart, | 10 o'clock | Balize |
| " " | MUSIC, | Streck, | 5 o'clock | Donaldsonville |
| " " | E. D. WHITE, | Butler, | 5 o'clock | Williamsport |
| " " | GLENDY BURKE, | White, | 5 o'clock | Vicksburg |
| " " | NATCHEZ No. 2, | Leathers, | 5 o'clock | Red River |
| " " | GEM, | Snapp, | 5 o'clock | Memphis |
| " " | ROCKAWAY No. 2, | Davis, | 5 o'clock | Memphis |
| " " | NOBILE, | Patel, | 5 o'clock | Mobile |
| " " | UNCLE SAM, | VanDorsen, | 5 o'clock | St. Louis |
| " " | TEXAS RANGER, | Gibbons, | 5 o'clock | Galveston |
| " " | SWALLOW, | Waite, | 5 o'clock | Cincinnati |
| " " | LEXINGTON, | Mather, | 5 o'clock | Louisville |
| " " | OREGON, | Hiern, | 4 o'clock | Mobile |
| " " | FASHION, | Remes, | 5 o'clock | Shreveport |
| Sun'y, 23. | MEXICO, | Place, | 9 o'clock | Mobile |
| " " | GIPSY, | Urs, | 5 o'clock | Bayou Sara |
| " " | ST. CHARLES, | Aggagan, | 9 o'clock | Bayou Sara |
| Mon'y, 24. | DR. BATEY, | Enos, | 5 o'clock | Hobdell's Landing |
| " " | CONCORDIA, | Cable, | 5 o'clock | Napoleon |
| " " | CADDO, | Dunlap, | 10 o'clock | Donaldsonville |
| Tue'y, 25. | ATFON, | Gaines, | 5 o'clock | Memphis |
| " " | PRINCESS RIO, | E. Heimes, | 5 o'clock | New Carthage |
| " " | MAGNOLIA, | Thomasson, | 5 o'clock | Vicksburg |
| Wed'y 26. | C. E. WATKINS, | Frost, | 5 o'clock | Memphis |
| Thurs. 27. | EMPEROR, | Jones, | 5 o'clock | Pittsburg |
| " " | MARY FOLEY, | Dallems, | 5 o'clock | Memphis |
| " " | MORGAN, | Irvin, | 5 o'clock | Memphis |
| Sat'y, 29. | LOUISIANA, | Forbes, | 9 o'clock | Galveston |
| Dec. 1. | BULLETIN No. 2, | Church, | 5 o'clock | Memphis |

### Amusements....This Evening.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE—Much Ado About Nothing—Chloroform; or, New Orleans in 1951.

DAN RICE'S CIRCUS, corner of Jackson and Rousseau streets, Lafayette—Equestrian performances.

☞ See advertisements on third page.

### Auction Sales....This Day.

J. M. WEYMOUTH will sell, at 10 o'clock, at No. 107 St. Charles street—Furniture, etc.

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

UNION DIVISION No. 5 meets at 8 o'clock, at Crystal Fount Hall, 251 Tchoupitoulas street.


# The Daily Crescent.

OFFICIAL JOURNAL
*Of the Council of the Second Municipality.*

NEW ORLEANS:
FRIDAY MORNING, NOV. 21.

THE DAILY CRESCENT, OFFICE NO. 22 ST. CHARLES STREET,

Will be regularly served to subscribers in this city and Lafayette at the rate of twenty cents per week, (two cents per copy,) for the daily; and at the rate of $2 per year, in advance, payable at the office, or 12 cents a week, payable to the carrier.

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All Advertisements not marked will be published one month and charged accordingly.
The Crescent has strong claims upon advertisers as a medium of communication with the public. Its circulation, which was large when it came into the hands of the present proprietor, has been steadily and rapidly on the increase, even through the dull season just closed.
October 26, 1851.


**For News from California, Oregon, the Islands of China, the Sandwich Islands, etc., etc., see Next Page.**

☞ The List of Letters remaining in the Post-office will be found on our First Page.

☞ The New Orleans Crescent unwittingly does this Congressional District great injustice. It says: "we regret to chronicle the re-election of Brown, disunionist, by an increased majority. He is an adroit demagogue; among rank disunionists the most rabid, and his success does not redound to the honor or intelligence of his district." [Natchez Courier.

A young gentleman, a very capable one, too, who assists us, wrote the paragraph the Courier refers to. Had it come under the critical notice of the responsible editor, it might have escaped our contemporary's criticism.

*The Merchants' Exchange.*—We are glad to see some movement among our mercantile friends toward the re-establishment of High Change in this city. Last evening we noticed quite a gathering of merchants, ship-masters and other business men at the Reading Rooms, the use of which, Dr. Roberts, the proprietor, with commendable liberality, has offered for this purpose free of charge. It is certainly a strange fact in the history of New Orleans that there has been no High Change in this city for a period of three years or more, and we think the anomaly will be allowed to exist but a short time longer.

THE GLASS OF FASHION AND THE MOULD OF FORM. We call attention to the advertisement of *Mr. J. Ducournau*, fashionable tailor, corner of Common and St. Charles streets. Mr. Ducournau is unsurpassed in his line, and the gentleman who would be dressed *comme il faut*, must call on him. We recommend him to our friends, as the man to apply to, to secure elegance and comfort of dress.

ST. LOUIS HOTEL.—Pressing duties on Wednesday evening prevented us from partaking of the hospitalities of our friends of this magnificent Hotel, but we yesterday dropped in at the rotunda, just to see what might be going on. We found every thing not only as it should be, but exactly as few men know how to "fix" them. All was in excellent taste, particularly the—but we cannot particularize without the appearance of *partiality*.

The Hotel is now nicely ready for the reception of guests, and if its accommodations are, we have no doubt that it will be filled during the entire winter. With such hosts as Messrs. Wilson and Hall, every stranger will forget that he is from home.

By the way, to our native the other day of the arrangements of the gentlemanly establishment, we omitted to refer to the superior cuisine. This is placed in the circular gallery, adjoining the office. All the leading papers of the United States will be found here, two, three, or more, hung upon rods each interval of the noble columns supporting the dome.

☞ Those who desire to learn the noble art of self-defence, to strengthen and improve their lungs, to say nothing of the healthy and profitable exercise, would do well to patronize the professors, G. & H. Rosiere. They are experts in their line.

*Appointment.*—Alfred W. Morrison, of Howard county, Missouri, has received the appointment to the office of State Treasurer, made vacant by the decease of Mr. Glover. He has accepted.

*Oregon.*—By the latest arrivals we learn that the emigrants have got through in spite of great difficulties. The Snake Indians have become very hostile, and have committed many murders. Other tribes, too, are growing troublesome.

*Lexington Insurance Co.*—The failure of the Lexington Insurance Company has involved many citizens of that place to a very large amount. One gentleman loses $70,000, several others to the amount of $20,000, and numbers as much $20,000 each. By the assignment of the Company, those who recently advanced $45,000 to support the Company of its embarrassments, were secured. After this sum is paid, it is thought the remaining assets will not be much. [Louisville Courier.

*Cotton.*—The present raise are very unfavorable to cotton picking, and more so as many of our planters have made much more cotton than they will be able to gather, and to whom dry weather during the winter would be a great accommodation. [Lake Providence (La.) Republican, 13th instant.

*Relics of the Barbarous Past.*—The State of North Carolina is, in some particulars, very far behind the rest of civilization. Ear-cropping, whipping, the pillory, and such like means of punishment, still disgrace her statute books. We notice that Wm. Tunnell, a youth, was convicted of forgery in Halifax county, last week, and sentenced to stand in the pillory one hour, to receive nine lashes on the bare back, and be confined in jail six months. He is the adopted son of Mr. Isaac Scarborough, of Edgecombe county, on whom the forgery was committed. Why do not some of the good men of that State take up the subject of reform in these matters!

*Directors for the Tennessee State Bank.*—The following gentlemen have been nominated by Gov. Campbell, of Tennessee, as directors for the Bank of Tennessee: W. Ledbetter, of the county of Rutherford; John Shelby, M. M. Monohan, W. F. Cooper, C. K. Winston, P. W. Maxy, S. B. Fite, W. N. Bibo, of the county of Davidson; Robert C. Foster, of Williamson; Calvin W. Jackson, of Wilson; Gen. C. Allen, of Smith; B. R. Howard, of Sumner; Thomas G. Wood, of Cannon; John C. Marshall, of Macon.

*Worthy of Imitation.*—The Hydraulion Engine Company No. 1, Providence, R. I., has

"*Resolved*, That we do not countenance the use of liquor at any time.

"*Resolved*, Also to establish a Library, to be used by the members."

### Spain and the United States.

As might have been expected, various reports are in circulation in reference to our relations with Spain. It is said that this ancient and *effête* power claims of us something like an apology for recent events, the invasion of Cuba by the forces of Lopez, and the mobbing of the Spanish Consul's office at New Orleans.

The first claim is a matter of the most special nonsense. Our Government in no way connived at the organization or sailing of Lopez's expedition. Our forces were upon the high seas to prevent its successful landing. Our national Executive "proclaimed" against it in the strongest terms. The large mass of our people had nothing whatever to do with it, and felt for it nothing more than the vaguest sympathy of countrymen sympathizing with countrymen.

The second claim is equally ridiculous. The Spanish Consul's office was mobbed. That is true. But whose the fault? He obstinately refused to deliver up letters addressed by the butchered companions of Crittenden, to their relatives in this city. He contemptuously defied their anxious agony. His friends and associates openly triumphed in the fate of Crittenden and his companions. They boasted of it on the streets. They immediately issued an extra announcing the fate of those whom they called "pirates," whilst the shock and agony of desolation yet convulsed households. They (through the Consul) refused to deliver the letters of the slaughtered dead; and, as an inevitable consequence, the office of that foolish or malicious Consul was invaded, and its contents broken up.

We have never defended the act. We never will. It may have its apology in just irritation; it has no defence in equity in propriety. The only press in this city which said nothing immediately following the occurrence, is the notorious press, unscrupulous in its defamation of private character and falsely boastful of its (self-proclaimed) honesty and impartiality—honesty and impartiality known to none others, and contradicted by every circumstance of its history and conduct. We regret that a Consul—and unlike a contemporary, we enter not into his private history—should have been insulted and frightened—moral coward as he was—into departure from our city. We regret our authorities were so nerveless as to be incapable of shielding him; and we do so spite of all his follies and prejudices.

But if the demand is, that he shall come back with the honors of the United States thundered forth upon his coming, we protest. He behaved cruelly towards the relatives of the massacred victims of Havana. He refused them the last tidings of the dead. He cannot, shall not, dare not, return; and there is but one press—gutter-scraping, favor-seeking, "we-have-had-the-pleasure-of-meeting," "our usual impartiality-and-honesty" press, in New Orleans, which will argue that he should. That press may argue that he should. Time and tide will govern it.

But there is one proposition of Spain (as reported) to which we are willing to accede. We understand that the Queen of Spain is willing to liberate the Havana prisoners upon certain conditions. They are these: A Spanish vessel of war is to bring over a Consul, and we are to salute him. In like manner Spain promises to treat our Consul. Very well: we agree to that; but we would fight with her upon the last point of honor, where sacrifice was asked, or with any power under heaven. We are strong and just; let us be forbearing and generous. The Cuban invasion was a great mistake, a terrible deception—let us save its victims.

But Spain is not altogether free from blame. She has recently condemned a United States citizen (J. S. Thrasher) under an extraordinary and most censurable process. She must release him. She must give him freedom. Our Government should demand it.

Let her do this, and we are prepared, anxious, for amicable relations. The strong should be magnanimous to the weaker power; but we can not bear wrong, we can not submit to outrage. She has condemned, sentenced, shot, our own Americans, without lawful trial. Let her answer to this. Let the dead sleep. Let their grave mistake be her apology; but let national honor liquidate the wrong (if any), and national power claim our rights in the persons of American citizens.

### Arrival of the Empire City.

The U. S. Mail steamship Empire City, John Tanner, Com., arrived yesterday from New York and Havana. The steamer Georgia sailed for New York on the 14th. The Philadelphia left for Chagres on the morning of the 17th. The U. S. Mail steamer Illinois sailed from Havana on the 16th, for New York. She met with a slight accident on her outward trip, and for fear of detention of mails and passengers, by a long voyage, Captain Hartstein judiciously put in to Havana, and transferred all to the Georgia, which sailed immediately, thereby causing no delay on the passage. The Empire City left Havana on the 17th. The number of visitors is rapidly on the increase. It is supposed there will be more strangers there this winter than has been for a number of previous years. Chagres is perfectly quiet. The government of New Granada has stationed 100 soldiers in the fort, with arms and ammunition, as the means of preventing another outbreak. The Empire City brings 585 passengers, a large California mail, and $44,000 in gold dust on freight, besides a large amount in the hands of passengers.

The following are the consignees of gold dust: Louisiana State Bank, $32,000; Warneken & Kirchhoff, $3400; Adams & Co., $8000; W. H. Hutchins, $150; J. Waterman & Co., 600.

We subjoin a list of her passengers:

*From New York*—Miss McCafferty, R. W. Hamif on, J. M. Arnold, W. Wiseman and lady, J. H. Stevens, A. J. Morrill, Jas. Lawrence, John Cannon, Wm. Wagner, B. S. Hart, W. Carrington, lady and two children, D. C. Hamilton and two children, Mrs. K. L. Morse, Miss E. Woodruff, J. P. Carrington, John Dobbin, J. Lucbie, J. Tayler, J. Wooper, R. W. Anderson, Chas. Kennedy, Mr. Rosenthal, Herman Cooper, W. J. McKenzie, G. Hanbut, R. Wardenbacker, W. J. Robinson, J. Thayer, J. Goldsmith, Magrath, W. Thayer, J. Mahoney, Hughes, W. B. Ryan, P. Cowan, John Wilcock.

*From Havana*—Mr. Hewsi, Mrs. Bingham, Col. W. Hampton, lady, four children and three servants, Mrs. McDuffie, Mrs. J. Hampton, four sisters, child and three servants, E. Turley, J. Vinas, F. de la Cruz, A. Diaz, J. Suterain, J. Hernandez, J. Hursch, J. Bischoff, Mr. Mrs. and S. B. Fulton, S. Alemany, W. Lewis, W. Dunn.

*From Chagres*—E. Jordan, J. Marshall, lady and child, R. Knight, J. L. Howard, Mrs. Jacobson and two children, Jas. Taylor and lady, W. O'Gallion, M. Tyler and two children, Miss Tyler, R. Thompson, M. Hall, A. M. Collins, J. B. Hall, A. Hall, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Hall, J. M. Hunce, T. F. Lawrence, J. A. Vineyard, A. F. Kurz, J. Fogg, W. Bradley, D. D. Atkinson, S. Robinson, Saul Tyler, Chas. Ryan, M. Murray, T. J. Tassey, J. F. Schumacker, G. B. Robinson, W. Asbury, J. Smith, J. C. Griffith, H. M. Bullard, G. W. Bullard, J. Burns, L. A. Kirst, W. Tolgiano, H. Boyer, G. H. Bragg, T. B. Emory, D. Smith, W. Beaton, S. Hirschberg, T. S. Porter, S. Waters, T. H. Davis, H. Cox, S. W. Henderson, H. W. Reid, J. W. Warriner, J. R. Reynolds and brother, H. S. Mason, W. Reynolds, W. Reynolds, W. Reynolds, J. Reynolds, F. Johnson, D. Turbon, N. Jones, J. McDonald, W. D. Bappington, C. L. Young, A. Reynolds, J. Lash, W. Meyers, J. Thompson, W. Hawthorn, J. Lanning, D. Jones, D. Rigby, C. Cornwall, W. Cotton, J. W. Lee, N. J. Williams, G. S. Bacon, R. W. Walls, E. Rose, J. Maurice, G. Dolgen, G. Howard, H. S. Reily and son, E. E. Fry, J. Simmons, J. Alexander, J. Mulligan, J. Valle, J. B. Lewis, J. Van Court and lady, F. Morton, W. D. Card, E. K. Bradley, P. H. Cook, Miss Gaines, Mr. Gaines, Dr. Bullard, Miss Bullard, Mrs. Bullard, Mr. Mason, S. Johnson, Miss Johnson, Miss Johnson, J. Barnstein, H. Thurman and servants, E. Sherman, W. Hubbard, O. Chamberlain, S. Carr, S. Scott, J. Drummond, T. E. Hicks, J. Maurice, M. Beatty, A. Wood, J. Bridgeport, S. F. McKee, T. H. Memper, A. M. Patrick, G. Patrick, J. Allen, J. S. Shoemaker, S. S. Oldham, W. Williams, R. H. Everts, G. Walker, J. G. Garner, A. C. Garner, H. Shuter, A. L. Bauman, C. Hamilton, W. Lignoner, J. Wash, W. Hill, J. Hill, W. Roswell, A. Thompson, J. Thompson, J. W. Jones, S. J. McMillan, R. E. Moore, A. Hursman, J. M. Holder, S. J. Reed, J. Pitzwater, Col. Bunnels and servant, Mr. Graves and lady, Mr. Ash, P. Moll (Louisiana and servant, Edward Jones, M. E. Beaman and friend, J. Marshall, Mrs. Williams and child, A. Foster, W. C. Soap, G. G. Tabbs, M. Brown, W. N. Crockett, T. F. Coburn, J. L. Fussel, J. C. Christian, J. L. Bailey, A. C. Bebo, J. T. Bailey, H. Smith, W. Bidwell, J. Bidwell, O. B. Chapman, M. Mahon, E. Hughes, A. G. Coleman, J. F. Cox, S. Forbes, S. Greene, J. S. Roussand, C. Roussand, J. Goodfellow, T. Roussand, C. Sipock, R. Tate, S. Taylor, J. L. Smithfield, and 100 others.

*Steam Navigation.*—After the 31st of March next no steam vessel is to proceed to sea or to steam upon the rivers, in the United Kingdom, without having a safety-valve upon each boiler, free from the care of the engineer, and out of his control and interference; and such safety-valve is to be deemed a necessary part of the machinery, upon which the engineer-surveyor is to report to the Board of Trade.

*How Much It Hurt Him.*—The Louisa (Iowa) Times says that a certain new mill in that vicinity was struck by lightning last week, and adds:

"Mr. Townsend, one of the proprietors, was in the third story of the building at the time it happened, and received a pretty severe shock. He estimates the damage at $100."

### Particulars of the Trial of Mr. Thrasher.

[Correspondence of the Crescent.]

HAVANA, November 15, 1851.

*Eds. Crescent*—On the 11th inst. the so-called "public trial" of John S. Thrasher, Esq., a citizen of the United States, for treason against the Queen and crown of Spain, was ordered for the 12th, before a military commission!

This public farce, to close a line of fabrication, conducted for three weeks in the dark, took place on the day designated, at the Barracks of the Regiment of Barcelona, before what in other services would be denominated a Brigade Court-martial; Brigadier Vargas was President of it, a mighty good judge of treason—at the point of the bayonet—but somewhat raw in law reading, of his own land, or the fundamental law of treaties.

Mr. Thrasher was called up to answer to the exposition of the charge and proof, (the last not found, if I have the sense to know what constitutes testimony,) as made before the tribunal by the lawyer or "fiscal" of her Majesty. He was not allowed time to prepare for his defence; he had no previous knowledge of the crime alleged; no counsel, as guaranteed by treaty between Spain and the United States. He was treated brutally by his judges, interrupted in his defence and protest, which he made with the energy of an upright and honest nature, and with the ease and grace of the accomplished gentleman.

Governor Cobb has selected as his Secretaries Capt. Thos. Moore, of Baldwin, Arthur Hood, of Gordon, and W. W. Paine, of Telfair.

Gen. George S. Houston is nominated by the Florence (Ala.) Gazette as a suitable candidate for the speakership of the next Congress.

A gentleman, speaking of Cincinnati, says its most appropriate name would be the *Memory of Amelia*. "Yes, replied another, "I think it will be the metropolis of the United States."

In St. Louis, on the 8th, sixteen soldiers were arrested for the riots at a house of ill-fame on Almond street, and for shooting at officers Woodward and Williamson.

The leading Benton organ in Missouri, the St. Louis Union, goes in strongly for the nomination of Mr. Buchanan for the Presidency, by the Democratic National Convention. That does not hit, Mr. Buchanan say.

The Hungarian Exiles at work upon the Western end of the Michigan Southern Railroad, were lately attacked by an overwhelming force armed with clubs, guns, knives, pistols, etc., and driven away. The Hungarians were unarmed. A shameful procedure.

The dwelling house of E. H. Stranghan, about two miles from Danville, Indiana, was destroyed by fire lately, together with its contents. One of the members of his family, a son about four years of age, perished in the flames.

On the 7th November the representatives of the different German associations of St. Louis met and made arrangements for the reception of Gottfried Kinkel. Every body was invited to attend the grand display they designed making on the occasion. What does Kinkel want of our country men?

There are now running on the several stage lines, in different parts of New York, no fewer than 558 omnibuses, employing, it is estimated, 3000 horses daily. The number of hands employed is 311; men employed about 2500. Notwithstanding the great competition, there is no business in the city more profitable.

A friend of ours, in writing about feminine matters, says his wife is about retiring from society, for the purpose of attending to one of those little affairs which add to the duties of the census taker. His "delicacy of expression" should cause the ladies to confer on him a silver medal. We shall use "drawing it mild."

An Irishman passing down the street the other day, discovered a one dollar bill lying on the pavement. He eyed the crafter sufficiently to ascertain that it was of the same stamp of one which the city previous to John had lost ten cents on by way of discount. "Bad luck to the liars o' ye!" exclaimed Pat, as he passed on, "there ye may lie; divil a finger will I put on ye, for I lost ten cents by a brother of yours yesterday."

The editor of the Gazeta of NewYork has been shown some sprigs of rice raised near Matanzas, the smallest of which contains at least three hundred grains, perfectly opened, and of a larger size than is usually produced on the Island. He observes that this phenomenon is not limited to a certain number of sprigs, but that the whole crop is similar.

A pond covering some eighty acres, on the plantation of John S. Beatie, Esq., near Tuscaloosa, Ala., was drawn off lately, and innumerable quantity of fish taken. Fish of the finest kind were, literally, wagon loads hauled off, and for many days persons living in the neighborhood, resorted to the pond, and selected quantities of the finest trout, perch, etc., the inferior kinds being thrown aside.

A law exists in Virginia which is somewhat onerous on those matrimonially disposed, requiring the candidates for the hymenial bands not only to take out a license before the ceremony can be performed, but also to go before the proper officer and give bonds that the contracting parties will not become chargeable with the support of the state of the union.

The Winchester (Va.) Republican says that on the farm of Mr. James W. Osborne, some two or three miles from that place, there may be seen the singular spectacle of a lamb with a lamb. The ewe is only eight months old, and its lamb, now about three weeks old, presents all the usual appearance of youth and size. Such occurrences are rare in the history of sheep.

At Fort Recovery, Mercer county, Ohio, not long since, the remains of many of the victims of St. Clair's defeat were discovered by the plough. They were carefully collected in coffins, and buried with great pomp, attended by a procession of 5000 people, with a funeral oration by Delany Sturs, Esq., of Cincinnati. It was resolved to petition Congress to erect a suitable monument at the place.

The fruit crop in Ohio is a failure this year, and in consequence of it, a brisk and extensive business has been opened in that State in the importation of apples from Western and northern New York. Between 8,00 and 10,000 barrels were recently sent from Oswego to Sandusky, and thence south by the Mad River Railroad.

### City Intelligence.

ANOTHER MURDER.—Our city was yesterday the scene of another murder, of which we give the particulars below, as derived from Mr. H. J. Domingon, who was present when the deed was committed, and made the statement on oath.

Mr. Domingon states that at half-past 10 o'clock yesterday morning he was writing in the store of J. R. Carrera, auctioneer, at 112 Chartres street, when Augustin Vincent Roger, keeper of a perfumery shop in the neighborhood, came in. Theodore Champagne, a clerk in the auctioneer's, told Roger that he had settled the business that he (Roger) had entrusted to him, and that he (Champagne) was entitled to a commission therefor. Roger replied that the business was not over, and that no commission was due. Champagne then said "Here is your money without restitution (commission,) and I don't want to have anything more to do with you. This will teach me, another time, to do business with men of your character." Roger then said "You insult me, and I am going to slap you." Thus saying he rushed upon Champagne, and a scuffle ensued. Domingon attempted to separate the parties, and seized Roger, who, however, escaped from his grasp and tried to get a sword lying near. He at first prevented Roger from reaching the sword, and while struggling with him, he heard a slap or a blow, but by whom given he could not see. He thinks, however, that it was by Champagne, who immediately retreated toward the door leading to the street. Roger, on Champagne reaching the door, however, Roger escaped from Domingon's grasp, succeeded in getting hold of the sword, and rushing upon Champagne before he could be prevented, plunged it into his body. Champagne exclaimed "He has killed me," and died in a few minutes.

The deceased was about thirty years of age, and was married. Upon the intelligence of his death being communicated to his wife, who was about becoming a mother, she was thrown into a condition that left but little hope of her outlivingthe day.

Roger was immediately taken before Recorder Genois, and committed to prison. When he was arraigned he begged the Recorder to examine one or two witnesses that were present, as soon as convenient, as he was desirous to go out and attend to some business. And he seemed surprised when informed that he must go to prison. As soon, however, as the immediate excitement of the proceeding was over, he fell into a very different state of mind, lapsidating himself in terms of apparent despair, for having so far given way to his passions.

SERIOUS CHARGE.—James Gandolfo, Esq., was yesterday arraigned before Recorder Caldwell, on a charge preferred by Peter Conrey, Jr., to the following effect:

On the 5th inst., Mr. Gandolfo applied to Mr. Conrey to sell a bill of exchange, drawn by the firm of James Gandolfo & Co., on Messrs. N. F. Cunningham & Co., of Boston, for $10,325 00. Mr. Conrey stated that his instructions from the Bank of Charleston, as the agent of which he purchased bills, were to purchase only such as were drawn on shipments of merchandise. Mr. Gandolfo replied that the bill offered by him was drawn on a shipment of cotton, which he had made on the order of the said Cunningham & Co., and he, Gandolfo, endorsed the bill to that effect, writing thereon that it was drawn on a shipment of cotton. Mr. Conrey states that upon the representation and endorsement he purchased the bill, giving Mr. Gandolfo, in payment, a check drawn on the Bank of New York for $10,080 33, which amount was duly paid by the Bank, on account of the Bank of Charleston. The bill was dishonored by Messrs. N. F. Cunningham & Co., for the reason that it had been drawn by Mr. Gandolfo, for his own accommodation, and not on a shipment of merchandise, the representation of Mr. Gandolfo in this respect having, Mr. Conrey alleges, been false, neither he nor his firm having shipped any cotton or merchandise of any kind, against which to draw the bill sold, and he therefore charges him with having obtained the money of the Bank of Charleston under false pretences. Mr. Conrey further states that no part of the money for the said bill of exchange has since been received by him or by the Bank of Charleston.

Upon being arraigned, Mr. Gandolfo pleaded not guilty, and the Recorder fixed the examination of the case for Tuesday, the 25th inst.

OUTRAGEOUS TREATMENT.—J. M. Wolfe, counsel for J. Hebum, yesterday filed a petition in the Fifth District Court, embracing the following representations, and claiming in the premises $500 damages.

The petitioner states that he was a seaman on board the ship Falcon, Patton, master, now lying in this port, on her recent voyage from Bremen to New Orleans; that during the passage, Captain Patton, with Albert Ryan, mate, and — Thompson, third mate, lashed petitioner to a staple screwed into the deck, and kept him fastened there during two days; that they kept him in irons, struck him with a wooden belaying pin, and whipped him about twenty times with a rope, he bleeding freely from the effects of the blows. He states that they also gagged him, and beat him in such a manner as to disable him for several days. Petitioner believes they would have been killed, had not the Captain and his officers feared the interference of the crew of the ship.

The petitioner further stated that he believed Capt. Patton to be about leaving the State, and therefore prayed that he might be arrested and placed under bonds. The Court therefore issued a warrant for the Captain's arrest.

ASSAULTING A WOMAN.—F. J. Wingand was yesterday ordered to appear before Judge Lanze, at the convenience of that magistrate, for trial on a charge of having committed an assault upon Catherine Louisa Gouda.

FIRE.—A fire broke out last evening, at a quarter past nine o'clock, in Pythonia street, nearly opposite the Female Orphan Asylum, and before the flames could be between the twelfe dwelling houses were destroyed. We did not learn the names of the occupants, or of the owners of the buildings.

CONTRAVENTION.—D. Richardson, f.m.c., was yesterday arrested on board the schooner G. B. Matthews, Robinson, master, charged with being in the State, in contravention of law.

VAGRANT.—Charles Lameyre, *alias* White, *alias* some thing else, was yesterday sent by Recorder Genois before the First District Court for trial, on a charge of vagrancy. Charles remains in prison until Judge Lanze is ready to accommodate him.

ASSAULTING AN OFFICER.—Recorder Genois yesterday committed Edward O'Brien for trial before the First District Court, charged with having assaulted an officer.

T. O. STARKE, Receiver, etc., *vs.* BURKE, WATT & Co.—Two more petitions asking permission to appeal from the judgment of Judge Buchanan in this case, were yesterday filed in the Fifth District Court. The petitioners are Levi Hubbell and John Watt.

B. F. DARROW & Co., *vs.* CRESCENT MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.—This case, in the Fifth District Court, was yesterday continued to this morning at 10 o'clock.

A. G. POWERS *vs.* FLORANCE.—This case, in the Fifth District Court, was given to the jury yesterday at 3 o'clock, but a verdict had not been rendered at seven last evening.

FINED.—John Buckley was yesterday fined ten dollars by Recorder Caldwell, for assaulting an officer in St. Charles street a few evenings ago.

*Arrivals at the Principal Hotels yesterday.*

VERANDA....S Ower, James Moon, H S Williams, N W Graham, N O; S W Joor and lady, Montgomery, Ala; W E Walker, J C Walker, Attakapas; Geo Cullum, Mobile; Miss Ella Kerley, Miss Martha Spencer, Va; Robert Tate, Capt H Taylor, Mr Bard, U Satterfield, W D Young, G C Tibbs, W W Brown, R J Williams, B Thomas, Jno Gay, Wm Bedwell, Jas Rigdon, John Goodfellow, John Valley, J L Morrison, R M Patrick, Garrison, A L Thurman and servt, Eli Thurman, Patrick, O Chamberlain, W Hubbard, A C Swearingen, J J Thurman, Chas Conway, S Calloway, Misses Bedwell, J H Grove, J Taylor, lady and child, C C Mason, S Johnson and servt, A Johnson, California; J Miss Hampton, F Hampton and servt, Wm Hamilton, R G; Mrs Simpkins, child and servt, Miss McDuffie, C T Howell, W Hampton, Jr, wife, 4 children and 3 servts, W F Starke, H S Cleveland, W J Cole, J H Lark, E S Bradley, Albert P Gaines, Miss A Gaines, Miss Mary Gaines, Oregon; Hon S Borland and family, S Borland, Jr, La; R W Hamilton, N G; Geo Goldsmith, Montgomery, Ala; R B Hall, T J Hall, T Hall, Jr, Ky; J H Clark, Mobile; H W Hall, Va; A Hamphill, S F Mordecai, H Andrews and servt, Mississippi City; Dr J F Burrell, steamer Empire City; Eugene Eudra, N Y; R C Shields, Jno McGregor, Jno Jones, Miss Hart, Baton Rouge; Capt Tanner, steamer Empire City; C A Williams, Marshall, Miss.

PLANTERS'.—J H Harman, N O; D L Childers, A Gordon, Miss; J W Ballentine, Tenn; W Perkins, Madison parish; D F Murrain, La; Dani A Farley, J F Holloway, W H Smith, Ky; E Henshaw, J A Gaurrier, Va; Saml H Hill, Ky; Wm Hill, Ky; Wm Hill, Jr, Ky; Wm Hill, Va; David Stratton, John Harbison, M Lisk, H Eskabrock, R Wells, Ill; A M Trauz, R Foster, Texas; J W Chatham, S C; T Kendall, Wisconsin; W Pearce, W Livermoite, Ky; H Cinberg, Mobile; A J Morrell, N Y; W Applegate, D B Lewis, Saml S McGee, California; J Rogers, Michigan; John Wilcock, Philadelphia.

CONTI STREET VERANDA....Capt D Muzzah, H V McCall, Attakapas; V Blanchard, W Baton Rouge; Dr T W Scott, J E Willis, T R Taylor, E Baton Rouge; M Egan, J M Schwartz, Dr Meadis, H Laborde, M Williams, J J Howard, N O; Capt Hagan, Red River; Capt J B Tucker, Texas; Capt T A Pinnegar, Towhead Lake; H V Somes, St Louis; Geo J Clark, Vincennes, Ia; DeBlanc, A Lacour, Mr Crosby, Point Coupee.

COMMERCIAL.....Moses Maloney, R P Nichols, N O; P Lehman, Jr, Fairwater, Cincinnati; T S Emory, Thomas Scott, T S Fox, Wm H Dunn, M Taylor, Illinois; H Williamson, N Y; J B Ray, Missouri; A C Garner, J O Garrett, F Cross, H Hutchinson, E H Ferguson, G B Brace, W F Gresham, Alabama; James W Hall, Ky; J F Pierce, Jacob Peters, Jacob Abel, J W Garrison, Mississippi.

ARCADE....Wm R Jordan, J H Seabut, La; J Cheldle, J H Vincent and servant, J W Wallace, J Minchell, M Rowland, Red River; J F Holloway, J T Holloway, J T Colburn, J Cox, T Douglass, W S Wilson, W M Crocket, J Christian, J S Finney, J McCartney, R W Gaillard, R M Gaillard, Miss Jones, Lafourche; J Wright, W Lee, W B Clarke, N O; W C Vail, W Beasley, Tenn.

FENCING ACADEMY.—By Messrs. G. & A. ROSIERE, corner of Common and St. Charles streets, No. 87, Professors of the noble art of self-defence. n21

BEWARE OF THE SWINDLER!—A man who calls himself A. S. MURRAY, of Madison, Wisconsin, is about that left Lafayette, about 40 years of age—medium built, black eyes and hair, of genteel appearance, and good address. He pretends to be a man of large means and partner of Mr. Farnsworth, of Madison, Wisconsin, and Mr. Ogden. He has passed off, and endeavored to pass off, checks and drafts on several persons in New Orleans and Lafayette. It has been ascertained that he left Lafayette for parts unknown on Saturday evening, in company with a female who passes as his wife. The public are cautioned to beware of the swindler. n21 1t*

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that on MONDAY, the 1st day of December, 1851, at 12 o'clock, will be adjudicated at the Comptroller's office of Municipality No. Two, to the highest bidder, the collection of the revenue of the Municipality, for the term of one year, viz: From the 1st day of January, 1852, to the 31st day of December, 1852, both days inclusive.

Terms and Conditions—The farmer or lessee will, within five days after the adjudication, furnish his promissory notes, endorsed to our satisfaction, payable at 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21 and 24 months from the 1st day of January, 1852; and should he fail to do so, a new adjudication will be made for the account and at the risk of said farmer or lessee.

He shall be responsible for the faithful discharged all the rights on which the collection of said revenue is farmed, so that in default of the payment at maturity of any of the said notes, we shall have the right of seizing, provisionally, the aforesaid rights to mortgaged. He shall also conform to all the ordinances now in force, or which may hereafter be passed by the Council of Municipality No. Two in relation to Markets.

The above sale to be made by authority vested in the undersigned by the contract entered into with said Municipality No. Two, in virtue of a resolution adopted by the Council Dec. 18, 1851, relative to said Market.

n21 1t JR. MATHIS & FONBENE.

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125 casks Claret,
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500 boxes Claret,
25 boxes very superior Claret,
50 boxes assorted French Fruits,
10 boxes Absynthe,
2 half pipes extra fine Brandy,
12 boxes Brandy Cherries.....for sale by

n21 2w A. D. GRIEFF & CO. 38, 40 and 42 Old Levee.

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THIS DAY, Nov. 21, at half-past 10 o'clock—Lunch from half-past 10 to half-past 12—Oyster and Chicken Gumbo, Roast Beef, Roast Veal, Roast Turkey, Boiled Leg Mutton, Stewed