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MONDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 28, 1853.

ELECTION OF JUDGES.

We have hoped that the election of Judges would be permitted to pass without appeals to partisan feeling. We still indulge the hope that such will be measurably the case; and we confidently anticipate that the good sense of the people will revolt at any attempt, direct or indirect, to prefer the politician's claims where they should only look for the high qualifications of the jurist.

On this presumption is based the whole theory of an Elective Judiciary: that the people will divest themselves of mere partisan feeling, to select as judges men learned in the law and of character so clear before all men as to make them safe depositaries of the rights of life, liberty, honor and property. If this presumption be false, if the partisan, as such, is to have special claims upon popular favor, if men are expected to pass through the heat, and din, and dust of violent party contests, to the elevation of the judicial bench, the whole theory of an elective judiciary is incorrect, and we will be ready to make public confession of our regret that we ever advocated the system.

We did so in a full republican faith in the intelligence and good sense of the people, and that faith we are not prepared to abandon. We shall only realize its falsity upon a clear and positive demonstration of facts. All the interests and all the rights of individuals, and of society at large, lie in the hands of the Judiciary, and, therefore, it should be composed of men of heart and mind, of morals and intelligence; men of firmness and dignity of character; men above suspicion and beyond the seeming of just reproach; men who can walk upon the path of duty with as proud a dignity of bearing as ever Levite showed in walking statelily by the Ark of the Covenant.

If the Judges are to be elected upon political grounds, they will, unless averse or indifferent to a re-election, look to such grounds for that re-election. We do not say that they will be avowed partisans upon the bench: but we do say, that men, and possessing the feelings, prejudices and sympathies of men, they will unavoidably find the current of their opinions colored by them, as naturally as the Mississippi takes its hue from the soil over which it courses.

Entertaining these views, we cannot but regret the course of a respected contemporary, the leading organ of the democratic party of Louisiana. It seems to us disposed, if not determined, to make the candidacy of Messrs. Roselius and Slidell a party issue. We really cannot see what partisan issues are involved in the selection of a Chief Justice. We know how urgent were the solicitations, coming chiefly from prominent democrats, which induced Mr. Roselius to permit his name to go before the people. We know he peremptorily declared that he would not, under any circumstances, continue a candidate, if the selection of a Chief Justice was, in any manner, to be made a party matter. We know he has steadily refused to spend one dollar, even so much as to pay for an advertised announcement, in the election. The Delta very justly says:

"We were pleased, some time ago, to observe that one of our most earnest and highly esteemed lawyers—than whom, in political matters, there is no staunCher partisan—was unwilling to accept of a party nomination for Chief Justice. We refer to Christian Roselius, a gentleman whom the preferences of the Bar and the people have long indicated as one admirably qualified for the highest judicial station. The general approval of Mr. Roselius's course by gentlemen of all parties renders his case a good one with which to start in this State the principle of the election of Judges for their intellectual and moral, rather than for their partisan qualifications."

We believe the remarks of the Delta are a true echo of popular opinion and sentiment. Mr. Roselius bears himself as a gentleman of his acknowledged position and ability should—with quiet dignity and unfeverish anticipations. If the people deem another worthier than he, he is prepared to acquiesce in the verdict, and, in the meantime, he does not seek by electioneering arts to win a post of honor.

A self-made man, he holds position at the Bar of Louisiana with the foremost. In purity of character he is unimpeached and unimpeachable. There is not a rational being in Louisiana who would suspect him of a mean, unconscientious or immoral act. There is not a lawyer at the Bar who does not regard his clear, learned, common sense views as conclusive of the merits of a case. There is not a Judge upon the Bench who does not concede his perfect honesty and respect his nice and extensive legal knowledge. As a man, a civilian and a jurist he commands general confidence and respect, and would do honor and give additional authority to the Supreme Bench.

Of his distinguished competitor, Judge Slidell, we have already spoken in terms which we could not if we would, qualify. He is an ornament to the Supreme Bench, and, after Christian Roselius, we know of none whom we should be more pleased to see placed in the seat of the Chief Justice of Louisiana. In private life, we deem him without reproach; and upon the Bench learned, diligent and honest. If elected, he would do no discredit to the popular choice. But it is with no disrespect we rank him as inferior to Christian Roselius as a jurist, and it is as an honest friend of the Elective Judiciary that we claim that both gentlemen shall stand upon their merits, and protest against all partisan appeals, be they direct or indirect.

The mail failed yesterday from beyond Charleston. Of course it did. A few papers of great antiquity came through, however, from New York.

As will be seen, we make up a considerable amount of Telegraphic matter from the papers of yesterday morning.

Mr. A. K. McLean, purser of the steamship Pampero has our thanks for his attentions.

We acknowledge our indebtedness to Mr. Thomas M. Lyon, purser of the steamship Falcon, for memoranda, etc.

Thanks to the steamer Clifton for river favors.

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.—The Marshals for the fourth of March have not forgotten the press in their programme, and in behalf of editors and compositors we make acknowledgment of their courteous remembrance.

We are indebted to the Hon. Pierre Soule for a bound copy, part 2, with accompanying maps of Foster & Whitney's report of the geology of the Lake Superior land district.

Late Publications.

From J. C. Morgan, Exchange Place, adjoining Post-office.

TRENCH OF THE LEGIONS IN PROVERBS. Redfield, New York.

The work is made up of the substance of lectures delivered to young men's societies, by the author.

UGLY EFFIE; or, The Neglected One and the Pet Beauty; and other tales, by Mrs. Caroline Lee Hentz. T. B. Peterson, Philadelphia.

THE FORTUNES OF THE COUTHAN FAMILY, by Frank E. Smedley. H. Long & Brother, New York.

The author is a popular writer, and this work has been highly spoken of.

THE CURSE OF CLIFTON, a Tale of Expiation and Redemption, in two volumes, by Emma D. E. N. Southworth. A. Hart, Philadelphia.

Morgan has also sent us the March numbers of Graham's Magazine, Godey's Lady's Book, the Westminster Review for January, and the February number of the Illustrated Magazine of Art.

TELEGRAPHED TO THE CRESCENT.

By the Southern Line.

Eastern Mail.

MOBILE, February 27.

The mails from the East are through this morning, and contain the letters by the steamer America.

By the National Line.

OhioRiver—Steamboats.

PITTSBURGH, February 25.

The river here is now falling with eight feet three inches water in the channel.

CINCINNATI, February 25.

The river here has risen eighteen inches since noon yesterday.

LOUISVILLE, February 25.

The river here is rising slowly with nine feet six inches water in ther canal—weather moderating and clear.

The steamboats James Robb, Eclipse, Wm. Noble, Yorktown and Australia have arrived from NewOrleans, and the Lewis Whiteman has departed for that port.

PITTSBURGH, February 26.

The river here is still falling, with seven feet six inches water in the channel; weather damp.

CINCINNATI, February 25.

The river here has risen two feet since noon yesterday and is still rising.

LOUISVILLE, February 26.

No steamboats have arrived here since yesterday from NewOrleans. The Equinox, the Silas Wright, the J. P. Tweed and the J. S. Chenoweth have departed for that port. The James Robb leaves this evening.

The river is still rising with ten feet water in the canal; weather warm.

Steamboats Passing.

VICKSBURG, February 27.

The following steamboats have passed here since yesterday afternoon, bound for NewOrleans: The A. L. Shotwell at 5 o'clock and the Planter at 8 o'clock last evening; the Nashville at 4 o'clock, the Lucy Robinson at 4:30, and the Delaware at 6 o'clock this morning.

Important from San Juan.

SERIOUS DISTURBANCES THREATENED.

We learn through private letters received by the house of W. L. Cushing & Co., of this city, that at the time the Pampero left San Juan, disturbances of a serious nature were threatened between the citizens of San Juan or Greytown, and the Vanderbilt Nicaragua Transit Company. As is well known, the depot of the Transit Company is located on a point across the mouth of the river from Greytown, and at this depot the Company has stores with supplies of all descriptions which are furnished to passengers going either way, thus completely monopolizing this branch of trade, and cutting off the citizens of the town from all participation in its benefits. Numerous complaints have been made, which have been unheeded, until at last the citizens have become exasperated, and so strong has the feeling become, that unless the depot is removed to Greytown, open warfare is anticipated; indeed, cannon and ammunition had been purchased, and the determination was, to demolish the Company's buildings, unless the depot was removed.

Mr. Baldwin, agent of the Company, had been arrested and imprisoned for using threatening language against the peace of Greytown. He was, however, released on Messrs. T. I. Harper and H. L. Stevenson becoming security to stand trial.

We have learned that our own correspondent wrote us a long letter, giving full particulars of this affair, and other important news, but from some cause, perfectly inexplicable, it has not come to hand.

Baton Rouge Correspondence.

Correspondence of the Crescent.

BATON ROUGE, February 26, 1853.

In the Senate yesterday Mr. Palfrey introduced a resolution directing the Judiciary Committee of that body to report a bill for the passing of a Registry law for the city of NewOrleans, as directed by the Constitution. The resolution was adopted, and it is possible that the committee may do as they have been directed; but it is a mere possibility, and the probabilities are that it will not be acted upon. It is worthy of remark that in both Houses this resolution has been offered by country members. The Representatives from the city are opposed to it, and unless the country can come to the relief of the Constitution, its positive requirements will be unheeded, until a new order of men and things are in the ascendant.

The Rice bill also came up for discussion, and was referred to a committee. From what I have seen of the bill, I see no great objections, and it can be easily shown that it could be made to do great good. If they can reclaim the lands, they will have done service to the State. If the State reclaims them, they would be of no more value than if drained by the company; but, on the contrary, the cost of draining would have to be deducted from the price of sale before any profit could be calculated. And if they can really raise the description of rice they say they can, they will add a great deal to the production and commerce of the State. The experiment, it would seem, is worthy of trial. If it fails it can do no harm—if it succeeds it will do good. There is, however, much opposition to it; but it arises more from a fear of granting monopolies, than from any objection to the scheme. Another great thing it has to contend against, is the number of persons who are here trying to get it through. It has too many outside riders, by a great deal. The best plan to succeed in any thing of this sort is to "let nature take its course."

Mr. Nixon offered a resolution in the House this morning, directing the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution, to take into consideration the propriety of amending the article fixing the seat of Government at this place, and the propriety of fixing it at NewOrleans. It was thought that this matter was definitely laid over, no case having said any thing about it for some time, and the great agitator of it, Mr. White, having become quite reconciled to his country residence. If he could forget the gayities and charms of Thibodaux, and get accustomed to the silence which prevails here after the noise and bustle of the great metropolis, which he in part represents, it was confidently expected that persons who have been used to quiet and the sea breeze would find enough here to keep their blood in circulation. But it seems that it is a never falling source of legislative resolutions and enactments, and that whenever a member has nothing else to do, for fear of being lost sight of if he is not on his feet every moment, he proposes to remove the Seat of Government, or alter the Constitution, or more frequently both. And so the time is passed.

As for the removal, that is out of the question. It might have stood some chance when the session opened, but it is now too late. It would be a great deal better for the place, if the question was put at rest in some shape or other. I doubt very much whether it is of any great advantage to their interests. I have not known a single man improved in his pecuniary circumstances since the session commenced, and I have seen a great many grog shops spring up, and a great many gambling establishments opened in consequence—and I have known of a good many people being robbed, and a good many houses broken open, which never happened here to my knowledge, to any extent at least, before. So that I do not believe the real interest of the community would be at all injured if the Legislature were to be taken away; very certainly it would not suffer if the present one went off and never came back.

There was a bare quorum present to day, but enough to get through a good many local bills. On Monday it is said they intend to turn over a new leaf, and go to work in earnest.

CUBIC.

We are under many obligations to the agencies of Wells, Fargo & Co's, and Adams & Co's California Express for California files.

Thomas F. Meagher has written to a friend in this city stating that he is on his way to NewOrleans, and that he intends remaining a week here.

JACKSON FIRE COMPANY NO. 18.—Yesterday this excellent company made a second trial of their new engine, and concluded to accept it. It is most substantially built, and with a few slight alterations, will perform admirably. The boys of No. 18 will make it give a good report of itself at some fire in a short time.

SPANISH AND FRENCH LANGUAGES.—Persons desirous of becoming proficient in either of these languages, or those whose native tongue is French or Spanish, and who wish to acquire the English, will find an excellent opportunity of improving themselves in either, by calling on Professor Alexander Nelson, No. 8 St. Charles street. His system is well adapted for inducting learners into their mysteries in a very short space of time.

BOOKS.—J. C. Morgan, Exchange place, adjoining the Postoffice, and J. B. Steel, 60 Camp street, both advertise matters in their line worthy of the attention of our readers.

It will be seen by the advertisement, that a meeting of the stockholders in the New Orleans, Opelousas and Great Western Railroad Company is called for six o'clock this evening, at the office of the Company, corner of Exchange Alley and Bienville street.

SELLING OFF TO REMOVE.—C. M. Simpson, No. 50 Canal street, offers the most tempting bargains in dry goods preparatory to removing his location. We would call the attention of our citizens and of planters, to his advertisement, which will be found in another column.

BILOXI HOTEL.—It will be seen by an advertisement in another column that this fine hotel, at Biloxi, Mississippi, is for rent. It is a popular establishment, and the opportunity is a good one for enterprising hotel keepers.

OPELOUSAS RAILROAD.—This evening, at 6 o'clock, the stockholders of the Opelousas railroad, hold a meeting at office, corner of Bienville street and Exchange Alley.

Joseph Etter, No. 10 Camp street, offers a varied and splendid assortment of wall paper, paper hangings, etc. See his advertisement.

Clothing is now being sold off at Alfred Munroe & Co's at prices which will astonish those who call at the establishment.

CARPET WAREHOUSE.—Read the advertisement of Todd & Co., 120 Canal street.

Musical and Theatrical.

OLE BULL'S CONCERT.—The first grand concert by Ole Bull, Strakosch, and the charming Adeline Patti came off on Saturday night, and the furor created by the event has not been equalled since the days of Jenny Lind. The immense hall in the Odd Fellows' building was crowded almost to suffocation; indeed it did not seem that in the whole area there was sufficient space for another person to stand. That every thing was excellent, even beyond measure, is but a feeble expression of admiration for the artists and their performance. Ole Bull is known, as also is Strakosch. They have before delighted the citizens of New Orleans with their beautiful displays of artistic talent, but there is another who was not known here except through the fame she has achieved in other cities, but who will ever live in the memories of those who had the delight of listening to her sweet voice on Saturday evening. We hardly know what to say of her. We cannot find words to express the delicious sensations with which she inspired us, and while she completely carried away her audience with her enchanting notes, they were utterly lost in astonishment at the power and brilliancy exhibited by a mere child. Her echo song almost made us imagine that Jenny Lind was before us. She sang other pieces with equal taste and skill; but want of space prevents us from going into further particulars. Cultivation and riper years will show to the world, in her, a magnificent vocalist.

The next concert takes place on Wednesday evening.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.—*First appearance of Mrs. Mowatt.* The distinguished American actress, Mrs. Anna Cora Mowatt, makes her first appearance at the St. Charles this evening, and the event is one which will fill the house to repletion. Mrs. M. has selected for her debut Shakspeare's comedy "As You Like It," in which she will appear as *Rosalind*. Mr. Lyne sustains the character of *Jaques*; Mr. Nagle that of *Orlando*, and Mr. DeBar that of *Touchstone*. Mrs. Potter appears as *Celia*.

THE BATEMAN CHILDREN.—These charming little artists take a benefit at the Varieties to-night, and appear in several of their most popular characters. They have a host of friends here, who should, as they doubtless will, evince their appreciation of juvenile genius by turning out strong to-night. See the advertisement.

MACALLISTER.—*Last week in New Orleans.*—The day performance of Macallister on Saturday last attracted an audience, composed mostly of ladies and children, which gave to the interior a more brilliant and charming appearance than it has presented in many a day. The entertainment gave the highest satisfaction to all, and the juveniles in particular were perfectly beside themselves with delight.

This is the last week of the great magician's engagement in New Orleans, and it is in all probability the last time he will ever appear in our city. In his various feats he is as near perfection, apparently, as human ingenuity will enable him to arrive. Of this, we have heard but one expression of opinion. Those who have not seen him will regret it if they miss the present opportunity, and those who have seen him can be amused by another visit, as he is nightly bringing out new things. See programme for to-night.

THE HIPPODROME.—Dan Rice is a King, certainly, and although not crowned with regal robes like Eastern potentates, he holds absolute sway over the mirth-loving portion of the community. He has another advantage—that he can play the King of Circus and Museum managers, and can play the King's jester when occasion requires it. There is no denying it! the Hippodrome is the centre of fun and amusement. It is nightly crowded, and what is better, with the most intelligent and respectable citizens, and the shouts of laughter and hearty applause which so frequently broke forth from the immense audience last night, were proofs, strong and loud, that all were pleased.

To-night is set apart for the benefit of the Roman Brothers, Murray and Holland, and this is to be their last appearance. They offer a bill "as a bill." See the programme.

FIREMEN'S BALL.—A grand ball is to be given by Pelican Fire Company, No. 1, of Algiers, at the St. Charles Ball-room, in that place, to-morrow night, March 1. It will be seen by the names of the managers, that the affair will certainly be well arranged, and, we doubt not, one of pleasure.

The Portsmouth (Va.) Transcript states that the wages of the mechanics and laborers of the Navy Yard at that station have been raised, by an order from the Navy Department.

Sixteenth Anniversary
OF THE
FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Fire Department of NewOrleans, with those invited to assist in the Celebration of their Sixteenth Anniversary, will assemble at 3 o'clock, p. m., on FRIDAY, March 4, on Canal street, in the following order:

Duty Crockett Fire Company No. 1, of Orleans.
Pelican Fire Company No. 1, of Algiers.
Carrollton Fire Company No. 1, of Carrollton.
Mulnburg Fire Company No. 1, of Mulnburg.
Volunteer Fire Company No. 1.
Mississippi Fire Company No. 3.
Lafayette Hook and Ladder Company No. 1.
Vigilant Fire Company No. 3.

Will form on the North side of Canal street, the head resting on Royal street, extending West.

Neptune Fire Company No. 2.
Columbia Fire Company No. 5.
Louisiana Hose Company.
Mechanics' Fire Company No. 6.
Eagle Fire Company No. 7.
American Hook and Ladder Company No. 4.
Phœnix Fire Company No. 8.
Crescent Fire Company No. 9.

Will form on the South side of Canal street, head resting on St. Charles street, and extending West.

Louisiana Fire Company No. 10.
Liberty Hose Company.
Franklin Fire Company No. 11.
Independence Fire Company No. 14.
Pennsylvania Fire Company No. 15.
Philadelphia Fire Company No. 13.
Jefferson Fire Company No. 16.
Red Rover Fire Company No. 12.
Hope Hook and Ladder Company No. 3.

Will form on the North side of Canal street, head resting on Royal street, extending East.

James Gallick Fire Company No. 18.
Jackson Fire Company No. 18.
Franklin Fire Company No. 19.
Washington Fire Company No. 20.
Orleans Fire Company No. 21.
Jefferson Fire Company No. 22.
Clarkonia Fire Company No. 23.

Will form on the South side Canal street, head resting on St. Charles street, extending East.

PROGRAMME.
J. M. VANDEGRIFF, Grand Marshal.
And,
James H. Wingfield, President U. S. Fire Department.
James Hogan, Vice President U. S. Fire Department.
Henry Sier, Vice President F. C. A.
F. F. Boulon, of No. 2.
L. Aval, of No. 4.
C. F. Hatcher, of No. 12.
D. Pillsbury, of No. 16.
Henry McGuire, of No. 17.
L. C. Dillard, of No. 19.
George Clark, of No. 21.
L. F. Leak, of No. 22.
C. M. Waterman, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3.
J. L. MATHEWSON, Chief of the Dept.
Marshals.
Engine Firemen.
Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Suite.
Major General Lewis and Staff.
Brigadier General Tracy and Staff.
Brigadier General Arnold and Staff.
Brigadier General Crossman and Staff.
Members of the Senate and House of Representatives.
Mayor and Councilmen.
Members of the City Council.
Editors and Compositors of Public Journals.
Benevolent Societies.
Officers of the Army and Navy.
Judges and Clerks of Courts.
United States Collector and Surveyors of Port.
Naval Officers, United States Marshal.
Citizens and Strangers generally.

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ORDER OF MARCH.

The Firemen will pass down Royal street to Esplanade street, evening Esplanade to Carondelet, down Carondelet to Gravier, up Magazine to Levee, up Levee to Esplanade, out of Esplanade to Bourbon, up Bourbon to south side of Canal street, up South side of Canal to Carondelet, up Carondelet to Apollo, up Apollo to Thalia, up Thalia to Prytania, up Prytania to Felicity Road, up Felicity Road to Magazine, up Magazine to Josephine, up Josephine to Tchoupitoulas, down Tchoupitoulas to St. Joseph, down St. Joseph to Camp, down Camp to Julia, down Julia to St. Charles, down St. Charles to Gravier, then up Gravier to Carondelet, where the several Companies will leave their apparatus and proceed to Placide's Varieties, where an Oration will be delivered by J. L. Mathewson, Esq.

The Exempt Firemen are requested to assemble at the City Hotel, Common street, at 3½ o'clock, p. m., from which place they will be escorted into line.

Ladies and heads of families are informed that Placide's Varieties will be open at 1 o'clock, p. m., to accommodate those who wish to see.

The Marshals and Foremen of the various Companies are notified to be punctually on the ground, as the Procession will positively move at 4 o'clock.

The Aids to the Grand Marshal are requested to assemble at the City Hotel, at 2½ o'clock, p. m.

JAMES H. VANDEGRIFF, Grand Marshal.

Amusements This Evening.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE....The comedy entitled AS YOU LIKE IT, and the DUMB belle.
PLACIDE'S VARIETIES....Two acts from MACBETH, a Farce, the comedy of PAUL PRY, and the Farce of FAMILY JARS.
ORLEANS THEATRE....The grand opera entitled OTHELLO.
AMERICAN THEATRE....MACALLISTER'S SOBER MYSTERIEUSE.
COMMERCIAL HALL....WAX STATUARY.
DAN RICE'S HIPPODROME, St. Charles street, opposite Perdido.
DAN RICE'S MUSEUM, No. 107 St. Charles street.

See Advertisements on third page.

Arrivals at the Principal Hotels.—Feb'y 27.

ST. CHARLES....A Cheatham and lady, J L Cheatham, H Christmas, A M Hopkinson and family, Mrs L Mage and daughter, J O Ewing and lady, J H Buckingham, W C Bryan, W S Maxwell, lady and servant, Mrs L P Talbot, W V Keene, B Sheppard, Texas, T F Flowe, S S Black, W H King, H L Barber, J S Todd and lady, John Pascoe, S W Dunscomb, J J Pancoast, Ala; Miss Gates, Miss S Parish, Miss S Walker, Dr T Gates and 2 servants, S P Gates, Jos Platt, A J Gayfer, Mr Chapelle, H Wilson, J Donaldson, W D Lockland and lady, Miss J Sheppard, J J Fletcher, California; Jos J Jones, Jamaica; J W Nelson, Md; Dr Lanier and daughter, W R Prescott, W N Dodge, W Rodgers, R P Tudor, J P Hampstead, R Bowerman, S J Merrick, Miss Spencer, A W Dodge, J H Muse and son, La; Mr and Mrs H Tremont, G S Nichols, B P Lawrence, NY; J Hoskins, J T Lee, Geo Forrest, N C; A M Adair, J B Rains, Ky; W E Powers, Ill; O C Bullitt, Md; M D Haynes, Ma.

VERANDA....W M Foster and lady, M C Nye and lady, Cal; M Hawes and lady, S M Gates, Tenn; J B Smith, La; R H Vaughan, Ala; W S Sheppard, D S Seelbert, Mobile; J H Walker, Ala; S W Johnson, Natchez, Ky; N B Whitehead, H M Lathrop, E G Henry, A P Winchester, G J Black, T S Bailey, E Lewis, Miss; J L Dunn, Ky; Mr Dougherty, La.

ST. LOUIS....The Jews, T L Wade, G P Beans, E Murphy, J W McCabe, M Gardner, Ky; H C Wilson, J B Bolton, N O; H C Ross, Cal; Mrs Capp, W Adams, Mrs O W Adams, Miss E J Miller, Judge D S Lane, J E Kelley, Ohio; Dr R W Washington, Vicksburg; Miss M Micheliez, Sachez Tenom, La.

CITY....W N Gill, Miss Myers, Mrs M Rachelle, Miss Myers, Mrs Stone, W O Donald, J R Wilson, R Ridge, W M Dunell, Mrs Walker, Miss R Woolley, Cal; A Dupuis, T R Lapsinsen, W Robertson, J Montgomery, A G Lamotte, Thos F Lorenzo, L Moss, C S Rodgers, Wm Peck, Geo Peck, Jas S McNeil, W B Benson, N O and J Hill, M Hamilton, Miss P E Newton, N Y.

ARCADE....M G W J Hall, Ark; C W Fitzhugh, Ind; S W Gilky, Ala; R B Shurtleff, Ga; A Calhoun, Ky; W W Nichols, C W Mitchell, Jas Starr, A C Grice, U S A, Texas; W Topy, W R Boston, Ohio; M Gorman, W O; J M Murray, G Ha L; J S Jones, La.

Died:

On Sunday afternoon, February 27, at half past 3 o'clock, after a lingering illness, Mrs. MARY JANE, in the 25th year of her age, wife of John A. Mackinder.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral THIS AFTERNOON, at half-past 4 o'clock, from her late residence, corner of Magazine and Race streets, without further notice.

Richmond and Norfolk papers please copy.

Please announce that JOHN GEDGE will be supported as a candidate for the JUDGESHIP OF THE FIFTH DISTRICT COURT, or the Court which may succeed it under the provisions of the new Constitution. All the regulars!

feb25 NUMEROUS FRIENDS.

JULIUS JACHNE is a candidate for ASSISTANT ALDERMAN for the First Ward, Second District. feb 26

TREASURER'S OFFICE, CITY OF NEW ORLEANS, January 5, 1853.

Extracts from an Ordinance approved December 31, 1852.

"ART. 22. All taxes imposed by this Ordinance shall be payable in advance.

"All persons doing business or pursuing any avocation under authority of this Ordinance, shall be required to keep hung up in some conspicuous place in their counting room, store, or place of business, a printed certificate, signed by the Treasurer, or their tax receipt for the current year."

By the Act of Consolidation, all taxes are required to be paid at the Treasury.

In accordance with this provision, notice is here given that the licenses for 1853 are now on and payable at the Treasury, and Merchants, Grocers, Coffee-house Keepers, Drayment, and all persons doing any business or pursuing any vocation requiring a license, are notified that the Ordinance will be strictly enforced against all persons neglecting to take out their licenses.

jan7 tf W. H. GARLAND, Treasurer.

TO PERSONS RUPTURED.—The many permanent and effectual cures made by Dr. Sherman are deserving of more than a passing notice. For particulars see his advertisement on next page.

Mammoth Clothing Store.
STOCK AMOUNTING TO OVER ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS.
ALFRED MUNROE & CO.,
34 Magazine street, corner of Gravier.

Dig leave to announce to their friends and customers that they are now in receipt of a portion of the SPRING AND SUMMER STOCK OF CLOTHING for GENTLEMEN, YOUTHS, BOYS AND CHILDREN, all of which is made to this very best manner. Every effort has been made to select the latest styles and the most choice patterns to be found. The stock now presented combines both a Summer and Winter Stock—at the latter they are doing their best to retailer it as much as possible. OVER COATS at nearly cost. feb 28 ctp116

16 *Camp Street.* 16
WALL PAPERS—WALL PAPERS.

Just received per ship Creole, another large assortment of these CHEAP AND BEAUTIFUL NEW YORK
PAPER HANGINGS,
which will be disposed of on the usual low terms. Also on hand, a LARGE AND WELL SELECTED STOCK OF
FRENCH PAPERS AND BORDERS,
which, on account of the advanced season, will be sold extremely low. As usual, on hand, a general assortment of
UPHOLSTERY GOODS,
such as Cords and Tassels, White and Colored Curtains, (Muslin and Robbinett), Mosquito Nets, Transparent Shades, Gilt Cornices, Curtain Bands and Pins, Rods and Cornices, and various other articles for House-furnishing. Paper Hang and Upholstery Work executed.

feb 28 tp JOSEPH ETTER, 16 Camp street.

Selling Off to Remove.
C. M. SIMPSON,
Finding his present location, at
50 CANAL STREET,
too circumscribed for his present business, which owing to his success of his plan of selling at small profits, has GREATLY increased within the last three years, would respectfully inform his friends and customers, and the public generally, that he will shortly remove to the commodious new store 116 Canal street, one door below Royal, Touro's Row; and previous to doing so, will

CLOSE OUT HIS PRESENT STOCK
at very low prices. No better chance can be offered to those in want of DRY GOODS, as

THE REMOVAL IS POSITIVE,
and the location is to open in the new establishment with a new profile fresh throughout.

PLANTATION GOODS of all kinds are still on hand, comprising Negro Blankets, Osnaburgs, Linseys, Jeans, Linsells, Stripes, Cottonades, Cottonades, Patent Leather Leather, Brown Sheeting, etc., at very low prices for cash or city acceptances.

DOMESTIC GOODS—Sheetings, Shirtings, Bed Ticks, Drills, Plaids, very cheap.

LINEN GOODS—Irish Linens, Linen Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Table Damasks, Napkins, Towels, Crash, Printed Linen Crash, Brown Linen Crash, Handkerchiefs of all qualities, for ladies, gentlemen and children, which will be sold at most extraordinary low prices.

HOSIERY—English and German, in Brown, Bleached, Black and Slate Colors, with Lapsets and Spun Silk Hose at cost and less.

HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS—Shells and Lace Curtains, Cornices, Gilt Cornices, Damask Curtains, Brocatelles, Worsted and Damask Coverlets, Bed Blankets, Table and Piano Covers, Matting, etc.

SILKS—The stock comprises an assortment of Rich Brocade Silks, Black Brocade Silks, Black Gros Grain Silks, Watered Silks, Turn Satins, Plaid Silks, Chene Silks, Changeable Silks, Striped Silks and some to Refine, with other styles not enumerated, all at first cost.

MANTILLAS—Of Velvet, Fine Cloth, Water Silk, Cloth, Cambric Silk, Plain Black Silk, Black and White Barege, and other styles, all at first cost.

EMBROIDERIES AND LACE GOODS—Lace and Muslin Capes, Collars, Cuffs, Undersleeves, Cuffs, Embroidered Robes, Embroidered Skirts, Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Jaconet and Swiss Insertings and Edgings, with sleeves.

FANCY GOODS—Scotch Kid Gloves, Ribbons, Parasols, Fans, Dargon, Leaning Frames, Thrums, Gossamines and

CRAPE SHAWLS—Over Two Hundred Styles on hand, which will be Sold at Great Bargains. The assortment consists of Plain White and Embroidered White, Crimson and Scotch silk Scarfs.

WINTER GOODS—Of many kinds, are still left, comprising Mousseline de Laines, Alpacas, Cashmeres and Merinoes, which can be had remarkably low.

A CHANCE FOR PLANTERS
and others to fill their entire bills at Dry Goods, at very low prices, now offers, as I am extremely anxious to avoid moving a single article of my present stock into my new store.

feb 28 tf C. M. SIMPSON, 50 Canal street.

INFORMATION WANTED—Of an Old Lady recently left by her friends in New Orleans. She moved here about ten years ago from Cincinnati. Her name is not known at present, but was formerly the Widow PATRICK DENNIS; her maiden name was MARGARET WHELAN. Any information concerning her will be thankfully received, if left at the Daily Delta office.

feb 25 tf JAMES ONEIL.

OFFICE NEW ORLEANS, OPELOUSAS AND GREAT WESTERN RAILROAD, corner of Gravier Street and Exchange Alley.—NEW ORLEANS, January 24, 1853.—In accordance with a resolution of Stockholders in Opelousas Railroad Company, a meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held at this office, on MONDAY, February 28, 1853, at 6 o'clock P. M., to take into consideration the propriety and policy of amending the charter and increasing the capital stock. At the date of the capital stock subscribed, the Company was in no condition to offer the enterprise to the public, and consequently it was offered to citizens, or otherwise more themselves to be represented by proxy.

By order of the Board of Directors.

jan24 D. SOLOMON, Secretary.

A GRAND FIREMEN'S BALL will be given by PELICAN FIRE COMPANY No. 1, of Algiers, at the ST. CHARLES BALL ROOM, Algiers, on TUESDAY EVENING, March 1, 1853.

....COMMITTEE OF INVITATION....

E. J. Dubon, S. S. Ackerman, J. Cortezon,
T. Thayer, G. Dupuy, J. Barkley,
E. Lewis, J. Hosmer, J. Hosmer,

....FLOOR MANAGERS....

C. Morrison, J. Cortezon.

Tickets One Dollar and Fifty Cents.

The same evening A BANNER will be presented by the Ladies of Algiers to Pelican Fire Company No. 1. The presentation speech will take place in the Ball Room, at half past 9 o'clock.

The Fire Department Band will be in attendance on the landing until half past 9 o'clock, on the night of the Ball, and will make a stop in the city at Carondelet in the morning, for the accommodation of parties from the city. In addition to the Band of the Steamboat, the celebrated Sicilie will be regularly during the night. feb 28

FOR SALE—
A COTTAGE HOUSE AND LOT on Melpomene street, between Napoleon and Apollo streets.
A TWO STORY HOUSE with stables rear and side on Terpsichore street, between Napoleon and Apollo streets.
A desirable PROPERTY in a supply business at Bay St. Louis.
A SQUARE OF GROUND with the improvements, and TWO VACANT SQUARES in Gravier City.
A SQUARE OF GROUND with TWO TWO STORY HOUSES with Galleries on Fourteen Walk. For full particulars, apply to

J. O. PIERSON, 7 Commercial Place.

BILOXI HOTEL FOR RENT.—That delightful Hotel known as the BILOXI HOTEL will be rented for the ensuing year. The building is in excellent order, and contains upwards of one hundred and ten rooms. Attached to it is a Bar, Two Ten Pin Alleys, Bath House and Stands of Wheel, two stories high and an extensive well, providing an abundant supply of water for all purposes. Any application for the premises in GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS AND PERFUMERY, at

C. LEIGHTON & CO'S
FIRST PREMIUM SHIRT EMPORIUM,
No. 77, corner of Canal and St. Charles streets.

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IMPORTER
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER
IN
FINE WATCHES, JEWELRY, RICH FANCY AND STAPLE GOODS
NO. 29 CAMP STREET, UNDER CITY HOTEL,
and under the St. Charles Hotel, St. Charles street,
NEW ORLEANS.

Respectfully invites the attention of wholesale and retail dealers and purchasers to the VERY LARGE STOCK OF GOODS, which is directly imported and constantly supplied throughout the year.

SHELL COMBS,
IMITATION SHELL AND BUFFALO COMBS, of every style and
BRUSHES OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, of his own manufacture, and at the lowest Northern factory prices.

TOILET ARTICLES,
such as PERFUMERY, HAIR OILS, HAIR DYES, POMATUM, FANCY SOAPS, etc.
FINE CANES, PURSES, POCKET BOOKS, WORK BOXES, PORTFOLIOS, together with an immense variety of FANCY MONEY MATERIALS, of every style and value, and
GUNS, PISTOLS, KNIVES, RAZORS, SHAVING CASES, PISTOLS, SCISSORS, RAZORS, LIFE P