...that Turkey is willing to have the provinces formed into independent States under the protection of the four powers.

The warlike movements in Turkey continue, and 50,000 reserves have been called out.

Rumors in the Turkish Ministry is expected shortly, as a settlement of the present difficulties is in contemplation.

EGYPT.—The Russian Consul General of Egypt has been recalled in consequence of his leaning towards the Turks.

It is rumored that the city of Thebes has been totally destroyed by an earthquake.

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J. N. HAWTHORN, of Orleans.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS,
R. LAMON, of West Baton Rouge.

WHIG CENTRAL STATE COMMITTEE.—New Orleans, September 19, 1853.—At a Special Meeting of the Whig Central State Committee, held at the Committee Room in the City of New Orleans, on the 20th of September, the following preamble and resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, Harry T. Hayes, Esq., having declined the nomination for State Treasurer, tendered him by the Whig State Convention, held at Baton Rouge, on the 3rd of August in N.O. AND WHEREAS, by a resolution of said Convention, the Whig Central State Committee is empowered to fill all vacancies which may occur in the Whig State Ticket; be it therefore

Resolved, That J. N. HAWTHORN, of New Orleans, having received the second place on the Whig State Ticket, be declared the nominee of the Whig Party for the Office of State Treasurer.

CHARLES M. WATERMAN, President.
F. C. LAVILLE, } Secretaries.
HENRY E. JOHNSON, }

Whig journals throughout the State will please copy. s11

WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPT'R 22, 1853

FROM MEXICO.—The Eastern mail arrived yesterday, bringing us dates from New York and Philadelphia of the 12th, 13th and 14th; Baltimore and Washington of the 13th, 14th and 15th; from Charleston of the 15th, 16th and 17th, and from Mobile of the 19th and 20th—all as late as due.

WHIG WARD MEETINGS.

The meetings last night for the purpose of electing delegates to the Parish and District Conventions, were numerously and enthusiastically attended. Particularly was this the case in the old sixth precinct—that stronghold of the party—held at the Shades, on Perdido street, where the party has so often congregated to carry dismay into the opposing ranks. We were proud to see the gathering at the Shades last night. The assemblage there, as well as elsewhere, showed a gathering enthusiasm for the success of down trodden principles, as well as being a harbinger of brilliant hopes for victory at the ensuing canvass. The delegates elected have given general satisfaction. The character of those named has inspired a confidence that alone must give strength to the cause. They are all first rate men, and will bring to the selection of candidates an intelligence and discrimination that must give the endorsement of capacity and integrity to their nominations, sufficient alone to insure their fitness for the posts to which they aspire.

These meetings show that the spunk of the young Whigs is up, and that they are determined that apathy shall no longer be thrown up to them as the cause of preceding defeats. They are tired of being defeated by a minority, and of having their colors trampled in the dust for want of determination to come out and show the full strength of their ranks.

There are many causes that have led to this awakened enthusiasm.

Heretofore the party has failed to come to the polls, not caring for the spoils, and well-enough knowing that the locofoco cliques, grown arrogant by success, would commit follies enough to disgust their own members, and thus force them to cast their influence in the opposite scale. A striking illustration of this fact is shown in the insane acts of the present locofoco City Government. That government, of itself, has amply sufficed to convince every right-thinking democrat that the men whom they select to be their rulers are unfit to be entrusted with the destinies of a people. It is needless to blazon their follies; they are sufficiently eloquent in themselves, and need not the aid of argument from us.

These causes, and a thousand others, are contributing to that revolution in local politics which we confidently predict. The whigs are conscious of their power—conscious of the widespread disgust engendered by the past conduct of our locofoco rulers—and hence that enthusiasm that last night prevailed. The members of the party are determined to be up and doing. There is strength in the limbs of the young lion, and it only needs that he should put it forth to decisively assert his mastery over every beast of the field!

WHIG MEETING—*First Representative District.*—A meeting was held last night at Kaetsel's Ball-room, on Nayades street, opposite the Horse Station, for the purpose of electing Delegates to the Parish and District Conventions to nominate candidates. Matthew Martin was called to the Chair, and W. W. McGarity appointed Secretary. The following gentlemen were put in nomination, and by a unanimous vote declared elected:

I. N. Marks, R. H. Prendergast, Wm. N. Batson, P. A. Shaw, James Golding.

WHIG MEETING—*Second Representative District.*—At a meeting held last night at A. Richards's Apollo Saloon, the meeting was called to order by J. F. Gruber. Dr. Wedderburn was called to the Chair, and James C. Parker acted as Secretary. The following Delegates were elected to the Parish and District Conventions:

Charles H. Nobles, Thomas H. Shields, J. F. Gruber, E. J. Carrell, Thomas L. Leeds, E. Blessy, F. H. Quick, Dr. Rogers.

WHIG MEETING—*Third Representative District.*—At a meeting held last night at the Shades, for the purpose of choosing Delegates to the Parish and District Conventions, Col. W. Christy was called to the Chair, and Fred. J. Roberts appointed Secretary. After a brief speech from the Chair, explanatory of the objects of the meeting, the following gentlemen were elected:

H. J. Forstall, Charles C. Callahan, James Beggs, B. G. Abbott, P. Dowling, C. T. Nash, Gerard Stith, Samuel T. Jones, R. C. Vance, J. H. Wingfield, J. W. Duplessis, T. E. Adams, John Vairin.

We return thanks to the officers of the W. B. Clifton for their politeness in furnishing us with late dates from Louisville.

The brig John Baleh, Perkins, from Georgetown, S. C., arrived at Newport, R. I., on the 10th, with four of the crew sick of fever. For the last eight days Capt. Perkins and the mate were the only persons on board able to do duty.

TELEGRAPHED TO THE CRESCENT.

By the Southern Line.

Yellow Fever in Mobile.

MOBILE, September 21.

The interments in this city yesterday were 18, including deaths from yellow fever—15.

Eastern Mail.

MOBILE, September 21.

The Eastern mail has arrived, bringing dates from New York of the 15th. The newspaper mail has failed.

By the National Line.

Mission to China.

WASHINGTON, September 21.

It is reported here that ex-Senator Allen is to have the Mission to China.

Railroad Disaster.

NEW YORK, September 17.

A freight train of cars this morning ran into a passenger train at the depot in Oneida, shattering the passenger cars, and killing and wounding a number of persons.

Ohio River—Markets.

PITTSBURGH, September 17.

The river here is rising slowly, with 2 feet 6 inches water in the channel.

CINCINNATI, September 17.

The river here has risen 12 inches during the last twenty-four hours.

LOUISVILLE, September 17.

The river here is now rising slowly.

CINCINNATI, September 17, P. M.

The Provision market is firm, and some articles are rather higher. Sales of Mess Pork at $14 50 per bbl, Bacon Shoulders 6¾, and Sides 6¾c. per lb.

LOUISVILLE, September 17.

The steamer Georgetown has departed for NewOrleans. Weather warm.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

MISSION TO FRANCE—*Washington*, September 19.—It is now stated positively here that Mr. Dix cannot obtain the French mission, Senator J. Y. Mason, of Virginia, is spoken of as standing the best chance for the office.

THE PACIFIC RAILROAD AND GEN. PIERCE—*Washington*, September 19.—It is now settled that the President will oppose the construction of the Pacific Railroad by the Government of the United States.

THE SMYRNA AFFAIR—*Washington*, September 19.—The Ministers of Russia, Austria and Prussia, residing here, have sent in to the State Department a remonstrance against the proceedings in the Kosta affair at Smyrna.

FROM THE FISHING GROUNDS—*Boston*, September 19.—The United States sloop-of-war Cyane has arrived at Portsmouth, N. H., from the Fishing Grounds, and reports that no seizure of fishing vessels have recently taken place.

NEW YORK MARKETS—*New York*, September 19.—The Cotton market here is extremely dull, and to-day sales amount to barely 250 bales, at nominal prices.

STEAMER HAUSA ARRIVED—*New York*, September 20—The new Bremen steamer Hausa has arrived from Bremen, with only one engine working; the other broke on her fifth day out.

CALIFORNIA STEAMERS—*New York*, September 20.—The steamers Illinois and Star of the West have sailed, the former for Aspinwall and the latter for San Juan.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET—*New York*, September 20.—The Cotton market here continues dull, and the sales to-day are limited to 300 bales. Prices irregular. [Eve. papers.

Syracuse, September 14.—The "hard shell" section of the Democratic State Convention, last evening, made the following nominations:

Secretary of State, George W. Clinton; Attorney General, James T. Brady; State Engineer, John B. Fay; State Treasurer, W. C. Watson; Comptroller, John E. Cooley; Canal Commissioner, John C. Mather; State Prison Inspector, M. W. Bennett; Judge of Appeals, Charles H. Ruggles; Judge for short term, H. M. Denio; Clerk of Appeals, F. S. Bowne. They then adopted a resolution complimentary of Senator Dickinson, amid loud cheers, after which an entire series of resolutions were adopted. The report that a bully stood ready to shoot down General Ward as he called the Convention to order, was freely commented upon by the "hard shells," after which they adjourned *sine die*.

The "soft shells" assembled at "Britnall Hall." Market Hall having been asked, but refused to them. Several hunkers adhered to this organization. John B. Skinner was elected temporary chairman, and made a speech in favor of the Baltimore platform and the National and State Administrations, which was loudly cheered. After a debate, on a motion made by John Van Buren, the Convention adjourned until this morning, in order to give the "hard shells" an opportunity to retrace their steps and unite with what they claim to be, the regular Convention.

Philadelphia, September 14.—By an arrival here we have later advices from Montevideo, which state that General Urquiza had sought refuge on board of an American steamer, and that his flight had caused much rejoicing among the people. Much confusion existed.

New York, September 14.—Jullien's concerts continue crowded, with increasing enthusiasm. Malle. Anne Zerr made her first appearance this evening since her severe illness, and acquitted herself handsomely.

Newport, R. I., September 14.—A cowhiding assault took place at the Bellevue House this afternoon—Isaac S. Holmes the recipient, and Wm. R. Morgan the operator—cause, Holmes's interference in Morgan's domestic affairs.

Boston, September 14.—The steamer Europa sailed to-day, taking out seventy passengers, among them S S. Robinson, of Louisville, bearer of dispatches, and $170,000 in specie.

Albany, September 13.—The canal tolls of the first week of September amounted to $100,313, and for the season to $1,896,044. Increase over last season thus far, $49,252.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMSHIP FASHION—*Movement of Mexican Troops—Gen. Smith.*—The U. S. steamship Fashion arrived yesterday from Brazos Santiago, which port she left on Sunday the 18th instant.

The Fashion left in port the U. S. mail steamship Yacht, at anchor, she having arrived on Saturday.

The schooner Corah left in company with the Fashion. She also reports the schooner Nina, Schiffer master, to sail for New Orleans on the 28th. The schooner Star was at anchor off Brazos Santiago.

The Fashion reports that the Mexican General, Woll, had arrived at Matamoros on the 15th with 200 troops, being in command of the Mexican frontier.

General Smith and staff had arrived at Corpus Christi on the 16th.

It was further reported that the editor of the Brownsville Flag had shot a man and had been obliged to flee the country. The Flag had consequently ceased publication, the editor being printer, pressman and all.

The Louisville Courier of the 13th inst. says that about four and a half o'clock Monday morning the steamers Ben Coursin and U. S. Mail came in collision, the latter just under head way leaving the wharf, and the former coming down. The bow of the Ben Coursin passed under the guard of the U. S. Mail on the starboard quarter and knocking a hole in the hull, and sinking her in 7 or 8 feet water. The U. S. Mail belongs to Capt. Hazlep, and others at Pittsburg. She is a new boat, and will be readily raised. A bulk head was built in her last evening.

COLLISION AT SEA.—A terrible disaster at sea between the clipper ship John Stewart and the bark Green Point, happened on the night of the 31st of July at nine o'clock, about thirteen degrees south of the Equator. The John Stewart left Callao for the Chincha Islands, and during the said night, ran into the bark, cutting her into two pieces, and sinking her immediately the captain and family barely saved themselves The John Stewart was considerably injured.

There arrived at New York from Saturday morning to Monday noon, 21 vessels from Europe, bringing 7174 immigrants. On the ship Lucy Thompson there were 35 deaths during the passage from Liverpool.

The ladies of Madison, Ia., realized $360 by two entertainments for the orphans in NewOrleans, bereaved by the yellow fever.

Pass Christian Regattas.

Correspondence of the Crescent.

PASS CHRISTIAN, September 19.

The Annual Regatta for the S. Y. C. Challenge Cup came off to-day, the 19th Sept., being the day fixed for this annual affair. The boats were divided into three classes; the entries were as follows: In the first class the *Eagle*, *Edith* and *Stingaree*; in the second class the *Venture* and *Secret*; and in the third class the *Elephant*. In addition to the Gold Cup, beautiful and appropriate prizes were offered for the winning boats of each class. All the boats were entered for the Challenge Cup, and for the prizes according to the classes above-mentioned. The race was fifteen miles, two and a half triangles, twice around.

At the time of starting, which was at one-quarter past 1 o'clock, the wind was very light, and the boats moved off slowly towards the first stake-boat; the *Eagle* rounding the first stake ahead, the *Venture* second, the *Stingaree* third, the *Secret* fourth, the *Edith* fifth, and the *Elephant* last. Before they reached the second stake the *Edith* and *Secret* had both passed the *Stingaree*, the others retaining their original positions, which were not changed until they neared the wharf, when the clouds which had been gathering around the horizon in heavy banks, suddenly broke up towards the North, and gave us one of *the* squalls you sometimes meet upon this coast. Now came the tug of boats—not of war. The *Eagle* and *Venture* had turned the stake at the wharf before the squall struck them, and when it did they were up and off. Next came the *Edith* and *Stingaree*, side-by-side—the crews howling at each other louder than the blast—and passed the wharf at a 2:40 lick. But the *Stingaree* neglected reefing, which was soon practiced by the *Edith*, and before she got well under way again the *Stingaree* was hurling along under full sail a half-mile at least ahead. In the meantime the *Venture* and *Eagle*, who had caught the first of the squall, were walking along at an alarming pace, the *Eagle* still in the lead. "But the race is not always to the swift;" for, as she attempted to come about, she missed stays, and before she could recover her head-way she capsized. The *Secret* broke her tiller, and could not weather the stake at the wharf; and the *Elephant* turned back, after having weathered the squall, leaving the entire race to the *Venture*, *Stingaree* and *Edith*, as follows:

The *Venture* winning the Gold Cup and the second class prize. The *Stingaree*, the first class prize, and beating the *Edith* in this race over a half hour.

The Regattas will continue during the week under the auspices of the S. Y. C.; and, if you consider this worthy of a place in your paper, I shall continue to give you the accounts of each day's racing.

If the New Orleans boys want a little excitement, now is the time for them to enjoy it. We have delightful company at the Hotel, plenty to eat and drink, an accommodating host, which, with the regattas, should be a sufficient inducement—come on. Yours, JACK ASHORE.

SECOND DAY.

PASS CHRISTIAN, September 20, 1853.

According to promise, I give you a short account of the second day's Regatta at this place. The race to-day was free for all boats of the first, second and third classes, and beautiful prizes for each class.

In the first class were the *Fairy*, the largest and most beautiful yacht in the South, the *Stingaree* and *Secret*, both second class boats. In the second class the *Venture* and *Edith*, the former the winner of the gold cup yesterday. In the third class the *Bertha* (late *Picayune*) and the *Whisky*, the latter not coming to the scratch ruled the former out, as, according to the rules, it required two boats in each class to make a race.

The race was the same as the day before, fifteen miles, two and a half triangles. At the time of starting the wind was from the N. E., blowing a fair breeze. The start was beautiful. In rounding the first stake the *Fairy* was one minute and fifty-eight seconds ahead of the *Stingaree*, the *Edith* third, the *Venture* fourth, and the *Secret* fifth. In beating towards the second stake the *Stingaree* passed the *Fairy* to windward, and weathered the second stake ahead, and also passed ahead at the wharf, the other boats still holding their positions. In rounding the first stake, the second time, the *Fairy* beat the *Stingaree* one minute and fourteen seconds, the other boats not altering their positions, except that the contest between the *Edith* and *Venture* was very exciting, both boats being nearly side-and-side during the race. As they neared the winning stake the excitement increased, and bets were freely offered that shovel-nose (*Stingaree*) would beat the *Fairy*, and the result proved the fact that the battle is not always to the strongest, "for the moth beat the mammoth," as the result will show.

The *Fairy* was the first boat in, but being a boat of thirty-six tons, and the *Stingaree* about three tons, had to allow her according to the S Y. C. rules two seconds per foot per mile—the *Stingaree* according to the rules being compelled to run as measuring twenty-six feet, a first class boat, although only measuring twenty-five feet four and a half inches. Taking all things into consideration, I think this one of the most extraordinary beats of the season, taking the allowance of time, which was but seven and a half minutes between a boat of thirty-six tons and one of three tons. I tell you that the shovel-nose cannot be beaten in a breeze of wind. The *Venture* came in ahead of the *Edith*, but not sufficient to win the prize. The *Edith*, the first prize of the second class—the *Secret*, nowhere. The champagne is taking a little effect upon my brain, and I must close this in haste.

Yours, JACK ASHORE.

Philadelphia Letter.

MATTERS AND THINGS IN THE QUAKER CITY.

Correspondence of the Crescent.

PHILADELPHIA, September 13, 1853.

The yellow fever, which, a few weeks since, gave our citizens some alarm, has entirely disappeared from the locality in which it originated. During its prevalence it was confined to a very limited district, embracing an area of not more than six hundred yards in length, by two hundred in breadth, and comprising a neighborhood by no means populous; but in many cases the houses are confined and filthy, the Delaware Avenue, which fronts the locality on the East, is defective in surface drainage, and at all times in a muddy and filthy state, and the cellars of the houses damp and subject to periodical overflows from the water of the river. The whole number of cases during the prevalence of the disease was thirty-eight, the deaths about ten or twelve. In no instance did it spread beyond the limited locality described. Its origin, there seems no room to doubt, is to be traced to the arrival of the bark Mandarin, from Cienfuegos, with yellow fever cases on board, and its continuance to the impure and unhealthy locality in which it first took root. These are facts which seem to favor the efficacy of quarantine regulations in preventing the introduction of the epidemic, and the availability of cleanliness in preventing its spread.

The Keystone State, a splendid steamer, built as a consort of the Georgia, on the Savannah line, made her appearance on the Delaware yesterday, on the occasion of her trial trip. She moved through the water at a swift rate, and is said to have fully met the expectations of owners and builders, while her appearance and finish is the admiration of marine connoisseurs. She will start on her first trip on Wednesday next; giving, hereafter, a weekly steam communication with Savannah.

One of the signs of the politico-religious feeling that deeply pervades all classes in this city, and which will some day again break forth in a repetition of the Nativist riots, was given on Saturday last, in the parade of the Lodges of a secret society calling itself the Protestant Association. Though this association is a new thing it paraded over a thousand members, and will form a powerful nucleus, around which will concentrate the anti foreign and anti-Catholic sentiment, which, however quiet it may be, is always powerful in this city. The procession was accompanied throughout its march by a strong cordon of police, whose absence would at any moment have been the signal for a riot.

A yacht race, from the upper part of the city to the buoy off Marcus Hook and back, a distance of forty miles, attracted a large concourse of spectators to the river bank yesterday. The wind, however, was so light, that the boats did little more than drift with the tide, and it was not until this morning that the boats returned to the starting point. The prize was won by the *Bianca*, which outstripped her nearest competitor, the *John S. Keyser*, by about half a mile.

The spirit of rowdyism, which, under the strong enforcement of the police, has lain quiescent for some time past, is again exhibiting itself. On Saturday night two of the up-town companies had an encounter, when a spectator, who had perched himself on a gate to view the fight, was shot by a chance ball, and instantly killed. An active investigation is going on, and the hope is that some rowdy's neck will stretch for the act.

Rumor says that your townsman, the eminent pianist, Gottschalk, is about to marry a distinguished belle of Philadelphia, who to her other charms adds the golden one of a fortune of $200,000. Rumor also freely mentions the name of the lady, but I cannot follow her unmannerly example. The *on dit* appears to have its foundation in a very vigorous flirtation between the parties during Gottschalk's visit to this city, and subsequently when they met at Cape May. Gottschalk is, however, a fine fellow, as well as an eminent musician, and has many friends here who will wish him God speed in any thing that may contribute to his happiness. QUIZ.

Baltimore Letter.

BATTLE OF NORTH POINT—RAILROAD IMPROVEMENTS—PROSPECTS OF TRADE, ETC.

Correspondence of the Crescent.

BALTIMORE, September 12.

Our city to-day has presented quite a gala appearance on the occasion of the celebration of the anniversary of the battle of North Point, on September 12, 1814, when the British invaders were ignominiously repulsed. As a day of local remembrance and patriotic pride, its recurrence is always joyfully welcomed. Flags have been displayed during the day from every quarter, the streets are thronged with people, and the air resonant with the musical clangor of the constantly passing military bands. The Association of Old Defenders, embodying a remnant of the heroes of the day, took the cars at an early hour in the morning and rode out to Calsaysville, where they have spent the day in their usual spirited manner; one of the observances being an oration from one of their number, the venerable Samuel Barnes, for many years, and until lately, the esteemed editor of the Baltimore Clipper. Several volunteer companies from Washington have also been here on a visit, and their reception and parade have given additional spirit to the celebration of the day.

A notable improvement has taken place in the railroad between this city and Philadelphia. A few years back this road was one of the greatest nuisances on the whole line of travel from New Orleans to New York, and as such held an unenviable place in the recollections of disappointed and impatient passengers. Now, under the management of its present energetic officers, it has been brought to a condition of great efficiency. Instead of six, seven, or eight hours being consumed, as formerly, in the trip, the express train now makes the run in less than four hours with great regularity, whilst accidents or detentions are almost unknown. The Directors have also determined to double-track the road, and to commence immediately the building of a bridge over the Susquehanna and the reconstruction of that one over the Schuylkill. The completion of these improvements will put the road on a complete footing, and enable as high a rate of speed to be obtained over it as on any road in the country.

The past week has been one of unusual animation in business matters in Baltimore, and the sales in our produce and grocery markets have footed up to an unusual amount. In flour some 40,000 barrels have changed hands, and about 21,000 bags of coffee were also disposed of. As usual, the activity in these leading articles was followed by a stir in all departments of trade, and the wholesale transactions of the week were not less than a million of dollars. This week there is not the same feverish excitement apparent, but still a substantial amount of business is going on, and the impression seems general that the present fall will witness a sustained activity in commercial matters.

Autumn is bringing its pleasures with it, and our theatres, the museum, an old established house, and the Olympic, a new debutante, have commenced the campaign with every prospect of success. Rumor also says that we are to have Max Maretzek's Italian Opera troupe to waken our musical sensibilities. Altogether, with a healthy city, a brisk trade, and a variety of attractions, we bid fair to have a lively fall and winter. OBSERVER.

ADMIRABLE THINGS.

BY JOHN BUSHTON.

The hand outstretched to meet a brother's;
A life exposed in saving others;
The poor member seeking out distress,
With will and power to make it less;
The soaring student-boy retired,
With soaring inspiration fired;
Love's mission, overleaping creed,
Teaching the deaf and blind to read;
The hand that wields the hammer, then,
With equal skill, takes up the pen;
The patriot toiling for his kind,
With energetic soul and mind;
The steam-press, engine, forge and plow,
Pearl-drops on the laborer's brow;
The poet's sweet and hopeful song;
Humanity's long war with wrong;
A mother, at the close of day,
Teaching her little ones to pray;
The Christian spirit taking flight
From this dim world to endless light;
And all things act through life we plod,
Which brings us nearer truth and God.

Harvard College opens this year with the largest classes ever known at that institution, the undergraduates numbering 355. The number of students connected with the other professional school of the College has not been definitely ascertained, but will swell the sum total to about 700.

The anniversary of Perry's victory on Lake Erie was celebrated with great spirit at Newport, R. I., on the 10th inst. The public buildings were decorated with flags and banners, and the steamboat Perry went on an excursion with a large company of people.

Reese Evans, quite a youth, was hung at Wilkesbarre, Pa., on the 10th instant, for the murder of Lewis Reese. It is stated that he made a confession, in which he has recited many of his petty crimes, a full confession of the murder of Reese, and numerous thefts.

The Secretary of the Navy announces that additional clerical force has been employed in the Navy Agent's Department, and the delay that has heretofore occurred in the payment of seamen's claims for extra allowance will be obviated.

On the 1st of August, it is said, there were 90 vessels loading with guano at the Chincha Islands. From the 1st to the 31st of July, 55 vessels sailed from the same place with full cargoes for Europe and the United States.

Three negro men, convicted a short time since by the county court of Sussex, Va., of the murder of Mr. Henry Birdsong's son, and an attempt to murder Mr. B., were executed at the court house of that county on the Friday last.

At the Crystal Palace, $2,780 40 has been contributed to the Washington Monument. The sum, however, includes $280 bequeathed by a New Yorker who died in California.

James G. Denniston, a young man of Newark, N. J., who went out to California with Col. Stephenson's Regiment, it is said has married a fortune of half a million.

Lieut. Edward A. Barnett, U. S. N., has been ordered for duty on board the receiving-ship Philadelphia.

It is said the University of Virginia will commence its October session with about six hundred students.

A bill has passed one of the Dutch Houses of Legislature, opening the Molucca Islands to the commerce of all nations.

During August, 12,499 immigrants from Europe arrived at Philadelphia, and on the 10th inst. nearly 900 more arrived there.

Advices from Cienfuegos to August 28 report all old sugar sold, and new, of which an average yield is expected, coming in slow.

On the 13th 7037 tickets to the New York Crystal Palace were sold. The scholars of the public schools are to be admitted this week.

A company is about being organized for the purpose of locking and damming Licking River from Falmouth to the Blue Lick.

The total basis for bank taxation in Cincinnati is over $15,000,000; bank and brokers' tax, $280,000.

The Rochester man who has been asleep for five years is on exhibition in New York.

In Utah they open their balls and dancing parties with prayer and close with a benediction.

The first severe frost of the season visited Boston on Sunday one week.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Daily Report of the Interments in all the Cemetries of the city for the 24 hours ending at 6 o'clock, A. M., on Wednesday, September 21, 1853:

	Total.	Yellow Fever.	Other Diss.	Not Stated.
Protestant, Girod street	5	2	1	2
Cypress Grove No. 2	4	3	—	1
Charity Hospital	4	3	—	1
St. Patrick's	5	—	2	3
Catholic No. 1, 2d district	2	2	—	3
Catholic No. 2, 2d district	1	3	—	3
St. Y. de Paul, Third District	1	6	—	7
Lafayette, Fourth District	1	3	—	4
Hebrew	1	1	—	2
	—	—	—	—
Total	14	20	3	37

CHARITY HOSPITAL.—The following is the report of this institution for the week ending at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening 20th inst:

Admissions	23	Deaths	19
Discharges	7	By yellow fever	4

CHARGE OF KILLING A WOMAN.—Francis King was yesterday examined before Recorder Winter on the charge of killing Mrs. Mary Anne Burke, by striking her on the head with an ax, on the night of the 10th instant. Deceased was a native of Ireland, and was killed at a house on the corner of Edward and St. Thomas streets.

Deputy Coroner Terrell, who held the inquest and post-mortem examination on the body of the deceased, testified that she came to her death by concussion of the brain, caused by a blow inflicted on the front part of the skull.

Dr. Harvey, a witness on the part of the State, testified as follows: "I was present at the post-mortem examination on the body of Mary Ann Burke. I found depression of the skull. The bone was depressed just above the left eye. I took off the integument, and blood issued from the depression. I then sawed the skull open and took off the skull-cap. Found the brain very much congested, and about a pint of dark fluid blood came from it. It is my opinion she died from concussion of the brain, produced by a blow. Such blows produce instant death, or the party might survive for an hour. This depends on the force of the blow. From the appearance of the wound and its location, it could not have resulted from a fall, but from a blow. I examined the place where she fell, and the flat-irons, one of which were close by, could not have touched her. They would have produced a different appearance. I examined the whole body, from head to heels, and could see nothing else to have produced death. Cross-examined—As far as I could learn, it was several hours after her death before I saw her. I found her lying on her back in the middle of the floor, and covered up. The room was small—say ten by twelve feet. There were chairs and tables in it. I do not think that the wound could have been occasioned by her falling against the chairs or tables.

Catherine Darbesson testified that she was in the room accompanied by her three daughters, one of which was the deceased. The accused raised an ax for the purpose of breaking open an armoir to get at some liquor that was in it, (accused being drunk,) on seeing which she put her arms around his waist, when he left the ax fall from his hands, and on looking around to where the deceased stood on her entrance to the room, she saw her lying on the ground, and on her face; saw two smoothing-irons and one large sea-shell on the spot where deceased fell. Witness heard the shell come fall on the irons and sea-shell, and that the mark on her head was caused by the fall on the irons and sea-shell. Deceased was sickly, and witness is the mother of deceased.

The entire testimony went to show that the death was accidental, and the accused was discharged.

AT LONG TAW!—The following challenge was the other day sent to one of the "bloods" down town:

Mr Spriggins I challeng you to fight across the river a fair ring fight singe your name and appoint the tim.

PETER MANLY

This invitation, perhaps, puzzled Spriggins, as it did others, and not knowing how he was to go about fighting "across the river," nor how he could fight a fair "ring fight" in a direction which was straight "across," he concluded that Manly must be a dangerous character to go abroad, and accordingly made an affidavit against him. Manly was held to bail in the sum of $500 to keep the peace.

SENT FOR TRIAL.—Ellen Carey was yesterday examined before Recorder Winter for an assault and battery on Elizabeth Fallon, and committed for trial before the First District Court, under a bond of $500.

John Hussey, for an assault and battery on Alexander Ward, was sent before the same tribunal under a like bond.

ALL IN MY EYE, MR. MARTIN.—Mr. Martin, who rents rooms on Royal street, from Mrs. Eugenie Fisse, felt insulted at Mrs. Eugenie, who asked payment for his room rent, and, bent on revenge, induced the daughter of complainant to throw pepper in the eye of her son. Martin had to give $200 security for his appearance.

GARMENTS.—Kate McCauley accused Barbara Bricklin of denuding her of her garments by the furtive hand, and made affidavit to that effect before Recorder Ramos. Barbara was arrested.

Died:

Wednesday evening, September 21, of Yellow Fever, JOHN G. SCHWING, in the 23d year of his age, a native of Louisville, Ky.

☞ His funeral will take place THIS MORNING, at 10 o'clock, from the residence of Richard M. Ellis, corner of Josephine and Chestnut streets, Fourth District. His friends, and those of R. M. Ellis, are invited to attend, without further notice.

☞ Louisville (Ky.) papers please copy.

☞ Please announce THOS. ASKEW as a candidate for STATE TAX COLLECTOR, First District. s22

☞ WHIG CENTRAL STATE COMMITTEE.—The members of the WHIG CENTRAL STATE COMMITTEE will meet at their Club Room, corner of Conti street and Exchange Alley, on THURSDAY EVENING, September 22, at 7 o'clock ... By order,

CHARLES M. WATERMAN, President.
HENRY E. JOHNSON, } Secretaries.
F. C. LAVILLE, } s19 4t

PROFESSOR HENRY DE MARSAN.—The method and abilities of this gentleman, so highly spoken of in the city, are in great favor among the ladies and gentlemen who study the French Language. Combining the oral system with the use of but one single and adaptable book—it is a reasonable and true method, capable of producing the most satisfactory and unmistakable results, and requires a great deal less time than any other system, ridiculously termed "the only universal, the only infallible one." Professor D. Marsan has formed Day Classes for Ladies, and Evening Classes for Gentlemen. He gives Private Lessons as usual, at the residence of the Pupil, or at his own rooms, No. 9 Camp street, opposite the City Hotel.

☞ OFFICIAL.—BOARD OF HEALTH, NewOrleans, September 12, 1853.—The following resolution, passed by the Board of Health, is published for the information of all concerned:

RESOLVED, That, at this time, it is highly dangerous for strangers to visit our city, and, very injurious to the health of the city; I have reason to add to the material for the action of the fever, and it is the earnest request of this Board that the authorities of the various cities and towns on the rivers above, as well as the newspapers of the same, to use their influence to prevent the departure of their citizens for our city.

s12 J. C. SIMONDS, M. D., Secretary Board of Health.

☞ MINISTERIAL SERVICES.—Persons desiring the services of the undersigned Methodist ministers, in visiting the sick and burying the dead, during the prevailing epidemic, will leave directions and address on the slate at 34 Camp street, office of the Christian Advocate, if between the hours of 8 A. M. and 2 P. M. At other hours, apply at private residences.

Rev. H. N. MCTEIRE, corner Magazine and Felicity sts.
Rev. L. PARKER, 265 Carondelet street.
s22 2t Rev. J. C. KEENER, Carrollton, cor. Third and Dublin sts.

☞ LOUISIANA GREYS—*Relief Committee.* The following gentlemen have been duly appointed a Relief Committee during the prevailing epidemic:

Lieut. STRONG, 104 St. Charles street.
JOS. F. RUSIA, 74 Broome street.
ROBERT MCNAMARA, 251 Magazine street.
P. DOLEY, Triton Walk and Hercules street.
DANIEL KELLY, St. Joseph and Tchoupitoulas streets.
P. CURLEY, Howard, between Gallipoli and Clio streets.
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LIEUT. CAVANAUGH, 183 Circus street.
By order. JOS. F. RUSIA, Secretary.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT, } SUCCESSION OF THE LATE MRS.
of NewOrleans. } VANCE, deceased ... No. 6484.

BY VIRTUE of an order of sale, rendered September 16, 1853, to me directed by the Honorable the Second District Court of NewOrleans, in the above entitled matter, I will proceed to sell at public auction, on TUESDAY, October 4, 1853, at half past 4 o'clock P. M., or account of said succession, on the premises, situate on Circus street, between Girod or Broome and Julia streets, in the First District of this City:

A LOT OF FURNITURE, etc., belonging to said succession.

ALSO, THE LEASE OF SAID PREMISES, to expire on the 31st of October next (1853).

Terms—Cash on the spot.

JAMES P. FERRET,
s22, 25, 30, c4 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

MACKEREL—30 bbls. Nos. 1 and 2, in store and for sale by R. M. McALPIN & CO.
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