DAILY CRESCENT.

NATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS.—Some extracts from the "Unpublished Journals of Travel" of a very original thinker and shrewd observer are given in a recent number of an English magazine. Among them is the following, in reference to the characteristics of several nations:

"Once upon a time, I lost my way in New York. Asked Yankee: he immediately stopped, turned his back to me, put his hands into his pockets, and began to whistle. I was just going to ask some one else, when I heard him say, through his nose, that if I would follow him, he would show me the way. He did, too, though it took him some half a mile out of his road. Once upon a time, I lost my way in London. Asked Englishman: he stopped exactly the fifteenth part of a second, said, 'first turn to the left, second turn to the right, and there you are, sir!' Once upon a time, I lost my way in Paris. Asked Frenchman: he was very voluble and explained very politely. Once upon a time, I lost my way in the town of Augsburg. Asked a German: off went his hat, and off went his tongue with a volubility of warmth and benevolence that was quite delightful and most confusing. But where is the difference between the Frenchman and the German? True, they are, at first sight, much alike; but look closer, and you will see the motive is utterly different. In the German it is eagerness to please you; in the Frenchman it is a desire you should be pleased with him. It is as plain as if they said so, in so many words."

THE BEARD IN THE PULPIT.—Francis the First, disgusted with the prevailing practice in his day, of the clergy retaining their beards, obtained from the Pope a brief by which all ecclesiastics throughout France were compelled to shave, or pay a large sum for the privilege of appearing with a beard. The bishops and richly beneficed clergy readily paid the prohibitory fine, but the poorer sort, unable to comply, were reduced to the grievous necessity of surrendering this ornament of the chin. The license, obtained by compliance with the terms of the papal brief was, however, secondary to the statutory regulations of the Church, which in some instances were directly inhibitory of the Bishop himself performing the service, unshaven; and of this fact, Duprat was in his person as a prelate, a remarkable instance.

Duprat, son of the Chancellor of that name, had naturally a beard that excited general admiration; and shortly after his return from the Council of Trent, where he had displayed his eloquence, and distinguished himself by his writings, was appointed to the see of Clermont. On Easter Sunday he appeared at the cathedral to take possession, but found the doors closed. Three dignitaries of the Chapter awaited him at the entrance; one held a razor; another a pair of scissors; and the third, a book containing the ancient statutes of that Church, in which with his finger, that officer pointed out to the would-be bishop the words *barbis rasis*—no beard. In vain did Duprat endeavor to avoid that despoilment, and argued the sinfulness of doing any work on so solemn a day; but was inexorably determined, those who held the razor and the scissors resisted his entering, and protruded their weapons in such guise, that the non-inducted bishop, to save his beard, fled in dismay, abandoned the honor, and grief in a few days rendered him for ever insensible to the advantages of a prelatical position, or the vain solicitude created by the unusual elegance of a beard.

THE SACRED DESK.—Addison, in one of his essays published in the Spectator, suggests that clergymen would benefit themselves and their hearers by frequently reading a choice selected sermon, instead of all their own composition. Most clergymen, during dog-days, might select sermons that would be better for their congregations than they can write. If so, why be afraid to read them? It is said that the hearers can read them at home. So they may, a poorer one, perhaps, of the pastor, by borrowing it. Why should the pastor feel any more delicacy in presenting selected sermons, a part of the time, than the editor select editorials? Certainly the suggestion of Addison, who was both a man of sense and a Christian, is worthy remote from their brethren, and cannot often indulge themselves with pulpit exchanges. A minister may deliver the sermon of another with all the force, unction and earnestness he would his own. Let the custom once be introduced, with reason and moderation, and it would be beneficial to all parties concerned. There are able composers of sermons who would often instruct and benefit their hearers more by delivering the discourses of Barrow, Hall, Channing, Davies, or Spring, than their own.

All will agree, that some such course is much preferable to the one that prevails to so wide an extent, viz: preaching sermons that mainly belong to others, and giving their hearers the impression that they are original. [Boston Correspondent Journal of Commerce.

Assassination of Kotzebue.

The following is from a London paper: May 19, 1820, will be long memorable in German history. Augustus Kotzebue, after the war of 1818, was accused, as a hireling partisan, of devoting his literary abilities to the subversion of the liberties of Germany in favor of Russia; and, like most persons perverted to wrong, he, notwithstanding frequent warnings, persisted; and accordingly, having become obnoxious to many of the secret associations then prevalent, was in most of them denounced. In one, that had the appellation of the Tugenshund, or Coalition of Virtue, his death, in 1817, was determined, yet some time elapsed before the casting of lots was effected, as to whose hand the perpetration of the deed should be committed. The chance fell to Charles Frederick Sand, a young man then about twenty-four years of age, of an ardent temperament, and anxious to avenge his country of one whose principles had excited so much hatred.

Sand set out from Jena on March 9, 1819, and on the 23d arrived at Manheim, where at an inn he conversed with a country curate, till about 5 o'clock, at which hour, having resolved to perform his mission, he parted from the divine, and presented himself at Kotzebue's door. He was admitted by a servant, who conducted him to an apartment, with the assurance his master would shortly make his appearance. Kotzebue, on entering the room, was by Sand stabbed repeatedly, and he fell a corpse. A crowd was almost immediately collected, and Sand quietly passed into the street, kneeled down and, in an energetic tone, exclaimed, "It is I who am the murderer! May all traitors thus perish!" Then, with uplifted eyes, with much fervency, continued, "I thank thee, O God! for thy assistance in this work!"

Having thus avowed himself the murderer of Kotzebue, he bared his breast, and with the same weapon, inflicted a severe stab. In his hand was a paper, containing these words: "Sentence of death against Kotzebue, executed 23d March, 1819;" and in his bosom was secreted a riband, with an inscription purporting that Kotzebue had been condemned to death two years before. Sand survived, but, as usual, his trial was delayed more than twelve months, when, at length, sentence of death was passed on him, and his execution fixed at eight o'clock, on the morning of May 19, 1820. The authorities seemed to have been apprised that a rescue would be attempted, and that many of his friends would then arrive at Manheim. At six o'clock, when all was mournfully silent, Sand was led forth to execution. He seemed calm and collected, his countenance void of fear; he appeared composed in mind, and wholly resigned to his fate. He held a rose, that he frequently raised, and seemingly enjoyed its refreshing fragrance. The execution was hastened, and at the moment the executioner held forth the severed head of Sand, his friends poured in from Heidelberg, and rushing to the scaffold, it was soon in their possession. Exasperated at his death, and eager to secure some relic of the martyr, they tore off his clothes in fragments, cut the hair from his head, dipped their kerchiefs in his blood, and evinced every possible demonstration of their regret and sorrow at his fate. To this day, these relics are preserved with religious veneration, and the name of Sand, the avenger of his country's wrongs, in the person of the Russian traitor Kotzebue, but slumbers, to awaken throughout Germany a direful vengeance on their oppressors.

THE Subscribers, Agents for the sale of Lewis Cox, of Philadelphia, Pale ale and Cidera, keep constantly on hand an assortment of the various descriptions, which they offer at the manufacturer's prices. The assortment consists:
CROSS OR GREEN, Dry and in oil;
do. YELLOW
VERMILLION, PRUSSIAN BLUE;
CHINESE BLUE, Dry and in Oil;
SCARLET, Dry.
E. J. HART & CO. 79 Tchoupitoulas street

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Crescent Mutual Insurance Company.

IN conformity with the requisitions of their Charter, the Company submit the following statement, viz:

Amount of premiums on policies issued from July 12, 1848, to June 30, 1854	$684,647 97
Amount of unterminated risks July 12, 1853	158,095 00
Total amount of premiums	$1,042,742 97
Viz: Premium on Fire Risks $496,328 93	
Marine do 321,480 40	
River do 216,151 64	
Life do 9,482 00	$1,042,742 97
Less premium on risks not terminated $156,155 95	
Return premiums 30,354 15	$126,541 15
Net earned premiums for near eleven and a half months.	$857,452 14
Losses paid during the same period:	
On Fire Risks	$219,471 02
On Marine Risks	196,559 81
On River Risks	268,515 80
On Life Risks	10,000 00
	$694,141 83
Reinsurance, Expenses, Int. Disc., etc.	93,143 23 — 787,285 06
Net Earned Profits for near eleven and a half months.	$70,166 08

The Company have the following assets:
Invested in Bond and Mortgage on property worth double the amount loaned thereon $340,715 00
Loaned on Bank and other Stocks 84,800 00
Bills Receivable, being Notes for Premiums 165,924 66
Invested in Real Estate, estimated value $70,000, cost 64,808 21
Due for Premiums in course of Collection 48,975 81
Cash on hand 187,645 35
Total Assets $849,185 61

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.

Be it remembered, that on the 21st July, 1854, before the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city aforesaid, personally appeared Charles J. Mansoni, Secretary of the Crescent Mutual Insurance Company of New Orleans, who, being duly sworn according to law, does depose and say that the above account is just, and a true and correct transcript from the books of the Company.

C. J. MANSONI, Secretary.
(Signed.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21st day of July, 1854.
C. V. JONTE, Second Justice of the Peace, Parish of Orleans.

The Board of Trustees have resolved to pay an interest of six per cent. in cash, on the certificate of profits for the years, viz:

1836	$ 28,800	1852 ..... $158,400
1837	130,150	1853 237,600
1851	33,000	

or the holders thereof or their legal representatives, on and after Monday, the 14th August, 1854.

The Trustees have also declared a dividend of two per cent. on the net earned premiums of the Company for the year ending the 30th June 1854, for which certificate will be issued on and after the 15th September next.

THOS. A. ADAMS, President.
C. J. MANSONI, Secretary.

TRUSTEES.

H. M. Wright,	Wm. P. Converse,	J. A. Sarrull,
David Hodgen,	Samuel Hall,	G. H. Norton,
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C. S. Hawkins,	W. F. Tredgedgar,	J. W. Carroll,
J. G. Sharpe,	Saml. H. Kennedy,	Magin Peig,
W. G. Robinson,	Z. Taylor,	Wm. Vogel,
M. Heinz,	T. C. B. Tuttle,	

Life Insurance.

SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, FROM JULY 1, 1853, TO JULY 1, 1854.

Two hundred and ninety-two policies have been issued.
The premiums during the same time amount to $151,241 42
Losses paid during the same time, including endowments, according to list in hands of agent for exhibition, 119,823 00

ASSETS.

Invested in New York State securities	$185,704 61
Cash	6,426 64
Cash and interest	153,005 97
Notes received for 46 per cent of premium on life policies,	133,024 94
Premiums on policies in hands of agents	10,359 50
Interest accrued up to 1st July	19,610 74
	$508,033 78

MORRIS FRANKLIN, President.
PLINY FREEMAN, Actuary.

☞ Policies in the above able company issued on the most favorable terms by the undersigned.
C. C. LATHROP, Agent,
Jy21 1m 96 Camp street.

The Liverpool and London Fire and Life INSURANCE COMPANY.
CAPITAL—TEN MILLIONS DOLLARS.
HENRY V. ORDEN, Agent,
Office, 76 St. Charles street.
dec25 1y

Louisiana Mutual Insurance Company.
CHARLES BRIGGS, President.
ANTOINE CARRIERE, Vice President.
C. P. JANVIER, Secretary.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

Christian Hendel,	H. A. Fredick,	
Augustus Richard,	E. Goncchaux,	
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John Thorhill,	A. Lecuyt,	
Pacale Marks,	W. A. Violett,	
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John T. Hannaman,	Edward Hyman,	
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S. Pizzaro,	W. C. Tompkins,	
M. Fitzpatrick,	T. A. Richard,	
D. Fabjo,	John Fox,	
R. Kragier,	Antonio Costa,	
Thomas Mills,	D. P. Logan,	

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL ..... $200,000.

☞ This Company is organized purely on the mutual principle of returning to those who insure with it, all the profits accruing to it, and is now prepared to issue Policies for MARINE, RIVER AND FIRE RISKS, on the most favorable terms, at the Office, No. 85 Carondelet street.

☞ The Folio of Subscribers to this Company will be always open to the inspection of those desiring to insure with the Company. mh15 1y

Home Mutual Insurance Company of NEW ORLEANS.

☞ The following statement of the business of this Company, for the year ending 31st December, 1854, is now published in compliance with the requisitions of its Charter:

Amount of Premiums received for the year ending 31st December, 1854	$415,808 14
Amount of unterminated risks 31st December, 1854	76,263 99
Total amount of premiums for year ending 31st Dec. 1854	$492,072 13
Viz: For Premiums on Fire risks	$300,011 52
For Premiums on River risks	172,207 18
For Premiums on Marine risks	19,853 43
	$492,072 13
Less Premiums on risks not terminated 31st Dec. 1854	$114,948 00
Return Premiums	3,713 32
	$116,949 99
Net earned Premiums for year ending 31st December, 1854	$375,122 14
Losses paid during the same period, viz:	
On Fire risks	$219,022 25
On River risks	97,349 24
On Marine	44,656 19
	$361,027 54
Re-insurance, expenses, etc., less interest, discount, etc.	55,458 55
	$416,013 09
Net earned profits for the year ending December 31, 1854	$107,888 41

The Company have the following assets, viz:

Invested in Mortgage on property worth double the amount loaned thereon	$14,900 00
Bills receivable at short time, for Premiums unexpired	136,211 76
Bills receivable, being balances on Subscription Notes	77,463 16
Due for Premiums, in course of collection	11,325 07
Cash on hand	240,615 26
Total amount of assets	$481,515 25

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.

Be it remembered, that on the 20th day of July, 1854, before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city aforesaid, personally appeared Alexander Brother, President, and James H. Wheeler, Secretary, of the Home Mutual Insurance Company of New Orleans, who being duly sworn, according to law, do depose and say that the above accounts are just and true, and a correct transcript from the books of the said Company.

ALEXANDER BROTHER, President.
JAS. H. WHEELER, Secretary.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th day of January, 1854.
C. V. JONTE, Second Justice of the Peace of the Parish of Orleans.

The Board of Trustees have resolved to pay an interest of six per cent. in cash on the outstanding certificates of profits, to the holders thereof or their legal representatives, on and after MONDAY, the 13th of February next.

The Trustees have also declared a dividend of twenty-eight per cent. on the net earned premiums of the Company for the year ending 31st December, 1853, for which certificates will be issued on and after the 15th March next.

☞ This Company continues to insure against the peril of the Seas, Rivers and loss or damage by Fire at the current rates of premium.
Office, No. 46 Camp street.

ALEXANDER BROTHER, President.
JOHN H. SHAW, Vice-President.
JAMES H. WHEELER, Secretary.
New Orleans, January 9, 1854.

TRUSTEES:

John R. Shaw,	S. L. Pitts,		W. H. Letchford,
Geo. W. West,	A. H. May,		E. K. Converse,
J. Dinkgrave,	I. H. Sandfox,		W. L. Lasky,
John O. Woodruff,	Jean H. Owen,		Geo. Moses,
J. P. Harrison,	John Hall,		S. DeVisser,
Joseph Hoy,	Saltn McIlhenny,		Robert Dyas,
L. C. Jerry,	J. G. Decker,		J. G. Dumont,
S. O. Nelson,	J. A. Dougherty,		J. W. Gale,
F. Shaw,	T. B. Taylor,		John Redenburg,
W. C. O. Tompson,	J. C. Goodrich,		J. Eager,
E. G. Rogers,	S. B. Curry,		

Fire, River and Marine Insurance.
PROVINCIAL INSURANCE COMPANY
OF TORONTO, C. W.

CAPITAL ..... £100,000 or $2,000,000
EDWD. G. O'BRIEN, Secretary. A. M. CLARK, President.
BRANCH OFFICE, No. 42 Camp st., New Orleans.

☞ The undersigned are now prepared to issue POLICIES against the perils of the SEAS and RIVERS; also, against any loss or damage by FIRE, at the current rates of premium.
BENJAMIN FLORANCE, Agent,
HARMON DOANE, Assistant Agent.
al 1y

United States Life Insurance Annuity and TRUST COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA.
CAPITAL ..... $300,000.
S. R. CRAWFORD, President.
C. G. IMLAY, Secretary.
BRANCH OFFICE FOR THE SOUTH AND WEST,
No. 48 Camp street, New Orleans.
BEMMS FLORANCE, Agent.
HARMON DOANE, Asst. Agent.

☞ Risks on the lives of WHITE PERSONS and SLAVES taken on the most favorable terms. oct15 1

SHERRY—
50 quarter casks XERES;
25 " " MALAGA;
50 octavas XERES—For sale by
my19 S. WOLFF, 95 Camp str.

WHISKY—
50 bbls very old Whitebeer;
25 " " Roanoke;
75 " Standard—For sale by
my19 S. WOLFF, 95 Camp street.

PORT WINE.—
50 qr. casks Louis Kessler's Burgundy Port;
40 do. Delas's Port Wine;
40 do. Old London Dock do.; for sale by
my17 S. WOLFF, 95 Camp st.

SCHIEDAM SCHNAPPS—50 cases Wolff's Aromatic, pints and quarts, for sale by
LEWIS JOHN, NO
my19 Carondelet st.

$2000 KENTUCKY BANK NOTES, for sale by
J. H. MULFORD & CO., 57 Bank Place.

BUTTER—25 kegs Choice St. Louis, ex steamer L. M. Kennett, for sale by
H. L. STONE & CO., 1 Gravier street.

QUININE—200 ounces in Customhouse and store, for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 101 Tchoupitoulas st

LIME—50 casks Glenn's Falls Lime, at Lime Wharf, opposite Orange street, for sale cheap. Apply on board bark Mary, or to GEO. W. HYNSON & CO., 72 Camp st. ac7

CHAMPAGNE CIDER—50 boxes, for sale by
H. L. STONE & CO., 1 Gravier st.

PRUNES—50 cases in gallon and half gallon jars, for sale by A. F. COCHRAN & HALL, 36 Gravier st.

LARD—50 bbls No. 1, for sale by
H. L. STONE & CO., 1 Gravier st.

PICKLES—50 boxes half qr. bbls, (Underwood), for sale by
A. F. COCHRAN & HALL, 36 Gravier st.

COPARTNERSHIPS, ETC.

THE COPARTNERSHIP between the undersigned and his former partner (Mr. Breaux) being dissolved, he begs leave to say that he may still be found at his old office 37 Camp street, where he will ever be happy to see his friends or those who are desirous of making bargains in the management and conveyance of slaves, assuring them that summer or winter, epidemic or no epidemic, he will always be on hand.
J. W. ROBERTS, Attorney,
jy6 6m Camp street, New Orleans.

COPARTNERSHIP.—I have This Day associated with me in business BENJ. F. HYNSON and GEORGE W. WOODBERRY, under the style of GEO. W. HYNSON & CO., and will continue the Ship Agency and Commission Business as heretofore.
GEO. W. HYNSON.
New Orleans, July 1, 1854. jo1

COPARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned has this day associated with him Mr. E. E. A. TALLARIE, for the purpose of carrying on, as heretofore, a General Commission and Forwarding Business, under the same and style of E. M. DALEY & CO.
New Orleans, June 1, 1854. E. M. DALEY.

☞ Mr. E. E. A. TALLARIE still retains my power of attorney, and is charged with the settlement of my old business.
E. M. DALEY.
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NEW ORLEANS, May 1, 1854.—The undersigned have This Day entered into Copartnership, for the purpose of transacting a General Commission Business, under the firm of LAWRASON & EUBANK. Office, No. 110 Camp street.
GEO. C. LAWRASON,
RICH. N. EUBANK, Jr.
my1

COPARTNERSHIP.—I HAVE THIS DAY associated with me in business Mr. JOSHUA JACKSON, under the name of S. H. KENNEDY & CO.

☞ The name of my late firm of KENNEDY & FOSTER will be used only in liquidation.
January 2, 1854. SAML. H. KENNEDY.

COPARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have formed a Copartnership under the firm of LITTLEJOHN, NORCOM & CO., for the transaction of a general Grocery and Commission business, at the corner of Levee and Peters streets, on the Levee.
JOS. LITTLEJOHN,
W. R. NORCOM.
WILLIS J. LITTLEJOHN.
New Orleans, February 1, 1854. fch1 6

RAILROAD SCRIP WANTED—Scrip of the Jackson and Great Northern Railroad wanted. Apply to
R. C. PIERSON,
Real Estate Broker, 97 Commercial Place.

SOLIDIFIED MILK—30 cases, containing 1 each in one pound cans; 10 cases, containing each 12 two pound cans. For sale by
S. WOLFF, 95 Camp street. mh18

ROE HERRING—50 bbls. For sale by
mh18 H. L. STONE & CO., 1 Gravier street.

EXCHANGE—Sight Checks on Farmers' and Exchange Bank of Charleston for sale by
E. J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas street.
fe18

EXCHANGE on Baltimore and Philadelphia, in sums to suit, by
J. H. ASHBRIDGE & CO., 83 St. Charles street.
jan11

SOUTH CAROLINA and GEORGIA BANK NOTES purchased at the City Bank of COCHRAN & CO., 32 Camp street.

LIBERAL ADVANCES will be made on shipments to our friends in Boston, New York, Mobile, Charleston, S. C. [jun3] BARELLI & CO., 61 Common st.

LIBERAL ADVANCES will be made on shipments to our friends in Marseilles, or any other point on the Mediterranean. [jun3] BARELLI & CO., 61 Common st.

ADVANCES—Advances on Produce to our friends in New York, only to
E. J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas st.
ad 1y

ADVANCES—Advances to our friends in Charleston, made by
E. J. HART & CO.,
79 Tchoupitoulas st.
ad 1y

REMOVALS—REMOVALS.

REMOVAL.—BOGERT, WILLIAMS & CO. have removed to No. 99 Common street—lower floor. jy4

REMOVAL.—SMITH & FIMISTER have removed to No. 16 CANAL STREET, Front Office, up stairs. 45

REMOVAL.—WILLIAM ARMSTRONG, dealer in Hardware, Cutlery, Paints, Oils, Glass, etc., has removed from No. 75 to No. 83 Old Levee street, between Gentil and St. Louis streets, where he will be pleased to see his friends and customers. nd 1y
WILLIAM ARMSTRONG, No. 83 Old Levee.

REMOVAL.—J. O. PIERSON, Real Estate, Note and Exchange Broker, has removed from 42 Exchange Place to No. 7 Commercial Place, two doors from Camp street. nov23

SLAVES—SLAVES.

SLAVE DEPOT.
159 Gravier street.

The undersigned has on hand and will keep constantly for sale, for either Cash or City Acceptance, a full assortment of SLAVE MECHANICS of all descriptions, HOUSE AND FIELD SERVANTS, etc.

Having leased the three story dwelling, No. 159 Gravier street, opposite the Varieties Theatre, he is prepared to accommodate his friends and Traders and their Slaves on the reasonable terms as can be obtained in the city.

☞ Particular attention will be paid to consignments of Slaves.
THOMAS J. FRISBY, 159 Gravier street.
REFERENCES—Fellows & Collins, 67 Gravier st. C. G. Baker, 65 Gravier st. Richard Beck: J. G. Cocks & Co.; Watt & DeSaulles. ad 6m 1y

NEGROES FOR SALE.—We will receive and offer for sale in a few days, at our well known stand, No. 149 GRAVIER STREET, several choice and well selected gangs of likely young NEGROES, of EXTRA QUALITY.

We cannot offer bid accounts in the way of low prices, but purchasers may be assured that they will not be deceived in any Negro we sell.
J. H. WHITNEY & CO., Brokers, on the premises. Good Negroes will not justify the expense. D. M. MATTHEWS,
al9 1y C. M. BUTTERFORD.

HATS, BOOTS, SHOES.

FALL STOCK.—2000 cases BOOTS, SHOES and BROGANS, just received, for sale on accommodating terms, by DAVID TAYLOR & CO., 98 Customhouse st.
se6

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS.—The undersigned, being a large Family of BOOT AND SHOE AND MEN'S BOOTS, together with a general assortment of Men's BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS, which they offer for sale on accommodating terms. DAVID TAYLOR,
fe21 1y 98 Customhouse street.

LARGE FALL STOCK of HATS and CAPS of all descriptions, just received from New York, suitable for City and Country Trade, and will be sold at New York prices, at the WHOLESALE HAT STORE of
DAVID TAYLOR & CO., 98 Customhouse st.
se6

THE SUBSCRIBERS have on hand one of the largest and best assorted stock of BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS ever offered in this city. Country Merchants and Cash Buyers would do well to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere, as their Goods are offered at low prices, and on accommodating terms.
DAVID TAYLOR & CO., 98 Customhouse st.
fe21

SHOES, BOOTS AND BROGANS—300 cases in store, comprising a complete assortment of fresh and fashionable goods, for sale by
A. F. DUNBAR & CO., 54 and 56 Common st.
oct11

TO MERCHANTS AND PLANTERS.
The subscribers are now receiving a freshly supply of BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS, which they offer at a general assortment of BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS, which they offer for sale on accommodating terms.
DUNBAR & CO., 54 and 56 Common st.
oct11

HOTELS—RESTAURANTS.

OCEAN SPRINGS, MISS.—The undersigned, having leased for a term of years these newly erected and well known premises, begs to respectfully inform the public that he has opened a large and commodious Hotel for the reception of permanent and transient boarders. During the ploy season the Steamer Magnolia will run daily to the Hotel, and he effort has been spared to make it in the highest degree convenient and comfortable. Attached to the Hotel are a few Private Rooms, and other amusements usually found at watering places. The fishing and sea bathing cannot be equaled in the Southern country. The sandy beach, for a mile, is firm and smooth, and the water impregnated (chemist proves that it contains mineral qualities of the highest order. The chalybeate of iron and subpreted hydrogen gas is a valuable quantities, and many persons who have tried it, have found it to be equal to, if not superior to, the waters of the celebrated Saratoga springs. The steamer Crescent City will ply daily between New Orleans and the Springs during the summer, starting from the Lake end of the Pontchartrain Railroad.
jy29 1y L. JENNINGS.

GREEN OAKS HOTEL, Biloxi, Miss.—This famed and popular Summer Retreat, so generally known throughout the Southern country, under the management of Mrs. ELIZABETH PRADAT, will be open for the reception of visitors on the 1st of June for the season of 1854.

The "GREEN OAKS" is well known to needs no extended notice. For many years the popularity of the establishment has been steadily increasing. The many natural advantages, commanding the finest water prospect on the Lake, and receiving the purest salt water as it flows from the Gulf, have not failed to impress favorably the many visitors from the Crescent City and the surrounding country.

During the Winter the proprietors have made many improvements and additions. The BILLIARD ROOMS are throughly arranged and fitted up, and SALL BOATS will be at all times at the disposal of the visitors, free of charge—also, CLARET at Dinner.

CARRIAGES and HORSES may be procured at any moment.

In addition, the celebrated BRASS BAND of New Orleans is engaged and a BALL may be expected twice every week.

Visitors wishing to stop at the GREEN OAKS, are requested to notify the Undersigned. The Steamboat will land them at the door of the Hotel.

....TERMS....

Per Week	$15 00
Per Day	2 50

☞ Children and Servants, half price.
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BELL CHENEY SPRINGS.—The undersigned respectfully inform the public that they have purchased this WATERING PLACE, and have in the course of construction many improvements for the accommodation of Visitors. The Springs are situated in the pine woods, parish of St. Landry, thirty-seven miles north-west of Opelousas, about three miles south of Alexandria, and ten miles north of Bayou Cadeot. The water possesses highly medicinal qualities, and has proved efficacious in many aggravated disease which was beyond the reach of ordinary remedies. The Bath is supplied by Spring Water, and much appreciated by invalids. Deer, Fox and Wild Cat are numerous, affording the sport to the hunter; and the Lake, seven miles in length, with a depth of twenty feet, situated three miles and a half from the Springs, abounds in Trout and other fine fish. A pack of Hounds for hunting, and Boats for fishing, will be furnished to the visitors. The best Wines and Liquors which the New Orleans market can afford will be kept constantly on hand. Conchas can always be procured. Opelousas and Washington to transport any number of passengers to the Springs. Good Mules will be furnished and Buggies free to any week, gratis. Hunting Horses and Vehicles to transport ladies to the Lake will be kept free. Gentlemen fond of hunting should bring their guns. Fishing Tackle may be purchased at the Springs. Visitors received from 1st May to 1st November.

TERMS OF BOARD:

By the Month	$35 00
Per Day	1 00
Children and Servants half price.	
Horses, per Day	75

ap6 6m DAIGLE & BEAUCHAMP.

LAKE HOUSE, NEW SHELL ROAD. The Subscriber respectfully notifies the public that he has returned from a successful exploring expedition, and has secured for the ensuing season the exclusive privileges of the most choice under water lands in the Southern District, and assures his friends, with all confidence, that from this time out the most desirable delicacies in the form of FISH, FLESH, FOWL and GAME FOWL, SELECT WINES, etc., will be held in readiness for sudden call, many hours in advance of city time, and promises that none shall leave die satisfied with quality or charges. [ap26 1y] G. COLLIER.

ARCADE HOTEL, R. S. MORSE, Proprietor.—This establishment, so favorably known to the public, will be opened THIS MORNING, Monday, November 6. ☞ The house has been throughly repaired and newly furnished.
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ICE—ICE—ICE.

ICE! ICE!!—J. STAFFORD & Co., Wholesale and Retail Dealers in ICE, No. 5 Hyman Fields street, opposite the Pontchartrain Railroad Depot, for our sale:
No. 149 Old Levee street;
No. 84 Tchoupitoulas street;
No. 7 New Levee street;
No. 55 New Levee street;
No. — Commercial street;
No. 685 Tchoupitoulas street;
No. 481 Levee street.
TWO ICE HOUSES, between Ninth and Harmony streets, Fourth District. Office No. 55 New Levee. [fe1 1y

BLADON WATER.—5 bbls. landing and for sale by SMITH & FIMISTER, 16 Canal st. [my21]

BACON—70 casks Sides and Shoulders, for sale by S. H. KENNEDY & CO., 75 Tchoupitoulas st. jo17

SCHIEDAM SCHNAPPS—300 boxes, quarts and pints, for sale by
H. L. STONE & CO., 1 Gravier street.

GUM ARABIC—25 packages assorted qualities, for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

BUSINESS CARDS.

A. P. FIELD AND ROBERT WOOLDRIDGE, Attorneys at Law, No. 16 Commercial Place, N. O. mh11 1y

ALLEN, J. P., General Steamboat Agent, No 9 Poydras street, Front Office, up stairs. jy8

ASHBRIDGE & CO., J. H., Ship Agents and Commission Merchants, 83 St. Charles st., Touro Buildings. ac15

BOGERT, WILLIAMS & CO., Ship Agents and Commission Merchants, 99 Common street. jy22

BARTLETT, W. A., Exchange and Real Estate Broker, No. 46 Gravier street, up stairs, New Orleans.

BEARD, J. A. & MAY, Auctioneers, Appraisers, etc., 8 Banks Arcade, N

BEN KITTREDGE, Importer of GUNS, PISTOLS, GUN MATERIAL AND SPORTING APPARATUS,
55 ST. CHARLES STREET, NEW ORLEANS,
134 MAIN STREET, CINCINNATI.

CONVERSE & CO., Grocers and Dealers in Western Produce, three stores bounded by Canal, New Levee, Common and Fulton streets. au18

CHAS T. ESTLIN, Attorney at Law, No. 14 Commercial Place. ap13

E. P. BARR. L. H. MARRS. E. S. MARR.
HART & CO., E. J., 79 Tchoupitoulas street
Wholesale Dealers in Groceries, Drugs, Chemicals, Paper, etc.

HIBOLL, WM. O., Carpenter and Builder, No. 105 CARONDELET, opposite the head of Gleaves street. Jobbing of all descriptions on accommodating terms. Stores fitted up, Counters made of Black Walnut or Mahogany, and Claims made out and guaranteed for one year. Sash, Doors and Blinds made and repaired. Lattice-work and Packing Boxes of all kinds made to order. Step Ladders of all sizes constantly on hand. ap15 1y

DUNBAR & CO., A. F., Commission Boot and Shoe Warehouse, 54 and 56 Common street, New Orleans. 45 tm

EICHELBERGER, J. K., BUILDER, Circus street, next to the corner of Levee, New Orleans.
☞ Repairing and Store Fitting done with neatness and dispatch on the most reasonable terms. mh9 1y

E. R. OLCOTT and S. L. WOOLDRIDGE have formed a Partnership for the PRACTICE OF LAW. Office, 21 Royal street. Address
OLCOTT & WOOLDRIDGE.
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GIFFNEY & LOVELL, Ship Agents and Commission Merchants, 116 Common street. mh11

A. D. GRIEFF. S. A. RUNDLAND.
GRIEFF & CO., A. D., Wholesale Grocers and Commission Merchants (Louisville Gorham and Western Butter and Cheese, and Agents for Pratt's Albany Ale, Portland and Newark Cider, Nos. 38, 40 and 42 Rd Levee, and No. 10 Front Levee, New Orleans. mh8

GREENWOOD & CO., MOSES, Commission and Forwarding Merchants, 61 Gravier street. al 1y

H. B. MERRELL & COMPANY, BANKERS, BULLION AND EXCHANGE DEALERS, 78 Camp, corner of Common streets.
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Messrs. Dexter & Co., Messrs. Howland & Aspinwall, Canal and Banking Company, Messrs. James Robb & Co.
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HYNSON, GEO. W., Shipping Agent and Commission Merchant, 72 Camp street. jo9

JOHN HOLMES. M. CLAYES.
HOLMES & CLAUSS, Grocers and Dealers in Western Produce, No. 9 Gravier st., N. O. oct25 1ydaW

JOHN B. LEEFE, Stock, Note, Exchange and Real Estate Broker, No. 93 Commercial Place. ap15

G. H. KENNEDY. JOSHUA JACKSON.
KENNEDY, S. H. & CO., Commission and Forwarding Merchants, 75 Tchoupitoulas street.

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KELLY & ISACKS, Attorneys and Counsellors at Law, Alexandria, parish of Rapides, La., practice in the parishes of Rapides, Avoyelles, Natchitoches, Catahoula and Winn.
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LAWRASON & EUBANK, General Commission Merchants, No. 110 Camp street, New Orleans. my2

LAW.—WILLIAM W. W. WOOD, ATTORNEY AT LAW, COUNSELOR-AT-LAW, Office, No. 46 Camp street.
Has resumed the practice of his profession, and will give special attention to commercial business. ap4 1y

LITTLEJOHN, JOS., late of the firm of