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SATURDAY MORNING, MARCH 14, 1857.

☞ Hon. Miles Taylor and Geo. Eustis, Jr. have forwarded us several congressional documents, for which attentions they will please accept our acknowledgments.

☞ Hon. A. G. Brice, of the House of Representatives, will accept our thanks for legislative favors.

Senator Kidd has placed us under obligations by forwarding a copy of the election bill as it passed the Senate, which appears at length in our columns this morning. It will be read with general interest.

☞ Mr. Laville, clerk of the steamer John C. Swon, has our thanks for late St. Louis papers.

The Weekly Crescent.

☞ The WEEKLY CRESCENT, issued this morning, contains all the latest information received, foreign and domestic, by mail and telegraph, together with a great amount of valuable and interesting miscellaneous matter.

Persons wishing to obtain copies for the mail can procure them, done up in strong wrappers, at the office, No. 70 Camp street, or at J. C. Morgan's bookstore, adjoining the Post-Office.

Double Sheet Crescent.

The Crescent will again be issued on a double sheet on Monday morning next. It will contain a vast amount of readable matter, including several excellent literary articles, poetry, tales, miscellany, etc. Advertisers will confer a favor by sending in their notices at an early hour, as the large edition we now issue compels us to hasten to press.

We would again remind merchants and others, desiring extra numbers of the Crescent, that to secure them it is necessary to leave their orders at our counter on Saturday.

☞ The schooner Charles B. Vickery will leave today with the mails for Vera Cruz. Merchants and correspondents will bear this in mind. Her hour of departure is 3 o'clock.

GRECIAN PAINTING.—A beautiful specimen of this art, as taught by Mrs. V. J. Sullivan, was submitted to our inspection yesterday. A fine large print, that of "The Lord of the Manor in the Olden Time," was seemingly metamorphosed into the finest kind of an oil painting. It was the work of a pupil of Mrs. Sullivan's. This lady's studio at the corner of St. Joseph and Magazine streets, is worth visiting by all who take an interest in Grecian painting and the other refined employments which she teaches.

GAIETY THEATER.—*First Night of the Keller Troupe.*—Mr. Louis Keller and his troupe make their first appearance at the Gaiety Theater to-night, in a grand romantic spectacle entitled "Oberon." It has been adapted from Von Weber's opera of that name, expressly for the Kellers, and will bring out their statuesque delineations in the most perfect and beautiful style. The tableaux belong especially to the piece, and have not as yet been presented to the New Orleans public. The full scenic resources of the theater will be brought to aid the Kellers, and the dramatic part of "Oberon" will be conducted by Miss Rosalie Durand, Miss Georgina Hodson, and the whole strength of the dramatic company. Those who love to have poetic fancies clothed in life, and set before the eye in more than the beauty of life, will find something of the kind in "Oberon." The Gaiety will be densely crowded, we are confident, during the engagement of the Kellers.

ORLEANS THEATRE.—The great opera of "L'Etoile du Nord" is to be given at the Orleans to-night.

On Monday night Madame LaGrange will make her third appearance, on that occasion appearing in the "Barber of Seville."

Madame Lø's performance of *Fides*, in "The Prophet," last night, was magnificent. The house was crowded—the opera passed off splendidly in every respect—and the most unbounded enthusiasm prevailed.

MABIE'S JUVENILE COMEDIANS.—At 12 o'clock today a grand family entertainment is to be given at the Amphitheater, in which the comedietta of "Nan the Good for Nothing," the farce of the "Rough Diamond, or Cousin Joe," and a fancy dance by little Jennie will be presented. The doors will open at 11, and the curtain raises at ½ past 12 o'clock.

To-night they will produce, for the first time here, the play of "Ingomar," in which they achieved great celebrity in New York and Boston. The performances will conclude, after a beautiful dance by the fairy Jennie, with the farce of the "Irish Broom-Maker." The choice of seats for the evening's entertainment will be sold at ten o'clock this morning at auction, as usual, as also on Monday, but not to-morrow. Seats will not be secured for to-day's mid-day performance, but visitors can exercise their preference in the selection of them. As the public begin to find that the premiums are not for the seats, but for the right to choose first, they are pleased with the plan—especially as the premiums are small; and indeed we see no other way in which the management could have satisfied all parties.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.—*Farewell Benefit of the Florences.*—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Florence, who within the last fortnight have added this community not a little in its endeavor to "laugh and grow fat," make their last appearance at the St. Charles to-night; and as the performances are to be for their benefit, we shall expect to see the house crowded in middle, nook and cranny. They offer an unusually attractive bill, made up of, no less than four pieces. First, Mrs. Florence appears as *Katherine Kloper*, in "Lola Montez." Then Mr. Florence appears as *Tom Moore*, with Mrs. Gladstane as *Mrs. Fitzgig*, in "The Irish Lion." After that both the beneficiaries appear in the capital picture piece of "The Young Actress." And finally, Mr. Florence appears as the *Irish Doctor*, in the farce of that name. There is fun enough in this bill to last any reasonable audience for a month. We would not advise ladies who lace tightly, or gentlemen who are weak in their buttons, to visit the St. Charles to-night. There will be room for cachination, but not for explosions.

LOSS OF THE SHIP PENNSYLVANIA.—We learn from the statement of the captain of the ship Pennsylvania, who, with his officers and crew arrived here yesterday morning, that on the evening of the 26th ult., when nearly over the Double-Headed Shot Keys, the Pennsylvania struck a rock on her starboard bow, and was soon after in a sinking condition. On the next day they were taken off by the ship Pocahontas. The Pennsylvania was a new ship, and was cleared on the 9th ult. by Baxter, Lovell & Co., with 2,651 bales of cotton—her first voyage to Liverpool.

FOREIGN AND AMERICAN DRY GOODS, VELVET CARPETINGS, RUGS, ETC.—The particular attention of city and country buyers is called to the unusual sale of fresh imported dry goods by Vincent & Co., at their auction rooms, No. 25 Commercial street, this day, at 10 o'clock. Terms at sale.

PROFESSOR LEWEN.—We would urge all stammerers to visit Prof. Lewen, at the St. John House, No. 222 Camp street, and not to stand upon the order of their going, but to go at once. The Professor's success in curing this grievous malady—which blights all hope in its victims of ever becoming orators, actors or auctioneers—is really marvellous. He has confidence of his respectability to back him in his assertions as to what he can do. See his card.

THE AMENDED ELECTION BILL.

We publish elsewhere a copy of the "Act Relative to Elections in the parish of Orleans," as it passed the Senate a few days since. The copy is authentic, and will doubtless be perused with a great deal of interest by the people of a parish the Legislature appears disposed to take every occasion to insult, outrage and oppress.

There are not many important alterations in several of the first sections. Section 6 provides for the creation of a "Central Board of Commissioners," to be composed of the Mayor, Register of votes, Attorney General, and two citizens of New Orleans, to be appointed by the Governor. Said "Central Board" is empowered to appoint precinct commissioners to preside at all elections. The next section constitutes the Attorney General president of the Board, and goes into some minor details. Section 8 makes it the "exclusive duty" of the Board of Commissioners to appoint three Election Commissioners for each precinct five days previous to any election. Section 9 enacts that the city of New Orleans and the Police Jury of the right bank shall "pay the "two citizens" of New Orleans appointed by the Governor a yearly salary of $600. The sections which follow up to section 16 relate to details of no startling moment, only that some arbitrary powers are invested, and the tax payers of New Orleans made to pay the expenses!

Section 16 creates a "Superintendent of Elections," to be appointed by the Governor, who is to receive a salary of $3,000 per annum, half of which is to be paid by the city and half by the State. As the city now pays more than one-third of the taxes of the entire commonwealth, such a concession should be marked down as astonishingly liberal. Our "country cousins" may get so generous by-and-by, perhaps, that they will permit us to pay *all* the expense of enforcing laws that are as abhorrent as they are uncalled-for and iniquitous. The next section denounces tremendous penalties against violators of the law, but does not do away with the right of trial by jury. As the laws now in force are ample for the punishment of offenders, nothing would have been lost if this section had been omitted.

The 18th section prescribes that the "Superintendent" shall keep his office in New Orleans; that he shall be entitled to four Chief Deputies, who shall receive $1,000 per annum salary, payable half by the city and half by the State, etc. The 19th section sets forth that it shall be the duty of the "Superintendent" to take charge of, under control of the "Central Board," to the "exclusion of all other persons," all elections hereafter held in this city, and arms him with many sorts of powers to do many things, all of which we view as unnecessary, and, therefore, wrong. The 20th section opens rich. The "Superintendent" is authorized to "employ any number of persons the Governor may think necessary, as his deputies, for such time previous to any election as the Governor may direct," the said deputies to be "organized" (armed and equipped?) as the "Superintendent" may deem proper, and to be under his direction during their term of service.

The 21st and 22d sections relate to the oaths to be taken, the rules to be adopted, etc., and possess no especial interest. The 23d section empowers the "Superintendent" to appoint "any number of extraordinary deputies" (how extraordinary?) to "protect the approaches to the polls, (are *all* the streets to be guarded?—every street is an "approach") keep order thereat, and secure free access to and egress from said polls." All citizens between the ages of twenty-one and fifty years, refusing to obey the summons of the "Superintendent," are to be fined not less than $100 nor more than $500, and if they are too poor to pay, are to be sent to prison for a term not exceeding sixty days. Here, the atrocious principle of imprisonment for debt is again re-enacted—a principle that has been universally condemned as detestable and revolting by all free and enlightened States.

The 24th section bestows upon the "Superintendent"—we always quote that word—so large a discretion, that if he should choose to exercise it wrongfully, he could arrest and imprison any citizen by merely assuming that such citizen had perpetrated a breach of the peace, or contemplated so doing. And, for a simple breach of the peace, "whether *before* or during election time," such person, upon conviction, is to be sentenced to not less than six months' nor more than three years' imprisonment in the Penitentiary at hard labor, and forever disfranchised! Here is punishment altogether disproportioned to the offence, and brings to mind the days of Draco. However, as it would be impossible to find jurors that would convict under such circumstances, this infernal penalty would prove a dead letter. There is a *proviso* to the section that will make the reader smile as he reads: "*Provided, however*, That any person so arrested, if a lawful voter, shall be permitted to vote before being confined."

Gracious privilege! benign condescension! But let us look a little further and see if there is nothing sinister hidden here. Suppose the "Superintendent" or his deputies choose to pick out five hundred persons to arrest during the day, and after arresting them whisper in their ear that they will be released, and no prosecution entered upon, *provided they vote a certain ticket*, could not five hundred votes, or thereabouts, be made for a certain side? We only put the question, as there is no provision for the punishment of the parties who might engage in such nefarious transactions.

The 25th section carries out the arbitrariness of the previous section, and makes the persons of the "Superintendent" and his deputies sacred from any sort of violation on election days, by imposing the severest kind of penalties. Under it, we are not certain improper winking would not be deemed a misdemeanor. The next section does'nt suspend the writ of *habeas corpus* against persons that may be arrested, but comes as near to it as possible. The 27th and 28th sections are of no particular moment. The deputies are to receive $10 per day. The same thing may be said of the 29th and 30th sections, only that the corporation of New Orleans is required to pay one-half of all costs! But suppose the corporation of New Orleans refuses. What then? The corporation has certain absolute, vested rights, the Legislature cannot touch, among which is the exclusive management of her own finances; and if this Legislature can impose burthens despite the wish or consent of the municipal authorities, a succeeding Legislature may impose another tax of one or even ten millions of dollars, and force the city to pay it. There would be just as much right in the one instance as in the other, so far as principle is concerned. Admit the principle, and the entire property of the city lies at the absolute mercy of a partisan Legislature and Governor.

The 31st section empowers the "Superintendent" to close all bar rooms on the days of elections, and imposes a fine of $200 upon the proprietors of such establishments for refusing. This section is clearly illegal, and will so be declared by the Supreme Court, in our opinion. The corporation, in pursuance of law, has issued licenses to the proprietors of coffee-houses to keep open 365 days in the year, and received pay therefor. This is a contract, to all intents and purposes, and cannot be violated until the licenses expire.

We have now given a concise *resume* of the whole bill; and, although it is less objectionable than the old bill, we think it will only lead to tumults, and be unproductive of a solitary good result, and many evil results.

Let us alone, gentlemen of the dominant party in the Legislature. You are meddling with our private affairs altogether too much for your own or our good.

☞ As the Legislature seems impressed with the idea that the people of New Orleans are incapable of electing their own constables, we would suggest to them that they had better establish an inquisition, to be composed of five persons appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to enquire into the capacity of property holders to manage their own effects, and if pronounced incompetent, the Governor shall forthwith appoint one or more receivers to take charge of and manage the estate thus unfortunately held, they—the receivers—to receive as compensation for their services, the following commissions: on all estates worth $200,000, or more, five per cent.; on estates worth $100,000, ten per cent.; on estates worth $75,000, fifteen per cent.; on estates worth $50,000, twenty per cent.; on estates worth $25,000, thirty per cent.; on estates worth $10,000, fifty per cent.; and on estates under the last named sum all the Receivers may see fit to take.

This will afford occupation and profit to some hundred friends of the Executive's party, and will be quite as just as several measures that have been looked upon with an eye of favor in influential legislative quarters.

KANE'S EXPLORATIONS.—Mr. J. C. Morgan, Exchange Place, adjoining the Post-Office, has received a fresh supply of that most valuable book, "Dr. Kane's Arctic Explorations." Nobody should be without a copy of it.

Telegraphed to the New Orleans Crescent.

IMPORTANT FROM WASHINGTON.

New Appointments Confirmed.

THE SENATE TO ADJOURN ON THE 14th.

[BY THE LOUISIANA LINE.]

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The Senate will adjourn to morrow. The following gentlemen have received the Senate's confirmation of their appointments:—J. Harralson, as Surveyor, at Selma, Alabama; Orin L. Cochran, as Post-Master at Houston, Texas; John L. Bunck, as Post-master at Tuscaloosa, Ala.; and F. S. Lovejoy as Attorney for the Northern District of Mississippi.

The amendment in the Dallas-Clarendon treaty will to a great extent alter the original document. The United States never having recognized English sway in Central America, find fault, naturally, with any claim originating from the half civilized King of the Mosquito Indians.

Second Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Confirmations have been made to-day of five Senior Commanders in the Navy to be Captains, and seven Senior Lieutenants to be Commanders.

Cincinnati Markets.

CINCINNATI, March 13.—Flour closed dull with a declining tendency. Provisions are generally advancing. Whisky closed at 23c. Fresh Sides at 10c.

River Intelligence.

LOUISVILLE March 13.—In the Canal we have five feet nine inches of water.

Boats Passing.

VICKSBURGH, March 13.—The Chancellor passed down at 8; Robinson at 4; Empire City at 6; Princess at 5, and the Woodruff at 7 o'clock, P.M.

Explanatory.

The Baton Rouge Advocate, of the 10th instant, says that—"The Crescent denounced the (election) law in the most inflammatory and revolutionary language," etc.

Our cotemporary has lost sight of our language or misinterpreted our meaning. We have applied strong terms to the election bill introduced in the House of Representatives, as we understood it, according to the draft published by us at length the next day after its reception. We could not do otherwise and discharge our duties as journalists to ourselves, our readers and the public, as we appreciated those duties. We looked upon the bill as so wicked, abominable and atrocious, that the language might be exhausted and then the measure of equitable denunciation not adequately filled, and so spoke of it. We intended nothing "inflammatory" or "revolutionary." Far from it. Our intentions contemplated the reverse. We meant, by stating our honest and sincere convictions in the premises—and they were honest and sincere, as sure as God is to be our judge—that the most awful consequences would follow any attempt to enforce the obnoxious law, to induce the Legislature to pause in their career before precipitating this devoted city into what we apprehended would be a vortex of rioting, bloodshed and revolution. Under such circumstances, plain and truthful language was required, and we used nothing but plain and truthful language.

If speaking the truth, according to our sincerest understanding, is "inflammatory" and "revolutionary," then we must plead guilty; if it is not, why then—not.

We are opposed to disturbances, rioting and revolutions. We would heal sooner than wound, soothe rather than aggravate, conciliate rather than offend, and are, and have been all along, prepared to do all men can honorably do to bring repose and quiet upon this community. But, when a measure is proposed to inflict personal and political degradation upon us and our fellow-citizens, we shall war upon it to the extent of our influence and ability, and will resist its practical application to ourselves with all the means that Providence and nature have placed at our command. None but serfs, cowards and slaves, would submit to the bill as first brought before the House of Representatives, and the people of New Orleans are not slaves, cowards or serfs, yet.

"If this be treason, make the most of it."

Talk on 'Change.

The "Greek business," reported by the Kangaroo, will prove, we believe, to be a Kangaroo phrase hereafter. The America's advices, which we published yesterday, were silent on the reported cotton failures, nor did we in our intercourse yesterday ascertain that any advices of a private nature had been received, though it is not expected that anything seriously affecting private interests would be divulged. It is the general impression that "Kangaroo" will be a word of rumor hereafter, something similar to "humbug." At the same time, it is believed there have been troubles (which may lead to suspensions, or perhaps have already) with houses connected with the grain trade of the Black Sea; but this is not sufficient to shake the confidence in the Cotton trade, even were those parties concerned in it. We are aware that every art is applied; all machinations conceived and entered into to break down the commanding position and unapproachable influence of New Orleans, and we believe that parties engaged in the nefarious attempts consider one thing just as good as another to carry out their spleen and enmity.

The Persia and Atlantic's mails came through yesterday, or rather a part of the former did. We received the following by the Atlantic, and trust Mr. Postmaster General Brown will endeavor to remedy the many unaccountable delays, in the mail service, this community has submitted to for time immemorial:

LIVERPOOL, February 18, 1857.

The Atlantic and Persia arrived Friday night, and such a scene we never before saw here. 60,000 bales were sold that day; 20,000 on the spot and 40,000 to arrive—of all sorts. Sales of Cotton to arrive are never reported in the sales of the day. Prices are up to fully 8d. for Middling. We inclose reports of each day. The spinners yesterday in Manchester asked an advance equal to ½d.

Cotton will, we believe, go up to 8d. for Middling if the receipts fall off, which we have no doubt of.

We begin to think that the sales in Liverpool have not been quoted correctly more than one-half of the time during the season. We believe that there has been a good deal of Cotton sold at an ½d. to ¼d. above the weekly quotations. We congratulate shippers of last fall on the results, and trust they may "bag" the same for the balance of the season.

COTTON.—The receipts for the twenty-four hours ending at 6 o'clock last evening were, by the W. W. Farmer, from Bayou Bartholomew, 1987 bales; Natchez, from Vicksburg, 746. Total, 1833 bales.

The exports yesterday were, for Havre, 2462 bales; for Liverpool, 6594; for Philadelphia, 871; for New York, 50. Total, 9967 bales.

Recent Publications.

From the publishers, through Mr. J. C. Steel, No. 69 Camp street, we have received a copy of MORALS FOR THE YOUNG: or Good Principles Instilling Wisdom. By Emma Willard. New York: A. S. Barnes & Co.

This is a religious school book, unique in its character. It appears to have been written for the use of schools in which the authoress was a teacher; but it is evidently a book of value to Protestant youth everywhere. It is illustrated with pictures and moral stories.

THE TESTIMONIAL OF THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT TO THE KANE EXPEDITION.—The gold medal presented by the British Government to the officers and men of this expedition is stated to be about the size of a double eagle, and a beautiful specimen of coinage. On one side is a well executed head of the Queen of England, with her title in Latin; on the reverse is the inscription, "The British Government to the officers and men of the American Arctic Expedition," encircled by an elaborate oak wreath, surmounted by a crown, and the whole surrounded with the words, "As a token of gratitude for their generous services."

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—On the 8th inst., a rumor was current in New York that a terrible accident had occurred on the Erie Railroad, involving the loss of several lives.

"DEATH FROM STARVATION."—Such was the verdict rendered in New York on the 5th inst., by a jury of inquest upon the body of an unfortunate man named William Keenan.

☞ **For Associate Justice.**—MESSRS. EDITORS:—Please announce Judge JAMES L. COLE, of Lafourche, as a candidate for the office of Associate Justice of the Supreme Court for the Second District.

The election is on Monday, the 6th of April. m11 2p6t*

☞ **For Associate Justice—Messrs. Editors:** Please announce Judge J. N. LEA as a candidate for re-election to the office of Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. feb 12 tf

Arrivals at the Principal Hotels Yesterday.

CITY.—U B Lost and lady, Miss; J H Brantley, G R Brantly, Mrs Lost and family, Dr C B New, Ala; James Dacin, Miss; J D Heller, J C Palmer, Geo Blackwell, U S N; J G Jones, D Y Dunn, M A Chinas, Miss; A L Thompson, N H Whitehers, Canton, Miss; James H Sanders, Texas; H M Converse, Miss; Mrs H P Mendell, Miss; A M Kleber, Texas; D G Wilson, Ga; B M Low, jr, S H Lines, N O; Robert Cambell, Canada; N G Rogers, A A Harden, G H Lanox, J L Alexander, W O Moseby, Miss; E M Lavop, lady, daughter and svts, Mrs Quabe, Ala; Mrs Sowlan, Miss Hampton, Ark; Dr Boyd, Coast; Dr J S Green, 2 children, Iowa; Miss; W S Dillard, S D Morrison, St Louis; I Bowden, Texas; W S Cary, Arkansas; D Wise, S Fischel, Waterproof; G Lewis, Natchez; J Rubie, Fayette, Miss; C R Fassitt, La; J McCleet; J D Layton and family; Samuel Terry; M Silbermayer, B Silbermayer, La; Milton Holloway, Opelousas; P A Blanks, J W Blanks, W H Kneeck, J C Bridger, J F Varner, J A Estocks, La; Thos J Frith; John Truett, W H Scruggs, Ala.

ST CHARLES.—A Edwards, N Y; G Solem, Lake Providence; Peter J Little, Iberville; J A Kennedy, J G King, La; J B Vaughan, Wm Murphy, F N Ogden, A N Ogden, John W Wilson, N O; J B Eucle, Texas; Wm J Hutchins, Houston; Dr Fossit, La; Dr Dickinson, Ills; Dr Snead, Ark; W M Waterman, Ct; R A Markham, Ala; E Mudge, Cincinnati; John W. Davis, Mobile; R H Pierce, Ky; Geo G J Pillow, G J Pillow, jr, Miss Amanda Pillow, Lucust Lerg and lady, Tenn; J W Guest, Cross Orchard, Ky; Henry F James, Memphis; Wm Johnson, Ga; A Billings and lady, St Louis; W Richardson and lady, J Anderson, jr, Miss Anderson, Louisville, Ky; A W Goddell, N Y; T J Mumford, Va; R H W Smith, Mobile; Mrs G St John, N Y; P Wermuth, Mobile; Mrs T J Butler, 3 children and servant, Mobile; A Cinfery, Miss Christy, Miss Denver, St Louis; J P Major and svt, U S A; Mrs King and family, St Louis; E Casey and lady, Nashville; R H Grothmann, Louisville; D S Austin, Mobile; H W Hills, Miss Christian; G Miller, Mrs V R Russell, Allentown; W Moor, Terrebonne; J D McHenry, Monroe, La; S Lyle, Mobile; H Williamson, Ga; S J D Hoover, U S N; H Jenkins, Texas; J C Greenawy, Va.

☞ **At a meeting of the American Party of** the Seventh Representative District, held at the School House on Greatmen street, on the 6th inst., Mr. LOUIS LOMBARD was unanimously nominated candidate of the party to fill the vacancy occasioned in the Common Council by the resignation of Leonce Burthe, Esq.

m9 2p7t EUG. CUVILLIER, Secretary.

☞ **Louisville, Ky., March 10, 1855.—Dr. J. HOSTETTER**—*Dear Sir*: It gives me much pleasure to tender you my grateful acknowledgment in favor of your celebrated Stomach Bitters. For three years I have been suffering from dyspepsia and other stomach diseases, and all the physicians could do failed to give me any relief, and at last I was induced to try your Bitters, and I am happy to inform you that three bottles effected an entire cure, and therefore would recommend it as the best medicine for dyspepsia and all kindred diseases of the stomach.

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Julius A. Jeger says: "New Elizabeth, Hendricks county, Ind., June 24, 1854.—I should like you to send me a lot of your German Bitters. I know them to be a valuable medicine, deserving all the reputation they have acquired. I have used them in my own family, and they have proven a certain remedy for ameliorating the fever and ague. I have used them successfully for two years."

William Norton says: "Huntington, Ind., Sept. 30, 1854.—Send me another supply of Bitters immediately. They sell rapidly, and give the most unbounded satisfaction in every case. I do not know of not one instance in which I have sold one bottle that the person did not return for more, and in that case the one bottle cured the person."

See advertisement. feb 16 2p1m&W

Crisp's Gaiety.

THE KELLER TROUPE

AND THE

Splendid Fairy Drama of "Oberon."

m14 2p5t

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To the Ladies.

The undersigned are now opening the GREATEST NOVELTIES of the SEASON in—

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BAREGES,
ORGANDIES,
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AND MANTLES, etc., etc.

Amongst the latter are some of the most elegant and expensive goods ever brought into this market.

We would also invite the attention of Country Merchants to a FINE STOCK of—

Imitation FRENCH THREAD LACE and
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POINTES, SCARFS and MANTLES;
EMBROIDERIES, FILET MITS,
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—AND—

DOMESTIC BRANDY.

m12 2p5m 33 and 35 Tchoupitoulas street.

The Spanish Language.

New Classes begin THIS WEEK at DOLBEAR'S COMMERCIAL COLLEGE, 106 Canal street, in this Language, which is daily becoming more important to all business men. Special Apartments and Professors for each of the modern languages; also for Penmanship, Book-Keeping and Mathematics.

RUFUS DOLBEAR,

m12 2p5t* 106 Canal street.

The French Language.

New Classes begin THIS WEEK at DOLBEAR'S COMMERCIAL COLLEGE, 106 Canal street, in this Language, which is daily becoming more important. Also, in English, Spanish, German, Mathematics, Phonography, Penmanship and Book-Keeping. Pupils can attend from 7 A. M. to 9 P. M.

RUFUS DOLBEAR,

m12 2p5t* 106 Canal street.

To Country Merchants.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS.

Landing and for sale by the undersigned, a large and choice assortment of BOOTS, SHOES and BROGANS, consisting of—

Men's and Boys' KIP and SEAL BROGANS;
Men's CALF, KIP and PATENT LEATHER OXFORD TIES;
Men's CALF, KIP and PAT. LEATHER STRAP SHOES;
Men's SEAL, CALF and ENAMELED SLIPPERS;
Men's PAT. LEATHER and CALF SEWED BROGANS;
Men's and Boys' GRAIN and KIP HUNTING BOOTS;
Men's and Women's INDIA RUBBER OVERSHOES;
Women's ENGLISH and SPRING HEEL PEGGED BROGANS;
Women's GOAT, PATENT LEATHER and POLISHED GOAT PEGGED BOOTS;
Ladies' PATENT LEATHER, LASTING, KID and GOAT LACE BOOTS and BUSKINS;
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Fishermen's Boots; Mud ..
Light Kid .. Light Seal ..
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150 dozen GENUINE JOUVIN'S GLOVES, of all sizes and colors, for Ladies and Gentlemen, just received by

LION & PINSARD,

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Importer of Havana Cigars & Leaf Tobacco.

No. 16 Carondelet street.

Has just opened the above new importing establishment, where can be found a superior stock of the best selections and most favorite brands of—

HAVANA CIGARS,
PAPER CIGARS and
LEAF TOBACCO,

AT THE LOWEST PRICES.

"OLD JOE," as he is more familiarly known for the last sixteen years, at his old stand in the Rotunda

UNDER THE ST. CHARLES HOTEL,

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can always be found the very best brands of Chewing Tobacco, Paper Cigars, and the very best quality of Havana Cigars and Smoking Tobacco. m10 2p1y

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Just received from the manufactories of LIGHT, NEWTON & BRADBURY; PETERS, CRAGG & CO., and HALLETT & CUSTON, a complete assortment of the BEST and CHEAPEST PIANO FORTES in the country. Persons wishing to buy the BEST Piano Forte that is made for the LEAST PRICE, can do so by calling at the Piano Forte and Music Emporium of

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Single Milled BLACK FRENCH CLOTH FROCKS;
.. .. Mixed .. .. ..
Fancy Mixed TRICOT, ...
.. .. ERMINET .. .. ..
Mixed and Blue CASPIAN TWEED SACS,
Single Milled FANCY CASS. PANTS;
.. .. TRICOT, ...
.. .. BLACK FRENCH DOESKIN PANTS;
.. .. FRENCH CASS. VESTS.—For Spring wear.

Please call and examine the above Goods.

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No. 37 Chartres street, N. O.,

Have received by the latest arrivals from New York, England and France, a new supply of FANCY STATIONERY, BLANK BOOKS, PAPERS, INKS, MUCILAGE, PLAYING CARDS, BLANK CARDS, GOLD PENS, STEEL PENS, PEN HOLDERS, LEAD PENCILS, etc., etc., which they offer at extremely LOW PRICES.

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Beasley, Tobias and Johnson WATCHES, in heavy 18 carat Gold Cases.

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WATCHES of every design and pattern.

JEWELRY of the latest style.

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Best English, Scarlet, Red, Notarial and Transparent Wafers, of all sizes.

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Maynard & Noyes' Black Ink; Arnold's English and German Copying Ink; Stephens' Indescribable Light Blue Fluid, and his brilliant Red; best French Carmine Ink.

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Cut Glass, Fancy, Agate, Patent India Rubber, Screw, Bronze, Pocket, Whitney's Patent, Draper's Patent, Cork and Pewter Inkstands, of all kinds.

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A large stock of LINENS, of the most favorite brands;

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