Steamboat Departures This Day.

Tuesday, January 5, 1858.

Attakapas	GOV. POWELL, Semmin	12 M
Bayou Macon	BELLE SULPHER, Northern	5 PM
Bayou Macon	MILTON RELF, Hall	5 PM
Red River	KBA, No. 2, Kouns	5 PM
Red River	BONITA, Daniels	5 PM
Red River	GRENADA, Shads	5 PM
Red River	RAPIDES, Dowty	5 PM
Vicksburg	PRINCESS, Wilson	5 PM
Yazoo and Yallabusha	HOPE, Gwartney	5 PM
White River	PERSIA, Bradenburg	5 PM
Arkansas River	DARDANELLE, Chapman	5 PM
Louisville	DAVID WHITE, McGill	5 PM
Louisville	R. H. FAIRCHILD, Faucett	5 PM
Cincinnati	GREAT WESTERN, Newcomb	5 PM
St. Louis	A. T. LACEY, Rodney	5 PM
St. Louis	SOVEREIGN, Hutchinson	5 PM
St. Louis	MARIA DENNING, Carrell	5 PM
Madisonville	VIRGINIA PEARL, Dowd	1 AM cars
Pascagoula	CREOLE, Boardman	4 PM cars
Mobile	CALIFORNIA, Hutchings	4 PM cars

HEADQUARTERS FIRST COMPANY WASHINGTON BATTALION OF ARTILLERY—Arsenal, Girod street.

The First Company Washington Battalion of Artillery will attend regular Monthly Meetings on the first MONDAY of each month, and Regular Drills on THURSDAY of every week at 7 o'clock, until further notice.

By order of
J. B. WALTON, Captain.
WILLIAM H. SLACK, O. S. m23tf

☞ **The ship Charlotte Reid, Capt. Combs,** from New York, is discharging her cargo at Pier 25, First District. Consignees are requested to attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee, otherwise they will be stored at their expense and risk.
ja4 JOS. W. HYNSON & CO., 82 Camp street.

☞ **All debts due by steamer Compromise** by the present owners, must be presented on board on her return for payment, and hereafter no bills will be honored except ordered by the captain or clerk.
d31 tf GEO. D. HITE & CO., 6 Front st., Agents.

☞ **Notice to Steamboats—All captains or** officers of steamboats are prohibited from employing or hiring either of my slaves, JOHN PIERCE or MOSES PIERCE. The first, John, is a dark-hand, about 5 feet 7 inches high, black. The second, Moses, is a pastry cook, also black.
THOMAS N. PIERCE,
d29 10t No. 7 Camp street.

BATON ROUGE, July 17, 1857.

☞ **Notice—At a meeting of the Stockholders** of the New Orleans and Baton Rouge Railroad Company, called agreeably to public notice and adjourned until this day, F. D. Conrad, Esq., was called to the Chair, and Alfred Shepperson was appointed Secretary.

The Stockholders proceeded to an election of seven Directors, which resulted in the choice of the following named gentlemen:

F. D. Conrad, C. A. Black,
D. D. Avery, W. P. Tennard,
George May, Jas. A. McHatton,
William S. Pike,
ALFRED SHEPPERS, Sec'y.

BATON ROUGE, July 18, 1857.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the New Orleans and Baton Rouge Railroad Company, held this day, William S. Pike was elected President, and Alfred Shepperson, Secretary.
jy27 tf ALFRED SHEPPERS, Sec'y.

REMOVAL—PLACIDE J. SPEAR, AUCTIONEER, has removed his Auction Room from No. 24 Customhouse street to No. 82 Chartres street, between Bienville and Conti streets.
ja5 3t

TO PLANTERS, BUILDERS, etc.

SOUTHERN FIRE-PROOF ROOFING.

The undersigned offers to the public a Fire-Proof Roofing material possessing the following advantages over everything of the kind which has heretofore been discovered:

It is cheaper than SLATE, will last as long, needs NO REPAIRING, and when finished has the appearance of STONE. It is incombustible, is impervious to water, is not affected by the atmosphere or by the sun, and is a non-conductor of heat.

It can be applied to any species of roofs, flat or inclined; may be applied to the sides of houses, taking the place of stuccoing or cement, and will give a building so covered the external appearance of being constructed of stone.

For the roofs of cars, omnibuses, and steamboats, it is invaluable, and would render valuable service to shipping generally, with it, as they would no longer be exposed to the atmosphere or the water.

It is flexible when applied to silk or cloth, and will not crack, nor can it be removed by any force.

Orders solicited by GLENNON, COLEMAN & CO., No. 85 St. Charles street, who have been appointed by R. Gleason the entire right to manufacture and sell the same.

CHARLES BRIGGS.

OFFICE LOUISIANA MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, New Orleans, December 19, 1857.

This is to certify, that after thoroughly examining the character of the "SOUTHERN FIRE-PROOF ROOFING," I have had the gratuitous from roof of my residence covered with it, that I am perfectly convinced of its incombustibility, and of its imperviousness to water, and that it combines in a high degree, in my opinion, that it is admirably calculated for roofing purposes, as, properly put on, no roof covered with it can possibly leak around the chimneys or elsewhere.

CHARLES BRIGGS.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 24, 1857.

We do hereby certify that we have used the "HERM FIRE-PROOF ROOFING," of Messrs. GLENNON, COLEMAN & CO., and find it satisfactory as a protection against both fire and water.

The skylight in our office has been for a number of years in a leaky condition, having defied all attempts heretofore made for the prevention of same, until we covered it with the preparation of "Southern Fire-Proof Roofing." It is now entirely free from any annoyance, and we feel that we can safely recommend it to the public.

[Signed] SICKLES & CO.

WANTED—Agents in all parts of the country. ja5 2m

☞ **EASTERN HAY**—A lot of prime Eastern Hay, on board ship Atalanta, from Boston, for sale by
ja5 JONES, MACKINDER & CO., 91 Gravier st.

☞ **WHISKY**—25 bbls. superior Rye Whisky, old and pure, in store and for sale by
ja5 JONES, MACKINDER & CO., 91 Gravier st.

☞ **PEACH BRANDY**—60 bbls. fine old and superior, in store and for sale by
ja5 JONES, MACKINDER & CO., 91 Gravier st.

B. F. SIMMS,
MERCHANDISE AND PRODUCE BROKER,
ja4 1m **38 Natchez Street.**

☞ **NOTES LOST**—CAUTION TO THE PUBLIC—THE undersigned cautions the public from buying or trading for any of the following notes, which were stolen from him on Saturday, the 26 inst.:

One note of W. Mish or Mish & Dubois, for $100;
One note of F. Coffey, for $100;
One note of G. Richard, Proctor endorser, for $105.
One note of F. F. Proctor, for $100.
One note of Lessin, for $50.
One note of Mr. Ley, for $50.
One note of J. Gritcher, for $100.
One note of J. Gebenstor, for $500.
One note of R. T. K. Bennett, for $500.
One note of Abe Parker, for $100.
One note of D. Powers, Abe Parker endorser, for $100.
Three notes of John Hoey, for $800—one for $400, one for $200, one for $150.

And several other notes, the faces of which I do not recollect, but which may possibly be detected by being in the hands of parties offering any of the above.

THOMAS ASKEW.
d24 1m

☞ **NEW ORLEANS, NEW YORK AND CALIFORNIA EXPRESS AND EXCHANGE COMPANY.** This Company is organized for the safe and speedy transmission of Specie, Bank Notes, Jewelry, Merchandise, Valuable Parcels, etc., etc.

Office—New York, 78 Broadway, J. W. Carrington, Agent; San Francisco, corner Montgomery and Sacramento streets; New Orleans, 93 Camp street.

A register is kept at this office for strangers from all parts of the world, and they are invited to reg ister.

☞ Packages called for and delivered without extra charge. A mail will be made up for every California steamer for letters in government envelopes only.

A. W. SWETT, Manager.
for 16 years in the employ of the Adams Express Company.
jm 1m

FISH—THE CARGO OF SCHOONER LIMA, FROM Halifax, N. S., consisting of—
MACKEREL—Nos. 2 and 3, large and extra.
Labrador HERRINGS.
Bay St. George HERRINGS.
ALLEWIVES.
TROUT.
SALMON.
EELS.
DRIED CODFISH.
TONGUES and SOUNDS
Preserved SALMON, in tin cans.
Preserved LOBSTER, in tin cans.
For sale by BARKLIE & CO.,
ja4 61 Common street.

☞ **FOLLOWED ME HOME,** ON THURSDAY evening, the 31st December, a large NEWFOUNDLAND DOG, which the owner can have by proving ownership and paying for this advertisement.
ja2 3t A. GRAU, 85½ Bienville street.

☞ **FINE ARTS**—WILL OPEN ON THE 5th AND POSITIVELY CLOSE ON the 23d of January, the Distinguished Cabinet of HIGH CLASS MODERN PAINTINGS, from Paris, containing specimens of the greatest living artists. Also the great American artist, Thomas Cole's, masterpiece, "Eclipse in the Mouth of the Cave."

This collection will be exhibited in my Gallery, 53 St. Charles street, and I can assure the public that this collection has never before been exhibited in America.

☞—Admission—Fifty Cents; Season Ticket, $1.

☞—Open—Morning, 9 till 3; evening, 5 till 10.
jn1 t25 C. GALVANI.

☞ **THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY**—RELIEF THE FIRST DOSE—Cure in a Few Days.

Specific Solution for Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Whitewash and all Urinary Affections. The Faculty of Great Britain acknowledge it as the greatest discovery ever made. Physicians of France prescribe it, and thousands of cures are effected by it. Speedy in effect, palatable to the taste, and invigorating to the system. Sole agents for the United States, B. ABRAMS, 26 Camp street, New Orleans.

☞—Beware of counterfeits. The genuine has a fac simile of the agent's signature.
ja1 3m

W. S. CHANDLER,
DENTIST,
☞—OFFICE and RESIDENCE,
176 Carondelet street,
d29 1yAW corner of Lafayette.

BILLIARD TABLE MANUFACTURER—ALL STYLES.

S. ANTOGNINI, Nos. 12 and 14 Conti street, Between Chartres and Old Levee, New Orleans.

ROUND AND OVAL BILLIARD TABLES, six and eight feet square Billiard Tables, with Marble and Wood Tops; Cushions to play on the same table, either Pool or the Game. A full and complete assortment of every article in the line. Manufacturer of India Rubber for Cushions; also Pitchbowls, Bagatelle, Roulettes, Balls and Pins for Ten-Pin Alleys, Lot, etc.

ECONOMICAL STOVES,
Portable, and set up to order, with crockery and cast-iron tops.

☞—Walnut Wood for sale.
d25 1y

PETIT GULF "MEXICAN" COTTON SEED—This Seed has been CAREFULLY SELECTED, and will be furnished in lots to suit customers.
CHAS. H. MARSHALL & CO.,
d25 1f Nos. 17 Thoupitoulas and 24 Gravier street.

MEXICAN LEAF TOBACCO—30 BALES MEXICAN Leaf Tobacco, for Wrappers and Fillers, of superior quality, under the keys of the undersigned, for sale in store, for sale at lowest prices, by FDO. CARDELLACH,
d9 tf between Gravier and Natchez streets, up stairs.

GAS FIXTURES—GAS FITTINGS—
HENDERSON & GAINES,
CHANDELIERS, PENDANTS, BRACKETS, Hall Lamps and Lanterns, Mantel Lights, Portable and Drop Lights, etc., of French, English and American manufacture, in the greatest variety, and at
LOW PRICES.
☞—When desired, they will be put up free of charge.
N. B.—A very large variety of GAS GLOBES always on hand.
ja2 1y

☞ **FRUIT TREES—FRUIT TREES**—THE undersigned have accepted the agency in New Orleans of Col. John Hebron's celebrated "Lafourche" Nurseries and Orchard, situate nine miles east from Vicksburg and two and a half from Bovina, and are prepared to receive and execute orders for every variety of Fruit and Ornamental Trees adapted to the South.

Descriptive catalogues furnished free on application to
G. D. METCALF & CO.,
of 9 3m No. 34 Poydras street.

PARTICULAR NOTICES.

NEW ORLEANS CANAL AND BANKING COMPANY, New Orleans, Jan. 4, 1858.

☞ **At the annual election by the Stockholders,** held at the Banking House, on the 14th ult., the following named gentlemen were unanimously elected Directors of this institution for the ensuing year, to-wit:

H. A. Rathbone, J. H. Slaughter,
George Kouns, M. O. H. Norton,
J. T. de Ygnan, Geo. W. Babcock,
Robert C. Cammack.

And at a meeting of the Board of Directors this day, H. A. Rathbone, Esq., was unanimously re-elected President.
ja5 3t A. H. KERN ON, Cashier.

☞ **Capt. H. A. de Riviere's Lectures—On** account of the inclemency of the weather (Sept. H. A. de Riviere's Lectures have been postponed to WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, January 6th and 7th. The military will please notice this advertisement.
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☞ **The Stockholders of the Mississippi** Sound Company are requested to meet at the office of the Company, No. 27 Camp street, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, Jan. 6, 1858, at 7 o'clock. By order of the President:
ja5 2t EDWARD TOBY, Secretary.

HALL OF MISSISSIPPI FIRE COMPANY NO. 2, New Orleans, Jan. 2, 1858.

☞ **At an annual meeting of this Company** held this day, the following members were elected officers for the ensuing year:

President—Gen. E. L. Tracy.
Vice President—Jos. T. Rusha.
Foreman—L. F. Bakwell.
First Assistant—J. Holland.
Second Assistant—W. H. Hart.
Treasurer—J. W. Beach.
Secretary—J. W. Shearer.
Delegates to Firemen's Charitable Association—L. F. Bakwell, J. L. Macaulay, and H. L. Goodrich.
ja5 3t J. W. BEACH, Sec'y.

☞ **Jackson Fire Company No. 18—At the** annual meeting of the Company held on the 30 of January, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year:

President—J. H. Huckins.
Vice President—J. B. Collins.
Foreman—S. D. Morell.
First Assistant—M. O'Brien.
Second Assistant—T. Bleakley.
Secretary—F. J. Ames.
Treasurer—W. Rayburn.
Steward—J. Murphy.
Marshal—J. O'Brien.
Housekeeper—S. Burke.
Delegates to the Firemen's Charitable Association—J. H. Huckins, J. O'Brien, J. Laborde.
ja5 3t W. H. COMPTON, Secretary.

SOUTHERN BANK, New Orleans, January 2, 1858.

☞ **At an election by the Stockholders,** on the 5th ultimo, the following named gentlemen were elected Directors of this Bank for the ensuing year, viz:

Frederick Rodewald, Gustave Mittenberger,
Louis Voix, W. C. C. Claiborne,
Thomas Byrne, Ferdinand Rodewald.

And at a meeting of the Board of Directors this day, Frederick Rodewald, Esq., was unanimously re-elected President.
ja4 3t THOS. LAYTON, Cashier.

HOME FOR JEWISH WIDOWS AND ORPHANS, corner Chippewa and Jackson streets, New Orleans, Jan. 3, 1858.

☞ **The members and their families, and** our citizens and friends, are respectfully informed that the second anniversary of the above institution will be held at the Home, on FRIDAY next, the 8th inst., at half-past 10 o'clock A. M., precisely, by a Grand Jubilee, preceded by an Oration by L. J. Levy, Esq., and Prayer offered by the Rev. J. K. Gutheim.

The members are particularly requested to be in attendance by 10 o'clock.

ISAAC HART,
J. ABRAHAMSON,
JOS. SIMON,
ja4 5t Committee.

MATOAGORDA BAY NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, Dec. 31, 1857.

☞ **To Bakers—The price of Bread** to be baking this day five dollars and fifty cents ($5 50) per barrel, according to the tariff. Bakers are required to give during the ensuing week, commencing on MONDAY, the 4th inst., 12 ounces of bread for.....20 cents,
20 " " for.....10 " ,
18 " " for.....10 " ,

The loaves of second quality must weigh one-eighth more, that is to say:

The 20 cents loaves.....31 ounces,
" 10 " " .....41 " ,
" 10 " " for.....5 " ,
ja1 CHAS. M. WATERMAN, Mayor.

☞ **Mercantile Library Association**—THE rooms are opened daily for the accommodation of subscribers from ½ o'clock P. M. to ½ o'clock P. M.

Persons desirous of becoming members will please leave their names with the Librarian.

Subscription, $3 per annum.

Rooms, corner Canal street and Exchange Place.
d24 tf GUS. A. BREAUX, President.

BANK OF NEW ORLEANS, New Orleans, December 31, 1857.

☞ **At a meeting of the Board of Directors,** held this day, a dividend of 4 per cent. out of the profits of the last six months was declared, payable to the stockholders or their legal representatives on or after TUESDAY, the 12th of January, 1858.
ja1 M. BELLY, Cashier.

SOUTHERN BANK, New Orleans, January 1, 1858.

☞ **At a meeting of the Directors, held on** the 31st ult., a dividend of four per cent. was declared out of the profits of the last six months, payable to the stockholders here on the 11th inst., and to those at the North on the 18th idem, at the Bank of America, in New York.
ja1 6t THOMAS LAYTON, Cashier.

LOUISIANA STATE BANK, New Orleans, December 19th, 1857.

☞ **This Bank will be closed on the two suc**ceeding FRIDAYS, being the New Year's day and the 2d of January. All paper falling due on those days must be paid on the preceding THURSDAYS, on which day offerings for discount must also be made.
d31 tf C. A. F. RONDEAU, Cashier.

BANK OF LOUISIANA, New Orleans, Dec. 23, 1857.

☞ **This Bank will be closed on Christmas,** 25th instant, and on the First and Second of January next. Bills and notes due on those days will be payable on the days preceding respectively.
d24 1d R. M. DAVIS, Cashier.

BANK OF JAMES ROSS, New Orleans, 23d December, 1857.

☞ **This Bank will be closed on Christmas,** 25th inst., and on the First and Second of January, measuring on either of those days, will be payable the day previous.
d24 6d WM. S. MOUNT, Cashier.

UNION BANK OF LOUISIANA, New Orleans, Dec. 22, 1857.

☞ **This Bank will be closed on the ensuing** Holidays, viz: Christmas, the 25th inst., and the first and eighth of January next. Bills falling due on these days will be payable on the preceding THURSDAYS, and paper intended for discount must be offered on the WEDNESDAYS preceding.
d24 1d GEO. A. FERRET, Cashier.

SOUTHERN BANK, New Orleans, Dec. 22, 1857.

☞ **This Bank will be closed on the ensuing** Holidays, viz: Christmas, the 25th inst., and the first and eighth of January next. Bills falling due on those days will be payable on the preceding THURSDAYS, and paper intended for discount must be offered on the WEDNESDAYS preceding.
d24 1d THOS. LAYTON, Cashier.

NEW ORLEANS CANAL AND BANKING COMPANY, New Orleans, Dec. 22, 1857.

☞ **This Bank will be closed on the ensuing** Holidays, to-wit: Christmas, the First and Eighth of January next.

The maturities of those dates should be provided for on the days respectively preceding them, when offerings intended for discount on the succeeding Saturdays should be made.
d22 1d A. H. KERNION, Cashier.

CITIZENS' BANK OF LOUISIANA, New Orleans, Dec. 22, 1857.

☞ **This Bank will be closed on Christmas,** next, the 25th inst., (Christmas Day) also, on the First and Eighth of January next. Paper falling due on these days will be payable on the preceding Fridays, and paper intended for discount must be offered on the Wednesdays preceding.
d22 1d EUG. ROUSSEAU, Cashier.

BANK OF NEW ORLEANS, New Orleans, December 22, 1857.

☞ **This Bank will be closed on Christmas,** New Year's day and the Eighth of January next. Notes and bills falling due on those days must be provided for on the preceding THURSDAYS.
d21 1d M. BELLY, Cashier.

CRESCENT CITY BANK, New Orleans, December 19, 1857.

☞ **Agreeable to Art. 11 of the Charter of** this Bank, an annual election for Directors will take place on MONDAY, the 4th January, 1858, at the Banking House, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 3 o'clock P. M.
d22 1d JOS. RAU, Cashier.

BANK OF NEW ORLEANS, New Orleans, December 21, 1857.

☞ **The annual election for twelve Directors** of this Bank, to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House, on MONDAY, the 11th of January next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.
d21 M. BELLY, Cashier.

NEW ORLEANS GAS LIGHT COMPANY, Office No. 8, Commercial Place, December 18, 1857.

☞ **At a meeting of the Board this day, a** semi-annual dividend of Five per cent. was declared from the profits, payable to the stockholders or to their legal representatives on and after 1st January next.
d17 1m N. O. J. TISDALE, Treasurer.

CRESCENT DRY DOCK COMPANY, New Orleans, December 8, 1857.

☞ **The Stockholders in this Association** are hereby notified that an election for five Directors from among the Stockholders, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the office, No. 9 Commercial Place, on MONDAY, the 11th of January next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

By order of the Board:
d16 1d R. BRENAN, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE NEW ORLEANS INSURANCE COMPANY, New Orleans, Dec. 8, 1857.

☞ **The stockholders are requested to re**turn to this office, for cancellation, their old certificates of $1000 per share in the capital stock of this Company, in exchange of new certificates of $100 per share, according to the amendment entered into by them, and in conformity with the act of the Legislature, approved on the 4th of February, 1857.
d9 3m J. LYONS, President.

☞ **At a meeting of the Mississippi Sound** Company, held on the evening of the 7th inst., to amend their charter and elect Directors, the following gentlemen were elected: Robt. Mott, A. Gleon, Jno. Hale, A. W. Bosworth, L. F. Herman.
d8 tf

BANK OF LOUISIANA, New Orleans, Oct. 1, 1857.

☞ **Approved Sterling Exchange will be re**ceived in payment of paper discounted by this Bank.
o30 tf R. M. DAVIS, Cashier.

☞ **Polar Star R. A.—Chapter No. 21**—Regular convocation ——— at the Grand Lodge, Masonic Hall, St. Charles street.

OFFICERS—Seth E. Field, M. E.; H. P.; J. C. Batchelor, E. K.; Thaddeus D. Vaulfern, E. S.; D. N. Harper, C. H.; C. P. Skinner, P. S.; Wm. H. Seaman, R. A.; Frank A. Barbier, M. 3d V.; J. C. Batchelor, M. 2d V.; Chrisland, M. 1st V.; Geo. P. Evans, G. M. 1st V.; Sherman Field, Treasurer; H. J. Stansbury, Secretary; A. E. Sprawbridge, S.; Wm. H. Holland, J. S.; J. Chrisland, Tiler.

By order of the M. E. H. P.
d30 1y H. J. STANSBURY, Sec'y.

☞ **Quitman Lodge No. 76, F. and A. M.**—Stated communication every FRIDAY EVENING, at o'clock, at the Grand Lodge, Masonic Hall, St. Charles street.

OFFICERS—Seth E. Field, W. M.; T. W. Peyton, S. W.; C. P. Skinner, J. W.; T. C. Herndon, Treasurer; H. J. Stansbury, Secretary; D. N. Harder, S. D.; Frank A. Barbier, J. D.; Wm. H. Seaman, S. S.; J. F. Procar, J. S.; L. Hertz Tyler. By order of the W. M.
d28 1y H. J. STANSBURY, Sec'y.

☞ **Eagle Degree Lodge No. 1, I. O. O. F.**—meets Eagle Hall, Odd Fellows' Hall, on the first SATURDAY of each month for the conferring of the First and Second and Third Degrees, and on the third SATURDAY of each month for the conferring of the Fourth and Fifth Degrees. Brothers are cordially invited to attend. By order of GERARD STITH, Degree Master; FRANCIS RAWLE, Deputy Degree Master; R. L. BRUCE, Treasurer; L. N. JAHAN, Secretary.

☞ **I. O. O. F.—Crescent Lodge No. 5, meets** every THURSDAY EVENING, in room No. 1, Odd Fellows' Hall, at 7 o'clock. Officers—GEO. SEYMOUR, N. G.; J. T. MILLER, V. G.; A. DUCHIRON, Recording Secretary; L. N. JAHAN, Per. Secretary; F. X. BARBOT, Treasurer.
jy7 1y

☞ **I. O. O. F.—Howard Lodge No. 13** meets EVERY THURSDAY EVENING, in Odd Fellows' Hall, No. 98 Canal street, Odd Fellows' Hall, at 7 o'clock. Officers—R. S. KEARNY, N. G.; ALEXR. POTTERTON, V. G.; A. DE SOLA, Recording Secretary; R. DASHIEL, Per. Secretary; THADDEUS D. VAN HORN, Treasurer.

☞ **Order of S. W. M.—Washington Com**mandery No. 6, holds its stated conclaves every TUESDAY EVENING at 7 o'clock, in the Lodge Room, in the Carrollton Depot, corner Barataria and Perdido streets.
d12 1y

☞ **Benevolent Association of the Sons of** LOUISIANA—The members of this Association are requested to meet at their Hall, No. 14 Morgan street, on every WEDNESDAY, at 6½ o'clock P. M.

By order of the President:
ja28 1y S. G. LARGUE, Secretary.

☞ **RUM**—20 puncheons Jamaica, in store, for sale by
S. WOLFE,
o28 corner of Gravier and New Levee streets.

AUCTION SALES.

LADIES' AUCTION,
BY L. A. LEVY, Jr., Auctioneer,
Office, 78 Common street.

TUESDAY, 5th Inst., at 10 1-2 o'clock A. M., at the store No. 185 Camp street, between Julia and Girod, will be sold—

Dress Goods, Embroideries, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Irish Linens, etc.

Also, fine Chinaware, Fancy Articles, etc.
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EXTENSIVE CATALOGUE SALE OF A LARGE STOCK of Groceries, Liquors and Wines,
BY R. B. SYKES, Auctioneer.

TUESDAY, the 5th inst., at 10 1-2 o'clock, at store No. 5 Front street, near the corner of Common st., fronting the steamboat landing, will be sold—

The contents of said store, consisting of an extensive assortment of Groceries, Liquors and Wines—all prime fresh goods.

☞—TERMS—60 and 90 days and 4 months.

☞—Catalogues are now ready for delivery.
ja4 C. G. CHESLEY, Treasurer.

BOOKS, STATIONERY, etc., AT AUCTION.
BY R. AEMFIELD, Auctioneer.

THIS EVENING, at early gas light, at No. 85 St. Charles street, will be sold—

A valuable collection of the best works of the best authors, in the various branches of Literature, Science and Art.

—ALSO—

Letter, Cap and Note Papers, Envelops, Gold Pencils, etc.

This collection comprises the best Books of the principal publishers in the United States, together with a variety of London Publications, the whole being of the highest order.

The Books are new and warranted perfect, and are far examination and private sale during the day.

Sales without reserve, and will be continued every evening until all are sold.
n14 8m

SEASONABLE DRY GOODS,
BY BLACHE & LEAUMONT, Auctioneers.

WEDNESDAY, the 6th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M., at auction, at their auction rooms, 77 Chartres street, will be sold—

An assortment of Seasonable DRY GOODS.

☞TERMS—Cash.
ja5

DRY GOODS,
BY PLACIDE J. SPEAR, Auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, 6th inst., at 10 1-2 o'clock A. M., at his auction room, 82 Chartres street, between Bienville and Conti streets, without reserve, will be sold—

A large assortment of Seasonable DRY GOODS.

☞TERMS—Cash.
ja5

SUCCESSION OF THE LATE SAM. L. FORGAY, Deceased.
BY NEVILLE & JARREAU.
JULIAN NEVILLE, Auctioneer.

FRIDAY, Jan'y 15th, 1858, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the late residence of the deceased, Col. L. Forgay, on Julia street, between St. Charles and Carondelet streets, by virtue of an order from the Honorable the Second District Court of New Orleans, dated December 21st, 1857—

A LOT OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, consisting of Walnut and Mahogany Bedsteads, Casits, Armoire, Bastands, Washstands, Sofas, etc.

Also, Bedding, Matrasses, Kitchen Furniture, etc.

Also, several articles of Table Silverware, one gold Watch, an Iron Safe, and several fine Pictures and Engravings.

☞TERMS—Cash.

SUCCESSION DE FEU SAM. L. FORGAY, Décédé.
PAR NEVILLE & JARREAU.
JULIAN NEVILLE, Encanteur.

VENDREDI, 15 Janvier, 1858, à 10 heures M. à la résidence du Col. S. M. Forgay, rue Julie, entre les rues St-Charles et Carondelet, en vertu d'un ordre de l'honorable Deuxième District de la Nouvelle Orléans, en date du 21 décembre, 1857—

UN LOT DE MEUBLES en noyer noir et en acajou, savoir: Lits, Chaises, Tables, Armoires, Porte-Chapeaux, Lavabos, Sofas, etc.

Aussi, le linge de ménage, ustensiles de cuisine, un lot d'argenterie, une montre d'or, un coffre-fort, et plusieurs beaux tableaux.

☞—CONDITIONS—Comptant. d31 ja 9 15

VALUABLE PROPERTY SITUATED IN THE FIRST District, and Paying a Remunerative Interest on the Money Invested.
BY NEVILLE & JARREAU,
JULIAN NEVILLE, Auctioneer.
Office, No. 8 Commercial Place.

SATURDAY, the 23d inst., at 12 o'clock M., at Merchant's Exchange, Chartres street, in the city of New Orleans, will be sold the following valuable property, without reserve; sale positive, viz.—

TWO STORE RATS LOTS OF GROUND, together with the improvements thereon, consisting of two fine brick stores, situate in the First District, in the square bounded by Poydras, Magazine, Camp and Natchez streets, and designated by the Nos. 3 and 4, on a plan deposited in the office of H. B. Cenas, Esq., Notary Public. Said Lots measure 49 feet 2 inches and 6 inches on Magazine street, by about 62 feet in depth.

Store No. 2 fronts on Natchez, near Bank Alley, and measures about 25 feet 2 inches front on Natchez street, by about 33 feet 10 inches, more or less, in depth, together with the use of a yard 23 feet 6 inches in length by 17 feet in width, common to said premises and the adjoining property, belonging to the Commercial Bank, with the most choice old Wines, Liquors and other Refreshments. GEORGE A. CASE,
d21 4m Proprietor.

METAIRIE RACES—
First Day—WEDNESDAY, January 6, 1858.
Race to come off at 3 o'clock.
Jockey Club Purse, $800—Three Mile Heats.

The following are the entries:

T. J. Wells enters ch. f. Clayle's ch. g. MARKSMAN, by Glencoe, dam by Rodolph, 4 years old.

D. Kenner enters b. c. WHALE, 4 years old, by Voucher, dam Dolphin. Dress red and red.

H. O. Crabbs, Esq., enters (Campbell Barton's) b. h. JACK GAMBRILL, 5 years old, by Wagner, dam Helen Faucet by Trustee.

S. W. Westmore enters (Col. R. H. Long's) ch. m. ELIZA GOLDSBY, 4 years, by Wagner, dam by Belshazzar. Dress red and white.

☞—Subscription Badges for non-residents, $10; to be obtained from a member of the Club, who will write his name on the Badge.

Strangers' Badges $10, giving all the privileges of the Course, except admittance to Members' Stand.

Should the weather at any time prevent a race being run, a premium will be displayed from the St. Charles Hotel.

Admission to Gate and Stand, $1.

☞—A special train of Railroad Cars will leave Tivoli Circle for the Course at 2 o'clock and 20 minutes and 20 minutes past 3 o'clock, and return after the race is over.

PROF. J. VEGAS' SECOND CHILDREN'S FANCY DRESS BALL, at Odd Fellows' Hall.—Prof. J. VEGAS respectfully informs his friends and the public in general that his SECOND CHILDREN'S FANCY DRESS BALL will be given on THURSDAY, the 28th of January, at ODD FELLOWS' HALL, when his Pupils will exhibit all the new Fancy Dances appropriate for Children. The fashionable Lancer's and the Caledonian's Quadrille will be danced for the first time in Odd Fellows' Hall. The Ball to commence at half-past 7 o'clock P. M., and continue until 11 o'clock, after which the Ball for the Adults will begin.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Ladies and Misses, not pupils	Free.
Gentlemen	$1 50
Young Gentlemen, not exceeding 12 years	$1 00
Misses and Masters, pupils	Free.

Ladies and Misses wishing to obtain invitations will please call at No. 70 Prytania street, Odd Fellows' Hall.

Gentlemen's Tickets can be obtained at the Hall and at the Music Stores, and at the Ticket Office on the Night of the Ball.

☞—No one will be admitted except in present his ticket at the door.
jn4 1d

ORLEANS THEATER—MASKED SOCIETY BALLS.

A Subscription List is opened for a series of Masked Society Balls, to be given at the Orleans Theater. All gentlemen wishing to subscribe to the above are invited to call on Mr. H. RUFFINER, at the office of the Orleans theater. jn1

ODD FELLOWS' HALL—
YOUNG MEN'S SOCIETY MASK AND FANCY DRESS BALLS.

These will be a series of Five Balls, which will take place on the following nights:

First of the Series	Thursday, 17th December, 1857.
Second	Thursday, 7th January, 1858.
Third	Thursday, 21st January, 1858.
Fourth	Thursday, 4th February, 1858.
Fifth	Tuesday, (Mardi Gras,) 16th February, 1858.

MANAGERS.

A. C. Smith,	J. F. Planchard,
J. O. Lacoe,	Charles Diard,
F. F. Trinchard,	J. D. Kitchen,
W. C. Wilson,	Ernest Corsai,
F. Dedreux,	Thomas Taquino.

Gentlemen wishing to subscribe to these Balls will apply to the Secretary, at the office of the Ball Room, entrance on Lafayette street.

Those wishing to procure Ladies' Invitations are requested to send in their names and residences to the Secretary.

The Board of Managers will meet every Wednesday evening, at 7 o'clock, at the office of the Ball Room.

No lady will be admitted without an Invitation Ticket, have been approved by the Board of Managers.

All masked persons will be examined by a committee, before entering the Ball Room.

Positively no Invitations will be issued after the last meetings of the Managers, which will be on the night previous to each Ball.

☞—Positively no Subscriber's Ticket can be procured on the night of the Balls. d16 1m

J. VEGAS'S DANCING ACADEMY, AT ODD FELLOWS' HALL.

J. VEGAS most respectfully announces to his friends and the public, that his popular Dancing Academy is now open for the season, at Odd Fellows' Hall, where he hopes to meet with the most liberal patronage. The teaching will commence on MONDAY, Nov. 2.

The fashionable Lancers' Quadrille and the Caledonian' Quadrille, danced in the first circles of Paris and London last winter, will be taught by J. Vegas.

The popular Childrens' Fancy Dress Balls will be given by Mr. J. Vegas once every month.

Acts of sale before J. E. Jarreau, Notary Public, at the expense of the purchaser. ja4

VALUABLE PLANTATION AND SLAVES AT AUCTION.
BY PALFREY & CO.....C. L. C. DIRON, Auctioneer,
Office, No. 21 Camp street.

MONDAY, 1st day of February, at 12 o'clock M., at Banks' Arcade, New Orleans, will be sold at public auction—

The ARDOYNE PLANTATION, on the Bayou Black, parish of Terrebonne, La., with Slaves and Stock of every kind, to the highest bidder, without reserve or limitation of any description.

The property consists of over 2250 Acres of Land, inferior to none in Louisiana, heavily timbered, and nearly all susceptible of cultivation, about 700 acres of which are in cane, averaging upwards of 80 Slaves, all family negroes; over 50 Mules; a stock of Cattle and Hogs; Circular Saw Mill; Farming Utensils; Machinery for cleaning the Cane, and Steam Boiler and Engine supplied by Corn and Hay, supposed to be sufficient for the next season's consumption.

The Mill-house in the Sugar-House is of the most valuable kind and works well. The quality of the sugar usually made is inferior to none made in the State, and in quantity equal to that of any other plantation in proportion to the number of hands. The growing crop is expected to be about 600 hhds.

☞—The Land is well suited to the plantation during the rolling season, and will take pleasure in the inspection by any person desirous of examining it.

☞—The terms are one-fourth cash, (the purchaser to assume the mortgage debt due to the Bank of Louisiana,) and the balance to be payable in equal annual instalments, divided into coupons to suit the vendors, payable at one, two and three years from the date of sale, bearing interest at eight per cent. per annum from date until paid, and secured by mortgage and privilege on the property sold; possession will be given when the terms of sale shall have been complied with; but the use of the hands, teams, etc., will be reserved for the purpose of preparing for crop. Not more than one-fourth of the proceeds of the growing crop may still be on the plantation at the time of the sale.

A more particular description will be given at the time of sale.

For further particulars, apply to the auctioneers, or to
WM. R. LEVERICH & CO.,
d31 3m SARAH YORKE.

C. M. RUTHERFORD, R. W. LONG.

C. M. RUTHERFORD & LONG, AUCTIONEERS, Office—No. 22 Natchez street and Arcade Passage, New Orleans.

☞—Liberal commission given to the sale of Slaves, private as well as public—having ample quarters for 150 slaves at No. 117 Carondelet street. d2 3m

GARDNER SMITH, AUCTIONEER AND APPRAISER, will give special attention this season to sales of Real Estate, Negroes, Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, Mercantile Stocks, Insurance, Port Warden, Damaged Cotton, Vessels' Cargoes, Goods in Store, Furniture, etc.

Having had ample experience in this city, he solicits a continuation of patronage, and will give prompt attention to all orders.

Office, No. 7 Commercial Place. se16 6m

L. A. LEVY, Jr., AUCTIONEER FOR THE SALE of Real Estate, Slaves, Successions and out-door business generally