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FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 28, 1858.

Our thanks are tendered to Lamont & Arnold's Express for the papers of yesterday.

Capt. Loyd, of the ship Snow Squall, has our thanks for favors.

Latest from Rio de Janeiro.—The ship Snow Squall, Capt. Loyd, arrived at the South-West Pass, on the 25th inst., from Rio de Janeiro, making the passage in twenty-nine days, which is the shortest passage on record.

We learn from Capt. Loyd that the yellow fever at Rio subsided, and the city was perfectly healthy. Coffee on hand on the 25th April, 46,000 bags.

The ship Snow Squall is detained at the Quarantine Station, having lost two of her crew on the passage.

Capt. Gamble of the bark Morning Star (previously reported lost at sea) and crew arrived at Rio de Janeiro on the 17th of April.

Further Violation of the Neutrality Laws.—The case of Thomas J. Mackey, indicted before the United States Circuit Court, in Charleston, S. C., under the act of 1818, for organizing an expedition against Nicaragua, came before the Court for trial on the 19th inst., his Honor Judge Magrath, presiding. The prosecution was conducted by James Conner, Esq., U. S. District Attorney, and the accused was defended by R. I. Richardson and L. W. Spratt, Esqs.

The leading facts of the case are, that in October last Mr. Mackey, representing himself as the agent of Gen. Walker, and representing Gen. Walker as the duly elected President of Nicaragua, who had been expelled, was engaged in enlisting recruits for the purpose of reinstating Walker in his Presidency. The case was given to the jury on the second day, and a verdict of acquittal was rendered.

The State of Franklin.—East Tennessee papers are discussing the propriety of reconstructing the State of Franklin. The Memphis Bulletin favors a division of Tennessee and the formation of a new State from the Western portion with North Mississippi and the Western corner of Kentucky. It is urged that the interests of the Eastern and Western sections of the State are not homogeneous, and that the business of the West is controlled by Nashville. There is no doubt that many of our States could be subdivided with advantage. The part of Alabama north of the Tennessee river naturally belongs to Tennessee, as does West Florida to Alabama. Besides, we need another Southern State.

Disgusting Amalgamation.—The Bridgeport (Ct.) Farmer says that a coal black negro was married in that city on the 11th inst. to a white woman. Both parties were residents of New York.

Singular Suicide.—Henry Porter, a wealthy gentleman living at Worten, about six miles from Chestertown, Kent county, Md., committed suicide on the evening of the 17th, by cutting his throat with a razor. He was sitting in his dining-room, and had been conversing with his wife on various subjects, with no appearance of irrationality about him. He requested his wife to go into the kitchen and hurry the supper; and whilst she was absent from the room, he wrote a few words on a slip of paper to the effect that he was ready to die, and cut his throat, causing immediate death. In all the relations of life he was happy, no alienations of mind had been previously noticed by his family and friends, and the cause for the act cannot be divined. Mr. Porter was about 45 years of age, and left a large family.

A Man Murdered by a Mob in Iowa City.—A man was deliberately murdered on the 13th, by a mob at Iowa City, by being forcibly drowned in the river. From thirty to forty of the mob were arrested and lodged in the city prison. The man was understood to be charged with horse stealing and other depredations of a similar nature.

Capture of an Indian Murderer.—A dispatch of the 10th from Prairie du Chien, announces the capture of Ink-pa-du-ta, the Indian chief, whose band committed the murders in Southern Minnesota.

Tobacco Oil.—Harlow W. Crittenden, Esq., Superintendent of the Central Railroad, Syracuse Division, has demonstrated that the road can save three thousand dollars a month by using pork instead of whale oil for lubricating the axles of the cars and locomotives.

Runaways Captured.—Four runaway negroes were captured a few days ago within about a mile of Boston, Mass., in a cave of their own construction.

An Offer from Lieut. Porter.—The repeated outrages on our vessels by British cruisers, has induced Lieut. W. D. Porter, late of the U. S. navy, to suggest to the New York merchants to employ a pilot-boat, armed with a long nine-inch shell gun, to convoy their vessels from the coast of Cuba. He volunteers his services and pledges himself to return the fire of the British steamer Styx.

Great Indications.—Many are the plans adopted by different parties for a speedy disposal of goods, but none that we have ever seen has struck us so forcibly as that offered by Mr. Morgan, at 108 Poydras street, whose inducements are unprecedentedly great. He has a large stock of chinaware divided up into 1107 lots, and numbered; he has 1100 cards of corresponding numbers enveloped, and every purchaser of his rich cups and saucers, at once draws an envelope, and the article corresponding in number with the one in the envelope is immediately presented them. Each purchaser also receives a chance in the most superb piano we ever looked at, which, in itself, is well worth a visit to his store to look at.

Election Notice.—See the official designation under this head, of the places for holding the polls at the forthcoming election.

Irish Linens.—Messrs. P. & E. Reilly & Co., No. 126 Canal street, have on hand a large assortment of Irish linens—sheetings, shirtings, towel ngs, diapers, etc.—which they are selling at very low prices. See the advertisement.

A Chance for a Sugar Planter.—A fine sugar plantation of 300 arpents, 226 arpents being cleared and enclosed, with a good stand of cane and corn, with every thing appertaining to a plantation except the slaves, is offered for sale on advantageous terms; a fine chance for some planter whose own slaves may now be hindered. We call attention to the advertisement, in another column.

The Virginia for Ocean Springs.—The beautiful and fast Virginia leaves for Ocean Springs and the other watering places this afternoon, on the arrival at Milneburg of the 4 o'clock cars. E. Toby, No. 97 Camp street, is the agent.

The Tonic-Aromatic Bitters.—Mr. Peychaud's Bitters is a preparation which is becoming immensely popular in this city, and large quantities of it is sold. Owing to the complaint that the bitters have been too bitter to be palatable, especially to ladies, Mr. P. is now manufacturing the article in a manner which, while it preserves all the original medicinal virtues, is sweeter and far more palatable to the most delicate palate. See Mr. P.'s advertisement.

We are requested to call the attention of the trade to the sale of several packages prints, lawns, cottons, and one hundred bale of dry goods, to take place at Placide J. Fenet's auction room, No. 82 Gravier street, between Bienville and Conti streets, this day, at half o'clock.

OUR NAVY, NOW AND FORMERLY—THE BRITISH NAVY.

While we are all getting justly excited over the outrages committed by British cruisers on American merchantmen in the Gulf of Mexico, a glance at our naval condition, what it has been, and what it is now, is dictated by sound judgment and good policy. In the Washington States of the 20th inst. we find some interesting statistics bearing upon this subject, which we subjoin.

The following is a comparative statement of the naval force of the United States on the 1st of January, 1816, and at the present time, 1858. The first is taken from Document No. 133, XIVth Congress, first session, and the second from the Navy Register for the current year—both indisputable authorities. Here are the figures referred to:

	No.	Tonnage.
Sail of vessels in good condition on the Atlantic board	49	30,000
On the lakes	25	17,188
Total on January 1, 1816	74	47,000
Sail of vessels of all classes in 1858	76	174,812
Increase in number and tonnage since 1816 (42 years)	4	77,812
In 1858, the tonnage of the United States commercial marine was		820,000
In 1858, the same is (in round numbers)		5,000,000

These figures exhibit a remarkable and flattering state of affairs—flattering on account of the astonishing increase in our commercial marine, and remarkable because of the small advance that has taken place in the number of our war vessels. Forty-two years ago we had a navy of seventy-four vessels, in good condition to protect, using round numbers, eight hundred thousand tuns of merchant marine, and the coasts of the country at the same time. Forty-two years afterwards we find that we have seventy-eight war vessels, not all of them available by a long distance, to perform coast and other service, and to guard *five million* tons merchant marine! These facts demonstrate incontrovertibly that while the ocean commerce of the Union has gloriously increased, there has been no corresponding effort on the part of the Federal Government to equip, maintain and keep in commission a suitable navy, or one at all commensurate with the strength, wants and dignity of the nation. In contemplating the prosperity and vastness of our commercial expansion we have lost sight of the sage maxim of Washington: "In time of peace prepare for war," and have neglected to provide the ways and means indispensable to the adequate protection of our commerce, should a conflict ensue with any great naval power.

The ocean trade of England and France has increased immensely within the same period, but their naval power has been augmented correspondingly. In regard to England, we find by reference to the British Naval Register of October, 1857, that the effective force of that nation is as follows:

	Vessels.
Steam gun-boats	185
Steam vessels of other classes	275
Total steam	460
Sailing vessels of all classes	275
Vessels engaged in "harbor service"	107
	382
Total steam vessels	460
Total effective force of British navy in 1856	842

The disparity between the American and British naval forces is very great, and shows that we would be largely the sufferers at the commencement of a war, but to some extent it is more apparent than real. We imagine a large number of old and worthless ships are counted in the list. Besides, we could build five ships to England's one, and by granting letters of marque and reprisal we could cause the ocean to swarm with hostile privateers against her in less than three months.

Still, the duty of Congress is none the less plain—none the less palpable—because of these advantages. At least twenty steam sloops should be ordered forthwith, and a large number of gun-boats constructed on the modern plan. Our navy is confoundedly expensive now, and it ought either to be made efficient or abolished.

Messrs. Crittenden and Bell.

These distinguished gentlemen, from some unaccountable cause, now-a-days generally vote with the Northern Freesoilers, and in opposition to the members from that section of the Confederacy it was supposed they were elected to represent, at least in part. If the one represented Vermont and the other Michigan, there would be little difficulty in accounting for their action by one process or another; but, as it is, we confess that we are altogether in the dark, unless, as has been stated on numerous occasions recently, Presidential aspirations have outweighed and overslaughed the duty and fealty they owe their immediate section.

On the 13th inst., the bill of Senator Clay, of Alabama, to repeal the fishery bounties, came up for discussion and determination. On its final passage, the vote stood, being taken by yeas and nays, as follows:

Yeas: Messrs. Bayard, Benjamin, Bigler, Bright, Brown, Clay, Clingman, Davis, Douglas, Fitzpatrick, Gwin, Hammond, Henderson, Hunter, Iverson, Johnson of Arkansas, Johnson of Tennessee, Jones, Mallory, Mason, Pearce, Polk, Pugh, Rice, Sebastian, Slidell, Thomson of New Jersey, Toombs, Wright and Yulee—30.

Nays: Messrs. Allen, Bell, Broderick, Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Crittenden, Dixon, Doolittle, Durkee, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Hale, Hamlin, Harlan, Houston, King, Seward, Shields, Simmons, Stuart, Sumner, Wade and Wilson—25.

Absent or not voting: Messrs. Bates, Cameron, Fitch, Green, Kennedy, Reid, Thompson of Kentucky and Trumbull—8.

Very bad company for Messrs. Crittenden and Bell to be in. We trust it is not an indication that they prefer the society of the Northern Freesoilers to that of their own Southern brethren. It looks so, however, and deeply regretful are we that stern truth compels even this tacit admission. What all the leading enemies of the South favor, should bring forth, it seems to us, the opposition of every true Southern man.

We believe Mr. Bell's successor has already been appointed by the Legislature of Tennessee. Once we should have deeply deplored his departure from the councils of the nation, but now, alas, worse than "Superfluous lags the veteran on the stage!"

and the chances are fully forty to one that the opposition in Kentucky will dispense with the services of Mr. Crittenden as soon as his term expires.

Disgusted with Civilized Life.—A young man about 19 years of age, who knew no name but "Reuben," was a witness in the police court at Cincinnati against a man for assaulting him. Reuben was a comely looking white man, but had been among the Flathead Indians from his earliest recollection until about three years ago, since which time he has been in St. Louis. The Indians tattooed his legs and body after the most approved fashion. How he came among them he could not tell, but was probably captured with his parents, when an infant. Reuben is at present staying with some Chippewa women in Cincinnati, but expresses his disgust with civilized life, and his determination to return to the Flatheads as soon as he can collect sufficient money. He says he loves the wild, free life and habits of the Indians far better than the contracted ideas of civilized people in town and country. He has learned to speak English very well, and would make an excellent interpreter.

An Opinion.—President Woolsey, of Yale College, says it seems to be an ascertained fact that there is a tendency to produce boys rather than girls, both when the wife is young and when the husband is considerably older than the woman. He refers to a German physiologist in support of his assertion, and claims that polygamy, contrary to what has been asserted of the Mormons and other polygamists, gives birth to more boys than girls.

The Natural Result.—The anti-temperance people of Westminster, Worcester county, Mass., says the New York Sunday Times, have been committing disgraceful outrages in that town. They broke into the orthodox church, tied the bell-rope into knots, took the pulpit Bible, obscenely besmeared it, and laid it on the door-steps of the pastor's residence; broke into a paint shop, and poured out the varnish and oil upon the floor; went to the premises of a gentleman, and cut down twenty-seven beautiful trees; and they also girdled quite a number of large pear trees of another gentleman.

Such conduct is but a natural sequence to the decision of Chief Justice Shaw, of Massachusetts, affirming the right of mobs to destroy the property of liquor dealers whenever and wherever they choose. Times are coming to a melancholy pass in the Old Bay State. The tree of fanaticism is bearing its natural fruit.

The editor of the Clinton (N. Y.) Courier records a modern miracle. He states that five ladies, all residents of Clinton, on a certain day within the last fortnight, took passage in the stage from Clinton to Utica, and during the entire drive of an hour and a quarter, not one of them spoke to the other!

Talk on 'Change.

The talk yesterday was chiefly on the prospects for cotton. At an early hour the arrival at New York of the Africa was announced, with dates from Liverpool to the 15th inst. Though not quoting any decline in cotton, the accounts might as well. We have figures of 7¼d. for Middling Orleans, which, if correct, are lower than the quotations of the 12th. The sales for the week were 57,000 bales, but really we do not like the complexion of these accounts for shippers—the most of them may save themselves. The imports for the week were only 26,000 bales, and the stock on hand 484,000 bales, of which 400,000 were American. The stock on the 16th of May last year was 566,000, of which 370,000 bales were of American. The Havre cotton market was active. The most important intelligence brought by the Africa is, that there was a good demand for yarns and manufactured goods in Manchester. The financial intelligence is only so so. The bullion in the Bank of England had decreased for the week two millions and a quarter of dollars.

We have, however, some very astounding political intelligence, which we think will cause the Mississippi river to fall at least a foot to-day, and another foot or twelve inches next week; yea, the wires inform us that there is imminent danger of a conflict between Turkey and Montenegro, but does not say whether the old gobbler will fight. Now, this is "prodigious" news. For a wonder, the advices do not say a word about the fancy frigate Niagara and the telegraphic cable; and, the talk is that our naval vessels had better be employed in protecting our merchant marine and commerce, than being playing second fiddle to this humbug telegraph association, which, if ever successful, will be altogether for the advantage of Great Britain. Many of our officers will have exquisite "pleasure" of hob-nobbing with Queen Victoria's lackeys, and it is a great pity the mighty and valiant Paulding of Greytown and Wabash fame could not be sent over to England at this juncture. *Vive la bagatelle* and the Atlantic telegraph cable.

The arrivals of steamers yesterday were few. Summer inactivity is close at hand, though really we shall do more business this summer than ever before, unless we mistake the signs of the times.

The Northern mail failed yesterday, and, of course, to-day being the regular day of failure, we shall not receive what was due yesterday. The telegraph advices a contract has been made to convey the mail between New York and this city in four days and seventeen hours. This, it is presumed, alludes to the confirmation of the proposals tendered by the New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroad Company, (Jackson R. R.) So far so good.

The next steamer due from Liverpool will be the Indian, of the Canadian line, at Quebec about Monday next, with dates of the 19th inst.

Affray.—On Saturday last a local election was held in Quitman, Mississippi, in the course of which an affray occurred between two men named Stewart and Dempsey, respectively. The latter received a stab from a bowie-knife, from which it was thought he could not recover.

☞ **Notice to Voters.—It is highly important** that all voters, who have not already registered, should go and do so at an early day, as well as register any change in their residences, as the Registry closes three days before the election.

All quiet and peaceable citizens, of whatsoever complexion of politics, are also informed hereby, that they can safely go to, and return from, the polls on the day of the election, without incurring any risk of personal violence, or indignity, as ample means and precautions will be taken to secure them against the outrages which have been so common at the elections heretofore. By order of the

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE of the Independent Party.

my27 2pts

☞ **Notice—The American Club No. 2 meets** EVERY SATURDAY, at 7½ o'clock P. M., at No. 9 New Basin. All legal voters residing in the Ward who may desire to join the Club, are requested to have their names registered agreeably to the Constitution of the Club.

BY ORDER OF THE PRESIDENT.

s5 2pts

☞ **Third Ward American Club meets** every TUESDAY EVENING, over the Carrollton Railroad Depot, at 7½ o'clock. The punctual attendance of members is desired.

my17 2pts

☞ **American Club, Fourth Ward.—The regular** meetings of this Club will be held every THURSDAY EVENING, on St. Louis street, between Exchange Alley and Royal street, at 7½ o'clock. Punctual attendance is earnestly desired.

my17 2pts

☞ **Hall of the Fifth Ward American Club.** The members of this Club are requested to attend every SUNDAY, at 12 o'clock M., at the Globe Ball Room, at the corner of St. Peter and St. Charles streets.

By order of the President:

my6 1e VICTOR GERODIA, Secretary.

☞ **Sixth Ward American Club—The** American Club of the Sixth Ward, Second District, meets every FRIDAY EVENING, at 7½ o'clock, at the St. Philip Ball Room on St. Philip street. A general and punctual attendance of all the members is particularly requested.

By order of the President,

my6 1e E. B. BARBIN, Secretary.

☞ **Notice—The regular meeting of American** Club, Eighth Ward, Third District, will be held at the Club Room over the United States Hotel, on EVERY MONDAY, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

The members are requested to be punctual.

By order of the President:

s21 2pts O. B. JEMISON, Secretary.

☞ **Notice—Meetings of the Ninth Ward** American Club will be held at their Club Room, No. 16 Ferdinand street, (immediately opposite the terminus of Victory street,) every FRIDAY EVENING, at 7½ o'clock, and every SUNDAY, at 11 A. M., until June 7th, 1858. A general and punctual attendance is requested.

By order of the President:

my12 2pts T. BACHEMIN, Jr., Secretary.

☞ **The friends of H. M. Summers announce** him as a candidate for Recorder of the First District. my27 1e

☞ **R. W. James is a candidate for Recorder** of the First District. my20 2pt

☞ **Weed's Patent Sewing Machine is before** us. We have examined it and tried it on various kinds of work and for once confess ourselves astonished that so simple a piece of mechanism will sew. The complaint against Sewing Machines generally has been that they very easily get out of order, and become useless to the purchaser. But here is an exception, for there is, to all appearance, nothing to get out of repair. And we wonder again, so simple a thing will sew such a beautiful, straight, even and firm seam, that never can be ripped, either in beauty or strength, by any work done in the ordinary way. It sews well on the finest muslin or the coarsest and hardest cloth, doing every kind of work which families require, and is also adapted to shoe and saddle manufacturers' use, as we have seen some very elegant specimens of work done on leather, that was not only handsome but strong. We have never seen so complete a Sewing Machine before, or one we could so freely recommend to our readers, who need such a thing as this; and since Sewing Machines have become almost a necessity in every family where there is much sewing to be done, we advise all to purchase this in preference to any other.

These Machines are manufactured and sold by WHITNEY & LYON, No. 348 Broadway, New York.

[Wilmington (N. C.) Herald.

M. S. HEDRICK, 28 Camp street, my27 2plmAW Agent for New Orleans.

☞ **The public are hereby informed that** the bills for City, Consolidated and Railroad Tax, on Real Estate, Slaves, Capital, Income, and Personal Property of all kinds, according to the Assessment Rolls of 1857, are now in my possession. Tax-Payers are respectfully invited to come forward and pay them.

my1 2plm ADAM GIFFEN, Treasurer

☞ **Read the advertisement in another column,** headed "Helmbold's Genuine Preparation."

For sale, wholesale and retail, by J. WRIGHT & CO., Nos. 21 and 131 Chartres street. my24 2p6tsod

☞ **Doctor James—Dr. James, 82 Custom-**house street, New Orleans, La.—All ye unfortunates, read Dr. James' advertisement, to be found in another part of this paper headed "Medical House, 82 Customhouse street, New Orleans, La." Ten a parte apartments for patients. Consultations private and confidential. Office hours from 8 A. M. till 8 P. M. my15 2p12t

☞ **Hoofland's German Bitters will cure** Liver Complaint, Nervous Debility, Dyspepsia, etc., etc. Read what is said of them. G. W. BOWEN says:

Anderson, Ind., Jan. 16, 1857.

Your Bitters give general satisfaction. I know their virtues, and have the first case yet to hear of where they do not give entire satisfaction. I could get you numerous certificates were it necessary, but in this community their virtue is fare fully established. I am positive I sell more of them than is sold of any three patent medicines in this county. In my own case I have received more benefit from them in six months than I have received from the regular physicians in five years. I can therefore conscientiously recommend them, and do say, I would not be without them in my family for any amount.

Principal office, 418 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by druggists or storekeepers in every town and village in the United States, Canadas, West Indies and South America, at 75 cents per bottle.

Sold in New Orleans, wholesale and retail, by J. WRIGHT & CO., Nos. 21 and 131 Chartres street. my1 2plmAW

☞ **Chills and Fever!—Chills and Fever!!—** One of the greatest remedies that has ever been laid before the pub lic for Fever and Ague, and which has received the highest encomiums from the press and the people is Dr. J. Hostetter's celebrated Stomach Bitters. Who would endure the tortures arising from this terrible disease, when it can be so easily cured? Who would endure sleepless nights, burning fevers and icy chills alternately, when a remedy can be obtained for a mere trifle? And yet how many families linger out a painful existence under this deadly blight, and do nothing but gulp down quinine, until it becomes as common as their daily meals, and yet they are not relieved. None but the foolish and weak would hesitate to procure these valuable Bitters, and save themselves intense agony. For sale by druggists and dealers generally, everywhere. my24 2p6tAlW

Auction Sales This Day.

By Placide J. Spear, at 10 o'clock, at No. 62 Chartres street, seasonable dry goods, etc.

By J. A. Beard & Co., at 6½ o'clock, at No. 79 St. Charles street, valuable law and miscellaneous English and French library.

By R. Armfield, at early gas-light, at No. 83 St. Charles street, books, stationery, etc.

See advertisements under proper heads.

☞ **To the Public—The undersigned most** respectfully submits his name to the voters of the city of New Orleans as a candidate for the office of Mayor—election to come off on the 7th day of June next.

j25 2pts BENJ. S. HARRISSON.

A Card.

To the Editors of the Daily Crescent:

Gent'emen—In looking over your paper this morning, I find my name announced as a candidate for Recorder of the First District. I fully appreciate the kindness of my friends, but at the same time I must respectfully decline running. I will say in connection with this, that it is a well known fact I am a warm advocate of the true principles of the American party. That party have held their Ward meetings, elected their delegates, nominated their candidates for the various offices, and I will support them.

I think I understand the independent move. It is to get the control of the city out of the hands of the Americans, and place it in the tender arms of the old Democratic wire-workers. The whole business looks a little John Siddellish. I have nothing to say against the nominees of the Independents. As a body they are high-minded and honorable citizens, but slightly mixed with old fogyism.

There is one man they have named that is a regular political weathercock—a diligent office-seeker—ready to receive the nomination of all parties, or any party, or ready to run independent and on his own hook. He wants office, regardless of principle or consistency. This gentleman has once been honored by the American party—elevated to an office he had not the nerve to fill with credit to himself or the party which put him in power. He, I would say, occupies a beautiful position before the community. Respectfully,

H. M. SUMMERS.

New Orleans, May 27, 1858. my28 2pit

Americans, Attend!

NO MORE BRITISH INSOLENCE.

All who are willing to uphold the honor of their country, and take into consideration the propriety of sending an armed vessel to be OVERHAULED AND SEARCHED by the "Styx" and "Buzzard," are invited to meet at the ARCADE, on SATURDAY EVENING, the 29th inst., at 7½ o'clock. my28 2p2t

Linens! Linens!!

We have now in store a complete assortment of

IRISH LINENS,

From the best manufacturers, which we will sell at $4 50 per piece up. Also,

LINEN SHEETINGS,

TOWELINGS,

TABLE DAMASKS,

which we will sell equally low.

P. & E. REILLY & CO.,

my28 2p3t 126 Canal street.

"First and only Chance."

FIRST CLASS

PIANO FORTES,

—And—

OTHER INSTRUMENTS, AT COST PRICE!

During the remainder of this month,

Owing to the LARGE NUMBER OF PIANOS ON HAND, and the LATENESS OF THE SEASON,

These Pianos are of the very best make in this country, being equal to any of the oldest houses, if not superior. Some of the Pianos we keep are from factories whose reputation is high above all others, which the testimonials of Thalberg, Strakosch, Gottschalk and others amply show.

All that we ask now is a trial, and we pledge ourselves we will furnish an instrument superior in quality, at prices lower than they have ever been offered here.

PH. P. WERLEIN & CO.,

my27 2p6t No. 5 Camp street.

Extraordinary Inducements

Will, from this date, be given to purchasers

—OF—

DRY GOODS

—AT—

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BENTHUYSEN, LEWIS & CO.

Intend to take account of stock on the 1st of July next, after which date

EXTENSIVE ALTERATIONS

and improvements will be made in their store, and during this process the NOISE AND CONFUSION made by the workmen will so much interfere with their business that they are extremely desirous of

Running off their Stock

to as small an amount as possible. They can therefore assure the public that they feel it to be their interest to

SELL CHEAP,

and are willing to do it, satisfied that they will MAKE MORE MONEY by now turning their stock into cash than by retaining Summer Goods during the dull months, exposed to all the dust and damage attendant on

SUCH ALTERATIONS AS WE INTEND.

They give here a limited list of a few of the articles they are now offering at

Such Reduced Prices!

SWISS BANDS, 10 cents per yard.
DOTTED SWISS MUSLINS, 10 yard pieces, $2.
EMBROIDERED SWISS ROBES, $3 50.
EMBROIDERED SWISS ROBES, real French, with 3 flounces, $13—worth $25.
FRENCH CORSETS, lacing front and back, $1 50.
SUMMER CORSETS, $1.
HANDSOME BLACK MANTILLAS, $3 and $4.
GOOD PARASOLS, $1 25 and $1 50.

Silks at a Large Loss!

ROBES formerly $65, at $50.
.. .. $50, at $30.
.. .. $35, at $20.
.. .. $25, at $15.
SILKS .. $1 per yard, at 62½c.
.. .. 75 and 87½c., at 50c.

—With a large lot of—

Muslins,

Unexampled in styles and cheapness.

ORGANDY ROBES,

BAREGE ROBES, with

ORGANDIES and JACONETS,

by the yard EXTREMELY LOW.

—Also—

MOURNING DRESS GOODS

In nearly every variety.

LINEN GOODS,

HOSIERY,

WHITE GOODS, and

DOMESTIC GOODS.

All Very Cheap!!

In this stock will be found a fine article of

YARD WIDE BLEACHED, at 10 cents.
¾ .. .. at 7 cents.

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