AUCTION SALES.

JAMES NELLIGAN'S SALE OF FINE HORSES, BY JAMES NELLIGAN, Auctioneer.

TUESDAY, the 12th inst., at half-past 11 o'clock A. M., at D. Bohmann's Stables, on Gravier street, between Baronne and Philippa, without reserve or limit, will be sold—
One lot of fine A No. 1 Saddle and Harness Horses.
One fine iron gray Mare, 6 and 16 years old.
A lot of fine New Rockaway Buggies.
Persons having Stock to dispose of, will please call at the Stables early enough to take and make entry of the same.
☞TERMS—Cash. fe11

COTTON.....COTTON.....COTTON.
BY L. A. LEVY JR. & CO., L. A. Levy, Jr., Auctioneer, Office—39 Natchez street.

TUESDAY, the 12th inst., at 4 1-2 o'clock P. M., on the shipping and other Cotton Presses, for account of whom it may concern, will be sold—
30 bales Cotton.
☞TERMS—Cash. fe11

CARDIT SALE.
Lace Dispatches, Cottonades, Linsdeys, Merinoes, Barege Dresses, Muslins, Drap d'Ete, etc., etc.
BY E. ROGER & CO., Auction Rooms, Nos. 45 and 47 Old Levee street, between Customhouse and Bienville streets.

TUESDAY, the 12th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M., their salesrooms, Nos. 45 and 47 Old Levee street, will be sold—
20 bales Organdies—Dollus, Mug & Co.
6 .. French Cottonades.
5 cases Linsdeys.
20 pieces Drap d'Ete and Merino Venetian Long Fountain, English Barege, Barege Dresses, Volants, Hecks and Plain Muslins, French Shirts, etc.
—Also—
American Prints, Ginghams, Drills, Linens, Shawls, Hosiery, Alpaca Cassain Collars, Linen Cambric Hdfs., etc.
☞TERMS—Cash. fe11

CREDIT SALE, WITHOUT RESERVE, TO CLOSE CONSIGNMENT—Organdies, Jaconets, Muslins, etc., etc., of Gray, Offer & Romain.
BY E. ROGER & CO., Auction Rooms, Nos. 45 and 47 Old Levee street, between Customhouse and Bienville streets.

TUESDAY, the 12th instant, at 10 o'clock A. M., at their auction rooms, Nos. 45 and 47 Old Levee street, will be sold—
No. 1—42 pieces 16-7 7-10 inches Mourning Organdies and Jaconets.
No. 2—112 pieces 5622 inches Organdy, new styles.
No. 3—96 .. 3129 .. Camaline.
No. 4—18 .. 538 Sinnetes.
No. 5—29 .. 1276 50 .. Jaconets, new styles.
No. 6—34 .. 1503 40 .. Organdies, Sultrene.
No. 7—31 .. 1149 80 .. .. Sultrenes.
No. 8—15 .. 722 36 .. .. Camaline, rich.
No. 9—24 .. 1080 90 .. Jaconets, new styles.
No. 10—1 case Brilliantines, Jaconets and Percales, Enlisted sizes.
No. 11—1 case Organdy Dresses, 7 and 9 Volants.
☞TERMS—Cash. Bills approved. fe9

A FIRST-RATE OPPORTUNITY TO PURCHASE A nice and beautiful building site, situated on Prytania street, Fourth District.
BY JULIAN NEVILLE, Auctioneer, Office 11 Commercial Place.

SATURDAY, Feb. 16, 1861, at 12 o'clock M., at the St. Charles Exchange, will be sold—
A CERTAIN PORTION OF GROUND, situated in the Fourth District of this city, bounded by Prytania, Nelson, Pleasant and Collesum streets, measuring 120 feet on Prytania street, by a depth and front of 215 feet more or less on Pleasant street, forming the corner of Prytania and Pleasant streets as per plan in the Auctioneer's office.
This property is high ground, and is planted with fine shade trees and fruit trees, and being in one of the fine neighborhoods of the Garden District, and convenient to the City Railroad, it offers a rare opportunity to purchase a desirable building site.
☞TERMS—One third cash, and the balance in one and two years, for notes to be given for the purchase money, and bearing interest from date until maturity, and right per total. Open raid.
L. Cuffe before James Graham, Notary Public, at the close of the purchase. fe7

BOOKS, STATIONERY, etc.
BY ANSEL EDWARDS, Removed to 108 Poydras street.
NT PRIVATE SALE, at a sacrifice, wholesale and retail—
Periodical and Miscellaneous Books, Writing Papers, Blank Books, Stationery, etc., of every description, to close the stock.

C. H. HATCHER, No. 153 GRAVIER ST., New Orleans, La. J. M. CUERTON, Superintendent of Slave Depot.
Notice to Merchants, Planters, Traders and Slave Owners—Having made extensive alterations and accommodations on old stand, I am now prepared to receive and safely keep slaves, those brought daily by steamer, and will also accommodate the owners with good board and comfortable lodgings on reasonable terms.
I also have the pleasure to new the world to call and see for themselves before looking elsewhere, as the inducements will be more unequaled.
A good stock of Negroes for sale will be kept constantly on hand, consisting of Field Hands, Mechanics, House Servants, Washerwomen, Nurses, Hostlers, Cooks, etc.
☞Those who wish to make an property placed in my hands for sale.
Slave, and Texas, Mississippi and Louisiana lands bought and sold.
C. F. HATCHER.

NOTICE—AFTER SLAVES HAVE BEEN PLACED in either Yards or Depots, I will not receive them at No. 153 Gravier street.
C. F. HATCHER.

EZZERAC BRANDIES—WE HAVE A GOOD supply on hand and are receiving by direct importation from France, addition to our stock of this celebrated and highly flavored brandy, 1858, 1859 and 1860, in pipes, hogsheads and quarter pipes, 1848 do. do., 1836 in bottles, quarter and eighth pipes. We invite the attention of the trade and consumers generally, as this article is fast growing into general use. For sale on New York terms and prices by
WM. E. LEVERICH & CO., 34 Old Levee st., fe8 1y Sole agents in this city.

HENRY GOLDMANN, DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY, Nos. 81 and 83 Canal street.
Having sold the Store at the corner of Poydras and Baronne streets, I shall give my whole time to my store situated at Nos. 81 and 83 Canal street. Thankful for the liberal patronage so liberally bestowed on me, the confidence placed in me. I solicit a continuance of the same.
I shall always keep on hand the greatest variety of specialities of Medicinal, Chemical and other Fashionable Articles.
All prepositions guaranteed to be of the best—I will undersell any other.
Orders from the country will be filled at the lowest rates, for cash or city acceptances.
HENRY GOLDMANN. fe11 1y

PEOPLES' LINE.....PEOPLES' LINE.
NOTICE.
We have considered the BLUE OFFICE on the Levee, foot of Canal street, where a CLERK will always be found in attendance to receive freight and give the Bills of Lading for Packets GOLDEN AGE and R. W. POWELL.
This facility affords our clients the opportunity of shipping DAILY to Fort Adams all merchandise points within incurring the EXPENSE of storage and extraderinage.
R. W. ADAMS & CO., Agents. fe 11

REA'S ROTARY PRESS, STEAM PRINTING ESTABLISHMENT, 48 Magazine street, New Orleans.
REA BROS., PROPRIETORS.
We have in use the latest and most improved machinery, and an office well stocked with every new style of type.
Having during the past summer added a Ruling Machine, we solicit the orders of our patrons in that line. fe23 1w&W

C. M. BUTTERFORD, COMMISSIONER, Agent for the Purchase and Sale of Slaves. Office and Yard, No. 68 Baronne street, New Orleans, La. fe1 1y

RHODES & CROWELL, Successors to J. E. MATTHEWS & CO., CARRIAGE TRIMMINGS, and everything necessary for Building and Repairing Carriages, Trimmers' Materials, Patent Leather, Cane Carts and Drays, with Linen Sies and Nets, at No. 56 Gravier street, New Orleans. fe11 1y

VARIETIES STABLES, Removed to 95, 98 and 100 Philippa st., foot of Union street, FORMERLY KNOWN AS ECLIPSE STABLE.
The undersigned would respectfully call the attention of his friends and all admirers of fine Horses to the select stock of Single, Matched, Trotting and Pacing Horses, just received, having been purchased expressly for the market in the Western States and Canadas, and will be sold at fair prices.
J. M. FRENCH. ed5 6m

NOTICE.....NOTICE.
FASHION STABLES.
The undersigned has the NEW STABLES, No. 109 Gravier street, now open, with a Hearse and Hackney Coach for Funerals. Also kept on livery, at usual rates, fine bought and sold on commission.
W. N. ROGERS.

LEEKS' FOUNDRY, NEW ORLEANS
LEEDS & CO., IRON FOUNDERS, and Manufacturers of Portland and Rockport Stone Breakers, Sugar Mills, Vacuum Pans, Sugar Kettles, Cheesepress, Filters, Steam and Horse Power Threshing Machines, Fan Mills, Gin Gearing, Iron Columns and Fronts for Buildings, Warranted months, Grate Bars, and every description of Iron Work. fe8 1y

AMUSEMENTS.

VARIETIES THEATER, GRAVIER STREET.
Mr. JOHN S. OWENS.....Sole Lessee and Manager.
Mr. CHARLES BASS.....Stage Director.
Mr. GEO. T. COLLINS.....Acting Manager.
BENEFIT OF MR. A. H. DAVENPORT.
MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 11, 1861.
On this occasion will be acted the comedy entitled LEAP YEAR—Sir Solomon Scope, Mr. Mark Smith; Capt. Mousser, Mr. Lullingwell; Mr. Dimple, Mr. John E. Owens; Walter, Mr. A. H. Davenport; Miss Flowers by Miss A. Graham; Mrs. O'Leary, Mrs. W. H. Leighton; Miss Desponia, Mrs. Chapman. After which, THE MORNING CALL—Sir Edward Acton, Mr. Geo. Jordan; Mrs. Chillingham, Miss C. Thompson; Charlotte, BANKS, by Mrs. Phillips. To conclude with the BENGAL TIGER—Sir Paul Pagoda, Mr. Charles Bass.
PRICES OF ADMISSION.—Private Boxes, (according to location) from $4 00 to $8 00; Parquette and Dress Circles, 75 Seats Reserved during the day, $1; Gentlemen Gallery, 50 cents; Ladies, 50 cents; Colored Gallery, 25 cents; White Gallery, 25c.
☞Box-Office open daily, from 10 o'clock A. M. to 4 o'clock P. M., when Seats and Boxes may be secured two days in advance of the day of performance.
☞Doors open at half-past 6 o'clock; performance to commence at 7 o'clock.
W. B. CHIPPENDALE, Treasurer.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC — ACADEMY OF MUSIC, —Formerly— Spalding & Rogers' Amphitheater.
Sixth Night of the Original George Christy Minstrels.
A splendid programme TONIGHT, replete with all the burlesques of ETHIOPIAN MINSTRELSY—New Songs, New Burlesques, New Songs, Dances, Duetts, etc., by the STAR TROUPE OF THE WORLD.
The Academy of Music is fully crowded with large, brilliant and appreciative audiences to witness the chief performances of the great comedians, GEORGE CHRISTY, and his talented associates.
The entertainments this evening will conclude with George Christy's inimitable and original sex travesties entitled the HOOPS OF AFRICA—Dandy Delaney, (a nose drummer, from the country,) George Christy.
☞Admission—50 cents; Children and Servants Half Price, to the Noon Day Entertainment only.
☞Doors open at 6½; Performance to commence at 7½.
JOHN F. SMITH, Agent for Christy's Minstrels.

The MUSEUM is open, with the TWO-HEADED GIRL, the Greatest Living Curiosity in Existence, the grand AQUARIA, etc. Admission, 50 cents. fe9

ST. CHARLES THEATER—ST. CHARLES ST.
Mr. BEN DEBAR.....Lessee.
Mr. H. CORRI.....Acting Manager.
Increased Success of Mr. E. EDDY, the Eminent Tragedian.
MONDAY EVENING, February 11, 1861.
The celebrated drama of THE RAG PICKER OF PARIS—Mr. E. Eddy as Jean; Mrs. Perdis as Marie Didier.....After which, the farce of THE LITTLE SAVAGE—Kate Sobinski, Miss Ione; Horry, with his own song, "Johnny was a Shoemaker."
Benefit Friday, Mr. Charles Gaul—The Annual Fancy Dress Ball and Mask Ball. Application for Ladies' invitations to be made to any of the Committee, or per programmes, or at the Box Office.
PRICES OF ADMISSION—Dress Circle and Parquette, 75 cents; Second Circle, 50 cents; Gallery, 25 cents; Quadroon Boxes, each 75 cents; Private Boxes, $5 to $8.
☞Doors open at 6½; Curtain performance to begin at 7 o'clock.
P. GLEASON, Treasurer.

VARIETIES THEATER—GRAVIER STREET.
A CARD.
Mr. A. H. DAVENPORT respectfully announces that his ONLY BENEFIT this season, will take place on MONDAY EVENING, Feb. 11, when will be presented the amusing comedy, entitled
"Leap Year,"
In which Mr. Owens, Mr. Mark Smith, Mr. Davenport, Mrs. Leighton, Miss Graham and Mrs. Chapman will sustain the principal characters.....The performances to commence with the charming comedietta, entitled
THE MORNING CALL.
In which Mrs. Charlotte Thompson and Mr. George Jordan will appear.....To conclude with a popular FARCE.
☞Tickets can now be secured. fe1 16

NEW OPERA HOUSE—CORNER OF BOURBON and Toulouse streets.
☞In consequence of the great success which has attended Miss ADELINA PATTI's engagement, we have the pleasure to announce that this young and talented artiste has engaged this unrivaled Academy for a few nights longer.
MONDAY EVENING, February 11, 1861.
LUCIA DI LAMMERMOOR—Grand Opera, by Donizetti—Miss A. Patti as Lucia.
PRICES OF ADMISSION—Dress Circle, Parquette, Boxes, Parquette, Second Balcony, $1 50; Pit, Boxes and 1st, 75; Third Gallery, 50 cents.
☞Doors open at 6.
☞To commence at 7.
☞No one admitted after rise of curtain. fe11

A LIVING MIRACLE!—A LIVING MIRACLE!
TOM,
THE BLIND NEGRO BOY PIANIST
The Wonder of the World—The Marvel of the Age—The Greatest Living Musician—Only Ten Years Old, and Master of the Piano—Playing Two Pieces of Music and Conversing at the same time.
With his Back to the Instrument.
Reproduces the MOST DIFFICULT MUSIC after once hearing it!
He will also play the Seconds, or Bass, to any piece of Music that may be played with him by any one from the audience, which is a matter of astonishment to all! Can change keys and play the Piano. His own compositions have been pronounced from all the best judges, to be of a character that the most celebrated composers of the day, having studied in Europe, only surpassed by the best masters.
☞This wonderful Negro Child—that is now attracting so much attention throughout the country, having played in Europe for over five weeks, performing in upwards of Five Thousand People during the last three days he was there, whose fame at the Palace of Versailles, where he performed before the Emperor, Empress and Court, has been heard from both, has never had or its merit's instruction, does not know that fear is unknown, or the meaning of any thing approaching to it, yet he does not know what difficulty means, but plays, without ever stumbling a bar note, not only brilliantly and beautifully, but with all the taste, expression and feeling of the most distinguished artiste.
At request of his entertainments he will give Delightful Imitations of the Drum and Fife, Bells of Sleigh, Guitar, etc., etc., and also play the Piano with Fingers, Elbows, Knees, Forehead, Tongue, Screwdriver, Jaw Bone, Fingers, Handkerchief, etc., Medley, Walkes, Polka, Fantasia, Quadrille, Variations on Celebrated Airs, etc., and will sing several pieces.
Concerts at Armory Hall,
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS.
☞Doors open at 7½ o'clock. Concert commencing at 7½.
☞A MATINEE on SATURDAY, at 12 o'clock.
☞Admission 50 cents; Children, 25 cents. fe5 d3*

SPALDING & ROGERS' MUSEUM, 151 CHARTRES STREET, (Adjoining the ACADEMY OF MUSIC)
EXTRAORDINARY ATTRACTION!—MONDAY, Jan. 7, 1861—Introduction of the most astonishing, wonderful and unique production of the age, the
CHRISTINE MILLY, the TWO-HEADED GIRL!
Since the fortnight's visit of the Two-Headed Girl, she has undergone a complete change of the exhibition of a DUALITY, for its novelty, such is the Wonder of the Nineteenth Century have the attractive powers of this child of Nature, the only one ever so—matched girls and interesting person, who is Sociably and Organically ONE, at the same time possessing the natural attributes of TWO Individuals, Distinct in Character, Voice, Speech, Person, with the intellectual capacities, and of the Heart, Soul, of TWO.
Let Rivals from Boston be deterred from visiting this Greatest of National Phenomena from the fear of wholesale somersaults or pulling, as it positively cannot that she is one of the Twins Siamese and Physical Skill and Dexterity, and unknowingly displeasing the Ladies.
To be seen this week only, in connection with the GRAND AQUARIA, and all other Wonders of the Museum.
☞Open Day and Night, Gent 9 A. M. to 10 P. M.
☞Admission, 50 cents; Children and Servants, 25 cents.

In the Academy of Music,
DAN RICE'S GREAT SHOW will appear Every Night, Every Saturday Noon, and Every Holiday Noon. Jn9

NEW OPERA HOUSE—BOURBON STREET—The Two Last Nights of MISS PATTI'S Engagement in New Orleans.
It is publicly announced that Miss ADELINA PATTI will return in a few days, from a short concert tour in Mobile, Montgomery, Natchez, Vicksburg and Jackson, and will appear, for the last time, in Vincenzo Bellini's Opera,
"Rigoletto."
On WEDNESDAY EVENING, Feb. 6, 1861,
MISS PATTI's Benefit and Last Appearance will take place on Friday, February 8th.
☞Boxes and Seats for Miss Patti's last appearances, may be secured at the Box Office of the Opera House, commencing on Saturday, Feb. 2. jan28 tf

TREASURER'S OFFICE, City of Jefferson, Jan. 1, 1861.
NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.—NOTICE IS hereby given to all persons residents or non-residents, indebted to the City of Jefferson for taxes of the year 1860, who have not yet paid the same, that they will be expected to do so on or before the first day of January, 1861, to the Tax Collector in Office, 1861.
Notice is further given, that I will be at my office, corner Berlin and Macarine streets, from 10 o'clock A. M. to 3 o'clock P. M., to receive said taxes; and if the same is not paid within the above mentioned time, they will be sued and advertised.
FELIX LAGROUE, Treasurer.

BUREAU DU TRESORIER, VILLE DE JEFFERSON, 1er Jan. 1861.
AVIS AUX CONTRIBUABLES.—PAR LE présent avis, toutes personnes, résidents ou non résidents de la ville de Jefferson, qui sont redeva de taxes pour l'année 1860 et les années précédentes, sont notifiés que les dites taxes sont dues à dater du 1er janvier 1861, et que je serai à mon bureau, dans la Chartre de la Cité, à quelques heures que ce soit, de Magnolia, ville de Jefferson, de 9 heures A. M. à 3 heures P. M., pour recevoir les dites taxes.
Toutes personnes devant des taxes à la dite ville sont par le présent sommées d'avoir à satisfaire à mon bureau dans un laps de temps de trois jours après cette date.
FELIX LAGROUE, Trésorier.

THE IVORY PHOTOGRAPH—JACOB'S ART GALLERY, NO. 95 CAMP STREET.
Special attention is called to the greatest of all improvements of the Photographic Art. We are now prepared to make these pictures which for good hardness and cleanness of coloring, cannot be equalled; also, combines the beauty and softness of an Ivory Miniature. Call and judge for yourselves.
Special attention is also called to our other branches of art, such as Daguerreotypes, in any kind of pictures from decent portrait, copying one of an enlarged size life size, and tinted in oil, pastel or water colors in modern and the style.
☞MR. JACOBS confidents to guarantee the present excellence of all work entrusted to our care. nl 6d

UNEXPIRED.....BURNING.....DYEING
J. BONTEMPS, DYER AND SCOURER, No. 59 Bourbon street,
Has the honor to inform the public that he has just assumed the business of the Dyeing Establishment, No. 73 Royal street, and that he will continue it in future, with the careful attention for which it has been celebrated.
The manner in which, for the last twelve years, he has satisfied the numerous customers of the establishment on Bourbon street, is a guarantee for those who may favor him with their patronage.

New Orleans Daily Crescent.

THE YOUNG LOUISIANIANS ABROAD.

The following resolutions, adopted by the young Louisianians, students at the North Carolina University, have been sent us, with a request that they be published in the Crescent, and we cheerfully comply:

At a meeting of the students from Louisiana at the University of North Carolina, A. G. Thomson was called to the chair and T. B. Davidson appointed Secretary. The committee appointed to draw up resolutions, Messrs. F. Garrett, J. G. Ross and S. H. Taylor, introduced the following, which were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, fanatics at the North, after years of toilsome and untiring labor to wrest from the South her most cherished liberties, have at last gained an influence and power which if not promptly resisted must soon subvert her rights as *free*, and reduce her to the mean condition of a dependency upon the North.

Louisiana, feeling this, has found the necessity of resuming again her sovereign powers, and dares to *act* in an independent sovereign capacity and protect the rights of her citizens, feeling conscious in the justice of her cause. The Power that shapes events and guides the destinies of nations will not forsake her in the hour of trouble, but guide her safely through the storms of political agitation.

Resolved, That we, students from Louisiana at the University of North Carolina, heartily approve and admire the prompt and decided action of his Excellency Gov. Moore in seizing and occupying with State troops the forts and other Federal property within the limits of our State, which, being intended for our protection, might, by delay or a wavering policy on the part of the Government, have become strongholds for our enemies to wage a bloody warfare upon those they were designed to protect.

Resolved, That being deeply impressed with sentiments of patriotism for the honor of our beloved State, we are ready to forsake the peaceful duties of a college life and take up the sword in defense of that sacred liberty we have been taught to cherish from our earliest childhood, and in defense of that institution, at once our pride and the source of all our wealth and prosperity.

Resolved, That we tender our services to the State through His Excellency Gov. Moore, who, when she needs them, may inform us by telegraph, in order that we may set out immediately for the scene of action.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Governor of Louisiana, and copies also sent to the New Orleans Daily Delta and Crescent, with the request for publication.

A. G. THOMSON, President and Chairman.
T. B. DAVIDSON, Secretary.

A list of the names and places of residence of the Louisiana students at the University:

Wm. C. Michie, Morehouse.	A. G. Moore, St. Landry.
S. H. Taylor, Avoyelles.	A. Lafargue, St. Landry.
A. G. Thomson, Franklin.	Alex. Dupre, St. Landry.
J. G. Ross, Bienville.	H. H. Parker, New Orleans.
T. B. Davidson, Bienville.	H. H. Bacon, Ex. Orleans.
J. Garrett, Opelousas.	H. A. Kennedy, Claiborne.
Oliver Dupre, St. Martin.	W. L. Quarles, Claiborne.
Alcee Dupre, St. Landry.	

University of North Carolina, Jan. 24, 1861.

The Secession of Louisiana.

After the secession of Louisiana we awaited the due arrival of Northern mails with some impatience, that we might note in the papers the tone of Northern sentiment reflected by them. The effect of that act of secession and the unanimity of its character was overwhelming, as might be imagined. The shrewdest men of the North had believed, or affected to believe, even after the election returns indicated the complexion of the Convention, that Louisiana would never join the other cotton States on the straight-out secession platform, cherishing the idea that she would devise some middle ground for her position that would leave her at liberty to move in any direction. The fair and square decision with which she met the issue and took her immovable stand, struck the North with dismay; and it may be truly said that the action of Louisiana has, more than that of all the other seceding States, instructed the North as to the power and general character of the revolutionary feeling South. The North realizes in this act the full fact of secession, of the disruption of the Union. It it did not believe, at least could not comprehend the full reality before.

We of the previously seceded States do not give Louisiana the full meed of appreciation which is her due for so earnestly and unitedly casting her lot with ours, and by her adhesion adding incalculable force and dignity to our position. We looked that she should go with us as a matter of course, and she did; but in doing so she had to make sacrifices, and face consequences, which in extent and character are common to no other one of the seceding States. The North understood these elements of influence on popular sentiment, and its belief that Louisiana would not go with us was as convincingly expounded by their logic, as it is completely overthrown by the "logic of facts."

Let us briefly reflect upon what Louisiana risked and dared, and then we will be inclined to award her the honor and praise due. In allying her fortunes to those of a Southern Confederacy, the policy of which is free trade or a greatly modified tariff system, Louisiana foresaw the probable sacrifice of her staple interest of sugar cane culture and industry—sugar particularly protected and encouraged by the tariff of the late Union. Her sugar planters reeked not of this, but patriotically put in their straight secession cooperation tickets, ignoring the consideration of millions of dollars ensured them by the late regime. This was nobly done by the Pelican State.

American feeling in Louisiana.

That is what was directly sacrificed, and what was risked was more. The interests of New Orleans, the commercial metropolis-alike of Louisiana and the South, are inseparably connected with those of the West and Northwest. By this connection her commerce thrives, her wealth increases, population grows. Separation from those principal commercial ties of the Union, involved such interests, and yet New Orleans returned an overwhelming majority of straight-out secessionists—five to one. The citizens of New Orleans constituting about a third of the population of the State, felt all the ties of commercial relations and social intercourse with the citizens of the West and Northwest, and yet they went for cooperation with their brethren of the South by five to one. They risked the prosperity of their vast foreign commerce and all dependent interests of their great emporium, and yet they went with us of Alabama and other Southern States by five to one.

The North had never dreamed of this, and no wonder that it was astounded by the proud position of Southern patriotism which Louisiana so unhesitatingly and defiantly assumed. They are unable to figure out how it could have been, and can only set it down as the great clinching fact which finally convinces them that the South claims and will have its rights at any cost—that all selfish considerations of interest are ignored in the *impulse* of this revolutionary movement. The secession of Louisiana is a climax.

Then honor to Louisiana as the bright particular star in the stellar galaxy of the Southern Union!

Mobile Advertiser.

THE RABBY SUIT FOR $100,000 DAMAGES.—Mr. Barey publishes a card relative to the modest claim of $100,000 damages by Dr. Denton Offutt, for an alleged breach of contract in exposing the system. He thinks that the first man who ever bridled a horse might as reasonably claim damages for an infringement of his system of horse-taming, and claims that he has obtained his system only by a life-time of assiduous labor and study, and at the expense of sundry broken limbs. He considers the claim as an attempt to levy black mail, an operation which, he says, has been repeatedly tried upon him in Europe.

DISAPPEARANCE OF THE TRUFFLE IN FRANCE.—The truffle is said to be disappearing in France. This curious production has neither stem, fibre, nor root; and no researches have succeeded in discovering the germs from which they are developed. The truffle will not grow in land that has been manured; it loves a wild, uncultivated soil, enriched only with the rotting leaves of the forest, and demands both moisture and sun for its development. The truffle can only be cultivated indirectly by planting groves of the peculiar species of oak, among whose roots it is found.

COAL OIL—*Another Lamp Improvement.*—Mr. H. C. Gucert, dealer in lamps, coal oil, etc., at No. 6 Chartres street, has just received from a month and trip for the purpose of adding to his already extensive stock, by fresh supplies, and has received an ample quantity of the purest coal oils manufactured. There who have used the ordinary glass lamp have been much annoyed by the frequent breaking of the chimneys, but this defect has recently been remedied by a patent chimney made of mica, a substance possessing the transparent and durable qualities of isinglass, the top and bottom being secured with brass so as almost to preclude the possibility of breakage. Mr. Gucert has on hand a supply of these chimneys.

It will be seen by his advertisement that a specific article of coal oil, adulterated with camphene or other explosive liquids, has recently been sold in this city. Every one who has tested coal oil knows it to be not explosive and perfectly safe under any circumstances, but if mixed with camphene it must not proved dull inflammable substance from explosion, and, therefore, a compound of that nature would be highly dangerous as an illuminator. It is better to be on the safe side, and Mr. Gucert's high character as a merchant guarantees that he will sell nothing but pure coal oil.

MESSRS. J. WRIGHT & CO., Nos. 21 and 151 Chartres street, advertise several remedies for the diseases incident to human nature—an infallible Balmach for the cure of nervous headache and rheumatism, and a remedy for diseases of the eye, newly discovered the attention of those afflicted, see advertisement.

DOLBEAR COMMERCIAL COLLEGE.—All Southern, see should visit this institution, which has done so much to prosper as people in favor of Southern interests.

TELEGRAPHED TO THE NEW ORLEANS CRESCENT.

DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE.

[BY THE SOUTHWESTERN LINE.]

Congressional Proceedings.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The President has approved of the bill providing for a loan of twenty-five millions.

In the House Mr. Butler's resolution was adopted, asking the President for the correspondence between the United States Government and Peru, since 1853, regarding the free navigation of the Amazon and its tributaries.

Mr. Cochrane, of New York, will call up on Monday, in the House, to press its passage, the bill heretofore introduced providing for a thorough examination of the federal revenue laws.

In the House Mr. John Cochrane offered a resolution of inquiry of the Secretary of the Treasury, for information received by the Department relative to the seizure of New York vessels at Savannah.

Mr. Prior, of Va., suggested that the resolution of inquiry should also include any property belonging to Georgia arrested or seized by New York State or the authorities of New York city.

Mr. Cochrane accepted Mr. Pryor's amendment.

Mr. Holman, of Indiana, objected to its being considered.

Mr. Cochrane said he would offer it again on Monday.

Mr. Hindman, of Arkansas, asked for a select committee of two to investigate whether any executive department officers have been guilty of improper interference in elections pending in any State.

Objection was made from the Black Republican side of the House.

Mr. Corwin, of Ohio, moved to postpone the vote on the report of the Committee of Thirty-three till Thursday.

The Senate is considering the Indian appropriation bill.

The Committee of Conference on the Deficiency bill reported their inability to agree and were discharged.

The Naval appropriation bill was taken up and passed.

The Election in Tennessee.

NASHVILLE, Feb. 9.—As far as heard from all the Union candidates are elected by overwhelming majorities. The Convention is defeated by a large majority.

The vote of Nashville stands as follows:

Union candidates	2690
Secession candidates	555
Union majority	2135

The vote for a Convention of the people sums up 1290; for none, 1507.

Vote of Memphis.

MEMPHIS, Feb. 9.—The city of Memphis gives between three and five hundred majority for the Union candidates to the Convention. The returns from West Tennessee indicate the election of the Union candidates.

Delay of Action on Fort Sumter.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Several distinguished Virginians have telegraphed Gov. Pickens, of South Carolina, still to forbear the attack on Fort Sumter. Gov. Pickens replied that he could not give a definite answer till he received the President's communication.

Seizure of New York Vessels in Savannah.

SAVANNAH, Feb. 9.—Five vessels owned in the city of New York, were yesterday seized by order of Gov. Brown, of this State.

Accumulation of Snow near Montreal.

MONTREAL, Feb. 9.—The roads in the neighborhood of this city are all completely blocked up with snow. No mails have been dispatched or received since Wednesday last.

South Carolina's Rights.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Commissioner Hayne's reply to the President assumes the independence of South Carolina, and her right to everything that lies within the limits of her borders.

Southern Ports Free to Foreign Commerce.

In consequence of the seizure of New York ships at Savannah, and the obstruction of internal commerce at New Orleans, a declaration has been made by the Montgomery Southern Congress in favor of the opening of Southern ports to foreign commerce.

Seizure of the Little Rock Arsenal.

MEMPHIS, Feb. 9.—The U. S. arsenal, located at Little Rock, Ark., containing 5000 stand of arms, a large amount of ammunition and 40 cannon, including Capt. Bragg's battery, was quietly surrendered to the State authorities yesterday. The arsenal is at present garrisoned by 100 volunteers.

Preparations to attack Fort Sumter.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The Washington correspondent of the N. Y. Herald says that about the 15th inst., the secessionists will be ready for an attack on Fort Sumter.

Non-Arrival of the Canadian Mails.

PORTLAND, Feb. 9.—The steamer for Liverpool via Londonderry, was delayed till Monday noon, in consequence of the non-arrival of the Canadian mails.

Domestic Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Cotton closed dull and heavy at lower prices. There were sales to-day at 11¾c. Flour closed quiet with sales of 6250 bbls. at $5 10 to $5 15 for Superfine State. Corn, sales of 44,000 bushels at prices ranging from 62 to 67c. Pork rules quiet at $17 50 for Mess. Sugar dull, sales 400 hhds. at 4½ to 5c. for Cuba, and 5 to 6c. for New Orleans. Molasses, sales 1000 bbls. New Orleans at auction for 28½ to 30½c. the gallon.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 9.—Flour declining; sales at $4 60 to $4 70. Corn dull, at 35 to 37c. per bushel. Oats are worth 27 to 27½c. per bushel. Whisky, sales at 13½c. per gallon. Pork closed dull at $17 to $17 25 per bbl. Lard rules dull; sales 300 tierces at 9½c. per lb. Molasses is selling at 30c. per gallon. Coffee was sold at 13½ to 13¾c. per lb. Sugar is quoted at 5½ to 7½c. per lb.

River Intelligence.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 9.—The river at this point continues to fall, with nine feet water in the canal.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 8.—The Mississippi river at this point is receding, with 4 feet 6 inches water at Cairo.

[Owing to an interruption in the working of the American Telegraph Company's line between New Orleans and Mobile, we are unable to obtain a report of the proceedings of the Montgomery Convention.—Rep.]

PENALTY FOR MARRYING A MINOR.—In April, 1859, George Fairfield and Elizabeth Robinson were joined in wedlock by Alderman C. W. Lewis, of Elizabeth, Allegheny county, Pa., and have since lived together as man and wife. Abraham Robinson, father of the lady, recently sued the Alderman for marrying a minor, she being at that time "just in years old." The jury found a verdict for the plaintiff in the full amount of the penalty, which is fifty pounds Pennsylvania currency, or $133 33.

A PRESENT.—King Victor Emanuel has sent a present to Teresita, Garibaldi's daughter, who is now residing with her father at Caprera. It is a diamond necklace, with earrings to match, and was to have been presented to her on New Year's day, but the stormy sea prevented its being received in time. It is rumored, by the way, that this Miss Garibaldi is about to marry a Viennese professor who has been lately visiting Naples.

THE HOG-ALLEY MAN AGAIN.—The Hog-Alley Man of the Nashville Patriot has "got his back up," and explodes in the following style:

In a leading article in the Republican Banner, a daily paper purporting to be published in the town of Nashville, Mr. Mirfailes Blyanks is represented as the grandson of our correspondent Brickbat. This, as is known from Maine to California, is a base, infamous, and unvarnished lie, no doubt honest and unintentional mistake. We, of course, speak strictly in a Pickwickian sense.

The fact of the business is, Blyanks is at least 35 years old, and is the father of seven deeply interesting wives and children—that is to say, the father of seven children, while Brickbat is under 30, and is the father of nobody, never having been married. How then could Blyanks be his grandson? How could *nobody* be his grandson, or even his son dry so? If the Banner can't answer these questions, there will probably be a case of premeditated assault and battery up before the Recorder in the course of a day or two, as the parties implicated are very much excited about the matter.

THE NECESSITIES AND LUXURIES OF LIFE.—The well known firm of Collins, Carriers & Co., successors to the old house of Peters & Millard, corner of Hercules and Old Levee streets, advertise today, groceries, wines, liquors, etc., on one hand and for sale, to specialties to sell all purchasers. The well approved reputation of the firm offers to simple guarantee that the goods they offer will give the amplest satisfaction. A glance at their advertisement will satisfy every one of the variety, humanity and superior quality of their stock. Their Clicquot and Verzenay brands of champagne, old reserve Madeira, mumbles and sherries will attract the eye and tickle the palate of connoisseurs, whilst the more substantial articles will be noticed—Hams and Java coffee, liver sugar, Indian corn, etc. It is not practical for us to specify the number of delicate articles offered, but quite recent the invitation to tickle the palate is extended.

WRITING MEDIUM.—It will be seen by notice published in another column that J. V. Mansfield, the test writing medium, will remain in the city for a few days longer. He can be found at his parlors, No. 102 Canal street.

THE CHARTER OAK STOVE.—Messrs. Rice, Bros. & Co., No. 242 Tchoupitoulas street, to-day advertise an assortment of these well-known and well approved stoves. We ask the attention of heads of families to their advertisement, in another column, which speaks for itself.

Texas Intelligence.

The Texas Convention adjourned on the 4th inst., to the 24 of March, after appointing the following gentlemen as delegates to the Montgomery Convention: Wigfall, Hemphill, Reagan, Ochiltree, Gregg, Oldham and Waul. The Convention was almost unanimously in favor of a Southern Confederacy. This information we obtain from Col. Lockridge, who arrived this morning on the steamer Texas, and we are also indebted to him for late Texas papers.

On the evening of the 30th ult. a prisoner in the Grimes county jail was strangled to death, by another prisoner named Horne. The cruel act was connived at by the other prisoners, in consequence of his uncleanly habits, and was perpetrated with the utmost deliberation and coolness, the murderers giving their victim time to say a prayer before strangling him.

The Galveston Civilian of the 7th has the following:

Spring has fairly, to all appearance, at last set in. We hear of the planting of a good deal of corn already, and active preparations are making for cotton and other crops. The winter has been unusually mild, and live stock have suffered but little—nothing in comparison with last year.

A few days since Thomas Roland and Richard Woods, at the office of Col. Kirby, on the Brazos, mistook a bottle of laudanum for bitters, and drank from six to ten ounces of it, which caused their death the following night, although their physicians did everything in their power to save them.

In the News we find the following:

From the Palestine Advocate we learn that on the 26th ult., a negro boy named Martin, was arrested for some connection with the murder of a gentleman named Wm. D. Wescott, of the New