

Baron Roges, Feb. 17.—Senate.—The bill for the purpose of supporting patronage... A bill was introduced with reference to the House...

New York, Feb. 21.—The grand jury have found true bills of indictment against Mrs. Cunningham and Ecker...

Washington, Feb. 19.—The senate today passed the bill providing for the Submarine Telegraphic Bill...

Little other business of interest was transacted. The house has passed the postal appropriation bill...

Notice.—I. W. I. HODGSON, formerly of N. Orleans, New Orleans, takes this method of advertising...

JOHN ROBINSON'S Combined Two Circuses.—TERRIFIC ASCENSION ON THE TIGHT...

FREE EXHIBITION!—TERRIFIC ASCENSION ON THE TIGHT... MORE GORGEOUS SPECTACLE...

MASTER JAMES ROBINSON.—The world's only rider on a single horseback horse...

THE MENAGERIE.—Consists of all that vast collection recently assembled...

FACTS FOR THE PEOPLE.—Here is a specimen of the mode in which the democracy of Louisiana manage things...

Another report from the engineers.—At the last session of the legislature of this State, a joint resolution was adopted...

There is in progress a survey of the delta of the Mississippi, by topographical engineers of the United States...

There are two departments; that of the swamp land commissioners, who have under their control for the purpose of reclaiming the swamp...

There is much feeling here on this subject. The friends of the measure are largely in the majority in the house...

ASTONISHING SWINDLE.—An individual by the name of Joseph Renlock, an Armenian, who about two years ago was engaged in buying gold dust in San Francisco...

THE THEATRE.—The drama has been well patronized since our last, and is daily becoming more popular...

THE BAZAR.—Ned Davis and his celebrated band of Ethiopian minstrels, are nightly drawing crowds to the beautiful saloon of the Danjo...

THE WASHINGTON UNION, which has recently been bought up, for the purpose of being made Mr. Buchanan's special organ...

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GOOD INVESTMENTS.—The sheriff will sell on Saturday the valuable real estate belonging to the succession of the late Wm. Paxton...

THE OPELOUSAS RAILROAD.—From the tone of the last annual report of the president and directors of the Opelousas and Great Western Railroad company...

THE COMMERCIAL, the trade of New Orleans, requires that the immense business of Texas should be secured to her...

THE HON. JOHN SIDELL, chairman of the U. S. senate committee on roads and canals, to which were referred numerous resolutions and memorials...

ON THE 19th ult., in the U. S. house of representatives, the committee of investigation made four special reports...

MR. BENJAMIN, from the committee on private land claims, to which was referred the resolution of the U. S. senate directing the committee to inquire into the expediency of providing by a general law for the adjustment of private land claims...

MR. PEARCE has given notice of his intention to introduce into the U. S. senate a bill providing for the time and manner of electing senators of the United States...

THE STATE OF OHIO has increased in population fifty per cent, during the last sixteen years. It has now 2,400,000 inhabitants...

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Our family and off family. THE SOUTH-WESTERN. BY L. DILLARD & CO. Office: Corner of Texas and Edwards streets, OPPOSITE HITCHCOCK'S LIVERY STABLE.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1857. AGENTS FOR THE SOUTH-WESTERN. COL. T. W. BLEDSON, Filmore, Dallas parish. Messrs. J. M. & J. C. MURPHY, Jefferson, Texas.

On Friday night we were visited by a storm of wind and hail, followed by the heaviest rain we have had for months. Since then the weather has been cool.

Our planters have taken advantage of the warm and delightful weather to get their corn in the ground, and many of them have finished planting. The spring is fully five or six weeks earlier than it was last year.

To-day James Buchanan will be inaugurated president of the United States, and in our next we will be able to announce his cabinet and the line of policy which he has marked out for his administration.

THE H. M. WRIGHT SCENE.—We regret to learn by the National, that the steamer H. M. Wright, captain Clarke, hence for N. Orleans, with a cargo of cotton and a large number of passengers, struck a stump in Haley's cut-off...

THE CONFERENCE of the Methodist E. church, made the following appointments for this session of country: Caddo circuit and mission—Messrs. T. M. Penick and F. T. Rawson...

THE THEATRE.—The drama has been well patronized since our last, and is daily becoming more popular. During the week a number of interesting pieces were produced in a style that cannot be too highly extolled.

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