

The Daily Comet.

BATON ROUGE, NOV. 2, 1855.

The Virginia American Convention, at Lynchburg, adopted the following resolutions:

Resolved, That this Convention cordially adopt the Platform of the American Party framed at Philadelphia in June last, which the following exposition of the 8th section thereof:

Resolved, That the 8th section of the Philadelphia Platform is not intended, in the opinion of this Convention, to exclude my citizen from any political station on account of his religious faith, but only such as may have reserved paramount allegiance to a foreign Potentate.

THE CONSTITUTION.—Gov. Johnson, of Tennessee, in his message to the legislature, proposes amendments to the Constitution of the United States, making the President and United States Senators, elective by a direct vote of the people, and limiting the tenure of office of the United States, Judge to twelve years.

On the 17th inst. the corner stone of the new building for the Library of the New York Historical Society, on the corner of Second Avenue and Eleventh street New York, was laid with appropriate ceremonies by the Hon. Luther Bradish, the President of the Society, who delivered an eloquent address on the occasion.

In the Court of Claims, Washington, on the 20th inst. Mr. Jacob Barker, of this city, appeared, was sworn an attorney of the court, and filed a petition in the case of Richard K. Ward and others, his assignees, who claim the difference between lawful money and the depreciated paper currency under the loan of 31st of August, 1814 on \$3,446,103.—Delta.

NEVER.—At the time when the Norfolk pestilence was raging, Secretary Dobbin authorized Commodore McKeever, Commandant of the Norfolk Navy Yard, to close the yard and retire from the infected district. The Commodore replied that he considered the post of danger the post of duty, and expressed his determination to remain where he could be serviceable. Secretary Dobbin recently addressed him an official letter, inviting him to Washington, and complimenting him for his exhibition of moral heroism in facing the "pestilence which walks at noonday," more praiseworthy than bravery at the cannon's mouth.—New York Times.

The brethren of St. James Masonic Lodge, are elsewhere notified of a meeting to be held on Saturday night, next at the usual time and place. A punctual attendance is desired.

Gem Saloon and Restaurant.

BY STEPHEN BASILISCO.
THE PROPRIETOR of the above establishment, thankful for past favors respectfully informs his old customers and the public in general, that he has fixed up his establishment for winter business, and that he has spared no pains to obtain the best accommodation possible.

He will always have a supply of OYSTERS on hand, which he will serve RAW, STEWED, ROASTED, or FRIED.
Meals at any time on the shortest notice. His bar will at all times be supplied with the choicest wines and liquors. He hopes by a strict attention to business to receive a share of public patronage. oct29.

Perfumery,
EVERY variety, also Rose water, for flavouring cakes etc. oct24 WM. BOGEL.

GLASS,
ALL sizes, for sale by the box only at oct24 BOGEL'S Drug Store.

Polar Whale Oil
600 GALLONS on hand, warranted not to congeal, for sale by oct24 WM. BOGEL.

Congress Water
20 DOZ. in pints & quarts for sale by oct24 WM. BOGEL.

CHOCOLATE,
100 LBS. all kinds warranted fresh to be had at WM. BOGEL.

Attention Families,
FLOUR in 25, 50 and 100 pound bags always on hand and for sale by sept. 11. JOSHUA BEAL.

40 DOZEN BROOMS, just received by R. HOFFMANN.

TO THE LADIES.—Just received and for sale, a new supply of Frisettes by Mrs. C. HUBSTON.

ONIONS!
40 Bags very large and choice Iowa Onions, just received and for sale by [sept. 13.] JOSHUA BEAL.

Sale by the Sheriff.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Sixth Judicial District Court—Parish of East Baton Rouge—In the matter of the Succession of VIVIAN GOODLOE, dec'd, [No. 453 "Probate."]

BY virtue of a commission issued in the above Succession, and to me directed, from the Hon. sixth judicial district court, in and for the Parish and State aforesaid I will by virtue of said commission, offer at public sale at the Court House door, of said parish, in the city of Baton Rouge, on SATURDAY, the 3rd day of November next 1855, at 11 o'clock A. M. A large lot of Household and Kitchen Furniture—belong to said succession.

TERMS OF SALE.—Payable on the first day of January next, A. D., 1856, in notes endorsed to the satisfaction of the administrator. Said notes to bear eight per cent interest from and after maturity until paid.
H. V. BABIN, Sheriff.
oct16-ta.

At G. Y. Tomlinson & Co.

Just Received from St. Louis.
BACON, Clear Sides and Shoulders.
Superior and Extra ST. LOUIS FLOUR—
CORN, &c. For sale low for Cash,
H. Y. TOMLINSON & Co.
July 7-y.

To the Trade.
FOR sale for good four month paper, 30 boxes J. M. McCullough's Mac & Mac, 8 Lump Tobacco, just received from the agents and for sale in lots of 6 to 10 boxes for good four months acceptances.
sept19 JOSHUA BEAL.

BUTTER CRACKERS.—50 Half Barrels just received & for sale by oct12. JOSHUA BEAL.

CRACKNELL BISCUIT.—Forty boxes of this great delicacy. Just received and for sale by JOSHUA BEAL.

LOUDEN'S Family Medicines, just received and for sale by may-24. J. L. VIALET, Agent.

New Arrivals.
50 BARRELS Extra St. Louis Flour.
30 half barrels do. do. do.
50 bags Bran.
oct. 15. JOSHUA BEAL.

20 CASES Duncan's Imperial.
10 do. Clark's.
Just received and for sale by oct. 15. JOSHUA BEAL.

Irish Potatoes.
100 BUSHELS IOWA POTATOES just to hand and for sale by sept. 11. JOSHUA BEAL.

SHOULDER BAGS, for ladies and gentlemen, just received and for sale by June 25, J. L. VIALET, Druggist.

Washington Remedies.
A SMALL supply of those celebrated A medicines, fresh received, and for sale by July 25. J. L. VIALET.

JUST received direct from the East, a fresh supply of Drugs, Medicines chemicals &c., warranted to be of the best qualities, for sale by July 25. J. L. VIALET.

FRUIT.—The undersigned is permanently located on Lafayette street, two doors from Bogel's Drug store, where he will keep on hand all kinds of Fruit, Apples, Oranges, Lemons, Citron, Bananas, Figs, &c., &c. Orders from the country promptly attended to. [oct. 6-m.] NICHOLAS BARTOLI.

French Patent Medicines.
BLANCARD'S PILLS.—
VALLET'S do
RAGUIN'S CAPSULES,
ELIXIR DEBROUN,
ETHER DROPS,
MOTHE CAPSULES, etc.
BOGEL'S Drug Store.
Just received at [oct24].

Fancy Goods at O'Conor's.

Frisettes, Baudouin & Curl.
Just received at O'CONOR'S.

Dotted and Embroidered SWISS MUSLINS;
Checked and Jaconet Muslins;
Embroidered Silk Patterns for BALL DRESSES;
Emb'd. MUSLINE DRESSES with Flounces;
PATENT LEATHER & SILK BELTS of all colours;
Black Lace Veils, Bridal Veils;
Fine Bridal Wreaths, and FANS;
PARASOLS and UMBRELLAS at July 12-y. O'CONOR.

X. Bazin's Perfumery.
A FRESH supply of X. Bazin's unrivalled PERFUMERY and FANCY ARTICLES, direct from Philadelphia, such as:
COLOGNE WATER;
EXTRACTS for HANDKERCHIEFS;
OX-MARROW POMMADE;
PHILOMOME do.
FANCY SOAPS; WASH BALLS;
SHAVING BRUSHES; HAIR do.
TOOTH Brushes; Water's Tooth Soap, &c.
For sale at the Third Street DRUG STORE.
July 25-y. J. L. VIALET, Druggist.

Piano Tuning.
THOS. MERCER, offers his services to the public, as a piano tuner, and teacher. The entire loss of his sight renders it impossible for him to take new beginners, but those who have the rudiments of instruction can be advanced by him.
Orders through the the Post office will be attended to. oct. 5-1f.

Attention Housekeepers!
WE ARE NOW OPENING A splendid assortment of PLAIN & FANCY OUT & PRESSED GLASSWARE CHINA AND CROCKERY, PLATED CASTLES, CAKE BASKETS, FORKS, SPOONS, &c., &c.
And a general assortment of HOUSEKEEPING ARTICLES, to which the attention of purchasers is invited. [august.] J. PIPER & CO.

Sundries.
JUST RECEIVED—15 doz. boxes fresh Sardines; 4 doz. gal. jars of Pickles; 3 doz. do. half jars, of the celebrated brand of Wm. Underwood; 6 basket sweet Oil; A fine article of No. 1 Mackerel and Codfish. Also fresh Butter and Cheese. Call and examine for yourselves.
oct23-y. O'CALLAGHAN & MULVILL.

Regular Coast Packets.

COAST LINE OF PACKETS.
BELLA DONNA & MUSIC,
TO AND FROM N. ORLEANS, WILLIAMSPORT, BAYOU SARA, FORT HUDSON,
And all the Intermediate Landings.

THE BELLA DONNA, Capt. Wm. McCORM, leaves N. Orleans every Saturday Evening, at 5 o'clock, for Williamsport, touching at all the intermediate points, returning, leaves Bayou Sara every Wednesday, on the arrival of the cars from Woodville. The MUSIC, Capt. J. H. Monros, leaves New Orleans every Tuesday Morning, at 9 o'clock, and Friday Evening, at 5 o'clock, for Port Hudson; returning, leaves Port Hudson every Wednesday and Saturday, after the arrival of the Clinton and Port Hudson Cars. Particular attention paid to the receiving and landing of passengers and way freight, at all hours of the day or night.
HOLMES & CLAUSSE, Agents,
14 Tchoupitoulas street.
oct18.

Bayou Sara Packet—Laurel Hill.
FOR Bayou Sara three TIMES A WEEK.—The U. S. Mail steamer Laurel Hill, J. A. Cottor, master, will leave New Orleans every SUNDAY MORNING at 9 o'clock, and every WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY MORNING at 10 o'clock. Returning, leaves Bayou Sara on MONDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, arriving in New Orleans same day. Agents—M. Gordon, Jr., J. A. Brand & Landry, John Burbridge & Co., Hall & Kemp & Co., Jos. S. Pagaud, advertising agent.

N. B.—A clerk will be on the Leave in N. O. to receive freight at all times, from Tuesday morning to Saturday night, and shippers can deliver goods to him, and have bills lading signed in the boat's absence. may 3-y.

New Orleans and Bayou Sara
TWICE A WEEK.—For Bayou Sara, Port Hudson, Lobdell's Store, Baton Rouge, Plaquemine, and all intermediate landings, the fine passenger steamer CAPITOL, Jas. H. URK, MASTER, leaves New Orleans every SUNDAY at 9 o'clock, A. M. and every WEDNESDAY, at 5 o'clock P. M. Returning leaves Bayou Sara every MONDAY at 12 M., and THURSDAY at 6 P. M., and Baton Rouge every MONDAY at 6 P. M., and THURSDAY at 10 P. M.
For freight or passage apply on board. Jan. 24, 1855.

W. D. Phillip's Emporium.
Our Platform.
ONE low price to ask and take, secures justice to all parties. Call at the one price CLOTHING EMPORIUM, of W. D. PHILLIPS, next door to the corner of Lafayette and Church streets and select from an elegant assortment, and you will not be asked a cent more than the lowest Penny that will buy the goods, a deduction of ten per cent, always made for cash.
oct24. W. D. PHILLIPS.

Take Notice.
W. D. PHILLIPS, informs his customers and the public generally that he has just received his large assortment of Fall and Winter Clothing, and would advise all those who are desirous of purchasing a superior fitting and well made article in the clothing line, to call early and make their selections, in all cases where I may be caught out of sizes, and cannot give a fit, I will invariably order any article that may be wanted if desired at a short notice.
oct24.

Silk & Satin Bonnets.
ARTIFICIALS and Millinery Goods, also Cloaks, Talmas and Mantillas of the most approved styles, to be sold on the most reasonable terms. O'CONOR, Third street opposite Post office Baton Rouge. oct16.

RECEIVED PER DELAWARE.
50 BUSHELS choice Neshomock Potatoes.
50 Bushels Large Red Onions.
25 Kegs Prime White Lard.
20 Doz. Brooms.
30 Bbls. Fancy Flour.
10 " Superfine.
25 Half " Extra.
50 Sacks New Oats.
10 Bbls. Large Fancy Apples.
10 Bbls. Prime Leaf Lard.
100 Head White Cabbage.
100 Bags Assorted Shot.
With the above we have a fresh stock of Northern, Eastern and foreign Groceries, which we offer low for cash.
oct-6 A. MONTAN & BRO.

Choice Teas.
300 POUNDS various styles and grades, of the finest green and black teas neatly put up in 4 and 1 pound Packages, just received from New York, and for sale by. sept9 JOSHUA BEAL.

For Sale.
A VALUABLE tract of Land, situated about twelve miles East of the City of Baton Rouge, containing One Hundred and Fifty acres, with dwelling house and all improvements necessary for carrying on a small farm. Terms Cash, or credit, to suit the purchaser. Apply to, aug 29-1f. S. S. HALL, Laurel St.

Thos. Prendergast & Co.
BUTTER and CHEESE.—25 Kegs BUTTER; 50 PIECES CHEESE. Received from Cincinnati, and for sale by sept29-y. THOS. PRENDERGAST & Co.

BACON.—20 Casks Clear Sides; 20 Casks SHOULDERS. For sale by oct29-y. THOS. PRENDERGAST & Co.

LARD OIL.—10 Bbls. Lard Oil; For sale by THOS. PRENDERGAST & Co.

Baton Rouge Coal Depot.
14,000 BBLs., COAL just received and for sale at the Coal Depot established by the undersigned, on the river bank, adjoining the Baton Rouge Foundry, July 10-6mo. RICHARD MARKHAM.

Fall Goods.
JUST received, a large stock of Fall Goods, consisting in part of—Silk and Satins; Velvet Embroideries of all descriptions; Laces, black and white; Gloves of all sorts; Mantles; Cloaks and Talmas; Straw, Silk and Satin Bonnets; Dress Trimmings, Frisettes, Curls, &c., all of which, will be sold very low by oct25-y. Mrs. C. HUBSTON.

At A. Montan & Bro.

WE have received per Latona, Dick Keys and Trabue the following articles which will be sold low for Cash:

12 Casks Bacon Shoulders;
2 " Clear Sides;
5 barrels Lard;
25 kegs " "
5 barrels Lard Oil;
250 sacks Corn;
100 bags Bran;
75 sacks Oats;
July 1. A. MONTAN & BRO.

Just Received
PER STEAMER QUEEN of the WEST.
50 Boxes Extra No. 1 Soap,
25 " Palm "
200 lb. Fresh Bologna Sausage,
10 Half bbls Family mess Beef,
15 Cases choice Cheese.
Large Beef Toques, Duffield and other brand of Hams St. Louis Flour, barrels and half do with the above may at all times be found. Fresh Soda Crackers and Goshen Butter, all warranted to give satisfaction. A. MONTAN & BRO.

Notice.
WE HAVE in store a large stock of Hay, Corn Oats, Bran and Western Provisions, to which we would respectfully call the attention of our Friends and Customers. We shall be in constant receipt of the above articles, which will, at all times, be sold at the lowest rates for cash or its equivalent.
June 15. MONTAN & BRO.

In time of peace prepare for War!
SHAW'S Cholera Syrup is really good—it has been tried—you should have it in your house always—in all sudden attacks it is indispensable—if you have no faith in it, give any how at least one dose, until you can get a physician to persons residing in the country, it is invaluable compared with any other similar preparation. Prepared and for sale by W. M. BOGEL.
May 31st Druggist

Mount Eagle Tripoli.
FOR giving a polish to brass, silver, gold; or other base metals. Also for cleaning Plates or Windows, Lamps and Gas burners. Here's an economy—old things made as good as new, at a very trifling expense.
C. A. BLANCARD.
may 24. Church street.

FOR THE HAIR!—Macassar Oil, Antique Oil, Bears Oil, Pomade Philocomme, Moele de Bous, Pomatum in Sticks, Cleurehugh's Tricopheron, Barry's Tricopheron, Lyon's Kathon, Phalon's Hair Tonic or Invigorator, Jaynes' Hair Tonic, Louden's Hair Tonic, American Hair Restorer, and Jenny Lind Hair Gloss. For sale at the Drug Store of H. T. WADDILL.

CUTLERY.—A large and well selected stock of Pocket Cutlery, Daggers and Bowie Knives. Just received per Empire City. WM. BOGEL.

Italian Violin Strings.
A SMALL stock of the very best Italian Strings for sale at BOGEL'S, April 19. Lafayette st.

Schnapps! Schnapps!
18 DOZ. of Wolfe's Aromatic Schiedam Schnapps, for sale at \$1 per single bottle and per doz. at New Orleans prices \$8 per doz. Cash WM. BOGEL, may 31. Druggist.

Tea! Tea!
THE choicest Brands and Flavors of Tea can be found at all times, put up in 4 to 6th packages at WM. BOGEL, may 31. Druggist.

Linsed Oil,
LARD OIL; Alcohol; Spts. Turpentine, &c. in store and for sale by Wholesale or Retail by WILLIAM BOGEL, April 26th 1855 Druggist.

Death on Rats.
A SMALL lot of Burgess' Roach, Rat and Mouse Exterminator just received and for sale by WM. BOGEL, Drug.

MESS PORK.
150 BARRELS MESS PORK for sale by T. PRENDERGAST & Co. April 25th 1855

HAY.—Twenty tons best quality Hay. For sale by April 28. JOSHUA BEAL.

BROWN'S Essence of Jamaica Ginger. 12 doz. in store and for sale by may 31. WM. BOGEL, Druggist.

SCARIFICATORS.—A few very superior ones. For sale by aug17-y. H. T. WADWILL.

WHITE WASH BRUSHES.—A few dozen, very best. For sale by dec 3-y. H. T. WADDILL, Drug.

HAMS 30 Tierces South Carolina Hams for sale by April 24 T. PRENDERGAST & Co.

For Cow Feed.
COW and Corn Meal, a splendid feed for cows and stock generally, price 80c per bushel. [April 28.] JOSHUA BEAL.

Duffields Celebrated Hams.
10 Tierces just received and for sale by April 10 T. PRENDERGAST & Co.

LOUIS GRANDPRE.
Notary Public and Auctioneer, Office at the Mayor's Office, Laurel Street, Baton Rouge, La.

Schiedam Schnapps.
A NOTHER supply of Wolf's Aromatic Schiedam Schnapps, just received and for sale by WM. BOGEL, Druggist.

Hungarian Leeches.
500 Hungarian Leeches, warranted, just received and for sale by sept 8. WM. BOGEL.

For Sale.
A LIKELY Negro Woman aged twenty-two years. Terms liberal. Also for hire, two able bodied Negro Men. Apply to April 11. T. PRENDERGAST & Co.

Groceries and Provisions.

Sundries!
2 CASKS Sides and Shoulders;
5 Barrels Leaf Lard;
20 Kegs do. do.
5 Tierces Prime Carolina Rice;
50 Boxes Family Soap;
100 do. Star Candles;
50 Half Boxes do. do.
25 do. barrels butter buscuit;
25 do. Boston, Soda, Water & Pic Nic Buscuit. Just received and for sale by July 1. JOSHUA BEAL.

SUNDRIES.—
25 Boxes Star Candles;
6 Barrels Prime Winter Lard Oil;
10 Boxes Choice Family Soap;
2 Firkins Choice Goshen Butter
10 Boxes Fire Crackers;
20 Reams Wrapping Paper;
7 Baskets good and choice Champagne
1 Box Fresh Beef Tongues
10 pounds Mace;
1 Barrel Cranberries;
2 Ditto Dried Apples;
50 Barrels Extra Family Flour—St. Louis. The above goods just to hand per Steamer "Mus-st. Nicholas" "Ohio" and for sale by [Dec. 20th.] JOSHUA BEAL. Opposite West and Harney House

Sundries.
5 BBLs. Crushed and Pulverized Sugar;
10 boxes Pickles, pints, quarts and half gallons; 50 boxes Winchester's Family Soap; 10 boxes Sam Leonard's Sperm Candles; 20 drums Dried Figs; 1500 pounds English Walnuts; 1 case, 48 cans, Fresh Salmon; 1 do. 60 do. do. Lobsters; 10 boxes Layer Raisins; 1 case large Spanish Olives; 10 tierces Duffield's S. C. Hams; 3 boxes do. Beef Tongues; 550 pounds Assorted Candies. Recently received and for sale by march 18. JOSHUA BEAL

INMAN'S PATENT.
Gate and Door Springs.
THE UNDERSIGNED sole agent for this invaluable Spring, has them on hand and for sale at a price which is nothing compared with their utility. Samples can be seen at my store, on the gate of Joshua Beal, and the Harney House. They are simple and would not be unsuitable for the nearest parlor door in this city, apply at. aug11] D. C. MONTAN'S.

FROM \$100 to \$200, made to order:
Guns made to any length or fashion of Fine wire Twist:
Laminated Steel ditto.
Fine Damascus "
Silver Steel "
Fine Chain "
Horse nails or stub "
The Real Stub "
Orders left at D. C. MONTAN'S, Church street, will meet with prompt attention.

HOLLINGSWORTH'S PATENT KNUCKER.
Floating Ball Washing Machine.
ANY PERSON desirous of obtaining one of the above named Machines and being deterred from so doing by want of confidence in the practical utility and operation as well as general economy of same, can have all said scruples removed by calling on Mr. Markham at the Harney House, where one of the machines is daily in use. [June 4.] JOSHUA BEAL.

Baton Rouge Steam Corn Mills.
THE above establishment, situated on corner of North and Main streets, is now in working order, and any demand for Fresh Ground Corn Meal, can be promptly supplied.
A meal cart will, for the accommodation of customers, make the circuit of the city every Monday, Thursday and Saturday. Meal will also be kept at the store of the undersigned, opposite the Harney House. June 20 '54-y. JOSHUA BEAL.

Per Ship Andover.
FRENCH WINDOW GLASS; American Zinc paint in Oil, French Zinc in Varnish, White Lead, Paris Green, Emerald Green Chrome Green & Yellow Whiting, Putty Glaziers Diamonds, Penit brushes, Stemcoils etc., for sale by July 4. WM. BOGEL.

As Cheap as the Cheapest!
114 BAGS PRIME YELLOW CORN, 150 BAGS PRIME WHITE CORN, 10 BARRELS PURE LARD OIL, just received per Steamer J. E. Woodsbury, and for sale by [June 4.] JOSHUA BEAL.

A FINE assortment of choice sauces, Sardines; Lobsters; Capres; Olives; Pickles; Mustard, and large lot of articles for family use, too numerous to mention. Call and examine for yourselves. R. HOFFMANN.

Hay, Corn and Oats.
A LARGE supply in store and for sale by (June 23.) JOSHUA BEAL.

Tea! Tea!
A FRESH supply just received of fine flavors, for sale by WM. BOGEL, July 4. Druggist.

IRISH POTATOES & ONIONS.—A choice lot, new on hand and for sale by May 8. R. HOFFMANN.

Buy your Flour of Beal!
JUST RECEIVED per steamers REPUBLIC and CRYSTAL PALACE:—
80 Barrels fancy St. Louis Flour.
30 Barrels Extra do do
25 Half Barrels Extra Flour.
All fresh ground & of new wheat. oct19

New Cheese.
20 BOXES PRIME W. R. CHEESE, just received per "Sultana" and for sale by [oct19.] JOSHUA BEAL.

By our Fast Lane.
NEW BUCK WHEAT.—Just received 1000 Pounds Holt & Co's best New York Buckwheat, new crop and for sale in bags of 25 lbs. each, or at retail as desired. oct19. JOSHUA BEAL.

LARD! LARD.—50 Kegs of prime White Lard, just received from Louisville, per steamer "Grape Shot" oct19. JOSHUA BEAL.

ONIONS.—100 Bushels choice Iowa onions, just received and for sale by oct. 19. JOSHUA BEAL.