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AMUSEMENTS.

NATIONAL THEATRE. Commencing Sunday, August 21. SKIFF & GAYLORD'S MINSTRELS.

FOR SALE. ABOUT 1000 ACRES OF THE best sugar land situated in the parishes of Lafourche, St. James and Assumption.

FOR SALE. A NEAT FRAME COTTAGE AND three large lots, with stable and outbuildings.

FOR SALE. ONE OF THE FINEST SECTIONS of unimproved sugar land in the State, in the parish of Iberville.

FOR RENT. FURNISHED ROOMS, WITHOUT BOARD, TO RENT at prices varying from ten to fifty dollars per month.

FOR RENT. THE DESIRABLE TWO-STORY RESIDENCE 197 Calipso street, between St. Charles and Esplanade.

ROOMS AND BOARD. A NUMBER OF pleasant situated and well furnished rooms for rent.

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BOOKS—BOOKS. THE SONG GARDEN—First Book.

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WEEKS' ISLAND.

The Seized Sugar. In regard to the goods seized by the special agent of the treasury last Thursday, Mr. Tupper, of the firm of Price, Hine & Tupper, states that although the quantity of sugar grown on Weeks' Island is small compared with what was produced there before the war, yet last year the respectable crop of two hundred and sixty-three hogheads was raised.

We may add that the statement made yesterday, that to every hoghead of sugar grown on Weeks' Island, there are at least three hogheads shipped from it, is, we are convinced, a mistake. And we may also declare most emphatically that the firm of Price, Hine & Tupper, the Carondelet street house referred to by our reporter, bears a reputation that forbids the belief that they would engage in any scheme to defraud the revenue of the United States by acting as consignees of smuggled goods.

The Red River Landing.

It has already been noticed that a petition, signed by fifty-seven stevedores and cotton factors, had been presented to the Administrator of Public Improvements, urging the removal of the landing for Red river steamers to a location near the foot of Thalia street, First District.

If the Democratic Central Committee wish to "do it up brown" in the case of E. Brown vs. the Democratic Central Committee, they must convince the colored voters of this State that Brown has a veritable exaltation; that he is in reality a voter; a substantial man; not an "air-drawn dagger" intended to harass the feelings of the colored men and make them feel that they have a Judas in their midst, who would mislead and betray them.

MORE LUCK IN THE LOUISIANA LOTTERY. Mr. William Graef, who resides at the corner of Orleans and Giro streets, publishes a card in another column, stating that he had purchased half of combination ticket 3555, in the Louisiana State Lottery, which, at the late drawing, brought him the desirable amount of one thousand dollars.

VALUABLE IMPROVED REAL ESTATE AUCTION BY THE SHERIFF. Particular attention is called to the sale at auction to be made this day at noon, at the Merchants' and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, by the sheriff of the parish of Orleans, of five valuable lots of ground, with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

THE FRENCH IN THE STATE OF MISSOURI. There must be some error in the statement that the French from the State of Missouri are to be sent to the State of Louisiana, because it draws too much water. It is the only explanation of so glaring a miscalculation that we can suggest is that Napoleon himself planned the campaign by sea as well as by land, which has resulted in the advance from Metz upon Berlin by way of Paris. Now we suppose the fleet will be ordered back to Cherbourg, that the troublesome bottoms may be taken out.

THE FIGHT AT FIGNY.

The German Victory. [Special to the New York Tribune.] LONDON, August 16.—Our special correspondent writes from Paris, Monday night, that Sunday's battle was only a semblance of success or mitigation of disaster.

The Emperor tells the Empress of the great losses of the enemy, but says nothing of his own, which, however, after four hours' fighting the enemy was repulsed with great loss. But it is not said that the half of the army which wanted to get across the Moselle, was repulsed, and that the Emperor's word that after four hours' fighting the enemy was repulsed with great loss.

La France assumes, (but I should think incorrectly) that the Emperor hearing the sound of cannon, came back and took part in the battle. All this has to be cleared up. But according to present appearances the Prussians have again out-generaled the French.

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THE COURTS.

Fourth District Court. The Loan and Pledge Association vs. M. A. Southworth.—The plaintiffs in this case, represented by Joseph H. Wilson, state in their petition filed the twenty-third of June, 1869, they became the owners of a certain promissory note for \$25, drawn by Charles F. Guion, secured by a mortgage on a lot of ground situated in the square between the streets of the late Canal street, Prieur and Johnson streets, in this city.

1. The full amount of note for \$25 with interest. 2. \$176 65 the amount of sheriff's and clerk's fees, and the amount of the process under which the lot was sold, and attorney's fees and special damages sustained by petitioners, by reason of the loss of time, trouble and expense they have incurred in this case.

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ANNIHILATION OF THE ZOUAVES.

Thrilling Letter of a General. [Special to the New York Herald.] LONDON, August 16.—The following letter from General Forester, commanding the Zouaves of Marshal McMahon's corps, tells the story of the demolition of these fine soldiers:

SAVERNE, August 8.—Let us thank God who has preserved me from the most terrible dangers which it is a soldier's fate to encounter. I do not know how many I am still alive without a scratch. But my heart is broken and I am overwhelmed with grief at the fate of my poor officers! my poor soldiers!

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BY TELEGRAPH.

LATEST NEWS FROM ALL POINTS.

NATIONAL BANKS AT NEW ORLEANS.

MISSION DECLINED BY FREILINGHUYSEN.

THE BATTLE OF MARS LA TOUR.

FIGHTING ALL DAY THURSDAY.

French Dispatches Confident.

A Prussian Victory Reported.

THE FRENCH FORCED BACK ON METZ.

A DECISIVE EVENT IMPENDING.

CROWN PRINCE MARCHING ON CHALONS.

BAZAINE IN DANGER OF CAPITULATING.

PRUSSIAN SPIES TRIED AND SHOT.

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BERLIN.

Prussian Victory at Mars La Tour—French Army Separated—Main Body Forced Back on Metz—Road to Chalons Open to the Crown Prince—Slight Obstruction to Emperor's Decisive Event Impending—Crown Prince Marching on Chalons—Bazaine Must Cut His Way or Capitulate—Demands of the King of Prussia.

MARS LA TOUR.

London, August 19, 2 P. M.—The latest dispatches all day Thursday, near Mars La Tour.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Committee to Close Saratoga Gambling Houses—John Morrissey's Place Visited—No Rain in Ottawa for Two Months—Hurricane at Quebec—Indianapolis Agricultural Association—North Carolina—Judge Brooks—Public Reception to an Editor—Atlanta Open House for a State Capital—Anti-Chinese Convention at San Francisco—Instantly Killed by Falling from a Plane—Disasters in a Bear and Killed—Flood of Flour by Rail from San Francisco to New York.

LONDON.

Road to Paris Open to the Crown Prince—Part of French Army Forced Back on Metz—The Position Critical—Preliminary Negotiations for Peace—Emperor Troubled with Monomania—The Emperor Discredited—Proposition for an Armistice Refused by King William—He will Discuss no Proposition Outside of Paris.

PARIS.

Prussian Spies Tried and Shot—Their Notes of Fortifications—The Marseillaise Over Recent Victories—A City Strengthened—Mills—Friedrich Garden—Tumult in Hospitals—A Great General—Order and Quiet Restored—Ministry of Foreign Affairs—Corps of Sharpshooters—Prince Napoleon at Chalons—Movement of the Emperor—The Emperor's Position Critical—The Emperor Advises the French to Imitate the Prussians.

OTTAWA.

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NEW YORK.

Special to the Herald says the King of Prussia demands that he be permitted to march into Alsace and Strasbourg to be given to the grand ducy of Baden, Bavaria to be fully compensated in money for services and expenses of the war, Napoleon to be deposed and the Orleans family restored to the throne.

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