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AMUSEMENTS.

CADREY OF MUSIC. SECOND WEEK OF MRS. JAMES A. OATHE. COMIC OPERA COMPANY. Friday Evening, November 17, 1871. BENEFIT OF MRS. JAMES A. OATHE.

THE CHILD OF THE REGIMENT. To be presented by AN ALABAMA SAMPSON. Saturday, Grand Matinee, at 12 o'clock. FORTUNIO.

THE FLOWER GIRL OF PARIS. To be presented by SMITH & BROWER. MONDAY—The Historical Operatic Extravaganza, THE FLOWER GIRL OF PARIS.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE. NEW DEBUT. Friday Evening, November 17, 1871. Fourth Night of the Engagement of the Ballet.

MR. EDWIN FORREST. Who will appear in his scholarly and impressive impersonation of RICHELIEU.

SATURDAY EVENING—MR. EDWIN FORREST AS JACK CADE. SUNDAY EVENING—MRS. FELLIE M. YOUNG AND HER COMPANY.

OPERA HOUSE—OPERA HOUSE. Saturday, November 18, 1871. First Appearance of Mlle. COSTAZZA.

WEEK END ONLY. Friday, Saturday and Sunday, November 17, 18 and 19.

WOOTEN & HAIGHT'S. MUSEUM AND MENAGERIE. CORNER BARRON AND ST. JOSEPH STREETS.

PERFORMING BEARS OF LIVING WILD BEASTS. A DROVE OF BACHIAN CAMELS, AND A WARD OF ANIMALS.

MR. GEORGE WAMBOLD'S Troupe of Twenty-four REVOLVING DOGS AND BEASTS. The Finest Show of PERFORMING BEASTS in the World.

GRAND FREE SENSATION PRIOR TO EVERY EXHIBITION. Mr. HARRY WAMBOLD, the expert Aerial Pedestrian, will traverse a Single Wire from the ground to the top of the pavilion, and return.

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GRAND FANCY AND DRESS BALL OF THE SIBERIAN BENEVOLENT AND MUTUAL AID ASSOCIATION. (BRANCH NO. 1).

ODD FELLOWS' HALL. On Tuesday Evening, Nov. 15, 1871.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS: William Kernaghan, John O'Reilly, Hugh Flynn, Richard McKinley, Thomas Brady, Thomas Hagan.

THE BEST BRASS BAND IN AMERICA. Admission Free. Refreshments of all kinds for sale at reasonable rates. T. J. JUDT, Proprietor.

ATTORNEYS AT LAW. J. S. WHITAKER. ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW.

CHARLES S. RICE & WILLIAM M. WHITAKER. ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW.

HAWKINS & THOMP. ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW.

ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW. 19. Commercial Place. NEW ORLEANS.

BUSINESS CHANGES. DISSOLUTION—The CO-PARTNERSHIP between G. B. Salomon and J. M. Salomon is hereby dissolved by mutual consent.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NORWEGIAN BEER. Just received, direct from Christiania, Norway. 250 cases Norwegian Beer. For sale by W. M. OWEN, Agent.

W. M. OWEN, Agent for the sale of FINE WINES AND BRANDIES, OLD BOURBON AND RYE WHISKY.

RAMIE PLANTS FOR SALE. Crescent City Ramie Planting AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

RAMIE PLANTS, securely packed for shipping, for sale by the thousand at reasonable rates.

LEON GODCHAUX'S SOUTHERN COTTON MANUFACTORY. 51 and 53—Cannal Street—51 and 53 AND 55, 57 AND 59 OLD LEVEE.

BOYS' AND MEN'S CLOTHING. AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. On account of giving up business.

CHARLES LAMM. The public is invited to call and examine the stock.

GAS. The best and cheapest gas in the city can be had by applying at the Gas Company's office.

REPAIRING & KENNETT. UPHOLSTERS AND FURNITURE DEALERS. Carpets, Mattings and Oil Cloth cleaned and laid.

GEORGE ALLEN. 185—Esplanade street—185 OFFERS TO CLEAR MAKERS AND DEALERS IN CIGARS THE FOLLOWING:

\$1,000,000. Can be made in a short time by a few shrewd men who will not reveal the secret of the business under any circumstances.

COAL FOR WINTER. Families should order their WINTER COAL at once, and avoid the rush when cold weather comes.

HOMES FOR THE HOMELESS. AND EMPLOYMENT FOR THE MILLION. Hebrew for Texas!

IMPORTERS OF SAZERAC BRANDY, WINES AND LIQUORS. Place, New Orleans, Louisiana.

THOMAS H. HANDY & CO. (Successor to John R. Schiller.)

MACHINERY. ROUBIN AND BOLLER MANUFACTORY. Corner of Esplanade and New Levee streets.

THE TEMPERATURE. The thermometer at Louis Frigero's No. 50 Chartres street, stood as follows yesterday at 8 A. M., 50°; at 2 P. M., 60°; at 6 P. M., 59°.

GOVERNOR WARMOTH UNITED WITH THE LEVEE EXCURSIONISTS WEDNESDAY, by the invitation of Collector Casey and Hon. Frank Morcy, chairman of the Congressional levee committee.

THE CITY HALL.

The Mayor yesterday addressed a letter to the president of the Citizens' Association, stating that he had been informed the Association had authorized the appointment of a committee to investigate the affairs of the city government.

The Mayor stated that the present grave situation of city affairs demanded such a movement, and that the Administration would cheerfully concur in any measures taken to effect the desired end.

The suit between the city of New Orleans and the Chattanooga Railroad Company relative to the claim of the former for levee dues is expected to come up soon in the Supreme Court of the State.

The objections of City Attorney George S. Lacey to the resolution passed by the Legislature in 1869 are threefold in character: The unconstitutionality of the title and the provisions of the joint resolution; the want of authority on the part of the Legislature to control the municipal charges and levies; and, lastly, the transgression of legislative power and authority by donating public revenues to a private purpose.

A contemporary objects that the provision in the budget for drainage machinery is excessive, and insists that the \$350,000 required for machinery to drain the rear of the city from Carrollton to Washington avenue, and from the New canal to Bienville street, should be expended in deepening and widening the canals.

The canals already cut are amply sufficient to carry off all the water that falls this side of Metairie ridge, but are comparatively useless unless new and powerful engines are placed at the Melpouene and Bienville streets draining machines.

The opinion of Surveyor Bell. Those who are interested in draining schemes that have already cost the city immense sums in lawyers' fees, for which no services were ever rendered, are the parties most clamorous in urging excavations.

Let us here pause in the onward march of this road, the great artery through which is to flow untold millions of wealth, giving strength and life to our State, to touch and feel the pulse of the great life-giving force.

What we want to make here, a land of rich abundance, flowing in milk and honey, and the home of wealth and comfort and capital and labor. Her natural resources, her variety of climate, her vast extent of alluvial soil, and the cheapness of lands here, are all advantages that are within the limits of civilization.

The Rev. Father Nugent, of Liverpool, no tour through this country for the purpose of promoting the immigration of the farmers of the United States to the South and West immigration societies professing to put before the world all the features of our country, but he sought in vain for information of the great Texas.

Efforts are being made to induce the Department to rebuild the sunken wharves at Montegut and Clout streets.

Another River Excursion. The revenue enter Wilderness went up yesterday as far as Bonnet Carré, where some five hundred laborers are at work on the crevasse, the work of repairing which is now so far completed that all danger from an immediate rise of the river is over.

Chief among the excursionists were the congressional committee, several merchants who are members of the Chamber of Commerce, correspondents of the Washington Chronicle and New York Evening Express, and members of the city press.

On the return trip the excursionists landed at the plantation of Mr. P. J. Kennedy, and witnessed the improved method of making sugar. The day and the excursion were greatly enjoyed by the whole company, who landed at about seven o'clock.

Death of Henry Block. A letter from Corsicana, Texas, announces the death of our former well known citizen Henry Block, of the firm of Block & Britton, merchants on Common street.

Mr. Block was one of our ante bellum merchants, and has been associated in business with several well established houses, chiefly in the Western produce line. When we last saw him he appeared to be in his usual good health, and his death was an event least expected by some of his old friends who have more recently not been in the habit of meeting him often.

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OUR TEXAS CORRESPONDENCE.

Steady Advance of the Texas Central Railroad—South of an Old New Orleans Railroad—The Great Resources and Natural Advantages of the Lone Star State.

CORNICANA, TEXAS, October 23, 1871. EDITOR TRIBUNE: Since my last communication from this place, the onward march of the railroad has been steady.

The best capital that can be brought here is attracted to the Lone Star State, and the rush to her shores will be almost beyond calculation.

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THE COURTS.

A decision affecting the final account in the success of Beranger was rendered in the Second District Court.

The heirs of John Shilwell were put in possession of the estate of the deceased.

The former judgment annulling the pretended will of Anna Maria Schneider was maintained.

In the Sixth District Court, suit is brought by H. Felbrack against the Liverpool & London Steam Navigation Company for this: That the company assured a suit brought by the petitioner for a policy of insurance on his property destroyed, by setting up the fact that the vessel was on fire, with the view of defeating the company.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

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