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NEW ORLEANS, MAY 22, 1877.

The office of the New Orleans DEMOCRAT has been removed from 74 Camp Street to 109 Gravier Street.

The Only Authorized Collecting Agents of the Democrat for the City are Messrs. H. H. BARKER and P. O. DRIVEN.

We surrender a large portion of our columns this morning to communications on the subject of the railroad tax.

POLICY OF THE ADMINISTRATION.

The ambiguity which hitherto has characterized all the utterances and acts of the new administration was somewhat lightened by the observations of Secretary Schurz and Attorney General Everts at the reception of the Chamber of Commerce of New York.

These gentlemen spoke out with remarkable distinctness on two points. Both, and Mr. Everts being a New Yorker, with special emphasis denounced the present protective tariff and our shipping laws, and charged to their baneful influence the serious loss of our once proud position as the chief marine carriers of the world, and the obstructing and hampering of manufacturing enterprise by the high duty on machinery.

He joined, too, Mr. Schurz in his demand for civil office reform, which will give a higher tone to the character of our political administration and will make intelligence, honesty and capacity rather than political party and political services the tests of fitness and the qualifications for public station.

What beautiful sentiments," exclaimed Sir Peter Teazle, when the young Surface regaled and bamboozled him with like professions of disgust and hostility, for the "wicked ways" of the world, while the cunning young rascal was in fact an adept in the very worst practices of that world.

That distinguished statesman and jurist, ex-Lieut. Gov. John L. Marye, of Virginia, is on a visit to our city, attending the session of the General Assembly of the Presbyterians now being held in this city.

NEW ORLEANS PACIFIC RAILWAY.

TO THE PEOPLE.

In spite of the well understood fact that the New Orleans Pacific Railway Company never had any other idea than to build their road continuously from New Orleans to Shreveport, on Red River, and Marshall, Texas, and have the entire line between these initial and terminal points under contract, some persons for want of information, and others who are the enemies of all public enterprises, from a motive to misrepresent, persist in asserting and circulating the contrary.

THE LAW'S DELAYS.

A case has been decided in Russia which bears a slight resemblance to that of Mrs. Gaines recently decided by the United States Court. A nobleman's wife having given birth to a boy, some difficulty was experienced in obtaining a suitable wet nurse.

Nicholas died, and Alexander II began to reign, but the case dragged slowly along. The other day, during a brilliant review, a messenger dashed upon horseback to the handsome young colonel of the Czar's staff, and presented an official-looking envelope, saying, "Colonel, here is the judgment of the Senate."

Mrs. Gaines had reached the age of twenty-five and was the mother of several children before she ever had the slightest idea that she was not the daughter of Capt. Sam. B. Davis, whose name she had always borne and that she was the daughter of Daniel Clarke, which has just been adjudicated by the United States court after she has turned seventy years.

Truly Hamlet spoke philosophically when he named the "law's delays" as one of those "ills that flesh is heir to" that justify "self slaughter."

THE WAR.

Every day develops a more formidable aspect of the great war in the East. There is no relaxation of the vigor and determination of the Russians to overwhelm Turkey.

Even the emphatic declaration of the Commons against Gladstone's peace and non-intervention policy falls harmless and impotently upon their grim resolve. The policy and enmity which so many years have nourished, strengthened and expanded, have culminated in the present supreme effort to expel the Turks from Europe, and establish the Cross, as it once waved, over the whole continent.

This is the resolve that now animates and impels the vast legions which swarm all along the northern boundaries of Turkey.

And now the whole civilized world awaits with breathless impatience the action of England. All doubts as to what that action will be begin to be dissipated. The Russophiles of the Gladstone-Carlyle school have received a sharp and effective reproof from the Commons of Great Britain.

SUPREME COURT.

The case of the State of Louisiana ex rel. Allen Jumel vs. Geo. B. Johnson was decided yesterday morning by Chief Justice Manning, in favor of the relator. The court held that defendant could not put at issue in such proceedings as he sought by his answer to do, and ordered a peremptory mandamus to issue, commanding the defendant to deliver to relator the books, archives, etc., of the State Auditor's office.

Dr. Lowry, of Louisville, occupied the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church last evening, and delivered a most eloquent and impressive discourse. This evening there will be a meeting of the members of the Assembly, and of all persons who desire to attend, to hear several eloquent and learned parties on the subject of foreign missions.

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EXTRA!

SPECIAL BY TELEGRAM.

NEW ORLEANS, May 9, 1877. B. CRONER, New York. This sale this week was very large, the store was thronged with people daily, from morning until late at night.

NEW YORK, May 9, 1877. W. Croner, New Orleans: Received your dispatch. Am well pleased Continue to sell goods as low as possible.

TO OUR PATRONS AND THE PUBLIC. In consequence of the present dullness of the times and the advanced rate in rent we are compelled to

SELL OUT

—OF—

LIQUIDATE.

THE SALE TO BE CONTINUED ON

MONDAY, MAY 14.

and from day to day until the whole stock is finally disposed of. We therefore offer our entire stock of

DRY GOODS,

- Carpets, Window Shades, Matting, Oil Cloths, Lace Curtains, Cornices, Etc., Etc., Etc., 25 Per Cent Less than the First Cost of Importation.

In order to secure Great Bargains and First Choice of our Stock, which must be sold out in a short time as possible, we would solicit the early patronage of the public.

B. & W. CRONER, 147 Canal Street.

Store for Rent and Fixtures For Sale. my13 1m

SHERWOOD FOREST. A NEW RESORT FOR SUMMER IDLING. GREEN LAKE, WISCONSIN.

This charming Lodge, to be opened on the 20th of May, is embraced by a hundred acres of grand old Oaks, lying with gentle grade along the north shore of Green Lake.

Is a large inviting structure, with broad verandas, large airy rooms and halls, and supplied with all the appointments of first-class summer resorts. It was commenced in the spring of 1874, partially completed, and partially opened for a few weeks, and in 1875 made its formal bow to a crowded house.

GAMES. A billiard house and bowling alleys, together with popular lawn games, are provided.

TERMS. Board, per week \$12 00, Board, per day \$2 00, Children under 10 years, and servants, hal price.

Special terms for those who come early or stay late. J. C. SHERWOOD, Proprietor.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS. By an act of the Legislature the city is authorized to receive SCRIP for a large portion of the TAXES for the year 1875, and all previous years, and to remit the INTEREST on those of 1875 and previous years.

We are prepared to pay any of the above Taxes on the most favorable terms; also to pay STATE TAXES and LICENSES. JOHN KLEIN & CO., 33 Carondelet Street.

GREAT REDUCTION IN THE PRICES OF THE SINGER SEWING MACHINES. Office No. 91 Canal Street. my19 1m

W. H. Barnett, Broker, OFFICE 38 ST. CHARLES STREET. Opposite St. Charles Hotel.

Dealer in Gold, Coin, Stocks, Bonds and Securities. State, City and Police Warrants bought and sold. Mortgage and Commercial Paper negotiated. Cash loaned on Securities, Taxes and Licenses settled at most liberal rate of discount. my8 1m

E. DUBOIS, FASHIONABLE TAILOR, NO 6 CARONDELET ST. HAS ALWAYS ON HAND A LARGE STOCK OF FRENCH AND ENGLISH GOODS.

SPECIAL ATTENTION WILL BE GIVEN TO THE MAKING OF MILITARY UNIFORMS And all styles of Gentlemen's DRESS AND BUSINESS SUITS, AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES. ap29 1m M&E

EXTRAORDINARY

SALE

DRY GOODS

—AT—

DANZIGER'S

THIS WEEK.

203 CANAL STREET,

Between Rampart and Burgundy.

BRANCH STORE AT

228 and 230 Royal Street,

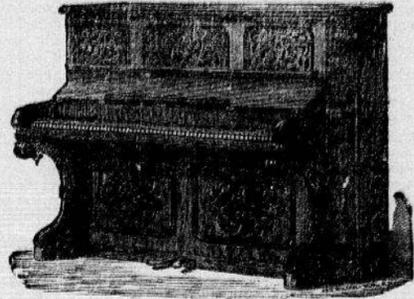
Corner St. Philip. my12 1m

JEWELRY AT AUCTION!

EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY. I. C. LEVI, Auctioneer, 108 Canal Street. WILL OFFER, TWICE A WEEK, HIS LARGE AND ELEGANT STOCK OF JEWELRY AT AUCTION, And remainder of days will sell at Private Sale, as usual, from FIVE to TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT LESS than any other establishment which advertises daily. Watches Repaired and Diamonds Reset. Only by skillful workmen, at the lowest rates. I. C. LEVI, 108 Canal Street. ap26 1m

UPRIGHT CHICKERING PIANOS,

Which are presented to the public as the most perfect Pianos of their class in the world. The Manufacturers, by utilizing all the improvements developed during the last fifty years, have succeeded in making a piano, which in tone, touch and durability, surpasses all pianos made either in Europe or this country, and offering it to the public as low as any good Upright Piano made. I have a full assortment of the same on hand, and invite the public to examine them. I have a low-priced Upright PIANO, made by



HARDMAN & CO., Fifty second-hand Pianos on hand, and for sale, at a bargain. Pianos tuned and repaired. Mason & Hamlin Organs, nine stops, only \$114.



PHILIP WERLEIN, The Leading Piano Dealer, my20 1m 78 and 90 BARONNE STREET, N. O.

Disenses of the Eye and Ear.

DR. C. BEARD, OCUList AND AURIST, 142 Canal Street, Look Box 1917. New Orleans, La. 1870 1y 1m

WORTH 400, WE SELL AT 300, WORTH 500, WE SELL AT 400, WORTH 600, WE SELL AT 500, WORTH 750, WE SELL AT 600, WORTH \$1, WE SELL AT 750, WORTH \$1 40, WE SELL AT \$1

Under the City, TRY OUR \$1 COOLONG, Hotel, TRY OUR \$1 IMPERIAL, Camp, TRY OUR \$1 GUNPOWDER, Street, TRY OUR \$1 ENG BREAKFAST, Near, TRY OUR \$1 YOUNG HYSON, Com- mon, TRY OUR \$1 JAPAN

HONG KONG TEA COMPANY.

GOOD RIO, 25% FINE RIO, 25% BEST RIO, 27% BEST RIO, 27% GENUINE CORDOVA, 30% GENUINE CORDOVA, 30% REAL OLD JAVA, 40% REAL OLD JAVA, 40%

GREEN RIO, 17 1-2c, 20c, 22 1-2c, 25c. OUR FAMOUS MEXICAN COFFEE. 22 1-2c

REAL OLD GOVERNMENT JAVA, 32 1-2c

GENUINE MOCHA, 40c. Our Goods are Warranted Free From Any Adulteration. 1017 3m 2p

MATTINGS, OIL CLOTHS, CARPETS. ELKIN & CO., 168 Canal Street. 168

Are receiving new styles of FANCY CANTON MATTINGS, BRUSSELS and INGRAIN CARPETS and FLOOR OIL CLOTHS, All at the Lowest Prices. my8 1m 2p

Wood-Wood-Wood. AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. HONEY ISLAND WOOD and COAL YARD, No. 375 Julia Street, New Basin, near Magnolia Bridge. Postoffice address, Look Box No. 1080. Delivered to all parts of the city. PRICES FOR THIS WEEK. Ash wood, per cord \$5 00, Oak wood, per cord \$5 00, Ash and oak mixed, per cord \$5 00. Liberal discount made to dealers. Satisfaction guaranteed. mh7 20pt m4p P. RADELAT, Agent.

THE BEST PIANOS. AT GRUNEWALD HALL. AT LOW PRICES. EASY MONTHLY INSTALLMENT. Steinway & Sons. Achieved a double victory at the Centennial. W. Knabe & Co., Pleyel Wolf & Co., The Leading Pianos of the World and Unsurpassed for the Southern Climate. PARLOR and CHURCH ORGANS, Of the Most Popular Makers. Direct Importation of all kinds of MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS and PUBLISHERS OF SHEET MUSIC. WHOLESALE and RETAIL. orders solicited and satisfaction guaranteed. Specimens of Second Class Pianos, which can be sold from \$100 to \$150 lower than a PLEYEL are always on hand for inspection and comparison. LOUIS GRUNEWALD, 14, 16, 18, 20 and 22 Baronne Street. 1st 20y

NEW BUTTER. 10 Firkins Goshen, 100 Tubs Western Creamery and Dairy. FOR SALE BY E. S. KEEP & SONS, my20 2d 2d 77 and 79 Poydras Street.

New Orleans Savings Institution, No. 156 Canal Street. TRUSTEES: A. MOULTON, K. A. PALFREY, CARL KOHN, T. L. KAYNE, DAVID URQUHART, GEORGE JONAS, JOHN G. GAINES, THOS. A. ADAMS, THOS. A. CLARKE, CHRISTN. SCHNEIDER, CHAS. J. LEEDS, SAMUEL JAMISON. Interest Allowed on Deposits. D. URQUHART, President. CHAS. KILSHAW, Treasurer. ap15 1y 2p

GAS FIXTURES FOR SALE, Below New York Wholesale Prices. EITHER TO THE TRADE OR PUBLIC GENERALLY. Also a large supply of English Pipe Hooks Gas Fitters' Tools and Malleable Fittings can be bought, for cash, less than factory quotations, at 36 Camp Street. ap27 1y JOHN C. FLEMING, Agent.

A. CARRIERE & SONS, COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Corner Royal and Customhouse. Liberal Advances made on Consignments to our friends in LONDON, LIVERPOOL, HAVRE and BORDEAUX. ap26 9m 2p THE RED STAR SHOE STORE, Corner Customhouse and Bourbon. ALL FINE SHOES RECEIVED DIRECT FROM FACTORIES. H. B. STANLEY, Purchasing Agent, New York. R. MILLER, Purchasing Agent, Boston. M. BOWLING, Special Agent for Ladies' Serge Goods, Office 473 Main Street, St. Louis. F. DARTINGTON, Principal Purchasing Agent, Baltimore and New York Auctions. HENRY BERRY, Special Agent for Philadelphia Shoes. All purchasers representing themselves as shoe dealers will benefit reductions on every bill. my3 1m 2p ARTHUR DUREU.

W. W. WASHBURN, ARTIST PHOTOGRAPHER, 113 Canal Street. Opposite Clay Square, New Orleans. Mr. WASHBURN is himself an artist of twenty-five years' experience, and is supported in each department by a corps of assistants who have no superiors in this or the Old World. He is the master of his business. Besides employing the best artists he uses the best materials, and makes the best work on the Continent. You may call this "BLOWING HIS OWN HORN" but for proof he refers you to his thirty thousand patrons, and to his work, which may be inspected at his Art Gallery. 106 6m 2p