

From various sources the statement comes that Gov. Warmoth, in the exercise of his discretion, contemplates convening the Legislature in extraordinary session some time in November next.

According to the provisions of the Constitution, the Legislature would convene any way on the first Monday in January, which is only two months later than the period fixed by rumor for the meeting of the extra session.

What particular exigency in State affairs has operated upon the Governor's mind—supposing he takes any account of the State—so as to influence him to a bare contemplation of convening the General Assembly in extra session, we, who are known not to be in His Excellency's confidence, are not expected to know.

We might suggest some legislation which in our opinion is greatly needed; but as it would have reference entirely to lessening the burdens now borne by the people, and none whatever to the increase of salaries or to extravagant appropriations, our suggestion would no doubt be rejected with contempt, if not indignation.

We have learned that the government of Louisiana is only nominally the people's government, and in reality is the government of "rings."

Men chosen to legislate for the State, and to the end that the greatest good should accrue to the greatest number, legislate persistently for themselves and favorites, and in order to make government not the blessing it was designed, but the curse it was devised to avoid.

The people, just now, all over the State are putting their hands into their pockets and paying from their hard earnings the cost of maintaining the adventurers and usurpers who now control the State, and never was a Shylock so clamorous for his pound of flesh as the tax-gatherer for his taxes.

the most flimsy pretexts. The hope of effecting this outrage consoles the Radicals with the loss of popular strength and gives them confidence of maintaining power regardless of the popular will.

How RAILROADS ARE BUILT.—The Columbus (Miss.) Index says: "The question of subscribing one hundred thousand dollars of bonds in aid of the Selma and Memphis Railroad, was submitted to the people of Pickens on Tuesday last, and we are glad to announce was adopted by a majority of eight or nine hundred votes, as we are informed by gentlemen and letters from Carrollton."

Here we have the evidence of how railroads are built east of the Mississippi river, and also the secret of the rapid improvement of that portion of the South over the States lying west of the Mississippi. The people there realize the value of railroads not only as a means of transportation and travel, but their far greater value as tending to develop the hidden resources of a country and to bring it prominently into notice.

STREET TAX.—The Town Council have properly levied a tax of three dollars upon all male residents of Monroe above the age of 16 years, as a commutation for street duty, leaving it optional with the individual to pay the tax or work the streets the required time, which we believe is three days.

And the law called the Revenue law of the State surpasses all previous revenue statutes in compass, in rates and convenient ambiguity.

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"Private and Confidential" Radical Circular.

The Radical party of Louisiana has a "State Central Executive Committee," composed of sixteen individuals, with headquarters in New Orleans. Among the sixteen we find the names of S. B. Packard, O. J. Dunn (col'd), John Ray, B. F. Joubert (col'd) and M. H. Twitchell.

The following secret circular signalises the advent of this Committee into official existence; it having strayed into our possession regardless of the injunction of secrecy imposed upon the original possessor by the circular itself, and now published for the benefit of the Democracy throughout the State.

Portions of the circular we have italicized with the view of showing more clearly the character of the opposition to the Democratic party in Louisiana. Considering the fact that there is not likely to be a general election in the State before November, 1870, the Radicals appear to be in somewhat of a hurry to organize Committees and clubs, raise money and circulate documents.

We submit to Democrats the necessity of watching vigilantly the movements of our opponents. A desperate effort will be made by the Radicals to weaken our strength, to counteract which we must be vigilant and constant in devotion to our party interests.

The circular has been recently issued, and reads as follows: HEAD QUARTERS, STATE CENTRAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY OF LOUISIANA. New Orleans, La., 1869.

We would earnestly request you to at once place yourselves in communication with us, and to the end, that the exact status of the party in your Parish, and its organization, may be known to this Committee and that we may be prepared to act in all cases, with promptitude and accuracy, please furnish us with the following information:

- 1st: With a list of the members, officers, residence and P. O. address of your Parish Committee. 2nd: With a list and the location of the different Republican Clubs of your Parish, the names of their officers, and their address, and the voting strength of such Clubs. 3rd: With the names and residence of bolting Republicans and doubtful Republicans who are connected with any bolting organization. 4th: With the names of all persons who have not publicly acted with us, who are inclined to act with the Republican Party. 5th: With the names of any "Third Party" men, "Whigs" or members of any political party opposed to the Democratic party. 6th: With the names of the prominent, influential, and active Republicans of your Parish. 7th: The number of Republican votes in the Parish, and the amount of money that can be raised among them for a canvass. 8th: A statement of the peace and order of the Parish, and the prospect of a fair and quiet election whenever one takes place.

9th: A statement of the number and names of Republican newspapers taken in your parish, and the names of four or five active and responsible persons who will circulate documents and papers. 10th: With a list of all persons holding office by election or appointment of Republicans, who are opposing the party, or acting with our enemies.

If you have no Republican organization in the parish, please furnish us with the names of four or five prominent and influential Republicans, who will, upon the authority of this Committee, act as a Parish Committee, organize such clubs as may be necessary, call a Parish Convention, and elect a full Parish Committee—complete the organization, and open correspondence with us, as above set forth.

All information tending to show in what locality protection and militia will be needed, should be carefully forwarded to this Committee. Please designate some energetic and responsible person, who will transact any necessary business for us, and report monthly. N. B.—This Circular is of course private and confidential.

IMPORTANT, IF SUSTAINED.—In a suit brought on a mortgage drawn in French, by Morrison & Farmer for the Consolidated Association of New Orleans, before the District Court in this parish, the attorneys for the defense, Stubbs & Cobb, plead that the mortgage was unconstitutional, because drawn in a language different from that required by the Constitution, which provides that "the laws, public records, and the judicial and legislative written proceedings of the State, shall be promulgated, preserved and conducted in the language in which the Constitution of the United States is written."

If there be a single reader of some of the New Orleans papers who is not thoroughly disgusted with the Louisiana State Lottery, and especially the newspaper editorial notices of the concern, we would like to place ourself in communication with some relative of that reader with the view of having him interdicted by the courts. We can assure the city press that these notices are a nuisance to the general reader—regular dead-falls, holding out a tempting literary bait for a heading, but invariably winding up with the same old song about the State Lottery and the way (not) to draw a big fortune.

We have decided to suspend, for the present, the Daily and Tri-Weekly Post. The prostration of the Republican press throughout the State is a necessary consequence of the late disastrous overthrow of the Republican party.—Memphis Post.

We infer then that the Republican party of Tennessee, after all, is sure enough dead. The pap afforded the Republican press of the State is, therefore, cut off, and the press having no merits and no readers, of course dies too.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STRAYED, FROM the undersigned, living at Bastrop, La., a DARK BAY MARE MULE, about six years old, 14 1/2 hands high, branded on the left shoulder with "483," and other distinguishing marks. Was last seen about the 1st of August last, in the vicinity of Mraz, Dinkgraves' on the river below Monroe. A liberal reward will be paid for the recovery of said mule. J. C. GODFREY, n51:3t

TRENTON SMITH SHOP. THE undersigned respectfully informs the public, and especially tax-drawers and wagoners, that he keeps a Blacksmith Shop in Trenton, opposite the Livery Stable, where he is prepared to shoe horses, make all kinds of new work and do repairing on wagons, carriages, &c., at the shortest notice, and upon the most reasonable terms. A liberal share of patronage solicited. T. STRIMPLING, n51:3t

TO TEACHERS—TEXT BOOKS. THE SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY Series of Text Books is the cheapest and the best. Specimen copies sold at one-half Publishers' prices. Special terms made for introduction. Teachers will please forward their addresses, and send for catalogues and circulars to J. LANE BORDEN, Trenton, La. General Agent for Text Books of all kinds, and for the "Memoirs of the War," edited by General R. E. Lee. n51:3t

HENRY RENSRAW, ALBERT CAMMACK, RENSRAW & CAMMACK, Successors to West, Renshaw & Cammack and Geo. West, COTTON AND SUGAR FACTORS, General Commission Merchants, No. 32 Perdido Street, New Orleans. n51:3t

ANDREW J. AIKEN, JOHN W. WATT, AIKEN & WATT, (Successors to ROTCHFORD, BROWN & Co.) COTTON FACTORS, COMMISSION MERCHANTS, No. 60 Carondelet St., New Orleans. REFERENCES BY PERMISSION: Union Bank New Orleans, La., Crescent City Bank, Messrs. Pileg, Brodier & Co., New Orleans, Chas. G. Gallagher, Esq. n51:3t

FALL FASHIONS, 1869. J. HAYMAN, S. M. MARKS, JOSEPH HAYMAN & CO., Corner DeSiard and Second streets, Monroe, La. n51:3t

WE ARE constantly receiving in addition to our regular stock of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods, fresh additions of: LATEST STYLE OF DRESS GOODS in all of its various grades: Poplins, Merinos, Delaines, &c.; Calicoes, Kerseys, Linens, Cambrics, Tickings, Stripes, Jeans, Trunks, Satinettes, Casimeres, Broadcloths, Plain, Twilled, Shaker and Onera Flannels, Nones Sentinas, and Onera Plaids, Shawls, Hoods, Jackets, Shawls, Latest styles Balmain Skirts, Hoop Skirts, &c., &c. WE also offer a superior and carefully selected stock of: Ladies' Mincee, and Children's Shoes, Boots, Gents' Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Traveling and Packing Trunks, Valises, &c., Tobacco, Cigars, Fancy articles, &c., &c. All of which we will sell as low as possible for either Cash or Cotton. WE take this method of thanking our friends for past favors, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. Our constant aim will be to give our customers the greatest variety of the liberal patronage extended to us since the time we have been established here. J. HAYMAN & CO., DeSiard Street, Corner 2nd, MONROE, LA. n51:3t

Sept. 23, 1869. P. S.—Our "old" customers will be duly notified of the arrival of the new MILLINERY GOODS for the season. J. H. & Co.

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Sept. 8, 1869. G. L. HERNDON, L. V. MARYE, HERNDON & MARYE, GENERAL COMMISSION AND STORAGE MERCHANTS, GRAND ST., MONROE, LA. n51:3t

WILL attend to the sale, shipment or storage of cotton, and to making purchases for planters by insurance, unless otherwise instructed. Policies of insurance upon residences, gin-houses and cotton in gin, issued upon liberal terms. Liberal advances made on notes and drafts. Liberal advances to their friends in New Orleans, New York or Liverpool. Sept. 15, 1869. n51:3t

FRUIT TREES AND GRAPE VINES FROM the extensive Nurseries of P. J. BERCKMANS, AUGUSTA, GEORGIA, will be furnished by location on the quantities and tributaries. I will deliver the trees &c., at any landing thereon or at any point on the N. E. & T. R. R. Descriptive catalogues, gratis. Freight on shipments is additional to be paid by purchasers. Trains—Each order must be accompanied by cash or draft on some house in New Orleans, Monroe or Trenton. W. W. FARMER, Monroe La. Sept. 8, 1869. n51:3t AGENT

SOUTHERN CARRIAGE FACTORY. THE undersigned takes pleasure in making known that he is now as well prepared as before the war, if not better, to do all kinds of work, either in manufacturing or repairing carriages, buggies, hacks, etc. Ready made work kept on hand; specimens of which may be seen by calling at the Factory. He will also carry on a general Blacksmith shop arranged so as to do all kinds of black smithing. Terms reasonable, FR. ENDOM, n30:7- April 26, 1866.

NOTICE!

OFFICE OF THE NORTH LOUISIANA AND TEXAS RAILROAD CO., MONROE, LA., Sept. 1, 1869. THE first Annual meeting of the Stockholders of the North Louisiana and Texas Railroad Company, will be held at the Company's Office, on Monday, the 1st day of October, 1869, for the purpose of electing nine Directors as provided by the Articles of Charter. Jos. F. McGuire, Secretary, n51:3t

STORES AND WARE-HOUSES IN MONROE, FOR SALE. That very eligible located and valuable property situated at the corner of Grand and DeSiard streets in the town of Monroe. The lot has a front of 100 feet on Grand street and runs back to the Ouachita river. The corner building is two stories in height and has a front of about 45 feet. There are two stores on the lower floor, with a warehouse back of the corner store, and two rooms on the upper floor. The corner front room up stairs is now leased for jewelers shop. Below the two stores is a large iron safe, which is a brick wall, on the lower line of the lot there is a brick wall, two stories in height and well built, which cost \$2000. This wall is not only a great protection against fire but in fine condition to be used as a wall of a brick house if desired. The location is the most central in town. Terms of sale two years with a most excellent balance in one and two years with a per cent interest from date, with mortgage on the property. Apply to E. J. Hart & Co. or Chas. G. Boyd, New Orleans, or to Morrison & Farmer, Agents, n51:3t

NEW DRUG STORE! R. B. LIGNOSKI & CO., Next door South of Chamberlain & Feibelman's, GRAND STREET, MONROE, LOUISIANA, HAVE JUST RECEIVED A complete assortment of DRUGS, PATENT MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, BOOKS, STATIONERY, TOILET ARTICLES, and every article kept in a first class drug store at REASONABLE PRICES. N. B.—Mr. Lignoski has charge of the establishment, and gives his personal attention to the preparation of prescriptions. No Spirituous Liquors sold only for Medical purposes. Jan 13/69

NEW ORLEANS PLANTATION AND CITY INTELLIGENCE OFFICE. WILLIAM MCKEEVER, No. 217 Poydras Street. n51:3t

PLANTERS and others needing Laboring Hands—black or white, male or female—can be supplied, at short notice and reasonable rates, and delivery on plantations guaranteed. Mine is an old established, reliable and well-known Intelligence Labor Agency, as my old Patrons are constantly proving by sending to me their orders and recommendations. City servants always on hand. Gangs procured, at the shortest notice for plantations. NOTICE—Planters applying for Laborers to irresponsible parties or discharged worthless runners who pay no license, have no place of business, have no responsibility, and who do not advertise, must naturally expect to lose their money and time, and be disappointed and damaged by the non-delivery of freely promised worthless hands who, eight times out of ten, are privately engaged to "jump" the Planter at first convenient stopping place. WILLIAM MCKEEVER, Plantation Intelligence Office, 217 Poydras St., New Orleans. n51:3t

Carolina Life Insurance Company. MEMPHIS, TENN. CAPITAL, \$200,000. Income to October 1, (14 1/2 months), \$300,000. OFFICERS: President, J. M. WICKS, Vice-President, J. J. PETTIT, Secretary, W. F. BOYLE, General Agent, J. H. EDMONDSON. BOARD OF DIRECTORS: E. M. Apperson, W. R. Hunt, W. R. Greenleaf, James Phelan, Napoleon Hill, J. G. Longdale, Wm. Joyner, G. W. Smith, A. Sewel, W. L. Vance, N. S. Bruce, B. R. Patten. TRAVELERS & BUREAU, Agents in North Louisiana. Office: Monroe, La. n51:3t

NEW ORLEANS.—General Harry Hays, T. H. and J. M. Allen & Co., Galbreath, Stewart & Tizer, Jennings, Gates & Co., Nelson Laupheid & Co., Beales, Wingo & Co. SHERBROOK.—B. M. Johnson, Banker; Winberry, Ardis & Co., Hamilton & Co. Wholesale Merchants, Cumming, Morrison & Co., T. H. Morris, Druggist, Gregg & Martin, Jessup, Marsh & Wiggins, Hyams & Kennedy. Issues Policies on all the improved plans. No restrictions on travel or residence within the settled limits of the United States, British North America or Europe. All policies non-forfeitable for their equitable value. Liberal deductions made to Ministers. Active, intelligent gentlemen wanted as agents in every Parish. Medical Examiner, Monroe, Dr. Strother. n10:1y

E. J. HART & CO., Wholesale Dealers, Importers and Commission Merchants in— Groceries and Drugs, No's 73, 75 & 77 Tchoupitoulas St. NEW ORLEANS, LA. We keep constantly on hand—Liquors, Tea, Tobacco, Sugars, Sugar Coffee, Provisions, and all descriptions of Groceries, Drugs, Chemicals, Dry Goods, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Window Glass, Patent Medicines. n15:4

50 DOZEN STEEL HOES WITH A splendid assortment of Axes, Hammers, Traces, Collars &c., for sale on lowest terms CHAMBERLAIN & ERIELMAN. n15:4

VIOLINS and Banjos, and Violin, Guitar and Banjo strings for sale at McFee's. n46:1t

A NICE assortment of story books for children, for sale at McFee's. n46:1t