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SATURDAY MORNING, JANUARY 1, 1859.

[illegible] purser of the steamship Matagorda has [illegible] for files of late Texas papers.

NEW YEAR'S AT THE MAYOR'S RESIDENCE.—We are authorized to state that Mayor Stith will receive company to-day from 11 A. M. to 2 P. M., at his residence, [illegible] Gasquet street.

PERSONAL.—Hon. Charles H. Mouton, Lieutenant-Governor and President of the Senate, has been spending the last two or three days in the city. We were glad to hear that he was in the enjoyment of excellent health and spirits. He is a true son of Louisiana, who abates not one jot or tittle of his fealty to his [illegible] under any circumstances, and is in all respects faithful to his people and to the institutions of the South. Would we had more like him. Then the rights of the slaveholding States would not be bartered off to accomplish objects of mere political and individual preferment. But, perhaps, the day is not very far off when loyalty and honor will not be set [illegible] the hoofs of unscrupulous partisanship. We shall see, however.

REAL ESTATE AGENCY.—The large body of the citizens of New Orleans to whom for so many years this gentleman has been familiarly known, will cordially join us in commending the social and business qualities of Mark Walton, Esq., who has opened at No. 10 [illegible], an office for the purchase, sale and appraisement of real estate. Perhaps there is no person in New Orleans who is a more competent judge of real estate than this veteran man of business, who now offers his services in transactions in such property, and to whose card we ask the attention of holders [illegible] to become so.

A [illegible] ACCESSION to the sojourning population [illegible] yesterday made by the arrival of [illegible] Jones, la belle actress, and her mother, [illegible] Jones. She comes to fulfill an engagement at the St. Charles, which will commence on [illegible]. The [illegible] will be ecstatic over this [illegible], for it is the guaranty of a lively demand for [illegible] looking and longing [illegible] will testify its admiration of the starry [illegible] shining in the firmament of the "Old Drury" during the ensuing fortnight.

"THE CLOSING YEAR."—In another column will be found that immortal poem, by George D. Prentice, "The Closing Year." It is peculiarly appropriate to the end of the old year and the beginning of the new, and in that connection we have published it before. Its reproduction is an excellent proof that we appreciate the higher qualities of the Divine Art.

☞See Mr. Yerger's speech on second page.

THE EXHIBITION OF OIL PAINTINGS.—The collection of oil paintings opened for gratis exhibition to-day at No. 44 St. Charles street, by Mr. C. McDonald, includes elegant and costly works of art well suited for the adornment of residences, or the walls of public places. Most of them are original pieces by modern artists of merit and fame, some copies of the old masters, and few, if any of them, but are valuable upon the grounds of their own excellence proper. Fine paintings are like fine wine—they [illegible] with age, and so those of modern production have to contend against the demerit of newness, but those who own them have the satisfaction of knowing that their property is [illegible], and that its continual improvement is paying [illegible] interest on their investment. Those who purchase these [illegible] will be in that position and likewise [illegible] excellent paintings. After being exhibited for a sufficient length of time to give all who desire an opportunity of inspecting them and determining upon those which they wish to purchase at the sale, they will be knocked off by auction, of which due notice will be given. This plan for their disposal will afford all the chance of securing those works which they desire, and enable many to get them very cheap in cases where there may be no competition. We ask attention of art amateurs to advertisement elsewhere published.

NEW ILLUSTRATED PRESENTATION BOOKS.—Our friend, Thomas L. White, 105 Canal street, is on hand for the New Year's holidays, with his usual enterprise, which will probably be to-day rewarded by a rush of customers, seeking among his gorgeous array of elegant gift-books those suiting their [illegible], and such they will find, for amid the assortment [illegible] to make an entirely satisfactory selection. [illegible] all these books are "The Stratford Gallery," "Women of Beauty and Heroism," "The Court of Napoleon," and "A gallery of famous English and American Poets." Mr. White's stock of bibles and prayer-books is full [illegible] no better gift than one or both of [illegible]. We refer to advertisement.

CLOTHING.—We take pleasure in again referring to [illegible] clothing establishment of L. W. Lyons & Co., corner Common and St. Charles streets, and personally "qualifying" [illegible] their ability to fit anybody masculine, with anything [illegible] which may be required for adornment or comfort, [illegible] both. All classes may there find the articles [illegible] and comfort, or of both, outer or inner clothing, at reasonable prices, the variety and extent of the stock assuring [illegible]. We refer to advertisements.

SOMETHING EXQUISITE.—There is something exceedingly beautiful for sale at Piffet's on Canal street, being a shell basket, which is one of the most surprising specimens of [illegible] work which has ever been brought to this city or to [illegible]. We would recommend to any gallant who wishes to [illegible] the affection of his lady-love not to let such desire [illegible] with base considerations of lucre, but go immediately and secure this costly and appropriate gift.

FINE GOLD WATCHES AND JEWELRY.—Mr. O. S. Jennings, who is the agent for the sale of fine gold watches and jewelry, at 20 Camp street, under the City Hotel, has now on hand a fresh stock of those goods, of the very latest patterns and styles, which will be opened this morning, and which he is prepared to sell at New York prices. We refer to advertisement.

"TAR, PITCH AND TURPENTINE."—Messrs. E. Bierney & Co., No. 38 Poydras street, the large dealers in the ship chandlery merchandise which is the product of the pine orchards of the South, announce that they have now on sale a large quantity of spirits of turpentine, rosin, pitch, tar, etc., of the best quality. They also offer by advertisement two thousand [illegible] barrels of the manufacture of F. Duffy. See advertisement.

DR. E. READING.—Our readers will find in another column a communication from this eminent physician for the treatment of consumption, bronchitis, liver complaint, diseases of the heart, etc. The doctor is said to have been very successful in the treatment of the above diseases, and we would advise all who are needing his aid to consult him at once. His references are among the most prominent citizens of our city, some of whom have been cured by him heretofore. His rooms are at No. 109 Canal street, near Carondelet, south side.

A REWARD is offered for the apprehension of a runaway servant girl.

CHANGE OF FIRM.—Notice is given of the change of style of the firm of A. B. Clarke & Co., to "Clarke & Picton."

AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS, ETC.—Messrs. J. A. Beard & Co., are the successors of the eminent auction firm of J. A. Beard & May, and publish their card in another column as auctioneers, appraisers, and general agents for the sale of real estate, slaves, furniture, stocks, etc. The gentlemen of this firm it is unnecessary for us to say, are accomplished men of business and of wide reputation in the commercial world.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD for the griffe girl Grace, absconded yesterday, may be known by an enlarged ankle. See advertisement of Mrs. Van Ostrand in another column.

DISSOLUTION.—The well-known firm of Messrs. [illegible] Commagere & Co., has been dissolved in consequence of the death of M. Louis Commagere. The business of the firm will be continued by the surviving partners, Messrs [illegible] of Bordeaux, and S. D. Gratiot of New Orleans, to whom we ask attention.

EDUCATION.—All who desire to be qualified for business, are referred to that well-known institution, Dolbear's Commercial College, No. 106 Canal street. See advertisement.

NEW YEAR'S DAY.

EIGHTEEN FIFTY-EIGHT went out with tears and sobs, the most reluctant year to take its place in the dark strata of the past that we can remember.

We might complain of the [illegible] of the Christmas holidays, in a mire of mud and water, and a chilly atmosphere, and beneath a firmament of black lead, acting as a filtering [illegible] to celestial deluges. We might complain of the coughs, colds, and influenzas, now afflicting the multitudes who would turn out during the holidays, weather or no weather. We might enter our solemn protest against the wretched [illegible] upon the school-children, who, having [illegible], have still had no out-door benefit of the [illegible] holidays. We might say some strong [illegible] about dainty-footed ladies who have had no chance of turning out to peregrinate to [illegible] shopdom for their new year purchases. We might echo the wail of the shop-keepers, whose business has been damaged to the extent of untold thousands. We might translate into orthodox English the grumblings and the maledictions of the theatrical managers and other showmen who have been grinned at by empty chairs, during the late reign of rain and of mud and water. All these things we might do. But we wont.

The last gasp of a dying year is too solemn, when we think of it properly, to allow us to criticise it. For, with the death of the year, there must arise sorrowful remembrances which will draw the sigh and the tear from many who laughed and rejoiced at its birth. During 1858 the yellow destroyer made a voracious meal in our midst, dining on robust manhood and glowing womanhood, all of them forgetful of death in the brightness of their health and hope, and making his dessert of the young, the beautiful and the tender, from the sweet home firesides of the high and the low alike, and leaving for compensation nothing but crape, empty chairs and weeping memories. Taking this view of the dead year, one cannot reproach it for its dark and dismal departure.

But of the New Year! To-day will be one of rejoicing and congratulation throughout the civilized world. To-day will be the vignette of a virgin leaf in the latest of the great volumes of time. The sorrowers having finished their records on the last page of vol. 1858, will carry over nothing but memories requiring no entry in vol. 1859, though with some they may forbid the immediate jotting down of the bright figures of hope and cheer. But time is a wonderful healer, and before the volume of 1859 shall be filled, or even half filled, it will be quits with the sorrowful volume of 1858. Youth, health, and the prosperous avocations of daily life in a great metropolis like this, must inevitably shrivel up the tendrils of the past, and shoot forth new tendrils, to twine about and beautify the trees in hope's sweet garden of the future.

Whether to-day be bright or gloomy, in its weather aspects, it will still be New Year's Day, and no Christian will fail to hail it as such. Let petty animosities be forgotten; let bad habits be rectified; let debts be canceled, or if that should be impossible, let them be soothed with honest explanation; let every man feel that he is a human being, and greet all his fellows as human beings; let no one look into the future without feeling the present and remembering the past; and, if all these things be done, the first page in vol. 1859 will be a page, a new leaf to which no one will be able to revert without sensations of honest pride and real satisfaction.

The Crescent bids to all its readers and friends, "and the rest of mankind," "one and all, great and small," a happy New Year, and many repetitions of the same.

A HANDSOME DONATION.—The Treasurers of the St. Mary's Catholic Orphan Boys' Asylum this morning acknowledge, in another part of our paper, the receipt of a donation to the orphans from a well-known citizen, who never forgets the city of his adoption whilst absent; we mean Mr. J. M. Caballero. Acts such as this are sure to be remembered, not only by the immediate recipients, but by the community at large.

BANK OF AMERICA.—The election of Directors and President of this Bank, for the following year, has been completed, and a dividend of 6 per cent. declared, payable to the stockholders on and after to-day. We refer to the Cashier's advertised notices, in the proper part of our paper.

☞Carrollton Methodist Church—Rev. C. C. GILLESPIE will preach at the Methodist Church in Carrollton on SUNDAY MORNING at 11 o'clock. ja1 1t

☞Dr. James' advertisement, giving particulars of diseases treated, can be found in another part of this paper. Medical House, No. 82 CUSTOMHOUSE street, between Royal and Bourbon. Dr. JAMES CURES SCROFULA, NERVOUS and GENERAL DEBILITY, etc., etc. d30 2p1m

☞It is quite a common observation that Consumption is the chief curse of this climate, preying upon old and young, and scattering widely its shafts of destruction. But all who have ever traveled through the South and West, or, indeed, through any portion of the interior of the country, must have noticed that there is a disease far more prevalent among Americans than Consumption. Day after day they are alternately shaking as with a nervous fit, or rendered delirious with fever. Most of them find an early grave. No one who has ever seen or experienced this disease can fail to perceive that we allude to what is called Fever and Ague. The discovery of a remedy for this evil must and should be considered a public benefactor, and Dr. J. HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED BITTERS is the remedy, we know from personal trial.

For sale by druggists and dealers generally, everywhere.
d27 2p6t&W

☞What Shall I Give my Wife for a New YEAR'S PRESENT?—If you wish to make her a present that is useful as well as ornamental, go to the Southern Depot of the GROVER & BAKER SEWING MACHINE COMPANY, No. 11 Camp street, and purchase one of their beautiful RAPHINES, put up in a splendid Rosewood Work-box. These Raphines are being introduced into every family where economy is the watchword. All good husbands who will present their wives with one of these beautiful and useful Raphines, will find them a certain preventative against Candle Lectures. d24 2p-ja1

☞Ladies, are you afflicted with Nervousness, Dyspepsia, Want of Energy, Weakness, Dizziness, or Sick Headache, read the following:

J. M. Hulshiser, Doylestown, Pa., June 21, says: "My wife has been afflicted with a Nervous Debility since September, 1854, since which time I have been unable to find any physician or medicine that would benefit her in the least, until one day I called at the store of Dr. Harvey, of this town, for some tincture of iron, and described to him the afflictions of my wife; he then handed me a lot of papers to read, among which I found one describing Hoofland's German Bitters. I immediately procured a few bottles from him, and am pleased to state that the use of the Bitters has done more good than all the medicine she has heretofore taken. I wish you to send me a half dozen bottles."

These Bitters are sold by druggists and storekeepers in every town and village in the United States, Canadas, West Indies and South America, at 75 cents per bottle.

Principal office, 418 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa.

See that you get Hoofland's German Bitters.

Sold in New Orleans, wholesale and retail, by J. WRIGHT & CO., Nos. 21 and 151 Chartres street. d1 2p1m&W

☞Over in Ten Minutes—Bear in mind that it is established by unimpeachable proofs that NO CAUSTIC or burning or drying substances is contained in CRISTADORO'S HAIR DYE; and no human being can detect the difference between natural colors and those produced by this preparation. Applied in ten minutes, by all Hair Dressers. For sale everywhere.

d8 2p1m&W CRISTADORO, No. 6 Astor House, N. Y.

☞The best Sewing Machine is the Grover & Baker—Over twenty thousand Grover & Baker Machines have been sold, and are giving entire satisfaction. The Grover & Baker Machine is the only one which sews from the original spools without rewinding. All other Machines use a shuttle, or, what is more objectionable and complicated, (as in the Sloat and Wheeler & Wilson Machines), a little spooler. The Grover & Baker Machine finishes its work where it stops, which no other Machine does. There is no occasion to fasten the threads at the end of the seam, as is required by all other Machines. The Grover & Baker stitch has for its recommendations superior strength, elasticity and beauty. The Grover & Baker Machines are the only kind used at the extensive Plantation Clothing Factory of Hebrard & Co., on Canal street, and the work done by these Machines is pronounced by Planters who have purchased the Clothing to be stronger than any made by hand, and to wear twice as long as any other clothing.

The Southern Depot of the Grover & Baker Sewing Machines is at No. 11 Camp street, nearly opposite the ladies' entrance of the City Hotel, where these celebrated machines can be purchased fully guaranteed, and instructions will be given to all purchasers free of charge. n23 2ptf

☞Weed's Patent Sewing Machine.—We have been often asked which is the best Sewing Machine in use, and to satisfy ourselves have spent some time in examining them all, and now give our opinion to our readers for their benefit.

We purchased one of the above named Machines, and have tried it on every kind of work required in a family, and it gives the best satisfaction, doing its work very rapidly, neatly, and stronger than the usual hand work. It is much harder to rip work done on this Machine than that done in the ordinary way. It is neat and tasty, being very nicely finished, and to all appearance simple, beyond the possibility of getting out of repair by ordinary use. It is very strong and durable, and we are well assured one of them will not wear out in years of constant use. It has already saved tailors' and dressmakers' bills enough in our family to pay its cost, and we think it a very profitable investment, to say nothing of its convenience and the hours of needle work that it saves a mother. We most emphatically pronounce this the best Sewing Machine in use, and the greatest labor-saving invention of the day.

Messrs. WHITNEY & LYON, who are the proprietors of these Machines, have a sales-room at 345 Broadway, New York. [Chicago Herald.

d4 2p3m&W M. S HEDRICK, Agent, 22 Camp street.

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PRESENTATION BOOKS.

PRETTY NEW JUVENILES,

—And—

New Editions of Popular Favorites.

EXPRESSLY FOR THE

New Year.

—For sale by—

THOMAS L. WHITE,

Bookseller,

105............CANAL STREET............105

—Among which are—

THE STRATFORD GALLERY—Comprising Forty-Five ideal Portraits described by Mrs. J. W. Palmer—One volume, Imperial octavo.

WOMEN OF BEAUTY AND HEROISM, FROM SEMIRAMIS TO EUGENIE—A Portrait Gallery of Female Loveliness, Achievement and Influence—With Nineteen fine English Engravings.—By Frank B. Goodrich.

THE COURT OF NAPOLEON, OR SOCIETY UNDER THE FIRST EMPIRE—With Portraits of its Beauties, Wits and Heroines—By Frank B. Goodrich.—A New and Improved Edition, with Sixteen Fine Engravings.

A GALLERY OF FAMOUS ENGLISH AND AMERICAN POETS—With an Introductory Essay—By Henry Coppee, and richly Illustrated with One Hundred Steel Engravings, executed in the first style of art, mostly from Original Designs, by distinguished Artists.

—Also—

FAMILY AND PULPIT BIBLES AND PRAYER BOOKS—Of every size and style of binding.

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ILLUSTRATED BOOKS,

BY FAVORITE AUTHORS.

WILD FLOWERS—Drawn and Colored from Nature, by Mrs. O. M. Badger—With an Introduction by Mrs. L. M. Sigourney.

N. B.—A large assortment of STANDARD WORKS, in Fine Bindings, by approved authors. The public are invited to call and examine the assortment—prices moderate—at

THOMAS L. WHITE'S
ja1 2p3t Bookstore, 105 Canal street.

O. S. Jennings,

AGENT,

20..............Camp street..............20

Under the City Hotel, New Orleans,

Has just received from New York, a FRESH STOCK

—OF—

FINE GOLD WATCHES,

—AND—

JEWELRY

Of Every Description,

Of the Very Latest Patterns and Styles,

Which will be opened THIS MORNING,

—And sold at—

NEW YORK PRICES.

☞Call and examine the stock now opening.☜

O. S. JENNINGS, Agent,
ja1 2p6t No. 20 Camp street.

Clothing. Clothing.

—AND—

FURNISHING GOODS!!

—AT—

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Paris, London and New York Fashions!

JUST RECEIVED, PER LATE STEAMERS, THE

LARGEST AND MOST MAGNIFICENT STOCK

—OF—

FASHIONABLE

FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING

—And—

FURNISHING GOODS,

EVER BROUGHT TO THE SOUTH!

Manufactured expressly for the New Orleans and Southern Markets.

☞Salesmen speak French, Spanish and English.☜

L. W. LYONS & CO.,
ja1 2p2t 26, 28 and 30 St. Charles, corner Common st.

Boys' Clothing Emporium,

26..............St. Charles Street..............26

Between Canal and Common streets.

This Store is exclusively for

YOUTHS', BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S

CLOTHING, SHIRTS.

And FURNISHING GOODS, Wholesale and Retail.

We have just opened a LARGE STOCK of

DRESS AND SCHOOL CLOTHING,

Embracing every Style and Quality.

All of which will be sold at very reasonable prices.

☞Salesmen speak French, Spanish and English.☜

L. W. LYONS & CO.
ja1 2p2t 26, 28 and 30 St. Charles st., corner Common.

Southern Pacific Railroad.

A CARD FROM E. M. YERGER.

Having recently returned to this city, I find erroneous reports have been made in certain newspapers here, in regard to the second day's proceedings of the Pacific Railroad Convention.

As ample publicity was given to the base charges of fraud, made by Dr. Fowlkes, it is due to justice that equal publicity be given to the mode in which they were met.

My words on the occasion were few, and not to be mistaken. I stated in open Convention, within the hearing of all present, that he (Fowlkes) was guilty of willful falsehood, when he charged that George S. Yerger, the late President of the P. R. R. Company, had executed a certain deed of trust with the avowed purpose of selling out the road. I wish not to be misunderstood—I charged him then, and I charge him now, with willful and deliberate falsehood in the premises.

E. M. YERGER.
ST. CHARLES HOTEL, December 31, 1858. ja1 2p1t

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COMMERCIAL COLLEGE, 106 CANAL ST.,

(Founded in 1832,) is open the entire year. Its object is to fit persons at once for BUSINESS IN A MERCANTILE HOUSE, BANK, or any situation in life; to open, close and keep any set of Books, whether steamboat, partnership or compound partnership, or Government books, or any business whatever. There are Nine Apartments, and Professors for

PENMANSHIP, FRENCH,
BOOK-KEEPING, SPANISH,
MATHEMATICS, GERMAN,
ENGLISH, etc., etc.

There are not less than 2000 of its former students in Mercantile houses in this city. Merchants apply here for Clerks and Book-keepers. Citizens and strangers invited to call and judge for themselves.

Circulars, with terms, sent to all who wish.
ja1 2p3t&1tW RUFUS DOLBEAR.

Something Beautiful

FOR THE LADIES.

—A Magnificent—

SHELL BASKET

—Is for sale at—

PIFFET'S,
ja1 2p3t Which is a Miracle of Art.

Seamless

GAITERS AND COATS.

H. R. LATIMER,

112 CANAL STREET, CORNER OF ROYAL,

Has just received by steamer Philadelphia, a beautiful assortment of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Buttoned Water-Proof GAITERS, French finish; also a new article of BUSINESS COATS, for city wear, and invites the attention of the public, up-stairs, over S. N. Moody's. d31 2p6t

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DE

PORTRAIT EN HUILE,

—Faits par les—

ARTISTES LES PLUS EMINENTES

—Et de—

COPIES DES VIEUX MAITRES.

Ces objèts serons exposés à l'inspection publique SAMEDI, JOUR DE L'ANS, au

No. 44, rue St. Charles,

Vis-a vis l'hotel St. Charles

—Les Portraits—

SERONT MONTRES GRATIS

Pour quelque jour, et devrons etre

VENDUES A L'ENCAN,

Sans Réserve,

Ceux qui désirent se procurer des

OEUVRES D'ART,

Comme il rien à jamais été offerts ici, feront bien de se rendre

au No. 44, rue St. Charles. ja1 1t2p

Grand Exhibition

—OF—

SPLENDID OIL PAINTINGS,

—By the—

MOST EMINENT ARTISTS,

—And—

COPIES OF THE OLD MASTERS,

Will be open for public inspection on NEW YEAR'S DAY, at

No. 44 St. Charles Street,

Opposite the St. Charles Hotel.

—These Paintings—

WILL BE EXHIBITED GRATIS,

For several days, after which they will be

SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION,

Without Reserve,

Thus giving all an opportunity of becoming purchasers, at a moderate price, of

WORKS OF ART,

The like of which have never before been brought to the city.

Public notice will be given through the newspapers, etc., when the auction sales will commence, and no picture will be sold at private sale.

☞Recollect the number—44 ST. CHARLES Street, opposite the Hotel. d31 2p2t

Ladies'

EMBROIDERED LINEN CAMBRIC

CHEMISES.

—ALSO—

COLORED EMBROIDERED

NAINSOOK SETTS,

ENTIRELY NEW STYLES.

Just opened, a beautiful assortment.

C. A. BARRIERE & BRO.,
130 Canal street, Touro Buildings.

BOYS' AND GIRLS'

EMBROIDERED AND PLAIN

LINEN CAMBRIC SHIRTS,

— Also —

Embroidered Chemise Fronts for Ladies.

Just received from Paris.

C. A. BARRIERE & BRO.,
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Christmas and New Year Gifts!

—AT—

HYDE & GOODRICH'S,

SIGN OF THE GOLDEN PELICAN.

We offer this season our usual large and choice assortment of—

NOVELTIES FOR THE HOLIDAYS,

confident that for richness and extent it is unsurpassed in the Southern country.

It includes articles of SILVER WARE, SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS,

Manufactured in New Orleans.

JEWELRY and FANCY GOODS, of every description, selected by one of the firm from the markets of—

New York, Frankfort,
Birmingham, Manheim,
Sheffield, Geneva,
London, Florence,
Paris, Rome and
Berlin, Naples.

☞No profits paid to Northern Importers or Commission Houses.

HYDE & GOODRICH,
d15 2ptf corner Canal and Royal sts.

Theodore Danziger,

Begs leave to announce to his friends and customers that he will open on MONDAY, the 13th December, his

NEW CHEAP DRY GOODS STORE,

228 AND 230 ROYAL STREET,

Corner of St. Philip street,

With a large assortment of FRESH GOODS, just received, viz:

1000 pieces PRINTS, beautiful styles and fast colors, at 10 cts. a yard,
SILK and WOOL POPLINS, at 15 cents a yard.
PLAIDS, at 25 cents a yard,
SILK ROBES, STELLA SHAWLS.
New Style CHENILLE SHAWLS and MANTLES.
All of which will be sold at the usual low prices. d13 2ptf

Just Received,

AT THE LOUISIANA GROCERY STORE, 122 JULIA ST., Near Camp,

—An Invoice of—

FRESH SMOKED SALMON,
NEW PRUNES—IN FANCY BOXES.

THOMPSON & BARNES,
d31 2t Proprietors.

Fall Stock

—OF—

BOOTS, SHOES AND HATS,

Now receiving by

R. W. RAYNE & CO.,

WHOLESALE HAT AND SHOE WAREHOUSE,

38 Magazine Street.

☞Country Merchants are respectfully solicited to examine our stock. o2 2p6m

156 *Canal Street.* 156

DETER'S WORSTED STORE.

Another arrival of New Embroideries on Canvas, and Fancy Articles FROM EUROPE, consisting of OTTOMANS and CHAIRS, LAMP-MATS, SMOKING CAPS, etc. d21 1m

Milwaukee Lager Beer,

—At—

FIVE CENTS PER GLASS!!

18 UNION STREET,
d23 2p1m Near St. Charles street.

Rutland & Davis,

FORWARDING & COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

—And—

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m4 2ptf MOBILE, ALA.

Butter.

30 firkins CHOICE GOSHEN BUTTER, just received per steamship Cahawba, and for sale by
THOMPSON & BARNES,
23 and 25 Common street.

SPERM CANDLES.

50 boxes Sam'l Leonard's, landing ex bark William and Jane, and for sale by
THOMPSON & BARNES,
23 and 25 Common street.

ROCK CANDY.

40 boxes ASSORTED COLORS,
15 boxes WHITE,
Ex bark C. W. Poultney, and for sale by
THOMPSON & BARNES,
23 and 25 Common street.

SCHNAPPS.

600 cases Wolf & Rudolph's, landing from ships Far West and Adriondack, and for sale by
THOMPSON & BARNES,
23 and 25 Common street.

JAVA COFFEE.

200 packets landing from ship Escort, and for sale by
THOMPSON & BARNES,
23 and 25 Common street.

PRESERVED GINGER.

2 cases landing from ship Andover, and for sale by
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400 packages Assorted Qualities, in lb., ½ lb. and ¼ lb. packages, just received and for sale by
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Havana Sugar.

350 boxes White and Brown Havana Sugar, in store and for sale by
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400,000 Regalias, Media Regalias, Londres and Millar's, in store and for sale by
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6 pipes best White Rum, now landing and for sale by
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LOOK AT THE PRICES!

BLACK CLOTH FROCKS, good quality, for $7 50.
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A splendid assortment of ANNUALS, BIBLES, and all kinds of Standard and Miscellaneous Works, suitable for

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Will be presented with each Book,

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LADIES' LINEN CAMBRIC CHEMISES.
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.. .. COLLARS AND SETS.
EMBROIDERED JACONET AND SWISS BANDS.
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Black Real Thread LACE VEILS, Round and Square.
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RICH EMBROIDERED VELVET CLOAKS.
CLOTH CLOAKS AND TALMAS.
SHAWLS of every description.

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Our assortment is surpassed by none in the city.

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Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's—a great variety.

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3-4 and 5-4 ALL WOOL BLACK DE LAINES.
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Are particularly invited to examine our stock of PLANTATION GOODS, which comprises all the best makes of

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SILK and WOOL POPLIN DRESSES at $1 50, with a great variety of

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All of Different Styles,

As now worn by the different political parties in Paris!

ROBES DE CHAMBRE,

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FANCY CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS—In every variety.
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UTILITY AND ELEGANCE COMBINED!

LEIGHTON & BARBOT,

—OF THE—

OLD AND WELL-KNOWN STAND,

Corner of St. Charles and Canal streets,

—Have now on hand—

A NEW AND SELECT STOCK

—OF—

GENTLEMEN'S FASHIONABLE CLOTHING,

SHIRTS,

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Every article of which is well suited for presentation to a friend.

A Present, to be duly appreciated, should be TASTEFUL and SERVICEABLE. What can be more SUITABLE than the following?

A Good OVERCOAT OR SHAWL,
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A Rich CASHMERE DRESSING GOWN,
One of LEIGHTON'S PREMIUM SHIRTS—$6 to $25,

—Or—

Half-a-dozen Good Linen Bosom SHIRTS	$9 00
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.. Fine Linen ..	25 00

.. Linen Cambric HANDKERCHIEFS,
.. White, Fancy or Brown HALF HOSE,
.. Fine Beaver or Kid GLOVES,
SUSPENDERS, SHIRT COLLARS,
UNDERSHIRTS and DRAWERS,
SHIRT BOSOMS, NIGHT CAPS,
NIGHT SHIRTS, etc., etc., etc.

☞We have a very select and complete assortment of the above, which we will be happy to exhibit to all who favor us with a call.

☞NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS!☜

All Goods purchased here warranted to give satisfaction, and to be fully worth the prices asked for.

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All goods and work at reasonable prices and terms.

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At D. FELT & STETSON'S,
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THE LATEST OUT—THE PICCOLOMINI HAT—In Fine Velvet, Plush, Cloth, Beaver, Fur, etc.

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The celebrated "GREAT WESTERN HAT"—Drab, Otter and Black Beaver Furs.

A HEAVY STOCK!

☞The cheapest Hat Establishment in New Orleans—the most extensive assortment—the most Fashionable Goods.

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FINE GOLD PENCILS—new patterns.
RICH GOLD VEST CHAINS.
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GOLD THIMBLES.
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FINE GOLD WATCHES—with Lockets.
LADIES' GOLD WATCHES—richly enameled and set with diamonds.
CHATELAINS—of all kinds.
RINGS, PENCILS, etc., etc.

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SEWING MACHINE

Twelve months since reliable certificates were published of

UNIVERSAL SUCCESS

—OF—

SINGER'S SEWING MACHINES,

Five years in Lafourche and Terrebonne parishes, and also New Orleans, and no other certificates of the success of Sewing Machines in Louisiana have been published. Of over 500 have been sold in this region during the last twelve months the undersigned is not aware that one is out of repair, and of them were warranted for three years.

A still greater evidence of their superiority is the fact that their sale to the clothing factories in New York, and in the Eastern States, is rapidly increasing. It is now almost universally acknowledged by those engaged in the manufacture of clothing, that SINGER'S SEWING MACHINES surpass all others in durability and strength, also in the excellence and beauty of their stitch, which is more uniformly the same on both sides of the fabric than that made by any other Machine.

In order to counteract the influence of the universal success of Singer's Sewing Machines, great efforts were made in 1857, and also recently, by the agents of the Wheeler & Wilson Machines, to mislead and deceive this community by published statements that "they have obtained all the premiums wherever their Machines have been exhibited in competition with Singer's and all others."

In the fall of 1857 the first premium was awarded to the Singer Machine by the Connecticut State Agricultural Society where the Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine is made.

The first premium was also awarded to Singer's Sewing Machine at the Fair in St. Louis in September, 1857, a correct account of which is given below. Such extraordinary exertions and sacrifices were never made before by the Wheeler & Wilson agents to obtain a premium in the United States.

At the late Fair in Memphis, Tenn., the first premium was awarded to Singer's Machine, and a premium of $100 in cash was given to Mrs. F. M. Cash, for the finest specimen of sewing—a muslin dress—made on Singer's Machine.

The following FIRST PREMIUMS (Gold and Silver Medals) are on exhibition at the office of the undersigned, 33 Camp st.

The First Premium of the "Exhibition Universelle" in Paris of all the principal Sewing Machines in Europe and America.

The First Premium (Gold Medal) of the American Institute in New York; also two other premiums from the American Institute.

The First Premium of the Franklin Mechanics' Institute in Pennsylvania.

The First Premium of the Mechanics' Institute in Cincinnati.

The First Premium of the Maryland Institute for the Promotion of the Mechanical Arts.

The First Premium of the Connecticut State Agricultural Society.

Mention is not made of these Metals as any evidence of the superiority of Singer's Sewing Machines, but to prevent the public being humbugged by the statements of the agents of the Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine.

As the persons who are appointed committees to decide concerning the relative merits of Sewing Machines, in most instances know nothing of the practical working of the machines, no reliance can be placed on their judgment, and no satisfactory information can be obtained concerning Sewing Machines except from those who have used them. For this reason, I. M. SINGER & CO., having established the reputation of their Sewing Machines above all others throughout the civilized world, have not recently contended for the premium at any Fair nor have they authorized their agents to do so, but in a few instances the agents have exhibited the machines and have generally been successful. At several Fairs at which the agents of Wheeler & Wilson boast of taking the premium, the Singer Machine was not represented.

We learn from reliable authority that the Wheeler & Wilson agent obtained the premium at the late Fair in St. Louis in the following manner:

By means known only to himself or his friends, a Silver Pitcher was purchased, worth seventy-five dollars. An arrangement was made by the agents of different Sewing Machines that each should be equally represented in the Committee, or that there should be no owners of Sewing Machines on the Committee. By some species of intrigue, the W. & W. agent succeeded in getting a committee appointed composed almost entirely of owners of the Wheeler & Wilson Machine. In less than two hours after the Fair opened, and before there had been any examination of the different kinds of Sewing Machines, or even a meeting of the Committee, three ladies, owners of the W. & W. Machine, tied the "Blue Ribbon" to that Machine, thus, as is currently reported, giving their Agent his own Silver Pitcher.

The Agent has never dared to boast in the St. Louis papers of taking this premium, lest the circumstances above related should appear against him.

Another system of humbugging extensively practiced, is to publish the opinion of newspaper editors, who, in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred, know nothing of the merits or demerits of Sewing Machines. It has been proved, in most instances, that the gift of a Sewing Machine has been followed by a decided preference of the kind of Sewing Machine received. So extensively has this gift operation been practiced in the Northern and Eastern States, that steps have been taken to ascertain whether or not there is an editor of a religious journal there who has not received or had the offer of a Wheeler & Wilson, or a Grover & Baker Sewing Machine as a gift. If there is one who has been overlooked in this grand gift scheme, it is hoped that he will make a public avowal of the fact.

The futility of these efforts to deceive the public is shown by the rapid increase in the sale of the Singer Machine.

The undersigned has found it necessary to rent the whole building, at 33 Camp street, and has fitted it up in beautiful style, and takes pleasure in exhibiting his Sewing Machines to all, whether they wish to purchase or not.

Of the forty kinds of inferior Sewing Machines, a few have been tried in this community, and of these the public need no caution, but in order to introduce others it has been deemed necessary to enlarge the letters on the sign and to placard the windows and doors more extensively. The prices of

SINGER'S SEWING MACHINES

have been GREATLY REDUCED, and they now are sold in New York as follows:

The Family Machine	$50
The No. 1 Machine, with iron stand	110
The No. 2 Machine, with iron stand	125

They are sold in New Orleans at the same price, with the addition of the freight and insurance.

Guides, Hemmers,

and all the improvements can now be attached to the Machines already sold; also, Covers for the wheels.

To the Fair in St. Louis* the Agents all went,
The Premium to gain their only intent;
There was Grover & Baker, with ridge on one side,
And Wheeler & Wilson, and Singer, all vied;
But Wheeler & Wilson, to carry the day,
Erected a building to make a display;
The building they made was of octagon form,
With curtains, and railin , and carpets adorned.
Full five hundred dollars the cost must have been
Of this splendid pavilion the Premium to win;
With samples arranged in most beautiful style,
They boasted incessant they'd win, all the while,
But alas! their excesses, alas! their chagrin,
The PREMIUM was given to SINGER'S MACHINE.

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*In September, 1857.

WALTER BENNETT, Agent,
d25 2p1m 33 Camp street.