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Monday morning, Jan. 8, 1849.

☞ This being the anniversary of the event of the glorious BATTLE OF NEW ORLEANS, in conformity to custom, no paper will be issued from our office to-morrow.

The Eighth of January.

This anniversary of a day that is fraught with animating and glorious reflections—a day, which by the heroic valor of our citizen soldiery, under the guidance and command of the immortal Jackson, the first, best devised and most desperate effort of the British arms to win an enduring empire, and to establish a foothold on the American Soil, was baffled and set at naught. To the pride of overwhelming numbers and the power of efficient discipline, the Veterans of the Peninsular campaigns; the troops that had earned endurance, valor and strategic skill under the great Captain of the age; were confronted with a handful of Volunteers unused to war and war's alarms, and made to bite the dust. The Battle of the Eighth of January, like that of Bunker Hill, will rank in history as one of the most marvellous achievements in the annals of modern warfare. It will stand apart and alone as an exploit worthy of commemoration while courage and devotion shall yet kindle a throb of sympathy in the patriotic heart.

Methinks it, that we who live on the soil which the gallant Jackson and our own glorious forefathers, rescued from the threatened Dominion of British thraldom—meet as it that we should recur to the anniversary of that memorable day with emotions of exultation and, if we must we should commemorate its annual return by no rare display, fence de rose and every other inundation that can harbor in memory, that we should rehearse to our children in stirring story of the past, and teach them the priceless value of liberty, and the splendid deeds to which its influence and its name incited our forefathers. Among the thousand treasures which the history of our still young country has presented to mankind, there are few, any, that report a sterner lesson to oppressors, and that are filled with more glorious encouragement to the lovers of freedom every where, than that which recounts the story of the Battle on the plains of Chalmette, which shows what may be accomplished by those to whose proud mind liberty is a passion, whatever camp to even into death.

The Cholera.

Our fellow citizens begin to breathe freer and deeper. If the pestilence has not utterly disappeared, its ravages have ceased so sensibly that the fact is now generally avowed; we announce that as an [illegible]

We must be permitted to congratulate the people of New Orleans on this auspicious consummation, and to express our thanks to the Divine Providence of events, that our city has passed through the terrible ordeal with so little scathe. We speak, however, by comparison with former visitations, and not as if [illegible] ... [illegible] ... [illegible] ...