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Steam Packets.

QUEEN OF THE WEST—For Louisville, the splendid fast running steamboat will arrive on Wednesday and leave on Friday, the 9th inst, at 10 o'clock, A M — For freight or passage apply to HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN, 44 Poydras street

STEAMER CHAMPION — For Louisville, Cincinnati, and intermediate ports. The vigorous, fast running steamboat CHAMPION, Stephenson, master, will leave as above, on Tuesday, the 6th inst at 12 o'clock M For freight or passage apply to HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN, No 44 Poydras, Agents

FOR ATTAKAPAS—via Plaquemine—The splendid packet boat and double engine steamer NEW BRAZIL, Cathmon master, will receive freight at the foot of Constance and will positively leave as above on her regular day, Tuesday, 6th instant, at 10 o'clock A M, taking freight and passengers for St. Martinville, New Iberia, Portout's Landing, Franklin, Centreville, Patterson ville and all intermediate landings including Berwick's Bay and all towns on the Bayou Teche. For further particulars apply on board or to JOHN HALL, Agent, 1 Front Levee

N. B.—The New Brazil has splendid accommodations for passengers, with good capacity for carrying freight, besides her usual light draught, on possibility of delay can exist. She will run in the trade during the whole season carrying freight and passengers as low as any other good boat. 6 1

FOR MEMPHIS AND RANDOLPH—with despatch—The regular packet steamer LOUISIANA, A. W. Tufts, master, is now receiving freight and will have immediate despatch for the above and intermediate landings. For freight or passage, having fine accommodations, apply on board on Canal street wharf, or to A. T. BURDEY & Co, 101 Tchoupitoulas

Passenger Packet Steamer MISSOURI MAIL, M. Lirkston, Master. [Prepared with Evans' Safety towards to prevent explosion] This fine new boat, for the accommodation of planters below Donaldsonville on the Bayou Lafourche, will extend her trips to Thibodaux, leaving New Orleans as usual, on every Monday and Thursday, at 10 o'clock A M Returning will leave Thibodaux every Tuesday and Friday, at 10 o'clock, A M., and Donaldsonville on her usual days, in succession, every Wednesday and Saturday, at 8 o'clock A M.

Feeling confident such a packet is wanted in this trade the proprietor will spare no expense, the proprietor will remain in the trade during the summer, as (if necessary) will build a small boat to run in conjunction with the Missouri to Donaldsonville, and will pledge himself (if so requested) to carry freight and passengers at the most liberal terms during the whole year.

Shipping souls inducements will be extensively noticed by the planters and public in general, the proprietor will abide the future success on its merit by uniting exertions to please and accommodate in all cases. For particulars, apply to BRADD & LANDRY, Donaldsonville, Parmentier, Bouligny, Port Hudson, Waterloo, Bayou Sara Point Coupee and Tunica.

Capt. J. Mann having made arrangements with the CLIPPER to carry the Mail on Sunday, the splendid double engine steamer BRILLIANT, will regularly leave New Orleans every Wednesday, at 10 o'clock, A. M. and Bayou Sara every Saturday, at 12 o'clock, M. and arrive in New Orleans early next morning. The fast and popular packet ship Clipper, will be charged by all good packets running the mail, for freight or passage, apply on board or to A. AVERY, 86 Gravier st

SAMUEL TOBY, Commission Merchant, New York. 1 34

ADVANCES made on cotton, Negroes, Cotton, Sugar and other produce to my friends in New York, Boston and Baltimore. 1 24 WM MURE, 39 Camp st

ADVANCES made on cotton and other produce to my friends in Havre and Antwerp. WM MURE, 39 Camp st

ADVANCES made on cotton, tobacco, &c. to my friends in Liverpool and London. WM MURE, 39 Camp st

REYNAUD & FALLON have removed to No 74 Tchoupitoulas, opposite the National Hotel. 1 21

CASH ADVANCES ON PRODUCE—Liberal cash advances will be made by the subscribers on shipments to their friends in Liverpool, Messrs Rowan, Hadley & Robinson, New York, or Joseph Gresley, Esq, Boston. PRICE & FROST, 20 Poydras

EMILE JOHNS, Commission Merchant and importer of West-Indies Produce. COFFEE, SUGAR, RUM, CIGAR, SEGARS. A constant supply of the above for sale. Also—A superior assortment of choice wines—Barsac, Madeira, Champagne, Claret, French & Rhine wines, &c. &c. No 20 Gravier st

BEEF—100 bbls prime beef at Bernard's inspection, for sale by PRICE & FROST, 22 Poydras.

BEESWAX—100 lbs superb Beeswax in 50 lb. pieces, for sale by PRICE & FROST, 22 Poydras.

DRIED BEEF—10 bbls choice for sale by MEKINNELL & Co. 34 Poydras.

CHOCOLATE—25 boxes Rhode and Tolmon's, for sale by H McKINNELL & Co. 31 Poydras.

HAMS—50 bbls canvass hams, for sale by H McKINNELL & Co. 34 Poydras

WHISKEY—10 bbls Rye whiskey, for sale by H McKINNELL & Co. 34 Poydras

COFFEE—Havana green coffee in store and for sale by J M CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee.

SUGAR—Havana white in store for sale by J M CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee.

HAVANA PRESERVES—In store for sale by J M CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee.

TOBACCO—Havana leaf tobacco, in store, for sale by J M CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee.

NAILS—100 kegs assorted nails, in store and for sale by JOHN A. MERRITT & Co. 53 Camp

SOAP—200 boxes, various qualities, in store, and for sale by JOHN A MERRITT & Co. 53 Camp

RICE—17 casks Carolina rice, in store, and for sale by JOHN A MERRITT & Co. 53 Camp

MACKEREL—No 1, in whole barrels, in store and for sale by JOHN A MERRITT & Co. 53 Camp

COFFEE—300 bags Rio coffee, in store, and for sale by JOHN A MERRITT & Co. 53 Camp

FISH—150 loose cod fish, landing from ship Isaac Newton, and for sale by PRICE & FROST, 20 Old Levee

MERINO—8 pieces double mill fine merino, for sale by LOUION & SILVESTRE, 36 Chartres

SEGARS—200 quarter boxes Havana segars, a superior article, for sale by E. P. DAVIS & Co. 84 Camp st

FLAXSEED—7 lbs flaxseed in store, and for sale by PRICE & FROST, 20 Poydras st

BLANKETS—3 point Green Blankets for sale by GEO GREEN & BRO 92 Gravier st

RIO COFFEE, of superior qualities, in double mats, for sale by GEO GREEN & BRO, 92 Gravier st.

LEMONS—From Cuba Lemons, new crop, for sale by GEO GREEN & BRO 92 Gravier st

STRIPES—10 bales Hamilton stripes, for sale by WM. FROST & Co., 28 Old Levee.

WRAPPING PAPER—300 reams wrapping paper, for sale by WM. FROST & Co., 28 Old Levee.

TICKINGS—30 bales Mechanic tickings, for sale by WM. FROST & Co., 28 Old Levee.

PAINTS—a small invoice, for sale by FODICK & BRO, 74 Camp st

EXCHANGE ON NEW YORK—5 at and 10 days sight, for sale by FODICK & BRO, 74 Camp st

OIL—50 casks of sperm oil, in store, for sale by FODICK & BRO, 74 Camp

CANDLES—100 boxes of sperm candles, in store, and for sale by FODICK & BRO, 74 Camp

SOAP—100 boxes No 1 brown Soap, in store and for sale by FODICK & BRO, 74 Camp

PITCH—100 bbls North River, in store, and for sale by FODICK & BRO, 74 Camp

CLOCKS—10 cases of wooden clocks, in store, for sale by FODICK & BRO, 74 Camp st

AMERICAN LETTER PAPER—for sale by FIELD & Co. 30 Old Levee

PORT WINE, in pipes, half do and brls, for sale by FIELD & Co. 30 Old Levee

RED WINE—100 casks, for sale by FIELD & Co, 30 Old Levee

DOMESTIC LIQUORS—175 brls gin, brandy and pure spirits for sale by FIELD & Co, 30 Old Levee

CANDLES AND SOAP—100 boxes, for sale by NORCROSS & FOSDICK, 40 Gravier st

RICE—200 casks rice, for sale by NORCROSS & FOSDICK, 40 Gravier st

SEYANA FIFES—1 two drums Seyana fifes, for sale by NORCROSS & FOSDICK, 40 Gravier st

BLOOM MAUL—No 1 Bloom Maul, for sale by SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH, 26 Poydras

BOLTS—Bolts and screws, for sale by SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH, 26 Poydras

LAND—Land scrip, for sale by SHULTZ, HADDEN & LEACH, 26 Poydras

SEGARS—Very superior segars in bale, for sale by A GORDON, WELLS & Co., 2 Bar st.

LOGWOOD—30 bags in store and for sale by J PRATT, 27 Tchoupitoulas

FLOUR—Choice Baker brands, for sale by DITPRICH & Co, 141 Magazine st

BEEF—For sale by A L ADDISON & Co, 21 Natchez

PORK—Of all qualities for sale by A L ADDISON & Co, 21 Natchez

CASTOR OIL—30 bbls very superior article for sale by A L ADDISON & Co, 21 Natchez

TOBACCO—Cuba and Havana tobacco for sale by O M MIESEGAES, 71 Old Levee.

MOLASSES—A small invoice, landing, for sale by O M MIESEGAES, 71 Old Levee.

BEEF—50 bbls at inspection, for sale by JOHN S SHAW & Co, 34 Poydras

BRANDY—10 half pipes Brandy in store for sale by FODICK & BRO, 74 Camp

CHEESE—50 boxes N values cheese, in store, for sale by J M BRYAN & Co, 29 Commerce

PAINTS—A small invoice of paints, in store and for sale by FODICK & BRO, 74 Camp

SOAP—100 boxes No 1 soap, Jones & Bro, and N. Liverpool and Brown brand, received from ship Columbia, for sale by WM. FROST & Co, 28 Old Levee

JAVA COFFEE—A very superior quality, just received by ship Ann Cecil, and for sale by GEO GREEN & BRO 92 Gravier st

SPERM CANDLES—300 boxes New Bedford sperm, just received by ship Ann Cecil, and for sale by WM. FROST & Co, 28 Old Levee.

SOAP—300 boxes No 1 soap, Valentine & Co, and A Brown & Bros' brands, received from ship Columbia, for sale by WM. FROST & Co, 28 Old Levee.

CANDLES—300 boxes Sperm Candles, for sale by WM. FROST & Co, 28 Old Levee.

FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, HENRY CLAY.

NEW-ORLEANS: TUESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY, 6 1844.

NEW ORLEANS, February 5th, 1844.

The members of the Democratic Whig Association of the First Municipality, and the Whigs in general are requested to meet to-morrow night, Tuesday, at 6, o'clock, at the Hall of the Association, Blasco's House. As the report of the Committee named for the purpose of choosing Delegates to the Whig State Convention of the 22d instant, shall be submitted to the meeting, the greatest punctuality is requested.

By order of the President.
LUCIEN HERMANN, } Secretaries.
JULES DAVID,

MECHANICS' MEETING.

The Buckeye Blacksmith will address a meeting to be held this evening at half-past six o'clock, in the Carthouse of the Pontchartrain Railroad; the Whigs of the three municipalities, and particularly all mechanics, are invited to attend.

EXECUTIVE WHIG COMMITTEE—THIRD MUNICIPALITY.

The members of the Executive Whig Committee of the Third Municipality, are requested to assemble on Wednesday, the 7th instant, at 6 o'clock P. M, at the usual place of meeting. Punctuality is requested, as important business will be transacted.

LS. DUVIGNEAUD, President.

Look out—The Union Bank of Louisiana owes one million six hundred thousand dollars of sterling bonds, just fallen due, which the officers of the institution had been unable to renew, and the probability is she will have to go into liquidation. Those who hold her notes had better pass them off for silver and gold, which they are now worth, or they may soon be unable to realize.—Natchez Free Trader.

Where did you get that piece of news from? or have you a private shop of your own, where you manufacture such morals to suit the palate of interested friends?

From the sketch of the proceedings in Congress of the 25th ult., which we find in the Washington papers, one would suppose that the day passed without any exhibition of the pugnacious propensities of the representatives of the people. But the annexed paragraph from the Baltimore American of that date, informs us that the "ruling passion" had by no means subsided—The performances were only varied by way of novelty. We do not know but that a relief from Bilingsgate in a down right set-to is well, though had the right man got a thrashing, it had been Weller.

"Mr. Weller, of Ohio, this morning, a few moments before the hour of meeting, (12 o'clock,) made a speech upon the floor of the House of Representatives, upon Mr. Shriver, the Reporter and Washington correspondent of the Baltimore Patriot. Mr. Shriver was without provocation when the speech was delivered, seated in his place, and was struck several times a when upon the floor —Mr. Weller's friends standing by and preventing any interference.

Mr. Weller, during the morning, has been bound over to keep the peace. Messrs. Payne and Beiset, of Alabama, acting as his sureties. He was still upon the House at a late hour, and was heard talking in the House and out of it, as well from the place where it was made as for the attack upon the press.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

We had the gratification, yesterday, to shake hands with Kendall of the Picayune, who has at last come back to us. He is looking as juvenal as daybreak and as healthy as a species currency.

His book has been published, and will shortly be in this city. An edition has been sent to England.

Mr. Clay returned to the city yesterday in excellent health. His trip up the river has been highly agreeable.

St. Charles Theatre—The celebrated Irish comedian has been re-engaged, and will appear this evening in his favorite character of O'Callaghan, in the amusing farce of "His Last Legs." Miss Clarendon is also announced to appear in the character of Victorine in the admired drama of that name. Just sprightly little actress Miss E. Randolph, will likewise appear in the character of Sophia, in the amusing farce of the "Rendez-vous."

Mr. McCready.—The first appearance of this distinguished actor has been necessarily postponed in consequence of the non-arrival of his wardrobe from Charleston.

There was another tremendous rally of the Whigs last evening at the St. Louis Exchange, to hear the Buckeye Blacksmith and the Kentucky Pump Borer. It is worthy of remark that upon this, as well as upon all other occasions when they have addressed their fellow whigs in this city, that the officers who have presided at those meetings, were all mechanics.

Lost Child.—A female negro child, about four years of age, has been placed for safe keeping at the watchhouse of the First municipality. The parents or owner are requested to call for her.

Wm. Wilson, charged with stealing three dresses and a hat from Mr. Milne, in Natchez street, was examined yesterday before Recorder Baldwin, and sent to the Criminal Court for trial.

Criminal Court.—The grand jury yesterday found true bills against Peter McLeod for murder, and John McMullen for stabbing. The indictment against Lomond Goodman, charged with arson, was ignored, upon the grounds of the insanity of the accused. It was recommended, however, that he should be kept in confinement. The jury, after making their report, was discharged, their term of service having expired.

Picking Pockets.—A very genteel looking, well dressed man, who gave his name as James Henderson, was arrested in the pit of the American theatre, at the close of the performance, on Sunday evening, while in the act of attempting to pick the pocket of a gentleman, who being on his guard, seized him by his hand, whilst it was in his pocket. He was examined yesterday before Recorder Baldwin, and sentenced to thirty days imprisonment in the work-house, on the charge of larceny, and ordered to bind bail in the sum of $1000 for his appearance before the Criminal Court, to answer to the charge of attempting to pick the gentleman's pocket.

Burglary.—A notorious burglar, named George Williams, alias Bill Jones, alias John Hall, was examined yesterday before Recorder Genois, charged with burglary. It appeared from the testimony, that on Sunday evening, about half past eight o'clock, as Giacomo Turpia was returning to his Jewelry Store No. 135 Bourbon street, he discovered a man standing in front of the house, apparently stationed there as a sentinel, who upon Mr Turpia's near approach, made a signal, upon which two men rushed from the house and fled in different directions, one of them having under his arm a box, ran down St Peter's street, and was making for the Levee, when he was stopped by Mr Bowman; but before he could be secured, he struck Mr B over the eye with a large iron chisel, which felled him to the ground. He was, however, after running a short distance further secured by a watchman, and taken to the watchhouse. Upon examining the box, it was found to contain $171 in silver, ten ingots of gold, valued at $100 each, and a gold miniature case. The burglar was committed to jail to await his trial before the Criminal Court.

NEWS BY THE MAIL.

CONGRESS.

Our Washington correspondent's letter of the 25th, was not received by yesterday's mail. We learn from the Intelligencer that the business of Senate on that day was confined pretty much to the discussion of a resolution calling on the President to give notice to the British Government that the U. States desired to annul the 3d article of the Convention concluded between this Government and Great Britain in 1827, respecting the Oregon Territory. After some debate, the matter was laid over. The Senate then passed a short time in Executive Session, and then adjourned till the following Monday.

In the House of Representatives, the contested election in Virginia (that of Gilmer's district) continued the day. Before any thing definite was done in respect to it, the House adjourned.

Mr. Webster.—The New York papers state that Mr. Webster has formed a law partnership with Mr. Van Winkle of that city, and that they have opened an office in the Merchant's Exchange.

The Hon. Wm. Gaston, one of the Judges of the Supreme Court, N. C., recently died in Raleigh. He was an old school gentleman, and has been for a long time the ornament of his profession and the pride of his State.

Gold Mines.—The richest gold mine in the United States, is said to be in Rowan County, North Carolina. It is a small vein from four to twelve inches in thickness, and has yielded as high as $350 to the bushel of ore.—The mines in that region of country are said to be of extraordinary richness, and the veins are believed to increase in size and value as they descend into the earth.

If it is said that the locofocos of Boston fire one hundred guns upon ascertaining the rejection of Mr. Hedman, as Secretary of the Navy.

The Deville 'Gazette' asks which party has the most decay in the Legislature? The Bennett is locofoco, and the horse whig. On joint ballot the whigs have a majority of one.

We are indebted to the clerk of the steamer Grey Eagle, for late Louisville papers.

We are indebted to the clerk of the steamboat Belle of Arkansas for late Natchez and other papers.

By steamer New York, arrived last evening from Galveston, we have received papers up to the 3d inst.

The President has vetoed the bill requiring the removal of the President and Heads of Department to Austin, and also the bill removing the Supreme Court to Galveston.

A resolution has been adopted nominating a committee of both Houses to act conjointly upon the memorial of Commodore Moore.

Mr. Cosseno offered a resolution, calling on the Secretary of the Treasury, to furnish the House with a statement of the amount of money received by the Government under the contract for a loan entered into between the Hon. Abson Jones, Commissioner, &c. &c., and one Mr. Alexander Burgess, (Governor) for $100,000 as referred to in the report from the Treasury Department, and if any moneys have been received upon said, loan, what disposition has been made of the same. And if not, what are the reasons of the failure, and further, that he furnish copies of all contracts and correspondence touching the same.

A bill making an appropriation in part payment of the officers of the navy has been reported in the Senate by the Committee on Naval Affairs, and passed its first reading.

Land Commissioners.—We learn that Mr. Ralph, from Corpus Christi, passed through town on Monday last, on his way to Washington, with despatches from the Commissioners. The contents of these despatches are not known; the messenger however mentioned that the Commissioners, having been unable to conclude any definite arrangement with the Mexican Commissioners, had proceeded to the city of Mexico. Their reception had been favorable, and they entertained the most sanguine hopes that they should, as a personal interview with Santa Anna, be enabled to obtain more favorable terms than the Commissioners deputed by him would feel authorized to grant. We learn from other sources that small parties of Mexican troops are still stationed on the Grande, and at several points east of the Rio Grande. They have instructions not to interfere with the Texan settlers in any instance, but are directed to intercept all parties of Mexicans who attempt to trade with the merchants at Corpus Christi, or any other Texan town.

A bill granting a pension to disabled seamen who have received their wounds in the Texan Navy, was passed by the House, and will probably pass the Senate. The Allowance is half pay.

Indian Agent.—We have learned with regret that Colonel Sinclair, who was absent not two or three months since, in conflict with some of the Indian tribes relating to a treaty, has not returned, nor has any thing been heard from him, although he was expected to return several weeks since. Some fears are entertained that he has been massacred by hostile Indians, or has been drowned in attempting to cross some of the streams that were swollen by heavy rains. He has not taken leave of his family since his return from the Choctaw country before his departure, and the friends on this account despair of his return.—Houston Telegraph, Jan. 21.

Loss of the Schooner Galveston.—Fears are entertained that the schooner Galveston has been wrecked, in that all on board have perished. The vessel sailed from Galveston for New Orleans on the 16th January, and on the night following a violent storm ensued, and the night following a violent storm ensued, and the night following a violent storm ensued, and