

our people, would start in an onward march to prosperity and improvement unparalleled in its history.

It there had ever been built a railroad in this country that did not do for the locality through which it passed exactly what it is claimed the New Orleans Pacific would do along its route, it might be doubted whether or not these flattering results would follow its construction. But any one who has seen what railroads have done for such rocky wildernesses as Northern Wisconsin and Michigan, could not for a moment doubt the results that would follow the completion of the New Orleans Pacific Railway, through the rich fields that border the Red River. If this road was to destroy water communications there might be some reason to oppose it; but what are the facts in similar cases? The present year the Jackson Road brought us 275,518 bales of cotton, while the Mississippi River brought 617,259 bales. By far the larger portion of the cotton that came by rail was from regions inaccessible to water, and had it not come by rail would have been diverted to Northern or Eastern markets, so that

**ROMAGOSA**—On Wednesday, November 26, 1879, at 8 o'clock, P. M. FRANCISCO ROMAGOSA, aged 63 years, native of Sitges, Catalonia, Spain.

His friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from his late residence, 251 Johnson street, between Barracks and Hospital streets, at half-past 3 o'clock This Afternoon.

**GUTHENS**—On Wednesday morning, November 26, 1879, at 8 o'clock, ELIZABETH YETSCH, widow of the late P. Gutheus, aged 71 years and 9 months, a native of Niederlauterbach, Alsace, and a resident of this city for the last seven years.

Her friends and those of her sons, A. and J. Gutheus, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place at 10 o'clock This Morning, from her late residence, corner of Johnson and Laharpe streets.

**CONWAY**—On Wednesday evening, at 4:30 o'clock, ELLEN KELLY, wife of Peter Conway, aged 48 years, native of Burisoleigh, county Tipperary, Ireland, and a resident of this city for the past twenty-seven years.

The funeral will take place at 3 o'clock, This Afternoon, from her late residence, No. 84 Julia, corner Tchoupitoulas street. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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