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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

WEEKLY WORKHOUSE STATISTICS.—Number of prisoners sent to the workhouse during the week ending Saturday, March 7, 1868: White male natives, 4; white male foreigners, 11; colored male natives, 27; colored female natives, 4; white female natives, 5; white female foreigners, 3; total 54; foreigners naturalized, 8. 34 can neither read nor write, 15 are drunkards, 34 have no occupations, 17 are married. Of the foreigners 6 are from Ireland, 5 from Germany, 1 from France, 1 from Scotland, 2 from Italy.

SECOND DISTRICT RECORDER'S COURT.—Turner Shelby stands charged with stealing $56 from Fanny Alexander, and battering Mary Johnson.

CRIMINAL COURT—Judge Howe yesterday denied a motion for a new trial in the case of Jefferson Lewis, charged and convicted of murder. Lewis will be sentenced next Friday.

The same in the case of John H. McCarty and George Gerhardt, charged and convicted of robbery.

DEATH FROM COAL OIL BURNS.—An inquest has been held on the body of John Cross, a native of this city, aged twenty-five years, who died in Charity hospital from the effects of burns, caused by an explosion of a coal oil lamp in the workhouse.

FOURTH DISTRICT RECORDER'S COURT.—Before Recorder J. A. Letten: Emeline Leader was examined on a charge of assault and battery. The charge being fully substantiated the accused was sent before the first district court for trial.

Perkin Fraser, a vagrant, was committed to the workhouse for sixty days.

INTERMENTS FOR THE WEEK.—The whole number of interments in this city for the week ending Sunday morning, according to the report of Dr. George W. Dirmeyer, secretary of the board of health, was ninety-two. Thirteen of the number died of consumption.

FIRST DISTRICT RECORDER'S COURT.—L. Druifus was retired to the workhouse for the space of three months in consequence of Mrs. Druifus complaining that he threatened her life, and also being a habitual drunkard.

Betty Anderson takes a month's siesta in the workhouse because she stole a silver spoon and some clothing from Mrs. Levi.

S. and A. Williams seek the shades of the same institution on a conviction of robbery.

Abraham Doch, for stealing three dozen blacking brushes, will whitewash his crime in the workhouse.

TWO FIRES CAUSED BY COAL OIL.—At about eleven o'clock Sunday night a fire occurred in a grocery kept by Jacob Rind, corner of Annunciation and Felicity streets. The cause was a lighted coal oil lamp falling from the hands of Mrs. Rind. There was little or no damage done.

The other fire was in No. 65 Exchange alley, in a dwelling occupied by J. Mat, and owned by Mr. Peterson, caused by an explosion of a coal oil lamp. The flames were extinguished before much damage had resulted.

THE WRONG NAME.—In noticing the arrest of M. E. Stack a few days ago, our reporter gave the wrong name in saying that the person on whom the assault was made was Cunningham. The name should be Cummings.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.—J. C. Fiches, Edward Parkham, and J. B. Ritter have been indicted by the grand jury of the United States circuit court, for fraudulently removing some twenty-five hundred barrels of whisky, the revenue tax on which had not been paid, from the internal revenue bonded-warehouse of which they were the owners.

An indictment was also found against a party for forging an order issued from the internal revenue department for the removal of three barrels of whisky from the bonded-warehouse, which was altered to read "ninety-three" barrels.

Antonio Bacio was tried yesterday before the United States circuit court for having in his possession and attempting to pass counterfeit ten dollar greenbacks. The jury rendered a verdict of not guilty.

THIRD DISTRICT RECORDER'S COURT.—The following parties were arraigned before Recorder J. A. Letten yesterday:

John Kearney, charged by George Howard with false imprisonment; Jack Sparicio, arrested by Officer Fareman on Esplanade street, charged by Thomas Burns with cutting with intent to kill; and John Young, Officer Fleming, on Mandeville street, charged by Andrew Monick with assault and battery, were all released on bail for trial.

Thomas Burns, soldier of the sixth United States cavalry, arrested by Officer Roth on Esplanade street for fighting and disturbing public peace, was remanded for trial.

Francis Beall, arrested by Officer Meyran on board the French steamer Guyane, charged by Emile Bands with disturbing the public peace, was fined $5 or ten days in the parish prison.

BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION.—The society yesterday made a very neat display in public as the members marched through our streets with banners and flags. The cortege was a long one, and attracted much attention.

SOCIETY OF SMALL CHANGE.—Nearly every dealer in this community labors under the difficulty of scarcity of small change. Dimes, quarters, and halves seem to have disappeared, most likely hoarded by very provident persons who think there is a premium on their little bills.

A PONY CRIPPLER.—Sunday morning we heard a case where a cripple named J. Johnson charged two citizens with being by violent threats robbed him of $5. Bradley found the accused, and promptly imprisoned them, but yesterday morning when they were arraigned the party was not to be found. One of two things must be correct: Wilkinson was drunk when he got off, or was intending to try a "quietly badge," and failed in the attempt.

JOHN DAY'S INCOME OF CITY MONEY.—A grocery man on Camp street last Saturday sold his goods as usual, and accepted bills without any scare on him. The reason was his retail sales amounted to $8.

Other gentlemen of the same disposition in the second district took in a similar sum, and to-day rejoices that instead of goods he has on hand cash which he can use freely.

PROPOSED FINANCIAL MEASURE.—A meeting of the finance committee was held last night for the purpose of proposing some adequate measure to relieve city money from its present depression. It was finally resolved to propose an ordinance with the following provisions: To issue bonds bearing eight per cent interest, payable in legal tender currency, which are to be exchanged for the ten and twenty dollar notes, or these notes may be stamped at the option of the holder, after which they will have the character of interest-bearing securities the same as the bonds. All the small denominations to five inclusive will be received in payment of taxes, licenses, and other debts due the city. This ordinance will be submitted to the council at the regular meeting to-night.

SECOND DISTRICT RECORDER'S COURT.—Turner Shelby stands charged with stealing $56 from Fanny Alexander, and battering Mary Johnson.

INDICTMENT.—In the first district court yesterday the grand jury returned an indictment against J. B. Polingue and A. Gajac for embezzlement of $4600 in seventy-thirty United States bonds belonging to C. H. Roberts.

EXTENDING THE CITY TELEGRAPH WIRES.—It is proposed by Mr. Samuel Weeks, superintendent of the fire alarm telegraph, to place a gong in the porters' rooms, City hall, for the purpose of calling them by electricity when wanted by officials. This will save time, noise, and trouble, and should have been done long ago.

TRIAL OF PARIS CHILDRESS FOR PERJURY.—This second justice of the peace was yesterday in part examined on the charge of perjury, before United States Commissioner Shannon, but the most important witness not appearing the case was continued.

RUMOR OF ARREST FOR PERJURY.—All day yesterday a rumor was rife on the streets that Governor Baker had been, or was to be, arrested, as we heard, on a charge of perjury. There must be some fire where so much smoke is apparent. Mr. Baker was not here yesterday. He was at his home on the Teche the last we heard of him.

Monetary and Commercial.

MONETARY.

NEW ORLEANS REPUBLICAN OFFICE, MONDAY EVENING, March 9, 1868.

The money market to-day has disclosed no marked alteration. Offerings of capital were ample, but the demand for accommodations has been of a restricted character. But no variation has transpired in rates, and we still quote 8 ⅌ cent ⅌ annum, and 1@1½ ⅌ cent ⅌ month out of doors for short gilt-edged paper, and 10@12 ⅌ cent ⅌ annum for long-dated notes, secured by first-class city mortgage.

GOLD.—Gold declined to-day, owing to the falling off of rates in the New York market. The opening rate was 140½ against 140¾, the closing figure Saturday evening. At 11 it was quoted at 139¾; at 12 it ruled at 140¼, and at 2.30 it stood at 140½. The demand and supply in this market have been moderate to-day, and the sales comprised only the appended amounts, viz: $10,000 at 140¾; $7000 at 140¾; $3000 at the same; $25,000 at 141¼; $2000 at 141¼; $5000 at 141½; $2500 at 141¼, and $1000 at 141¼.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.—The decline in gold to-day has resulted in a reduction of rates of sterling and francs. The market was amply supplied, and the demand was moderate. The principal sales were as follows: £5000 bill sterling at 152½; £3500 do at 152½; £2000 and £3000 A1 commercial at 152½; £2000 at 152¾; £1000, £3000, and £5000 at 153; £1000, £1500, and £5000 bill of lading sterling at 151½; £1500 do at 151¾; £2000 do. at 151¼; £5000 at 151¼. 200,000 commercial francs at 5.75; 20,000, 30,000, 50,000, and 50,000 at 5.72½; and 20,000, 25,000, 30,000, and 50,000 at 5.75½. The closing rates were 5.70@5.68½ for bank francs, and 5.75@5.72½ for commercial francs.

DOMESTIC EXCHANGE—The market to-day has disclosed increased firmness. The market was moderately supplied with commercial offerings, as the recent sales of cotton have been well cleared away. For foreign account, while the remittance demand has been at no time active, and the total purchases by banks and bankers have been confined to the subjoined amounts: $25,000, $25,000, $25,000, and $100,000 bankers' sight at ¼ ⅌ cent discount; $10,000, $20,000, $50,000, and $115,000 private do. at ½-16; $50,000 do. at ⅛; $30,000 at 11-16; $10,000 on Providence at ¼; $5000 on St. Louis at ¼; $2000 and $10,000 five days' at ⅛; and $9000 and $10,000 ten days' at 1 ⅌ cent discount. We quote ¼@⅜ ⅌ cent discount at bank, and 9-16@11-16 out of doors for sight checks on the Northern cities.

UNCURRENT NOTES AND SECURITIES.—There has been a marked improvement noticeable in city notes to-day. The offering supply was of much less pressing character than heretofore, and the demand, although still restricted, has been of a decidedly more liberal tenor. The purchases included $10,000 small city issues at 14¼; $14,000 do. at 14½; $4000 and $10,000 at 15½; $6000 do. at 15¾; $4000 and $5000 do. at 16; $1000 large do. at 17½ ⅌ cent discount, and $1000 Louisiana state notes in lists at 48@52c. ⅌ dollar.

COMMERCIAL.

MONDAY EVENING, March 9, 1868.

COTTON—The market has been very buoyant throughout the day. The offering supply was at no time heavy or desirable, while the general demand has been active and prices have rapidly inclined in favor of holders. In fact, the only drawback to unusually heavy operations for days has been the very heavy advance demanded by factors. Buyers cheerfully paid 1c. higher figures than heretofore, as the Liverpool advices indicated an improvement to that extent, but this did not satisfy some holders, and not offering for sale per cent ⅌ their rates fully 1@2c. ⅌ lb. The total actual sales for the day footed up 4750 bales, nevertheless, still the market closed unsettled at the subjoined quotations, viz.: Ordinary 12@12½c.; good ordinary 13c.; low middling 24c., and middling 25c.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES—Only 55 hhds. sugar and 31 barrels molasses were received this morning. The supplies are very light, but the market is dull and the demand is only in a jobbing way at 10c. ⅌ lb. for inferior, and 12c. for common sugar; 13c. for fair; 14@14½c. for fully fair; 15c. for prime; 16c. for choice; 16½@16½c. for yellow clarified, and 17c. for white. Molasses, 56c. for Cuba rebolled, and 70@85c. for Louisiana rebolled; 70@85c. for refinery rebolled, and $1@1 ⅌ gallon for golden syrup. A cargo of 350 hhds. of Cuba sold at ——. The previous sale was at 57½c. ⅌ gallon.

ARRIVALS FROM THE WEST—The steamers Arthur from St. Louis and Garrett with barges from Cincinnati, have arrived since our review of yesterday.

FLOUR—There appears to be very little demand to-day, but the stock on hand being small and the receipts (especially of double extra and the grades below) light holders are firmer in their views and are asking higher prices. We quote the supply of which 50 fine at $9 25, 198 superfine at $10 12½; 198 superfine at $10 25; 100 choice extra on private terms, 100 at $13 25, 50 bbls. on private terms, 50 and 100 superfine at $10 ⅌ bbl.

CORN—With light supplies on the landing and a good demand for the trade and for shipment prices are ruling with an upward tendency. Sales to-day 10,142 sacks, of which 250 white, 692 do. and 8500 white and yellow at $1, and 300 yellow at $1 02½, and 500 white and yellow at $1 05 ⅌ bushel.

OATS—We note a good demand and firm market, with sales of 1675 sacks, of which 833 second-hand bags at 73c.; 240 and 300 prime at 78c., and 300 at 80c. ⅌ bushel.

BRAN—Is jobbing at $1 75 ⅌ 100 lbs.

HAY—Is dull at $28 ⅌ ton for prime Western, in a jobbing way.

PORK—The market is dull and depressed, better supplies being expected. Mess is held at Wholesale at $26 50, and is retailing at $27 ⅌ barrel.

BACON—There is very little here and only a retail business is doing at 12½@13c. ⅌ lb. for shoulders, and 16½c. for sides.

LARD—We have no sales to report, but quote prime tierces at 16c.; kegs 16½c. At retail it commands 2c. more.

GREEN MEAT—Continues scarce. Shoulders have brought 11c. ⅌ lb. at wholesale and are now retailing at 12c.

CATTLE MARKET

Western Beeves, gross, ⅌ 3 net	— @ —	— —
Western Beeves, 2d quality, ⅌ net	— @ —	— —
Texas Beeves, 1st quality, ⅌ head	— @ 85	00
Texas Beeves, 2d quality, ⅌ head	25 00@ 30	00
Texas Cattle, 3d quality ⅌ head	11 00@ 20	00
Hogs ⅌ 3 gross	7½	9
Stock Hogs ⅌ head	2 00@ 4	00
Sheep, 1st quality, ⅌ head	4 00@ 5	00
Sheep, 2d quality, ⅌ head	2 00@ 3	00
Sheep, 3d quality, ⅌ head	1 00@ 2	00
Milch Cows, choice ⅌ head	— @ 100	00
Milch Cows, ⅌ head	50 00@ 60	00
Texas Cows with Calves ⅌ head	— @ 30	00
Yearlings, ⅌ head	7 00@ 12	00
Calves ⅌ head	6 00@ 12	00
Goats, ⅌ head	1 50@ 4	00

Marine Intelligence.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY REPUBLICAN, Tuesday, March 10, 1868.

CLEARED YESTERDAY.

Ship Pleiades, Stetson, for Liverpool—Lovell & Bailey

Ship Bolle Morse, Wyman, for Liverpool—Lovell & Bailey

Bremen brig Caroline, Behrens, for Helsingfors—W R Buddendorff

Schooner Planet, Gutierrez, for Brazos Santiago—Goldenbow & Kelley

Schooner St Maria, Road, for St Marks—Master

Schooner Clarlotte, Pepper, for Pensocola—Master

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

British bark Istria, Sewell, from Liverpool January 10, to J H Ashbridge & Decan—1d district 24

Swedish bark Eliza, Wennerholm, from Havana, to master—Aiglers

British brig Miranda, Caffrey, from Cienfuegos, to C Kohn—Point

Schooner Catawamteak, Packard, from Matanzas, to master—Point

Schooner Wm I. Burroughs, Madjo, from Havana, to master—Point

Schooner Walter Smith, Glant, from Apalachicola, to master—New Basin

Sloop Gen Bixio, ——, from Plaquemine, to A Socola—2d district 14

TOWBOATS.

Equator, Warren, from the Passes—Went down light—Brought back barks Istria and Eliza, and schooners Wm I. Burroughs and Catawamteak

STEAMBOATS.

R E Lee, Cannon, from Vicksburg.

Nina Simmes, Greathouse, from Lockport.

John D Perry, Wheat, from Jacksonport.

Olive Branch, Jones, from Cairo.

Aloe, Radovich, from Lower Coast.

ARRIVED SUNDAY.

Steamship George Washington, Gager, from New York 29th, to A Moulton—2d district

Steamship Gen Grant, Hildreth, from New York 29th, to Wood, Low & Ludwigson—2d district

Steamship Crescent, Hawthorn, from Indianola and Galveston, to C A Whitney & co—1st district

Steamship Lavaca, Livingston, from Apalachicola, to P W Perkins—1st district 12

TOWBOATS.

J W Garrett, ——, from Cincinnati, with two barges

STEAMBOATS.

Gov Allen, Richardson, from Greenville.

W R Arthur, Duble, from St Louis.

Ezra Porter, Lee, from Shreveport.

Lula D., Grace, from Jefferson.

J M Sharp, Dugas, from Lafourche Crossing

Favorite, Goodale, from Tallahatchie and Coldwater Rivers.

Iberville, Gross, from Bayou Sara.

Frances, Blakeslee, from Mobile—P RR.

WANTED.

SMALL HOUSE WANTED.—ONE UP town, near a railroad line, with five or six rooms. Rent not to exceed $20 per month. Address P, this office, giving particulars. mh4

BOARDING.

BOARD—A GENTLEMAN AND WIFE OR two single gentlemen can be accommodated with a comfortably Furnished Front Room and Board in a private family at 184 Terpsichore street, between Prytania and Coliseum. mh 7w

ROOMS AND BOARD.—PLEASANT Rooms and Board for families and single gentlemen can be obtained by immediate application at 102 Julia street. tu3d

LEGAL NOTICES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA.

In Bankruptcy—No. 24.

IN THE MATTER OF THOMAS S. GARRETT, Bankrupt.

WHEREAS THOMAS S. GARRETT, OF THE parish of Iberville and district aforesaid, duly declared bankrupt, under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, has this day filed in said court a petition praying for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other liabilities provable under said act:

Notice is therefore given to all creditors who have proved their debts, and to all other persons in interest, that the sixth day of April, 1868, at 11 A. M. is assigned for the hearing of the said petition, and if they may then and there attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

Clerk's Office, New Orleans, March 7, 1868.

mh10 2t 2d K. LOEW, Deputy Clerk.

UTITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA.

IN THE MATTER OF SAMUEL KAHN, Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy—No. 46.

WHEREAS SAMUEL KAHN, OF THE parish of Orleans and District aforesaid, duly declared bankrupt, under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, has this day filed in said court a petition praying for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act—

Notice is therefore given to all creditors who have proved their debts, and to all other persons in interest, that the sixth day of April, 1868, at 11 A. M., is assigned for the hearing of the said petition, and if they may then and there attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

Clerk's Office, New Orleans, March 4, 1868.

K. LOEW, Deputy Clerk.

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NEW ORLEANS.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

By Resolution of the Chamber of Commerce, held last evening, the Chamber invite and earnestly solicit the public generally to attend a meeting to be held at Masonic Hall, St. Charles street, THIS EVENING, at 7 o'clock, to hear Mr. John Everett, of London, Gen. Richardson, Dr. C. K. Marsh, and other eminent speakers, upon the subject of Disposing of Vacant Lands in the South and securing emigration from abroad, and other matters of vital importance to the South.

J. S. COPES,
S. H. KENNEDY,
J. H. OGLESBY,

In Hoc Signo Vinces.—The regular conclave of Orleans Commandery No. 1, K. T., will be holden at its Asylum Grand Lodge Hall, WEDNESDAY EVENING next, at 8½ o'clock. Sojourning Sir Knights are courteously invited to attend.

By order of the E. C.

mh10 2t ALFRED E. BILLINGS, Recorder.

Dr. B. F. Wright, desirous of spending the summer in the North, will leave the city soon. All friends wishing his services will do themselves a favor by giving him a call, as he has reduced his already low dental charges one half, in greenbacks. No. 125 Customhouse street, between Dauphine and Burgundy. ow 3

POLITICAL NOTICES.

Notice—The Book of the Treasurer of the Campaign Committee of the Radical Republican Party, containing the names of all those who subscribe toward the expenses of the Campaign, the amount of the subscriptions received by the Committee, and an account of the expenditures thereof, will be at the headquarters No. 12 Dryades street, and always open to the inspection of subscribers and members of the Committees.

Gentlemen can enter their names, and make the amount with Mr. Mulford, the Secretary, in the absence of the Treasurer.

M. A. SOUTHWORTH,
mh5 1m Treasurer.

The Headquarters of the Radical Republican Party, and of the Committee to conduct the campaign, and of the State Central Executive Committee are at No. 12 Dryades street, near Canal street. Republicans from the country and city are invited to call and obtain documents and circulars for distribution. fel8

First Ward Club.—Radical Republicans of the First Ward are notified that this Club meets EVERY TUESDAY evening at 7 o'clock at Polymnia Hall, corner Polymnia and St. Charles streets.

GEORGE W. MADER, President.
JOHN L. BROWN, Secretary. fel 1m

NOTICE—

Public notice is hereby given that application has been made for the reissue of Eight One Thousand Dollar Certificates of Stock of the Southern Dry Dock Company, the originals having been lost.

mh4 3t B. L. BROWN.

DESTRUCTION OF CITY NOTES.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, this Day of March, 1868.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH RESOLUTIONS of authorizing the issue and destruction of the same, the Treasurer of the city of New Orleans has this ninth day of March, 1868, in the presence of the undersigned, and the Mayor, the Controller, and the Chairmen, and members of the Finance Committees, the following City notes, viz:

Tax, consolidated, in $50 notes	$130,000 00
New Tax, $10 notes	119,000 00
Bastures, $10 notes	37,500 00
New tax, $10 notes	48,000 10
Old Tax, $10 notes	12,500 10
Total destroyed	$344,900 20

E. HEATH, Mayor.
D. E. MANDELL, Controller.
JOHN CLAY,
C. C. SAMPSON,
R. F. JOUBERT,
ARISTIDE MARY,
JOHN GAUCHE,
Chairmen and Members Finance Committees.
S. HOWELL, Treasurer.

Attest: JOHN A. ROGERS, Secretary Finance Committee. mh10

CITY MONEY TAKEN AT PAR

The following grocers inform me that they are taking the City money at par in payment for their goods:

J. ICARD, corner Toulouse and Burgundy streets.

E. D. FARR, corner Villiers and Lafayette streets.

M. BRACKEN, No. 238 Camp street.

New Orleans, March 10, 1868.

mh10 E. HEATH, Mayor.

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

GOVERNMENT AUCTION SALE.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER OFFICE, New Orleans, March 10, 1868.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following-named articles of BRIDGE TRAINS and EQUIPAGE will be sold at public auction, in lots to be designated by the officer of the Army designated to superintend the sale, at the engineer's yard, Brownsville, Texas, the sale to commence on the 25th instant, and to continue until the sale is duly completed—

30 Pontoon Boats, 21 Pontoon Wagons, 14 Chess Wagons, 1 Buck Wagon, 2 Pool Wagons, 7 Forage Wagons, 7 Anchors, 181 Balks, 63 Chess Planks, 14 Boat Hooks, 113 Oars, 2 Abutments of Nos. 10 Bar Locks, 66 Rack Bridges, 14 Rack Collars, 3 Pin Pumps, 6 Bait Lanterns, 199 Balk and Rack Lashings, 6 Cables, 2 Axes, 21 Augers and Handles, 1 Adze and Handles, 17 Chisels, 1 Drawing Knives, 2 Spirit Levels, 4 Mallets, 2 Saws No. 9 Handles, 4 Combing Irons, 1 Iron Square, 3 Hand Saws, 1 Cross Cut Saws, 1 Tool Chest, 1 Grind Stone, 200 Long handle Shovels, 1 Long handle Spade, 3 Hoes, 1 Hinge and Hooks, 7 Bread Axes, 20 pounds Putty, 667 pounds Manilla Rope, 2 coils Manilla Rope.

Terms—Cash in Gold or Silver in legal United States currency.

By order Brevet Brig. Gen. M. D. McAlester, Major of Engineers.

M. R. BROWN,
First Lieutenant Corps of Engineers.

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NOTICE.

OFFICE CHIEF OF ENGINEERS, MILITARY DISTRICT, New Orleans, La., March 7, 1868.

SEALED PROPOSALS IN DUPLICATE WILL be received till March 24, 1868, at 12 o'clock M., for furnishing the United States Subsistence Department with all the FUEL required in the service for the months of April, May, June, and July, 1868.

The articles furnished must be of the very best quality, cut up in good barrels, with head lined, and delivered at the subsistence depot free of charge for cooperage or drayage, with the name of the seller marked on each package.

No bids will be received from parties who have heretofore failed to comply with their engagements with any branch of the government.

Bids to be directed to the undersigned, and marked "Proposals for Fuel."

A. BECKWITH,
mh10 6t Brevet Maj. Gen. and C. S., U. S. A.

NOTICE.

OFFICE CHIEF COMMISSARY SUBSISTENCE, New Orleans, La., March 7, 1868.

SEALED PROPOSALS IN DUPLICATE ARE invited till the hour of three (3) p. m. March 24, 1868, at 12 o'clock M., for furnishing the United States Subsistence Department with the following Stores, viz:

100,000 One hundred thousand pounds of BROWN SUGAR, equal to No. 14 of the Dutch standard. 15 per cent tare will be taken for hogsheads and boxes. Hogsheads and boxes must be full.

Bids will also be entertained for a good quality of LOUISIANA SUGAR, in hogsheads. 15 per cent tare will be taken.

Bidders will be required to submit samples of their Sugar with their bids.

—ALSO—

1000 One Thousand barrels of Choice Extra FLOUR, equal to the Government standard (superfine), which can be had by application at the Subsistence Office.

Payment will be made for the above named articles at such time as the Department may have money, and in such funds as may be furnished for that purpose.

All the above articles to be delivered at the Arsenal, New Orleans, in quantities as the service may require, to be delivered within twenty days from the acceptance of the bids.

No bids will be entertained from parties who have heretofore failed to comply with their engagements with any branch of the Government.

Bids to be directed to the undersigned, and marked "Proposals for Stores."

A. BECKWITH,
mh7 6t Brevet Maj. Gen. and C. S., U. S. A.

WANTED.

LAW PARTNER WANTED—A LAW Firm of standing, business, and ability, wishes to form a partnership with a lawyer well versed in the Civil, Criminal, and Admiralty Laws and practice, and who can take the with of the state. Will give attention to the same. A student, active and diligent, and writing a good hand, is also wanted. Address, with full name, etc., Law, at this office. mh10 1t

FOR RENT.

TO RENT—A LARGE AND ELIGIBLE Store—one of the finest in the city—No. 142 Canal street, near Carondelet street. Can be divided or being divided into two stores. To a good lessee it will be rented low. Inquire of

M. GERSON, No. 7 Story Building,
fel2 Corner of Camp and Common streets.

TO RENT OR FOR SALE.

A very desirable Double Cottage, on the corner of Bellecastle and Jackson streets, Lake City, containing six rooms, pantry, kitchen, servants' room, two cisterns, garden, fruit trees and strawberry bed, stable, coach house, etc. Will accommodating terms or rented the whole or half. Apply at the Republican office.

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OFFICIAL NOTICES--CITY.

FOR THE ERECTION OF A BUILDING on the Lot belonging to the City of New Orleans, on Lafayette Street, near the corner of Dryades Street, to be Used as a Recorder's Court, Police Station, and Lockup.

No. 812—New Series.

SECTION 1. Whereas, The building situated at the corner of St. Charles and Lafayette streets, and used as a Recorder's court, Police station, and Lockup, has become a nuisance to the neighborhood in which it is situated; therefore,

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the city of New Orleans, That the said lots and buildings thereon be sold at public auction, at the same time and on the same terms and conditions as fixed for the sale of the other real property belonging to the city of New Orleans, with the condition that the city shall have the right of occupying the same for a term of six months after the sale at the rate of ten per cent per annum on the amount of the adjudication.

SEC. 2. Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized, after thirty days notice in the Official Journal, to sell a contract to the lowest bidder or bidders, for the erection of a building on the lot belonging to the city of New Orleans, on Lafayette street near the corner of Dryades street, to be used as a recorder's court, police station, and lockup, according to plans and specifications to be made by the City Surveyor.

(Signed) F. W. PERKINS,
President pro tem. Board of Assistant Aldermen.
(Signed) JAS. GRAHAM,
President Board of Aldermen.

Approved December 26, 1867.

(Signed) E. HEATH, Mayor.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, CITY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, 5th day of February, 1868.

Notice is hereby given that the Controller will at 12 o'clock M. on TUESDAY, the 17th day of March, 1868, at his office adjudicate to the lowest bidder or bidders the above contract.

S. C. BROWER,
Deputy Controller.

SPECIFICATION of Materials and Workmanship requisite for the Erection and Completion of the proposed First District Recorder's Court and Police Station on a piece of ground located on Lafayette street, between Baronne and Dryades streets, under the direction of the City Surveyor of New Orleans and agreeably to such further drawings in explanation thereof as may be furnished therefor from time to time.

§ The size of building, its dimensions, sub-divisions, and the arrangement of details of buildings, thickness of walls, are to be the same as set forth and shown in the general drawings deposited in the Surveyor's office. All the measurements being in American feet and inches, and when not figured to be measured by the scale of drawing as given thereon. Should the contractor require duplicates, he will have to furnish them at his own expense.

BRICKLAYERS' WORK.

TRENCHES.

The trenches for the foundations shall be dug out in width to suit the widths of footings, and in depth so as to have the bottom of the lowest brickwork of the footings below the regulated surface of the ground; their bottoms shall be made perfectly level, hard, and solid, and shall be covered with two thicknesses of sound foundation flatboat planks, laid crossing one another in the usual manner, and projecting four inches on each side beyond the first or bottom course of the footings. When the footings are all laid, all the surplus earth and material that may be taken out of the trenches, and all rubbish that may accumulate during the progress of the work, shall be carried away or deposited on the ground, as the Surveyor may direct.

Should there be any privy sinks or wells on the premises they shall be properly cleaned out and filled up with brick rubbish.

BRICKS AND MORTAR.

The whole of the brickwork of the foundations or footings shall be of the best quality hard and well burnt lake made bricks, laid in cement mortar composed of the best quality, both of fresh hydraulic cement, and coarse, sharp gritted Natchez sand.

The walls and brickwork above the ground floor shall be of the best quality, hard and well burnt country bricks, except the prison walls, which shall be of the best quality lake bricks, laid in lime mortar composed of the best quality, both of fresh Thomaston lime and coarse, sharp gritted sand, properly mixed and manipulated as the Surveyor may direct.

No inferior quality or salmon colored bricks will be allowed on the premises.

All bricks used in the work shall be wet with clean water a short time before using them.

No brickwork to be allowed in any part of the foundations or walls except for cisterns.

SLATES IN WALLS.

The brickwork of the base walls to the height of 6 inches above the regulated surface of the ground shall be covered with a course of large size slate slates properly overlapped and well bedded in cement mortar, to prevent the ascent of moisture in the work. The four upper courses of the brickwork, and other walls exposed to the weather, shall be laid in cement mortar with a course of slates built in between them.

FOOTINGS UNDER WALLS.

The footings under the walls on the front on Lafayette street shall be 8 bricks wide at the bottom, the bank party line walls and rear wall 7 bricks wide, the footings of the middle or main wall shall be 8 bricks wide at the bottom; the footings of the middle building will be 8 bricks wide; of the 13 in party yard wall 8 bricks wide. The footings of the prison walls will be 8 bricks wide, and the division walls in prison 6 bricks. The footings of the privy walls shall be 6 bricks wide at the bottom. After the trenches are dug out and prepared the whole of the footings will be laid according to the widths specified, each and every course of the brickwork from first one laid shall be diminished upward with 2½ inches offset on each side.

WALLS.

The whole of the walls and other brickwork throughout shall be carried up in horizontal courses, executed in proper bond, and erected in the most careful, substantial, and best workmanlike manner, perfectly true and plumb according to the heights and thicknesses figured on the drawings.

The joints of all brickwork not plastered shall be smoothly struck.

IRON ANCHORS.

A sufficient number of wrought iron anchors shall be provided by the contractor, and built into the ceiling joists, cranked down 1 inch at the ends, and well bedded in cement mortar to secure the timbers and brickwork together.

ARCHES.

The fire places in the different rooms shall have brick arches turned on iron arch bars, said bars to be 3 inches wide by ½ inch thick.

CORNICES.

The brickwork of the external cornice shall be built in conformity to the plans and elevations, and supported on a strong core of North river flag stones which shall run through the entire thickness of the walls, and be in two lengths, well hung on inside with best bats, and fastened with proper hooks, bolts, and iron cramps, and properly replaced. Two folds of the shutters shall be finished with neat moulded panels, the other two folds to be blinds with fastenings on them.

The windows in the yard shall have outside 1½ inch Venetian blind shutters, well hung with the best materials and finished with neat moulded panels, the other two folds to be blinds with fastenings on them.

The doorways in front and rear, lower story, shall have impost and head lights, 2 inch reboated jambs, and 4 inch opened architrave with hand mouldings, the doors to be 1¾ inches thick, each in 6 full moulded panels, well hung with 4½x4½ inch best butts, and fastened with a first-rate 3 inch American mortice lock, with pearl white knobs and silver plated escutcheons and escutcheon pins. The doorways in the middle building shall have plain jambs, with solid timber frames trimmed with 2 inch moulded architraves, finished with neat moulded cornices, and have 1¾ inch plain panelled doors, well hung with 4x4 inch best butts, and fastened with a good American 7 inch Rimlock's mineral knobs and bronze escutcheons.

The doorways in lieutenant's office, cap room, clerk's office, recorder's office, etc., shall have plain imposts and headlights.

The whole of the doorways throughout shall have champfered yellow pine sashes screwed down to the floor.

WINDOWS.

The whole of the windows shall be trimmed and finished to correspond with the finish of the several doorways; they shall have 1¾ glazed sashes, double hung with patent axle pulleys, iron weights, and good strong sash cord. The front and back windows of the recorder's court shall have 1½ inch four fold shutters in two lengths, well hung on inside with best bats, and fastened with proper hooks, bolts, and iron cramps, properly replaced. Two folds of the shutters shall be finished with neat moulded panels, the other two folds to be blinds with fastenings on them.

The windows in the yard shall have outside 1¾ inch Venetian blind shutters, well hung with the best materials and finished with neat moulded panels, the other two folds to be blinds with fastenings and an eight-inch crossbolt.

PLASTERERS' WORK.

OUTSIDE PLASTERING.

The outside surface of the whole of the brickwork of the principal front shall be plastered with cement, composed of the best quality of fresh hydraulic cement and coarse sharp gritted River island sand, properly mixed and put on in the most workmanlike manner and neatly colored and jointed to imitate masonry. The color to be chosen by the City Surveyor.

The main cornice, mouldings, etc., shall be run and finished according to the detailed drawings, brickwork to be wetted before the cement is applied.

INSIDE PLASTERING.

The interior of the front and rear buildings shall be lathed where necessary, and plastered three-coat work finished in the best workmanlike manner.

The Recorder's courtroom shall have handsome and appropriate stucco cornices; also two enriched stucco centres of such design and neatness as shown in the drawings.

The other rooms or offices shall have plain moulded plaster cornice.

The whole of the interior walls and ceiling throughout the principal rooms shall be covered with three coats of the best whitewash.

DOME.

The dome is a regular dodecagon with 12 equal sides, will be framed so as each alternate side contains a panel with mouldings in and outside, and