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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

CANAL STREET THIS MORNING.—Canal Street this morning is crowded with promenaders, principally ladies, who examine and reject or purchase from the rich and cheap stocks of millinery, dress and fancy goods displayed most temptingly. There have been numerous business changes on this street since the middle of October, more, perhaps, than usual, as the times have made retail merchants anxious and uneasy, and for the want of owners they occupied a portion of the time in removing their stocks to what they hoped more favorable localities.

In one or two instances dry goods merchants have exchanged stores and removed their stock, but not their fixtures. One merchant who was out on Canal street beyond the circle of a lively dry goods trade has removed twice on the street within the three months, the last time only changing his locality three or four doors. In many Northern cities there is no change in the shelves and counters of stores as tenants remove. By the law, anything nailed to the walls or floors of the buildings becomes a fixture, and can not be removed without the special consent of the landlords. Here the law and custom is different, and when a tenant vacates a store he strips it to the nailed walls and floor.

The prospects now are that Canal street, from Camp to Rampart, will have a lively, bright and profitable season. The prices generally of goods are less than on Broadway, New York, or Washington street, Boston, and it is certainly to be hoped that prosperity will enable our citizens and strangers who arrive to purchase freely for ready cash. Success to the Canal street clothing.

A man whose name was unknown was taken in intoxicated to the station from St. Charles street, last evening, by officers Seigler and Scoot, and locked up to protect him from robbery. He had upon his person $57 75 and a gold watch and chain.

Mr. T. L. Macon, President of the Democratic State Central Committee, has resigned.

Mr. Parham, on behalf of the Committee of Teachers, reported the resignations of Mr. Denizel, at the Webster School, and Kleinfelter, at the Macarthy School; and a new division has been organized in the Magnolia School. The committee recommended the following persons to fill vacancies:

Mrs. Condon, for the division of the Magnolia School; Miss B. Cenas, to be transferred from the second division, girls' department, to the first assistant boys' department; the other teachers to be promoted. Miss Nora Collins for the primary division; Miss Mary McEnery, for promotion to the first assistant, and Miss Louise Pitt to the Dryades Street School; Miss A. T. Murphy, for the new division Jackson School; for first assistant of the Fillmore School, Miss E. Butler and Miss E. J. Hall and for the second assistantship, Miss Lynch. The committee announced the withdrawal from the Central High School of Mr. Ruby, and the resuming of his duties at the Girod School, and recommended the appointment, temporarily, of A. Jaquet to the chair in Commercial Science.

The committee also reported that they have employed two additional teachers in the Charters Street School, and recommend the appointment of two additional teachers in the Girod Street School.

The Supervision Committee of the First District reported the schools overcrowded of the furniture in a shabby condition, and perhaps the exception of the Jackson School. They think five hundred more children would answer roll call if there were a more habitable school room given them.

A resolution was adopted providing for the rent of an additional schoolhouse on Dryades street, as a primary school for the Webster, Jefferson and Magnolia Schools. The Third District Supervision Committee also reported the schools in their district in a terrible condition, some of them nearly habitable, and wanting repairs and supplies ad infinitum. This committee also recommended the salaries of the teachers be increased. The Second and Fourth Districts are in a better condition. Mr. Pope, of the latter district, moved to provide for the want of accommodation by the erection of a few cheap temporary buildings, to cost about $500 in greenbacks each. This resolution was referred to the Committee on School Houses, with directions to report.

The Committee on High Schools reported in favor of having the chemistry classes of the High Schools brought together once every two weeks in the High School building, to receive instruction in natural science.

The Committee on the Library and Museum reported that a great many books were taken out of the library which were not returned, and suggested that the rules bearing upon this be strictly enforced.

On the resignation of John G. Parham, chairman of the Committee on Teachers, read by the President. The resignation was laid upon the table, the Board adopting this course in order to induce Mr. Parham to withdraw his resignation.

Upon motion of Mr. Cronan, all the chemical apparatus in the Girls' High School was ordered to be transferred to the Central High School, for the semi-monthly course of experiments, as provided for.

A resolution was offered providing that the Assistant Superintendent shall continue the Saturday noon lectures at the Normal School. Adopted.

A resolution was offered by W. H. Rogers to prevent direct communication from teachers of the schools with the Board, and directing that all communications shall be addressed through the Superintendent. The resolution was lost by the vote of the chair.

Mr. Pope moved a reconsideration, and upon this motion Mr. Rogers spoke at length, explanatory.

Mr. Sambola said the rules covered the ground.

Mr. Gubernator said the resolution was to cover certain communications which were sent direct to committees.

Mr. Pasley said the resolution reflected upon the Committee on Teachers, and thought the attempt to put more power in the hands of the Superintendent was objectionable.

During the discussion it was stated by Mr. Logan that some of the schools of the city were run, to a great extent, in the interest of certain relations of the Directors.

The whole subject was laid upon the table.

The Board adjourned.

CITY BONDS FOR EMPLOYES.—Under the act of the Legislature authorizing the city to issue one million of dollars in bonds to pay employes, bonds are issued of denominations of fifty dollars and one hundred dollars, thus compelling employes to take a portion of their pay still in city notes. For instance, a policeman, whose salary is $780, gets one fifty dollar bond and $30 in city notes, the Treasurer not being authorized to take the additional twenty dollars from the employes and issue a one hundred dollar bond.

LARGE FREIGHT BOAT.—The Thompson Dean, a large and new freight boat, now lying at the foot of Gravier street, is two hundred and ninety feet long, fifty-six feet beam, is built entirely and exclusively for freight, and has a hold varying from ten to fourteen feet. She was built by Captain Pepper, who now commands her, at Cincinnati, and is now making her first trip between St. Louis and this port. She has a cabin which, from the outside, is like that of any first-class passenger boat, but inside it is clear, and is used for packing freight, being especially adapted for hay, cotton and the like. Her capacity, her captain says, is ten thousand bales of cotton, though she can carry greater weight.

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.—R. M. Lusher has addressed a communication to the City Council, which has been referred to the Committee on Education, asking for the sum of $2000 as rent due by the city for the lots belonging to the State Normal School on Erato street, which have been occupied as a depot for the Street Commissioner's Department since 1862. These lots were purchased as a site for the State Normal School.

SUPPLEMENTAL ROLLS.—The supplemental rolls of the public school teachers of this city, made out in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Directors, allowing thirty-three and one-third per cent on the amounts of their salaries, to meet the discount on city money, will be paid on Saturday next, the fourteenth instant. The pay rolls will embrace June, July, August and September, and the amounts thus to be received by the teachers will help them along wonderfully.

PARAGRAPHS.—The city library of New Orleans received last month the sum of $13 50 in subscriptions.

Jules Perrenand, a native of Switzerland, forty years old, and a watchmaker by trade, shot himself in the mouth with a revolver, yesterday, at his residence, No. 65 Royal street.

Two sailors of the ship Marco Polo, lying at Post No. 20, Third District, who were paid off yesterday, stole one pocket-book containing thirty dollars, another containing sixty dollars, and a lot of clothing.

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Mr. T. L. Macon, President of the Democratic State Central Committee, has resigned.

We are indebted to Captain W. Vigers, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, for a neatly printed copy of the official journal of the proceedings of the House of Representatives.

E. S. Wurzburger prayed for and obtained a writ of mandamus from the Fifth District Court, Judge Leaumont, commanding William S. Mount, City Treasurer, to pay him the amount of $6879, the face of a warrant, due him for services in his capacity as Criminal Sheriff of the parish of Orleans.

An affidavit has been made by Captain Pendleton, before the Third Recorder's Court, against John Collens and Pat. Brown, charging them with having stabbed Wm. Kesler, mate of the bark Thomas Fletcher.

A duel took place yesterday in the neighborhood of the Opelousas depot, between Louis E. Moussier and L. S. Payne. It was fought with sabres. The last named of the parties is supposed to have received a slight scratch.

The police officer in command of each precinct is, under the regulations established by Captain Cain, the new Superintendent, required to report at midnight the exact condition of each precinct.

The bond of T. J. Cunningham for $500, signed by J. B. Cunningham, was declared forfeited, he having failed to make an appearance in the First District Court. No opposition was made by his counsel. This was the case where Cunningham was accused of forging the names of committeemen of the Council to an order for the payment of money.

Last night an attempt was made to rob the residence of Mr. A. J. Tardy, on St. Andrew street, near the Magazine Market. The door was opened by means of a jimmy. Mr. Tardy's son, hearing a noise, immediately fired from his revolver three times at the would-be burglars. It is thought one of them was wounded. They made a hasty retreat.

Andrew Mosby was arrested by Policeman Kavanaugh on the charge of having robbed a drunken man on Basin street of a sum of money and a check for $546 on the Canal Bank.

John L. Brown and William Harris appeared yesterday before Recorder Becker, on the affidavit of William Little, charging them with having shot and killed Mr. Little's step-father, the late Cornelius Sullivan, the night of the twenty-fifth of October, during the recent riotous disturbances in the city. The case was continued.

The place where the property stolen from the house of Ada Brummell is deposited has been discovered and a warrant issued for the arrest of the thief. Among other articles stolen were a gold watch and chain, some diamond jewelry, and quite a quantity of jewelry.

While riding along Canal street, near Claiborne, yesterday, Mr. Charles Porter, an old citizen, was thrown from his buggy, by his horse becoming frightened at a pile of shells and wheeling suddenly around and overturning the vehicle. His head coming in contact with the stones, he was severely injured. He was taken to his residence and his wounds carefully attended to.

Yesterday afternoon, a little girl named Honora Sairs, residing with her parents, on Elysian Fields street, while playing on the gallery of the second-story of the house, fell to the banquette, breaking her hip and injuring her spine so severely that it is believed she will remain a cripple for life. Several physicians were called in, but nothing could be done to relieve her intense sufferings.

W. H. Manning, formerly Lieutenant of the Second District police, has received from the Police Board a special commission as officer for the cotton presses.

Special Officer Malone, heretofore in charge of a precinct of the Second District as acting captain, has been made a sergeant.

About noon to-day a lively scene occurred in the corridor of the police building corner of St. Charles and Lafayette streets. A special officer was conversing with a frequenter of the calaboose and the corridor, who exhibited an ugly temper and assumed a defiant position.

Instantly he became belligerent. Notwithstanding he was a cripple in one leg, it required the combined pursuasion of three athletic officers to induce him to go into a cell. But he went.

Last night about ten o'clock a patrolman, evidently more than half seas over, brought a prisoner to the main station, whom he had arrested for disturbing the peace. He had previously conducted another prisoner to the same station. Captain Robinson deprived the patrolman of his baton and rattle and sent him home.

The Captain proposed to release the second prisoner, but he was insolent and belligerently inclined, and he stayed in the cell till morning. No man should be tolerated on the police who gets intoxicated. No matter what excuse he may offer, he should be dismissed by the Metropolitan Police Commissioners for the first offense of drunkenness, whatever may be his merits in other respects. They should be inflexible.

The case of Joseph Bartley is being examined to-day in Recorder Becker's court, charged with manslaughter in killing Walter A. Milton, who died at Charity Hospital on the thirteenth instant. The accused and deceased were both colored Democrats, and had an altercation near the Louisiana Hotel, when a Democratic procession was getting ready to turn out. They were representatives of the harmony of the Democracy.

The body of an unknown white man was found in the river this morning, at the foot of Toulouse street. He had on striped cotton ade pants and a blue woolen shirt. He appeared to be about thirty years old, and appeared to have been drowned.

At ten o'clock this morning Officer Brennan reports having found, at the corner of Camp and Erato streets, one mantel clock, four pairs of stockings, three napkins, and three or four books.

The grocery store of Mr. Keller, corner Bienville and Franklin streets, was entered last night and robbed of four dollars in greenbacks and three counterfeit Mexican dollars.

The house No. 242 Camp street was entered by burglars at one o'clock this morning, who carried off three small gold chains, and left behind a key.

POLITICAL NOTICES

Pioneer Irish Republican Club.—A meeting of this Club will be held on TUESDAY, the seventeenth of November instant, in the Senate Chamber, at half-past seven o'clock P. M. A full attendance of the members is specially requested, and all Irish Republican connected with other Clubs, are earnestly invited to attend, as important business will be transacted relative to their interests as a nationality.

By order of
RICHARD B. EDGEWORTH, President.
P. E. COLLINS, Secretary. noll 5t*

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

PROPOSALS FOR ARMY TRANSPORTATION.

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH MILITARY DISTRICT, State of Texas, Austin, Texas, November 3, 1868.

SEALED PROPOSALS, IN DUPLICATE, WILL be received at this office until MONDAY, December 14, 1868, at twelve o'clock M., for the transportation of military supplies from the first day of January, 1869, to the thirty-first day of December, 1869, on the following routes, viz:

Route No 7.

From Brenham, or the terminus of the Western Branch of the Texas Central Railroad, to Austin, Texas.

Bidders will state the rate per one hundred (100) pounds per one hundred (100) miles at which they will transport said supplies.

Bidders should give their names in full as well as their places of residence, and each proposal should be accompanied by a bond in the sum of ten thousand ($10,000) dollars, signed by two or more responsible persons guaranteeing that, in case the contract is awarded for the route mentioned in the proposal, to the parties proposing, the contract will be accepted and entered into, and good and sufficient security furnished by said parties in accordance with the terms of this advertisement.

The amount of bonds required from the contractor will be fifty thousand ($50,000) dollars.

Satisfactory evidence of the solvency of each bidder and person offered as security will be required.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids that may be offered.

Proposals must be indorsed "Proposals for Army Transportation," and addressed to the undersigned.

By command of Brevet Major Jno. A. Rowlands
J. A. POTTER,
Brevet Brig. Gen. and Chief Quartermaster,
no10 6t Fifth Military District.

PROPOSALS.....PROPOSALS.

OFFICE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS, New Orleans, October 30, 1868.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED for TWENTY DAYS from date by this Board for the building of the following-named Levees, to wit:

ELTON AND LAKE PROVIDENCE LEVEES, in the parish of Carroll.

FAIRVIEW LEVEE, parish of St. Charles, left bank.

MORGAN LEVEE, parish of Plaquemines.

RED RIVER LANDING LEVEE, parish of Pointe Coupee.

Said Levees to be built according to plans and specifications on file in this office, the Board reserving the right to accept and reject any or all bids.

R. D. MITCHELL,
Secretary Board of Public Works,
oct31 20t State of Louisiana.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The firm of Alexander & Erskine is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Robert Alexand have the liquidation of the affairs of the firm.

JOHN W. ERSKINE,
ROBERT ALEXANDER.
New Orleans, November 11, 1868. no12 3t*

BARBERS.....BARBERS.

HAIR-BRUSHING MACHINES. To be seen working at HUBENER'S, 149 Common street. Price, complete, to work one chair, $140; two, $180; three, $220; four, $260; five, $300; six, $340. Brushes, $70 per dozen. Pays for itself in three months. To be had only of JOHN RICHARDSON, Manufacturer of Camp's Hair-Brushing Machine, 5 Park Place, New York. no12 eod3t

BUSINESS CARDS.

W. H. BELL—
ARCHITECT AND CIVIL ENGINEER,
No. 128 Carondelet Street,
NEW ORLEANS, Louisiana.
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J. C. KATHMAN,
TROPICAL ROOFING MANUFACTORY
no Dealer in
Coal, Charcoal Cement, White Sand and Firewood,
224 Bienville street, corner of Marais, New Orleans
Orders left at the above place, or Box 53, Mechanics Exchange, will receive prompt tention. apt

J. E. FISHLEY,
Twelve years with Paton & Co., Patentees of the
ELYSIAN BED,
PARLOR, DINING, and BEDROOM FURNITURE
Lace Curtains, Window Shades, Upholstery, etc.
Thirteenth Street,
my28 Two doors West of Broadway

TELEGRAPH COMPANIES.

THE NATIONAL TELEGRAPH COMPANY.—A new enterprise, to be known as the National Telegraph Company, has been organized with valuable franchises conferred by a recent act of Congress, for the purpose of establishing Trunk Lines of Telegraph on all the principal railroads and mail routes in the United States. The stock is to be issued upon the same principle as that of the Merchants' Union Express Company, which recently commenced operations. The design is to interest the entire business community in the enterprise. This is done, not so much to dispose of the stock, as it is to secure the business of the country through which the lines pass.

The capital is to be $10,000,000 in 100,000 shares of the par value of $100 per share, but the actual amount to be paid in cash is $35 per share, and this amount is to be paid as follows: One per cent of the par at the time of subscribing, and no more until the entire amount has been subscribed, and then on the calls to be made by the Board of Directors; instalments not to exceed five per cent per month. When thirty-five per cent of the par value of the shares has been paid, certificates of stock will be issued. This will give the company a paid up cash capital of $3,500,000, which will be sufficient to duplicate lines to all or nearly all the paying points reached by the present monopoly.

The present Telegraph Companies of the country have been consolidated into one huge monopoly, and are now earning six millions of dollars per year, or over one hundred per cent on the actual cost of their lines, their present capital having been watered over one thousand per cent.

The National Telegraph Company have a recognition from the United States Government of the importance of their enterprise, with a grant of the most valuable franchises ever conferred upon a telegraph company, no competing line has ever had the rights now granted by Congress to this Company to construct and operate lines over every railroad and mail route in the United States. The position of this Company differs from that of any Company ever before organized. The question of the Right of Way is for ever settled.

The stockholders of this Company can not be sold out or transferred to any other Company. The act of Congress under which this Company has been organized prohibits any transfer of the franchises granted.

Calls on Stockholders will be as follows, viz: One per cent at the time of sub-scription, and subsequent calls not exceeding FIVE PER CENT per month will will be made by the Directors from time to time, as may be necessary to supply funds to construct and equip lines, but no calls will be made after one per cent has been paid until the whole capital stock shall have been sub-cribed.

It is confidently believed that thirty-five per cent of the capital stock will construct and fully equip 25,000 miles of wire, which will connect all the commercial centres and important places in the United States. The opinion rests on the most reliable estimates and responsible offers to construct and equip lines.

The National Telegraph Company is organized under the laws of the State of New York, and franchises conferred by an act of Congress, approved July 24, 1866.

President—GEORGE B. SENTER, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Vice President—ROBERT SQUIRES, of New York city.

Treasurer—FREDERICK PRENTICE, of New York city.

Secretary—GEORGE B. WALTER, of New York city.

Company's Office—64 and 66 BROADWAY, New York.

A limited amount of the capital stock of this Company is allotted to this locality, and those having an opportunity, and subscribing, will be placed upon equal terms with its corporators, and will secure his interest in all franchises which have accrued, or may hereafter accrue, to the Company from any and all sources.

Parties wishing to subscribe to this enterprise will find the subscription list at the FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Springfield, Illinois.

OFFICIAL NOTICES--CITY.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, November 6, 1868.

No. 1123—New Series.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby instructed to submit immediately to the Finance Committees a statement of the number, denomination and amount of the million loans bonds paid out by him and now on hand, with a detailed statement as to whom and on what account said payments were made; and

Resolved, That in future a similar statement shall be made daily to the Finance Committee, who shall keep the same on file in their room, subject to examination by the members of the Common Council.

Resolved further, That the Mayor and Controller be and they are hereby requested to furnish the Council at its regular weekly meetings a statement of the number, denomination and amount of the afore-aid bonds that shall have been signed by them respectively.

(Signed) ALFRED KEARNY,
President Board Assistant Aldermen.
(Signed) THOMAS MARKEY,
President Board Aldermen.
Approved November 6, 1868.
(Signed) JOHN R. CONWAY, Mayor.
A true copy:
JOHN W. OVERALL, Secretary. no7 5t

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, November 6, 1868.

No. 1124—New Series.

Resolved, That all specifications for contracts to be adjudicated by the Controller, shall be made and published at the discretion of the Common Council, which specifications shall be approved by the chairmen of the committees on streets and landings.

Resolved further, That all ordinances or parts of ordinances contrary to the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same are hereby repealed.

(Signed) THOMAS MARKEY,
President Board Aldermen.
(Signed) ALFRED KEARNY,
President Board Assistant Aldermen.
Approved November 6, 1868.
(Signed) JOHN R. CONWAY, Mayor.
A true copy:
JOHN W. OVERALL, Secretary. no7 5t

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, November 6, 1868.

No. 1125—New Series.

Resolved, That in consequence of the increased litigation in which the city is involved the City Attorney be and he is hereby authorized to employ an additional assistant, whose salary shall be one hundred and seventy-five dollars per month during the pleasure of the Common Council.

(Signed) ALFRED KEARNY,
President Board Assistant Aldermen.
(Signed) THOMAS MARKEY,
President Board Aldermen.
Approved November 6, 1868.
(Signed) JOHN R. CONWAY, Mayor.
A true copy:
JOHN W. OVERALL, Secretary. no7 5t

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, November 6, 1868.

No. 1126—New Series.

Resolved that the City Surveyor be and he is hereby authorized to transfer all of the thirty-inch main and twelve-inch iron water-pipes, now in possession of the city, to the Commissioners of the City Waterworks.

(Signed) ALFRED KEARNY,
President Board Assistant Aldermen.
(Signed) THOMAS MARKEY,
President Board Aldermen.
Approved November 6, 1868.
(Signed) JOHN R. CONWAY, Mayor.
A true copy:
JOHN W. OVERALL, Secretary. no7 5t

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, October 28, 1868.

No. 1100—New Series.

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to adjudicate, after five days' notice in the official journal, a contract for shelling and grading St. Andrew street, between Carondelet and Baronne streets, the work to be done in strict accordance with specifications on file in the office the City Surveyor.

(Signed) ALFRED KEARNY,
President Board Assistant Aldermen.
(Signed) THOMAS MARKEY,
President Board Aldermen.
Approved October 28, 1868.
(Signed) JOHN R. CONWAY, Mayor.
A true copy:
JOHN W. OVERALL, Secretary.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, New Orleans, November 6, 1868.

Notice is hereby given that the Controller will, at his office, on Thursday, November 12, 1868, at noon, adjudicate to the lowest bidder or bidders the above contract as per specifications on file in his office.

PAS. LABARRE,
no7 5t Deputy Controller.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, October 28, 1868.

No. 1103—New Series.

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized, after five days' notice in the official journal, to adjudicate a contract for shelling and grading Felicity Road, from Baronne to Howard street, according to specifications on file in the office of the City Surveyor.

(Signed) ALFRED KEARNY,
President Board Assistant Aldermen.
(Signed) THOMAS MARKEY,
President Board Aldermen.
Approved October 28, 1868.
(Signed) JOHN R. CONWAY, Mayor.
A true copy:
JOHN W. OVERALL, Secretary.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, New Orleans, November 6, 1868.

Notice is hereby given that the Controller will at his office on THURSDAY, November 12, 1868, at noon, adjudicate to the lowest bidder or bidders the above contract, according to specifications on file in his office.

PAS. LABARRE,
Deputy Controller.
no7 5t

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, October 28, 1868.

No. 1109—New Series.

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized, after five days' notice in the official journal, to adjudicate a contract for repairing the breakwater and road at Milneburg, fronting the lake, between Frenchmen and St. Anthony streets, according to plans and specifications on file in the office of the City Surveyor.

(Signed) ALFRED KEARNY,
President Board Assistant Aldermen.
(Signed) THOMAS MARKEY,
President Board Aldermen.
Approved October 28, 1868.
(Signed) JOHN R. CONWAY, Mayor.
A true copy:
JOHN W. OVERALL, Secretary.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, New Orleans, November 6, 1868.

Notice is hereby given that the Controller will at his office, on THURSDAY, November 12, 1868, at noon, adjudicate to the lowest bidder or bidders the above contract, as per specifications on file in his office.

no7 5t PAS. LABARRE, Deputy Controller.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, September 30, 1868.

No. 1046—New Series.

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to sell, after five days' notice in the official journal, the contract for cleaning out all the draining canals, according to specifications in the Surveyor's Department.

(Signed) ALFRED KEARNY,
President Board Assistant Aldermen.
(Signed) THOMAS MARKEY,
President Board Aldermen.
Approved, September 30, 1868
(Signed) JOHN R. CONWAY, Mayor.
A true copy
JOHN W. OVERALL, Secretary.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, City Hall, New Orleans, November 10, 1868.

Notice is hereby given that the Controller will, at his office, on TUESDAY, November 17, 1868, at noon, adjudicate to the lowest bidder or bidders, the above contract, as per specifications on file in his office.

no12 5t PAS. LABARRE, Deputy Controller.

OFFICIAL--POUND NOTICES

STREET COMMISSIONER'S DEPARTMENT, New Orleans, November 11, 1868.

WERE BROUGHT TO THE FOURTH DISTRICT Pound, on Dryades street, between Jackson and Philip streets, as estray:—

Four GOATS of different colors.

Which, if not claimed within three days, and the expenses thereon paid, will be sold at public auction, at said Pound, on FRIDAY, November 13, 1868, at 12 o'clock M. JOSEPH MURPHY,
Street Commissioner.
LOUIS SENECHAL, for Controller no12 1t

ESTABLISHED 1833.
STODART
New Scale, Overstrung, full Iron Frame
PIANO FORTES.
STODART & MORRIS,
MANUFACTURERS OF GRAND, SQUARE, AND UPRIGHT
PIANO FORTES.
Our new scale Piano Fortes, in addition to their peculiar merits contain every really valuable modern improvement, rendering them the most complete and perfect instrument ever offered to the public, combining power of tone, elasticity of touch, durability, and also standing the test of severe climates, the NEW SCALE STODART PIANO FORTE stands unrivaled.
The Pianos of this manufacture have stood the test of more than a quarter of a century, and the manufacturers are at liberty to refer to over twenty-five thousand families who have had them in use in nearly every part of the civilized world. All letters will be promptly answered by
STODART & MORRIS,
684 Broadway, corner of Great Jones,
my28 New York.

SUCCESSION NOTICES.

Succession of Victor Mercier—No. 32,552.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans—Whereas Eugene Wilcox has petitioned the court for letters of curatorship on the vacant estate of the late Victor Mercier, deceased intestate: Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause within ten days, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

By order of the Court.
no12 1t 21 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of H. L. Sunier—No. 32,276.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of this estate and to all other persons herein interested, to show cause within ten days from the present notification, if any they have or can, why the account presented by the administrator of this estate should not be homologated and approved, the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court.
no12 1t 21 M. O. TRACY, Clerk

Succession of Adele Laville—No. 32,531

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Whereas William R. Shelton has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Adele Laville, deceased, intestate: Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause within ten days why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

By order of the Court.
no11 1t 19 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Christian Scharfenstein—No. 32,534.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans—Whereas Joseph Voitet has petitioned the Court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Christian Scharfenstein, deceased, intestate: Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern to show cause within ten days why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

By order of the Court.
no11 1t 19 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Mrs. Margareth Haist—No. 32,453.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of this estate, and to all other persons herein interested, to show cause within ten days from the present notification, if any they have or can, why the account presented by John Haist, testamentary executor of this estate, should not be homologated and approved, the funds distributed in accordance therewith, and the said John Haist discharged from all further trust and liability in the premises.

By order of the Court.
no10 1t 19 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of William B. Tullis—No. 32,327.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Whereas Mr. A. Cadwell has petitioned the Court for Letters of Curatorship on the vacant estate of the late William B. Tullis, deceased, intestate: Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause within ten days why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

By order of the Court.
no 10 1t 19 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Dominique Escude—No. 32,545.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Whereas Marie Athanie Escade has petitioned the Court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Dominique Escade, deceased, intestate: Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause within ten days, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

By order of the Court.
no10 1t 19 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Joseph Eugene Martin.—No. 32,397.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of this estate, and to all other persons herein interested, to show cause within ten days from the present notification, if any they have or can, why the account presented by the administratrix of this estate should not be homologated and approved and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court.
no9 1t 17 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Laurent Millandon, No. 32,095.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of this estate, and to all other persons herein interested, to show cause within ten days from the present notification, if any they have or can, why the account presented by Henry C. and Benjamin L. Millandon, testamentary executors of this estate, should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court.
no 9 1t 18 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of John S. Maunsell—No. 32,539.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Whereas Julia Maunsell has petitioned the Court for letters of administration on the estate of the late John S. Maunsell, deceased intestate. Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause within ten days why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

By order of the Court.
no5 9 14 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Gustave Vom Hofe—No. 32,477.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Whereas Barbara Vom Hofe has petitioned the Court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Gustave Hofe, deceased intestate: Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern to show cause, within ten days, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

By order of the Court.
no6 10 15 M. O TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of David Reeves—No. 32,516.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Whereas William N. McLellan has petitioned the Court for Letters of Curatorship on the vacant estate of the late David Reeves, deceased, intestate: Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause within ten days, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

By order of the Court.
no6 10 15 M. O TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Joseph Denegre—No. 32,520.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of New Orleans.—Whereas, John E. Bulle has petitioned the Court for letters of curatorship on the vacant estate of the late Joseph Denegre, deceased, intestate: Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause within ten days, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

By order of the Court.
no6 10 15 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Edward B. Maunsell—No. 32,508.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans—Whereas Ellen Maunsell has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Edward B. Maunsell, deceased, intestate: Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause within ten days why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

By order of the Court.
no5 9 14 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICES.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

No. 32,286—In the matter of the interdiction of Mrs. Catharine E. Richards.

THIS CASE CAME UP TO DAY REGULARLY for trial.

Present: Cotton & Levy, for Francis Richards, praying for the interdiction of his wife; Soule & Charvez, for Mr. C. E. Richards.

When, after hearing pleadings, evidence and counsel, the Court being satisfied that Mrs. Catherine E. Richards is an insane person.

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that Mrs. Catherine E. Richards be pronounced an habitual insane person, which she is, and incompetent to take charge of herself and administer her estate, and that therefore she be and she is hereby declared interdicted and disqualified from performing any of the acts or contracts which persons of age and competent in law have the power of performing legally, and that public notices of this judgment be given in the manner indicated by law. The costs herein to be borne by her estate.

Judgment rendered August 24, 1868.
Judgment signed August 26, 1868.
(Signed) LS DUVIGNEAUD, Judge.
A true copy:
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BOARD OF ASSISTANT ALDERMEN

Regular Session.

CITY HALL, NEW ORLEANS, November 10, 1868.

The Board met in regular session.

Present—President Kearny, and Messrs. Rose, Aitkens, Walker, Camp, Montgomery, Sturcken, Fisher, Morphy, Pandely, Wynne and Farrell.

The following communications were submitted by his Honor the Mayor for the information of the Council, which, after being read, were ordered printed in the published proceedings, and on motion referred to the Committee on Waterworks:

OFFICE CITY WATERWORKS, New Orleans, November 10, 1868.

Hon John R. Conway, Mayor of New Orleans, and Board of Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen of City Council:

GENTLEMEN—By resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the City Waterworks, I have the honor to submit for your information a copy of a report just made by the superintendent of these works, under a resolution of the sixteenth of September last. I am, gentlemen, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

S. E. PERCY,
Secretary and Treasurer.

OFFICE CITY WATERWORKS, New Orleans, November 9, 1868.

To the Board of Commissioners, City Waterworks:

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with your resolution of the sixteenth of September, authorizing the Superintendent to visit the waterworks of the cities of the Northwest to obtain information, etc., I left New Orleans on the fifth October, and returned on the twenty first. My visit was extended to the cities of St. Louis, Cincinnati and Louisville, where many courtesies were extended to me by the officers in charge of their great and important works, and every facility was afforded in the prosecution of my object. The information obtained has been varied, minute and of great importance. Much of this is submitted herewith in a tabular statement of water rates as they were found to exist in the different cities visited or in reports obtained from other places. Besides these general rates, a large number of special cases were taken from the books, particularly of large consumers (in classes), and where the rates were regulated by meter. These cases more than confirm all my previously expressed opinions, based on observation and calculation, that our large consumers were greatly undercharged and the small ones burdened by excessive rates. One or two instances will clearly illustrate this point. St. Louis gas-works, making in round numbers one-tenth more gas than our works, paid last year a water rent by meter of $4000. Our gas-works are assessed, by guess, $500 a year for water for building the supply of the office. In other words, we are supplying water at two and a half cents a thousand gallons, when in St. Louis the charge is twenty cents, and the property holder also pays the cost of laying the main pipe in the streets. The largest hotel in St. Louis paid for water last year, by metre measurement, $5000. Our largest hotel, of one fourth greater capacity, paid us $800. Similar cases were obtained in Cincinnati and Louisville, and the same contrast was found, the difference being somewhat less, as they