ment of the total population of the State as taken by the census takers of the United States, and the Warrant Clerk is hereby authorized to draw warrants and pay the said committee their usual pay out of the contingent fund of the Senate.

Adopted.

The Secretary then proceeded to call the roll under the resolution of Mr. Packard.

Mr. Anderson's name was called, and he called up House bill No. 211, "An act supplementary to an act entitled an act to reclaim and drain the swamp and overflowed lands lying and situated between the Bayous Teche, Tortue and Vermillion, in the parishes of St. Martin and Lafayette, approved March 18, 1858," from first reading file.

Which was read first time.

The constitutional rule was then suspended by a four-fifths affirmative vote, and the bill read for the second time.

Mr. Lynch offered the following proviso at the end of section one:

Provided, That this appropriation be taken from the three million dollars appropriation for levee purposes.

Which was laid on the table by the following vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Antoine, Beares, Braughn, Darrall, Egan, Jewell, Kelso, Monette, O'Hara, Pinchback, Poindexter, Smith, Thompson, Todd, Wittgenstein, Wilcox, Whitney—13.

Nays: Blackman, Bacon, Campbell, Coupland, Foute, Jenks, Lynch, Williams.—8.

Mr. Lynch then moved to refer the bill to the Finance Committee.

Which motion was laid on the table by the following vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Antoine, Beares, Braughn, Bacon, Foute, Jewell, Kelso, O'Hara, Packard, Pinchback, Poindexter, Ray, Smith, Todd, Wittgenstein, Wilcox—17.

Nays: Bacon, Campbell, Coupland, Darrall, Egan, Jenks, Lynch, Monette, Whitney, Williams—10.

No further action on the bill.

The name of Mr. Antoine was then called, and he called up House bill No. 26, "To incorporate the Louisiana Dredging Company to improve the channels of the Mississippi between the passes and the Gulf of Mexico, and granting the aid of the State to the same," and Mr. Wittgenstein moved its adotion, on its second reading.

Mr. Bacon called for the reading of the bill.

Mr. Antoine moved the reading be dispensed with.

Mr. Lynch and others demanded the bill be read as a constitutional right.

The President decided that the reading of the bill in full could, by order of the Senate, be dispensed with.

Mr. Campbell appealed therefrom.

On a call of the roll, the question being, "Shall the decision of the President be sustained?" the Chair was sustained by the following vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Antoine, Beares, Blackman, Braughn, Coupland, Darrall, Foute, Futch, Kelso, Monette, O'Hara, Pinchback, Poindexter, Ray, Smith, Thompson, Todd, Whitney, Wilcox, Wittgenstein—21.

Nays: Bacon, Campbell, Egan, Lynch, Packard—5.

REPORT OF ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF LOUISIANA, Senate Enrollment Room, New Orleans, March 3, 1870.

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

GENTLEMEN—Your Committee on Enrollment beg leave to report, as having been duly enrolled, the following bills, viz:

Senate bill No. 35, "An act to incorporate the Monroe Savings and Exchange Bank."

Senate bill No. 139, "An act to authorize the stockholders of the Loan and Pledge Association to change the name of the incorporation," etc.

And as also engrossed—

Senate bill No. 250, "An act providing compensation to John Ray, appointed under article thirty-one and joint resolution No. 182 of the act of 1868, to revise the statutes," etc.

Respectfully, C. B. DARRALL, Chairman.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, State of Louisiana, New Orleans, March 3, 1870.

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has concurred in the following Senate bills, viz:

Senate bill No. 250, "An act providing compensation to John Ray, to revise the Statutes and the Civil Code and Code of Practice of this State."

Senate bill No. 162, "An act to create the Parish of Cameron, and providing for the organization thereof."

Senate bill No. 27, "An act for the relief of James Graham."

EUGENE STAES, Assistant Clerk.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, State of Louisiana, New Orleans March 3, 1870.

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by the House to ask concurrence of the Senate, in the following House bills, viz:

House bill No. 120, An act to carry into effect more particularly and effectually article 128, of the Constitution of this State.

That the House has concurred in the following Senate bills, viz:

Senate bill No. 26, An act relative to judicial and legal advertisements.

Senate bill No. 117, An act relative to the Straight University.

To ask concurrence of the Senate in the following House bill, viz:

House bill No. 207, An act to facilitate commerce, by providing for the construction of additional basins on the New Canal.

That the House has concurred in the following Senate bills, viz:

Senate bill No. 6, An act, registration bill.

House bill No. 273, An act to provide for correcting the imperfect enrollment of act No .—, entitled an act to incorporate the Arkansas and Red River Railroad Company.

House bill No. 274, An act to incorporate the town of Vidalia, in the parish of Concordia.

EUGENE STAES, Assistant Clerk.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE.

The Secretary informed the House that the Senate had concurred in the following House bills, viz:

No. 150, "For the relief of the Atlanta male and female institution, etc."

House substitute for Senate bill No. 71, "To incorporate the Lafourche and Terrebonne drainage and land improvement company;" and that the Senate had indefinitely postponed House bill No. 150 (file 1869), "For the relief of William Honeus;" also, that it had concurred in the House amendments to Senate bill No. 105 (file 1869), "To define and regulate the costs of the clerks, recorders, sheriffs and notaries public, throughout the State, etc.," and that the President of the Senate had signed the following enrolled House bills, viz:

"An act for the relief of P. J. Kennedy, etc."

"An act to amend and re-enact act article 138 of the Code of Practice."

"An act to compensate E. H. Angomar and Charles Izard," etc., and that the Senate had sustained the veto of the Governor of an act incorporating the Arkansas and Red River Railroad Company, etc., by a vote of yeas 12, nays 17, two-thirds not voting in the affirmative.

By order of the Senate, the Secretary then proceeded to the House of Representatives, and informed that body that the Senate was ready to adjourn *sine die*.

A motion of Mr. Packard to adjourn being adopted, the President announced that the Senate stood adjourned, *sine die*, for the regular session of 1870.

DEBATES IN THE HOUSE.

Evening Session.

MONDAY, February 28, 1870.

House met promptly at seven o'clock P. M.; Speaker Carr in the chair.

Mr. McVean called up a joint resolution instructing the Governor to remove from office S. N. Burbank, Treasurer of the Metropolitan Police.

Mr. McVean: I move the constitutional rules be suspended, in order that we may consider this bill at this time.

Mr. Gartskamp: At half-past twelve o'clock to-day, we resolved ourselves into a Committee of the Whole to attend the trial of George M. Wickliffe, Auditor. At the time we resolved into a Committee of the Whole we had under consideration—

Speaker Carr: The gentleman from Jefferson is out of order. The question is on a suspension of the rules.

Mr. Gartskamp: I wish to state—

Speaker Carr: The gentleman will take his seat and preserve order.

Mr. Degrange: The joint resolution has no business here, Mr. Speaker, the Treasurer is a State officer—

Speaker Carr: The gentleman from Orleans will resume his seat. The question is on a suspension of the rules.

Mr. Degrange: Then I call for the yeas and nays.

Mr. McMillen: And I, Mr. Speaker, call for the special order of the day, which is, if I am correctly informed, the appropriation bill. It is very necessary that this bill should be put through without further delay, as the honorable members are doubtless already aware of the fact that the remaining hours of this session are few, and that in order to pass important measures we must expedite business. To-morrow is a sort of a festival day which, although not peculiar to this General Assembly, is a day on which the people enjoy the pleasures of the carnival before subjecting themselves to the austerities of the Lenten season. Let us lay aside all levity, and solemnly and calmly consider this appropriation bill. I see some indications of a desire to pass the city charter. (Laughter.)

Now, if you pass this appropriation bill at once, I will help you to consolidate, not only the parish of Jefferson, but every other parish in the State, always excepting Carroll parish. I do not consider that the interests of that great parish require an alliance with this well regulated city, and I desire that Carroll parish shall maintain her distinctive existence.

Mr. Crawford: Don't you want us to do something for Carroll parish?

Mr. McMillen: Yes, sir, I want the seat of justice removed to New Providence, and if the House will agree to let me call up my Carroll parish bill, I will move to postpone further consideration of the appropriation bill until Wednesday at one o'clock.

A Member: What is this bill of yours?

Mr. McMillen: A little bill relative to the seat of justice in my parish. It is not calculated to jeopardize the great interests of the State.

Mr. Kent: Now, Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of privilege. A few days since, we adopted a rule allowing each gentleman to call up a bill as his name was called, the roll to be called in alphabetical order. A number of gentlemen have availed themselves of that rule, and now they propose to set it aside. If I had been in the C's, perhaps I would have nothing to complain of of.

Mr. McMillen: You are in the C's—C for Kent. [Laughter.]

Mr. Kent: Now, Mr. Speaker, I consider this unfair, not to give us all a chance. When the roll is called down to Zoelly, then some other rule may be adopted.

Mr. McMillen: I move, Mr. Speaker, that the rules be suspended in order to call up House bill 242.

Speaker Carr: You have heard the motion. All in favor of a suspension of the rules will vote aye as their names are called; contrary, nay. The clerk will call the roll.

The rules were not suspended.

Mr. Isabelle called up a bill authorizing the construction of sixteen basins in the new canal.

Mr. Noble: Now, Mr. Speaker, I would like to say a few words upon this bill.

Speaker Carr: The gentleman from Orleans has the floor, and will proceed with his remarks.

Mr. Noble: This bill, Mr. Speaker and Representatives, provides for a something utterly and entirely impossible; something so ridiculous; something so nonsensical, that, not to put too fine a point on it, I was at first disposed to consider it only as a practical joke. The idea of constructing in a canal seven miles long, sixteen basins! Why, gentlemen, it would take more dredging than the famous Ship Island Canal; and when I refer to the Ship Island Canal, it is only to its mechanical features. [Laughter.]

The west side of the new canal is owned by private individuals, and it is very valuable property, and consequently the State will have to pay a high figure if it becomes purchaser. To dig sixteen basins on this west side, at an enormous outlay, when those already existing are more than enough for the demands upon them, appears to me the quintessence of folly, and the question comes up where, in God's name, is the money to build these basins to come from, when the already depleted exchequer of the lessee is drained? He has, it is well known, a white elephant on his hands, and he does not know, like the Milesian, what to do with it. And when this fact is recognized, it will be seen how farcial is this new proposition.

Under the stipulations of the original contract, this lessee was compelled to dig a certain number of basins within a period of five years. Three of those have already elapsed and he has not yet completed the digging of one. Each of these basins was to be two thousand feet long by one thousand in width, and I hold that there is every probability that the lessee's privileges will expire at the end of two years, because of his failure to perform his part of the contract. If he has not been able to dig one in three years, how will he dig sixteen in two years? The idea is ridiculous. It is—without reflecting on the gentlemen who introduced it—an absurdity. Were we to pass this bill, we would be simply exposing ourselves to the well-earned ridicule of the world, and I hope it will be summarily disposed of.

Mr. Isabelle: I would remind the gentleman that the State owns five hundred feet on the west side, and would not be forced to purchase it. These basins are only intended to permit schooners loaded with lumber to run in, so that other vessels may pass in and out.

Mr. Washington: I move the further consideration of this be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gray: This is a matter which requires delicate handling, and I am not in favor of treating it in this way. I move its postponement for a few days—say until Thursday.

Speaker Carr: Does the gentleman from Assumption withdraw his motion?

Mr. Washington: Yes, sir.

Speaker Carr: Then the question is on the motion of the gentleman from St. James (Mr. Gray).

The motion prevailed.

Mr. Gair called up House bill No. 132, being an act to consolidate the City of Jefferson and other portions of the parishes of Jefferson and Orleans, with the city of New Orleans.

Mr. Garstkamp: This is unconstitutional. Unless the rules are suspended this bill must be read on three separate days.

Speaker Carr: The gentleman will come to order.

Mr. Garstkamp: I call for the yeas and nays.

Mr. Noble: I move to reconsider the vote just taken.

Mr. McMillen: The gentleman has not that privilege, not having voted in the affirmative.

Mr. Noble: I did not vote at all, and it is generally considered that silence implies consent.

Speaker Carr: The gentleman having been in his seat while the vote was being taken, and not having recorded his vote in the affirmative, he can not, under the rules of the House, move a reconsideration.

The bill passed by a vote of 46 yeas to 13 nays.

On motion, adjourned.

Evening Session.

THURSDAY, March 3, 1870.

Mr. McVean: I move, Mr. Speaker, that the rules be suspended, in order to permit of the introduction of bills at this time.

Mr. Lowell: It seems to me only folly, Mr. Speaker, to introduce bills this evening, when it is well known to be the last evening of the present session. These gentlemen seem to labor under the impression that the Governor will call an extra session. Suppose he does; the mere introduction of bills to-night will not expedite their passage. At the hour of twelve o'clock to-night all the committees appointed by the Speaker will have been dissolved, that is, they will not be qualified to transact any business after that hour. If there be an extra session, a new set of committees will have to be appointed, and this work will all have to be done over again. Bills referred to committees to-night will come back to the Committee on Unfinished Business, and, as I have already stated, this work will be all gone over again. This same point was raised in the Senate this evening, and was sustained.

Speaker Carr: The Chair would state that he has the same impression, as that expressed by the gentleman from Caddo. I have advised the members on this point; but it remains for the House to determine what it shall do in the premises.

The motion of Mr. McVean prevailed.

At this point a message was received from the Governor, calling the Legislature to meet, in extra session, on Monday, the seventh of March, 1870.

House had under consideration a bill relative to the revision of the Civil Code and Code of Practice of the State of Louisiana.

Mr. Lowell: I am compelled, Mr. Speaker, to ask for a suspension of the rules, to allow this to go through at this time.

Speaker Carr: The gentleman from Caddo asks for a suspension of the rules. Is there any objection? There being no objections, the rules are suspended.

Mr. Lowell: I now move, Mr. Speaker, a suspension of such rules as compel this to be submitted to a Committee of the Whole, and I wish to briefly state my reasons for so doing. During the session of 1868, the Legislature appointed a commission to revise the Civil Code and Code of Practice. The duty of said commission was to simplify, to make more concise, the laws of the State, and to eliminate anything that might clash with later legislation, and which, by reason and in consequence of subsequent legislation, had become either superfluous or void. That commission, acting under the authority delegated to it by the General Assembly, employed an able lawyer, Mr. Isaiah Garrett, to whom was given the power to engage other gentlemen, learned in the law, to assist him in his arduous labors. The work has been completed, and in such a manner, I think, as will recommend this revision to the approbation of every lawyer in the State. Mr. Garrett, however, has made himself personally responsible to his assistants for their compensation, to the amount of $25,000. This is thought by some of the members to be a very large sum, but I can assure them it is not. In the State in which I formerly lived, such a revision was made every ten years, at a cost of from $25,000 to $30,000. The revision under consideration, reaching, as it does, over such a long period, and embracing the numerous acts of many Legislatures, was a task of no mean magnitude, and that it has been so admirably performed is as much a matter of surprise as it is of gratification. Considering, I say, all this, the expense is very moderate. A learned lawyer, whose practice at the bar would be worth from twenty to twenty-five thousand dollars a year, has spent his whole time on this work, and only asks the sum of $5000. When this Legislature authorizes a certain commission to perform certain duties, it is in duty bound to see that that commission is duly compensated. I believe this House is desirous of doing so, and I hope the motion I have offered will meet with its approbation.

Mr. Degrange: I would call the attention of the House to the fact that this commission has already expended in salary and mileage a sum approximating to $20,000.

Mr. Lowell: The gentleman can not prove that this commission received salary to that amount by the record.

Mr. Degrange: I believe the honorable gentleman was one of the commission.

Mr. Lowell: If the gentleman makes an assertion without the record it is untrue.

Mr. Degrange: I think this uncalled for.

Mr. Lowell: The gentleman has stated that the commission, of which I was a member, received a salary which we were not entitled to, and I reiterate that this is untrue.

Mr. Degrange: You might deny the assertion without becoming so emphatic. I say that mileage, at least, has been paid to members of the commission, and that this revision will cost the State, when all expenses are paid, something in the neighborhood of $70,000.

Mr. Lowell: If the gentleman feels that his constituency has been aggrieved, and that the commission has improperly received salaries and mileage, why does he not prefer charges against the members of the commission, and bring them before the bar of the House.

Mr. Degrange: I do not object to the commission receiving mileage. I expected they would receive it when appointed; but, after twenty thousand dollars has been expended, I wish to know how much the whole work will amount to.

Mr. Noble: Mr. Speaker, there seems to be an impression abroad that this is a large sum. I have given this subject some thought, and have examined it carefully, and after doing so, I think the compensation very small indeed. When it is remembered that men of fine legal attainments have devoted their whole time and talents to the completion of this work; when it is remembered that the Hon. Isaiah Garrett, on whom devolved the principal labor of this revision, is, as a lawyer and a profound jurist, possibly without an equal in the whole State, the sum will appear insignificant. When talent of the highest order is secured, of course the compensation must be in keeping with the ability engaged. A cursory glance through this revision has satisfied me that it is entitled to the consideration and approbation of the legal profession throughout the State. I did not intend when I arose to make a lengthy argument, only to express my opinion as to the expense of the work under consideration.

A messenger from the Senate announced that the Senate had passed a bill relative to the Monroe, Homer and Fulton Rail Road Company, over the veto of the Governor.

The bill was passed by the House, the veto of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding.

Mr. Lowell called up a bill to exempt the Freedmens' Savings Bank from taxation.

Mr. Kent: I think this is wrong to allow members to call up bill after bill while some members have not had a chance to call up a bill under the rule lately adopted. I object to it.

Mr. Lowell: This is a little bill to relieve from taxation the Freedmens' Savings Bank, and I trust it will be allowed to become a law.

The bill was passed.

A messenger from the Senate announced that that body was ready to adjourn *sine die*.

Speaker Carr: The Chief Clerk will proceed to the Senate and inform that body that the House is ready to adjourn *sine die*.

Chief Clerk Vigers having returned, announced the Senate adjourned.

Speaker Carr: The chair takes this opportunity to return his thanks to the House for the many courtesies he has received, during the time he has occupied the position of its presiding officer. At all times he has endeavored to discharge his duty faithfully and impartially, and if he has succeeded, it has been owing as much to the kind support accorded him at all times by the House, as to any ability he may possess. I now declare this House adjourned *sine die*.

Manheim Berwin vs. Louis Gimbel.

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE parish of Orleans, No. 1164.—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the Honorable the Fifth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction on the premises hereinafter designated, on MONDAY, March 14, 1870, at half-past ten o'clock A. M.—

The CONTENTS OF A SHOE STORE, situated at No. 523 Magazine street, in the Fourth District of this city, and also the Furniture, etc., therein contained.

The whole as per inventory, which may be seen in my office.

Seized in the above suit.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS L. MAXWELL, Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

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AUCTION SALES.

By B. J. Montgomery.

IMPORTANT AND POSITIVELY THE LAST CATALOGUE SALE AT AUCTION THIS SEASON OF ORIGINAL HIGH CLASS MODERN OIL PAINTINGS, of the Belgian, Dusseldorf, French and American Schools.

BY B. J. MONTGOMERY, AUCTIONeer—Will be sold on WEDNESDAY EVENING, March 9, at half-past seven o'clock, and continued every evening until the collection is disposed of, at our new salesroom, 75 Camp street, adjoining the Old Auction Mart, without reserve or limit, to close establishment—

This collection of Oil Paintings embraces over 500 choice WORKS OF ART, and selected by the owner, who is now in Europe, with great care and discrimination, from the studios of some of the most eminent artists of Europe and America. The Paintings are all mounted in heavy gold gilt frames.

The collection will be opened for Free Exhibition on MONDAY, March 7, from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M., until time of sale, to which citizens and strangers are respectfully invited.

Catalogues are furnished at the salesroom.

Terms—Cash, United States treasury notes. mh6

VALUABLE VACANT PROPERTY IN THE FIRST DISTRICT, AT AUCTION.

SUCCESSION OF WILLIAM T. STOCKER—No. 33,227.

BY B. J. MONTGOMERY, AUCTIONeer—Will be sold on SATURDAY, April 2d, 1870, at twelve o'clock, at the St. Charles Auction Exchange, by virtue and in pursuance of an order of the Honorable Louis Duvigneaud, Judge of the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, dated January 14, 1870, No. 33,227 of the docket of said court—

A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND situated in the First District of this city, in the square bounded by Johnson, Perdido, Poydras and Prieur streets and measuring 30 feet 3 inches front on Poydras street by a depth and front on Johnson street of 120 feet. Plan exhibited at place of sale.

Terms—One-half cash in treasury notes, and balance at twelve months credit, in note of purchaser bearing eight per cent per annum, and vendor's privilege.

Act of sale before A. Hero, Jr., notary public, including revenue stamps, at the expense of the purchaser. fe27 mh13 27 ap2

FURNITURE—FURNITURE.

BY B. J. MONTGOMERY, AUCTIONeer.—Will be sold, every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at the Old Auction Mart, 67 Camp street, and every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at No. 75 Camp street, adjoining the Old Auction Mart, at eleven o'clock—

A general assortment of new and second-hand FURNITURE, such as Rosewood, Mahogany and Walnut Bedsteads, Armoirs, Bureaus, Washstands, Parlor Furniture, Marble-Top Centre Tables, Carpets, French Plate Mirrors, Mattresses, Cooking Stoves, etc.

ALSO,

A large invoice of Cottage Beds, Cane and Woodseat Chairs, etc.

Terms—Cash. ja28

HORSES AND MULES.

IMPORTANT SALE OF FINE HORSES AND Mares, Mules, Buggies, Harness, etc., at auction.

BY B. J. MONTGOMERY, AUCTIONeer.—Will be sold on TUESDAY, March 8, 1870, at half-past ten o'clock, at the spacious Stables, 213 and 215 Gravier street—

Elegant SADDLE AND HARNESS HORSES and MARES, in pairs and single.

CITY AND COUNTRY MULES.

—ALSO—

Top and Open BUGGIES, BAROUCHES, HARNESS, etc.

Terms—Cash in United States Treasury notes. oc10

By J. Dejan, Jr.

HORSES AND MULES.

Great Sale of Elegant Saddle and Harness Horses, Work Mules, Buggies and Harness, at Auction.

BY J. DEJAN, JR., AUCTIONEER—Will be sold on TUESDAY, March 8, 1870, at half-past ten o'clock, at P. Liner's stables, Gravier street—

Fine Saddle and Harness HORSES, in pairs and single; fine plantation and city MULES, etc.

Also, elegant top and open BUGGIES, HARNESS, SADDLES, etc.

Terms—Cash in United States treasury notes. oc8

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANOS AND Office Furniture at Auction.

BY J. DEJAN, JR., AUCTIONEER—Office and ware-rooms No. 183 Gravier street.—Will be sold on MONDAY March 7, 1870, at 11 o'clock A. M., M., at his new Auction Mart No. 183 Gravier street, corner Claronde let—

Household Furniture of every description, Pianos, Office Furniture; also, new goods per arrival of steamer every week.

Terms—Cash in United States Treasury notes. jy3

By C. E. Girardey & Co.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE IN BANKRUPTCY.

By order of E. E. Norton, Assignee.

BY C. E. GIRARDEY & CO., AUCtioneers—Office No. 17 Exchange place, New Orleans.—TUESDAY, March 8, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, on Royal, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in this city of New Orleans, per order of the District Court of the United States for the District of Louisiana, in bankruptcy, will be sold at public auction—

CERTAIN BILLS RECEIVABLE, AND OPEN ACCOUNTS, surrendered in the following estates in bankruptcy, to wit:

No.
6. Jacob Barker.
45. Stephen O., and Thomas A. Nelson, individually, and as members of the firms of S. O. Nelson & Co., and S. O. & T. A. Nelson & Co., New Orleans; Walker, Nelson & Co., and S. O. and T. A. Nelson & Co., Memphis.
96. William M. Pinckard, Jr., individually, and as a member of Edey & Pinckard.
169. Cornelius Fellowes and Daniel P. Logan, individually, and as members of Fellowes & Co.
224. John F. Wyche and John B. Richardson, individually, and as members of John F. Wyche & Co.
312. George W. Cathey.
273. Harlow J. Pheips (trading alone in New Orleans as Harlow J. Pheips & Co.).
383. W. T. Bentley.
394. Z. E. W. Cross.
395. W. M. Cowan.
413. John W. Butler.
414. Elijah Hudson.
418. J. E. Goodson.
432. Lewis F. Achord.
436. T. J. Oliver.
437. N. H. Copeland.
461. G. H. Cathey.
477. H. C. Penniman.
478. A. J. Farmelo.
482. John D. Cobb, individually and as a member of Cobb, Manlove & Co.
488. Arthur Woods.
498. W. H. Donoho.
508. John Nixon, Jr.
511. T. S. Bisland.
512. F. J. Delony.
515. Isaac W. Cloat.
518. Pinckney Odom.
519. Benjamin Myrick.
531. Charles T. Munholland.
532. T. P. Richardson.
536. C. O. Duke.
538. James E. Harrelson.
541. Jonathan Merritt.
542. John H. McVean, James L. Thompson and Charles W. Keeting, individually and as members of McVean, Thompson and Keeting.
547. Larkin Rysinger.
548. James P. Neely.
550. P. B. Reynolds.
552. Isham Johnson.
559. John Ferrell.
560. G. B. Thomas.
561. R. H. Sims.
570. J. H. Collins.
573. Charles V. Lagay, individually, and as a member of Lagay & Lecanu.
595. Auguste Schwaab.
713. Joseph Flouacher.
729. J. B. Thomas.
730. L. G. Thomas.
732. C. J. C. Pucketts.
742. Lewis Neuman.
781. Thomas K. Russell.
874. James G. Brown, individually, and as a member of Cummings, Brown & Co., and of R. C. Cummings & Co.; and R. C. Cummings, individually, and as a member of R. C. Cummings & Co.

Terms—Cash on the spot, in United States treasury notes.

The list of property to be sold can be seen at the office of E. E. Norton, Assignee, Customhouse building, New Orleans, until day of sale. fe24 td

By S. Guinault.

SUCCESSION OF JEAN JACQUES MONTFORT

BY S. GUINAULT, AUCTIONEER—Office corner of Exchange alley and Bienville street.—MONDAY, March 14, 1870, will be sold, at eleven o'clock A. M., on Esplanade street, between Chartres and Royal streets, by virtue of an order from the Honorable the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, dated February 21, 1870—

A LOT OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, consisting of Bedsteads and Bedding, Armoirs, Tables, Chairs, Looking-Glasses, Toilets, etc.

Terms—Cash. mh1 8 14

SUCCESSION OF BERTRAND DROGRE—No. 32,382.

BY S. GUINAULT, AUCTIONEER—Office, corner of Exchange Alley and Bienville street.—FRIDAY, March 11, 1870, will be sold, at ten o'clock A. M., at my auction room, corner of Exchange Alley and Bienville street, by virtue of an order from the honorable the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, dated twenty-third February, 1870—

ONE LOT OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Terms—Cash. fe27 mh5 11

AUCTION SALES.

By Charles E. Fortier.

DRUG STORE—DRUG STORE, ETC.

SUCCESSIONS OF HANNAH LOUISE RILEY, deceased, wife of Rosemond Lorio, Jr., and of Rosemend Lorio, Jr.

BY CHARLES E. FORTIER, AUCtioneer—Office, No. 51 Exchange alley.—WEDNESDAY, March 16, 1870, at half-past ten o'clock A. M., on the premises, situated on Villere street, between Bartholomew and Seguin streets, in this parish, on the right bank of the Mississippi river, will be sold, by virtue of an order from the Honorable Louis Duvigneaud, Judge of the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, dated the fourth March, 1870—

THE DRUG STORE belonging to the above named successions, consisting of Drugs, Shelving, Fixtures, Contents, etc,

ALSO,

All the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE in said premises, consisting of Beds and Bedding, Chairs, Bureau, Carpets, etc.

One fine PIANO and STOOL.

Terms—Cash on the spot in United States treasury notes. mh5 9 16

VALUABLE RESIDENCE IN THIS PARISH, ON THE RIGHT BANK OF THE RIVER MISSISSIPPI, ON DELERONDE STREET, BETWEEN VERRET AND OLIVIER STREETS.

ALSO

TEN SHARES OF THE STOCK OF THE PEOPLE'S BANK OF NEW ORLEANS.

SUCCESSIONS OF HANNAH LOUISE RILEY, deceased, wife of Rosemond Lorio, Jr., and of Rosemond Lorio, Jr.

BY CHARLES E. FORTIER, AUCtioneer—Office No. 51 Exchange alley.—SATURDAY, April 9, 1870, at two o'clock M., at the St. Charles Auction Exchange, rotunda St. Charles Hotel, on St. Charles street, between Common and Gravier streets, will be sold by virtue of an order from the Hon. Louis Duvigneaud, Judge of the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, dated fourth of March, 1870, the following described property—

A LOT OF GROUD, situate in the parish of Orleans, on the right bank of the river Mississippi, opposite this city of New Orleans, in the square bounded by Olivier, Peter, Verret and Delaronde streets, and designated as lot No. 1, of square No. 2, on a plan drawn by A. d'Hemecourt on the eleventh December, 1852, and deposited as plan No. 1 in the office of S. Magner, notary. Said lot measures 32 feet front on Delarde street by a depth of 125 feet 10 inches and 7 lines, between parallel lines, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, consisting of a double two story frame house.

ALSO

TEN SHARES of the Capital Stock of the People's Bank of New Orleans.

Terms—For the stock, cash; for the real estate the purchaser to assume payment of two notes of one thousand dollars each, dated the twenty-sixth October, 1869, and payable respectively at one and two years from date, with six per cent interest from date to maturity, and eight per cent interest after maturity until payment, and for the balance cash in United States treasury notes.

Act of sale before W. J. Castell, notary public, at the expense of the purchaser, including United States internal revenue stamps.

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VALUABLE PROPERTY ON BAGATELLE STREET, BETWEEN GOODCHILDREN AND MORALES STREETS.

SUCCESSION OF JUSTINE CLAY, DECEASED wife of Pierre Wilson.

BY CHARLES E. FORTIER, AUCtioneer—Office No. 51 Exchange alley.—SATURDAY, April 9, 1870, at two o'clock M., at the St. Charles Auction Exchange, on St. Charles street, between Common and Gravier streets, by virtue of an order from the Honorable the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, dated March 2, 1870, the following property, to wit—

A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND in the Third District of this city, in the square bounded by Bagatelle, Goodchildren, Morales and Union streets, measuring (American measure) 31 feet 11 inches and 5 lines front on Bagatelle street by a depth of 127 feet 10 inches and 4 lines, together with the buildings and improvements thereon.

Terms—One-half cash and the balance at a credit of one year with eight per cent interest from day of sale until payment, the notes to be divided into shares to suit the convenience of the heirs, said notes to be secured by mortgage and vendors' privilege. The buildings to be insured, and the policy transferred. The purchaser to pay five per cent attorney's fees in case of suit to be stipulated in the act of sale.

Act of sale before Octave DeArmas, notary public, at the expense of the purchaser, including stamps. mh5 12 19 26 ap2 9

By Louis Stern & Bros.

FIVE HUNDRED CASES BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS.

BY LOUIS STERN & BROS.—M. STERN, Auctioneer.—MONDAY, March 7, 1870, at ten o'clock A. M. at their salesroom, No. 16 Chartres street, will be sold, without limit or reserve—

500 CASES BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS, comprising an assortment suitable for Men's, Ladies', Misses' and Children's wear. These goods are fresh and desirable, and well worth the attention of the trade.

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BY EUGENE G. MESLIER, AUCTIONeer—Salesroom No. 51 Camp street.—On TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS, and SATURDAYS, at his salesroom, will be sold a general assortment of FURNITURE, comprising Rosewood, Mahogany, and Walnut Bed-room and Parlor sets, as well as Dining-room sets and Kitchen Furniture.

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Terms—Cash. fe13

By Sheriff Maxwell.

SALE BY THE SHERIFF OF THE PARISH OF ORLEANS IN ORDER TO EFFECT A PARTITION.

VALUABLE IMPROVED REAL ESTATE IN THE SECOND DISTRICT.

WILLIAM E. FITZGERALD VS. MARY E. COONEY, WIDOW OF JAMES WILLIAM FITZGERALD, NOW POWERS.

Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans—No. 33,382

SUIT IN PARTITION.

BY VIRTUE OF A JUDGMENT RENDERED January 26, 1870 (suit in partition), and signed January 31, 1870, to me directed by the honorable the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, March 19, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., in order to effect a partition, the following described property, to wit—

1. A LOT OF GROUND, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the Second District of this city, in the square bounded by Hospital, Royal, Ursuline and Bourbon streets, measuring, French measure, twenty seven feet front on Bourbon street by a depth of sixty feet front on Hospital streets, forming thus the corner of said two streets.

2. And another LOT OF GROUND, situated in said district and square, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, adjoiding the above described lot, measuring thirty-two feet front on said Hospital street, by forty-five feet in depth, at which depth said lot widens three feet six inches, by a further depth of fifteen feet on the side adjoining the property now or lately belonging to Mrs. Monde, which bounds said lot on the left.

The buildings and improvements on said two lots comprise—

1. An elegant two-story Brick Dwelling House, slate roofed, No. 88 Hospital street, with veranda in front, with parlor and dining-room, with fireplaces and hall in the basement, and two rooms, with fireplaces and hall, up stairs; a two-story frame kitchen, slate roofed, outhouses, etc., cistern, waterworks, yard paved with brick, coach gate, gas laid through the house.

2. A one story Frame House, shingle roofed, No. 88 Hospital street, outhouses, etc.

3. And a one-story House, bricked, between posts, shingle roofed, No. 90 Hospital street, built at the corner, outhouses, etc.

Plans thereof will be on exhibition at the Exchange some days previous to that of sale.

Terms—One-third cash, and the balance in one and two year's credit from the day of sale, for notes of the purchaser, bearing eight per cent interest per annum, from date to payment, to be secured by vendor's privilege and special mortgage on the property sold. The buildings and the improvements to be insured for two years, to the amount of notes due thereon and the policy transferred to the Sheriff for the benefit of any holder of said notes. The purchaser to pay five per cent attorney's fees, in case of suit to recover the payment of said notes, and to be secured like the notes.

THOMAS L. MAXWELL, fe15 mh4 19 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

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