

Five hundred feet of three quarter inch pipe. One keg of six-penny nails. One keg of ten-penny nails. One keg of twenty-penny nails.

Mr. Delassiz submitted the following resolution, which was also carried as follows: Resolved, That the Administrator of Waterworks and Public Buildings be and is hereby authorized to advertise, by ten days' notice in the official journal, for proposals to make the necessary repairs to the building enclosing the old engine of the Waterworks; also to the reservoir; said repairs to be made in accordance with plans and specifications to be furnished by the City Surveyor.

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One district superintendent, Sixth District, at an annual salary not to exceed \$1800. Five clerks and messengers to district superintendents, at an annual salary not to exceed \$900.

Three ward superintendents, at an annual salary not to exceed \$1200. Three depot keepers, at an annual salary not to exceed \$1000.

Three night watchmen, at an annual salary not to exceed \$720. One messenger Bureau of Streets, at an annual salary not to exceed \$600.

Sec. 4. Be it ordained, etc., That the Bureau of Wharves and Landings, within the department of improvements, shall consist of— One superintendent (mounted at his own expense, at an annual salary not to exceed \$200).

One chief clerk, at an annual salary not to exceed \$1800. One wharfinger for the First District, at an annual salary not to exceed \$1800.

One wharfinger for the Second District, at an annual salary not to exceed \$1800. One wharfinger for the Third District, at an annual salary not to exceed \$1800.

One wharfinger for the Fourth District, at an annual salary not to exceed \$1800. Four deputy wharfingers (one for each district), at an annual salary not to exceed \$1000.

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Three watchmen of nuisance boats, at an annual salary not to exceed \$900. Sec. 5. Be it ordained, etc., That the Bureau of City Drainage, within the department of improvements, shall consist of one superintendent, at an annual salary not to exceed \$1800.

One chief clerk, at an annual salary not to exceed \$1800. One draughtsman, at an annual salary not to exceed \$1800.

Sec. 6. Be it ordained, etc., That the wharfingers shall be ex-officio collectors of levee dues, and in that capacity shall discharge all the duties of collectors of levee dues, and shall be held responsible for the collection and payment of the same to the Administrator of Finance; and that no deputy wharfinger shall in any manner assist, or be held responsible for the wharfingers in the discharge of their duty.

Sec. 7. Be it ordained, etc., That the salaries of all officers appointed to duties in the department of improvements, shall be paid in separate bureaus within the same, shall be paid monthly, upon pay rolls to be prepared by the Administrator thereof.

Sec. 8. Be it ordained, etc., That the various officers and clerks organized by this ordinance shall be subject to such ordinances as are now in force, or that may hereafter be enacted, and shall be held responsible for the same, do now, nor shall hereafter apply, the Administrator of the department shall be responsible for the discharge of the duties of the wharfingers, and shall be held responsible for the same.

Sec. 9. Be it ordained, etc., That the Administrator of Improvements is hereby charged with and is held responsible for the employment of the wharfingers, and is required to maintain general superintendence of all matters relating to the streets, sidewalks, pavements and wharves, and the construction, cleaning and repair of the same; the contract for the building of bridges and the drainage of the city. All such employees shall be paid monthly upon pay-rolls to be prepared by the Administrator.

Sec. 10. Be it ordained, etc., That all ordinances, or parts of ordinances, in conflict with any ordinance of the City of New Orleans, shall be null and void. Sec. 11. Be it ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall take effect on and after the first day of May proximo.

Mr. West moved for the adjourned resolutions be received and printed. Whereas, Two contracts were entered into on the seventh day of September, 1868, between the city of New Orleans and James J. O'Hara for cleaning the streets and repairing the unpaved streets of the First and Second Wards; and Whereas, The said contractor, James J. O'Hara, has failed to comply with the conditions and terms of said contracts, and has in violation of the spirit and letter thereof, allowed paved and unpaved streets in those wards to become filthy in the extreme, and has failed to keep the unpaved streets in repair; and Whereas, By the terms of said contracts the city of New Orleans is empowered to declare the same ipso facto null and void upon any failure on the part of the contractor to comply strictly with the terms and conditions of his contracts; therefore, be it Resolved, That the foregoing contracts are hereby declared null and void, and the Administrator of Improvements is directed to withhold all payments to said contractor. Be it further Resolved, That the City Attorney be and is hereby authorized to take legal steps to recover from said contractor and his sureties such damages as may be justly in the premises; and that the City of New Orleans and the citizens thereof, by reason of the failure aforesaid.

Mr. West called upon the ordinance organizing his department, and moved that it be read by the title and printed. The ordinance was as follows: An ordinance organizing the Department of Improvements.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Council of the city of New Orleans, That the Department of Improvements be organized, and be divided into the following bureaus: 1. A Bureau of Streets.

Sec. 2. Be it ordained, etc., That the department proper shall consist of— One Administrator, with an annual salary not to exceed \$2000. One chief clerk, with an annual salary not to exceed \$1800.

One special agent, with an annual salary not to exceed \$1500. One chief of labor, with an annual salary not to exceed \$1200. One messenger, with an annual salary not to exceed \$1200.

Sec. 3. Be it ordained, etc., That the Bureau of Streets within the Department of Improvements, shall consist of one superintendent, at an annual salary not to exceed \$2000. One chief clerk, at an annual salary not to exceed \$1800.

One district superintendent, First District, at an annual salary not to exceed \$1800. One district superintendent, Second and

official printed proceedings of the Council, in a book kept for that purpose. Adopted, and made article eight. RULES OF DECORUM AND DEBATE.

When any member desires to present any matter for consideration or speak in debate, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address himself to "Mr. President." No member shall be allowed to name, but as the Administrator of his respective Department.

Adopted, and made article nine. If any member in speaking, or otherwise, transgress the rules of the Council the President shall have the right to call him to order, in which case the member so called shall immediately take his seat, unless permitted to explain, and the Council shall, if applicable, decide the same, but without discussion. If the decision be in favor of the member called to order, he shall be at liberty to proceed; if the decision be against him, and the case require it, he shall be held to the courtesy of the Council.

Adopted, and made article ten. When two or more members happen to rise at once, the President shall name the one who is first to speak.

Adopted, and made article eleven. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than half an hour on each occasion, without leave of the Council, nor more than once until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken. But the mover of any proposition, or the mover of any amendment, shall have the right to open and close the debate; and in case the proposition comes from any committee, then the member making the report from the committee shall have the right to open and close the debate in his manner.

Adopted, and made article twelve. When a member desires to call for the yeas and nays, he shall do so before the question is decided, either by division or counted voices.

Adopted, and made article thirteen. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the President or any member desires it, and when so written and seconded shall be handed to the Chair, and read aloud by the Secretary before the Council.

Adopted, and made article fourteen. No person shall be admitted within the bar, except upon invitation by a member of the Council.

Adopted, and made article fifteen. After a motion is stated by the President, or read by the Secretary, it shall be subject to the yeas and nays of the Council, but may be withdrawn by the mover with the consent of the member who may have seconded the proposition.

Adopted, and made article sixteen. When a question is under debate no motion shall be received but— 1. To adjourn; 2. To lie on the table; 3. For the previous question; 4. To postpone to a day certain; 5. To amend; 6. To commit; 7. To postpone indefinitely.

Adopted, and made article seventeen. The previous question shall be put in this form: "Shall the main question be put?" It shall only be submitted when seconded by at least two members, and when carried, its effect shall be to put an end to all debate, and to bring the Council to a direct vote on the question.

Adopted, and made article eighteen. The regular meetings of the Council shall be held every Tuesday, at seven o'clock P. M.

Adopted, and made article nineteen. The President shall take the chair at the hour of meeting and call the members to order. If a quorum be in attendance, he shall conduct the journal of the proceedings, and shall be held responsible for the same.

Adopted, and made article twenty. He shall preserve order and decorum; may speak in preference to members; he shall decide questions of order, subject to the appeal of the Council; and he shall have the right to remove any member from the Council, on any charge of disorderly conduct.

Adopted, and made article twenty-one. The Mayor shall take the chair in preference to members be stricken out. Stricken out accordingly, and adopted as amended.

Adopted, and made article twenty-two. All ordinances, resolutions and propositions, before they can be debated or adopted, shall be read twice, and at different intervals, by the Administrator, or by a committee, if any; and they shall be acted upon when they shall have been read, and according to the order in which they may have been presented.

Adopted, and made article twenty-three. After reading of the journal, the order of business shall be as follows: 1. Communications from the Mayor. 2. Communications from officers of the City of New Orleans. 3. Reports of committees. 4. Offering of resolutions. 5. Petitions.

Adopted, and made article twenty-four. Unfinished business of last preceding meeting. 7. Order of the day.

On motion of Administrator West, "reports from Administrators" was inserted second in the order of business; and the other numbers were changed accordingly.

Adopted, and made article twenty-five. Two-thirds of the members present may at any time suspend the foregoing rules; but they shall not be repealed or altered, unless by a majority of all the Council, and after one week's notice.

Adopted, and made article twenty-six. When these rules are silent, or inexplicit, the Rules of the Manual of Parliamentary Practice shall be construed as authority.

Adopted, and made article twenty-seven. The rules, as amended, were adopted as a whole. Commissioner Pierce (Police) moved that the Council proceed to the election of five School Directors.

Mr. Shaw nominated Mr. W. F. Mead. Elected. Mr. Pierce nominated Mr. W. Van Orden. Elected. Mr. West nominated Mr. Sydney H. Stockdale. Elected. Mr. Walton nominated Mr. J. L. Tissot. Elected. Mr. West nominated Mr. William Grant. Elected.

LEGAL NOTICES

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA. IN THE MATTER OF SAMUEL H. COPELAND, Bankrupt.

TO THE HONORABLE E. H. DURELL, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Louisiana, sitting in Bankruptcy. The petition of E. E. Norton, of the city of New Orleans, herein appearing as the assignee in bankruptcy of the said Samuel H. Cope- land, respectfully represents, that among the assets of the said bankrupt, there is the following described real estate, situated in the State of Louisiana, to-wit: The west half of the northeast quarter, north half of the southeast quarter, and the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter, of section twenty-two, township eleven, range eight, east, containing one hundred and twenty acres, situate in Franklin parish, Louisiana.

And your petitioner further represents that the said real estate is subject to a mortgage in favor of the said E. E. Norton, and that the same is not a lien in law to the proceeds of the sale of said property according to their rank. And they pray for all other necessary orders.

Signed E. H. DURELL, Judge. Clerk's office, New Orleans, April 15, 1870. CHARLES CLAIRBORNE, Clerk.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA. IN THE MATTER OF HENRY O. PETTY, Bankrupt.

TO THE HONORABLE E. H. DURELL, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Louisiana, sitting in Bankruptcy. The petition of E. E. Norton, of the city of New Orleans, herein appearing as the assignee in bankruptcy of the said Henry O. Petty, respectfully represents, that among the assets of the said bankrupt, there is the following described real estate, situated in the State of Louisiana, in the parish of Orleans, to-wit: The east half of the southeast quarter of section one, township eleven, range eight, east, containing one hundred and twenty acres, situate in Franklin parish, Louisiana.

And your petitioner further represents that the said real estate is subject to a mortgage in favor of the said E. E. Norton, and that the same is not a lien in law to the proceeds of the sale of said property according to their rank. And they pray for all other necessary orders.

Signed E. H. DURELL, Judge. Clerk's office, New Orleans, April 15, 1870. CHARLES CLAIRBORNE, Clerk.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA. IN THE MATTER OF A. M. LISSO, Bankrupt.

TO THE HONORABLE E. H. DURELL, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Louisiana, sitting in Bankruptcy. The petition of E. E. Norton, of the city of New Orleans, herein appearing as the assignee in bankruptcy of the said A. M. Lisso, respectfully represents, that among the assets of the said bankrupt, there is the following described real estate, situated in the State of Louisiana, in the parish of Orleans, to-wit: The east half of the southeast quarter of section one, township eleven, range eight, east, containing one hundred and twenty acres, situate in Franklin parish, Louisiana.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA. IN THE MATTER OF FELIX H. G. TAYLOR, Bankrupt.

TO THE HONORABLE E. H. DURELL, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Louisiana, sitting in Bankruptcy. The petition of E. E. Norton, of the city of New Orleans, herein appearing as the assignee in bankruptcy of the said Felix H. G. Taylor, respectfully represents, that among the assets of the said bankrupt, there is the following described real estate, situated in the State of Louisiana, in the parishes of Madison and Iberville, to-wit: A tract of land of five hundred and forty acres, more or less, in Madison parish, Louisiana, lying on the north side of the Mississippi river, and another tract of land, situate in Iberville parish, Louisiana, containing one hundred and twenty acres, situate in the parish of Iberville, Louisiana.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA. IN THE MATTER OF JAMES B. DEW, Bankrupt.

TO THE HONORABLE E. H. DURELL, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Louisiana, sitting in Bankruptcy. The petition of E. E. Norton, of the city of New Orleans, herein appearing as the assignee in bankruptcy of the said James B. Dew, respectfully represents, that among the assets of the said bankrupt, there is the following described real estate, situated in the State of Louisiana, in the parish of Orleans, to-wit: The east half of the southeast quarter of section one, township eleven, range eight, east, containing one hundred and twenty acres, situate in Franklin parish, Louisiana.

And your petitioner further represents that the said real estate is subject to a mortgage in favor of the said E. E. Norton, and that the same is not a lien in law to the proceeds of the sale of said property according to their rank. And they pray for all other necessary orders.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA. IN THE MATTER OF HENRY ASTER, Bankrupt.

TO THE HONORABLE E. H. DURELL, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Louisiana, sitting in Bankruptcy. The petition of E. E. Norton, of the city of New Orleans, herein appearing as the assignee in bankruptcy of the said Henry Aster, respectfully represents, that among the assets of the said bankrupt, there is the following described real estate, situated in the State of Louisiana, in the parish of Orleans, to-wit: The east half of the southeast quarter of section one, township eleven, range eight, east, containing one hundred and twenty acres, situate in Franklin parish, Louisiana.

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TO THE HONORABLE E. H. DURELL, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Louisiana, sitting in Bankruptcy. The petition of E. E. Norton, of the city of New Orleans, herein appearing as the assignee in bankruptcy of the said W. W. Breazeale, respectfully represents, that among the assets of the said bankrupt, there is the following described real estate, situated in the State of Louisiana, in the parish of Orleans, to-wit: The east half of the southeast quarter of section one, township eleven, range eight, east, containing one hundred and twenty acres, situate in Franklin parish, Louisiana.

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TO THE HONORABLE E. H. DURELL, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Louisiana, sitting in Bankruptcy. The petition of E. E. Norton, of the city of New Orleans, herein appearing as the assignee in bankruptcy of the said James B. Dew, respectfully represents, that among the assets of the said bankrupt, there is the following described real estate, situated in the State of Louisiana, in the parish of Orleans, to-wit: The east half of the southeast quarter of section one, township eleven, range eight, east, containing one hundred and twenty acres, situate in Franklin parish, Louisiana.

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