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AUCTION SALES TO-MORROW.

BY SHERIFF MAXWELL, at twelve o'clock, at Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, eleven lots of ground on Canal street, corner Canal and David streets, on Customhouse and on David streets—C. E. Girardey & Co. vs. Sylvester L. Langdon, square of ground and buildings known as the Louisiana Sugar Refinery, together with machinery and fixtures—Cyprien Dufour vs. A. W. Walker.

BY J. W. QUINN, Constable Second Justice's Court, at twelve o'clock, at No. 202½ Baronne street, contents and fixtures of a confectionery—J. M. Moss vs. Peter Gravich.

BY J. DEJAN, JR., at eleven o'clock, at New Auction Mart, No. 183 Gravier-street, near Carondelet, household furniture, etc.

BY R. M. & B. J. MONTGOMERY, at 11 o'clock at Old Auction Mart, No. 87 Camp street, household furniture, etc.

Y LOUIS STERN & BROS., at ten o'clock, at No. 16 Chartres street, 500 cases boots, shoes and brogans.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

THE POLICE YESTERDAY.—All credit is due to Superintendent Cain and his subordinates, for the vigilance exercised by them from morning until late at night. The force deserves praise and honorable mention.

THANKS.—To Mr. George Grindley, aid to Grand Marshal Barber, for the cheers he and his division gave this office.

To Captain Spranley, R. Harris, J. L. Smith and Jacob Diepert, for delicate attentions, such as are appreciated.

BASE BALL.—The Red Stockings played the Lees yesterday. The game stood; Reds, 24; Lees, 4.

To-morrow evening there will be a grand match between the Stockings and the Stars, on which much depends—not that the Stars expect to eclipse or be eclipsed, but that the Louisiana boys intend showing that they have not taken lessons without improvement.

The park is growing into favor faster than was anticipated, as accommodations and attentions have not been omitted. The system adopted by the managers pleases visitors.

IN A LOAF OF BREAD.—Yesterday morning we made mention of a nate found in a loaf of bread intended for a prisoner in the fifth precinct stationhouse. Mr. Malone hands us the following explanation:

I desire to give some explanation with regard to the mention made of my name in a note which you say was found in a loaf of bread sent to the thief William Wilson, then confined in the fifth precinct station. I can simply say that I noticed the said Wilson Wednesday afternoon last, standing by the dancing platform at the Fair. As he is a notorious thief, I went up to him and told him that if he did not leave the grounds I would lock him up. He immediately complied, and as he was leaving, Officer Pearson arrested him. This is the only time I saw Wilson in two months. Who *William T. F.* is I have not the slightest idea. Respectfully,

JAMES MALONE,
Patrolman No. 29, Second Precinct, Metropolitan Police.

REPORT FOR APRIL, 1870.—Mr. P. M. Tourne, clerk of the Charity Hospital, sends us the following report for April:

Number of patients admitted 473; discharged 548; died 49; remaining in Charity Hospital 544; remaining in Marine Hospital 67—total 1611.

CHALLENGE FROM THE SOUTHERN STARS TO THE RED STOCKINGS.—The following challenge from the Southern Star Base Ball Club, dated at their rooms, No. 55 St. Charles street, to the Red Stocking Base Ball Club means business. It reads thus:

The Goddess of Fame is so loudly bawling your praises as to excite lively apprehensions that even the glory of the Southern Stars may be dimmed. Therefore, in order to maintain our proud pre-eminence as a club which has never been vanquished, possibly in consequence of never having played a game, and to avenge the defeat of our gallant comrades, we request you to give us an opportunity at the Louisiana Base Ball Park, on Sunday next, the eighth instant, of regaining the laurels lost during the past week on that Waterloo of baseballdom in our State. We are impelled to this by the memory of our slaughtered Pelicans, the "spirits" of annihilated Southerns, Lees and Atlantics, and by the gloomy remembrance of the occultation which transpired on Friday last, in accordance with prognostications of the Porkopolis calendar.

In evidence, gentlemen, of our desire to take no undue advantage, we have suggested such a time for the forthcoming contest as will enable you to recover from your late exertions, and have also selected the scene of your brilliant triumphs, as the *base* of operations on which the *ball* shall open, where, inspired with the eclat of victory, you will surely strive to maintain your prestige against your formidable opponents.

Trusting that the fame of your adversary may not deter you from taking up the gage of bat-tle, etc. We are, etc.

AVOID MATRIMONY.—Some person who has doubtless seen many of the shady sides of matrimony, grinds out the following:

If independence you'd enjoy,
And peacefully your years employ—
Possessing all contentment gives,
The happiest mortal that here lives,
Avoid, avoid the hand of fate,
If it guide you toward the nuptial state.

Be not husband, be not wife,
But enjoy the peace of single life;
In it there's joy, in it there's rest,
And those now in it thus attest;
No one to fear or to obey,
Who could refuse to live that way?

If to study you're now inclined,
Nobody's near to divert your mind;
If to music you give much attention,
No one of sewing on buttons makes mention;
If on a visit to friends you go,
You'll not be destracted by babies, I know.

The celebration of the fifteenth amendment took up the attention of our citizens so generally yesterday that the school question was thrown completely into the back ground. This was also owing to the fact that it was generally understood the old School Board had squelched or caved in. This produced such a degree of public delight and satisfaction as to render the public mind entirely tranquil and quiescent on the subject. The teachers nearly or all completed their reports for the month of April to Superintendent Carter yesterday.

A BLOODY AFFRAY.—Between one and two o'clock yesterday morning an affray occurred near the corner of St. Charles and Gravier streets, which may result in the death of one of the participants, James Foley. The assailant was William Malloy, who used his knife on Foley, inflicting a terrible wound in his groin. The wounded man was sent to his home on Girod, near Magazine street. The difficulty grew out of a controversy on a financial transaction.

ROBBERY ON STEAMBOAT NATCHEZ.—Friday night the steamboat Natchez, lying at the head of Common street, was robbed of about two hundred plated spoons and forks. Officer Barron caught Jim Wilson in the act of offering some of them for sale. Wilson was arrested.

Banners and flags made to order at Piffet's 127 Canal street.

AMUSEMENTS.

Academy of Music.

The Lingard again this evening in his pleasing impersonations of noted and notorious characters, and in the liveliest comedy. We know the house will be full, without urging our readers to go there, but still, we would advise those who seek a pleasant evening's entertainment to go to the Academy. To-morrow evening the great musical extravaganza of "Pluto, or the Magic Lyre," re-written and entirely reconstructed by William Horace Lingard, and pronounced by the press and the public to be the very best production of the kind ever witnessed. Remember that the charming actress, Alice Dunning Lingard, will appear, together with the entire burlesque company. Twenty-four of the very latest choice airs of the greatest French and English masters, and an orchestra increased in numbers. The beautiful comedietta of "Captain of the Watch," in addition to other good things.

St. Charles Theatre.

La Rue's minstrels closed last night, and the theatrical season closed with them. This evening, complimentary benefit to Mr. James Mace, previous to the great contest for the championship of America, on which occasion he will appear in the manly art of self-defense, with the renowned athlete, Mr. John C. Heenan. He will also be assisted by his cousin, Mr. Harry Slade, from the Royal Gymnasium, London, Mr. James Cusack and a celebrated amateur of this city. The lovers of sport will all be sure to attend.

Opera House.

This evening, first night of the new comedy of "Frou Frou." Sunday prices as usual. To-morrow evening, last night but one of the season, and benefit of Mlle. Arnal, when Meyerbeer's grand opera of "L'Africaine" will be produced. Tuesday evening, last night of the season, and Verdi's grand opera of "Rigoletto."

Paris Circus Pavilion.

We do admire that noble animal, the horse, and especially a beautiful horse, such as grace the arena at the Paris Circus Pavilion, corner of Canal and Villere streets. The circus will continue another week only, with a splendid new programme, immensely popular, and which will be found replete with brilliant novelties, animated scenes in the circle—equestrian, gymnastic, acrobatic and pantomimic. New artists in new acts; sensational ariel gymnastics; the largest and most popular equestrian corps in the country.

Tuesday evening, benefit of Mrs. C. W. Noyes, the dashing equestrienne and a splendid bill in preparation. Thursday evening, benefit of Master Wood Cook, the unrivalled boy rider. Do not forget the circus this evening and to-morrow evening, and especially remember the beautiful, graceful and charming gymnast, Millie Turnour. First time to-morrow evening of the "Sprites of the Silver Shower." Great hurdle act, and the grand tournament of the "Field of the Cloth of Gold."

Oakland Course.

Grand Turner May Festival at the Oakland Course and Riding Park, near the Half Way House to-day and to-morrow, and a great variety of entertainments, as will be seen by the programme. The procession will march at half-past eight from the Turner Hall in the order named, and through Lafayette street to Baronne, Baronne to Poydras, Poydras to St. Charles, St. Charles to Julia, Julia to Camp, Camp to Canal, Canal to Chartres, Chartres to St. Louis, St. Louis to Royal, Royal to Canal, and Canal to the Oakland Race Course. The festival will close Monday evening with a brilliant pyrotechnic display.

LYNCH LAW IN WINN PARISH.

A Gang of Desperadoes Broken Up—Attempt to Murder a Former Accomplice—Five of the Gang Shot Dead.

We copy the following from the *Times* of last evening:

A correspondent informs us that on Sunday, twenty-fourth instant, the citizens of New Atlanta, in Winn parish, arrested and shot John R. West, David Frame, Grow Thompson, a man by the name of Collins and one named Ingram. The well known Lawson Kimbrel (brother to William Kimbrel, killed by General McGlathan,) was shot down for dead, but the ball only scalped him, and he made his escape.

The cause of the difficulty is stated as follows: It appears that some time before General McGlanthan killed William Kimbrel, a man named David Deen joined this gang of desperadoes. Subsequently, however, he quit them, and gave information which incensed them against him so highly that he was forced to leave the parish in order to save his life. He took refuge in Mississippi, where he remained some time. On his return to the parish, he brought his father and mother with him; but he had not been at home long before the fact became known to his enemies, who immediately made a coffin, hunted him up, and arrested him, leaving three of their number to guard him. The citizens hearing of his peril, at once banded themselves together, released Deen, and succeeded in capturing the whole gang, who by their threats so excited the crowd that they shot them down as stated above.

These men are represented to be of the most desperate character, have been engaged in a nefarious trade, and had been frequently arrested and indicted by the Grand Jury of the parish.

The Cross Levee.

We copy the following from the Madison *Journal:*

We are informed that Mr. Kennedy has commenced work on the levee from New Carthage to the Dahlia plantation, on the south side of Bayou Vidal. The effect of this levee will be to back the water on the plantations above and on Roundaway Bayou. It is possible that some little advantage to one or two plantations in Tensas parish may be gained by the construction of this levee, but not sufficient to compensate the injury which will be done in Madison.

The President of the Police Jury should take immediate steps to protect his parish from the threatened injury. As we have stated before, this work was attempted by the parish of Tensas several weeks ago, and was enjoined by our courts. It is surprising to us that any engineer, in the service of the State, could be found to recommend this work.

According to the *Union*, Houston is in a high state of prosperity. That paper says:

What does it mean? The trade in real estate in Houston has become unusually brisk of late. Much property is changing hands, and at prices forty and fifty per cent higher than heretofore. One place offered at $1700 had suddenly jumped up to $3000 when a purchaser appeared. Another place, one half of it sold for $1700 a short time since, and now $3000 is asked for the remainder. Vacant lots that sold last year for $50 are now going at $450 and $500. A lot on Main street, with worthless buildings sold a day or two since, we are told, for $11,000.

We saw yesterday a well-known capitalist of Galveston looking round to buy some Houston property. Several other Galvestonians, of whom we are aware have bought, or are about to buy real estate in Houston. What does it mean? it means the Ship Canal, the New Orleans railroad, the Great Northern railroad, the Central railroad, the International, the half dozen "taps" the Pacific. It also means the Houston *Union*.

WALSHE'S NEW FURNISHING GOODS.—The amount of taste displayed by Mr. B. T. Walshe, No. 110 Canal street, in the selection of his spring stock this season, has been a matter of considerable comment among the habitues of Canal street during the past week. Such beautiful cravats and ties, splendid undergarments, gloves, handkerchiefs, etc., rarely has been seen on this side of the Atlantic, while his prices are so reasonable that those splendid goods are placed within the reach of every one. Besides the above named goods, Mr. Walshe has also a general assortment of seasonable goods for children, which parents would do well to go and inspect. Mr. Walshe believes in quick sales and small profits. His goods are always as stylish as any to be found in the country, and having been manufactured expressly for his sales, are reliable in every respect. Go and look at them.

WATCHES AND WATCH CASES.

Stiffened or "Filled" Gold Cases vs. Solid Gold Cases.

It will be apparent to any person who will considerately examine a heavy solid gold watch case, that beyond or aside from the necessary thickness of gold for the engraving and engine turning, the large proportion of the precious metal is really needed only as a stiffening to hold the engraved portion in place, and give it strength enough to enable it to resist pressure from without by sudden knocks or falls, which would otherwise mutilate and mar the case and injure the movement.

This large proportion of the gold adds greatly to the cost of a watch, while it is actually needless, so far as utility and beauty are concerned, as any one can testify who has observed old watches that have been many years in wear, the engine-turning on which is worn smooth, while the "works" are often worn out entirely, or are so far beyond the watchmaker's skill as to be unreliable as time-keepers.

Such being the fact, then, if in place of this large amount of practically needless gold, a baser metal be substituted, the cost will be proportionately lessened, while the strength, solidity and beauty of the case remains intact.

On the other hand, large numbers of gold watches are made and sold with cases so fragile, in order to reduce their cost to the lowest point, as to be almost unserviceable, and in fact may become entirely so after a few month's constant use—the covers having become sprung, so as not to shut, or stay shut—the joints or hinges breaking out—or the heads and a portion of the centre rim tearing away, the gold having been reduced so extremely thin as not to afford substance enough to allow of the edges being soldered together (or if such repairs can be made, it is only at the expense of the beauty of the case), and with the dents and mars that with the greatest care are continually accumulating—the wearer knows not how, or when they come—they gradually become so battered and unsightly as to be anything but an object of pride or pleasure.

Now if these cases had been stiffened with a lining of baser metal, the cost would have been little if any more, the need of costly repairs would have been avoided, and they would have remained handsome and undefaced for years, to the great advantage of both watches and owner.

For actual use and appearance, such a stiffened gold case would be worth far more than the thin one, and be equal to any fine solid gold one of the same thickness, and at one-half or one third the price.

There is still another class of watch cases of poor low caret gold, which are finely finished, "made to sell"—and their purchasers find they are "sold" as soon as the outside coloring is worn off, which takes no very long time to accomplish.

The advantages, therefore, of buying a watch with a stiffened gold case, in preference to the solid one, are manifest. The actual cost is but one-half or one-third as much, and consequently one who considers the item of interest on his investment need not be reminded of the saving he will make in the course of ten years, while if lost by accident, or the efforts of pickpockets, thieves, or burglars, the purchaser will still have the consolation of knowing that it would have been the same if it had been of solid gold, and the saving effected in the first instance will allow of the purchase of another of the same kind, at no larger, if as great, a total cost as originally would have been incurred for a heavy solid gold watch.

Stiffened, or, technically speaking, "filled" gold watch cases of this description are now being made in Providence by Messrs. J. A. Brown & Co., watch case manufacturers, No. 58 Eddy street under a patent granted Mr. George W. Ladd, in June, 1867.

They are made from thick plates of gold and nickel composition, "sweated" or welded together, forming a solid bar of metal, which, after being rolled to the required thickness, is made into watch cases of different grades.

The best grade is termed the extra quality, or one half gold; the next the first quality, or one-third gold. They are beautifully engraved and engine turned, the same as solid gold cases, and in appearance can not be told from them. The prices are correspondingly less, according to quality.

They are fitted with Mr. Ladd's improved spring, forged from a single piece of steel, put in without screws, and so shaped that the pressure in opening or shutting the cover, bears upon the spring evenly at all points, giving quick and easy action, thus avoiding the great liability of breaking, and consequent cost of repairs, as in the old method of springing, with two springs fastened in with screws.

They have as yet been but slightly introduced to the trade of this city, though abroad they have a constantly increasing reputation and sale; but we can assure the public that they need but be seen and examined to be admired, and (when their advantages are understood) appreciated.

One of these cases, furnished with a good substantial movement, made by either of the American companies, for which they are more especially designed and adapted, make a watch that will give the purchaser pleasure and satisfaction.

No person need hesitate to buy a case of this kind, made by the firm above named, and it will not be a matter of special wonder if the Ladd watch case should in the course of a few years acquire a reputation and popularity second only to that of the American movement. Certainly for real genuine worth at a low cost, they can not be too highly appreciated, and any person who intends purchasing a watch will do well to ask their watchmaker or dealer for them, and judge for themselves. "Seeing is believing," saith the proverb.

The business office and salesroom of the firm is at No. 11 Maiden Lane, New York.—*Providence Journal.*

Christine Nilsson, the celebrated prima donna, is to visit this country this fall.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

See the advertisement of Weedon's Washing Compound.

Ladies, make your husbands smoke two cigars less per diem for three months, and give you the money. With it you can buy a first-class Wilcox & Gibbs' Sewing Machine from Mr. M. S. Hedrick, at Nos. 87 and 118 Canal street. He sells them on credit. You will have ample time to pay.

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Ladies, Mr. M. S. Hedrick, agent for Wilcox & Gibbs' Sewing Machine, Nos. 87 and 118 Canal street, is selling those splendid machines on credit, payable in small installments. Save your pin money and buy one.

Weedon's Washing Compound is the best article in use. See advertisement.

Sewing machines are now sold on credit by M. S. Hedrick, the agent of Wilcox & Gibbs, at his two stores, Nos. 87 and 118 Canal street. Here is a chance for poor sewing women.

Try Weedon's Washing Compound. See advertisement for particulars.

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POLITICAL NOTICES.

The Irish Republican Association will hold its regular meeting at the Mechanics' Institute, on MONDAY EVENING, the second instant. Prominent speakers will address the meeting. A full attendance is requsted.

JOSEPH P. MURPHY, President.
P. H. MORONEY, Secretary. my1 1t*

German Republican Veteran Club.—Regular meeting MONDAY EVENING, the second instant, at half past seven o'clock in Mechanics' Institute. Every member will be punctually, to pay monthly dues, in said meeting.

By order: FELIX SPRANLEY,
my1 1t President.

NEW ORLEANS POSTOFFICE.

Time of Arrival and Closing of Mails

DAILY ARRIVALS.

From the North—through mail—11:10 A. M.

From Louisville, Cairo, Cincinnati and New York—through mail—1:30 A. M.

From Alabama, Georgia, East Mississippi, North and South Carolina and Florida, 8 A. M.

From Covington and Mandeville (Tuesdays and Fridays), 12 M.

From all points on Morgan's Louisiana and Texas Railroad, Bayou Teche, and intermediate parishes (daily, except Sunday), 5:30 P. M.

From Carrollton and Jefferson City (except Sunday), 4 P. M.

From Algiers (daily), 11 A. M.

From Northern Louisiana, 11:10 A. M.

From Southern and Middle Texas, Tuesdays, Thursdays Saturdays and Sundays at 2 P. M.

TRI-WEEKLY ARRIVALS.

From Red River parishes and Northern Texas.

SEMI-WEEKLY ARRIVALS.

From Vicksburg—river way mail—Monday and Friday mornings.

From St. Francisville—river way mail—Monday and Wednesday mornings.

From Buras—river way mail—Wednesdays and Sundays.

From Lake Coast via Mobile (daily), 8 A. M.

WEEKLY ARRIVALS.

From Florida ports, Key West, Havana, Cuba, West Indies and Mexico.

From Havana, per William Creevy's New York and Philadelphia steamers.

From Brownsville, Texas.

SEMI-MONTHLY ARRIVALS.

From Hamburg and Bremen.

From Havana and Key West (Baltimore steamers).

DAILY DEPARTURES.

To the North—through mail—(except Sunday), 4 P. M. Sunday, 2 P. M.

To Louisville, Cairo, St. Louis, Chicago, Cincinnati and New York—through mail—(except Sunday), 6 A. M.

To Alabama, Georgia, East Mississippi, North and South Carolina and Florida (except Sunday), 3 P. M. Sunday, 2 P. M.

To all points on Morgan's Louisiana and Texas Railroad, Bayou Teche, and intermediate parishes (daily, except Sunday), 7 A. M.

To Northern Louisiana (daily, except Sunday), 4 P. M. Sunday 2 P. M.

To Carrollton and Jefferson City (except Sunday), 9 A. M.

To Algiers, 9 A. M.

To Southern and Middle Texas, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays and Sundays at 6:30 A. M.

SEMI-WEEKLY DEPARTURES.

To Covington and Mandeville (Mondays and Thursdays), 9 A. M.

To Vicksburg—river way mail—(Tuesdays and Saturdays), 4 P. M.

To St. Francisville—river way mail—Mondays, 4 P. M. Fridays, 9:30 A. M.

To Buras—river way mail—(Tuesdays and Saturdays), 9 A. M.

TRI-WEEKLY DEPARTURES.

To Red River parishes and Northern Texas (Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays), 4 P. M.

To Vicksburg—river way mail—(Tuesdays and Saturdays), 4 P. M.

To Lake Coast via Mobile (daily, except Sunday), 3 P. M. Sunday, 2 P. M.

WEEKLY DEPARTURES.

To Brownsville and Brazos Santiago (Saturdays), 6:30 A. M.

To Florida ports, Key West, Havana, Cuba, West Indies and Mexico (Saturdays), 4:30 P. M.

SEMI MONTHLY DEPARTURES.

To Hamburg and Bremen.

To Key West and Havana (Baltimore steamers).

MONTHLY DEPARTURES.

To Belize, Honduras, fourth Wednesday in each month, 3 P. M.

OFFICE HOURS.

Opens at 8 o'clock A. M., and closes at 8 o'clock P. M. Sundays, opens from 9 to 10:30 A. M., and from 1 to P. M.

Postmaster's Office—Open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., except Sundays.

Stamp Window—Open from 8 A. M. to 4 P. M. Sundays, from 9 to 10½ A. M., and from 1 to 2 P. M.

Register Department—Open from 8 A. M. to 4 P. M. Sundays, from 9 to 10½ A. M.

Money Order Department—From 8 A. M. to 4 P. M. Sundays not open.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Office Mutual Aid and Benevolent Life Association of Louisiana, 120 Carondelet street, New Orleans, May 1, 1870—Members of this Association are hereby notified of the death of EMILE BLOCH, who died in this city on the fourteenth day of February, 1870, and GEORGE H. MEEK, who died in this city on the eighteenth day of February, 1870, and are called upon to come forward, without further notice, and pay $1 25 on each, to meet the amount of $1558 paid out by the Association (assessments Nos. 12 and 13).

my1 1t R. W. YOUNG, Secretary.

Special Notice.—The Louisiana Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Connection will convene in New Orleans on THURSDAY, May 5, 1870, on Treme street, between Conti and St. Louis.

J. J. CLINTON, Bishop.
JAMES ALLEN, Presiding Elder. ap29 td*

Another Giant Stride Has Been Made in chemical science. PHALON'S VITALIA, OR SALVATION FOR THE HAIR, is an astonishing improvement on all preparations for restoring the natural color of gray hair, here-tofore known. It is pellucid, cooling, limpid, inodorous, and never-failing, and has no sediment. Sold by all druggists and fancy goods dealers.

Notice—Robert J. Ker will act as my attorney during my absence from this city. Any bills against me, for building, will be settled by David D. Smith, at my residence, No. 270 Felicity Road.

ap24 JOHN M. G. PARKER.
New Orleans, April 23, 1870. ap24

Bank of Lafayette, New Orleans, April 23, 1870.—At a general meeting of the subscribers for stock in this bank, held on Wednesday, the twentieth instant, the following stockholders were elected Directors, to serve until the first day of May, 1871:

S. Hopkins, Jr.,	J. A. Braselman,
O. F. Theisman,	William G. Coyle,
T. Berkson,	Philip Drumm,
Gus. A. Breaux,	John P. Higgins,
John A. Watkins,	John G. Fleming,
R. L. Venables,	William H. Foster.

Lloyd R. Cobman.

And at a subsequent meeting of the Directors, Seaman Hopkins, Jr., was elected President, Thaddeus D. Van Horn, Cashier, and Thomas J. Beck, Notary.

ap23 1m eod T. D. VAN HORN, Cashier.

New Discovery—Elixir J. F. Bernard, Tonic Stimulque, Anti-Dyspeptic. The several observations made by the best physicians of the Faculte de Paris, have proved that the sicknesses arising from impoverishment of the blood or nervous exhaustion, viz: Amenia, Chlorosis, Sympathisme, Phthisie, Diabetes, Albuminuria, Scorbut, etc., etc. are radically cured with the ELIXIR J. F. BERNARD.

General Depot—A. BERNARD, 51 Cedar St., second floor. For sale by all respectable druggists. mon6eodly

Notice is hereby given that all the circulating notes issued by the Merchants' Bank of New Orleans and by the late Bank of James Robb (assumed by the Merchants' Bank of New Orleans) may be presented for redemption at the office of the State Auditor, within one year from the first publication hereof, viz: from March 4, 1870, or that the funds deposited for the redemption of said notes will be given up to the said Merchants' Bank of New Orleans, pursuant to sections thirty-four and thirty-five of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, entitled "An act to establish a general system of free banking in the State of Louisiana," approved March 15, 1855.

New Orleans, March 4, 1870.

THOMAS I. DIX,
mh4 2tm 1y Cashier.

Milhau's Golden Cod Liver Oil.—Pure and reliable, obtained from fresh and healthy livers, and unsurpassed by any yet produced. Sold by all respectable druggists.

de26 J. MILHAU'S SONS, 183 Broadway, New York.

A GOOD OPPORTUNITY

TO SELL OUT.

Any party desiring to sell their stock of goods for city property and greenbacks, can find a chance by calling upon me at the St. Charles Hotel for a few days, or by leaving their address at the office stating where to meet. A stock of from $40,000 upward desirable. E. SEYMOUR.

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HENRY C. & H. M. DIBBLE,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

28 Natchez Street (Morgan's Building),

NEW ORLEANS. oc

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

CANCELLATION OF BOND.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Executive Department, New Orleans, April 28, 1870.

WHEREAS, APPLICATION HAS BEEN made to me for the cancellation of the bond of Charles E. Royer, as Auctioneer in and for the parish of Jefferson, to wit: A bond, dated May 4, 1869, in the sum of two thousand dollars ($2000), signed by Charles E. Royer, as principal, and Joseph J. Gutierrez, as security, the said bond being conditioned for the faithful performance by the said Charles E. Royer of the duties of Auctioneer aforesaid:

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the aforesaid bond, to file their objections to the cancellation thereof, in writing, in the office of the Secretary of State, within ninety days after the last publication hereof.

Given under my hand and the seal of the State this twenty-eighth day of April, 1870, and of the Independence of the United States the ninety-fourth.

H. C. WARMOTH,
By the Governor:
GEO. E. BOVEE, Secretary of State. ap30 30t*

ARMY SUPPLIES.

OFFICE ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER, United States Army, Fort Sill, Indian Territory, April 15, 1870.

SEALED PROPOSALS (IN TRIPLICATE) will be received at this office until noon, on SATURDAY, May 25, 1870, for the delivery of the following named supplies at Fort Sill, Indian Territory—

2855 Cords of WOOD.
2982 Tons of HAY.

The wood to be good, merchantable, hard wood; to be cut full four feet long, split to convenient size, and free from small limbs or brush: a cord to be 128 cubic inches.

The hay to be good, merchantable prairie hay; to be well and securely stacked in such manner as to be impervious to heavy rains or snows. A clause will be inserted in each contract providing that any damage which may result to the hay from imperfect stacking, must be made good to the government by the contractor. The hay must be cut by or before August 31, 1870; a ton to be two thousand pounds.

The delivery of the wood to commence on or before July 15, 1870, and to be continued at the rate of at least one sixth of the quantity contracted for per month. Payment for one-tenth of the wood delivered will be withheld until the contract is satisfactorily filled.

The delivery of the hay to commence on or before July 15, 1870, and to be completed on or before October 31, 1870. Payment for one fifth of the hay to be withheld until the contract is satisfactorily filled.

Proposals will be received for any portion of the hay or wood.

Bids must be made separately for each article.

Bids from persons who have hitherto failed to carry out contracts with the government, or to enter into contracts which have been awarded to them, will not be considered; and no bid will be entertained unless the party making the same is present at the opening of the bids, or represented by an agent or attorney.

The usual conditions, which can be ascertained at this office, will be imposed upon bidders and contractors, and blank forms of proposals will be furnished upon application.

By order of Brevet Major General L. C. Eastern, Chief Quartermaster, Department of the Missouri.

A. F. ROCKWELL,
Brevet Lieutenant Colonel and Assistant Quartermaster, United States Army. ap29 6t

CANCELLATION OF BONDS.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Executive Department, New Orleans, April 21, 1870.

WHEREAS, APPLICATION HAS BEEN made to me for the cancellation of the official bonds of Daniel C. Byerly, as Clerk of the Third District Court of New Orleans and Clerk of the Third District Court for the parish of Orleans, to wit: A bond in the sum of five thousand dollars ($5000), dated May 12, 1866, signed by Daniel C. Byerly as principal, in the full sum of five thousand dollars ($5000), and W. H. C. King and Gustavus A. Breaux as securities, each in the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars ($2500), and a bond in the sum of five thousand dollars ($5000), dated July 9, 1868, signed by Daniel C. Byerly as principal, in the full sum of five thousand dollars ($5000), and Gustavus A. Breaux and Joseph Octave Chalon as securities, each in the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars ($2500); the condition of the said bonds being for the faithful performance by said Daniel C. Byerly of his duties as Clerk of the courts aforesaid.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said bonds to file their objections to the cancellation thereof in writing, in the office of the Secretary of State, within ninety days after the last publication hereof.

Given under my hand and the seal of the State this twenty-first day of April, 1870, and of the independence of the United States the ninety fourth.

H. C. WARMOTH.
By the Governor:
GEO. E. BOVEE, Secretary of State. ap26 30t

SUCCESSION NOTICES.

Succession of George Arnold Holt—No. 26,600.

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 testamentary executrix of this estate should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court.

ap26 30 my5 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of John P. Gore—No. 32,736.

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 Mrs. Mary Gore, administratrix of this estate, should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court.

ap23 27 my1 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of John Wood James—No. 33,467.

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 J. Pinckney Smith, administrator of this estate, should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court.

ap23 27 my1 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Successions of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frischholtz—Nos. 32,942 and 32,984.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Whereas, Mrs. Widow N. Schneider, wife of Henry Walter, has petitioned the Court for letters of administration on the estates of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Frischhoitz, 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.

ap23 27 my1 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Curator's Notice—Succession of Sylphide Lastour.

THE CREDITORS OF SAID SUCCESSION are hereby notified to make themselves known to the undersigned within ten days, and to present to him an account of their respective claims, and the titles by which they are established

JOHN G. MONROSS, Curator.
ap26 my3 7 No. 50 Royal street.

Succession of Hy Fassman—No. 30,149.

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 G. W. Bancker, testamentary executor of the deceased, in this estate should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith

By order of the Court.

ap24 29 my3 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Anna Schneider, Widow of John Frishholtz—No. 32,942.

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 testamentary executor of Martin Schneider, former administrator of this estate, should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court.

ap24 29 my 3 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of John Hiddleston—No. 32,851.

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 Thomas Allen Clarke, testamentary executor of the deceased, in this estate, should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court.

ap24 29 my3 M. O TRACY, Clerk.

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OFFICIAL NOTICES.

COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE Collector's Office, First District of Louisiana, New Orleans, La., April 27, 1870.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I have received from the Assessor of this district the list of taxes assessed and now due upon incomes for the year ending December 31, 1869, and the list of special taxes (formerly assessed as licenses) for the year beginning May 1, 1870, and ending April 30, 1871, and that I shall be ready to receive the said taxes at room No. 5, Customhouse building, on the second day of May, 1870.

The taxes assessed in the parish of Orleans will be collected at this office, on and after the second day of May, 1870, and a Deputy Collector will be present at the following specified times and places to receive the taxes assessed in other parishes in this collection district.

PARISH OF JEFFERSON.

From May 7, 1870, to tenth, both inclusive, at the Courthouse, Carrollton.

PARISH OF ST. CHARLES.

From May 12, 1870, to sixteenth, both inclusive, at the Courthouse.

PARISH OF ST. JOHN.

From May 17, 1870, to twenty-first, both inclusive, at the Assistant Assessor's office, at Eagle Coffee House Landing.

PARISH OF PLAQUEMINES.

From May 24, 1870, to twenty-seventh, both inclusive, at the plantation of Mr. Effingham Lawrence, opposite Pointe-a-la-Hatche.

PARISH OF ST. BERNARD.

From May 30, 1870, to thirty-first, both inclusive, at the Courthouse.

PARISH OF ST. JAMES.

From May 7, 1870, to sixteenth, both inclusive, at Assistant Assessor's office, Convent Postoffice.

PARISH OF ASCENSION

From May 18, 1870, to twenty-seventh, both inclusive, at the Courthouse, Donaldsonville.

PARISH OF LAFOURCHE.

From May 30, 1870, to June 9, both inclusive, at the Courthouse, Thibodaux.

PARISH OF TERREBONNE.

From June 11, 1870, to twenty-first, both inclusive at the Assistant Assessor's office, Houma.

PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY.

From May 7, 1870, to tenth, both inclusive, at the Courthouse, Covington.

PARISH OF LIVINGSTON.

From May 12, 1870, to fourteenth, both inclusive, at Springfield.

PARISH OF TANGIPAHOA.

From May 17, 1870, to eighteenth, both inclusive, at Amite City.

PARISH OF ST. HELENA.

From May 20, 1870, to twenty-first, both inclusive, at Greensburg.

PARISH OF WASHINGTON.

From May 24, 1870, to twenty-fifth, both inclusive, at Franklinton.

After the above given dates, all taxes yet due in this district will be pay