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AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

BY SHERIFF MAXWELL, at 12 o'clock, at Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, upper half of square of ground bounded by Alexander, Murat, Bienville and Customhouse streets; upper half of square bounded by St. Louis, Toulouse, Alexander and Napoleon streets; square bounded by St. John, St. James, Toulouse and St. Peter streets—widow Felice Pizeros vs. John C. Potts, et al. All the right, title and interest of Harvey Guild in lot of ground and buildings on St. Charles street, and in community property, succession of Mrs. Harvey Guild—Thomas W. Bothick vs. Mrs. Harvey Guild.

BY E. J. Strang, Depot Quartermaster, at 11 o'clock, at Vicksburg Press, corner Calliope and Front Levee streets, choice lot of horses and mules.

BY A. A. PLATTSMIER, Constable First Justice Court, at 12 o'clock, at No. 150 Julia street, gold watch and chain—McGloin & Kleinpelter vs. Philip Dopf.

BY J. DEJAN, JR., at half-past eleven o'clock, at Phil. Liner's stables, horses, mules, etc.; also buggies, harness, etc.

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

Local Intelligence.

A CONFIDENCE MAN CAPTURED.—New Orleans for years has been a fat field for confidence men, fellows endued with an unknown sum of brass and nerve, and they have reaped rich harvests. The public does not hear of one-half the transactions of this gentry, for in many instances the victims, finding the extent of their confidence and want of discretion, never retail the manner of their undoing. So finely do these confidence men operate, that usually the crime in law would amount to nothing more than breach of trust, even if caught. One of this class caught a Tartar yesterday. Joseph Becker was on a steamboat, appearing to be a country merchant about to return home with goods. Becker fastened on H. C. Dowd, for a soft man, and was soon well acquainted with him.

At the proper time Becker's pal, assuming the guise of a city merchant, came on the scene, and demanded one hundred and fifty dollars due for a (mythical) bill of goods, which had been shipped to the boat. Becker replied that he did not have a dollar about him, when the other fellow, assuming unlimited airs, angrily responded, that unless the cash was forthcoming, the goods would be returned to the store. These two villains then rehearsed a heavy scene, as if about to fight about offended dignity, and they did it so well that they must have had a previous understanding. Dowd stood by, as was arranged, probably, when Becker appealed to him for the loan of the sum. Dowd thinking the matter really serious, handed out four twenty dollar gold pieces, on Becker promising to return the amount as soon as they could reach the City Hotel, where his funds and wife were. The pal took the gold, giving a receipt for eighty dollars, when he departed, grumbling about how hard it was to collect his dues.

Becker and his victim then started off, but arriving at the hotel the confidence man made some trifling excuse, saying that he would just step up stairs and obtain the specie from his wife. Dowd now slowly began to comprehend the situation, and would not excuse the fellow. This old dodge not seeming to work well, another excuse was invented, but Dowd would not permit the man out of his sight a moment. Another place was indicated, but on the way the sharper stated that it was actually necessary for him to attend to a call of nature. He was permitted to go; but Dowd went to the corner to wait and watch. He was not idle long, for he soon noticed Becker slipping out of a door on Dryades street. He gave chase, drawing his pistol, and would have shot Becker had not several citizens prevented. Both were arrested and lodged in the Lafayette Square stati onhouse.

BOARD OF METROPOLITAN POLICE.—At a meeting of the Board of Metropolitan Police held yesterday, Hon. O. J. Dunn, presiding, all the members present, the following charges against officers and members of the force were tried:

R. Lotus, first precinct. Charge, absent from roll call; reprimanded.

H. Hanson, first precinct. Charge, failing to answer the sergeant's call; guilty, fined three days' pay.

J. Kuffner, first precinct. Two charges, neglect of duty; guilty, fined ten days' pay.

C. Manser, first precinct. Charge, drunkenness; dropped from the roll.

T. Hanley, first precinct. Charge, conduct unbecoming an officer; dismissed the service.

J. Reilly, second precinct. Charge neglecting to walk his beat; reprimanded.

H. Guidry, third precinct. Charge, absent from his beat; guilty, fined one day's pay.

John Sedgwick, fifth precinct. Charge, conduct unbecoming an officer; guilty, and dismissed the service.

Corporal G. Lentz, sixth precinct. Charge, conduct unbecoming an officer; reprimanded.

G. Simpson, sixth precinct. Charge, absent from his beat; guilty, fined one day's pay.

P. McKenna, eighth precinct. Charge, failing to make an arrest; guilty, fined five day's pay.

Wm. McDonell, harbor precinct. Charge, failing to answer the corporal's call; guilty, reprimanded.

BRIEF MENTION.—On the ninth instant Joseph Fenally Farrell will have a hearing before Recorder Houghton, charged with having entered Mr. Holmes' house intending to rob.

George Jones goes down for threatening Annie Ramoe, Dryades street.

Archie Murphy being a juvenile vagrant was consigned to the House of Refuge.

Mrs. Laughlin is an habitual drunkard, for which offense she is buried in prison for thirty days.

Josephine Voltaire, No. 11 Toulouse street, complains that Mr. Parisienne outraged her person at her residence Friday night, and that he battered her yesterday. Accused was arrested.

Celestin Gautier was arrested on Royal street for driving his baker's-cart horse to death. Death was caused by sunstroke.

The old building at the judges' stand, Fair Grounds, was burned Sunday night; probably the work of an incendiary.

Between ten and eleven o'clock Sunday night, car No. 129, Rampart and Dauphine street line, ran over George Young, badly crushing both his legs, near Esplanade street. He was sent to the Charity Hospital.

Adolphe Coster, city laborer, employed in pulling down the old Pontchartrain railroad depot, was badly injured by a beam falling on him.

An excited woman called on Captain Badger, yesterday, to have a man arrested for slandering her. He is close by, in St. Louis. At a late hour last night he had not been found.

David Johnson was arrested in the Sixth District on complaint of G. H. Vinten, who charges him with larceny.

Mrs. Ceiyon, residing near the corner of Liberty and Clio streets, was badly burned Sunday night by the explosion of a coal oil lamp.

The body of Joseph Carville, who was drowned, was found at the head of Gravier street. He had been sleeping on a log, and fell into the water.

Placide Perault, a lad, was drowned in a ditch along side the Chattanooga Railroad, near Gentilly Road.

Stealing pig iron from a bonded warehouse in Algiers, made two fellows take to the river, leaving their clothing with the plunder.

There have been no public demonstrations over the war news, though there is much private rejoicing and some wailing.

THE MULLER HUMITARIAN MEETING.—This meeting was held at Thurners' Hall Saturday evening, preliminary to other meetings for the same purpose.

The object of these efforts, as we learn from Mr. Muller himself, is not exclusively for the Prussians, but also for the French, or in fact without distinction, for the suffering soldiers of both nations. Being so, it commends itself to all. The sympathy and aid thus extended from our free country to suffering people under despotisms cements our national bonds stronger than paper treaties.

OFFICIAL MORTUARY REPORT.—Dr. S. C. Russell, secretary of the Board of Health, reports that the whole number of deaths in this city during the past week was 119. One died of appoplexy, 2 of congestion of the brain, 13 of consumption, 2 of dysentery, 1 of diarrhea, 1 of acute diarrhea, 4 of bilious fever, 1 of congestive fever, 6 of pernicious fever, 1 of intermittent fever, 4 of remittent fever, 1 of scarlet fever, 4 of typhoid fever, 1 of yellow fever, 2 of heart disease, 2 of inflammation of the bowels, 3 of inflammation of the brain, 2 of lockjaw, 5 of pneumonia, 1 of small-pox, 2 were drowned, and 14 were stillborn.

MEAN VILLAINY.—For the second time within the last eighteen months, some mean scoundrel has taken the opportunity to enter the house of Pelican No. 1, of Algiers, and utterly spoil the suction hose attached to the engine, by cutting it in various places. An advertisement, in another column, offers a reward of one hundred dollars for the arrest and conviction of the offender.

TEMPERANCE CONVENTION.—The adjourned meeting of the Temperance Convention, to take place this evening at the Temperance Hall, over the Bible House, on Camp street, will be highly interesting, as a constitution and by-laws are to be brought forward for discussion and adoption.

RECORDER DUMONT'S COURT, FIFTH DISTRICT, ALGIERS.—There were only two cases of any moment before this court yesterday, the others being petty miserable "drunks," of no use to any body, except the owner.

Nat Brigham and Pat Griffin were up to take the consequences of a "lark." These interesting gentlemen had created a rather lively time on board the Third Disrict Ferry Boat Minnow, on Sunday afternoon. Their performance consisted in cursing, abusing and threatening every body on board, emitting obscene language unfit for any body to hear, especially women or children. For this the gallant adventurers were captured, and yesterday his honor fined them twenty-five dollars each—alternative ten days in Parish Prison.

One of those miserable neighbor quarrels, in which respectable people occasionally get mixed, by giving way for a moment to anger, was settled, as Baron Bradwardine would say, "in a fitting manner." The parties are all too respectable not to have known better; and the fine of ten dollars each, imposed by his honor, may perhaps teach the belligerents that quarreling and a resort to court as a means of annoyance to the adversary, are an amusement too expensive to be much practiced.

Base Ball.

The following is a score of a game of base ball played on Sunday, September 11, 1870, between the celebrated Lone Star, Jr., late Mississippi, and Hope, Srs., of the Third District, which resulted in favor of the crack "Stars," scoring five to one, in six innings, as the following score will show. We are open to any club in the city:

LONE STARS, JRS.	O.	R.	HOPE, SRS.	O.	R.
M. Ollarray, p.	2	1	Hernandez	2	0
F. Hoffman, c.	3	0	Sbsia	1	0
C. Everett, 1st b.	1	1	Riordan	2	1
J. Long, 2nd b.	2	1	Pardey	3	0
E. Nolan, 3d b.	3	0	Logerby	3	0
James Moore, s. s.	3	0	Burns	3	0
W. Hawthorn, l f	2	1	Sbsia	3	0
E. Simon, c f	2	1	Rochford	2	0
J. Lannigan, r. f.	3	0	Russell	2	0
Total	21	5	Total	21	1

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total.
Lone Stars, Jr.	3	0	0	1	0	1	5
Hope, Sr.	0	0	0	1	0	0	1

Academy of Music.

This favorite establishment opened last night according to announcement. The house was full to the utmost extent of its capacity, and the performances were of the most pleasing kind, such as will be sure to bring a full house this evening.

The theatre has been refitted with taste and a proper attention to the comfort of the audience. Among other improvements we noticed the new drop curtain. Every thing looks like a prosperous season for the Academy—a prosperity which the sagacious exertions of its enterprising manager fully deserves.

The picnic, promenade concert and soiree dansante, given by Gem Conclave No. 22, S. W. M., took place on Sunday, at the Fair Grounds.

The day was exceedingly pleasant, the sunshine tempered by clouds, and a gentle breeze blowing. As the afternoon progressed the company increased, until toward the cool of the evening a large assemblage was there.

The afternoon sports consisted of a foot race of one hundred and fifty yards. There were ten entries, and the usual fun evoked by tumbling and amateur plowing with the nose. The race was won by Mr. Desson.

The match between the Southern and Washington base ball clubs excited great interest among the majority of the company. The game was won by the Southerns.

The private buggy race was won by Mr. Boyne, and after it the poney race came off, the somewhat celebrated horse Pigeon being the winner.

The promenade concert consisted of a number of operatic selections, superbly played. At its close the ball, the most interesting feature of the entertainment to a large portion of the company, commenced, and continued to a late hour.

The whole arrangement reflects great credit upon Gem Conclave No. 22, and the gentlemen composing the various committees.

THE NEW YORK PRESS.

A *Times* special published yesterday morning gives the following extracts:

The *Tribune* says: "Practically, the Germans are masters of all France, and we fear a return of the Orleans. We hope for a republic. We pray that France may emerge from her sea of troubles, chastened, purified and free. We join in the pæans of victory that chant all hail to united Germany."

The *Times* says: "We do not believe that any third power will attempt to interfere with Germany in the settlement of Europe. She stands to-day virtually mistress of Europe." The *World* says: "The crash of the empire is final and irreversible. The Emperor has fallen, clearly, unmistakably, unavoidably, because he deserved to fall, as men may now clearly see. And here for us in America is the lesson of the great event, because he was an Emperor. It is the system that has surrendered—not the man."

The *Herald* says: "If, as the result has proved, the empire has been a hollow institution, it has at least been strong, and France for twenty years has basked in prosperity, for which Napoleon is mainly to be credited. His star has gone down, but we must not allow ourselves to be deceived into the belief that the French people will soon forget the house of Bonaparte."

A special to the evening *Times* gives further extracts from yesterday morning's New York papers:

This morning's *Tribune* says: "France may, indeed, blindly continue the conflict, but it will be the struggle of madmen, certain of disastrous results."

It says also that Prussia will probably demand the French fleet, instead of a money guarantee.

The *World* says the proclamation of the French Ministry "breathes only war, and that in no spirit of *fanfaronade*."

The *Sun* thinks France is stunned into submission.

The *Times* thinks the war will continue.

The *Herald* says: "If France is wise, the unnecessary slaughter will cease at once;" and thinks France will have to pay an indemnity treble that of 1815.

Bureau of Statistics.

Monthly Report No. 12, now in the printer's hands, contains the accounts of the foreign trade of the United States for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1870. In advance of a more extended statement of the contents, the following brief abstract has been furnished by Mr. Edward Young, Chief of the Bureau:

IMPORTATIONS OF MERCHANDISE.

Free of duty	$29,159,964	
Dutiable	415,846,099—	$436,006,063
EXPORTS.		
Domestic products (gold value)	$376,636,390	
Foreign products	16,155,260—	$392,792,150
Excess of imports of merchandise over exports		$43,213,913
SPECIE MOVEMENT.		
Exports	$43,882,061	
Re-exports	14,271,864	
Total exports	$58,153,925	
Imports	26,848,968	
Net outgo of specie	$31,304,939	
Excess of total imports over exports in 1870		$11,468,974
In the fiscal year 1869, the imports were		437,314,255
Domestic exports	$325,925,643	
Re-exports	25,173,414	
	$351,099,057	
Excess in 1869 of imports over exports	86,215,198	
Showing an apparent improvement in 1870 of	74,906,224	
WAREHOUSE STATEMENT.		
Value of goods in bond July 1, 1869	47,725,568	
Value of goods in bond June 30, 1869	62,457,436	
Excess of bonded goods at the close of fiscal year 1869	14,731,870	
Value of goods in bond July 1, 1869	62,457,436	
Value of goods in bond June 30, 1870	56,891,473	
Balance withdrawn from warehouse and added to consumption for fiscal year 1870	5,565,963	

The following comparative statement of the foreign trade for the respective fiscal years 1869 and 1870 exhibits the true adverse balances:

1869—Excess of imports over exports	$86,215,183
Deduct as per warehouse statement	14,731,870
	$71,483,328
1870—Excess of imports	11,468,974
Add as per warehouse statement	5,565,963
True adverse balance	$16,974,937
True improvement over 1869	$54,508,391

Illness of Chief Justice Chase.

We copy the following dispatches:

NEW YORK, September 2.—The *Sun* says: "We have just learned, with deep regret, that Chief Justice Chase has for some time been suffering from a paralytic stroke, which, without entirely destroying the use of his limbs, incapacitates him from walking without help, and seriously affects his mind."

His recovery is desired, rather than confident and expected. Indeed it is considered doubtful whether he will again be able to resume the arduous duties of the bench. The Chief Justice is now at the country seat of Senator Sprague, his son-in-law, on Narragansett bay, where he has the best medical attendance the country can afford.

NEW YORK, September 3.—The *World* says that the paralytic stroke fell on Chief Justice Chase several days ago at the country residence of his son-in-law, Senator Sprague, of Narragansett bay. He is unable to walk without assistance, and his mind seems shattered and impaired.

Executions in Cuba.

NEW YORK, September 1.—The Havana journals of the twenty-seventh give the details of the execution of Figureda and the two Tamayos, father and son, attended by barbarous severity. A drum-head court-martial at once condemned them to death. The torture of young Tamayo was aggravated by his compulsion to see his father's execution before his own.

An order makes changes in the tariff laws of the island which are of importance to American manufacturers, as it permits all articles of machinery to be imported into the island free of duty, without regard to the nationality of the vessel carrying them.

We copy this from the St. Louis *Republican*:

Captain Pegram's mammoth steamboat is progressing rapidly. James Howard & Co., her builders, have nearly all their force at work on this steamer, and expect to get her out in advance of the contract. It is a matter of interest, as well as curiosity, to visit Messrs. Howard & Co.'s shipyard at Jeffersonville, to view this immense piece of mechanism as she lies upon the stocks. There has never been anything in the way of a steamboat like her built around the falls of the Ohio. She is a monster, a beast of burden, and will be the leviathan of the Western waters, having the capacity to carry thirty-four hundred tons. As before stated, this vessel is progressing rapidly, having her deck frame all on complete, and deck partially laid. Her planking is almost completed, there being only six streaks to go on. The caulking is finished out to the knuckle. The work in the hold is nearly completed. The bulk-heads are finished up, except the wing bulk-heads under the short cylinder timbers. The joiners' work is fairly under way with a large force to push in ahead rapidly. The iron work is up with the ship carpenters' work, and will be put up as fast as the work will permit. The cylinder timbers are to be of oak, seventy-two feet in length, and fifteen by twenty-four inches otherwise. The filling under the timbers is to be of white pine seventeen inches thick, and the main bed under the long timbers is to be of oak, 145 feet long by nine by eighteen inches—all of which will be completed within ten days. In less than one month, this boat will be launched, and her builders say that they feel confident of having her fully completed and ready for business by the first day of November.

The police of London are cautioned "not to use irritating language, even to those offending the law." They are not to interfere unnecessarily, but when it is their duty to act, they are to do so with decision and boldness. "The police," says the order, "are not to use language toward persons in their custody, calculated to provoke them; such conduct often creates a resistance in the prisoner, and a hostile feeling among the persons present toward the police." And again: "The more respectful and civil the police are on all occasions, the more they will be respected and supported by the public in the proper execution of their duty."

POLITICAL.

Assumption Parish.

The Parish Executive Committee of Assumption parish met on the third instant.

Mr. Reuben Motley offered the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Executive Committee of Assumption parish fully indorse the proceedings of the Senatorial Convention, held in Thibodaux the twenty-seventh of August.

Resolved, That we cordially and heartily indorse the nomination of our townsman, H. L. Swords, Esq., as our candidate for Senator, and we pledge ourselves to use all honorable means to secure his election.

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be forwarded to the New Orleans REPUBLICAN, Terrebonne *Patriot*, Lafourche *Republican*, and Assumption *Chronicle* for publication.

Lafourche Parish.

The Republicans of Lafourche parish held a convention at Thibodaux on the third instant, which was called to order by Hon. William Murrell.

Frank James was elected permanent president, Pierre Bibolet and H. Franklin, vice-presidents, and Alexander Denson, secretary.

Leopold Bibolet and A. J. Brooks were nominated as candidates for Representives to the General Assembly.

John Hartman was nominated for Parish Judge, Joseph Boudreaux was nominated for Sheriff and Charles Nichols, for Coroner.

The convention then adjourned.

The following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, The Republicans of the parish of Lafourche, in Parish Convention assembled, deem it the duty of all Republicans to indorse the action of all good and tried Republicans;

Resolved, That the Republicans of Lafourche approve and indorse the nominations of General L. A. Sheldon, Republican candidate for Congress, Second Congressional District of Louisiana, and Major A. L. Swords, for State Senator, Eighth Senatorial District of Louisiana.

Resolved, That we pledge ourselves to support them and the regular nominees of this convention and ignore all bolting nominations.

Resolved, That the secretary forward copies of these resolutions to General L. A. Sheldon and Major H. L. Swords, and to the Lafourche *Republican*, New Orleans REPUBLICAN, Assumption *Chronicle* and Terrebonne *Patriot* for publication.

The Fifth District.

The Christian Republican Association Club, of Algiers, met Saturday evening, when the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That we cordially accept the platform of principles, and indorse the nominations made by the Republican State Convention, and that we will support at the polls Hon. James Graham for State Auditor, Hon. Antoine Dubuclet for State Treasurer, and Hon. J. H. Sypher for Congress from the First Congressional District.

Resolved, That we heartily indorse the administration of Governor H. C. Warmoth, and will support him in the faithful execution of the laws.

Resolved, That Governor W. C. Warmoth, Hon. J. H. Sypher, Hon. E. W. Pierce, Hon. A. E. Barber, Captain R. B. Edgworth, and Captain J. H. Camp, and W. C. Sweet, are hereby elected honorary members of this club, and invited to visit us and participate in its deliberations.

Resolved, That these resolutions be prepared and published in the New Orleans *Republican*.

Robert King was elected president, and George W. Carter secretary, *pro tem.*

The Club was addressed by Captain Edgworth, Colonel Carter, W. C. Sweet, Captain Camp and Rev. Mr. Carter.

German Republican Central Committee.

A well attended meeting of this committee was held last night at the Mechanics' Institute. The delegates of the various German Republican clubs throughout the city assembled for the purpose of organizing the committee, but as some of the clubs, newly organized, were not represented, the election of permanent officers was deferred till next Thursday.

A dispatch to the Memphis *Sun* says:

WASHINGTON, September 3.—The banks are applying for organization under the new law very slowly. The majority of the applications, so far, are from the Western States and a few from the South. The indications are now that all the additional bank currency, authorized by the last Congress, will never go into circulation. The Controller thinks there may be more numerous applications from the South after the cotton crop is put on the market. All the available funds in the South are at present tied up in the cotton crop, and there is little or no money to purchase bonds, even if capitalists desired to organize new banks.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Attention, First Company City Guards! New Orleans, September 6, 1870.—You are notified to meet at American Union Club rooms THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at half-past seven o'clock, for the transaction of important business. Every member, and others wishing to join the company, should be present punctually at the hour named.
By order: CHARLES A. MEYERS, First Sergeant.
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Office Mutual Aid and Benevolent Life Insurance Association of Louisiana, 129 Carondelet street, New Orleans, September 5, 1870.—Members of this Association are hereby notified of the death of FRANK LUIS, who died in this city June 10, 1870, JOHN BRENNAN, who died in this city June 11, 1870, ROBERT WYNNE, who died in this city June 12, and J. W. SESSIONS, of Natchez, Mississippi, who died at sea, June 28, 1870, and are called upon to come forward without further notice and pay at the office of this Association $1 25 each, to meet the amount of $11,399, paid out by the Association.
R. W. YOUNG, Secretary.
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Straight University.—This institution will open on WEDNESDAY, September 7. Students will be examined for entrance and standing Monday and Tuesday, September 5 and 6. A full attendance is expected. se6 2t

State Temperance Convention.—An adjourned meeting of the State Temperance Convention will be held at the Temperance Hall, over the Bible House, No. 163 Camp street, on TUESDAY EVENING, September 6, 1870, at half past seven o'clock, for the purpose of hearing the report of the committees and organizing the Louisiana State Temperance Union. The delegates are requested to be punctual at the above stated time and place.
W. W. McGARRITY, President.
S. M. ANGELL, Secretary. se4 2t

Clear as the Sky is that Balmy Fluid which is taking the place of the unctious compounds hitherto used for dyeing the hair. Phalon's Vitalia, or Salvation for the Hair, is as cloudless as "the light in beauty's eyes," and it darkens gray hair to any shade from golden brown to perfect ebony. Sold by all druggists. se3 6t

Look at the Ruins!—Aye, look at the ruins of what once were magnificent sets of teeth, to be seen everywhere in society. Look at them, and ask yourself if it is not marvellous that such destruction is permitted, when, by simply using Sozodont, any teeth, however fragile, may be preserved from decay or blemish as long as life lasts!

"Spalding's Glue," useful in every house. se3 6d 1w

Special Notice.—All parties having bills against the schooner "SUSANA" will present them to Mr. Whiteman, 237 Rampart street, within ten days. au27 10t

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 L. DIX, Cashier.
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The People's Bank of New Orleans—New Orleans, August 25, 1870.—The Stockholders of this Bank are hereby notified that the fourth and last installment of twenty-five per cent on the Capital Stock will be due and payable at the Banking House on the tenth September next.
CHARLES KERR, Cashier.
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POLITICAL NOTICES.

Editor Republican.—Please announce Dr. M. P. Avila as a candidate for Coroner for the Second and Third Districts of the parish of Orleans, subject to the nomination of the Republican party. His honesty, zeal and impartiality will secure for him the support of the people. se6 1m

John B. Leefe is announced by his friends as a candidate for Administrator of Assessments at the approaching election, subject to the nomination of the Democratic Convention. se6

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

GOVERNMENT SALE.

OFFICE ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER, Corner of Camp and South streets, New Orleans, La., August 29.

WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THURSDAY, September 29, 1870, at Vicksburg Press, corner of Calliope and Front Levee streets—250,000 pounds of OATS, not required for issue. Terms—Cash. Sale to commence at eleven o'clock. By order of Fred Myers, Deputy Quartermaster General, United States army.
E. J. STRANG, Captain and Assistant Quartermaster, United States army. au30 6t

NOTICE.

OFFICE BOARD STATE ASSESSORS, Corner Conti and Royal, up stairs, New Orleans, August 1, 1870.

PROPERTY HOLDERS AND OTHERS INTERESTED are hereby notified that the rolls of the Board of State Assessors for the year 1870, city of New Orleans, will be open for inspection and correction for the period of sixty days from the above date.
By order of JOHN W. SWORDS, President of Board.
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NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

FIFTH DISTRICT, PARISH OF ORLEANS, Right Bank, August 1, 1870.

AGREEABLY TO SECTION 48 OF AN "ACT ENTITLED an act to provide revenue for the support of the State of Louisiana, and the manner of collecting the same," approved, March 16, 1870:

Notice is hereby given to all tax payers of the parish of Orleans (Fifth District), that the assessment roll is now opened to the public for examination at Fifth Justice Court, Villere street, Algiers, and will so remain until the first day of September, 1870. The undersigned will be in attendance during said period, Sundays excepted, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M., and in readiness to correct all erroneous assessments.
O. PILMAN, State Assessor.
E. J. BRUNET, Board of Assessors.
E. McCARTHY, Fifth Justice of the Peace.
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PROPOSALS.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Office Board of Public Works, New Orleans, August 19, 1870.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office until the tenth day of September, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., for the building of the following named Levees, to wit:

MISSISSIPPI RIVER.

PARISH.	LEVEE.
Carroll	Ashton.
Carroll	Longwood.
Carroll	Stamboul.
Carroll	Transylvania.
Carroll	Wilton.
Carroll	Goodrich.
Carroll	Bell.
Madison	Milliken's Bend.
Madison	Lowry.
Madison	Briggs.
Madison	Diamond Island.
Tensas	Wilson.
Tensas	Hardtimes.
Tensas	Dishanon.
Tensas	Elliott.
Concordia	Green.
Concordia	Union Point.
Concordia	Kimbal's Bayou
Pointe Coupee	Red River Landing.
Pointe Coupee	Raccourci.
Pointe Coupee	New Texas.
Pointe Coupee	Grand.
Pointe Coupee	Cooley.
West Baton Rouge	Point Manoir.
West Baton Rouge	Chinn & Robinson.
West Baton Rouge	Brady.
West Baton Rouge	Brusle Landing.
West Baton Rouge	Levesque.
West Baton Rouge	Allain.
Iberville	Plaquemine.
Iberville	Woods.
Iberville	Laws.
Iberville	Hebert.
Iberville	Beatty.
Iberville	Point Pleasant.
Iberville	Guitteau.
Iberville	Hall.
Iberville	Stone.
Iberville	Point Clear.
Iberville	Camp.
Ascension	Duffel.
Ascension	Landry.
Ascension	Port Barrow.
Ascension	Point Houmas.
Ascension	Padesclaux.
St. James	Gannier.
St. James	Cantrell.
St. James	Magnolia.
St. James	Parish Line.
St. John	Laurent.
St. John	Deslond.
St. Charles	Labranche.
St. Charles	Duppasseur.
St. Charles	Hermitage.
St. Charles	Oxlves.
St. Charles	Soniat.
St. Charles	Sarpy.
Jefferson	Company Canal.
Jefferson	Kenner.
St. Bernard	Battle Ground.
St. Bernard	Davidson.
Plaquemines	Kernechan.
Plaquemines	Court House.
Plaquemines	Belle Air.
Plaquemines	Hailey.
Plaquemines	Lesseps.
Plaquemines	Huntington.

ATCHAFALAYA RIVER—LEFT BANK.

Pointe Coupee	North & Smith.
Pointe Coupee	Bayou Marine.
Pointe Coupee	Stark's Bayou.

ATCHAFALAYA RIVER—RIGHT BANK.

Avoyelles	Turner's Bayou.
Avoyelles	Harvey's Bayou.
St. Landry	Bayou Rouge.
St. Landry	Garrett.
St. Landry	Crawford.

RED RIVER.

Natchitoches	Chemanibo.
Caddo	Pascagoula.
Caddo	Hurricane Bluff.
De Soto	Honey Bayou.

These levees will be constructed in accordance with plans and specifications to be seen in the Chief Engineer's office, the same to be increased or decreased at the option of the Board.

Bidders will give satisfactory evidence of their responsibility and ability to do the work, as the usual bonds will be required.

Parties to whom contracts may be awarded must complete the work by a stated time, or forfeit their claims against the Board and State.

Proposals must be addressed to the undersigned, and each levee bid for indorsed on the envelop containing the bid.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved by the Board.

Other information will be given at the office of the Board before date of opening proposals.

Bidders are invited to be present at the opening.
By order.
R. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.
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CANCELLATION OF BOND.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Executive Department, New Orleans, August 25, 1870.

WHEREAS, APPLICATION HAS BEEN MADE TO me for the cancellation of the official bond of L. T. Delassize, as Register of Conveyances in and for the parish of Orleans, to wit: A bond dated May 13, 1869, in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000), signed by L. T. Delassize as principal, in the full sum of fifteen thousand dollars, and D. B. Macarty and B. F. Joubert, as securities, in the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7500) each, the said bond being conditioned for the faithful performance by the said L. T. Delassize of his duties as Register of Conveyances 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-fifth day of August, 1870 and of the Independence of the United States the ninety-fifth.

By the Governor:
H. C. WARMOTH.
GEO. E. BOVEE, Secretary of State. au30 30t

CANCELLATION OF BOND.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Executive Department, New Orleans, August 5, 1870.

WHEREAS, APPLICATION HAS BEEN MADE TO me to cancel the official bond of C. Dillingham as Register of Conveyances for the parish of Orleans, to wit: A bond dated the twenty-second of August, 1867, for the sum of fifteen thousand dollars, signed by C. Dillingham, as principal, and James E. Zuntz and L. Madison Day, as securities, each in the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars, the said bond being for the faithful performance by the said C. Dillingham of his duties as Register aforesaid.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said bond to show cause in writing at the office of the Secretary of State, within ninety days after the last publication hereof why the said bond should not be canceled and annulled.

Given under my hand and the seal of State as above, and of the Independence of the United States the ninety-third.

By the Governor:
H. C. WARMOTH.
GEO. E. BOVEE, Secretary of State. au6 30t

PROPOSALS FOR LUMBER AND SHINGLES AT FORT DAVIS, TEXAS.

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, Department of Texas, Austin, Texas, August 12, 1870.

SEALED PROPOSALS IN TRIPLICATE WILL BE received at this office until MONDAY, September 26, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., for (50,000) fifty thousand feet of common pine lumber, and one hundred thousand (100,000) shingles, to be delivered at Fort Davis, Texas.

The lumber and shingles to be sound and of good quality, and subject to rigid inspection by the Receiving officer. Delivery to begin as soon as practicable after notification of award. The whole amount to be delivered within (60) sixty days from notification of award.

Payment will be made upon completion of delivery.

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

Each bid must be accompanied by a guarantee of at least two responsible persons (whose responsibility must be certified by a Clerk of a Court of Record) that the bidder is competent to carry out the contract if awarded to him, and the residence and postoffice address of each bidder and guarantor must be stated. No bid entertained unless conforming to these requirements.

Proposals must be plainly indorsed "Proposals for lumber and shingles, at Fort Davis, Texas," and addressed to the undersigned.

By order of Colonel Reynolds, Department Commander.
JAMES A. EKIN, Deputy Quartermaster General, Chief Quartermaster. au26 6t

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS, Sixth Division, New Orleans, La., September 3, 1870.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF CONTEMPLATED REPAIRS of the Public School Buildings by the City Council, the commencement of the annual session, is postponed until further notice.
J. B. CARTER, Superintendent.
N. T. KENDALL, Secretary Board of Directors.
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STATEMENT.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE EXACT AMOUNT of money existing in the State Treasury on the thirty-first day of August, 1870, inclusive:

General Fund	$2 90	$1,590
Current School Fund	275,459 51	
Interest Tax Fund	73,811 32	
Levee Tax fund		
Levee and Drainage Fund	6,471 63	
Seminary Fund	150 00	
Free School Fund		
Internal Improvement Fund	857 06	
Levee Fund	145 54	
Redemption of State Debt Fund	4,950 00	
Convention Tax	61 71	
Redemption of State Debt Fund, under act No. 114, of 1868	24 88	10,225
Floating Debt Liquidation Fund	9 55	
	$361,943 80	
Less amount overdrawn in Levee Tax Fund	14,272 03	
Total	$347,671 77	$11,715

We, the undersigned, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is true and correct in all respects.

JAMES GRAHAM, Auditor.
ANTOINE DUBUCLET, State Treasurer.

Sworn to and subscribed this second day of September, 1870, before me.
JOHN P. MONTAMAT, Third Justice of the Peace.
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GOVERNMENT SALE.

WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION, ON TUESDAY, October 4, 1870, at Old Garrison Grounds, Vicksburg, Mississippi—

THE PUBLIC BUILDINGS, known as Barracks, Officers' Quarters, Hospital Buildings, Kitchens, Laundress' Quarters, etc.

Also, at same time and place, a large amount of condemned government property, consisting in part of—

8 Army Wagons, 1 four-wheeled Dray, 12 Dump Carts, 75 single sets of harness, 26 Stoves, 1 Ambulance, 1 Hearse and Wheels, unfinished; 65 Spades, 669 Grain Sacks, Carpenters' Tools, two sets; Blacksmiths' Tools, three sets; Saddlers' Tools, two sets, etc. Paints, Oils, of various kinds; Horse and Mule Shoes and Shoe