Orange and lemon peel, not preserved candied, or otherwise prepared.
Orchill, or archill, in the weed or liquid.
Palm nuts and palm-nut kernels.
Palm and cocoa-nut oil.
Paintings, statuary, fountains, and other works of art, the production of American artists: Provided, That the fact of such production be verified by the certificate of any consul or minister of the United States indorsed upon the written declaration of the artist: And provided further, That all paintings, statuary, fountains, and other works of art, the production and property of an American artist, now held for payment of duties in any customhouse of the United States, shall be surrendered to such artist without payment of duties or charge, upon his affidavit filed in the department of the Secretary of the Treasury that the same are the production of such artist.
Paintings, statuary, fountains, and other works of art, imported expressly for presentation to national institutions or to any State, or to any municipal corporation.
Philosophical and scientific apparatus, instruments, and preparations, statuary, casts of marble, bronze, alabaster, or plaster of Paris, paintings, drawings and etchings, specially imported in good faith, for the use of any society or institution incorporated or established for philosophical, educational, scientific or literary purposes, or encouragement of the fine arts, and not intended for sale.
Household effects of persons and families returning or emigrating from foreign countries, which have been in actual use abroad by them, and not intended for any other person or persons or for sale, not exceeding the value of five hundred dollars.
Phosphates, crude or native, for fertilizing purposes.
Plants, trees, shrubs, roots, seed-cane and seeds imported by the Department of Agriculture, or the United States Botanic Garden.
Platinum vases or retorts for chemical uses, or parts thereof.
Potassa, muriate of.
Quassia wood.
Rags, of cotton, linen, jute and hemp, and paper waste, or waste or clippings of any kind fit only for the manufacture of paper, including waste rope and waste bagging.
Rhubarb.
Rosins, crude, not otherwise provided for.
Rose leaves.
Saffron and safflower.
Sarsaparilla, crude.
Seaweed, not otherwise provided for.
Scammony, or resin of scammony.
Sandal wood.
Seeds: cardamon, caraway, coriander, fenugreek, fennel, cummin, and other seeds not otherwise provided for.
Senna, in leaves.
Shells of every description, not manufactured.
Shrimps, or other shell fish.
Skeletons, and other preparations of anatomy.
Silkworm eggs.
Specimens of natural history, botany, and mineralogy, when imported for cabinets as objects of taste or science, and not for sale.
Squills, or silla.
Sweepings of silver or gold.
Tapioca, cassava, or cassada.
Tea plants.
Turtles.
Verdigris, or subacetate of copper.
Wood ashes, and lye of, and beet-root ashes.
Woods, viz; poplar, or other woods for the manufacture of paper.
Worm seed, Levant.
Xylonite, or Xylotile.

SEC. 23. And be it further enacted, That for the term of two years from and after the passage of this act, and no longer, machinery and apparatus designed only for, and adapted to be used for, steam-towage on canals, and not now manufactured in the United States, may be imported by any State, or by any person duly authorized by the legislature of any State, free of duty, subject to such regulations as may be prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury. And also that for the term of two years from and after the passage of this act, and no longer, steam-plow machinery, adapted to the cultivation of the soil, may be imported by any person for his own use, free of duty, subject to such regulations of the Secretary of the Treasury as before provided.

SEC. 24. And be it further enacted, That the word "saltpetre," as used in section seven of the act of March three, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, allowing drawback of duty on foreign saltpetre manufactured into gunpowder in the United States, and exported therefrom, shall be construed to mean the element of nitre so used, whether it be it the nitrate of potash or nitrate of soda.

SEC. 25. And be it further enacted, That section fifteen of the act approved July fourteen, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, entitled "An act increasing, temporarily, the duties on imports, and for other purposes," and section four of the act in amendment thereof, approved March three, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, be, and the same are hereby, so amended, that no ship, vessel, steamer, boat, barge or flat belonging to any citizen of the United States, trading from one port or point within the United States, to another port or point within the United States, or employed in the bank, whale or other fisheries, shall hereafter be subject to the tonnage tax or duty provided for in said acts; and the proviso in section one hundred and three of the "Act to provide internal revenue to support the government and to pay the interest on the public debt, and for other purposes," approved June thirty, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, requiring an annual special tax to be paid by boats, barges, and flats, is hereby repealed.

SEC. 26. And be it further enacted, That all imported goods, wares, and merchandise which may be in the public stores or bonded warehouses on the day and year this act shall take effect, shall be subjected to no other duty upon the entry thereof for consumption than if the same were imported respectively after that day; and all goods, wares, and merchandise remaining in bonded warehouses on the day and year this act shall take effect, and upon which the duties shall have been paid, shall be entitled to a refund of the difference between the amount of duties paid and the amount of duties said goods, wares, and merchandise would be subject to if the same were imported respectively after that day.

SEC. 27. And be it further enacted, That all provisions of existing laws whereby any tax or duty is laid upon bequests or devises, or transfers by deed, grant, or gift, made or intended to take effect after the death of the grantor, of any real or personal property, in trust or otherwise, for public uses of a literary, educational or charitable character, or upon any real or personal estate which may become subject to any trust as aforesaid under any past or future disposition, which, if made in favor of an individual, would confer on him a succession, be and the same are hereby repealed, and no taxes heretofore levied thereunder, but not paid, shall be collected.

SEC. 28. And be it further enacted, That in all cases where tobacco is required to be put in wooden packages, as prescribed by section sixty-two of an act entitled "An act imposing taxes on all distilled spirits and tobacco, and for other purposes," approved July twenty, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, it shall be lawful for the Commissioner of Internal Revenue to allow the same to be put up in metallic packages; Provided, That they shall be so constructed with such corrugations for receiving and protecting the revenue stamps as the Commissioner may approve.

SEC. 29. And be it further enacted, That whenever any merchandise, except wine, distilled spirits, and perishable or explosive articles, or articles in bulk, imported at the ports of New York, in the State of New York; Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania; Baltimore, in the State of Maryland; Norfolk, in the State of Virginia; Charleston, in the State of South Carolina; Savannah, in the State of Georgia; New Orleans, in the State of Louisiana; Portland, in the State of Maine; Buffalo, in the State of New York; Chicago, in the State of Illinois; Cincinnati, in the State of Ohio; St. Louis, in the State of Missouri; Evansville, in the State of Indiana; Milwaukee, in the State of Wisconsin; Louisville, in the State of Kentucky; Cleveland, in the State of Ohio; San Francisco, in the State of California; Portland, in the State of Oregon; Memphis, in the State of Tennessee; and Mobile, in the State of Alabama; and to importations from or to Europe, and from or to Asia, or the islands adjacent thereto, via the United States.

SEC. 36. And be it further enacted, That at each of said ports, for which an appraiser of imported merchandise is not now provided for by law, there shall be appointed an appraiser of imported merchandise, at a salary of three thousand dollars per annum, and also such number of weighers, gangers, measurers, and inspectors as may be necessary to execute the provisions of this act, who shall receive the ordinary legal compensation of such officers.

SEC. 37. And be it further enacted, That any person maliciously opening, breaking, or entering, by any means whatever, any car, vessel, vehicle, warehouse, or package containing any such merchandise delivered for transportation as aforesaid, removing, injuring, breaking, or defacing any lock or seal placed upon such car, vessel, vehicle, warehouse, or package, or aiding, abetting, or encouraging any other person or persons so to remove, break, injure, or deface such locks or seals, or to open, break, or enter such car, vessel, or vehicle, with intent to remove or cause to be removed unlawfully, any merchandise therein, or in any manner to injure or defraud the United States; and any person receiving any merchandise unlawfully removed from any such car, vessel, or vehicle, knowing it to have been so unlawfully removed, shall be guilty of felony, and in addition to any penalties heretofore prescribed, shall, on conviction, be imprisoned not less than six months nor more than two years; and any person swearing willfully false in any oath prescribed in this act, or by the Secretary of the Treasury in pursuance of authority to make all needful regulations conferred upon him by this act, shall be guilty of willful and corrupt perjury.

SEC. 38. And be it further enacted, That sections twenty-nine, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five, thirty-six, and thirty-seven of this act shall take effect on the first day of October, eighteen hundred and seventy.

Approved, July 14, 1870.

[PUBLIC—No. 194.]

AN ACT donating for school purposes a certain lot of land with the building thereon erected, known as the Old Indian Dormitory, in the village of Mackinac, Michigan.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to grant and convey to the trustees of the public schools for the village of Mackinac, Michigan, all the right, title, and interest of the United States in and to a certain inclosed lot of land with the building thereon erected, known as the Old Indian Dormitory, situate in the said village of Mackinac, to be used for school purposes only. And whenever the same shall be converted to other uses, it shall revert to the United States.

Approved, July 15, 1870.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

W. Van Norden & Co. vs. Emley & Co.—Fifth District Court for the parish of Orleans, No. 1480.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS to me directed by the Honorable the Fifth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on WEDNESDAY, October 19, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

Fifty SHARES, of $100 each, of the Capital Stock of the New Orleans Insurance Association, subscribed for by Emley & Co.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS L. MAXWELL,
oct6 13 19 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

Merchants' Bank of New Orleans vs. Alfred Kearny—Fifth District Court for the parish of Orleans, No. 1818.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF SEIZURE AND SALE to me directed by the Honorable the Fifth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on WEDNESDAY, October 19, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

1. A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, situated in the suburb Annunciation, First District of this city of New Orleans, designated by the number one, in square sixty-five, bounded by Coliseum, Polymnia, Prytania and Urania streets, on a plan made by B. Buisson, surveyor, on the eighth of November, 1845 and deposited in the office of L. Hermann, late a notary public in this city.

Said lot forming the corner of Prytania and Urania streets, and having, French measure, fifty feet front on Prytania street by one hundred and twenty feet in depth and front on Urania street.

2. ANOTHER LOT OF GROUND, situated in the same district and square, measuring, French measure, twenty-five feet front on Prytania street by one hundred and twenty feet depth, between parallel lines, bounded on one side by the property formerly belonging to B. Florence, and on the other side by property formerly belonging to J. J. Jandet. Together with the buildings and improvements on said lots of ground.

Which said property was acquired by the defendant, Alfred Kearny, as follows, viz: The one first described from W. P. Campbell, by an act executed before A. Boudousquie, late a notary public in this city, on the twelfth of November, 1855, and the one secondly described from L. A. Bright, by an act executed before the same notary, on the second of July, 1855.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS L. MAXWELL,
se17 29 oc19 Sheriff of the parish of Orleans.

City of New Orleans vs. John Cordukes—Fourth District Court for the Parish of Orleans, No. 24,242.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF SEIZURE AND SALE to me directed by the Honorable the Fourth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on MONDAY, October 31, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

ONE CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, situate, lying and being in the Second District of this city, known as batture property, in square No. four A, bounded by Bienville, Conti, Clay and Front streets, designated by the number seven of said square, as a plan made by L. H. Pilie, late city surveyor, dated May 21, 1866, and deposited in the office of W. J. Castell, notary public in this city, measuring one hundred and nineteen feet nine inches and six lines in depth between parallel lines, and twenty-five feet one inch front on Clay and Front streets.

Together with all the rights, ways and advantages thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Being the same property acquired by the defendant by purchase from plaintiffs, per act passed before said notary Castell, on the twenty-fifth of July, 1866.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS L. MAXWELL.
se29 30 oc30 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

Seaman Hopkins, Jr., vs. James B. Redfie—Fifth District Court for the Parish of Orleans, No. 1067.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ALIAS WRIT OF SEIZURE and sale to me directed by the Honorable the Fifth District Court for the Parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, October 29, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, together with the buildings and improvements thereon, all the rights and privileges thereunto belonging, situate in the Fourth District of this city, in the square bounded by Rousseau, Fulton, Second and Third streets, and designated by the number thirteen, on a plan made by Lucien Tassin, late officer of H. B. Cenas, late a notary public in this city. Which said lot measures twenty-five feet two inches front on Third street by a depth of one hundred and twenty-six feet six inches and seven lines, between parallel lines.

Being the same property acquired by the defendant from Andrew Mandel, as per act passed before Joseph R. Winchester, late a notary public in this city, on the twelfth of July, 1867.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS L. MAXWELL,
se27 oc15 29 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

Charles F. Berens vs. Alfred Kearny—Seventh District Court for the Parish of Orleans, No. 7799.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF SEIZURE AND sale to me directed by the honorable the Seventh District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell, at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, November 5, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

SIX CERTAIN LOTS OF GROUND, with the appurtenances, rights, ways, privileges, servitudes and dependencies, situated in the late City of Jefferson, now the Sixth District of the city of New Orleans, designated severally by the numbers six, eight, nine, ten, thirty-one and thirty-two, in square number seventeen, which is bounded by Louisiana avenue, Toledana, Coliseum, late Pimpernine, and Prytania streets, as per plan of Jules T. Brenx, surveyor, annexed to an act of partition passed on the twentieth of April, 1855, before Theodore Guyol, notary public, in this city.

Which lots measure as follows: Lot number six measures thirty-two feet front on Coliseum street, by one hundred and twenty-eight feet in depth. Lots numbers eight, nine and ten measure each thirty-two feet front on Louisiana avenue, by one hundred and twenty-eight feet in depth. And lots numbers thirty-one and thirty-two measure each thirty feet front on Toledano street, by one hundred and sixty feet in depth, the whole being between parallel lines.

Being the same property acquired by the defendant, by purchase from the heirs of J. J. Hanna, per acts passed before P. Charles Cuvellier, notary public in this city, on the ninth June, 1866.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—1. Cash in a sufficient amount to pay plaintiff's claim—say, the sum of sixteen hundred and eighteen dollars and sixty-five cents ($1618 65), with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from the second May, 1868, till the day of sale; eighty dollars and ninety-three cents ($80 93) attorney's fees; twelve dollars ($12) costs of acts and costs of suit. 2. The purchaser to assume to the extent of the amount of his bid the payment of three promissory notes, secured by mortgage on said above described property, drawn by defendant to his own order, and indorsed by himself, dated on the second day of May, 1868, one for the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars ($250), another for the sum of nine hundred and eighteen dollars and seventy-five cents ($918 75), and the last for the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars ($450), payable three years after date, and bearing interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum from date until paid. 3. And the balance of the price of adjudication, if any, cash on the spot.

THOMAS L. MAXWELL.
oc4 16 no5 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

Widow John A. Costanzi vs. Mary Paris—Sixth District Court for the parish of Orleans, No. 1501.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF SEIZURE AND SALE to me directed by the Honorable the Sixth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, October 29, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, together with the buildings thereon and all appurtenances thereunto belonging, situated in the Second District of this city, designated by the number sixteen of square number thirty-two, bounded by St. Peter, Miro and Tonti streets and Carondelet Walk, as per plan number one hundred and forty-two, deposited in the office of Theodore Guyol, notary public in this city, dated the fourteenth June, 1845.

Which lot of ground measures either thirty or thirty-four feet front on St. Peter street, by one hundred feet in depth, English measure.

Being the same property acquired by the defendant by purchase from Miss L. P. Gondran, per act passed before A. Barnett, notary public in this city, dated June 20, 1868.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS L. MAXWELL.
se27 oc15 29 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

Armand Belot vs. L. J. Maillot and Miss L. A. Maillot—Sixth District Court for the Parish of Orleans, No. 20,574.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS against L. J. Maillot, to me directed by the Honorable the Sixth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, November 12, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., all the right, title and interest of the defendant, L. J. Maillot, in and to the following described property, said interest therein being the one undivided third part thereof—

A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, situate in the Second District of this city, in the square bounded by Burgundy, Hospital, Ursulines and Rampart streets, beginning at eighty feet from Hospital street, and measuring, French measure, twenty-two feet front on Burgundy street, by a depth of ninety feet, opening ten inches at the distance of fifty feet from said Burgundy street, on the side line toward Hospital street, and thence having twenty-two feet ten inches wide, until the rear line. The whole according to a plan of Allou D'Hemecourt, late deputy surveyor, on the twenty-ninth May, 1834, and annexed to an act of sale, passed before Henry Paul Caire, late a notary public in this city, on the fifth day of September, 1851, together with all the buildings thereon.

Seized in the above suit.
Term—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS L. MAXWELL,
oc11 25 no12 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Wiltz vs. Widow de St. Romes.

Mrs. Widow De St. Romes vs. Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Wiltz—Seventh District Court for the parish of Orleans, Nos. 1409 and 1529, (consolidated.)

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS issued on a twelve months' bond, against Louis Florent as principal, and Victor de St. Romes as security, to me directed by the Honorable the Seventh District Court for the Parish of Orleans, in the above entitled causes, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, November 12, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit:

TEN LOTS OF GROUND, situated, lying and being in a certain irregular square of ground, in the Second District of this city, bounded by Main, St. Philippe, Fourth, Fifth and Bellechasse streets. Lots numbers one, two, three, four and five front on Fourth street and extend back to the rear line of lots numbers thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen and seventeen. Lots numbers six, seven and eight front on Bellechasse street, and lots numbers nine and ten front on St. Philippe street; which said five lots last mentioned, extending back to the side line of lots numbers five and eighteen, lot number six forming the corner of Bellechasse and Fourth streets, as per sketch on file in my office.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—cash on the spot.

THOMAS L. MAXWELL.
oc11 25 no12 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

The City of New Orleans vs. Charlotte Williams; same vs. Same—Third District Court for the parish of Orleans, Nos. 4132 and 10,241.

The City of New Orleans vs. Same—Sixth District Court of New Orleans, No. 21,686, now Sixth District Court for the parish of Orleans.

BY VIRTUE OF THREE WRITS OF FIERI FACIAS to me directed respectively by the Honorable the said District Courts for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled causes, and by written consent of Peter Williams, sole heir of defendant herein, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on MONDAY, October 31, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

TWO CERTAIN LOTS OF GROUND, situated, lying and being in the Third District of this city, in the square bounded by Frenchmen, Force, Elysian Fields and Virtue streets, and designated as numbers one and two, as per sketch of J. A. D'Hemecourt, deputy surveyor, dated August 7, 1837, and deposited in the Sheriff's office for reference.

Which said lots adjoin each other, and measure each, as per said sketch, thirty-one feet eleven inches and five lines front on Frenchmen street, by one hundred and twenty-seven feet ten inches and six lines in depth between parallel lines.

Seized in the above suits.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS L. MAXWELL.
se29 oc17 30 Sheriff of the parish of Orleans.

The City of New Orleans vs. Erastus H. Harris—Fourth District Court for the parish of Orleans—No. 22,426.

The City of New Orleans vs. same—Fifth District Court for the parish of Orleans—No. 1271.

BY VIRTUE OF TWO WRITS OF FIERI FACIAS, to me directed by the Honorable the said District Courts for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled causes, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, October 29, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, together with the buildings and improvements thereon, situate in the First District of the city of New Orleans, in the square bounded by Poydras, Magazine, Natchez and Tchoupitoulas streets, designated by the number fourteen (14), on a sketch or survey made by C. A. de Armas, Deputy Surveyor, on the twenty-seventh of April, 1856, and annexed to an act passed before Theodore Guyol, late a notary public in this city, on the twenty-eighth of May, 1856.

Said lot measuring twenty-one feet two inches front on Magazine street, by one hundred and twenty-eight feet eight inches and one line in depth on the side toward Poydras street, one hundred and twenty-nine feet two inches in depth on the other side, and twenty-one feet two inches in width in the rear, American measure.

Being the same property acquired by defendant, by purchase from M. J. de Lizardi, per act passed before the said Theodore Guyol, notary, on the twenty-eighth of May, 1856.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS L. MAXWELL.
se17 30 oc19 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

William B. Sorley (Charles Heath Subrogate) vs. the African Methodist Episcopal Church of the City of New Orleans—Fourth District Court for the parish of Orleans, No. 22,291.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF SEIZURE AND SALE to me directed by the Honorable the Fourth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on MONDAY, October 31, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

TWO LOTS OF GROUND, together with the buildings thereon and appurtenances thereunto belonging, situated in the Second District of this city, designated by the numbers two and three, in square number fifty-one, bounded by Derbigny, Customhouse, Roman and Bienville streets, according to plan made by Pelle, late surveyor, dated first of May, 1840, deposited in the office of D. L. McCoy, late a notary public in this city.

Which lots measure, each, twenty-five feet front on Derbigny street, by one hundred and forty-eight feet six inches deep, in American measure. Being the same property acquired by defendant, by purchase from Henry Perdue, per act passed before Abel Previous, notary public in this city, on the tenth of April, 1867.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS L. MAXWELL.
se30 oc15 30 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

Merchants' Bank of New Orleans vs. Alfred Kearny—Fifth District Court for the Parish of Orleans, No. 1818.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF SEIZURE AND SALE to me directed by the Honorable the Fifth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on MONDAY, October 31, 1870, at 12 o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, together with the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the First District of the city of New Orleans, in the square bounded by Poydras, Magazine, Natchez and Tchoupitoulas streets, designated by the number fourteen (14), on a sketch or survey made by C. A. de Armas, Deputy Surveyor, on the twenty-seventh of April, 1856, and annexed to an act passed before Theodore Guyol, late a notary public in this city, on the twenty-eighth of May, 1856.

Said lot measuring twenty-one feet two inches front on Magazine street, by one hundred and twenty-eight feet eight inches and one line in depth on the side toward Poydras street, one hundred and twenty-nine feet two inches in depth on the other side, and twenty-one feet two inches in width in the rear, American measure.

Being the same property acquired by defendant, by purchase from M. J. de Lizardi, per act passed before the said Theodore Guyol, notary, on the twenty-eighth of May, 1856.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS L. MAXWELL.
se17 30 oc19 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

CONSTABLE'S SALES.

James Gorings vs. Samuel Anderson—Fifth Justice Court for the parish of Orleans, No. 5162.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF SEIZURE AND SALE to me directed by the Hon. Eugene McCarthy, Judge of the Fifth Justice Court for the parish of Orleans, I will proceed to sell, at public auction, on TUESDAY, October 25, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., at the Courthouse, corner of Villere and Bartholomew streets, in the Fifth District of this city (late Algiers)—

ONE LOT OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, as per inventory on file at my office.

Seized in the above entitled suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot in United States currency.

By order of the court.
oc18 21 25 P. BETHANCOURT, Constable.

George Frank vs. George Zimmer and wife, Sixth Justice's Court—No.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS TO me directed by the Honorable Thomas S. Collins, Sixth Justice of the Peace, in and for the parish of Orleans, I will proceed to sell at auction, on THURSDAY, October 20, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., at my warehouse, No. 139 Julia, Mary street—

ONE LOT OF FURNITURE.

Seized in the above suit, as per inventory on file.
Terms—Cash.

oc12 19 20 E. A. CLARK, Constable.

F. Shonakas vs. John Bradley—First Justice Court, parish of Orleans, No. 6272.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS TO me directed by the Hon. George W. Sadler, First Justice of the Peace in and for the parish of Orleans, I will proceed to sell at public auction on SATURDAY, October 22, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., at my warehouse, No. 139 Julia street, near Camp street—

One lot of Household FURNITURE and effects, as per inventory on file at my office.

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

A. A. PLATTSMIER,
oc15 19 22 Constable.

J. Perat vs. The Lycee Club, Represented by its President—Third Justice of the Peace parish of Orleans, No. 9029.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS TO ME directed by the Honorable John P. Montamat, Third Justice of the Peace in and for the parish of Orleans, in the above suit, I will proceed on SATURDAY, October 22, at twelve o'clock M., at the corner of St. Ann and Burgundy streets, to sell the following described property, to wit—

The CONTENTS OF THE LYCEE CLUB.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

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James O'Hara vs. Charles F. Guion—First Justice Court, parish of Orleans.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS TO me directed by the honorable George W. Sadler, First Justice of the Peace in and for the parish of Orleans, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, October 22, 1870, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, together with all its dependencies and appurtenances, rights, ways, privileges or servitudes thereunto attached or in any wise appertaining, situate in the Second District of this city, in the square bounded by St. Louis, Canal Carondelet, Poydras and Johnson streets, designated as lot No. 4, and measuring thirty-four feet front on St. Louis street, by a depth of one hundred and thirty-five feet and seven inches on one side, and one hundred and thirty-eight feet on the other side, the rear line measuring thirty-four feet and six and one-quarter inches.

Being the same property acquired by the defendant herein by purchase at auction sale, by Oscar Valeton, from the succession of the late Alfred Guion, Fanny Blackburn, his wife, and Randolph Guion, their son, in conformity to an order of the Honorable the Second District Court, parish of Orleans, in the matter of said succession, dated March 31, 1869, and said sale is witnessed by notarial act, passed before Octave De Armas, notary public in this city, dated tenth day of June, 1869.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

A. A. PLATTSMIER
se16 Constable.

RECANTATION NOTICES.

Recantation of Joel W. Burnum—No. 500.

I, JOEL W. BURNUM, A RESIDENT OF THE parish of Winn, having been disfranchised by the provisions of article ninety-nine of the constitution of this State, in consequence of having held a civil office for one year or more under the organization styled the Confederate States of America, do hereby voluntarily certify that I acknowledge the rebellion to have been morally and politically wrong, and that I regret any aid or comfort I may have given it.

[Signed] JOEL W. BURNUM.

Recantation of J. A. Lanata—No. 501.

I, J. A. LANATA, A RESIDENT OF THE parish of Orleans, having been disfranchised by the provisions of article ninety-nine of the constitution of this State, in consequence of having registered myself as an enemy of the United States, do hereby voluntarily certify that I acknowledge the rebellion to have been morally and politically wrong, and that I regret any aid or comfort I may have given it.

[Signed] J. A. LANATA.

Recantation of Joseph P. Devron—No. 502.

I, JOSEPH P. DEVRON, A RESIDENT OF THE parish of Orleans, having been disfranchised by the provisions of article ninety-nine of the constitution of this State, in consequence of having registered myself as an enemy of the United States, do hereby voluntarily certify that I acknowledge the rebellion to have been morally and politically wrong, and that I regret any aid or comfort I may have given it.

[Signed] JOSEPH P. DEVRON.

Recantation of Francis De Gruy—No. 503.

I, FRANCIS DE GRUY, A RESIDENT OF THE parish of Orleans, having been disfranchised by the provisions of article ninety-nine of the constitution of this State, in consequence of having registered myself as an enemy of the United States, do hereby voluntarily certify that I acknowledge the rebellion to have been morally and politically wrong, and that I regret any aid or comfort I may have given it.

[Signed] FRANCIS DE GRUY.

CORPORATIONS.

CHARTER.....CHARTER.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, City of New Orleans. } ss.

Be it known that on this first day of August, A. D., eighteen hundred and seventy, before me, Joseph Colin, a notary public for this parish and city of New Orleans, duly commissioned and qualified, and in presence of the witnesses hereinafter named and undersigned, personally came and appeared the parties whose names are hereto subscribed, who declare that, availing themselves of an act of the Legislature of this State, entitled "An act for the organization of corporations for works of public improvement and utility," approved on the fourteenth of March, 1855, they do by these presents bind themselves, and those whom they represent, as well as those who may hereafter become members, to form a body corporate for the objects and purposes, and under the stipulations following:

ARTICLE I.

The name and style of this corporation shall be "Cosmopolitan Mutual Aid Life Insurance Association, of New Orleans."

ARTICLE II.

This Corporation shall be located and have its domicil in the city of New Orleans. It shall exist for a term of twenty-five years from the date of this charter. All legal process shall be served on the President or the acting President thereof, and the property of this Association shall at no time exceed the sum of three hundred thousand dollars.

ARTICLE III.

The object of this association shall be to contract for the insurance of life, to issue policies for life insurance, and to do all acts relative to that kind of insurance in accordance with the terms and provisions hereinafter specified. They shall have the right to reinsure, and when the number of subscribers shall reach two hundred and fifty the Association shall commence operations, make contracts, sue and be sued, own, purchase, receive by donation, sell property, movable and immovable, and shall have and use a corporate seal.

ARTICLE IV.

All administrative power shall be vested in nine teen directors, of whom seven shall form a quorum, and such other officers and clerks as they may appoint; the directors shall hold their office for the term of one year. The following persons shall constitute the first Board of Directors, and shall hold office for one year from the date of this charter: Alexander Marks, A. Mayer Bader, M. M. Block, R. M. Montgomery, Isaac Levi, Jules Cassard, Simon Block, S. Leopold, M. Stern, L. B. Cain, F. Hollander, Simon Haber, Theo. Berckson, Leon Haas, Pierre Klopman, Alexander Shlenker, A. Bonnecaze, M. L. Navara and Leon Godchaux. In the event of a vacancy in the Board of Directors, such vacancy for the remainder of the term shall be filled by the election of another person by the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall, at their first meeting, elect a President, a Vice President and a Treasurer for the term they themselves have been elected. They shall also elect a secretary, who shall hold his office during good behavior, and such other officers as may be necessary to carry on the business of the association. The President shall preside at all the meetings of the Board of Directors and at the meetings of the policy holders of the association, and shall conduct the business of the association generally, under the direction of the Board of Directors. The Vice President shall preside at the meetings aforesaid in the absence of the President, and shall perform all the duties devolving on the President. The Treasurer shall, before entering upon the discharge of his duties, give bond and security for a sum designated by said Board of Directors for the faithful discharge of his duties, said bond to be approved by said Board of Directors, and which bond may be increased in amount whenever the Board of Directors may deem it requisite.

ARTICLE V.

This association shall be composed of two classes of policy holders, each separate and distinct from the other, and shall be designated as policy holders of the first class and policy holders of the second class. Females may also become policy holders in both classes, without the right to vote.

ARTICLE VI.

Every male admitted a member of this association to the class, designated as the first class, shall pay into the treasury, between the ages of sixteen and thirty years (inclusive), the sum of ten dollars; over the age of thirty years and up to the age of forty years, the sum of fifteen dollars; over the age of forty years and up to the age of fifty years, the sum of twenty dollars; over the age of fifty years and up to the age of sixty years, the sum of thirty dollars. No male can be insured after said age of sixty years; every female admitted into the first class, shall pay into the treasury the sum of five dollars additional over the previous mentioned rates, and no female shall be admitted into this class over the age of fifty years.

ARTICLE VII.

Each person admitted a member of the association to the class designated as the second class, shall pay into the treasury, between the ages of sixteen to thirty-five years, the sum of thirty dollars; over thirty-five years and up to fifty years, the sum of forty dollars; after which age no person shall be admitted into this class. Applicants residing in the city must have resided so three full years previous to their application. Females over forty-five years shall not be admitted to membership of the second class. The aforesaid sums of money, when paid, shall entitle the policy holder of the first class to a sum equal to one dollar for each enrolled member, and the policy holder of the second class to a sum equal to two dollars for each enrolled member, payable to his or her legal representative or assigns within sixty days after the receipt of certified evidence of death of the policy holder, but in no case shall the amount paid on said policy exceed the sum of five thousand dollars.

Whenever the number of members shall exceed five thousand in the first class, and one thousand in the second class, the contribution of all members exceeding the above shall be set apart in each class as a separate fund, and on the decease of any policy holder thereafter, and as long as said contributions so exceed, the excess shall be appropriated pro rata for the purpose of diminishing such contribution assessments, and said diminution shall be the same for each and every member of the association. On the notification of the death of any policy holder to the officers of the association, accompanied with a certificate indorsed by the attending doctor, or jury of inquest, an assessment shall be made upon each policy holder of the first class, in case said death occurs in said class, of a sum not to exceed one dollar and twenty-five cents, and on every policy holder of the second class, in case said death occurs in said class, of a sum not to exceed five dollars and fifty cents, which sums shall be payable at the office of the association within thirty days after notification. The failure to pay an assessment within the above stated time shall be a forfeiture of his or her policy, and the name shall be erased from the books of the association, unless good and sufficient reasons are given, to be decided on by the Board of Directors within twenty days thereafter, and the arrears paid into the treasury. Any policy holder who has forfeited his policy on the above grounds, shall be debarred of all benefits arising from the previous subscription, but shall not be prevented from applying for a new policy by a subscription as a new member. All applications for membership must be made to the Board of Directors in writing, stating name, age, residence, occupation; and any false statement that shall come to the knowledge of the Board of Directors after the issue of the policy shall annul said policy.

Applications shall not be received unless accompanied with a certificate of a respect