Republican, the expense thereof to be paid out of the contingent fund of the House.

Mr. Kenner, of Orleans, moved to amend by including the following popular newspapers:

The Days' Doings, Police Gazette, Rapides Gazette, New York Ledger, New Orleans Bee, New Orleans Times, New Orleans Bulletin, New Orleans Picayune, Brick Pomeroy's Democrat, Petroleum V. Nasby's Eclectic Weekly, Victoria Woodhull's Woman's Rights Advocate, and the Atlantic Monthly.

Mr. Burch moved that the amendments and resolution be laid upon the table.

Carried.

Mr. Matthews, of Tensas, offered the following resolution, which was read and laid upon the table:

WHEREAS, In various portions of this country an earnest endeavor is being made toward recognizing the right of female suffrage, with a view to the better protection of their civil rights; and

Whereas, Congress has alteady practically recognized this right by confirming females as United States officers; therefore, be it

Resolved, That a special committee of five be appointed by the Speaker to take into consideration the advisability of an amendment to the constitution of the State of Louisiana, granting to females the right to vote and hold office under certain circumstances, said committee to report as soon as practicable, by bill or otherwise.

[Mr. Matthews, of Tensas, in the chair.]

According to notice, Mr. Kenner, of Orleans, moved a reconsideration of the vote whereby further consideration of House bill No. 145, an act for the relief of the Police Jury of the parish of Jefferson, right bank, was indefinitely postponed.

Carried, and the bill was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Upon motion of Mr. Dewees, of DeSoto, the special order of the day was postponed until Monday at two o'clock.

Mr. Woods, of Tangipahoa, presented the following communication which was ordered spread upon the journal:

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

GENTLEMEN—In behalf and in justice to C. Q. Butler, a member of the late Committee on Contingent Expenses, I have to say that his name did not appear to any voucher issued by said committee, which came into possession of the special committee appointed to examine the books of said contingent expense committee.

Yours, very respectfully,
J. B. WANDS, Chairman.

SPECIAL ORDER OF THE DAY.

Substitute for House bill No. 71, an act authorizing a geological and mineralogical survey of the State, the appointment of a State geologist, and prescribing his duties and salary, having been made the special order for this day at one o'clock, was taken up and read.

Upon motion of Mr. Carr, of De Soto, further consideration of the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carr, of De Soto, moved a reconsideration of the vote just taken, and to lay that motion on the table.

Carried.

Mr. Carr, of De Soto, moved that Senate bills on their first reading be taken up and considered.

Carried.

SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING.

The following bills were placed on their first and second readings, under a suspension of the constitutional rule, and referred to their appropriate committees:

Senate bill No. 126, an act to amend and re-enact article 3165 of the Revised Civil Code.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate bill No. 153, an act to provide for the cleaning out of Bayou Portage and Bayou Mayer and digging a canal from Bayou Mayer to Bayou Yokely, for the purpose of securing better drainage to a large portion of the parish of St. Mary, and to grant the aid of the State thereto.

Referred to Committee on Canals and Drainage.

Senate bill No. 103, an act for the relief of the estate of Louis Surgi, deceased.

Referred to Committee on Claims.

Senate bill No. 106, an act to incorporate the city of Shreveport, define its limits, and to provide for its better police and municipal government.

Referred to delegation of Caddo and Bossier.

Senate bill No. 148, an act to provide for the recusation by the defendants in suits filed in the Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth district courts for the parish of Orleans, and providing the duties of clerks in such cases.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate bill No. 187, an act to amend an act entitled "an act to remove obstructions in the Bayou Courtableau, and to improve the navigation of the same," approved March 28, 1867.

Referred to committee of the whole.

Senate bill No. 130, an act to amend and re-enact articles 2705, 2706 and 2707 of the Revised Civil Code of Louisiana, and to repeal all laws conflicting with this act.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate bill No. 26, an act to provide for the interests of commerce by establishing the Louisiana Warehouse Company, and guaranteeing the bonds thereof.

Referred to committee of the whole.

Senate bill No. 83, an act to amend the laws for the government and regulation of the banks of the State.

Senate bill No. 117, an act to correct typographical errors in the Revised Civil Code.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Substitute for Senate bill No. 18, an act relative to bonds in cases of attachments, sequestration, provisional seizure and injunctions, and to amend and re-enact article 2085 of the Revised Civil Code.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate bill No. 178, an act to fix the time of holding the terms of the District Court in the parish of Winn.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate bill No. 112, an act changing the terms of district courts in the parish of Bossier.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Substitute for Senate bill No. 1, a joint resolution requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to advocate the passage of any bill that will relieve the citizens of this State of political disabilities.

Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

Senate bill No. 1, an act to establish a steam ferry across the Mississippi river at Bayou Sara.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Senate bill No. 24, an act for the relief of the estate of M. Dickson and H. P. Dickson, of the parish of Bossier, of certain assessments for taxes that have been erroneously made.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

Senate bill No. 87, an act to increase the salary of the reporter of the Supreme Court.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Substitute for Senate bill No. 11, an act directing Thomas Markey, tutor of the minors Katie A. Williams, Annie M. and Nellie Murphy, children of James Murphy, deceased, to render an account of his tutorship to the court which appointed him, on the petition of a tutor or guardian to be appointed in the State of New York, and to pay over to said tutor or guardian all the effects of said minors, and on doing so, to be released from his liabilities as tutor, and to authorize the release of the mortgage created by his appointment as tutor.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate bill No. 13, an act to amend and re-enact section 761 of the Revised Statutes, approved March 14, 1870, and providing for the payment of costs in preliminary criminal examinations, and where the party has been acquitted.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate bill No. 28, An act for the relief of the estate of Michael Dickson, to refund certain moneys paid to the State of Louisiana, and to authorize the administrator of said estate to draw a warrant on the State of Louisiana for the same.

Referred to Committee on Claims.

The following Senate bills were taken up and placed upon their first reading:

Under a suspension of the constitutional rule the bills were placed upon their second and third readings, their final passage, and notices of concurrence were ordered to be sent to the Senate.

Senate bill No. 55, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Young Veterans of 1862-65 Benevolent and Mutual Aid Association of New Orleans, Louisiana.

Senate bill No. 89, a bill to be entitled an act giving consent of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana to the purchase by the United States of lands within this State for public purposes.

Senate bill No. 124, an act granting Mrs. Louisa F. Collins the right of keeping a ferry across the Atchafalaya river.

Senate bill No. 145, an act granting J. J. Warren and F. W. Crawford, of the parish of St. Landry, the right of keeping a ferry across the Atchafalaya river near the mouth of Bayou Rouge, on the road leading from Morganza, in the parish of Pointe Coupee, to Opelousas, in the parish of St. Landry.

Senate bill No. 90, an act entitled an act to provide for the relinquishment to the United States, in certain cases, of title to lands for sites of light stations on the coast and waters of this State.

Senate bill No. 140, an act to authorize Ambrose Lecomte Hertzog to assume the name of Ambrose Hertzog Lecomte.

Senate bill No. 38, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Mrs. Louisa Bourgeois, wife of Thomas Taquira, to mortgage or alienate her dotal property.

Senate bill No. 43, an act to amend an act entitled an act relative to justices of the peace for the parish of Jefferson, approved February 9, 1869, and creating an additional court in the first ward of the parish of Jefferson, and a constable for the same.

Senate bill No. 40, an act creating an additional justice court in the parish of Orleans.

Senate bill No. 17, an act to fix the terms of the District Court in the Fourteenth Judicial District.

Senate bill No. 65, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the change of the name of Louisa Parmly Wood to Louisa Parmly Campbell.

Senate bill No. 25, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of R. Richards, Sr., of St. Landry.

Senate bill No. 21, an act to locate the seat of justice and courthouse in and for the parish of Plaquemines, and to repeal certain acts therein named.

Senate bill No. 67, an act for the relief of F. G. Llorens.

Senate bill No. 2, an act to secure homesteads to actual settlers on the public lands of the State.

Senate bill No. 13, joint resolution granting leave of absence to Thomas Reber, Parish Judge of the parish of Concordia, Louisiana.

Senate bill No. 91, an act to amend and re-enact an act entitled "an act to incorporate Harmony Fire Company No. 1 of the town of Franklin, parish of St. Mary," approved February 28, 1856.

Senate bill No. 131, an act to grant the aid of the State to the Lafourche and Terrebonne Draining and Land Improvement Company.

Senate bill No. 79, an act to fix the salaries of the Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court.

Senate bill No. 137, an act to amend an act entitled "an act to extend the limits of the parish of Orleans, etc.," approved March 16, 1870, and to prescribe additional regulations for the government of the corporation of the city of New Orleans, was read.

The constitutional rule being suspended, the bill was put upon its second reading.

Under a further suspension of the constitutional rule the bill was read a third time by its title.

Upon its final passage the yeas and nays were demanded by Messrs. Kenner and Antoine, of Orleans, with the following result:

Yeas: Abell, Antoine, Barrett, Belot, Bentley, Bickham, Blunt, Bowen, Brewster, Brown, Buchanan, Buckingham, Burch, Carr, Crawford, Darinsburg, Davidson, Davis, Demas, Dewees, Faulkner, Floyd, Gardner, Garstkamp, P. Harper, W. Harper, Hempstead, Johnson, Kearson, Kenner, Kinsella, La Saliniere, Laurent, H. Lott, J. B. Lott, Lynch, Mahoney, Marie, Marvin, Matthews, McCarty, McFarland, Moore, Morphy, Morris, Ong, Oplatek, Otto, Overton, Quinn, Raby, Riley, Ringgold, Smith, Souer, Stanton, Tounoir, Tureaud, Ullman, Verrett, Wands, Washington, of Assumption, Washington, of Concordia, Waters, Wheyland, E. Williams, H. Williams, Wilson, Worrall, Yorke, Young—71.

Nays: Adolphe, Baker, Barker, Barrow, Darby, Fontelieu, Gaddis, Killen, Hyams, Llambias, Meadows, Murray, Pond, Schu-Broussard, Bryan, Chachere, Cochran, macher, Sartain, Stinson, Stevens, Tatman—22.

Mr. Carr, De Soto, moved a reconsideration of the vote whereby Senate bill No. 137 was finally passed, and also moved to lay the motion to reconsider upon the table.

Carried.

House bill No. 131, an act to grant the aid of the State to the Lafourche and Terrebonne Draining and Land Improvement Company, returned from the committee of the whole with a favorable report, was taken up, and placed upon its third reading and final passage.

Upon its final passage, the yeas and nays were demanded by Messrs. Brown, of Ascension, and Ringgold, of Orleans, with the following result:

Yeas: Abell, Adolphe, Antoine, Barrett, Barrow, Belot, Bentley, Bickham, Blunt, Bowen, Broussard, Brown, Buchanan, Buckingham, Burch, Cochran, Crawford, Darby, Darinsburg, Davidson, Davis, Demas, Dewees, Durio, Faulkner, Floyd, Fontelieu, Gaddis, Gardner, P. Harper, W. Harper, Hempstead, Johnson, Kearson, Kenner, Kinsella, La Saliniere, Laurent, Llambias, H. Lott, J. B. Lott, Lynch, Mahoney, Marie, Marvin, Matthews, McCarty, McFarland, Moore, Morphy, Morris, Murray, Ong, Oplatek, Otto, Overton, Quinn, Raby, Riley, Ringgold, Sartain, Schumacher, Smith, Souer, Stanton, Tounoir, Tureaud, Ullman, Verrett, Washington, of Assumption, Washington, of Concordia, Waters, Wheyland, E. Williams, H. Williams, Wilson, Yorke, Young—76.

Nays: Baker, Barker, Bryan, Chachere, Garstkamp, Hyams, Killen, Meadows, Moncure, Pond, Stinson, Tatman, Thompson, Wands, Worrall—15.

The bill was finally passed, its title adopted, and it was ordered to be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Mr. Ringgold, of Orleans, moved for a reconsideration of the vote just taken, and to lay that motion on the table.

Carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The Secretary of the Senate was announced with the following message:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Saturday, February 18, 1871.

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to present to your consideration the following bills:

Senate bill No. 211, an act entitled an act to authorize the Governor of the State of Louisiana to grant leave of absence to State and parish officers.

Senate bill No. 209, an act to ratify and confirm a compromise made between the city of Shreveport and the assigns and representatives of the Shreveport Town Company in relation to property in said city known as the batture property, and to ratify an ordinance of the Mayor and trustees of said city.

Adopted, January 21, 1871.

Senate bill No. 172, an act fixing the time of holding the District Court in the Ninth Judicial District of the State of Louisiana.

Senate bill No. 153, an act to incorporate the Alexandria, Homer and Fulton Railroad Company, and to grant State aid thereto.

Senate bill No. 109, an act amending an act to incorporate the Town of Breaux Bridge in the parish of St. Martin, and to regulate the same.

Senate bill No. 97, to establish an Institution of the Blind, and an Industrial Home for the Blind at Baton Rouge.

Senate bill No. 204, an act to lay out and open a public road from the batture of the Mississippi river to the New Orleans and Chattanooga railroad, at or near the courthouse of the parish of St. Charles.

Senate bill No. 59, an act relative to the liabilities of depositaries.

Senate bill No. 214, an act to incorporate the Lone Star Benevolent Association of the parish of West Feliciana, State of Louisiana.

Senate bill No. 21, an act to incorporate the town of Brashear, in the parish of St. Mary, and to repeal an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Brashear, in the parish of St. Mary, approved March 8, 1869, and all acts amendatory thereto.

Senate bill No. 213, an act to emancipate Paul Luis, minor son of Pauline Lisso.

Senate bill No. 137, an act to amend an act to extend the limits of the parish of Orleans, etc., approved March 16, 1870, and to prescribe additional regulations for the government of the corporation of the city of New Orleans.

Substitute for Senate bills Nos. 82 and 105, an act establishing the Fifteenth and Sixteenth judicial districts, and provide for the time of holding the courts in said districts, etc.

CHARLES H. MERRITT,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Committee on Enrollment, through its chairman, submitted the following reports, which were received and accepted:

COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT,
New Orleans, February 17, 1871.

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Your Committee on Enrollment have the honor to report as correctly engrossed the following bills, to wit:

House bill No. 257, an act to incorporate the St. Paul Methodist Episcopal Church Association, of Shreveport, Louisiana.

House bill No. 163, a joint resolution authorizing and requiring the transfer of David Fisher, J. C. Oliver and Celestine Oliver from the parish of Ascension to the parish of Jefferson.

House bill No. 248, an act authorizing Lastie Vincent to build a drawbridge on the Bayou Vermilion.

House bill No. 220, an act making an appropriation for each representative of newspapers in the Senate and House of Representatives.

House bill No. 245, an act authorizing Peter Snowden to adopt Victoria and Frank Vaughn, children of his wife Mary Jane, before her marriage with said Peter Snowden.

House bill No. 254, an act to protect laborers from being forced to work on the public roads or levees in this State, and providing a punishment for violation of same.

Respectfully,
J. W. QUINN, Chairman.

COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT,
New Orleans, February 17, 1871.

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Your Committee on Enrollment have the honor to report, as correctly enrolled, the following:

House bill No. 10, entitled an act to extend the limits of the corporation of the town of Minden, and to give the corporate authorities thereof the exclusive control of the license and sale of spirituous or intoxicating liquors within said limits, and the disposition of the revenue arising therefrom.

Respectfully,
J. W. QUINN, Chairman.

COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT,
New Orleans, February 19, 1871.

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Your Committee on Enrollment have the honor to report as having been correctly engrossed the following bills, viz:

House bill No. 217, an act to incorporate the town of Harrisonburg, in the parish of Catahoula, and fixing the boundaries of the same.

House bill No. 216, an act to incorporate the city of Monroe, to fix the boundaries, to provide for the government, and create a recorder's court for the same.

House bill No. 251, an act to protect laborers from being forced to work on the public roads or levees in this State, and providing a punishment for violation of same.

House bill No. 229, an act to authorize the Police Jury of the parish of Morehouse to issue the bonds of the parish to the amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars.

House bill No. 42, an act for the relief of W. B. Hyman.

House bill No. 71, an act for the relief of E. North Cullom, of the parish of Avoyelles, and for other purposes.

House bill No. 110, an act for the relief of William Rendel.

House bill No. 131, an act to grant the aid of the State to the Lafourche and Terrebonne Draining and Land Improvement Company.

House bill No. 132, an act to provide for the deepening of the water on the bar existing at Pass-a-l'Outre, at the mouth of the river Mississippi, to remove impediments to navigation at said bar, and to provide for the issuance of bonds of the State of Louisiana in payment therefor; and to create a revenue to meet payment of said bonds and the interest thereon.

House bill No. 144, an act for the relief of Mrs. Felonise Haydell, of the parish of Jefferson, right bank.

House bill No. 164, an act for the improvement of the navigation of the river Tchefuncta and Bogue Falia.

House bill No. 165, an act for the improvement of the navigation of Bayou Lacombe.

House bill No. 169, an act for the relief of the heirs of the late J. H. Wisner, Sheriff of Ouachita parish, and for the relief of his deputy, Henry G. Dobson.

House bill No. 179, an act for the relief of Mrs. P. J. Normand and for other purposes.

House bill No. 29, an act to create the parish of Webster and providing for the complete organization thereof.

House bill No. 207, an act to amend an act entitled "an act to incorporate the town of Mansfield, in the parish of DeSoto, approved April 14, 1847."

House bill No. 91, an act to aid and facilitate the Land Improvement Company.

Respectfully,
J. W. QUINN, Chairman.

The Committee on Canals and Drainage submitted the following report, which was read and received:

COMMITTEE ON CANALS AND DRAINAGE,
New Orleans, February 17, 1871.

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

GENTLEMEN—Your standing Committee on Canals and Drainage, having carefully examined House bill No. 186, to incorporate the Draining Company of New Orleans, etc., respectfully report favorably on the same, and recommend its passage, with the amendments as noted.

ISAAC ULLMAN,
Chairman;
F. SCHUMACHER,
W. C. KINSELLA,
CHARLES J. BARKER,
C. F. HUSTON,
W. D. FLOYD,
J. W. QUINN.

Mr. Carr, of De Soto, moved to lay the report and accompanying bill upon the table subject to call, and being seconded by Mr. Hempstead, of Iberville, demanded the yeas and nays thereon, which resulted as follows:

Yeas: Carr, Marvin, Matthews, Murray, Otto—5.

Nays: Abell, Adolphe, Antoine, Baker, Barker, Barrett, Barrow, Belot, Bentley, Bickham, Blunt, Bowen, Broussard, Brown, Bryan, Buchanan, Burch, Butler, Cochran, Crawford, Darby, Darinsburg, Demas, Faulkner, Floyd, Fontelieu, Gaddis, Gardner, Garstkamp, P. Harper, W. Harper, Hempstead, Hyams, Johnson, Kearson, Kenner, Killen, Kinsella, La Saliniere, Laurent, Llambias, H. Lott, J. B. Lott, Lynch, Mahoney, McCarty, McFarland, Meadows, Moncure, Moore, Morphy, Morris, Ong, Oplatek, Overton, Quinn, Raby, Riley, Ringgold, Sartain, Schumacher, Smith, Souer, Stanton, Stevens, Stinson, Tatman, Thompson, Tounoir, Tureaud, Ullman, Verrett, Wands, Washington, of Assumption, Washington, of Concordia, Waters, Wheyland, E. Williams, H. Williams, Wilson, Worrall, Yorke, Young—83.

And the motion to lay on the table subject to call was lost.

The report of the committee was then adopted.

Mr. Yorke, of Carroll, moved that House bill No. 186, an act to incorporate the Drainage Company of New Orleans, to provide for the drainage of New Orleans and the neighboring parishes, to make a protection levee from the land excavated by the drainage and for the construction of said levee and to fix a compensation therefor, to expropriate the land necessary for the purpose, lay out, construct and equip a shell and rail road on the same, give the right to sell said land when reclaimed, and to charge toll on said shell and rail road, and to repeal the act known as the Ship Island Canal bill, passed March 2, 1869, and act amendatory thereto, approved March 17, 1870, be considered as engrossed.

Mr. Carr, of De Soto, offered the following substitute:

That the further consideration of the bill be postponed until Monday next, to be taken up immediately after the reading of the journal.

Pending which Mr. Garstkamp, of Jefferson, moved an adjournment until Monday next at twelve o'clock.

Carried.

And the House accordingly adjourned.

WILLIAM VIGERS,
Chief Clerk.

A sharp young woman says that there is nothing more touching in this life, than to see a poor but virtuous young man struggling with a weak mustache.

ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

JOHN M. COONEY,
(Late Minute Clerk, Fourth District Court).
ATTORNEY AT LAW, NOTARY PUBLIC AND COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS FOR ALL THE STATES.
Particular attention paid to the execution of commissions to take depositions.
Office, 21 Camp Street,
jel2 1y New Orleans.

HAWKINS & THARP.
(L. HAWKINS—ISAIAH THARP.)
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW,
19.....Commercial Place.....19
NEW ORLEANS.
Prompt attention given to business in the State and United States Courts. ja13

A. W. ROBERTS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
LAKE PROVIDENCE, LOUISIANA.
Will practice in the courts of the Thirteenth Judicial District, composed of the parishes of Carroll, Madison, Tensas and Concordia, and in the Supreme Court at New Orleans. de7 1y

T. A. BARTLETTE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW,
142.....Gravier street.....142
(Up stairs).
jel3 1y NEW ORLEANS.

JOHN B. HOWARD.
LAW OFFICE,
26.....St. Charles street.....26
Prompt attention given to civil business in the several courts of the State. fe22 1y

BANKS AND BANKING.

NEW ORLEANS NATIONAL BANK.
This bank will open for business on THURSDAY next, the ninth instant, at the Banking House, No. 54 Camp street, under the management of the following

Board of Directors:
ALEX. WHELESS, President.
JAMES N. BEADLES, Vice-President.

Jesse K. Bell.	Thomas Henderson.
Henry Block.	Jerome B. Vanhorn.
John L. Duanica.	James B. Woods.
Samuel Delgado.	Albert Chapsky.
Edward C. Palmer.	George D. Fisher.

fe3 3m RICHARD JONES, Cashier.

NEW ORLEANS NATIONAL BANK.
NEW ORLEANS, February 6, 1871.
In compliance with the requirements of the act of Congress entitled "An act to provide a national currency secured by a pledge of United States bonds, approved June 3, 1864, and of the eighteenth section thereof, I publish herewith the certificate of authority, issued to the New Orleans National Bank of New Orleans.
RICHARD JONES, Cashier.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
Office of Controller of the Currency,
Washington, January 30, 1871.
WHEREAS, By satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that THE NEW ORLEANS NATIONAL BANK, in the city of New Orleans, in the county of Orleans, and State of Louisiana, has been duly organized under and according to the requirements of the act of Congress entitled "An act to provide a national currency secured by a pledge of United States bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," approved June 3, 1864, and has complied with all the provisions of said act required to be complied with before commencing the business of banking under said act.
Now, therefore, I, John J. Knox, Acting Controller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The New Orleans National Bank," in the city of New Orleans, in the county of Orleans, and State of Louisiana, is authorized to commence the business of banking under the act aforesaid.
In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office this thirtieth day of January, 1871.
JOHN JAY KNOX,
Acting Controller Currency.
No. 1773. fe3 3m

LOUISIANA SAVINGS BANK AND SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY,
No. 51.....Camp Street.....No. 51
JOSEPH S. COPES, President. W. VAN NORDEN, Vice-President.
JOHN S. WALTON, Treasurer.
DIRECTORS:
W. H. Thomas. David Wallace.
Henry Peychaud. Dr. W. H. Holcombe.
Six per cent paid on savings deposits.
Safes rented, and valuables received.
Interest on bonds collected and remitted.
Persons living in the country will find this Company a safe depository for valuables, papers, etc., at a small expense. no11 1y

ST. CHARLES LOAN OFFICE.
15.....St. Charles Street.....15
ST. L. DESTEZ.
SUCCESSOR OF A. MARCHAND.
Money loaned on furniture, clothing, jewelry, diamonds, etc. ap9 1y

INSURANCE.

NEW ORLEANS MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

Corner Canal and Camp streets.

ELEVENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

1870.

In conformity with the requirements of their charter, the company publish the following statement:

Premiums during the year ending thirty-first of December, 1870—

On fire risks		$277,064 36
On marine risks		31,387 13
On river risks		39,450 08
Total premiums		$367,901 57
Less: Premiums unearned thirty-first December, 1870	95,385 00	
Returned premiums	4,222 69	
		100,117 69
Net earned premiums		$267,783 68
Less: Re-insurances	3,298 37	
Losses on fire risks	74,197 66	
Losses on marine risks	19,225 39	
Losses on river risks	15,378 67	
Total	$113,099 09	
Taxes, licenses and expenses, less interest account	4,306 43	
Interest on outstanding scrips	30,023 52—	34,329 16
Fifteen per cent rebate in lieu of scrip on $146,020 36		21,903 13
Claims unsettled belonging to the year 1870		38,717 45
		213,510 32
Profit		$54,272 86

As follows:

On fire premiums	33,224 33	
On marine premiums	6,482 90	
On river premiums	14,560 99—	54,272 86

The Company have the following

ASSETS:

Cash on hand	$116,587 99
Real estate	70,662 77
Bills receivable, secured by mortgage and pledge	235,383 42
Premiums in course of collection	64,968 66
City consolidated and railroad bonds	105,700 00
Turner Hall Association first mortgage bonds	2,000 00
Odd Fellows' Hall Association first mortgage bonds	5,000 00
Burra Burra Copper Mine Company first mortgage bonds	5,500 00
New Orleans Gas Company stock	43,450 00
New Orleans City Railroad Company	2,040 00
Merchants' bank	1,000 00
New Orleans and White River Packet Company	500 00
Scrips of other Mutual Insurance Companies	63,599 10
Vallette Dry Dock	12,000 00
Opera House Association	500 00
Harbor Protection Company	1,000 00
New Orleans Lightering and Wrecking Company—cost price	500 00
Total	$855,831 94
Loss—depreciation	53,589 00
Cash market value	$802,742 07

LIABILITIES:

Outstanding scrips	$560,392 00
Interest for 1870	30,023 52
Interest unclaimed	600 00
Unearned premiums	95,385 00
Claims unsettled 1870	38,777 45
Profit thirty-first December, 1870	54,272 86
Balance above and over liabilities	82,261 24
Total	$802,742 07

The above statement is a true and correct transcript from the books of the Company.

J. TUYES, President.
J. W. HINCKS, Secretary.

Sworn to and subscribed this thirteenth day of January, 1871, before me,

JOHN P. MONTAMAT,
Third Justice of the Peace.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the twelfth day of January, 1871, it was resolved to declare the following dividend on the net earned participating premiums for the year ending on the thirty-first December, 1870, for which certificates will be issued on and after the second Monday of March next, viz:

Forty-five per cent on Fire Premiums.
Twenty-five per cent on Marine Premiums.
Fifty-five per cent on River Premiums.

It was also resolved to pay six per cent interest on all outstanding certificates of scrip, the balance of the issue of 1869 and twenty-five per cent of the issue of 1861, in cash, to the legal holders thereof, on and after the second Monday of March next.

DIRECTORS:

George Urquhart.	M. Pavro.
A. Rocherean.	Placide Forstall.
G. W. Babcock.	August Reichard.
T. B. Blanchard.	E. Miltenberger.
A. Schreiber.	W. B. Schmidt.
Charles Lantte.	J. Tuyes.

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NEW ORLEANS INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

FIRST ANNUAL STATEMENT.

In conformity with the requirements of their charter, the Association publish the following statement:

Premiums received during their first fiscal year, ending December 31, 1870:

Fire Premiums		$313,275 69
Marine Premiums		262,776 32
River Premiums		194,876 27
Total		$770,923 28
Less unearned Premiums	$108,455 00	
Returned Premiums	10,018 70	
Rebate	6,597 56	
Reinsurances	16,267 35—	141,333 59
Net earned premiums		$629,589 69
Fire losses	$97,373 60	
Marine losses	128,574 69	
River losses	47,547 82	
	$273,996 11	
Expense	53,265 62	
Profit and loss	652 36	
Reserved for unadjusted losses	32,000 00	
	$359,934 59	
Less interest	23,669 76—	336 64 33
Net profits		$293,324 36

ASSETS:

Cash	$142,412 29
Notes and bills receivable	189,296 47
Stocks and bonds	10,250 00
Premiums in course of collection	91,821 10
	$433,779 86
Stock notes	$968,300 00

The above statement is a true and correct transcript from the books of the Association.

C. CAVAROC, President.
G. LANAUX, Secretary.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this fourth day of January, 1871.

G. LEGARDEUR, JR.,
Notary Public.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the second day of January, 1871, it was resolved to declare a dividend of fifty per cent cash, payable on or after the fifteenth of February next, by credits on stock notes, pro rata to the amount of earned premiums paid by each stockholder.

C. CAVAROC, President.
F. E. BERNARD, Vice-President.
G. LANAUX, Secretary.

Directors:

Charles Cavaroc.	F. E. Bernard.
Charles de Ruyter.	S. Cambon.
A. Reichard.	U. Marinoni.
Leon Hass, Jr.	Arthur Poincy.
E. F. Mioton.	Ant. Lanata.
W. Agar.	J. Egle. ja5 1y

LEGAL NOTICES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.
DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA.
IN THE MATTER OF ALFRED F. JONES, Bankrupt.
In Bankruptcy—No. 1078.

TO THE HONORABLE E. H. DURELL, JUDGE of the District Court of the United States for the District of Louisiana, sitting in bankruptcy:

The petition of E. K. Norton, of the city of New Orleans, herein appearing as the assignee in bankruptcy of the estate of Alfred F. Jones, bankrupt, respectfully represents that, among the assets surrendered by the bankrupt, and belonging to the aforesaid estate in bankruptcy, there is the following described real estate situated in the State of Louisiana, in the parish of Orleans, to wit—

House and grounds, situated corner of Prytania and Seventh streets, one hundred and twenty-seven feet front by two hundred and fourteen feet in depth, acquired by purchase from B. W. Huntington in November, 1865.

Your petitioner further represents that the said hereinbefore described real estate is, as appears of record, encumbered and charged with the following hereinafter specified mortgages, judgments, liens and privileges resting thereon, to wit—

The draining privileges:

Mortgage in favor of W. E. Bertus for $15,000, dated twenty-sixth of August, 1868.

Mortgage in favor of Joseph D. Fuentes for $14,000, dated twenty-third of July, 1868.

Mortgage in favor of J. A. Justammond for $7000, of date of tenth of February, 1869.

Mortgage in favor of his wife, resulting from an affidavit, dated ——, by which he declares himself indebted to his said wife in the sum of $2450.

Judicial mortgage in favor of the city of New Orleans for $12.

Judicial mortgage in favor of Aug. Bohn for $3000.

Judicial mortgage in favor of Merchants' Bank for $4000.

Judicial mortgage in favor of S. H. Hanna for $1553.

Judicial mortgage in favor of A. Marchand for $631 90.

Judicial mortgage in favor of Union Bank of Louisiana for $3000.

Judicial mortgage in favor of the United States for $75,000.

And your petitioner further represents that it is impossible for him to determine the validity of said incumbrances and the amount due thereon; that he can not ascertain the value of said property by agreement between himself and the creditors holding said security, as provided in section twenty of the bankrupt act of 1867. And that it is necessary in order to ascertain the value of said property, and for the due, proper and speedy administration of said estate, and for the interest of the creditors therein, that said estate be sold at public auction, free and clear of all incumbrances.

That all said judgments, mortgages, liens and privileges recorded against said property be canceled and erased, so that your petitioner can convey a clear and unincumbered title to any purchaser thereof, reserving to said W. E. Bertus, Joseph de Fuentes, J. A. Justammond, Mrs. Jane O. Justammond, wife of bankrupt, city of New Orleans, Aug. Bohn, Merchants' Bank, S. H. Hanna, A. Marchand, Union Bank of Louisiana, and the United States, and to all other persons, all their rights in law to the proceeds of the sale of said property upon the distribution thereof.

Wherefore, your petitioner prays that he may be ordered and authorized to sell said property above described at public auction, free and clear from all incumbrances. That all said judgments, mortgages, liens and privileges recorded against said property be canceled and erased, so that your petitioner can convey a clear and unincumbered title to any purchaser thereof, reserving to said Lewis and Estelle Anderson, minor children of James C. Anderson and Mrs. Emelia E. Keller, tutrix of Charlotte and Bealah Webb, and to all other persons, all their rights in law to the proceeds of the sale of said property according to their rank. And he prays for all other necessary orders.

(Signed) A. De B. HUGHES, Attorney.

On motion of A. De B. Hughes, attorney of E. E. Norton, assignee, and upon suggesting to the Court that he has filed in this court the foregoing petition, it is ordered that W. E. Bertus, Joseph De Fuentes, J. A. Justammond, Mrs. Jane O. Justammond, wife of bankrupt, city of New Orleans, August Bohn, Merchant's Bank, S. H. Hanna, A. Marchand, Union Bank of Louisiana, and the United States, and all other parties in interest, do show cause upon the fourth day of March, 1871, at eleven o'clock A. M., before this Court, why the said petition should not be granted, and said property sold, as prayed for, and why all incumbrances recorded against said property should not be canceled and erased. And it is further ordered that notice of this petition and order be served upon said W. E. Bertus, Joseph De Fuentes, J. A. Justammond, Mrs. Jane O. Jusammond, wife of bankrupt, city of New Orleans, August Bohn, Merchant's Bank, S. H. Hanna, A. Marchand, Union Bank of Louisiana, the United States, and all other persons, by serving a copy thereof upon them, or their agent or attorney, or by E. K. Norton, as signee, publishing a copy of said petition and order three times in the New Orleans Republican, a newspaper printed in New Orleans, Louisiana, the last publication to be made at least five days before the day of hearing.

Signed February 1, 1871.
E. H. DURELL, Judge.

A true copy:
K. LOEW, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office, New Orleans, February 1, 1871.
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MONITION.
STATE OF LOUISIANA.
SEVENTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

THE STATE OF LOUISIANA, TO ALL WHOM these presents shall come, greeting: Whereas, Albert G. Brice having purchased, for the sum of two thousand dollars, at a sale made by E. E. Norton, Esq., assignee in bankruptcy of the estate of Michael J. Hauck, bankrupt, in case No. 1065 on the docket of the United States District Court for the District of Louisiana, under an order of said court dated June 6, 1870, through C. E. Girardey & Co., auctioneers, made on the twenty-fourth January, 1871, the property hereinafter described, or all the right, title and interest of the said Michael J. Hauck is and to the said hereinafter described property. And, whereas, the said bankrupt, Michael J. Hauck, did purchase, at a sale made by the Sheriff of the parish of Orleans, the said property hereinafter described; and, whereas, the said Albert G. Brice, as a subsequent purchaser under a regular chain of title, as aforesaid, has applied to the clerk of this court, in whose office the said deed of sale, from the Sheriff of the parish of Orleans to the said M. J. Hauck, as afores