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AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

BY UNITED STATES MARSHAL PACKARD, at 12 o'clock, at Courthouse, St. Joseph, Tensas parish, the Maydale plantation—R. E. Norton, assignee of Foley, Avery & Co., vs. Charles G. Dahlgren. At Courthouse in Thibodaux parish, three tracts of land in Lafourche parish—Mrs. M. M. A. Carlin vs. Mrs. Eugene Parra. At Courthouse in Lake Providence, Carroll parish, two undivided thirds of one hundred and twenty acres of land.

BY NASH & HODGSON, at 12 o'clock, at St. Charles Auction Exchange, lot of ground on Tchoupitoulas street—succession of H. McNeil Vance; lot of ground and buildings Nos. 463 and 465 Fulton street—succession of Mrs. Penelope Bostick.

BY CHARLES E. PORTIER, at 12 o'clock, at Royal Street Auction Exchange, two lots of ground and buildings on Johnson street—succession of Benjamin Faith.

BY J. H. WALTON, at 12 o'clock, at St. Charles Auction Exchange, five shares stock Mechanics and Traders' Bank, one share La Variete Association, twenty-five shares New Orleans Wrecking Company, fifteen shares New Orleans Sanitary and Fertilizing Company, sixty shares Pneumatic Railroad stock, four shares Mechanics' and Agricultural Fair Association, twenty-five shares Louisiana Equitable Life Insurance Company—succession of R. M. Denman.

BY A. J. DAVERN, Constable Second Justice Court, at 12 o'clock, at No. 246 Girod street, lot of household furniture and effects—Mingo Jones vs. Edward Green.

BY SHERIFF SAUVINET, at 12 o'clock, at Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, lot of ground and buildings No. 549 Dauphine street—Sigismund M. Miller vs. Rene Philip Theard; ten shares stock Pneumatic Propelling Company—Canal and Claiborne Street Railroad Company vs. John G. Campbell.

BY PLACIDE J. SPEAR, at 1 o'clock, on Common street, between Baronne and Carondelet, one English brougham.

Local Intelligence.

THE MAGNOLIAS ON METAIRIE RIDGE.—Not the beautiful blossoms which smother the early spring air with perfume, but Magnolia School scholars, that we speak of. For several days past the young men pursuing their studies in the Magnolia public school have been intent on arranging a picnic on Oakland Course. There were many preliminaries which could not be avoided; these were intrusted to a committee, composed of Masters James F. Folger, W. J. B. Flynn, Nat. J. Logan, Leon Knight, C. J. Bredow, Charles J. Richards, L. M. Innerrarity, H. Veazie, Tim Carroll, Tom Donnelly, William Van Horn, William Taylor, Harry Sellers, Frank Shaw, Felix McLemore, Robert S. McKnight, James Steuber, and nothing was neglected. The little misses of their neighboring school were cordially invited, as also were other young ladies.

All these important duties were in a manner supervised by the following named popular teachers: Mr. John F. Sawyer, Miss Mary E. Finerty, Miss Blanche Cenas, Mrs. G. E. Young, Mrs. S. M. Turner, Mrs. S. A. Hurley and Miss Agnes Young, of the boys' school, and Miss M. A. Wickes, Mrs. M. Thornton, Miss McElligott, Miss A. M. Hero, Miss M. Whiteside and Miss R. McEnery, of the girls' school.

With light and happy hearts, teachers and scholars threw off the yoke of routine duties early yesterday morning, and sought the clover fields of Oakland Course, the grounds having been kindly and freely given the children for the picnic by Mr. Bright. All ask us to offer that gentleman their smiling thanks for the favor. He would have been proud had he heard the praise bestowed on him from innocent little mouths. The day was passed in joyful sports of all kinds incident to an outdoor picnic; eating was almost ignored or forgotten; healthful plays were in order, and were well executed. General Longstreet, Governor Hahn, Superintendent Carter and Administrator Shaw were present, lending their assistance. Quite a number of parents visited the grounds in the evening, and seemed rejoiced at seeing their children enjoying themselves so pleasantly.

TRUSTED HIM TOO MUCH—*An Absent Porter.*—For weeks past the store of Messrs. Lehman, Godchaux & Co., No. 10 Chartres street, has suffered losses of many articles in an unaccountable manner. The firm could submit to be robbed occasionally in a small way, but when it grew into a regular business, the proprietors naturally became inquisitive. Their inquiries resulted in just nothing. Special Officer Dumas was called in, and took an extended view of the situation, when he concluded that the thief must be an employe. Only one person could be suspected, and that was Thomas Green, the porter.

A search warrant, not unlike an emetic, threw up a quantity of lost things, found in Green's home, No. 67 Polymnia street. His wages in the store amounted to ten dollars per week, on which a man can not sport many costly luxuries, if he have no other income. When Mr. Dumas entered the "lowly house" he was somewhat surprised to see rich furniture and fancy trifles that usually cost considerable money. The rooms did not indicate the occupants to be living on ten dollars per week, nor ten times that figure. A search discovered packages of goods quickly identified as the property of the store. A ladies' double case gold watch and chain, No. 62,093, were found, but Green was totally invisible. Harriet Green, said to be his wife, was in the house, and the officer arrested her on the belief that she was in possession of the articles knowing them to be stolen. She was taken before Recorder Staes and released on bonds.

The stolen goods were taken to the third precinct station. Mr. Lehman estimates that their losses will exceed two thousand dollars. The goods found in Green's house are worth about four hundred dollars, and consist of such things as poor, honest, hard-working people seldom or never indulge in, especially on forty dollars per month. If Green remembers anything about these transactions he should return and stand the blunt, and dispel the grave suspicions that discolor his verdant name.

Sarah Jane, one of the worst from a dead fall in Dryades street, does not enjoy her daily rations unless she is locked up at least twice each week. She will steal, and can not resist the temptation any more than she can resist drinking and swearing. Her last arrest was for stealing a revolver from John Adams. Captain Bowen finds it impossible to keep the Workhouse gates closed against this female privateer.

CLEAN SHIRTS.—Mr. Kranz' fair name is resting under a heavy shadow, W. D. Chandler asserting that accused, through false representations, obtained one hundred dollars worth of shirts. Recorder Houghton will act as laundress in this case on the twentieth instant.

CRIMINAL COURT.—Charles Earle was brought before the Criminal Court, on the charge of murdering Mrs. Zollinger, on the twenty-fourth of April. He was arraigned, pleaded not guilty, and was remanded. Garvey is too sick yet to be brought up.

Isaac Johnson, convicted of larceny and recommended to the mercy of the court, was sent for one year to the penitentiary.

Charles Williams, who pleaded guilty to assault and battery, was fined one dollar or one day Parish Prison.

Jules Dubois, convicted of carrying a concealed weapon, was sent to the Parish Prison for one day.

Prosper Comange, Julius Dubois and Jean Cambray, convicted of having garroted and robbed of three hundred and ten dollars, on the evening of September 24, a butcher named Bertrand Barras, were sent to the Penitentiary—Comange for five, and the two others seven years each.

Messrs. Cotton & Levy, Bernos & Morel, of counsel for Timothy Hays, charged with murder, filed a motion to continue, on the ground that the list of jurors was not furnished at the proper time, and did not contain the whole number of jurors.

That Hayes, when the case was continued, on the twenty-seventh April, indefinitely, left town, and returned only the day before the trial, therefore being not at the proper time notified.

Also, that a witness of very great importance is absent.

Attorney General Belden opposed the continuation, as he has tried for six months to bring the case to trial.

The case was continued finally to Monday, the fifteenth instant.

NOTHING.—Nothing new has been developed in the Mint robbery. Five thousand eight hundred paper dollars, like riches of other days, took unto themselves wings and flew away.

THE LAST HOURS.—The last hours of the festival at Odd Fellows' Hall, last night, were certainly pleasant as well as profitable. The rooms were thronged with well pleased visitors, who found that the hours passed away like the silver lining to a snowy cloud, never to return. Gentlemen followed our advice and looked in, when they were unable to withdraw until they had performed a duty. Every table was abundantly patronized, ladies, too, making purchases freely of the numerous useful and ornamental articles on sale. Although the fair was not fully appreciated the first night, it finally became public that there were irrepressible attractions, when crowds of citizens called in to see the beautiful sights. Voting was the burden of the night, and as there existed no law to interrupt those who desired to vote often, "repeaters" were cheered and invited to call again at their earliest convenience.

The ladies who attended the various tables proved themselves talented vendors, drawing cash customers without drumming for recruits. It is pleasant to state that the fair was successful, financially and socially, giving the church a fair addition to its exchequer. It was a noticeable feature that members of other denominations lent their assistance in a friendly manner, especially on the closing night. After eleven o'clock commodities of a substantial kind unsold, were disposed of at auction, selling at ruinous prices, but such evanescent articles as votes held up at full figures, with a lively demand until the close.

Mexico.

Late papers from Vera Cruz have been received, from which is translated the following:

Mr. Nelson, the American Minister at the capital of Mexico, has appointed Mr Herman Bronson United States consul at Minatitlan, vice Mr. Hoyt, deceased.

Don Fernando Ramirez, a distinguished Mexican historian and author of various works on archeology, died recently in Germany. Senor Ramirez was Minister of State and Foreign Relations under Maximilian.

Several houses are being raffled at Queretaro. The tickets are sold at ten cents each.

General Martin Carrera, ex-President of the republic, died recently at the capital of Mexico.

El Progreso, of Vera Cruz, says that the sap of the tomato plant is a deadly poison for bed bugs. It placed twice in the crevices of a bed the bugs will disappear.

An ancient history of Mexico, by Fernandez de Echeverria, will soon be published.

The reparation of the wharves at Vera Cruz has been discontinued for want of money.

Mr. William Hay is the owner of the new salt works established at Guadalupe Hidalgo. The water used is taken from the Texcoco lake.

The work on the telegraphic line from Durango to Mazatlan has been commenced.

The inhabitants of Lower California have petitioned Congress to repeal the export duties on se a shells.

La Revista says that a large number of cattle die every year in the neighborhood of Matamoros, State of Tamaulipas, from want of water.

Judging from the Vera Cruz papers, General Porfirio Diaz is daily gaining ground as a candidate for President.

The Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

The Mobile *Tribune* of yesterday says:

The breaks in this road, caused by the recent heavy rains, have not yet been repaired, and a large portion of the road bed is still under water. A train now goes out daily, for the present, to Waynesboro only, but will be carried further up as the road bed is put in proper order. We learn that a large force is in readiness to push the work of repairing on to completion as fast as the water recedes. No unnecessary delay will be permitted to occur in the reopening of communication with our friends in Mississippi.

We understand that the Alabama and Chattanooga, the Selma and Meridian and the Vicksburg roads were all more or less damaged by the late freshet, and that communication along their lines is for the present interrupted.

The Special and License Taxes.

The special and license taxes, except those on distilled spirits, malt, liquors and tobacco, went into effect on the first instant. It reduces internal taxation according to the estimate when the law was passed last July, about twenty millions of dollars, and not three times that sum as has been published. The reduction in the tariff, which was effected in the same law, will fall far below the estimate, owing to the fact that the loss on the price list has been partially made up by increase on other articles, but notwithstanding these reductions it is believed at the treasury that the internal revenue will exceed by fifteen millions the estimate for the present fiscal year.

The Jackson (Mississippi) *Clarion* says:

In consequence of the excessive rains planting operations in all parts of Mississippi have been very much retarded. They are nearly one month behind their usual time. The rains are incessant, and at this writing the weather is still unsettled. The prospect ahead is gloomy, and our planters repine over their apparent misfortunes. They may be blessings in disguise.

If Pennsylvania coal were mined for nothing it would make a difference, in the cost, of less than fifty cents per ton. Let the people who turn up their noses at the poor miner, and denounce his strikes and dread his violence, put that fact into their heads and take the consequences.

THE NEW HAMPSHIRE LEGISLATURE.

Republican Majority in the Lower House.

[From the Concord Statesman, April 28.]

On every side we hear the question, "What will be the relative strength of parties in our next House of Representatives?" It is time it were answered definitely. The *Statesman* is the only journal in the State that has returns from town clerks giving this information. The discrepancies in the count arise from the fact that other papers, taking the information in the circulars sent out and returned to this office, have manipulated certain names, from hearsay evidence, in order to figure out certain results. From returns received from town clerks, now in our possession, we make the following summary, which may be relied upon. The whole number of Representatives purporting to be elected is 329. Republicans, 166; Democrats and Labor Reformers, 163. Republican majority over all, three. At least four of those who are declared elected have, we believe, no right to seats in the Legislature. All of these four are classed as Democrats. The Senate stands: five Republicans and five Democrats, with two vacancies. Thus it will be seen that, unless some Republicans elected are removed by death, or sell out after the fashion of the infamous Winans, our party will control the organization of the Legislature, and James Pike will be chosen Governor.

Hail Storm.

The *Richland Beacon* says:

Last Monday we were visited by a terrible hail storm, which we thought had destroyed all the young corn in the neighborhood from the way it fell, but it had not. We suppose the only thing that saved the corn was the large size of the hail stones, and the nearness of the cloud to the earth. We have seen several hail storms, have heard marvelous stories of large hail stones, and have seen what we supposed were large ones, but we never even imagined such a scene as that we witnessed on last Monday. The noise of the stones falling upon roofs was deafening, and they were so large that many shingles were split and some knocked off of roofs. The general size of the hail stones, which were solid and round, was about that of large walnuts, though a great many were found much larger, some measuring nine inches in circumference, and weighing about a half pound. While the hail was falling no water fell, and the ground was covered in two or three minutes, but it was followed by a very hard rain.

Commissioner Weller's Court.

Inspector Joseph Coleman, of the United States customs in New Orleans, made an affidavit charging Scotty Brown, alias John Moore, with having smuggled a lot of cigars into the port of New Orleans on the fifth of May, 1871. The accused was arrested, underwent examination, and committed to answer the charge against him before the United States Circuit Court. In default of giving five hundred dollars bail, the accused was remanded to prison.

Christ Valley, captain of the towboat Admiral, and J. M. Kearney, captain of the tugboat Aspinwall, were brought before Commissioner Weller yesterday to answer a charge of manslaughter made against them by Officer Brown, of the Metropolitan harbor police. The prosecution was conducted by Mr. Assistant United States District Attorney Gurley, assisted by Judge Dooly. Colonel Field and Mr. Eagan appeared for the defense.

The amount of the charge, as embodied in the affidavit of Officer Brown, was that the captains of the tugboats Admiral and Aspinwall, on Monday last, did negligently and carelessly run into a harbor police boat containing four policemen, crushing the boat and killing Officer Douglass. On which allegations the charge of manslaughter is based.

Thomas Martin was sworn. Witness is a member of the harbor police force, and was in the police boat at the time of the catastrophe. He related the occurrence as far as it came under his notice. His evidence was conclusive as to the killing of Douglass by the tugboat Admiral, but he admitted that those on board both the tugboats used every means to rescue the men who had been in the crushed police boat.

Frederick Meyers, also a member of the harbor police, who was on the boat at the time of the accident, in some degree corroborated the evidence of the previous witness. He states, however, that both the tugs were much nearer the line of shipping than usual; much closer, indeed, than was necessary.

Officer William Brown had charge of the boat at the time the accident occurred. Under the circumstances the police boat had no chance to escape. The witness apprehended danger, for he urged his men to row faster, saying "give way, boys; these boats are racing again." The witness, who has had an experience of some years as a river man, never saw boats run so close in before. 'Is sure they were racing. Each boat was trying to get nearer the shore than the other, and each one was trying to get ahead of the other. Is sure that must be racing.

Henry McGregor is coal clerk for the gas company; his place of business is near the scene of the accident; saved Martin, the policeman who had jumped into the water when the police boat was crushed by the Admiral; saw nothing unusual in the speed of either the Admiral or the Aspinwall, neither were these boats unusually close.

Some other witnesses were examined, whose testimony was not material, and the case was continued until Monday, at five o'clock.

Life in New York.

The inefficiency of the police force and the insolence of crime in New York is forcibly illustrated by an account in the New York papers of last week, of a most brutal and dastardly outrage committed on a horse car upon Broadway, on Wednesday night. The victim, a Mr. Putnam, was escorting a lady and her daughter, and having called the attention of the latter to the towers of the Gilsey House, she stepped to the door to obtain a good view, when, finding that she had attracted the attention of an intoxicated brute upon the platform, she resumed her seat.

The man then entered the car and seated himself beside the young lady, who was instantly removed by her mother to another seat. This irritated the ruffian, and he addressed some insulting remarks to the mother, when Mr. Putnam informed him that the ladies were under his charge and must not be interfered with. The drunken beast, after asking Mr. Putnam how far up he was going, and receiving no reply, savagely exclaimed, "Well, I'm going as far as you do, and I'll give you hell when you get off."

Finally, as Mr. Putnam and the ladies were leaving the car, the young lady being on the crossing and the gentleman in the act of assisting her mother to alight, the wretch who had been annoying them dealt Mr. Putnam a blow on the head with the car hook, which felled him to the ground insensible, and disappeared. The conductor, who had witnessed the assault, coolly rang the bell, and left the parties without making any effort to assist them. The injured man died, and the brute was arrested.

The Mississippi Levees.

The special committee of Congress, appointed to investigate the condition of the Mississippi levees, is about to enter upon its work at a time which its members regard as most opportune. Of course the main question is finally that of extending government aid to repair and rebuild these levees by indorsing the bonds of the States lying on the lower Mississippi, or of making direct appropriation out of the public treasury. Mr. McKee, member from Mississippi is chairman of the committee.

The Calcasieu *Echo* says:

Lake Charles is receding rapidly, but there is ample water now, and will no doubt continue to be throughout the summer season. Large class vessels could reach this place and go a long distance up the Calcasieu river if the bar at the mouth of the river was removed. It is one of the most beautiful navigable streams in the State, and the people of this parish would derive incalculable benefit by the removal of the bar, and we hope our Legislature will appropriate a sufficient amount for the purpose.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Notice.—Carondelet Street and Carrollton City Railroad Company, Office No. 12 Carondelet street, New Orleans, May 2, 1871.—Subscribers to the capital stock of the Carondelet Street and Carrollton City Railroad Company are hereby notified that the second installment of ten per cent will be due and payable at the office of the company, No. 12 Carondelet street, on the first day of June, 1871.
By order of the Board of Directors.
CHARLES W. SQUIRES,
my2 22t Secretary.

The People's Insurance Company of New Orleans.—The subscribers to the capital stock of this company are requested to call at the People's Bank of New Orleans, corner of St. Peter and Old Levee streets, and pay two installments of five per cent each, which are now due
A. GRANGER, Secretary.
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Assessment Notice.—Economy Mutual Aid Association.—The members of Class A are this day notified that Assessment No. 3, caused by the death of George F. Pape, of this city, on the third instant, is now due. Those of Class B, that Assessment No. 4, caused by the death of Francis J. Carothers, of Matagorda, Texas, on the eleventh of February, is also due. According to the terms of your policies, these assessments are payable at the office of the company, No. 110 Gravier street, within thirty days from date.
JAMES B. GUTHRIE, Secretary.
New Orleans, April 29, 1871. ap30 5t

Fleetwood, New Orleans and Honduras Navigation Company.—Subscription books for the capital stock of this company have been opened at No. 119 Poydras street, between Camp and Magazine, and No. 57 Carondelet street, where subscriptions will be received daily from 9 A. M. until 3 P. M.
By order of the Board of Directors.
GEORGE J. PINCKARD,
ap29 7t Secretary.

Notice.—I have constituted DAVID D. SMITH my attorney, to act for me during my absence from the city. All powers of attorney heretofore given by me have been revoked.
ap21 JOHN M. G. PARKER.

Avoid Quacks.—A victim of early indiscretion, causing nervous debility, premature decay, etc., having tried in vain every advertised remedy, has a simple means of self-cure, which he will send free to his fellow sufferers. Address J. H. TUTTLE, 78 Nassau street, New York. ja26 eod6m

Office of the Louisiana Land Company and Loan and Savings Bank.—The books of subscription for the capital stock of this company will be opened at the office of the company, No. 46 Dryades street, on the tenth day of April, 1871, and will remain open for thirty days from that date. During the first ten days the Directors of the company shall have the privilege of subscribing for the stock, and after that they shall be open to the public.
An assessment of ten dollars per share on one thousand shares has been made, and will be made payable in ten days after closing the books of subscription.
CHARLES H. FOX, Secretary.
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Getting Married.—Essays for young men, on great social evils and abuses, which interfere with marriage—with sure means of relief for the erring and unfortunate, diseased and debilitated. Sent free, in sealed envelopes. Address Howard Association, No. 2 South Ninth street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. le14 1y

POLITICAL NOTICES.

Attention, Fifth Ward Radical Republican Club.—The president pro tem, in the name of the people of the Fifth Ward, gives notice to the members of said club that an election for the officers of said club will be held on next Thursday, May 11, 1871, at the present club room, corner of St. Philip and Claiborne streets, at half-past seven o'clock P. M.
O. P. FERNANDEZ, Secretary pro tem.
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Fifth Ward Republican Club.—At a regular meeting of the Fifth Ward Radical Republican Club, held May 4, 1871, the following resolution was presented by Mr. O. P. Fernandez for the consideration of the club:

We, the Republicans of the Fifth Ward, in order to elect the officers of our club in the manner prescribed by article one of our by-laws, have taken the following steps:

WHEREAS, The actual President having violated the rules and regulations of this club by signing himself the chairman of the Committee on Rules and Regulations, and having himself elected President without any notification to the members of said club and has failed to do his duty, and has created dissensions in our midst by refusing to submit his election to the will of the majority, and to comply with article one of the said rules and regulations of this club; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Fifth Ward Radical Republican Club, declare the President's seat vacant, and ordain an election to take place on Thursday next, the eleventh of May, 1871.

The President ruled that the resolution was out of order, and explained the reasons why.

Mr. E. Detiege appealed from the decision of the chair, and stated the reasons therefor.

The appeal was sustained, and so declared by the chair.

Over three hundred members present.

On motion of Mr. E. Detiege, the club adjourned.

On motion of the same gentleman, a mass meeting was inaugurated, and a call was made on that gentleman to preside pro tem.

On motion of Mr. N. Villere, Mr. O. P. Fernandez was proclaimed Secretary pro tem.

The President ordered that the books and papers be turned over to Mr. O. P. Fernandez.

The President pro tem then declared that the election for the officers of this club, in mass meeting, shall take place on next THURSDAY, May 11, 1871, at the present club room, corner of St. Philip and Claiborne streets.

Mr. Randolph then addressed the club, and a vote of thanks was tendered to the speaker.
O. P. FERNANDEZ,
my6 Secretary pro tem.

SUCCESSION NOTICES.

Succession of Werner Forss—No. 34,454.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of this estate and to all other persons herein interested to show cause within ten days from the present notification, if any they have or can, why the proceeds deposited by Charles W. Linn, administrator of this estate, should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.
By order of the Court.
my4 8 13 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Lucy Margaret Hurd, deceased, wife of James H. Jones—No. 34,160.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of this estate, and to the creditors of the minors Cora L. Jones, Emma B. Jones and Stella B. Jones, to show cause, if any they have or can, within thirty days from the first publication of this notice, why the application filed this day in this court by James H. Jones, of Massachusetts, to be recognized as guardian of his aforesaid minor children, and to be allowed as such to take possession of all the property belonging to said minors and remove the same from this State should not be granted.
Clerk's Office, April 18, 1871.
ap19 26 my3 10 17 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Mrs. Catherine Mourey, widow of Marius Flory—No. 34,572.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans—Whereas, Charles Flory has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Mrs. Catherine Mourey, widow of Marius Flory, deceased, intestate: Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause within ten days why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.
By order of the Court.
my2 6 11 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of R. T. Sanderson, No. 15,393, in the matter of the minor John T. Goodson, No. 34,545.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the succession of R. T. Sanderson, to those of the succession of Mrs. Martha Ann Goodson, born Sanderson, and to those of the minor John T. Goodson, to show cause within thirty days from the first publication of this notice why the application filed in this court on the fifteenth of April, 1871, by Elizabeth Sullivan and S. F. Williams, guardians of the said minor John T. Goodson, to be recognized as such, and to be authorized to take possession of and remove from this State the property of said minor, by him inherited from his mother, Mrs. Martha Ann Goodson and by her from R. T. Sanderson, should not be granted by this court.
Clerk's office, Second District Court, April 15, 1871.
ap16 25 my2 8 15 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Max Levi and Wife—Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans, No. 29,731.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE CREDITORS of these estates, and to those of the minors Sallie, Ida, Joseph and Willie Levi, to show cause, within thirty days from the first publication of this notice, if any they have, why the application filed this day in this court by Gabriel Meyer, of Pine Bluff, in the State of Arkansas, to be recognized as guardian of the aforesaid minors, and to be authorized to take possession of and remove the property of said minors from this State to the State of Arkansas, should not be granted by this court.
Clerk's office, April 20, 1871.
ap21 my5 12 19 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

CONSTABLES' SALES.

Mingo Jones vs. Edward Green—Second Justice Court for the Parish of Orleans, No. 11,811.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS TO me directed by the Hon. W. L. Evans, Second Justice of the Peace in and for the parish of Orleans, I will proceed to sell at public auction, on SATURDAY, May 6, 1871, at twelve o'clock M., at No. 246 Girod street—
ONE LOT OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, as per inventory on file.
Seized in the above cause.
Terms—Cash on the spot.
pa26 my2 6 A. J. DAVERN, Constable.

The St. Louis and New Orleans Packet Company vs. Merchandise—Second Justice Court for the parish of Orleans, No. 11,781.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS TO me directed by the Hon. W. L. Evans, Second Justice of the Peace in and for the parish of Orleans, I will proceed to sell at public auction, on TUESDAY, May 16, 1871, at eleven o'clock A. M., at No. 104 Common street—
ONE LOT MERCHANDISE, as per inventory on file in my office.
Seized in the above numbered and entitled suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.
A. J. DAVERN,
my6 11 16 Constable Second Justice Court.

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

PROPOSALS.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER OFFICE, Mobile Harbor Improvement, No. 7 Royal street, Mobile, Alabama, May 2, 1871.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at this office until twelve o'clock M., MONDAY, June 12, 1871, for dredging Choctaw Pass and Dog River Bar channel, Mobile Bay, each to a depth of thirteen feet and width of 200 feet. The average depth of excavation in Choctaw Pass will be two feet for a length of 2200 feet, requiring the removal of 50,000 cubic yards, more or less, of material, principally sand, the rest mud. And in Dog river channel the average depth of excavation will be about four feet, requiring the removal of 40,000 cubic yards, more or less, of material, principally mud. The average distance at which the material will have to be transported and deposited is three miles.

Bidders will propose for the work per cubic yard for material removed and deposited, measured by soundings in the cuts, and they will also state the additional charge for each half mile of transportation of material beyond the average of three miles. They will also state when they will engage to commence the work after the award of contract, and the time they will require to complete their contract.

Payments will be made monthly, twenty per cent being reserved until the work is satisfactorily completed, and forfeited in case of failure, from any cause, on the part of the contractor to comply with all the conditions of his contract. In addition, bonds to the extent of $10,000 will be required to insure faithful commencement and performance of contract.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved by the undersigned for any cause deemed by him to be sufficient.

Full information will be given at this office, where blank proposals can be obtained, or from which, on requisition, they will be mailed to the address of any one desiring to bid.

The envelops enclosing bids should be indorsed "Proposals for dredging Choctaw Pass and Dog River Bar Channel," and addressed to the undersigned, in duplicate.
A. M. DAMRELL,
Captain of Engineers, United States Army.
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PROPOSALS.

DEPARTMENT OF IMPROVEMENTS, New Orleans, May 5, 1871.

SEALED PROPOSALS ADDRESSED TO THE undersigned will be received at this office until SATURDAY NOON, the thirteenth instant, for making brick banquettes on the upper side of Melpomene street, from Franklin to Claiborne street, according to specifications on file in the office of the City Surveyor.

The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

All parties making proposals for this contract are required to deposit with the Administrator of Finance, as evidence of their intention to abide by the adjudication, the amount of five hundred dollars in cash, which shall be forfeited to the city in case of failure to sign the contract.

Bidders to whom contracts are not awarded will have their deposits returned to them on the day adjudications are made.

No bid will be received unless the certificate of the Administrator of Finance is inclosed therewith, to the effect that the required cash deposit has been made.

Proposals to be indorsed "Proposals for making brick banquettes."
my6 JOHN COCKREM, Administrator.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

SEALED PROPOSALS ADDRESSED TO THE Board of Administrators, are required for the erection of two wings to the State Insane Asylum at Jackson, Louisiana, the same indorsed "Proposals for New Wings, etc.," will be received on or before the fifth day of June, at the Treasurer's office, No. 28 Natchez street.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Henry Howard, architect, No. 13 Commercial place.

The Administrators reserve to themselves the right of rejecting the whole or any of the proposals.
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CANCELLATION OF BOND.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Executive Department, New Orleans, April 27, 1871.

WHEREAS, APPLICATION HAS BEEN MADE to me for the cancellation of the official bond of W. H. Pemberton, as Flour Inspector in and for the city of New Orleans, to wit: A bond dated July 17, 1869, in the sum of five thousand dollars, signed by W. H. Pemberton as principal, and —— Lindolph and J. M. Burchard as sureties; the said bond being conditioned for the faithful performance by the said W. H. Pemberton of his duties as Flour Inspector aforesaid.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said 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-seventh day of April, A. D. 1871, and of the independence of the United States the ninety-fifth.
By the Governor: H. C. WARMOTH.
JOSEPH WITTGENSTEIN,
ap28 30t Assistant Secretary of State.

CANCELLATION OF BOND.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Executive Department, New Orleans, April 14, 1871.

WHEREAS, APPLICATION HAS BEEN MADE to me for the cancellation of the official bond of Abraham Depue, as sheriff in and for the parish of East Feliciana, to wit: A bond dated December 3, 1869, in the sum of six thousand dollars, signed by A. Depue as principal and J. P. Monihan, S. E. Hunter, David W. Pipes and H. M. Peol as sureties; the said bond being conditioned for the faithful performance by the said A. Depue of his duties as sheriff aforesaid—

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said 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 fourteenth day of April, A. D. 1871, and of the independence of the United States the ninety-fifth.
By the Governor: H. C. WARMOTH,
Governor of Louisiana.
GEORGE E. BOVEE, Secretary of State.
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TO TAXPAYERS OF THE FOURTH DISTRICT.

OFFICE STATE TAX COLLECTOR, Tchoupitoulas street, near Adele street, New Orleans, April 27, 1871.

THE TIME FOR PAYMENT OF TAXES OF 1870 and licenses for 1871, of this District, has been extended to the fifteenth of May, 1871. This is positively the last extension, and after said date the law will be enforced with the utmost rigor, particularly against those doing business without a license.
V. GERODIAS,
ap27 Collector Fourth District.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

OFFICE STATE TAX COLLECTOR, Sixth District, New Orleans, May 2, 1871.

THE TAXPAYERS OF THE SIXTH DISTRICT are notified that the time for payment of State taxes and licenses has been extended to the twenty-fifth instant, payable at this office on Magazine street, between Napoleon avenue and Berlin street, after which date suit will be brought on all remaining unpaid.
F. J. HERRON,
my3 10t State Tax Collector, Sixth District.

CANCELLATION OF BOND.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Executive Department, New Orleans, May 1, 1871.

WHEREAS, APPLICATION HAS BEEN MADE to me for the cancellation of the official bond of Thomas H. Jenks, Jr., as Assessor and Tax Collector in and for the parish of East Feliciana, to wit: A bond dated April 8, 1870, in the sum of ten thousand dollars, signed by Thomas H. Jenks, Jr., as principal, and J. N. Shauhan and O. E. Roper as sureties; the said bond being conditioned for the faithful performance by the said Thomas H. Jenks, Jr., of his duties as Tax Collector aforesaid.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said 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 first day of May, A. D. 1871, and of the independence of the United States the ninety-fifth.
By the Governor, H. C. WARMOTH.
GEORGE E. BOVEE,
Secretary of State. my2 30t

NOTICE TO CITY TAXPAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, New Orleans, April 18, 1871.

TAXPAYERS OF THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS who have not yet paid their taxes for the year of 1870 are again reminded that the time is rapidly passing in which they can settle their tax bills without additional cost.
JOHN S. WALTON,
ap18 Administrator of Finance.

POUND NOTICES.

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE, New Orleans, May 6, 1871.

WERE BROUGHT TO THE SECOND DISTRICT Pound, corner of Orleans and Claiborne streets—
One (1) Red Cow, without horns, marked "W" on right hip.
One (1) White and Black spotted Cow, long horns.
One (1) Brown Cow, long horns.
One (1) White and Yellow Cow, star on the forehead, blind in one eye.
One (1) White and Black Cow, cropped ears, long horns.
Which, if not claimed within five days, and the expenses thereon paid, will be sold at public auction at said pound, on WEDNESDAY, May 10, 1871, at twelve o'clock M.
JAMES LEWIS,
No. 71—my6 4t Administrator.

WOOD---COAL.

FIELD & BELL, (SPENCER FIELD, JR.—WALTER O. BELL.)
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
Pittsburg, Anthracite and English Cannel COAL,
Also, ASH, OAK and PINE WOOD. Steamships, steamboats, cotton presses, foundries and families promptly supplied at the lowest market rates. Main office 147 Camp street, corner Girod. Branch office 251 Magazine street near Poydras. se3 1y

LEGAL NOTICES.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

THE STATE OF LOUISIANA, TO ALL WHOM it may concern—Greeting:

Whereas, Alfred Penn, of the city of New Orleans, having purchased at a public sale made by William De Lacy, auctioneer for the parish of Orleans, on the first day of April, 1871, the property hereinafter described, has applied to this court for a monition or advertisement, in conformity with law (Revised Statutes, sections 2379 to 2390)—

Now, therefore, know ye, and all persons interested herein, are hereby cited and admonished, in the name of the State of Louisiana and of the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, who can set up any right, title or claim in and to the property hereinafter described, in consequence of any informality in the order, decree or judgment of the court under which the sale was made, or any irregularity or illegality in the appraisements and advertisements, in time or manner of sale, or for any other defect whatsoever, to show cause, within thirty days from the day this monition is first inserted in the public papers, why the sale so made should not be confirmed and homologated.

The said property was sold by the auctioneer aforesaid by virtue of a decree of this court rendered on the tenth of February, 1871, and signed on the sixteenth February, 1871, in the matter entitled Mary Schafers, wife of George W. Young, vs. Anna Fink, wife of J. Joachim and J. Joachim, her husband, et al., No. 34,258 of the docket of this court, and of a decree rendered by said court on the sixth February, 1871, in the matter of the succession of William Schafers, No. 30,907 of the docket of this honorable court; at which sale the said Alfred Penn became the purchaser for the sum of seven thousand ($7000) dollars.

Description of the property as contained on the judicial conveyance:

One lot of ground with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the First District of this city, in the square bounded by Peters (late New Levee), Tchoupitoulas, Race and Orange streets, and forming the corner of Orange and Peters streets, designated by the No. 6, on a plan by C. A. deArnaus, surveyor, third of May, 1869, and deposited in the office of A. Duriocourt, notary in this city, according to which plan the said lot measures 72 feet 3 inches and 4 lines front on Peters street, 154 feet front on Orange street, 141 feet 2 inches and 4 lines on the side dividing it from lot No. 5, and 36 feet 6 inches and 1 line on the rear line.

Witness our hands and the seal of this court.
J. DUVIGNEAUD, Judge.
M. O. TRACY, Clerk. my5 19 je3
New Orleans, May 4, 1871.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES.

DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA.