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AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

BY LOUIS STERN & BROS., at 10 o'clock, at No. 16 Chartres street, 600 cases boots, shoes and brogans, and fifty cases ladies', men's and children's hats.

Local Intelligence.

HORSE THIEVES.—In Arkansas in former times killing a man entailed no particular punishment, but if a fellow stole a bit of horse flesh he was very apt to take an everlasting swing, provided he was caught In this community neither crime is really serious, even if the perpetrator be arrested, but if the rascal who stole Administrator Shaw's fine bay horse from a lot near the Marine Hospital were captured there is little doubt but that the Masicot Hotel would receive a boarder.

Mr. Kittredge, who thinks New Orleans a better city than Mobile, left yesterday for the latter place to prepare the community for the Wyndham Comedy Troupe. After that he will return home for the summer, to let his beard grow and take time to eat a few round meals at leisure.

Mr. Jones, a hand on the Mobile steamer, who was drowned at the lake end recently, had voluntarily jumped into the water to recover the hat of a passenger and swam well, but might have taken a cramp, as he went under three times, no one on the vessel making an effort to get out a boat to save him. An eye-witness says that the utter lack of effort to rescue him is shameful. Deceased leaves a family in Mobile.

George McNoughton, a trifler with firearms, goes to the Criminal Court to answer for carrying concealed weapons.

E. Merle's case was continued until the last day of this month, he neither appearing himself nor being represented by counsel yesterday before Recorder Houghton.

Mlle. J. Ray was shown the inside room of an iron-barred prison, as a foolish supposition exists in the mind of a steamboatman that she stole about two hundred greenback dollars from him.

Hypocrisy in high places is despicable; the absence of it in low places is equally bad.

The young gentlemen who compose the Harmony Social Club will next Sunday entertain their numerous friends on Oakland Race Course by giving a May festival, where some unusual sports will be indulged in. The members are fully capable and willing to give an entertainment suitable to the tastes of almost any class. We are indebted to the managers for an invitation.

C. H. Rariden, the person arrested for repeatedly visiting different educational institutions under circumstances which were regarded as not only suspicious but dangerous, was arraigned by Recorder Weber yesterday and placed under peace bonds of five hundred dollars. The witnesses testified to the fact that he had called at their establishments and pretended that he wished to place his daughter at school.

CRIMINAL COURT.—William Peterson, charged with burglary and larceny, was convicted of larceny, but recommended to the mercy of the court.

Paul Benson was convicted of larceny.

The cases of Frank McShea and J. C. Culver, charged with assault and battery with a dangerous weapon, were continued until the twenty-third instant.

Charles Edwards pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and battery.

Charles Kendall, who pleaded guilty of carrying concealed weapons, was sentenced under section 932 of the act No. 96 of the fourteenth of March, 1870, to ten cents fine, or one hour in the Parish Prison.

The two employes of the Chattanooga Railroad Company, Jacob Kimmich and Edward Shedwick, who had run over, on the nineteenth of March, and killed a boy—Felix Vigneaud—on Elysian Fields street, and against whom the Grand Jury found a true bill for manslaughter, were discharged on a nolle prosequi.

The case of Jane Durnin, the old woman who killed her husband with an ax, in November, 1870, on Clara street, and who is indicted for manslaughter, was again continued until the nineteenth instant, on account of absent witnesses, for whom attachments have been issued

Lionel Macarty, charged with assault and battery on a little white girl, Lizzie Felinger, was released on $500 bonds.

LARCENY.—Officer Mayfield arrested, yesterday morning, Gustave Vanchon, charging him with shoplifting, in stealing from a store of Mr. Louis Schwabacher, on Customhouse street, near Chartres, seven pieces of ribbon, valued at four dollars and fifty cents. The owner of the store caught the thief in the act, and calling Officer Mayfield, the latter took him to the Jackson Square station. Recorder Staes remanded accused to the Parish Prison in default of bonds.

THE CAR CASES.—The case of Felix Bollmann, charged with killing Mary Ann White, three years old, by running over her with car No. 106 of the Dauphine street line, at the corner of Dauphine and Independence streets, Saturday afternoon, May 6, has been disposed of by Recorder Leclerc by sending the accused before the Criminal Court on the charge of manslaughter. H. C. Castellanos for prosecution.

The case of Charles Dale, who run over and killed John Silva, aged eighteen months, on the same day, with car No. 59, Canal and Claiborne street line, has not been concluded before the Recorder.

ACQUITTED.—Albert Sowdoski, sent to the Criminal Court on the charge of having appropriated fifty-three dollars worth of crockery and glassware belonging to C. Taylor Gauche, has been acquitted by a jury of the Criminal Court.

LABORERS FOR THE PARK.—The *Picayune* states that Administrator Bonzano has written a letter to Dr. A. W. Smyth, one of the Park Commissioners, in which he suggests that an application to the city authorities on the part of the Commissioners for laborers for the City Park, to be obtained out of the City Workhouse, will no doubt receive favorable consideration.

A NEW INVENTION.—Yesterday we were a witness at the New Orleans Cotton Exchange of the operation of the Pope & Edison American printing telegraph, devised particularly for the use of business men by which to communicate with their depots or warehouses. The machine is simple in the extreme, and any intelligent boy employed as an errand boy can be taught the use of the instrument in a single half hour. In addition to this facility for private use, the instrument can be used as a printer, a dial, or a Morse alphabet transmitter, combining, in fact, all of the later improvements in telegraphy, and concentrating them in one simple arrangement. It is certainly the most complete success in modern telegraphy that we have ever seen, as we have proved by trying it ourselves. Mr. Thomas J. Rodgers, the gentlemenly agent of the proprietors, will with pleasure show the working of this great desideratum to the mercantile community.

SMALL SMUGGLING.—We copy this from the *Picayune:*

A rather amusing case came up before United States Commissioner Weller yesterday morning. The chief cook of the Bremen steamship Frankfurt had been arrested on a charge of smuggling. The poor fellow, apparently not well versed in the American code of laws, had taken two boxes of German cigars on shore, with the intention of presenting them to a friend. He was observed, and taken into custody. The total value of the cigars was, in American currency, three dollars and a half. The accused was apparently much frightened, but, after United States Treasury Agent Kinsella had been sent for, and had assisted in investigating the grave charge, he was released on $100 bail to appear before the next term of the United States Circuit Court. The law in these cases makes no distinction as to the amount of goods smuggled; hence the trouble in which the cook from over the sea so unexpectedly became involved.

CLOSING OF THE FAIR.—There was a pleasant gathering in Odd Fellows' Hall last night, the last of the fair. The room was as full as it could well be of generous citizens, who exerted themselves in the hope of increasing the fund which is to build a schoolhouse for St. Patrick's parish. The fair has been tolerably successful, for the treasury has received solid additions. The lady managers deserve praise for their untiring efforts in the cause, but they are rewarded in knowing that success has crowned their efforts. The silver punch bowl, voted to the favorite st amboat, was gained by the Governor Allen, but the J. T. Moore and R. E. Lee followed close enough not to be distanced.

Mechanics' Fire Company No. 6, by successfully and artfully stuffing the ballot-box, elected themselves owners of a splendid silver pitcher. Other companies proved pretty fair voters, but they did not back up their pretensions with a sufficient number of early-and-often voters. Most of the goods remaining unsold will be disposed of at auction or otherwise. Now that the fair is closed many will miss a favorite resort for an evening's entertainment. Unmitigated social politicians will lament the absence of a place to practice innocent voting, and before election day they will be completely out of practice, unless another fair should extend a relieving hand within a short time.

CHILD RESCUED.—A little child of Mr. Gish fell into the river yesterday evening, about seven o'clock, from the Canal street ferryboat, just as the boat was about to land at Algiers. The accident was caused by the stupidity of an attendant of the child. The little one was saved by the gallantry of a fireman on board the Little Jerry, who at once plunged into the river between the boat and the wharf, at the imminent risk of being crushed, and after great exertion succeeded in saving the child.

Recorder Staes has sent Thomas Barter to the Criminal Court to answer for stealing forty dollars from No. 117 Conti street a few days ago.

EXPLANATION.—The *Picayune* of yesterday explains:

The circumstances connected with the execution of the two Spaniards, as mentioned in our edition of yesterday evening, requires a modification. Our informant was evidently laboring under a mistake when he told us that the merchant from whom the rope had been purchased had witnessed the execution, to the mental effects of which upon his mind his sudden decease was attributable. We are assured that the deceased gentleman was not present at the execution; in fact, that he was not in the habit of witnessing such revolting spectacles, and that his death was simply caused by apoplexy.

Death of Judge Lewis.

The Minden *Democrat* brings us the following particulars of the death of Judge Lewis:

We are called upon to chronicle the painful intelligence of the death of Hon. John L. Lewis, Judge of the Eighteenth Judicial District. He was enjoying his usual good health up to Friday, the fifth instant, and on the morning of that day was out in town attending to his business, but about noon went to his bed with a chill. His attack was violent and alarming from the first—great congestion of the brain with heart trouble. He was attended by Drs. Harper, Hamilton and Hunter. He lived until Monday night at nine o'clock, and was confined to his bed but little over three days. This sudden death in the midst of life of an estimable gentleman and an old and prominent citizen casts a deep gloom over our town. His funeral the following day was the largest ever known in the place. All places of business were closed, and the church bells of the different denominations were tolled.

The New Orleans correspondent of the Monroe *Intelligencer* writes:

Governor Dunn, who is for the time being assuming the gubernatorial mantle, has refused to reprieve or commute the sentence of the two men awaiting execution, and we suppose they will be hung to-day. We think Governor Dunn has acted wisely in this instance in refusing to reprieve, because, in the first place, if death was ever merited or capital punishment justifiable, it certainly is in this instance, for the two men were convicted of a horrible and fiendish murder.

We think our citizens owe Governor Dunn a debt of gratitude on account of the courage and fortitude he has displayed in refusing to intercept or delay the course of justice. Knowing the kind and tender heart of Governor Dunn, we can realize how very painful a trial the refusal to stay the hand of justice must have been to him in this instance.

Governor Dunn's kindness of heart is proverbial, and if a policeman is to be put upon trial for misdemeanor, he is sure to appeal to Mr. Dunn to be present, and all have found in him a kind and merciful judge; but since Mr. Dunn's recent display of firmness in the case of the two condemned criminals, we think they will all stand a little in awe of his excellency.

All our citizens approve of the course pursued by Governor Dunn, and think from the frequent and terrible crimes that have followed each other in such rapid succession, that the people needed a similar example made of some of the perpetrators of crime as the one to be given to-day. May God show more mercy to their miserable souls than they did to that of their poor victim whom they sent to the presence of its Creator without one moment's preparation.

The San Antonio *Express* of a late date says:

Seven wagon loads of cotton passed through our town yesterday, to join a train of some twenty-five more wagons, camped outside of town, and ready to leave for Mexico. There is still an immense amount of cotton in the country, which the planters are holding in expectation of higher prices.

WADE HAMPTON'S HOME.

A Picture of Ruin and Desolation in South Carolina.

[From a Columbia Letter to Cincinnati Commercial.]

I walked on some three miles from the city, and was directed by some children to the hill to the right of the road, where are the ruins of General Hampton's famous residence—famous because beautiful and costly, and the former home of the most distinguished descendant of a distinguished family. Before the war the Hamptons were the first of the first families, having descended from a long line of ancestors wealthy and warlike.

The old original Hampton was a revolutionary general, and the family have since kept up the reputation he gained as fighting stock. I turned from the road up among the trees as directed, and in a short distance came to the ruins. The site was magnificent. From the top of this hill or rise of ground the country spread out before you, visible in all directions. To the west Columbia lay enshrouded in trees, and to the east and north a landscape of rare loveliness presented itself. But the looks of the place itself was in sad contrast to what could be seen from it.

Nothing is left of what was an elegant mansion but four stout pillars and a great mass of blackened brick thrown into a confused heap. The house was large, and is said to have been filled from cellar to garret with all that was costly and historic. Here were gathered the trophies and "heirlooms" of one of the oldest, wealthiest and most distinguished families in South Carolina. But in February, 1864, the house and its contents were reduced to ashes by the cavalry of Sherman's army. Hampton has never rebuilt, having been reduced to the verge of bankruptcy by the war.

The surrounding grounds were once beautiful, and remnants of their beauty remain to this day. It is said that Hampton expended sixty thousand dollars in laying out and beautifying these grounds. All around the ruins of the house are walks and drives, shaded by the numerous trees and shrubbery that grow so luxuriantly in this Southern clime. But for seven years these grounds have been turned out to the common. Cattle roam over them at pleasure, and no one seems to have cared to prevent it. The hedges have grown stiff and rank and out of shape, the cedars and pines and "box trees" sadly show the need of attention, but are still beautiful. The flowers are nearly all killed out, only now one blooming here and there, making the surrounding desolation still more impressive.

Imagine that which was once a minature Garden of Eden turned out to the cattle, the shrubbery eaten down, the flowers and small plants trampled over, the trees untrimmed, the graveled walks grown up in weeds and brambles, the hedges broken and scattered, and you have some idea of "Millwood" now. There was a row of frame houses near, formerly the servants' apartments, but all deserted. Desolation and silence reigned supreme. Seeing a small house some distance away, that looked as though it might be inhabited, I walked toward it. A small boy was playing in the yard.

"Who lives here?" I asked.

"Mother," he replied, apparently startled at the appearance of a stranger at that desolate looking place. A lady came to the door, evidently of the "poor white" persuasion.

"That house in ruins was formerly Wade Hampton's, was it not?" I inquired.

"Yes, there's where the general lived before the war. But the Yankees, they tore everything up about the place and burned the house. They seemed to have more spite against the Hamptons than anybody else. They destroyed three fine houses belonging to the family. One was where the general's sister lived, and was mighty nigh as fine a place as this. Then they burned up Frank Hampton's house. The general himself is now at the West, but we look for him back some time this month."

I wandered around through what were, ten years ago, beautiful parks and gardens, although now hardly to be recognized as such, down to the road, and away from the desolate place.

How the old families have been broken up and scattered! The former home of the Hamptons is now a desolate hill, and the family is no longer the power in the land that it once was. The Prestons, Middletons, Pinkneys and Rhetts have all been reduced from their high estates. They are no longer the rulers of South Carolina.

Band of Indians Dispersed.

Adjutant General Davidson, of Texas, issues the following congratulatory order from the headquarters of the State, at Austin, May 11:

On the fourth day of May, 1871, Sergeant R. N. Parker and eleven men of Company B, (Captain Cox) Frontier Forces, engaged and completely defeated and dispersed a band of Indians, estimated at from thirty-five to forty warriors, and recapturing forty horses which had been stolen by the Indians in the town of Palo Pinto. Sergeant Parker and four of his men, viz: Privates William Watson, Calom Bottenhouse, F. M. Clark and John Haywood were wounded.

Comment upon the action of this little band is unnecessary. The Governor, however, desires to express in General Orders his high appreciation of the indomitable bravery displayed by them in this engagement; against overwhelming odds in the face of every disadvantage, a handful of the frontier troops have taught these savages a lesson which they will not soon forget, and such action is deserving of emulation on the part of the other companies of the frontier forces, whose duty it is to free the frontier from the ravages of these savages and establish peace and safety in that locality.

This order will be published at the first parade of each company of the frontier forces after its receipt.

The Vicksburg *Times* says:

The silver spike commemorating the completion of the Chattanooga and Mobile railroad was driven on Monday last at 12 M. The lines running north from Meridian and south from Chattanooga, met at Walnut Springs, where the ceremony was performed in the presence of a large concourse of interested spectators. Large trains went out from the two termini accompanied by bands of music, appropriate speeches were made, and in the midst of general rejoicing the great work was pronounced finished. Thus another link in the chain that binds the North to the South in the friendship of commercial unity has been forged, and another artery from the great heart of the nation opened out to revivify and energise its extremities. Hereafter one of the great northern highways from the whole southwest will lie through Vicksburg, Meridian, and Chattanooga. With the Texas Pacific now insured, and the North Louisiana completed and virtually incorporated with it, as the sale noticed yesterday makes it certain that it will be, Vicksburg has assuredly a proud future before her.

Our contemporary, the *Times*, has this pleasant notice of legislation in a neighboring State:

Among other acts passed at the last session of the Mississippi Legislature, was one to incorporate the Harrison Harbor Company, investing it with very valuable franchises. It is the object of this company to convert Mississippi City into a great harbor, accessible to vessels drawing twenty feet of water. This is to be done by dredging a channel through to the deep water basin lying north of Ship island, a work that could be accomplished at a small expense. The company also contemplate the reclamation of a vast quantity of now submerged land, very valuable for residences and building purposes, the erection of docks, warehouses, wharves, yards and all other improvements incident to the establishment of a great seaport. This scheme, now to be practically carried out for the first time, has been a favorite with engineers for half a century past, but whether it is destined to succeed or not, only the test of time and experience can determine.

Mrs. Blaine, the accomplished wife of the Speaker, had a difficulty with Mrs. Stockton, the charming better half of the Senator, about a cook. Meeting at a dinner table with only the Hon. Fernando Wood between them, Mrs. Stockton, leaning forward, said: "I am sorry, Mrs. Blaine, that we have anything disagreeable between us." The honorable Fernando was considerably embarrassed, not having heard the interesting story of the cook.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Knights of Pythias.—The Grand Lodge of the State of Louisiana will meet at Ætna Hall, No. 3 Carondelet street, on SATURDAY, the twentieth instant, at 7 P. M., for the purpose of adopting constitutions and by-laws. All Past Chancellors are requested to attend.
By order of the Acting Grand Chancellor:
WILLIAM F. DUNHAM.
H. CLARENCE, Gr. R. and C. S. my17 20

Special Notice.—I will pay only those bills that are contracted by my written order.
my19 3t F. MASICH.

New Orleans Academy of Sciences.—At a meeting of the Academy, held on Monday, May 15, 1871, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That this Academy, through the medium of all the newspapers in the State of Louisiana that will publish the same gratuitously, offer the following prizes for collections of entomology within the State of Louisiana, and descriptive essays accompanying the same, to wit:

1. A prize of One Hundred Dollars for the best collection of insects peculiar or indigenous to the State of Louisiana; the insects to be shown, as much as possible, in their various stages of development—eggs, larva, chrysalis and perfect insect. In judging, a preference will be given to those collections which most successfully illustrate the life, history, habits, propagation and alimentation of the insect, as also any of its peculiarities, whether shown by specimens, drawings, models or other means.

2. A second prize of Fifty Dollars for the second best collection; and

3. A third prize of Twenty-five Dollars for the third best collection.

Each collection is to be accompanied by a descriptive essay of the insects exhibited, and must be subscribed with the name of the competitor.

The collections and essays to be sent to the Recording Secretary of the Academy, on or before the first day of June, A. D. 1872, to be transmitted by him to the Chairman of the Prize Committee, which shall consist of five fellows, all of whom shall be immediately appointed by the President.

The Academy shall be entitled to take from any of the collections and essays sent in, whether successful or not, any portion thereof it may choose, at a price to be fixed by the Prize Committee.

The Prize Committee shall have power to decline awarding any prizes, should the collections seem not worthy.

PRIZE COMMITTEE:
V. O. King, M. D., Chairman.
J. B. Robertson, Gustave Kohn,
A. F. McLain, M. D., John Kruttschnitt.
A true copy from the minutes.
ALBERT G BLANCHARD,
Recording Secretary.

All papers favorable to the purposes implied in the foregoing resolution will please give it an occasional insertion during the period fixed for the preparation of collections. my18

New Orleans, May 16, 1871.—Forfeited pledges to the Loan and Pledge Association will be sold by public auction to the highest bidder, at the office of said association, on FRIDAY, the twenty-sixth day of May, 1871, between the hours of ten A. M. and two P. M.
By order.
J. W. HILLMAN, Cashier. E. B. BENTON, President. my16

Office Crescent City Live Stock Landing and Slaughterhouse Company, New Orleans, May 12, 1871.—The stockholders of this company having decided by vote on the eleventh of May, 1871, to reduce the capital stock from $2,000,000 to $1,000,000, the shares to be $50 each, the holders of stock are requested to present their certificates at the office of the company as soon as practicable for exchange and transfer. By order of
C. CAVAROC, President.
D. E. SCRIBNER, Secretary. my13

To the Creditors of the First National Bank of New Orleans:

Hon. H. R. Hulburd, Controller of the Currency, has determined to pay a dividend of fifteen per cent. A few claims as to which there may be some question are excepted from the order.

The Receiver is instructed to compute the amount on each claim, fill out a proper check, and when all are prepared send them to the Controller for his signature, who will return them to the Receiver to be delivered to the proper parties upon their execution of receipts as prescribed.

If there are any parties who hold the Receiver's certificates by assignment, not yet entered on his books, they are notified to prove up such assignments and take the proper certificates. Notice will be given as soon as the checks are ready for delivery.
my12 6t C. CASE, Receiver.

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,
my3 28t 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

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. fe14 1y

POLITICAL NOTICES.

Tenth Ward Radical Republican Club.—An election for officers of this Club was held at Forrest's Church, corner of St. Mary and Fulton streets, on Wednesday, May 17, 1871, when the following gentlemen were elected by a large majority:

Battle Payne, President; Edmond Flood, First Vice President; Charles Bibbs, Second Vice President; R. T. Kirby, Third Vice President; Charles Thomas, Fourth Vice President; F. Otto, Treasurer; Mark Johnson, Sergeant-at-Arms; George Dupasso, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms; W. M. Aikman, Secretary; Delegates to Parish Committee, J. R. G. Pitkin, Samuel Bassill, Fred R. Earhart my19 1t

Crescent City Republican Club.—At a meeting of this club, held May 17, 1871, the following officers were elected:

President—A. A. Atocha.
Vice Presidents—John B. Jourdain, Louis Gastinel, Dr. M. P. Avila, John T. Michel, A. Fleury, A. Werner.
Secretary—C. G. Laurant.
Assistant Secretary—Lionel Adams.
Treasurer—E. V. Leclerc.
Sergeant-at-Arms—Peter Phelen.
Assistant Sergeants-at-Arms—Charles Stammeyer, S. H. Penzer, A. McCarthy.
A. A. ATOCHA, President.
C. G. LAURANT, Secretary. my19 1t*

An Adjourned Meeting of the Tenth Ward Radical Republican Club will be held at Forrest's church, corner of Fulton and St. Mary streets, for the election of officers to serve for the ensuing six months, on MONDAY EVENING, May 22, at half-past seven o'clock. Members of the club only will be allowed to participate in the election. JOHN H. BOWES, President.
WILLIAM H. BURROUGHS, Secretary. my16 6t

POUND NOTICES.

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE,
New Orleans, May 18, 1871.

WERE BROUGHT TO THE THIRD DISTRICT Pound, corner of Union and Morales streets—

Two (2) dun colored STEERS.

Which, if not claimed within five days, and the expenses thereon paid, will be sold at public auction at said Pound, on MONDAY, May 22, 1871, at twelve o'clock M.
JAMES LEWIS,
No. 76—my18 4t Administrator

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE,
New Orleans, May 17, 1871.

WERE BROUGHT TO THE FOURTH DISTRICT Pound, on Dryades street, between Jackson and Philip streets—

One (1) White and Red Cow, branded "F. O." on left hip.

One (1) White Cow, with red neck.

Which, if not claimed within five days, and the expenses thereon paid, will be sold at public auction at said pound, on MONDAY, May 22, 1871, at twelve o'clock M. JAMES LEWIS,
No. 75—my17 5t Administrator.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

ESTATE OF FREDERICK SEIP.

OFFICE OF UNITED STATES MARSHAL,
District of Louisiana,
New Orleans, April 26, 1871.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE twenty-eighth day of April, 1871, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Frederick Seip, in the parish of Rapides, and State of Louisiana, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a court of bankruptcy, to be holden at New Orleans, in the Customhouse building, before C. S. Kellogg, Register, on the twenty-ninth day of May A. D. 1871, at nine o'clock A. M.
S. B. PACKARD,
United States Marshal, District of Louisiana.
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ESTATES OF PAUL COOK AND JUSTUS Vairin, Jr., individually, and as members of the firm of Paul Cook & Co., Bankrupts.

OFFICE OF UNITED STATES MARSHAL,
District of Louisiana,
New Orleans, March 22, 1871.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE FIRST day of March, A. D. 1871, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estates of Paul Cook & Co. and Paul Cook and Justus Vairin, Jr., individually, of New Orleans, in the parish of Orleans and State of Louisiana, who have been adjudged bankrupts on their own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupts, to them or for their use, and the transfer of any property by them are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts, to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of their estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at New Orleans, in the Customhouse building, before C. S. Kellogg, Register, on the twenty-fifth day of May, A. D. 1871, at nine o'clock A. M.
S. B. PACKARD,
mh22 my25 United States Marshal.

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

CREDITORS OF THE SUCCESSION OF JOHN Annicich will please present their claims to
P. B. FOUKE,
Public Administrator, No. 13 St. Charles street.
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PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

SUCCESSION OF JAMES D. BEARES.

CREDITORS AND PARTIES INTERESTED IN this succession are notified that the heirs of the deceased have been put in possession by order of the Second District Court for this parish.
P. B. FOUKE,
Public Administrator, No. 13 St. Charles street.
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CITY TEN PER CENT BONDS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
City Hall, New Orleans, May 17, 1871.

THE HOLDERS OF PAST DUE BONDS OF THE city of New Orleans, bearing ten per cent, are requested to present them for payment at the Bank of New Orleans.
JOHN S. WALTON,
my17 5t Administrator of Finance.

FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD.

WHEREAS, INFORMATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED at this office that on the night of the tenth of May, A. D. 1871, between the hours of eleven and twelve o'clock, one Frank Mentiath was foully and brutally murdered, at a store known as the Pioneer Store, situated about two miles below College Point, in the parish of St. James, by some party or parties unknown; and,

WHEREAS, It is alleged that the said party or parties did, at about the same time, willfully and maliciously set fire to and cause the burning of the said store and its contents;

Now, therefore, I, Oscar J. Dunn, Acting Governor of the State of Louisiana, in the name and by the authority of the State, do hereby offer a reward of five hundred dollars ($500) for the arrest and conviction of said party or parties, the same to be paid on presentation of satisfactory proof of arrest and conviction as aforesaid.

Given under my hand and the seal of the State this fifteenth day of May, A. D. 1871, and of the independence of the United States the ninety-fifth.
OSCAR J. DUNN,
Acting Governor of Louisiana.
GEO. E. BOVEE, Secretary of State. my16 39t

TO TAXPAYERS OF THE THIRD DISTRICT.

STATE TAXES OF 1870 AND LICENSES OF 1871 must be paid before the first of next month (June).

All persons failing to comply with the above will be dealt with the utmost rigor according to law.
J. R. CLAY,
State Tax Collector, Third District,
my10 30t No. 9 Esplanade street.

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, 1863, 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. Pool 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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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, 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. Shanhan 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,
my18 Administrator of Finance.

PROPOSALS FOR TRANSPORTATION.

OFFICE DEPOT QUARTERMASTER,
Corner of Camp and South streets,
New Orleans, La., April 21, 1871.

SEALED PROPOSALS, IN TRIPLICATE, WILL be received until TUESDAY, June 13, 1871, for the transportation, by wagons or drays, suitable for the purpose, of all public property which may be required to be hauled in the city of New Orleans and vicinity, until June 30, 1872.

Form of proposal, stating details and requirements, will be furnished by the undersigned.
E. J. STRANG,
Captain and Assistant Quartermaster United States Army. my13 6t

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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PROPOSALS FOR REGULAR SUPPLIES.

OFFICE DEPOT QUARTERMASTER,
Corner Camp and South streets,
New Orleans, La., April 21, 1871.

SEALED PROPOSALS IN TRIPLICATE WILL BE received at this office until TUESDAY, June 20, 1871, for supplying the Quartermaster's Department, Military Division of the South, with such quantities of wood, bituminous coal, corn, oats, hay, straw and stationary as may be required from time to time during the year ending June 30, 1872; the same to be delivered at such points within the city as may be designated.

Forms of proposals, stating details and requirements, will be furnished by the undersigned.
E. J. STRANG,
Captain and Assistant Quartermaster,
my14 6t 4tW United States Army.

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Auditor's Office,
New Orleans, May 13, 1871.

THE FOLLOWING LAW IS PUBLISHED FOR the information of the taxpayers of the city of New Orleans. The taxes of the city to which the said law refers are collected at this office.
JAMES GRAHAM, Auditor.

[No. 34.

AN ACT to release the damages for the non-payment of taxes due previous to the year 1869, and to authorize warrants to be received in payment thereof.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana in general assembly convened, That all the damages awarded by any law for the non-payment of any taxes and licenses due to the State previous to the year eighteen hundred and sixty-nine be, and are hereby remitted and released; provided, said taxes and licenses shall be fully paid by the thirty-first day of December, 1871; otherwise the damages to stand unremitted, and to remain in full force.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, etc., That all the taxes and licenses referred to in the first section of this act, including taxes assessed for any of the special funds, shall, when collected, be credited to the general fund, and may be paid in warrants of the Auditor of Public Accounts on the State Treasurer.

SEC. 3. Be it further enacted, etc., That the collectors of State taxes shall publish this act in the official journal in each parish thirty days before they commence collecting.

SEC. 4. Be it further enacted, etc., That this act shall take effect from and after its passage.

(Signed) GEORGE W. CARTER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
(Signed) OSCAR J. DUNN,
Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate.
Approved April 8, 1871.
(Signed) H. C. WARMOTH,
Governor of the State of Louisiana.
A true copy:
GEO. E. BOVEE, Secretary of State.
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OFFICIAL NOTICES.

[No. 359—Administration Series.]

An ordinance providing for the settlement of accounts therein named.

Be it ordained, That the Administrator of Public Accounts be and is hereby authorized to settle with the holders of the following claims, at the option of said holders, by the issue of certificates under ordinance No. 497, Administration series:

New Orleans Republican, for advertising in memoriam, $3.

New Orleans Republican, for twelve months' subscription to daily for the Treasurer's office, $16.

New Orleans Republican, for advertising notice to veterans, $4 50.

New Orleans Republican, for printing and advertising for the Board of Police Commissioners, $74.

New Orleans Republican, for six copies daily for the city of New Orleans, from October 29, 1868, to October 29, 1869, approved by the late finance committee, $72.

Grima & Stark, for copy of compromise between the heirs of Chalon and Madam Pontalba, approved by the late finance committee, $22.

John C. Stewart, for sand and lime, approved by the late finance committee, $18 85.

E. Gottlieb, for a die of the seal of the late mayoralty, approved by J. R. Conway, Mayor, $60.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, May 16, 1871.
BENJ. F. FLANDERS, Mayor.
A true copy:
H. CONQUEST CLARKE, Secretary. my19 1t

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS,
City Hall, May 18, 1871.

[No. 361—Administration Series.]

An ordinance providing for the payment of the several accounts therein named.

Be it ordained, That the following appropriations be and are hereby made, and that the Administrator of Public Accounts warrant on the Administrator of Finance in payment of the same:

John S. Walton, Administrator, for cash advanced to defray law charges, as per voucher attached, $281 30.

New Orleans Times, for advertising notice to taxpayers, approved by the Administrator of Finance, $21.

Vandegriff & Clark, for matches and soap, approved by the Administrator of Finance, $2 10.

German Gazette, for advertising notice to taxpayers, approved by the Administrator of Finance, $9 75.

New Orleans Republican Printing Company, for advertising notices and printing check books for the Department of Finance, approved by the Administrator, $112.

New Orleans Republican Printing Company, for advertising proposals for banquette and shells, approved by the Administrator of Improvements, $32.

J. F. Barthelmy, Louis St. Martin and C. W. Culbertson, for services as commissioners in the matter of opening Chartres street, $150 each, $450.

Dr. S. S. Herrick, for making chemical analysis of stomach of John E. Newton, approved by Administrator of Police, $40