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AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

BY SHERIFF SAUVINET, at 12 o'clock, at Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, four lots of ground and buildings on Clay and Front streets—New Orleans Mutual Insurance Company vs. B. J. Berkery; schooner Linda, her tackle, etc.

BY R. M. & B. J. MONTGOMERY, at 11 A. M., at Old Auction Mart, No. 87 Camp street, a general assortment of new and second-hand furniture.

Local Intelligence.

OFFICIAL MORTUARY REPORT.—Dr. S. C. Russell, secretary of the Board of Health, reports that the whole number of deaths in this city for the week ending Sunday evening at six o'clock was 128. One died of apoplexy, 7 of bronchitis, 2 of burns, 1 of catarrh, 3 of congestion of brain, 1 of congestion of lungs, 19 of consumption, 1 of delirium tremens, 2 of diarrhea, 2 of acute diarrhea, 1 of chronic diarrhea, 2 of dropsy, 1 drowned, 2 of dysentery, 1 of congestive fever, 2 of pernicious fever, 3 of typhoid fever, 1 of hemorrhage, 1 of hemorrhage of lungs, 2 of heart disease, 3 of valvular heart disease, 1 of enlargement of heart, 2 of injuries, 1 disease of kidneys, 2 of measles, 5 of old age, 1 of paralysis, 19 of pneumonia, 1 of rheumatism, 1 of softening of brain, 1 of suffocation, 2 of gunshot wounds. Thirty-two were interred from public institutions, and twenty on certificates of coroners.

MASONIC.—The list of the newly elected officers of the Grand Lodge has previously been published. The newly elected officers of the Grand Chapter are as follows:

M. E. Girard, Grand High Priest, Vermilionville.

Joseph P. Hornor, Deputy High Priest, New Orleans.

William Richie Whitaker, Grand King, New Orleans.

William Robson, Grand Scribe, Shreveport.

Henry T. Swasey, Grand Treasurer, New Orleans.

James C. Batchelor, M. D., Grand Secretary, New Orleans.

Rev. R. S. Trippet, D. D., Grand Chaplain, Shreveport.

Joseph H. DeGrange, Grand Captain of the Host, New Orleans.

Henry Hamburger, Grand Principal Sojourner, New Orleans.

William W. Leake, Grand Royal Arch Captain, St. Francisville.

John G. Williams, Grand Master of Third Veil, Shreveport.

John L. Barrett, Grand Master of Second Veil, Farmerville.

James Todd, Grand Master of First Veil, Franklin.

R. S. Burke, Grand Guard, New Orleans.

The new officers of the Grand Council Royal and Select Masters are as follows:

Hugh Breen, M. P. G. Master, New Orleans.

William Robson, Deputy P. G. Master, Shreveport.

Amos Kent, T. J. G. Master, Tangipahoa.

James Todd, G. P. C. W., Franklin.

Jos. H. DeGrange, G. C. of G., New Orleans.

Richard Lambert, G. Treasurer, New Orleans.

Rev. T. B. Lawsen, G. Chaplain, Monroe.

J. L. Barrett, G. Conductor, Farmerville.

C. A. Frazer, G. Steward, Franklin.

R. S. Burke, G. Sentinel, New Orleans.

For the Grand Commandory of Knights Templars, the newly elected officers are:

Richard Lambert, Grand Commander.

William R. Whitaker, Deputy Grand Commander.

Hugh Breen, Grand Generalissimo.

Jos. H. DeGrange, Grand Captain General.

Rev. J. C. Carpenter, Grand Prelate.

John H. Clarke, Grand Senior Warden.

William L. Stanford, Grand Junior Warden.

E. Blessey, Grand Treasurer.

Gustavus Sontag, Grand Recorder.

George Baldy, Grand Standard Bearer.

Zeb. M. Pike, Grand Sword Bearer.

Thomas Cripps, Grand Warden.

R. S. Bush, Grand Captain of Guard.

CHIMNEY FIRE.—About half past eight o'clock last evening a chimney in house No. 156 St. Peter street blazed out like a rocket, so grand and hot that the top burst, endangering the building. The house is occupied by Nunez as an oyster shop. Damage trifling.

COTTON.—John Williams and John Hart, loyal to old King Cotton, seeing a lonely bale without a guardsman, took it out of the damp air, and then they were served ditto. When before Recorder Houghton, on complaint of D. Pendegrast, they waived examination, willing to go to a jury without further trouble.

Dr. Choppin, still suffering from the loss of blood, is unable to leave his dwelling. His wife yesterday made an affidavit against Petrie, the burglar. It is confidently expected that this affair will surely send Petrie to the Penitentiary for at least five years.

RABID.—Mr. Peter Watson's five year old daughter, living at the Fortier plantation, below Algiers, was bitten by a dog supposed to be rabid. Mr. Watson shot the beast.

The alarm of fire about eight o'clock on Sunday evening was a bit of malicious mischief.

MALICE.—One morning last week a good-natured cab driver, on visiting his stable to hitch up for a day's work, was severely shocked at finding the leather covering of his vehicle cut into strips, as if done by a hand impelled by bitter spite. His sensitive conscience instantly told him who the perpetrator was, and all he could do was to seek redress through the law. An affidavit partly unburdened his troubled mind. She, for it was a she, was arrested, and soon after the prosecutor was suing for her release, which he obtained. This accomplished, the cuts were mended through the healing salve contained in love and lucre.

THE NEXT SENSATION.—Now that Mardi Gras has passed, the Grand Duke departed, St. Valentine over, and the Fifty-one spouted, there is no great chance for a sensation until the fourth of March, when our firemen will put on their best attire and display themselves and machines for public inspection. Already the several companies are preparing to show us how fine they can look. Four or five companies will come over from Mobile to be guests here, and they will be made to rejoice before they return home. The great day is only two weeks off.

Poor Peter Pilger, the demented man who jumped into the river to find relief in death, called at the first precinct station-house yesterday, claiming protection from the police, when it was discovered that he was quite insane.

CRIMINAL COURT.—In the case of Vincent de Bernard, charged with shooting at a police officer, the District Attorney, after several witnesses had been examined, entered a nolle prosequi. The accused was discharged.

John Fleming, alias Manning, convicted of larceny, was sentenced to ten days Parish Prison.

William Davis, convicted of having stolen a box of sweet oil, valued at $7, from P. S. Armitage, was sentenced to one year hard labor in the State Renitentiary.

John T. Clark, who had pleaded guilty to assault and battery on Lavinia Clark, had his sentence continued until the twenty-fourth instant.

James Music, charged with carrying a concealed weapon, who had pleaded guilty, was sentenced to pay a fine of $25, or, in default thereof, to go down to the Parish Prison for two weeks.

August Ficke, who had carried a slung-shot and pleaded guilty, was sentenced to pay a fine of $50 or go down to the Parish Prison for one calendar month. Ficke had committed a disturbance of the peace on board of his ship, and when arrested a slung shot was found on his person.

William Jones, alias Brady, alias Morris, who pleaded guilty to an assault and battery on L. Rieman, was sentenced to four months Parish Prison.

The District Attorney filed the following informations:

Thomas Smith, alias McElroy, robbery.

Henry Johnson, assault and battery; same, larceny.

Pat Egan, carrying a concealed weapon, and assault with a dangerous weapon.

Jack Green, assault with a dangerous weapon.

Philip Ray, assault and battery.

John Newton, larceny.

Charles Williams, alias Brown, larceny.

William Collins, carrying a concealed weapon.

Coroner Creagh held an inquest at No. 153 Howard street, on the body of Bridget Lanahan, aged thirty-two years, a native of Ireland. Cause of death, burns caused by the bed taking fire from a candle which the deceased had with her. She is supposed to have been seized with temporary insanity or epilepsy, to which she was subject, and in this state to have fired the bed. The accident took place on the second instant.

A BIG LAW SUIT IMMINENT.—It is understood that one of the fertilizing companies will at once institute a suit against Mayor Flanders for heavy damages. It seems that the worthy Mayor has been infringing upon corporate rights by causing water closets to be placed at certain street corners, in contravention of the interests of companies that have been authorized by law to have charge of such institutions. When the ill-looking, churn-like structures first appeared, the restaurateurs thought a new kind of mushroom had sprung into existence; but a closer examination undeceived them, much to their disgust.

Now that Mr. C. T. Howard has authorized the announcement that the cistern like water closets at the corners of the streets are not to be used for the drawings of the Louisiana Lottery, public curiosity is on tip-toe to know what they are for. We suspect they have been put up for boys on a lark to pull down, and they save signs and door-knobs.

THE COURTS.

Yesterday was the first day of the February term in the United States District Court.

In the libel against the steamer Great Republic by J. M. Thompson, "the libel is dismissed, the release bond canceled, the defendant paying costs."

The schooner Admiral Farragut is ordered to be sold by the marshal within ten days' notice.

Joseph C. Gilmore, Esq., was admitted to practice.

In the United States Circuit Court, the grand jury not having agreed upon any bills, will meet again to-day.

In the suit of Bouisson against the city, in the Sixth District Court, plaintiff sued the city, as legatee of the city of Lafayette, for certain plans made by him while he was City Surveyor, in order to lay off some unimproved property. Judge Cooley said:

I have not been able to discover under what law the city of Lafayette was indebted to the plaintiff. He was acting at the time as Surveyor under appointment of the Council, and there is no evidence to show that this work was anything extra beyond the duties which he undertook to perform when he accepted the office.

In the absence of any evidence that it was extra, I must take it for granted that, being in the line of duty generally performed by the City Surveyor, it was performed by him as City Surveyor, and for the salary attached to the office. If, therefore, the city of Lafayette did not owe him anything, the city of New Orleans does not owe him anything, and there must be judgment in favor of defendant.

Alfred E. Billings has entered suit in the Eighth District Court against William Weber, praying for a writ of injunction forbidding Weber from interfering with petitioner in the possession of the office of Recorder of the Fourth District. Petitioner avers that the office has been declared vacant by the City Council, and he has been commissioned by Governor Warmoth. Judge Dibble has ordered that defendant show cause on Saturday, the twenty-fourth instant, why he should not be enjoined and restrained from interfering with plaintiff in the possession of said office.

On motion, in this Court, of Rufus Waples, attorney for the city—that the mandamus issued herein has been made peremptory, and that the respondents, the Ship Island Canal Company, consisting of John Lockwood, R. N. Harrison, James L. Thompson, T. P. Stearns, Samuel Bridges, George F. Booth, and John V. Douglass, refuse to obey the mandamus—it is ordered that attachments issue for said respondents, and that they be brought into court Friday next, the twenty-third of February, 1872, at 10 A. M., to show cause why they should not be punished for contempt of court.

The case of Mrs. Henrietta S. Moriit vs. Josephine Fuentes, in reference to some lands in the Third District of this city, the title to which was given by Daniel Clarke to Commodore Porter, of the United States navy, has been fixed for trial to-day. Mrs. Myra C. Gaines is called in warranty and appears in person.

In the case of Thomas Duffy, suing Philadephia Fire Company No. 14, to recover the value of a mule said to have been killed by collision with the company's hose carriage, defendants have filed an answer, denying that any damage was caused plaintiff's mule, and furthermore, that at the time of the collision, the plaintiff's vehicle and animal were not standing in a proper position on the street.

A New Orleans paper says that a young widow in that city, who writes well, "is training herself for an editor." Who is the editor she is training for?—*Exchange.*

The editress last heard from, as in training for a fight, was the lady editor of the *Magnolia*, and her particular opponent was J. Henri Burch, of the Baton Rouge *New Era*.—*Jackson Pilot.*

ANOTHER DISASTER ON THE RIVER.

Sinking of the Steamer Belle Vernon.

The Cincinnati *Times and Chronicle* of the fifteenth says:

The sudden cold snap of night before last caused heavy ice in the river, and the underwriters, fearing further damage, ordered the transfer of the steamers Robert Burns, Juniata and Belle Vernon to Licking river, to be out of the way of the ice in case the river should again freeze up. All were removed except the Juniata, which has been left "on the bank" by the receding water, and could not readily be moved.

At about midnight the Belle Vernon was found to be in a sinking condition, and one of the Champion towboats was immediately sent for to render assistance, but before that boat could raise steam the Belle Vernon had gone under. No ice was running in the Licking, which leaves room for only one supposition as to the cause of her sinking, which is to the effect that a hole was made by the ice while she was being brought across the river during the afternoon. Twelve men were on the boat at the time of the sinking, and, singularly enough, no one was aware of the accident until warned by the lurching of the boat.

She lies with her larboard side to the shore, on the Newport side of the river, at the foot of Bellevue street. The forward part on the same side is out of water, while on the starboard side aft the water is over her guards and in the cabin. Her stern is in deep water. She is careened badly to her larboard side, and looks as though she might turn over, although her owners had some slight hopes that she could be raised.

She is owned by J. J. Darragh, captain, T. J. Darragh, clerk, and James L. Darragh, engineer, each having a one-third interest. The insurance valuation of the boat is about $20,000, and she is insured for $12,000, as follows, in Pittsburg companies: Western, $3000; Citizens', $3000; Pittsburg, $3000; Merchants and Manufacturers', $3000.

She had a cargo on board valued at from $120,000 to $140,000, and insured for $80,000 or $90,000 in various Cincinnati companies. The insurance companies this morning refused a free advertisement, stating that they did not want their losses published to the world. Some of the companies would willingly have given us the amount of their risks, but as several companies of probably doubtful footing refused to do so, they were compelled to go with the body.

The Belle Vernon was built at the town of Belle Vernon, near Pittsburg, Mr. Speer being the builder of her hull, and Bunten & Miller of her cabins. Her machinery was built by James M. Bole, of Pittsburg. She was five years old, and in splendid condition. She has been engaged principally in the trade between Pittsburg and New Orleans, but was this season entered in the Cincinnati, Louisville and New Orleans Packet Company's line of steamers. She has always proved a fair investment. Her owners are young men, and the loss will doubtless fall heavily on their shoulders; but all possess pluck and courage, and will doubtless replace the Belle Vernon with another boat.

Among the freight on board was a package which was on the America when she sunk. It was saved and transferred to the Nashville, which boat met her fate night before last. Captain Hart succeeded in rescuing it, and placed it on the Belle Vernon, and it is now in the hands of Captain Darragh.

The freight is being rapidly removed, and much of it will be saved. A large force of men are at work under the personal supervision of Captain Darragh.

Commercial Reports.

NEW YORK, February 18.—The receipts from all ports for the week are 88,906 bales, against 82,236 last week, 92,688 the previous week, and 120,813 three weeks since. The total receipts since September are 2,091,196 bales, against 2,653,339 for the corresponding period of the previous year. The exports for the expired portion of the year are 1,152,074 bales, against 1,576,333 for the same time last year. The stock at all ports is 569,939, against 709,033 for the same date last year.

The stocks at interior towns are 88,057 bales, against 123,897 bales last year. The stock in Liverpool is 535,000 bales, against 750,000 last year. The American cotton afloat for Great Britain is 203,000 bales, against 295,000 last year. The Indian cotton afloat for Europe is 260,000 bales, against 143,495 last year.

Cotton declined early in the week, and the market was dull, but later the decline was recovered and business became more active. The sales for the week reached 106,000 bales, of which 96,500 were for future delivery and 9500 on the spot and to arrive. Of the spot cotton, exporters took about 3525 bales, spinners 3650, and speculators 375.

Hog products have been firm for lots on the street, but heavy for future delivery. Beef products have been more active, while dairy products have been dull. In tobacco, the business has fallen off, but extreme prices are still asked by holders. Whisky and hay have declined. Hop and tallow have been active at full prices. Wool has been in active demand, and higher quotations have been made for some descriptions. Naval stores have been, firm with a further advance in spirits. Oil and petroleum have been firm, with more business in the latter. Otherwise, domestic products have been generally quiet and without any important features.

The domestic markets have been free from excitement, and in some of the leading staples a firmer feeling has prevailed, although business generally has been on a moderate scale. There has been less discussion in regard to the Alabama question, and the result of this is reflected in a more settled feeling in the different markets.

At the Produce Exchange the breadstuffs market has improved slightly for flour and wheat, but the coarse grains have been heavy, and prices are lower. Exporters purchased a little more freely of flour and wheat. At times there was some speculative feeling. The general disposition of holders to reduce stocks before the opening of navigation has a tendency to check any upward movement, and it would require a very active demand to materially advance prices.

Theodore Thomas' Grand Concert.

Theodore Thomas and his grand orchestra made their bow before a New Orleans audience last evening to one of the largest and most fashionable audiences that has ever gathered in Odd Fellows' Hall.

The concert was opened with the overture from "Tannhauser." The piece was admirably executed. The was an allegretto eighth symphony, composed by Beethoven. This was followed by a concerto symphonique No. 4, op. 102, on the piano, Miss Marie Krebs executing this difficult piece with grace and ease. She has the facility of making all the difficulties vanish with her fairy fingers. But the crowning piece of the evening was the performance of the "Wedding March," from "Midsummer Night's Dream," by that grand old author, Mendelssohn. Thispiece requires careful study and practice, and it is well known to our music-loving public as one of the most beautiful and soul-stirring pieces that Mendelssohn ever composed.

In part second, Rossini's "William Tell" was rendered in an able manner, but the most exquisite performance of the evening was the serenade "Tarantelle di Bravura," the music commencing in an almost inaudible whisper, which is increased to a murmur, and for nearly five minutes the listener is enraptured, and as it is wafted into dreamland, lost to all consciousness, one imagines himself suddenly transported into a bower of fairies, so enchanted and enraptured is he; but the music slowly increased, the senses are awakened only to be again thrown into the ecstacy of joy by the grand finale. The audience, for a moment after the completion of the selection, seemed spell-bound; not a motion, not a whisper; but all at once there was such an outburst of enthusiasm that was not only confined to the clapping of hands, but through the agency of their mouths they attested their appreciation in long and continued shouts and the performance was repeated.

THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

[Brief Communications Published—Long Ones Invariably Rejected—The Editor not Responsible for the Sentiments Expressed the Communications.]

The Ladies After the Mayor.

ST. CHARLES STREET, New Orleans, February 19, 1872.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:

Will you have the kindness to inform us why his honor, Benny Flanders, our Mayor, and the first of the kind, still persists in keeping the north and south gates to Lafayette square locked, thereby compelling visitors to go all the way around to Camp street in order to enter the square. Is it for the reason that he is afraid our dresses may come in contact with and soil the scantling which adorns the inclosure, or that we would pluck an occasional flower as we entered the square from either the north or south gates, which are yet kept locked with an old pair of rusty handcuffs.

We now inform his honor, *Benny*, distinctly, that if those old rusty handcuffs are not removed from those gates at once, a committee of ladies will go to Lafayette square and break *Benny's* handcuffs off from the gates with their parasols, and if he attempts to interpose we will put the handcuffs to more proper use.

LADIES.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Steam Navigation Laws—Grand Juries—Preventives of Danger.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:

The various calamities befalling our steam river crafts of late, although in most of the instances of recent occurrence, the result of snags, collisions, ice gorges and gales, have adverted our attention to a circumstance singularly ignored or designedly overlooked.

The regulation of steam navigation upon our river waters has been reduced to a system of laws as complete as that of any special jurisprudence by Congress in its assembled wisdom. Among these laws is one of vital importance and interest, looking to the removal of incrustations from impurities in water, conceded to be, by scientific research, the prolific source of disasters and loss of life.

The question now naturally arises as to the enforcement of this law. To whom belongs the power, and is it enforced? As servants to whom the public welfare is entrusted, to whom are confided our lives, we have a right to demand the faithful execution of their duties; and neglecting these, it is the imperative province of those in higher official positions to see that their subordinates carry out the same. In case of the failure of both parties to act, the grand jury should take cognizance of the matter, as it is beyond the pale of individual interference. There are, we learn from authentic sources, infallible, or at least, almost unfailing means of preventing incrustations in steamboat boilers from secretions of impure water, and measures should be taken to have them thoroughly, fairly and practically tested, without further jeopardy to human life and detriment to human limb. We have no interest in any scheme or participation in any enterprise, but informed of the existence of such preventives, we ask, from simple curiosity, why are they repudiated?

SAFETY.

Meteorological Record.

The signal service, United States army, reports, for the benefit of commerce, the meteorological record, at 3:43 P. M., local time, yesterday, as follows:

Place.	Ther.	Wind.	Weather.
Augusta	51	N. W.	Fair.
Baltimore	43	S.	Fair.
Boston	42	E.	Clear.
Buffalo	34	E.	Clear.
Cairo	51	E.	Clear.
Charleston	51	N.	Clear.
Chicago	31	S.	Fair.
Cincinnati	37	E.	Cloudy.
Davenport	30	S. E.	Fair.
Galveston	62	E.	Clear.
Indianapolis	35	.....	Clear.
Jacksonville, Fla.	56	N. W.	Fair.
Key West	69	N. W.	Fair.
Leavenworth	32	E. E.	Fair.
Louisville	40	N. E.	Cloudy.
Memphis	52	S.	Clear.
Mobile	57	N. E.	Clear.
Nashville	52	.....	Fair.
New Orleans	59	N. E.	Clear.
New York	41	E.	Fair.
Norfolk	47	N.	Cloudy.
Omaha	48	S.	Threatening.
Pittsburg	39	N. W.	Cloudy.
Portland, Maine	36	S. W.	Clear.
Punta Rassa, Fla.	63	N. W.	Clear.
Savannah	49	N.	Threatening.
Shreveport	47	E.	Clear.
St. Louis	42	S. E.	Clear.
St. Paul	35	E.	Cloudy.
Vicksburg	69	W.	Clear.
Wilmington, N. C.	59	N.	Fair.

The Temperature.

Mr. Louis Frigerio, No. 50 Chartres street, reports the weather for the past two days as follows:

	9 A. M.	2 P. M.	6 P. M.
February 18	63	61	61
February 19	46	59	50

Lowest point during the night of February 18, 44°. Rain on February 18, fourtenths of an inch.

Anna Dickinson, report says, is not to marry, but is to go on the stage.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Morgan Cammach holds my full power to act for me from this date.

C. W. CAMMACK.

New Orleans, February 20, 1872. fe20 1m

Y. M. C. A.—A special meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held at the rooms, No. 82 Camp street, THIS EVENING, at half-past seven o'clock. A full and prompt attendance is desired.

By order of the Board of Managers.

FRANK M. NORMAN, Recording Secretary.

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Notice to Consignees.—The German steamer Saxonia, Captain Winzen, from Hamburg, via Havre, Santander and Havana, has arrived, and will commence discharging her cargo on TUESDAY, twentieth instant, at her wharf, posts 42 and 43, Fourth District. Consignees are requested to make their entries at the Customhouse, call at this office and pay their freight bills, get delivery orders for their goods, and attend promptly to the receipt of the same on the levee, otherwise they will be stored at their risk and expense.

No claims will be entertained after goods taken from the levee.

WILLIAMS, RUPERTI & CO., No. 130 Common street.

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The "Terrebonne Patriot," Published at Houma, Louisiana, is one of the best advertising mediums in Southern Louisiana. de13 1y

Citizens' Bank of Louisiana, New Orleans, February 15, 1872.—At the annual election for Directors, held MONDAY, fifth instant, the following gentlemen were duly elected to serve during the ensuing year:

JOHN G. GAINES, A. CHIAPELLA,
ANT. CARRERE, PLACIDE FORSTALL,
R. ERUGIER, D. A. CHAFFRAIX,
T. D. MILLER.

And at a meeting of the board, held this day, JOHN G. GAINES, Esq., was unanimously re-elected President.

J. L. DELERY, Cashier.

fe17 10t

To Contractors.—Office of Louisiana Levee Company, No. 33 Carondelet street.—Notice is hereby given to parties desirous of bidding for levee work that examinations of specifications can be made at this office from 12 M. to 1 P. M.

By order:

fe17 10t THOMAS I. DIX, Secretary.

Notice.—Calcasieu Sulphur and Mining Company, New Orleans, February 10, 1872.—The stockholders of this Company are hereby notified that an eighth installment of five dollars per share on all the ordinary stock, and a like installment of five dollars per share on all the preferred stock of the Company, has been called by the Board of Directors and made payable on the fifteenth instant, at the office of the Company, No. 3½ Carondelet street.

fe11 15t ALEX. BONNEVAL, Secretary.

New Orleans Merchants should Advertise in the TERREBONNE PATRIOT, Houma, Louisiana; it will pay. de13 1y

Batchelor's Hair Dye.—This superb hair dye is the best in the world—perfectly harmless, reliable and instantaneous; no disappointment; no ridiculous tints or disagreeable odor. The genuine William A. Batchelor's hair dye produces immediately a splendid black or natural brown; leaves the hair clean, soft, beautiful; does not contain a particle of lead or any injurious compound. Sold by all druggists. Factory, No. 16 Bond street, New York. jy13 1y

SUCCESSION NOTICES.

Succession of Mrs. Myrthe M. St. Amand, deceased, wife of J. E. Courcelle—No. 35,013.

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 account presented by the testamentary executor of this estate should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court.

fe18 22 25 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Andrew McMaster—No. 35,231.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Whereas, Ann Gallagher, widow of Andrew McMaster, has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Andrew McMaster, 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.

fe18 22 25 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Miss Odile Foucher—No. 35,253.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Whereas, John L. Labarre has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Miss Odile Foucher, 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.

fe15 19 23 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Mrs. Clementine Olivari, widow of William B. Olivari—No. 35,071.

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 account presented by the administrator in this estate should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court.

fe15 19 23 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Henry Gordon—No. 35,255.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Whereas, Th. B. Fouke, public administrator, has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Henry Gordon, 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.

fe15 19 23 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Lydia H. Hutchison—No. 35,029.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Whereas, Mrs. Emma B Walden has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Lydia A. Hutchison 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.

fe15 19 23 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Edward G. Gottschalk— No. 35,262.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF Orleans.—Whereas, Joseph Magner has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Edward G. Gottschalk, 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.

fe 20 24 28 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Nicholas Jacquillard—No. 35,245.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF Orleans.—Whereas, John Huth, has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Nicholas Jacquillard, 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.

fe14 18 22 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Mrs. Elizabeth Laux—No. 35,248.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Whereas, Louis Power has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Laux, 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.

fe14 18 22 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Mary Carroll, deceased wife of John M. Schafer—No. 35,249.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Whereas, William Carroll has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Mary Carroll, deceased, wife of John M. Shafer. 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.

fe14 18 22 M. O. TRACY, Clerk.

Succession of Pierre Mayes—No. 35,251.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans.—Whereas, Jean Toulando, Jr., has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Pierre Mayes, 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.

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LOTTERIES.

DRAWING OF THE LOUISIANA STATE LOTTERY FOR FEBRUARY 19, 1872.

CLASS 42

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18	51	75	39	9	12	25	65	63	8	13	59	—	—

The above drawings are published in all the principal papers, and are drawn in public daily at the rooms of the company.

Information furnished and prizes cashed by HOWARD, SIMMONS & CO., Contractors. St. Charles street, corner Union, New Orleans.

Witness our hands at New Orleans, Louisiana this nineteenth day of February, 1872.

E. PERALTA, ADAM GIFFEN, Commissioners.

BEWARE OF BOGUS LOTTERIES. ap28

LOUISIANA STATE LOTTERY COMPANY.

Incorporated August 17, 1868.

CHARLES T. HOWARD.....PRESIDENT.

SINGLE NUMBER LOTTERY.

SPLENDID SCHEME—ONLY 20,000 NUMBERS.

Capital Prize.....$50,000.

CLASS C.

TO BE DRAWN AT NEW ORLEANS ON Saturday, February 24, 1872.

HOWARD, SIMMONS & CO., Contractors.

SCHEME:

20,000 Numbers—Tickets Only $20.

1 prize of $50,000 is		$50,000
1 prize of 30,000 is		30,000
1 prize of 20,000 is		20,000
1 prize of 10,000 is		10,000
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1 prize of 6,000 is		6,000
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50 prizes of 500 are		$25,000
317 prizes of 200 are		63,400
36 Approximation prizes		18,000
440 prizes, amounting to		$330,400

Whole Tickets, $20; shares in proportion.

Prizes payable without deduction.

Orders to be addressed to

CHARLES T. HOWARD, Lock box 692, Postoffice, New Orleans.

Send postoffice money order, or register your letter.

Martin Soye vs. Widow and Heirs of John Fleret.

SIXTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No. 2572.—By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale to me directed by the honorable the Sixth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on TUESDAY, March 12, 1872, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

A LOT OF GROUND, situated in the First District of this city, in the square bounded by Common, Gravier, St. Marie (or Locust) and and St. Marc (or Magnolia) streets, measuring seventy-two feet front on Common street, by a depth of one hundred and thirteen feet eight inches, between parallel lines, fronting in the rear on an alley ten feet wide, cutting the square from St. Marie to St. Marc streets; together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, rights, privileges, etc. Said lot of ground is the portion nearest to St. Marie (or Locust) street of a larger piece of ground acquired by the defendants herein by purchase from the succession of Thomas M. Wadsworth, as per act passed on the seventeenth of May, 1856, before George Rareshide, then a notary public in this city.

Seized in the above suit.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

C. S. SAUVINET, fe9 22 mh12 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO LICENSE PAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, City Hall, February 19, 1872.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE REQUIRED BY existing ordinances to take out a license for the year 1872, are hereby notified that they have but until the FIRST OF MARCH in which to obtain said license, without additional costs, as after that date the city will proceed to enforce the collection of all unpaid licenses, according to law.

JOHN S. WALTON, fe18 t mh1 Administrator of Finance.

GOVERNMENT SALE.

OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, Department of the Gulf, New Orleans, February 16, 1872.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE WAR DEPARTMENT, will be sold at public auction, on SATURDAY, March 30, 1872, where located—

ALL THE PUBLIC BUILDINGS on the old confederate arsenal grounds, located on the south bank of Cross bayou, about one and a half mile northwest of the city of Shreveport, Louisiana.

Three buildings are of brick and thirteen frame, from one to two stories high.

For further information apply at this office.

A. B. EDDY, Quartermaster United States army, Chief Quartermaster. fe20 6t

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF AND VEGETABLES.

OFFICE NAVY PAYMASTER, February 12, 1872.

SEALED PROPOSALS, INDORSED "PROPOSALS for Fresh Beef and Vegetables," will be received at this office until two o'clock P. M. on THURSDAY, February 22, 1872, for the supply of ten thousand pounds of fresh beef and ten thousand pounds of fresh vegetables at the Pensacola Navy Yard and Station, as required.

The beef must be of good quality, and equal to the grade necessary to make the best mess beef, and be delivered in equal proportion of fore and hind quarters. The vegetables must be of the best quality the market affords, and the beef and vegetables must be offered for by the pound.

Bonds, with approved security, will be required in one-quarter the estimated amount of the contract, and twenty per cent in addition will be withheld from the amount of each payment, as collateral security for the due performance of the contract, which reservation will not be paid until the contract is fully complied with.

Every offer must be accompanied by a written guarantee, signed by one or more responsible persons, that the bidder or bidders will, if his or their bid be accepted, enter into an obligation within five days, with good and sufficient sureties, to furnish the articles proposed.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by such guarantee, and the department reserves the right to reject any proposal, unless the responsibility of the guarantors is certified to by the Assessor of Internal Revenue for the district in which they reside, and unless satisfactory evidence that the bidder is a regular dealer in the articles he offers to supply is furnished with the proposal, as well as to reject any proposal not considered advantageous to the government.

It is to be understood that the contract will expire June 30, 1872, without regard to the quantities which may have been delivered, and, in case the stipulated quantity of either article shall be delivered before that date, leaving a balance due on the other article, the contract may be considered as completed in full, at the option of