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AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

BY SHERRIFF HARPER, at 10 o'clock, at No. 4...

Local Intelligence.

A SURPRISE.—Mr. Robert P. Randolph late one night caused the arrest of a whole family on the charge of assault and battery.

He was very inquisitive. He wanted to know why Randolph left the police force.

Then Mr. Attorney proved Randolph's arrest for larceny and obtaining money. Then his default. Then the record showing the case had never been tried.

The dwelling house of Mr. R. Stone, No. 133 Magnolia street, was yesterday, robbed of a raft of trinkets by a thief, who forgot or neglected to leave his postal card.

Coroner Gray yesterday completed his inquest in the case of Demassier, and the jury returned a verdict that deceased came to his death by natural causes.

Franklin Ross had a lofty fall Monday night, tumbling from the upper story of the house No. 103 Victory street, but, strange to say, he was not seriously injured.

A NEW DEPARTURE.—Two servant girls, whose minds are somewhat impulsive as to matters in general, and as to their carriage on Canal street yesterday, and to improve their uneducated minds repeatedly stopped to look into shop windows.

Josephine Ray, for a term quite quiet, once more appears on the surface, this time as a witness against somebody who stole an amount of money from a child in the Parish Prison and pistol returned.

John Dougherty is in the nine holes, going into the calaboose from the case of Demassier and in being arrested under the shadow of a charge that he had obtained money by resorting to a vile fraud.

There were yesterday some rumors that a bloodless duel had been fought in a room down town. Twice three shots were delivered, but no one was harmed.

A BAD BOY.—The parents and relatives of Charles Davis, who yesterday gave him his usual instructions, but did not give him his usual lessons, he did not profit by them.

CITY COUNCIL—OFFICIAL

REGULAR MEETING.

CITY HALL, NEW ORLEANS, Tuesday, July 15, 1873.

The Council met this day at 12 M., in regular session. Present—Hon. Louis A. Wiltz, Mayor, pro tempore, and Administrators Brewster, Calhoun, Fitzpatrick, Lewis and Turnbull.

Communications From the Mayor and Administrators. The following message from the Mayor was, on motion of Mr. Turnbull, received and ordered to be read upon the minutes:

To the City Council of New Orleans: I have requested each Administrator to furnish me with a condensed report of the expenditures for the six months ending June 30, 1873, showing receipts and expenditures and the results of economy as compared with the corresponding period of 1872.

The budget of expenditures for 1873 amounted to nearly \$1,000,000, \$6,961,281, almost all of which was exhausted or appropriated. The budget for 1873 was made by our predecessors, and under the charter was not to be exceeded.

Our efforts to economize have necessarily been confined to the headings last above mentioned, and in the case of the "current city expenses." How far you have succeeded will appear from your respective reports, from which I infer that \$2,400,000 has been saved.

From the report of the Administrator of Commerce it appears that the collections of wharfage and dues for the six months ending June 30, 1873, amount to \$1,361,142, against \$1,211,234 for the corresponding months of 1872.

In this department the total expenditures for the first six months of 1873 were \$1,572,508 35, against \$822,148 53 for the corresponding months of 1872.

In the Bureau of Civil Drains, from January 1 to July 1, 1873, there was paid for salary, \$7,000 for labor and carts, \$28,916 17 for repairs, cash, \$3,959 11 for expenses, \$712 93 for total, \$41,675 18.

On the petition of Joseph Samuels against the State Auditor for an injunction to restrain him from paying any of the State tax collectors to deposit any moneys held by him and belonging to the general fund of the treasury of the State, or to make any statement in relation thereto.

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FINANCIAL BUSINESS AND OTHER BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Calhoun called up the ordinance described as follows, which has been read twice; said ordinance being now on third reading, were severally passed the year and nays having been called on each:

"Providing for the payment of the several accounts therein named," beginning with the New Orleans Republican Printing Company, \$112.

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SHERIFF'S SALES.

RENE DEMASSIER vs. Eugene Neyret.

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, No. 408.—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to the direction of the Fifth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled case, I will proceed to sell at public auction, on the premises heretofore described, the following described property to wit:—

THE CONTENTS OF STORE No. 41, Chartres street, between Royal and Bourbon streets, consisting of ladies' fancy articles, millinery goods, etc., as per inventory which may be seen in my office.

TERMS—Cash on the spot. W. P. HARPER, Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

SIXTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, No. 398.—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to the direction of the Sixth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled case, I will proceed to sell at public auction, on the premises heretofore described, the following described property to wit:—

THE CONTENTS OF A PHOTOGRAPH ESTABLISHMENT, taken from the premises No. 226 Canal street, as per inventory which may be seen in my office.

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