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AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

BY R. M. & B. J. MONTGOMERY, at 11 o'clock, at the corner of Camp and Natchez streets, a general assortment of new and second-hand furniture; at the same hour, and daily thereafter until sold, contents of the St. James Hotel.
BY THE UNITED STATES MARSHAL, at 12 o'clock, at the entrance to the Customhouse, the steamboat San Nicholas.

Local Intelligence.

ST. ALPHONSUS CATHOLIC TOTAL ABSTINENCE ASSOCIATION.—At a regular meeting of this association, held on Sunday evening, in St. Alphonsus schoolhouse, St. Andrew street, the following gentlemen were elected officers for the ensuing year: D. H. Buckley, president; E. M. Birmingham, vice president; Charles L. Sinclair, recording secretary; John H. Heslin, financial secretary; George Dorrance, treasurer; D. P. Mahony, marshal; P. Farley, sergernt at-arms.

ST. ALOYSIUS TOTAL ABSTINENCE CADET ASSOCIATION.—At a meeting of the Cadets, held on Sunday evening, in the Star Hall, corner of Camp and Poydras streets, the following named officers were elected for the coming year: Thomas J. Egan, Jr., first vice president; James Austin, second vice president; William J. Mallynn, recording secretary; Daniel Mullan, financial secretary; John McNamee, marshal; Anthony Delatte, sergeant-at-arms. The offices of president and treasurer of this society are held by an officer of the adult society.

MORTUARY.—The number of deaths in this city for the week ending Sunday evening last at six o'clock was 106. The causes of death were as follows:

One of abscess of liver, 2 of apoplexy, 1 of bronchitis, 1 of burns or scalds, 1 of Bright's disease, 1 of cancer of brain, 1 of cancer of breast, 1 of cancer of lip, 1 of catarrh, 1 of cirrhosis of liver, 2 of congestion of the brain, 10 of consumption, 5 of infantile convulsions, 5 of croup, 2 of adult debility, 1 of infantile debility, 1 of delirium tremens, 4 of diarrhea, 1 of dropsy, 2 drowned, 1 of dysentery, 2 of chronic dysentery, 1 of diphtheria, 1 of enterocolitis, 1 of emphysema, 3 of congestive fever, 2 of malarial fever, 1 typhus fever, 1 of gangrene, 1 of gout, 1 of hemorrhage, 2 hemorrhage from the lungs, 2 of heart disease, 1 of valvular disease of heart, 1 of hematuria, 1 of hooping cough, 1 of inflammation of the bowels, 1 of inflammation of the heart, 2 of inflammation of the liver, 1 of influenza, 1 of inanition, 1 of lockjaw, 1 of laryngitis, 1 of infantile marasmus, 1 of cerebro spinal meningitis, 1 of old age, 1 of paralysis, 3 of pneumonia, 2 of pymenia, 1 of rheumatism, 1 of stricture of urethra, 11 of small-pox, 2 of teething, 4 of tris nascentium, 4 unknown.

A RUNAWAY.—A horse belonging to Fellman Brothers, and attached to their dry goods package wagon, became frightened yesterday afternoon and made a dash across the neutral ground of Canal street. The forewheels and the wagon parted company at the first banquette, and at the second the shaft broke. The horse fell on the sidewalk in front of Moreau's restaurant, just in time to prevent him from going through the window. As a large number of women and children were getting in and out of the street cars when the animal rushed across the neutral ground, their escape from injury was almost miraculous.

THE CHAMPION FIRE COMPANY.—Eagle No. 7 held its annual election last night, with the following result:

James Campbell,* president; Frank McDonnell,* secretary; H. Wax,* treasurer; J. F. Sturcken, foreman; James Hyland, first assistant foreman; James W. Kennedy, second assistant foreman; James Campbell,* J. F. Sturcken, H. Wax,* delegates to Firemen's Charitable Association; A. Kalinski, W. Klingler,* S. C. Brodowski,* substitutes.

Those marked with a star were re-elected.

Mr. Sturcken had no opposition, and Mr. Kalinski retired full of honors, having served the company faithfully. Before he retired he placed the champion horns in front of the engine house, so that the public can see them any time. After the election the company visited several friends, not forgetting to tell Charlie Yeager to give the REPUBLICAN office a hearty serenade. The boys did not forget to call on John Baltz, Tchoupitoulas, near Lafayette street, where an ice cold punch was ladled out by the gallon.

ELECTION OF JACKSON NO. 18.—The members of this solid company held their annual election for officers on Sunday at the enginehouse, on Calliope street, the following gentlemen being elected: John McPhelin, president; Harry Wilde,* vice president; Thomas Burke, foreman; W. E. Poddy, first assistant; J. Kahn, second assistant; D. W. Kelly,* treasurer; R. E. Montgomery, secretary; W. B. McCutchon,* Thomas Burke, George Lawrence, delegates to Firemen's Charitable Association; William Dastillon, steward; John O'Brien, marshal.

Those marked with a star were re-elected.

After the contest was settled the boys "saw" a few of their many friends in a happy way.

CREOLE NO. 9 ELECTS.—This sterling company held its annual election last night, with the following pleasant result:

L. A. Wiltz,* president; J. O. Loze,* vice president; A. V. Flotte,* secretary; Theodore Paderas,* treasurer; R. Brewster,* foreman; D. Valeton,* first assistant foreman; S. Lanaux,* second assistant foreman; J. Mascars,* warden; delegates to the Firemen's Charitable Association, R. Brewster, A. V. Flotte J. T. Pettigrew; substitates, A. Nokoll, D. Valeton, J. Seither;* committee of arrangements on collation, D. Valeton, A. V. Flotte, J. O. Loze.

*Re-elected.

After the election the members marched to Denechaud's restaurant, where some chicken fixings were temptingly spread. Among the guests were Chief Engineer Tom O'Connor, Generals Baldey and Badger, I. N. Marks and John W. Fairfax.

One of the pleasantest incidents was the presentation to the company, by Mr. Fairfax, of an excellent picture of Mayor Wiltz. Of course, the present was acceptable, and brought forth applause.

The Creoles serenaded and cheered this office, having tasted of a superb punch, made by Steve McNamara, at his saloon, on Magazine street.

CHEAP BEER.—As a consequence or a sequence of hard times, several beerhouses have concluded to sell lager at five cents per mug.

CLOSED IT UP.—By some mischance a snake show gained possession of a room in Masonic Hall, but as soon as the real character was learned the concern was closed.

BRIEF MENTION.—Soraparu Market is policically reported as in a filthy condition.

John Reynolds' wife flirted her dress at her lord and master Sunday, consequently Victoria was sent to the Charity Hospital to have a pistol ball taken out of one of her arms. John was incarcerated.

A bold burglary occurred between three and four o'clock yesterday morning, in the grocery of John Stack, corner of Baronne and Lafayette streets. The burglars had forced a door and were inside before they were discovered. Mr. Stack heard a noise and gave the alarm, when the rascals bolted down Baronne street. Officer Dowd captured one of them, who gave his name as Michael Hanahan. One of the fellows had stolen some small change from the till, but dropped it on the banquette, where it was found.

The steamboat R. E. Lee left Bayou Sara Sunday evening, having the champion load of cotton—5034 bales and 2000 sacks of seed.

Saturday night Ann Johnson felt a sympathy for Coroner Grayer, so attempted to hang herself in the cell in the Parish Prison. She tore a blanket into strips and arranged for a private hanging, but the old thing wouldn't work, and so she still lives. She is under sentence to serve five years in the Penitentiary, convicted of infanticide. Dr. Cooper brought her back from the edge of death, after a turnkey had severed the noose.

COURT RECORD.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1873.

United States Circuit Court.

Before Hon. E. H. Durell, district judge. John Cochrane, receiver, vs. National Park Bank, of New York.—On motion of the defendants plaintiff is ordered to show cause why a payment of $20,000, tendered on notes of B. & J. Leman, for $45,000 held by defendants, should not be received.

John Cochrane vs. F. Schuchardt. Same vs. National Park Bank, of New York. Same vs. L. Schneider et al. Defendants are ordered to show cause why a receiver should not be appointed.

Pointevant & Farre vs. Carondelet and Carrollton Railroad Company.—Judgment for $5808 81, with interest and costs. Ordered, that the road, its property, rails, ties, etc., be sold by R. H. Shannon, master in chancery, and the debt satisfied out of the proceeds.

Supreme Court.

Adjourned to Monday, December 15, when opinions will be read.

Superior District Court.

The following have been filed:

State of Louisiana vs. Richard Taylor.—The report of the experts appointed by the court to examine the condition of the work on the New canal was filed to-day.

On motion of counsel for the State, the court granted an order sequestrating the property of the New canal, and appointing a receiver, who will be named to-morrow.

Crescent City Live Stock Landing and Slaughterhouse Company vs. John Laurrienk.—Petition sets forth that defendant has slaughtered in the parishes of St. Bernard, Orleans and Jefferson 1575 head of cattle and other animals, incurring a penalty of $250 for each; that he has landed 1575 head of cattle at other places than the wharves of the company, incurring a penalty of $250 for each; that he has occupied a building as a slaughterhouse in the Fifth District of New Orleans, and slaughtered 1575 cattle in it, incurring a penalty of $100 for each; all in violation of plaintiff's charter, wherefor plaintiff prays for judgment for $10,000, and an injunction restraining said defendant from using said building as a slaughterhouse, and from killing, etc., cattle in the parishes named. Injunction issued on bond of $500.

C. E. Girardey vs. Nicholas J. Hoey and John H. O'Connor.—Petitioner alleges a partnership between him and defendants and a sale of his interest to Hoey, with the knowledge of O'Connor; that he gave written notice, according to contract, to the parties August 6 and October 1, 1873, and by publication; that notwithstanding this, defendants have carried on the business in petitioners name, though plaintiff remonstrated; that they knew of the intention of petitioner to go into the same business in his own name; that they have refused to style themselves as "successors;" that this course is intended to prevent him from entering into business; that he has suffered damages to the amount of $20,000, and prays for an injunction restraining defendants from using the name of C. E. Girardey in any business since October 1, 1873, without styling themselves successors. Injunction issued on a bond of $500.

Francis B. Flietas vs. Charles Cavaroc & Son.—November 28, defendants on a writ from the Sixth District Court, seized 150 barrels molasses belonging to petioner, which he bonded in the sum of $3800. December 1, defendant by a writ from district court of St. Bernard, seized the crops of petitioner's plantation made in 1873, which he bonded in the sum of $10,000. Petition alleges the two suits to be for the same cause of action for $11,000; that December 2, defendants by a writ from the Sixth District Court, seized twenty-five barrels molasses of petitioner, which he bonded for $600; that December 4, by a writ from the district court of St. Bernard, defendants seized the same property that they had previously seized by writ from the same court, which petitioner again bonded for $12,500; that the suits are the same; that defendants have already seized property exceeding their claims; that notwithstanding this fact, defendants are preparing papers to seize the same property again. Petitioner invokes the protection of the court and fears defendants will ruin him if they are not arrested in these unlawful proceedings. Wherefore an injunction is prayed for restraining defendants from making any other seizures upon the property bonded.

Injunction issued on a bond of $2500.

First District Court.

ARRAIGNED.

Bigamy — Victor Voght. Plea of not guilty.

NOLLE PROSEQUI ENTERED.

State vs. Kate Hall—Larceny.

SENTENCED.

State vs. Aleck Harrison—Assault and battery. Two days in Parish Prison or pay costs of prosecution.

State vs. E. P. Duclosiange—Assault and battery. Twenty-five dollars or one day in Parish Prison.

State vs. George Jackson—Carrying a concealed weapon. Two days in Parish Prison or pay costs.

ON TRIAL.

State vs. Thomas and Mrs. Mallov—Knowingly receiving stolen goods. Jury out.

Sixth District Court.

Mutual National Bank vs. John Rotge et als.—On trial. This case will probably involve some points relative to the legal construction of certain rules of the Clearing House.

Meteorological and River Report.

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

Place.	Ther.	Wind.	Weather.
Chicago	45	S. W.	Threatening.
Cincinnati	61	S.	Cloudy.
Davenport	41	W.	Cloudy.
Indianola	71	S. E.	Fair.
Keokuk	47	W.	Cloudy.
Galveston	69	S. E.	Fair.
Louisville	53	S. E.	Cloudy.
Memphis	68	S.	Clearing.
Nashville	54	S.	Cloudy.
New Orleans	73	S. E.	Fair.
Omaha	29	N. W.	Cloudy.
Pittsburg	49	S. E.	Light rain.
St. Paul	25	W.	Cloudy.
Vicksburg	71	W.	Fair.
Yankton	15	N. W.	Cloudy.

THE RIVERS.

Stations.	Rise, inches.	Fall, inches.	Above low water mark. Ft.	In.
Cincinnati	13	..	29	1
Davenport	..	..	..	1
Louisville	..	4	11	8
Memphis	12	..	13	11
Nashville	72	..	26	8
New Orleans	6	..	5	..
Pittsburg	..	10	9	6
Vicksburg	..	..	16	6

The river here is twelve feet two inches below high water mark of 1871.

Wesley Chapel, Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. Dr. Daily preached a sermon in this church on Sunday night, of great grandeur and power, to an immense congregation, after which some forty or fifty united with the church on probation. The sermon was one of the doctor's finest rhetorical displays.

The Temperature.

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

	8 A. M.	2 P. M.	8 P. M.
December 8	70	70	70
December 9	60	75	71

Lowest point during the night of December 7, 55°.

DeSoto.

Captain R. T. Carr, formerly sheriff of the parish of DeSoto, is reported to have been elected to the Legislature at the recent special election in that parish. He ran as an independent Republican candidate, receiving 141 majority over J. J. Johnson, the regular Republican candidate.

The Globe Relief Fund.

The St. Louis *Globe* of Friday announces its collections in aid of the family of Captain Fry to date to be $644, and adds:

We have ascertained the address of Mrs. Fry in New Orleans, and $500 of the above money will be forwarded to her to-day by Mr. William McKee, of the *Globe*. We hope to be able to send her another $500 in a few days, and shall then think that St. Louis has done her share in a noble charity.

THE SANTIAGO SLAUGHTER.

Another Account—A Horrible Scene—How a British Officer Brought Burriel to Reason.

[New York Telegram (December 4) in Chicago Times.]

The Morning Star, from Santiago de Cuba, arrived here this morning. The Morning Star was in port at Santiago when the Virginius was brought there, and during the week of executions. The second mate, Coffin, gives a graphic description of the scenes of that memorable period, and incidents, many of which are new. Mr. Coffin is an intelligent and respectably connected young American. His narrative is corroborated in every detail by the other officers of the Morning Star. He says that the Virginius was convoyed in by the Tornado and another Spanish man-of-war on the evening of the first ultimo. It is not true that the inhabitants of Santiago were wild with joy. On the contrary, they were excessively quiet, and no demonstration whatever was made.

The American flag, which had been borne at the masthead of the captured vessel, lay conspicuously upon her quarter deck to be trampled upon by her captor's crew, and was not removed until the next evening. On Sunday afternoon the prisoners were landed by the Tornado's boats. All, with the exception of Ryan, Varona, Del Sol and Cespedes, had their elbows pinioned behind and their hands handcuffed in front. This treatment of the four latter seemed to be a sort of respect to their supposed leadership. After they had all been drawn up upon the wharf they were marched in the centre of a strong guard to the prison. At a quarter to seven on Tuesday morning Ryan, Varona, Del Sol and Cespedes were conducted to the slaughterhouse, a walk of about ten minutes. Ryan wore a blue shirt over his white shirt, with a silver star on his breast, and trudged gaily along as if going to his wedding. He smoked a cigar the entire route, and did not throw it away until the moment came for the firing. A priest advanced to his side and offered the consolation of religion, but Ryan waved him off. Even the Spanish officers were loud in their admiration of the coolness and indifference with which he met his death. The American consul having attempted a protest, General Burriel placed a double row of sentinels around the consulate, thus keeping our representative a virtual prisoner until after the butcheries. At four o'clock on Friday afternoon, Captain Fry and thirty-six of his crew were shot. Mr. Coffin witnessed their execution from the wall of the slaughterhouse.

The victims were ranged facing the wall, and at a sufficient distance from it to give them room to fall forward. Captain Fry having asked for a glass of water, one was handed him by Charles Bell, the steward of the Morning Star. Fry then walked from the end of the line to the centre, and calmly awaited his fate. He was the only man that dropped dead at the first volley, notwithstanding that the firing party were but a distance of ten feet away. Then ensued a horrible scene. The Spanish butchers advanced to where the wounded men lay writhing and moaning in agony, and placing the muzzles of their guns in some instances into the mouths of their victims, pulled the triggers, shattering their heads into fragments. Others of the dying men grasped the weapons thrust at them with a despairing clutch, and shot after shot was poured into their bodies before death quieted them. P. O. Sanderson, the first mate of the Morning Star, who was standing on the bridge of his vessel when the first volley was fired, says that for about ten minutes the firing reminded him of a fourth of July celebration. All the bodies were tumbled into carts and taken at once to the cemetery. Mr. Coffin says that this batch of victims, at least, seemed to have no notion of the fate that awaited them. They walked along quite merrily, singing, chatting, laughing and smoking, as if on a pleasure party. On the following morning twelve Cubans were led to the slaughter, and similar disgusting scenes were re enacted. The moment the preliminary order was given the twelve turned their heads as if in obedience to a preconcerted agreement, and throwing their hands aloft, shouted, "Vive Cuba libra." This finished the executions. That day the British war vessel Niobe arrived. Her commander, Lambton Lorraine, left Jamaica in such haste that several of his crew, who were ashore on leave, were left behind. He hardly stopped to cast anchor at Santiago before he hastened ashore and protested against the killing of any more of the Virginius' crew. General Burriel answered him saucily in a letter, which has already been published here, saying that any executions that had been ordered would be proceeded with. Commander Lorraine instantly returned a reply to the effect that in the absence of an American man-of-war, he would protect not only the interests of his own country, but those of the United States, and that if General Burriel harmed the hair of another prisoner's head he would bombard the city. It was generally believed at Santiago that this action of the British commandant saved the lives of the rest of the Virginius crew. Commander Lorraine afterward obtained five copies of the process of courtmartial condemning them to death, two of which he intended to transmit to our government and two others to his own. Mr. Coffin closed his narrative by the assertion that he would have been shot by the Spanish volunteers, but that they believed him to be a British subject, his vessel sailing under British colors. He says he is ashamed to be an American.

[From the New York World, December 3.]

We are under obligations to Senor de Conto, editor of the *Cronista* of this city, for advanced sheets containing a Spanish translation of the letter sent to General Burriel by Captain H. B. Cushing, commanding United States war steamer Wyoming, and General Burriel's reply to the communication. Captain Cushing's note is dated November 16.

Captain Cushing informs General Burriel that he communicates with him in consequence of the capture on the high seas of the American merchantman Virginius, and of the events following the capture. He informs Burriel that the Virginius left Kingston, Jamaica, for Port Limon, Costa Rica, supplied with regular sailing papers and all necessary documents certified to by the American consulate at Kingston. After detailing the circumstances of the illegal capture of the Virginius, he proceeds to explain to Burriel the rules of international law in such cases. He protests against the use of the word "pirate," as applied to the Virginius, and informs him that, in international law, a pirate is what is known as a public enemy and a vessel that flies the flag of no nation, and then pronounces the execution of the Virginius prisoners an assassination. In the name of the United States he protests against all that has happened, not doubting that the United States will protect its honor. He also solemnly protests against the shooting of any more prisoners who may be citizens of the United States, which, he assures Burriel, may lead to serious complications.

General Burriel, in his reply, claims to be only a subaltern, and informs Captain Cushing that he has sent his note to the Captain General at Havana. For himself, he remarks, he protests most energetically against the qualification of assassination as a gross insult, and liberty of language improper in an official note, and in the character represented by Captain Cushing. "I repel it," he remarks, "knowing that assassinations, so known to all the world, were those acts which another nation practiced on unfortunate Modoc Indians, who certainly did not attack the integrity of any nation as did the Cuban insurrectionists and the foreigners who aided in their attempts to come to these coasts."

Arrived at Washington.

A private dispatch yesterday from Colonel James Lewis announces the safe arrival at Washington of the Louisiana delegation to the national convention of colored men. The delegates are all well, and are enjoying taemselves finely with the wonders and beauties of the national capital.

Metropolitan Loan and Savings Bank.

At an election of a board of directors for this institution, held yesterday, the old board was re-elected, as follows:

Michael Frank, H. F. Klumpp, G. H. Braughn, P. W. Dielmann, William Bogel, Louis Leonhard, Hugo Redwitz, A. Chapsky, J. Hassinger.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Opera.

Whatever may be said of Offenbach by the hypercritical, his works always charm and amuse. His operas have been assailed because his music sustains so airily a somewhat free and easy libretto. In other words his sprightly, mirthful, joyous strains are accused of being only the gilded coating of a most poisonous pill. We will let all that pass for the present and content ourselves with a slight review of the unequaled performance of "Barbe Bleue" last night.

Mlle. Moisset appeared to be suffering from a very severe cold, but sang her part in a style to elicit repeated plaudits. M. DeQuercy, as *Barbe Bleue*, showed that he well deserved the reputation of being the best exponent of opera bouffe in his line that has yet appeared upon our boards. Mme. Jaume, as *Queen Clementine*, was, as she is in all her characters, most excellent. This lady is indeed entitled to high rank in her profession. Of fine figure and handsome features, she is at all times pleasing, and possessing remarable dramatic ability she is versatile and always "au fait." M. Donral came also in for a full share of last evening's honors. This artist is a comedian in the strict sense of the word. He never stoops to buffoonery, but always achieves his success by simple attention to his role and his natural comic powers. M. Guillier, as *King Bobeche*, and M. Marchand, as *Comte Oscar*, were quite at home and made the most of their respective roles. We await with pleasure the reproduction of this most popular of Offenbach's productions. To-night, Verdi's grand opera "*Il Trovatore*" is to be produced. M. Gueymard appears as *Manrique*, M. Devoyod as *Le Comte de Luna*, Mme. Fursch-Madier as *Leonora* and Mlle. Denain as *Azucena*. M. Mayan also appears in the cast.

St. Charles Theatre.

A fair audience was assembled at the St. Charles last night to greet the reappearance on our stage of the favorite American actress, Mrs. D. P. Bowers. The character of *Lady Audley*, in the emotional drama of "Lady Audley's Secret," which she assumed, is in many respects the best in which she appears, so far as the capabilities of the artiste are concerned. It gives scope for the peculiar intenseness of her style of acting. The fond and loving young wife, the woman shadowed with crime, and the almost tragic scenes with her former husband, with the man *Luke Marks*, and with *Robert Audley*, who gains her secret, are all depicted with truth and earnestness. The story and the play are too well known to require comment. The drama is as popular in its way as "East Lynne," and Mrs. Bowers is acknowledged to be the best *Lady Audley* on the stage. She received efficient support from Mr. J. C. McCollom, and the company. To-night she will appear in the great tragedy of "Elizabeth." She is a genuine actress, and should play a good engagement.

Academy of Music.

Novelty is the order of the night at the Academy, and new faces and new plays make that pleasant little theatre attractive. Last evening Miss Katie Putnam appeared in the Dickens drama of the "Old Curiosity Shop," playing *Little Nell* and the *Marchioness*. In the latter character she appeared to best advantage. She is the same dashing little actress that amused us in other days. She sings and dances well, and is entirely original in her style of acting. Mr. Edwin Browne, who played *Dick Swiveller*, is known as a good comedian, and in the fair scene gave several new songs and introduced some taking Dutch specialties in a happy manner. The same play will be repeated to-night.

National Theatre.

A band of minstrels called "Callender's Georgia Minstrels," gave an entertainment at this theatre last night. The manager has not informed us when and where they will next perform.

Marks Kaiser.

This young New Orleans violinist gave a select entertainment at his father's residence last evening, to which a few friends and several members of the press were invited, among which we noticed J. Santini, Esq., Dr. A. Mercier, and others. Since his return from Europe Master Kaiser has appeared but once in public, and then at Cincinnati, where he was enthusiastically received. Last night he performed the solos of "Bolero de Charels Daucla," and "Faust d'Alard," and proved himself to be master of his chosen instrument. He is studious and enthusiastic in his profession, and only requires means for further tutelage abroad to make him famous and an honor to New Orleans. His forthcoming benefit concert should be well attended.

LAWS OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

No. 108.

AN ACT

Appropriating money to pay Supreme Judges of the State of Louisiana.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana in General Assembly convened, That thirteen thousand dollars is hereby appropriated out of the general fund to pay the additional salary as allowed by law to the Supreme Judges of the State.

(Signed) CHARLES W. LOWELL,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
(Signed) C. C. ANTOINE,
Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate.

Approved December 5, 1873.
(Signed) WILLIAM P. KELLOGG,
Governor of the State of Louisiana.

A true copy:
P. G. DESLONDE,
Secretary of State.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Young Men's Christian Association.—The regular monthly meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held TUESDAY EVENING, December 9, at seven o'clock, at the rooms, No. 32 Camp street.
By order of the president.
de9 1t J. M. HARDING, Secretary.

Hall of Vigilant Steam Fire Company No. 3, New Orleans, December 8, 1873.—At the annual meeting of the company held as above, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year, to wit:
CHARLES HEMARD, President.
JOSEPH BAIGENT, Vice President.
GEORGE H. TARDY, Secretary.
FRANK KEENE, Treasurer.
GEORGE AUFDEMORT, Foreman.
CHARLES ELCHINGER, First Assistant.
JOHN HERSCHAFT, Second Assistant.
Delegates to Firemens' Charitable Association:
CHARLES HEMARD, GEORGE AUFDEMORT, FRANK KEENE.
Substitutes:
JOSEPH BAIGENT, THEODORE RABENACH, JOHN HERSCHAFT.
Re-elected.
By order.
de9 2t JOHN H. BERNOS.

The Loan Office, No. 17 Baronne street.—Notice is hereby given that unless the Pledges of all Unredeemed Pledges, without any distinction, due up to September 1, will be sold at private sale from and after the twelfth instant, and the remainder at public auction, on SATURDAY, December 20, 1873, commencing at 10 o'clock, at the above office.
de9 1t J. A. LAVANNER, Proprietor.

Office Mississippi Valley Navigation Company, Fourth and Wood, New Orleans, December 8, 1873.—Pursuant to requirements of the charter, elections for directors will be held on the fifteenth instant, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M., at No. 74 Carondelet street. Certain proposed amendments to the charter will be submitted to the stockholders for their action.
de9 1t CHARLES S. BENTON, Secretary.

Office Mutual Aid and Benevolent Life Insurance Association of Louisiana, No. 14 Camp street, New Orleans, December 9, 1873.—Members of this association are hereby notified of the death of Joseph Wald, who died in this city, May 20, 1873, and S. A. Levy, who died in this city, June 14, 1873, and are called upon to come forward without further notice and pay at the office of the association, No. 194 Camp street, $1 25 each, on or before 4 P. M., January 1, 1874.
de7 7t R. W. YOUNG, Secretary.

New Orleans Mutual Insurance Association, New Orleans, December 5, 1873.—The annual election for twelve directors to serve during the ensuing year, will take place at the office of the association, No. 102 Canal street, on MONDAY, the twenty-second day of December next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.
de5 1t P. SANAIS, Secretary.

Notice of Election.—Office of New Orleans City Railroad Company, No. 14 Canal street, New Orleans, December 7, 1873.—An election by the stockholders for twelve Directors of this company, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the company's office, No. 131 Canal street, on MONDAY, December 15, 1873, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.
de5 12t C. C. LEWIS, Secretary.

Notice.—The annual election for directors of the Louisiana Canal and Land Improvement Company, for the year 1874, will be held TUESDAY, December 16, 1873, at the office of the company, No. 75 Baronne street, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.
J. A. KARSTENDIECK,
de5 3t Secretary pro tem.

GIFT CONCERT.

SHORTEST ROUTE TO FORTUNE.

$100,000 for Only $2 50.

THE LARGEST RETURN FOR THE SMALLEST INVESTMENT.

A GRAND GIFT CONCERT

Will be held at

LEAVENWORTH, KANSAS,

December 31, 1873,

For the benefit of a

JUVENILE REFORM SCHOOL.

40,000 Gifts, $450,000 in Prizes,

Principal Prize, $100,000,

Consisting of the superb palatial residence of Simon Abeles, Esq., unsurpassed as a private dwelling in the United States, being only a few blocks from the Courthouse, surrounded by magnificent grounds, orchards, gardens and vineyards. The building has been only recently completed with all modern improvements.

PRIZE LIST.

13 prizes real estate	$159,125
1 cash prize	20,000
2 cash prizes, $10,000 each	20,000
4 cash prizes, $5000 each	20,000
4 cash prizes, $2500 each	10,000
20 cash prizes, $1000 each	20,000
50 cash prizes, $500 each	25,000
100 cash prizes, $200 each	20,000
200 cash prizes, $100 each	20,000
500 cash prizes, $50 each	25,000
698 cash prizes, $20 each	13,960
1,000 cash prizes, $10 each	10,000
1,158 cash prizes, $5 each	5,790
36,450 cash prizes, $2 50 each	91,125
40,000 prizes	$450,000

The title to the above real estate is guaranteed perfect. The liberal terms of this scheme bring it within the reach of all—the greatest opportunity ever offered for the poor man to rise to wealth.

PRICE OF TICKETS—Single tickets $2 50; eleven tickets $25; fifty-six tickets $125; 115 tickets $250.

The drawing will be made under the superintendence of a committee appointed by the highest officials in the State, duly sworn to the faithful performance of the duties assigned them. The highest officials, both of city, county and State, have not only indorsed Mr. Abeles, but also his scheme. The demand for tickets is unparalleled, and all desiring to participate in the drawing should at once form their clubs and send in their orders.

Agents Wanted

in all States, cities and towns in the United States and Canadas.

Money should be sent by registered letter, post-office order or express, with the full address of the purchaser in plain writing.

Every package of eleven tickets has a chance to win eleven prizes, but positively certain to win one, while one person out of every ten who purchase a package of eleven is bound to win two prizes.

For further information and particulars send for circulars to the manager and proprietor, and address

SIMON ABELES,
se21 3m eod Leavenworth, Kansas.

BUSINESS CHANGES.

LIQUIDATION.—THE ST. LOUIS FOUNDRY IS closed from this date, for the purpose of liquidation and dissolution of partnership.
LAWRENCE DUFFY,
W. W. McCULLOUGH.
New Orleans, November 27, 1873. no28

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Dupre, Reine & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, to date from second instant. Mr. Emile Dupre will alone remain in charge of the liquidation of said firm.
EMILE DUPRE,
FRANK REINE,
A. TREPAGNIER.

Referring to the above the undersigned will continue the general commission and rice business in his own name and for his own account, under
de9 10t EMILE DUPEE.

SUCCESSION NOTICES.

Succession of David North—No. 36,771.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF Orleans.—Whereas, E. T. Parker has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late David North, 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.
de5 9 11 FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of Jean J. Lemoine—No. 36,774.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF Orleans.—Whereas, Nicholas Dabon has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Jean J. Lemoine, 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.
de3 7 11 FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of E. D. White—No. 35,981.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF Orleans.—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of this estate, and to all 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 of this estate should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.
By order of the Court.
de2 6 10 FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of Elizabeth Jobibois, Wife of Pierre Leopold Thompson—No. 36,715.

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 tutrix administering this estate should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.
By order of the Court.
de9 13 17* FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of Simon Mellier—No. 35,678.

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 tutrix administering this estate should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.
By order of the court.
de9 13 17* FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of Margaret Mallany, wife of Thomas McNamara—No. 35,605.

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.
de9 12 15* FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of Charles Bienvenu—No. 36,036.

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 final account presented by Francisco P. Martinez, natural tutor and administrator of these estates should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.
By order of the Court.
de9 2t 9 5 FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

PROCLAMATION.

FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Executive Department, New Orleans, December 2, 1873.

WHEREAS, Information has reached me, that on the fourteenth day of October, 1873, Mr. E. W. ROBINSON, a worthy citizen of Tensas parish, while in the discharge of his duties as deputy sheriff, was murdered by one Dr. W. H. Johnson, and Jane Johnson, his wife, whom he was conveying to the parish jail; and

Whereas, The said W. H. Johnson and Jane Johnson, it is believed, have taken refuge in the State of Mississippi; and all efforts of the sheriff of Tensas to secure their arrest have been ineffectual—

Now, therefore, I, William P. Kellogg, Governor of the State of Louisiana, do issue this, my proclamation, offering a REWARD OF FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS, supplementary to any reward offered by the parish authorities of Tensas, for the arrest and delivery of the said W. H. Johnson and Jane Johnson, his wife, to the sheriff of Tensas parish, afore said.

Given under my hand and the seal of the State hereunto attached, in the city of New Orleans, this second day of December, A. D. 1873, and of the independence of the United States of America the ninety-eighth.

WILLIAM P. KELLOGG.

By the Governor:
P. G. DESLONDE,
Secretary of State. de3

WRIT OF ELECTION.

PARISH OF ST. LANDRY.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Executive Department, New Orleans, December 3, 1873.

WHEREAS, official information has reached me of a vacancy in the representation of the parish of St. Landry in the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, occasioned by the death of Hon. B. R. Gantt.

Now, therefore, I, William P. Kellogg, Governor of the State of Louisiana, do issue this, my writ of election, in accordance with section thirty of act No. 98, approved November 20, 1872, directing the supervisor of registration of the parish of St. Landry, within three days from the receipt hereof, to give public notice that an election will be held to fill such vacancy on a day to be named by him in accordance with law.

Given under my hand and the seal of the State, hereto attached, in the city of New Orleans, this third day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and of the independence of the United States of America the ninety-eighth.

WILLIAM P. KELLOGG.

By the Governor:
P. G. DESLONDE,
Secretary of State. de4 2p

WRIT OF ELECTION.

PARISH OF ST. JAMES.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Executive Department, New Orleans, December 2, 1873.

WHEREAS, official information has reached me of a vacancy in the representation of the parish of St. James in the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, occasioned by the death of Hon. John Hedgepath.

Now, therefore, I, William P. Kellogg, Governor of the State