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PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, March 18, 1874.

[No. 2534—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, whenever there shall be money in the city treasury to the credit of the appropriate fund for each account, and not otherwise appropriated:

A. W. Dearie, repairing locks, etc., for Department of Commerce, approved, $11 50.

J. D. Baxter, transferee of William Jackson, putting down one well, hose, etc., at St. Mary's Orphan Asylum, approved by Administrator of Waterworks and Public Buildings, $210 75.

M. H. Applegate, repairing basin cocks, etc., for Mayor's office, approved, $5.

Louis Schneider, Administrator of Finance, cash advanced for law charges, $191 50; cash advanced for sundries, $75.

New Orleans Republican Printing Company, advertising proposals for Department of Improvements, approved, $40; advertising notice to builders, approved by the Administrator of Waterworks, and Public Buildings, $51.

T. H. Thomason, transfer blanks for Department of Public Accounts, approved, $12.

William E. Murphy, transferee of J. Burke, clerk of the Superior District Court, for clerk's costs on tax bills of 1873, on account, $6000.

Wallace & Co., for 138 pairs of blankets for Parish Prison, approved, $507 46.

J. N. Folwell, M. D., coroner of the First, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Districts, for inquests, views and burials in February, 1874, approved, $785.

John Grayer, coroner of the Second and Third Districts, for inquests, views and burials in February, 1874, approved, $945.

J. H. Wilberding, transferee, on account of past due obligations, $2096.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, March 17, 1874.

Yeas—Brewster, Calhoun, Fitzenreiter, Lewis, Schneider, Sturcken, Turnbull.

LOUIS A. WILTZ, Mayor.

A true copy:
DANIEL SCULLY, Secretary.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, March 18, 1874.

[No. 2535—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, whenever there shall be money in the city treasury to the credit of the appropriate fund for each account and not otherwise appropriated:

DEPARTMENT OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Bureau of Streets—	
William Henry, ballast	$253 75
Mrs. McGwinn, lake shells	495 00
Barrett & Wiemann, hardware	43 00
George Nungesser, relaying flagging	34 33
Bureau of Wharves and Landings—	
Witham & Rovira, lumber	105 00
Henry Oertling, lumber	105 84
Bureau of Drainage—	
W. G. Wilmot & Co., coal	250 00
D. C. McCan & Son, iron work	291 06
Total	$1577 98

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, March 17, 1874.

Yeas—Brewster, Calhoun, Fitzenreiter, Lewis, Schneider, Sturcken, Turnbull.

LOUIS A. WILTZ, Mayor.

A true copy:
DANIEL SCULLY, Secretary.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, March 18, 1874.

[No. 2536—Administration Series.]

WHEREAS, The Council is informed, in a report this day made by the Hon. Louis A. Wiltz, Mayor, that in conformity with the instructions and authorization of the Council, he purchased, on the seventh of March, 1874, at a sale at auction, made pursuant to an order of the United States District Court, sitting in bankruptcy, dated January 28, 1874, the following described property, for the sum of $12,800 cash in United States treasury notes, with the further conditions that over and above the amount of the purchase price the purchaser shall assume the payment of all taxes for the year 1874, and that the act of sale shall be at the expense of the purchaser, viz:

A lot of ground with the buildings thereon, known as the Bank of Louisiana, situated in the Second District of this city, at the corner of Royal and Conti streets, in the square bounded by Conti, Royal and Bienville streets and Exchange place; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the purchase of the property, as set forth in the foregoing preamble, be and is hereby recognized, ratified and approved, and the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to accept the title to, or transfer and conveyance of the said property, upon the terms and conditions herein named.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, March 17, 1874.

Yeas—Brewster, Calhoun, Fitzenreiter, Lewis, Schneider, Sturcken, Turnbull.

LOUIS A. WILTZ, Mayor.

A true copy:
DANIEL SCULLY, Secretary.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, March 18, 1874.

[No. 2537—Administration Series.]

Resolved, That the Administrator of Finance be and he is hereby authorized to issue wharf improvement bonds, at the rate of ninety cents on the dollar, in settlement of the following claim: William Henry, for 18,082 barrels lake shells, delivered, at thirty-eight cents per barrel, $6871 16.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, March 17, 1874.

Yeas—Brewster, Calhoun, Fitzenreiter, Lewis, Schneider, Sturcken, Turnbull.

LOUIS A. WILTZ, Mayor.

A true copy:
DANIEL SCULLY, Secretary.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, March 18, 1874.

[No. 2538—Administration Series.]

An ordinance to prevent the wharves and levees of the city from being obstructed by ballast.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the City Council, That it shall not be lawful for any ship, steamer, steamboat or other vessel, or the owner, captain, mate or person in command thereof, or any person or persons whomsoever, to place or put, or to cause to be placed or put, any stone or other ballast upon any wharf, levee, landing or other public place in the city of New Orleans, except by the authority and with the consent of the Administrator of Commerce of said city, and under such regulations and upon such terms and conditions as the said Administrator may order and direct in the premises.

SEC. 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That any ship, steamer, steamboat or other vessel, or the owner, captain, mate or person in command of any ship, steamer, steamboat or other vessel, and every person or persons whomsoever, placing or putting or causing or permitting to be placed or put any stone or other ballast upon any wharf, levee or other public place in the city of New Orleans, in violation of this ordinance, shall be subject to a fine of not more than $100 nor less than $25, or be imprisoned for a period of time not less than fifteen nor more than thirty days, such fine or imprisonment to be imposed upon due conviction by the municipal judge of the district within which the offense was committed or by any other competent judge or tribunal.

SEC. 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That for putting and placing the ballast aforesaid upon any wharf, levee or public place of the city of New Orleans, in violation of this ordinance, and for each twenty-four hours that the same shall be permitted there to remain, also in violation of this ordinance, a separate and distinct offense shall be considered as committed, and the party offending shall be fined or imprisoned as herein above set forth for each and every offense aforesaid, and for each and every violation of this ordinance.

SEC. 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this ordinance shall take effects from and after its passage.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, March 17, 1874.

Yeas—Brewster, Calhoun, Fitzenreiter, Lewis, Schneider, Sturcken, Turnbull.

LOUIS A. WILTZ, Mayor.

A true copy:
DANIEL SCULLY, Secretary.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, March 18, 1874.

[No. 2539—Administration Series.]

Resolved, In accordance with section ten, act No. 48, approved March 13, 1871, notice is hereby given of the intention of the city of New Orleans to gravel the west side of Rampart street, between Dumaine and Hospital streets.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, March 17, 1874.

LOUIS A. WILTZ, Mayor.

A true copy:
DANIEL SCULLY, Secretary.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, March 18, 1874.

[No. 2540—Administration Series.]

WHEREAS, A bill is represented as having passed in both houses of the General Assembly by which it is proposed to assign and set apart the levee and river front in the Second District, opposite to the United States Mint, for a distance of one or more squares for exclusive use as a coal landing, although the same, or a considerable part of the same, had been designated by the City Council as a general landing for steamships, for which purpose the erection of a suitable wharf had already been contracted for, and in consideration of the general interests of commerce, which require that the said landing should be left open to general use and for the common benefit of dealers and shippers, without restriction; now therefore be it

Resolved, That his excellency the Governor be, and he is hereby respectfully, requested to consider said bill with reference to these facts, and, in consideration of the commercial interests of the city, of the well known wishes of merchants and the people at large, and of the corporate rights and equitable privileges of the city through her authorities to have exclusive control over her levees and landings, and to withhold his signature and approval from the coal landing bill.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, March 18, 1874.

LOUIS A. WILTZ, Mayor.

A true copy:
DANIEL SCULLY, Secretary.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, March 18, 1874.

[No. 2541—Administration Series.]

Resolved, That, on account of erroneous assessment, the Administrator of Public Accounts be and is hereby authorized to cancel the assessments for 1871 and 1873, on real estate, in the name of B. Saloy in square No. 407, seventh assessment district; tax bills No. 53,464 for 1871, and No. 591 for 1873.

Also, to reduce the assessment for 1874, on capital against Witham & Rovira, in square No. 193 seventh assessment district, from $3000 to $2000; tax bill No. 193.

Also, to cancel the assessments for 1873 and 1874, on real estate in tenth assessment district, belonging to the Society of the Holy Cross; tax bills No. 4184 for 1873 and No. 34 for 1874.

Also, to reduce the assessment for 1874 on real estate belonging to M. Phillips, in square No. 301, fifth assessment district, from $36,000 to $20,000; tax bill No. 569.

Also, to reduce the assessments for 1873 and 1874 on capital against Pressprich & Co., in square No. 227, fifth assessment district, from $15,000 to $5000; tax bills No. 900 for 1873 and No. 1150 for 1874.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, March 17, 1874.

LOUIS A. WILTZ, Mayor.

A true copy:
DANIEL SCULLY, Secretary.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, March 18, 1874.

[No. 2542—Administration Series.]

Resolved, That the sum of $400 in cash, or its equivalent in new consolidated bonds, drainage series, be and is hereby appropriated to Mrs. Thomas Fereday, provided said Mrs. Fereday will receive said amount in full settlement for all damages heretofore sustained or hereafter caused to the real estate or personal property owned by her, on or near the lake shore, by reason of the construction of the lake shore levee and the operations of the dredge boats along the same, and that she renounce and relinquish all claims under this settlement for herself, and her heirs and assigns forever.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, March 17, 1874.

LOUIS A. WILTZ, Mayor.

A true copy:
DANIEL SCULLY, Secretary.

LAWS OF THE STATE OF LOUISANA.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

AN ACT No. 58.

Entitled an act to construct a public road of earth in the most direct line, from the western limits of the city of New Orleans to William street, in the city of Kenner, and to compel the police jury of Jefferson parish, left bank, and the cities of Carrollton and Kenner, to open and construct their portions of said road; and to authorize and compel the police jury of Jefferson parish, left bank, to issue bonds to pay for the construction of said road, and provide for the payment of said bonds and their interest; and to authorize the cities of Carrollton and Kenner to assume a portion of said bonds issued by the police jury of Jefferson parish, left bank; and to limit taxation by the police jury of Jefferson parish, left bank, and repeal acts inconsistent therewith.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana in General Assembly convened, That the said police jury of Jefferson parish, left bank, and the city of Carrollton and the city of Kenner, all of the State of Louisiana, and they are hereby authorized and compelled to pass and adopt within sixty days from the passage of this act the necessary ordinances and resolutions, to build and construct a public road of earth within their respective limits and jurisdiction, in the most direct line between the western limits of the city of New Orleans and William street, in the city of Kenner, in the manner hereinafter provided, within six months from the adjudication of the contract or contracts for building said road; said road from the city of New Orleans to the aforesaid point in the city of Kenner to be located by a jury appointed as provided by section three thousand three hundred and sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of this State, and the said police jury shall also employ a surveyor to furnish the necessary plans, lines, grades, etc., for the entire length of said road and to take the general supervision of the construction of the same, in accordance with specifications furnished by him; whose certificate shall be the only warrant upon which the said police jury shall pay for said construction in the manner hereinafter provided; and it is further provided that the compensation of the surveyor shall be fixed and paid by said police jury.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, etc., That it shall be the duty of the police jury of Jefferson parish, left bank, and they are hereby compelled to, immediately after the receipt of the report and estimates of the surveyor, to advertise for ten days in the official papers of Jefferson and Orleans parishes for proposals, to be sealed and directed to said police jury, and to be opened by them at a public meeting of said police jury on a day to be named in said advertisement, when said police jury shall proceed to adjudicate the contract or contracts in sections; said sections without the limit of the cities of Carrollton and Kenner to be in extent the same as the plantations or places over which said road may pass, to the lowest bidder or bidders, and may require of such lowest bidder or bidders such security as said police jury may deem proper for the faithful performance of the contract or contracts within such time as the said police jury and said contractor or contractors may agree upon; provided, that the time shall not exceed six months from the date of adjudication of said contract or contracts.

SEC. 3. Be it further enacted, etc., That in order to pay for the construction of said public earth road, the police jury of Jefferson parish, left bank, are hereby authorized and compelled to issue the bonds of said police jury of Jefferson parish, left bank, duly signed by the president and treasurer of said police jury, and sealed with the seal of said parish, to an amount sufficient to pay in full, and no more, the adjudicated contract cost of constructing said road; said bonds shall be known as five-twenty bonds, and shall be due and payable in not less than five years nor more than twenty years from their date, bearing eight per cent interest per annum, payable annually, and they shall be in amounts of not less than fifty dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars each, and they and the interest that may be due thereon shall be receivable, to the extent of seventy-five per cent, for all general parish taxes levied for and after the year 1874; and it is further provided that the cities of Carrollton and Kenner are hereby authorized to subscribe for, and purchase and assume as many of said bonds as may at any time be adjudicated between the said cities of Carrollton and Kenner, and the police jury of Jefferson parish, left bank, and to provide for the payment of their interest and principal in the manner hereinafter provided.

SEC. 4. Be it further enacted, etc., That in order to provide a fund for the payment of the annual interest of the said bonds, as it becomes due, and to provide for the payment of their principal in equal installments from and after the year 1880, the police jury of Jefferson parish, left bank, and the cities of Carrollton and Kenner are hereby authorized and empowered within thirty days after the assessment rolls for each and every year shall be completed, to determine what rate of taxation on the total assessed value of all the movable and immovable property in said parish, left bank, and said cities of Carrollton and Kenner, will be sufficient for the purpose of paying the equal installments of said bonds and said annual interest, and said tax, as annually determined, is hereby levied and constituted a lien and privilege upon all the movable and immovable property that may be annually assessed in said parish, left bank, and the aforesaid cities, and it shall be the duty of said police jury and said cities to enforce the collection of said tax in the same manner as the laws now or may hereafter provide for the collection of the State taxes, and said taxes, when collected, shall be appropriated exclusively to the purposes intended by this act, and it is further provided that the said police jury of Jefferson parish, left bank, shall be and are hereby prohibited from levying in any one year for purposes other than the Metropolitan Police tax and those provided for in this act, a greater sum than three quarters of one per cent on the one hundred dollars.

SEC. 5. Be it further enacted, etc., That all laws or parts of laws conflicting with this act are hereby repealed, and that this act shall be in force and take effect from and after its passage.

(Signed) CHARLES W. LOWELL,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
(Signed) C. C. ANTOINE,
Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate.
Approved March 12, 1874.
(Signed) WILLIAM P. KELLOGG,
Governor of the State of Louisiana.
A true copy:
P. G. DESLONDE,
Secretary of State.

No. 60.

AN ACT

To amend and re-enact section six and to repeal section ten of an act entitled an act to amend and re-enact an act entitled "an act to restablish a Metropolitan Police District, and to provide for the government thereof," approved March, 8, 1869, and to authorize the Board of Metropolitan Police Commissioners to reduce its expenditures and to reorganize and reduce the Metropolitan Police force.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana in General Assembly convened, That section six of an act entitled act to amend and re-enact an act entitled "an act to establish a Metropolitan Police District, and to provide for the government thereof," approved March 8, 1869, and which reads as follows: "That the said Metropolitan Police force shall consist of of not more than one superintendent, nor less than two police surgeons, six captains, twenty-two sergeants, — corporals, fourteen clerks (operators), five hundred patrolmen and ten doormen, a superintendent and assistant superintendent of police fire alarm telegraph," be amended and re-enacted to read as follows: The Metropolitan Police force shall consist of a superintendent, police surgeons, captains, sergeants, corporals, clerks (telegraph operators), patrolmen and doormen, a superintendent and assistant superintendent of police fire alarm telegraph.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, etc., That section ten of an act entitled an act to amend and re-enact an act entitled "an act to establish a Metropolitan Police district, and to provide for the government thereof," approved March 8, 1869, and which reads as follows: "That the Metropolitan Police Board shall cause the Metropolitan Police district to be divided into precincts, not exceeding in the aggregate one precinct to each one hundred of the patrolmen. The same board may appoint as many captains as precincts, and assign one captain and as many sergeants, corporals and patrolmen as they shall deem sufficient to each precinct. Any number of said precincts may be joined into a sub-district by the said board and assigned to the charge of police surgeon of police force," be and the same is hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. Be it further enacted, etc., That the Board of Metropolitan Police Commissioners be and it is hereby authorized and directed, within sixty days of the passage of this act, to reduce its expenses and reorganize and reduce the Metropolitan Police force in such manner and to such extent as economy and the limitations of expenditures empowered by law may require, and to this end it may honorably discharge such members of the Metropolitan Police force as in its judgment may be needful and proper.

SEC. 4. Be it further enacted, etc., That all laws or parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this act shall take effect from and after its passage.

(Signed) CHARLES W. LOWELL,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
(Signed) C. C. ANTOINE,
Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate.
Approved March 17, 1874.
(Signed) WILLIAM P. KELLOGG,
Governor of the State of Louisiana.
A true copy:
P. G. DESLONDE,
Secretary of State.

No. 56.

AN ACT

Providing for the acceptance by the Louisiana Levee Company of a reduction of the rate of certain taxes, to be collected as compensation to said company, from four mills to three mills, and in consideration of said reduction relieving said company from liability for damages in certain cases.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana, in General Assembly convened, That should the Louisiana Levee Company file in the office of the Secretary of State, within twelve months after the promulgation of an act entitled an act to provide for funding obligations of the State by exchange for bonds to provide for principal and interest of said bonds; to establish a board of liquidation; to authorize certain judicial proceedings against it; to define and punish violations of this act; to prohibit certain officers dividing funds except as provided by law, and to punish violation thereof; to levy a continuing tax and provide a continuing appropriation for said bonds; to make a contract between the State and holders of said bonds; to prohibit injunctions in certain cases; to limit the indebtedness of the State; and to limit State taxes; to annul certain grants of State aid; to provide the modification, novation or extension of any contract heretofore made for State aid; to provide for the receipt of certain warrants for certain taxes, and to repeal all conflicting laws, approved January 24, 1874; an acceptance of the reduction of the tax of four mills for the repair and construction of the levees, to three mills, as provided for in section fifteen of said act, then in consideration of said acceptance, the fifth paragraph of the second section of an act entitled an act relative to the Louisiana Levee Company, a corporation organized under the general laws of this State, constituting it a body politic and corporate, with certain powers, privileges and franchises, and contracting with said corporation for the construction, maintenance and repairs of certain levees, and providing for compensation therefor, approved February 20, 1871, be and the same is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, etc., That this act shall take effect from and after the filing in the office of the Secretary of State of the acceptance named in the first section of this act.

(Signed) CHARLES W. LOWELL,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
(Signed) C. C. ANTOINE,
Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate.
Approved March 9, 1874.
(Signed) WILLIAM P. KELLOGG,
Governor of the State of Louisiana.
A true copy:
P. G. DESLONDE,
Secretary of State.

LEGAL NOTICES.

THE STATE OF LOUISIANA.

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

ANNIE BERWIN VS. JULIUS KAISER, HER HUSBAND—No. 5475.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ON THE THIRTEENTH day of March, 1874, judgment was rendered in this court in the entitled suit in the words and figures following, to wit:

Annie Berwin vs. Julius Kaiser, her husband—No. 5475.

On motion of David Goldman, of counsel for plaintiff, and on producing to the court due proof in support of said plaintiff's claim, the law and evidence being in her favor, it is ordered, adjudged and decreed that the judgment by default herein entered on the ninth instant be now confirmed and made final, and accordingly that there be judgment in favor of plaintiff, Mrs. Annie Berwin, and against defendant, Julius Kaiser, her husband, decreeing a dissolution of the community of acquests and gains heretofore existing between the said parties. It is further adjudged and decreed that the said plaintiff do administer her property separately and independently of her said husband, and that defendant pay all costs of suit.

Signed March 13, 1874.

E. NORTH CULLOM, Judge.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said court, at the city of New Orleans, on this eighteenth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the ninety-eighth year of the independence of the United States.

mh19 24 20 PAUL T. ARADIS, Deputy Clerk.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA.

IN THE MATTER OF THOMAS H. SHIELDS & CO., composed of Thomas H. Shields and W. A. Hyatt, bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy—No. 81.

THE CREDITORS OF THE ABOVE ESTATE ARE hereby notified that the second and third general meeting of the creditors will be held at the office of C. S. Kellogg, Esq., one of the Registers in Bankruptcy, Customhouse building, at the city of New Orleans, on the second day of April, 1874, at 12 M.

mh19 25 ap2 E. E. NORTON, Assignee.

THE STATE OF LOUISIANA.

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

MRS. SUZANNE EUGENIE DE LAVILLEBEUVRE vs. Benjamin Toledano—No. 5666.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ON THE TWENTY-eighth day of January, 1874, judgment was rendered in this court in the entitled suit in the words and figures following, to wit:

Mrs. Suzanne Eugenie de Lavillebeuvre vs. Benjamin Toledano—No. 5666.

In this case, the court considering the law and evidence to be in favor of plaintiff, it is ordered, adjudged and decreed that the judgment by default herein entered, on the sixth of December, 1873, be now confirmed and made final, and, accordingly, that there be judgment in favor of plaintiff, Mrs. Suzanne Eugenie de Lavillebeuvre and against defendant, Benjamin Toledano, her husband, decreeing a separation of property and a dissolution of the community of acquests and gains heretofore existing between the said parties; that plaintiff's title to the dotal property herein be recognized, and that the furniture described in her petition be decreed to be her individual property. It is further adjudged and decreed that the said plaintiff do have and recover from defendant, her husband, the sum of $8170 94, and costs of suit, with lien and privilege as allowed by law to married women on the property of their husbands for the recovery of their dotal and paraphernal rights.

Judgment rendered January 26, 1874.

Signed February 2, 1874.

E. NORTH CULLOM, Judge.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said court at the city of New Orleans on this nineteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the ninety-eighth year of the independence of the United States.

fe22 mh13 21* JOHN O'LOGHLIN, Deputy Clerk.

THE STATE OF LOUISIANA.

FOURTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

MARIE IDA POIRIER, WIFE, VS. MICHEL BEGARY—No. 42,631.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ON THE NINTH day of March, 1874, judgment was rendered in this court, in the following entitled suit, in the words and figures following, to wit:

Marie Ida Poirier, wife, vs. Michel Begary, No. 42,631.

For reasons this day orally assigned by the court, and considering that all the facts and allegations contained in plaintiff's petition have been fully substantiated by evidence, and that the same, as well as the law, are in favor of plaintiff, it is ordered, adjudged and decreed that there be judgment in favor of plaintiff, Marie Ida Poirier, wife of Michel Begary, and against defendant, Michel Begary, her husband, dissolving the community of acquests and gains existing between the said plaintiff and the said defendant, and decreeing a separation of property between the said parties; and it is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that plaintiff, Marie Ida Poirier, wife of Michel Begary, do have judgment against and recover of defendant, Michel Begary, her husband, the sum of $150, and a set of bedroom furniture and bedding, clothes and linen, amounting to the sum of $300, being her dotal property, and also the sum of $625, amount of her paraphernal property, with privilege granted by law in such case made and provided, and that defendant pay the costs of suit.

Judgment rendered March 9, 1874.

Judgment signed March 13, 1874.

B. L. LYNCH, Judge.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said court, at the city of New Orleans, on this thirteenth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the ninety-eighth year of the independence of the United States.

mh14 30 ap14* F. F. PALMS, Deputy Clerk.

INSURANCE.

NEW ORLEANS MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY,

Corner of Canal and Camp Streets.

FOURTEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

In conformity with their charter, the company publish the following statement:

Premiums during the year ending December 31, 1873—		
On fire risks		$414,633 55
On marine risks		101,189 83
On river risks		42,874 56
Total premiums		$558,653 94
Less reserve for unterminated risks, December 31, 1873	$125,605 93	
Less return premiums	11,776 58—137,382 61	
Net earned premiums		421,276 43
Reinsurances	$42,923 92	
Losses on fire	$183,039 47	
Losses on marine	67,172 66	
Losses on river	9,774 91—260,017 04	
Expenses, taxes, etc., less interest account	17,401 45	
Commissions on agency business	7,798 87	
Rebate paid to the assured	39,773 40	
Semi annual interest on capital stock—		
Five per cent paid August, 1873	25,000 00	
Five per cent payable in February, 1874	25,000 00—50,000 00—417,914 68	
Reserved for unsettled claims		$3,361 75
The company has the following assets:		
Cash		$40,407 16
Bills receivable for premiums		15,077 16
Bonds, city and others		135,000 00
Stocks, Gas Company and others		67,514 50
Pledge and mortgage notes		275,736 69
Premiums in course of collection		106,270 62
Suspense account		3,590 79
Agency premiums for December		11,013 26
Warrant account		6,799 69
Branch office		4,524 21
Louisiana Cotton Factory		1,970 93
Property corner Canal and Camp streets		70,602 77
Other real estate		28,532 29
Due by insurance companies		7,405 76
Total		$774,595 77
Depreciation		97,560 94
Cash market value		$676,944 83

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$500,000 00
Unterminated risks	125,605 93
Interest on capital stock, due in February	25,000 00
Interest and dividends uncollected	11,115 18
Bills payable	1,716 00
Claims unsettled	3,361 75
Reserve, two and a half per cent on losses	10,145 97
Total	$676,944 83

The above statement is a true and correct transcript from the books of the company.

J. W. BINCKS, Secretary. J. TUYES, President.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this ninth day of January, A. D. 1874.

P. CHARLES CUVELLIER, Notary Public, No. 140 Gravier street, New Orleans.

The semi-annual interest dividend of five per cent, due first MONDAY in February, will be paid to the stockholders on and after that date.

Directors.

GEORGE URQUHART, M. PAYRO,
H. GALLY, PLACIDE FORSTALL,
GEORGE W. BABCOCK, AUGUST REICHARD,
T. BAILEY BLANCHARD, E. MILTENBERGER,
A. SCHREIBER, W. B. SCHMIDT,
CHARLES LAFITTE, J. TUYES. ja17 1y

TEUTONIA INSURANCE COMPANY

OF

NEW ORLEANS,

Office No. 111 Gravier Street.

INSURE FIRE, MARINE AND RIVER RISKS AT LOWEST RATES.

Assets.....$798,454 61

A. EIMER BADER, President.
CH. ENGSTFELD, Vice President.
GEORGE STEOMEYER, Secretary.

Board of Trustees:

Henry Abrams,	A. Eimer Bader,
N. A. Baumgarden,	E. F. Del Bondio
Ch. Engstfeld,	M. Frank,
H. R. Gogreve,	Hy. Haller,
Sigmund Statz,	J. H. Keller,
J. Keiffer,	Louis Leonhard,
Theo. Lillienthal,	C. H. Miller,
F. Rickert,	Frank Roder,
Louis Schneider,	W. B. Schmidt
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Louis Schwartz,	J. M. Schwartz,
J. R. Wildermann,	X. Weissenbach

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MERCHANTS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY

OF

NEW ORLEANS.

Office No. 104 Canal street.

NINETEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

In conformity with the requirements of their charter the company publish the following STATEMENT.

Premiums received during the year ending May 31, 1873, including unearned premiums of the previous year—		
On fire risks		$731,896 30
On marine risks		92,630 18
On river risks		182,563 44
Total premiums		$1,007,088 92
Less unearned premiums		202,675 00
Net earned premiums May 31, 1873		$804,413 92
Losses paid—		
On fire risks	$432,768 38	
On marine risks	48,149 47	
On river risks	63,541 24	
Taxes	23,902 92	
Reinsurances and return premiums	61,064 63	
Total	$629,266 64	
Deduct interest, less expenses	17,775 31	$611,491 33
Profit		$192,922 59
The company has the following assets:		
Real estate		$122,371 15
City bonds		367,050 00
Bank and railroad stocks		21,188 00
Notes secured by mortgage		404,292 30
Notes secured by pledge		153,468 72
Bills receivable		46,673 79
Premium in course of collection		101,908 26
State bonds		1,500 00
Insurance stocks		1,800 00
Stock of Vallette Dry Dock Company		19,800 00
Stock of Levee Steam Cotton Press		2,300 00
Stock of Marine Dry Dock and Ship Yard Company		4,000 00
Harbor Protection Company		1,500 00
St. Louis Hotel Association		5,000 00
Mortgage bonds Turner's Association		2,000 00
Mortgage bonds Odd Fellows' Hall		5,000 00
Judgment on mortgage notes		6,000 00
Cash on hand		171,417 14
New Orleans, Florida and Havana Steamship Company		3,000 00
Total		$1,386,269 46

The above statement is a just, true and correct transcript from the books of the company.

PAUL FOURCHY, President.

G. W. NOTT, Secretary.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Parish of Orleans, city of New Orleans.

Sworn to and subscribed before me the ninth day of June, 1873. P. CHARLES CUVELLIER, Notary Public.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held on the ninth day of June, 1873, it was resolved to declare a CASH DIVIDEND OF FIFTEEN PER CENT on the net earned participating premiums for the year ending May 31, 1873, payable on third Monday in July next.

Also to pay to the stockholders, on demand terest at the rate of ten per cent per annum their stock.

DIRECTORS:

P. Maspero,	David McCoard,
S. Z. Relf,	L. F. Generes,
M. Puig,	P. Fourchy,
P. S. Wiltz,	J. J. Fernandez,
D. A. Chaffraix,	J. M. Allen,
Charles Lafitte.	

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INSURANCE.

SUN MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

Paid Up Capital, $500,000.

EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT—FOR THE YEAR 1873.

Amount of premiums for the year		$289,627 53
Less unterminated risks, and return premiums		61,859 89
Net earned premiums		$227,767 64
Discount and interest		44,087 22
Total		$271,854 86
Losses paid, reinsurance and unadjusted losses	$153,159 77	
General expenses and taxes	32,173 21	
Reserve fund and dividend on stock	58,814 70—244,174 68	
Net profit		$27,707 18
Assets of the company, estimated at their market value:		
Bonds, stocks, loans and bills receivable		$524,786 24
Cash on hand and premiums in course of collection		55,565 88
Total assets		$580,352 72

The Board of Directors, at a meeting held on the twenty-first day of January, 1874, after setting aside $10,000 to the reserve fund from the net earnings of the year and paying ten per cent dividend to the stockholders, resolved to pay a cash dividend of TEN PER CENT on the net earned participating premiums for the year ending December 31, 1873.

JAMES I. DAY, President.

HORACE CARPENTER, Secretary.

Directors for 1874.

John G. Gaines,	E. J. Hart,	Henry Renshaw,
Hugh Wilson,	B. Biscoe,	I. N. Marks,
James I. Day,	George Jonas,	Emory Clapp,
G. M. Bayly,	James Byrnes,	J. L. Harris,
C. Macready,	W. E. Seymour,	Richard Flower,
J. Weis,	B. W. Taylor,	J. C. Morris,
Lionel C. Levy,	W. B. Schm