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AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

BY B. M. & B. J. MONTGOMERY, at 11 o'clock, at the corner of Natchez and Camp streets, a general assortment of new and second-hand furniture.

Local Intelligence.

CELESTIAL SIGHTS AS BORES.—It is indeed strange that so poor a thing as the present comet should attract so great a share of the attention of star gazers and others, when sights worthy of ten thousand comets are passed by as if unworthy of notice. This poor, little, distant, thin-tailed erratic has caused more talk and brought forth more newspaper lore than even the next political campaign, and learned men have discoursed on this spangled star until ordinary creatures have been utterly swamped in the intricacies of astronomy. When the comet is compared to almost any star, lightning, the moon or the sun its magnificence pales, and like a spent rocket, comes down as a charred stick, which small boys hunt only to show, and then cast aside as worthless. After all, a comet is but a poor thing, and if we had one in sight nightly no one would speak of it, except, perhaps, in contempt.

As a heavenly body it is far inferior to almost any other, and to the senses of many people is not near so entertaining as a flash of lightning, a water spout, a tidal wave or a ward political club. A laughing baby in the arms of a pretty nurse is a more welcome sight, and one we have with us always. Give us no more of the comet, with its starry head and hazy tail rushing through space faster than the great American multiplier Weidner does when detectives are after him on a fresh trail. Fortunately Manager Coggia will soon withdraw his performing tail from our sight and leave us to seek astonishment or amusement in other things which will furnish us solid instruction. Even a second class eclipse of the moon would be a relief at present.

THEY WERE MOSQUITOES.—The game brought in from Proctorville by Captain Peter Joseph last week proves to have been mosquitoes. A person who saw the things remarked that they were rather small for birds and rather large for mosquitoes, but when he was told that they were shot at Proctorville he immediately declared them to be the last named.

ALMOST A SENSATION.—A family residing on Locust street, named Videau or Verdon, was suddenly and unaccountably prostrated by sickness, which at first seemed to be the result of poison, but up to the present time there is no proof that poison was the cause. Of course there was talk of voudous, revengeful colored servants, squaws, etc., but when the case is cleared up probably it will be discovered that there was no accident on the cook's part.

BRIEF MENTION.—The comet must have an influence to bring people and water together in a disagreeable fashion, for lately there has been a regular crevasse of drowning cases.

The body of H. Anderson, drowned in People's avenue canal, was found yesterday.

William Kelly, nineteen years old, employed on the steamship Minnesota, was accidentally drowned in the river at the head of Coston Press street.

The body of William Hatzeli, drowned off the steamship Western Metropolis, was recovered yesterday.

Corporal Regan, sixth precinct, arrested John Bennett and John Murphy about three o'clock yesterday morning, on a supposition that they intended to fire an unoccupied house on St. Andrew, near Rousseau street. They were seen when entering the building. A demijohn of coal oil was found under the stairs.

Some of the municipal court judges are regularly irregular in forwarding their weekly fines. Judge McArthur, First District, hands in $87 50 for the week ending the eleventh instant; Judge Staes, Second, $35; Judge Brice, Seventh, $7 50.

Vessels in port—Steamships, 8; ships, 19; barks, 7; brigs, 4; schooners, 4.

Henry Fowler, ten years old, was yesterday accidentally drowned at the head of Joseph street, Sixth District.

Charles Mobray last evening thoughtlessly sat down on the Mobile railroad track near Gentilly road, and when a train passed Charles came very near being crushed.

HE SHOT HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW.—C. E. Leslie, a carrier, last night accidentally shot his mother-in-law, Mrs. Calicour, at the corner of St. Bernard and Morales streets. He dropped his pistol and the bullet wounded her knee, not to a killing extent.

EXCEEDINGLY REGRETABLE.—The almost complete indifference on the part of our citizens in the fruit, flowers and plants exhibition, is to be regretted. The specimens sent in yesterday were so few and scattering that the managers could not be blamed if they gave up the enterprise in disgust. However, the persevering gentlemen who have the matter in hand will continue their exertions, and hope that their friends will to day make a better showing. Thus far there are only two specimens from Mississippi and none from Alabama or Florida.

ENGINES SHIPPED.—New steamers for Louisiana Hose and Crescent No. 24 were shipped on the steamship Mississippi last Saturday.

STAMPS GUARDS.—Night before last there was held a large and enthusiastic meeting of the Stamps Guards of the thirteenth ward. Eloquent and appropriate addresses were made by Senator Pinchback and Messrs. Garstkamp, Sewell, Dejoie and Bush.

HOW ABOUT IRISH POTATOES?—"Twelve dollars per barrel and none in the market," is what the morning report said about potatoes, which is nearly equal to a panic. Is there a corner in the tubers, and has a ring been formed to raise the price to starvation figures? Sweet potatoes are scarce and dear, so high that even the meanest market huckster is fully satisfied. Many people are trying to do without either of these roots, using greater quantities of rice and bread. Our own crop of potatoes is short, and last year's supply from the West is exhausted, and it is too early for receipts from other sections.

The Weather and Rivers.

OFFICE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVER, New Orleans, July 15, 1874.

The following is a report of the weather and rivers at 3:43 P. M. to-day, local time:

Place.	Ther.	Wind.	Weather.
Cairo	33	S. W.	Fair.
Cincinnati	90	S. W.	Fair.
Davenport	81	N. W.	Fair.
Dubuque	81	W.	Cloudy.
Galveston	75	S. E.	Threatening.
Indianola	80	S. E.	Fair.
Keokuk	84	N. W.	Fair.
Leavenworth	83	N.	Fair.
Louisville	93	S. W.	Fair.
Lacrosse	73	N. W.	Fair.
Memphis	87	S. W.	Clear.
Nashville	92	W.	Fair.
New Orleans	82	E.	Cloudy.
Omaha	81	N.	Clear.
Pittsburg	90	S. W.	Fair.
Shreveport	85	S. E.	Fair.
St. Louis	90	S. W.	Threatening.
St. Paul	73	N. W.	Clear.
Vicksburg	81	E.	Cloudy.
Yankton	81	N. E.	Fair.
Augusta	90	N. W.	Threatening.
Baltimore	93	S. W.	Clear.
Key West	87	E.	Fair.
Mobile	84	N.	Fair.
Montgomery	92	S.	Fair.
New York	90	S. W.	Clear.
Savannah	86	S. E.	Fair.

THE RIVERS.

Stations.	Rise. inches.	Fall. inches.	Above low water mark. Ft.	In.
Cairo	..	..	12	5
Cincinnati	..	2	4	5
Davenport	2	..	6	9
Dubuque	13	..	10	1
Keokuk	..	..	6	6
Leavenworth	..	4	5	2
Lacrosse	..	4	7	9
Louisville	..	..	4	2
Memphis	1	..	9	10
Nashville	..	6	3	0
Omaha	..	4	8	0
Pittsburg	..	6	3	7
Shreveport	..	5	13	10
St. Louis	..	9	14	0
St. Paul	..	3	7	8
Vicksburg	..	2	15	3
Yankton	..	1	12	7

The river here is ten feet seven inches below high water mark of 1871.

OFFICIAL.

To the Qualified Electors of the State of Louisiana.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Office of the Secretary of State, New Orleans, July 14, 1874.

In conformity to article 147, title nine of the constitution of 1868, publication is hereby made to the voters of the State of Louisiana, of the proposed amendments to the constitution of the State agreed to by two-thirds of the members of the elected to each house of the regular session of the General Assembly of the year 1874, and required to be published three months before the next general election for Representatives to the General Assembly in at least one newspaper in every parish of the State, in which a newspaper shall be published. Said amendments appear fully in acts Nos. 4, 22 and 64 of said session of the General Assembly, which are herewith officially published for the information of voters, and will be submitted to the people at the general election Monday, November 2, 1874, in such manner and form that the people may vote for or against such amendments separately; and if a majority of the voters shall approve and ratify all or either of said amendments, the same shall become a part of the constitution.

P. G. DESLONDE, Secretary of State.

No. 4.]

An act proposing amendments to the constitution of the State of Louisiana.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana in General Assembly convened (two-thirds of the members of each house agreeing thereto). That the following amendments be proposed and entered upon the respective journals of the Senate and House of Representatives, with the yeas and nays taken thereon, and the Secretary of State shall cause the same to be published three months before the next general election for representatives to the General Assembly in at least one newspaper in every parish of the State in which a newspaper shall be published. And said proposed amendments shall be submitted to the people at said election in such manner and form that the people may vote for or against each amendment separately—i. e., "first proposed amendment for approval," or "against approval," and in like manner as to the others; and if a majority of the voters at said election shall approve and ratify such amendment or amendments, the same shall be appropriately numbered and become a part of the constitution, and be proclaimed as such by the Governor and Secretary of State.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION

No. 1.—The issue of consolidated bonds authorized by the General Assembly of the State, at its regular session in the year 1874, is hereby declared to create a valid contract between the State and each and every holder of said bonds, which the State shall by no means and in no wise impair. The said bonds shall be a valid obligation of the State in favor of any holder hereof, and no court shall enjoin the payment of the principal or interest thereof, or the levy and collection of tax therefor; to secure such levy, collection and payment, the judicial power shall be exercised when necessary. The tax required for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds shall be assessed and collected each and every year until the bonds shall be paid, principal and interest, and the proceeds shall be paid by the Treasurer of the State to the holders of said bonds as the principal and interest of the same shall fall due, and no further legislation or appropriation shall be requisite for the said assessment and collection and for such payment from the treasury.

No. 2.—Whenever the debt of the State shall have been reduced below twenty-five million dollars, the constitutional limit shall remain at the lowest point reached, beyond which the public debt shall not thereafter be increased, and this rule continue in operation until the debt is reduced to fifteen million dollars, beyond which it shall not be increased. Nor shall taxation for all State purposes, excepting the support of public schools, ever exceed twelve and a half mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the real and personal property in the State, except in case of war or invasion.

No. 3.—The revenue of each year derived from taxation upon real, personal and mixed property, or from licenses, shall be devoted solely to the expenses of the said year for which it shall be raised, excepting any surplus remain, which shall be directed to sinking the public debt. All appropriations and claims in excess of revenue shall be null and void, and the State shall in no manner provide for their payment.

(Signed) CHARLES W. LOWELL, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
(Signed) C. C. ANTOINE, Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate.
Approved January 24, 1874.
(Signed) WILLIAM P. KELLOGG, Governor of the State of Louisiana.

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

No. 64.]

An act proposing an amendment to the constitution of the State of Louisiana, changing the day for holding the general election.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana in General Assembly convened (two-thirds of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto). That the following amendment to the constitution of the State of Louisiana shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State at the next general election for Representatives of the General Assembly: That the words "first Monday," in article seventeen of the constitution, be stricken out, and the words "first Tuesday after the first Monday" be substituted in lieu thereof, and if approved by a majority of the voters at said election the same shall become a part of said article seventeen.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, etc., 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 21, 1874.
(Signed) WILLIAM P. KELLOGG, Governor of the State of Louisiana.

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

No. 22.]

Joint resolution submitting an amendment to the constitution of the State to limit the debt of New Orleans, and the issue of warrants by the officers; and prescribing certain penalties.

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana in General Assembly convened (two-thirds of the members elected to each House agreeing thereto), That at the general election for members of the General Assembly, which will take place in November, 1874, an amendment to the constitution of the State shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State for their ratification or rejection in the words following:

Article —. The city of New Orleans shall not hereafter increase her debt, in any manner or form, or under any pretext. After the first day of January, 1875, no evidence of indebtedness or warrant for payment of money shall be issued by any officer of said city, except against cash actually in the treasury; but this shall not be so construed as to prevent a renewal of matured bonds at par, or the issue of new bonds in exchange for other bonds; provided the city debt be not thereby increased, nor to prevent the issue of drainage warrants to the transferee of contract, under act No. 30 of 1871, payable only from drainage taxes, and not otherwise; any person violating the prohibitions [provisions] of this article shall, on conviction, be punished by imprisonment for not less than two nor more than ten years, and by fine of not less than three dollars nor more than ten thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. Be it further resolved, etc., That at said next general election, the wishes of the electors in the premises shall be expressed by printed or written ballots, as follows:

"For the amendment limiting the debt of New Orleans;" or, "Against the amendment limiting the debt of New Orleans," and the said ballots shall be counted and returns made, and the result declared as in the case of election of State officers.

(Signed) CHARLES W. LOWELL, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
(Signed) C. C. ANTOINE, Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate.
Approved February 24, 1874.
(Signed) WILLIAM P. KELLOGG, Governor of the State of Louisiana.

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

CITY ORDINANCES—OFFICIAL.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, July 15, 1874.

[No. 2681—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:

J. N. Folwell, coroner of the First, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth District, for inquests, views and burials in the month of June, 1874, approved by the Administrator of Police, $1019.

John Grayer, coroner of the Second and Third Districts, for inquests, views and burials in the month of June, 1874, approved by the Administrator of Police, $1027.

J. W. Madden, stationery, etc., for the Department of Assessments, approved, $75 50.

Register of conveyances, for certificates of transfer of property in May, 1874, approved by the Administrator of Assessments, $161.

A. W. Dearie, repairing locks and making keys, approved, as follows: City Hall building, $5 25; Department of Public Accounts, seventy-five cents.

Louis Schneider, Administrator of Finance, cash advanced for law charges, etc., as per vouchers, $321.

I. W. Patton, criminal sheriff, for fees and expenses in April, 1874, for Superior Criminal Court, $669 45; fees and expenses in April, 1874, for First District Court, $1661 95; maintenance of prisoners, etc., in April, 1874, $4775 60; fees and expenses in May, 1874, Superior Criminal Court, $1257 40; fees and expenses in May, 1874, First District Court, $1388 40; maintenance of prisoners, etc., in May, 1874, $5982 60; fees and expenses in June, 1874, First District Court, $1595 50.

J. H. Ingraham, clerk of the First District Court, for costs and fees in sundry criminal cases in the month of June, 1874, approved by the judge of the First District Court, $1626 65.

New Orleans Picayune Printing Company, advertising notice to license and taxpayers, approved by Department of Finance, $47 25; advertising notice relative to Carrollton bridge, approved by Administrator of Improvements, $3.

New Orleans Times, advertising notice to taxpayers, approved by the Department of Finance, $9 75.

A. Hero, Jr., for amount paid for mortgage and conveyance certificates, in the case of F. Lacroix, $50.

C. E. Girardey & Co., for rent of First District Court, on Orleans street; for the month of June, 1874, as per lease, $250.

Johnson Armstrong & Co., stationery, binding, etc., for the Department of Finance, in June, 1874, approved, $267 25.

New Orleans Republican Printing Company, advertising sale of property in the matter of F. Lacroix, $60 20.

J. McPhelin, district attorney, for twenty-six criminal convictions in June, 1874, approved by the judge of the First District Court, $390; seventeen criminal convictions in June, 1874, approved by the judge of the Superior Criminal Court, $255.

P. McKenna, late constable of the Fifth Justice Court, in full for fees in criminal cases, $50.

Charles Gross, recorder of the parish of Jefferson, on account of conveyance transcripts filed in books with indexes in the office of the register of conveyances of the parish of Orleans, as per certificate of the latter, and in conformity with act No. 71 of 1874, $2500.

Henry Birrcher, for railing in Department of Public Accounts, $20.

Jefferson City Gaslight Company, for lighting ninety public lamps in Carrollton, in January, February and March, 1874, at $50 per annum each, $1125.

B. Bloomfield & Co., for printing blanks, $30.

New Orleans Bee, twelve months' subscription to January 31, 1875, for Mayor's office, approved $14.

L. F. Tower, towels, brooms, etc., for City Hall building, approved, $107 20.

Louisiana Steam Fire Company No. 10, for pumping water into street gutters, $20.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, July 14, 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, July 15, 1874.

[No. 2682—Administration Series.]

Resolved, That the sum of $3375, payable in tax warrants, receivable in payment of taxes of 1873 or previous years, be and is hereby appropriated to the Jefferson City Gaslight Company, for lighting ninety public lamps in Carrollton, from April 1, 1873, to December 31, 1873, inclusive, at the rate of $50 per annum each.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, July 14, 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, July 15, 1874.

[No. 2683—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 for the month of July, 1874, 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—

Thomas Morris, ballast	$9 00
E. Maginnis, ballast	273 00
Bureau of Wharves and Landings—	
R. Pochelu & Co., sand	20 00
D. Pequirnil, sand	26 80
N. Rohr, lumber	10 50
Mrs. F. New, lumber	2 40
Bureau of Drainage—	
D. C. McCan & Son, iron bolts	78 10
Gubernator & Terry, timber and hauling	406 55
Henry Birrcher, iron work	23 25
Witham & Rovira, lumber	344 84
Witham & Rovira, lumber	381 12
J. C. Stewart, lime and sand	8 25
Mrs. F. New, lumber	44 00
Bostick & Cohen, hardware	149 60
Total	$1777 41

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, July 14, 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, July 15, 1874.

[No. 2684—Administration Series.]

An ordinance relative to the general tax of the late city of Carrollton, for 1873, payable in 1874.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of New Orleans, That twenty-five cents on each $100 of the assessments of the late city of Carrollton, being part of the tax denoted in the tax bills as the "general tax for salary of officers, employes, schools, gas and other incidental expenses," shall be considered as having been levied for the support of the public schools of the said late city of Carrollton, and the Administrator of Finance is authorized and directed so to distribute the taxes levied by the ordinances of the mayor and council of the city of Carrollton, adopted December 10, 1873, that the proportion hereinbefore mentioned shall be placed, as soon as received, at the disposal of the board of school directors of the city of New Orleans, for the support of said schools for the year 1874.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, July 14, 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, July 15, 1874.

[No. 2685—Administration Series.]

Resolved, That the Administrator of Finance pay, on the warrant of the Administrator of Public Accounts, to Lafitte, Dufilho & Co., the sum of $500, for amount of tax for 1874, overpaid by them in error, on tax bill No. 2145.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, July 14, 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, July 15, 1874.

[No. 2686—Administration Series.]

Resolved, That on account of erroneous assessment, the Administrator of Public Accounts be and is hereby authorized to reduce the assessment for 1874 on real estate belonging to Charles Friedrich, in square No. 122, second assessment district, from $5000 to $4000, tax bill No. 70.

Also, to reduce the assessment for 1874 on real estate belonging to Mary Clarke, in square No. 472, fifth assessment district, from $1500 to $1200, tax bill No. 1693.

Also, to reduce the assesment for 1874 on real estate belonging to H. Kirchoff, in squares Nos. 88 A and 88 B, in sixteenth assessment district, from $2800 to $1500, and from $1600 to $1000, tax bills Nos. 1118 and 1119.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, July 14, 1874.

LOUIS A. WILTZ, Mayor.

A true copy: DANIEL SCULLY, Secretary.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, July 15, 1874.

[No. 2687—Administration Series.]

Resolved, That the Administrator of Finance pay the following sums on the warrant of the Administrator of Public Accounts out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, viz:

William M. Smallwood, for services as jury commissioner to June 30, 1874, inclusive, $111 10.

G. Casanave, for services as jury commissioner to June 30, 1874, inclusive, $111 10.

J. S. Carter, for services in preparing tax accounts in sundry cases before the commissioner in bankruptcy, on account, $50.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, July 14, 1874.

LOUIS A. WILTZ, Mayor.

A true copy: DANIEL SCULLY, Secretary.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

The Regular Sunday Morning Excursion TICKETS will again be placed on sale, commencing SUNDAY NEXT, nineteenth instant. These tickets, being sold at reduced rates, are good to return on 1:30 P. M. train only, same day. jy16 1w

Notice.—Paris, June 5, 1874.—By act executed in Paris, June 2, 1874, I have appointed MR. ARMAND GEJAN my sole agent to transact all my affairs in New Orleans. All powers granted by me anterior to said date are revoked, and are to be considered as null. jy12 6t* J. VICTOR DUREL.

Office of the Mississippi and Mexican Gulf Ship Canal Company, No. 37 Camp street, New Orleans.—An election for nine directors of this company will be held on MONDAY, July 20, between the hours of 12 M. and 2 P. M., at the office of this company. S. D. MOODY, jy4 td Secretary.

Office of the Home Mutual Insurance Company—New Orleans, July 4, 1874.—Notice is hereby given to the scrip holders of this company that in compliance with a resolution previously adopted by them, Certificates of Stock—in lieu of scrip—have been issued, and are now ready to be delivered to them upon the surrender of their certificates of scrip. jy1 1m CHARLES LE SASSIER, Secretary.

POLITICAL NOTICES.

Hall of the Broad Street Rangers, New Orleans, July 13.—The following preamble and resolutions were offered by Paul David and were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It is absolutely necessary to the success of the Republican party in the coming campaign that the party should be united, and that perfect harmony should exist among the Republicans; and

Whereas, Efforts are being put forth in the third ward to bring about this desirable result; therefore be it

Resolved by the members of the Broad Street Rangers, That we cordially indorse the action of C. F. Ladd, president of the Central Ward Club, in appointing a committee of twelve to confer with a like committee appointed by Mr. F. C. Antoine, to harmonize the Republicans of the third ward.

Resolved, That in the Hon. Antoine Dubuclet, State Treasurer, we recognize an honest and faithful public officer; that by his conduct and integrity he has not only been an efficient State officer, but has merited the thanks of the public at large, and the next State Convention should by all means renominate him for the same position for a fourth term of faithful performance of duties.

Resolved, That in the Hon. J. H. Sypher, our Congressman, we place full confidence for his many qualities as a national legislator, and we have reason to be proud of his past services in the cause of Republicanism and the welfare of the State of Louisiana; we therefore pledge him our undivided support in the coming campaign for re-election.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the New Orleans Republican.

D. JONES, President.
H. J. COFFRY, Secretary. jy15

Republican Parish Executive Committee, Parish of Orleans.

JAMES LEWIS, President.
E. W. TOSTRICK, Vice President.
SAMUEL M. QUETE, Secretary.
CHARLES A. BAQUIE, Assistant Secretary.
P. J. MALONEY, Corresponding Secretary.
P. F. HERWIG, Treasurer.
JOHN L. COLLINS, Serg-ant-at-Arms.
A. SKILLMAN, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms.

DELEGATES.

First ward—John Langles, W. S. Wilson.
Second ward—P. F. Herwig, H. C. Nichols.
Third ward—W. L. Evans, George Devezin.
Fourth ward—James Lewis, Charles E. Ingalls.
Fifth ward—William Vigers, E. Alex.
Sixth ward—Joseph Diaz, E. Joubert.
Seventh ward—John Barrow, Charles W. Boothby.
Eighth ward—E. V. Leclerc, Webster Long.
Ninth ward—T. V. Coupland, J. W. Edwards.
Tenth ward—Simon J. Flatow, J. A. Paturel.
Eleventh ward—E. W. Tostrick, Graham Bell.
Twelfth ward—Paul Bruce, A. M. Aucoin.
Thirteenth ward—A. Dejoie, W. Baudurt.
Fourteenth ward—W. R. Fish, N. D. Bush.
Fifteenth ward—W. F. Loan, Edmond Jones.
Sixteenth ward—H. Davis, George W. Moore.
Seventeenth ward—T. B. Stamps, William Kern.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

SUB-EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
W. S. WILSON, Chairman:
George Devezin, William Vigers,
E. Joubert, Webster Long.
T. V. Coupland, S. J. Flatow,
A. M. Aucoin, George W. Moore,
William Kern, W. R. Fish.

CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE.
P. F. HERWIG, Chairman.
Charles Ingalls, John Barrow,
Graham Bell, William F. Loan,
A. Dejoie, T. B. Stamps.

COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS.
H. C. NICHOLS, Chairman:
Joseph Diaz, E. V. Leclere,
J. H. Paturel, Edmond Jones.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.
JOHN LANGLES, Chairman:
Ernest Alex, Charles W. Boothby,
E. W. Tostrick, Paul Bruce.

COMMITTEE ON CLUBS.
[W. L. EVANS, Chairman;
J. W. Edwards, Edmund Jones,
H. Davis, N. D. Bush.

JAMES LEWIS, President.
S. M. QUETE, Secretary. jy14

Hall Stamps Guard Sub-Club No. 1. Sixth District, New Orleans, July 14, 1874.—The following preamble and resolutions were offered by William Amos, and were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, Hon. T. B. Stamps, our worthy Senator, has, by his past action in the Legislature, shown himself an honest and fearless advocate for radical reform, and by his ability and perseverance succeeded in securing them for them for the good of all, and especially to the Republican party; and

Whereas, He has by his endeavors, integrity and success reflected credit and honor upon us as his constituents and as Republicans, and has by us been "weighed and not found wanting;" and

Whereas, Our Senator T. B. Stamps has heretofore always led the Republicans of this district to glorious victory, and, therefore, inspired us with implicit confidence in his ability as a leader; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we the members of the Stamps Guard Sub-Club No. 1 do hereby select the Hon. T. B. Stamps as our choice for member of Congress, and that we will give him our undivided support; and be it further

Resolved, That the delegate to the nominating convention of this ward is respectfully requested to cast his ballot in favor of the Hon. T. B. Stamps as Representative of the second congressional district expressive of the wishes of the people of this ward; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be published in the New Orleans Republican.

W. A. HALSTON, President.
AMEDEE A. PIERCE, Secretary. jy16 1t*

Attention, Republican Voters of the Sixth District.—The election for officers of the Sixth District Central Republican Club will take place FRIDAY, July 17, 1874, at the Evening Star Hall, on Cadiz street, between Camp and Chestnut streets. Polls will be open from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. The roll books of each Republican Central Ward Club shall constitute the roll to be used on the day of election. None whose names do not appear on the rolls of the respective Central Clubs will be allowed to vote.

A. DEJOIE, Chairman;
WILLIAM GLADE,
H. POWELL,
M. MASON,
A. ANDERSON,
C. B. FISH,
Commissioners of Election.

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POLITICAL NOTICES.

Hall Stamps Guards Sub-Club No. 1, Sixth District, New Orleans, July 14, 1874.—The following resolutions were offered by Joseph Remy, and were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, The Hon. John Garstkamp has proven himself a staunch and true Republican, whose honesty and integrity meet the approval of our people; and

Whereas, It is high time that the Republicans of the thirteenth ward select men whose conduct in the past has proven to be true to the Republican party, and whose honesty and integrity can not be doubted; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Stamps Guards Sub-Club No. 1 recommend the Hon. John Garstkamp as the people's choice for delegate to represent our ward in the coming State Nominating Convention, to be held the fifth day of August, 1874.

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the chair to wait upon the honorable gentleman, and inform him of the proceedings of our club toward him.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the New Orleans Republican.

W. A. HALSTON, President.
AMEDEE A. PIERCE, Secretary. jy16

Hall Seventh Ward Radical Republican Club.—New Orleans, July 14, 1874.—At a meeting of this club held on Monday night, July 13, 1874, the following resolutions, offered by Captain J. Lacroix, were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, Reposing implicit confidence in the integrity and honesty of our past representative, Hon. John Barrow, as evinced during his career in the Legislative Halls of our State, and his conduct since his advent therefrom; and

Whereas, we are desirous of expressing our sentiments toward him as a faithful servant of the people, and worthy of our continued confidence, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the Republicans of the seventh ward, in meeting assembled, do hereby recognize in Hon. John Barrow a faithful servant to the wishes of the people, and we recommend him to their suffrage and the consideration of their representatives in convention assembled for the nomination of a State Senator of the Third Senatorial District, and we further pledge to him our undivided support, and appeal to the laboring classes, irrespective of color, to aid us in securing his nomination and election, as we believe him truly worthy from his past conduct of the support for the position of State senator, as a true representative of the wants of the people.

Resolved, That the above resolutions be forwarded to the Central Ward Radical Republican Clubs of the eighth and ninth wards, also to the Third District Central Republican Club, and to the Republicans of the parish of St. Bernard for concurrence, also that they be published in the New Orleans Republican.

C. J. ADOLPHE, President.
M. E. PERAULT, Secretary. jy16 19

Republican Central Clubs of the Parish of Orleans.—The following are the names of the officers of the Central Ward Republican Clubs of this parish, and their time of meeting, as recognized by the Parish Executive Committee:

First ward—J. C. Miller, president; George C. Norcross, secretary; meets at the corner of White and Melpomene streets Monday night.

Second ward—C. F. Glaudin, president; A. Frelot, secretary; meets on Erato, between Carondelet and Baronne streets, Tuesday night.

Third ward—C. F. Ladd, president; J. P. Pullen, secretary; meets at Clay Hall Saturday night.

Fourth ward—R. M. J. Kenner, president; meets on Derbigny street Monday night.

Fifth ward—J. Lanasere, president; O. P. Fernandez, secretary; meets at the corner of Orleans and Claiborne streets Thursday night.

Sixth ward—B. F. Joubert, president; L. Lamaniere, secretary; meets at the corner of Claiborne and Ursulines streets Wednesday night.

Seventh ward—C. J. Adolphe; president; M. A. Perault, secretary; meets at the corner of Dauphine and Union streets Monday night.

Eighth ward—F. Burns, president; William Ennis, secretary, meets on Urquihart street Wednesday night.

Ninth ward—Tom Carey, president; J. Blandin, secretary; meets at the corner of Magazine and Dauphine streets Thursday night.

Tenth ward—J. A. Kayzer, president; F. DeFruville, secretary; meets on First street, near Liberty, Tuesday night.

Eleventh ward—Edward Williams, president; E. J. Mailang, secretary; meets at the corner of Sixth and St. Patrick streets Monday night.

Twelfth ward—A. Anderson, president; E. B. Falls, secretary; meets at Jefferson Hall Friday night.

Thirteenth ward—A. Dejoie, president; P. J. Maloney, secretary; meets on Cadiz, between Chestnut and Camp streets Wednesday night.

Fourteenth ward—Eli Johnston, president; H. Powell, secretary; meets on Broadway street Tuesday night.

Fifteenth ward—A. Dumont, president; Charles Hill, secretary; meets on Valette street, near Bouny, Monday night.

Sixteenth ward—J. T. Claiborne, president; H. Macray, secretary; meets at the corner of Adams' and Anthony street's.

Seventeenth ward—T. B. Stamps, president; F. Deivel, secretary; meets at the corner of Camp and Barth streets.

JAMES LEWIS, President.
S. M. QUETE, Secretary. jy14

New Orleans, July 10, 1874.—At a regular meeting of the Parish Executive Committee, Republican party, parish of Orleans, held on this date, the following resolution, introduced by Simon J. Flatow, Esq., delegate from the tenth ward, was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, The State Central Executive Committee, Republican party, State of Louisiana, has issued a call for a State Nominating Convention, to meet in this city on Wednesday, the fifth day of August, 1874, as follows:

A CALL FOR A STATE CONVENTION.

ROOMS STATE CENTRAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, Republican Party of Louisiana, New Orleans, July 1, 1874.

At a meeting of the committee it was

Resolved, That a convention of the Republican party of Louisiana be and is hereby called to meet at New Orleans on WEDNESDAY, the fifth day of August, 1874, at twelve o'clock M., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for State Treasurer, choosing a new State Central Committee, and to transact such other business as may come before it.

Resolved, That at this convention the delegates elected from the first, second, third and sixth congressional districts shall nominate candidates for Congress for their respective districts.

Resolved, That the several parish committees of the Republican party in the State are hereby authorized and required to call elections of delegates to said convention, and forward to the president of the State Central Executive Committee the proper credentials of the delegates elected, countersigned by the secretaries of their respective committees, on or before the time fixed for the holding of the convention.

Resolved, That the basis of representation in said convention shall be as follows: Every 500 Republican votes, as cast at the last general election in each parish and in each ward of the city of New Orleans, shall be entitled to one delegate, and an additional delegate for a remaining fraction of over one-half of that number; and, provided further, that each parish and each ward in the city of New Orleans shall be entitled to at least one delegate; provided further, that if in any parish or ward of the city of New Orleans the number of Republican votes cast at the general election of 1870 should exceed the number cast at the election of 1872, then the basis of representation in such parish or ward shall be computed upon the vote of 1870.

APPORTIONMENT OF DELEGATES.

Ascension	4	Orleans—	
Assumption	4	Seventh ward	4
Avoyelles	2	Eighth ward	2
Baton Rouge, East	5	Ninth ward	2
Baton Rouge, West	2	Tenth ward	2
Bienville	2	Eleventh ward	2
Bossier	3	Twelfth ward	1
Caddo	3	Thirteenth ward	1
Calcasieu	1	Fourteenth ward	1
Caldwell	1	Fifteenth ward	4
Cameron	1	Sixteenth ward	1
Carroll	3	Seventeenth ward	1
Catahoula	3	Ouachita	3
Claiborne	2	Plaquemines	4
Concordia	3	Point Coupee	3
De Soto	3	Rapides	4