

AMUSEMENTS.

VARIETIES THEATRE.

Director, JOHN E. OWENS

Thursday, Friday and Saturday and

Saturday Matinee.

Actively last performance of

BELLE LAMAR.

The greatest success of the day.

Monday Evening.

Mr. OWENS will appear in his great character of

CALBE PLUMMER, THE OLD TOT MAKER.

Produced with new scenery and a great cast.

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ST. CHARLES THEATRE.

Benefit of the Queen of Proven stars.

LITTLE NELL.

Friday Evening, December 11, 1874.

The new society program play entitled

NO NAME.

Little Nell in four different characters.

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SATURDAY—NO NAME matinee, twelve o'clock.

Benefit of the Queen of Proven stars. The last representation of NO NAME.

In preparation—WIDELIA, THE FIER WALK.

Pries as usual.

REDWELL'S ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

Last three days of HUMPHY DUMPTY TROUPE.

Friday, Dec. 11, 1874.

FAREWELL SKETCHES of L. FOX, FOX, which were composed and performed in both Comedy and Pantomime, the performance to commence with the LUTHERY T. K. T. Fox as WORMWOOD—his great character. The same bill Saturday noon and night, and for the last time Sunday night, December 13, 1874.

Monday, December 15—Double attraction. A large corps of operatic artists, in G. DUBOIS'S "BURNING OF MELT."

OPERA HOUSE—OPERA HOUSE

Saturday, December 12, 1874, Matinee 12 M.

LA FAVORITE.

Grand Opera, in four acts.

Saturday Evening, Performance at 7 P. M.

LA JULIETTE.

Grand Opera.

GRAND OPENING BALL.

AT

ST. PATRICK'S NEW HALL.

Grand Dress, Fancy Dress, Masquerade and Casino Ball.

To be given by

THE ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS.

Saturday Evening, December 19, 1874.

AT ST. PATRICK'S HALL.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.

M. F. FAY, W. J. Kelly, James Heron, Dan Owens, A. G. Kelly, John Fitzpatrick.

Applications for tickets to be left at James Heron's corner of Claiborne and Gravier streets at Dan Owens, corner of Perdido and St. Charles streets at G. G. Kelly, corner of Perdido and Iberville streets at Tom Gimble, corner of Mandeville and Victory streets at J. W. Kelly, corner of Magazine and Iberville streets.

Sealed proposals for sale of the lot, restaurant and saloon, situated on the corner of Common and Claiborne streets, and the lot, restaurant and saloon, situated on the corner of Perdido and St. Charles streets, will be received at the office of the Board of Supervisors, at the City Hall, on Friday, December 12, 1874, at 10 o'clock.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE TO MERCHANTS, FACTORS, PLANTERS

and the public generally.—The undersigned, who have been appointed by the Board of Supervisors, to examine and report on the condition of the various banks, factors, planters, etc., in this city, and to report on the same, will be glad to receive from you, in writing, any information you may have in relation to the same, and will be glad to receive from you, in writing, any information you may have in relation to the same.

W. J. KELLY, Secretary.

CITY DIRECTORY NOTICE.

SEND IN YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS.

As your subscription, if not given.

Part of the may have reason to suppose they have been missed by our canvassers for the 1874.

THIS DIRECTORY will be sent to you, in writing, if you send us your name and address, and if you send us your name and address, and if you send us your name and address.

W. J. KELLY, Secretary.

H. B. ZIMMANN.

Notary Public.

PUBLIC SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

Schools in the Second District held examinations and exhibitions yesterday, with fair results.

BEHAVIOR—BOYS.

Three hundred and fifty names appear on the rolls. Among the scholars are some uncommonly bright boys, who are studious and anxious to learn.

After the morning exercises a very interesting exhibition was given, which greatly pleased the pupils and their relatives.

Under the present teachers this school will easily gain its former reputation.

Teachers—Mr. B. Wayne, principal; Miss S. Ludwig, first assistant; Miss M. J. O'Neil and Miss E. Brown, second assistant; Miss A. Hubert, Miss L. Howard, Mrs. A. Piche and Miss K. Divine, third assistant; Miss Harriet Dolan, supernumerary.

ROBERTSON—GIRLS.

Mrs. L. M. Williams, who has been teaching a great many years, has charge of this building, aided by able assistants. There are twelve applicants for High School honors, and, in fact, most of the pupils are striving hard to acquire themselves creditably, and Misses Kitty Christensen and Augusta Wrocklage have the honor of being among the first of the best class.

The rooms were prettily decorated, the work of Miss Riley. The exhibition passed off delightfully. Taken altogether this school is making good progress.

Teachers—Mrs. L. M. Williams, principal; Miss L. Myers, first assistant; Miss M. A. Riley, second assistant; Miss E. Hilliard, Miss L. Laurent, Miss G. Cooper, Miss S. Williams, third assistant; Miss Medora Allen, supernumerary.

DEBRIEUX—BOYS AND GIRLS.

This school is rendering good service, educating 135 children, who are making every effort to avail themselves of the advantages offered. Harmony between teachers, pupils and parents was recently disturbed, but now everything is working smoothly again, with a fair prospect that all the first class will pass an examination. The scholars are neat and tidy, and attend regularly.

Teachers—Mrs. Della Newall, principal; Miss C. Keppard, first assistant; Miss E. Moore, second assistant; Miss A. Williams, third assistant; Mrs. Lizzie C. Harrison, supernumerary.

CLAIBORNE—BOYS.

There is a visible improvement in this school; the lads look more cheerful, take more kindly to their lessons and are in greater number than at this time last year. The roll contains 114 names and shows a very regular attendance. There are twelve candidates for the High School, and it is quite certain that at least ten of them will pass.

Parents make occasional visits. Under the direction of Mr. Jovian the several rooms are gaining their former standing, and his classes excel in mathematics. Besides, the teachers work together harmoniously.

Teachers—Mr. M. Jovian, principal; Mr. E. Prados, Miss J. Giroux, first assistant; Miss C. Stewart, Miss E. Marquette, Mrs. L. J. Arson, second assistant; Mrs. M. Westfield, Miss A. McCord, third assistant; Miss Elizabeth C. Barry, supernumerary.

ST. ANS—GIRLS.

This is one of the most forward schools in the district, the number of pupils being 200. The attendance is almost perfect. Parents seldom visit the building. There are four candidates for the High School. After the regular morning exercises an extensive exhibition was given, in which the participants proved themselves very apt. Last and this session many children of the first class left, declining to go to the High School. Of course, this lowers the standard.

Roll of honor—Misses Lillie Schreiber, Leona Piqueno, Leona Padiat, Octavia Key-Laura Hyman, Alphonse Lagarde, Celeste Hanny.

Teachers—Miss J. M. Metzka, principal; Miss M. V. Sarran, first assistant; Miss H. A. Zangerle, Miss A. Inard, second assistant; Miss B. Nolan, Miss Julia Simms, third assistant; Miss M. A. King, supernumerary.

RAMBERT—GIRLS.

A motto in overtones, "Our little rampart against ignorance." Three hundred and twenty-five intelligent children are here furnished with all the advantages that are to be had, and they are improving the opportunity. Everything looks cheerful, and it is safe to say that few schools surpass this one. Twelve young ladies expect to go to the High School. The upper classes excel in mathematics and grammar. A large number of visitors attended the exhibition, and many approving remarks were made dattering the children. The school is in an excellent condition, notwithstanding the building and furniture are poor. The following are the rolls of honor in the principal's and first assistant's room: J. Franck, A. Morant, S. Barnstein, A. Hart, R. Pedimonon, A. Friedrichs, B. Berwin, J. West, D. Murr, E. Tate, J. Ernest, G. Marr, L. Heiner, K. O'Brien, E. Henry, T. Rizzo, C. Damer, L. Augustine, V. Shaw, K. Damer, V. Sprague, J. Fitzgerald, M. Harris.

Teachers—Miss M. V. McCarty, principal; Miss L. Sassinot, first assistant; Miss L. Dol Trigo, second assistant; Miss E. Morant, Mrs. M. Beganit, Miss L. Bibb, Mrs. A. Casanova, third assistants; Miss George Kiern, supernumerary.

ORLEANS—BOYS AND GIRLS.

Mr. J. T. Flanagan, principal, has charge, assisted by Miss N. Disham, and they are making fine progress, telling patiently every day, determined to give the children all possible advantages. We are glad to report the school in fair working condition.

ST. PHILIP—BOYS.

The St. Philip School has commodious buildings and ample accommodations for the different classes. An average of 250 pupils attend there, making it the largest of the city schools. Twelve of the pupils are ready for the High School. The teachers are as follows: Mr. G. Andry, principal; Mrs. E. C. Godea and Miss McElligott, first assistants; Miss A. Maudruet and Miss L. McAnulty, second assistants; Miss J. Fitzgerald, Miss E. Dolan, Miss E. Van Oester, Miss Mollie P. Martin, Miss Mary O'Connor and Miss J. Linaher, third assistants. An examination and exhibition was in progress there yesterday, which was largely attended by the friends of the school.

HOSPITAL—BOYS AND GIRLS.

This school is located at No. 134 Hospital street, a building in no way suitable for school purposes. Pupils to the number of 301 attend this school, and they are crowd-

The Returning Board.

Governor Wells called this body to order yesterday at eleven o'clock.

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The returns were carefully examined by the aid of a magnifying glass. Democratic counsel charged that the returns before the board were forged returns, and asked permission to send for persons and papers to make good their charge.

Mr. Arroyo offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the president be requested to obtain from the clerk of the district court in and for the parish of St. Helena the election returns filed by the supervisor of registration of that parish, in order to compare the same with the statement filed in this board by said supervisor.

Colonel Lowell desired to have the resolution amended so as to authorize sending for the ballot boxes of that parish.

President Wells thought the passage of this resolution would be setting a bad precedent, as it might be cited as a reason for doing the same thing in other returns of parishes subjected to contests. He expressed the opinion that if this precedent was established, it might delay the completion of the work of the Returning Board until after the meeting of the Legislature. This delay must be avoided, as it was important that the labors of the board should be completed as early a day as possible.

Mr. Anderson expressed himself opposed to the resolution for similar reasons. He was in favor of obtaining all the evidence possible, but was opposed to sending all over the State for ballot boxes and copies of returns left with clerks of district courts. He said the board was without the means to do it. He suggested that Democratic counsel furnish written evidence to sustain their charge against the returns from St. Helena; and that when they had done this the Republican counsel would be expected to make their defense in the same manner; and after weighing the testimony thus offered, if the board was unable to come to a conclusion, it could refer the subject to the Legislature, the highest authority in the State, for a decision.

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It being understood that the board would receive written testimony in this case from counsel on both sides, the board proceeded to canvass the returns from Webster parish. The returns were regular and no protests made. The result of the canvass shows that Moncreux received 856 votes and Dubuclet 749; Moncreux's majority, 107.

The returns from the parish of Winn were taken up.

Colonel Lowell objected to the canvassing of these returns, upon the ground that the person who acted as supervisor was not a legal officer, and that consequently no lawful election had been held. He produced the following certificates to show that what he said was correct:

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Office of the Secretary of State,
New Orleans, November 9, 1874.

I hereby certify that J. P. Reideheimer was duly appointed and commissioned assistant supervisor of registration in and for the parish of Winn, August 7, 1874, and failed to qualify by filing his oath of office in this department.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this ninth day of November, A. D. 1874, and of the independence of the United States the ninety-ninth.

P. G. DESLONDE,
Secretary of State.

Office of the Secretary of State,
New Orleans, November 9, 1874.

I hereby certify that C. A. Randall was duly appointed and commissioned supervisor of registration in and for the parish of Winn, August 7, 1874, and was commissioned same day, month and year, and qualified by filing his oath of office, on the second day of October, A. D. 1874.

Given under my hand and seal of the said office, this ninth day of November, A. D. 1874, and of the independence of the United States the ninety-ninth.

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