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AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

BY J. WILLIAM DAVIS, at No. 557 Tchoupitoulas street, furniture, arms, implements and contents of wheelwright shop.

BY R. M. & B. J. MONTGOMERY, at 11 o'clock, at No. 30 Camp street, forfeited pledges, etc.

Local Intelligence.

HOW A CAT KEPT THREE MEN OUT OF PRISON.—One night recently the reporter was roaming around with a Metropolitan detective, after the witching hour, when suddenly three young men appeared, almost as if from the ground. The detective did not at first give them more than a glance, but a second look caused him to nervously reach for one of the trio. "Here, stop a second, you, and all of you. A drunken man on Dryades street was robbed of a sooper to-night, and you are believed to be the thieves; certainly the description given me answers very well for you." The young men, in an humble manner, put in a general denial, also stating that at the hour mentioned they were in a theatre.

Fortunately the detective had been in the same playhouse and had witnessed something not put down in the programme. He asked the fellows if anything particular had occurred during the performance. They promptly replied that a cat jumped from the dress circle and crossed the stage, even describing the animal. At this the detective told the suspected persons to move on—and they moved on without loss of time. When half a square off they gave vent to their joy, laughing heartily over the fact that a cat had saved them from a prison, but the laugh sounded suspiciously derisive.

SEVEN THIEVES IN HOCKLETY.—Detectives Pearson and Smith yesterday took in seven persons, George Washington, Reuben Baker, Sandy Carey, George Smith, J. Summers, J. Murrell and R. B. Joyce, who are written down as thieves. One of them, he of the distinguished name, had a concealed revolver, which crime will enhance his chances for a short term in the Parish Prison. Judge Evans committed them all to prison.

UNDER A CASK OF WINE.—Last evening, as F. Peterson was rolling a cask of wine at the head of St. Louis street, he fell, and the cask rolled over him, breaking one of his legs and injuring him otherwise. The police sent him to the Charity Hospital.

STEALING CHEAP TIME.—It is bad enough for a man to steal a good watch, but worse when a fellow steals two galvanized tickers not worth more than five dollars. An unknown idiot risked all his right to liberty by dashing a brick through the front window of J. Mullen's store, No. 132 Camp street, and then snatched two very bad specimens of bad watches. The proprietor was inside attending to customers, and was unwilling to leave business for pleasure, so the thief escaped.

NOTES OF GREAT PREPARATION.—Several fire companies are striving with unusual ambition to make a grand display on the fourth of March. Foremost are Nos. 5, 12, 13, 18 and 6. Billy Johnson, foreman of the last named company, is exerting himself to the best of his ability, intending to outshine all competitors, though Jackson No. 18 will branch out beautifully. Other organizations expect to make a very fine appearance.

STEALING ANOTHER MAN'S EARNINGS.—When clerks entered the soda shop of Mr. George McClosky, No. 121 Canal street yesterday morning, they discovered that somebody had been there before them. During the night a burglar had entered the store by a rear door or window, in the second story, thence to the lower floor, through a hatchway, he finding a ladder ready for use. Reaching the ground floor he must have tackled the money till first, stealing about $200 in currency and a few silver half dollars. Drawers which contained only small change were not disturbed. The rascal must have been quite well acquainted with the store and confident. The front window has no shutters and gas burns all night, so that a person outside can easily see what is going on inside. Henry Carbon was arrested last evening, as it is believed that he knows something about the transaction.

GIVE HIM A DOSE OF HIS OWN MEDICINE.—William Jackson, a teamster, was before Judge Evans yesterday on a charge of cruelty to a dumb animal. The evidence was so conclusive that accused was sent down to the Criminal Court.

HONORABLY DISCHARGED.—Several days ago Richard Johnson was arrested on Dryades street for shooting a man whose name was not obtained. Johnson produced proof that he acted in self-defense, and that he did not intend to shoot the person whom he wounded. He was discharged by Judge Evans.

THE GAME IS CALLED PEDRO.—This entertaining parlor game has grown popular recently, but as no set rules to govern it have been given, players in different houses have adopted all sorts of styles, and consequently the game is played many ways. For the benefit of all who delight in pedro the following established rules are published:

1. Pedro is all fours, or as commonly known in this country, old sledge or seven up, combined with commercial or auction pitch. Its distinguishing feature is that the five spot of the trump suit, called the pedro and giving name to the game, has qualities assimilated to the jack when a trump, and counts five. It can be taken by a trump card of any higher denomination, as the jack may be.

2. The deal, when play begins, is decided by shuffling and cutting the cards (which may be done by any of the party playing), turning the top card up and placing it in the centre of the table, and then throwing around from the right to the left, one card to each player, also face upward. The person who receives the highest card of the same suit with that at the center of the table is entitled to the deal, together with the sale of the trump. In the succeeding games the deal goes to the loser.

3. The trump is determined by auction of points, the bidding commencing at the left of the dealer. If the highest offer is unsatisfactory the dealer will announce that he declines it; if, in his judgment, it is equal to or exceeds the value of his hand, he will say that he accepts it, provided he is offered no more. In either event the bidding goes around again, and continues until the sale is concluded by a successful bid or the refusal of the dealer to accept the best offered. No person who has "passed," i. e., declined to bid in his turn, is allowed a second opportunity. He is "out" for the deal.

4. The successful bidder, or the dealer, if he has finally refused to sell, then names or "pitches" the trump and leads it. The winner of the trick is not required to follow the lead with trumps, if he should have them, but may, as he prefers, lead from any other suit in his hand.

5. If the person pitching the trump fails to make the number of points he has either offered to give or refused to accept, he is "set back" in his score or count for the number so offered or refused; that is, the points he fails to make shall be deducted from those he has already won; and if he has won nothing it will be charged against him, and withheld from any future winnings.

6. The trump cards rank as follows: 1, high; 2, low; 3, jack; 4, Pedro; 5, game. Some players insist upon placing the pedro at the head of the list; but the best usage discountenances this, and approves the order I have named. The value of the pedro is wholly adventitious; that of the ace and deuce is absolute. The jack, under any circumstances, counts one for game; the pedro counts nothing. The jack, when of the trump suit, can be taken by three cards only, while the pedro is at the mercy of thrice that number, besides laboring under other weighty disadvantages, like Alfonso, of Spain, for the amusement of whose crazy ancestor] cards are said to have been invented. Therefore, it is properly adjudged that the jack is entitled to the precedence. Then, too, he is of ancient lineage, and has been of the royal household for many generations; and though usually mentioned as a knave, frequently in the exigencies of the game he becomes a gentleman. Pedro is a parvenu, a new creation, a lucky snob, a Dent, a millionaire Senator from Nevada. Ranking the deuce over the jack in "all fours" was only accomplished by letters patent, and was a whimsical outrage upon his dignity and rights. Any further attempt to degrade him would, I feel confident, result in adjusting his boots and "stepping down and out" of the pack forever.

The strength of the play lies in keeping the lead as nearly to the right of the dealer (or pitcher) as possible—cornering the pedro and cutting off his chances of escape.

Never throw up a hand because it is seemingly worthless, and never display a single card until your time to play.

Pedro is not played for stakes unless a round of drinks can be called stakes.

The Temperature.

The thermometer at Louis Frigerio's, No. 50 Chartres street, on February 23, stood as follows: At 8 A. M., 67°; at 2 P. M., 75°; at 6 P. M., 71°. Lowest point during the night of February 22, 55°. Rain at 8 P. M., February 22, seven-tenths of an inch.

The Weather and Rivers.

OFFICE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVER, New Orleans, February 23, 1875.

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

Places.	Ther.	Wind.	Weather.
Cairo	62	S.	Threatening.
Cincinnati	53	S. E.	Light rain.
Corsicana	76	S. W.	Clear.
Davenport	[illegible]	E.	Threatening.
Galveston	[illegible]	S.	Threatening.
Indianola	[illegible]	S. W.	Clear.
Keokuk	34	E.	Light rain.
Lacrosse	27	E.	Light snow.
Leavenworth	40	S.	Foggy.
Louisville	56	S. E.	Threatening.
Memphis	64	S. E.	Threatening.
Nashville	60	S. E.	Cloudy.
New Orleans	76	S. W.	Fair.
Omaha	21	N.	Light snow.
Pittsburg	37	S.	Foggy.
Shreveport	74	W.	Clear.
St. Louis	36	S.	Cloudy.
St. Paul	22	N.	Cloudy.
Vicksburg	72	S. W.	Light rain.
Yankton	12	N.	Light snow.
Augusta	67	.....	Fair.
Mobile	69	S.	Cloudy.
Montgomery	75	S.	Fair.
New York	51	S. W.	Fair.
Savannah	72	S. E.	Clear.
Key West	69	S. E.	Clear.

RIVERS.

Stations.	Rise. inches.	Fall. inches.	Above Low Water mark. Ft.	In.
Cairo	..	5	12	6
Cincinnati	18	..	11	1
Louisville	..	1	5	9
Memphis	..	3	9	6
Nashville	..	..	9	4
New Orleans	4	..	*3	8
Pittsburg	31	..	4	7
Shreveport	..	1	20	11
St. Louis	..	5	5	1
Vicksburg	..	16	21	5

*Below high water mark of 1874.

The Next House of Representatives.

The Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati *Gazette*, George Boynton, writes under date of the fifteenth as follows:

A significant incident occurred at the capitol a few days since, which speaks volumes concerning the temper of a large element on the Democratic side of the House.

A correspondent had printed a paragraph favoring the election of Mr. O'Brien, of Maryland, as Clerk of the new House. The correspondent was immediately waited upon by several Southern members, who attempted to persuade him from any further advocacy of this gentleman. He was informed that the objection was not to Mr. O'Brien personally, but to the State which he represented. In the elegant and expressive language of the member speaking for the South, Maryland was a "puke State"—that is, as he proceeded to explain, "a Southern State which during the war was neither cold nor hot, neither Confederate nor Union." The South intended to control the organization of the next House, and had votes enough to do it. No border State that failed the Confederacy in the war should be recognized in that organization. The real South, the old South, would hold the balance of power, and the representatives of the "puke State" would be made to stand aside. To the question, "What do you propose to do with Kentucky?" the reply was, "Kentucky is a 'puke State,' too, and she will have to step down." Doubtless Missouri would have received the same condemnation had she been named.

Further, at this interview it was declared that the South intended to claim prominent committees for ex-Confederate Generals, and two of these were named. General Eppa Hunton, of Virginia, is the only Southern Democrat now on the Military Committee who is re-elected, and he should be chairman of that committee in the next Congress. The South would insist upon that. For the same reason Walththorne, of Tennessee, would be chairman of Naval Affairs.

To this programme the entire delegation of one of the largest Southern States was committed, according to this gentleman, who was speaking for them. There was no sham about this interview. There was no bluster or bravado about it. It was a cool business consultation between prominent Southern Democrats and a correspondent whom they supposed to be in full accord with themselves. It clearly shadows forth the platform of the strongest element that will contend for the control of the next House.

It is fair notice to the North of what it may expect from the day the present Congress adjourns, namely: An active struggle within the Democratic party for the full restoration of the South to political power, so far as that party can now restore it.

These signs have been frequent and unmistakable throughout the present session. In the last Congress the Confederates bore themselves quietly. The tone and temper of Lamar's eulogy of Mr. Sumner seemed a fair exponent of their position. Their conduct toward the Republican side of the House carried with it traces of an admission that they held seats in Congress through the forbearance and magnanimity of a great government. But all this has changed. On that side now the old spirit is settling down again, and defiantly asserting itself. There are a few men of large ideas and cool heads, like Lamar, who are constantly exerting themselves to curb these manifestations, which they understand so well. But McLean and John Young Brown now represent the Southern Democratic elements, and not Mr. Lamar. Republican members who sit on the opposition side of the House have daily cause to notice the change which has taken place. They saw that at the last session the undercurrent of comment upon the proceedings, which flows on unceasingly among members, contained comparatively little bitterness of expression toward Republicans. This condition has wholly changed, and now, as these members say, scarcely a day passes, and never an hour during political debate, that coarse and insulting remarks about Northern men and Republicans are not heard on the Democratic side of the chamber.

Nothing has occurred since the elections of last fall which has given the managers of the Democratic party so much concern as the symptoms developed by the outbursts of McLean and Brown. The managers see that their power is not equal to the emergency; that they can not crush the old spirit swelling strong again in the breasts of their more fiery Southern members; and that the danger of rousing the North before another Congress has come and gone is one which they can not overestimate. But while they see clearly that they can scarcely hope to crush this new uprising and self-assertion of the Contederate element, at the same time they have not the courage to denounce it. And, as of old, they must even yield to it, and humble themselves before it. The majority of the Democratic side deplored the scene in which McLean and Brown were actors, and yet not a Northern Democrat or a Southern one dared to vote to censure him. The game is success in 1876, and for this the Northern Democracy will lay itself low at the feet of the restored Confederates, as in the old time it bowed humbly to the slave power.

The North may prepare itself for a stormy Congress after the present ends. There will be great efforts made to maintain quiet and prevent imprudent speech on the part of the majority in the next House, but the faith of the managers that these ends can be secured is very weak. The signs are many and significant that the rallying cry which will win in the organization of the next House will be, "The South to the front."

COURT RECORD.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1875.

Superior District Court.

Mrs. P. Zimmerman vs. D. M. Fitch.—Exception to jurisdiction sustained and petition dismissed, the succession being opened and the Second District Court only having cognizance.

Board of Harbormasters vs. E. R. Chevally and city of New Orleans.—Petitioners, George L. Norton, W. F. Loan, John E. Leet, F. C. Antoine and John Barrow, allege that by section 1681 of the Revised Statutes their duty is to regulate the stations of seagoing vessels, to remove or replace them, when loading or discharging; that defendant, claiming to be superintendent of wharves by virtue of an ordinance of the city, had interfered with plaintiffs in placing vessels at post thirteen, head of Calliope street; that they have been damaged $1000, and pray that defendants be restrained from further interference. Injunction issued on bond of $1000.

J. J. Lord vs. city of New Orleans.—Petitioner alleges he has been sued for taxes on his property; that it is now used for school purposes; that the Supreme Court in Frank vs. the city, has decided that all such property is exempt, and prays for a stay of proceedings in the tax suit.

Louisiana National Bank vs. Administrator Pilsbury et als.—Thomas Tallis, Jr., prays to intervene, alleging he is a telegraph operator on the police force, at the superintendent's office; that he is interested in the suit to the amount of $700 for salary of 1873, and which he will be deprived of if the injunction is maintained. Intervention allowed.

Superior Criminal Court.

G. H. Braughn, Esq., presiding, by virtue of the following order:

The judge of the Superior Criminal Court for the parish of Orleans, A. A. Atocha, Esq., being temporarily unable to act in his capacity of judge by reason of severe illness, it is ordered, pursuant to the provisions of section ten of act No. 124 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, approved April 9, 1874, and under the power and authority therein granted, that George H. Braughn, Esq., an attorney at law, who is duly qualified, be and he hereby is appointed to preside as judge of the Super or Criminal Court for the parish of Orleans, during the inability of the judge to act as above set forth, and shall, during the time he shall so act, have the same powers as the judge of the court.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be forthwith communicated to the Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, district attorney and sheriff for the Criminal Court.

A. A. ATOCHA, Judge.

ORDER FOR JURY.

The clerk will issue an order to the jury commissioners and sheriff of the Criminal Court to proceed without unnecessary delay after the receipt of this order to draw, and cause to be summoned, 100 persons to serve as jurors in the Superior Criminal Court for the session of the said court for the month of March, said jurors to appear in court Monday, March 2, 1875.

A. A. ATOCHA,
Judge Superior Criminal Court.

INFORMATIONS FILED.

Carrying concealed weapons—William Bell alias Nick, Cyrus Simms, Simon Nash, Nelson Severin, G. L. Richardson.

Burglary—Josephine Edward, George Walker alias Williams.

Cutting with intent to murder—L. Kearney.

Shooting with intent to murder—Henry Wagner, Jean Baptiste Bonhomme, J. Manuel.

Breaking and entering—Michael Murphy, Patrick Hines.

Grand larceny—Precilla Washington and Felicia.

Robbery—Pierre Walker.

NOLLE PROSEQUI ENTERED.

Embezzlement—Thomas Gaskell.

Carrying concealed weapon—Fred Middleton, George Ampp, Henry Scott, R. B. Joyce.

First District Court.

INFORMATIONS FILED.

Assault and battery—Henry Ross, Alfred George, S. McCarthy, Sam Robertson, Frank Butler, T. Casserly, James O'Kelley, John Clemmer, John Henghauser.

Petty larceny—Henry Garrett, Charles Johnson, J. H. Gray, George Hunston, Charles Moore, Frank K. Butler.

Assault with dangerous weapon—Jane Johnson.

Wounding less than mayhem—Nat Hill.

NOLLE PROSEQUI ENTERED.

Petty larceny—Jane Hicks.

Wounding, etc.—Malinda Wells.

PLEADED GUILTY.

Petty larceny—George Walker.

ACQUITTED.

Assault and battery—John Ritcher.

SENTENCED.

Assault, etc.—John Early, fine $2 50; Bill McGee, one hour; John Williams, one hour.

Petty larceny—Mary Jane, eight months; Zelia Christian, one year.

Second District Court.

Successions of Adam Ruth, Felix alias Philippe Arno, Julius T. Standel, Harmon Doane, Anna Siurto, and Mrs. Marcella Tabor opened.

Gabrielle Ledoux and Mary Jane Powers pray to be emancipated.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Bottomry Loan Wanted.—The ship Princeton, now at this port in distress, having incurred certain expenses in extinguishing fires on board, etc., say to the extent of $60,000, bids will be received at the office of Messrs. Meeker, Knox & Co. for a loan of the above sum or thereabouts, for which a bottomry and respondentia bond will be given, pledging the said ship, her cargo and freight for the payment of same ten days after the arrival and mooring of said ship at her dock at Liverpool, England. Bids will be opened on SATURDAY, the twenty-seventh instant, at noon, and the lowest bid from responsible parties will be accepted; the undersigned, however, reserving the right to refuse any or all of them.

HENRY J. FLAGG,
fe24 4t Master Princeton.

Notice.—A General Meeting of the stockholders of the Lower Coast Packet Company will be held at the office of the company, on FRIDAY, the twelfth day of March, 1875, at 2 P. M.

fe11 13 26 mh16 V. J. WOOD, Manager.

Office of Orleans Railroad Company, corner of White and Laharpe streets, New Orleans, February 7, 1875.—The stockholders of this company are hereby notified that a meeting of the stockholders will be held at the office of the company on FRIDAY, March 12, 1875, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., to take in consideration an amendment to the charter proposed by the Board of Directors to reduce the capital stock of the company from $100 to $50 a share.

fe7 td P. TISNE, JR., Secretary.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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SUCCESSION NOTICES.

Succession of Daniel Mulligan.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans. No. 37,344.—Whereas, E. T. Parker public administrator, has petitioned the court to be appointed dative testamentary executor of the succession of the late Daniel Mulligan, deceased. 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.
fe18 23 26* FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of William S. Blanchard.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No. 37,788.—Whereas, Theodore Blanchard has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late William S. Blanchard, 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.
fe18 23 27 FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of Claiborne Groom.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No 36,370.—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 administrator of this estate should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court.
fe24 mh2 5 FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of James Crellin and Mary Crellin, his wife.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF Orleans, No. 37,801.—Whereas, Anthony Gramann has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late James Crellin and Mary Crellin, his wife 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.
fe20 25 mh2* FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of Daniel C. Byerly.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No. 37,693.—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 administrator of this estate, should not be homologated and approved and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court.
fe20 25 mh2* FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of Joseph Alphonse Pessou.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No. 37,792.—Whereas, Louis Pescou has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Joseph Alphonse Pessou, 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.
fe18 22 26 FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of Luca Giaconi.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No. 37,511.—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 E. T. Parker, Public Administrator, acting administrator of this estate, should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court.
fe21 25 m2* FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of L. D. C. Wood.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No. 37,627.—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.
fe21 25 mh2* FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of Catherine Mills, Widow of Lewis Roberts.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF Orleans, No. 37,800.—Whereas, Robert Roberts has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Mrs. Widow Catherine Roberts, 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.
fe20 24 28* FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of John Younes.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF Orleans, No. 37,793—Whereas, Mrs. Severine Younes, wife of Dr. H. Bayon, has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late John Younes, 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.
fe18 22 27* FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of Adam Leche.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No. 37,754.—Whereas, Mrs. Josephine Cha leville, widow of Adam Leche, has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Adam Leche, 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.
fe14 mh2 5* FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of Mrs. Marcella A. Tabor, widow of John Tabor.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No. 37,819—Whereas, Michael Carvin has petitioned t. e court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Mrs. Marcella A. Tabor, widow of John Tabor, 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.
fe24 mh2 5* FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

Succession of Sidney Thezan.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No. 37,326.—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 Joseph Thezan, testamentary executor of this estate, should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court.
fe24 mh2 5* FRANK PACE, JR., Clerk.

BANKS AND BANKING.

NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE Freedman's Savings and Trust Company, Washington, D. C., July 29, 1874.

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L. F. GENERES, President.
CHARLES KILBRAW, Treasurer. mh28 1y

CAUTION.

CAUTION.—THE FOLLOWING BONDS WERE stolen from my residence, February 9, 1875: Two bonds, Nos 53 and 54, for $1000 each, dated September 23, 1872, funding bonds of Carrollton; have fifty-nine coupons, at eight per cent, payable May 1 and November 1. Bonds to order. Eight bonds, Nos. 6 to 13, inclusive, for $100 each, dated April 25, 1873, funding bonds, coupons attached payable to bearer. One bond, No. 1, for $50—as above. MRS. Z. McKAY.
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AUCTION SALES.

By R. M. & B. J. Montgomery.

R. M. & B. J. MONTGOMERY.
GENERAL AUCTIONEERS
AND DEALERS IN NEW FURNITURE.
Office Armory Hall, No. 87 Camp Street.

Tri-weekly sales of every description of house hold furniture, Mirrors, Pianos, Carpets, Mattresses etc., on TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS, at Auction Room, No. 80 Camp street, commencing at 11 A. M.

Semi-Weekly sales of Horses, Mules, Buggies, Carriages, etc., at Sales stables, corner of Baronne and Gravier streets, on WEDNESDAYS and SATURDAYS, commencing at 11 A. M.

Out door sales of every description promptly attended to.

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Always on hand the largest stock of New Furniture of every variety to be found in the city, at their show rooms, Armory Hall, No. 87 Camp street.

Being the largest and oldest establishment of the kind in the South, they solicit a portion of the public patronage, both in their line as auctioneers and dealers in furniture. jal 1y

SALE TO EFFECT A PARTITION.

AUSTIN GAINES ET AL. VS. JUSTIN HOLLAND, EXECUTOR OF JOSEPH C. MOSBY.

Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans—No. 32,336 and 37,190.

BY R. M. & B. J. MONTGOMERY—R. M. Montgomery, Auctioneer.—Will be sold on SATURDAY, March 6, 1875, at twelve o'clock M., at the St. Charles Auction Exchange, in the rotunda of the St. Charles Hotel, by virtue and in pursuance of an order from the Hon. A. L. Tissot, Judge of the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, dated January 29, 1875—

1. A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the First District of this city, in the square bounded by Perdido, Gravier, Johnson and Galvez streets, measuring, in American measure, 29 feet 11 inches 6 lines front on Galvez street, by 132 feet 3 inches 5 lines in depth, between parallel lines.

2. A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, together with all the improvements thereon, situated in the First District of this city, in the square bounded by Gravier, Johnson, Perdido and Galvez streets, and measuring 30 feet front on Galvez street, by a depth of 100 feet, between parallel lines.

Terms—Cash in United States treasury notes.

Act of sale before James Graham, notary public, at the expense of the purchaser. fe3 26 mh6

DIAMONDS, GOLD WATCHES, NEW AND OLD SILVERWARE.

OVER ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS' WORTH OF PLEDGES.

LARGEST SALE EVER OFFERED IN THE UNITED STATES OF PLEDGES FORFEITED TO THE METROPOLITAN LOAN AND SAVINGS BANK, CONSISTING OF VALUABLE CLUSTER AND SOLITAIRE DIAMOND RINGS, EAR-RINGS, PINS, BRACELETS, ETC., GENTLEMEN'S AND LADIES' GOLD WATCHES FROM BEST MANUFACTURERS, SUCH AS JULES JURGENSEN RAYMOND, CHARLES E. JACOT, MONTANDEN, PAUL MATHEY DORET, ENGLISH LEVERS BY RUSSEL, TOBIAS, ROSKELL, JOHNSON, ETC.; LADIES' OPERAS, VEST CHAINS AND A LARGE LOT OF OTHER JEWELRY. ALSO, A LARGE LOT OF NEW AND OLD SILVERWARE.

THE WHOLE TO BE SOLD REGARDLESS OF AMOUNT LOANED.

BY R. M. & B. J. MONTGOMERY—R. M. Montgomery, Auctioneer.—Will be sold, commencing on WEDNESDAY, February 24, 1875, at 11 A. M., at No. 30 Camp street, and to be continued from day to day until the whole is disposed of—

THE ABOVE MENTIONED PLEDGES, forfeited to the Metropolitan Loan and Savings Bank.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

P. S.—All goods guaranteed as represented at sale. fe18

J. William Davis.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO, CROCKERY, Carpets, Iron Safes, Desks, Gold Watch, Shotgun, Revolvers, etc. The Tools, Implements, Iron, etc., contained in the Blacksmith Shop No. 559 Tchoupitoulas street. The contents of the Wheelright Shop, consisting of Lumber, Hubs, Wheels, Wheelbarrows, etc., No. 569 Tchoupitoulas street. Also, Mule, Cow, Harness, Carts, Buggies, Spring Wagon, Cotton Float, Cooper's Dray, etc.

SUCCESSION OF PHILIP DRUMM.

Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans—No. 37,729.

BY J. WILLIAM DAVIS, AUCTIONEER—Office No. 12 Commercial place.—WEDNESDAY, February 24, 1875, at 10 A. M., on the premises, No. 557 Tchoupitoulas, between St. James and Celeste streets, by virtue and in pursuance of an order of the honorable the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, dated February 11, 1875, docket No. 37,729, will be sold, for account of the above named succession, the following effects, to wit—

THE ENTIRE CONTENTS OF THE RESIDENCE No. 557 Tchoupitoulas street, consisting of Household Furniture, Revolvers, Sewing Machine, Writing Desks, Stoves, Pictures, Clocks, Cooking Stove and Utensils, Cookery, Carpets, Gold Watch, Shotgun, Ice Box, etc. Also, Buggies, Carts, Mule, Wagons, Milch Cow, Wheelbarrows, Cooper's Dray, Cotton Float, Lumber, etc. Also, the contents of the blacksmith shop No. 559 Tchoupitoulas street, consisting of Tools, Implements, Iron, etc., and the entire contents of the wheelwright shop, No. 560 Tchoupitoulas street, consisting of Lumber, Hubs, etc.

Terms—Cash. fe13 20 23 24

By Placide J. Spear.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, SHOW CASES, MERCHANDISE, Wearing Apparel, etc. Succession of Marie Princetan, widow of Ely Leydet. Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans, No. 37,639.

BY PLACIDE J. SPEAR, AUCTIONEER—Office No. 46 Exchange alley.—THURSDAY, March 4, 1875, at 10:30 A. M., will be sold at public auction, on the premises on Conti street, between Rampart and Burgundy streets, by virtue and in pursuance of an order from the Hon. A. L. Tissot, judge of the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, dated February 20, 1875, for account of said succession—

ONE LOT OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Show Cases, Merchandise, Wearing Apparel, etc.

Terms—Cash. fe21 27 mh4

ARMSTRONG FOUNDRY, OFFICE FURNITURE, IRON SAFES, ETC.

SUCCESSION OF JOHN ARMSTRONG.

Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans—No. 33,886.

BY PLACIDE J. SPEAR, AUCTIONEER—Office, No. 46 Exchange alley.—THURSDAY, February 25, 1875, at twelve o'clock M., will be sold on the premises, on the corner of Erato and South Peters streets, by virtue and in pursuance to an order from the Hon. A. L. Tissot, judge of the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, dated December 24, 1874, for account of the above succession—

Four Lathes, two Planing Machines, one Screw Cutter, one Boring Mill, two Drill Presses, one Pinchers Bench with five Benches, one line Shafting complete, one iron Cupboard, Rivets, Bolts, Weights, Patterns, Lumber, Scrap Iron, Scales, Boilermaker's Tools, Rollers, Steam Punch, Boiler Iron, Blacksmith Tools, Brass, Copper, etc. Also, two Iron Safes, Office furniture, etc.

Terms—This being the second and last auction, the said property will be definitely adjudicated to the highest and last bidder for what it will bring, at twelve months' credit, the purchaser furnishing bond, with good and solvent security, bearing eight per cent interest per annum from date, and special mortgage on the property sold until final payment. Said purchaser will have to deduct and pay in cash the auctioneer's fees and expenses, which amount to $156 or thereabouts. The whole to be retailed in lots. fe14 19 23 25

MOST VALUABLE IMPROVED PROPERTY, CORNER OF WASHINGTON AND CARONDELET STREETS, ON CARONDELET STREET, FOURTH DISTRICT, AND ON ERATO STREET, FIRST DISTRICT.

SUCCESSION OF JOHN ARMSTRONG.

Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans—No