

PROCLAMATION

King of the Carnival!

EDICT XXIII.

To all to Whom These Presents Shall Come, GREETING:

In honor of His Most Blessed Majesty's safe return to His Royal Capital, and in appreciation of the true and unwavering allegiance so signally manifested by His loving subjects.

A GRAND STATE PAGEANT is hereby ordered and decreed for TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, A. D. 1877, and the tenth of His Majesty's reign.

The Pageant will appear at 11 o'clock a. m. and upon the following streets: Esplanade, from Bourbon to Royal; Bourbon and Royal; both sides of Canal; Camp, between Julia and Canal; St. Charles to Julia and Camp; Camp and Prytanica to First, to Magazine, down to Julia.

Arrival of the King! His Gracious Majesty will arrive on MONDAY, February 12, at 3 o'clock, by the "Mobile Through Route," via special train kindly furnished by His Loyal and Loving Subjects, having charge of that excellent line of transportation. He will be received by his Guard of Honor and escorted to His apartments at the St. Charles Hotel, in the following order:

Escort: His Majesty, King Rex and suite, in carriages; treasure and baggage of the King.

Route: North side Canal to Rampart, south Canal to Camp, to Callicope, to St. Charles and the City Hall, where the keys of H. M. are chosen and beloved New Orleans will be delivered to the King by the Mayor of the city, who, upon His Majesty's and Suite will repair to the Hotel "San Carlos," where he will give audience during the afternoon to such subjects as may be presented for that purpose by His Grace, the Lord High Chamberlain.

General Orders.

As already announced, no advertising vans, improper or indecent displays will be allowed in the Pageant. The Chief of our Household Troops, Col. Thomas Boylan, is especially charged with the execution of this provision.

All organized Bodies of Maskers, not yet assigned, will immediately report to the War Department.

His Majesty, in all of his actions, has carefully avoided any interference with the topics of Government among his subjects, and upon no occasion has he authorized, encouraged or justified any demonstration that might be so construed. Therefore, His Majesty desires it distinctly understood that he will not, in any manner, disturb the status quo now existing in his chosen Capital. His Majesty, in making this visit, desires to confer pleasure upon all his liege subjects, without reference to their individual or collective opinions on the political questions now engaging the attention of all cultivated minds in this country, and therefore desires the hearty co-operation of every one residing within the limits of his realm. And he strictly enjoins upon his officers and the members of his household, that they shall abstain from any action which may be disagreeable to sensible and honorable subjects of either political party.

All places of business, both public and private, are hereby ordered to be closed, and all traffic suspended throughout the entire city on TUESDAY, the 13th February.

All houses and galleries along the route of processions are ordered to be decorated, or otherwise display some sign of allegiance to the King.

Owners and drivers of public and private vehicles are requested to keep out of the highways in which the pageant will form, and through which it will pass.

Owners and masters of vessels and steamboats in port, the proprietors of public buildings, and the Consuls of all foreign nations at peace with His Majesty, are directed to display their colors during the entire day.

The city authorities are hereby ordered to remove all obstructions from the highways on which the pageant will form or pass.

All malicious mischief upon the part of subjects—such as throwing flour—is interdicted and forbidden under the severest penalty.

Each and every line of the city railroads will run their cars at intervals of fifteen minutes during the entire night, and no cars will be allowed to obstruct the line of pageant.

At 6 p. m. on TUESDAY, a sunset salute will be fired by H. M.'s Artillery, when all loyal subjects will unmask and disperse in order to give place to H. M.'s Cousin COMUS, who visits the city after that time.

And now enjoining strict obedience on the part of all submissive and beloved subjects, His Majesty's unwavering determination is announced to enforce all and every provision of this edict, in order that his brief reign may leave only smiles and pleasant memories behind.

And so in the fullness of a royal trust and confidence, the interest of his most Blessed Majesty's realm, the honor and glory of his house is entrusted to their loyal keeping.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Done at Carnival Palace, and with the Royal Seal hereunto attach'd, this tenth day of February, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, and the one thousand and sixth of His Majesty's reign.

By the King himself: REX. ATTEST: WARWICK, Earl Marshal of the Empire. Feb 13

LEMP'S LAGER BEER. A FRESH STOCK OF THIS FAMOUS BREW

WESTERN LAGER BEER, JUST RECEIVED AND ON DRAUGHT.

FRANK WITTM'S 134 Common street. Ladies' Saloon up-stairs. Feb 17

MERIDEN BRITANNIA COMPANY.

The elegant GOODS made by this Company are fully represented at the Show Rooms of ALLEN HILL.

167 BARONNE STREET. Comprising Tea Sets, Waiters, Butter Dishes, Sugar Bowls, Pickle Stands, Syrup Cups, Cast-iron, Cake Baskets, Fruit and Ice Cream Stands, Egg-crackers, Ice Pickers and Urns, porcelain Jars, Coffee and Tea Urns, Crump Trays and Soapers, Fish, Pie and Butter Knives, Silver-Plated Table Knives, Carvers, Forks and Steels.

SPOONS AND FORKS. Table, Dessert, Tea and Coffee Spoons.

These Goods are made of Nickel Silver and plated by the newly patented process, whereby the parts most exposed to wear receive a double thickness of silver.

TOILET AND MANTEL ORNAMENTS. Vases, Toilet Sets, Card Receivers, Etc.

MISCELLANEOUS. Napkin Rings, Nut Cracks and Picks, porcelain Lined Baking Dishes, Soup Tureens, Ladles, Fish Knives and Forks, Communion Salts, School Sals, Knife Boxes, Individual Sals, Goblets, Cups, Milk Pitchers, Cracker Pails, Sugar, Fudge and Sifters, Tea and Fruit Knives, Sardine Boxes, Call Belts, Wine Coolers, Ice Bowls, etc.

ALLEN HILL, 167 Baronne street, Between Girod and Lafayo to streets. Cars from Canal street, corner of Baronne, pass the store.

PRICES REDUCED

HEAVY WINTER CLOTHING.

Must be sold to make room for SPRING GOODS!

Cash Buyers Will do Well to Look.

Cassimere BUSINESS SUITS, \$10, \$12, \$15 to \$25. Winter OVERCOATS and TALMANS, \$25, \$30, \$12 to \$25.

Elegant Dress Suits for Balls and Weddings. Shirts, Winter Underwear, Collars, Scarfs, and other novelties. Also Boys' and Youths' Suits very low.

Low prices, the best goods, and polite attention at WHEELER & PIERSONS, 13 and 15 Camp street. Successors to Pierce & Howes.

Wholesale department up-stairs, with a complete stock for country merchants and commission orders, as successors of Darcy & Wheeler. Feb 13

Meat Stalls Nos. 37 & 38 Magazine Market. Supplies Shits, Families, Hotels, etc., with EGGS, VEGETABLES,

POWLS, GANS, Beef, Mutton, Pork, Sausages, Tripe, Etc., Etc. And everything the market affords.

MARTIN LANNES, Jr., Butcher. Vegetable Stalls Nos. 121 & 124 Magazine Market. Feb

SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY.

THE COMMERCIAL HOTEL AND RESTAURANT Galveston, Texas, is offered for sale at a bargain. Has an established reputation of fourteen years, with a splendid run of custom. House in good order, and furniture complete and nearly new. The best location in the city. For particulars, address J. BLUMENKRON, Galveston, Texas, or J. CURTIS WALDO, 38 Camp street, New Orleans. Feb 7

SEED RICE. SEED RICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS TO THE

LOUISIANA

THE FINEST SELECTION

SEED RICE

ON THE MARKET.

comprising the following qualities:

Carolina White, Carolina Gold, Carolina Bearded, Honduras Best, Louisiana White,

All of which he will sell at VERY LOW PRICES.

RAOUL DUPRE, BROKER, OFFICE—20 and 22 PETERS STREET, Opposite the Custom House.

Rough Rice Bought and Sold.

COGAN'S, 19 Canal Street, Between the Custom-House and River. Open until 1 p. m. on Sundays. Feb 13

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Office New Orleans and Carrollton Railroad Company, 17 Poydras street, New Orleans, Feb. 12, 1877.—The Cars of this Company will run on MARDI-GRAS NIGHT after 10 o'clock. Fare 75c. Live seats after that hour. Feb 12

Office of New Orleans City Railroad Company, No. 124 Canal street, New Orleans, Feb. 11, 1877.—The cars of this company will run on Mardi Gras night until 4 a. m. Fare after 10 o'clock twenty-five cents. Feb 11

New Orleans Lending-Home Association, New Orleans, Feb. 8, 1877.—The associated banks will be closed on MONDAY, the 12th inst., and also on TUESDAY 13th inst., (Mardi Gras) both days being holidays by law. All promissory notes, bills of exchange and commercial paper, maturing on said days, are by law entitled to additional grace until Wednesday, 14th inst. Feb 8

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AMUSEMENTS.

VARIETIES THEATRE. LAST WEEK OF MR. CHARLES POPE. Brilliant success of the Grand Romantic Drama. THE GASCON. Which will be given this Monday Evening, February 12, On which occasion His Gracious Majesty, KING REX, accompanied by his ENTIRE SUITE, will visit the theatre to witness the performance. Grand "Gascon" matinee Wednesday. Thursday Mr. POPE and Miss D'ARCON in "Henry VIII." Feb 11

BIDWELL'S ACADEMY OF MUSIC—FOR MARDI GRAS WEEK, Commencing Sunday Evening, Feb. 11, America's most famous character actor, MR. FRANK MAYO, Supported by his own Talented Company, Presenting Murdoch's Beautiful Idyl of the Backwoods, entitled, DAVY CROCKETT, Embellished with New and Picturesque Effects, MONDAY EVENING, February 12, His Most Gracious Majesty KING REX, with his Entire Retinue, will visit the Theatre, TUESDAY, Feb. 13—Mardi Gras Night, Grand Masquerade Ball. Ladies' Invitations can be obtained at the Box Office, Feb

ACADEMY OF MUSIC. MARDI GRAS FESTIVAL AND BALL. Tuesday, Feb. 13th. A FANCY DRESS AND MASQUERADE BALL. Will take place at this Theatre on MARDI GRAS NIGHT. Admission, \$2.00 Ladies' Invitations can be obtained at the Box Office of the Theatre. Feb 12

ST. CHARLES THEATRE. J. W. BEARDSLEY, Manager. GRAND CARNIVAL WEEK. Wednesday and Saturday Matinees. Sunday, February 11, Return of the gorgeous spectacular drama, BLACK CROCK, With Palmer & Co.'s magnificent Scenery and Costumes from the Grand Opera House, New York. Sixty of the handsomest women on the American stage, in the Grand Ballet, direct from Niblo's Garden. Entire new specialties with the old favorites still retained, consisting of LITTLE TODD, the wonder of the Nineteenth Century. Feb 7

TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL GRAND FANCY DRESS AND MASQUERADE BALL. Mardi Gras Night, Tuesday, February 13, Under the direction of a well known and select committee, Ladies' invitations now ready. Admission, \$2. Feb 12

GRAND FANCY DRESS AND MASK BALL. MARDI-GRAS NIGHT, At the Opera House, A splendid Brass Band will furnish the Music on the occasion. Ladies' Invitations can be had at LEON'S RESTAURANT, 28 St. Charles street. Admission—Gentlemen.....\$2.00 Feb 12

TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL GRAND MILITARY, MASK, DRESS AND FANCY DRESS BALL. To be given by the CONTINENTAL GUARDS, COMPANY A, AT ST. PATRICK'S HALL, On Washington's Birthday, Thursday Evening, February 23, 1877. COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS: Lieut. Wm. Pierce, Chairman; Lieut. B. H. Watkins, Lieut. E. F. Perilloux, Treasurer G. L. Hall, Corp'l J. Cathalaugne, A. W. Moffett, Mark Quayle. Applications for Ladies' invitations to be left at the Armory, St. Patrick's Hall; Grover & Baker Sewing Machine Agency, No. 5 Chartres street; E. A. Fry, 115 Canal street, or to Post Office Box No. 2479. Tickets.....\$5. Feb 11

LICENSSES 1877. DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY HALL, New Orleans, February 7, 1877. IN ORDER TO FACILITATE THE COLLECTION of City Licenses, Mr. J. M. McCandlish, Mr. Ulger Levee and Mr. M. H. Hughes are authorized, until the 1st of March next, to collect, receipt for and deliver Licenses for 1877, and allow the discount for prompt payment. J. C. DENIS, Administrator. Feb 11

CITY LICENSSES OF 1877. DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY HALL, New Orleans, January 12, 1877. City Licenses for 1877 are now due and payable in Cash at this Department. The following rates of discount will be allowed, to-wit: Five per cent from date hereof until January 31, 1877. Three per cent from February 1 to February 15, 1877, inclusive. Two per cent from February 16 to February 28, 1877, inclusive. J. C. DENIS, Administrator. Jan 28

PROFESSIONAL CARDS. OGDEN & HILL. H. N. OGDEN, JAS. D. HILL, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. No. 6 Carondelet Street. d19

MCCENERY, ELLIS & ELLIS. John McEnery, T. O. W. Ellis, E. John Ellis ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, NO. 56 CAMP STREET, New Orleans, La. 126

THE CELEBRATED STEWART STOVE. IMPROVED PATTERN OF 1826.

The best Cook Stove in the world. Will last twenty years, and do more work with the same amount of fuel than any other stove that was ever made. Fires to repair old Stewart stoves always on hand. J. H. CAMPBELL, No. 123 Poydras street, Agent for Louisiana. Feb 12

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