

A LUDICROUS TERMINATION OF A JUDICIAL INFAMY.

A law was passed by the last Legislature abolishing the Superior District Court.

Kellogg held this act in his possession all last summer, with the intention, in case a Radical judge was elected, to veto the bill and thus retain a political instrument on the bench.

It was for this the court was created under Warmoth's administration and continued under Kellogg. It was one of the infamies of the Radical reign in this State.

The vile tricks and dodges to continue and preserve this court for these purposes have been among the most unblushing acts of this party.

This would never do for Kellogg and his rascally followers. And so, when the Legislature met, Kellogg returned the act to his or Packard's Bump which immediately, in contempt of all constitutional forms, elicited the denunciations of several members of the body, pushed through the act creating the so-called Superior Civil Court, as a substitute for the Superior District Court, giving it largely extended powers, and a jurisdiction never before conferred on any judicial tribunal in this country.

But the authority and legality of such a tribunal was too thin to deceive anyone, and when Shaw attempted to take possession of the bench he was politely bowed out of the room by one of Sheriff Handy's deputies, whilst Col. Jack Wharton, as clerk, with a broad grin and one of his invariable sallies of jocularly, suggested to Shaw not to make a fool of himself by getting mad and talking fight, and, whistling to his Spitz dog Siro, departed in the jolliest humor to the State House.

Here a cigar shop, in the basement of the State-House, was taken possession of by the officers of the "Superior Civil Court," an elevated chair with a high back was hired from a neighboring barber-shop, an empty wine barrel was loaned by that genial vendor of the best French brandies and wines, Brulatur, and thus fully equipped the Superior Civil Court was announced as in full operation, and Brother Shaw assumed the barber's chair and proceeded to issue various writs of quo warranto, mandamus, orders of contempt, certiorari, et cetera, which, in default of the Sheriff, he having been removed from office by Shaw, were given to a newly created Sheriff, Bourges, who has taken much superfluous trouble to dispatch said writs to various parties, by whom said missions have been found useful for cigar lighters.

No one has ever answered such writs or made any appearance in said court. The whole community is in contempt of the authority thereof.

And now comes the crowning act of its desecration and extinction in the decision of the Supreme Court of Louisiana, to the effect that the promulgation of the law abolishing the Superior District Court, recently made in the official journal by virtue of an act of the Nicholls Legislature, was a legal promulgation, and, consequently, that the Nicholls Legislature is the Legislature of the State, and that no act of the Packard Legislature has any validity. The "Superior Civil Court," therefore, has no existence.

"Come along, Siro, old boy," was the last order issued by the worthy clerk of said short-lived tribunal.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

OFFICE STATE TAX COLLECTOR, Seventh District.

All persons within the limits of the Seventh District owing License and Capital Tax are hereby notified that the office for the collection of said taxes is now opened at the corner of Hampden and Carrollton Avenue.

H. TEBBE, State Tax Collector.

OFFICE STATE TAX COLLECTOR, Fourth District, Parish of Orleans.

All persons within the limits of the Fourth District owing License and CAPITAL TAX are hereby notified that the office for the collection of said taxes is now opened at No. 311 Maple street.

R. C. BOND, State Tax Collector.

OFFICE STATE TAX COLLECTOR, First District, New Orleans.

The receipts given by MR. E. C. PAYNE, for amounts advanced for the support of the government by the liberal and patriotic citizens of this city, will be received as CASH in the payment of TAXES and LICENSES at this office.

E. A. BURKE, State Tax Collector.

OFFICE STATE TAX COLLECTOR, First District, Parish of Orleans.

All persons within the limits of the First District owing License and CAPITAL TAX are hereby notified that the office for the collection of said taxes is now opened at 169 Gravier street.

E. A. BURKE, State Tax Collector.

AMUSEMENTS.

BIDWELL'S ACADEMY OF MUSIC—84 St. Charles street.

The only Theatre open in the city.

Sunday, March 18.

For one week, the eminent American Comedian MILTON ROSS.

Who will appear in the typical American drama entitled THE PHOENIX, supported by the Academy talented dramatic Company.

Family Matinee—Wednesday, March 19, 10 o'clock. Benefit of the LITTLE MONDOLES.

Friday evening his new sensational drama, called DIAMONDS IN THE ROUGH.

Saturday Matinee and Saturday evening, March 20—10 o'clock. Benefit of the LITTLE MONDOLES.

Sunday, March 21—10 o'clock. The Famous Actor OLIVER DODD BYRON, in his new play called PLENTY OF MONEY.

MAGIC LANTERN—EXHIBITION AND ENTERTAINMENT, AT THE MEMORIAL CHURCH.

Corner Franklin and Esplanade streets.

On Thursday Evening, March 22, at 7 o'clock.

ADMISSION—TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.

Fancy Articles and Refreshments in the Basement.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

To the Lake—Office of New Orleans City Railroad Company, No. 124 Canal street.

Notice is hereby given that the interest of Mr. F. R. MATHIEUS in our firm ceases from this date.

WANTS.

WANTED—SECOND-HAND CARRIAGES.

CONSOLE SALES.

Mrs. Widow J. J. McLean, Albert Duvaig...

JUDICIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

Succession of Thomas Finning.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause why the said petition should not be granted.

By order of the court, JOHN HERBERT, Clerk.

Successors of Brannin vs. James S. Clarke.

SIXTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause why the said petition should not be granted.

By order of the court, JOHN HERBERT, Clerk.

J. P. Bayron vs. Loze & Bergeron.

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause why the said petition should not be granted.

By order of the court, JOHN HERBERT, Clerk.

A SQUARE OF GROUND.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause why the said petition should not be granted.

By order of the court, JOHN HERBERT, Clerk.

THOMAS H. HANDY, Civil Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

MUNICIPAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE—CITY TAXES OF 1877.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, City Hall, New Orleans, March 22, 1877.

Tax bills for 1877 are now ready for delivery.

The following rates of rebate for prompt cash payment will be allowed:

Three per cent on all bills paid up to 31st of March, 1877, inclusive.

Two per cent on all bills paid up to 15th April, 1877, inclusive.

One per cent on all bills paid up to 30th April, 1877, inclusive.

After April 30, 1877, interest at Ten per cent per annum from 31st March, 1877, and cents will accrue.

J. C. DENIS, Administrator.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, March 20, 1877.

Sealed proposals will be received until March 30, at 12 m., for publishing the proceedings and ordinances of the City Council and all official notices of the several departments of the city government.

ED. PILSBURY, Mayor.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, City Hall, New Orleans, March 19, 1877.

Sealed Proposals will be received at this Department until FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 1877, at 12 o'clock m., for the sale to the city of Ten Wharf Improvement Bonds.

J. C. DENIS, Administrator.

UNITED STATES BRANCH OF LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE Insurance Company.

STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1877.

AUCTION SALES.

By George Pearson.

SALE OF WAREHOUSED AND UNCLAIMED GOODS.

UNITED STATES CUSTOMHOUSE, Collector's Office, New Orleans, March 17, 1877.

BY GEORGE PEARSON, Auctioneer.—The following described goods having remained in warehouse over three years, or unclaimed over one year, will be sold at public auction, in accordance with the regulations of the Treasury Department, at Warehouse No. 1, Customhouse building, on MONDAY, April 2, 1877, at 10:30 a. m.

UNCLAIMED OVER ONE YEAR.

UNCLAIMED OVER THREE YEARS.

By Hoey, Mason & O'Connor.

A COMFORTABLE HOUSE IN THE SECOND DISTRICT.

Corner of Dumaine and St. Claude streets.

BY HOEY, MASON & O'CONNOR—Nicholas Let street, SATURDAY, March 31, 1877, at 12 o'clock m., at the St. Charles Auction Exchange.

THE DESIRABLE FAMILY RESIDENCE forming the corner of Dumaine and St. Claude streets, in the square bounded by Dumaine, St. Philip, Dumaine and St. Claude streets. The lot measures 87 feet 7 inches and 4 feet front on Dumaine street, and 109 feet 2 inches 1 line in depth front on St. Claude street, between parallel lines. The dwelling contains a hall and about 7 rooms in the main building; a two story brick kitchen, with six rooms; yard entrance on both sides.

TERMS—One half cash; remainder at 12 months credit, in note bearing interest of a per cent per annum from date of sale until full payment, with all the usual security clauses, etc., insurance and transfer of policy, etc., all to be secured by special mortgage and vendor's lien, purchase to remain payable over and above his bid of all taxes payable in 1877.

Act of sale before C. V. Foulon, Notary Public, at the expense of the purchaser.

By C. E. Girardey.

SUBURBAN PLANTATION, CITY PROPERTY, SUCCESSION OF L. F. GENÈRES AND J. J. Leonce Abat, members of the late firm of Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, Nos. 38,344 and 26,560.

BY C. E. GIRARDEY, Auctioneer—Office No. 31, Camp street, on FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 1877, at 12 o'clock m., at the St. Charles Auction Exchange, in the grounds of the St. Charles Hotel in this city, will be sold at public auction, by and in pursuance of two several orders from the Hon. A. L. Tissot, Judge of the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, dated the twentieth of February, 1877, and rendered in the above entitled successions, the following described property to-wit:

1. A CERTAIN TRACT OF LAND, together with all the improvements thereon, rights, ways and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any way appertaining, situated on the right bank of the Mississippi river, in the parish of Orleans, about eight miles below Algiers. The said tract of land having ten arpents front on said river, by forty arpents deep between converging lines, all more or less, according to plan by J. A. D'Hemecourt surveyor, dated April 1st, 1876, and is bounded on the upper side line by lands formerly belonging to John E. Leperrier, and on the lower side by the property now belonging to John Plathiers. Said property is sold, subject to a lease at the rate of 250 cents until October 31, 1877. Together with 20 shares of five hundred dollars each of the Association of the Consolidated Planters of Louisiana, on which there is no loan.

2. A CERTAIN SQUARE OF GROUND, situated in the Second District of the city, and bounded by Conti Bienville, Genois and Barthelemy streets, designated by the number 198, as per plan by G. T. Dunbar, dated the 12th December, 1868, subdivided into twenty lots, from 1 to 20, inclusive.

3. 20 SHARES OF THE TERUANTEPEC Company, as per certificate No. 292.

4. 75 SHARES OF THE PACIFIC RAILROAD Company, as per certificate No. 100.

5. ONE SHARE OF GOOD INTENT TOW-Boat Association.

TERMS—Cash on spot.

A 1/2 of sale at the expense of the purchasers, before Jules Mossey, Esq., New Orleans.

MARCH 10 1877.

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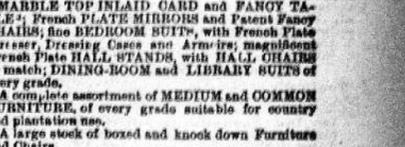


Illustration of a horse-drawn carriage, likely used for transport or as a service offered by the business.

GREAT JACKSON ROUTE. NEW ORLEANS, ST. LOUIS AND CHICAGO RAILROAD LINES. DOUBLE DAILY THROUGH TRAINS.

On and after Sunday, March 18, 1877, trains will depart and arrive as follows: From Calcasieu street depot.

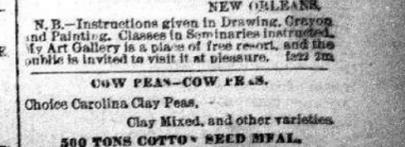
ARRIVE. Express No. 1, 5:30 p. m. Express No. 2, 11:30 a. m. Express No. 3, 7:30 a. m. Express No. 4, 4:30 a. m.

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Portrait of a man in a suit, likely a testimonial or advertisement for the portrait painting service.