

The faithful performance of their duties as collectors, who are certified by the Auditor of Public Accounts and presidents of police juries that they have fulfilled said duties in accordance with law; provided, that the Auditor of Public Accounts and presidents of police juries shall not give a discharge to any collector until he is satisfied that the delinquent list returned is correct; provided further, that no judgment of any court of this State shall have the effect of giving such a discharge to, or of cancelling the bonds or mortgages in their said capacities, unless the certificate of the Auditor and the president of the police jury fully releasing such tax collector from the obligations of such bond or mortgages is first obtained and produced in such court.

Sec. 77. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That the tax collector shall be collector of all parish taxes, and shall have the same power to enforce the collection of parish taxes as of State taxes. The tax collector, throughout the State, shall receive the same rate of commission for collecting the parish taxes that is prescribed by law for the collection of State taxes.

Sec. 78. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That the Auditor shall furnish the tax collector with a blank book, numbered from page to page, duplicate whereof the Auditor shall transmit to the treasurer of each parish. The tax collector shall write in said book the name and amount paid for State or parish taxes, and in the monthly settlements with the parish treasurer, the tax collector shall enter in said tax collector's book into the duplicate kept in his possession; he shall write in said book a certificate showing the amount entered thereon, and within the first ten days of April, July and October, as well as between the tenth and twentieth of December of each year, transmit to the Auditor a sworn statement of the said book, which statement it shall be the duty of the Auditor to compare with the accounts rendered by the tax collector. In case of any failure of the tax collector to keep said book, as above prescribed, he shall be, upon complaint, dismissed from office, and shall be liable to fine and imprisonment, at the discretion of the court, and any parish treasurer, willfully neglecting to transmit, certify or transmit, as above provided, shall incur a penalty of two thousand dollars; any false swearing by the said parish treasurer to constitute the crime of perjury, to be punished as directed by the criminal laws of this State.

Sec. 79. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That the State tax collectors, on behalf of the State and parish authorities, and the municipal authorities of the various towns and cities, are hereby authorized and empowered to receive payment from any persons other than the party in whose name the property has been assessed, of any taxes demandable by such State, parish or municipal corporation, and to sign receipts therefor, and within the first day of the month of January, to subrogate the payee of the same to all the rights, liens and mortgages of the said State, parish or municipal corporation, incident to or growing out of such tax, and the record in the first book required by law, without prejudice to any privileges or mortgages of the State, parish or municipal corporation for other taxes, or those that may become due in the future; provided, that such subrogation shall only take place with the consent of the owner or the party in whose name the property was assessed.

Sec. 80. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That the fiscal year shall begin on the first day of January and end on the thirty-first day of December of each and every year, and it shall be the duty of the State Treasurer, Auditor of Public Accounts, Superintendent of Public Education, and all other officers charged with the receipt, expenditure or safe keeping of the public moneys, to make a detailed and accurate statement of the receipts and disbursements of the State for each year, and to forward the same to the Governor of the State on or before the third Monday of January of each and every year, to be by the Governor submitted to the General Assembly.

Sec. 81. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That the inspection and examination shall be had of the State treasury whenever deemed necessary by a committee of the General Assembly, or the Finance Committee of either house thereof, authorized by a resolution for that purpose; and such committee, or either of them, shall, once in every six months, or oftener if in his opinion the public interest require it, to appoint some competent and trustworthy accountant, of the highest ability and skill, who shall immediately, without delay, proceed to the examination of any intended examination and inspection, proceed to make a thorough examination of all the books, vouchers, accounts, records, bonds, securities, claims, assets and effects which are or should be in the treasury, and shall count all moneys in the treasury, or deposited in the proper depository to the credit of the State Treasurer, as such, and compare the books, vouchers, accounts, records, etc., with those of the Auditor of Public Accounts, and with those of the Auditor of Public Accounts, which duty shall be made by the Auditor of Public Accounts; the place at which they shall be made, shall be the office of the Auditor of Public Accounts; the Auditor of Public Accounts shall, upon demand, submit to the inspection of such accountant, or to the committee of the General Assembly, or of either branch thereof, all his books, vouchers, accounts, records and other papers, together with all vaults, safes, rooms or other apartments of his office. The Treasurer or the Auditor of Public Accounts, or any of the clerks of either may be sworn by any of the persons making the examination, either of whom is hereby authorized to administer oaths for that purpose. They shall answer all questions propounded by said examiners, or either of them, touching the condition of the treasury, and the accounts, whether appointed by the General Assembly, or either branch thereof, or by the Governor, are hereby empowered to compel the attendance of witnesses, send for persons and papers. If, on counting the money in the treasury and to the credit of the Treasurer, as such, and the accounts of the State funds, and making such examination, there shall be found the full sum required by the accounts of the Auditor, as well as the accounts, books and legal vouchers of the Treasurer, together with all the other property, bonds, securities, claims, assets and effects, which are or should be in the custody and possession of the Treasurer, the said accountant shall certify the same over his official signature, in writing, in quadruplicate, one of which shall be filed in the books of the Treasurer, and one shall be recorded in his office, and one shall be recorded and filed by the Auditor, and one shall be furnished to the Governor, in the Executive office, and be recorded and filed by him; and the accountant so appointed, on performing the duties herein required, shall be paid by the Governor out of his contingent fund for his services as a compensation, together with his necessary traveling expenses, if any there should be, as the Governor may deem just and reasonable; provided, the time occupied in any such examination shall not exceed twenty days after the first examination day, and the traveling expenses shall be whatever he shall have actually expended, of which he shall be furnished a detailed statement; and every certificate, as herein provided shall also contain a statement of the exact amount of money so found and counted in the treasury, or deposited in the proper depository, and the credit of the State Treasurer as such, and the exact amount belonging to each particular fund, together with a schedule of all other property of the State, as above described, which certificate shall be published in the official journal of the State.

MODE OF ASSESSMENT IN THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

Sec. 82. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That immediately after the passage of this act the Governor, by and with the consent of the Senate, shall appoint five assessors of property for the parish of Orleans, no two of whom shall be from the same municipal district, who shall hold their office for the term of four years, and be removable for cause by the Governor, and all vacancies in such office shall be filled by the Governor.

Sec. 83. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That the assessors so appointed shall constitute a board of assessors for the parish of Orleans, under the supervision of the Administrator of Assessments, who shall be ex-officio a member and presiding officer of said board, and they shall, immediately after the passage of this act, commence the work of assessing the property of the parish of Orleans, as directed by the said administrator of assessments.

Sec. 84. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That in the preparation of the assessment rolls as aforesaid, they shall be governed as to the manner of making the same by the general provisions of this act hereinbefore expressed as regards assessors outside of the parish of Orleans.

Sec. 85. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That each of said assessors shall give bond in favor of the city and State in the sum of five thousand dollars, with good and solvent security possessed of unimpaired real estate, approved by the Mayor and State Auditor, the said bond to be recorded in the office of the State Auditor, and a duly certified copy of said bonds to be recorded in the mortgage office.

Sec. 86. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That said five assessors shall each receive twenty-five hundred dollars per annum for the year in which a new assessment is made, and two thousand dollars per annum for the other years; and of such

the payment of taxes through the courts. The Auditor of Public Accounts shall thereupon, before the twentieth day of September, prepare a list of said delinquents as handed to him by the said tax collectors and administrators of accounts, arranged alphabetically, showing the names and amounts of taxes due by the delinquents, and shall publish the same once in the official journal, accompanied with a notice to the said delinquents to file, within the same day, the first day of July of the following year, the title for the property upon which the taxes are unpaid, shall be forfeited to the State, if the same be real estate; and all personal property upon which said taxes shall be delinquent shall be sold at public auction by the Auditor of Public Accounts, for what it will bring, after ten days public advertisement of said property, the proceeds of such sale to be appropriated pro rata between State and city. It shall be the duty of the Auditor of Public Accounts to have said list made up alphabetically, with the names of the parties, the description of the property and the amount of State and city taxes, and on or before the last day of December to file the same in a bound book, in the office of the Register of Conveyances, and to record the same, which filing by him shall make the said book a part of the records of the conveyance office, to be preserved therein, for which deposit and keeping the register of Conveyances shall make no charge. The property upon which the taxes are unpaid, as aforesaid, to be considered as forfeited to the State for the State and city taxes due thereon from the first day of December, the filing of the said book to constitute the registry of the title; said forfeiture to vest full title to the State and all the rights and interest in and to the property of the party assessed, subject to the right of redemption and penalties hereinbefore provided in case of the sale of property outside the parish of Orleans.

Sec. 87. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That the register of conveyances shall preserve said list as evidence of the recording of the title of the State, which shall be redeemable upon the payment of the State and city taxes due and since accrued with interest and costs, as above provided, for property outside the parish of Orleans.

Sec. 88. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That any person whose request for correction of assessments shall have been refused by the board of assessors, may submit his case to two persons paying taxes on real estate and personal property in the assessment district where the property to be corrected is located, one to be selected by the taxpayer and one by the board of assessors, and in case of disagreement they shall call on a third taxpayer to act as umpire, whose decision shall be final, unless the judgment assess ten per cent. in the amount of the taxes against the party complaining, if the appeal be deemed frivolous.

Sec. 89. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That it shall be the duty of said board of assessors to refer to the Auditor of Public Accounts, any appeal made, either by the board of assessors or the said arbitrators, on or before the sixteenth day of November, after which he shall transmit to the Auditor of Public Accounts a duplicate of the roll as assessed, and a duplicate of the appeal, to be handed the administrator of accounts.

Sec. 90. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That the rolls thus made up shall serve as a basis for all State and city taxes for the year thereafter, except that annually the said assessor shall reassess movable property, and make proper subtraction for the destruction of any property and proper additions for improvements, and any person shall be authorized to apply to the assessor of the district for redress, who shall submit the same to the board of assessors, who shall pass thereon as provided above, for the years of general assessment, and in the event of the refusal of the board to grant the relief asked the matter shall be determined by submitting the question to the arbitrators as above provided; and the tax shall be known and designated as the tax for the year in which it is payable.

Sec. 91. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That there shall be seven tax collectors for the parish of Orleans, to be appointed for two years by the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Senate: one for the First District, one for the Second District, one for the Third District, one for the Fourth District, one for the Fifth District, one for the Sixth District, and one for the Seventh District. That the said tax collectors shall give bond, with good and solvent security thereon, as follows: the tax collector of the First District, twenty thousand dollars; the tax collector of the Second District, twenty thousand dollars; the tax collector of the Third District, twenty thousand dollars; the tax collector of the Fourth District, twenty thousand dollars; the tax collector of the Fifth District, fifteen thousand dollars; the tax collector of the Sixth District, fifteen thousand dollars; the tax collector of the Seventh District, ten thousand dollars. The bonds to be approved by the Auditor of Public Accounts, which bonds, when approved, shall be recorded in the mortgage office and operate a legal mortgage on all the property of said collectors, the original of said bonds, with a certificate of approval, shall be filed in the office of the Auditor of Public Accounts.

Sec. 92. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That the Auditor of Public Accounts shall not recognize any tax collector, until he shall have given his name to the Auditor of Public Accounts, and shall be sworn by the constitution, and said oath of office shall be filed with the bond in the office of the Auditor of Public Accounts; that in case any tax collector shall fail, refuse or neglect to give bond, as above provided, within twenty days from his appointment, his office shall be deemed vacant, and the Governor shall fill the vacancy with the advice and consent of the Senate if the same be in session; if not, the said name shall be sent in at the next session of the Senate.

Sec. 93. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That the said tax collectors shall be entitled to the following compensation, and no more, to be computed on the sums actually collected and paid into the treasury: The tax collector of the First District shall receive one and a quarter per cent; the tax collector of the Second District shall receive one and a half per cent; the tax collector of the Third District shall receive three and a half per cent; the tax collector of the Fourth District shall receive two and one-half per cent; the tax collector of the Fifth District shall receive six per cent; the tax collector of the Sixth District shall receive five per cent; the tax collector of the Seventh District shall receive three and a half per cent. They shall also receive five per cent on all licenses. All said tax collectors shall be entitled, for every dollar and two per cent, for every cent, when legal notice is actually served, ten cents only, to be paid by the taxpayer, and in no case by the State.

Sec. 94. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That at the expiration of the term of collectors appointed as provided for in section 91, there shall be two collectors for the parish of Orleans thereafter, to be appointed every two years by the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Senate, one for the district above Canal street, and one for the district below Canal street, together with the right bank of the Mississippi river; said collector for the upper district shall furnish bond in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, and the collector of the lower district shall furnish bond in the sum of seventy thousand dollars, and the conditions and obligations herein provided for bonds of tax collectors. The compensation for said tax collectors to be computed on the sums actually paid into the treasury, shall be as follows: for the upper district, one and a half per cent, and for the lower district, one and a half per cent, for the tax collector of the lower districts and right bank on taxes, and each shall receive five per cent on moneys collected for State licenses.

Sec. 95. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That on or before the first day of February of each year, the Auditor of Public Accounts shall transmit to the tax collectors a copy of the rolls which have been handed to him by the administrator of assessments, as aforesaid, after placing thereon the names of the parties assessed, and the amount of taxes due thereon, and said tax collectors, on or before the first day of February of each year, shall give notice, by publication in the official journal three times during fifteen days, that they are prepared to collect State taxes for the current year, and each collector shall begin on the first day of February of each year, and as soon thereafter as they receive the rolls. On or before the first day of September of each year the said tax collectors shall transmit to the Auditor of Public Accounts a list of the names of all parties who have not paid their taxes for the current year, said list to be alphabetically arranged, to contain the name or names of the party assessed, the description of the property and the amount of taxes due thereon, and said list to be filed on the first day of November; shall bear interest at the rate of eight per cent, per annum, from said date, until said property is sold or forfeited, as provided herein. That the administrator of the Third District, and the administrator of the Fourth District, shall be authorized to furnish a small list, at the same time to the Auditor, showing the names of those whose taxes assessed remain unpaid, and the description by the assessment roll of the property, and the amount of taxes due thereon, to be included in the forfeiture to be operated by the administrator, nothing in this section being intended to modify present existing laws as to the time when city taxes become due or the interest thereon. This section being intended to furnish one system of forfeiture and sale for both State and city taxes, and thus relieving the city of the burden of enforcing

the payment of taxes through the courts. The Auditor of Public Accounts shall thereupon, before the twentieth day of September, prepare a list of said delinquents as handed to him by the said tax collectors and administrators of accounts, arranged alphabetically, showing the names and amounts of taxes due by the delinquents, and shall publish the same once in the official journal, accompanied with a notice to the said delinquents to file, within the same day, the first day of July of the following year, the title for the property upon which the taxes are unpaid, shall be forfeited to the State, if the same be real estate; and all personal property upon which said taxes shall be delinquent shall be sold at public auction by the Auditor of Public Accounts, for what it will bring, after ten days public advertisement of said property, the proceeds of such sale to be appropriated pro rata between State and city. It shall be the duty of the Auditor of Public Accounts to have said list made up alphabetically, with the names of the parties, the description of the property and the amount of State and city taxes, and on or before the last day of December to file the same in a bound book, in the office of the Register of Conveyances, and to record the same, which filing by him shall make the said book a part of the records of the conveyance office, to be preserved therein, for which deposit and keeping the register of Conveyances shall make no charge. The property upon which the taxes are unpaid, as aforesaid, to be considered as forfeited to the State for the State and city taxes due thereon from the first day of December, the filing of the said book to constitute the registry of the title; said forfeiture to vest full title to the State and all the rights and interest in and to the property of the party assessed, subject to the right of redemption and penalties hereinbefore provided in case of the sale of property outside the parish of Orleans.

Sec. 96. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That the same provisions above provided for the readjustment of the assessment rolls, shall apply to forfeitures in the parish of Orleans, and if said property thus forfeited shall not be redeemed within two years from the date of such forfeiture by the payment of all taxes, interest and charges due the State and city, the same amount realized by said sale to be divided between the State and city in the proportion of their respective taxes, interest and charges.

Sec. 97. *Be it further enacted, etc.*, That the said tax collectors shall make weekly settlements with the Auditor of Public Accounts, and shall be held to account thereon, and shall be liable to fine and imprisonment, at the discretion of the court, and any parish treasurer, willfully neglecting to transmit, certify or transmit, as above provided, shall incur a penalty of two thousand dollars; any false swearing by the said parish treasurer to constitute the crime of perjury, to be punished as directed by the criminal laws of this State.

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Reserved fund \$100,000 and Dividend on capital 10 per cent.	\$9,847 47—\$36,754 1f
Net Profit	\$71,264 61
Assets of the company estimated at their cash market value:	
Stocks, Bonds, Loans and Bills Receivable	\$68,599 78
Cash on hand and premiums in course of collection	188,099 22
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On Fire Risks	\$418,448 00
On Marine Risks	\$7,308 87
On River Risks	\$6,769 28
Total Premiums	\$492,526 22
Less Unearned Premiums	114,004 00
Net Earned Premiums 31st May, 1876	\$378,522 22
Losses Paid—	
On Fire Risks	\$29,914 23
On Marine Risks	\$5,744 42
On River Risks	\$5,405 73
Taxes	\$181,061 87
Reinsurance and Returned Premiums	26,148 22
Expenses, including interest on investments	61,485 48
Cent Rebate Less Interest	61,485 48
Profit	\$78,108 96

The Company have the following Assets—

Real Estate	\$276,510 00
City Bonds	110,410 00
Bank, Railroad and other Stocks	309,972 10
Notes secured by mortgage and pledge	301,899 24
Bills Receivable	80,120 22
Premium in course of collection	95,348 30
State Bonds	
Insurance Stocks	1,490 00
Stock of Valdez Dry Dock Company	10,400 00
Stock Harlow Dry Dock and Ship Yard Company	4,000 00
Mortgage Bonds Turners Association	2,000 00
Mortgage Bonds Old Pelican Hall	5,000 00
Judgment on Mortgage Notes	1,512 90
Cash on hand	95,816 20
	\$1,684,774 10

The above statement is a true, true and correct transcript from the books of the Company.

G. W. NOTT, Secretary.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,  
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans,  
I, James Fahay, Notary Public,  
do hereby certify that the above statement was read and approved by the Board of Directors held on the 24 day of June, 1876, it was resolved to pay to the Stockholders, on demand, FIVE PER CENT interest on their stock.

DIRECTORS:  
E. MASPERO, ED. TOBY,  
D. JATTO, F. ROUBOUY,  
S. Z. BELLE, M. W. SMITH,  
J. J. FERNANDEZ, J. L. CHAFFRANK,  
J. M. ALLEN, CHS. LAFITE,  
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### TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF THE

### OBSOLETE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

New Orleans, May 20, 1876.

The trustees, in conformity to the amended charter, submit the following statement of the affairs of the company on the 30th April, 1876:

Fire premiums	\$201,000 25
Marine premiums	87,488 97
River premiums	114,512 25—\$388,998 19
Earned premiums, less interest, re-insurance and returns	288,897 4
Losses paid and estimates, including all known and unpaid:	
On fire	\$55,880 10
On river	7,471 90—\$147,890 65
Taxes, expenses, rebates in lieu of participation, less interest, discount, etc.	83,728 11—\$235,110 66
Leaving, after paying out per cent in cash, interest on capital stock, profits	\$63,986 79

The company have the following assets:

Bills receivable	\$38,728 11
Loans on bond and mortgage	
Real estate	\$6,443 85—\$110,771 11
Loans on bonds at call	12,711 25
Cash	67,388 04—188,000 41
Real estate	128,094 42
City bonds, bank and other stocks	136,164 00
Premiums in course of collection	27,628 77
Total assets	\$688,000 00

The above statement is a true and correct transcript from the books of the company.

HENRY V. OGDEN, Secretary.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th day of May, 1876.

WM. H. HOLMES,  
Second Justice of the Peace, parish of Orleans.

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