

AMERICAN GOODS.

A Good Chance to Occupy Open Foreign Markets. (Philadelphia Press.) The American manufacturer of cotton goods has a good chance now to introduce himself to the Asiatic markets. It is notorious that on opening bales of cotton cloths, the Bengal, Madras and Shanghai merchants have found dead cast, rats, brickbats and rubbish packed in with the cloth to make weight. Worse even than this, when the goods have been separated from the refuse, they have been found to be rotten and worthless. Strange as this may seem, it is only half the truth. In the supreme court of judicature, on Wednesday, before the Lord Chief Baron, Lord Justice Bramwell and Lord Justice Brett, a motion was argued by the American lawyer, Judah P. Benjamin, who is now Queen's counsel. The motion was that of Prevond against Langdon, and was brought by the plaintiff, a London merchant, against the defendant, a Manchester manufacturer, for selling cotton goods largely adulterated with mineral matters. The plaintiff consigned the goods to his Shanghai house, but they were unsaleable there and were returned to London. The trial is exciting much interest, and will disclose many ugly facts detrimental to British manufactures. American makers of cotton goods should be on the alert and occupy the open foreign markets.

EAST FELICIANA ANDERSON.

In This Civil Service Reform?

[Philadelphia Times.] The reform gun has missed fire again in the appointment of James E. Anderson, of Pennsylvania, Ohio and Louisiana, as United States Consul at Funchal, Madeira Islands. This is the Anderson, if we are not mistaken as to his identity, who was kicked out of a Louisiana printing office some years ago for proposing to mingle Democratic with Republican tickets before their distribution to the election districts. Last fall he turned up as the willing tool of Kellogg in Louisiana, and was made Superintendent of Registration in East Feliciana, his duty being to prevent the negroes from voting in order that the vote of the parish, which was sure to go Democratic, might be thrown out by the Returning Board. The Lancaster Intelligence, which has followed Anderson's track pretty closely, says he was in that city a few days ago, admitting that Tilden carried Louisiana and boasting that he was going to Washington to demand a consulate as a representative of the government.

LONDON'S POPULATION.

London, England, covers an area of 78,060 acres, or 123 square miles. When the census was taken last year, there were 1,500 miles of streets, 1,177 miles of sewers, 417,767 inhabited houses, and a population of 3,489,428. The inclusion of 15 miles around makes the population 4,286,607. There are over 100,000 professional men, 211,000 of the commercial class, 505,000 mechanics, 65,000 laborers, and 35,000 whose occupation is undefined. There are 1,633,321 males, and 1,865,307 females. Of the women, 692,139 are married, and 220,000 are domestic servants. There are 15,000 tailors, 58,000 milliners and dress-makers, 27,000 seamstresses and shirt-makers, and 44,000 laundresses. Twenty-nine thousand are returned as gentlemen. The number of children reported as attending school is 314,000. London, though much larger in population than New York, is not as densely packed as the latter. New York, in 1870, with a population of 249,379, had only 64,044 dwelling-houses, and the average number of persons to a dwelling was 14.72. In London, the average last year was 8.33, and this was smaller than the average, according to the census of 1870, in either Brooklyn, Boston, Cincinnati or Jersey City.

GRANITE TRAMWAYS.

A French engineer has proposed to establish tramways with granite tracks in lieu of rails in Finistère. He is of opinion that this system is far preferable to the ordinary railroads. There already exists a vast network of what are in truth tramways with granite rails, worked by horse traction in Northern Italy. In the streets of the principal towns and sometimes on the road tracks granite is laid in the highways. The surface of these tracks being flat and perfectly smooth, the wheels of the vehicles glide over them with the least possible friction. The conductor of each vehicle takes care so to guide it that the wheels always remain on the granite. The author of the project maintains that there is nothing to prevent the granite lines from being used by carriages driven by steam power in like manner as though drawn by horses.

SILVER AND RAGS.

Gen. Ewing continues to argue in favor of another tussle in Ohio on the same old inflation platform. He wants the greenback preserved and the silver dollar made a legal tender. As for success, he is sure to fail, or to injure himself. The protests of the Eastern Democrats will not trouble them any, because "they have just had command of the party and led us to a surrender after a victory." Like all the inflationists, the General is evidently apprehensive lest the increase of prosperity shall deprive him of the contraction of all his terrors. He says the European war will make resumption much easier if it lasts long enough.

RIPENING FRUIT.

The Baltimore fruit dealers think they have discovered a method of ripening fruit which is somewhat better than Nature's. Upon this point there will probably be a difference of opinion among consumers, but the process is an interesting one. The fruit is hung in a room which is made perfectly dark and airtight as practicable. The room is then heated by means of pipes to the proper temperature, and the room is kept closed except when opened for inspection of progress. The experiments tried thus far have been with bananas, and it has been found that two or three days only are required to perfectly ripen them.

The Brandy Bottle Charges.

Col. George H. Butler has written to the Postmaster General that he will be here in a few days and tell all about the brandy bottle charges of the Methodist minister.

JUDICIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

SHERIFF SALES. Fanny Lob vs. E. Hahn. FOURTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS—No. 44,294—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the honorable the Fifth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on WEDNESDAY, June 13, 1877, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property, to-wit: THE RIGHT OF OCCUPANCY of the defendant herein, Emile Hahn, up to the thirtieth day of September next, 1877, of the premises situated on the corner of Elysée, between Elysée and Thalia streets, in the First District of this city; together with all the improvements thereon, as they shall appear by reference being had to the case papers in the hands of the defendant, dated October 31, 1876. A copy thereof is now on file in my office. Terms—Cash on the spot. THOMAS H. HANDY, Civil Sheriff of the parish of Orleans.

Mrs. B. Tannet vs. Mrs. M. Patterson, Eliza Baldwin Intervenor. FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, No. 3146—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed by the honorable the Fifth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on TUESDAY, June 12, 1877, at 10 o'clock a. m., at my warehouse, Nos. 23 and 25 Orleans street, between Royal and Courcy streets, the following described property, to-wit: A LOT OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, as per inventory, which may be seen in my office. Terms—Cash on the spot. THOMAS H. HANDY, Civil Sheriff of the parish of Orleans.

Byrnes & Brother vs. M. Geary and Wife. FOURTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, No. 44,391—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the honorable the Fourth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on TUESDAY, June 12, 1877, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property, to-wit: A LOT OF GROUND, with the improvements thereon, situated in the sixth District of this city, in the square number one hundred and nineteen, of the new plan made by H. C. Durand, surveyor, bounded by Tchoupitoulas, Jersey, Valence and Bordeaux streets, designated by the number three, on a plan deposited in the office of the Civil Sheriff, at No. 23 and 25 Orleans street, between Royal and Courcy streets, one hundred and ninety-four, and measures thirty feet front on Tchoupitoulas street by one hundred feet in depth, between the above named streets, and is designated by the number twenty-six.

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LEGAL NOTICES. STATE OF LOUISIANA. FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS. MARY WELHAUSEN VS. HENRY MULLER, her husband—No. 8120. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ON THE fourteenth day of May, 1877, judgment was rendered in this court in the following entitled suit in the words and figures following: to-wit: Mary Wellhausen vs. Henry Muller, her husband—No. 8120. It is ordered, adjudged and decreed that there be judgment in favor of plaintiff, Mary Wellhausen, and against defendant, Henry Muller, her husband, decreeing a separation of property and gains heretofore existing between the said parties. It is further adjudged and decreed that the said plaintiff do have and recover from the defendant, her husband, the sum of eight hundred dollars, with legal interest thereon, from March 21, 1863, until paid, and the further sum of one hundred dollars, with legal interest thereon, from judicial demand, to-wit: April 6, 1877, on, until paid, and costs of writ, with mortgage and privilege allowed by law to married women on the property of the said Henry Muller, her husband. Judgment rendered May 14, 1877. Judgment signed May 15, 1877. W. H. ROGERS, Judge.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said court in the city of New Orleans, on this first day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven. J. PAUL T. ABADIE, Deputy Clerk.

SUCCESSION NOTICES. Succession of Mrs. Sybil Wurtz, deceased with Christian D. Rodick. SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, No. 32,450—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of this estate and to all other persons heretofore interested to show cause within ten days from the present notification, if any they have or can, why the account presented by Christian D. Rodick, tutor and as such administrator of the estate, should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith. By order of the court. JOHN HERBERT, Clerk.

Succession of Michael Lalmain. SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, No. 32,457—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of this estate and to all other persons heretofore interested to show cause within ten days from the present notification, if any they have or can, why the account presented by Mrs. Anna M. Lalmain, executrix, etc., of the deceased, should not be homologated and approved, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith. By order of the court. JOHN HERBERT, Clerk.

Succession of Margaretta Neu, wife of Georges Geier. SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, No. 32,456—Whereas, Georges Geier, deceased, has left behind him a widow, Margaretta Neu, his deceased wife, 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. JOHN HERBERT, Clerk.

Succession of John Baptist Arceneaux. SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, No. 32,457—Whereas, John Baptist Arceneaux, deceased, has left behind him a widow, Marie Arceneaux, his deceased wife, 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. JOHN HERBERT, Clerk.

Succession of John Sandler. SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, No. 32,456—Whereas, James Sandler, deceased, has left behind him a widow, Marie Sandler, his deceased wife, 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. JOHN HERBERT, Clerk.

Succession of Augusta Just, widow of Dieudonné Mankon. SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, No. 32,456—Whereas, Conrad Kuppenberg has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late wife of the said 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. JOHN HERBERT, Clerk.

Succession of William H. Hays. FOURTH JUSTICE COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, No. 44,294—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the honorable the Fourth Justice Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, June 16, 1877, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property, to-wit: THREE CERTAIN LOTS OF GROUND, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the Second District of this city, in the square number one hundred and sixteen, of the new plan made by H. C. Durand, surveyor, bounded by Tchoupitoulas, Jersey, Valence and Bordeaux streets, designated by the number three, on a plan deposited in the office of the Civil Sheriff, at No. 23 and 25 Orleans street, between Royal and Courcy streets, one hundred and ninety-four, and measures thirty feet front on Tchoupitoulas street by one hundred feet in depth, between the above named streets, and is designated by the number twenty-six.

Succession of Elias Wolf vs. C. E. Generally. SECOND JUSTICE COURT IN AND FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, No. 226—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the honorable the Second Justice Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, June 16, 1877, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property, to-wit: ONE LOT OF GROUND, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the Second District of this city, in the square number one hundred and sixteen, of the new plan made by H. C. Durand, surveyor, bounded by Tchoupitoulas, Jersey, Valence and Bordeaux streets, designated by the number three, on a plan deposited in the office of the Civil Sheriff, at No. 23 and 25 Orleans street, between Royal and Courcy streets, one hundred and ninety-four, and measures thirty feet front on Tchoupitoulas street by one hundred feet in depth, between the above named streets, and is designated by the number twenty-six.

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THE TWENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE CRESCENT MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY: NEW ORLEANS, May 19, 1877.

The Trustees, in conformity with amended charter, submit the following statement of the affairs of the company on the 30th of April, 1877: Premiums.....\$188,068 51 Marine premiums..... 29,315 95 River premiums..... 81,924 35 Earned premiums, less re-insurance and return premiums..... 228,235 15 Losses paid and estimated, including all known and unpaid, say: Fire losses.....\$67,335 60 Marine losses..... 7,385 41 River losses..... 25,610 21 Taxes, expenses, discount in lieu of participation, less re-insurance, say: Gross profits.....\$87,978 08

INSURANCE.

ELEVENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE FACTORS' AND TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY. 37.....CARONDELET STREET.....37. NEW ORLEANS, May 17, 1877. The Trustees, in conformity with the charter of the Company, publish the following statement of its affairs for the fiscal year ending 30th April, 1877, to-wit: Premiums for the year—On fire risks.....\$329,593 60 On marine risks..... 34,708 37 On river risks..... 31,194 08 Uninsured premiums, 1877..... 89,330 00 Return premiums..... 9,487 27— 98,515 27 Net earned premiums, less losses paid, to-wit: On fire risks.....\$100,297 27 On river risks..... 104,649 49 On marine risks..... 34,708 37 Re-insurance..... 31,194 08 Balance account..... 11,748 72 Losses and claims in course of settlement..... 25,122 70 N. O. Board of Underwriters..... 8,225 60 Gross general expenses..... 39,34