THE CONFEDERATE ASSETS.

The Difficulty the Government Encounters in Getting Them.

There is a hitch in the proceedings to get the $12,000,000 belonging to the late Confederate government out of the vaults of the Bank of England and transfer the funds to the United States treasury. The St. Louis *Globe-Democrat's* Washington correspondent shows the obstruction thus:

"Solicitor Raynor some time since called the attention of Secretary Sherman to the amount of these assets, and urged that steps be taken to recover them to the United States as being the legal successor to the Confederacy. The Secretary, sensible of the delicacy of the subject, referred it to the Secretary of State and to the Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for a decision. Mr. Connor, Solicitor of the Department of State, made an adverse report, on the ground that it would open many delicate questions which this government was not anxious to enter into. The Secretary of State himself objected, for the reason that he was not willing to ask any favors of the British government. As to bringing suits in their courts, it was also remembered that in the inquiries instituted by the Administration of President Grant, through its agents, Caleb Cushing, Judge Redfein and Judge Titus, who were sent there at different times, that the British government expressed itself perfectly willing to recognize the United States as the executor of the defunct Confederacy, and to turn over its assets, provided the United States were willing to assume its liabilities to British subjects. Assistant Secretary French, in an exhaustive opinion, also reported adversely, concluding that in view of the attitude of the British government on the question it would be useless expense to prosecute the claims. This may be regarded as the end of this question."

New American Sewing Machine, 185 Canal street.

EVARTS' SPEECH.

The Intention of the Radicals to Force Hayes into the Democratic Camp.

[Cincinnati Enquirer.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Secretary Evarts' speech at the New England Society's dinner in New York last night, is the first open declaration made in a public manner that the President does not intend to take the back track in his future policy. It is held here by sagacious politicians that one sentence of the speech covers the broad text upon which the President will be guided in his future course, and that is that he believes with Evarts that he has never entered on devious paths, and does not mean to. Inasmuch as Mr. Hayes sat under the droppings of the sweet sounds of his prime minister's voice, it can be definitely accepted that he indorsed what had been said. It means to serve notice on Blaine, Conkling and others in the Senate, who have entered into an alliance to break the President down, that he is aware of both their desire and intention, and is willing to accept war with these leaders. There is no doubt of the intention of those leaders to force Hayes to ally himself with the Democratic party, and then by a vigorous wave of the bloody shirt attempt to array the solid North against the solid South. Both Blaine and Conkling know that without stirring up a strong sectional feeling, the Republican party might as well lie down peacefully and die. They will make one final and desperate effort to galvanize enough life in the corpse to make it give a final kick, but therein will be its last struggle.

Boiler Iron.

[Cincinnati Commercial.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Reports have been received from the steamboat inspectors at Detroit and New Orleans, that manufacturers of boiler iron are violating the law by stamping their iron at a certain tensile strain of strength required by law, but which, on a test being made, falls short of the required strength. The supervising inspector-general will not prosecute in the cases reported, but will endeavor to have manufacturers of boiler iron meet here in January, when the board of steamboat inspectors hold their annual session.

New American Sewing Machine, 185 Canal street.

CITY ORDINANCES—OFFICIAL.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, December 19, 1877.
Administration Series—No. 4261.

An ordinance fixing the polling places in the several precincts of the Tenth and Eleventh Wards of this city.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of New Orleans, That the polling place in each precinct of the Tenth and Eleventh Wards, as created under ordinance No. 4260, be fixed as follows:

Tenth Ward.

First Precinct—Bounded by Felicity, St. Andrew, the river and St. Thomas street, at No. 163 Religious street, between Felicity and St. Mary streets.

Second Precinct — Bounded by St. Andrew, First, the river and Rousseau streets, at No. 6 Philip street, between Tchoupitoulas and Rousseau streets.

Third Precinct—Bounded by St. Andrew, First, Rousseau and St. Thomas streets, on Rousseau street, between Jackson and Philip streets, (Police Station.)

Fourth Precinct—Bounded by Felicity, Josephine, St. Thomas and Annunciation streets, at No. 137 Josephine street, between Chippewa and Annunciation streets.

Fifth Precinct—Bounded by Josephine, First, St. Thomas and Annunciation, at No. 331 Chippewa, between Sorapuru and Philip streets.

Sixth Precinct—Bounded by Josephine, First, Annunciation and Magazine streets, at the corner of Laurel and Philip streets.

Seventh Precinct—Bounded by Felicity, Josephine, Annunciation and Magazine streets, at No. 81 Laurel, between Josephine and St. Andrew streets.

Eighth Precinct—Bounded by Josephine, First, Magazine and Carondelet streets, at No. 623 Magazine street, between Jackson and Josephine streets.

Ninth Precinct—Bounded by Felicity, Josephine, Magazine and Carondelet streets, at the corner of Prytania and Felicity streets.

Tenth Precinct—Bounded by Felicity, First, Carondelet and Rampart (late Laurel) streets, at the corner of Carondelet and Josephine streets.

Eleventh Precinct—Bounded by Felicity, First, Rampart (late Laurel) and Liberty streets, at the corner of Jackson and Franklin streets.

Twelfth Precinct—Bounded by Felicity, First, Liberty and Magnolia streets, at the corner of Josephine and Freret streets.

Thirteenth Precinct—Bounded by Felicity and prolongation of the line until it meets Firet street, with its prolongation, at Magnolia street, between Jackson and Philip streets.

Eleventh Ward.

First Precinct—Bounded by First, Washington, river and Chippewa streets, at the corner of Fourth and Tchoupitoulas streets.

Second Precinct—Bounded by Washington, Toledano, river and Chippewa streets, at No. 979 Tchoupitoulas, between Seventh and Eighth streets.

Third Precinct—Bounded by First, Sixth, Chippewa and Constance streets, at the corner of Fourth and Laurel streets.

Fourth Precinct—Bounded by Sixth, Toledano, Chippewa and Constance streets, at No. 305 Laurel, corner of Eighth street.

Fifth Precinct—Bounded by First, Sixth, Constance and Prytania streets, on Magazine, between Washington and Sixth streets.

Sixth Precinct—Bounded by Sixth, Toledano, Constance and Prytania streets, at No. 835 Magazine, between Seventh and Eighth streets.

Seventh Precinct—Bounded by First, Washington, Prytania and Rampart (late St. Denis) streets, at No. 654 Baronne street, between Washington and Fourth streets.

Eighth Precinct—Bounded by Washington, Toledano, Prytania and Rampart (late St. Denis) streets, at the corner of Sixth and Carondelet streets.

Ninth Precinct—Bounded by First, Toledano, Rampart (late St. Denis) and Howard (late St. George Avenue) streets, on Sixth street, between St. Patrick and St. David streets.

Tenth Precinct—Bounded by First, Toledano, St. George Avenue (now Howard street), and the rear limits of the Eleventh Ward, at the corner of Magnolia and Washington streets.

Adopted by the Council of the city of New Orleans, December 19, 1877

ED PILSBURY, Mayor.

A true copy:
THOS. G. RAPIER, Secretary.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

OFFICE OF CIVIL SHERIFF, PARISH OF ORLEANS, New Orleans, December 15, 1877.

By and under authority of a writ of election to me directed on the twelfth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, by his excellency Francis T. Nicholls, Governor of the State of Louisiana—

Notice is hereby given that AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD in conformity with act No. 58 of the extra session of 1877, on SATURDAY, THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF DECEMBER, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, to fill a vacancy in the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, caused by the resignation of the Hon. James B. Eustis, Senator from the Fourth Senatorial District, composed of the Tenth and Eleventh Wards of the city of New Orleans.

THOMAS H. HANDY,
Civil Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.
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CANCELLATION OF BOND.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Executive Department.

Whereas, GEORGE W. DUPRE, of the city of New Orleans, has applied to me for the cancellation of a bond of ten thousand dollars, subscribed by George W. Dupre & Co. as principals, with John A. Walsh and P. O. Fazende, also of said city, each for the sum of five thousand dollars, as securities, dated March 28, 1877, and conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties of said George W. Dupre & Co. as State Printer, under act No. 49 of the regular session of 1877, in pursuance of a contract executed before W. J. Castell, notary public, in the city of New Orleans, bearing date the twenty-eighth day of March, 1877.

Now, therefore, I, FRANCIS T. NICHOLLS, Governor of the State of Louisiana, have thought proper to issue this, my proclamation, in order to give notice to all persons therein interested to show cause, in writing, at the office of the Secretary of State, in the city of New Orleans, within ninety days from and after the last publication hereof, why the said bond should not be cancelled and annulled, and the securities above named discharged from any further liabilities in the premises.

Witness my signature and the seal of the State of Louisiana, at the city of New Orleans, this seventh day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

FRANCIS T. NICHOLLS.
Governor of the State of Louisiana.

By the Governor:
WILL A. STRONG,
Secretary of State. de8 30t

CANCELLATION OF BOND.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Executive Department.

Whereas, STEVEN LE BOURGEOIS, of the parish of Livingston, has applied to me for the cancellation of a bond, dated November 12, 1875, drawn by him, the said Steven Le Bourgeois, as principal, with Baxter Felder, G. D. Wells, A. Lobell, S. R. Scivique, Joseph H. Allen, Jesse T. Felder, R. M. Allen, W. L. Jones, Levi Spiller, William S. Davis and A. M. Davidson, as securities, also of said parish of Livingston, for the sum of six thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties of said Steven Le Bourgeois as Tax Collector of the parish of Livingston.

Now, therefore, I, FRANCIS T. NICHOLLS, Governor of the State of Louisiana, have thought proper to issue this my proclamation, with the view of giving public notice to all persons therein interested, to show cause, in writing, at the office of the Secretary of State, in the city of New Orleans, within ninety days after the last publication hereof, why said bond should not be cancelled and annulled, and the securities therein discharged from any further liabilities in the premises.

Given under my signature and the seal of the State of Louisiana, at the city of New Orleans, this first day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

FRANCIS T. NICHOLLS.
Governor of the State of Louisiana.

By the Governor:
WILL. A. STRONG, Secretary of State.
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BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS.

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, Dec. 10, 1877.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors, a COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION of applicants for position as teachers in the Public Schools will be held in the Franklin Schoolhouse, St. Charles street, on THURSDAY, 27th, and FRIDAY, 28th inst., at 9 a. m.

This examination is for Grammar and primary Grades, and is open to applicants who, by reason of absence from the city, or for any other cause, failed to secure certificates of qualification in the September examination.

Applicants are required to send written notice to the Superintendent's office, 20, City Hall, prior to the examination, stating their names, residence, experience, and the certificates of qualification at present held by them.

By order of the Committee on Teachers.

WM. O. ROGERS,
de13 td Chief Superintendent Public Schools.

NOTICE TO BONDHOLDERS.

BOARD OF LIQUIDATION, State of Louisiana, New Orleans, December 17, 1877.

I hereby give notice that a SPECIAL MEETING of this Board will be held on THURSDAY, December 27, 1877, at 12 o'clock m., at the Speaker's Room, State-House.

ALLEN JUMEL,
Auditor and ex-officio Secretary of the Board.
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PROPOSALS FOR LEVEE WORK.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Executive Department, New Orleans, December 24, 1877.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until SATURDAY, December 29, at 12 m., for the construction of the following levees:

Reine Levee, parish of St. James.
Forstall Levee, parish of St. James.
Thiry Levee, parish of Iberville.

Plans, profiles and specifications of the above works will be ready for inspection at the State Engineer's office between the 26th and 29th of December.

Proposals shall be addressed to the undersigned, and each one indorsed for the particular levee on which the bid is made.

Sealed proposals must contain a deposit amounting to one cent for each yard of the estimated contents up to ten thousand yards, and an additional quarter of one cent for every yard over, to be forfeited to the State in case of the failure of the contractor or bondsmen to qualify within forty-eight hours after adjudication, or else the bondsmen must be present at the opening of the bids, prepared to sign immediately.

The Board reserves to itself the right to reject any or all bids.

FRANCIS T. NICHOLLS,
Governor and President of the Board of State Engineers. de25 td

TO THE LADIES.

DR. BILLE has returned from Paris and opened an office at 154 Canal street, between Carondelet and Baronne. Dr. Bille has the secret of Ninon de l'Enclos, who, up to her death in her seventy-second year of age, retained the beauty, vivacity and spirit as when she was twenty years of age. By Dr. Bille's treatment, which is pleasant, even enjoyable, ladies can do away with all cosmetics and paints, as the skin becomes soft and white, the eyes regain their wonted lustre and strength, and vivacity returns. The old become young, and the young, who have ruined themselves with late hours and excesses, become beautiful and full of the vigor and fire of youth. All diseases and troubles peculiar to ladies treated by a harmless and painless method. Consultations and correspondence strictly confidential.

de2 tf DR. BILLE, 154 Canal street.

JUDICIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

SHERIFF SALES.

Citizens' Bank of Louisiana vs. Jean B. Lepretre and Mrs. J. Aldige and her husband.

SIXTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE parish of Orleans, No. 9711—By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale, to me directed by the honorable the Sixth 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, January 29, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property, to wit—

A LOT OF GROUND, situated in the Second District of the city of New Orleans, in the square bounded by St. Louis, Bourbon, Toulouse and Royal streets, designated by the letter C on a plan drawn by J. A. d'Hemecourt, deputy surveor, dated the thirty-first of December, 1857, and annexed to an act of the twenty-second of January, 1858, before A. Boudousquie, late a notary public in this city; said lot measuring twenty feet ten inches six lines front on St. Louis street by one hundred and eleven feet in depth and twenty feet five inches in width on the rear line. Together with the buildings and improvements thereon.

Together also with eighty-four shares of the capital stock of the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana a tached to said property.

Seized in the above suit.

Terms—The purchaser to furnish a stock note in favor of the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana for the sum of five hundred and seventy-six dollars, falling due on the first of February, 1879, and renewable according to the charter of the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana, and the balance cash, the purchaser to assume all the obligations and responsibilities of a stockholder of the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana, and the stock note so furnished to be identified with the two acts of mortgage of the ninth of September, 1834, before T. Seghers, late a notary public in this city, the act of division of mortgage of the twenty-second of January, 1858, before A. Boudousquie, late a notary public in this city, and with the sheriff's deed of sale in this case.

THOMAS H. HANDY,
Civil Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.
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Succession of the Late Jacques Bolet, Deceased.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARish of Orleans, No. 39,766.—By virtue of a judgment rendered December 21, 1877, and signed December 27, 1877, to me directed by the honorable the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled matter, I will proceed to sell at public auction, on the premises hereinafter designated, on WEDNESDAY, January 9, 1878, at 5 o'clock p. m., the following described property, to wit—

AN UNDIVIDED HALF PART, SHARE AND INTEREST, belonging to said succession, of, in and to the contents of the locksmith shop situated No. 104 Customhouse street, between Royal and Bourbon streets, in the Second District of this city, as per inventory on file.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS H. HANDY,
Civil Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.
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George Koepke vs. Succession of Clara Dierker.

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARish of Orleans, No. 8383—By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale, 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, January 9, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property, to wit—

A LOT OF GROUND, with the buildings and improvements thereon, the rights, ways, privileges and servitudes thereof, designated on a plan of Bourgerol, late surveyor, dated the eighth of April, 1834, an extract whereof is annexed, to an act passed before Theodore Seghers, late a notary public in this city, dated the twenty-ninth of April, 1840, by the number three of the square bounded by Elysian Fields, Moreau (now Chartres), Marigny and Victory (now Decatur) streets, in Faubourg Marigny, Third District of this city; said lot measures, in English measure, twenty-three feet eleven and one-half inches front on Elysian Fields street by eighty-five feet deep. Being the same property acquired by the deceased during her lifetime, from Louis Fix, as per act before A. J. Lewis, notary public in this city, dated the twenty-sixth of January, 1872.

Seized in the above suit.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS H. HANDY,
Civil Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.
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Rosa Holloway, wife of Peter J. Mathews, vs. her husband.

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARish of Orleans, No. 8730—By virtue of an order of sale rendered December 24, 1877, to me directed by the honorable the Fifth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled matter, I will proceed to sell at public auction, on the premises hereinafter designated, on WEDNESDAY, January 9, 1878, at 10½ o'clock a. m., the following described community property existing between said parties—

ONE WALNUT BED-ROOM SET, consisting of Victoria Bedstead, Mattresses and Spring Bed, Centre Table, Armoir, Chairs, Rocker, Marble-Top Bureau, Marble-Top Washstand, Towel Rack, Matting, Rug, Pictures, Ornaments, Vases, Clock, Shades, Safe, Dining Table Cloth, Crockeryware, Kitchen Stove and Furniture, Quilts, Blanket, Mosquito Bar, and a lot of Firewood. The whole now on the premises No. 75 Brainard street, in the Fourth District of this city, as per inventory on file.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS H. HANDY,
Civil Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.
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Hibernia Insurance Company of New Orleans vs. Marie Helene Griffin et als.

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARish of Orleans, No. 8249—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias against Marie Helene Griffin and Joseph L. Montieu, 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 MONDAY, January 28, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property, to wit—

THREE CERTAIN LOTS OF GROUND, situated in the Sixth District of this city, in the square bounded by Bacchus, Peniston, Carondelet (late Apollo) and Amelia streets, designated by the numbers eight, seventeen and eighteen, on a plan drawn by C. G. de L'Isle, architect, on June 17, 1867, deposited in the office of A. Pitot, Jr., a notary public in this city, which said lots have the following dimensions, to wit: Lot number eight measures thirty feet front on Amelia street by a depth of one hundred and three feet nine inches four lines on the line dividing it from the rear lines of lots numbers five, six and seven and part of lot number four, and of one hundred and three feet eight inches two lines on the line dividing it from lot number nine; lot number seventeen measures thirty feet front on Peniston street by a depth of one hundred and three feet eight inches two lines on the line dividing it from lot number eighteen, and by a further depth of one hundred and three feet seven inches on the line dividing it from the rear lines of lots numbers fourteen, fifteen and sixteen and part of lot number thirteen; and lot number eighteen measures thirty feet front on said Peniston street by a depth of one hundred and three feet nine inches four lines on the line dividing it from the rear lines of lots numbers one, two, three and part of lot number four, and by a further depth of one hundred and three feet eight inches two lines on the division line of lot number seventeen. Being the same property acquired by the defendant herein, Marie Helene Griffin, by purchase from Emile Merlet, by act passed before E. Bouny, notary public in this city, dated December 4, 1871.

Seized in the above suit.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

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

NOTICE TO BAKERS.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, December 22, 1877.

The average price of fresh flour being this day seven dollars; in accordance with said valuation the price of bread for the week commencing on MONDAY, December 24, 1877, will be:

Sixty-two ounces for twenty cents.
Thirty-one ounces for ten cents.
Sixteen ounces for five cents.

Bakers of bread are required to use only the best flour of the above value per barrel, and the use of damaged or inferior flour in bread offered for sale in this city is prohibited. Consumers of bread are requested to report to the nearest police station any violation of the above ordinance, either in variation of weight or quality of material.

de23 ED. PILSBURY, Mayor.

JUDICIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

SHERIFF SALES.

Citizens' Bank of Louisiana vs. J. B. Lepretre and Mrs. J. Aldige and her husband.

SIXTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARish of Orleans, No. 3712—By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale, directed by the honorable the Sixth 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, January 29, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property, to wit—

A LOT OF GROUND, situated in the Second District of this city, at the corner of Orleans and Dauphine streets, having, in French measure, thirty-one feet, more or less, front on Orleans street by seventy-two feet, more or less, in depth and front on Dauphine street. Together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, and all the rights and privileges thereunto belonging. Together, also, with one hundred and ninety-three shares of the capital stock of the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana, attached to said property. Being the same property acquired by defendant herein, J. B. Lepretre, by purchase from J. C. Gardette, per act passed before Amedee Ducatel, notary public in this city, on the tenth of April, 1839.

Seized in the above suit.

Terms—The purchaser to furnish a stock note in favor of the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana for the sum of thirteen hundred and thirty-two dollars, falling due on the first of February, 1879, and renewable according to the charter of the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana, and the balance cash. The purchaser to assume all the obligations and responsibilities of a stockholder of the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana, and the stock note so furnished to be identified with the two acts of mortgage by J. C. Gardette and wife to the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana, passed before T. Seghers, late notary public in this city, on the twenty-eighth of September, 1836, and eighteenth of May, 1837, and with the sheriff's deed of sale in this case.

THOMAS H. HANDY,
Civil Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.
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T. T. Osborne vs. Wm. Carroll.

FOURTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARish of Orleans, No. 44,237—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 FRIDAY, December 28, 1877, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property, to wit—

ALL THE RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST of the defendant herein in and to the following described property: A lot of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon, in the square comprised within Common, Prieur, Palmyra and Roman streets, in the First District of this city, having a front of twenty-seven feet six inches two lines on Common street by one hundred and thirty-one feet one inch four lines in depth on the side nearest Roman street, one hundred and thirty-six feet two lines in depth on the side nearest Prieur street, and twenty-seven feet in width in the rear, as per sketch of Edgar Pille, architect, of the second November, 1877, deposited in my office, and all right he may have to redeem said property, sold for State taxes, on the twelfth November, 1873, at the suit of the State vs. Wm. Carroll, No. 4058 of the docket of the Superior District Court, and all right he may have against the purchaser for the annulment of the sale for any cause whatsoever.

Seized in the above suit.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS H. HANDY,
Civil Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.
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Nicholas Sartorius vs. Albert Wiemann.

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARish of Orlans, No. 8199—By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale, 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, January 9, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property, to wit—

TWO LOTS OF GROUND, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the Third District of this city, in the square bounded by Levee, Victory, Marigny and Mandeville streets, designated by the numbers one and two on a plan drawn by C. Arthur de Armas, surveyor, dated November 18, 1865, and deposited in the office of Adolphe Boudousquie, then a notary public in this city. Lot number one measures twenty feet seven inches front on Levee street by a depth of ninety feet, between parallel lines, American measure. Lot number two measures twenty-one feet three inches front on Levee street by a depth of ninety feet, between parallel lines, American measure. Together with the use of two alleys, one of which lying in the rear of said lots, having ten feet width; and the other opening on Levee street, having ten feet nine inches width, running alongside of number four. Said alleys are of the common use of said lots and others described on said plan. Which property was acquired by the defendant herein by purchase from the estate of Andre Deslonde, per act passed before Adolphe Boudousquie, late a notary public in this city, dated February 26, 1866.

Seized in the above suit.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS H. HANDY,
Civil Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.
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Jean Tuheil vs. Jean Berthin et als.

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No. 7119—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, January 9, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property, to wit—

1. A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, situated in the Fourth District of this city, in the square bounded by Pleasant, Chippewa, Toledano and Annunciation streets, said lot of ground measuring sixty fee front on Annunciation street by seventy-five feet two inches in depth and front on Pleasant street; the rear line of said lot being perpendicular to said Pleasant street, divides in halves a well, the use of which is common to said lot of ground and the property now or late of Francis Bellau.

2. ANOTHER LOT OF GROUND, situated in the Sixth District of this city, designated by the number thirteen of the square bounded by Levee, Chippewa and Toledano streets and Louisiana Avenue, measuring thirty-two feet front on Chippewa street by one hundred and twenty feet in depth and front on Toledano street, of which it forms the corner, agreeably to a plan in the office of A. D. Doriocourt, a notary public in this city.

3. ANOTHER LOT OF GROUND, situated in the same district and square as the lot above described, designated by the number sixteen, on a plan drawn by Benjamin Buisson, surveyor, on the nineteenth of June, 1847, deposited in the office of Onesiphore Drouet, notary public in this city; said lot measures thirty-two feet front on Chippewa street by one hundred and twenty feet in depth, between parallel lines.

4. TWO CERTAIN LOTS OF GROUND, situated in the same district and square as the lot above described, designated by the numbers fourteen and fifteen, and measuring each thirty-two feet front on Chippewa street by one hundred and twenty feet in depth, between parallel lines.

5. SEVEN CERTAIN LOTS OF GROUND, situated in the Fourth District of this city, in the square bounded by Annunciation, Chippewa, Eighth and Ninth streets, designated as lots numbers one, two, three, four, five, sixteen and seventeen, of square number twenty-six, on a plan drawn by L. Reizenstein, surveyor, deposited in the office of Wm. Shannon, late notary public in this city. Lot number one forms the corner of Annunciation and Ninth streets, and measures twenty-seven feet front on Annunciation street by a depth and front on Ninth street of one hundred and twenty feet, between parallel lines. Lots numbers two, three, four and five have each twenty-five feet front on Annunciation street by one hundred and twenty feet in depth, between parallel lines; and lots numbers sixteen and seventeen have each twenty-seven feet four inches front on Ninth street by one hundred and twenty-seven eet in depth, between parallel lines.

Which above described property was acquired by defendant herein, Bazile Dabat, by purchase as follows, to wit: The one firstly described from Baptiste Laporte, by an act passed before A. Ducatel, notary public in this city, on the sixth of October, 1866; the one secondly described from Mann Geiser and Hall, by an act passed before Hugh Madden, late notary public in this city on the fifth of February, 1866; the one thirdly described from Joseph Ledig by an act passed before L. R. Kenny, late a notary public on the fourth of August, 1849; the one fourthly described from the succession of Paul P. Mouchon, as per act passed before Ant. Doriocourt, a notary public in this city, on the fifteenth of August, 1856, and the one fifthly described from Robert McCoy Buford, by an act passed before Wm. Shannon, late a notary public in this city, on the third of October, 1868.

Seized in the above suit as belonging to defendant, Bazile Dabat.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

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

SHERIFF SALES.

Citizens' Bank of Louisiana vs. Albert Wieman.

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE parish of Orleans, No. 8503—By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale, 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 SATURDAY, January 19, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property, to wit—

TWO LOTS OF GROUND, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the Third District of this city, in the square bounded by Levee, Victory, Marigny and Mandeville streets, designated by the numbers one and two on a plan drawn by C. Arthur de Armas, surveyor, dated November, 1865, deposited in the office of A. Boudousquie, late a notary public in this city.

1. Lot number one measuring twenty feet seven inches front on Levee street by a depth of ninety feet, between parallel lines, American measure, together with thirty-two shares of mortgage stock thereto attached.

2. Lot number two measuring twenty-one feet three inches front on Levee street by a depth of ninety feet, between parallel lines, American measure, together with thirty-two shares of mortgage stock thereto attached; together with the use of two alleys, one of which, lying in the rear of said lots, having ten feet width, and the other, opening on Levee street, having ten feet nine inches width, running alongside number four, said alleys being for the common use of said lots and others described on said plan drawn by C Arthur de Armas, surveyor, dated November, 1865, deposited in the office of said Boudousquie, late notary public in New Orleans.

Seized in the above suit.

Terms and Conditions—The purchaser to furnish two stock notes for the sum of two hundred and forty-six dollars each, falling due on the first of July, 1878, and renewable according to the charter of the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana; and the balance of the price of adjudication cash. The purchaser to assume all the obligations and responsibilities of a stockholder of the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana, and the stock notes so furnished to be identified with the acts of mortgage, to wit: 1. Mortgage by Widow J. Poultney in favor of Citizens' Bank of Louisiana, passed before T. Seghers, late a notary public in this city, on the eighth of September, 1836. 2. And mortgage by Andre Deslondes, passed before T. Leblanc, parish judge, ex officio notary public of the parish of St. John the Baptist, on the eighteenth of June, 1842; and the sheriff's deed of sale in this case.

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

Succession of Nicolo Fassio.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARish of Orleans, No. 39,937—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 and administrator of this estate, should not be approved and homologated, and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the court.

de28 ja1 6* JOHN HERBERT, Clerk.

Succession of Mistress Henriette Labiche, widow of J. J. F. Laudun.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE parish of Orleans, No. 40,011—Whereas, Mrs. Marie Henriette Laudun, wife of Edmond Bourgeois, has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Mrs. Henriette Labiche, widow, e. c., 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.

de19 23 28* JOHN HERBERT, Clerk.

CONSTABLE SALES.

Mathew Lehman vs. James Devaney.

FIRST JUSTICE COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No. 2435—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed by the Hon. J. Paris Childress, First Justice of the Peace in and for the parish of Orleans, I will proceed to sell at public auction, on MONDAY, January 7, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., at James Regan's stables, on Baronne street, between Poydras and Lafayette streets, the following described property, to wit—

ONE MILCH COW.

Seized in the above entitled and numbered suit.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

de28 ja2 7 JOHN F. WOOD, Constable.

E. T. Riely vs. Mr. Thayer.

THIRD JUSTICE COURT FOR THE PARish of Orleans, No. 1182—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed by the Hon. John L. Laresche, Third Justice of the Peace for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction at my warehouse, No. 185 Bienville street, between Bourbon and Royal streets, in the Second District of this city, on WEDNESDAY, January 9, 1878, at 12 o'clock m.—

ONE LOT OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, as per inventory filed in my office.

Seized in the above suit.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOS. J. BUCKLEY, Constable.
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AUCTION SALES.

By Albert Paul.

GREAT CLOSING SALE
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—OF—
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BY ALBERT PAUL, Auctioneer—Office No. 38 Exchange Alley—SATURDAY, December 22, 1877, and following days, at 10½ o'clock a. m., will be sold at auction—

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Terms—Cash.

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IN BANKRUPTCY.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA.

IN THE MATTER OF METROPOLITAN National Bank vs. J. Dreyfuss & Co., Bankrupts.

In Bankruptcy—No. 1553.

WHEREAS JOSHUA DREYFUSS AND M. Bompert, individually and as members of the firm of J. Dreyfuss & Co., of Shreveport, La., and district aforesaid, duly declared bankrupts under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, have this day filed in said court a petition praying for a discharge and certificate thereof from all their debts and other claims provable under said act.

Notice is therefore given to all creditors who have proved their debts, and to all other persons in interest, that the twelfth day of January, 1878, at 11 a. m., is assigned for the hearing of the same, and that they may then and there attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted; and further notice is given that the bankrupts will undergo an examination before United States Commissioner Geo. W. Kendall on the twenty-eighth day of December, A. D. 1877, at 11 a. m., at his office in Shreveport, Louisiana.

Clerk's Office, New Orleans, Dec. 12, 1877.

de14 21 28 B. DEVONSHIRE, Deputy Clerk.

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