## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

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### THE LIBERALITY OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

*Editor Democrat*—I note the fact that the City Council yesterday unanimously voted Mr. Zacharie the sum of $500 for services rendered in the case of Cavanac vs. McCaffrey.

Now, the City Council are supplied with a City Attorney and Assistant City Attorney of their own choice. The function of each is to attend to the law business of the city, and each is well paid for his services. Many an able lawyer of this city would be glad to do the duties of either post faithfully for the pay. Will the Council point to the authority for such appropriations of our money? Can neither of the attorneys of the city find time to take such a case as the quarrel of Cavanac and McCaffrey into court?

Last summer both the attorneys were away. Mr. Blanc attended to their business. Neither of them paid him, but the city did. Recently I noticed that he has been paid for some other work. Where is the law for all this? Or is this honesty and reform? I trust our voters are noting the great wrong.

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## LOUISIANA.

The Donaldsonville Cannoneers are going into encampment on Bayou Lafourche.

An organization of veteran Confederate soldiers is to be formed at Baton Rouge.

The police jury of St. Bernard parish has decided not to close coffee-houses on Sundays.

A fire in Baton Rouge Friday night destroyed $11,000 worth of property; insured for $8500.

There are already thirty-nine candidates for the Legislature in Claiborne parish, says the *Guardian*.

We hear that some kind of bug is injuring the cane on the plantations above Franklin.—[St. Mary Enterprise.

S. F. Baird, fish commissioner, has written to Hon. E. W. Robertson announcing that he will place shad in the Amite river.

St. Mary farmers are making arrangements to manufacture white sugar this year. A number of vacuum pans are being put up.

The colored people of St. Martinsville have organized a fire company. The engine and engine-house were contributed by two public-spirited citizens.

We are informed that the crops throughout the parish are in a favorable condition. Bayou DuLarge has the best stubble-cane in the parish.—[Terrebonne Courier.

The police jury of the parish of St. James has administered the affairs of its parish in a satisfactory manner, has paid off a large portion of the old debt piled up by its Radical predecessors, and claims no compensation for its services.

Too early for politics, say some of our friends. We say so, too, but when we know that our Radical foes are busy concocting schemes and laying plans for the campaign, it behooves our people to be on the alert and make some preparation to meet the threatened danger.—[Morehouse Clarion.

Three new sugar-houses are being erected in the Attakapas—by Mr. E. H. Levy, on the east side of Bayou Vermillion; Dr. Carter, a few miles back of New Iberia, who will cease the cultivation of cotton and take to cane; and Mr. J. Mestayer, one mile southwest of New Iberia. All of these will grind cane for their neighbors as well as themselves.

We feel safe in the opinion that no town, State, parish or other locality on this continent has come anywhere near making so clean a collection of taxes as has Bayou Sara. Just think of it; the delinquent list amounts to only $14 47, and of this $6 is absolutely certain to be collected, leaving only the insignificant sum of $8 47 the total amount uncollected.—[Feliciana Sentinel.

Donaldsonville had its municipal election last Saturday. The result was as follows: Mayor, Fred Duffel; secretary, J. A. Landry; collector, a tie between Augustin Bercegeay and J. A. Duffel; treasurer, David Israel; aldermen, Solomon Schonberg, Madison Carroll, Severin Ricard, H. S. Bondreaux, V. Maurin and Ursin Landry. The *Chief* is well pleased with the ticket elected.

From the bayou country we obtain the most encouraging reports in relation to the crops. The corn has a fine color, grows fast and is well worked. The cotton is being scraped and thinned out, and on some places has already received the first light plowing. Potato slips are being set out, and this crop will be larger this than last year, with a proper season, of course.—[Marksville Bulletin.

From nearly every part of our parish we hear reports of the ravages of the cut worm and beetles upon the young corn, cotton and sugar plants. In many instances planters have had to replant corn, upon which vermin depredate the most. With the exception of the damage done by bugs the crops are looking well, growing fine and give promise of fine results. There is, however, considerable complaint about the stubble cane.—[Baton Rouge Advocate.

On Saturday last little Louie, son of J. Monroe Brown, Esq., aged about ten years, accidentally shot himself with a shotgun while out hunting, the load lodging in his left side, causing almost instant death. It seems he was climbing a rail fence near his brother's (S. D. Brown's) residence, and after leaning the gun against the fence he endeavored to pull it up by the muzzle, when the hammer caught against a rail and exploded the cap.—[Morehouse Clarion.

We earnestly enjoin it upon our tax collector to collect the poll tax. A large portion of it goes to the school fund, and any failure to collect this tax falls heavily upon our schools. In 1877 the amount of poll tax collected in this parish amounted to about $130, when it should have been $3000. We look to Mr. Coyle to assess every man in the parish, and we look to the next Legislature to make the payment of poll tax a prerequisite to voting.—[Pointe Coupee Pelican.

The report is general throughout the parish that the corps are in a magnificent condition and that the prospect is immensely better than it was at this season last year. The stubble cane never was better, and although this year's planting has not turned out well, the deficiency will be supplied by the forward growth of that which is really good. The corn crop is in splendid condition, and in some instances has had its last working. A little rain is needed now, but the crops can do without it for a short time.—[Iberville South.

On Tuesday evening about 4 o'clock, on April 23, a cowardly murder was committed on Mr. J. A. Ford's plantation, three miles above Collinsburg, in this parish. Charles Bowler was the name of the murdered man, and Humphrey Holiday the name of the assassin; both colored men. Bowler was plowing in the field. Holiday stealthily crept up and shot him in the back, lodging ten buckshot in his body. The poor man fell upon his plow, exclaiming: "Lord, have mercy! Holiday has killed me!" He died within half an hour. The Sunday previous Bowler and Holiday had a fight, in which Holiday came out second best. Politics was the cause, Bowler being a prominent Democrat and his assassin a Republican.—[Bossier Banner.

## MORMON LEADERS QUARRELING.

### Brigham Young's Heirs Acknowledging that the Prophet Stole $361,000.

[New York Star.]

The heirs of the dead prophet have yielded to the pressure of the holy priesthood. Taylor has beaten them. He has held them, says the Salt Lake *Tribune*, over the abyss of hell by the nape of the neck, threatening to shove them in head over heels if they continued in their refusal to "pony up" with him a part of the estate. Friday and Saturday the Twelve Apostles spent their time in "laboring" with the numerous offspring of the departed Brigham to show them wherein their defunct dad had plundered the church. The church books were inspected by Mr. M., Hide and Ernest Young, three of the heirs, as experts, and they arrived at the conclusion that the old man had appropriated to his own use $361,000 of the church funds, which they announced, on behalf of the other heirs, a willingness to pay, and Taylor concluded to take it in satisfaction of all his claims against the estate. Accordingly the theatre, the Council House, the Social Hall and the two woolen factories at Provo and St. George respectively were settled upon as the consideration for the steal which the heirs admit their dead dad guilty of. The heirs have decided to turn over this property because they consider it "dead horse," and Taylor accepted it because it is clear plunder, and is much more than he could possibly recover if he were to take his claim into court. Hence we sum the business up thus: Taylor is $361,000 ahead; the heirs have branded their own dead father as a thief, and are out of pocket $361,000.

## CAVEATED UNITED STATES BONDS.

For the information of the public, and especially the banking and commercial community, we produce the following list of United States bonds caveated upon the books of the United States treasury on the first instant, including their numbers, denominations and acts under which they were issued; the bonds being, of course, registered at the treasury:

ACT OF JANUARY 28, 1847.

$200 each—1620, 1710, 2132, 2270, 2271.
$300 each—1697, 1698, 1699.
$500 each—2987, 3085.
$1000 each—7422, 7598, 7599, 8430.
$5000 each—3044.

ACT OF FEBRUARY 8, 1861.

$1000 each—43, 44, 2749, 5221, 6125.
$5000 each—2280.

ACT OF JULY 17, 1861.

$100 each—30, 31, 752, 888, 6451.
$500 each—933, 1867, 3471, 4303.
$1000 each—2463, 6833, 6861, 8081, 8713, 9102, 11,429, 18114, 20341, 23282, 23670, 26541, 26542, 26543, 26544, 36901.
$5000 each—6195, 8438, 8761, 12673, 12674.
$10,000 each—11138, 11140, 11452, 12800, 18439, 18440.

ACT OF FEBRUARY 25, 1862.

$50 each—1177.
$100 each—1299, 1748, 1749, 1750, 1869, 1870, 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, 2787, 3441, 3442, 3443, 3547, 3549, 4627, 4931, 5021, 5168, 5169, 5170, 6029, 6030, 6662, 6663, 7527, 7528, 9500, 14113, 14114, 14201.
$590 each—375, 1273, 3460, 4323, 7636, 7747, 7921, 8051, 8430.
$1000 each—2122, 2633, 2634, 3308, 3309, 3310, 5893, 9023, 9024, 9025, 9026, 9027, 9028, 12110, 12111, 14243, 14727, 20320, 20321, 20322, 20323, 20324, 20325, 20326, 20327, 20377, 20378, 23029, 23030, 23031, 23429, 23430, 23431, 23559, 23560, 24150, 26490, 26491, 26492, 26493, 27666, 27780, 27781, 27782, 31339, 31340, 31341, 31342, 31360, 32721, 32832, 33192, 33324, 34814, 34815.
$5000 each—323, 1635, 3796, 8513, 9587, 10169.
$10,000 each—318, 10772, 10773, 10774, 12813, 12814, 12815.

ACT OF MARCH 3, 1863.

$50 each—99.
$100 each—3460.
$500 each—388, 389.
$1000 each—234, 235, 236, 3066, 9541, 9542, 9543, 9544, 10892, 10893, 10894, 10895, 10896, 10897.
$10 000 each—4605, 4606.

ACT OF MARCH 3, 1864—10-40's.

$50 each—960.
$100 each—1582, 1583, 1584, 1585, 7405, 8551, 8552, 8553, 8977, 8978.
$500 each—5834, 6669.
$1000 each—230, 1785, 13247, 13248, 16109, 22673.
$5000 each—6329.
$10,000 each—11658.

ACT OF JUNE 30, 1864.

$100 each—1502, 1503, 1504, 1663, 1664.
$500 each—709, 1154, 1699.
$1000 each—4143, 4144, 7813, 7814, 7815, 7816, 8801, 10450, 11042.
$5000 each—2275.

ACT OF MARCH 3, 1865, MAY AND NOVEMBER.

$100 each—389, 390, 2405, 2406, 4738.
$500 each—839, 871, 2998, 3719.
$1900 each—645, 646, 798, 2544, 3579, 3580, 7812, 7813, 13831, 13836, 13837.

ACT OF MARCH 3, 1865—JULY, 1865, CONSOLS.

$50 each—1211, 1212, 1241, 1242, 1243, 1244, 1245, 1246, 1624.
$100 each—946, 1008, 2383, 2384, 2385, 2619, 10900, 12229, 12230, 12231, 13266, 13767, 13768, 13769, 13774, 14256, 14288, 15324, 15325, 15326, 15327, 15692, 15693, 15694, 15989.
$500 each—1853, 1854, 1905, 1906, 1985, 2047, 2287, 3123, 5906, 6230, 6231, 7013, 7351, 8597, 8598, 8646, 9351, 9360, 9470, 9727.
$1000 each—1293, 3489, 6331, 10334, 11581, 14371, 14372, 15111, 16331, 16332, 16959, 16960, 17003, 17004, 17005, 18878, 18879, 18880, 19025, 20032, 20033, 22099, 22100, 22101, 22436, 22437, 22438, 22439, 22440, 22441, 22442, 22443, 22444, 22445, 22446, 22447, 22448, 22449, 22925, 22926, 22927, 24768, 24769, 24770, 24771, 27538, 28157, 28158, 31021, 31303, 31304.
$5000 each—461, 2340, 2667, 2668, 3907, 4987, 5645.
$10,000 each—3226, 3227.

ACT OF MARCH 3, 1865—1867, CONSOLS.

$50 each—58, 353, 929.
$100 each—3528, 4408, 4409, 4410, 4411, 5162, 5163, 5164, 5165, 5166, 5255, 5256, 5257, 6686, 6687, 6688, 6964, 6965, 7323, 7324, 11074, 11075, 11076, 11077, 11751, 11752, 11753, 11754, 14137, 14138, 14722, 14723, 15751, 16907, 16908, 16909, 16910.
$500 each—1115, 3180, 3436, 3515, 3964, 5162, 5347, 6255, 6256, 6257, 6258, 7102, 7388, 8255.
$1000 each—1767, 1768, 1769, 3357, 3358, 5959, 11103, 11104, 11105, 11624, 11646, 11647, 11648, 11649, 11650, 11651, 11653, 11654, 12208, 12211, 12214, 12215, 12506, 12507, 12508, 12689, 12690, 12691, 12696, 12697, 12698, 14316, 14317, 14318, 14319, 14320, 14321, 14322, 14323, 14324, 14325, 16413, 16637, 18434, 18435, 18937, 18938, 22558, 22559, 22560, 23830, 23831, 23832, 23833, 25086, 25087, 25088, 25089, 25090, 25091, 25092, 25093, 25094, 25095, 28265, 28266, 28267, 31788, 31994, 31995, 33463, 35643, 45644, 37605, 37606, 37607, 37698.
$5000 each—181, 182, 503, 874, 3620, 3623, 3625, 3847, 3848, 3849, 8606.
$10,000 each—2812.

ACT OF MARCH 3, 1865—1868, CONSOLS.

$500 each—98, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 573.
$1000 each—571, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1615, 1616, 2828, 4286, 4287.
$10 000 each—203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 225, 275, 276.

ACT OF JULY 14, 1870, 5 PER CENT FUNDED LOAN.

$100 each—792, 2715, 2716, 2717, 3257, 3258.
$500 each—1214, 1559, 1886, 2008.
$1000 each—871, 3248, 4710, 4711, 4712, 4713, 5045, 5046, 5047, 5048, 5965, 5966, 6786, 6787, 7105, 7129, 7212, 7213, 8115, 8431, 8432, 8708, 8709, 8812, 9558, 9559, 9667, 9668, 9808, 11372, 11373.
$10,000 each—18038, 18081.

ACT OF JULY 14, 1870, 4½ PER CENT FUNDED LOAN.

$50 each—144.
$500 each—680, 1570.
$1000 each—3976, 3977, 3978, 7444.

ACT OF JULY 14, 1870, 4 PER CENT FUNDED LOAN.

$50 each—1425, 1426.
$100 each—4765.
$1000 each—11940, 11941, 11942, 11943.

CENTRAL PACIFIC RAILROAD, 1868's.

$5000 each—310.

KANSAS PACIFIC RAILROAD, 1866's.

$1000 each—1906.

KANSAS PACIFIC RAILROAD, 1867's.

$5000 each—73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82.
$10,000 each—128, 549, 550, 551, 552.

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD, 1867's.

$1000 each—713, 1229, 1230.

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD, 1868's.

$1600 each—2098, 4522, 4523.
$5000 each—1465, 1823, 1824, 1825, 1826, 1827, 1828, 1829, 1830, 1831, 1832, 1833, 1834, 1835, 1836, 1837, 1838, 1839, 1840.
$10,000 each—1864.

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD, 1869's.

$5000 each—110, 111.

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD, (CENTRAL BRANCH), 1868's.

$1000 each—26, 27, 28.

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD, (EASTERN DIV.), 1868's.

$5000 each—38.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

**Notice—Neither the captain, owners nor** the undersigned agents of the British steamship COMMANDER, Ellis master, from Colon, will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of said vessel.

my9 3t DECAN & CO.

**Office of the Merchants' Mutual Insurance Company**, No. 104 Canal street, New Orleans, May 8, 1878—At the annual election of Directors, held at the office of this company on the first Monday in April last, the following gentleman were unanimously elected:

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| P. MASPERO, | EDWARD TOBY, |
| JOHN GEDDES, | D. FATJO, |
| P. FOURCHY, | M. W. SMITH, |
| J. J. FERNANDEZ, | D. A. CHAFFRAIX, |
| JOHN B. LALLANDE, | CHS. LAFITTE, |
| HY. BEEBE. | |

And at a meeting of the board held on the sixth instant, Mr. PAUL FOURCHY was re-elected President.

my9 1w G. W. NOTT, Secretary.

**Notice—All Natives of the State of Kentucky** residing in the city of New Orleans are requested to meet at Parlor P, St. Charles Hotel, at 8 o'clock p. m., SATURDAY, May 11, 1878, for the purpose of organizing a Kentucky Association. my8 4t

**Booths, Stands, Games, etc., for the Picnic** and Festival to be given on May 11 and 12 at the Fair Grounds by the First Regiment Infantry, Louisiana National Guard, for rent. For further particulars apply to EUG. MESTIER, corner Hospital and Chartres streets, between 12 m. and 1 p. m. and 6 to 7 p. m. daily. my7 3t*

**Special Notice.—All parties having** claims against the steamer BILLY COLLINS are notified to present the same to me within thirty days from date, at the office of E. Conery & Son, corner Canal and Delta streets.

MRS. M. A. WISE.
Per pro. M. Wise.

New Orleans, May 3, 1878. my3 10t

**The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders** of the Louisiana Cotton Tie Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 184 Gravier street, on MONDAY, thirteenth May, at 7 o'clock p. m. JAMES A. LAFITTE,

my2 td Secretary.

**State National Bank, New Orleans, April** 23, 1878.—A vote of the shareholders of the State National Bank will be taken at its banking office, Nos. 31 and 33 Camp street, on WEDNESDAY, May 22, 1878, between the hours of 12 m. and 3 p. m., upon the question of the reduction of the capital stock of the bank and the distribution of the surplus; and, also upon the question of authorizing the Board of Directors to convert the bank, under proper legislation, into a State bank under the laws of Louisiana.

By order of the Board of Directors.

ap24 1m CHAS. L. C. DUPUY, Cashier.

**Special Notice—Any and all parties having** claims against the Home Mutual Savings Bank in liquidation must present same within THIRTY DAYS, otherwise the assets will be distributed. JAMES M. DOWLING,
Liquidating Commissioner.

New Orleans, April 20, 1878. ap21 30t

## WANTS.

### SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

#### Cooks, Nurses, Chambermaids, Etc.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A WIDOW woman to do housework or take care of children. Has no objection to travel or make herself generally useful. Apply at 322 Clio street. my9 3t

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTable German girl to nurse; willing to travel. Address J. M., Democrat office. my9 3t

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG girl to cook and do housework; also, by a middle-aged woman, to nurse or to wash and iron; is willing to go to the country. Reference given if required. Apply at No. 295 Liberty street. my9 3t

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE GIRL A situation to do housework and take care of children. Address M. S., this office. my9 3t

WANTED—BY TWO RESPECTABLE young women a situation—one to cook, the other to nurse. Address J. and M., this office. my9 3t

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE GIRL A situation to do housework and take care of children. Address M. B., this office. my9 3t

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE WOMAN, a situation as cook. Good references given. Address L. T., this office. my9 3t

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE WOMAN and daughter, a situation to do cooking, housework and attend to children. No objection to travel. Address S. H., this office. my8 3t

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG girl, a situation to do light housework or nurse; would be willing to travel. Good reference can be given. Address M. M., Democrat office. my8 3t

WANTED—A SITUATION, BY A RESPECTable girl, to do housework or nurse. Apply at 68 Calliope street. my7 3t

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG girl, a situation to do housework or nurse; also, by a middle-aged woman, a situation to wash and iron or nurse. Good reference can be given. Has no objection to going in the country. Address J. M. C., this office. my7 3t

WANTED—BY A COLORED WOMAN, A situation as cook and to assist in housework. Good references given. Apply at 388 Melpomene street. my7 3t

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE WOMAN and daughter, a situation to nurse in a respectable family and do light housework and plain sewing. Address S. M. C., this office. my7 3t

### HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

#### Chambermaids, Cooks, Nurses, etc.

WANTED—A YOUNG OR MIDDLE-AGED woman who desires a permanent home can find one, if not afraid to work, by addressing J. J. J., this office. my7 3t*

WANTED—AT NO. 248 FELICITY STREET, a first class cook; also, a superior laundress and house servant—the two women to do the work of the family. Must be honest, reliable and capable, and willing to work for their money. Two good women may secure good and permanent situations by applying at once. my4 1w

### MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—A RESPECTABLE AND RELIABLE lady wishes to take charge of a family dwelling for the summer months. Best of references given. Apply at No. 109½ Thalia street. my9 3t

WANTED—TO RENT, A SMALL HOUSE, situated between Bacchus, Annunciation, Felicity and Erato streets. Rent not to exceed $15 per month; payments prompt. Address C. R., Democrat office. my9 4t

WANTED—BY A SOBER AND INDUSTRIOUS young man, a situation as coachman, or to drive a grocery wagon or work about the house. Reference given if required. Address C. F., Democrat office. my9 3t

WANTED—BY A BOY FIFTEEN YEARS of age, a situation to take care of an office, or any place where he can make himself useful. Address J. W., Democrat office. my9 3t

WANTED—BY A BOY THIRTEEN YEARS of age, a situation to do any kind of work. Address J. R., Democrat office. my9 3t

WANTED—THREE YOUNG AND COMPETENT horse-shoers, to shoe on the Goodenough system, without fire or injury to the feet of the animal. Good character will be required of applicants. Wages good and employment permanent. Address Postoffice box 2268. my8 3t

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN, A SITUATION of any kind. Speaks and writes English, French and German; has fine penmanship; quick at figures. Salary no object. Address L. F., lock box 419. my7 3t

WANTED—BY A BOY FOURTEEN YEARS of age, a situation in an office or to make himself useful at anything. Address J. O., this office. my7 3t

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT ON THE SEA COAST—SEVERAL small houses suitable for small families. Also the hotel known as the White House can be rented for a boarding house, or such number of rooms that will suit large or small families wishing to furnish themselves, with wharf and bathing accommodations. Terms moderate. For further particulars address L. POST, East Pascagoula, Miss. my5 5t*

FOR RENT—THE TWO-STORY FRAME house No. 191½ Erato street, between St. Charles and Carondelet; and store No. 83 St. Charles street, under Masonic Hall. Apply to GEO. McCLOSKEY, 83 St. Charles street. my4 1w

SUMMER RESIDENCE TO LET.—

Mme. A. Caillier offers to rent, at a reduced price, an elegant summer residence, situated in Mandeville, with furniture. It is an agreeable location. For further information apply to

MME. A. CAILLIER,

my7 SuTuTh 1m No. 129 Chartres street.

ROOMS FOR RENT—TWO NEATLY FURnished rooms—parlor and bedroom—second story, with gallery front and rear. Large closets in each room, and bath room convenient. Location central, in the First District, and on the shady side of the street. Will be rented with or without board to a gentleman and wife or to two single gentlemen. No other boarders or roomers in the house. Address ROOMS, Democrat office. my2 tf

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—THE COFFEE-HOUSE BY THE name of Philharmonia Hall, situated on Patterson, between Olivier and Verret streets, Algiers. Apply at the above place. my7 3t*

FOR SALE—TWO SQUARES OF FINE, high land in the Third District, fronting on Dauphine street city car, between Andry and Flood streets, having a great quantity of orange trees, and fruit trees of all kind, will be sold very cheap by applying to A. SAULET, No. 46 Decatur street. my2 7t

FOR SALE CHEAP—THE STAR RICE MILL complete and in good running order, ready for immediate use. For particulars apply to M. SCHWARTZ & BRO.,

fe19 tf 149 to 169 Magazine street.

## COPARTNERSHIPS.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP—THE copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of A. W. MOFFETT & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

A. W. Moffett continues the business in his own name and for his own account at the old stand, on the levee, foot of Crossman street, one square below Canal street.

A. W. MOFFETT.
H. C. GAUSE.
G. W. MOFFETT.

New Orleans, May 1, 1878. my5 10t

MR. PETER BUHLER HAS THIS DAY withdrawn from the firm of HUSSMANN & CO.

The business will be continued as heretofore by the undersigned.

H. H. HUSSMANN.
JOHN ENGELBRECHT.
WILLIAM APKEN.

New Orleans, May 1, 1878. my3 1w

RETIRING FROM THE IMPORTING AND general liquor business, I leave the continuation of the same at the old stand, 69 Decatur street, to Messrs. U. Bassetti and A. Xiques.

Thankful for favors and patronage bestowed upon me by the trade and specially by my clients, I beg the continuation for my successors, who, I am certain, will do their best to be worthy of it. Messrs. Bassetti & Xiques will attend to the liquidation of the old firm and the collection of past accounts. U. MARINONI.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INFORM his friends and customers that having this day associated himself with Mr. A. XIQUES he will transfer his business from Nos. 70 and 72 Peters street to No. 69 Decatur street, under the style of BASSETTI & XIQUES, successors to U. Marinoni.

His debtors are, therefore, respectfully requested to settle their accounts with the new firm. U. BASSETTI.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING FORMED A copartnership under the style of BASSETTI & XIQUES as successors to U. Marinoni to carry on the business of importation at No. 69 Decatur street, respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage heretofore bestowed on the late firms of U. Marinoni and U. Bassetti.

U. BASSETTI.
A. XIQUES.

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## AMUSEMENTS.

ATTRACTIVE ENTERTAINMENT

FOR TRINITY CHURCH.

May Ninth and Tenth,

AT EXPOSITION HALL.

The entertainment opens with three scenes in one grand tableaux.

1. TITANIA—WITH FANCY DANCES AT HER COURT.
2. THE FLORAL BOWER.
3. GRAND RECEPTION OF THE QUEEN OF BUTTERFLIES.

The guests are then invited to visit the Amsterdam Museum and Art Gallery, with other attractions in the refreshment room.

Doors open at 6:30—Entertainment begins at 7:30.

ADMISSION TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.

**Committees.**

W. FLASH, Chairman;

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| J. J. Irby, | H. F. Ogden, |
| G. W. Race, | G. R. Preston, |
| G. S. Kausler, | W. G. Wheeler, |
| W. Hartwell, | J. A. Blanc, |
| W. McWright, | T. F. Walker, |
| John Chaffe. | |

FRANK KENNEDY, Chairman;

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