

LOVE ON THE CARPET FOR ME

They may talk of love in a cottage,
And bowers of trellised vine—
Of nature bewitchingly simply.

But give me a sly flirtation
By the light of a chandelier—
With music to play in the pauses,

Your love in a cottage is hungry,
Your vine is a net for flies—
Your milkmaid shocks the Graces,

True love is at home on a carpet,
And mightily likes his case—
And true love has an eye for a dinner,

Oh, the summer night
Has a sun of light
And she sits on a sapphire throne,

But the autumn night
Has a piercing sight,
And a step both strong and free;

And the wintry night
Is cold and white,
And he sings a song of pain,

It is the night, the night!
'Tis a beautiful sight,
Whatever the time or time;

When this old hat was new,
Before this hat was made,
King George was on his throne,

When this old hat was new,
The sons of that base crowd
Revised the cry of "Lovely,"

When this old hat was new,
There was no pub to drink,
No greenbacks took the place of gold;

When this old hat was new,
This land was in its prime;
Miscegenation was unthought,

When this old hat was new,
The poor white man was free,
And every year a brand new boy

When this old hat was new,
Gold dollars did abound,
And not a stamp in all the land

Where all the birds that sang
A hundred years ago?
The flowers that in beauty sprang

Where, oh! where are lips and eyes,
The maiden's smiles, the lover's sighs,
That lived so long ago?

Who peopled all the city streets
A hundred years ago?
Who filled the church with faces meek

Where are the graves where dead men slept
A hundred years ago?
Who were they that living wept

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SCHEDULE OF STAMP DUTIES,

ON AND AFTER MARCH 1, 1867.

Stamp Duty.

Accidental injuries to persons, tickets,
or contracts for insurance against, exempt.

For every sheet of paper upon which
either of the same shall be written,
Agreement, renewal of, same stamp

Assignment of mortgage, same stamp
as required upon a mortgage for the
amount remaining unpaid. (See

Bank check, draft, or order for any
sum of money drawn upon any bank,
banker, or trust company at sight

Bill of exchange, inland, or order for
the payment of any sum of money not
exceeding \$100, or fractional part

Bill of lading, domestic inland, or order
for the payment of any sum of money
not exceeding \$100, or fractional part

Bill of lading, foreign, or order for the
payment of any sum of money not
exceeding \$100, or fractional part

Bill of sale by which any ship or vessel,
or any part thereof shall be conveyed
to or vested in any other person

When the consideration shall not exceed
\$500, or fractional part thereof,
Exceeding \$500, and not exceeding

Exceeding \$1000, and not exceeding
\$1000, or fractional part thereof,
Exceeding \$1000, for every additional

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Credit, letter of. Same as foreign bill

of exchange.

Customhouse entry. (See Entry.)

Deed. Same as inland bill of exchange.

Endorsement of any negotiable instrument.

Entirety of any goods, wares, or merchandise.

Penalties.

A penalty of fifty dollars is imposed upon

every person who makes, signs, or issues,
or who causes to be made, signed, or
issued, any paper of any kind or description

A penalty of two hundred dollars is imposed
upon every person who pays, negotiates,
or offers in payment, or receives or takes

A penalty of fifty dollars is imposed upon
every person who fraudulently makes,
signs, or issues, or who causes to be made,

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upon any of the matters or things
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PUBLIC SALE.

Estate of Eugene P. Fite, deceased, in community

with his wife, her surviving husband,
BY VIRTUE of an order of the Hon.
the 8th Judicial District Court of the State

Thursday, February 20, 1868,
the following described property belonging
to the Estate of Eugene P. Fite, deceased,

A certain Lot or Tract of Land,
situated on the confines of Bayou Choctaw,

Another Lot or Tract of Land
situated in the same vicinity and described

About seven hundred head of
stock cattle, ranging principally in the parish

About five hundred and fifty
head of stock cattle in Calcasieu Parish,

Five horses, eight mares, two
wild horses, a pair of work oxen, an ox,

General Remarks.
Revenue stamps may be used indiscriminately

Resolut. on Relative to the Parish Jail.

BY VIRTUE of an order of the Hon.
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PUBLIC SALE.

Estate of Maxile Leblanc, deceased, in community

with his wife, her surviving husband,
BY VIRTUE of an order of the Hon.
the 8th Judicial District Court of the State

Wednesday, March 10th,
the following described property belonging
to the Estate of Maxile Leblanc, deceased,

A certain Tract of Woodland,
situated on the Bayou Choctaw,

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