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AS DESCRIBED IN HIS OWN WORDS TO ANTHONY SHERMAN.

A Prophetic Panoramic Exhibition With a Seven-Words Lecture by a Comely Feminine Spook-Said to Have Been First Print-

Pacific Commercial Advertiser.

The subjoined most remarkable production was published in the Polynesian newspaper of this place on the 11th of January, 1862. The article came here from the United States. It was most likely printed the ocean; here they remained stain the fall or winter of 1861, when the issue between the North and South in the United States was America in darkness. Lightning pretty close. Very few will fail to flashed through the dark clouds read closely and think upon this and I heard the groaning and

WASHINGTON'S VISION.

The following narrative was related by Anthony Sherman, an octogenarian, who heard the account and sunk into the sea. For the from Washington's own lips:

The darkest period of our Revolution was the year 1777, when Washington, after experiencing many reverses, went into winter quarters at Valley Forge. Often I to the Pacific Ocean. Again I observed tears course down the heard the mysterous voice. 'Son of cheeks of the beloved commander when he was considering the sufferings of his brave soldiers. Washof adversity.

One day Washington spent the whole afternoon in his room alone. When he came out I observed he was much paler than usual, when he related to me the following:

ly opposite to me a most beautiful 'Remember you are brothers.' female. I was so much surprised, repeated the question without re- behold and learn.' celving an answer, the only effect being that she raised her eyes a

rious sensation spread over my from the Atlantic to the Pacific while body. I wished to rise from Ocean, and the nation had multimy seat, but the steady gaze of my plied in as countless numbers as mysterious visitor kept me spell- the stars in heaven or the sands on bound. I again tried to speak to the seashore. Again I heard the oher, but my tongue was tied. An unknown, mysterious, irrestible power had taken me prisoner. I could do nothing else but gaze at the apparition. Gradually the pet to his mouth, blew it three room filled with light and the form grew more clear and bright. My feelings were those of a dying man; Europe, Asia and America. I could neither think nor act. My steady gaze at the figure was all that I was aware of.

rope, Asia, Africa and America. when again I heard the mysterous

Between Europe and America I saw the waves of the Atlantic ocean toss backward and forward and between America and Asia the waves of the Pacific ocean Again I heard the voice 'Son of the

Republic, behold and learn.'

"Immediately a dark form like ed About Thirty-Seven Years that of an angel appeared over the ocean between Europe and America. It then dipped water from the ocean with both hands, and with its right hand sprinkled it over America, and with its left hand over Europe. Immediately dark douds arose from both these countries, which mot in the middle of tionary for a short while, then moved westward, and wrapped shricking of the American people

"Again the angel dipped water from the ocean and sprinkled it as before. The black clouds withdraw third time I heard the voice 'Son of the Republic, behold and learn. "I looked towards America and saw populous villages and cities spread out from the Atlantic coast Republic, behold and learn.'

"The dark form of the angel then turned toward the south, and, comington was in the habit of praying ing from Africa, I observed a horin secret and calling upon God for rible phantom make its way to our assistance; and it was only by the country. It floated slow and heavhelp of God we passed those days ily over our town, and the country; the inhabitants rose to make war on each other, and formed in battle array. As I looked at this scene l observed an angel surrounded with light, on his head he wore a beautiful crown, on which was inscribed "Whilst I was sitting t my ta- the word 'Union,' in his hand he ble this afternoon engaged in writ- held the American Star Spangled dangers will come over this Repubing, and my mind was heavy with banner; this he planted between sorrow, I suddenly observed direct- the contending armies, crying out,

"Immediately the nations threw for I had given strict orders not to away their arms, became friends be disturbed, that I could not find again and gathered round the Star words at the moment to inquire Spangled Banner. Again I heard the object of this unexpected visit. the mysterious voice, 'Son of the Two, three and even four times I Republic, the second danger is past;

"And I saw villages and cities steadily increase in size and number until the whole country was cov-"I now experienced a most cu- ered with them, the whole extent, voice, Son of the Republic, the end of a century is at hand; behold and

> "The dark angel then put a trumtimes, than dipped out some water from the sea and sprinkled it over

"My eyes now beheld a most terrible scene. From each of these countries dark, heavy clouds arose "I now heard a voice which said: and united in one mass: through 'Son of the republic, behold and this mass dark red lights played, I learn.' At the same time the figure saw troops of men marching, and stretched out its arm and pointed then sailed across the sea, how these with the finger toward the east. immense armies desolated the land, splendid qualities are everywhere Light clouds arose in the distance, and laid towns and villages in which dispersed and revealed to ashes. I heard the roar of cannon, my eyes a most astonishing pic- the clashing of swords, the cry of ture. Before me all the countries the victorious and vanquished milof the earth were spread out-Eu- lions engaged in deadly strife-

public, behold and learn.'

"The dark angel then again took up the trumpet and gave one long and terrible blow. Suddenly a light broke forth and drove away the dark cloud hovering over America. At the same time I saw the angel with the beautiful crown, on which was inscribed the word Union' descend from heaven, holding in one hand the Star Spangled Banner and in the other a sword, and accompanied by legions of heavenly spirits. These united with the American people, when the latter were almost overpowered, who then took fresh courage and formed in battle array. Again, amid the horrible noise of war, I heard the mysterious voice: Son of the Republic, behold and

"After this voice the dark angel dipped out water for the last time from the sea and sprinkled it over America, and immediately the dark cloud retreated with its armies, which it had brought along, leaving the victory to the Americans. then again saw towns and villages rise in the same places where they had stood before, while the heavenly angel planted the Star Spangled Banner among the people and cried out with a loud voice 'As long as the stars are in heaven, and as long as the dew decends from heaven to earth so long shall this Republic exist.' At the same time she took the beautiful crown from his head, on which was inscribed the word 'Union,' placed lt on the Star Spangled Banner and the people kneeling down cried

"The apparition then gradually ham!" began to dissolve, and at last the mysterious female was all that remained before me in my room, and again I heard the voice: 'Son of the Republic, what you have seen is explained as follows: Three the whole world cannot conquer her. Let every child of the Republic learn to serve his God, his country and the Union.'

With these words the form van- Houston, Texas.

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Why She Wanted Her Husband Liberated From Prison.

Gov. Taylor, of Tennessee, tells of an interesting interview with a pardon seeking woman. He had fied to his summer home to escape the crowds of pardon seekers, when the woman who had sought him in vain at the Capitol was ushered into his presence.

"Well, madame, what can I do

"I want to see the Governor, sir." "Well. I'm the Governor; what

"Ah, sir, my man he's been put n prison, sir, and I want to ask if you won't let him out."

The Governor's face hardened He had not, after all, escaped the pardon seekers. But he did not turn her away.

"What was he sent up for?" he

"You, see, sir, he was hungry, and he just stole a ham to keep us

"Well, I'm sorry, but I can't do nything for you. Your man must serve his sentence. There's too much stealing going on."

"Oh, Gov'nor, please let him out," pleaded the woman, the tears flow ing down her cheeks. The tears had their effect. The Governor softened. Stealing a ham was not such a very terrible crime, and this poor woman no doubt needed her husband. He decided to question

"But why," he asked, "should I give your man his freedom?"

"Because, sir, we are hungry again, and we ain't got no more

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Police Jury Proceedings.

Opelousas, La., July 14, 1898. The Police Jury met pursuant to ad ournment.

Prosent: E. H. McGee, President; Messrs. Prescott, Fontenot, Durio, Chschere, Guidry, Quebedeau, Hass, Saizan, Manuel, R. Laffeur and Clopton. On motion of Mr. R. Lafleur-

The police jury adjourned until 2:30 o'elock p. m. EVENING SESSION.

The Police Jury met at 2:30 o'clock Present: E. H. McGee, President Messrs. Prescott, Fontenot, Quebedeau Hass, Manuel, R. Lafleur, Clopton, Chachere, Durio, Guidry, Salzan.

On motion of Mr. Manuel-Resolved. That the Tax-Collector and is hereby authorized to reimburs to Francois C. Aguillard, the sum of \$5.20, amount collected through double

sessment for year 1897. On motion of Mr. R. Lafleur The police jury resolved itself into pard of reviewers.

On motion of Mr. Durio Resolved, That the Peoples State On motion of Mr. R. Lafleur-

The board of reviewers adjourned un

The board of reviewers met at 9:30 o'clock a. m. Present: E. H. McGee, President; Messrs, Prescott, Durio, Chachere, Guidry, Quebedeau, Haas, Saizan, Manuel R. Lafleur, Clopton. On motion of Mr. Manuel-

olved, That the assessment of Mrs. Wm. Delean be increased from twelve hundred dollars to fifteen hundred dollars. On motion of Mr. Manuel-

l over to the assessor.

Resolved, That the assessment o Damonville Fusilier be increased from two head of cattle to fifteen head. On motion of Mr. R. Lafleur-Daly seconded and carried, the asse ment lists having been reviewed and approved as submitted, they were turned climatic..

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On motion of Mr. R. Lafleur-The board of reviewers resolved itself nto regular session of police jury. On motion of Mr. Hans-

Resolved, That the report of committee appointed to let out contract for building bridge across bayon Cocodrie, be received and accepted, committee discharged and the sum of \$65.00 ordered credited to Chas. Dossmann, out of the nternal improvement funds of the 6th

ward. On motion of Mr. R. Lafleur-The police jury resolved itself into a committee of the whole to examine into

and approve claims. Dr. Clopton in the chair. Dr O P Daly, inquest and autopsy fees from May 19 to July 12, 1898, \$30 00 H D Littell, fixing court house bell.

bell.
Marius Smith, sharpening spades and shovels, 2 ward.

J B Clay, spades and shovels, 2nd

mileage, &c.
Green W Spears, amount paid
through double assessment...
J A Spears, amount paid through
double assessment
L D Spears, amount paid through
double assessment...

On motion of Mr. Quebeden The committee on claims resolved itself into regular session of police jury.

Mr. McGee in the chair. The committee on claims reported through their chairman, Dr. Clopton, that they had examined and found correct the bills as above detailed. On motion of Mr. Quebedeau-

The report of the committee on claims vas accepted and committee discharged. On motion of Mr. Durio-David Aville was ordered pla

he indigent list. On motion of Dr. Clopton Resolved, That the Tax-Collector be

and is hereby authorized to refund to T. A. Hicks amount of taxes collected 1897 on 100 acres of high woodland which is in excess of land owned by him. On motion of Mr. R. Lafle

Resolved, That the Board of Alder-man of the town of Opelousas, be remested to prohibit the riding, driving or hitching of horses upon the court nouse square in said town.

On motion of Mr. R. Lafleur-Whereas, Mr. T. B. Brooks, justice of the peace of the first ward of this parsh, is, and for some time past, has been absent from the parish and by reason o his absence he has neglected his official duties as magistrate; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the salary of said T R. Brooks, be discontinued from July 1 turned to his ward and resumed active ly to discharge the duties of his office.

On motion of Mr. Prescott-The following ordinance was duly read and adopted:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of Re it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of St. Landry in regular meeting convened, That the owner of any animal that may die of Charbon or Glanders in this parish, shall cause the carcass of such animal or animals to be thoroughly cremated, and whoever shall knowingly violate the provisions of this ordinance shall upon conviction be fined in a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisoned not exceeding three months, or both, at the discretion of the court; said fine or penalty to be recovered by Indictment or information in a court of competent jurisdiction.

E. H. MCGEE, President.

jurisdiction.

E. H. McGEE, President.

Attest: J. J. Healey, Clerk.
On motion of Mr. R. Lafleur—
The minutes were read and adopted.
On motion of Mr. R. Lafleur—
The police jury adjourned until the first Monday in October, being the 3rd day of said month.

E. H. McGEE, President.

J. J. HEALEY, Clerk.

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