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NOTICE

To Assessors of State Taxes.

☞ The ASSESSMENT ROLLS are now ready for delivery at the office of this paper.

Acts of 1850.

The Acts passed at the last session of the Legislature are now ready for delivery. Persons entitled to a copy, viz: 1 to members of the Senate and House, or Judges, Clerks, Recorders, Sheriffs and Justices of the peace, will please call at the office of the Bee, where they alone can obtain and receipt for them.

☞ The public is also informed that the State Printer has been authorized by the Secretary of State to sell, for account of the State Library, additional copies of the Acts, at the price of one dollar for each copy. jel-1m

FURTHER FROM CALIFORNIA.

Details of the Losses by the Fire.

We are enabled, through the kindness of a friend, to furnish some additional particulars of the terrible conflagration which devastated San Francisco on the 4th inst. The entire amount of loss will probably never be accurately ascertained. The *Pacific News* of the 6th says that up to that time, with the most diligent exertions, they have been unable to obtain anything like all the names of those who have thus suddenly found themselves without houses, goods, and in some instances, wearing apparel. But a tolerably correct idea of the immense amount of loss may be formed from the perusal of the annexed list, which, imperfect as it is, swells the aggregate to nearly $2,000,000:

R. J. Reynolds, general merchant, $50,000. Aldrich & McCullough, billiard and drinking saloon, $6,000. J. P. Reynolds & Co., general merchants, $35,000. Cooper & Co., $15,000. R. E. Byers, clothing and fancy store, $30,000. Dow & Co., auctioneers, $5,000. Jackson & Shirley, paints, oils, &c., $25,000. Morgan & Co., Parker House, $50,000. Mills & Co., Phenix Exchange, $20,000. De Bom & Co., United States, $20,000. Bookkeeper, Eagle, Empire House, $10,000. Knowles & Co., jewellers, $1500. Wethered & Bowie, on Kearney and Clay, including the Delmonico, Lessard and other buildings, $100,000. Wright & Cooke & Co., book and periodical store, $2,000. Kiehl & McKarthe, $15,000. Ambrose & Kendall, tenants of Sutter Restaurant, $7,000. Schumacher, owner of the Sutter building, $5,000. E. Webber, Universe Restaurant and Confectionery, $10,000. Mrs. Seely, $3,000. R. D. Heart, loss unknown. Earle & Co., $400. Simon & Co., $1,000. Kelsey, Seely & Kelsy, boot and shoe store, $8,000. Palmer, Cook & Co., Wright Hall, Verandah, Colonnade, Washington Hall, &c., with other buildings in Clay street $150,000. Brothers, McCalle & Johnson, El Dorado, $11,000.

WASHINGTON STREET—Earl, McIntosh & Co., dealers in provisions, 12,000. Schoss & Co., 7,000. Devotion, $7,000. Bodenham & Schiff, clothing, &c., 11,000. Hastings & Co., brass work, $2,000. Gold & Thomas, leather and product store, 1,200. Harcelous, 10,000. Neal & Smiley, dealers in hardware, 20,000. — Rooney & Co., St Charles Hotel, 16,000. — Hall, Phenix House, 10,000. Ross & Co., Belle Union, 60,000. Alta California, newspaper establishment, loss unknown, probably not less than 15,000. California Restaurant, 5,000.—From the point to Dupont street, names of sufferers not known. The loss of property must exceed 10,000. Clinton & Co., livery stable, 10,000. Simon Bros., on Washington street Pier, 60,000. Minerva Reserve, conference of Negro Restaurant, 11,000. W. B. Savelan, 2,500. M. Sexton, 3,000.—Kenney & Co., 6,000. J. & J. Rosenbaum, Gold Republican & Schuler, 6,000. J. McEowan, 2,000. A. H. Lewis & Co., 3,000. Lyons & Co., Fleet. J. Jacobs & Co., 1,000.—Jacobs & Bros., 2,000. King & Co., 800.—Rowing & Lusk, 5,000. Mygatt, Bryant & Co., hardware establishment, 27,000. Mr. Lynn, variety store, 30,000. S. B. Emerson, 2,000.—Dodge & Gibbs, merchants, 10,000—building owned by E. E. Dunbar, 4,000. No loss to Phenix Bank, Transatlantic, 2,000. Page, 2,000. Emery, 1,500. Wade, 1,000. H. Gaylord, 2,000. Medina, Harteg & Co., merchants, 5 to 10,000. Drs Bartone & Bartone, B. D. Ayres, Moore of the firm of Moore, Foster & Hill, 40,000—loss of the firm but small. A. S. Tobias, 8 to 10,000. Mr. Gunter, National Theatre, 60,000. J. Higgins, proprietor of the dining department of the Haley House, loss unknown. Mr. Ross, bookkeeper of Mr. H., lost a large amount by the burning of property on Kearny street.

MONTGOMERY STREET.—Wm. Cornell Jewett, auctioneer and commission, $5,000. Benet & Halloran, merchants, 20,000. H. M. Nagles, bank-r, 10,000. Ward & Co., commission merchants, $8,000. In Ward's Court were some sixteen offices, occupied by various persons, valued at about $600, besides the losses of the individuals themselves. Wells & Gower, auction and commission merchants, 20,000. Hunter & Panton, druggists, 20,000. LeRoy, 50,000. Many persons having offices in the building owned by this gentleman suffered, to what extent we have not been able to learn. Hurlin & Belcher, 12,000. Merchant's Exchange, 12,000. Henriques & Eichbaum, 1,000.

CLAY STREET.—Hawks, Parker and & Co. 10,000. Kirk & Tilden, commission merchants, 2,000. Middleton & Berry, auctioneers and commission merchants, 20,000. Vandike and Boden, auctioneers and commission merchants, 20,000. Starr & True, restaurant proprietors, 30,000. C. Eleard drinking saloon, 5000.—J. H. Riddle & Co., auctioneer and commission 20,000. Rickus, Mullaby & Harmon, auctioneers and commission, 20,000. Pollard & Auction and commission, 15,000. De Broom & Co., merchants, 10,000. Brock, 1500. A. Housman dry goods, 5,000. Brack & Co., Osborne's furniture store, Cross, Hobson & Co's boarding, Bertrand, fancy goods, Journal of Commerce office, loss not known. On this street were numerous law offices, containing numerous extensive and valuable libraries. We are not aware to what extent of property of this kind was destroyed.

JACKSON STREET.—F. Fierro & Co., 6000. Fenton, 1200. Leguelle & Borden, variety store, 50,000. There are quite a number of other losses by the fire, but we have not succeeded in finding out the parties.

DUPONT STREET.—B. Kessing, proprietor of Albion Hotel, $12,000—this building, as also several on this street, were torn down to stay the further progress of the fire. Mr. Expert, $3000. Zumir, 2,500. Hall, four buildings, 10,000. Correa, two houses, 12,000. Dondero, 6,000. The lessee of the Dupont Hotel, about $2,000.

The above, says the *news*, is by no means a full record of those who have reason to remember Saturday last as a day of gloom and disaster. Not less than from two hundred to two hundred and fifty houses were burnt, and as we heard remarked, more property destroyed than could be in any city in the world within an equal space.

We added yesterday to the rapidity with which the enterprising and indomitable Californians had commenced the labor of rebuilding the burnt district. Speaking of this subject the Year of the 7th says: "Among those who seemed to be leading off in the race of improvement, we especially noticed the enterprise of J. B. Hill, Esq., on the lot formerly occupied by the Parker House, on Portsmouth Square.—This gentleman had nearly completed a most commodious saloon, which was to have been opened to the public on the evening of the day after it was destroyed it. Yesterday he had the foundation laid, on the same ground, of a building to extend back 135 feet, by 75 feet front, to contain rooms, which is to be three stories high, one part of which is to be finished in twenty days, and the whole to be completed in a month. B. F. Davers & Co., formerly next to the Empire, have leased the land, and last on the south, building well under way. On Commercial street, below Kearney, Neall & Washburn, M. Warren & Co., J. S. Moore & Smiley, Baltimore Restaurant, are all in the building business. Backus & Harrison, on Washington, near Montgomery, Chinese Restaurant, near Montgomery; Gray, on Jackson street, near Kearny; Union, on Washington, opposite Cooper & Co., Kearney street, and J. Miller, on Jackson, between Kearney and Dupont streets, were all busily going ahead, will have their places of business open in a few days."

RESTITUTIONS AND ADDITIONS.—B. F. Davers, Kearney street, should have been B. F. Davers & Co. Their correct loss is $81,000 in their own goods, and $9,000 on consignment. The house had ordered an insurance in New Orleans on a part of their stock, but do not know whether it has been effected.

Office of the Empire House corrected, $60,000. Ward's Court, $60,000.

Hitner, on Washington street, instead of $7, lost $7000.

Page, Washington Arcade, $8,000. Raymond & Letter, restaurant, Washington st., $3,500. Cretcher & Strowe, Ohio, house, Jackson street, $3,000. Denny & Calvin, Painters, Washington street, about $7,000.

On the 13th ult., a fleet of over thirty vessels entered the harbor of San Francisco, bringing large cargoes, and from 600 to 800 passengers.

REMARKABLE PASSAGE.—The ship Sam Russell, arrived at San Francisco on the 13th in 109 days from New York, by way of Cape Horn. This is the quickest passage on record.

A Board of Health has been established at San Francisco, the Mayor of the city being President of the Board. Arrangements have been made to procure a suitable building for a Marine Hospital.

The *Pacific News* states that nearly four hundred souls are possibly suffering all the horrors of starvation, upon the bleak shores of Lower California, and invokes the sympathies of the community in their behalf.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.—The Stockton *Times* announces the discovery of another batch of lumps near Sonora,—one weighing ten pounds and eleven ounces, another four pounds and seven ounces. The *placer* at Columbia city, five miles from Sonora, is said to be not less than three miles square. It is of extraordinary depth; one large hole has been dug to the depth of sixty-two feet through red soil of a volcanic nature, without reaching the quartz, and gold has been found in more or less quantities the entire distance from four feet below the surface.

SONORA.—SMUGGLING.—The public is not generally aware of the extent to which smuggling is carried on by the Mexicans who are continually arriving at this town. The principal articles smuggled are serapas, blankets, &c. We hope that this matter will be taken notice of by the proper authorities.

MURDER MOST FOUL.—This morning (7th) murder was committed in the town of Sonora, by a Mexican. Two men and a woman had been living together for some time in a tent, but on Wednesday last, incited by a jealous feeling, one of the men shot the other through the heart. The brute then attacked the woman, and so seriously injured her that her life is despaired of. The murderer has been apprehended.

The intelligence from the Sandwich Islands is to the 13th April. The principal news of interest is composed in the King's speech, made to the Legislature at the opening of its session on the 10th. The Islands are at peace with all nations. The difficulties with the French Government are in a fair way of settlement. Business at Honolulu is brisk. In the matter of house building the town presents an unusually lively scene; this branch of business having at no time heretofore been carried on to such an extent.

Accounts from all the Islands represent the growing crops as promising, and far more extensive than at any season previous. At the present time the kingdom has been drained of its home productions.

HAIL STORM ON KAUAI.—Quite a severe hail storm occurred on the leeward side of Kauai, on the 13th March, extending from the valley of Lawai, near Koloa, to Waimea, a distance of 12 miles. The hail stones were very large, many of the size of a pigeon's egg, and in some places, particularly in Waimea, the ground was whitened by the hail.

This is the first time that hail has been seen on the leeward side of that Island since the residence of foreigners there, a period of about 30 years, and seems to have excited no little wonder among the natives. One woman, rather more curious than the rest, actually got enough to fill her calabash, and carefully putting it aside to preserve the hail stones, hastened off to Koloa, several miles distant, to inquire of the foreign residents what they could be.

The Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13th, 1850.

Since the great fire of the 4th inst., a want of confidence has been exhibited in almost every branch of business. Up to the present time the transactions have been very small. Nothing of consequence has transpired, and no change is to be expected in the stock of merchandise on hand. That portion of the city given up by the fire, and occupied by large numbers of the most flourishing mercantile houses, is now covered with new buildings, in many of which the operations and daily routine of business go on, as was the case previous to the 4th inst. The trade in the mining districts and in the numerous thriving towns in the interior of the country is so rapidly increasing. The improvement in this branch of our commerce begins a marked change, as also do our intercourses with Oregon, the Islands and the lower coast.—The clearances at the custom-house, and the arrivals from these places, show a great and decided improvement.

Real estate, instead of depreciating in value by the recent calamity, has shown a directly opposite course. Underbuyers of a large portion which the fire reached, have been asking higher rent, in almost every instance, and sales by auction confirm our statement. The sales of real estate during the past week have been well attended, and a disposition manifested in favor of the landed interests of San Francisco. We notice a desire to purchase more on the outskirts of the town; the motive for this course are various. Some contemplate a still greater increase in prices, while others prefer three portions for private residences.

The demand for flour and breadstuffs, which we noticed in our report of the 1st instant, seems to be slightly declining. The daily arrivals are such as to effect prices.

The extent of sales has not been decreased; but the quantity and character are small. Chilian is constantly offered at our quotations.

The change we have to notice is in the price and in the quantity changing hands.

Lumber, the next in importance, had quite a rise during the early part of the last week, in consequence of the demand to build after the fire, but the arrivals from the United States and from other parts of the world have been so numerous and the quantity so large that the prices quoted on Monday and Tuesday were much higher than the present rates. On the 6th instant there arrived in the harbor sufficient lumber to rebuild a town nearly half as large as San Francisco. Cargoes have been offered at $40. We learn of large quantities selling on board at $35, to be delivered at Sacramento. Scantling is scarce and high.

We have very little change to note in provisions. Prices are about as last reported.—A fair demand for groceries has existed during the past week. The sales of coffee and sugar are not large, and there is an evident disposition not to buy at present high prices. In brandies and wines of a good quality there is a better demand. Sales have been large. No change in the various other articles of trade worthy of notice.

Money has not been coming in as freely as was noticed last week, but by the sailing of the steamer on the 1st an increase will be observed. The demand for money, in consequence of a suspension of business by the fire, has not been over great. The prevailing figure is 8 per cent per month. On good security for a longer period 5 to 7 per cent.

Important from Havana.

Dates from Havana to the 20th inst., have been received by the *Falcon*. The papers, of course, say nothing of the fate reserved for the Contoy prisoners, but it is stated very positively by several passengers that the Captain General had flatly refused to liberate the captives, though strongly urged to do so by the American Consul, Gen. Campbell. It is thought the Americans will be retained in custody, until instructions are received from Spain. This intelligence went by the *Isabel* to Charleston, and has ere this, been transmitted to Washington. We shall see the result.

CONGRESS.—The report of the proceedings of Congress on the 15th, published yesterday, was incomplete. It appears that in the Senate, Mr. Hale offered an amendment regulating rights of appeal to the Supreme Court in cases of slaves, in the words of Mr. Clayton's Compromise, which after debate and several modifications, was adopted.

Mr. Soule moved to amend the bill so as that all States formed out of Territories shall be admitted with or without slavery as they shall decide; upon which motion, a debate ensued which lasted till 3 o'clock.—The Senate then went into Executive session, after which adjourned.

In the House, the consideration of the California Bill was resumed in Committee of the Whole. A proviso that new States allowing slavery shall be admitted was renewed by Mr. Inge, and debated in five minutes speeches by numerous members until 3 o'clock, when the committee rose the House adjourned.

☞ OF MR. WYMAN.—The compliment paid to this distinguished young artist, by his benefit, on Saturday night; and if our citizens take pleasure in sustaining their reputation as patrons of the fine arts, their appreciation of excellence, they will give him an overflowing testimonial of their liberality. His progressive embracing several of his finest performances; and he was assisted by a number of the leading artists of the French Theatre.

JAMAICA.—The Empire City at New York brought three from Kingston, to the 15th. We have received by the Empire, Jamaica to the 15th, but they contain nothing additional.

[From the Evening Delta.]

Arrival of the Cambria.

BALTIMORE, June 21, 4 o'clock, P. M.

The steamer Cambria, arrived at Halifax on Friday morning. The steamer Pacific arrived at Liverpool, on Friday previous to the sailing of the Cambria. Cotton was unchanged, but firmer. The week's sales were sixty thousand bales, (60,000.) Flour was dull, unchanged. Corn inactive, there was a decline of a six pence to a shilling. Provisions were quiet. Lard threepence lower.

Late continental advices had created an active demand in all descriptions of Coffee, which has advanced from three to five shillings per cwt. The news from Cuba had strengthened the price of Sugar materially. No sales of Rice. The market was easy. Discount low on good bills. Nothing else yet received.

FORREST AND WILLIS.

A telegraphic despatch to the Charleston *Mercury*, dated New York, the 18th, says: "FORREST, the tragedian, cowhided N. P. WILLIS in the street yesterday." Very good. This is clear and positive. Flagellation was inflicted according to this despatch, by FORREST upon WILLIS. But a despatch from the same place and of the same date, and upon the same subject, in the Charleston *Courier* reads thus: "It is stated that Mr. FORREST, the tragedian, was cowhided in the streets of New York yesterday, by Mr. N. P. WILLIS." Here is a difference, my masters! In this latter missive, the positions of the parties are reversed. The recipient of the cudgel becomes the dispenser of it. The chastiser is metamorphosed into the chastised. The actor suffers instead of the author. The contradiction between these two versions presents a painful enigma, which can only be solved by more authentic advices. There are to be sure many who, paraphrasing SHAKESPEARE, will exclaim, "whether FORREST cowhide WILLIS, or WILLIS, FORREST, I care not;" but we belong not to that philosophical class. We have a decided preference in the matter. If one of the parties is to be scourged, we are clearly of opinion that FORREST should be the man. WILLIS is foppish and dandified, but he is a man of brains and a gentleman, and has stood nobly by a defenceless woman. FORREST has dramatic talent, but here all his merits cease. He is coarse, vindictive, purse-proud and miserably jealous of competition. He showed the last petty and contemptible feeling in the MACREADY riots at New York. We abhor the idea of the lash being inflicted upon the shoulders of any man, but since it is positive that either WILLIS or FORREST has suffered this indignity, we trust that the former was the castigator and not the castigated.

☞ YOU DON'T SAY SO!—The N. Y. *Herald* has a despatch from New Orleans, dated the 16th, which informs that journal, not that the Cuban prisoners would be released, but that intelligence of their liberation had reached here!! This is news to us. The caterers of novelty for the lightning line overdo the business, when they resort to such pure figments as these.

☞ FROM THE RIO GRANDE.—By the arrival of the Steamship *Yahi*, we have received files of the *American Flag* to the 12th inst., inclusive. They are almost destitute of news. We copy the following paragraph.

RELICS OF THE WAR.—The silver plate taken from Gen. ARISTA's pavilion by the American forces at the Battle of Resaca de la Palma, has been delivered up to his agent, who has been directed to sell it, and distribute the proceeds among the Mexican soldiers wounded in that engagement. Mr. J. E. Garey, of this place, has become the purchaser of the entire, unknown service, and will put the same up at auction to-morrow, (Saturday,) 15 inst.

☞ THE NEW SOUTHERN ORGAN.—We perceive that FRANKLIN LEWIS, Esq., the able Editor of the Columbia (S. C.) *Telegraph*, announces his withdrawal from that paper, for the purpose of associating himself with ELWOOD FISHER, in conducting the Southern Press, about being established at Washington.

☞ The *National Intelligencer* thus authoritatively denies all the rumors started in Washington, relative to the American prisoners at Havana:

The Government has no knowledge of any torture or death inflicted upon the Contoy prisoners, as has been reported from Havana and from this city, and we trust that in a few days the communications with Cuba will put an end to the rumors. But what next? Why, in less than a week after the present alarming apprehensions have been quieted, something else will be seized upon for letter-writing capital, and to satisfy the demand for fresh excitement.

But, to address ourselves more directly to the alarming rumors transmitted from the city in Washington correspondence during the last week, we feel authorized to say, that, from the just and amicable temper of the Spanish Minister during the last week, and the prudent advice which it may be pre-supposed that he has given to the younger and probably more impulsive Governor General of Cuba—as well as from the unequivocal language addressed to him by our Secretary of State, through Consul Gen. Campbell—there is no reason to anticipate any harm to the men who embarked from the island of Contoy, and were captured by the Lexington and conveyed into Havana.—These men (though the Creole marauders were recruited in part from among them) committed no act of hostility against Cuba, nor is there any sufficient proof that they designed any, but the contrary; and therefore, though they had sailed from a foreign port, and not from the United States, when they were captured, yet, being known to be in part at least American citizens, it is the duty of our Government to extend its protection to them, and avert or punish any harm to life or limb.

FACTS WORTH KNOWING.—Lewenhock saw hundreds of animalcule in the space of a grain of sand and he says ten thousand; but it is now suspected that he saw the ultimate motions of the atoms of gas, and not organized beings. A drop of water contains hundreds all in extreme activity, swimming or crawling with freedom and purpose. They appear to subsist on the atoms of the infusion, and some prey on others.

A Pacha, often spelt Bashaw, is the governor of a province or city under the grand signior.—Those who are privileged to carry the tails of their horses in their standards are called pachas with three tails, and others pachas with two tails. They are local sovereigns and despotic tyrants; but the courts of law, under the Cadi, are independent of them.

Australasia, a fifth division of the earth's surface, includes the continent of New Holland, or New South Wales, Van Dieman's Land, New Guinea, New Britain, New Zealand, &c., mostly discovered within two centuries. New Holland was first visited at Hartogh's Island, in 1616, by a Dutch vessel, and afterwards explored by others of that nation.

The wings of insects afford an immense variety of interesting and beautiful objects.—Some are covered with scales, as in the butterfly tribe; some are adorned with fringes of feathers, and the ribs or veins are also feathered, as in the gnat family, and even these scales and feathers are ribbed, and fluted in a variety of ways.

Bones are composed of gelatinous fibres in network, and of earthy salts, as phosphate, carbonate and sulphate of lime. The gelatine prevails in young animals, and hence their bones are more flexible. Ossification commences at the centres. Bones have blood-vessels.

The stomach converts food into a pulp called chyme, and passing into the intestines, bile converts it into a milky substance called chyle, in which state the lacteal absorbents convey it to the blood near the heart, through which it passes to the lungs and becomes blood.

Horse power in steam engines is calculated as the power which would raise 33,000 pounds a foot high in a minute, or 90 pounds at the rate of four miles an hour. Some experimentalists estimate it at one-third less, but the above is adopted by most theoretical writers.

There are no grounds for the terror inspired by earwigs. No medical case is recorded of mischief from them, and oil and brandy would instantly kill or expel them; while they in no case penetrate beyond the external orifice.

A large onion, planted so near a rosebush as to touch its roots, will greatly increase the odour of its flowers; and the water distilled from such roses is far superior in flavor to other rose water.

The mahogany tree is a native of Cuba, Jamaica, &c., and grows from 60 to 100 feet high, with deep green foliage, and small colored flowers, and fruit the size of a large nut.

Chimborazo is distinguish d under eight epochs by letters, as A. M., Anno Mundi; A. C. Ante Christi; or B. C., Before Christ; and A. D., Anno Domini.

A swarm of bees contains from 10,000 to 20,000 in a natural state, and from 30,000 to 40,000 in a hive.

The last words of Mirabeau were "to sleep." He twice or thrice wrote to request that they would give him opium; he fell back again apparently lifeless, when some artillery being discharged in the neighborhood, the dying Mirabeau raised himself up on one arm, opened his eyes, smiled and said with a clear and almost sonorous voice: "The funeral rites of Achilles have already commenced. I have an age of triumph, I am an incense of life, and gratitude."

[No 11]

Proceedings of the Board of Liquidators.

TUESDAY, June 15, 1850

The Board met at 12 o'clock P. M. on a call of the President.

Present—Honorable A. B. Crossman, President, Messrs Bogart, Lapeyre and Wilder.

Absent: Messrs. Bodin, Converse and Walton.

On motion, the Board adjourned, without transacting any business, until Wednesday next, the 19th June, 1850, at 5 o'clock P. M.

JOHN CALHOUN, Secretary

[No 12]

Proceedings of the Board of Liquidators.

WEDNESDAY, June 19, 1850

The Board met at 5 o'clock P. M.

Present—The Honorable A. B. Crossman, President. Messrs Converse and Lapeyre.

Absent—Messrs Bogart, Bodin Walton and Wilder.

There being no quorum, the Board adjourned till Saturday next, the 22d inst., at 5 o'clock, P. M. JOHN CALHOUN, Secretary.

[No 13]

Proceedings of the Board of Liquidators.

TUESDAY, June 22, 1850.

The Board met at 5 o'clock, P. M.

Present—The Hon. A. B. Crossman, President, Messrs Bogart, Converse and Lapeyre.

Absent—Messrs. Bodin, Walton and Wilder.

On motion, the absence of Mr. Bodin was excused.

The minutes of the last meeting was read and approved.

The following resolution offered by Mr. Converse, viz:

Resolved, That the President and three members of this Board shall be a quorum for the transaction of business.

A letter from the Secretary of the Draining Company, relative to the payment of interest coupons, was read.

Mr. Converse offered the following resolutions, which were adopted:

Resolved, That the Secretary transmit to the Councils of the respective Municipalities, a statement of the amount now due by each for cash advanced by the Draining Company Fund, in payment of interest, back quotas, &c., and that the Board require payment without delay.

Be it further Resolved, That the Secretary also notify the Councils of said Municipalities of the quotas due by them respectively for their proportion of the expenses for 1850, as fixed by a resolution of the General Council, of the 5th June, 1850.

The following preamble and resolution offered by Mr. Lapeyre, were adopted.

Whereas, the Board of Municipality No. Three, has deposited in the Branch of the Louisiana State Bank, to the credit of this Board, the sum of twelve thousand six hundred and ninety dollars, and has paid directly to the Board, the sum of one hundred and ninety-seven 83-100 dollars, to be applied to the payment of certain claims against said Municipality, and whereas, the Board of the District Court of New Orleans, has recently decided that that part of an Act of the General Assembly, entitled "An Act to provide for the liquidation of the city debt, and of the debts of the separate Municipalities of the City of New Orleans," approved March 20th, 1850, was unconstitutional, and directs this board to receive the assets of the Similar Municipalities, is unconstitutional.

Be it Resolved, That the above three thousand six hundred and twenty dollars, deposited in the Louisiana State Bank, by the Treasurer of Municipality No. Three, and the sum of twelve thousand two hundred and ninety-seven 83-100 dollars paid directly to the Board by said Treasurer, be returned; and the Secretary of State be hereby authorized to carry this resolution into effect.

On Motion, the Board adjourned until Wednesday June 26th 1850, at five o'clock P. M.

JOHN CALHOUN, Secty.

City Intelligence

MAYOR'S COURT.—Sheriff Lewis proceeded yesterday to draw the names of thirty-six jurors, to serve in the Mayor's Court of the First and Second Municipalities, for the July term.

FIRST DISTRICT COURT.—*Judge Larue.*—Thos. McFadden was tried yesterday on a charge of murder, having been indicted for the killing of Patrick Downs. Bartholomew Mullen, who is likewise accused of the same crime, escaped from the jail, and has not yet been apprehended. It was proved that McFadden had held Downs, when Mullen killed him. The jury brought in a verdict of manslaughter.

ASSAULTS.—A number of cases of assault and battery were brought yesterday to the notice of our police. A man named Francis was charged with having struck Rose Collignon. August Sprinze complained of having been beaten by John Hermann. John A. McNeil and Robert V. McNeil stand accused with having assaulted W. J. Johnson with a dangerous weapon. An individual named Alexander made a violent attack on Elie Dubord, at a coffee house, and chased him into the street, much to his discomfiture. The complainant moreover states that whilst being knocked down, he lost some papers of value and a five dollar bill. Warrants were issued for the arrest of the foreigner, and James Dougherty was arrested for having given battle to several watchmen, and gave bail to appear.

ARSONISTS.—Thomas Pilston, charged with the murder of a man named McNeil, on the Levee, on Saturday afternoon last, was arraigned yesterday before Recorder Caldwell. The examination will take place to-morrow.

BREACH OF THE PEACE.—Under this general title affidavits were made yesterday, before Recorder Genois, charging Manuel Bureau, Eliza Connely and Ann McNamara, with having grossly abused and insulted two peaceable individuals. They will have to furnish bail to keep the peace.

SPEALING A THIEF.—Jas. Hamilton Randolston, appeared before Recorder Genois yesterday, and stated that his trunk containing clothing to the value of $50, had been robbed by some men, whose names were unknown to him. The Police are in search of the rascals.

VAGRANTS.—A large number of vagabonds were hauled up yesterday before Recorder Caldwell, some of whom were discharged, and others, two professional burglars and thieves, were charged by the Recorder, with the understanding that they should leave the State forthwith. Charles Wilson and Phil Chapman, were likewise allowed to go at large with the privilege of leaving the city.

SPEALING FROM THE FIRE.—John Murphy, was arrested yesterday in the Second Municipality, on the charge of having stolen some articles from the Steamship Guadelquivir, during the fire on Sunday morning. He was remanded for examination.

FALSE ALARMS OF FIRE.—Ij. Hughes, a Watchman of the Fifth Municipality, made his appearance yesterday before Recorder Genois, setting forth that a large fire was built on Sunday night on Canal st., by J. F. Hilty, Jas. Gardner, J. Gibson and J. Fitzsimmons, thereby causing a false alarm, and inducing equipments come out.

BURGLARY A DRINK.—Jean Jacques, a colored man, well arrested yesterday, on the charge of burglary, charged with having stolen and distributed a Frenchman, who keeps a grocery in St. Philip street.—The accused asked Picard for a pleasure's worth of whiskey, which the latter refused to give him, whereupon he made use of the abusive language in question.

SALE OF MUNICIPAL WORK.—The Mayor disposed at public auction yesterday of the contract for finishing and completing the building of a brick tenement, stable, hose-house, &c., for Phenix Fire Company, No. 8. The building is to be erected plat of ground in Vinegary street, between Hospital and Bienville streets. The contract was finally knocked down to Mr. Hughes, he being the only Bidder.

SUNDRIES.

DRUGS—Landing: 400 lbs. Sublimed Calomel; 200 do Tartaric Acid; 25 do Syd. de Potasse; 25 do Iodine; 150 Bbls Mace; 2 cases prime Opium, &c., &c.—for sale by E. J. HART & CO., je21 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

Great Reduction of Dry Goods.

THE Subscriber will offer, commencing on Monday next, his entire stock of Seasonable Goods, at a reduction of 20 per cent on his former prices. The following make part of the stock:—

Silk Barages, all styles; Jaconets and Organdies; Bareges and Mangain Muslins; Embroidered Collars and Capes; Linen Sheetings and Diapers; Drillings all styles; Cotton Hose, Gloves, Parasols, &c.

B. S. SOLOMON, 114 Canal st. Between Bourbon & Dauphin. je24

BRANDIES—350 qr pipes Ph. Godard Brandy, 1st proof, 14 half pipes H. Chatillon Brandy, 1835, 1st proof; 50 qr pipes M. Chatillon Brandy, 1835, 1st proof; 19 half pipes St. Charles Brandy, 4th proof; 25 qr pipes St. Charles Brandy, 4th proof; 30 qr pipes St. Cosme Brandy, 4th proof; 31 half pipes A. Seignette Brandy, 4th proof; 36 qr pipes Seignette Brandy, 4th proof; 60 Octave pipes A. Seignette Brandy, 4th proof; 5 half pipes Jas. Bumesey Brandy, 4th proof; 10 qr pipes Jas. Bumesey Brandy, 4th proof; 31 half pipes Pinet Castillon Brandy, 4th proof; 16 qr pipes Pinet Castillon Brandy, 4th proof; 5 half pipes St. Saron Brandy, 4th proof; 10 qr pipes St. Saron Brandy, 4th proof; 5 half pipes Otard, Dupuy & Co. Brandy, 4th proof; 5 qr pipes Otard, Dupuy & Co. Brandy, 4th proof; 5 half pipes Martell Brandy 4th proof; 4 qr pipes Martell Brandy, 4th proof; 94 qr pipes St. Vincent Brandy, 4th proof; 14 Octave pipes St. Vincent Brandy, 4th proof; 12 qr pipes J. J. Dupuy Brandy, 4th proof; 98 qr pipes J. S. & A. de Lafontaine Brandy, 1st proof;—for sale by

EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., je24 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

SUNDRIES—In store and for sale by F. ROMIEU, 99 St. Louis street—

40 casks good ordinary Red Wine, Montferrand; 40 qr casks Cognac Brandy, sundry brands; 40 barrels White Wine, sundry brands; 40 " ...first quality Bourbon Monongahela Whiskey;

10 barrels Peach Brandy; 4 " Brandy Cherries; 40 boxes Absynth, Y. L. I.; 30 baskets Champagne, sundry brands; 150 " Guignolet; 1000 " Cordials, sundry brands; 950 boxes Curacoa; 100 do. Eau Verte; 100 " Dantzick; 200 do Maraschino; 300 " Assorted Liquors, engraved bottles; 150 " Claret, superfine " 250 " " fine " 95 barrels Merise, sundry kinds; 50 " Imported Syrups, Orange Flower Water, and every article needed by Coffee Houses.

P. ROMIEU.

THE subscriber offers at private sale the lease of the lot now occupied by him, with all the buildings thereon, situated at the corner of Bagatelle and Esplanade streets, suitable for any trade or depot stores. je24 6d

CHAMPAGNE WINE—50 baskets, whole and half bottles, of the well known brand of Deborder Leclerc, just received per Alberge, for sale by MITCHEL & MASSENDERE, je24 tf 36 Poydras st.

BURGUNDY WINE—6 casks superior Burgundy Wine, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., je24 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

COGNAC—40 qr pipes Cognac, La Rochelle 4th proof, Washington brand; 40 qr pipes Cognac, La Rochelle 4th proof, J. & J. Prom & Co.; 40 qr pipes Cognac, 4th proof, J. & J. Prom & Co.; 40 qr pipes Cognac, 4th proof, Martin 20 qr pipes Cognac, 4th proof, Vieul Cognac, 4th proof; 20 qr pipes Cognac, 4th proof, Saint Cog. La Rochelle; 60 eighth pipes Cognac, 1st proof, J. J. Prom & Co., La Rochelle—in store and for sale by Fdo de FUENTES & CO., 22 Old Levee.

CLARET and WHITE WINE—Just received, for sale by Fdo de FUENTES & CO.

25 casks real Montferrand, Bordeaux Claret; 14 do do Bassens; do do 14 do do Lafite; do do 7 do do St Julien Medoc; do do 4 do do Margaux; do do 7 do do Chateau de Per. do do 7 do do Pibac Gaillac; do do 6 hf do do St. Julien; do do 2 do do Margaux; do do 2 do do Chateau de Per. do do 71 bbls White Wine, real Haut Sauterne. 10 casks real Lamiance Medoc Claret, 6 hf do do do 95 cases Claret Wine, Montferrand.—In store and for sale by Fdo de FUENTES & CO.

BORDEAUX CLARET AND WHITE WINE—

100 boxes claret, St. Julien; 100 " " Margaux; 1st Ern; 75 do do St Lafitte, superior; 200 do do Pauillac 100 do White Wine, Haut Barsac; In store and for sale by Fdo de FUENTES & CO. 22 Old Levee.

CRUVERE CHEESE—24 Cheeses, landing from the ship Mexico and for sale by J. N. CUTTER, 32 Main st.

BRANDY CHERRIES—100 boxes Brandy Cherries, in store and for sale by Fdo de FUENTES & CO. 22 Old Levee.

MARSEILLES SWEET OIL—300 baskets Marseilles sweet Oil, in bottles, of 24 ounces. M Sue, in store and for sale by Fdo de FUENTES & CO. je22 6t 22 Old Levee.

MADEIRA WINE—2 quarter pipes very old Madeira Wine, for sale by Fdo de FUENTES & CO. je22 6t 22 Old Levee.

HAVANA COFFEE—75 bags Havana Coffee, in store and for sale by Fdo de FUENTES & CO. je22 6t 22 Old Levee.

PORT WINE—450 quarter and 20 half pipes Port Wine, of the well known brand of F Durand, landing ex ship Cesare, from Marseilles, for sale by J. N. CUTTER, je24 32 Main st.

THE subscribers inform the captains of vessels, &c., and the public generally, that from this day, they are prepared to show up to this time employed by us as a clerk in our business, viz: P. POINCY & CO. je22 3t

ABSINTHE—In boxes, superior Absynthe, in store and for sale by Fdo de FUENTES & CO., je22 6t 22 Old Levee.

SARDINES—1200 boxes Nantes' Sardines, of the new fishery, for sales by Fdo de FUENTES & CO., je22 6t 22 Old Levee.

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GRAND LODGE OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA.

A REGULAR meeting of the Grand Lodge will be held at Perseverance Hall, corner of Magazine and St. Charles streets, on TUESDAY, 25d June, at 7 o'clock, P. M. Punctual attendance is requested by order of the M. W. G. M.

THOMAS BRADY, 32 Chartres st. je24 3t

Francois Camoin—Boarding House.

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