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NEW ORLEANS:

SATURDAY MORNING, JAN. 27, 1872.

Amusements This Evening.

OPERA HOUSE—At noon, "Le Sourd ou l'Auberge Pleine," and "Faute d'une Fumée sans Feu." At night, "Le Sourd ou l'Auberge Pleine."

ST. CHARLES THEATRE—At noon, "Little Nell and the Marchioness." At night, "Heart's Ease."

VARIETIES THEATRE—Matinée at 12. At night, "David Garrick," and "Mesopa" Burlesque.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC—Matinée at 12 M. At night, Lydia Thompson Troupe.

THE ST. LOUIS HOTEL.—This magnificent establishment, lately renewed and entirely refurnished in a most sumptuous and elegant style, will be thrown open to the traveling public, on next Thursday, February 1st, under the management of Hiram Cranston, Esq., former proprietor of the New York Hotel. The Hotel is now owned by the St. Louis Hotel Association, of which our esteemed fellow-citizen E. F. Mioton, Esq., is the President. The Hotel has been repaired, improved, beautified, and refurnished under his personal supervision, at a cost of upwards of a hundred thousand dollars. It is now the most comfortable, most commodious, and most elegant hotel in the Southern States. Every department of the hotel has been refitted with all the modern improvements, from the kitchen up. The accommodations for families are unsurpassed anywhere. A personal inspection of the building and its contents, as now managed, enables us to speak, in the most unstinted terms, of the liberality of the association, and of the energy and refined taste of its worthy President, Mr. Mioton, who has devoted himself for the last six months with unstinting assiduity to the preparation of the Hotel for its guests. It remains for the latter to show their appreciation of his efforts to cater for their comfort.

The manager of the Hotel, Mr. Cranston, is well known to all Southerners who have been in the habit of visiting New York of late years. The New York Hotel has ever been a favorite stopping place for travelers from this part of the country, and Mr. Cranston's liberal and generous management of it, exhibited at a time when kindness to Southerners could not be shown without risk to him who dispensed it, entitles the new manager of the St. Louis Hotel to the warmest gratitude of our people.

THE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE.—We hear that Governor Warmoth has sent a delegation to Jackson, Miss., to meet the members of the committee of the House of Representatives at Washington, who are on their way to New Orleans to investigate the late political troubles here. Governor Warmoth's delegation, it is stated, are authorized to tender to the members of the committee the hospitalities of the State at the St. Charles Hotel, where Governor Warmoth has established his own headquarters. The Governor, no doubt, desires to prepossess the committee with his own side of the case, but the probability is that his excessive industry will defeat the object he has in view.

NEW ORLEANS DIRECTORY.—The Southern Publishing Company have placed upon our table a copy of Edward's Annual Directory to the Inhabitants, Institutions, Incorporated Companies, Manufacturing Establishments, Business, Business Firms, etc. in the city of New Orleans for 1872. An examination of this volume enables us to testify to the orderly arrangement of its contents and the completeness of the plan of the compiler. We believe no information pertaining to a City Directory will be found wanting in this publication. The previous experience and fidelity of its editor justifies the confidence we repose in his work.

SUN MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.—We publish in this issue the Sixteenth Annual statement of the affairs of this institution and the exhibit made will doubtless be gratifying to all persons interested. The *Sun* has always been regarded as one of our soundest and most prudently managed underwriting establishments. Its officers are old citizens of the place, experienced in the insurance business, and greatly esteemed for their personal qualities. Unlimited confidence is felt in their integrity and capacity. The net profits for the year ending December 31, 1871, are set down at $32,320, and the assets at $661,987.50. The Board of Directors have declared a dividend of 35 per centon the net earned participating premiums for the year, and have resolved to pay 6 per cent interest on outstanding certificates of profits. Thomas Sloo, Esq., is the President of this company, and Thos. Anderson, Esq., is the Secretary.

OPERA HOUSE.—This (Saturday) evening the first performance this season of Gounod's opera of *Romeo and Juliette* will be performed, Madame Durand personating the character of "Juliette." Mr. Blum that of "Romeo." The other characters by Messrs. Coulon, Perié, Solve, Jourdan, Dubosc and Mesdames Dumestre and Boadro. There are indications of a large attendance on this occasion. The Controller's office received yesterday many applications for seats. Those who desire to witness a fine scenic display and listen to delicious music should secure admission at once.

ECONOMY.—By using Mrs. Whitcomb's Syrup for children many a doctor's bill can be saved and much suffering averted.

AMUSEMENTS.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—"Blue Beard" will be rendered again at the matinée and at night, by the Lydia Thompson troupe. This, it is understood, will be the last performance during the present engagement of that very laughable burlesque, which is gotten up so effectively at the Academy.

VARIETIES THEATRE.—"David Garrick" a very pleasant comedy, in which some of the best talent of the company appear, together with "Mazeppa," a musical and terpsichorean burlesque, will be performed to-day at matinée, and will be repeated at night at this house.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.—Lotta will give "Little Nell" and the "Marchioness" at matinée to-day, and at night she will perform in "Heart's Ease." She has made herself famous in both pieces.

THE LOUISIANA LEGISLATURE.

Friday, Jan. 26, 1872.

THE SENATE.

The Senate assembled at noon, a full quorum present.

The communication of the Warrant Clerk, corrected, was received.

Mr. Blackman having moved for the appointment of a committee to investigate the report of the Warrant Clerk, Mr. Himmacker stated that he was chairman of a similar committee appointed at the last session, and that the committee was waiting for the conclusions of one of its members, Mr. Coupland, before making a report.

Mr. Lewis was in favor of the new committee, the old committee appointed to investigate "the swindles of last session" having delayed their report too long.

Mr. Coupland explained his absence by saying that he had vainly endeavored to meet the committee for the purpose of investigating the books of Mr. J. Pinckney Smith, Warrant Clerk.

Mr. Himmacker became very excited, and said that if the gentleman Mr. Coupland meant to cast any reflection upon his action, he was ready to meet him on the question. He had never gotten a dollar from him, the speaker. He would present his report next week, when the world he will.

Mr. Lewis said he only wanted the new committee. The general impression being of the new committee the appointment of confidence, one committee acting as a check on the other.

Mr. Blackman's motion was substituted by another motion by Mr. Mollere, to refer the communication of Mr. Smith to the old committee. The vacancy in the committee occurring by the resignation of Mr. Pinckney to the chair was filled by appointing Mr. Blackman.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Judiciary—Himmacker, Ray, Campbell, Jenks, Dutch.

Finance—Lynch, McMillan, Himmacker, Barber, Anderson.

Enrollment—Noland, Gallup, Kelso, Swords, Twitchell, Butler.

Parish and Buildings—Todd, Antoine, Noland, Kelso, Thompson.

Militia—Barber, Swords and Daigle.

Sanitary Quarantine—Antoine, Whitney, Lewis, Barber, Thomas.

Election and Registration—McMillan, Harris, Ray, Butler, Blackman.

Banks and Banking—Anderson, Lynch, McMillan, Kelso, Blackman.

Retrenchment and Reform—Thomas, Barber, Mollitus, Thomas.

Contested Elections—Twichell, Harris, Jenks, Butler, Daigle.

Libraries—Coupland, Antoine, Thompson.

Railroads and Internal Improvements—Gallup, Campbell, Noland, Anderson, Jenks, Bowman.

Pensions—Ingraham, Ray, Wilcox, Daigle.

Drainage, Canals and Inland Navigation—Barber, O'Hara, Lynch, Campbell, Futch.

Agriculture, Commerce and Manufactures—Wilson, Smith, Futch.

Claims—Butler, Himmacker, Coupland, Ragan, Thompson.

Auditing and Supervising Expenses of the Senate—Whitney, Twitchell, Anderson, Antoine, Bowman.

Federal Relations—Campbell, Ingraham, Harris.

Corporations and Parochial Affairs—Twitchell, Lynch, Todd, Herwig, Thomas.

Charitable Institutions—Jenks, Swords, Ragan, Mollitus, Thomas.

Penitentiary—Ragan, Kelso, Gallup, O'Hara, Futch.

NOTICES OF BILLS.

By Mr. McMillan—To define and punish bribery.

A bill granting S. M. S. Barlow, Samuel Simpson, their associates, successors and assigns, an exclusive right to lay cables for purposes of telegraphing from this State to one or more places on the Eastern Continent or to Great Britain.

By Mr. Ray—To pay off and fund the claims of the Metropolitan Police.

A bill reorganizing the public schools of the State.

A bill chartering the Monroe, Bastrop and Arkansas Railroad Company.

By Mr. Ragan—Allowing parishes of St. James and East Baton Rouge to retire their floating indebtedness and to issue bonds therefor.

By Mr. Twitchell—Creating a new parish to be called the parish of Red River.

By Mr. Hunsacker—Repealing an act creating a commission to locate the site for a State House in the city of New Orleans, to purchase the necessary grounds therefor and making an appropriation to pay for such grounds, and to build a State House and other buildings necessary for State purposes and improving the same.

A bill providing for the cultivation of the ramie plant and for other purposes.

By Mr. Butler—Requesting Congress to pass Mr. Sumner's amendment to the Civil Rights bill.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Kelso—Repealing the bill creating the parish of Vernon.

By Mr. Ray—To ascertain from the Governor the expenses of the State Militia.

By Mr. Ingraham—To investigate the affairs of the Board of State Liquidators.

ACCORDING TO NOTICE.

By Mr. Ray—Relative to appropriations to meet expenses of the State, and relative to warrants in payment of State taxes.

By Mr. Ragan—Relative to the government of the city of Baton Rouge. Ordered to be printed.

By Mr. Blackman—Relative to appertioning the State into Senatorial Districts and fixing the number of Representatives, etc.

Mr. Blackman called up his resolution for a committee to inform the Governor officially of the death of Senators Fish and Pierce, and requesting him to order an election.

Mr. Harris moved to lay the resolution on the table, which resulted in a refusal to table: 14 yeas to 16 nays.

Mr. McMillan was in favor of the official notification, but the appointment of a committee for the purpose was unnecessary and unusual.

Mr. Blackman conformed with the opinion of Mr. McMillan of substituting a resolution providing that the Secretary of the Senate inform the Governor of the vacancies.

Mr. Hunsacker opposed the resolution on the grounds of economy, and the fact that no question whether the Election law was repealed or not was still open.

Mr. Ingraham was speaking in favor of the resolution when the Chair called the order of the day.

Mr. Ray attempted to obtain the unanimous consent of the Senate to proceed with the consideration of the resolution, but Mr. Hunsacker objected.

The order of the day was then taken up.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Mr. Campbell's resolution asking the aid of Federal troops to suppress disturbances was taken up.

Mr. Todd having asked whether this was meant to ratify the act of the Senate while the absent Senators were on board the Wilderness, he would then move to refer to the Judiciary Committee. Adopted.

FIRST READINGS.

House bill petitioning Congress to devise some means to secure to the youth of the nation a common school education. Read a second time and lies over.

A House bill to prevent charlatanism was referred. House bill to protect lives from injury, and to provide for penalties. Referred.

House bill repealing an act creating the Board of Public Works. Indefinitely postponed.

All bills on the old calendar, like the riders were, on a general motion, tabled, subject to call.

SECOND READINGS.

Senate bill, providing for a State Engineer, was ordered printed.

Senate bill, providing for the revision of several articles of the Revised Statutes. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Senate bill, providing how subscriptions by cities can be made to Railroad companies and other corporations. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

A message was received from the Governor, transmitting copies of laws of New York, sent by the Governor, providing for the assessment and collection of taxes in that State. Received.

The Election and Registration, Printing and General Appropriation bills; the New Orleans, Baton Rouge and Vicksburg Railroad; Citizens' Bank; Expenses of the Militia, and other bills, were appropriately referred.

The veto of the Governor, on a bill appropriating $5000 to the Academy of Sciences, was taken up.

The veto was sustained.

The veto on a resolution to appoint seven commissioners to ascertain the claims of the State against the United States for cotton, etc., transferred to the United States at the surrender, was taken up. The principal objection of the Governor is that the expense will be greater than the amount which might be obtained.

Mr. Blackman said that he had introduced the bill. The property belonged to the people of the State and amounted to millions of dollars. It had been taken as abandoned property, because it was in the hands of the regularly organized State government. An express clause existed in the resolution to prevent mileage being given to the commissioners.

Mr. Blackman apprehended that the Governor was not aware of the precise condition of the matter. The cotton, sugar and supplies had been sent to Shreveport to defray the expenses of the starving people, and had been taken possession of in an illegal manner by the United States agents. Similar reclamations had been made to the Secretary of State, and were as had been represented to him. It was but just that the State should make an effort to obtain a return into its treasury the amount, from four to eight millions of dollars.

The bill became a law notwithstanding the veto by yeas 19 to nays 8.

The veto on a bill relative to the recusation of District Courts in the parish of Orleans, except the Eighth District Court, on the application of the defendant, without cause, was also taken up.

The reasons of the Governor for vetoing the bill are to the effect that it is unnecessary; that the remedy of defendants can be found in a change of venue.

Mr. Ray said the object of the law was to give defendants protection. Our District Courts have concurrent jurisdiction. One court may decide a question, whereupon the plaintiff in another suit involving the same question will immediately seek that court for redress. The defendant's suit is therefore prejudiced from the first. By the law the defendant can obtain a transfer of the case to another court which has not pronounced its opinion in the matter.

The veto was sustained by 18 to 10.

The veto on a bill relative to the government of the city of Baton Rouge.

Mr. Ragan said he hoped to pass a bill more satisfactory to the people.

The veto was sustained.

The veto on a bill making an appropriation for Kimble's Bayou, in Concordia parish, being numerous. The veto was sustained by 20 yeas to 1 nay.

The veto on a bill to appoint a commission relative to pensions of veterans and their widows, was taken up. The objections of the Governor are that the expense it will entail, and besides that it will open the door to fraud. The veto was sustained.

The veto on a bill providing for the purchase of 3000 copies of the "Louisiana Illustrated," was also sustained—20 to 9.

The veto on a bill to purchase copies of "Scarbies' Revised Statutes," was also sustained.

The veto on a bill for preserving the records of the First District Court was also sustained.

The Senate adjourned at 3 o'clock.

HOUSE.

The House met at 12 M., Mr. Brewster presiding, and eighty-one members present, a quorum to the postponement of the Chair.

The Senate bill to amend the charter of Calcasieu Carrollton was concurred in.

The following resolution, offered by Mr. Hayward, was adopted by a vote of 59 to 39:

Be it Resolved, That the committee of five to be appointed for the purpose of ascertaining the amount already paid and incurred in connection with the case of James Graham, et al., vs. the Police Assembly of the State of Louisiana, in the suit entitled "Graham vs. Mueller," with power to summon witnesses and send for papers for the purpose of the investigation, be instructed to report to the House at the next session of the Legislature, whether any, what amount, if any, remains unpaid, to the undersigned, employés thereof, to the undersigned, employés thereof, to the undersigned, employés thereof