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vance.

Margaret Monument.

The Mayor having received a letter from Mrs. Maurice Groshon, of Wyoming, requesting some particulars about Margaret Haughery, for an article she is preparing entitled "Some Women Philanthropists of America," the Mayor referred the letter to Mr. W. O. Hart, of the Louisiana Historical Society. Mr. Hart sent on some facts relative to this great and good woman, also copy of the "Picayune Guide," which gives a brief account of her life, of the asylum which she practically erected and of her monument, which was unveiled on July 9, 1884, and which, by the way, was designed by Alexander Doyle, whose first work was the Albert Sydney Johnston monument in Metairie cemetery, and whose last work is the Beauregard monument, to be unveiled November 11. For long time the people of this city believed that the Margaret monument represented the first statue ever erected to a woman in America, but investigations made by Mr. Hart a few years ago showed that some ten years before, two monuments had been erected to Hannah Dustin, one in New Haven, and one in Massachusetts, each surmounted by a full-length statue of this heroic woman.

The Needs of St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum.

The ladies of the Sewing Circle, the ever faithful friends of the babies, will hold a special meeting to-morrow to discuss what must be done to restore these poor tiny human wrecks to health and happiness.

The most pressing need is for money to fix the sewerage, to paint the infected parts of the Asylum, and to screen the galleries so that the wee sufferers may be kept in the open air while their nursery is opened and aired. This will enable them to do without the expense of buying and constantly washing bags. If they can be nursed through the long summer they will once again be healthy and happy. To do this they must have extra food and careful nursing.

A tablet will be erected in the infant nurseries with the names of their living friends who will aid them now and, in the name of the dead in whose memory some aid is extended to these little ones in their hour of need.

The following is a list of donors of beds sent through Sister Angelica:

Mrs. Frank B. Williams, Anita Barnett, Marie Antoinette Barbot, Mrs. C. E. Schilling, Willie Patout, for William and Mary Ruth Patout; "A Friend." Mrs. J. H. Burns, for Patout Burns; Mrs. Paul Fortier, Mrs. Louis Grunewald, Mrs. F. J. Kearney, two beds for Mary Beatrice Kearney and Frank Kearney, Jr.; Miss Stéphanie Levert, Mr. J. McMahon.

Since the last report, Mrs. Denegre sent the following list of donors:

R. E. Noel, McCall, Louisiana, in memory of his mother, Mrs. Ofeda Mary Noel; Mr. M. D. Lagan, Jr., and Mrs. J. DeGrange, in memory of their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Lagan.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Mrs. John H. Hinrichs to John Smith, portion, St. Peter, Galvez, Johnson and Carondelet Walk, \$250.—Legier.

Mrs. Widow Fred Schmidt et al to

INSURANCE STATEMENTS.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE, INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.

ANNUAL STATEMENT.

Alliance Insurance Company of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

For the year ending December 31st, 1916, published in conformity with Sections 1874 and 1875 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Louisiana, (as amended and re-enacted by Act 196 of 1916.)

Capital paid up \$ 750,000.00

Assets 9,000,000.00

Liabilities, less capital and surplus 1,000,000.00

Surplus 750,000.00

Premiums received in Louisiana, 1916:

Fire \$ 10,000.00

Marine 1,100.48

Total 10,110.48

Losses paid in Louisiana, 1916:

Fire 6,427.27

Marine 272.53

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