Resolve of the City Council concerning Strangers.

The Council resolves as follows:

Article the first. The regulation of the 1st of last January, concerning strangers, shall again be put in force from and after the publication of the present resolve, but only as the said regulation is modified by the following amendments.

Art 2. The clause of Article the 2d. of the said ordinance, which empowered Captains of vessels, Patrons of flat boats, barges &c. to deliver to the Levee warden a list of their passengers, is hereby repealed, and the said Captains, Patrons &c. shall be obliged, on their arrival, personally to deliver into the Mayoralty office the said list on oath, with the details prescribed by the first article of said ordinance.

Art 3. As to such strangers as may arrive by the Bayou, the Governor shall be requested to give the necessary orders that Patrons of boats and all other vessels whatever, sailing on said Bayou, be required,
on every trip, to make report of their arrival to the
officer commanding at Fort St. John, and to deliver
to him a list of the passengers they may have
on board, and the said officer shall be requested to
send, every Saturday, the said lists to the Governor,
who will please to transmit them to the Mayoral
office.

Art. 4. Independently of the lists which the
aforesaid Captains and Patrons are bound to deliver
in, all the passengers, except such as may have
ancendently resided at New Orleans, are required
to appear at the Mayoralty office, within twenty four
hours after their arrival, in order that their
colour may be ascertained, and that thus may be
fulfilled the act of the legislature of this Territory,
fulfilled the act of the legislature of this Territory.
bearing date the 14th of last April, entitled "An act
for preventing the entrance of people of colour into
the Territory of Orleans".
Art 5. All persons required by the foregoing articles to make, at the Mayoralty office, a declaration of their arrival in this City, shall pay into said office the sum of twelve cents and a half, as a fee for registering the same, which money shall be levied on captains for their passengers, and on Inn keepers, Masters or Mistresses of boarding houses &c. for the persons entertained by them, at the time of their delivering their lists, and a receipt for the same shall be delivered to them, as a voucher for their having fulfilled the formalities prescribed by the present resolve.

Art 6. The penalties imposed by article the 5th of the resolve of the 7th of last January shall be incurred in case of contravention to the dispositions of the present resolve, which shall be printed in the usual Newspapers, and stuck up wherever it may be necessary, that all persons may have due notice thereof.
Lynd Charles Trudean, President
Approved the 12th of December 1807
James Mathen, Mayor
Certified M. Bourgeois, City Clerk