COMMERCIAL.

MEDICAL.

Swedish and Hungarian Leeches.

THE subscriber is constantly receiving fresh importations of SWEDISH AND HUNGARIAN LEECHES, and is prepared to supply druggists by the hundred or thousand, at lowest prices. Also sold at retail.

JAMES SYME, Druggist,
corner Canal and Carondelet streets.
jy16 New Orleans.

Mineral Waters.

CONGRESS WATER—100 doz. from Messrs. Clarke & White's Congress Springs, Saratoga.
50 barrels BLUE LICK WATER.
20 do ABITA WATER.
20 do BLADON WATER, just received and for sale at
Drug and Chemical Store,
au13 corner of Canal and Carondelet streets, N. O.

WHOLESALE DRUG STORE.

PHYSICIANS,
DRUGGISTS,
PLANTERS and
COUNTRY DEALERS
Are invited to examine our stock, which embraces
Every Article in the Drug Line,
Guaranted of first quality, and offered at as favora ble prices as can be had in New Orleans.
JAMES SYME, Druggist,
157 and 159 Canal street, corner Carondelet,
jy16 New Orleans.

SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS,

on hand a large supply, comprising almost every instrument required by the surgeon, of French, English and American manufacture.

—also—

Dr. WELSH'S GUTTA PERCHA SPLINTS and FRACTURE APPARATUS, MEDICINE CHESTS, Mahogany Rosewood, Mahogany MEDICINE SADDLE-BAGS, for every style, for sale by
JAMES SYME, Druggist,
157 and 159 Canal street, corner Carondelet,
jy16 New Orleans.

APH. SCHWAB,
APOTHECARY.....No. 40 Conti street.

WORM CAKES.

SPECIALITY FOR WORM CASES.

RECEIVED per last Clearermont, from New York, expected soon per E. M. Stocman, from Havre, and per Archer, from Marseilles
MINERAL WATERS, French and German Springs,
CHEMICALS, for Apothecaries and Photographers;
DYE STUFFS, Herbs, Flowers, Trusses, Cloths &c.
For sale at the Drug Store of
ap9-1m APH. SCHWAB, 40 Conde st.

PAPER BOXES—For Apothecaries, for sale at
ap9 1m APH. SCHWAB'S, 40 Conde st.

TAMARINDS AND CASSIA PISTILLA—For sale at
ap9-1m APH. SCHWAB'S, 40 Conde st.

CONFECTIONERY.

J. VINCENT.
F. LEFEVRE, Successor,
Corner of St. Peter and Bourbon, and corner of Canal and Carondelet streets.

FRENCH respectfully informs the public that he has new and splendid Ladies' Saloons, open daily from 6 A. M. to the close of the theatre at night. Nothing has been neglected to give satisfaction to the ladies. The saloons are elegantly decorated.

A splendid assortment of ice creams, iced biscuits, sherbets, punch a la Romaine, vanilla, chocolate, lemon, strawberry, raspberry, apricot and almond ice cream, pine apple, strawberry, lemon, raspberry, apricot and gooseberry ices lemonade. my22 1y

SPLENDID STOCK.

P. MALLARD,
67 ROYAL STREET.....67

MR. P. MALLARD, being back from his trip to Europe, informs his numerous friends and the public generally that he has opened a magnificent choice of FURNITURE for parlor, dining room, bedroom, &c., from the best manufactories of Europe, from his own selection at
67, a splendid assortment of Lampas, Damask, Muslin, Rubbi ete, Guipe, and stuff of all the kinds for drapery and curtains.
Severe Chimney ars, fancy and plain white dilie, Cut glassware, Bronze Statuettes, Cornices, Window Shades, Mats, Rugs, Mirrors of all sizes and descriptions. All these articles having been purchased with the greatest care and under the personal superintendence of Mr. Mallard, he is confident the public generally to call and examine his stock, which he offers at the lowest cash prices.
oct4

A. Sherwood & Co.

REMOVED from No. 40 Chartres street, to No. 132 Camp street, (Touro buildings.) The undersigned offer, at their new store, a full and complete assortment of fresh goods, to wit:
Ribbons, all colors and numbers,
Latest style black Fringes,
A splendid assortment of Fringe and Tapes;
Buttons of every description,
Every article in the Mercery line, such as
Threads, Needles, Laces, Tapes, &c.
Fresh Parfumery, from the best Parisian houses.
PHILOCOME WATER.
The above mentioned articles and stops the falling of the hair, and has been used with the greatest success.
A Hair dress ng Saloon for Ladies and Children has been added to the establishment, with an extensive assortment of plain, braid bands, and curls.
oct13 A. BARRAUD & CO.

HAY—200 bales, rather unbolly, a very superior article, landing ex ship Hartford, and for sale by
JOSEPH H. MARKS & CO.,
oct15 76 and 78 Magazine st.

Superior Hardware Depot.

THE undersigned, now importers of GUNS & FILES of every description, offered at the lowest prices, and solicits a call from the trade.
Also, a large assortment of the following well known brands—
Chateau Lafitte, 1847, (grand vin) Chateau Margaux, Leoville, Larose, Lafaurie, Yquem, Coutet, Paulliac and St. Julien, in boxes, and fine cask Wines.
Also, a splendid supply of Rum, Cognac, Jamaica SCHRAUM GIN. SCHROEE & CO.,
oct16-1y 21 St. Charles street.

No. 38 Chartres street, corner of Customhouse.

LATEST STYLE GOODS.

OLYMPE & CO.

RESPECTFULLY inform ladies that they have just received an extensive and choice assortment of latest style goods, consisting of Bonnets for day and evening dress, Head flowers, Bonnet silk crapes, Ribbons and American manufactures,

—also—

Dress silks, striped and plain silks, printed foulard crapes, Bonnet velvet, Bonnet and silk muslin de laine, cashmere shawls, silk and woolen shawls, velvet and cloth cloaks, silk cloaks, embroidered handkerchiefs, latest style furnishing goods, morning furnishing goods, black and colored fringes, trimmings, ribbons, laces, gauzes, jewelry, fancy articles, &c.
The above articles having been carefully selected by Mrs. Olympe in the best Parisian houses, ladies, in calling, are invited to the certain pleasure of a kind patronage as heretofore. OLYMPE & CO.,
oct15 No. 34 Chartres street.

Paper-hanging!

DELCROIX,
108 ..... *Chartres street*, ... 108
Between Conti and Bienville.

IS now opening several invoices of the above articles, from the best manufactures in Paris. The assortment comprises every variety and new style Paper hanging, and cannot fail to meet with general satisfaction.

Persons desirous of buying new articles in the line for their apartments, are invited to call and examine Mr. Delcroix's goods, which are superior, and offered on moderate terms.
se18 DELCROIX, 108 Chartres st.

WHITE WINES—
20 casks Sauterne,
50 bbls do;
100 casks do;
100 do do, in half bottles;
100 do do, in quarter bottles;
100 40 Barsac;
100 do do, in half bottles;
in store and for sale by
JOSEPHINE THOMAS,
No. 9 Gravier street.

"SI J'ETAIS ROI!"

FOR SALE AT
BENOIT'S MUSIC STORE,
Chartres street, cor. Bienville.
The Score for song and Piano, and all the separate movements of the Opera
"SI J'ETAIS ROI!"
Pieces for Piano Solo, Quadrilles, Waltzes, Polkas, &c., and a fine assortment of NEW MUSIC for Piano solo.
ap9 Always on hand, Watson, Polkas, &c. by H. E. LEHMANN, Leader of the Orchestra for ball and evening parties. sep24

Chevrel and Spider Webs.

50 BOXES Washington Morsan Chevrel, qts, Marseilles, assorted, viz:
12 do do do, pints, do;
60 do do do, qts, Lafite do;
12 do do do, pints, do;
27 do do do, qts, Larose, 1845;
14 do do do, pints, do;
18 do do do, qts, Iscoville, do;
7 do do do, pints do do;
10 do do do, Rostorne, 1851;
Landing ex ship Morning Glory, from Bordeaux, and for sale by
FRELL & COUTURIE,
sep20 23 and 25 Gravier st

EXTRA TID per ship Oregon, from Havre, and for sale by
JOSEPH LANDS & CO.,
oct16 20 Old Levee st

SUET PEAS.—100 bbls. yellow; 25 bbl. bbls. green. For sale by
JOSEPH H. MARKS & CO.,
oct15 76 and 78 Magazine st.

GODCHAUX BROTHERS,

197 AND 198 OLD LEVEE STREET,
Just received per steamers Philadelphia, Star of the West, and ships Silas Holmes, Far West, Vicksburg and Westminster:
20 cases plain and fancy Balmoris;
25 do do do Cassimeres;
12 do black do;
18 do do blue and black Cloths.
Also, a very extensive assortment of gentlemen's and children's Clothing.
300 cases plain and boys' Hats, suitable for this market, at the very lowest prices. oct16

LANDING ex ship Victorine, from Bordeaux:—
1 tierce Pipes old Cognac Geboril;
10 eighth do do do do
20 casks claret Montferrand.
For sale by
TH. CAPITAINE,
oct15 13 Tchoupitoulas street.

TO ARRIVE per Oregon, from Havre—30 cases, 25 bbls each, and tierces in oil, 40 do, 150 half do do, do do, 300 quarter do do, do do; 15 bales plain cross pens, half and quarter boxes. For sale by
oct16 HENRY VALAT, 60 St. Louis st.

ADOLPHE BLANC,
29 Royal street.

RECEIVED by late arrivals, Fresh French Goods comprising in part:
Cravats, Collars, Scarfs,
Silk and Scotch Thread Gloves;
Linen Shirts;
Thread and Cambrelles;
Silk Cords and Scotch Thread Half Hose;
Linen Drawers,
White and Printed Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs &c., &c., &c.

Embroideries.

RECEIVED per late arrivals, 3000 dozen new collars and sleeves, new style Embroideries, &c., &c., for sale by
LION & PINSARD,
oct16 66 and 68 Royal st. corner Bienville.

BATH BRICKS—20 bbls
oct16 ALFRED KEARNY, 72 Magazine st

BRANDIES AND WINES—40 qr pipes cognac, Bisquin, 1830, 75 qr pipes, do do, 1840, in Custom house stores; 15 quarter do, Rochelle, 200 boxes, 12 Fenelon Medoc, 100 do, 24 half do, claret and white wine; 20 casks Bergasse wine. For sale by
H. E. LEHMANN, 181 Royal st

RECEIVED per Morning Glory, from Bordeaux:—
60 qrs no 1, Julien Claret; do do Claret, Rosse do Pontenac; 6 do Haut Sauterne Wine. For sale by
oct4 J. M. CUSSY.

EXTRA RED VINEGAR—50 bbls old Orleans; 15 do do Shenandoah, 1854. For sale by
oct16 C. VALETTE & CO. 26 Tchoupitoulas st

DEMIJOHNS—100 five gallon demijohns; 200 two gallon demijohns, for sale by
sep24 H. VALAUDON, 181 Royal st.

INSURANCE.

Mercantile Insurance Company of New Orleans.

Capital Stock $200,000 00
Premiums on Marine Risks $1,000,000 00
Premiums on Fire Risks 1,000,000 00
On Inland Risks 500,000 00
On River Risks 500,000 00
On Marine Risks 500,000 00
Total amount of assets $3,500,000 00

Liabilities—
Dividends $200,000 00
Premiums on risks not terminated 31st May, 1856 ..... 300,000 00
Net earned premiums 31st May, 1856 ..... 700,000 00
Losses—
On Fire Risks 300,000 00
On Inland Risks 25,000 00
On Marine Risks 50,000 00
Total amount of losses 375,000 00
Reinsurances paid other Companies 25,000 00
Tax per Act 1855 ..... 10,000 00
Expenses, loss adjusted 50,000 00
..... 100,000 00
Net profits for 31st May, 1856, Address of net earned premiums 700,000 00
Loss, reinsurance of net earned premiums on risks not terminated 30 per cent. instead of dividend 75,000 00
Net amount participating in profits $625,000 00

The Company have the following assets, viz:
Cash on hand $76,533 26
Bills receivable, secured by mortgage 151,535 00
Bills receivable as short date for premiums 126,000 00
Due for premiums in course of collection 100,311 56
Due by agents of the Company on account of collection 7,000 00
Real estate on Canal street 25,000 00
Citizens' Bank and Bank of Louisiana stock 34,456 00
Bills receivable, balance on subscription 24,963 26
..... $546,276 70

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.
Be it remembered, that on this 1st day of March, 1856, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for the city aforesaid, personally appeared Charles Borgs, President, and Charles Lawrence, Secretary of the Louisiana Mutual Insurance Company of New Orleans, who, being duly sworn according to law, deposed and say, that the foregoing statement is true and true, and a correct transcript from the books of the said Company.
CHARLES BORGS, President.
H. F. JARVIS, Secretary.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 26th day of March, 1856.
THOMAS E. HILLSBORNE, Notary Public.
Second Justice of the Peace for the Parish of Orleans.

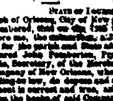
The Board of Trustees have resolved to pay Six per cent. interest on the scrip certificates of 1856, payable on and after the second Monday of May next, and have declared a scrip dividend of Twenty-five per cent. on the net earned premiums of the past year, for which scrip certificates will be issued on and after the first day of June next, and they have reserved the balance of the net profits of the year to meet pending and unadjusted claims against the Company.
The Company continue to insure against loss and damage by fire and perils of the seas and rivers, at current rates of premium.
Office in iron building corner of Camp and Natchez streets.

ANTOINE CARRIERE, Vice-President.
CHAS. BRIGGS, President.

P. H. JARVIS, Secretary.

A. Carriere,	Geo. A. Peebles,	A.R. Montgomery,
J. Thornhill,	C. H. Gregor,	H. Napoleon,
W. A. Violich,	A. Baldwin,	Wm. Urquhart,
R. Brugier	H. Pilcher,	D. P. Logan,
F. Wilson,	J. H. Fourcy,	J. Armstrong,
C. Fassy,	A. Lassere,	J. W. Barbridge,
John Fox,	Wm. Byrne,	Wm. Byrne, Jr.
E. Gaudchaux,	R. C. Cammack,	Wm. Prehn,
J. H. Oglesby,	G. W. Dunbar,	A. F. Robichon,
J. Hosmild,	F. W. Birkhead,	Jules Dolhonde,
J. T. Heuneman,	P. Martin,	A. Cammack.

Home Mutual Insurance Company of New Orleans.



THE following statement of the affairs of this Company is published in conformity with the requirements of their charter, viz:
Amount of premiums received the year ending 31st December, 1855 ..... $546,006 39
Amount of unterminated risks, 31st December, 1854 ..... 92,304 00
..... $638,310 39
Amount of premiums for year ending 31st December, 1855 ..... $600,288 39
Viz: For premiums on Fire risks $375,012 23
For premiums on River risks 200,426 39
For premiums on Marine risks 22,850 27
..... $598,288 89
Less premiums on risks not terminated 31st December, 1855 ..... $438,567 00
Return premiums 5,647 50
..... $156,214 89
Net earned premiums for the year ending 31st December, 1855 ..... $604,066 00
Losses during the same period, viz:
On Fire risks $146,067 29
On River risks 30,414 55
On Marine risks 30,276 56
..... $206,758 40
Re-insurance, expenses, interest, commissions, &c., less interest, discount, etc. 13,648 64
..... $671,748 34
Net earned profits for the year ending December 31, 1855 ..... $40,200 00

The Company have the following assets, viz:
Invested in mortgages on property worth double the amount invested, bearing interest $82,950 00
Invested in real estate 64,612 00
Invested in bank stocks 135,000 00
Invested in real estate, (about 75 Company-used) 51,000 00
Bills receivable, secured by mortgage 144,000 70
Bills receivable, balance on subscription 44,618 00
Due for premiums, in course of collection 12,000 51
Cash on hand 60,000 10
Total amount of assets $644,971 31

The Board of Trustees have resolved to pay an interest of six per cent., in cash, on the outstanding certificates of profits, to the holders thereof, or to their legal representatives, on and after Monday, the 14th of February next.
The Board of Trustees have also declared a dividend of Twenty per cent. on the net earned premiums of the year ending the 31st December, 1855, for which certificates will be issued on and after the 15th of March next.
The Board of Trustees have to report a continued growth of the business, and have to congratulate the public on the present safety of the Company, which, in the current state of things, is unprecedented.
ALEXANDER MILLAUDON, President.
JOHN LEWIS, Vice President.

JAMES H. WORMSER, Secretary.
New Orleans, January 16, 1856.

John R. Grymes,	A. H. Levy,	E. E. Chevron,
Geo. T. Wood,	Wm. Kohn,	W. J. Lessy,
Maunsel White,	Jos. Hale,	Wm. Winter,
Edward Hall,	John Hill,	S. Whitney,
J. F. Merrick,	Wm. A. Bell,	Bell Wilson,
Joseph Bell,	Thos. Urquhart,	W. H. Avery,
Joseph Roy,	J. G. Chaze,	A. Bowman,
R. D. Fellows,	J. A. Sanderson,	J. Penn,
Wm. Nott,	Wm. Vaught,	Wm. Hemmick,
W. C. Hunsaker,	Thos. Urquhart,	Jos. Bell,
L. D. C. Grant,	S. S. Cleary,	Sidney Bell,

O. CARRERE,
TWO HARDWARE HARDWARE STORES,
No. 120 Old Levee street.

RECEIVED from late arrivals, Fresh Hardware and Cutlery.
Oil cans, sprinkling cans, copper and tinned Sauce Pans,
Wrought Iron Nails, bolts, bolts, bolsters, locks, latches, hinges, screws, &c.
Butcher's knives, steels, hooks, pins, smooth, jointer, and fore and aft planes,
Carpenter's and Shipwright's adzes, hatchets, &c.
Coopers' and Shipwrights' tools, jointers, crozes, howels and adjusters of all sizes,
Augers, bits, gimlets, screw drivers, &c.
Shovels & Ash's spades and ash handles,
Cutlery, shears and scissors, Sheffield's do, do,
Razors, pen and pocket knives,
Locks, latches, bolts, bells, knockers, &c.
Iron and brass bed screws, bed keys, &c.
Bench screws, bench pins, planes, smooth, jointer, fore and aft planes,
Carpenter's and Shipwrights' adzes, hatchets, &c.
Coopers