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NEW ORLEANS:
SATURDAY MORNING, FEB. 14, 1863.

Sales at Auction To-Day.

By R. Scott, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the upper Picayune Tier, cargo of fruits.

By R. B. Sykes, at 10 o'clock, at No. 50 Magazine street, groceries, provisions and liquors.

By D. E. Morphy, at 10 o'clock, at No. 47 Magazine street, sundries.

By E. M. Jacobs, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, property on the Gentilly road.

By R. T. Montgomery, at 11½ o'clock, A. M., at the landing of the Laurel Hill, cotton; at 12 o'clock, M., at No. 93 Camp street, grocer'es, liquors and flour.

By McCerren & Landry, at 11 o'clock, at their sales room, furniture.

VARIETIES THEATRE.—Sheridan Knowles's beautiful play, "Love," was performed at the Varieties last night to a very good house. Without particularising the rendition of the various parts, we must admit the piece was produced with no common success; and we could not better convey the expression of our appreciation of its production by using the words of the programme itself, and adding our testimony to its assurances that it was "elegantly mounted and correctly costumed." In this particular, leaving aside the merits of its rendition, "Love" will occupy an important page in the repertorial traditions of the Varieties. "Evadne, or the Hall of Statues," and "Married Life," are on the programme for to-night.

MR. RYER'S BENEFIT.—Mr. Ryer's benefit on Thursday night drew an immense audience to the Varieties. The theatre was crowded to its utmost capacity, Mr. Ryer gave a splendid rendition of the character of *Shylock* in the "Merchant of Venice," and so different from the traditional Shylock of the stage was his appreciation of the *personnel* of the character that many of the audience did not recognize him in his make up when he first appeared. Soon, however, the power and skill of the actor confessed itself and the audience greeted his efforts with rounds of applause. Much as we had expected from Mr. Ryer in the character of *Shylock*, we must confess that his personation of this marvellous creation of Shakespeare's surpassed our expectations. It is but justice to him to say that it was a complete triumph. At the end of the play he was called before the curtain and returned thanks for the ovation—for such it was—in appropriate terms. Mr. Ryer was well supported, but as the chief interest of the play centers in the character of *Shylock*, we do not deem it necessary to particularize further at present. We shall speak more fully of the performance of the "Merchant of Venice" in case it should be repeated.

We may remark, however, that, in our opinion, Mrs. Gladstane should more naturally have been cast for the character of *Portia*. Mrs. Gladstane's reading of Tennyson's poem of "The Charge of the Light Brigade" was an artistic performance, and met with loud applause from the audience.

The admirable performance on the violin by Mr. Oliveira (supported by Mr. Gruelling on the piano) of *morceaux* from the opera "Il Pirata," and that musical jeu d'esprit, "The Carnival of Venice," were well received by the audience; although the noisy demonstrations of brats in the galleries disturbed both the audience and the performers. The management should look to this; and a sufficient police force should be on hand to eject summarily all such disturbers of order and decorum. Under the management of John Owens such a disturbance would not have occurred, and we look to the management to maintain for the Varieties the reputation that this theatre has always enjoyed in this city for elegance and refinement. "The French Spy," with Miss Angela Sefton in the character of the *Spy*, introduced that young lady to the audience in a new and favorable light, and whilst we regret she was not supported as she should have been—there being an apparent *nonchalance* about the performance of some of the other actors—it is with pleasure that we testify to the success that she achieved in her difficult and fatiguing *rôle*. Her delicate physique scarcely suffices to carry her through such a scene as the combat scene between the *Spy* and *Mahommed*, and, in our opinion, this scene was too prolonged. Her personation, however, fully authorizes the reputation which she enjoys as a pantomimist.

We have rarely witnessed so large a number of persons at the Varieties as thronged the theatre on this occasion; and but for the *savoir faire* [illegible] displayed by Mr. Howcott, the popular treasurer of the Varieties, much confusion would have ensued; but Mr. Howcott's ease put all to rights, and he performed his herculean task with credit to himself and satisfaction to all. It would be much better if those who desire to attend a benefit performance would secure their tickets in advance, and thus avoid the consequent confusion and delay incidental to the sale of tickets on the night of the benefit.

As a whole, the evening's performances went off with great success, and Mr. Ryer may well feel proud of his benefit.

THE CONCERT AT THE OPERA-HOUSE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE POOR.—Decidedly one of the most interesting features of the entertainments of the coming week, will be the grand vocal and instrumental concert to be given at the Opera-House, for the benefit of the poor, under the auspices of a number of ladies and gentlemen of our city. We have already stated that this concert was being organized, and that its performance would shortly come off. It is now arranged to take place at the Opera-House on Monday night; and from the preparations which we know are being made, we may well bespeak a brilliant success on the occasion. We do not extend at present upon the characters of the pieces to be given, or of the merits of the amateurs who will lend their talent to make of the concert a triumph commensurate with the merits of the occasion; but in our next we will refer at greater length to the subject.

R. T. Montgomery will make this day, (Saturday) the 14th inst., at 11½ o'clock, at the landing of the steamer Laurell Hill, an important sale of 19 bales cotton. Those wishing to invest with certain prospects of large profits should be promptly present at the hour of sale At 12 o'clock, at salesroom 93 Camp street, choice flour, butter, bacon, and sundry groceries At 11 o'clock, at the old auction mart, 87 Camp street, the usual sale of furniture, carpets, and sundry other merchandise.

Attention is called to the large sale of groceries, wines, liquors, oils, &c., to take place this morning, at 10 o'clock, at the corner of Magazine and Natchez streets, by R. Scott, auctioneer. See advertisement under auction sales.

R. Scott, auctioneer, will sell this day, at 2 o'clock, at Picayune Tier, opposite Jackson Square, the cargo of schooner Cora, consisting of fruits, &c.—to which the attention of fruit-dealers is particularly called. See advertisement under head of auction sales.

Furniture, carpets, &c., at auction to-day, at 11 o'clock, by McCerren & Landry.

The Latest News from Southern Sources.

The *True Delta* in a second edition published the following news last evening:

We have received the Memphis (Jackson, Miss.) *Appeal* of Sunday, 8th inst., from which we make up the subjoined summary of late and important news:

Operations in Front of Vicksburg.

THREE CONFEDERATE STEAMERS CAPTURED.

Mr. Geo. Clotworthy, ordnance agent from Richmond, who made his escape from the Moro, after her capture by the Queen of the West, and reached the city last night, gives us the following information regarding the operations of the Queen of the West after running the gauntlet of our batteries at Vicksburg.

Just before daylight on the morning of the 3d, the Queen of the West captured the steamer A. W. Baker, loaded with sugar and molasses, and having thirty Confederate officers on board as passengers, mostly Arkansians, nine of whom made their escape. On the same morning, about sunrise, she captured the steamer Moro, from Jefferson, Texas, with 180,000 pounds fresh pork on board for the army at Port Hudson, and about 11 o'clock the steamer Berwick Bay, from Atchafalaya, for Port Hudson, with one hundred bales of cotton and two hundred barrels of flour on board, fell into her hands. The flour belonged to a private party. The crews of the several boats were detained as prisoners.

After capturing these boats, the Queen of the West placed a guard of eight men aboard each of them, lashed them together and anchored them in the middle of the river, when she left, with the avowed purpose of going up to Alexandria, on Red river. Just before the Queen of the West left, the Moro was allowed to land for the purpose of putting ashore some lady passengers, when our informant, Mr. Clotworthy, who passed as second clerk of that boat, went ashore as if to care for the ladies, and managed to make his escape with important documents. Finding a Confederate officer in the neighborhood, he informed him of the condition the boats were in, the strength of their guard, &c., and it was thought that they would be recaptured. The fact that the Queen of the West returned to the mouth of the canal below Vicksburg alone, makes it quite probable that they were, as one great object of the trip they acknowledged to be to capture boats on the river to use as transports in crossing their troops below Vicksburg.

The Queen of the West carried six 12 pounder rifled guns, one of which was broken into many pieces by a ball from one of the batteries at Vicksburg. She was struck twenty times while passing Vicksburg, three 128-pound balls passing clear through her upper works, which were protected as far as possible with cotton bales. Her crew consisted of one hundred and fifty men, who volunteered for the occasion, and were taken on board below Vicksburg, after the boat had passed the batteries. She was commanded by Col. Ellett, of the ram fleet.

THE CONNESTOGA RETURNED FROM BELOW—SPECULATIONS AS TO HER FUTURE MOVEMENTS.

From a Vicksburg letter of the 6th to the *Appeal* we make the accompanying extracts:

The black smoke of a steamer yesterday morning below the bend of the river, indicated that the ram Connestoga had returned from her cruise below. Later in the day she came up to the upper side of the point and anchored in the vicinity of the mouth of the canal. She kept up a full head of steam all day, and the opinion was entertained by a good many that it was her intention to go up to join the fleet above, from which she started out. But no attempt was made during the day to get past the batteries. No particulars of her trip have yet been received here, and her quick return accords very much with my expectation.

The river bank is full, and the water now in the canal prevents them from doing any more work upon it. It is quite likely that the transports will be able to pass through, and when all arrangements are made the work of carrying troops down may commence without any further notice.

Some apprehensions were felt yesterday that the Connestoga would attempt to run up to the fleet during the night, and every thing was put in readiness in order to prevent another such a humiliating failure on the part of our batteries, as was witnessed on her passage down. But there was no occasion for these preparations, further than the prudence it manifested of being prepared at all times for any emergency. It is not likely that this boat has any desire to get back to the fleet above. Her object has been accomplished by running down, and she will, no doubt, stay there until the balance of the fleet makes the grand demonstration. This morning she had dropped out of sight, but it is not supposed she has gone any distance below. A tremendous smoke and steam among the fleet this morning indicates a movement, but up to the middle of the forenoon nothing has occurred. NESTOR.

Other News Items.

From the *Whig* of the 6th we take what follows:

REMOVAL OF NON COMBATANTS.

Another order has been issued by General Pemberton for the non-combatant citizens of Vicksburg to remove beyond the reach of danger before the attack by the enemy. It will be necessary to make some arrangements by which the destitute families may be enabled to move. Many are without resources and have no place to go to. It will become necessary for some of our country people to come to the assistance of these indigent families and provide quarters for them, and means will have to be procured for their support. We hope immediate arrangements will be made to provide for this class.

FIRE.

Early yesterday morning a fire broke out in one of the buildings known as the "Verandas," near the depot, owned by Mr. Robert Swearengen. The fire soon spread to our fellow citizen, building, the residence of our fellow citizen, Wm. H. Stephens, and, in a short time, both houses were entirely consumed. Mr. Swearengen's house was occupied by soldiers, and it is said the fire was attributable to their not properly repairing the hearth.—*From the Citizen.*

A CRASH.

During the cold rain last night a wooden shed, standing in front of the Workhouse, caved in with a tremendous crash, startling the neighbors, who thought the Federals were coming.

During the fire this morning, a large number of Federals came to the river bank, opposite to see what was going on. They, no doubt, thought that Vicksburg was about being destroyed by incendiarism.

The ram which passed our batteries on Monday morning, after having made a reconnoissance down the river to the vicinity of the mouth of Red river, arrived at Brown & Johnston's again yesterday forenoon, and laid there all day. She will, no doubt, remain in her present position until some demonstration is made.

Brigadier-General Stephen D. Lee has been placed in command of the batteries here. An admirable appointment.

FROM BRAGG'S ARMY.

We may look for heavy skirmishing daily from this date, and with Gen. Joe Johnston to direct, we may also look for a general engagement within a week or ten days, and feel confident of success.

Rosecrans is so completely hemmed in by our "irregular" cavalry—as an English officer terms them—that he cannot send out a foraging party over three miles, and they have to be supported by an entire brigade of infantry.

As you may readily imagine, we were not altogether ignorant of the recent movements of the Federals, and I would be glad to say something of "the situation," in and around here, did prudential considerations permit. Suffice it to say, our gallant officers and men were eager to give the enemy a suitable reception, and everything "gave note of awful preparation." Whatever movement may be next attempted, the country reposes with confidence on the skill and valor of Lee and his living wall of brave men, who have "won the loud acclaim of praise" on every battle field of the "Old Dominion."

LATER FROM THE NORTH.

Richmond, February 6.—The New York *Herald* says the rise in gold has largely depreciated the assets of the banks as to render most of them insolvent.

The necessity is incumbent on the Senate to pass the House finance bill, or stop the war.

The cotton excitement in New York is described as marvelous, such has been the advance in cotton goods, and they have so rapidly changed hands, that the multiplied commissions on many stocks exceed the original cost.

The reception of McClellan, at the Tremont House, was very enthusiastic. The leading business houses closed, and the proprietors and employés joined in the demonstration.

Horace Vernet died in Paris on the 17th ult. Reid Saunders has been sent to Fort Lafayette.

CONFEDERATE STATES CONGRESS.

Richmond, February 6.—The Senate passed the appropriation bill, and the Supreme Court bill was further debated.

In the House nothing of importance was done.

Mr. Kenner reported a bill for funding the currency, which was made the order of the day for Tuesday next.

REPUBLICAN SENATOR IN NEW YORK.

Northern dates of the 4th have been received by the *Enquirer*. Erastus Corning was nominated by the Democrats of New York for Senator. The first ballot in the Legislature resulted, Morgan 64, Corning 62, Dix 1, Wood 1. Second ballot, Dix 65, Corning 63. The Legislature then assembled in joint convention, when Morgan was elected, receiving 86, Corning 10.

THE NEW YORK HERALD DESPONDENT.

The New York *Herald* has a lugubrious editorial, predicting a consolidated despotism or a number of petty military republics in the North. It says it will no longer do for the goat at Washington to telegraph that our foreign relations are quite satisfactory. It thinks Napoleon means to kick up a muss, and in doing so will be aided by Spain. This, it says, is proved by the resignation of the Spanish Minister, &c.

THE CAPTURE OF THE PRINCESS ROYAL—HER CARGO VERY VALUABLE.

The Richmond *Whig* states that the British steamer Princess Royal recently captured off Charleston by the blockaders, had on board a most valuable cargo, consisting of eight Whitworth guns, four steam engines for gunboats, rifles, powder, etc. The bulk of her freight was about 900 tons weight and measurement. A party of English workmen, skilled in the manufacture of projectiles were captured with the vessel. The pilot and one or two of her crew escaped in a boat, and reached Charleston in safety. We are gratified to learn that important dispatches from Capt. Maury to the Government were saved by these persons.

LOSS OF THE CONFEDERATE STEAMER ORETO.

[Special to the Daily Appeal.]

Grenada, February 7, 1863.—The Memphis papers of the 4th have been received. Northern dispatches say the Florida was lost off Cardenas.

IMPORTANT FROM KENTUCKY.

In the Kentucky Legislature, while debating the future policy of the State, Zeb Ward spoke against submission. Unionists favor sustaining the proclamation. A number of Ohioans and Indianians were in attendance.

MORGAN'S CAVALRY BUSY.

Morgan's cavalry are quite busy along the Cumberland and Tennessee rivers. Numerous captures of transports and scouting parties of Federals are reported.

ANOTHER DISPATCH.

[Special to the Memphis Appeal.]

Grenada, February 7.—The Memphis *Bulletin* of the 4th quotes cotton at 96 cents.

The Kentucky Legislature has passed a bill instructing her troops not to enforce Lincoln's proclamation, by a vote of 69 to 15.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE LOUISIANA LEGISLATURE.—The *Picayune* yesterday published the following:

In addition to the conscription clause of the military bill, passed by the Louisiana Legislature during the recent session at Opelousas, an appropriation of $10,000,000 was made for carrying out the provisions of the bill. Colonel H. W. Allen, who was badly wounded in the battle of Baton Rouge, was appointed Major-General of the State militia, in place of Major-General John L. Lewis.

The Legislature also passed a bill declaring all sales by confiscations, or otherwise, for taxes to the United States, or for the benefit of the Federal Government, to be null and void.

The adjournment of the Legislature was to the second Monday in May next, at Shreveport.

Garibaldi, according to reports from Turin, is once more in the political world. He has accepted the presidency of the Roman Committee of Action, and, in reply to the offer made to him, he advises the Romans to "listen once more to his counsels, and to place confidence only in themselves."

"Disquietude in the Northwest,"

Under this heading the New York *Journal of Commerce* publishes extracts from various Western papers relative to the condition of things in that section, stating that it "must soon cause alarm, unless the tendency of public sentiment there receives a sudden check." Among other extracts the following from the Chicago *Tribune* occurs, which the *Journal* styles as being "in every sense revolutionary:"

We assure them that the ties of the Northwest to New England are not indissoluble; but they are stronger than the bonds which unite us to New York, and, if in the changes and reorganizations that are possible as the consequence of the present revolt, it is necessary for the West to make an election where she will go, she will become an appendage of neither the Middle States nor of the South. She will declare her independence of both, and right here in the heart of the continent, the possessor of the finest soil and the best climate in the hemisphere, with more than ten millions of people, and the prospect of a rapid increase, *will organize an empire that will dominate over all other factions of the republic*, and which will have the power to compel the opening of half a dozen routes to tide water upon terms and conditions that we now plead for in vain.

The *Journal* adds:

All this because of the terms of Gov Seymour's message, and the fact that the tolls received by New York State on Western produce are thought to be excessive. The same journal, on the 23d instant, charged that a scheme was on foot in the Legislature of that State, to take the control of the military out of the hands of the Governor and vest it in a board of usurpers, accompanying this assertion with the remark that it may be in the power of the Copperheads (Democrats) "to light the torch of civil war in Illinois." This is only an illustration of the spirit with which political controversies are being conducted in some of the Northwestern States, which we give, that attention may be directed to the subject and the public forewarned. That editor who, in this critical period, when strong passions are easily excited, will deal so recklessly in fierce vituperation, kindling partisan animosity and embittering sectional jealousy, is either strangely blind to the consequences which may ensue or is wholly indifferent to the public weal.

The *Journal* then comments on the following paragraph from the St. Louis *Democrat*:

The St. Louis *Democrat* also discourses about "revolution in Illinois," on account of a proposed amendment of the State Constitution, remarking as follows:

"In view of these facts, it is plain to be seen that a crisis of no little importance, if the conspirators do not pause in their work, is approaching in the affairs of our sister State of Illinois. Upon Governor and people alike will rest a fearful responsibility. The Governor is pledged by his oath of office to defend and maintain the Constitution. Such a direct and palpable assault upon its provisions as appears to be in contemplation by its enemies, cannot fail to escape his notice and demand his interposition by all the power he possesses."

In Indiana the Legislature is in like manner agitated by partisan debates. Governor Morton professes to have evidence that secret political organizations in that State are seeking the overthrow of the government, and with numbers sufficient to excite apprehensions on his part, not only in regard to Indiana, but all the Northwestern States.

As a counterpoise to the spirit exhibited by the radical papers quoted above, the *Journal* gives the following paragraph from the Indianapolis *Sentinel* "among the most reliable journals in the State," and goes on to state:

The Indianapolis *Sentinel*, among the most reliable journals in the State, says no same man can believe such a statement, but adds:—

"There are credible rumors afloat that the Republicans are organizing secret societies in different parts of the State, and that the members are being furnished with arms. What can be the occasion and what the purpose of such organizations? Has the Governor made any effort to ascertain the character, numbers and objects of these Republican secret clubs? Is he favoring a policy, the effect of which will be to organize opposing secret clubs throughout the State, to create factions among the people, and which will result in bitter and perhaps sanguinary feuds?"

The *Journal* finally closes its commentaries on this question with the following reflections:

We might quote from papers in Ohio and Wisconsin, to show that in those States also the current of political affairs runs very turbid. The Cincinnati *Gazette*, for example, under the head, "Traitors in the North," says the present universal toleration has demonstrated the necessity for holding a strong hand over sedition in the North. "Enemies in war have no rights," &c. This language is not restricted to those who are real offenders, but is so comprehensive in its application as to include all who are supposed to be heterodox in public faith. As might be expected, public feeling is much exasperated, but there are some indications that it is the settled determination of the radical party organs of the Northwest to excite popular frenzy to the point of revolution. In fact, private letters from the West speak of revolution as actually in progress. It is impossible to divine what may be the secret intentions of those who are thus fomenting discord at home while our armies are abroad in the field, though it is easy to see that unless wiser counsels prevail, tempered by more moderation, serious mischief may ensue.

Summary of the Latest Telegraphic News to the Northern Press.

We give below a summary of such portions of the news contained in our Northern exchanges, as have not hitherto been published.

The United States War Department have sent out arms and officers perfectly competent and willing to enlist, drill and put into action all loyal blacks who may rally around the flag, at the new rendezvous to be opened at Brunswick, Georgia.

On Tuesday night the five o'clock train on the Flushing Railroad ran off the track at the Flushing depot, owing to the misplacement of a switch. The engineer and fireman were injured severely, and some of the passengers bruised, and all of them scared.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the American Telegraph Company on Wednesday, the 28th instant, the old Board of Directors were re-elected. At a subsequent meeting of the Board, E. S. Sanford was elected President, Cambridge Livingston, Secretary, and Francis Morris, Treasurer.

It is said that General Cameron will soon resign his office of Minister to St. Petersburg. A promise made to Cassius M. Clay, immediately after his return from Russia, will be renewed by accrediting him anew to the Court of the Czar. Simeon Cameron offers to lead a brigade of colored Unionists into the heart of the rebellion.

A Washington correspondent says: "The city is full of rumors to-day that General McClellan has tendered his resignation. Ever since the publication of General Hitchcock's letter, severely commenting on General McClellan's conduct, the gossippers have been noising it around that the latter would be court-martialed on charges preferred by the former, in behalf of the President."

The iron-clad Indianola has gone to fight. She is new, neatly completed, and has a formidable armament. The theatre of her military operations will be the Cumberland. The commander, Lieutenant Brown, who "opened the ball" at Cape Hatteras. It would seem likely that the power of the 15-inch guns on the walls and fortresses, after all, are to be tested first in the West, whilst the Charleston fleet are "preparing to act."

Politicians are considerably excited by rumors, very positively stated, that Gen. Fremont is about to be placed at the head of the War Department, and that the recent withdrawal of Thurlow Weed from the *Evening Journal* was preliminary to pressing him vigorously for United States Senator. Mr. Weed is more familiar than any other man in New York with the active politicians in every village in the State, and if there is a purpose to run him for United States Senator, he will hold strong cards.

A report prevails alleging the purpose of Gen. Halleck to do away with the division of the army of the Potomac into grand divisions or grand *corps d'armée*, leaving each regular division under the command of its senior officer, as some months ago. In connection with it is another report saying, that the defences of Washington are to be constituted into a department entirely separate from the army of the Potomac, and commanded by an officer who is not to be under the command of the commander of that army.

There can be now nothing wrong in stating that, within the last few weeks, the incompleted vessels built on the Monitor plan have undergone some considerable improvement. A few days since the Catskill was taken from the Continental Iron Works to Hunter's Point, where she was put upon a marine railway, to have additional strength imparted to the sections, the dividing line between which was most deleteriously affected by the sea in the Monitor and Passaic. The Sangamon, at Chester, Pa., has also been subjected to a thorough process of strengthening; and even her interior has been somewhat remodeled. The Nantucket, at Boston, benefitted by the same course of treatment; and the Lehigh, at Chester, will be made even stronger than the others. Were it not this extra work, the fleet bound South would have been stronger than it is. The Monitor disaster has thus been the cause of changing the details of the plans on which two classes of armed ships were built.

NEW YORK LEGISLATURE.—*The Question of Arbitrary Arrests.*—A telegram of January 29, from Albany, says:

The principal feature of the proceedings of the House to day was the discussion on the resolutions appointing an investigating committee on the arbitrary arrests in this State; also to inquire whether any judge had refused to grant a writ for their appearance.

Judge Dean spoke in support of the resolution, and enumerated the most prominent cases, including that of Mrs. Brinsmade, and gave a brief history of some of the most prominent points. At first the Republicans opposed the consideration of the subject, but were met by the other side with some astounding facts about these arrests that fully smoked them out, and a two-thirds vote was obtained for making the resolution the special order to-morrow. To-morrow will, therefore, be an important session.

FLAG OF TRUCE BOATS—*Exchange of Prisoners.*—A Fortress Monroe letter of the 29th says:

The flag of truce boats New York, Metamora and Express, under charge of Capt. John E. Mulford, Third Regiment New York Volunteers, arrived last evening about dark from City Point, with near 2000 Union prisoners, and left at a late hour for Annapolis. Nothing now has transpired in relation to the exchange of officers; but since the late captures at Arkansas Post, the rebels are more inclined to fall back upon the provisions of the cartel arranged by Col. Ludlow and Commissioner Ould. The people of Richmond do not seem to relish the prospect of retaliatory measures on the part of our Government, if Davis's proclamation is carried into effect.

FRENCH MEDIATION.—A Washington telegram, of January 29, to the New York *Herald*, says:

There is the best authority for saying that the statement that the Emperor of the French has made a renewed proposal of mediation to the British Government since the battle of Fredericksburg is entirely without truth. The unfriendly interpretation put upon the Emperor's remarks respecting the United States by a portion of the press, and the reports of conferences with Mr. Slidell, are unjust and unfounded.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

A Pleasant Change.—Frosts, freezes, fierce winds, and frowning firmaments have so frequently been the theme of every mention made of the weather for many days past, that it becomes almost a duty to place on the record that all these have passed away, and in their stead reins bright skies, warm zephyrs, and general gladness, so far as depends upon the weather.

Rearrest of an Escaped Prisoner.—Special officer Gallagher, of the Fourth District, succeeded on Thursday in arresting Tony Truxillo, who made his escape from the prison in the Customhouse a few days ago. He had been sentenced by the former Military Commission to pay a fine of $500—failing to pay which, he was committed. Truxillo, it will be remembered, was tried before the Military Commission as a participant in the celebrated Ellis tar and feathering case; he formerly was sergeant of the Fourth District police.

United States Provisional Court—Judge Peabody.—The case of J. D. Hersey vs. J. D. Denegre and Oliver Rose came up on motion of the defendants to dismiss suit, on the ground that the petition does not show cause of action. Plaintiff avers having paid a mortgage note due J. D. Denegre by Rose as purchaser of a lot from Denegre, and claims the privilege of the vendor, Mr. Wm. H. Hunt, for defendant, claimed that plaintiff acquired no such right when he paid the note for a third party, and no right of action against Denegre. After some discussion, plaintiff's counsel was allowed to amend his petition by a supplementary one.

In the case of Jackson vs. Rieland, evidence was produced showing that the property attached on plantation was going to destruction, and the Marshal was authorized by the Court to have it properly taken care of, and brought to the city in marketable condition.

Two cases under the above title were fixed by agreement of counsel, Messrs. Hunt and Fellowes, for next Monday.

In the case of Pilcher vs Goodrich Mr. Fellowes made application for the possession of certain sugars in the hands of the Sequestration Commission, which had been attached by his clients, and some bond given therefor, but it appeared that the Commission had not determined upon its course in such cases, several of the kind having arisen, and the question was left for the present.

The Court then adjourned.

Provost Court—Judge Peabody.—Jane Sullivan, tall and cheeky, was arraigned on the charge of giving a soldier clothes to desert with, and for concealing his watch. The principal prosecutrix was an old woman with half a nose, and she made a very virtuous account for herself, while she endeavored to fasten these charges upon the accused. But the face of the whole affair materially changed while the other side of the story was being told, to which the Judge listened most patiently and kindly. From the whole of it, it was quite apparent that the old woman was a genuine demirep, procuress, inveigler of both sexes, and a downright hag of the first water, that in this affair she had used the girl to decoy, drug, and rob the soldier, all which was successfully accomplished; and at last, viler still, she made this accusation and had her poor weak tool arrested. It was clear, too, from the tale of the accused, which was certainly "plain and unvarnished," that she was more weak than vicious, and though her virtue was of the "easy" sort, she had some of the better nature still left in her. Solomon could not have decreed more justly than this—fining and warning the prosecutrix, and letting go free the unfortunate accused.

Bernard Keenan was examined on the charge of dealing in gold, silver and uncurrent money without license. He said he made no pretentions to being a broker, and had no shop, but it was proved that he had bought some old plasters and a little gold in the by ways, and he was accordingly fined $25.

The colored Amelia and Susanna, for fighting, $2 each.

A hand organist, for grinding in the public streets without a license, was fined $5.

Mr. King was dismissed from the charge of being concerned in stealing a barrel of turpentine and a barrel of lard from an old warehouse.

Michael Kelly, Ninth Connecticut, for a furious raid upon an orange woman's basket and stock in trade, was fined $6, damages, and confined ten days.

The penknife stabbing case of John Reilly by Alex Murray did not amount to much, only $3 on each party; both were steamboatmen and used to knocks and cuts.

An obstreperous black sailor had to pay $15, two colored landlubbers were fined $5 for fighting; and an officer's servant was dismissed from the charge of watchstealing, no prosecutor appearing.

Th. Clark, assault and battery on his wife—he whipped her because she whipped the child, and the Judge punished both by a fine of $3 each.

S. McCormick, another wife-threatener, had also to pay $3.

Billy O. C. Donnell was fined $25 and required to give bonds to keep the peace, for assaulting a policeman.

E. T. Owen was fined $10 for carrying concealed a pair of those cursed, cowardly brass knuckles, which were found on him when arrested for refusing to disperse from an unlawful assemblage.

The two alleged pickers up of two porkers, belonging to Alex. Kincaid, were up, but at their request the case was postponed.

Sixth District Court—Judge Howell.—In this Court yesterday sixteen judgments were rendered against as many property-holders in the Third District, in favor of Dennis Cronan, for paving done under his contract with the city.

COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE BEE,
FRIDAY EVENING, February 13 1863

SUGAR.—To-day's sales are confined to about 200 hhds., in several lots, at 8¾c. for Fair to Good Fair, new crop, and 8¾c. for Fair to Good Fair, old crop. A lot of about 200 bbls. cistern bottoms sold at 4¾ @5c ₱ lb. The stock is light, and the receipts are limited.

MOLASSES.—About 380 bbls. sold to-day at 37c. for new dark fermenting, and 58c. ₱ gallon for Prime.

CORN.—200 sacks white sold from first hands at $1 47½c. ₱ bushel.

MISCELLANEOUS.—The following sales were made at auction to-day: 5 casks Hams at 7¾ a 11½c; 6 firkins Butter at 20c; 15 kegs at 17½ @18½c; 4 bbls. Louisiana Rice at 7c; 60 boxes Soda Biscuits at 3¾c; 8 boxes Adamantine Candles at 23c; 5 bbls. Molasses at $3 75; 40 boxes Starch at 6¾ @7c; and 6000 lbs. chewing Tobacco at 30 @50c.

Nothing else reported.

Received during the past three days: 373 bales Cotton, 100 bbls. Pork, 180 do and 200 kegs Lard, 100 bbls. Beef, 85 casks Bacon, 270 bbls. Flour, 10 do Alcohol, 192 coils Rope, 931 bundles Twine; 50 kegs Butter, 117 bxs Cheese, 2 33 bbls. Apples, 20 do Beans, 195 hhds. and 60 bbls. Sugar, 2655 do Molasses, 320 bales Hay, 30 kegs White Lead, 10 bbls. Linseed Oil, 400 boxes Candles, 85 Hides, 110 bbls. Apples, 10 do dried Peaches, 112 do Cider, 5 do Vinegar, 498 boxes Soap.

Exported: 7000 bushels and 400 sacks Salt, and 389 sacks Coffee.

Exported: 6600 Staves, 20 bbls Flour, 30 kegs Lard, 20 sacks Corn, 285 bales Cotton, 2517 hhds. and 52 bbls. Sugar, and 6727 bbls. Molasses.

Arrived: 8 barks, 5 schooners, 1 steamship, 3 steamboats and 1 barge.

Cleared: 2 steamships, 4 barks, 1 brig and 1 schooner.

The river has been stationary during the past three days, and is now 3 feet below high water mark.

Cattle Market.

JEFFERSON CITY, February 14, 1863.

Arrived during the past week 186 Beeves, 148 Hogs and 114 Veals. Amount of stock sold was 233 Beeves 104 Hogs and 145 Veals. Stock remaining on sale is 45 Beeves, 50 Hogs and 11 Veals. We quote:

Beeves, 1st quality, ₱ lb net	00 25
Beeves, 2d quality, ₱ lb net	00 20
Beeves, 3d quality, ₱ lb net	00 15
Veal, 1st quality, ₱ head	25 @30
Veal, 2d quality, ₱ head	20 @25
Hogs, ₱ lb gross	12 @16
Milch Cows, ₱ head	nominal.
Sheep, according to quality, ₱ head	6 @10

MARINE NEWS.

Port of New Orleans, Feb. 14, 1863.

CLEARED YESTERDAY.

Brig Alerta, Callison, for New York, G W Hynson & co

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

U S transport steamship Nassau, from Pensacola, to U S Quartermaster—1st dist

U S transport ship Undaunted, Tay, 26 days from New York, to U S Quartermaster—4th dist

Bark Anna Wheeler, 17 days from New York, to G A Fosdick—2d dist, 25

Brig Brewster, Carlton, 28 days from Camden, (Me) to master—L P T

Schr Adelia Kelley, Sinclair, from New York, via Mobile Bay, to master—Point

Schr Corah, White, from Ruatan Island, to Jos Kelly—L P T

Schr Brazos, from the Coast, to master—2d dist

STEAMBOATS.

G W Forrest, Wood, from Milladon's
Sallie Robinson, Ham, from Baton Rouge

TOWBOAT REGISTER.

The towboat Laudis, LaPlace, from the Passes—Brought up ship Undaunted and schr Adelia Kelley

BELOW, COMING UP.

Ship Antoinette, (Bremen) Rosman, from Liverpool, Dec 14, to master
Bark White Sea, Evans, — days from New York, to G A Fosdick
Schr Lu Edwards, from Turks' Island, with 7000 bush. ele salt

EXPORTS.

NEW YORK—Per brig Alerta—426 bbls sugar 1097 bbls molasses 107 half bbls molasses 2500 staves 23 pkgs mdse 16 do ink

IMPORTS.

NEW YORK—Per ship Undaunted—Government stores to U S Quartermaster
NEW YORK—Per bark Anna Wheeler—Ass'd mdse
NEW YORK—Per schr Adelia Kelley—Naval stores

RUATAN ISLAND—Per schr Corah—Lot fruit &c to master

RECEIPTS FROM THE COAST.

MILLAUDON'S—Per steamer G W Forrest—188 bbls molasses 27 hhds sugar 5 bbls do to order
BATON ROUGE—Per steamer Sallie Robinson—55 bales cotton to order
COAST—Per schr Brazos—110 hhds sugar to A Delhonde

THE SANGRADO SYSTEM.—When Dr. Sangrado found his patients weak, he gave them water gruel. When they got weaker, he bled them and dosed them with calomel and jalap. Oil Blas tells us they almost invariably died. A good many people are killed that way yet. The world in general, however, has found out that in cases of debility and premature decay HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS are the true life-sustaining cordial. This tonic is a powerful and perfectly harmless restorative. But it does more than invigorate. It regulates and purifies. While it builds up the strength, and infuses vitality into the blood, it brings all the secretions into harmony with the laws of health. The feebler sex find it invaluable in the various physical difficulties to which their organization renders them subject. In all hysterical and hypochondriacal cases, its effect is magical. The infirmities of age are alleviated by its use, and where the circulation is torpid and there is a tendency to paralysis, HOSTETTER'S BITTERS are recommended as a means of reinvigorating the system and prolonging life.
Agents for the sale of Hostetter's Bitters:
J. WRIGHT & CO., 21 Chartres street.
E. J. HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.
G. THEURER, below the French Market.
J. MORGAN HALL & CO., 20 Common street.
G. N. MORISON & CO., 12 Magazine street.
JOHN T. MOORE & CO., 7 and 9 Poydras st.
JOSEPH MAILLOT, 12 Crossman street.
SOOVIL & MEAD, 111 Chartres street.
THOMPSON & BARNES, 23 and 25 Common street.
feb14 6t

Lost,
A PROMISSORY NOTE for $5000, drawn by E. Lewinne, to the order of P. Cazavave, dated February 15th, 1862 and payable twelve months after date. The public are hereby cautioned against trading for said note, payment of the same having been stopped. A liberal reward will be paid for the delivery at the office of the Bee. A. PEPIN, No. 49 Old Levee street
feb14 6t

Notice.
THE large and fine House of Hon. BERNARD DE MARIGNY, at the corner of Marigny and Levee streets, Third District, is now occupied as a splendid Coffee-House known as the "OLD HICKORY COFFEE-HOUSE." feb14 3t

Notice.
THE business of the BANK OF LOUISIANA will be transacted for the present, and until the Banking House on Royal street shall have been repaired, in the building corner of Carondelet and Canal streets, lately occupied by the Crescent City Bank. AUG. MONTREUIL, Cashier.
feb13 tf

Portuguese Benevolent Society,
NEW ORLEANS, February 12th, 1863.
GENERAL MEETING.
THE Officers and Members of this Society will please to meet at the Hall of the Society on SUNDAY NEXT, the 15th instant, at 4 o'clock, P. M., precisely, as business of interest will be transacted.
By order of F. LUIS, President.
feb12 3t

DETER'S WORSTED STORE,
CANAL STREET, NEAR DAUPHIN.
Direct Importation from Germany, England and France.
BEST WHITE EMBROIDERY SILK, KNITTING COTTON, CROCHET COTTON, WHITE SHETLAND WOOL, SILK AND COTTON BRAID, INDIA TAPE, CROCHET NEEDLES, ELASTICS, &c. [feb12 1] RUMANN & CO.

Boots and Shoes.
IN STORE and for sale by the undersigned, a complete assortment of BOOTS, SHOES and BROGANS, consisting in part of
Men, Boys and Youths' Russet, Kip and Buff Brogans;
Men's Kip, Calf and Grain Boots;
Men, Boys and Youths' Balmorals;
Ladies, Misses and Children's do;
Ladies' Goat and Kid Laced Boots;
Misses and Children's Goat and Kid Boots;
Cavalry Boots, &c., &c.
W. F. READ, Agent, 51 Customhouse street
feb12 1w

To Builders and Architects.
THE BANK OF LOUISIANA will receive proposals for Roofing and otherwise Repairing the Bank building, corner of Royal and Conti streets. Offers, plans and specifications are asked for, and should be addressed within the next ten days, to the President, W. N. MERCER, Esq.
feb11 10t AUG. MONTREUIL, Cashier.

HAVANA CIGARS.
JUST received and for sale by the undersigned, 25,000 Imperiale Regalia, Cazadores, Brevas y Londres, Chicos, of the celebrated brands of Cabanas y Flor de Tabacos. VILLARRUBIA & LAUGHLAND, No. 61 Magazine street.
feb11 6t

MESS PORK.
192 BARRELS extra heavy MESS PORK, for sale by VILLARRUBIA & LAUGHLAND, 61 Magazine street.
feb11 6t

Oil, Oil.
2000 GALLONS best SPERM and WHALE OILS, in store and for sale by VILLARRUBIA & LAUGHLAND, 64 Magazine st.
feb11 6t

HOFFMAN & MARKS,
JAMES HOFFMAN, Auct'r,
41 CHARTRES STREET, NEW ORLEANS.
HAVING opened a general Auction business, are ready to receive Goods on consignment, and will give their personal attention to all out-door sales.

RICHARD J. EVANS,
ARCHITECT AND SURVEYOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
DESIGNS for all descriptions of artificial structures furnished.
GEODETIC AND OTHER SURVEYS conducted with due regard to accuracy and economy.
Communications addressed to Mr. George Pandely, Superintendent of the Pontchartrain Railroad, will receive prompt attention. feb11 1y

RECEIVED per steamship Parkersburg and for sale by

J. AUGE,
63....Chartres street....63
the following Goods from France:
An assortment of HAIR, of all colors and lengths
Assorted Perfumery, Lubin, Guerlin, Gellee, Chalmin.
Toilet Goods, from the house of Ladroest.
Jouvin Gloves and Head-Dresses, of the latest styles
Plain and Gold inlaid Shell Combs, Ivory Combs
Harrison's Hair Dye, the best in use.
A selection of Fancy Goods and new style Hair Jewelry. nov19 tf

Notice.
THE commercial firm of CHN. HONOLD & CO. was dissolved, by mutual consent, (between the parties) on the sixth day of May, 1862, by the retirement of Mr. A. Meinadier.
Either of the partners is authorized to use the name of the firm in liquidation. CHN. HONOLD. H. F. KLUMPP. A. MEINADIER.
New Orleans, 31st December, 1862. dec31

FOR SALE,
BY EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO.,
Nos. 16 and 18 St. Louis street,
30 BOXES CLARET, Giscours;
50 .. .. St. Julien;
15 .. .. Haut Brion;
30 .. .. Cos;
10 .. .. Ducru;
50 .. .. Leoville Larose, Margaux
Lafitte, Labreve;
100 .. White Wine, Chateau Yquem. an21

Soap, Tea, Pickles.
200 BOXES SOAP.
50 half chests BLACK TEA.
50 boxes PICKLES.
For sale by J. B. VALENTINE & CO., 51 Common street.
oc7

For Sale.
100 A No. 1 MULES. Also, large quantities of old Omnibus AXLES and SPRINGS. Also, new and second-hand OMNIBUSES, in good condition, on accommodating terms. Apply at the Stables, on Tchoupitoulas street, City of Jefferson, above the Stock Landing. F. WINTZ, Proprietor.
nov21 3m

Mess Pork.
FIVE HUNDRED BARRELS MESS PORK, for sale by OSCAR BERCIER & CO., No. 77 Tchoupitoulas street.
jan30 1w

CARBONATE AMMONIA—50 jars.
QUININE—1000 ounces.
CHLOROFORM—300 pounds.
CALOMEL—250 pounds.
MORPHINE—150 ounces.
BORAX—5 cases.
ALUM, Ground and Lump—30 bbls.
For sale by E. J. HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st
dec20

200 BBLS. Clear SIDES
500 bbls. Superfine and Extra FLOUR.
400 boxes STARCH.
For sale by OSCAR BERCIER & CO., 77 Tchoupitoulas s
dec17

Cigars.
115,000 CIGARS, well made, and of various brands, in store and for sale by J. RAMSTEIN, Cigar Maker, No. 252 Chartres street, between St. Philip and Ursulines sts.
jan13 1m

WE have on hand old Liquors that have been years in store—
WHISKY, BRANDY, RUM, PORT WINE, MADEIRA.
Also—CHAMPAGNE, CLARET.
SARDINES, CASTILE SOAP, RAISINS, ALMONDS, FANCY SOAPS
PICKLES, KETCHUPS, SCHNAPPS, BITTERS
DRUGS, CHEMICALS, &c., &c.
E. J. HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st
SULPHURIC ACID—8 carboys, for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

Cotton Waste, Wool, Soap.
41 BAGS COTTON WASTE;
20 bales WOOL;
400 boxes SOAP.
For sale by J. B. VALENTINE & CO., 51 Common street.
dec18

For Sale.
A FINE Steamboat or Ship HAWSER. Any person wishing the same will please address to Mrs. MARTIN, below the Louisiana Sugar Refinery, where the same can be seen. jan31

GOSHEN BUTTER—15 firkins choice Butter, for sale by OSCAR BERCIER & CO., No. 77 Tchoupitoulas st.
jan13

Office of the Home Mutual Insurance Company.
In compliance with the Charter of this Company, and an act of the Legislature of Louisiana, (No. 176) and approved 17th March, 1859, public notice is hereby given that the following Certificates of Profits (issue of 1859) remaining unclaimed, with accrued interest thereon, which, if not demanded by the legal owner or owners, within thirty days of this notice from its first publication, will be canceled and annulled, and the amounts thereof credited to the contingent account on the books of the Company, as directed by its Charter:

B C Bandy........	$18 20	Mrs C Lewis........ $11 80
Michael Comford........	11 80	Martin, Owen & Co. 140 80
J A Dunbar & Co....	23 60	Wm McClure........ 41 25
E A Davis........	11 80	John A. Merle........ 15 75
F Dinkel........	11 80	SC Manning........ 23 60
Dean & Jackson........	11 80	Jos Muckintown........ 11 80
Ferguson & O'Dowd	120 80	Wm L Poole........ 11 80
Pascal Joseph........	11 80	C P Shinner........ 11 80
Isidore Hesse........	119 35	J Schmidt........ 13 60
F H Hooks........	11 80	Turner & Renshaw........ 23 60
John Holthaus........	36 60	Calvin Tate & Co........ 94 40
Peter Jensen........	11 80	W C Timmons, Tutor........ 11 80
O H Keep........	37 35	
Peter Klein........	11 80	A Tims........ 42 40
J Landis & Co........	35 60	

The above statement is a just, true and correct transcript from the books of the Company.
JOHN R. SHAW, Vice President.
JAMES H. WHEELER, Secretary.
State of Louisiana, Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans—Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 5th day of January, 1863.
JOHN A. HITCHCOCK, Second Justice of the Peace.
jan7 30t

AMUSEMENTS.

VARIETIES THEATRE,
GRAVIER STREET.
STAGE MANAGER........LEWIS BAKER.
TREASURER........JOS. HOWCOTT.
SATURDAY EVENING, February 14, 1863—The performance will commence with the Grand Magic Play, in five acts, entitled EVADNE, or THE STATUES—Evadne, Mrs. Alexina Fisher Baker; Ludovico, Mr. George Ryer; Colonna, Mr Lewis Baker; Vicentio Mr L. F. Rand......To conclude with Buckstone's Comedy, in three acts, of MARRIED LIFE—Mr. Samuel Coddle, Mr. Lewis Baker; Mrs. Samuel Coddle. Mrs Alexina Fisher Baker; Mr. Henry Dove, Mr. Vining Bowers; Mrs. Younghusband, Mrs. W. C. Gladstane; Mr. Dismal, Mr. George Ryer.
Wanted several young ladies for the Corps de Ballet. Apply to Mr. Lewis Baker, between the hours of 11 and 1 o'clock, at the Stage Door.
Box Office open daily from 9 o'clock, A. M. to 4 P. M., when Seats and Boxes may be secured. feb14

For Plaquemine.
THE steamer EMPIRE PARISH, having been thoroughly refitted, is now ready to resume her regular trips. She will leave New Orleans every
SUNDAY, at 9 o'clock, A. M.,
—AND—
WEDNESDAY, at 5 o'clock, P. M.
Returning, will leave Plaquemine every MONDAY, at 9 A. M., and THURSDAY, at 12 M., and Donaldsonville every TUESDAY and FRIDAY, at 6 A. M.
For freight or passage, apply on board, or to WM. J. REID, 31 Magazine street.
jan16 tf

NOTICE.
To Merchants, Planters and Travelers,
WE have the privilege, from the proper authority, to transport passengers and freight to and from BATON ROUGE and FORT ST. PHILIP, and all intermediate landings, by Government steam transports, leaving daily, and also by first class sail vessels for NEW YORK, &c., at rates very favorable to shippers and travelers. Freights from the city to be pre-paid, and in case of loss of vessel the amount will be refunded. Orders to ship freight and passage tickets issued at our office. J. WORKMAN & CO.,
No. 101 Magazine street corner Lafayette.
Parties having heavy freight for New York, or sugar, molasses or cotton on the coast, will do well to call on us. an28 1m

Exchange.
SIGHT AND TIME EXCHANGE ON NEW YORK, for sale in sums to suit purchasers by W. J. REID, 33 Magazine street.
jan26 tf

Notice to State Tax Payers—Third District.
ALL STATE TAX not paid before the first of March, 1863, will be put in suit. This is the last postponement.
Office No. 2 Esplanade street, between Levee and Victory, opposite the Mint. feb10 18t

Wines, Wines.
FOR SALE by J. CHANTEGREL, No. 93 Royal street, between Conti and St. Louis streets, wholesale or by the cask—
110 casks Ordinary Wine;
100 .. Better ..
50 .. Fine Wines;
70 .. Better White Wines.
The whole on the most moderate terms. feb5 1m

Bank of Louisiana,
NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 2, 1863.
AT an Election by the Stockholders, held on the 26th ultimo, the following named gentlemen were duly elected Directors for the ensuing year:
W. N. Mercer, W. Bogart,
F. de Ayendano, L. F. Generes,
Henry Shepherd, Jr., H. S. Buckner,
Charles Kock, Thomas C. Payen,
Edward Chapman, Henry Wilson,
Wm. H. Letchford, Alfred Hennen,
J. B. Lepretre.
And at a meeting of the Board held this day, W. NEWTON MERCER, Esq., was elected President.
feb3 1m AUGT. MONTREUIL, Cashier

Sundries! Sundries!!
FLOUR—1000 barrels best brands, "Hazard's Upper Ten," Eagle, Empire and Brooksmith's Mills.
CORN—300 bags Prime Yellow and Mixed
ROPE—50 coils superior Missouri Bale Rope.
LIME—300 barrels Rockland.
CEMENT—100 barrels Roman Cement.
In store and for sale by GEO. E. BEARD, St. Louis Warehouse, Fulton street, between Girod and Lafayette streets.
feb3 1m

Sundries.
600 BOXES STAR CANDLES, various brands.
200 boxes SOAP, Winchester and other brands.
400 boxes Fox's and Colgate & Co's STARCH;
50 sacks Creole RICE, various qualities.
50 sacks Rio and Havana COFFEE.
50 boxes VERMICELLI and MACARONI;
20 half boxes do. do.;
60 boxes New CODFISH;
50 boxes HERRINGS;
50 dozen assorted BROOMS;
20 do. BUCKETS;
1,000 five gallon DAMIJOHNS;
25 boxes Bordeaux Dried PRUNES;
200 sacks Liverpool Fine SALT;
50 sacks half Coarse do.;
100 sacks Coarse Turks' Island SALT;
900 barrels Superfine and Extra FLOUR, various brands;
100 barrels Inspected MESS PORK;
50 tierces LARD;
100 bbls. do.;
100 half barrels LARD;
250 kegs do.;
50 half barrels Fulton Market BEEF;
20 firkins Goshen BUTTER.
In store and for sale by FREDERIC AVET & CO., 59 and 61 Old Levee street.
feb1 1m

Copartnership.
ON the 26th inst., I entered into a copartnership with Mr. S. CAMBON, and gave an interest in my business to Messrs L. LASSICHERE and P. COURTOIS, as per act before Mr. S. Magner, notary public.
I will carry on the same business as heretofore, at the old stand, Nos. 59 and 61 Old Levee street, between Conti and Bienville, under the style of FRED. AVET & CO. FREDERIC AVET.
New Orleans, January 27, 1863. jan28 1m

Office of the Louisiana Mutual Insurance Company,
Corner of Camp and Natchez streets.
AN election of Trustees to serve for one year, from the second Monday of March next, will be held at the office of the Company, on MONDAY, 9th February, 1863, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.
jan26 td J. P. ROUX, Secretary.

New Auction Mart,
No. 31 Royal street, between Bienville and Customhouse sts.,
P. H. FLYNN, Auctioneer.
MR. P. H. FLYNN informs his friends and the public that he has opened a new AUCTION MART No. 31 Royal street, where he is prepared to receive Goods and Merchandise of every description that may be entrusted to his care. He will also give personal attention to sales of Cargoes on the Levee, and all other out-door business in his line.
Liberal Cash Advances made on Consignments.
Regular sales day for Furniture, &c., in store—MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY.
New Orleans, February 6, 1863. feb6 tf

Wool! Wool!! Wool!!!
HIGHEST CASH PRICE always paid for WOOL, by J. B. VALENTINE & CO., 51 Common street.
sep17 tf

Wines! Wines!!
100 CASKS GOOD ORDINARY CLARET;
50 casks Family do.;
20 boxes Frontignan Muscat WINE;
20 cases VERMOUTH.
Also, One case Sweet Acorn COFFEE.
For sale by L. B. BANARENS, 354 Chartres st., jan24 2m foot Esplanade st.

Storage. Storage. Storage.
THE EXTENSIVE and conveniently located WAREHOUSES, formerly known as the U. S. BONDED WAREHOUSE, No. 6 Toulouse street, between Chartres and Levee streets, are now prepared to receive goods of all descriptions.
For particulars, apply at the premises.
A. LEBLANC, at Leuve & Leblanc's, jan17 1m 17 and 19 Toulouse sts

Compagnie d'Assurance Mutuelle Du Sun
DE LA NOUVELLE-ORLEANS.
SEPTIEME ETAT ANNUEL
Pour l'année expirée le 31 décembre 1862.

Montant des primes reçues dans l'année expirée le 31 décembre 1862			$239,704 46
Montant des risques non expirés le 31 décembre 1861			98,544 00
Total des primes de l'année expirée le 31 décembre 1862, savoir:			$338,248 46
Primes sur les risques d'incendie	$287,718 04		
Primes sur les risques des rivières	11,493 65		
Primes sur les risques des mers	39,036 77		$338,248 46
Primes à déduire sur les risques non expirés le 31 décembre 1862	$60,188 00		
Primes remboursées	6,534 27		$66,722 27
Montant net des primes de l'année expirée le 31 décembre 1862			$271,526 19
Pertes dans la même période, savoir:			
Sur les risques d'incendie	$49,116 33		
Sur les risques des mers	62 305 20		
Sur les risques des rivières	17,377 83	128,799 36	
Réassurances, dépenses, intérêts, épargnes, profits et pertes	$30,411 92		
Montant payés par les ordres Nos 55 et 105 du général Butler	$25,000	55,411 92	184,211 30
Profits bénéfice net de l'année expirée le 31 décembre 1862,			$87,314 69
L'actif de la Compagnie est comme suit:			
Actions de banque, actions de la Compagnie du Gaz			$211,309 00
Bons de la ville et de l'Etat			577,000 00
Prets garantis par des actions de banque &c.			135,500 00
Effets pour primes			51,757 90
Scrip des autres compagnies d'Assurances			48,195 81
Dû pour primes et en voie de perception			19,042 50
En caisse			141,086 62
Total de l'actif			$1,183,761 99

Etat de la Louisiane.
Paroisse d'Orléans — Ville de la Nouvelle-Orléans.
Qu'on se souvienne que le 14 janvier 1863, pardevant moi, juge de paix, dans et pour la susdite ville, se sont présentés Thos. Sloo, Président, et James Edwards Secrétaire de la COMPAGNIE D'ASSURANCE MUTUELLE DU SUN de la Nouvelle-Orléans, lesquels ayant été dûment assermentés ont déclaré que la susdite état contient un exposé exact et une copie exacte des livres de la Compagnie.
THOMAS SLOO, Président, JAS. EDWARDS, Secrétaire.
Assermentés et signé devant moi, ce 14 janvier 1863.
JOHN A. HITCHCOCK, Deuxième Juge de Paix de la Paroisse d'Orléans.
Les Directeurs ont résolu de payer (après avoir réservé pour les pertes casuelles provenant de la dépréciation des actions) un intérêt de SIX POUR CENT, sur les certificats de profit non payés, de scrip, aux porteurs d'iceux, le 2e lundi, 9 février prochain.
THOMAS SLOO, Président,
JAMES D. DENEGRE, Vice-Président
JAMES EDWARDS, Secrétaire.
—DIRECTEURS—
James D. Denegre, John C. Riché,
A. D. Kelly, L. H. Stauffer,
Hugh Wilson, Nelson Mathews,
Henry Renshaw, John G. Gaines,
A. C. Tremoulet, Thomas Sloo,
E. J. Hart, H. T. Lonsdale.

AUCTION SALES.

R. T. MONTGOMERY'S SALES.

240 Barrels Choice Flour at Auction.
BY R. T. MONTGOMERY, Auctioneer.
WILL be sold on SATURDAY, the 14th instant, at 12 o'clock, at salesroom No. 93 Camp street—240 barrels Choice FLOUR.
Terms cash. feb12

GROCERIES AND LIQUORS.
Bacon, Beef, Butter, Lard, Hams, Shoulders, Brandy, Whisky, Rum, Alcohol, &c., &c., at Auction.
BY R. T. MONTGOMERY, Auctioneer.
WILL be sold THIS DAY, (Saturday) the 14th inst., at 12 o'clock, at salesroom 93 Camp street, to close consignments—
33 casks Sides;
2 half barrels Fulton Market Beef;
50 firkins Butter;
25 tubs Butter, very fine;
50 kegs Leaf Lard;
37 tierces Hams;
26 tierces Shoulders;
30 eighth and quarter pipes Brandy;
25 barrels Whisky;
20 barrels Rum;
20 barrels Alcohol;
Also—Tobacco, Cigars, Tea, Coffee, Cornmeal, Flour, besides a variety of other groceries.
Terms cash. feb14

19 Bales Cotton at Auction.
BY R. T. MONTGOMERY, Auctioneer.
WILL be sold THIS DAY, (Saturday) the 14th inst., at 11½ o'clock, at the landing of the steamer Laurel Hill—19 bales COTTON.
Terms cash. feb14

D. E. MORPHY'S SALES.

Coffee....Coffee.
BY D. E. MORPHY, Auctioneer.
WILL be sold, on SATURDAY, the 14th of February, 1863, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at No. 47 Magazine street, for whom it may concern—12 sacks RIO COFFEE, marked M in a diamond, damaged per steamer Melville on her voyage to this port.
Terms cash. feb13

Sundries......Sundries......Sundries.
BY D. E. MORPHY, Auctioneer.
SATURDAY, Feb. 14, 1863, at 10 o'clock, A. M., will be sold at No. 47 Magazine street—Hams, Rib Sides, Clear Sides, Mackerel, Herrings, Beef, Butter, Lard, Tobacco, Flour, Pilot Bread, Vermicelli, Coffee, Sweet Oil, Coal Oil, Lard Oil, Whale Oil, Dried Apples, Castile Soap, Brandy, Whisky, Gin, &c., &c.
Terms cash. feb14

Furniture at Auction.
BY E. M. JACOBS, Auctioneer.
WILL be sold at auction, on WEDNESDAY, 18th February, at 10 o'clock, at No 567 Tchoupitoulas street, between St. James and Celeste streets—The Contents of a BOARDING HOUSE, consisting of Bedsteads, Armoirs, Chairs, Tables, Looking-Glasses, Extension Table, Mattresses, Musquito Bars, and Bedding in general, Kitchen Furniture, Stove, Crockery-ware, &c.
Terms cash. feb13

Large and Valuable Property on the Gentilly Road.
BY E. M. JACOBS, Auctioneer.
WILL be sold on SATURDAY, 14th of February, 1863, at 12 o'clock, M., at the Merchants and Auctioneers Exchange, Royal street between Customhouse and Canal streets—
THAT SPACIOUS PROPERTY forming the largest portion of a square of ground near the Agricultural Fair Ground, in square bounded by the Gentilly and Shell roads, Dupré, Lapeyrouse and Ocrage streets, measuring two hundred and seventeen feet four inches front on the Gentilly road, two hundred and twenty-seven feet on Dupré street, thirty-seven feet two inches on Lapeyrouse street and ninety-eight feet on the rear line, running from the Shell road to Dupré street. Together with a house of two rooms, back gallery and two cisterns, stable, cistern, well privy and a splendid garden. See plan at the Exchange.
Terms—One-half cash and the balance at one year's credit, for a note bearing mortgage.
Act of sale before Robt. J. Kerr, Notary Public.
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Men's D. S. Russett Brogans and Brush Hats.
BY GABRIEL LEAUMONT.
No. 63 Chartres street.
MONDAY, 16th instant, at 10 o'clock, A. M., will be sold at his auction rooms, No. 63 Chartres street—25 cases Men's D. S. Russett Brogans.
—AND—
15 cases Men's Brush Hats.
Terms at sale. feb14

Groceries, Provisions and Liquors.
BY R. B. SYKES, Auctioneer.
WILL be sold at auction on SATURDAY, 14th inst., at 10 o'clock, at the auction salesrooms, 50 Magazine street—
10 tierces, barrels and kegs Prime Lard,
100 firkins Butter; 3 hhds. Sugar,
50 cases Claret Abeyren,
25 bbls. Crushed Sugar, 10 chests Tea,
50 tierces Shoulders, 20 bbls Hams,
25 boxes Buckwheat, 10 boxes Starch,
25 bbls. Coal Oil, 100 boxes Ground Coffee;
100 boxes Ink, 50 boxes Lemons,
Wrapping Paper, White Wine, Vinegar, Soap, &c., &c. feb14

Cargo of Fruits at Auction.
BY R. SCOTT, Auctioneer.
THIS DAY (Saturday) 14th instant, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at Upper Picayune Tier, opposite the Jackson Square, in lots to suit purchasers, cargo of schooner Cora, consisting of
28,000 Cocoa Nuts,
17,000 Plantains,
950 bunches Bananas, red and French.
Also—A large lot of Regalias and Salts
Terms cash. feb 4

Furniture......Furniture.
BY McCERREN & LANDRY,
G. W. McCERREN, Auctioneer.
Office and Salesroom, Masonic Hall, St. Charles st.
WILL be sold at auction, on SATURDAY the 14th inst., at 11 o'clock—A general assortment of FURNITURE, CARPETS, &c., &c.
Terms cash. feb13

Succession of Frank Vidal, No. 19,077
BY J. B. CROZAT, Auctioneer
Office No. 98 Royal st., near St. Louis.
WILL be sold at public auction, on SATURDAY, 21st February, 1863, at 12 o'clock M., at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal st., between Customhouse and Canal streets, by virtue of an order from the Hon. T. S. Whitaker, Judge of the Second District Court of New Orleans, bearing date the 22d day of November, 1862, No. 19,077 viz.—
A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, with the improvements thereon, situated in Faubourg Tremé, on Galvez street between Dumaine and St. Ann streets, measuring 15 feet front on Galvez street by 102 feet in depth.
Terms cash.
Act of sale before P. S. Biron, Notary Public at the expense of purchaser. jan26 7 14 feb21

United States Sequestration Commission's Sales.
BY G. P. PHINNEY, Auctioneer.
Office, corner Camp and Common sts.
WILL be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION, at 11 o'clock, A. M., on the Levee—
MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.
—MONDAY, February 16, 1863—
74 HOGSHEADS SUGAR;
430 BARRELS MOLASSES.
Samples can be seen at the Auctioneer's office.
Terms—Cash in United States Legal Currency on delivery. feb14 td

Large Sale of Boots, Shoes and Dry Goods.
BY G. P. PHINNEY, Auctioneer.
Office corner Camp and Common sts.
WILL be sold at public auction, on MONDAY, the 16th February, 1863, at 12 o'clock, by order of the U. S. SEQUESTRATION COMMISSION, at the salesroom No. 64 GRAVIER STREET—
A large variety of Boots, Shoes and Dry Goods.
Terms cash in Treasury notes. feb14

JUDICIAL SALES.

Mary Doyle vs. Martha Johnson.
FOURTH JUSTICE OF THE PEACE FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.—No. 25 292 and 25 223.—By virtue of two writs of fieri facias to me directed by the Hon. John E. Sundstron, Judge of said Court, I shall offer for sale at public auction, on SATURDAY, the 28th day of February, 1863, at 12 o'clock, M., at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Customhouse and Canal streets, Second District of this city—
THREE LOTS OF GROUND in the First District, being No. 7, 8 and 9, of square bounded by Palmyra, Banks, St. Patrick and Bernadotte streets. Lot No. 7 measures thirty feet front on Palmyra street, by fifty-seven feet two inches in depth on the line of No. 8. Lot No. 8 measures thirty feet front on Palmyra street, by thirty-five feet nine inches on the line of No. 9, and lot No. 9 measures fifty-two feet on Palmyra street, by thirty-five feet in depth, with all the improvements thereon.
Seized in the above case.
Terms cash on the spot. P. N. NOUVET, Constable.
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Succession of the late Thomas Cull, deceased.
SECOND DISTRICT COURT OF NEW ORLEANS.—No. 18,796.—By virtue of and in obedience to an order of sale rendered February 10th, 1863, and to me directed by the Honorable the Second District Court of New Orleans, in the above entitled matter, I will proceed to sell at public auction, on TUESDAY, February 24th, 1863, at 4½ o'clock, P. M., on the premises, corner of Customhouse and Villeré streets in the Second District of this city, for account of said succession—
A lot of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and MOVABLE EFFECTS, belonging to said succession, as per inventory on file.
Terms cash on the spot.
JAS. E. DUNHAM, Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

Louis Piffet vs. His Creditors, and the Creditors of F. & L. Piffet.
THIRD DISTRICT COURT OF NEW ORLEANS.—No. 16,964.—Let a meeting of the Creditors of this insolvent be convened and held before Leon Longin, Esq., Notary Public in this city, on MONDAY, the 16th February, 1863, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to deliberate on the affairs of said insolvency.
By order of the Court: C. F. BERENS, Deputy Clerk.
New Orleans, January 13th, 1863. jan14 29 feb12

STATE OF LOUISIANA—THIRD DISTRICT COURT, PARISH OF ORLEANS—No. 17,023.—Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern to show cause, if any they have, within thirty days from the first publication of this order, why the assessment roll of the Commission of the First Draining District, filed in this case, should not be approved and homologated according to law.
New Orleans, February 5, 1863.
feb7 30d3w C. F. BERENS, Clerk.

G. P. PHINNEY,
AUCTIONEER AND APPRAISER,
Office, Corner Camp and Common streets,
jan5 1m New Orleans

J. B. CROZAT, Auctioneer,
OFFICE No. 96 ROYAL STREET,
Between St. Louis and Conti streets.
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J. B. Crozat, Auctioneer,
OFFICE No. 96 ROYAL STREET, BETWEEN ST. LOUIS AND CONTI STREETS.
HAVING rented the vast and splendid STORE on Royal street, No. 96, between St. Louis and Conti streets, his friends and the public are informed that he is prepared to receive in his new Auction Room all sorts of GOODS, FURNITURE, &c., on which advances will be made.
He will also attend to the sale of REAL ESTATE, and give all his attention, as heretofore, to inside and out-door sales. jan16 6m

Citizens' Mutual Insurance Company.
IN conformity with the requirements of their charter, the Company publish the following statement
NEW ORLEANS, December 10, 1861.

Amount of premiums received for the year ending 30th November, 1862		$212,777 27
Viz—On Fire Risks	$148,181 91	
On Marine Risks	51,427 31	
On River Risks	13,168 05	$212,777 27
Less Premiums unterminated	20,477 00	
Returned Premiums	1,6?6 16	27,713 16
Earned Premiums 30th November, 1862.		$185,064 11
Losses paid during the same period, viz:		
On Fire Risks	$67,3 9 27	
On Marine Risks	46,8 8 74	
On River Risks	1,455 65	
	115,6?3 66	
Fifteen per cent. returns	4,433 22	
Reinsurance	4,415 53	
Expenses, taxes, rent, &c., less interest, &c.	20,876 36	153,378 85
Net profits, 30th November, 1862		31,685 26
Earned premiums		$185,064 11
Less amount on which 15 per cent. has been returned		32,194 18
Amount participating in profits		$15?,?69 93
The Company has the following assets, viz:		
Bills receivable for Premiums		$?42,216 82
Due for Premiums in course of collection		42,?21 ?9
Loaned on pledge of Stocks and Bonds		16,?27 50
Invested in Mortgage, Loans and Bonds		29,611 00
Bank Stocks, City Railroad and Confederate States Bonds		150,768 50
Scrip of other Companies		1?,?20 00
Cash		30,849 54
Total amount of assets		$321,?15 ?1

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.
Be it remembered, that on this 10th day of December 1862, before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city aforesaid, personally appeared J. Leisy, President, and A. Granger, Secretary, of the Citizens' Mutual Insurance Company, who, being duly sworn according to law, do depose and say that the above accounts are just and true, and a correct transcript from the books of said Company.
J. LEISY, President.
A. GRANGER, Secretary.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this day, December 11, 1862. JNO. A. HITCHCOCK, Second Justice of the Peace.
The Board of Trustees have resolved to pay Six Per Cent. interest on the outstanding Certificates of Profits for the years 1857, 1858, 1859 and 1861, on and after the second Monday in February next.
The Board of Trustees have also declared a dividend of Twenty Per Cent. on the net earned premiums of the Company, for which Certificates will be issued on and after the second Monday in February next.
—TRUSTEES—
J. Leisy, President, C. Olivier,
Jas. A. White, A. Bohn,
A. H. D'Mess, J. A. Stouse,
Ar. Miltenberger, A. Bidault,
J. Lemore, U. Laroussini,
Paul Jugé fils, A. Marques,
O. Gilliard.
The Company continues to insure against the Perils of the Seas and Rivers, and Loss and Damage, by Fire at the current rates of premium.
dec12 d Office, No. 3 Carondelet street.

N. O. Mutual Insurance Company
OF NEW ORLEANS.
THIRD ANNUAL STATEMENT.
IN conformity with the requirements of their charter the Company publish the following statement
Amount of Premiums unexpired September, 30th, 1861 .... $60 95?
Premiums received during the year ending 30th September, 1862,
On Fire Risks........ $221 416 17
On Marine Risks........ 33 971 ?2
On River Risks........ 7 0 7 60 — 268,095 ?
Total premiums........ $338,380 ?
Less Premiums unearned 30th Sept., 1862........ $?,?53 00
Return Premiums........ 10,66? 53 — 68 991 53
Net earned premiums 30th September 1862, $269 3?8 7?
Losses paid during the year
On Fire Risks........ $85,621 46
On Marine Risks........ 19,56? 05
On River Risks........ 1,373 ?2
.... 86,914 33
Fifteen per cent. returned........ 5,761 01
Expenses, taxes, Reinsurances, less interest and contingent........ 29,?82 76 — 8? 5?8 5?
Net profits........ $18?,?10 21
Net earned premiums........ 26?,588 7?
Less amount of premiums on which 15 per cent. have been returned........ 25,?97 0?
Amount participating in Profits........ $244,281 7?
The Company have the following assets, viz
Bills receivable for Premiums........ 26 614 75
Notes secured by Mortgage and Pledge........ 163 ?64 8?
Scrip of sundry Mutual Insurance Companies........ ?,0?0 00
Due for Premiums in course of collection........ 2?,?77 4?
Confederate States Loan........ ?,?00 00
Bonds State of Louisiana........ 22,??5 00
Cash on hand........ 98,801 2?
.... $415,?65 21
STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.
Be it remembered that on the 11th day of October, 1862, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public, in and for the parish of Orleans aforesaid personally appeared A. ROCHEREAU, President pro tem., and J. W. HINCKS, Secretary, of the NEW ORLEANS MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, of New Orleans, who, being duly sworn, according to law, do depose and say that the foregoing accounts are just and true as compiled from the books of the Company.
ALBIN ROCHEREAU, Prest pro tem.
J. W. HINCKS, Secretary.
Sworn and subscribed to before me, this 11th day October 1862 JAMES GRAHAM, Not. Pub.
The Board of Directors have resolved to pay on demand an interest of six per cent. on the outstanding Certificates of Profits, to the holders thereof, or their legal representatives. Also, to declare a dividend of FIFTY PER CENT. (50) on the net earned premiums of the Company for the year ending on 30th September, 1862, for which certificates will be issued on and after the 1st of January.
—DIRECTORS—
G. Babcock, J. M. Caballero,
T. Bailly Blanchard, Jr., Lt. Millaudon,
Placide Forstall, A. P. Nobson,
J. M. Lapeyre, Jos. Deynoodt,
Albin Rochereau, Chas. Harrison,
Chas. Lafitte, J. Toyes. oct13

UNION INSURANCE COMPANY
OF NEW ORLEANS,
Corner of St. Charles and Canal sts.
FIFTH ANNUAL STATEMENT of the Union Insurance Company, published as required by law and their charter,
Amount of Premiums received during the year ending 30th April, 1862—
Premiums on Fire Risks........ $11?,?65 ??
River Risks........ 32,0?7 27
Marine Risks........ 1?,?83 ?7
Total........ $16?,?? 4?
Less return Premiums........ ?,??5 54
Unearned Premiums, April 30, 1861........ $160,??6 89 / 50,000 0?
Net Premiums........ $210,960 89
Paid Losses during the year, viz:
Fire Losses........ $40,996 75
River Losses........ 12,465 46
Marine Losses........ 13,864 27
Total Losses........ $67,259 48
Reinsurance........ 4,787 04
Fifteen per cent. return........ 8,161 16
Expenses and interest on scrip—less discount and interest account........ 21,654 68 — 101,861 26
Gross Profits........ $109,099 63
Reserved for intermediate Risks........ 59,000 00
Net Profits........ $50,099 63
The Assets of the Company are—
Capital Stock Notes........ $156,156 25
Loans secured by Mortgage........ 2?,5?? 00
Loans secured by pledge of Bank Stock........ 3?,216 14
Bills Receivable for Premiums at short time........ 52,974 01
Premiums in course of collection........ 2?,145 13
Scrip of other Companies........ 1?,9?0 00
Stocks and Bonds........ 2?,000 00
Cash on hand........ 1??,314 86
.... $587,394 1?
STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.
Be it remembered that on the 14th day of May, 1862, before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city aforesaid personally came and appeared A. CHIAPELLA, President, and W. G. CRAWFORD, Secretary pro tem of the Union Insurance Company of New Orleans, who, being duly sworn according to law, do depose and say that the above accounts are just and true, and a correct transcript from the books of the Company.
A. CHIAPELLA, President.
W. G. CRAWFORD, Secretary pro tem.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this day, May 14th, 1862. [Signed] ARTHUR SAUCIER, Third Justice of the Peace.
At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, it was resolved that out of the profits of the Company for the year ending 30th April, 1862, a dividend of twenty-five per cent. be declared to the insured, for which certificates of profit will be issued on and after the second Monday (11th day) of August next, and twenty-five per cent. to the stockholders on the capital paid in, payable according to the 19th section of the charter of the Company, on and after the first day of July next.
A. CHIAPELLA, President.
W. G. CRAWFORD, Secretary pro tem.
The certificates of profits for the year 1858, issued by this Company, being due and payable in full, as well as the interest on all certificates of profits issued up to the 30th of April last, holders are invited to call at the office of the Company to receive and receipt for the same.
DIRECTORS:
John J. Adams, firm of Adams & Co.
J. H. Eimer, firm of Eimer & Co.
F. S. Peters, firm of Peters & Adams.
J. Goldstein, firm of O. Telamon, Descomines & Co.
M. J. Zunts, firm of Rhorer & Zunts.
Ed. Newman.
Victor Meignan.
A. Chiapella.
L. F. Généres, firm of Abat, Généres & Co.
John Dolhonde, firm of Martin, Cobb & Co.
R. W. Ogden, firm of Cusachs & Ogden.
Paul Lobit, firm of Lobit, Charpentier & Co.
Fred Durrive, firm of E. Durrive & Co.
Carl Kohn.
Jos. Deynoodt.

Office of the Citizens' Mutual Insurance Company.
PURSUANT with the requirements of the first and second sections of the Act of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, entitled, "An act relative to certain liabilities of all incorporated companies in the State of Louisiana, receiving money on deposit or declaring dividends on profits, approved 17th March, 1859," THE CITIZENS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY in obedience therewith, makes the following statement of its liabilities for Scrip and Interest unclaimed and uncalled for, of three years standing:

Bornig & Bros.	10	R. Geddes	$ 30
Wm. Barnet	10	W. H. Hansey & Co.	10
E. H. Bowles	10	P. M. Kelly	10
P. H. Brinton	50	Jas. Keating	10
Julius Bonlanger & Co	10	D. Kernaghan & Co.	10
J. Boyd & Co.	10	S. Kaiser & Co.	10
H. Block & Co.	10	Labords & Elques	60
Cutrer, Harrison & Co.	10	Louis's Manufacturing Co.	30
Bosmond Champagne	10		
G. Coppens & Co.	10	Mrs. Zella H. Lawrason	10
G. W. Convet	10		
Clarke & Paxton	10	H. L. Lane	10
E. C. Cummings & Co	30	Mandeville & McIlhenny	120
H. A. Dumesnil & Co	10		
Dudley, Nelson & Co	10	J. N. Robert & Co.	10
José Domingo y Mayol	10	Rugsley, Blair & Co.	10
M. Elie	10	Theodore Shute, Agent	30
S. Fournier	50	Southern Bank of La.	10
E. J. Toe	30	E. M. Wheelock & Co.	10
S. D. Gratiao & Co.	10	George P. Wolf	10
Gratiao, Commagere & Co.	10	F. Zaroz y Jhares	10
		John M. Lee	10
Goodrich & Co.	10	H. D. Seaman	30
F. Gueble	10		

The above statement is a just, true and correct transcript from the books of the Company.
J. LEISY, President.
A. GRANGER, Secretary.
STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 29th day of January, 1863. JNO. A. HITCHCOCK, Second Justice of the Peace.
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Exchange
ON PARIS AND BORDEAUX. For sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., 16 and 18 St. Louis street.
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RATES OF ADVERTISING.
ONE DOLLAR for every TEN lines in each language, for the first insertion, and half that price for every subsequent one.
Advertisements on the first page, ONE DOLLAR per square for each insertion.
Advertisements inserted at intervals will be charged ONE DOLLAR for every TEN lines, for each language for each insertion.
The privilege of Annual Advertisers is limited to advertisements strictly within the line of their business and in extent to one square every other day.
No subscription taken for less than one year. No subscription or advertising will be stopped until all arrearages paid, unless at the option of the proprietors.

State Collector's Office,
Second District,
Office, No. 9 St. Peter street.
NOTICE is hereby given to the State Tax Payers of the Second District of New Orleans that all State Taxes for the year 1861, not paid before the first day of March, 1863, will be put in suit.
D. W. C. CAMPBELL, State Tax Collector, Second District.
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PONTCHARTRAIN RAILROAD
WINTER ARRANGEMENT—Commencing October 27th, 1862. Fare to and from the Lake same day, only 25 cents.
—DEPARTURE OF CARS—
FROM THE CITY / FROM THE LAKE
[illegible timetable]
The Steam Train will, upon sufficient notice, run at Gentilly Station. Fare 15 cents each way. Persons desirous of being landed at the Station must inform the Conductor prior to the departure of the train.
O. PANDELY, Superintendent.

Home Mutual Insurance Company OF NEW ORLEANS.
Eleventh Annual Statement.
The following statement of the affairs of the Company is published in conformity with the requirements of the charter, viz:
Amount of unterminated risks of 1861 and Premiums for year ending 31st December, 1862........ [illegible]
Viz—For premiums on Fire Risks........ [illegible]
For premiums on River Risks........ [illegible]
For premiums on Marine Risks........ [illegible]
Less premiums on risks not terminated on 31st Dec., 1862........ [illegible]
Return premiums........ [illegible]
Net earned premiums for year ending 31st December, 1862........ [illegible]
Losses during the same period, viz:
Fire Risks........ [illegible]
River Risks........ [illegible]
Marine Risks........ [illegible]
.... $25,??? 71
Discount, interest &c., less expenses, interest on scrip issued, &c........ [illegible]
Net earned profits for the year ending 31st December, 1862........ [illegible]
The Company have the following assets, viz:
Invested in Bank Stocks, City Mortgage and State Bonds........ [illegible]
Loaned on pledge of Bank Stocks and Bonds........ [illegible]
Invested in Real Estate, (office 76 Camp street)........ [illegible]
Bills Receivable for Premiums........ [illegible]
Due for Premiums in course of collection........ [illegible]
Cash on hand........ [illegible]
Total amount of assets........ [illegible]
The above statement is a just, true and correct transcript from the books of the Company.
JOHN R. SHAW, Vice President.
JAMES H. WHEELER, Secretary.
STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.
The Board of Trustees have resolved after reserving funds sufficient to meet depreciation in stocks and contingent losses arising from depreciation of stocks and bonds to PAY SIX PER CENT. interest on the outstanding Certificates of Profits to the holders thereof or their legal representatives, on and after Monday, the 9th of February next.
The Company continues to insure against the perils of the Sea, Rivers, and loss or damage by Fire at the current rates of premium. Office, No. 76 Camp street.
ALEXANDER BROTHER, President.
JOHN R. SHAW, Vice-President.
JAMES H. WHEELER, Secretary.
—TRUSTEES—
John R. Shaw, J. J. Green, John H. Pemberg,
Elijah Peale, Alfred Moulton, Lafayette Folger,
J. P. Harrison, W. C. Thompkins, J. Villareabo, Jr.
Joseph Hoey, E. S. Moore, B. W. Huntington,
L. C. Jury, John Hall, A. B. James,
A. L. Levy, Thomas Greenfield, C. Chism,
A. H. May, R. D. C. Wood, T. K. Price,
Jno. A. Stevenson, Job C. Goodrich, J. Ralph Cole,
Edward Hobart, Philip A Shaw, F. S. Kemp,
J. E. Isenbour, Wm. H. Avery, P. H. Foley,
J. G. Brown, A. Q. Kennett.
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SEVENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE Sun Mutual Insurance Company OF NEW ORLEANS.
For the Year ending December 31, 1862.
Amount of premiums received for the year ending December 31, 1862........ $2?? 7?? 4?
Amount of unterminated risks 31st December, 1861........ [illegible]
Total premiums for the year ending 31st December, 1862........ [illegible]
Viz—For Fire premiums........ [illegible]
Marine premiums........ [illegible]
River premiums........ [illegible]
Less unterminated Risks December 31, 1862........ [illegible]
Return premiums........ [illegible]
Net earned premiums for the year ending December 31, 1862........ [illegible]
Losses paid during same period, viz:
On fire risks........ [illegible]
On marine risks........ [illegible]
On river risks........ [illegible]
Add reinsurance profit and loss, expenses taxes, &c., less Discount and interest........ [illegible]
To which add amount paid Gen. B. F. Butler's Orders Nos 55 and 105........ [illegible]
Net earned profits for the year ending December 31, 1862........ [illegible]
The Company have the following assets, viz:
Invested in Bank Stocks and Gas Co........ [illegible]
Invested in City and State Bonds........ [illegible]
Loans on pledges of Bank Stocks &c........ [illegible]
Bills receivable for premiums........ [illegible]
Premiums due, in course of collection........ [illegible]
Scrips of sundry Insurance Companies........ [illegible]
Cash on hand........ [illegible]
Total amount of assets........ [illegible]
STATE OF LOUISIANA, PARISH OF ORLEANS, City of New Orleans.
Be it remembered that, on this 14th day of January, 1863, before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city aforesaid, personally appeared THOMAS SLOO, President, and JAMES EDWARDS, Secretary of the SUN MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ORLEANS, who, being duly sworn according to law, do depose and say that the above accounts are just and true, and a correct transcript from the books of the Company.
THOMAS SLOO, President.
JAS EDWARDS, Secretary.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 14th day of January, 1863. JOHN A. HITCHCOCK, Second Justice of the Peace, Parish of Orleans.
The Board of Directors have resolved (after reserving for contingent losses arising from the depreciation of stocks, &c.) to PAY SIX PER CENT. INTEREST on the outstanding certificates of scrip to the holders thereof, or their legal representatives, on and after Monday, the 9th day of February next.
THOMAS SLOO, President.
JAMES D. DENEGRE, Vice-President.
JAMES EDWARDS, Secretary.
—DIRECTORS—
James D. Denegre, E. J. Hart,
A. D. Kelly, John C. Riché,
Hugh Wilson, Nelson Mathews,
Henry Renshaw, J. H. Stauffer,
A. C. Tremoulet, John G. Gaines,
H. T. Lonsdale, Thomas Sloo.
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Compagnie d'Assurance Mutuelle DU HOME
DE LA NOUVELLE ORLEANS.
Onzième état annuel.
CONFORMEMENT aux charte, la Compagnie d'Assurance Home présente l'état suivant de ses affaires.
Montant des risques non expirés de 1861 et primes pour l'année expirée le 31 décembre 1862........ $?? ?? 75
Primes sur les risques d'incendie........ $143,?6? 64
Primes sur les risques des rivières........ 11,??7 93
Primes sur les risques des mers........ ?,?77 7?
Primes à déduire sur les risques non expirés le 31 décembre 1862........ [illegible]
Primes remboursées........ [illegible]
Montant des primes de l'année expirée le 31 déc. 1862........ [illegible]
Pertes dans la même période, savoir:
Sur les risques d'incendie........ $16,?8? 93
Sur les risques des mers........ 4,?? 48
Sur les risques des rivières........ 5,3?0 56
.... $25,??8 7?
Dépenses, intérêt sur le scrip émis, etc., intérêt, escompte, etc........ $5,139 ??
.... [illegible]
Bénéfice net de l'année expirée le 31 décembre 1862........ [illegible]
L'actif de la Banque est comme suit:
Placé en actions de Banque, en bons de la ville, et en bons hypothécaires........ [illegible]
Prêts garantis par des actions de Banque et des bons........ [illegible]
Propriété foncière (bureau No 76, rue du Camp)........ [illegible]
Effets pour primes........ [illegible]
Dû pour primes et en voie de perception........ [illegible]
En caisse........ [illegible]
Total de l'actif........ [illegible]
Ce tableau est exact et une copie exacte tirée des livres de la Compagnie.
JOHN R. SHAW, Vice-Président.
JAMES H. WHEELER, Secrétaire.
Etat de la Louisiane.
Paroisse d'Orléans—Ville de la Nlle Orléans.
Assermenté et signé pardevant moi, le 10 janvier 1863. JNO A HITCHCOCK, Deuxième juge de paix.
Les Directeurs ont résolu (après avoir réservé assez de fonds pour faire face aux pertes non réalisées et aux pertes casuelles provenant de la dépréciation des actions) de payer un intérêt de SIX POUR CENT sur les certificats de profit non encore payés, aux porteurs d'iceux ou à leurs ayants cause, à partir de lundi, 9 février prochain.
La Compagnie assure, comme par le passé, contre les dangers des mers, des rivières, ainsi que contre les incendies, aux taux courants de primes. Bureau, rue du Camp No 76.
ALEXANDER BROTHER, Président.
JOHN R. SHAW, Vice Président.
JAMES H. WHEELER, Secrétaire.
DIRECTEURS.
John R. Shaw, T. Greenfield,
E. Peale, L. D. C. Wood,
J. P. Harrison, J. C. Goodrich,
Jos. Hoy, P. A. Shaw,
L. C. Jurey, W. H. Avery,
L. A. Levy, A. Q. Kennett,
A. A. May, J. H. Redenburg,
J. A. Stevenson, L. Folger,
E. Hobart, J. Villarrubia, Jr.
J. E. Isenbour, R. W. Huntington,
J. G. Brown, A. B. James,
J. B. Green, C. Chism,
A. Moulton, T. K. Price,
W. C. Tompkins, Josiah Cole,
D. S. Moore, F. S. Kemp,
John Halt, P. H. Foley.
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MAIRIE DE LA NOUVELLE-ORLEANS.
Hôtel-de-Ville, 6 février 1863.
LE prix de la farine étant aujourd'hui de dix piastres ($10), le barril, les boulangers sont requis de donner, durant la semaine commençant le dimanche huit février, jusqu'à nouvel ordre:
Chaque pain d'un escalin............ [illegible]
[illegible]
Les acheteurs de pain auxquels on demandera un prix plus élevé sont requis de le signaler au bureau du Maire, et le pain ainsi acheté et apporté à une station de police sera confisqué au profit des pauvres.
Par ordre, JAMES F. MILLER, Commis du Bureau du Maire.
Gust. de Forrade des E. U. et agissant comme Maire.
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