OFFICIAL ORDER.

Headquarters Department of the Gulf,
New Orleans, Feb. 3, 1863.

GENERAL ORDER No. 23.

The following general order is published for the information and government of all interested in the subject of compensated plantation labor, public or private, during the pre-sent year, and in continuation of the system established January 3d, 1863:

I. The enlistment of soldiers from plantations under cultivation in this Department, having been suspended by order of the Government, will not be resumed, except upon direction of the same high authority.

II. The Provost Marshal General is instructed to provide for the division of Parishes into police and school districts, and to organize from invalid soldiers a competent police for the preservation of order.

III. Provision will be made for the establishment of a sufficient number of schools, upon at least fourteen of the police and school districts, for the instruction of colored children under twelve years of age, which, when established, will be placed under the direction of the Superintendent of Public Education.

IV. Soldiers will not be allowed to visit plantations without the written consent of the Commanding Officer of the Regiment or Post to which they are attached, and never with arms, except when on duty, accompanied by an officer.

V. Plantation hands will not be allowed to pass from one place to another except under such regulations as may be established by the Provost Marshal of the Parish.

VI. Flogging and other cruel or unusual punishments are interdicted.

VII. Planters will be required, as early as practicable after the publication of these Regulations to make a Roll of persons employed upon their estates, and to transmit the same to the Provost Marshal of the Parish. In the employment of hands, the family of families will be secured as far as possible.

VIII. All questions between the employer and the employed, until other tribunals are established, will be decided by the Provost Marshal of the Parish.

IX. Sick and disabled persons will be provided for upon the plantations to which they belong, except such as may be received in establishments provided for them by the Government, of which one will be established at Algiers, and one at Baton Rouge.

X. The unauthorized purchase of clothing, or other property, from laborers, will be punished by fine and imprisonment. The sale of whisky, or other intoxicating drinks, to them, or to other persons, except under regulations established by the Provost Marshal General, will be followed by the severest punishment.

XI. The possession of arms, or concealed dangerous weapons, without authority, will be punished by fine and imprisonment.

XII. Laborers shall render to their employer, between daylight and dark, ten hours in summer, and nine hours in winter, of respectful, honest, faithful labor, and receive therefor, in addition to just treatment, healthy rations, comfortable clothing, quarters, fuel, medical attendance, and instruction for children, wages per month as follows, payment one half of which, at least, shall be reserved until the end of the year:

For first class hands	$8 00 per month.
For second class hands	6 00 do.
For third class hands	5 00 do.
For fourth class hands	3 00 do.

Engineers and foremen, when faithful in the discharge of their duties, will be paid $2 per month extra. This schedule of wages may be commuted, by consent of both parties, at the rate of one-fourteenth part of the net proceeds of the crop, to be determined and paid at the end of the year. Wages will be deducted in case of sickness, and ration, also, when sickness is feigned. Indolence, insolence, disturbance of orders, and crime, will be suppressed by forfeiture of pay, and such punishments as are provided for similar offences by Army Regulations. Sunday work will be avoided when practicable; but when necessary, will be considered as extra labor, and paid at the rates specified herein.

XIII. Laborers will be permitted to choose their employers, but when the engagement is made, they will be held to their engagement for the year, under the protection of the Government. In case of attempted imposition, by tempting away a diligent, or stubborn refusal of duty, they will be turned over to the Provost Marshal of the Parish, for labor upon the public works, without pay.

XIV. Laborers will be permitted to cultivate land on private account, as herein specified, as follows:

1st and 2d class hands, with families, one acre each;
1st and 2d class hands, without families, one half acre each;
3d and 3d class hands, with families, one half acre each;
3d and 3d class hands, without families, one quarter acre each;

To be increased for good conduct at the discretion of the employer. The encouragement of independent industry will strengthen all the advantages which capital derives from labor, and enable the laborer to take care of himself and prepare for the time when he can realize so much labor for so much money, which is the great end to be attained. No exemption will be made in this apportionment, except upon imperative reasons, and it is desirable that for good conduct the quantity be increased until faithful hands can be allowed to cultivate extensive tracts, returning to the owner an equivalent of product for rent of soil.

XV. To protect the laborer from possible imposition, no commutation of his supplies will be allowed, except in clothing, which may be commuted at the rate of $3 per month for first class hands, and in similar proportion for other classes. The crops will stand pledged, wherever found, for the wages of labor.

XVI. It is adviised, so far as practicable, that employers provide for the current wants of their hands, by requisition for extra labor, or by appropriation of land for share cultivation; to discourage monthly payments so far as it can be done without discontent, and to reserve till the full harvest all their yearly wages.

XVII. A Free Labor Bank will be established for the safe deposit of all accumulations of wages and other savings; and in order to avoid a possible wrong to depositors, by official defalcation, authority will be asked to connect the Bank with the Treasury of the United States in this Department.

XVIII. The transportation of negro families to other countries will not be approved. All propositions for this privilege have been declined, and application has been made to other Departments for surplus negro families for service in this Department.

XIX. The last year's experience shows that the Planter and the Negro comprehended the Revolution. The overseer, having little interest in capital, and less sympathy with labor, dislikes the trouble of thinking, and discredits the notion that anything new has occurred. He is a relic of the past, and adheres to its customs. His stubborn refusal to comprehend the condition of things, constituted most of the embarrassments of the past year. Where such incomprehension is chronic, reduced wages, diminished rations, and the mild punishments imposed by the Army not Navy, will do good.

XX. These Regulations are based upon the assumption that labor is a public duty, and idleness and vagrancy a crime. No civil or military officer of the Government is [illegible] in the operations of this universal rule [illegible] enlightened community has enforced it upon the [illegible] of people by the severest penalties. It is especially necessary in agricultural pursuits. That portion of the people identified with the cultivation of the soil, however changed in conditions, by the revolution through which we are passing, is not relieved from the necessity of toil, which is the condition of existence with all the children of God. The revolution has altered its tenure, but not its law. This universal law of labor will be enforced upon just terms, by the Government under whose protection the laborer rests secure in his rights. Indolence, disorder and crime, will be suppressed. Having exercised the highest right in the choice and place of employment, he must be held to the fulfilment of his engagements, until released therefrom by the Government. The several Provost Marshals are hereby invested with plenary powers upon all matters connected with labor, subject to the approval of the Provost Marshal General, and the Commanding Officer of the Department. The most faithful and discreet officers will be selected for this duty, and the largest force consistent with the public service detailed for their assistance.

XXI. Employers, and especially overseers, are notified that undue influence used to move the Marshal from his just balance between the parties representing labor and capital will result in immediate change of officers, and thus defeat that regular and stable system upon which the interests of all parties depend.

XXII. Successful industry is especially necessary at the present time, when huge public debts and enormous taxes are imposed to maintain and protect the liberties of the people and the integrity of the Union. All classes, civil or military, and all citizens of citizens who assist in extending the system of labor and increasing the product of the soil, upon which, in the end, all national prosperity and power depends, will render to the Government a service as great as that derived from the terrible sacrifices of battle. It is upon such considerations only that the planter is entitled to favor. The Government has conceded to him, in a period of anarchy, a release from his disorderly servants mainly from thankless and bad assistance to establish reforms, which can never be rejected without revolution and the ordinary endeavor of his interests and power to every politician, who thought by metaphysical abstractions to disorganize the force of God. He has endeavored to him to improved, rather than improved condition, his due privileges, at a moment when, by his own acts, the very soil was washed from beneath his feet.

XXIII. A more majestic and white chronicle human history does not exhibit. The Rhenish and just conditions that attend it, cannot be disorganized. It prepares labor by enforcing the performance of its duty, and it will not exhibit by compelling just constitutions to the demands of the Government. Those who pretend allegiance to other Governments, will be required, on the condition of residence in this State, to acquiesce, without renunciation, in the demands presented by Government on a basis of permanent peace. The non-cultivation of soil without just reason, will be followed by temporary forfeiture to those who will accept the improvement. Those who have emancipated, or are entitled to the rights of citizens of the United States, will be required to participate in the measures necessary for the re-establishment of civil government. War can never cause except as civil government crush out contest, and escape the supremacy of mental over physical power. The yellow harvest must ripen over the crimson field of blood, and the reproachable of the people displace the opinion of purely military power.

XXIV. It is therefore a solemn duty resting upon all persons, to assist in the earliest possible reorganization of civil government. Let those participate in the measures suggested for this purpose. Opinions in free and enlightened are numerous. Upon hesitating counsel in permitted, indifference will be treated as a crime, and follows as treason. Men who refuse to defend their country with the ballot box or cartridge box, have no call upon its liberty regulated by law. All people not enough by the law of nations, who seek the protection of the Government, can enlist upon to take the oath of allegiance to such force as may be prescribed, assisting in the public good, and the restoration of public tranquillity, whatever struggles may be suggested by bad minds and disordered passions. The oath of allegiance, administered and received in good faith, is the test of sincerity, and tendered to the Government and all its measures, confirmed by subsequent loyalty or aggravated or impaired by the language in which it is clothed.

XXV. The amnesty offered for the past, is conditional upon an unreserved loyalty for the future, and this condition will be enforced with an iron hand. Whoever is indifferent or hostile, must choose between the military which through bonds offered, the poverty of the rebel States, and the innumerable and inappreciable blessings which our Government pushes upon its people.

May God preserve the Union of the States!

BY ORDER OF MAJOR GENERAL BANKS:

GEORGE E. DRAKE,
Assistant Adjutant General.

OFFICIAL:

Writ of Election.

BY GEORGE F. SHEPLEY,

Military Governor of the State of Louisiana.

To the Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans, Greeting:

WHEREAS, In pursuance of authority vested in him by the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, Major-General N. P. BANKS, Commanding the Department of the Gulf, has issued his Proclamation dated on the Eleventh day of January, 1864, ordering an Election to be held for the 23d day of February, 1864, for the State Officers hereinafter named:

1—GOVERNOR.
2—LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.
3—SECRETARY OF STATE.
4—TREASURER.
5—ATTORNEY GENERAL.
6—SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.
7—AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

Now, therefore, in accordance with said Proclamation, I have seen fit to issue this, my Writ of Election, directing an election to be held, for persons to fill the vacancies in said offices.

You will, therefore, cause publication to be made, of notice, for such election, designating MONDAY, the twenty-second of February, A. D. 1864, as the day of election.

You will take care, in your Parish, that the election will be held at the places designated by law, and that the proceedings be conducted, and returns thereof made in accordance with law and said Proclamation.

The returns will be made to Captain CHARLES C. D. THORNTON, Acting Secretary of State, at the Executive Department of the State of Louisiana, in the City Hall, in the City of New Orleans.

Given under my hand and Seal of the State of Louisiana, at the Executive Department, in the City [L. S.] of New Orleans, this 20th day of January A. D. 1864, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the eighty-eighth.

(Signed) G. F. SHEPLEY,
Military Governor of Louisiana.

By the Governor:
(Signed) C. C. G. THORNTON,
Acting Secretary of State.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

PURSUANT to a writ of Election, bearing date 20th day of January, 1864, directed to me by Brigadier General George F. Shepley, Military Governor of Louisiana, the qualified voters of the Parish of Orleans are hereby notified that an Election will be held on MONDAY, the 22d day of February, 1864, for the State Officers hereinafter named:

1st. Governor.
2d. Lieutenant-Governor.
3d. Secretary of State.
4th. Treasurer.
5th. Attorney-General.
6th. Superintendent of Public Education.
7th. Auditor of Public Accounts.

The Polls will be opened in each Election Precinct, from the hours of eight o'clock, A. M. till four o'clock, P. M., of the day before mentioned, to-wit: the 22d day of February, 1864, for the purpose of receiving the votes of the qualified voters of the Parish of Orleans. Clerks to the Superintendents of the Commissioners and Clerks to be appointed by the authorities designated by law, the election to be conducted and tri-ballots returns made to the undersigned returning officer according to law.

Sheriff's Office, Parish of Orleans, January 20th, 1864.

Jan31tf JAS. E. DUNHAM, Sheriff.

EMPORIUM OF LIGHT.
6.....CHARTRES STREET.....6

Nursery Lamps—Nursery Lamps.

The attention of the public is called to FISK'S PATENT NURSERY LAMPS—a new and useful article for the Sick Room, Hospitals and Camps, as well as the nursery, by which water and milk can be boiled, tea or coffee made, meat or eggs fried, and oyster stewed, and many other things prepared, very expeditiously. No family should be without one, and they only need to be tried to convince the most skeptical of their utility. The glass are warranted, and parts are heated by gas, and the others by Coal or Kerosene Oil.

Call and examine, and at the same time they can look at an extensive assortment of

COAL OIL LAMPS,

in every variety of style, from the splendid Parlor Lamps to the tiny Tom Thumbs; with Chimneys, Globes, Shades, Wicks, and all the other needful articles to use with them. Also,

FULLER'S PATENT FAUCETS,

for Hydrants, Cisterns, &c., and warranted not to leak. And lastly, but not least, is the

BOSTON AND PORTLAND KEROSINE OIL,

which sells twenty per cent. longer than ordinary Coal Oil, and is warranted to be pure and safe; also, the Standard Coal Oil, which has been tested and is warranted to be safe.

feb8 3t ARTEMON HILL.

Rainbow Hotel,
40.....TOULOUSE STREET.....40

THIS Hotel has been recently fitted up for the public by Mrs. A. STEINWACHS, successor to Mrs. C. Leobenscherer, former proprietress of the Rainbow Hotel.

M. B. Boarding and lodging by the day, week and month. feb8 1m

Notice.

THE undersigned, being heirs of a Power of Attorney from L. H. RICHARD, of Paris, to act in his place in all matters relating to the liquidation of the former firm of RICHARD, ALDRIDE & CO., persons indebted to said firm can only be discharged by making a receipt signed jointly by Messrs. Paul or John Aldige and the subscriber.

J. LOUVRIER, 76 Canal st.

THE undersigned having resumed the importation of FRENCH and OTHER EUROPEAN DRY GOODS, formerly conducted Mr. JULES LOUVRIER his agent in New Orleans, with full power to represent him.

He hopes his friends will continue their favors to his agent, he being favorably known to most of them.

L. H. RICHARD, 76 Canal street.

fel 1m formerly of the firm of P. Ichard, Aldige & Co.

Bank of Louisiana,
New Orleans, January 1st, 1864.

AT an annual election held on MONDAY, the 4th inst., the following named gentlemen were elected Directors of the Bank of Louisiana for the current year:

Ambrose Lanfear,	Henry Thomas, Jr.,	
H. S. Buckner,	Silas Orlatt,	
Charles Kock,	G. Rossiter,	
J. W. Burbridge,	Geo. Reiff,	
L. P. Gentes,	A. Isaacs,	
Aug. R. Montgomery,	G. A. Eager,	
	F. P. Stanton.	

And at a meeting of the Directors held this day, Ambrose Lanfear was elected President.

feb8 7t AUGUSTE MONTREUIL, Cashier.

COAL.....COAL.....COAL.
SCOTCH CANNEL COAL.

A CARGO of this superior Coal, 100 parlor size, is now landing at Peet 28, Second Pier below Canal street, foot of Ursulines street, and will be delivered in any part of the city of New Orleans, while the vessel is discharging.

Also, one thousand barrels of Black Coal, suitable for steam engine purposes, cheap.

Orders received at the vessel, and at 59 St. Charles street, between 10 and 3 o'clock.

jan29 12t EDMUND M. IVENS.

Bank of New Orleans.

AT the annual election held at the Banking house of this institution, on the 11th instant, the following gentlemen were elected Directors for the current year:

Frank Williams,	J. McNeil,
J. Ker,	O. K. Denning,
T. W. Chandler,	Sh. Kennedy,
W. A. Johnson,	S. Golder,
J. J. Shields,	C. W. McCurren,
Geo. R. Fox,	M. Fenner.

At a meeting of the Directors held this day, Hon. Kennedy, Esq., was unanimously elected President, and A. Robson Cassidy, Cashier.

New Orleans, 13th January, 1864.

Resolved, That the Bank will close on the 20th inst., and reopen on the 25th inst.

A. SOUDRIER,
jan13 6t Cashier.

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, 15th February, 1864, between the hours of 10, A. M. and 2, P. M.

J. P. ROUX, Secretary.

jan27 15t

Sundries.

80 BBLS. pure Fish Eye POTATOES, 20 bbls. choice ORANGES.
200 packages TEAS—Gunpowder, Oolong, Imperial, Young Hyson and English Breakfast, in packages ranging from six pounds up.

EGAN & KING,
feb8 2d 62 and 64 Tchoupitoulas street.

Small Cloth and Humming.

50 bale SAIL CLOTH, Nos. 3 to 9 inclusive;
25 pieces SUITING, assorted colors.
feb8 7t For sale at 38 MAGAZINE STREET.

C. ROUYER, Manufacturer,
135 CHARTRES STREET, NEXT TO THE ORLEANS HOTEL.

ALPENHIDS.

100 DOZENS Knives and Forks at $10, $12, and $15 a dozen.
Soup, Tea and Coffee Spoons, warranted for 3 years.
Also, the assortment of Church Utensils, Holy Water, Candlesticks, &c., at very low prices.
Gold and Silver purchased.
feb8 1m12

THE undersigned is receiving from France an excellent assortment of SPECTACLES and Eye-Glasses, (Pince-nez,) of gold, silver, tortoise-shell, and steel. Also a large assortment of Pocketbooks, Opiglasses and Mexican Crystal Glasses.

C. ROUYER.
feb8 1m8t 135 Chartres street, near Orleans Hotel.

TOBACCO.....TOBACCO.

THE attention of the trade is called to the stock of T. Goodwin & Bros.—
Patent Perfumed Chewing Tobacco;
Tobacco Bait do do;
Plantation do do;
and Scotch Mixed Smoking Tobacco, 3 ounces and 4 ounces, on hand and to arrive, for sale by

E. J. HART & CO.,
jan15 77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas street.

Wines.....Wines.....Wines.

LANDING ex ships Henriette and Ververia, from Bordeaux:
200 cases Claret.
100 do White Wine.
200 boxes Claret and White Wine.
For sale by PIAGGIO & VIOSCA, Jr.,
feb8 62 and 64 Old Levee st.

Sundries.

100 bbls. ORIGINAL, in prime order.
For sale by WM. J. REID,
feb8 7t 53 Magazine street.

Citizens' Mutual Insurance Company.

IN conformity with the requirements of their charter, the Company publish the following statement:

NEW ORLEANS, December 14, 1863.

Amount of premiums received during the year ending December 30th, 1863.....$156,343 81

To-wit:

On Fire Risks	$113,321 92
On Marine Risks	29,933 82
On River Risks	9,087 67
	$156,343 81
Less Premiums unterminated	$21,865 00
Returned Premiums	4,943 76—26,808 76
Net Earned Premiums for the year 1863	129,416 55
Losses paid during the same period:	
On Fire Risks	$94,723 18
On Marine Risks	27,604 30
On River Risks	4,321 76
	126,649 24
Reinsurance	$56,116 34
Ten per cent. returned	9,450 74
Add profit and loss, interest, taxes, internal revenue tax, &c.; less discount, interest, &c.	42,364 40—104,077 12
Net profits for year ending Nov. 30, 1863	$25,339 32
Less net reserved for unsettled claims	11,000 00
	$14,339 32

The Company has the following assets invested in Bank Stocks and Bonds.....$164,127 50
Loaned on pledge of Stocks and Bonds..... 18,827 70
Invested in City Railroad Stocks..... 39,617 10
Bills receivable for Premiums..... 59,504 92
Due for Premiums in course of collection..... 31,964 26
Scrip and Interest in Insurance Companies..... 11,826 00
Cash on hand..... 25,999 97
Total amount of assets..... $335,878

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.

Be it remembered that on this 14th day of December in A. D. 1863, before me, the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city aforesaid, personally appeared C. CHARLES BRIGGS, President, and JULES P. ROUX, 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.

D. GAILLARD, President.

A. GRAHAM, Secretary.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this day, December 14, 1863.

F. H. O'NEAL,
Second Justice of the Peace for the Parish of Orleans.

The Board of Trustees have received (after reserving funds sufficient to meet contingent losses, as well as contingent losses arising from depreciation in the value 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 the ninth day of February, 1864.

The Company continue to insure against the Perils of the Seas and Rivers, and Loss and Damage by Fire, at the current rates of premium.

Office, No. 3 Carondelet street.

—TRUSTEES—

J. Lefey,	C. Olivier,	
Jas. A. White,	Jr. Allen Jaeger,	
A. H. D'Meza,	J. A. Sauer,	
A. Bohn,	A. Sidnik,	
J. Lemoire,	U. Lerosnick,	
Paul Jage, Jr.,	E. Sauer.	

C. CHARLES BRIGGS, President.
A. GAILLARD, Vice-President.

J. P. ROUX, Secretary.

—TRUSTEES:—

Chas. Briggs,	J. Aron,	Wm. Urquhart,
Ant. Carriere,	J. S. Maunsell,	A. S. Montgomery,
G. A. Fredrich,	A. Proctor,	G. W. Dunbar,
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R. Duparmont,	Alf. Kenny,	F. W. Schmidt,
J. Vivien, Jr.,	F. Anderson,	Geo. W. Hyman,
G. Lefebre,	Rg. Leonard,	H. J. Veo,
Jas. Pay,	H. M. Schmidt,	Wm. Prehn,
R. Brugier,	A. F. Robson,	W. T. Williams,
A. Lemoyer,	C. Fassy,	Jas. Jackson.

UNION INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ORLEANS.

SIXTH 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, 1863.

Premiums on Fire Risks	$601,053
" " River Risks	2,705
" " Marine Risks	28,207
Total	$631,965 22
Less return Premiums	8,754 66
	$623,211
Unearned Premiums, April 30, 1862	88,069 30
	$535,141
Paid Losses during the year, viz:	
Fire Losses	$94,313
River Losses	2,610 45
Marine Losses	31,217 81
Total Losses	$128,141 26
Reinsurance	7,045 13
Expenses and taxes, on account of losses, less discount and interest account	60,176 66
Fifteen per cent. returned	8,297 55—197,661 79
Gross Profits	$337,479 21
Reserved for unterminated Risks	23,015
Net Profits	$314,464 21

The Assets of the Company are:

Capital Stock Notes	$142,070 76
Loans secured by Mortgage	38,168 00
Loans secured by pledge of Bank Stock	90,391 16
Bills Receivable for Premiums	60,408 36
Bills of other Companies	18,444 66
Stocks, Bonds and other securities	114,762 00
Cash on hand	13,612 97
Premiums in course of collection	38,608 94
	$525,847 11

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.

Be it remembered that on this day, 14th May, 1863, before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city aforesaid, personally appeared A. CHIAPELLA, President, and A. CRAWFORD, Secretary, of the Union 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 the Company.

CHAS. BRIGGS,
J. P. ROUX,
Second Justice of the Peace.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 17th day of March, 1863.

JNO. A. HITCHCOCK,
Second Justice of the Peace.

The Board of Trustees have received to pay six per cent. interest on the outstanding certificates of profits on and after the 1st day of June next, and have further declared a scrip dividend of twenty-five per cent. on the net earned premiums of the year ending Feb. 28, 1863, for which certificates will be issued on and after the first day of June, 1863.

CHARLES BRIGGS, President.
A. GARDNER, Vice-President.

J. P. ROUX, Secretary.

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R. Brugier,	A. F. Robson,	W. T. Williams,
A. Lemoyer,	C. Fassy,	Jas. Jackson.

Louisiana Mutual Insurance Co
NEW ORLEANS, MARCH 1, 1863.

NINTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

IN conformity with the requirements of their charter, the Company publish the following statement:

Total premiums for the year ending 28th February, 1863.....$297,612 6

Viz—Fire Premiums	$235,398 10
" Marine do.	39,476 94
" River do.	13,847 32
	297,612
Less Return Premiums	4,187 93
Less Unterminated do	48,144 00
	50,341
Net earned Premiums	$247,270 6
Losses paid, viz—	
Fire Losses	$82,158 06
Marine Losses	38,480 67
River Losses	4,804 79
	$125,443 52
Reinsurance	31,263 40
Expenses, Taxes, &c., less Discount Account	27,177 77
	181,882 29
Net earned Profits for the year ending 28th February, 1863	$65,388 46

The Company have the following assets, viz:

Invested in Bank Stocks and Bonds	$136,127 50
Loaned on pledge of Stocks and Bonds	18,827 70
Invested in City Railroad Stocks	39,617 10
Bills receivable for Premiums	59,504 92
Due for Premiums in course of collection	31,964 26
Scrip and Interest in Insurance Companies	11,826 00
Cash on hand	25,999 97
	$325,757

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.

Be it remembered that on this 8th March, 1863, before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city aforesaid, personally appeared C. CHARLES BRIGGS, President, and JULES P. ROUX, Secretary of the Louisiana 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 the Company.

CHAS. BRIGGS,
J. P. ROUX.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this day, December 11, 1863.

F. H. O'NEAL,
Second Justice of the Peace for the Parish of Orleans.

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Edward Abbe	20	Ramon Lizardi	10
M. W. Briggs	20	Mrs. Henry Lehman	10
Mrs. H. F. Boyd	10	Mrs. J. Lobe	10
Edward A. Bridge	20	Mrs. C. Lombsepper	20
Geo. Brown	10	A. Mittenberger & Co	120
Mrs. Caroline Bath	10	David McLean	20
Byrne, Shields & Co	20	Simon Mosby	10
Jas. Burgess	10	Mfg. E. L. Metzler	10
F. R. Barnes & Co	10	Mrs. E. F. McDonald	10
J. Broome & Co	70	Mrs. M. A. Mangett	10
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F. W. Cooper	20	Gustav McCutchon	20
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Michael Clougher	20	Martin Cobb & Co	20
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W. Cannon	10	Jno. Orkis	20
C. H. Chase	20	Mrs. Elizabeth Ogden	20
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Dubois & Mish	10	Mrs. M. A. Pajeot	10
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F. R. Fell & Co	10	D. Tomlinson	10
J. W. Gilkie	10	F. L. Taylor	10
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Gedrich & Co	20	French Protestant Parish	20
Guilbeau & Olivier	20	Mrs. Mary Jane Tallant	10
Henry Hopkins	20	The Union Bank of La	70
Allen Hill	20	Vose & West	20
Thomas Hale	170	G. Von Hofe	10
Hall & Hindrett	20	Francis Wood & Co	10
Hall, Hyde & Morbry	20	E. B. Wheelock & Co	10
Dr. Thos. Hunt	20	A. F. Weber	10
Amed Hennen	20	S. J. Warren	10
Jubich Dumontet & Co	70	Engene H. Levy	10
Wolfenstine Jackson & Co	20	Judson & Co	10
R. Lincoln & Co	20	CHAS. BRIGGS, President.	
J. Lelay	20		
W. J. Leake	10		
Louisiana Tobacco Company	200		
Orleans Navigation Company	60		
Martin & McCall	20		
Mallet & Bell	20		
Wm. Mann & Co (estate)	20		
Mississippi Mutual Insurance Company	100		
Faulds Martin & Co	20		
Walter Morton	20		
Dwight Mitchell	20		
W. H. McCutchon	40		
John Magnade	10		
D. Murphy	20		
Marshall College	50		
H. O. Odgen House Co	20		
D. Cobbers	20		
O'Brien & Morgan	20		
Edward O'Brien	20		
Quinichen & Leather	20		
Peck, Samuel & Co	20		
Priddy & Bates	20		
A. Pepin & Co	20		
R. Plaia & Co	20		
Alex. Porteous	20		
Peters, Millard & Co	20		
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