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Compagnie d'Assurance Mutuelle de la Nlle-Orléans.

SEPTIEME ETAT ANNUEL.

CONFORMEMENT à sa charte la Compagnie présente l'état suivant:

Montant des primes non expirées en 1866... $ 86,794,00
Primes dans l'année expirée le 31 décembre 1866:
Sur les risques d'incendie....$307,135 35
Sur les risques de mer....... 6,086 74
Sur les risques de rivières.... 64,287 45 — 388,009 44
$481,303 44

Total des primes.
En moins: Primes non expirées le 31 décembre 1866....$101,439 60
Primes remboursées........ 3,450 61 — 104,890 41
$376,485 03

Tota des primes.
Pertes: Sur les risques d'incendie....$ 88,273 63
Sur les risques de mer 95,142 58
Sur les risques de rivière.... 35,932 86
$219,348 92
Taxes....... 13,870 61
Réassurances 11,318 66
Dépenses générales, comptes d'intérêt....... 13,738 77
Intérêt de scrip....... 24,887 80 — 282,675 13
Bénéfice net........ $ 94,000 9

L'actif de la Compagnie est comme suit:
Effets garantis par hypothèques......$189,394 88
Primes en voie de perception. 65 688 68
Bons consolidés et bons de la ville........ 36,450 00
Placé en actions de la Compagnie du Gaz....... 17,780 00
Placé en actions de la Compagnie de Chemin de Fer de la ville....... 2,800 00
Scrips de compagnie d'assurance mutuelle....... 79,725 00
Compagnie de la Bourse des Négociants 1,000 00
Propriété foncière....... 6,078 44
Compagnie Valette Dry Dock. 10,000 00
En caisse....... 97,123 19 — 806,216 17

En moins: Intérêt de scrip, non réclamé.......$ 8,590 00
Intérêt (dû en mars) sur les scrips non encore payés.... 34,377 00
Réclamations non reglées.... 7,856 00 — 38,842 80
$467,372 37

ETAT DE LA LOUISIANE.
Paroisse d'Orléans, Ville de la Nlle-Orléans.

Qu'on se souvienne qu'aujourd'hui 9 janvier 1867, pardevant moi, soussigné, Juge de paix dans et pour la susdite paroisse, se sont présentés J. Tuyes, Président, et J. W. Hincks, Secrétaire de la Compagnie d'Assurance Mutuelle de la Nouvelle-Orléans, lesquels ayant été assermentés conformément à la loi, ont déclaré que le susdit tableau est une copie exacte faite sur les livres de la Compagnie.

J. TUYES, Président,
J. W. HINCKS, Secrétaire.

Assermentés et signé pardevant moi, ce 9 janvier 1867.
PAUL W. COLLENS,
Troisième Juge de Paix de la Paroisse d'Orléans.

Le 7 du courant, à une réunion des Directeurs, il a été résolu de déclarer un dividende-scrip de VINT-CINQ pour cent sur le montant net des primes de la Compagnie pour l'année expirée le 31 décembre 1866 — dividende pour lequel il sera émis des certificats à partir du premier mars prochain. Il a été résolu en outre de payer, à partir du deuxième lundi de mars prochain, SIX pour cent d'intérêt sur tous les scrips non encore payés de la Compagnie.

Directeurs:

Geo. Urquhart,	Wm Stevens,
A. Reichard,	Chs. Lafitte,
G. W. Babcock,	A. Schreiber,
J. A. White,	John Gauche,
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DIXIEME TABLEAU ANNUEL DE LA

Compagnie d'Assurance Hope de la Nlle-Orléans.

Bureau No 21 rue du Camp.

CONFORMEMENT à sa charte, la Compagnie présente l'état suivant de ses affaires:

Montant des primes reçues dans l'année expirée le 30 avril 1867....... $198,082 34

Savoir:
Sur les risques d'incendie.......$ 97,326 43
Sur les risques de mer....... 68,574 60
Sur les risques de rivière....... 32,181 12 — $198,082 34

Montant des risques non expirés le 30 avril 1866....... 23,722 37 — $221,804 61

Pertes payées dans la même période, savoir:
Sur les risques d'incendie....... $ 47,764 74
Sur les risques maritimes....... 72,565 34
Sur les risques de rivière....... 15,633 83 — $135,963 91

25 p. c. remis aux assurés....... $ 45 143 00
Primes remises....... 5,892 37
Réassurances....... 10,342 51 — $ 61,357 98
Taxes....... 11,976 64
Dépenses, intérêt en moins....... 9,877 43 — $219,175 94

L'actif de la Compagnie est comme suit:
Lettres hypothécaires sur des propriétés foncières améliorées dans cette ville, valant le double du montant prêté $112,380 98
Prêts garantis par nantissement....... 24 019
Effets pour primes à courte échéance 9,417 07
Actions du "Valette Dry Dock Co"....... 5,825 02
Actions de banques et autres actions....... 4,547 50
Scrips de compagnies d'assurances mutuelles....... 2,050 00
Bons fonciers....... 16,745 48
Primes en voie de perception....... 32,007 65
En caisse....... 44,613 51
Total de l'actif.......$232,620 27

Le tableau ci-dessus est une copie exacte des livres de la Compagnie.

HY. PEYCHAUD, Président.
LOUIS BARNETT, Secrétaire.

Etat de la Louisiane, Paroisse d'Orléans, Ville de la Nouvelle-Orléans.

Assermenté et signé pardevant moi ce 4 mai 1867.
PAUL W. COLLENS,
Troisième Juge de Paix.

Cette Compagnie continue à assurer contre les risques d'incendie, de mer et de rivière, aux taux usuels, et rend 25 p. c. comptant aux assurés sur le montant de leurs primes.

Bureau No 21 rue du Camp.

DIRECTEURS:

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Compagnie d'Assurance Mutuelle de la Louisiane.

TREIZIEME ETAT ANNUEL.

CONFORMEMENT à la Charte, la Compagnie publie l'état suivant.

Total des primes de l'année expirée le 28 février 1867....... $838,130 13
Savoir: Primes d'incendie $403,778 83
Primes de mer....... 201,377 22
Primes de rivières....... 232,974 08 — $838,130 13
En moins, primes remboursées .... $ 4,413 10
En moins, primes non expirées .... 40,294 00 — $ 44,707 10
Montant net des primes....... $793,423 03
Pertes payées.
Pertes par l'incendie....... $140,352 80
Pertes sur mer....... 131,939 20
Pertes sur les rivières....... 204,175 35 — $476,517 35
Réassurances....... 43,384 53
Dépenses, taxes, intérêts, etc, compte, etc....... 56,273 87
Escompte au lieu de scrip....... 77,770 35 — $653,945 93
Bénéfice net....... $139,477 41

L'actif de la Compagnie est comme suit:
Placé en propriétés foncières.......$36,850 52
Placé en hypothèque sur propriétés foncières 65,962 56
Placé en bons de la ville et autres....... 82,220 00
Placé en actions de banque et autres....... 111,055 00
Placé en scrip de Compagnies d'Assurance... 121,727 07
Prêts sur garanties....... 22,150 00
Billets....... 34,958 47
Primes en voie de perception....... 161,636 51
En caisse....... 162,888 31
$798,448 31

Le tableau qui précède est une copie exacte des livres de la Compagnie.

CHAS. BRIGGS, Président.
J. P. ROUX, Secrétaire.

ETAT DE LA LOUISIANE.
Paroisse d'Orléans, ville de la Nouvelle-Orléans.

Assermentés et signé pardevant moi, ce 19 mars 1867.
PAUL W. COLLENS,
Troisième Juge de Paix.

Les Directeurs ont résolu de déclarer un dividende-scrip de trente pour cent sur le montant net des primes de l'année expirée le 28 février 1867, et, pour ce dividende, il sera émis des certificats à partir du 1er juillet prochain.

Il sera payé, le deuxième lundi de mai 1867, aux porteurs ou à leurs ayant-cause, six pour cent d'intérêt sur tous les certificats de scrip non encore payés.

CHAS. BRIGGS, Président.
ANT. CARRIERE, Vice-Président.
J. P. ROUX, Secrétaire.

—DIRECTEURS.—

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COMPAGNIE d'Assurance Mutuelle des Citoyens

DIXIEME ETAT ANNUEL.

CONFORMEMENT à sa charte, la Compagnie publie l'état suivant de ses affaires:

Total des primes pour l'année expirée le 30 novembre 1866....... $386,315 35
Primes d'incendie.......$281,483 04
Primes de mer....... 96,213 61
Primes de rivières....... 58,673 70 — 86,315 35 [sic]
Moins les risques non expirés. $ 47,946 06
Primes remboursées....... 2,942 00 — 50,888 06
Montant net des primes....... $335,427 29
Pertes payées
Pertes par l'incendie....... $103,194 95
Pertes sur les mers....... 104 111 32
Pertes sur les rivières....... 18,047 38
$224,353 48
Réassurance....... 10,483 11
Remboursements de vingt et de vingt-cinq pour cent....... 30,019 74
Plus, les frais, les taxes de revenu intérieur, les profits et pertes, l'intérêt sur le scrip, l'intérêt en moins, etc....... 31,301 31 — 296,116 84
Bénéfice nets....... $ 39,310 65
Montant net des primes le 30 nov. 1866....... $335,427 29
Moins le montant sur lequel il a été remboursé vingt et vingt-cinq pour cent....... 176,666 30
Montant participant au bénéfice....... $148,761 06
L'actif de la Compagnie est comme suit:
Effets....... $ 36,103 37
Primes en voie de perception....... 110,357 06
Placé en bons de banques....... 71,301 50
Prêts sur garanties....... 28,427 70
Prêts sur hypothèques....... 12,287 43
Placé en bons de chemins de fer....... 9,356 00
Placé en scrip de compagnies d'assurance....... 89,662 00
En caisse....... 30,308 22
$346,776 28

Le tableau qui précède est une copie exacte tirée des livres de la Compagnie.

O. GAILLARD, Président.
H. CASTAREDE, secrétaire.

ETAT DE LA LOUISIANE.
Paroisse d'Orléans, ville de la Nouvelle-Orléans.

Assermenté et souscrit pardevant moi, ce 17 décembre 1866.
PAUL W. COLLENS,
Troisième Juge de Paix.

Les Directeurs ont résolu de déclarer un dividende-scrip de vingt-cinq pour cent sur le montant des primes participant au bénéfice, pour l'année expirée le 30 novembre 1866, dividende pour lequel il sera émis des certificats à partir du deuxième lundi de février prochain. Ils ont aussi résolu de payer six pour cent sur les certificats de scrip non encore payés, à partir du deuxième lundi de février 1866.

DIRECTEURS:

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Jean Gauche,	L. Grand,
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Compagnie d'Assurance Germania de la Nlle-Orléans.

PREMIER ETAT ANNUEL.

CONFORMEMENT à la charte, la Compagnie publie l'état suivant:

Total des primes de l'année expirée le 31 mars 1867....... 182,345 08
Primes d'incendie....... 127,908 99
Primes de mer....... 44,610 12
Primes de rivières....... 10,725 77 — 182,345 08
Moins—Primes remboursées....... 2,245 60
Montant en réserve pour risques non expirés....... 25,424 35 — 27,670 95
Montant net des primes....... 154,674 13
Pertes payées:
Pertes par l'incendie....... 26,219 50
Pertes sur mer....... 22,233 20
Pertes sur les rivières....... 2,669 08
51,121 79
Ré-assurances....... 6,409 69
Dépenses, intérêt....... 25,188 6
Taxe et souscriptions....... 4,710 22
20 et 25 0/0 d'escompte....... 37,013 13 — 124,454 20
Bénéfice net....... 30,219 93

L'actif de la Compagnie est comme suit:
Billets pour actions....... $40 550 00
Effets....... 1,333 28
Dû, par comptes individuels....... 16,319 52
Prêts sur garanties, sur demande....... 37,820 00
Prêts sur hypothèque....... 29,364 30
Garanties des Etats Unis....... 15,750 00
En caisse....... 23,507 61 — 256,645

Le tableau qui précède est une copie exacte des livres de la Compagnie.

[Signé] E. MAIER, Secrétaire. D. MICHEL, Président

Assermentés et signés, pardevant moi, ce 12 avril 1867.

[Signé] G. H. BRAUGHN,
Deuxième Juge de Paix de la paroisse d'Orléans.

Le 11 du courant, à une réunion des Directeurs, il a été résolu qu'un dividende de 50 pour cent sur le capital payé ou $10 par action, est déclaré et sera porté au crédit des billets d'actions non encore payés.

D. MICHEL, Président.
C. T. FORSTER, Vice-Président.
E. MAIER, Secrétaire.

—Directeurs:

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13 avril—1mtl

Compagnie d'Assurance Mutuelle des Marchands.

TREIZIEME ETAT ANNUEL.

CONFORMEMENT à sa charte, la Compagnie publie l'Etat suivant de ses affaires:

Montant des primes reçues pendant l'année expirée le 31 mai 1867, y compris les primes non expirées de l'année précédente:
Sur les risques d'incendie....... $895,910 49
Sur les risques de rivières....... 200,338 05
Sur les risques de mer....... 337,231 32
Total des primes....... $1,433,479 86
En moins.—Primes sur risques non-expirés le 31 mai 1867....... $224,182
Primes remboursées....... 25,955 29 — 250,137 29
Montant net des primes le 31 mai 1867 $1,183,342 57
Pertes payées pendant l'année:
Sur les risques d'incendie....... $311,223 89
Sur les risques de rivières....... 199,719 43
Sur les risques de mer....... 278,627 60
$789,570 92
Taxes....... 53,680 57
Ré-assurances.—Dépenses, Profits, pertes, moins intérêts....... 83,302 44 — $926,533 93
Bénéfice net....... $256,818 64

L'actif de la Compagnie est comme suit:
Propriétés foncières....... $159,617 87
Billets garantis par hypothèques....... 501,980 18
Billets garantis par nantissement....... 100,007 40
En caisse....... 74,750 32
Actions de banques et de chemin de fer....... 142,735 00
Primes en voie de perception....... 85,629 88
Bons de la Ville....... 56,630
Effets à recevoir....... 113,891 74
Scrip de Compagnies d'Assurances....... 36,715
Actions du Dry Dock Valletti....... 15,000
Actions de la Presse "Levee Steam"....... 5,000
Actions du "Marine Dry Dock"....... 2,950
Actions du "Merchants Exchange"....... 1,000
Actions du "Lightering Wrecking Co"....... 1,000
Bons de l'Etat....... 1,000
Total....... $1,406,416 43

En moins:
Intérêts non réclamés, et intérêts à payer en juillet prochain....... $95,264 12
30 pour cent sur le capital du scrip de 1859, payable en juillet 59,548 50
Primes sur risques non terminés le 31 mai 1867....... 224,182 — $378,994 62
Actif net....... $1,027,421 81

Le tableau ci-dessus est une copie exacte des livres de la Compagnie.

PAUL FOURCHY, Secrétaire.
JOHN PEMBERTON, Président

ETAT DE LA LOUISIANE,
Paroisse d'Orléans, Ville de la Nouvelle-Orléans.
Assermenté et signé pardevant moi, ce 6 juin 1867.
PAUL W. COLLENS,
Troisième Juge-de-Paix.

A une Assemblée des Directeurs tenue le 6 juin 1867, il a été résolu de déclarer un divende en scrip, de Vingt pour Cent sur les primes nettes de l'année, pour lequel des certificats de scrips seront émis le premier août prochain. Il a été aussi résolu de payer, le Second Lundi de Juillet prochain, TRENTE POUR CENT SUR LE CAPITAL DU SCRIP DE 1859 et Six pour Cent d'intérêts sur tous les scrips émis par la Compagnie.

— Directeurs. —

John Pemberton,	M. Puig,
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S. Q. Reif,	L. T. Généreé,
J. J. Fernandez,	J. Morgan Hall,
E. Dupasseur.	7 juin—3m

LEGAL NOTICES.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—SIXTH DISTRICT COURT OF NEW ORLEANS.

The State of Louisiana, to all whom these presents shall come, greeting:

Whereas, Isaac Goldstein having purchased, at a sale made by the Sheriff of the parish of Orleans, the property hereinafter described, has applied to the Clerk of this Court, in whose office the deed of sale was recorded on the 3d August, A. D. 1867 for a monition or advertisement in conformity to an act of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, entitled "An Act for the further assurance of titles to purchasers at judicial sales," approved the 10th day of March, 1834.

Now, therefore, know ye, and all persons interested herein, are hereby cited and admonished, in the name of the State of Louisiana and of the Sixth District Court of New Orleans, who can set up any right, title or claim in and to the property hereinafter described, in consequence of any informality in the order, decree or judgment of the Court under which the sale was made, or any irregularity or illegality in the appraisements and advertisements, in time or manner of sale, or for any other defect whatsoever, to show cause within twenty days from the date this monition is first inserted in the public papers, why the sale so made should not be confirmed and homologated.

The said property was sold by the Sheriff of the parish aforesaid on the twentieth day of July, A. D. 1867, by virtue of a decree of this Court, rendered on the ——, in a suit entitled O. Talomon, Dr. summe & Co. vs R. W. Estlin, R. Y. Black and Henry Thornhill, No. 17,366 of the docket of this Court, at which Isaac Goldstein became the purchaser for the price of $22,500.

Description of property as given in the judicial conveyance, viz:

A Certain Lot of Ground, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the First District of this city, in the square bounded by Baronne, Union, Carondelet and Perdido streets, and designated as lot D on a sketch annexed to an act passed before T. Guyol, late a Notary Public in this city, dated the 22d day of April, 1856.

The said lot measures thirty feet eleven inches and three lines front on Union street, one hundred and fifteen feet six inches and four lines in depth on the side towards Baronne street adjoining lot C on said plan, one hundred and thirteen feet seven inches and six lines in depth on the opposite side, at which depth the rear line runs parallel with Union street, twenty-three feet six inches and 4-8 lines, thence on a right angle four feet four inches towards Perdido street and thence seven feet ten inches parallel with Union street, until it strikes the rear point of the side line adjoining lot C. The buildings and improvements comprise a three story brick store, slate-roofed, outhouses &c., No. 47 (now 4?) Union street; being the same property acquired by defendants from Walter O. Robinson, by an act dated October 12th, 1859 before Theodore Guyol, late a Notary Public in this city, and recorded in the Conveyance Office in this city, book 79, folio 350.

Witness the Hon. G. Duplantier, Judge of the said court, on this 20th August, 1867.
aug30 sep10 20 30 WM. WOELPER, Clerk.

J. W. Champlin and George Buckingham vs. their Creditors and the Creditors of J. W. Champlin & Co.—No. 19,268.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—SIXTH DISTRICT COURT OF NEW ORLEANS.—In this case the Court having accepted the cession of property made by J. W. Champlin and George Buckingham, individually and as partners of the late commercial firm of J. W. Champlin & Co., for the benefit of their creditors of the said insolvents, and stayed all proceedings against their persons and property, until a meeting of their creditors could be had, and this meeting, which was ordered to be convened before Thomas J. Beck, Sen'r., a notary in this city, having failed by reason of the death of said notary—

Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said insolvents, and to W. H. Rogers, Esq., the Attorney appointed to represent the absent creditors, that a meeting of said creditors will be held before Thomas J. Beck, Jun'r., notary public, on SATURDAY, the 21st day of September, 1867, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purposes set forth in the order heretofore granted on the 5th January, 1867, convening said creditors.

By order of the Court
Clerk's Office, Sixth District Court of New Orleans, August 21, 1867.
aug21 F. J. LAIZER, Deputy Clerk.

THE STATE OF LOUISIANA—SIXTH DISTRICT Court of New Orleans.—I hereby certify that on the 11th day of September 1867, judgment was rendered in this court, in the following entitled suit in the words and figures following to wit: No. 21,234—Euphrasie Dumontier, wife of Victor Eugene Dubois, vs. her Husband—It is ordered, adjudged and decreed that there be judgment in favor of said plaintiff Mrs. Euphrasie Dumontier, wife of Victor Eugene Dubois, and against said Victor Eugene Dubois, the defendant, her husband, decreeing a separation from bed and board and property between the parties, and that the community existing between them be and the same is hereby dissolved; It is further adjudged and decreed, that the plaintiff be the lawful owner and sole manager of her property, without the authorization of the defendant; and it is further adjudged and decreed that there be also judgment in favor of plaintiff and against defendant, for the sum of Three Hundred Dollars, brought him in marriage as her dowry, with privilege as allowed by law to married women, with interest and costs of this suit.

Judgment signed 13th September 1867
[Signed] G. DUPLANTIER, Judge.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at the city of New Orleans, on this 11th day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, and the 92d year of the Independence of the United States.
sep15 It 1n30d F. J. LAIZER, Deputy Clerk.

Succession of Ben. D. Harris.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT OF NEW ORLEANS No. 29,901—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of this estate and to all other persons herein interested, to show cause within ten days from the present notification, if any they have or can, why the account presented by J. F. Simonds, curator of this estate, should not be homologated and the funds distributed in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court,
sept 10 15 19 P. R. O'RORKE, Clerk.

Succession of Luke Doyle.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT OF NEW ORLEANS No. 29,919.—Whereas M. P. de Arcos ... has petitioned the Court for letters of curatorship on the vacant estate of the late Luke Doyle, deceased, ... Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, to show cause within ten days why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

By order of the Court.
sep16 22 P. R. O'RORKE, Clerk.

Joseph H. Stockley vs his Creditors and those of Stockley & Delavallade.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—SIXTH DISTRICT Court of New Orleans—No. 18,36— Notice is hereby given to the Creditors of the insolvents, and to all other persons interested, to show cause within ten days from the date of this notification, if any they have, why the tableau presented by the syndic should not be approved and homologated and the funds distributed accordingly.
sep14 sep 1 F. J. LAIZER, Deputy Clerk

Atlantic Insurance Company of New Orleans.

OFFICE, No. 19 CAMP STREET.

NEW ORLEANS, July 10, 1867.

FIRST ANNUAL STATEMENT.

In conformity with the requirements of their Charter the Company publish the following statement:

Amount of Premiums for the year ending July 5th, 1867....... $157,683 27

Viz:
Fire Premiums....... $73 963 13
Marine Premiums....... 39,001 65
River Premiums....... 45,286 44 — $157,683 27
Less Return Premiums....... 698 21
$156,985 06

Losses paid, viz:
On Fire Risks....... $22,087 42
Marine Risks....... 26,470 13
River Risks....... 18,351 58
$67,809
Rebate....... 54,225 30
Reinsurance....... 9,817 57
Taxes....... 2,781 46
Expenses, Discount, etc....... 29,756 61 — 143,392 37
$13,592 69

—ASSETS—
Capital Stock Notes....... $300,000 00
Bills Receivable, secured by mortgage....... 5,000 00
Premiums in course of collection....... 17,349 62
Bills Receivable payable on demand....... 38,900 00
Valette Dry Dock Co. Stock....... 1,000 00
Office Furniture and fixtures....... 2,631 37
Cash....... 24,169 70
$388,582 69

The above statement is a just, true and correct transcript from the books of the Company.

E. RIGNEY, President.
H. P. JANVIER, Secretary.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 11th day of July, A. D. 1867.
PAUL W. COLLENS,
Third Justice of the Peace.

—DIRECTORS—

E. Rigney,	H. H. Stanley,
George W. Mayson,	A. B. Hitchcock,
T. M. Simmons,	James Byrnes,
W. H. H. Witherell,	B. J. West,
T. Prudhomme,	C. M. Soria,
B. L. Mann,	E. Newman,
Alexander Marks,	J. P. Eggleston,
W. R. Greene,	A. D. Grieff,
John H. Keep,	C. E. Slayback,
	N. H. Thomas.

E. RIGNEY, President.
A. D. GRIEFF, Vice President.
H. P. JANVIER, Secretary. jy12 1m

JUDICIAL SALES.

Charles Donnelly vs. H. S. Fulkerson and the New Orleans Manufacturing and Building Company.

THIRD DISTRICT COURT OF NEW ORLEANS. No. 21,960.—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the Honorable the Third District Court of New Orleans in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, the 21st day of September, 1867, at 12 o'clock M., the following described property, viz: FIVE HUNDRED AND TEN (510) SHARES of the stock of the New Orleans Manufacturing and Building Company, which shares were transferred by H. S. Fulkerson to said Company on or about the 25th day of May 1867.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

sept10 13 16 19 21 HARRY T. HAYS, Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

Sale by the Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans, in Order to Effect a Partition.

Succession of the late Ole Anderson, deceased.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT OF NEW ORLEANS No. 25,729.—By virtue of a judgment rendered September 12th 1867 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, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, the twelfth day of October, 1867 at 12 o'clock M., in order to effect a partition, the following described property, viz: A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, situated in the Faubourg Washington, in the Third District of this city, designated by the No. 16 of square No. four, comprised between Enghein, Port Cascalvo and Morean streets, on a plan drawn by J. Pilie, late surveyor, dated the ninth day of February, 1839, measuring, in American measure, twenty-nine feet front on Cascalvo street, by one hundred feet deep between parallel lines. Together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, consisting of an elegant cottage house, having four rooms below and one room in the attic, a small frame building, having one room, two cisterns, privy, well paved yard, etc., etc.

Being the same property acquired by the deceased, Ole Anderson, by purchase from Francisco Gallar, per act passed before Felix Percy, late a notary public in this city, dated January 18th, 1853.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

HARRY T. HAYS, Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.
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New Orleans, Opelousas and Great Western Railroad.

U. S. MAIL ROUTE BETWEEN NEW ORLEANS, WESTERN LOUISIANA AND TEXAS.

The Railroad FERRY BOAT will leave the foot of St. Ann street, opposite Jackson Square, DAILY, at 7¼ A. M., connecting with the PASSENGER TRAIN, leaving Algiers at 8 A. M.

Shippers and consignees of freight, by giving notice to the New Orleans Transfer Company, corner Camp and Common streets, can have their goods received or delivered in any part of the city at reduced rates of drayage.

Freight for stations on the road and for landings on the Teche, will be received daily (Sundays excepted) from 7 A. M. to 5 P. M., at the foot of St. Ann street.

Freight for all points on Bayou Lafourche, between Labadieville and Lockport, for Belanger Canal, and for Houma, will be received and transported through, via Raceland, Lafourche and Terrebonne stations, at through steamboat rates.

All outward freight payable at the time of shipment, and all inward freight on delivery.

G. W. R. BAYLEY, Superintendent.
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Factors' and Traders' INSURANCE COMPANY,

39.......Carondelet Street.......39

NEW ORLEANS.

ALL DIVIDENDS IN THIS COMPANY ARE PAYABLE IN CASH.

Amount of Premiums received in the first year (of eight months) of its business, ending 30th April, 1867—
$413,026 43.

ASSETS
30th April, 1867.......$545,815 91

The Company continues to issue Policies against Loss and Damage by fire and the perils of rivers and seas at the current rates of premium.

MICHEL MUSSON, President.
HARMON DOANE, Vice President.
ED. A. PALFREY, Secretary.

TRUSTEES:

James Hewitt,	J. J. Warren,
W. A. Johnson,	Wm. Ball,
J. W. Burbridge,	Robert Pitkin,
Jno. L. Noble,	Alf. H. Isaacson,
Moses Greenwood,	Rich'd Milliken,
Alfred S. Huntington,	Sam'l E. Moore,
Hugh McColl,	Wm. H. Henning,
Marshall J. Smith,	Thos. M. Scott,
I. Caulfield,	Joseph Block,
John Chaffe,	J. B. Jennings,
E. H. Terry,	R. T. Buckner,
Jas. D. Blair,	H. H. Ware,
Sam'l Friedlander.	aug11 6m

LEEDS'S FOUNDRY,
(ESTABLISHED IN 1836.)

Corner of Delord and Foucher Streets.

WE beg leave to inform our friends and the public generally that we are prepared, as formerly, to manufacture Steam Engines, Boilers, Sugar Mills, Sugar Kettles, Draining Machines, Saw Mills, Cotton Presses, Hewell Screws, Gin Gearing, Furnace Mouths, Grate Bars, all kinds of Plantation and Steamboat Works and every description of Machinery for the South.

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J. V. GOURDAIN,
BROKER,
NO. 16 EXCHANGE ALLEY,
BETWEEN CUSTOMHOUSE AND CANAL STS.,
Opposite the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange,
aug6 1m New Orleans, La.

INSURANCES.

Citizens' Mutual Insurance COMPANY.

TENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

In conformity with the requirements of their Charter, the Company publish the following statement:

Total premiums for the year ending Nov. 30, 1866....... $386,315 35
Fire premiums....... $231,483 04
Marine....... 96,213 61
River....... 58,673 70 — $386,315 35
Less unterminated risks....... $ 47,946 06
Returned premiums....... 2,942 00 — 50,888 06
Net earned premiums....... $335,427 29
Losses paid:
Fire losses....... $102,194 95
Marine losses....... 104,111 32
River losses....... 18,047 38
$224,353 48
Re-insurance....... 10,483 11
Twenty and twenty-five per cent returns....... 30,019 74
Add expenses, internal revenue taxes, profit and loss, interest on scrip less interest, etc....... 31,301 31 — 296,116 84
Net profits....... $ 39,310 65
Net earned premiums 30th Nov., 1866....... $335,427 29
Less amount on which twenty and twenty-five per cent, have been returned....... 176,666 30
Amount participating in profit....... $148,761 06

The company have the following assets:
Bills receivable....... $ 36,103 37
Premiums in course of collection....... 110,357 06
Invested in bank stocks....... 71,301 50
Loans on pledge....... 28,427 70
Loans on mortgage....... 12,287 43
Invested in railroad bonds....... 9,356 00
Invested in scrip of insurance company....... 89,662 00
Cash on hand....... 30,308 22
$346,776 28

The above statement is a just, true and correct transcript from the books of the Company.

O. GAILLARD, President.
H. CASTAREDE, Secretary.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Orleans, City of Orleans.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th day of December, 1866.
PAUL W. COLLENS,
Third Justice of the Peace.

The Board of Trustees have resolved to declare a scrip dividend of Twenty-five per cent. on the net earned participating premiums for the year ending 30th November, 1866, for which certificates will be issued on and after the second Monday in February next; and have further resolved to pay six per cent on the outstanding certificates of scrip, on and after the second Monday in February, 1866.

TRUSTEES:

J. Lorber,	A. Miltenberger,
A. Verlein DeGruy	J. Lecmore,
John Gauche,	L. Grand,
Jas. A. White,	T. Avendano,
O. Gaillard,	A. H. D'Meza,
J. A. Stone,	F. Mathon,
	A. Bidault.

Office, No. 3 Carondelet street. jan9

Sun Mutual Insurance Company

OFFICE OF THE SUN MUTUAL INSURANCE Co., New Orleans, 61 Camp street.

ELEVENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT

Of the affairs of the SUN MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ORLEANS, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1866.

Amount of Premiums for the year ending December 31, 1866, viz
On Fire Risks....... $281,338 30
On Marine Risks....... 83,102 86
On River Risks....... 271,004 48
$656,441 44
Unterminated Risks, December 31, 1865....... 65,349 00 — $722,634 44
Deduct
Unterminated Risks, December 31, 1866....... 66,185 00
Return Premiums Dec. 31, 1866....... 4,897 16 — 71,482 16
Net Earned Premiums December 31, 1866....... $651,349 2
Losses paid during the same period, viz:
On Fire Risks....... $66,277 15
On Marine Risks....... 49,519 49
On River Risks....... 206,121 68 — $322 918 32
Add Reinsurance....... 4,287 00
Fifteen, Twenty and Twenty-five per cent discount on premiums....... 163,309 61
Amount reserved for unadjusted Losses....... 50,000 00
Expenses, Taxes Profit and Loss, less Discount and Interest, etc....... 60,927 62 — 586,583 45
Net Profits....... $64 766 43
Net Earned Premiums....... $651,349 28
Less Amount of Premiums on which Fifteen, Twenty and Twenty-five per cent. have been returned....... 522,000 14
Amount of Net Earned Premiums Participating in Profits....... $129,349 14

The Company have the following assets viz:
Invested in City and State Bonds valued at $430,380 00
Invested in Bank and Gas Stocks, valued at 173,911 00
Loans on Pledge....... 39,500 00
Loans on Mortgage....... 38,000 00
Bills receivable....... 22,276 07
Premiums Due in course of Collection....... 41,082 61
Scrip of other Insurance Companies....... 14,155 00
(Incomplete) Funds....... 7,500 00
Cash on hand....... 276,643 84
$1,046,733 52

The above statement is a true and correct transcript from the books of the company.

THOMAS SLOO, President.
THOS. ANDERSON Secretary.

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

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this sixteenth day of January, 1867.
G. H. BRAUGHN,
Second Justice of the Peace, Parish of Orleans.

The Board of Directors have this day resolved to pay six per cent. interest on the outstanding certificates of scrip, on and after the 11th of February next, and to redeem in cash after that date FIFTY PER CENT of the scrip of 1859. At the same time further declared a scrip dividend of FIFTY PER CENT on the net earned participating premiums of the year ending December 31, 1866, for which certificates will be issued on and after the 15th day of March next.

THOMAS SLOO, President.
JNO. O. GAINES, Vice-President.
THOS. ANDERSON, Secretary

—DIRECTORS—

Jno. O. Gaines,	H. T. Lonsdale
Jno. C. Ricks,	Schuyler Turner,
E. J. Hart	B. Blanco,
J. H. Stauffer,	J. B. Bree
Henry Renshaw,	Thos. A. James,
Thos. Sloo,	J. G. Barelli

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N. O. Mutual Insurance Company

SEVENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

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

Amount of Premiums unearned 1865....... $91,284
Premiums during the year ending 31st December, 1866.
On Fire Risks....... $247 125 25
On Marine Risks....... 77,081 74
On River Risks....... 95,493 26 — 509,900 44
Total Premiums....... $601,383 44
Less: Premiums unearned $1st Dec. 1866....... 10,478 00
Return Premiums....... 6,549 61 — 104,000 41
Net earned Premiums....... $276,466 03 [sic]
Losses—
On Fire Risks....... $216,273 43
On Marine Risks....... 58,172 25
On River Risks....... 60,084 89
$217,358 63 [sic]
Taxes....... 8,190 61
Reinsurance....... 4,324 00
General Expenses, less interest account....... 25,129 77
Interest on Scrips....... 17,692 00 — 282,475 13
Net Profit....... $94,000 90

The Company have the following assets:
Bills receivable secured by pledge and mortgage....... $189,394 92
Premiums in course of collection....... 65,663 42
Consolidated or City Bonds....... 36,450 00
Invested in Gas Light Company....... 17,780 00
Do. in N. O. City Rail Road Company....... 2,800 00
Scrips or Mutual Ins. Companies....... 79,725 00
Merchants' Exchange Company....... 1,000 00
Real Estate....... 6,075 44
Valette's Dry Dock Company....... 10,000 00
Cash on hand....... 97,128 19 — $506,216 17
Less: Unclaimed Interest on Scrips....... 8,390 00
Interest due in March on all outstanding Scrips....... 24,397 00
Claims unsettled....... 7,355 00 — 38,842 80
$467,372 37

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

Be it remembered, that on this day, the 9th of January, 1867, before me, the undersigned, Justice of the Peace, in and for the parish aforesaid, personally appeared JULES TUYES, President, and J. W. HINCKS, Secretary, of the NEW ORLEANS MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, of New Orleans, who being duly sworn according to law, did depose and say that the above statement is just and true, and a correct transcript from the books of the Company.

J. TUYES, President,
J. W. HINCKS, Secretary.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 9th day of January, 1867.
PAUL W. COLLENS,
Third Justice of the Peace, Parish of Orleans.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held the 7th instant, it was resolved to declare a Scrip Dividend of Twenty-five per cent. on the net earned premiums of the Company, for the year ending 31st December, 1866, for which certificates will be issued on and after the 1st of March next. Also to pay, on and after the second Monday in March next, Six per cent. interest on all outstanding Scrips of the Company.

—DIRECTORS:—

G. W. Babcock,	Wm. Stevens,
George Urquhart,	A. Schriber,
J. A. White,	Charles Lafitte,
W. F. Vredenburg,	J. M. Lapeyre,
T. Bailly Blanchard,	Jules Tuyes,
A. Reichard.	John Gauche.

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Louisiana Mutual Insurance Co.

THIRTEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

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

Total Premiums for the year ending 28th February, 1867....... $838,130 13
Viz—Fire Premiums....... $403,778 83
Marine Premiums....... 201,377 22
River Premiums....... 232,974 08 — $838,130 1
Less Return Premiums....... $ 4,413 10
Less Unearned Premiums....... 40,294 00 — $ 44,707 10
Net Earned Premiums....... $793,423 03
Losses Paid:
Fire Losses....... $140,352 80
Marine Losses....... 130,939 20
River Losses....... 204,175 35 — $476,517 35
Reinsurance....... 43,384 53
Expenses, Taxes, Interest, Discount, etc....... 56,273 87
Discount in lieu of Scrip....... 77,770 35 — $653,945 92
Net Profits....... $139,477 11

The Company have the following Assets:
Invested in Real Estate....... $ 36,850 52
Invested in Mortgage on Real Estate....... 65,962 56
Invested in City and other Bonds....... 82,220 00
Invested in Bank and other Stocks....... 111,055 00
Invested in Scrip of Insurance Companies....... 121,727 07
Loaned on Pledges....... 22,150 00
Bills Receivable....... 34,958 40
Premiums in course of Collection....... 161,636 51
Cash on hand....... 162,888 31 — $798,448 31

The above statement is a just, true and correct transcript from the books of the Company.

CHAS. BRIGGS, President.
J. P. ROUX, Secretary.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 19th day of March, 1867.
PAUL W. COLLENS,
Third Justice of the Peace.

The Board of Trustees have resolved to declare a Scrip Dividend of Thirty per cent. on the net earned participating premiums for the year ending 28th February, 1867, for which certificates will be issued on and after the 1st day of July next.

Six per cent. interest on all outstanding certificates of Scrip will be paid on the second Monday of May, 1867, to the holders thereof or their legal representatives.

CHAS. BRIGGS, President.
ANT. CARRIERE, Vice President.
J. P. ROUX, Secretary.

TRUSTEES:

Charles Briggs,	A. R. Montgomery,
Ant. Carriere,	Chas. Weisbaar,
Geo. A. Fosdick,	A. Lecourt,
Mason Pilcher,	Frank Williams,
R. Brugier,	Thomas Byrne,
Chas. Lafitte,	John Thornhill,
John S. Maunsell,	W. A. Violett,
P. Anderson,	D. Piaggio,
Alfred Kearny,	Hugh Macdonald,
A. Frerichs,	Harlow J. Phelps,
Geo. W. Dunbar,	Wm. M. Pinckard,
E. F. Stockmeyer,	Henry H. Bryan,
Geo. W. Hynson,	John B. Wallis,
Arch'd Montgome	J. B. Ehlers,
Henry J. Voss,	George Foster,
E. Marquese,	Andrew Stewart,

L. S. Fobbier mh21

STATE OF LOUISANA,
PARISH OF ORLEANS,
CITY OF NEW ORLEANS.

BE IT KNOWN, THAT ON THIS TENTH DAY of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, and of the Independence of the United States of America the ninety-first, before me, WILLIAM JOSEPH CASTELL, a notary public in and for the Parish of Orleans, State of Louisiana, duly commissioned and qualified, and in the presence of the witnesses hereinafter named, and undersigned, personally came and appeared:

The parties hereinafter named and undersigned, who declared that availing themselves of the provisions of the Statutes of the State of Louisiana relative to the organization of Corporations in this State, they do by these presents, form themselves into and constitute a corporation for the object and under the following stipulations, to wit:

ARTICLE I.
The corporate name of the Association shall be the MISSISSIPPI VALLEY NAVIGATION COMPANY.

ARTICLE II.
The place of business and legal domicil of this Corporation shall be located in the city of New Orleans.

ARTICLE III.
The object of this Association is to construct and maintain one or more Steamboats to run on the Mississippi river or its tributaries, for the purpose of carrying Freight and Passengers, and generally to exercise such incidental powers and privileges as are hereby, or may hereafter be conferred on the Corporation for the purposes aforesaid.

ARTICLE IV.
The President of the Association is hereby constituted the officer on whom citations may be served.

ARTICLE V.
The capital stock of this corporation is hereby fixed at Five Hundred Thousand Dollars, represented by Five Thousand Shares of One Hundred Dollars each. Ten per cent. of each subscription shall be payable at the time of signing, and the remainder shall be paid at the time and in the manner directed by the Board of Directors, provided that not more than ten per cent. of said subscription shall be called for at any one time, and not oftener than once in any thirty days.

ARTICLE VI.
This Association shall go into operation so soon as Fifty Thousand Dollars of the capital stock is subscribed, and immediately thereafter the Stockholders may meet and elect a Board of Directors, each share of Stock subscribed for shall be entitled to one vote; each Stockholder may vote in person or by proxy.

ARTICLE VII.
That in case it should become necessary to place this corporation in a state of liquidation there shall be appointed by the Board of Directors some one of their number, who shall represent their Corporation, and whose signature shall be binding on the Company.

ARTICLE VIII.
The Board of Directors, as soon as practicable after their election, shall proceed to elect the officers of the Association, which shall consist of a President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, Superintendent, and such other officers as they may deem necessary, the two first of whom shall be from their own number.

ARTICLE IX.
This Association shall have a corporate seal, the device of which shall be a steamboat and name of the Corporation traced thereon.

ARTICLE X.
The term for which this Corporation is formed shall be twenty-five years.

ARTICLE XI.
That should any subscriber refuse or neglect to pay punctually his or her installment or installments as the same mature and fall due, interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent. per annum shall be added thereto from maturity until payment, and if any subscriber neglects or refuses to pay any installment for thirty days, within thirty days after the specified time of payment, the Board of Directors shall have the right of causing any share or shares, upon which any installment may be due to be sold at public auction or otherwise after ten days previous notice thereof by advertisement in one or more newspapers in this city.

ARTICLE XII
This corporation shall adopt such By-Laws hereafter as they may deem proper and necessary not inconsistent with this act.

The parties to this act are
DAVID DE HAVEN
DAVID C. MARTIN,
FRANK BAKER,
THOMAS G. RHETT
JOHN D. STRONG,
JOHN A. A. WEST,
LEE CRANDALL,
A. W. FAULKNER.

This done and passed in my office, at New Orleans aforesaid, the day, month and year first above written, in the presence of Charles E. Lenes and Theodore Renshaw, witnesses of lawful age, domiciliated in this city, who hereunto sign their names with the parties and me, the said Notary, after the reading of these presents.

(Signed) D. DeHAVEN
D. C. MARTIN,
F. BAKER,
THOS. G. RHETT,
A. W. FAULKNER,
JOHN D. STRONG,
JOHN A. A. WEST,
LEE CRANDALL,
CHAS. E. LENES,
THEO. RENSHAW,
W. J. CASTELL,
Notary Public.

A True Copy,
W. J. CASTELL, Notary Public,
New Orleans, April 10, 1867. apl1 lf

Merchants' Mutual Insurance Co. OF NEW ORLEANS.

THIRTEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

In conformity with the requirements of their Charter, the Company publish the following statement:

Premiums received during the year ending on 31st May, 1867, including unearned premiums of the previous year:
On Fire Risks....... $895,910 49
On River Risks....... 200,338 05
On Marine Risks....... 339,231 32
Total Premiums....... $1,433,479 86
Less Premiums unearned on 31st May, 1867....... $224,182
Return Premiums....... 25,955 29 — 250,137 29
Net earned Premiums 31st May, 1867....... $1,183,342 57
Losses paid during the year:
On Fire Risks....... $311,223 89
On River Risks....... 199,719 43
On Marine Risks....... 278,627 60
$789,570 92
Taxes....... 53,650 57
Reinsurances, expenses, profit and loss, less interest....... 83,302 44 — 926,523 93
Net profits....... $256,818 64

The Company have the following assets:
Real Estate....... $159,617 87
Notes secured by mortgage....... 501,980 18
Notes secured by pledge....... 100,007 40
Cash on hand....... 74,750 32
Premiums in course of collection....... 85,629 88
City Bonds....... 50,630 00
Bank and Railroad Stocks....... 142,735 00
Bills Receivable....... 113,891 74
Scrips of Mutual Insurance Companies....... 36,715 00
Stock of Vallette Dry Dock....... 15,000 00
" Levee Steam Press....... 5,000 00
" Gas Light Company....... 5,000 00
" Marine Dry Dock....... 2,950 00
" Merchants' Exchange....... 1,000 00
Lightering and Wrecking Company....... 1,000 00
State Bonds....... 1,000 00
Total....... $1,406,416 43
Less—
Unclaimed interest and interest, payable in July next, on all outstanding Scrips....... $95,264 12
Thirty per cent. curtailment on Scrip of 1859, payable in July....... 59,548 50
Unearned Premiums on 31st May, 1867....... 224,182 00 — 378,994 62
$1,027,421 81

The above statement is a just and correct transcript from the books of the Company.

JOHN PEMBERTON, President.
PAUL FOURCHY, Secretary.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of June, 1867.
PAUL W. COLLENS,
Third Justice of the Peace.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 6th June, 1867, it was resolved to declare a scrip dividend of twenty per cent on the net earned premiums for the year ending 31st May, 1867, for which certificates will be issued on and after the first day of August next. Also, to pay on and after the second Monday in July next THIRTY PER CENT CURTAILMENT ON THE SCRIP ISSUE OF 1859, and six per cent. interest on all outstanding scrips of the Company.

DIRECTORS:

John Pemberton,	J. Morgan Hall,	David McCoard,
P. Maspero,	Pierre Pouts,	S. Z. Relf,
L. F. Generes,	J. J. Fernandez,	Chs. Sagory,
E. Dupasseur.	M. Puig.	je7 tf

Official.

Office of the Commissioners of the Consolidated Debt.

NEW ORLEANS, July 19th, 1867

WHEREAS, The Commissioners of the Consolidated Debt have issued, for the prompt payment of the matured obligations of the Old Corporations of the city, during the years 1864, 1865 and 1866, under ordinance No. 6236, of the Bureau, adopted 10th August, 1864, CITY NOTES of the denomination of TWENTY DOLLARS ($20), to the amount of $696,000, with the following words printed on the back, viz: "This note, issued in payment of Bonds of the Consolidated Debt of New Orleans, will be received in payment of all debts due the City of New Orleans, and is convertible, at the will of the holder, in sums of one thousand dollars, into a Bond of said Consolidated Debt, payable forty years after date, bearing six per centum per annum, with semi-annual coupons attached," and,

Whereas, the City Charter (section 37) provides that new bonds of the city should have been given in exchange for the same, or sold for the purpose of paying the same, and also to diminish the city circulation to that extent; be it

Resolved, That from and after the 23d day of August proposals will be received for the exchange of said city notes for Consolidated Bonds of the City of New Orleans, of One Thousand Dollars each, payable in Twenty-five Years, at the City Treasury, with interest coupons attached thereto, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually in the city of New York.

Proposals to be addressed to O. DeBuys, Secretary, City Hall Room No. 22, and indorsed "Offer for Exchange." By order of the Board:

jy19 law—fr&sun 1m O. DEBUYS, Secretary.

Postages to Foreign Ports.

☞ The Asterisk (*) indicates that in cases where it is prefixed, unless the letter be registered, prepayment is optional; in all other cases prepayment is required.

—Letters.—

COUNTRIES.	Not over ½ ounce.	Not over ½ ounce.	Newspapers.
Africa, west coast, British mail...	..	33	4
Argentine Republic, via England	..	45	4
via France	30	60	..
Aspinwall	..	10	
Australia, Br. M. via Southampton	..	33	6
do via Marseilles...	39	45	8
by private ship from N. Y. or Boston	..	5	2
French mail (8 Austr'a comp'ry)	*30	*60	..
by Brem. or Ham mail, via Marseilles and Suez	50	102	..
Algeria, French Mail	*15	*30	2
by Brem. & Ham. mail via Trieste	..	55	
Austria and its States, Pr. closed mail	..	*30	6
do do when prepaid	..	28	
do by Brem. or Ham. mail...	..	*15	3
do do (except prov. in Italy) French mail....		*21	
Bahamas, by direct steamer from New York,	..	5	2
Belgium, French mail,	*21	*42	
closed mail via. England,	..	*27	5
open mail via. London by Am. pkt.	..	21	2
do. do. by British pkt.	..	5	2
Brazil, via. England,	..	45	4
via. France, in Fr. m. from Bordeau,	*33	*66	
By American Packet,	..	10	2
Bremen, Prussian closed mail,	..	*30	6
do. do. do. when prepaid,	..	28	
do. Bremen mail,	..	*10	2
do. Hamburg mail,	..	*15	3
do. French mail,	*21	*42	
British N. Am. Prov., dist. not over 3000 miles,	..	*10	2
do. dist. exceed 3000 miles,	..	*15	2
Buenos Ayres, via England,	..	45	4
do. via France, by French mail from Bordeaux,	30	60	
Cape of G. H., Br. m., via Southampton,	..	45	8
do. do. Marseilles,	..	58	8
Chilli,	..	34	6
China, Br'sh M. via Southampton,	..	45	6
do. via Marseilles,	..	53	8
do. by Br'n or Ham m., via Trieste,	..	55	
by Brem. or Ham. m. via Marseilles and Suez,	40	72	
French mail,	30	60	2
by mail to San Fran., thence by pr. ship,	..	3	
Costa Rica,	..	10	2
Cuba,	..	10	2
Denmark Prussian closed mail (if prepaid 31c.)	..	33	9
by Bremen or Hamburg Mail	..	20	3
French Mail	*27	54	
E. In's, op'n m. via Lon. by A. pkt.	..	5	6
Prussian closed mail, via Trieste	..	68	13
(Eng. possess) Pr. cl. m. via Trieste.	..	36	13
by Brem or Ham. m. via Mar's. and Suez	40	72	
by Brem. or Ham. m. via Trieste	..	64	
French mail.	80	60	
Ecuador	..	34	6
France	*15	*30	2
Frankfort, French mail	*21	*42	
Prussian closed mail	..	*30	6
do do when prepaid	..	28	
Brem. or Ham. mail	..	*15	3
German States, Prus. closed mail (if prep 28c)	..	*30	6
French mail	*21	*42	
Bremen mail	..	*15	3
(except Luxemburg) by Ham.	..	*15	3
Great Britain and Ireland	..	*24	2
Hamburg, by Ham. mail direct from N. Y.	..	*10	2
Bremen mail	..	*15	3
Prussian closed mail	..	*30	6
do when prepaid	..	28	
French mail	*21	*42	..
Hanover, Prussian closed mail	..	*30	6
do when prepaid	..	28	
by Bremen or Hamburg mail	..	*15	3
French mail	*21	*42	
Hayti, via England	..	45	4
Hong Kong, Brit m. via Mar's	..	53	8
do via Southampton,	..	45	6
by French mail	30	60	2
by Bremen or Hamburg mail	..	39	
Prussian closed mail	..	36	10
Indian Archipelago, French mail,	30	60	
Italy, via. Bremen or Hamburg mail,			5
British mail via Marseilles	39	45	8
Martinique, via England	..	45	4
Mauritius, Br. m. via Southampton	..	33	6
do do via Marseilles	39	45	8
do French mail	30	60	
Mexico	..	10	2
Norway Prus. cl. m. (if prep. 38c)	..	42	13
do Bremen or Hamburg mail	..	38	4
do French mail	33	66	
Nassau, N. Prov. direct steamer from N. Y.	..	5	2
New Grenada, (except Aspinwall and Panama)	..	18	6
Nicaragua, Pacific Slope, via Panama	..	10	2
do Gulf Coast of	..	34	6
Panama	..	10	2
Paragua, Brit. mail, via England	..	45	4
Peru	..	22	6
Porto Rico, Brit mail via Havana	..	34	
Portugal, Brit. mail, via England	33	45	8
Prussia, Prussian closed mail	..	*30	6
do when prepaid	..	28	
by Bremen or Hamburg mail	..	*15	8
French mail	*21	42	
Russia, Prus. cl. m. (if prep. 35c)	..	*37	8
by Bremen or Hamburg mail	..	*29	
French mail.	*30	*60	2
Sweden Prus cl. m. (if prep. 28c)	..	33	10
do Hamburg or Bremen Mail,	..	35	4
do. French mail,	38	66	
Sardinian States (Prussian closed mail if prepaid, 40c	..	42	11
do do. French mail,	*21	*42	
Bremen or Hamburg mail,	*28	..	
Savoy, District	*15	*30	2
Roman States, Prussian closed m..	41	..	12
Bremen or Hamburg,	*27	..	
French mail,	*27	*54	2
Singapore, Br. m. via Southampton	..	45	6
do. via Marseilles,	..	53	8
French mail,	30	60	
Spain, Br. m. by American packet,	..	21	2
do. do. by British pkt.	..	5	2
do. French mail,	..	42	
do. by Brem or Ham mail,	30	42	
St. Thomas, by U. S. packet to Kingston, Jamaica,	..	18	6
do. via Havana,	..	34	6
Switzerland, Prus. cl. m (if prepaid 33c.)	..	*35	9
French mail	*21	*42	2
by Bremen mail,	..	*19	4
by Hamburg mail,	..	19	3
Venezuela, British mail via Southampton,	..	45	4
West Indies, British,	..	10	2
not British, (except Cuba),	..	34	6

Routes of Transmission, Etc.

To prevent mistakes at the exchange offices, it is desirable that the particular routes by which letters are to be forwarded from the United States to Europe, should be distinctly written on the covers. Letters intended for transmission in the open mail to England, should bear the direction "open mail via England;" if for transmission in the French mail, they should be directed "via France in French mail," if for transmission by closed mail to Prussia, they should be directed "via Prussian closed mail," if for transmission in the closed mail to Belgium, they should be directed "via Belgian closed mail," and if for transmission by the New York and Bremen line to Bremen, or by the New York and Hamburg line to Hamburg, they should be directed "via Bremen," or "via Hamburg."

It is important that letters addressed to Germany and other European countries, via France, where the single rate per quarter ounce is 21 cents, should be plainly marked to be sent via France; otherwise they may be missent in the open mail to Liverpool by United States packet, the 21 cent rate per half ounce being also chargeable on letters thus forwarded.

Insurance Agencies.

Adriatic Insurance Company, of New York—P. R. Fell Agent, No. 53 Carondelet street.

Ætna Insurance Company, of Hartford, Conn.—Harmon Doane, Agent, 97 Camp street.

Ætna Life Insurance Company, of New York—Geo. H. King, Agent, 115 Camp street.

Atlantic Insurance Company, of New York—P. R. Fell, Agent, 53 Carondelet street.

Citizens' Mutual Insurance Company, of New Orleans—Wm. Dalton, Agent, 542 Magazine street.

Columbia Insurance Company, of New York—Paxson & Folsom, Agents, 48 Camp street.

Harmony Insurance Company, of New York—P. R. Fell, Agent, 53 Carondelet street.

Hartford Insurance Company—Harmon Doane, Agent, 97 Camp street.

Home Insurance Company, of New Haven—Paxson & Folsom, Agents, 48 Camp street

International Insurance Company, of New York—Holmes Bros., Agents, Camp street.

Knickerbocker Life Insurance Company—Paxson & Folsom, Agents, 48 Camp street.

Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company—184 Gravier street. A. F. Elliot, General Agent.

London and Lancashire Insurance Company—R. G. Musgrove, Agent, 63 Carondelet street.

Manhattan Life Insurance Company—Chas. C. Hathaway, Agent, 21 Carondelet street.

Metropolitan Insurance Company, of New York—L. C. Norvell & Co., Agents, 34 Carondelet street.

Mercantile Mutual (Marine) Insurance Company—L. C. Norvell & Co., Agents, 34 Carondelet street.

New York Life Insurance Company—J. S. Copes, General Agent for Louisiana, 61 St. Charles street.

National Insurance Company, of Boston—Holmes Bros, Agents, 92 Camp street.

Phœnix Insurance Company, of New York—P. R. Fell, Agent, 53 Carondelet street.

Pioneer Accident Insurance Company, of Mobile—P. A. Skipwith, Agent, 46 Carondelet street.

Security Insurance Company, of New York—Harmon Doane, Agent, 97 Camp street.

St. Louis Mutual Insurance Company—Harmon Doane, Agent, 97 Camp street.

Travelers' Insurance Company (Accident) of Hartford, Conn.—Harmon Doane, Agent, 97 Camp street.

Travelers' Insurance Company, of Providence, R. I., (Accident) Southern Branch Office—Holmes Bros, Agents, 92 Camp street.

Washington Insurance Company—L. C. Norvell & Co., Agents, 31 Carondelet street.

Widows' and Orphans' Life Insurance Company, of New York—P. R. Fell, Agent, 53 Carondelet street.

Conversion of 5-20 Bonds into Sterling.

The following table will show at a glance the amount realized in sterling for the 5-20 bonds of the United States, at any rate from 65 to 92 per cent. The most salable issues are those of 1862 and 1865:

CONVERSION OF A $1,000 5-20 BOND INTO STERLING, AT 4s. 6D. TO THE DOLLAR.

Market price.	$1,000 £	s.	d
65	146	5	0
¼	146	16	3
½	147	7	6
¾	137	18	9
66	148	10	0
¼	149	1	3
½	149	12	6
¾	150	3	9
67	150	15	0
¼	151	6	3
½	151	17	6
¾	152	8	9
68	153	0	0
¼	153	11	3
½	154	2	6
¾	154	13	9
69	155	5	0
¼	155	16	3
½	156	7	6
¾	156	18	9
70	157	10	0
¼	158	1	3
½	158	12	6
¾	159	3	9
71	159	15	0
¼	160	6	3
½	160	17	6
¾	161	8	9
72	162	0	0
¼	161	11	3
½	163	2	6
¾	163	13	9
73	164	5	0
¼	164	16	3
½	165	7	6
¾	165	18	9
74	166	10	0
¼	167	1	3
½	167	12	6
¾	168	3	9
75	168	15	0
¼	169	6	3
½	169	17	6
¾	170	8	9
76	171	0	0
¼	171	11	3
½	172	2	6
¾	172	13	9
77	173	5	0
¼	173	16	3
½	174	7	6
¾	174	18	9
78	175	10	0
¼	176	1	3
½	176	12	6
¾	177	3	9
79	177	15	0
¼	178	6	3
½	178	17	6
¾	179	8	9
80	180	0	0
¼	180	11	3
½	181	2	6
¾	181	13	9
81	182	5	0
¼	182	16	3
½	183	7	6
¾	183	18	9
82	184	10	0
¼	185	1	3
½	185	12	6
¾	186	3	9
83	186	15	0
¼	187	6	3
½	187	17	6
¾	188	8	9
84	189	0	0
¼	189	11	3
½	190	2	6
¾	190	13	9
85	191	5	0
¼	191	16	3
½	192	7	6
¾	192	18	9
86	193	10	0
¼	194	1	3
½	194	12	6
¾	195	3	9
87	195	15	0
¼	196	6	3
½	196	17	6
¾	197	8	9
88	198	0	0
¼	198	11	3
½	199	2	6
¾	199	13	9
89	200	5	0
¼	200	16	3
½	201	7	6
¾	201	18	9
90	202	10	0
¼	203	1	3
½	203	12	6
¾	204	3	9
91	204	15	0
¼	205	6	3
½	205	17	6
¾	206	8	9

—DeBow's Review.

GENERAL TRANS-ATLANTIC COMP'Y.

REGULAR LINE FROM NEW ORLEANS TO ST. NAZAIRE. Connecting with the Antilles and Pacific Ocean Ports.

NEW ORLEANS to	1st Class.	FARE 2d Class.	4th Class.
St. Thomas	$80 00	$45 00	$27 50
Havana	100 00	57 50	35 00
Porto Rico	100 00	70 00	47 50
Hayti	115 00	70 00	35 50
Santiago de Cuba	145 00	72 50	36 00
Jamaica	130 00	75 00	37 50
Guadeloupe	140 00	70 00	35 00
Martinique	140 00	70 00	35 00
St. Lucie	145 00	72 50	36 25
St. Vincent	150 00	75 00	37 50
La Grenade	150 00	75 00	37 50
La Trinidad	160 00	80 00	40 00
Demerara	165 00	82 50	41 25
Surinam	170 00	85 00	42 50
Cayenne	170 00	85 00	42 50
La Guayra	165 00	82 50	41 25
Porto Cabello	170 00	85 00	42 50
St. Marthe	165 00	82 50	41 25
Colon	165 00	82 50	41 25
	1st Class.	2d Class.	3d Class
Buenaventura	214 55	166 75	107 27
Guayaquil	266 62	236 84	132 51
Payta	276 09	245 31	138 05
Lambayeque	295 03	267 20	147 51
Huanchaco	295 03	267 20	147 51
Casma	298 76	271 99	149 88
Huacho	304 49	276 72	151 24
San Jose	295 03	267 20	147 51
Pomental	295 03	267 20	147 51
Callao	319 70	280 92	159 85
Tambo Mora	332 90	305 13	166 45
Pisco	332 90	305 13	166 45
Chincha	332 90	305 13	166 45
Chala	361 31	321 52	180 65
Islay	375 51	347 71	177 75
Ila	384 95	357 20	192 49
Arica	384 95	357 20	192 49
Pisagua	399 18	371 01	199 59
Mejillones	399 18	371 01	199 59
Iquique	399 18	371 01	199 59
Tocopilla	408 65	380 48	204 32
Cobija	408 65	380 48	204 32
Chanaral	418 12	390 34	209 06
Caldera	418 12	390 34	209 06
Carrizal Bayo	422 85	395 08	211 42
Huasco	422 85	395 08	211 42
Coquimbo	427 59	399 81	213 79
Valparaiso	441 79	414 02	220 89
San Francisco	265 97	231 49	121 10
Acapulco (Manzill)	212 85	204 87	104 07
Punta Arenas	247 00	180 00	107 59
Realejo (Corinto)	263 20	236 25	133 20
La Union	233 50	211 56	118 50
La Libertad	243 75	216 75	143 75
Acajutla	249 00	222 00	149 00
San Jose	254 25	227 25	154 20

Fare from New Orleans to St. Nazaire, one berth, 1 fore and aft deck or 2 aft deck, $220 in gold.

Fare from New Orleans to St. Nazaire, one berth, 2d for deck, $193 in gold.

Fare from New Orleans to St. Nazaire, steerage, $100 in gold.

Children under three years old, free.

Children over three years and under eight, pay quarter price.

Children over eight and under twelve, pay half price.

Children over twelve years, pay full fare.

To every two children paying half price and to four children paying quarter price, the e will be granted one bed.

In case there should be several children under three years in one family, only one will be allowed the privilege of free passage the others will pay quarter price.

Servants attached to the passengers will pay the same as steerage passage.

Through tickets for the round trip are given with a discount of 25 per cent, provided the traveler makes his return trip on one of the Company's vessels, within six months after the sailing of the vessel in which he took passage from this port. These tickets are not transferable.

Fourth class passengers will furnish their meals.

One stateroom with two beds taken up for the special use of one passenger will be paid at the rate of one and one-half passage.

All passage by this line is payable in gold.

From and after the 13th of February the French steamship GUYANE will leave regularly every month for Havana, in order to connect with the large steamers of the General Trans-Atlantic Company, plying between St. Nazaire and Vera Cruz.

For passage apply to VICTOR PERRILLAT, Agent, No. 127 Common street.
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O. B. GRAHAM & CO.,
139.......GRAVIER STREET.......139
Between Camp and St. Charles Streets.

Importers of Foreign and Domestic
DRY GOODS,
Agent for the York Street Flax Spinning Company of Belfast.

RESPECTFULLY call the attention of the trade to their very Extensive Stock now in store and arriving by first vessels from Europe, consisting of the following: Irish Linen, Printed Linen, Pillow Case Linen, Linen, Sheeting, Drawer Linen, Linen Shirts and Shirt Fronts, Brown and Bley Linen, Linen Checks, Planters' Linen, White and Brown Linen Nettings, Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs, Long Lawns, White Lawns, Printed Lawns, Damask in piece, Damask Cloths, Napkins and Towels, Diapers, Brown and Bleached Huckabuck, Drillings, Ducks, Hollands, Burlaps, Bobinets, Swiss Muslins, Tape Checks, Union and Cotton Checks, Ginghams, Tartan Checks, Prints, Turkey Red, Madder Handkerchiefs. Spool Cotton and Flax Thread, etc, etc. tao19 1y

THE SIXTH WARD NATIONAL RECONSTRUCTION ASSOCIATION meets every FRIDAY EVENING at half-past 7 o'clock at Col. Ferrier's Academy, No. 134 Hospital street.

C. E. GIRARDEY, President.
ARAT, A. KAN, Secretary. jel tf

New Orleans Chamber of Commerce.

Tariff of Charges, &c., agreed upon and adopted by the New Orleans Chamber of Commerce, in 1846 and 1848 amended January 9, 1865.

Commissions on Sales. per ct.

Sugar, Cotton, Tobacco, Lead, Flour, and products of the soil....... 2½
Domestic Manufactures, and all foreign merchandise....... 5
Guarantee of Sales on time....... 2½
Purchase and Shipment of Merchandise or Produce....... 2½
Sales or Purchases of Stocks or Bullion....... 1
Collecting and Remitting Dividends....... 1
Selling Vessels or Steamboats....... 2½
Purchasing Vessels or Steamboats....... 2½
Procuring Freights....... 5
Collecting Freights from foreign ports....... 5
Coastwise....... 5
Outfits and Disbursements....... 2½
Effecting Insurance....... ½
Adjusting or Collecting Insurance or other Claims without litigation....... 2½
With litigation....... 5
Purchasing and remitting Drafts, or receiving or paying Money on which no other commission has been charged....... 1
If Bills remitted are guaranteed, in addition....... 1¼
Bills and Notes remitted for collection protested and returned....... 1
Landing, custody, and reshipping Merchandise or Produce from vessels in distress... 2½
Do. Bullion or Specie....... 1
Adjusting and collecting General Average. 5
Consignments of Merchandise withdrawn or reshipped per order, on amount of advances and responsibilities, full commission.
On the surplus amount of Invoices of such consignments, deducting advances and liabilities, half commission.
Drawing, endorsing or negotiating Foreign Bills of Exchange....... 1¼
Do. on Domestic Bills of Exchange....... 1¼
Receiving, entering and reshipping Merchandise to a Foreign Port—on amount of invoice....... 1
On amount of advances, charges and liabilities on same....... 2½
For drawing, accepting, negotiating or endorsing Notes or Drafts without funds, produce or bills-of-lading in hand....... 2½
On Cash Advances in all cases....... 2½
For entering and bonding Merchandise for the interior—on amount of duties, freight and charges (besides the regular charge for forwarding)....... 2½
Agency for Steamboats—according to special contract.
The foregoing rates to be exclusive of Brokerage and charges actually incurred
Commission on Sales to be paid in the Currency for which sales were made.

Receiving and Forwarding Merchandise.
[EXCLUSIVE OF CHARGES ACTUALLY INCURRED.]

		Cents.
Sugar, Molasses and Tobacco	per hhd.	$1 00
Cotton	per bale	1 00
Hemp	per bale	30
Moss	per bale	20
Provisions or Bacon	per hhd.	50
"	per t res.	25
Pork, Beef, Lard, Tallow	per bbl.	15
Box Pork	per box	25
Flour, Grain and other dry bbls		5
Lard, Nails and Shot	per keg	5
Lead	per pig	3
Corn, Wheat, Beans, Oats, and other Grain, per bag		5

Liquids.

Pipes and hogsheads		$1 00
Half pipes and tierces		50
Quarter casks and barrels		25
Whisky	per bbl.	25
Oils	per bbl.	25

Sundries.

Boxes, bales, cases, trunks and other packages Dry Goods		$1 00
Earthen an Hardware, per package 25c to		75
Bar Iron and Castings	per ton	1 25
Railroad Iron and Pig Iron	per ton	1 00
Hollow Ware	per ton	2 50
Soap, Candles, Wines etc	per box	5
Coffee, Spices, etc	per bag	10
Gunpowder	per keg	50
Salt	per sack	5

Storage and Labor Per Month.

Cotton and Wool	pr bale	50
Tobacco	pr hhd	75
Hemp	pr bale, not exceeding 300 lbs	10
" " "	400 lbs	15
" " "	600 lbs	20
" " "	800 lbs	25
Moss	pr bale	25
Bagging, Kentucky	pr bale	5
" India	pr bale	25
Rope, Kentucky	pr coil	5
Gunny Bags	pr bale	15
Peltries	pr bale	10
Hides	each	3
Lead	pr pig	2
Hollow Ware	pr ton	$1 25
Bar Iron and Castings	pr ton	1 00
Railroad Iron and Pig Iron	pr ton	50
Bacon and Provisions	pr hhd	50
Pork, Beef, Lard, Tallow, etc	pr bbl	8
Molasses, Oil and Whisky	pr bbl	15
Flour	pr bbl	6
Lard	pr tierce	15
"	pr bbl	10
"	pr keg	3
Sugar and Molasses	pr hhd	50
" Havana	pr box	20
Corn, Wheat, Oats and other grain	pr bag	4
Coffee, Spices etc	pr bag	5
Salt	pr bag	3
Candles, Soap, Wine, Fish, Raisins, Oils, Sweetmeats, Segars, etc pr box or basket		5
Do in half boxes		3
Nails	per keg	5
Dry Goods, not exceeding 10 feet		15
" not exceeding 20 feet		25
" not exceeding 30 feet		35
" over 30 feet		40
Crockery	pr cask or crate	1 00
"	pr half cask or half crate	50
Hardware	pr cask	10
"	pr tierce	20
"	pr bbl	10
Liquors	pr pipe or hhd	1 00
"	pr half pipe or tierce	50
"	pr quarter-cask or bbl	25
Claret	pr cask	20

Weight of Grain Per Bushel.

Wheat and Rye	lbs 60
Corn	lbs 56
Oats	lbs 32

Tares.

Lard	Actual Tare.
Butter	do
Cheese	do
Tallow	do
Stearin	do
Sugar	do
Coffee, in bags	do
Rice, Georgia and Carolina	10 per cent.

Freights.

When vessels are chartered, or goods shipped by the ton, and no special agreement respecting the proportion of tonnage which each particular article shall be computed at, the following regulation shall be the standard:

That the articles, the bulk of which shall compose a ton, to equal a ton of heavy materials shall in weight be as follows:

Coffee.... in casks, lbs. 1568.... in bags, lbs.	1820
Cocoa.... in casks, lbs. 1120.... in bags, lbs.	1300
Pimento. in casks, lbs. 950.... in bags, lbs.	1100
Flour.................. 8 barrels of lbs.	196
Beef, pork, tallow, pickled fish and naval stores	6 bbls.
Pig and bar iron, lead and other metals or ore, heavy dye woods, sugar, rice, honey, or other heavy articles.......gross, lbs.	2000
Ship bread.... casks 672, bags 784, bulk lbs.	896
Wines, brandy, spirits, and liquids generally, reckoning the full capacity of the casks, wine measure.......gallons	200
Grain, peas and beans in casks.......bushels	22
" " in bulk.......bushels	36
Salt—European.......bushels	36
Salt—West India.......bushels	31
Stone Coal.......bushels	28
Timber, planks, furs, peltries, in bales or boxes, cotton, wool, or other measurement goods, cubic feet	40
Dry hides.......lbs	1120

When Molasses is shipped by the hogshead without any special agreement, it shall be taken at 110 gallons, estimated on the full capacity of the cask.

Freights (and commission on them) when in sterling money, shall be settled at $4.84 per pound sterling; and other foreign currency at the value fixed by Congress, adding thereto the current rate of Exchange.

ALFRED MOULTON, President.
J. N. MARKS, 1st Vice President.
E. S. KEEP, 2d Vice President.
ARTHUR C. WAUGH, Secretary and Treasurer.

Home Insurance Directory.

HOME INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Atlantic Insurance Company, No. 19 Camp street—Edward Rigney, President; H. P. Janvier, Secretary.

Adriatic Insurance Company, of New York—P. R. Fell Agent, No. 53 Carondelet street.

Ætna Life Insurance Company, of Hartford Conn.—King & Fitzgerald, Agents, No. 2 Carondelet street.

Citizens' Mutual Insurance Company, No. 3 Carondelet street—O. Gaillard, President; H. Castarede, Secretary.

Crescent Mutual Insurance Company, corner of Camp street and Commercial Place—Thos. A. Adams, President; Henry O. Ogden, Secretary.

Commercial Insurance Company, No. 11 Commercial Place—S. B. Buckner, President; Geo. Sweet, Secretary.

Factors' and Traders' Insurance Company, No. 39 Carondelet street—Michael Musson, President; Harman Doane, Vice President; Ed. A. Palfrey, Secretary.

Germania Insurance Company, No. 135 Gravier street—D. Michel, President; E. Maier, Secretary.

Great Southern and Western Fire, Marine and Accident Insurance Company, No. 21 Carondelet street—James Longstreet, President; C. Williams, Secretary.

Home Mutual Insurance Company, corner Camp and Natchez streets—Jas. H. Wheeler, President; A. W. Hunter, Secretary.

Hope Insurance Company, No. 21 Camp street—H. Peychaud, President; Lewis Barnett, Secretary

Louisiana Mutual Insurance Company, corner of Camp and Gravier streets—Chas. Briggs, President; J. P. Roux, Secretary.

Louisiana State Mutual Insurance Company, corner of Common and Carondelet streets—S. Ganucheau, President; L. W. Baquie, Secretary.

Merchants' Mutual Insurance Company, No. 104 Canal street—John Pemberton, President; Paul Fourchy Secretary.

National Marine and Fire Insurance Company, corner of Camp and Common streets—Wm. Whann, President; E. N. Ganucheau, Secretary.

New Orleans Mutual Insurance Company, No. 111 Canal street—J. Tuyes, President; J. W. Hincks, Secretary.

Star Mutual Insurance Company, No. 14 Carondelet street—Placide Fortall, President; N. Augustin, Secretary.

Sun Mutual Insurance Company, No. 61 Camp street—Thos. Sloo, President; Thos. Anderson, Secretary.

Union Insurance Company, No. 112 Canal street—A. Chiapella, President; J. M. Crawford, Secretary.

JACOB OTT, Carpenter.

Special attention given to REPAIRING of STORES and DWELLINGS.

Cisterns Made and Repaired.

☞ Orders left at 28 Tivoli Circle, or at L. DURAND corner Toulouse and Chartres streets, promptly attended to.

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BOOTS, SHOES AND HATS,
AT WHOLESALE ONLY.
BLANCAND & GUITET
No. 49 Old Levee.
☞ New Stock for the Season Just Opened.

Postal Information.

TO THE BRITISH NORTH AMERICAN PROVINCES
Cape Breton, Prince Edward's Island and Nova Scotia. To Newfoundland prepayment required. To Canada and New Brunswick 10c. per ½ oz., any distance. "10 cents when not over 3,000 miles from the line of crossing. "15 cents when distance exceeds 3000 miles. Prepayment optional

Steamers of the Cunard line sail from Boston twice each month, touching at Halifax, and when letters are sent by that conveyance for Nova Scotia, Newfoundland, Cape Breton and Prince Edward's Island, the U. S. postage is 5 cents the single rate, to be pre-paid. The inland rate is collected on delivery. On newspapers by this route, the postage is two cents each.

RULES FOR RATING LETTERS, &C.

1. *In the United States and British Mails.*—Letters exchanged with the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, or addressed to British Colonies and foreign countries, for transmission in the open mail via England, are charged with United States and British postage, at a single rate for each half ounce or fraction thereof, the same as domestic letters.

In the case of letters to be forwarded in the British mail for transmission from England "via Marseilles," the French postage is rated at 6 cents the quarter ounce, except on letters for Java, China, Labuan, Borneo, Japan, the Moluccas and Philipine Islands, which are rated at 8 cents per half ounce, and except, also, on letters for Syria and Tunis, by French packet, when the single French rate is 12 cents per quarter ounce.

2. *In the United States and French Mails.*—Letters in the mails to France are to be charged with single rate of postage, if not exceeding the weight of one quarter ounce, double rate if exceeding a quarter, but not exceeding half an ounce, and so on, an additional rate being charged for each quarter ounce, or fractional part of a quarter ounce.

The rates by "French mail" are in full to destination, except the following places, viz: Aden, Batavia, Ceylon, China, cities of Turkey in Europe, except as herein mentioned, via Austria, countries to which correspondence can be sent via Suez, countries beyond seas via France, others than those enumerated, East Indies, Gibraltar, Hong Kong, Java, Mauritius, Montenegro, Penang, Portugal, Isle of Re Union, Servia, (except Belgrade,) Shanghai, Singapore and Spain. The limit of payment to Spain, Portugal and Gibraltar, is Beoobia; to Servia (except Belgrade,) Montenegro, and cities of Turkey in Europe, except as herein mentioned, "via Austria," the frontier of Turkey and Austria; to Aden, East Indies, Ceylon, China, and other countries via Suez, the seaports of the Indies, or of the seas of China to which the English packets ply; and to places beyond seas, or other than those designated, the limit is the port of arrival in the country of destination.

3. *In the Mails to Prussia, or to Belgium.*—Letters in the United States and Prussian closed mails, and in the mails exchanged with Belgium are charged with single rate of postage if not exceeding half an ounce in weight; double rate if exceeding half an ounce, but not exceeding an ounce; quadruple rate if exceeding an ounce, but not exceeding two ounces; and so on, for greater weights, charging two rates for every ounce or fractional part of an ounce over the first ounce. As this scale of progression differs from that followed in respect to domestic letters, great care is required to prevent mistakes.

4. *In the Mails to Bremen, or to Hamburg, &c.* Letters addressed to the German States, &c., when sent via Bremen or Hamburg; and letters addressed to the British North American Provinces, are rated in the same manner as domestic letters, one rate being charged for each half ounce or fractional part of half an ounce.

General Directions.—Postmasters should be careful where the postage is prepaid, to collect the proper amount. They should be particular to notice the route indicated on the envelopes of letters, and to collect postage accordingly. Letters mailed at some offices marked "via England," or "via Prussian Closed Mail," for a German State, are frequently taken upon the prepayment of Bremen rates, and those marked "via Bremen," at Prussian closed rates &c.

ROUTES OF TRANSMISSION, &C.

To prevent mistakes at the exchange offices, it is desirable that the particular routes by which letters are to be forwarded from the United States to Europe, should be distinctly written on the covers. Letters intended for transmission in the open mail to England, should bear the direction, "open mail via England;" if for transmission in the French mail, they should be directed, "via France to the French Mail;" if for transmission by closed mail to Prussia, they should be directed, "via Prussian closed mail;" if for transmission in the closed mail to Belgium, they should be directed, "via Belgian closed mail;" and if for transmission by the New York and Bremen line to Bremen, or by the New York and Hamburg line to Hamburg, they should be directed, "via Bremen," or "via Hamburg."

It is important that letters addressed to Germany and other European countries via France where the single rate per quarter ounce is 21 cents, should be plainly marked to be sent via France; otherwise they may be missent in the open mail to Liverpool by United States packet, the 21 cent rate per half ounce being also chargeable on letters thus forwarded.

The Income Tax.

The following is the form of making income returns for 1867 under the new law. The readers will see at a glance the character of the articles to be returned upon, and the deductions to be made.

RETURNS.

1. From the profits of any trade, business or vocation from which income is actually derived, or any interest therein wherever carried on.

2. From the payment of debts in a former year not before returned and which have not paid a previous income tax.

3. From rents.

4. From farming operations—amount of live stock sold, amount of agricultural products sold.

5. From profits realized by sales of real estate purchased since December 31st, 1863.

6. From interest on any bonds or evidences of indebtedness of any railroad, canal turnpike, canal navigation or slackwater company, or interest or dividends on stock, capital or deposit in any bank, trust company, savings institution, insurance, railroad, canal, turnpike, canal navigation or slackwater company.

7. From dividends of any incorporated company other than those above mentioned.

8. From gains and profits of any incorporated company not divided.

9. From interest on notes, bonds or other securities of the United States.

10. From interest on notes, bonds, mortgages or securities other than those enumerated above.

11. From any salary other than as an officer or employe of the United States.

12. From any salary or pay as an officer or employe of the United States.

13. From profits on sales of gold or stocks whenever purchased.

14. From all sources not above enumerated. Gross income.

DEDUCTIONS.

1. Exempt by law $1000.

2. National, State, county and municipal taxes within the year.

3. Losses actually sustained during the year from fires, shipwrecks, or incurred in trade, and not already deducted in ascertaining profits.

4. Losses on sales of real estate purchased since December 31, 1863.

5. Amount paid for hired labor to cultivate land from which income is derived.

6. Amount paid for the live stock which was sold within the year.

7. Amount actually paid for rent of homestead.

8. Amount paid for usual or ordinary repairs, excluding payments for new buildings, permanent improvements or betterments.

9. Interest paid out of income due within the year.

10. Salary or pay as an officer or employé of the United States, from which a tax has been withheld.

11. Interest or dividends from corporations enumerated above in paragraph six.

Taxable income

Amount of tax at 5 per cent.

CARRIAGES, GOLD WATCHES, BILLIARD TABLES AND SILVER PLATE.

(*Schedule A.—Section 100, Act June 30, 1864, as Amended July 13, 1866.*)

TAXABLE PROPERTY.

Carriage, phaeton, carryall, rockaway, or other like carriage, and any coach, hackney coach, omnibus or four wheeled carriage, the body of which rests upon springs of any description and which is not used exclusively in husbandry or in the transportation of merchandise, valued at exceeding $300 and not exceeding $500, including harness used therewith—$6.

Carriages of like description valued above $500—$10.

Gold watches, composed wholly or in part of gold or gilt, kept for use, valued at $100 or less—$1.

Gold watches, composed wholly or in part of gold or gilt, kept for use, valued at above $100—$2.

Billiard tables kept for use, and not subject to special tax—$10.

Oz. plate of silver, kept for use, per ounce troy—50 cents.

Oz. plate of silver, kept for use, per ounce troy, exceeding forty ounces, used by one family—50 cents.

Weights of Produce.

As established by Law or Custom in New Orleans.

GRAIN WEIGHTS.

	lbs. per bushel.
Wheat	60
Corn shelled	56
" in ear	70
Oats	32
Rye	56
Buckwheat	52
Barley	48
Malt	34
Beans	60
Cow Peas	60
Irish Potatoes	60
Onions	54

Weights of Various Kinds of Produce per Bushel.

[According to custom established in the Cincinnati Market.]

Articles.	Pounds.
Apples (dried)	25
Bran	20
Barly	48
Beans white	60
Beans castor	--
Buckwheat	--
Coal, stone	80
Corn, shelled	56
" in Ear	--
" Meal	--
Hair, plastering	--
Lime, unslacked	--
Malt, barley	34
Malt, Rye	40
Oats	33
Onions	56
Peaches (dried)	33
Potatoes, Irish	--
" sweet	--
Peas	--
Rye	56
Seed Blue Grass	10
Seed, Clover	62
" Flax	56
" Hemp	42
" Timothy	45
" Hungarian Grass	50
Salt, Coarse	--
" Fine	--
Sand	--
Turnips	--
Wheat	60

St. Louis Restaurant,
Nos. 75 and 77 St. Louis street,
—KEPT BY—
HENRY BARTHE.

MR HENRY BARTHE respectfully informs his friends and the public that he will open on SATURDAY NEXT, the new Saloons and Private Rooms he has had fitted up above his Restaurant. Nothing has been spared to make these Saloons large and well ventilated—the same connecting with a spacious balcony—and the furniture being in keeping with the enlargement, customers and connoisseurs will enjoy all the comfort they can desire, and will be offered the most delicate dishes and choice wines.

The Restaurant is kept open until midnight. myll 6m

Value of Foreign Coins.

The following is "a synopsis of the value of foreign specie moneys in the money terms and gold of the United States," prepared officially at the United States Mint, and used at the Treasury Department in Washington:

COUNTRIES.	VALUE.	
Austria	Silver Florin, (100 Kreutzers)	$ 4805
Belgium	Silver Franc	$ 19435
Bolivia	Silver Dollar	$ 70842
Brazil	Milrei (1000 Reis)	$5 415
Bremen	Thaler (72 Grotes)	$.70
Buenos Ayres	See New Granada and Mexico.	
Central America	Doubloon	$15 77
	Gold Dollar	$ .812
	Four Dollar Piece (2 Escudos)	$ 3 08
Chili	Gold Dollar	$ 9185
China	Tael	$ 1 48
	Mexican Dollar (The Chop Dollar has no standing value)	$1.05
Denmark	Silver Rigsdaler (6 Marks)	$.5483
Ecuador	Dollar 8 Reals	$ .69
Egypt	Piastre	$ .05
England	Pound	$ 4 84
France	Franc (100 centimes, gold)	$ 1.3
	(See Belgium, Silver)	$ 1.935
Germany	Thaler 30 Groschen	$ 7205
	Austrian florin (100 Kreutzers (See Austria)	$ .4803
	Southern Florin (60 Kreutzers)	$ .41
Greece	Drachm (100 Lepta)	$ 17.25
Hamburg	Mark Banco 16 Schillings	$ .35
India	Rupee (16 Annas)	$ .443
Italy	Lira of Sardinia	$ .1935
	Lira of Florence	$ .166
	Scudo of Rome	$ 1.05
	Ducat of Naples	$ .824
Japan	Ichebu	$ .37
	Mexican Dollar	$ 1.0
Mexico	Dollar	$ 1.07
	Gold Dollar	$ .912
	Silver Dollar	$1.05
Morocco	Bouton	$ .66
Netherlands	Guilder	$ 4085
New Granada	Peso of Five Con. der, in gold	$ .965
	in silver	$ .93
Peru	Same as Bolivia	
Portugal	Milree (1000 Reis)	$1.08
Prussia	Thaler 30 Groschen See Germany	
Russia	Rouble (100 Copecks)	$ .777
Spain	Real (100 Centimos)	$ .05
Sweeden	Rigsdaler—riksdaler species Daler	$ .289
Switzerland	Franc (100 Rappen) see France	
Tunis	Piastre	$ .125
Turkey	Piastre (40 Paras) gold	$ 0435
	silver	$ .043

Bank Directory.

Bank of America, corner of Canal and Exchange Place—A. M. Fortier, President; J. E. Mottimer Cashier.

Canal Bank, corner of Gravier and Camp—Geo. Jonas, President; C. Janvier, Cashier.

Crescent City Bank, No. 104 Canal street—p stairs—John Pemberton, President; Charles Faurie, Cashier.

Citizens' Bank, corner of Royal and Customhouse—John G. Gaines, President; J. L. Dejery, Cashier.

First National Bank, No. 37 Camp street—D. R. Forbes, President; ——— Vice President; Louis Mace, Acting Cashier.

City National Bank, corner Magazine and Natchez Alley—G. W. Cochran, President; Jules Cassard, Cashier.

City Bank of New Orleans, No. 15 Commercial Place—Richard Jones, Manager.

Bank of Louisiana, (in liquidation), corner Royal and Conti—Ambroise Lanfear, President; J. F. Irvine, Cashier.

Louisiana State Bank, corner of Royal and Conti—J. A. Blanc, President pro tem.; L. Bertel, Cashier.

Mechanics' and Traders' Bank, No. 102 Canal street—Walter G. Owen, President; G. Cruzat, Cashier.

Bank of New Orleans, corner St. Charles and Union streets—Frank Williams, President; A. Dunbar, Cashier.

Pike, Lapeyre & Bro., No. 17 Camp street.

Southern Bank, No. 11 St. Charles street—Thos. Layton, President; John G. Devereux, Act. Cashier.

Smith Newman & Co., corner Camp and Common streets.

United States Treasury, No. 58 Camp street—W. R. Whittaker, Ass't Treasurer; James A. Veazie, Cashier.

Union Bank of Louisiana, No. 12. Canal street—F. E. Laplanderie, President; Geo. A. Frost, Cashier.

M. Johnson & Co., Camp and Common streets

Reid & Co., No. 43 Camp street.

Louisiana National Bank, Common street, near Camp—J. Burs, President; and W. Carroll, Vice President, and —— Hull, Cashier.

New Regulations Concerning Stamp Duties

Commissioner Rollins, of the Internal Revenue Bureau, has just issued a pamphlet containing a schedule of stamp duties on and after March 1, 1867, and the laws and regulations concerning the purchase and use of Internal Revenue Stamps.

In all cases where an adhesive stamp is used for denoting the stamp duty upon an instrument, the person using or affixing the same must write or imprint thereupon ... the initials of his name, and the date ... on which the same is attached or used. Each stamp should be separately cancelled. When stamps are printed upon checks, &c., so that in filling up the instrument, the face of the stamp is and must necessarily be written across, no other cancellation will be required.

All cancellation must be distinct and legible, and, except in the case of proprietary stamps from private dies, no method of cancellation which differs from the above described can be recognized as legal and sufficient.

A person who holds an unstamped conveyance, founded upon a "Confederate currency" consideration will be allowed to affix such stamps thereto as he may think sufficient, and no prosecution will be instituted by direction of the Internal Revenue Bureau for the recovery of a penalty for failure to stamp, according to the nominal amount of such consideration in United States currency at the date of the conveyance, they will be allowed to do so, taking their own risk of the sufficiency of the stamp.

The validity of a deed is a question for the courts. It is one of importance to the parties, but not to the Bureau, any further than the insufficiency of the stamp may affect their revenue. The foregoing is applicable to other instruments as well as to deeds.

A penalty of fifty dollars is imposed upon every person who makes, signs or issues, or who causes to be made, signed or issued any paper of any kind or description whatever, or who accepts, negotiates or pays, or causes to be accepted, negotiated or paid, any bill of exchange, draft or order or promissory note for the payment of money, without the same being duly stamped, or having thereupon an adhesive stamp for denoting the tax chargeable thereon, cancelled in the manner required by law, with intent to evade the provisions of the Revenue Act.

A penalty of two hundred dollars is imposed upon every person who pays, negotiates or offers in payment or receives or takes in payment, any bill of exchange or order for the payment of any sum of money, drawn or purporting to be drawn in a foreign country, but payable in the United States, until the proper stamp has been affixed thereto.

A penalty of fifty dollars is imposed upon every person who fraudulently makes use of an adhesive stamp to denote the duty required by the revenue act, without effectually cancelling and obliterating the same in the manner required by law.

Attention is particularly called to the following extract from section 155 of the act of June 30, 1864, as amended by the act of July 13, 1866:

"If any person shall wilfully remove or cause to be removed, alter or cause to be altered, the cancelling or defacing marks on any adhesive stamp, with intent to use the same, or to cause the use of the same, after it shall have been once used, or shall knowingly or wilfully sell or buy such washed or restored stamps, or offer the same for sale, or give or expose the same to any person for use, or knowingly use the same or prepare the same with intent for the further use thereof, or if any person shall knowingly and without lawful excuse (the proof whereof shall be on the person accused) have in his possession any washed, restored, or altered stamps, which have been removed from any vellum, parchment, paper, instrument, or writing, then and in every such case, every person so offending, and every person knowingly and wilfully aiding, abetting or assisting in committing any such offense as aforesaid shall, on conviction thereof, * * * be punished by a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment and confinement to hard labor not exceeding five years, or both, at the discretion of the court.

It is reported that persons in various parts of the country, and under various pretexts, are collecting cancelled stamps, and, as it is believed, for the purpose of removing the cancelling marks therefrom and preparing them for further use.

All revenue officers have been directed to give this matter their special attention to acquaint the people with the true object for which such stamps are collected, and with the penalties incurred by all who in any way knowingly and wilfully aid, abet and assist in the commission of the offence. It is believed that many stamps are gathered from persons who are ignorant of the use to which they are to be put, and innocent of all intent to defraud the revenue.

The fact that a person is collecting stamps which have once been used is sufficient to arouse strong suspicion, and calls for an immediate investigation, and the possession of washed, restored or altered stamps is prima facie evidence of guilt. No pains should be spared to insure the detection and punishment of the guilty parties.

It is not lawful to record any instrument, document or paper required by law to be stamped, or any copy thereof, unless a stamp or stamps of the proper amount have been affixed and cancelled in the manner required by law; and such instrument or copy, and the record thereof, are utterly null and void, and cannot be used or admitted as evidence in any court until the defect has been cured as provided in section 158.

Legal Rates of Interest.

The following are legal rates of interest in the several State of the Union:

Maine, 6 per cent.
New Hampshire, 6 per cent.
Vermont, 6 per cent, except upon railroad notes or bonds, which may bear 7 per cent.
Massachusetts, 6 per cent.
Rhode Island, 6 per cent
Connecticut, 6 per cent. By the law of May, 1861, banks are prohibited, under a penalty of $500, from taking, directly or indirectly, over 6 per cent.
New York, 7 per cent.
New Jersey, 6 per cent.
Pennsylvania, 6 per cent.
Delaware, 6 per cent.
Maryland, 6 per cent.
Virginia, 6 per cent.
North Carolina, 6 per cent.
South Carolina, 7 per cent.
Georgia, 7 per cent.
Alabama, 8 per cent.
Arkansas, 6 per cent. Special contracts, in writing, in this State, will admit of interest not exceeding 10 per cent.
Florida, 6 per cent. On special contracts 6 per cent. is allowed.
Illinois, 6 per cent previous to 1857, and 10 since that time.
Indiana, 6 per cent.
Iowa, 6 per cent. On special contracts and judgments 10 may be charged.
Kentucky, 6 per cent.
Louisiana, 5 to 8 per cent.
Michigan, 5 per cent. It is lawful to stipulate for any sum not exceeding 10 per cent.
Mississippi, 6 per cent. Since March, 1856, 10 per cent is allowed on special contracts.
Missouri, 6 per cent. Parties can agree for any sum not exceeding 10 per cent.
Ohio, 6 per cent, and all interest charged over this rate is illegal.
Tennessee, 6 per cent.
Texas, 8 per cent. Special agreement may be not exceeding 12 per cent.