COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE SUN,
THURSDAY EVENING, July 29, 1858.

The COTTON market continues dull, and the sales to-day have been confined to 300 bales, at a decline of ⅛c for Low Middling and Middling. We now quote

LIVERPOOL CLASSIFICATION—LOUISIANA AND TEXAS.

Inferior	4¾@5 ⅝c
Ordinary	5⅛@5 ⅝c
Low ordinary	5⅝@5 ¾c
Low Middling	6@6 ⅛c
Middling	6⅜@6 ½c
Middling Fair	6¾@6 ⅞c

In TOBACCO, the interest of 6 hhds. sold at 10½@c, 8 at 9½@9¾c, and 4 on private terms.

SUGAR is firm, and 130 hhds sold at 5⅝@6c for Fully Fair to Prime.

Of MOLASSES, 100 bbls sold at —, and 200 Leighton at 30c ₩ gallon, a further advance.

In FLOUR, the transactions include 991 bbls Illinois superfine at $4 15, 500 St Louis at $4 20; 300 extra at $5 50, and 100 some at $5 12½ ₩ bbl, and $4 25 refused for 1100 bbls St Louis.

In WHEAT, we hear of nothing doing.

The sales of CORN include 100 sacks choice at 80c, 240 sacks mixed at 75c, 126 white at 72½c, 300 yellow at 80c, and 100 prime at 81½c ₩ bushel.

Of OATS, 950 sacks Louisiana sold at 56c ₩ bushel.

Of BRAN, 1500 sacks sold at 56c ₩ 200 lbs.

PORK has advanced, and 135 bbls Mess sold at $12 ₩ bbl. Retailing at $16 @ $17 ₩ bbl.

Of BACON, 50 casks ribbed Sides sold at the advanced rate of 8½c ₩ lb.

LARD has been in request, with sales of 500 tierces at —, 180 prime at 11½c, 200 kegs at 12½c, low at 12c, and 600 on private terms.

In WHISKY, we hear of no transactions.

The sales of COFFEE include 50 bags at 10¾c, and 50 at 11c ₩ lb.

Of BALE ROPE, 1700 coils machine sold mostly at 6½ ; coils, ₩ lb.

In FREIGHTS, we notice a ship taken for Bordeaux at 6½ for tobacco, and 5-8 ₩ 1000 for staves.

EXCHANGE is dull at our quotations.

The receipts of 109 @ 109 ½ exchange on New York sixty days, English, discount. New York sight par @ ¼ dis.

MARINE NEWS

Port of New Orleans, July 30, 1858.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Ship Paterson, Parker, for Liverpool.

J P Whitney & co

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Brig Nahum Stetson, Trask, 6 days from Tampico, to Hernsheim & Leopartes—26 ftn.

Sch Virginia Antoinette, Steen, 6 days from Tampico, to Hart, Hill & co—6 feet.

Sch The Wheeler, Marrow, from Tabasco, to H adompeus Philippe & co—Feet.

Sch Gussie Martin, Hawkins, 6 days from Tampico, to Bordonave, Armin & co—Feet.

STEAMSHIPS.

Alice Vivian, Neal, for Vicksburg.
Diana, Sturgeon, for Louisville.
Cecile, Mayo, for Red River.
Douglas Hopkins, for Mobile.

STEAMBOATS.

St Charles, Chambers, for the Passes.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE ST CHARLES HOTEL.

THE undersigned having entirely fitted up this well known establishment, in the former style of Charles and Gravier, are now ready to offer to the public and their friends the choicest of goods, consisting of CHESAWAKER, GLASGWARE, MATTRESSES, &c., and having had the assistance of HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, and a great variety of FANCY ARTICLES.

We shall dispose of the whole at wholesale and detail, at very reduced prices.

We have a fine stock of timber in need of goods to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

We have, and shall constantly keep in store, 40 bedsteads in sets

Families,
Hotels,
Restaurants,
Bar-rooms,
Ships,
Steamboats, and
City and Country Merchants.

Complete dinner sets, from $10 to $200;
Tea, coffee and chocolate sets, from $2 to $25;
Dessert sets, (fancy) from $20 to $75;
Chamber sets from $1 to $50;
Entry and parlor lamps;
Every handle table cutlery;
Plated spoons and forks;
China plates, dishes, etc., double thick, for restaurants;
Glassware, cut, plain and moulded;
Lamp chimneys, wicks, of all sizes;
Waiters in trays, of all sizes and qualities;
Footed tumblers, a new article for restaurants;
Castors and cruets, of all shapes, qualities and prices;
Salad spoons and forks, and salt spoons;
Liquor cases, from $2 50 to $40;
Broth bowls; punch bowls;
Ice cream a table of white, decorated and gilt China;
Gande ahrne and chandeliers, of all sorts;
Champagne, wine, liquor and punch glasses, and great variety of other articles too numerous to enumerate.

The special attention of city and country merchants is called to the following list of goods:

140 crates assorted earthenware for country trade;
106 crates assorted earthenware for Texas trade;
100 crates white ironstone;
125 crates white granite;
6 casks English China, called Seydenham;
29 crates earthenware, pale blue and dark blue;
50 crates earthenware, red, brown, black and amethyst;
189 crates earthenware, white, common and common;
195 crates earthenware, assorted colors;
100 crates earthenware, blue, green and red edge
106 crates white and decorated China;
65 crates assorted glassware (French.)
4 cases percussion caps;
1 case wooden canters, extra fine;
1 case carving cutlery;
3 cases richly decorated flower vases;
12 cases (some of open bowls, assorted;
1 case German pickles;
166 cases looking-glasses, assorted, in boxes of a dozen;
2 cases assorted trays and waiters;
1 cask chandeliers and candelabras, bronzed;
2 cases bronze marbles;
500 cases Yankee clocks, of all shapes and sizes;
675 cases assorted American hardware, etc., etc.

E. P. HICTON & CO.,
corner of Charters and Conti streets.

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NEW MUSIC.

H. HERZ'S PIANOS.

GREAT MEDAL OF HONOR!

A. ELIE & CHASSAIGNAC,
69 ..... Chartres Street 73

THIS most extensive assortment of PIANOS, just imported in all New Orleans.

GREAT REDUCTION!

On account of the reduced tariff.

The most complete assortment of MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, IMPLEMENTS, STRINGS, PAPER, &c., Ever imported in the United States.

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Pianos! Pianos! Pianos!
56 Royal street.

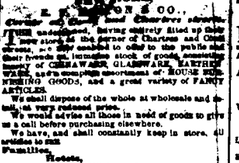
FOUR GOLD MDALS

HAVE BEEN AWARDED TO

J. FAIVRE,

At the Last Exhibition of Paris, 1855, for his

PATENT AMERICAN IRON FRAME



Certificates, signed by GOTTSCHALK, STEA KOS H. JAELET, &c., acknowledging those instruments to be the best and handsomest of the age, can be seen at the establishment,

56 Royal street.

Exchange and extensive credit.

Every Piano guaranteed for 25 years.

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No 38 ..... ROYAL STREET ..... No 38

KRAMER'S PIANOS.

ONLY GRAND MEDAL AT THE LONDON EXHIBITION

MEDAL OF HONOR at the Universal Exhibition in Paris.

FIRST GOLD MEDAL, since 1819, at all exhibitions.

Besides, the fact of the superiority of KRAMER'S Pianos seems upon the opinion and experience of the most celebrated artists, that they are the only ones used by LISZT, THALBERG, PATHEMY, MRS. PISTER, LEOPOLD DE MEYER, and many others.

These are the words of Le Paris, "in the Imperial Court and all the Royal houses in Europe are these pianos the more esteemed."

These excellent instruments are for sale at J. E. GUIRAUD'S store on Royal street, No. 38.

RODERMA, Piano manufacturer and Tuner.

F. GAIENNIE,
DEALER IN
WESTERN PRODUCE,
PORK, BEEF, BACON, HAMS, LARD,
FLOUR, WHISKY, &c.
No. 20, Old Levee Street, New Orleans.
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Removal.

JOSEPH FEYTEL has removed from No 9 Camp to No 8 Chartres street to No 9 Camp street.

He will attend to the repairing of Clocks, Watches, Jewelry, &c. with the same care and the public in general will find same, as usual, punctual and attentive to give them satisfaction.

A fine assortment of Watches and Jewelry always on hand

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JEAN AUGE.

No 63 Chartres street, Corner Bienville.

MR. and MRS. AUGE having returned from France, their numerous customers and the public in general are respectfully informed that they have on hand a considerable assortment of the following goods, carefully selected in the principal Paris manufactories.

Wigs, Bands, Tufts, Curls, new style, from their own establishment and by the best Parisian workmen.

Hair Work and Jewelry, such as Bracelets, Neck laces, Chains, Breastpins, Ear rings, of entirely new shapes.

Genuine and complete Jet Sets, new Fancy Head Dresses, for the opera, evening parties and balls.

Genuine Jouvin's new kid gloves, for ladies and gentlemen.

Gentlemen's cuvenish Gloves.

Shell Combs, new pattern

Rock and half Rock Hair.

A full and complete assortment of Eagle India Rubber Canes, varnished with rosewood, trimmings, at 50 per cent.

Ladies and gentlemen's plain and ornamented Dressing Cases, below cost.

Superfine Perfumery, from the houses of Lubin, Piteux, Violet and Gelle Bros', of Paris.

Genuine Jean Marie Farina Cologne Water.

Paris and Albion Water.

Dr. Piver's Antique Chypre, Cream for the skin. Particular attention is called to their new Hair Invigorator.

Hair Dressing Saloon for the Ladies; another for Gentlemen.

Lessons in Hair Dressing by the best artists.

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HATS—HATS.

Extensive assortment of SPRING and SUMMER HATS, received per late arrivals from Europe and the North, at the hat store of

J. J. A LBERT,
No. 23 Chartres street.

FOR THE CITY AND COUNTRY TRADE:

Men's and boys' Silk Hats, all styles and qualities;
Men's and boys' fine and black Beaver Hats, all styles and qualities;
Planters' grey and black Beaver Hats, all styles and qualities;
1000 dos. men's and boys' Textile Felt Hats, all colors and styles, such as Chartrise, Sultan, Planter, &c. &c.;
1000 dos. men's and boys' Palm Leaf Hats, such as Leghorn, Florence, Coburg and other Straw Hats;
100 dos. men's and boys' Panamas, sailors' and planters' Hats;
500 dos. fine and common Campeachy Hats, trimmed or plain;
1000 dos. plain Palm Leaf;
100 dos. girls' Italian and ——Dish Straw Hats, plain or trimmed.

A very large assortment of children's and boys' Italian, Coburg and other Straw Hats and Caps 36 cases Chinese Fans.

Planters will find in the above store:

1000 dos. negro Sicilian Hats, stronger than those known as "negro Campeachy Hats," which are apt to rip.

The undersigned having secured, in Paris, the services of ARTHUR'S mortimer, the best mode to have the under either to suit their taste, or the Parisian or New York style, by the conformator.

Silk Hats, adhering crown, extra light.

Plain felt Summer Hats, extra fine and light, all colors, weighing only one ounce and a half.

Latest style Italian, Brazilian, English and Florence Straw Hats.

Straw Vestibular Hats;

Linen Muslin Vestibular Hats, very light and small white folding cap.

FOR CHILDREN AND BOYS:

Trimmed Straw Hats; plain Straw Hats, all styles; Infants' Bonnets; Straw Caps.

FOR LADIES AND GIRLS:

Dalma Straw, large rims; ribbon-trimmed Straw sewed, fancy;
Amazone, all styles.

FOR TRAVELERS:

Cloth, merino, leather and linen Traveling Hats;
Russian Leather Bags;
Silk Umbrellas, all sizes.

The celebrated mixed silk Overcoats, water-proof, for the climate of Louisiana, of three folded up.

And numerous other goods, which are offered on very moderate terms.

J. J. ALBERT, 23 Chartres street.

VICTOR BOUTROUE, Hatter,

58 Royal Street, between St. Louis and Toulouse.

V. BOUTROUE, formerly in Exchange Alley, has removed to 128 Royal street, where the Dalma will be manufactured, as heretofore, to order.

He avails himself of this opportunity to inform the public that he has received by late arrivals from France, a full and complete assortment of Hats of all descriptions, carefully selected in the principal Paris manufactories.

Men's, boys' and children's Silk Hats;
Black and grey Cashmere do.;
Do. do. Beaver do.;
Soft Felt Hats, for sea and shooting, all colors and qualities;
Children's Fancy Velvet and Cloth Caps;
Grey Velvet traveling do.;
Men's do.;
Boys' do.;

As none but superior hatters are admitted to the establishment, those of all descriptions and forms will be found made to suit the head admirably.

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F. Jacob, Dressmaker & Co.,
44, 47 and 48 Old Levee Street,

Have in store and offer for sale,

300 BASKETS FLAGROOT OIL, quarts and gallons.

5 BARRELS FLAXSEED OIL, quarts and gallons.

CANDLES—1000 boxes Sail weight 6's and 8's, Procter & Gamble; 500 do short and 7's, various brands.

FLOUR—1000 barrels Baker's brand.

F. JACOB, DRESSMAKER & CO,
44, 47 and 48 Old Levee street.

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CORN PEAS—300 sacks prime Canadian Canadian, for sale by
JAMES PHILLIPS & CO.,
Corner Bienville and Commerce sts.

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INSURANCE.

Louisiana Mutual Insurance Company.

NEW ORLEANS, March 1, 1858.

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

Amount of premiums from 1st March, 1857, to 28th February, 1858..... $690,982 00
Amount of unearned premiums, March 1st, 1857..... 90,311 21
$671,078 81

Via: Premiums on Fire Risks..$570,337 15
From on Marine Risks..... 79,566 66
From on River Risks..... 150,825 00
$671,078 81

Loss premiums unearned,
March 1st, 1858, (reserved)..$69,990 00
Return premiums..... 15,600 16
$106,987 16

Net earned premiums for the year ending 28th February, 1858..... $564,470 65
Losses paid during same period..... 407,482 84

Via: Fire Losses..... $ 61,796 02
Marine Losses..... 166,686 26
River Losses..... 10,440 00
$379,936 90

Expenses and Reinsurances, including interest on scrip, loss interest, Discount, etc..... 69,473 39
$449,723 79

Net earned profit for the year ending February 28, 1858..... $260,386 16

The Company have the following assets:

Invested in mortgages on real estate worth double the amount loaned thereon..... $40,410 00
Invested in Bank stock, 364 shares, @ par..... 36,400 00
Invested in city bonds, $20,000 at 90p.c. 18,000 00
Loaned on pledge of Bank stocks, at par..... 943,900 16
Bills receivable, at short date, for premiums..... 314,649 97
Real estate..... 3,000 00
Premiums in course of collection..... 16,430 20
Insurance scrip, &c..... 38,000 00
Cash on hand..... 12,577 84

Total amount of assets..... $473,668 29

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

Be it remembered, that on the 19th day of January, 1858, before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city aforesaid, personally appeared Henry Peychaud, President, and Louis Bernett, Secretary of the Louisiana Mutual Insurance Company of New Orleans, who, being duly sworn according to law, do depose and say that the above accounts are just and true, and a correct transcript from the books of said Company.

(Signed) C. M. BRADFORD, President.
JAS. EDWARDS, Secretary.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this twelfth day of January, 1858.

(Signed) C. M. BRADFORD, Second Justice of the Peace for the Parish of Orleans.

The Board of Trustees have resolved to pay six per cent. interest on the outstanding certificates of profit, on and after the second Monday in May next, and in rotation, on and after that date, the scrip issued at the year 1854, reserving, under the provisions of their charter, a cash capital of five hundred thousand dollars; and they have further declared a scrip dividend of forty-two per cent. on the net earned premiums of the year ending February 28, 1858, for which certificates will be issued on and after the first day of March next.

THOS. SLOO, President.
JAS. D. DENEGRE, Vice-President.

DIRECTORS:

Jas. D. Denegre, H. J. Hart,
A. D. Kelly, J. C. Ricks,
Hugh Wilson, J. H. Shakspeare,
C. M. Eginton, H. T. Lobdell,
Henry Renshaw, A. C. Twomey,
John G. Gaines, Thos. Sloo. jal4

FIRST ANNUAL STATEMENT
OF THE
Hope Insurance Company of New Orleans.
Office, corner of Canal street and Exchange Place.

IN conformity with the requirements of their charter, the Hope Insurance Company make the following statement:—

Amount of Premiums received for the year ending April 30th, 1858..... $78,362 47

Premiums on Fire Risks..... $44,407 83
Marine Risks..... 27,973 10
River Risks..... 5,971 92
78,362 47

Less Premiums on Risks not terminated..... 13,440 00
Less Return Premiums..... 1,416 44
14,856 44

Amount of earned Premiums for the year ending as above..... 63,497 03
Losses paid during the same period:

On Fire Risks..... $ 856 00
On Marine Risks..... 5,720 07
6,256 07

Ten per cent returned to per cent. Insurance..... 7,621 01
Reinsurances..... 4,999 40
Expenses, Loss Interest, &c..... 14,918 10
33,876 58

Net Profits..... 30,640 45

The Company have the following assets:

Stock Notes..... $200,000 00
Invested in notes secured by mortgage on real estate, worth double the amount loaned thereon..... 6,350 00
Mechanics' and Traders' Bank stock, 32 shares, cost..... 2,487 50
Bills receivable at short date for Premiums..... 6,929 01
Due for Premiums in course of collection..... 7,079 19
Cash on hand..... 71,848 77
$294,080 45

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

Be it remembered that on the sixth day of May, 1858, before me, the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city aforesaid, personally appeared Henry Peychaud, President, and Louis Bernett, Secretary of the Hope Insurance Company of New Orleans, who, being duly sworn according to law, do depose and say that the foregoing accounts are just and true, and a correct transcript from the books of said Company.

H. PEYCHAUD, President.
LOUIS BARNETT, Secretary.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this sixth day of May, 1858.

JOHN W. ANDREWS,
Third Justice of the Peace for the Parish of Orleans.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a cash dividend of sixty per cent. on the unearned part of this Company, out of the net earnings of the year ending 30th April, 1858, payable in accordance with Article 12th of the charter of said Company, as follows: Ten per cent. payable on demand to the stockholders, or their legal representatives, on and after the 14th May, instant, and the balance to be credited as an installment on the unpaid stock notes.

DIRECTORS:

L. H. Place, A. Laforest,
F. Malochée, Thos. Lenard,
S. Pleasants, W. H. Hotzenburg,
C. H. Kerlion, Geo. Beahon,
F. Peychaud.

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TO PERSONS WEARING SPECTACLES

THERE is not a personal matter, but merely a friendly advice to my customers and all those who wish to preserve their sight unimpaired. The visual organs are of so delicate an instance to require the greatest care in the selection of glasses when one is compelled to resort to spectacles. To meet consequently justly against such crowding advertisements published by charlatans, who care very little for the eyes of customers, and whose only object is to sell as many spectacles as they can at extravagant prices.

Purchasers must not suffer themselves to be deceived by a pair of spectacles being thin, cheap look of strength and beauty. Our sight is almost always injured, more or less, by proper seeing too clearly. The glasses must be sufficiently strong, and others ought not to be taken unless the change cannot possibly be avoided.

I am of opinion that every one has a perfect right to dispose of his goods as he chooses, but I also deem it my duty to caution those whose confidence I have enjoyed for many years, against pompous notices about new discoveries, such as "Brazilian Pebbles," "Arkansas Pebbles," &c.; &c. These names are only given for the purpose of attracting public attention, and there is not a word of truth in what is said. There is but one kind of good spectacle glasses, whether made of ordinary or pebble glasses, it is those which are well dazzled, and pure, and suit the eyes without fatiguing them.

I am satisfied that prudence, and consistent purposes generally, cannot in the above expressed opinion some.

C. DURAND, Optician,
58 Chartres street.

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BARLEY MALT—1300 bushels; for sale by
HART & CO.,
77 and 79 Tchoupitoulas st.

LEAF TOBACCO—19 bales of Youth Ahoje, landing ex brig H A Bowman, "von Hoven;" 25 do do do, landing ex schooner Major Barbour, from Bardstown, Ky. For sale by
ANT. COSTA,
jan26 18 Commerce st.

IN STORE—50 boxes superior Raymond wine, vintage of 1854; 100 boxes choice Bordeaux wine, vintage of 1855; 50 boxes strawberry jams, for ice creams and syrups; 100 do vermicelli. For sale by
E. BECHAMPS, 21 St. Louis st.

FOR SALE by the undersigned, 50 pieces a superior assortment of Fancy Prints, Cambrics, Ginghams, Plaids, &c.
PAUL LACROIX, 16 Tremoue st.

DURAL CHEESE—25 boxes prime quality, for sale by
DUNTZE & CO,
corner Royal and Conti sts

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INSURANCE.

HOME MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ORLEANS.

The following statement of the affairs of the Company is published in accordance with the requirements of the charter, 1858:

Amount of premiums received for the year ending 31st December, 1857..... $1,707,148 72
Amount of unearned premiums, 1st January, 1857..... 1,000,263 89
Amount of premiums for the year ending 31st December, 1857..... $706,884 83

Via: For premiums on Fire risks..... $565,043 23
For premiums on River risks.. 376,196 42
For premiums on Marine risks.. 139,596 68
$1,080,844 33

Less premiums on risks not terminated 31st December, 1857..... 371,727 60
Return premiums..... 1,074 97
372,802 57

Net premiums for the year ending 31st December, 1857..... $679,643 56
Losses during the same period, viz:
On Fire risks..... $1,347 97
On River risks..... 159,718 42
On Marine risks..... 41,661 96
202,728 35

Expenses, reinsurance, interest on scrip, and all Discounts arising from the Commercial Crisis of 1857..... 96,116 16
$298,844 51

Net earned profits for the year ending December 31st, 1857..... $380,799 05

The Company have the following assets, viz:

Invested in mortgages on property worth double the amount loaned thereon..... $16,606 00
Invested in bank stocks, City and State Bonds..... 260,902 00
Loaned on pledge of bank stocks and other collaterals..... 309,436 60
Invested in real estate, (office 72 Camp street)..... 40,815 07
Bills receivable, at short dates, for premiums earned..... 330,664 76
Bills receivable, being balance of premiums on unexpired risks..... 96,158 57
Due for premiums, in course of collection..... 19,437 69
Cash on hand..... 130,886 04
$1,116,902 19

Total amount of assets..... $1,116,902 19

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

Be it remembered, that on the 19th day of January, 1858, before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city aforesaid, personally appeared Alexander Bradley, President, and James H. Wheeler, Secretary, of the Home Mutual Insurance Company of New Orleans, who, being duly sworn according to law, do depose and say that the above accounts are just and true, and a correct transcript from the books of the said Company.

J. CHIAPELLA, President.
JULES DOLHONDE, Secretary.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 19th day of January, 1858.

JOHN W. ANDREWS,
Justice of the Peace.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, it was resolved to declare a dividend of FORTY per cent. in scrip, for which scrip will be issued on and after the 15th of June next; and Forty per cent to the stockholders on the capital stock, payable according to the 12th Article of the charter of the Company, on and after the 15th of May current.

A CHIAPELLA, President.
JULES DOLHONDE, Secretary.

New Orleans May 15, 1858.

DIRECTORS:

R. W. ODDEN, of the firm of P. Comelius Bro. & Co.
PAUL LOBIT, " " Lobit & Chaurraire.
W. J. ZUNTZ, " " Shaw & Zuntz.
JOHN DUNCAN BLONDE, " " Mitchell, Cobb & Co.
VOR MAGNAN, " " F. & E. Maignan.
CARL KOHN, " " C. Kohn & Bros.
C. F. GLENER, " " Abat, Glenener & Co.
JOS. DEYNOUOUT, "
A. CHIAPELLA "

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FIRST ANNUAL STATEMENT
OF THE
Citizens' Mutual Insurance Company.

IN conformity with the requirements of their charter, the Citizens' Mutual Insurance Company make the following statement:—

Amount of Premiums received for the year ending 30th November, 1857..... $300,643 7

Premiums on Fire Risks..... $164,496 47
Do Marine Risks..... 96,169 17
Do River Risks..... 39,978 13
300 643 76

Less Premiums on Risks not terminated..... $44,346 00
Less Return Premiums..... 54,757 86
99,103 86

Net earned Premiums..... $264,866 10

Losses paid during the same period, viz:
On Fire Risks..... $38,923 43
On Marine Risks..... 32,082 10
On River Risks..... 7,221 38
$78,226 90

Reinsurances..... 18,822 13
Expenses, &c., less interest..... 34,310 75
$114,969 67

Net earned profits for the year ending 30th November, 1857..... $120,916 43

The Company has the following assets, viz.—
Bills Receivable at short date for Premiums..... $46,813 27
Bills Receivable, being balance due on Subscription Notes..... 107,450 97
Due for Premiums in course of collection 35,344 15
Invested in bank Stocks..... 50,004 50
Invested in Notes secured by mortgage on real estate, worth double the amount loaned thereon..... 10,000 00
Invested in Notes secured by pledge of Stocks..... 17,122 50
Scrips of Mutual Insurance Companies.... 3,500 00
Cash on hand..... 21,462 50
$290,000 22

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

Be it remembered that on the sixth day of May, 1858, before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace in and for the parish and State aforesaid, personally appeared Oscar Gaillard, President, A. Schreiber, Secretary, of the Citizens' Mutual Insurance Company of New Orleans, who, being duly sworn according to law, do depose and say that the above accounts are just and true, and a correct transcript from the books of said Company.

(Signed) O. GAILLARD, President.
GEO. W. WEST, Vice-President.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 6th day of May, 1858.

C. M. BRADFORD, J. P.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a cash dividend of sixty per cent. on the unearned part of this Company, out of the net earnings of the year ending 30th April, 1858, payable in accordance with Article 12th of the charter of said Company, as follows: Ten per cent. payable on demand to the stockholders, or their legal representatives, on and after the 14th May, instant, and the balance to be credited as an installment on the unpaid stock notes.

DIRECTORS:

L. H. Place, A. Laforest,
F. Malochée, Thos. Lenard,
S. Pleasants, W. H. Hotzenburg,
C. H. Kerlion, Geo. Beahon,
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Professor Arnaud's Institution for Young Gentlemen,
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THE plan of this institution embraces a complete course of instruction in the English and French languages, Mathematics, Book-keeping, Geography, Astronomy, Drawing, Music, &c.

For Boarders, per month, $25 00
Half Boarders..... do 15 00
Day Scholars' highest class..... do 10 00
Do do below 12..... do 8 00

These terms include board and washing, Latin, English and French Languages, Mathematics, Book-keeping, Astronomy, Geography, Drawing, Music, &c.

Extra charges will be made for the following branches of learning:

Spanish, the German and Italian languages, each..... per month, $3 00
For Lessons of Guitar..... do 10 00
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Do do separately..... do 10 00
Do do 3d class..... do 4 00
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The Masonic Institute is continuing under the superintendence of Professor Arnaud.

School hours from half-past 8 till 3, and from half-past 4 till 6 o'clock.

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AUDUBON COLLEGE,
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THE plan of similar comprises the Latin, Greek, Spanish and French languages, and all the branches of a complete English and French education, viz: Mathematics, Rhetoric, History, Geography, Book-keeping, &c.

Professor Rouen will always correspond to the wishes of parents.

The location is healthy. The play-grounds are ample. The dormitories are roomy, airy and clean.

Music, Drawing and Dancing, is charged with the exception of those learning applied to buildings, machinery, &c. The Board of Trustees have resolved to pay six per cent. interest on the outstanding certificates of profits, to the holders thereof, or to their legal representatives, on and after the second Monday in February proximo.

Also to declare a dividend of Forty Seven Per Cent on the said premiums of the Company, ending 31st December, 1857, for which Certificates will be issued on and after 15th March next.

THOS. SLOO, President.
JAS. D. DENEGRE, Vice-President.

DIRECTORS:

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FIRST ANNUAL STATEMENT
OF THE
Hope Insurance Company of New Orleans.
Office, corner of Canal street and Exchange Place.

IN conformity with the requirements of their charter, the Hope Insurance Company make the following statement:—

Amount of Premiums received for the year ending April 30th, 1858..... $78,362 47

Premiums on Fire Risks..... $44,407 83
Marine Risks..... 27,973 10
River Risks..... 5,971 92
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Less Premiums on Risks not terminated..... 13,440 00
Less Return Premiums..... 1,416 44
14,856 44

Amount of earned Premiums for the year ending as above..... 63,497 03
Losses paid during the same period:

On Fire Risks..... $ 856 00
On Marine Risks..... 5,720 07
6,256 07

Ten per cent returned to per cent. Insurance..... 7,621 01
Reinsurances..... 4,999 40
Expenses, Loss Interest, &c..... 14,918 10
33,876 58

Net Profits..... 30,640 45

The Company have the following assets:

Stock Notes..... $200,000 00
Invested in notes secured by mortgage on real estate, worth double the amount loaned thereon..... 6,350 00
Mechanics' and Traders' Bank stock, 32 shares, cost..... 2,487 50
Bills receivable at short date for Premiums..... 6,929 01
Due for Premiums in course of collection..... 7,079 19
Cash on hand..... 71,848 77
$294,080 45

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

Be it remembered that on the sixth day of May, 1858, before me, the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city aforesaid, personally appeared Henry Peychaud, President, and Louis Bernett, Secretary of the Hope Insurance Company of New Orleans, who, being duly sworn according to law, do depose and say that the foregoing accounts are just and true, and a correct transcript from the books of said Company.

H. PEYCHAUD, President.
LOUIS BARNETT, Secretary.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this sixth day of May, 1858.

JOHN W. ANDREWS,
Third Justice of the Peace for the Parish of Orleans.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a cash dividend of sixty per cent. on the unearned part of this Company, out of the net earnings of the year ending 30th April, 1858, payable in accordance with Article 12th of the charter of said Company, as follows: Ten per cent. payable on demand to the stockholders, or their legal representatives, on and after the 14th May, instant, and the balance to be credited as an installment on the unpaid stock notes.

DIRECTORS:

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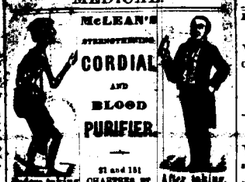

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