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LOUISIANA MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ORLEANS. New Orleans, March 13, 1856.

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

Amount of premiums from the 13th March, 1855, to 12th March, 1856 ..... $468,660 63
Amount of unterminated risks, March 12, 1855 ..... 87,269 25
Total amount of Premiums $555,929 88

Viz: Premium on Fire Risks $250,223 10
Premium on Marine Risks 251,875 03
Premium on River Risks 123,843 07
$625,939 88

Less premiums on risks not terminated, reserved $91,473 62
Less return premiums ..... 9,205 26 — 97,334 88
Net earned premiums $458,614 97

Losses paid during the same period:
Viz: Fire Losses $20,219 90
Marine Losses 91,115 62
River Losses 57,578 70
$268,913 62
Re-insurance 17,571 66
Expenses, interest, etc. 20,127 10
$306,612 41

Net profits for the year ending March 12, 1856 ..... $151,702 83

The Company have the following assets, viz:
Bills receivable, having mortgage, and for loans on stocks $46,974 11
Bills receivable, at short time, for premiums 159,645 28
Bills receivable, being other action notes 175,000 00
Due for premiums in course of collection 32,259 55
Due from other companies 14,000 00
Cash on hand 41,608 71
Total amount of assets $462,487 65

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

Be it remembered, that on the 13th January, 1856, before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city aforesaid, personally appeared Alexander Brother, 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.
CHARLES BRIGGS, President.
H. P. JANVIER, Secretary.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 13th day of March, 1856.
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 scrip certificates of 1855, payable on and after the second Monday of May next, and have declared a scrip dividend of Twenty-five per cent. on the net earned premium of the past year, for which certificates will be issued on and after the first day of October next, and they have reserved the balance of the net profits of the year ending 12th March, 1856, to meet pending but unadjusted claims against the Company.

The Company continue to insure against the perils of the seas and rivers, and loss and damage by fire, at the current rates of premium.

Office, in iron building, corner of Camp and Natchez streets.
CHARLES BRIGGS, President.
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m27 1y

HOME MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ORLEANS.—The following statement of the affairs of this company is published in conformity with the requirements of their charter, viz:

Amount of premiums received for the year ending 31st December, 1855 ..... $545,006 29
Amount of unterminated risks, 31st Dec., 1854 ..... 92,934 03
Total amount of premiums for year ending 31st December, 1855 ..... $640,932 29

Viz: For premiums on fire risks $278,076 22
For premiums on river risks 269,625 42
For premiums on marine risks 92,959 45
$640,932 29

Loss premiums on risks not terminated 31st December, 1855 ..... $103,562 00
Reinsured premiums 2,647 29
$106,214 29

Net earned premiums for year ending 31st December, 1855 ..... $531,688 00
Losses during the same period, viz:
On fire risks $146,062 30
On river risks 257,626 32
On marine risks 30,925 32
$434,609 30
Re-insurance expenses, interest on scrip issued, etc., less interest, discount, etc. 19,018 64
$417,725 14
Net earned profits for the year ending December 31st, 1855 ..... $82,022 86

The Company have the following assets, viz:
Invested in mortgages on property worth double the amount loaned thereon $23,200 00
Invested in bank stocks 65,436 00
Cash in bank and on hand 122,440 05
Invested in real estate, (office 74 Camp st.) 31,000 00
Bills receivable at short time for premiums earned 144,606 76
Bills receivable, being balances on subscription notes 41,416 25
Due for premiums in course of collection 14,766 51
Cash on hand 80,024 19
Total amount of assets $525,871 31

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

Be it remembered, that on the 15th January, 1856, before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city aforesaid, personally appeared Alexander Brother, 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.
CHARLES BROTHER, President.
JAS. H. WHEELER, Secretary.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15th day of January, 1856.
CHAS. M. BRADFORD, Second Justice of the Peace of the Parish of Orleans.

The Board of Trustees have resolved to pay an interest of six per cent. in cash on the outstanding certificates of profits, to the holders thereof, or to their legal representatives, on and after MONDAY, the 15th of February next.

The Board of Trustees have also declared a dividend of ten per cent. on the net earned premiums of the Company for the year ending 31st December, 1855, for which certificates will be issued on and after the 15th of March next.

☞ The Company continues to insure against the peril of the seas, rivers, and loss or damage by fire, at the current rates of premium. Office, No. 78 Camp street.
ALEXANDER BROTHER, President.
JOHN R. SHAW, Vice-President.

JAMES H. WHEELER, Secretary.
New Orleans, January 15, 1856.

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Assets, January 1st, 1856, $1,421,613 13.

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