New Orleans Daily Crescent.

New Orleans Money Market.

CRESCENT OFFICE, No. 70 Camp street, }
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The expected arrival of the Asia, which arrived at New York, were received at an early hour in the day, and were generally deemed of a satisfactory nature. We do not learn that the Bank of France has evacuated, and begin to think that those very respectable and intelligent correspondents of some of the New York papers, particularly the Journal of Commerce, which published a letter dated the 21st of October, in Paris, from some banking house to correspondents in New York, that it was a determined "conclusion" the Bank would suspend, it was a determined "conclusion" the Bank would suspend, were very wide of the marks, and are likely to remain so. We are fully satisfied that solvents of every kind and every character, having their origin in Europe, are expected for quite a number in New York papers to operate on the general markets of the Southwest. If they are not intended to have effect on cotton, they are on flour, grain and exchange. There are fictitious quotations and made up dispatches forwarded on the arrival of each steamer every other steamer at Halifax and New York. As we have heretofore remarked, we pronounced to all fine words to avoid the regular trade by each steamer unless they have agents in New York on whom reliance can be placed.

The money market continues quiet without any increase in rates. There is more paper offering. The Banks have not found it necessary to reject any important sums for the week. Outside of Bank, paper is readily placed at figures as follow the table annexed, which shows some variation from last week:

For A1 paper having 100 days to run	7	@ 8
For A1 paper from 60 to 100 days	7	@ 8
For A1 paper for a number	8	@ 10
For A2 long dates	9	@ 12
For A2 4 months	9	@ 12
Good second grade, less than 60 days	9	@ 12
Good second grade, long dates	10	@ 12
Third rate, short dates	12	@ 15
Single names, long date, second and third grade	15	@ 18
Single names, long date, first class	7	@ 8
Mortgage securities, long date	10	@ 12
Second class mortgage securities	12	@ 15

There were sales yesterday and to-day of $50,000 A1, three and a half months to run, at 6 per cent; $4,000, four and a half to six months at 7 per cent; $3,500, six months, at 8 per cent, and a sale of A2 long date at 10 per cent. These sales were to one party, and on a few other transactions were made.

There were no increased supplies of Northern drafts since Saturday. Sales were made at 2 per cent, for 60 days sight of sound, first class bills, which were taken two days since at par. Five days sight freely offered at ¼ discount. The Banks hold checks at par. Rates on the west from par to ¼ discount, and on a few checks sight at ¼ discount. There were sales of $50,000 at sixty days sight (yesterday) at 8¾, and 60 days at 8½. Twelfth of indigo drafts at 8¾@8¾. Rates to-day for better feeling, and drawers on all firms at 8¾@9 discount. We quote—

Sixty days sight on London, clear bills	8¾	@ 9¼ prem
Sixty days sight on Liverpool bills indorsed	8¾	@ 9¼ prem
Sixty days on Paris first class	5	@ 5 dscnt
Sixty days sight on New York, first class	¾	@ 2 dscnt
Sixty days on New York, bankers' bills	¼	@ ¾ dscnt
Sixty days on New York, commercial bills	¾	@ 1 dscnt
Three days sight	¼	@ ¾ dscnt
Sight on New York	par	
Checks—bank par		

In stocks we only learn of the sale of 50 shares Bank of New Orleans at 105.

The following are the quotations of Stocks and Bonds in this market:

QUOTATIONS OF STOCKS.

Bank of Louisiana	100 paid
Louisiana State Bank	
Canal Bank	
Citizens' Bank	
Merchants' and Traders' Bank	
Union Bank	
Bank of New Orleans	
Gas Light Company	
Southern Bank	
Commercial Warehouse	
Chesapeake Railroad	
Ohio Railroad	
Jackson Railroad	
Opelousas Railroad	
Atchafalaya Railroad	
St. Charles Street Railroad	
Orleans Dry Dock	
Odd Fellows' Hall	
Northern Ice Company	
City Consolidated 6 Per Cents	
City Bonds for Redemption	
State Bonds	
Levee Canal Cotton Press	
St. Charles Hotel Bonds	
Louisiana State Insurance Company	
New Orleans Dry Dock	
Louisiana Dry Dock	
Crescent Dry Dock	
Hickson Railroad 8 per cent. Bonds	

The movement in cash rate matters is without change. Some few of the issues of Western Banks appear daily, which are readily taken at current quotations. Of South Carolina and Georgia bank notes there are only few appearing. The issues of the Tennessee Banks have for a great measure taken the place of the former in North Mississippi. In Middle Mississippi, Alabama and more than Jackson, the circulation is chiefly of the issues of Mobile, with an equal proportion of gold and silver which forms the basis of currency.

The question of "relative premium of all the gold and silver" is, so far as the latter is concerned, not likely to be brought to any issue, and will in the event of much further advance in silver in Europe cause a demand for the American coinage in order to save loss of time. During the present week American dollars have been sold at 100@99¾, which is an advance of one per cent over last week. When they reach 1 per cent of gold it is expected the old and the new gold will be put into circulation. Should Congress, however, not pass the bill now before it, which, if it passed now, will again call for the future action of Congress, as regards the matter, to at least two years. If Congress is unable to act in time, in foreign exchanges, and the demand for specie is not met, the result will be a heavy penalty, with the fine duty of Congress to act on export duty on all coin of coin to foreign countries. We hope this suggestion will not cause the disciples of free trade and others to open their eyes with wonder, for we cannot not be surprised, if millions come in Europe, India and China, for another year as they have the last, and what Congress will be called on to do. Specie will not flow into which formed part of the old coin. The silver pieces are now not to be received in the banks without a premium of 2½ per cent, payable in the legal tender, gold.

Good warrants have taken an exception decline in New York and Washington. The supply is large and we reduce our figures.

We append our usual weekly quotations of coin and investment money, which are the rates of H. B. Morel & Co.:

GOLD AND SILVER.

American Half Dollars	2@3	¾ cent. premium
American quarter Dollars	1@2	¾ cent. premium
Mexican Dollars	99@1	¾ cent. premium
Spanish Dollar Dollars	99@1	¾ cent. premium
Five Franc Pieces	93@94	
Sovereigns	4 80@4 85	
Doubloons in Dollars	16@16	¼ cent. premium
Twenty Dollar Pieces	3 86@3 88	
Ten Dollar Pieces	1 93@1 94	
Ten Thaler Pieces	1 79@1 80	
Mexican Doubloons	15 60@15 70	
Spanish Doubloons	15 60@15 70	
California Gold	15 70@15 80	

INVESTMENT NOTES.

Missouri	1 cent. discount
Ia Stocks	
Ohio	
Kentucky	
Mine California Gold and Copper Company redeemable in Bank	
New Orleans	par
Illinois	¼ cent discount
Indiana	¼ cent discount
Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana	¼ cent discount
Michigan Central Insurance Company certificates of indebtedness can be had at	
Bonds of Amherstburg can be had at	
Canada Southern	¼ cent discount
Canada and Detroit Railroad	
North Carolina	¼ cent discount
Wealth	¼ cent discount
Alabama State	¼ cent discount
Texas	¼ cent discount
Tennessee	¼ cent discount
Mobile	¼ cent discount
Tennessee Bank Bonds	
Commercial Bank, Vicksburg, at Union Mississippi	par

Our last dates from the different cities are the following:

We demand for money has somewhat increased since the date of our last weekly review, but, although the demand on Saturday was greater than was anticipated, the supply, there was no pressure in the market, and first class business paper was discounted by the regular bankers on the system of the old times. Of rates of interest, Loan brokers, and the usual class of money lenders, those at 12 per cent. for paper for sixty days and under. Prime choice names are made, Every, from six months to one year, are readily taken at 12 per cent. Call loans are made at 6@7 per cent, with occasional sales at 5 per cent, per annum.

The demand for Eastern Exchange for Bank checks and drafts are pretty well maintained at ¼@¾ premium. Sterling bills were sold to some extent at ¾ premium. Most of these drafts were sold to fund to pay on our Southern cities. New Orleans Exchange was quote at ¼ to ½ premium. Good Paper, selling rate. Western bills are in demand and command full rates, the inside bids off, for drafts at sixty days.

Review of the Markets for Past Week.

CRESCENT OFFICE, No. 70 Camp street, }
Saturday Morning, Nov. 1, 1856. }

Our general market continues to exhibit a quiet appearance, the speculation of Western Produce not yet to the full extent to be noticeable to suffer any considerable stage for export operations, with small offers of whole lots in the Ohio, with the producers of markets, not being some reasons to some extent, have been a depressing effect upon the rates for a few articles. Flour and Wheat have declined, while Grain generally has brought very full prices, and Provisions remain without any material change. Consumers with the same activity in the early part of the week which is reported to be easy to say, the market was subsequently depressed by the freight rates, which were more or less than Eastern has been adopted. Tobacco, Sugar and Molasses continued to bring full prices, with moderate receipts and sales. Freights generally have been in fair request at about previous rates.

On Wednesday morning we published the Atlantic's arrival, with exchange at Liverpool down to the 19th inst., by which the Baltimore market had declined 6d per Brl., with sales of 20,000 bales during the three business days preceding the sailing of the steamer.

The Asia's advices were received yesterday forenoon, and will be found in another column.

The weather has been fine and mild, and pleasant for Monday and the latter part.

COTTON.—The inquiry of the Cotton Market which opened on the close of last week continued on Saturday, many buyers either forward freely, and although factors refused to their quotations Tuesday, the sales reached only 2,000 bales. The demand was very full on Monday, reaching in all to more of 6,000 bales, without any further change of moment, but on Tuesday quotations were checked somewhat by the full prices claimed, the sales reached only 2,700 bales, without any improvement for the latter for the middling and lower grades. On Wednesday morning the Atlantic's advices were before the public, and nothing of it less favorable than that which preceded, the market assumed a heavy appearance, and sales about 1,800 bales were effected at a decline of the day of prices generally which factors had previously refused. On Thursday again the sales were exceedingly small, the sales reaching only 1,000 bales, at further prices, but with no general clearance, which appeared to be the case then. Yesterday the market opened with an active appearance and was an improved To the day's news, which was to the extent of only boat. The sales reached barely 1,000 bales at a regular decline from previous, but no result of any note transpired during the forenoon. The close of the week to-day has been quiet and dull, and the market closes at about the rates left on our quotations, as follow:

NEW ORLEANS CLASSIFICATION.

Ordinary	10@10¾	Good Middling	12¾@13
Good Ordinary	11@11¾	Middling Fair	13¾@14
Low Middling	11¾@12¾	Fair	14¾@15

TOBACCO.—There has been more or less movement in the Tobacco market, and sales of 200 hhds have been reported, consisting of 50 hhds leaf at 5¼; 50 light and part Clarke, at 10½; 50 at the same price; 50 at 12¼; 1 at 13¼; 8 Strongs and Fancy Leaf at 6c round; 20 Lugs at —; and a few Kinds Clarke and Seconds at 7@8½c @ lb. Yesterday 50 hhds sold at 6c @ lb. Receipts, 1,000 hhds. Stock, 6,000 hhds.

PRICES.

Lugs	5@6
Leaf	7@8½
Leaf, Inferior to Common	10@11
Fine	12@13
Fine	13@14
Choice and Selections	15@16

COTTON AND TOBACCO STATEMENT.

	Cotton—Bales.	Tobacco—Hhds.
Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1856	7,932	3,232
Received since	301,236	1,979
" yesterday	2,267	15
	309,503	1,994
	317,435	5,226
Exported since	122,658	3,230
" yesterday	5,077	40
	127,735	3,270
	189,700	1,956

SUGAR.—With an increased stock on the market a better business has been done, say about 1200 hhds have changed hands during the week at about the range of our quotations, including 600 hhds on the opposite side of the river, taken by one party. We quote:

Inferior to Common	3½@3¾
Fair to Fully Fair	4@4¾
Prime	4¾@5
Choice	5@5¼

Week's receipts, 2,000 hhds. Exports, 36.

MOLASSES.—The receipts are still light, and with a limited demand, the sales have been confined to some 400 hhds at 30c@32c for Fermenting and Ordinary, and 34c@35c for Good Inferior and Sugar-house, with 100 bbls at 30@35c, and 15 half barrels New Crop at the long prices of the 2d quarter. Yesterday, however, there was more activity for the market, and about 1,000 hhds and bbls were sold at 30@35c for Fermenting and Ordinary, and 36@37c for Good Inferior and Prime, with 100 bbls New Crop at 37½c @ gallon. We quote:

Fermenting	30@32
Ordinary	32@34
Good Inferior	34@35
Prime	36@37
New Crop	37½

Week's receipts, 1,000 hhds and bbls. Exports, 1,000.

RICE.—The market has been quiet, with sales of about 500 tierces New Crop at 3½@3¾c @ lb for Ordinary Fairs.

OIL.—The sales of Coal Oil Reported yesterday were 1,000 bbls @ 75, including 600 to the trade at 75c @ gallon, and 400 delivered. Reported on the market 1,000 bbls. Linseed Oil is quoted at 81@82c @ gallon. Receipts, 1,000 bbls. Stock, 2,000 bbls.

WHISKEY.—Prices have declined a trifle during the week, and to-day sales of 200 bbls Rectified were made at 21½c @ gallon. Receipts, 200 bbls. Stock, 500 bbls.

COFFEE.—The sales have been limited, and the stock of the week are confined to about 3,000 bags, which for choice must be considered full prices. Yesterday 1,000 bags were sold at 11½c @ lb for Ordinary to Fair, including 700 bags sold on Saturday at 11½.

No increase has been noticed in the stock during the week, and the last import since the 1st of September amounts to 12,000 bags. The stock on hand is reported to be 50,000 bags.

SALT.—The imports of Liverpool Salt continue large, but are generally sound, so we have heard of no sales of any consequence during the week except two cargoes, one of 1,000 sacks, at private terms, at Nassau Salt (free cargoes), at sack, commanding about 75 and for same, have been sold from store, at 90@95c @ bush.

CANDLES.—Sales of Sperm and Tallow Candles have been sold during the week, at 21½@22½c @ lb for sperm brands and weight.

RICE.—The market has been dull, with sales of about ten New Crop at 3½@3¾c @ lb for Ordinary Fairs.

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NAVAL STORES.—We have reported sales of some 2,000 bbls Spirits Turpentine at 38@39c @ gallon, and of 200 bbls Rosin No. 1 Rosin at $2 25. 700 bbls Tar $3 25. 200 bbls Pitch Tar at $3 75@4.

FREIGHTS.—The rates have been steadily maintained for ships for Continental ports, and we have to-day to report about the same as for Havre at 1¼ for Cotton, but for Continental Ports, and Bremen at 1¼ for Cotton, but for Continental Ports, and Bremen at 1¼ for Cotton, but for Continental Ports, and Bremen