New Orleans Daily Crescent.

THURSDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 11, 1866.

New Orleans Money Market.

CRESCENT OFFICE, No. 94 CAMP STREET, Wednesday Evening, Oct. 10, 1866.

The most prominent feature in the movement in financial circles to-day has been a further advance in rates of Gold and Foreign Exchange, predicated exclusively upon the enhanced rates reported by telegraph, as the ruling figures of the New York market. The demand for Gold was fair throughout, while the supply was of a restricted character from the opening to the close of business, and sellers realized an advance on the operations of the day of fully 1 ⅌ cent. Transactions progressed in the following order, viz: $5000 and $5000 in the morning at $146¼; $3000, $4000 and $10,000 at 146¼; $5000 and $5000 at 147; $5000, $5000, $5000 and $20,000 at 147¼; $10,000, $15,000 and $20,000 at 147½; $10,000 at 147⅝, and $20,000 at 147¾. Sales of Silver have been limited to $500 American halves at 139, and 1700 Mexican dollars at 147, in the morning. We now quote Gold at 147¼@147¾, American Silver coin at 138@139, and Mexican Dollars at 147@148.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE—The advance in rates of Gold has imparted increased strength to the Foreign Exchange market, and both Sterling and France have been held to-day at higher figures than heretofore. Outdoor offerings were very light throughout, however, and the demand for direct remittance purposes was for the most part confined to insignificant amounts, as may be readily inferred from the subjoined statement, which includes the whole of the actual sales, viz: £1100 clear sterling at 157½, £308 and £900 do. at 158, the former sight and the latter a sixty-day bill, and £5639 in several bills, including Bank sixty days' and clear sight bills at 160. Sales of Francs have been limited to 15,000f. Bank at 5.30f., and to 35,000f., 60,000f. and 75,000f. private, in several lots at 5.35f. The closing quotations this evening are, for Bank Sterling 160@161, Clear Bills 158@159, Bill of Lading Bills nominal, Bank Francs 5.30@5.27½f., and outdoor Francs 5.35@5.32½f.

DOMESTIC EXCHANGE—We have no alteration of any kind to refer to under the above heading to-day. Offerings of private and commercial continued exceedingly restricted, while the demand at Bank for remittance purposes exhibited a fair inquiry throughout. The purchases by Banks and Bankers comprised only $20,000 and $25,000 New York Sight at ½ ⅌ cent. discount, $30,000 do. at ¼ ⅌ cent. discount, and $15,000 thirty days' do. at 1½ ⅌ cent. discount.

UNCURRENT NOTES AND SECURITIES—There has been a partial suspension of operations under the above heading to-day, but rates have ruled as heretofore. The only actual sales that have been reported to us by reliable parties were $1000 City of New Orleans notes at 58½c.; $1000 Louisiana State notes at 94½c.; and $7000 City of New Orleans notes at 99½c. ⅌ dollar. Also, 3 shares New Orleans City Railroad stock on private terms, and 250 shares Jackson Railroad stock at 8¾.

BOARD OF BROKERS.—The movement at the Brokers' Board to-day has been restricted to the subjoined sales, viz:

10 shares Commerce Bi Waterwork's stock at	33½
$1,000 City of New Orleans bond to the Opelousas Railroad with November coupons attached	88
13 shares Bank of Louisiana stock	94
$5,000 Bell	16¾
$3,000 Mexican dollars	147

SPECIAL DISPATCHES.—The subjoined special telegrams have been kindly handed to us to-day:

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Gold opened at 149¼, 11 A. M.—Gold 149¾. Cotton, demand moderate, prices firm at 38@39c. Exchange steady. 5-20's 105¾. Coupons 113@113¼; second and third series 105¾. Coupons 110@110¼. New issue 108@108¾. 10-40's 99@99¼. 7-30's 106½@106¾. 12 M.—Gold 150¼. Cotton, demand good, prices tending upwards at 38¾@39c. 1 P. M.—Gold 150½. Sterling Exchange 107½ for sixty day bills. Cotton firm at 38@39c. 1:30 P. M.—Gold 150¾. Cotton market firm, holders asking higher rates, 39@41c. Rumors of private cable news quote uplands at 14¾d.

Commercial Intelligence.

CRESCENT OFFICE NO. 94 CAMP STREET, Wednesday Evening, Oct. 10, 1866.

COTTON—The market opened to-day with a moderate demand, which was considerably accelerated on receipt of private telegrams quoting an advance in prices at New York, and by reports of private dispatches, quoting ¼@¼d. advance in the Liverpool market. The latter, however, were not confirmed up to the close of business. Offerings have been light and irregular throughout, but sales, nevertheless, amounted to 2300 bales at steadily improving prices, till an advance of fully ½c. per pound was realized upon all grades which, however, was most apparent in the better descriptions. The upward tendency of Gold and Foreign Exchange tends to impart increased strength to the market, and we now quote low ordinary at 26@28c., ordinary 30@32c., good ordinary 34@35c., low middling 36@37c., and middling, nominal.

COMPARATIVE RECEIPTS OF COTTON AT THIS PORT FOR THE PAST TWO WEEKS.

Oct. 6—bales	1196	Sept. 29—bales	876
" 7—bales	415	" 30—bales	—
" 8—bales	2040	Oct. 1—bales	1999
" 9—bales	1350	" 2—bales	442
" 10—bales	2295	" 3—bales	1571
Total	8296	Total	4888

STATEMENT OF COTTON.

Stock on hand Sept. 1st, 1866—bales	102,123
Received since yesterday	8,936
Received previously	21,907—27,471
	129,643
Exported since yesterday	001
Exported previously	45,642—45,642
Stock on hand and on shipboard not cleared	83,971

SUGAR AND MOLASSES—The receipts since yesterday comprise 10 hhds. of yellow clarified Sugar from the upper coast. No Molasses. The stock on hand is quite small and the assortment poor, and very little is expected to be done until the new crop begins to come in. The only sales to-day worthy of note are 10 hhds. of yellow clarified at 10c., and 50 hhds. low fair Cuba Sugar on private terms. In a retail way there is only a moderate business doing, at 11½@12½c. for common, 13@14c. for fair, 14½@15½c. for fully fair, 15½@15½c. for prime, 16@16½c. for choice, 16½@16½c. for yellow clarified, and 17@17½c. for white do. Molasses is retailing at 68@70c., and is held by the cargo at 55@60c. per gallon.

TOBACCO—The market still continues very quiet. Buyers for city trade have been looking around, but we have not heard that any sales had been made. The stock is very small, but very firmly held at 2½@3c. for low refused light and heavy, 6½@7c. for common leaf, 7½@8c. for fine do., 10@12c. for good do., 13@14c. for fine do. and 14@16c. for choice selections. Lots for baling are held at 20@25c. per ⅌.

FLOUR—The stock is very small, with only a moderate demand, and prices are very firm at previous quotations. Sales to-day comprise 535 barrels, of which 50 choice family (a favorite brand) at $17; 110 treble extra at $14 75; 200 do. at $14 50; 50 double extra at $13 75; 175 do. at $13 25, and 250 choice extra on private terms.

CORN—Is in light supply and quiet. Prices, however, are very firm, with an upward tendency. Sales to-day comprise 2100 sacks, in lots as follows, viz: 1200 and 150 white at 95c.; 500 white mixed at 93c.; 150 yellow mixed at 92½c., and 100 do. at 90c. ⅌ bushel.

OATS—Are in light supply and demand, while prices are advancing. Sales include 730 and 100 sacks at 55c., 175 at 54c., and 150 at 53c. ⅌ bushel.

BRAN—Is very scarce, with a fair demand, and prices show a further upward tendency. The only sales to-day are 200 sacks at $1 40 ⅌ 100 lbs.

HAY—We report sales of 50 bales prime Ohio river at 22½ ⅌ ton. The supply is light and demand limited.

PORK—Continues in fair demand, and prices firmer at previous quotations. Sales to-day comprise 100 bbls. mess at $35 ⅌ bbl. In a jobbing way there is a very fair business doing at $35 25@$35 50 ⅌ bbl.

BACON—The business doing in this article is entirely of a retail character. Shoulders are scarce and prices advancing, and are now held at 16½@18½c. Ribbed Sides are plenty at 20c.; clear sides at 21c., and sugar-cured hams at 26½c. ⅌ lb.

LARD—The market to-day has exhibited a decided improvement in the demand, and is mostly for export, while prices have become more regular and steadier. Sales include 300 tierces at 15½c. and 150 kegs at 21c. ⅌ lb.

WHISKY—The market has been very quiet, and the only business doing is in a retail way at $1 75@$1 80 for Louisiana, and $2 25@$2 35 for Western rectified.

INDIA BAGGING—Is in fair supply and demand, while prices are somewhat stiffer. Round lots are quoted at 35½@36c. ⅌ yard. Dealers are furnishing the demand for the country at 30c. ⅌ yard in rolls, and 38c. ⅌ yard in bales.

BALE ROPE—Is in good supply, but with only a moderate demand, at 17½@18c. for round lots and 18½@19c. for jobbing lots.

IRON TIES—The supply of this article is very light, with an active inquiry, and prices firm at 11@12½c. apiece.

GUNNY BAGS—Are in good supply but dull at 28@30c. a piece.

STAR CANDLES—Are in light supply with a fair demand, and prices firm at 20c. for 12 oz., 21c. for 13 oz., 22c. for 14 oz. and 25c. for full weight. There were sales to-day of 300 boxes 12 and 13 oz., at 20c. for the former and 21c. for the latter.

SUNDRIES—Potatoes are selling at $2 50@3 25 per bbl. Onions at $2 25@3 00. Apples at $6@7 50. Eggs at $40@43 per bbl. Chickens at $6 per dozen for small, $9 for large. Cabbages at $12@14 per crate.

SALT—Is in fair demand, and prices show a further improvement. We now quote Liverpool fine from store at $2 40@2 60, and coarse $2 25@$2 40 ⅌ bushel; $2 45 for fine by the cargo, and $2 10 for coarse.

NAVAL STORES—Rosin is in light supply with a fair demand, at $7@7 25 for No. 1, $4 50@$5 for No. 2, and $2 50@$3 for common. Pitch at $5 50@$6. Tar scarce at $4 10@$8 ⅌ bbl., and Spirits of Turpentine at 32½@35c. ⅌ gallon.

BUTTER AND CHEESE—Western and Northern butter is in good supply but quiet at 22@23c. for common Western; 25@26c. for fair do., 27@29c. for prime do., and 30@35c. for choice; 40@45c. for goshen, and 46@48c. for strictly choice do. Cheese is in good supply but dull at 15c. for skimmed; 21@22c. for factory; 24c. for English dairy; 28@30c. for Sutton, and 33@35c. for pineapple.

HOPS—Are only in moderate supply, but still amply sufficient for the demand, which is quite limited at 70c. for new American and 80c. per lb for Bolgian.

MALT—Is in fair supply, but quiet at $1 90@2 for Canada, and $1 90@1 75 per bushel for Western.

OILS—Linseed is in fair demand at $2@2 05. Coal oil is dull at 80@82½c. per gallon, and Lard oil at $1 30@1 65c. per gallon.

COFFEE—The stock is very much reduced with a fair demand and price firm. There were sales to-day of 400 bags at 27½@29c. ⅌ lb., currency, and 19½c., gold duty paid.

FREIGHTS—There is no disengaged tonnage on berth for either New York or Boston, and rates are firm as follows, viz: by sail to New York and Boston 1c. ⅌ lb. for Cotton, and 80c. ⅌ bbl. for Flour; by steam to New York, 1c. ⅌ lb. for Cotton, and to Boston 1½c. ⅌ lb. By sail to Liverpool, 9-16@¾d. ⅌ lb for Cotton, and 1½c. ⅌ lb. for Havre. A bark has been taken up to-day for Boston at 80c. ⅌ bbl. for Flour.

Cattle Market.

JEFFERSON CITY, October 11, 1866.

Arrived yesterday—202 Texas Beeves, 212 Calves, and Yearlings, and 30 Milch Cows. Sold—203 Texas Beeves, 130 Calves and Yearlings, 48 Hogs and 6 Milch Cows. Stock on Sale—543 Texas Beeves, 828 Calves and Yearlings, 240 Hogs, 2824 Sheep and 35 Milch Cows.

Western Beeves, choice, ⅌ lb	— @ —
Western Beeves, 2d quality, ⅌ lb net	— @ —
Texas Beeves, choice, ⅌ head	35 00@ 50 00
Texas Cattle, 2d quality, ⅌ head	20 00@ 35 00
Texas Cattle, 3d quality, ⅌ head	12 00@ 25 00
Hogs, ⅌ gross	— 12½ @ — 15
Stock Hogs, ⅌ head	— @ — —
Sheep in lots, ⅌ head	3 25@ 4 25
Creole Sheep, ⅌ head	— @ — —
Texas Sheep, ⅌ head	3 25@ 5 25
Choice Western Sheep, ⅌ head	— @ 8 00
Milch Cows, choice, ⅌ head	80 00@100 00
Milch Cows, ⅌ head	35 00@ 50 00
Texas Cows with Calves	35 00@ 45 00
Yearlings, ⅌ head	7 00@ 14 00
Calves, ⅌ head	8 00@ 15 00

A special dispatch to the Chicago Post, from Milwaukee, under date of the 1st, says: "A terrific encounter between an Indian and a bear has occurred in the vicinity of Tomah, in this State. Both the combatants were found a day or two since in the silent embrace of death, and there is probably no living witness to utter a description of the horrible scene. The bear had been shot in some vital part by the Indian; and the latter, when found, had his skull crushed as if by a powerful blow. The presumption is, either that it was a close encounter—the shot and the blow following in quick succession; or, the Indian, having shot the bear, approached it in its death struggles, and received the blow which terminated his existence."

STRANGE SAGACITY IN A PONY.—A recent issue of the Mark Lane Express contains the following: "I had a pony once which very frequently exhibited the following peculiarities: Whenever the pony had been turned out to graze, upon being fetched up and put into the carriage it invariably turned lame after going a few yards—so lame, in fact, that frequently I had to turn back, not having the shame to drive an animal in such apparent pain. I say apparent, because no sooner had the pony been relieved of its harness than it used to canter round the field perfectly sound. The same pony, when fetched from the stable, would go perfectly well as long as it wished, but when I drove it in any direction contrary to its inclination, it became lame directly; as soon as its head was turned homeward, lameness entirely disappeared.

HO! FOR THE COAST.—We noticed, on Saturday, many wagons, laden with supplies and materials, on their way to the gulf coast, where the proprietors propose to establish fisheries the approaching fishing season, which will be fairly open on the Florida coast by the middle of the present month. So our people may expect soon to enjoy the luxury of fresh mullet in any quantity. Besides the immense quantities of fish that are annually caught on our coast, the hammocks, swamps and bays abound in deer, turkeys and smaller game, whilst the entire gulf coast will soon be filled with tens of thousands of ducks, brent and birds of various kinds; and if these enterprising fishermen would also turn their attention to the killing of game, they would no doubt find a ready market for all they could bring to this city, and at the same time realize a handsome profit for their energy.—[Tallahassee Sentinel.

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