The New Orleans Crescent.

SATURDAY MORNING, JANUARY 4, 1868.

New Orleans Money Market.

CRESCENT OFFICE, No. 94 CAMP STREET, Friday Evening, Jan. 3, 1867.

The movement in financial circles has disclosed no important alteration of any kind during the week ending this evening. The money market has been fairly supplied with capital, the banks have collected sufficient to enable them to absorb all of their depositors' A1 short paper and to keep on hand a satisfactory margin for the purchase of Exchange. The general trading community has done well in the way of settlement for past indebtedness and renewals of orders by country creditors, and a considerable amount of short paper, not bankable, has been placed out of doors at 1@1½ ⅌ cent. ⅌ month for gilt-edged with ample collaterals, and of long paper at 10@12 ⅌ cent. ⅌ annum, secured by mortgage on choice unincumbered city property.

GOLD—The variations in Gold during the week have at no time exceeded ⅛@¼ ⅌ cent., and were uniformly occasioned by the alterations of the New York market. In fact the present demand is almost exclusively restricted to the wants of parties having duties to pay, and we have been unable to designate any speculative inquiry for several weeks past. Operations to-day included only the subjoined amounts, viz: $3000 and $4000 at 132½; $2000 and $1500 at 132¾; $1000 and $1500 at 132¾, and $4000 at 133. Sales of Silver included $1350 American Silver coin at 128; 2500 Mexican dollars at 135½, and 2500 do. at 2½ ⅌ cent. premium on Gold. The ruling figures this evening were 132½@133 for Gold, 127@128 for American Silver coin, and 134½@135½ for Mexican dollars.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE—The tendency of Sterling and Francs has been in favor of drawers and holders throughout to-day. With advices of continued firmness in foreign bills at the North and a steady advance in rates of Gold, quotations of the former have been fully upheld, and in exceptional cases still higher figures have been paid. The supply has been heavy, however, and the demand was for the most part confined to an unusually limited number of buyers. We annex particulars of the actual sales as follows, viz: £4000 bill of lading sterling at 144¼, £9000 and £10,000 bill of lading and clear bills at 144½@145, £5000 bank at 145½, 70,000f. short sight Francs at 3.90f., 125,000f. bankers' 60 days' do. at 3.91½f., and 25,000f. commercial do. at 3.93 3.5f. We now quote bank Sterling at 145½@146¼, clear bills at 144@145, bill of lading bills at 143¾@144¼, bank Francs at 3.90@3.87½f., and commercial Francs at 3.95@3.92½f.

DOMESTIC EXCHANGE—The demand on the part of remitters has been of a very restricted character since our last, and the quotations of yesterday have been but barely maintained. Offerings were ample throughout, and the purchases by banks and bankers included only the appended amounts, viz: $10,000, $10,000, $15,000, $20,000, $22,000, $25,000, $30,000 and $60,000 at ⅜ ⅌ cent. discount; $20,000 at 13-16 ⅌ cent. discount; $6000, $10,000, $12,000, $25,000 and $50,000 at ¾ ⅌ cent. discount, and some trifling amounts of short sight at corresponding figures. We continue to quote ½ ⅌ cent. discount at bank and ¾@⅞ ⅌ cent. discount out of doors for sight checks on the Northern cities.

UNCURRENT NOTES AND SECURITIES—There is no improvement whatever to refer to in the movement of the latter and operations in the former are still wholly confined to sales of city and State notes. A very heavy and unlooked for advance has recently transpired in the latter, however, and most holders are now unwilling to sell at present materially enhanced prices. Some parties will let them go, however, and the following statement of the actual sales to-day will, doubtless, astound the reader, as it does us, with regard to the very heavy advance in prices, viz: $1500 small city notes at 1½ ⅌ cent. discount, $2000 do. at 2 ⅌ cent. discount, $5000 large do. at 12 ⅌ cent. discount, $10,000 do. at 12¼ ⅌ cent. discount, $2000 and $11,000 do. at 12½ ⅌ cent. discount, $10,000 do. at 13½ ⅌ cent. discount, $1000, $2000 and $5000 Louisiana State do. at 24 ⅌ cent. discount, $5000 and $30,000 do. at 24½ ⅌ cent. discount, and $5000 do. at 24½ ⅌ cent. discount. A sale of 10 shares Union Bank stock was reported late this evening at 36½.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES.—We are indebted to the Western Union Telegraph line for copies of the following private dispatches received over that route to-day, viz:

New York, Jan. 3—10 A. M.—Gold opened at 133½. 11 A. M.—Gold 133¾. Cotton—demand good, prices have advanced; middlings 16¼c.; good middlings 18c.; Mobile 17c.; Orleans 17½@17¾c. Sterling 110@110½. 3 P. M.—Gold 133½. Cotton—demand active at full prices. Sales to-day 5000 bales; quotations nominally unchanged. Sterling 110¼@110½.

Liverpool, Jan. 3, 11:15 A. M.—Cotton—demand active; prices advanced ⅛d. Uplands 7¼d., Orleans 7¾d. Sales estimates at 20,000 bales. 1:30 P. M.—Cotton—market firmer. Sales 20,000 bales; uplands 7¾d., Orleans 7¾d.

London, Jan. 3, 11:15 A. M.—Consols 191¼@191½ for money and 191¼@192 on account; 5-20s 72¼@72½. 1:30 P. M.—Consols 192; 5-20s 73½@72½.

Commercial Intelligence.

CRESCENT OFFICE, No. 94 CAMP STREET, Friday Evening, Jan. 3, 1868.

COTTON—The year 1868 has opened very auspiciously for holders of the leading staple. Operations during the three last days of 1867, which are legitimately included in this report, indicated steadily increasing firmness, but the movement of the past three days has disclosed an active demand throughout, and an advance of ⅛@¼c. ⅌ lb. upon all classifications, the greatest improvement being in the higher grades. Factors have been very slow in bringing forward lists of the better qualities since the close of our last weekly review, as most of the cotton received during the past few weeks has been leaky, discolored, and trashy. The demand has been active, firm and gradually increasing from the opening to the close of the week, and the total sales exhibit a decided increase as compared with previous reports. To-day the market has been exceedingly excited under advices of rapidly advancing prices at Liverpool and New York, and the competition was of such a character that nearly every list exposed for sale was taken before the close of business, at unusually high prices, the total sales for the day footing up 5556 bales. We annex the closing rates this evening, and for reference publish in parallel columns the ruling figures Friday evening, the 27th ult., as follows, viz:

QUOTATIONS OF COTTON.

	Dec 27.	Jan. 3.
Ordinary	12 @12½	12½@13½
Good Ordinary	13 @13½	13¾@14¼
Low Middling	— @14	14½@15¼
Middling	— @14½	15 @—
Strict Middling	— @14¾	16 @—
Good Middling	— @—	16½@—

The aggregate sales for the week were 31,611 bales, against 29,050 bales last week and 32,500 bales the week before. The net receipts footed up 25,335 bales, against 30,682 bales last week showing a decrease of 5347 bales, and 34,088 bales receipts the week before. The total exports amounted to 26,481 bales, against 27,024 bales last week and 27,765 bales the week before; and the stock on hand and on shipboard not cleared this evening is 113,355 bales against 111,159 bales last week and 102,053 bales at the close of the previous week. The heavy advance in the staple during the past week is perhaps as much due to the falling off of previous estimates of the crop of 1867 as to any other cause. The exports during the week have been divided as follows, viz: 618 bales for New York, 1157 bales for Boston, 1910 bales for Barcelona, 1883 bales for Bremen, 2563 bales for Havre and 11,410 bales for Liverpool. As the exports generally designate the action of buyers, it may be well to remark in this connection that the above are made up mostly from previous purchases, and that the principal operations during the past week have been for European continental ports.

COMPARATIVE RECEIPTS OF COTTON AT THIS PORT DURING PAST TWO WEEKS.

Dec. 28	1,646	Dec. 21	2,680
Dec. 29	1,995	Dec. 22	1,920
Dec. 30	5,314	Dec. 23	5,629
Dec. 31	7,419	Dec. 24	7,767
(Jan. 1 and 2)	4,397	Dec. 25	1,763
Jan 3	8,367	Dec. 26	3,305
		Dec. 27	11,113
	28,677		33,397
Rec'd from Mobile, Fla, and Texas ports	5,342		2,915
	25,335		30,682
Increase	5,347		
	20,682		30,682

COTTON STATEMENT.

Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1867		18,855
Received since Yesterday	8,307	
Received previously	230,553	238,860
		305,715
Exported since Yesterday	4,693	
Exported previously	187,757	192,350
Stock on hand and on shipboard this evening		113,355

TOBACCO—We have little or no variation to notice under this heading during the past week. There are, however, several orders here for foreign markets, but the supply on hand is too small to induce operators to come forward very freely. Receipts during the past week have been larger than for several weeks, but are still of a very limited character. There is also a fair demand for the city trade and for baling, and operations are confined principally for those purposes. Sales embrace only 14 hhds. in lots, at 6@7c. for lugs, and 2 hhds. of the new crop, classing as fancy wrapper, from the Kentucky purchase by R. T. Tarlan, at 30@35c. ⅌ lb. We still quote:

LIGHT.

Refused	5	@ 6½
Common Leaf	7	@ 8
Medium Leaf	9	@11
Good Leaf	12	@14
Fine Leaf	15	@16
Choice selections	17	@20

HEAVY.

Refused	5½	@ 7
Common Leaf	8	@ 9
Medium Leaf	10	@12
Good Leaf	14	@15
Fine Leaf	16	@17
Choice selections	18	@22

TOBACCO STATEMENT.

Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1867—hhds		3,199
Received since the 27th	73	
Received previously	1,513	1,586
		4,659
Exported since the 27th	59	
Exported previously	3,401	
Broken up for baling and city consumption	265	3,725
Stock on hand and on shipboard—hhds		934

SUGAR—Supplies and receipts during the past week have been barely sufficient to meet the demand, which for the medium and choice grades has been fairly active. The inquiry has been about equally divided between buyers for neighboring points and the Western markets, and prices have ruled firm with an advance of fully ¼c. ⅌ lb. The lower grades have been to a great degree neglected, although prices disclose no material alteration, but have remained steady throughout. Sales were made early in the week at 11@11¼c. for fair, but the market closes to-day firm at 11½@11¾c. for low fair. Operations for the week embrace ——— hhds., and we now quote the market firm at the following rates:

Inferior	6¾@ 7¾c. ⅌ lb.	Fully Fair	12½@13 c. ⅌ lb.
Common	8½@ 8¾c. "	Prime	13 @13½c. "
Good Com	9 @ 9½c. "	Choice	13¾@14 c. "
Fair	11½@11¾c. "	Ye low clar'd	14¼@14½c. "
Good Fair	12 @12½c. "	White "	14¾@15 c. "

The week's receipts embrace 2127 hhds., and the exports 180 hhds.

MOLASSES—Has been in active demand during the week under review. Receipts, however, owing probably to the fact that the holidays are generally observed by all plantation hands, have been of rather a limited character, but prices disclose no variation of any kind. Sales for the week embrace 4090 bbls., and the market closes firm as follows: 40@45c. for inferior, 30@35c. for common, 60@62½c. for fair, 65@67½c. for fermenting, 68@77c. for prime and strictly do., and 81c. ⅌ gallon for choice. The week's receipts embrace 4029 bbls., and the exports 822 bbls. Imported, 166 hhds., 38 tierces and 23 bbls.

WESTERN PRODUCE—The general markets during the past week have ruled dull and heavy. Merchants have, however, seemed but little disposed to enter into any new business, but were generally busy in making out their annual statements and accounts and settling up old business, and in most instances the past calendar year has not proven as profitable as could have been wished, but notwithstanding, our merchants, nothing daunted, are looking forward with considerable confidence, believing the coming year cannot be less remunerative than the one just passed. Receipts of all kinds, owing to the renewal of navigation on the upper rivers, show a heavy increase over the past three or four weeks. In our remarks we must omit flour as receipts have been, when the rivers were at the lowest point much heavier. The flour market has ruled decidedly dull and heavy during the entire week now under review; as it was the closing week of the year, and is yet too soon for merchants to again get under full headway, but little business was anticipated. There are, however, several orders for shipment, but at lower figures than holders seemed willing at first to accept, although as the week advanced, they were more disposed to meet the market, and sales were made at materially reduced figures. The demand by the trade has been of an extremely limited character, as dealers generally have been well supplied and confidently expecting lower prices and heavier receipts, have purchased cautiously. Corn opened with a market entirely bare of supplies on the landing. The demand however was of an extremely limited character and prices barely sustained. There is quite a heavy demand for export, at 95c.@$1 ⅌ bushel, and were receipts of any magnitude and prices within the views of buyers, a heavy trade would be done in this line. As the week closed arrivals from the West became more lively, and holders, in order to realize, were forced to a decline of 10@12c. ⅌ bushel, the market closing with a moderate inquiry for shipment, at 95c.@$1 ⅌ bushel for all grades. Oats have ruled dull and heavy throughout the entire week. Receipts during the past two or three days have been quite liberal, and with no improvement whatever in the demand, prices declined 10c. ⅌ bushel on the opening rates. In Bran only a limited jobbing trade has been done, but prices steady throughout. Hay has ruled dull and prices declined $2@3 ⅌ ton.

PROVISIONS—The market for all articles comprised under this heading has been very dull; transactions have been principally in a retail way and prices unsettled and declining throughout. Receipts of mess pork have been considerably heavier than for some time previous, and prices, owing to the extremely limited demand and low rates at other markets, have declined fully $2 ⅌ bbl. Heavy old mess sells at higher rates than the new packing lately received, and is in more request. Smoked meats of all descriptions have ruled dull and heavy with a decline for the week of fully 1c. ⅌ lb., the market closing very inactive and with a further downward tendency. Lard has ruled dull and heavy. There have been receipts of several small lots of tierce, which have been freely offered but without success, except at materially reduced rates, and we notice a decline for the week of fully 1c. ⅌ lb. Bulk meats have been in moderate jobbing demand, but prices declined from ⅛@¼c. ⅌ lb.

FLOUR—Sales for the week embrace 8425 bbls., of which 1410 at auction, of all grades, at $13 70@$14 15 for fine to choice, 338 fine, at private sale, at $6 75@8 25, 755 superfine at $9 50, 9 37½@9 25, 570 single extra at $9 75@9 50, 2455 double extra at $10@9 50, 3000 treble and choice at $10 50@12 50 for low treble, and $13@13 15 for choice, although some very favorite brands have sold as high as $14 50@15 ⅌ bbl. To-day operations were confined principally to the sale of damaged at auction and the only transactions we learned of at private sale were 750 bbls., of which 300 and 75 treble extra at $11 75, 100 do. at $10 50, 75 do. at $11 25, 100 choice at $14 25 and 100 do. at $14 75 ⅌ bbl. The week's receipts comprise 12 171 bbls. and the exports 1659 bbls.

CORN—Sales reported during the week embrace 19,900 sacks, at $1 10, $1 07½, $1 05, $1@95c. ⅌ bushel. To-day we noticed a very active demand for export, but at reduced figures, and sales were made of 12,000 sacks, in lots, at 95c.@$1 ⅌ bushel, and some few lots in poor order, at 92½c. ⅌ bushel. The week's receipts comprise 33,929 sacks, and the exports 674 sacks.

OATS—Sales for the week embrace 5000 sacks, at 85, 80, 75 and 73c. ⅌ bushel. To-day there was quite an active demand, but at low prices, and sales were made of 2500 and 1000 sacks at 73c., 400 at 75c., and 200 at 74c. ⅌ bushel. The week's receipts comprise 8206 sacks, and the exports 310 sacks.

BRAN—The only sales reported embrace only 800 sacks at $2@1 95. To-day we learned of sales of only 100 sacks at $1 95 ⅌ 100 lbs. The week's receipts comprise 586 sacks, and the exports none.

HAY—Sales reported embrace only 475 bales at $25 for Western prairie, $27@29 for choice Ohio river. To-day there were sales of 60 bales prime Western at $29, 64 do. at $28 56, and 100 do. at $28 ⅌ ton. The week's receipts comprise 1624 bales, and the exports 50 bales.

PORK—Sales reported during the week embrace 500 bbls., at $22 50@22 ⅌ bbl. for old. To-day offerings were few, but with no buyers, and prices still unsettled. We quote nominally new mess at $21 50, and old at $22 ⅌ bbl. for lots, and jobbing at $23@23 50 ⅌ bbl.

BACON—Sales reported comprise 124 casks shoulders at 9@9¾c., and 40 tierces hams at 15@18c. ⅌ lb. To-day only a limited jobbing trade was done at 9½@10c. for shoulders, 12½@13c. for clear rib sides, 14@14½c. for clear sides, and 12@12½c. ⅌ lb. for hams. Bulk meats are dull at 8½@8¾c. ⅌ lb. for shoulders. The week's receipts comprised 395 casks and 657 tierces, and the exports 50 casks and 20 tierces.

LARD—Sales for the week embrace 700 tierces at 14@13c., and 200 kegs at 13½@14½c. ⅌ lb. To-day the only sales reported were 30 and 80 tierces at 13c. ⅌ lb., and we now quote tierces at 13c. and kegs at 13½@14c. ⅌ lb. The week's receipts comprise 1477 tierces and 1207 kegs, and the exports 260 kegs.

WHISKY—Western is in good supply but dull, at 37@45c. ⅌ gallon in bond, according to proof. The stock of Louisiana is light, with a fair demand. It is quoted in bond at 35@40c., according to proof.

RICE—Louisiana is plenty, and selling at 5@10½c. for common to choice. Carolina is selling at 10@—c. India nominal at 9c.

COFFEE—Quiet, and prices firm at 14½@17c., gold, for common to choice, and 19@23c. in currency.

BEANS—No demand. Northern are selling at $12@13 ⅌ bbl., and Western $10@12; market overstocked and dull.

POTATOES—Are plenty and in fair demand. We quote St. Louis at $4; Michigan at $4 50, and choice Northern at $4 50@5 ⅌ bbl. Western plenty at $2 50@3 25. Sales 80 bbls. choice Michigan at $5.

APPLES—The market is overstocked. Selling at $2@6 ⅌ bbl. for choice, owing to the heavy arrivals.

ONIONS—None in the market.

DRIED FRUIT—New apples are selling at 6@7c. ⅌ lb. Peaches—market overstocked and selling at 8@9c. ⅌ lb. for new.

MALAGA FRUIT—Is in good retail demand. The stock of Lemons is ample, while that of Raisins is good. We quote Grapes $5 ⅌ keg, Lemons $6 ⅌ box, Raisins $4 15 for whole boxes, $2 20 for half boxes, and $1 20 for quarter boxes. Figs 21@22c., and Citron 34@35c. ⅌ lb.

VINEGAR—Is quiet and selling at 25c. for cider, and 27@28c. for Cincinnati Grape.

BEEF TONGUES—Dull at $9@9 50 ⅌ dozen.

DRIED BEEF—Fair supply and dull at 17c. ⅌ lb.

PIGS FEET—Market overstocked, but dull at $2@$2 50.

BREAKFAST BACON—In fair demand at 16@17c.

SPARE RIBS—$10@$12.

PIG TONGUES—7@8c. ⅌ piece.

MESS BEEF—Half bbls. $12 50@$13, bbls. $22@$22 50.

BUTTER—Market is overstocked with the grades of inferior and good, while choice is in light supply. Prices are irregular, and we now quote common Western at 12½@13c.; fair do. at 18@24c., and choice do. 30@35c. ⅌ lb.; Northern at 40@45, and choice do. at 48@50c. ⅌ lb.

CHEESE—In both Factory and Western Reserve the stock is heavy and in light demand with prices easier. We now quote Western Reserve and choice Factory at 12@15c. ⅌ lb., common Factory at 10@12c. ⅌ lb., Western English Dairy 15@16c., Northern English Dairy 14@15c.; 18c. ⅌ lb for Cream. 96 boxes Cheese Western Reserve at 14c.

SALT—The demand is fair, and owing to light supplies and the limited amount on the way to this port, prices exhibit considerable improvement. We now quote fine from store at $2 75@3, coarse at $2 50@2 55, and from warehouse fine at $2 50 and coarse at $2 40. Cargoes are held at $2 25 and upwards, according to the amount of fine in cargo. There are only small lots of Turk's Island offering at $2@2 25 ⅌ bag. One cargo, thin fine 6918 bags sold at $2 18¾ cast afloat. One cargo now afloat half fine held at $2 20.

TALLOW—The supply is light with fair local demand at 10½ ⅌ lb. for city rendered and 11½@12c. for country.

LINSEED OIL—Is in light supply, but the demand limited, and prices are easier. We quote $1 25@1 30 ⅌ gallon.

CORN MEAL—Is in fair supply and dull at $5 25 ⅌ bbl. for choice kiln dried for lots.

FEATHERS—The supply is moderate and demand increased, prices firm at 80@90c. for Western.

LARD OIL—The market is better supplied with winter strained and in good demand, and we now quote $1 05@$1 10 ⅌ gallon for summer and $1 20@$1 25 for winter strained.

COAL OIL—Cases are in moderate supply and request at 67@70c. ⅌ gallon according to brand. The receipts of coal oil in barrels is more liberal and with a light demand, prices declined. We now quote 52@60c. ⅌ gallon for straw colored and 57@60c. for prime white.

COTTON SEED OIL—Is in fair supply but with only a moderate demand at 95c. for refined and 70c. ⅌ gallon for crude.

COTTON SEED—Heavy supply with moderate demand at $14 ⅌ ton.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Is in fair supply with light demand. We quote lots at 46@—c. and jobbing at 48c. ⅌ gallon.

ROSIN—Stock on hand is heavy, but there have been no sales, owing to the high rate of freights. We now quote No. 1 at $3 50@3 75, No. 2 at $3@$3 12½ and No. 3 at $2 75 ⅌ bbl.

PITCH—The market is bare of this article, while it continues to be in fair demand. We quote at $5 for Southern and $7 for Carolina.

TAR—The supply is heavy, but the demand is light, owing to higher rates of freight. We quote ½ bbls. at $2 50@3, bbls. $4, according to size.

CHARCOAL—Sales 1500 bbls. at 25c. ⅌ bbl.

INDIA BAGGING—Market dull. Jobbing rates 22@23c. Kentucky is dull at 22c. ⅌ yard.

GUNNY BAGS—There is a moderate stock on hand, with a fair demand, and prices ruling from 22@22½c.

BALE ROPE—The supply is fair for the demand, which is light. We quote 9@9½c. ⅌ lb.

IRON TIES—Demand moderate at 8@8½c. ⅌ lb.

HOOP POLES—Are in fair supply and very dull at $20 ⅌ 1000 for barrels, and $60@70 ⅌ 1000 for hogsheads.

LIME—Thomaston and Rockland are in light supply with a fair demand, and prices are firm at $2 75 ⅌ barrel for small lots; by cargo $2 30@—. Cape Lime, full size barrels, is selling at $2 70; small barrels at $1 50@1 75 ⅌ bbl.

EGGS—Scarce at 45@50c. ⅌ doz. in boxes and $40 ⅌ bbl.

WOOL—The stock small and demand fair. Bury 9@14c., native 15@17c., Texas 16@20c., washed 23@27c.

STAR CANDLES—Are in moderate demand, but prices exhibit a downward tendency. We quote 18@18½c. for 12 oz., 14 oz. at 21½c., and full weight 24c.

CHEMICALS—The market is well supplied, and shipments from foreign ports are liberal. We quote Soda Ash 3½c. for 48 per cent., 4 for 50 per cent. Caustic Soda 8½ for 61 per cent. Bi-Carb. Soda 6½@6¾, and Sal Soda 3½c. ⅌ lb.

HIDES—The stock on hand is moderate and the market very dull and irregular. Prices are so unsettled that we are unable to give other than approximating quotations, viz: Green salted nominal at 8@—c. ⅌ lb.; dry country, 14@15 ⅌ lb.; Mexican, 16@17c.; Texas stretched, 15@16c.; deer skins, 25@30c. ⅌ lb.; Indian dressed do., $1 25@1 50.

FREIGHTS—Remain quiet, but owing to a better inquiry, especially for foreign ports, rates are firmer, and in some instances higher prices paid. We now quote by steam for New York ⅝c. for cotton and $6 ⅌ hhd. for sugar; molasses $2 50 ⅌ bbl. By steam for Boston, 1c. for cotton. By sail for New York and Boston, ¾c. for cotton, 60c. ⅌ bbl. for flour, and $7 ⅌ hhd. for tobacco. By steam for Liverpool, 1d. ⅌ lb. for cotton. By sail 9-16@⅝d. ⅌ lb. for cotton and 42s. 6d. ⅌ hhd. for tobacco, and by sail to Havre 13-16@1¼c.

WEEKLY COFFEE STATEMENT.—The following statement of our Coffee market, for the week ending this evening, is from the circular of Mr. H. T. Lonsdale, coffee broker, viz:

Imports from Rio de Janeiro, from 1st July 1866, to 30th June, 1867, 81,013 bags; same period previous year, 44,055 bags; increase in 1866-67, 36,958 bags. Arrivals this week, none. Imports from 1st July last, to date, 63,044 bags. Sales during past week: Ex-Ella S. Thayer, 780 bags, at 16¼@16½c.; ex-Mary E. Rich, 461 bags, at 11½@11¾c. in bond; ex-Rosalie, 118 bags, at 15½@16c.; ex-Charles Henry, 75 bags, at 16½c. Total, 1434 bags. Stock made up as follows: J. L. Phipps & Co., 10 567 bags; Elliott & McKeever, 4344 bags; G. Westfeldt, 3504 bags; Chaffraix & Agar, 4000 bags; Rodocanachi & Franghiadi, 5854 bags; Silkenstadt & Co., 2800 bags; E. Stockmeyer, 1500 bags. Total, 30,569 bags. Gold quotation this day, 132¾. Market: Prime to choice, 16½@17c., gold duty paid; fair to good fair, 15½@16c., gold duty paid; common, 14c., gold duty paid.

Cattle Market.

CITY OF JEFFERSON, Jan. 4, 1868.

Arrived during the past week—1425 Texas Beeves, 693 Calves and Yearlings, 779 Hogs, 1503 Sheep, and 34 Milch Cows. Sold—1535 Texas Beeves, 1168 Calves and Yearlings, 354 Hogs, 1484 Sheep and 9 Milch Cows. Stock on sale—905 Texas and 37 Western Beeves, 301 Calves and Yearlings, 715 Hogs, 1399 Sheep and 72 Milch Cows. We quote:

Western Beeves, choice, ⅌ lb net	— —@— —	
Western Beeves, 2d quality, ⅌ lb net	— —@— —	
Texas Beeves, 1st quality, ⅌ head	— —@ 45 00	
Texas Cattle, 2d quality, ⅌ head	25 00@ 35 00	
Texas Cattle, 3d quality, ⅌ head	10 00@ 20 00	
Hogs ⅌ lb gross	— 8@— 10	
Stock Hogs, ⅌ lb gross	— —@— —	
Sheep, first quality, ⅌ head	4 00@ 6 00	
Sheep, second quality, ⅌ head	2 50@ 3 00	
Sheep, third quality, ⅌ head	1 50@ 2 00	
Milch Cows, choice, ⅌ head	— —@100 00	
Milch Cows, first quality, ⅌ head	80 00@125 00	
Texas Cows with Calves	— —@ 50 00	
Yearlings, ⅌ head	7 00@ 12 00	
Calves, ⅌ head	5 00@ 12 00	
Goats ⅌ head	1 50@ 4 00	

River Intelligence.

CRESCENT OFFICE NO. 94 CAMP STREET, Saturday Morning, Jan. 4, 1868.

The weather yesterday continued bright, but very warm and unseasonable, the heat ranging up to about 75 degrees in the shade.

Business on the landing was moderately active yesterday, as many steamers were unburthening themselves of the freight brought down, but we could not discern any improvement in shipments. Freights remain very dull to all points, but we hope that there will be some improvement to-day. There are a large number of boats advertised to leave this afternoon, and we presume if the weather proves favorable the levee will be crowded to witness their departure.

THE TOW BOAT SHARK COMING.—From a dispatch received by Capt. Burdean we learn that the tow boat Shark, with five barges, together with the grain elevator, passed Vicksburg yesterday morning, and will arrive to-morrow. Among the articles embraced in the cargo is 28,000 bushels of corn, in bulk. We learn that the tow boat Mohawk, of the same line, will also be here in a few days. She has 88,000 bushels of corn, in bulk, besides a large amount of other Western produce.

The arrivals were not numerous, yesterday. The Magenta, Enterprise, Lizzie Tate and Victory were the only boats that made their appearance. The J. M. Sharp, Nina Simmes, Alaska, Mary McDonald, St. Charles and Wm. Butler left in the course of the day for their various destinations.

Many boats passed Cairo and Memphis during the week, and are due. The telegraph arrangements are so badly managed at Vicksburg that steamers generally arrive in port before we have any intimation of their having passed that point.

The steamer H. A. Homeyer will be found at the landing this morning, receiving for the Ouachita, and leaves positively at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

The steamers Richmond and Gov. Allen are expected to arrive to-day.

By dispatch to G. L. Kouns & Bro., from Louisville, we learn that the new side-wheel low water steamer Era No. 8, left Louisville yesterday, and will arrive in about a week, ready to take her place in the Kouns Line on Red River. This is the first boat the Kouns Bros. have built since the days of the old Era Line before the war.

The steamer Walter B. Dance came to the lower landing yesterday, having been put in tip top repair. Capt. R. S. Livingston and Mr. W. B. Clarke, two gentlemen well known in this city, and also along the Ouachita river, have chartered this splendid steamer, and will run her during the season in the New Orleans and Camden trade. The Dance is well adapted for the trade, having large storage room, with an excellent cabin which is furnished with all the modern improvements and comforts which would please the most fastidious. The Dance is now receiving and will leave this evening for all points up to Camden. We wish Capt. Livingston and Mr. Clarke a successful season.

THE ST. MARYS.—This fine and new steamer arrived here a few days since in command of Capt. A. J. Dye, and is at present having her guards strengthened for the purpose of carrying cotton. The St. Mary is a new and splendid passenger packet, and Capt. Dye intends putting her in the Ouachita river trade. Her repairs will be finished in a day or two, and she will leave here on her first trip to Camden next Wednesday or Thursday. Mr. Morris Dorsey will preside over the office of the St. Marys.

LOUISVILLE FOR LOUISVILLE.—At 5 P. M. to-day this superior and fast passenger packet, one of the finest steamers afloat, takes her leave of us, going to above and way points, in charge of the popular Capt. M. B. Piersell, with that old river favorite, Mr. H. C. Bruce, in the office. The Louisville connects at Cairo with the Illinois Central Railroad; at Louisville with steamers for all points on the Ohio river, and takes freight for all coast and bend landings.

VICKSBURG FOR MEMPHIS AND THE BENDS.—The large, elegant passenger packet Vicksburg, Capt. John Brooks, commander, and Mr. Pres. Work in the office, leaves at 5 o'clock this evening for all landings up to Memphis. The passenger accommodations of the Vicksburg are equal to any and surpassed by none in the trade, and her urbane and efficient officers spare no pains or expense in administering to the welfare and comfort of their guests.

MAGENTA—*United States Mail and Passenger Packet for Vicksburg To Day.*—The large, fleet, staunch, and most magnificent passenger packet Magenta, Capt. T. P. Leathers, commander, is the regular steamer for Vicksburg to-day. The Magenta is under the charge of the most worthy, reliable and experienced officers. Messrs. Samuel Ayles and Ed. Shaw are the clerks of the Magenta. The Magenta leaves to the minute, 5 o'clock this evening. The Magenta will connect with regular packets, and will take freight for all landings on the Yazoo up to Greenwood.

WALTER B. DANCE FOR CAMDEN.—The large, elegant passenger packet Walter B. Dance, Capt. R. S. Livingston, commander, and Mr. Wm. B. Clarke in the office, leaves at 5 o'clock this evening for all landings up to Camden.

H. A. HOMEYER FOR OUACHITA RIVER.—The passenger packet H. A. Homeyer, Capt. E. S. Austin, commander, leaves at 5 o'clock this evening, for all landings up to Trenton. Mr. Sam. Whyte officiates in the office of this boat.

JUDGE FLETCHER FOR CAMDEN.—The comfortable passenger packet Judge Fletcher, Capt. Frank Keeling, commander, and Capt. H. L. Watts, clerk, leaves at 5 P. M. to-day for the above and way landings. Her accommodations are first class, having a neat cabin with large state-rooms and an excellent table.

IRON CITY FOR RED RIVER.—Captain John M. Gilham, will to-day, at 5 P. M., back out his neat passenger packet Iron City, for the above and way landings. The Iron City has a neat cabin, and can accommodate all of her guests with every comfort to make traveling on her a pleasure. Mr. Wm. T. Gilham is the clerk of the Iron City.

FANNY GILBERT—*Kouns Line—for Red River.* Capt. Geo. L. Kouns will back out at 5 this evening his neat and very light-draft packet Fanny Gilbert, for all landings on Red River. Mr. C. W. Drown is the efficient clerk of this steamer.

LIZZIE TATE FOR RED RIVER.—The new and complete light draft packet Lizzie Tate, C. W. Stinde, commander, and Mr. Ed. Groves, clerk, leaves at 5 P. M. for Jefferson, Shreveport and way landings. She is staunch, swift and commodious; her cabin is tastefully furnished.

WILD WAGONER FOR NATCHEZ.—This favorite, superior and fast passenger packet, leaves this evening at 5 o'clock for Natchez. She has large, airy and most elegantly furnished staterooms. Capt. E. F. Gross is in command, while the ever-obliging and attentive Messrs. John C. Libano and Jos. Holmes, officiate as clerks.

NEW ERA FOR DONALDSONVILLE.—This fast and superior passenger packet, in command of Capt. A. Dugas, with Mr. E. O. Melancon in the office, leaves for the above and all coast landings at 5 o'clock this day.

VICTORY FOR BATON ROUGE.—This fast and comfortable passenger packet, in command of Capt. A. Abrams, with the attentive Mr. George McD. Madere in the office, will leave to-day at 10 o'clock, for all coast landings up to Baton Rouge. The Victory has splendid passenger accommodations and sets a first-class table.

LAURA FOR THE WATERING PLACES.—This fine, new, low pressure passenger packet, in command of Captain Joe Walker, leaves this day from the Lake end of the Pontchartrain railroad for the above named places on the arrival of the 12 M. train of cars.

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