

The New Orleans Crescent. TUESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 14, 1898.

Editorial Paragraphs, Etc. Mrs. Kemble is to give readings...

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The English have an improved game of euhore. A cold bit—a cake of ice. Col. Downing is going to open in Washington.

Major Tom Ochiltree has arrived from the North. Victor Emmanuel is nearly broken-hearted over his broken statue at Turin.

The discreet Brock Pomeroy allows his employees to use no improper language. Mercury 31 below zero at Helena, Montana, on the 7th instant.

Italians die younger than any other European people. Edwin Booth is playing at the new Memphis Theater.

Commodore Vanderbilt is said to be worth thirty-one millions. Rumer retires Bryant from the New York Evening Post.

A sale of sheep is reported near San Antonio, Texas, at 25 cents a head. Sheridan is said to be paying attention to a young lady in Albany.

Bellows calls Bismarck a combination of Edward and Grant. Wendell Phillips has never received a dollar for his contributions to the Anti-Slavery Standard.

The Randolphs bear the names of an Illinois Democratic party. Ex-Assistant Secretary of the Navy Fox is in St. Louis.

The flowers of speech spring from the root of the tongue.—[Ex.] The bull fight is abolished by executive decree in the Mexican capital district.

Vallandigham has been lecturing in Ohio on the inspiration of the Bible. The "Red Crook Crook, or a story of the Lost Cause," is to be produced at a Nashville Theater.

The steamer H. A. Homeyer, with 900 bales of cotton, was burned at Trenton, Louisiana, on Sunday. Felix says the Cincinnati don't celebrate the anniversary of the battle of New Orleans. They are too much devoted to Pickin-ham.

It is predicted that a swimming furor will succeed that of base-ball. Friends of the latter game, however, promise to keep the ball moving.

Mr. Charles Walsh has been re-elected to the position he has long held as president of the Bank of Mobile. The Guard, in Terrebonne, doubts whether an acre of land will be planted in cotton in that parish this year.

W. C. Bryant says it is the December of life with him, and he is only trying to keep a few flowers in pots. Mobile must be one of the healthiest cities on the Continent. Last week there were only five deaths there out of a population of sixty thousand.

Commodore Nutt is about to marry Minnie Warren. His weight is twenty-five pounds; hers twenty pounds. Their combined fortunes amount to \$250,000.

Of the three negroes who tarred and feathered Aaron Hurt, the conservative freedman of Columbus, Georgia, for three years, and the other is dead. Mrs. Cobb's husband denounces Ashley as an "infamously unscrupulous slanderer," and brands him a coward for "attempting to perpetrate midnight assassination upon a soldier's character."

A Washington special says: "Among the arrivals here are Gen. Pope and Mrs. John Morrissey in the evening papers." They must have come in the Evening Post or in "walking papers."

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CHARTER. CHARTER. CHARTER. CHARTER. CHARTER. CHARTER. CHARTER. CHARTER. CHARTER. CHARTER.

Be it known, that on the 6th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, the Legislature of the United States of America the first-mentioned, before me, Edward J. Maguire, a notary public, in and for the Parish of Orleans, State of Louisiana, duly commissioned and qualified, and in the presence of the witnesses hereinafter named and under their signatures, personally appeared the parties hereto named and undersigned, who declared that, availing themselves of the provisions of the Statute of Louisiana, they had agreed to incorporate themselves and their heirs and assigns into a corporation, to be known as the...

ARTICLE I. The official name of the Corporation shall be the MISSEISSIPPI VALLEY SAVINGS COMPANY OF THE SOUTH AND WEST. The business and legal domicile of the Company or Corporation shall be in the City of New Orleans, subject to removal only by a vote of three-fourths of the Stockholders.

ARTICLE II. The object of this Company is to construct or otherwise to procure and maintain one or more steamboats, or other vessels, to run on or navigate the Mississippi River, or its tributaries, for the purpose of carrying freight, mails and passengers, and generally to exercise such incidental powers and privileges as are hereby or may hereafter be conferred on them or their successors by law for the purpose aforesaid.

ARTICLE III. The capital stock of this Corporation is hereby fixed at Five Hundred Thousand Dollars, represented by five thousand shares of the United States Dollars, Ten per cent. of each subscription shall be paid in conformity with Article XII, and the remainder shall be paid at the time and in the manner prescribed by the Board of Directors, provided that not more than ten per cent. of said subscription shall be called for any one time, and that the Board of Directors may, at any time, call for the balance of any subscription, and may also at any time increase the amount not exceeding One Million of Dollars, by a vote representing two-thirds of the capital of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars.

ARTICLE IV. Three-fourths of the stockholders in capital shall have the power to wind up and settle the business and affairs of the Company at any time during its existence, or of making any modification, amendments or changes in the articles of incorporation, or of changing the name of the Company, or of giving sixty days' previous notice in two of the newspapers published in this city.

ARTICLE V. The Board of Directors at an early day shall proceed to elect the officers of the Corporation, who shall consist of a President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, Superintendent and such other officers as they may deem necessary, the two first of which shall be from their own number.

ARTICLE VI. The term for which this Corporation is formed shall be twenty-five years.

ARTICLE VII. The regular meetings of the Stockholders of the Company shall be held annually, commencing on the third Monday of December, 1898, at which time a majority in capital shall elect a Board of Directors, who shall constitute a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, who shall form and constitute a Board of Directors for the following year, or until their successors are appointed. And until the election of Directors aforesaid, the following named persons shall constitute a Board of Directors to manage the affairs of said Company, viz: Charles Brigg, President; Thomas B. Ryan, Vice President; Charles Brigg, William S. Pike, William Greig, Alfred Norton, George A. Fiedler and William Dellavoy.

ARTICLE VIII. No Stockholder shall ever be held liable or responsible for the contracts or debts of said Company beyond the amount of his, her, or their stock in said Company, nor shall any more informally in the organization of said Company have the effect of rendering the present charter null, or of obligating a Stockholder to be liable in any way than the amount of his, her, or their stock therein.

ARTICLE IX. Should any subscriber refuse or neglect to pay promptly his, her or their installment or installments, as the same may be, and the rate of interest per cent. per annum shall be added thereon from the date of such default, and any subscriber neglecting to pay his, her or their installment within thirty days after the specified time of payment, the Board of Directors shall have the right of causing any share of shares upon which any installment may be due, to be sold at auction, or to foreclose said share or shares, or to compel by suit the payment of the installment or installments, as the Board may deem advisable.

ARTICLE X. No subscription to be binding until the sum of two hundred thousand dollars is subscribed, when the first payment of ten per cent. shall be deemed payable.

ARTICLE XI. The following named persons are Stockholders in said Company, and as such are entitled to one share of stock opposite to their names, respectively, to-wit: William A. Fiedler, Charles Brigg, J. W. Greig, Alfred Norton, George A. Fiedler, William S. Pike, D. H. DeLaney, Charles Brigg, J. W. Greig, Alfred Norton, George A. Fiedler, William S. Pike, D. H. DeLaney.

ARTICLE XII. And in conclusion, the stockholders heretofore named, in confirmation of the aforesaid stipulations, covenants and agreements, entered into and established by the present act for the purpose and to the effect aforesaid, and to give effect to the same, have hereunto subscribed their names respectively.

ARTICLE XIII. This done and passed at the City of New Orleans, in the presence of George A. Fiedler and F. McSwain, witnesses of lawful age, competent to act as witnesses, who heretofore signed their names with said parties and me, notary.

ARTICLE XIV. GEORGE CLARK, F. McSWAIN, EDWARD IVY, Notary Public. RAILROADS. NEW ORLEANS, JACKSON AND GREAT NORTHERN RAILROAD CO.

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DONTCHEA TRAIN RAILROAD. FALL AND WINTER ARRANGEMENT. On and after SEPTEMBER 17, 1897, the train on this road will leave as follows: FROM THE LAKE. 6 1/2 o'clock A. M. Horse Train. 6 1/2 o'clock A. M. Sierra route. 7 1/2 o'clock A. M. Horse Train. 7 1/2 o'clock A. M. Sierra route.

INSURANCE. GLOBE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF NEW YORK. Capital \$1,000,000. President: FLYNN FREEMAN. Vice President: LORING ANDREWS. Secretary: J. H. O. FREEMAN.

All Policies issued by this Company are Non-Fortifiable. Premiums are payable in Cash, and therefore Losses are payable in Cash, without deductions, for notes. Dividends are paid Annually, IN CASH. Rates will compare favorably with those of any other Company in the United States.

It issues Policies on all of the following plans, viz: COMMON LIFE, TEN YEAR, ENDOWMENT and JOINT LIFE. It also grants Annuities on the most favorable terms. From and after January 1st, 1898, parties desiring it can have payment of their Policies secured and guaranteed by the State of New York.

For particulars regarding rates, etc., apply to J. C. SHIPLEY, Agent, 6 Camp Street, New Orleans.

FACTORS AND TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, NEW ORLEANS. ALL DIVIDENDS IN THIS COMPANY ARE PAYABLE IN CASH. Amount of Premiums received in the first year (of eight months) of its business, ending 30th April, 1897, \$43,626.41.

Assets: Cash on hand, \$79,444.54. The Board of Trustees has resolved to declare a Dividend of Thirty per cent. on the net earned participating premiums for the year ending 31st February, 1897, for which certificates will be issued on and after the 1st day of July next.

Trustees: James Hewitt, W. A. Johnson, J. W. Burbridge, John L. Noble, Moses Greenwood, Alfred S. Huntington, Hugh McColl, Mackay J. Smith, J. Campbell, John Chaffee, L. H. Terry, James D. Blair, Samuel Friedlander.

HOME MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ORLEANS—No. 78 CAMP STREET. Fifteenth Annual Statement. Premiums for the year 1896, \$212,114.06. Losses, etc., paid during the year 1896, \$41,998.92. Assets December 31, 1896, \$90,675.35.

Trustees: J. J. Warren, Wm. Ball, Robert Fildin, Alfred H. Isaacson, Richard Milliken, Samuel E. Moore, Wm. H. Henning, Thomas M. Scott, Joseph Bloch, J. B. Jennings, R. T. Buckner, E. H. Wacker, Samuel Friedlander.

ST. LOUIS MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY. D. A. JANUARY, President. J. B. LUCAS, Vice President. W. M. BENTON, Secretary. Wm. S. BENTON, General Agent. Drs. PIM and SCOTT, Consulting Physicians.

Trustees: A. Moulton, E. K. Converse, A. H. May, R. P. Ethell, John T. Moore, Robert Hale, J. C. Rogers, Jos. E. Lambour, William M. Perkins, Joseph Hoy, J. M. Allen, J. H. Ludwigsen.

ENTERPRISE FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. HULL RISKS TAKEN. MAY 23, 1897. The Company has the honor to inform you that it has been organized in conformity with the Charter, and is now ready to receive applications for policies.

Trustees: H. H. Adams & Co., J. W. Fildin, J. C. Co. Greene, Ogleby & Co., Wm. P. Patton, John Phelps & Co., Smith, Newman & Co., United States, per Vicksburg, Pacific & Co., 30,000 Tennessee & Mortgage, being first-class unincumbered Real Estate, with double amount loaned, \$7,514.00. Debts otherwise secured, \$2,509.20. Total Assets, \$11,023.20.

CRESCENT MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY. MAY 23, 1897. The Board of Directors has declared a dividend of fifteen dollars per share to the Stockholders; said dividend to be placed to the credit of unpaid stock account. They have further resolved to pay six per cent. interest on the outstanding certificates of Scrip to the holders thereof, on and after the 31st day of May, 1897.

Trustees: J. M. Clawroop, Secretary. The Company has the honor to inform you that it has been organized in conformity with the Charter, and is now ready to receive applications for policies.

NATIONAL MARINE AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. Office—Corner Camp and Common Streets. WM. WHANN, President. LOUIS SCHNEIDER, Vice President. E. K. GARDNER, Secretary.

Trustees: R. G. Emley, A. M. Yandell, D. C. McCann, R. W. Cochran, J. F. R. Grace, Louis Schneider, Wm. Whann, J. M. Laguerre, R. W. Cochran, Geo. W. Fouch, J. F. R. Grace.

LONDON AND LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. Capital \$5,000,000 in Gold. GOLD AND STERLING POLICIES ISSUED. R. G. MUSGROVE, General Agent. OFFICE—No. 5 CALONDEL STREET.

Trustees: John Phelps, C. T. Belding, James S. Newman, L. P. Ogleby, John W. Ball, F. H. O'Leary, Wm. H. Richards, A. G. Oler, J. Norman Jackson, Thomas Adams, P. Sims.

INSURANCE. LOUISIANA MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THIRTEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT. In conformity with the requirements of their Charter the Company publish the following statement:

Total Premiums for the year ending 30th Feb. 1897, \$38,139.13. Net Unearned Premiums, \$74,483.13. Losses Paid, \$140,333.50. Marine Losses, \$131,859.20. River Losses, \$8,474.30.

Trustees: Charles Brigg, Geo. A. Carriere, Geo. A. Fiedler, M. S. Fugler, Charles Lottin, John S. Mansell, P. Anderson, Alfred Kearny, A. Fiedler, Geo. W. Dunbar, E. F. Stockmeyer, Geo. W. Hyman, Arch'd Vosger, Harvey J. Yoss, E. Marquess.

Trustees: A. R. Montgomery, Cha. W. Adams, A. Lecour, Frank Williams, Thomas Ryan, John Thornhill, W. A. Violett, D. Fliegdo, Hugh W. McDonald, Harlow J. Flagg, Wm. M. Pinckard, Henry H. Bryan, John S. Wallis, J. B. Eilers, George Foster, Andrew Stewart, L. B. Pothier.

UNION INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ORLEANS. THIRTEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE UNION INSURANCE COMPANY. PUBLISHED AS REQUIRED BY LAW AND THEIR CHARTER.

Amount of Premiums received during the year ending April 30, 1897, \$11,141.07. Premiums on fire risk, \$11,141.07. Premiums on marine risk, \$0.00. Unearned marine risk, April 30, 1897, \$0.00.

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STATE OF LOUISIANA. PARISH OF ORLEANS, CITY OF NEW ORLEANS. Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 14th day of July, 1897, PAUL W. COLLENS, Third Justice of the Peace.

Trustees: J. M. Clawroop, Secretary. The Company has the honor to inform you that it has been organized in conformity with the Charter, and is now ready to receive applications for policies.

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INSURANCE. CITIZENS MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY. Office—No. 3 Canal Street. Amount of Premiums for the year 1896, \$30,512.25. Amount of Assets of the Company, \$34,715.25.

The Board of Trustees has resolved to pay six per cent. interest on the outstanding certificates of Scrip on the 31st day of February next, and have further declared a scrip dividend of Twenty-Five per cent. on all outstanding Scrip.

Trustees: J. Lorber, J. G. Gaudin, J. B. Jones, F. G. Harrier, A. M. Hiltner, J. Lemora, L. G. Gaudin, A. H. O'Leary, J. M. Hiltner, A. Verhulst, Th. Bloch, C. Gaudin, H. Y. Castaneda, Secretary.

ATLANTIC INSURANCE COMPANY. NEW ORLEANS. Office—No. 19 Camp Street. FIRST ANNUAL STATEMENT. In conformity with the requirements of their Charter, the Company publish the following statement:

Amount of Premiums for the year ending July 31, 1897, \$127,829.27. Net Unearned Premiums, \$127,829.27. Losses Paid, \$127,829.27.

Trustees: H. P. Javvier, Secretary. Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 14th day of July, 1897, PAUL W. COLLENS, Third Justice of the Peace.

Trustees: George W. Mansson, T. H. Simmons, W. H. H. Wilberell, P. Frohman, E. L. M. M. Alexander Marks, W. H. Greene, John H. Keop, N. H. Thomas, E. H. Rigney, H. H. Stanhook, James Hyman, J. M. Sartin, E. Newman, C. F. Engleton, A. D. Grief, C. E. Grayson, J. E. Rigney, A. D. Grief, Vice President, H. P. Javvier, Secretary.

MERCHANTS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THIRTEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT. In conformity with the requirements of their Charter, the Company publish the following statement:

Premiums received during the year ending 31st May, 1897, including unearned premiums of the previous year: On Fire Risk, \$20,389.00. On Marine Risk, \$37,251.25. Total Premiums, \$57,640.25.

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