The New Orleans Crescent.

SATURDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 1, 1868.

Personal Items.

Carl Schurz is in Germany.

Two months after Dana had purchased Tammany Hall he was offered $70,000 for his bargain by Commodore Vanderbilt.

Charles A. Pitkin, a prominent real estate agent in Cleveland, has been arrested for forgery to the amount of $5000. Financial embarrassments drove him to commit the crime.

Commodore Vanderbilt, king of the New York Central railroad, has issed a no-pass order. This good story is told of him: A dominie of New York called at his office and asked for a pass. "We don't issue any," said the commodore. "But, Mr. V., you know me so well that you should make an exception in my case." "Yes," said Vanderbilt, "I make an exception in every case."

The science of puffing is becoming fone of universal acquirement. C. S. Leonhardt, of Konigsberg, has just sent a case of his aromatic cheese to the second chamber, with a petition, namely: That the House will subject his cheese to an examination, and then declare its opinion, whether his cheese is not able to compete with all other cheeses in the world. The absurdity of the thing is, that the forms of the House require that a member should be appointed to report on this as on every other petition. There is probably not a newspaper in Germany in which Mr. Leonhardt's cheese will not be mentioned, and the advertisement will be a gratuitous one.

The late Edward Wm. Johnston, brother of Gen. Joseph E. Johnston, was literary reviewer of the old National Intelligencer, under Gales and Seaton, when they were warm political and personal friends of Daniel Webster. They went to Saratoga one summer, leaving Johnston in charge, but requesting him to avoid politics. They had not been gone more than a week before Johnston wrote and printed a three-column leader to show that Webster was the greatest humbug of his time. The article brought Gales and Seaton to Washington, a great excitement, and caused a vacancy in the position of literary reviewer.

The Athenian Jenkinses are growing enthusiastic over the young king of Greece's mustache.

Walter Brown, the oarsman, is having a paper boat built at Troy, New York.

William B. Astor's real estate is said to increase about $2,000,000 to $3,000,000 a year by the natural advance.

The New York Sportsmen's Club threatened to prosecute Delmonico for violating the game laws by recently serving up brook trout out of season, at his celebrated restaurant, but upon his promising not to do so any more they let him off.

Louis Napoleon looks as little like an emperor as a Chatham street old clothes dealer, whom indeed he closely resembles. It is said that a young American in Paris, when he first saw Louis, said to his friend, "That's the fellow I spouted my watch with last week."

Dickens, it is reported, has sent one thousand dollars to Mrs. Clemm, mother-in-law of Edgar A. Poe, who is an inmate of a charitable institution at Baltimore, and for years has been in extremely indigent circumstances.

Senator Saulsbury is now at his home at Georgetown, Delaware. He does not propose to take his seat in the Senate again during his term of office, and the Republican papers in Delaware are calling upon him to resign.

Mrs. Deborah Cass Silliman died recently in Santa Cruz county, California, in her 86th year. She was a sister of Gen. Lewis Cass, and widow of Hon. Willis Silliman, late of Canesville, who was the publisher of the first newspaper started in Marietta, November 30, 1801.

A boy of sixteen, son of Dr. T. C. Sachse, in Chicago, robbed his mother of one hundred and sixty dollars in money, and one thousand dollars' worth of jewelry, a few nights ago. Dr. Sachse was absent in New York, and the promising youth broke a window pane, and "fixed things" about in the style, as he supposed, a burglar would have done his work. The officers were not deceived, however, and the boy was caught with part of the plunder at the railroad depot, when about to leave town.

Fifteen dukes and counts serve as privates in the papal army.

Major Davis, of Massachusetts, formerly of Gen. Butler's staff, committed suicide at Hong Kong, China, November 24, 1867, by shooting himself in the head. Cause, pecuniary embarrassment.

The new president of Liberia was inaugurated on the 6th of January, 1868. His name is James S. Payne, and he was born within four miles of Lexington, Kentucky, at the place now owned by Mr. Wm. Bradley. Payne's father was the slave of the late Edward Payne, of Fayette county, in that State.

Gen. George A. Custer and Lieut. Cook have just been discharged, after a protracted examination, at Leavenworth, Kansas. They were arrested on the charge of murdering William Johnson, a private in Custer's regiment, on the plains, last summer. It appears that several men deserted from camp one morning, and were pursued by Cook and others, with orders, as was said, to shoot them. When overtaken, two or three of the deserters were wounded, Johnson fatally. There was a conflict of evidence as to the circumstances of the shooting, but the court held it was justifiable.

A correspondent of the Springfield (Mass.) Republican partly confirms the LaCrosse Democrat's story about a woman becoming a man. The writer says:

"The article is true, with one important qualification—that is, she or he had no child by Mr. Powell, and they separated by mutual consent. Afterwards an operation was performed by a physician for malformation, and he became perfectly developed—the supposed woman became a man. My employer has been well acquainted with both parties for the last twelve years, as he resided in their neighborhood previous to coming East, two years ago. The little addition of the child by the first marriage made the story incredible; but aside from that it is strictly true and entitled to belief."

The most exciting news of the day is that Charles Francis Adams is to succeed McCulloch in the treasury department. This change, of course involves the immediate removal of Rollins. Gen. McClellan is to take the place of Mr. Adams as minister to England.

Wesley Munger, an old and prominent physician of Chicago, died at Nashville recently, worth nearly a million of dollars.

Theodore Tilton says that during the recent reprimand of Fernando Wood by the speaker of the House of Representatives, Mr. Wood looked and Mr. Colfax acted like a clergyman. A deaf man, not hearing the speaker's charge, but only observing the scene, would have supposed that the gentleman of the white mustache, standing at the bar of the House, was a candidate for a bishopric; and that the high-perched dignitary who held the book in his hand, was performing the ordination. During the whole exercise, Mr. Wood seemed like one of those old-fashioned deacons who rise and stand during prayer. And when Mr. Colfax said, "You may take your seat," he uttered the words as if they were an amen.

Adams, the leader of the Jaffa colony, gives his version of the history of that enterprise in a letter published in a Philadelphia paper. He denies that there is or has been any suffering among the colonists who remain in Palestine; says that those who have returned to America and told hard stories about the colony were too lazy to gather their crops; that every thing is lovely and prosperous with the colonists now, the man and their teams having all the work they can do at good pay; that they number forty-five, and are expecting recruits from England; that a fine macadamized road, 100 feet wide, is now being finished from Jerusalem to Jaffa.

Sir Cullen Eardly, bart., who married a wife in New York, in 1859, and another in London, in 1867, has been sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment at hard labor for bigamy by the court of queen's bench.

Marquez, one of Maximilian's generals, upon whose head the Liberalist Mexicans have set such a price, has turned up in Havana.

James Mott, of Philadelphia, husband of Lucretia Mott, died in Brooklyn on Sunday, aged 80.

WHY MR. ASTOR LEFT FITZ-GREENE HALLECK ONLY $200 A YEAR.—It is well known that when John Jacob Astor, the richest man in this city died, he bequeathed in his will to Fitz-Greene Halleck, the poet, who for a great many years had been his intimate associate, friend and confidential clerk, only the pitiful sum of two hundred dollars a year. This has often been remarked upon as an act of great meanness on the part of Mr. Astor; but we now have an explanation of it by our popular contributor, Mr. Fred. S. Cozzens, who says: "I asked Mr. Embury one day, why it was that John Jacob Astor had left Halleck, his faithful clerk, only the trifling sum of two hundred dollars a year. 'I think I can explain that,' he said: 'Halleck often used to joke Mr. Astor about his accumulating income, and perhaps rather rashly said, "Mr. Astor, of what use is all this money to you? I would be content to live on a couple of hundreds a year for the rest of my life, if I was only sure of it." The old man remembered that,' said Mr. Embery, 'and with a bitter satire, reminded Halleck of it in his will.'" [N. Y. Leader.

Christian faith is like a vast cathedral with divinely pictured windows. Standing without, you see no glory, nor can possibly imagine any. Standing within, every ray of light reveals a harmony of unspeakable splendors.—[Hawthorne.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

——Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for Children Teething, greatly facilitates the process of teething by softening the gums, reducing all inflamation—will allay all Pain and spasmodic action, and is sure to regulate the bowels. Depend upon it, Mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and relief and health to your infants. We have put up and sold this article for years, and can say in confidence and truth of it what we have never been able to say of any other medicine—Never has it failed in a single instance to effect a Cure, when timely used. Never did we know an instance of dissatisfaction by any one who used it. On the contrary, all are delighted with its operation, and speak in terms of commendation of its magical effects and medical virtues. We speak in this matter "What we do know," after years of experience, and pledge our reputation for the fulfiment of what we here declare. In almost every instance where the infant is suffering from pain and exhaustion, relief will be found in fifteen or twenty minutes after the syrup is administered.

Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. Be sure and call for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, having the fac simile of "Curtis & Perkins," on the outside wrapper. All others are base imitations.

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CHARTER.

CHARTER.....CHARTER.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, PARISH OF ORLEANS,
CITY OF NEW ORLEANS:

Be it Known, That on the sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, and of the Independence of the United States of America the ninety-second, before me, Edward Ivy, 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 undersigned, personally came and appeared, the parties hereinafter named and undersigned, who declared that, availing themselves of the provisions of the statutes of Louisiana relative to the organization of corporations, they do by these presents form themselves into and constitute a corporation for the following specified objects, and under the following stipulations, to wit:

ARTICLE I.

The official name of the Corporation shall be the MISSISSIPPI VALLEY NAVIGATION COMPANY OF THE SOUTH AND WEST, and it shall have a corporate seal, with the name of the Company thereon.

ARTICLE II.

The business and legal domicil 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 III.

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 the purpose aforesaid.

ARTICLE IV.

The President of the Company thus formed is hereby constituted the officer on whom citations may be served.

ARTICLE V.

The capital stock of this Corporation is hereby fixed at Five Hundred Thousand Dollars, represented by five thousand shares of One Hundred Dollars, each. Ten per cent. of each subscription shall be payable 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 at any one time, and not oftener than once in thirty days, and provided also that the Company may commence business at any time the Board of Directors may deem it advisable to do so. The capital may be increased to an amount not exceeding One Million of Dollars, by a vote representing two-thirds of the capital of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars.

ARTICLE VI.

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 modifications, additions or changes to this act, on giving sixty days' previous notice in two of the newspapers published in this city.

ARTICLE VII.

The Board of Directors at an early day shall proceed to elect the officers of the corporation, which 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 VIII.

The term for which this corporation is formed shall be twenty-five years.

ARTICLE IX.

SECTION 1. The regular meetings of the Stockholders of the Company shall be held annually, commencing on the third Monday of December, 1868, at which time a majority in capital shall choose twenty of their number to serve as directors for the ensuing year, who shall form and constitute a Board of Control for the management of the affairs of the Company for the following year, or until their successors are appointed. And until the election of directors as aforesaid, the following named persons shall constitute a Board of Directors to manage the affairs of said Company, any three of whom shall constitute a quorum, viz: Thomas A. Adams, William Wheaun, Charles Briggs, William S. Pike, William Creevy, Alfred Moulton, George A. Fosdick and David DeHaven.

SEC. 2. A failure to elect Directors at a regular meeting of the Stockholders shall not dissolve the Company, but the Directors then in office shall continue to exercise their functions until a new Board be elected.

SEC. 3 —— Members of said Board of Directors shall form a quorum to do business, and the Board of Directors shall have power to make and adopt all necessary rules and by-laws for the government of the Company; provided the same do not conflict with the true interest and meaning of this "Act of Incorporation," and the laws of this State. The Board of Directors may declare dividends from time to time as they may deem advisable.

SEC. 4 If any Director shall cease to be a Stockholder during his term of office it shall be declared vacated, or in the event of the death, permanent absence or resignation of any Director, the Board shall have the authority to fill the vacancy occasioned thereby.

ARTICLE X.

No Stockholder shall ever be held liable or responsible for the contracts or faults of said Company beyond the amount of his, her, or their stock in said Company, nor shall any mere informality in the organization of said Company have the effect of rendering the present charter null, or of exposing a Stockholder to any greater liability than the amount of his, her, or their stock, therein.

ARTICLE XI.

Should any subscriber refuse or neglect to pay punctually his, her or their installment or installments, as the same falls due, interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum shall be added thereto from maturity until final payment, and if any subscriber neglects or refuses to pay his, her or their installments within thirty days after the specified time of payment, the Board of Directors shall have the right of causing any share or shares upon which any installment may be due, to be sold at auction, or to forfeit said share or shares, or to compel by suit the payment of such installment or installments, as the Board may deem advisable.

ARTICLE XII.

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 due and payable.

ARTICLE XIII.

The following named persons are Stockholders in said Company, and as such are entitled to the number of shares of stock placed opposite to their names, respectively, to-wit: William Creevy, George A. Fosdick, Thomas A. Adams, Wm. Wheaun, Alfred Moulton, Charles Briggs, Jr., William S. Pike, D. DeHaven.

And in conclusion, the stockholders hereinbefore named, in conformation of the aforesaid stipulations, covenants and agreements, ordained and established by the present act for the purpose above mentioned, and to that effect only, have herein above subscribed their names respectively.

Thus done and passed at the city of New Orleans, aforesaid, the day, month, and year first above written, in the presence of George Clark and F. McC. Swain, witnesses of lawful age, domiciliated in this city, who hereunto signed their names with said parties and me notary.

GEORGE CLARK,
F. McC. SWAIN.
EDWARD IVY, Notary Public.

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INSURANCE.

SUN MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

OFFICE OF THE SUN MUTUAL INSURANCE CO., New Orleans, 23d Jan., 1868.

TWELFTH ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS
—OF THE—
Sun Mutual Insurance Company
OF NEW ORLEANS,
For the Year Ending December 31st, 1867.

Amount of premiums for the year ending 31st December, 1867, viz:		
On fire risks	$166,471 53	
On marine risks	65,920 94	
On river risks	85,402 24	
		$317,894 71
Add unterminated risks for 1866	66,885 00	
		$384,699 71
Deduct unterminated risks for 1867	$69,418 00	
Return premiums for 1867	2,596 04	
		$63,014 04
Net earned premiums 31st Dec., 1867		$321,675 67
Losses paid during the same period, viz:		
On fire risks	$32,051 12	
On marine risks	20,641 76	
On river risks	55,022 94	
		$106,715 82
Add re-insurances	$2,597 75	
Discount on premium	48,460 87	
		50,974 62
Expenses, taxes, rent account, profit and loss, etc., less discount and interest		74,610 31
Reserved for payment of interest on scrips due in 1868, including balances		55,213 10
		$284,513 85
Net profits		$37,161 82

The Company have the following assets, viz:

Two hundred and nine Consolidated City Bonds, valued at 80c		$167,200 00
One hundred and twenty-four N. O., J. and G. N. R. R. City Bonds, valued at 70c		86,800 00
One hundred and two N. O., O. and G. W. R. R. City Bonds, valued at 70c		71,400 00
Twenty-five Pontchartrain R. R. City Bonds, valued at 70c		17,500 00
Four Opelousas R. R. State Bonds, valued at 50c		2,000 00
Six Mexican Gulf R. R. State Bonds, valued at 50c		3,000 00
Nine Vicksburg, S. and Texas R. R. State Bonds, valued at 50c		4,500 00
Bank and Gas Stocks, etc		163,455 00
Loans on pledge		25,100 00
Loans on mortgage		53,000 00
Bills receivable		11,396 38
Premiums due in course of collection		47,183 02
Scrips of other Insurance Companies		12,460 00
Uncurrent funds		4,000 00
Coupons on City Bonds due, not collected		13,800 00
Cash on hand		84,974 41
		$767,768 81

The above statement is a true and correct transcript from the books of the Company.

THOMAS SLOO, President.
THOS. ANDERSON, Secretary.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
PARISH OF ORLEANS, CITY OF NEW ORLEANS.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 23d day of January, 1868.
PARIS CHILDRESS,
Second Justice of the Peace, Parish of Orleans.

The Board of Directors have resolved to pay six per cent. interest on the outstanding certificates of profits, on and after the second Monday of February next. And they have further declared a Scrip dividend of Thirty-five Per Cent. on the net earned participating premiums for the year ending December 31, 1867, for which certificates will be issued on and after the 16th day of March next.

THOS. SLOO, President.
JOHN G. GAINES, Vice President.
THOS. ANDERSON, Secretary.

DIRECTORS:

Jno. G. Gaines,	E. J. Hart,
Henry Renshaw,	Jno. C. Ricks,
H. T. Lonsdale,	J. H. Stauffer,
B. Biscoe,	J. B. Bros,
J. C. Burell,	Thos. Sloo,

Theo. A. James.

NEW ORLEANS MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

EIGHTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

Premiums during the year ending 31st December, 1867:		
On Fire Risks		$319,916 16
On Marine Risks	68,489 44	
On River Risks	22,799 81	
Total Premiums		$411,205 41
Less Premiums unearned 31st December, 1867	$115,562 00	
Return Premiums	4,115 41	
		119,677 41
Net earned Premiums		$291,528 00
Losses:		
On Fire Risks	$59,760 62	
On Marine Risks	61,488 16	
On River Risks	19,039 44	
	$140,488 22	
Taxes	11,566 88	
Reinsurances	5,274 31	
Expenses, less interest account	10,180 83	
Interest on Scrips	24,568 60	
		$194,078 84
Profit		$97,449 16

The Company have the following assets:

Bills receivable for Premiums	$8,734 81	
Notes secured by pledge and mortgage	219,307 00	
Due for Premiums in course of collection	59,323 91	
Gas Light Company, City Railroad Company, Stocks, City Bonds, etc.	183,343 44	
Scrips of sundry Mutual Insurance Companies	99,436 00	
Cash on hand	83,777 88	
	$653,623 04	
Less depreciation on the above	97,850 49	
Net		$555,772 55
Less unearned interest on Scrips	$7,059 75	
Interest payable on outstanding Scrips	26,568 00	
		34,207 75
		$521,564 80

The above statement is a true and correct transcript from the books of the Company.

J. TEYES, President.
J. W. HINCKS, Secretary.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of January, 1868.
PAUL W. COLLENS,
Third Justice of the Peace.

The Board of Directors have resolved to declare a Scrip Dividend of Thirty Per Cent. on the net earned participating premiums for the year ending 31st December, 1867, for which certificates will be issued on and after the second day of March, and have further resolved to pay Six Per Cent. on the outstanding Certificates of Scrip on and after the second Monday of March, 1868.

DIRECTORS.

George Urquhart,	Charles Lafitte,
A. Rocheteau,	J. M. Lapeyre,
G. W. Babcock,	A. Schriber,
T. B. Blanchard,	John Gauche,
Wm. Stevens,	W. T. Williams,
J. A. White,	J. Teyes.

Office—111 Canal street.

FACTORS' AND TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY,

39.....Carondelet Street.....39

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, 1867, $413,626 42.

ASSETS:

30th April, 1867.....$546,816 91.

This Company continues to insure Policies against Loss and Damage by Fires and the Perils of Rivers and Seas, the Current Rates of Premium.

MICHEL MUSSON, President.
HARMON DOANE, Vice President.
ED. A. PALFREY, Secretary.

TRUSTEES:

James Hewitt,	J. J. Warren,
W. A. Johnson,	Wm. Ball,
J. W. Burbridge,	Robert Pitkin,
John I. Noble,	Alfred H. Isaacson,
Moses Greenwood,	Richard Milliken,
Alfred S. Huntington,	Samuel E. Moore,
Hugh McColl,	Wm. H. Henning,
Marshall J. Smith,	Thomas M. Scott,
I. Caulfield,	Joseph Bloch,
John Chaffe,	J. B. Jennings,
L. H. Terry,	R. T. Buckner,
James D. Blair,	H. H. Ware,

Samuel Friedlander.

INSURANCE.

SIXTEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT,
HOME MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY
—OF—
New Orleans.

In conformity with the requirements of their charter, the Company publish the following statement for the year ending 31st December, 1867:

Premiums received during the year ending December 31st, 1867, including Unterminated Risks of 1866		$321,590 00
Premiums on Marine Risks	$42,002 34	
Premiums on River Risks	107,250 23	
Premiums on Fire Risks	172,337 43	
		$321,590 00
Less Return Premiums	1,590 90	
Less Premiums on Risks not terminated in 1867	39,851 00	
		41,450 90
Net Earned Premiums year ending December 31st, 1867		$280,139 10
Losses paid during same period:		
On Marine Risks	$25,960 74	
On River Risks	109,828 24	
On Fire Risks	30,297 46	
	166,085 15	
Re-Insurances	12,947 33	
Expenses, Taxes, Interest on Scrips, etc., less discount and interest	38,708 31	
		217,740 78
Remaining		$62,398 32
Twenty five per cent. and fifteen per cent. returned in lieu of Scrip		57,391 22
Reserved for Unadjusted Losses		5,007 10

The Company have the following assets:

547 Bonds City of New Orleans of $1000 each		547,000 00
35 Bonds State of Louisiana of $1000 each		35,000 00
36 Bonds State of Louisiana of $500 each		18,000 00
68 Bonds St. Charles Hotel Company of $1000 each		68,000 00
80 United States 5-20 Bonds of —— $500 each		40,000 00
5 Shares Vallett Dry Dock Company $1000 each		5,000 00
800 Shares Bank of New Orleans—$50 each, valued at $30	24,000 00	
650 Shares Union Bank of New Orleans $75 each, valued at $50	32,500 00	
845 Shares Canal Bank—$50 each, valued at $50	42,250 00	
500 Shares Mechanics' and Traders' Bank—$50 each, valued at $50	25,000 00	
125 Shares Crescent City Bank—$50 each, valued at $15	1,875 00	
100 Shares Merchants' Bank—$30 each valued at $25	1,500 00	
		$127,125 00
Cash on hand		51,693 50
Real Estate, No. 78 Camp street		50,000 00
Loans on pledges		62,415 00
Bills Receivable	12,745 59	
Less bad and doubtful	6,544 14	
		6,201 45
Outstanding Accounts in course of Collection	70,056 62	
Less bad and doubtful	10,211 65	
		59,844 87
Scrips of other Insurance Companies		8,444 00
Total Assets		$878,774 02

The above statement is a just, true and correct transcript from the books of the Company.

ALFRED MOULTON, President.
A. W. HUNTER, Secretary.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 14th day of January, 1867.
PARIS CHILDRESS,
Second Justice of the Peace.

The Board of Trustees have resolved to pay six per cent. in cash, on all outstanding Certificates of Scrip, to the legal holders thereof, on and after the second Tuesday of February next; and they have further

Resolved, That in view of the depreciation of the Assets of the Company the Scrip issues of the years 1858, 1859, 1860 and 1861 be and the same are hereby called in (in accordance with the requirements of the Charter) for a reduction of twenty-five per cent. on each issue; and that the said Scrips shall be surrendered for reduction on payment of the annual interest, as declared by a resolution of this Board adopted this day.

ALFRED MOULTON, President.
WM. M. PERKINS, Vice President.
A. W. HUNTER, Secretary.

Trustees:

E. K. CONVERSE,	B. P. ETHELL,
ROBERT HARE,	JOS. N. ISENHOUR,
JOS. HOY,	J. H. LUDWIGSEN,
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GLOBE MUTUAL

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF NEW YORK.

Capital.....$1,000,000

PLINY FREEMAN.....President.
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JNO. A. HARDENBERG.....
H. G. FREEMAN.....Secretary.

All Policies issued by this Company are Non-Forfeitable.

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.

Its losses have been, and are, always paid promptly and without litigation or unnecessary delays.

It ranks numbers of our most influential citizens among its policy holders.

It is a modern Company, organized in accordance with modern requirements, and can offer inducements superior to those offered by the majority of other Companies.

Its Officers and Directors are men of well-known experience in the business of Life Assurance.

The Non-Forfeiture System was originated by the President of this Company.

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, 1868, parties desiring it can have payment of their Policies secured and guaranteed by the State of New York.

Policies written for amounts ranging from $1000 to $20,000 on a single life.

For particulars regarding rates, etc., apply to

J. C. SHIPLEY, Agent,
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WM. T. SELBY.....Secretary.
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J. R. PURVIS, Agent at New Orleans.
H. DOANE, 39 Carondelet street, Agent.
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References:

Carroll, Hoy & Co.	S. B. Newman & Co.
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NATIONAL MARINE AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Office—Corner Camp and Common Streets.

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Geo. W. Cochran,	Geo. W. Porch,

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This Company continues to insure against the Perils of the Sea, River and against Fire—subject to the conditions of the tariff of the Board of Underwriters of this city.

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 28th February, 1867		$538,130 13
Viz—Fire Premiums	$405,778 83	
Marine Premiums	231,377 22	
River Premiums	232,974 08	
		$538,130 13
Less Return Premiums	$4,413 10	
Less Unearned Premiums	40,294 00	
		$44,707 10
Net Unearned Premiums		792,423 12
Losses Paid:		
Fire Losses	$140,332 80	
Marine Losses	151,939 29	
River Losses	204,175 36	
	$476,517 35	
Reinsurance	43,384 34	
Expenses, Taxes, Interest, Discount, etc	56,373 57	
Discount in lieu of Scrip	77,770 36	
		$653,945 99
Net Profits		$139,477 11

The Company have the following Assets:

Invested in Real Estate	$36,880 53
Invested in Mortgage on Real Estate	65,962 5
Invested in City and other Bonds	82,220 00
Invested in Bank and other Stocks	111,065 00
Invested in Scrip of Insurance Companies	121,727 00
Loaned on Pledges	22,150 00
Bills Receivable	34,958 4
Premiums in course of Collection	101,636
Cash on hand	162,8381
	$739,448 34

The above statement is a just, true and correct transcript from the books the Company.

CHAS. BRIGGS, President.
J. P. ROUX, Secretary.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 19th day of March, 1867.
PAUL W. COLLENS,
Third Justice of the Peace.

The Board of Trustees have resolved to declare a Scrip Dividend of Thirty per cent. on the net earned participating premiums for the year ending 28th February, 1867, for which certificates will be issued on and after the 1st day of July next.

Six per cent. interest on all outstanding certificates of Scrip will be paid on the second Monday of May, 1867, to the holders thereof or their legal representatives.

CHAS. BRIGGS, President.
ANT. CARRIERE, Vice President.
J. P. ROUX, Secretary.

TRUSTEES:

Charles Briggs,	A. R. Montgomery,
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UNION INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ORLEANS.

TENTH 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, 1867:

Premiums on fire risks		$110,18 67
Premiums on river risks	56,034 59	
Premiums on marine risks	55,890 21	
Unterminated risks, April 30, 1866	39,647 12	
	$261,752 59	
Less return premiums	3,847 70	
Net premiums		$267,804 89
Paid losses during the year, viz:		
Fire losses	$44,787 87	
River losses	26,598 38	
Marine losses	23,903 77	
Total losses	$99,263 73	
Reinsurances	8,037 17	
Expenses, interest on scrip and profit and loss account, less discount and interest account	18,129 17	
Taxes and internal revenue	7,853 43	
Twenty and twenty five per cent. returned	51,144 42	
Reserved for unterminated risks	35,941 91	
		$220,404 89
Net profits		$37,500 00
The assets of the Company are:		
Capital stock notes	$37,500 00	
Loans secured by mortgage	13,327 68	
Loans secured by pledge	28,593 35	
Bills receivable for premiums	20,149 45	
Stocks, bonds and other securities	149,867 25	
Real estate	47,127 40	
Individual accounts for premiums	36,657 72	
Cash	46,739 78	
Scrip of other companies	1,545 00	
		$396,498 61

The above statement is a correct transcript from the books of the Company.

A. CHIAPELLA, President.
J. M. CRAWFORD, Secretary.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
PARISH OF ORLEANS, CITY OF NEW ORLEANS.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this eighth day of May, 1867.
S. MAGNER, Notary Public.

The Board of Directors have 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 out