

the past two weeks in the Western country, and it is the first time I have ever been so... I am tired and worn out, and you must therefore excuse me for not speaking...

OFFICIAL. MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, July 27, 1888. [No. 941-N.S.] Resolved, That the controller be and he is hereby authorized, after ten days notice to the official journal, to sell to the lowest bidder, the contract for burying the indigent dead and conveying the indigent sick to the hospital, for one year.

Approved July 27, 1888. JOHN R. CONWAY, Mayor. JOHN W. O'NEILL, Secretary. CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, New Orleans, August 3d, 1888.

INSURANCE. ATLANTIC INSURANCE COMPANY. NEW ORLEANS. Office No. 19 Camp Street. NEW ORLEANS, July 9, 1888. In conformity with the requirements of their Charter the Company publish their Second Annual Statement.

INSURANCE. NINETEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT. CRESCENT MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY. New Orleans, May 23, 1888. The Trustees, in conformity to the charter, submit the following statement of the affairs of the company on the 30th day of April, 1888.

INSURANCE. LOUISIANA EQUITABLE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY. Capital \$500,000. OFFICE, 12 CANAL STREET, NEW ORLEANS. DIRECTORS: John Pemberton, W. S. Pike, Edward Higgins, R. A. Taylor, J. W. Stone, W. F. Schmidt, G. H. Sisson, A. Thompson, G. Alexander Marks, F. Delonch, Philip Mayer, O. K. Grayson, George A. Fosdick, Edward Barrett, Marshall J. Smith.

NEW ORLEANS CRESCENT. THE NEW ORLEANS CRESCENT. OFFICE 94 CAMP ST., NEW ORLEANS. J. O. NIXON, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR. Official Journal of the State of Louisiana.

SOUTHERN CROPS. The crop reports from Arkansas are very encouraging. The late rains have been general, and the Democrats are advised to keep their eyes on it accordingly. Blah's letter, he says, is simply up to the exigencies of the times. He sees nothing revolutionary in it. On the contrary, he is inclined to think that it is a step towards revolution, which the admission of carpet-bag senators is undoubtedly working in our favor.

THE CONTRACTOR OR CONTRACTORS shall be bound to furnish the necessary number of horses and drivers requisite for the faithful performance of said contract. The four charity wagons, the property of the city, and now used for the above purpose, to be delivered to said contractor or contractors in whatever condition they may be, to be returned to the said city upon expiration of contract in the same order and condition as received (usual wear and tear excepted); the said contractor or contractors hereby binding himself or themselves to keep the said wagons in good order at his or their expense during the continuance of the said contract, and also to furnish at his or their expense any additional number of wagons, horses and drivers as the emergency may at any time require.

ASSETS: Stock Notes \$280,000.00. Loans on Mortgage 3,582.29. Loans on Pledge 12,000.00. Bills Receivable, short time 2,730.25. Vested Dry Dock Stock 1,000.00. Lightering Company Stock 200.00. Insurance Stock 1,250.00. Premiums in course of collection 13,015.03. Bills Receivable, payable on demand 30,000.00. Office Furniture 2,891.37. Cash on hand 25,587.51. \$321,955.29.

LIABILITIES: The Company have the following Assets: Cash on hand \$104,377.34. Loans on pledge of stocks on call 167,377.34. Loans on pledge of stocks on time 11,250.00. Real Estate 75,000.00. Scrips of other Companies and scrip account 45,022.45. Consolidated City Bonds 30,000.00. City Bonds 95,850.00. Bank and other stocks 196,927.17. \$617,804.25.

HOME MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ORLEANS. OFFICE, No. 78 Camp St., corner of Natchez street. SIXTEENTH YEAR. Premiums received during the year ending December 31, 1887, \$281,590.00. Losses, taxes, expenses, re-insurance, etc., paid during same period, \$17,740.78. Assets on the 31st December, 1887, \$78,784.08.

COMMERCIAL AND MONETARY REVIEWS. will bear the severest scrutiny as to the Society and judgment with which the important branch of newspaper duty is performed for the CRESCENT. In brief, the proprietor of the CRESCENT proposes to continue to present to the public a LIVE, and, in every respect a FIRST-CLASS PAPER, properly supplying the imperative needs of the BUSINESS COMMUNITY AND FAMILIAR CIRCLE. It will be in the future, as in the past, published by the spirit of true progress, aiming at its own continual improvement for the benefit of its patrons.

THE COTTON CROP is extremely good and growing rapidly. We had no much rain in this parish during the past two weeks. The cotton crops have been injured some, but we hope not seriously. The weather has been and is unusually hot. Corn is doing well. Cotton has too much rain. It is shedding off its forms.

THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS hereby bound to furnish all coffins that may be necessary for the interment of the indigent dead, deliverable at the City Workhouse, and the contractor or contractor to be held strictly responsible for the number of coffins delivered to him or them for the said purpose.

LOUISIANA MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY. FOURTEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT. In conformity with the requirements of their Charter the Company publish the following statement: Total Premiums for the year ending 31st February, 1888, \$548,322.42.

PARISH OF ORLEANS. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23d day of May, 1888. THOMAS A. ADAMS, President. SAMUEL H. KENNEDY, Vice President. HENRY V. OGDEN, Secretary.

EDUCATIONAL. WASHINGTON COLLEGE - LEXINGTON, VIRGINIA. The next session opens 21 Thursday in September, 1888, and closes 14 Thursday in June, 1889. Faculty composed of the following: President, with professional degrees in Law, Medicine, Modern Languages, Moral Philosophy, History and English Language and Literature.

THE DAILY CRESCENT. PUBLISHED EVERY MORNING (MORNING EDITION). Yearly Subscription in Advance \$1.00. Half Yearly \$0.50. Single Copies 10 Cents.

THE MARION (S. C.) recent says: The recent rains, which began a week ago, came in good time and we are to believe that the crops have not suffered from the superabundance of rain as much as we had feared. The cotton crop which is all so much injured by excessive rains is still in excellent condition. Only one thing is yet to be apprehended, and that is a storm of rain which would be fatal to the crops.

THE CONTRACTOR OR CONTRACTORS shall comply with all certificates or orders immediately with all certificates or orders relating to the interment of said indigent dead, or conveyance of said indigent sick to the various hospitals, under a penalty of ten dollars for each and every neglect, and a further penalty of the amount of doing the work so neglected by the contractor or contractors, which, in all cases, the contractor or contractors shall be bound to do or cause to be done, at whatever cost he may be able to procure the necessary vehicles and labor.

STATE OF LOUISIANA. PAUL W. COLLENS, Third Justice of the Peace. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23d day of March, 1888.

MERCHANTS MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ORLEANS. FOURTEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT. In conformity with the requirements of their Charter, the Company publish the following statement: Premiums received during the year ending 31st May, 1888, including unearned premiums of the previous year: On Fire Risks \$91,634.43.

UNIVERSITY HIGH SCHOOL. AT GOSHEN DEPOT, VIRGINIA CENTRAL R. R., ROCKBRIDGE COUNTY, VIRGINIA. H. N. E. WOOD, Principal. A. J. WOOD and THOS. A. HOPE, Associate Principals.

THE WEEKLY CRESCENT. A LARGER CIRCULATION THAN ANY OTHER WEEKLY PUBLISHED IN THIS CITY. It presents the news of the week, carefully prepared editor upon topics of present interest, selections in great variety, reviews of the money and commercial markets, foreign and domestic correspondence, and has appended the want of the advertiser for a STEADY WEEKLY FAMILY PAPER.

THE TENNESSEE PARISH Gazette of the 1st says: There has been an extraordinary amount of rain in this parish, and the crops are in a state of distress. The cotton crop is particularly injured, and the farmers are to be pitied. The weather is very hot, and the crops are suffering from the heat.

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LOUISIANA STATE SEMINARY. NEAR ALEXANDRIA, LOUISIANA. Founded and Supported by the State of Louisiana. The next session begins September 7th, 1888, and closes June 30th, 1889.

ALBERT LYON'S SCHOOL FOR BOYS. SHATAWA, PIKE COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI. (New Orleans and Jackson Railroad). Circulars may be obtained on application to ROBERT PITKIN, Esq., 13 and 15 Camp Street, New Orleans.

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