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TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 18, 1868.

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

MONTGOMERY BROS. & CO. sell, at 11 o'clock, at their Auction Mart, 87 Camp street, furniture, etc.; also, at 11 o'clock A. M. at P. Liner's Stable, on Gravier street, horses, mules, etc.

☞ See advertisements on third page.

New Orleans Money Market.

CRESCENT OFFICE, NO. 94 CAMP STREET, Monday Evening, August 17, 1868.

There is no alteration of any kind to report in the money market to-day. Gold has fluctuated in accordance with New York advices, but the supply and demand have continued restricted. The total sales, however, are depicted in the subjoined statement, viz: $7000 in the morning at 146¼; $1300 and $2300 at 146¼, and $2500 at 146. Sales of Silver have been exclusively confined to driblets, and we now quote Gold at 146@146¼, American Silver coin at 142@143 and Mexican Dollars at 149@150.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.—There is no alteration whatever to refer to in the movement of foreign bills, except, perhaps, a slight decline in rates. The market is wholly exhausted of commercial offerings, and the remittance demand is still exceedingly restricted. Operations since our last comprised only the appended amounts, viz: £1000 and £1750 bank Sterling at 160, £500 commercial sight do. at 160, and some trifling lots of France within the range of our quotations, which now rule as follows, viz: Bank Sterling 160@161, clear bills 159@160, bill of lading bills 158@159. Bank France as well as commercial France are still nominal.

DOMESTIC EXCHANGE.—There is no marked alteration of any kind to refer to under the above heading. Offerings of commercial sight and short sight continue nearly exhausted, while the remittance demand cannot be regarded as much better than nominal. The actual operations since our last are depicted in the following statement, viz: $1700, $3900, $5000 and $5500 at ⅛⅞ ⅞ cent. premium, and $10,000 at 1-16 ⅞ cent premium. We still quote ½ ⅞ cent. premium at bank, and ⅛⅞ ⅞ cent. premium out of doors for sight checks on the Northern cities.

UNCURRENT NOTES AND SECURITIES—City notes have been considerably firmer to-day. Louisiana State notes have been stiff also. Bank of Louisiana notes were wholly overlooked, and operations in the general run of securities have been at a stand still throughout. Annexed are the actual operations for the day, viz: $22,000 city notes in one lot at 32½, $3300 at 32½, $1500 and $2500 at 33, and $5000 at a price that has been withheld. State notes have been held at 75, without sales. Bank of Louisiana notes have been wholly at a stand still, and we have not heard of a solitary operation in stocks or bonds.

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

New York, Aug. 17—10 A. M.—Gold opens at 147¼. 10:30 A. M.—Gold 146¾. Cotton quiet but firm. Middling 29½c; Mobile 29¾; Orleans 30c. Sterling 109¼@109¾. 12 M—Gold 146¾. Cotton market very firm—holders asking higher rates, held at—Middling 30c; Mobile 30½c; Orleans 30½. Sterling steady. 12:30 P. M.—Gold 146¾. Cotton held firm at last quotations but no sales. First bale of new cotton, classed strict Orleans middling, sold at auction to-day at 50c. per lb. 3 P. M.—Gold closed 146½. Cotton market firm; holders asking higher rates. Middling 30c; Mobile 30½c., Orleans 30½c.; sales 1000 bales. Sterling steady.

Liverpool, Aug. 17—11:15 A. M.—Cotton market active; estimated sales 20,000 bales; uplands 10½d., Orleans 10¾d. 1:20 P. M.—Cotton market buoyant. Uplands 10½d; Orleans 10¾d. 5 P. M.—Cotton advancing. Sales to-day 20,000 bales. Uplands 10¾d; Orleans 11¼d.

London, Aug. 17—11:15 A. M.—Consols 94⅛@94¼. Bonds 71¼. 5 P. M.—Consols 94@94¼. Five-twenties 71½.

Commercial Intelligence.

CRESCENT OFFICE, NO. 94 CAMP STREET, Monday Evening, August 17, 1868.

COTTON—Sales to-day reached 46 bales at irregular prices. There was some new Cotton upon the market, which looked well, and was held at 29@30c. for middling, but we heard of no buyers, and not a new bale has changed hands since our last. Receipts of some 36 bales of this year's crop have been freely talked of to-day, but as the manifests of boats now in port did not distinguish between old and new Cotton, we of course cannot say what proportion of the receipts should be credited to the latter. In the present state of the market no reliable quotations can be given.

COTTON STATEMENT.

Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1867		16,854
Received since Saturday	109	
Received previously	665,161	
Made up from pickings, samples and Cotton received in sacks and baled here since September 1, 1867	6,815—662,085	
		678,940
Exported since Saturday	000	
Exported previously	677,482—677,482	
Stock on hand and on shipboard		1,458

SUGAR AND MOLASSES.—Transactions in sugar continue to be of a limited character, and do not disclose any demand in excess of a jobbing and retail business. Molasses continues quiet, without any demand whatever. We continue to quote Cuba sugar, grocery grades 12¼@13¼c., and Louisiana sugar prime to choice 14¼@16¼c. Louisiana choice Molasses retails at 85c. and Cuba do. 45@50c. ⅞ gallon.

FLOUR—The market was dull and languid throughout. Buyers, in anticipation of more liberal supplies, heavier offerings, and some concession on the part of holders have evinced little disposition to invest at ruling rates. Holders who have within a day or two received large accessions to their previously reduced and very light stocks, continue firm in their demands, and the market closes quiet but nominally unchanged. The sales embrace 800 bbls., of which 100 and 100 double extra sold at $9 25; 100 choice treble at $11 25, and 200 and 100 bbls. choice upon private terms. We quote nominally superfine $8 50; double extra $9 25; low treble $9 50; choice treble $10 50, and choice family $11@14 25.

CORN—In the absence of any large offerings, and with a small supply on the market, business has been of a very restricted character and sales were confined to 796 sacks—200 and 400 white mixed at $1 12½ and 196 sacks white at $1 15 ⅞ bushel.

OATS—Were quiet but firm at full previous rates, 400 sacks in lots were sold at 65c. ⅞ bushel.

BRAN—There was considerable activity in the article under this heading at slightly advanced rates. Some 2000 sacks in lots changed hands at $1 25 ⅞ 100 lbs.

HAY—We note a sale of 100 bales choice Western in two lots at $27, and 50 bales creole Hay at $21 ⅞ ton.

PORK—The market continues dull and quiet, except in a retail way; 100 bbls., in lots, were sold at $31 50. We continue to quote mess $31@31 50, according to quantity.

BACON—We have no improvement to note in the market under this heading. Holders have advanced their rates ¼c. on shoulders. We note a sale at an early hour to day of 7 casks shoulders at 13½c., but prices became stiffer as the day advanced, and the market closed quiet but firm, at the following quotations, viz.: Shoulders 14@14½c., clear ribbed sides 16¾@17c. and clear sides 17¾@18c. ⅞ lb., choice sugar-cured hams are retailing at 20@21c. and plain hams 18@19c. ⅞ lb.

LARD—Continues quiet but firm; tierce is retailing at 19½ and keg, which is very scarce, at 21½c. ⅞ lb. We note a sale of 40 kegs at 21½c.

FREIGHTS—The freight movement still discloses a very heavy and steady falling off. The tonnage in port on foreign and domestic account is reduced to the summer standard, while the demands for freight room indicate a corresponding or perhaps greater abatement. We now quote nominally cotton to Liverpool by steam, 9-16@¾d.; by sail, cotton, 7-16d.; tobacco 35s.; flour 4s.; London ¾d. for cotton, 37s. 6d. for tobacco. To New York by steam and sail ⅜c. for cotton, 14@15c. for corn, 60@75c. for flour, and $8 for tobacco. To Boston by sail ⅜@½c. for cotton, 15@17c. for corn and 65@70c. for flour. To Bremen by sail, ½@1c. for cotton, and 35s. for tobacco. To Havre by sail, 1½c. for cotton, and $12 for tobacco. To Philadelphia, by steam, 1c. for cotton. To Boston, steam, 1c. for cotton, flour 80c., grain 17c.

Cattle Market.

CITY OF JEFFERSON, August 18, 1868.

Arrived since Saturday—519 Texas Beeves, 241 Calves and Yearlings, and 142 Hogs. Sold—456 Texas Beeves, 220 Calves and Yearlings, 34 Hogs, and 2 Milch Cows. Stock on sale—549 Texas Beeves, 848 Calves and Yearlings, 169 Hogs, 632 Sheep and 18 Milch Cows. We quote:

Texas Beeves, corn fed, choice, ⅞ lb net	— —	— —
Texas Beeves, corn fed, 2d quality, ⅞ head	— —	— —
Texas Beeves, 1st quality, ⅞ head	25 00@	35 00
Texas Cattle, 2d quality, ⅞ head	15 00@	20 00
Texas Cattle, 3d quality, ⅞ head	10 00@	12 00
Hogs ⅞ lb gross	— 12½	12¾
Stock Hogs, ⅞ lb gross	— —	— —
Sheep, first quality, ⅞ head	— —	5 00
Sheep, second quality, ⅞ head	3 50	4 00
Sheep, third quality, ⅞ head	— —	— 00
Milch Cows, choice, ⅞ head	— —	100 00
Milch Cows, first quality, ⅞ head	80 00	100 00
Texas Cows with Calves	— —	— —
Yearlings, ⅞ head	4 00@	8 00
Calves, ⅞ head	4 00@	7 00
Goats ⅞ head	1 50@	4 00

River Intelligence.

CRESCENT OFFICE, NO. 94 CAMP STREET, Tuesday Morning, August 18, 1868.

The weather since our last has been very fickle. Sunday morning dawned without a cloud to obscure the sky, but at 11 o'clock A. M. we were visited by a heavy shower. Yesterday the weather was a little cloudy and extremely warm. Business upon the landings is improving. Shipments of new cotton begin to arrive; twenty-four bales were received by the river yesterday; sixteen by the Gov. Allen, five by the Mittie Stephens, and three by the Cleona. Notwithstanding the rain on Sunday, the dust was rather thick yesterday on the landing, or rather on Front street.

Capt. Jas. White, of the Gov. Allen, arrived in the city yesterday morning from Louisville; he looks as though he had been benefited by his furlough.

The Annie Wagley will be ready to receive freight on Thursday morning, and leave on Saturday, the 22d instant, at 5 P. M., for Grand Ecore and intermediate landings. See advertisement.

The amount of pilfering which daily occurs on the levee, particularly on the lower landing, is enormous. The police seem to neglect their duty in this particular, in fact we do not recollect of having seen an officer in the locality for over a month. This is a crying shame and should be remedied. Our steamboatmen are heavily taxed, and should be protected from the depredations of vagrant negroes.

The officers of the Cleona report Ouachita river falling slowly, with four feet six inches on Rutland bar. She went to Rusk landing, twenty-five miles below Monroe, on her last trip up. The Cleona is now ready to receive freight, and leaves on Wednesday the 19th inst. at 5 P. M. Shippers and passengers can rely upon her leaving port regularly every Wednesday evening during the season, and being of light draft she will go as far if not farther than any boat in the trade.

In our last issue we promised to give a list of all boats at present laid up at this port, what was being done to them, and their destinations during the coming business season. Want of space compels us to postpone it till to-morrow.

Messrs. McVay and Porter, of the Gov. Allen, and Morris, of the Cleona, have our thanks for favors.

By referring to our advertising column it will be seen that Capt. Wilkinson has entered his neat, fast and very light draft passenger packet Cuba No. 2, as a regular Grand Ecore packet, leaving this city every Saturday at 5 P. M. Success to the Cuba and her worthy commander.

The arrivals since our last were as follows:

Atlantic and barges, from St. Louis with a large freight.

Idahoe, Capt. Blanks, from Ouachita with 5 bales cotton, etc.

Mittie Stephens, Capt. Gross, from Bayou Sara with 5 bales cotton and sundries.

Gov. Allen, Capt. Smoker, from Argyle with 36 bales cotton, 1300 sacks cotton seed and a large lot of produce.

John Kilgour, Capt. Benson, from Louisville.

Alaska, Capt. Oakes, from Cincinnati.

Grey Eagle, Capt. V. B. Baranco, from Bayou Sara.

Cleona, Capt. L. H. Patterson, from Rusk landing (Ouachita river) with 3 bales cotton and a large lot of sundries.

Bettie Gilmore, Capt. King, from Lafourche.

Aloe, Capt. Woods, from lower coast.

The following named steamers left port yesterday: Irene, Capt. Roots, Rose Franks, Capt. John W. White, and Lizzie Tate, Capt. Lee, for Shreveport, and Mittie Stephens, Capt. Gross, for Bayou Sara.

The water in Bayou Lafourche is getting very low. Thibodaux is now the head of navigation for the lightest draft boats.

The steamship Morgan arrived yesterday from Mobile, and anchored in the stream opposite the foot of St. Joseph street. She had on board the 15th U. S. Infantry, under command of Brevet Brig. Gen. O. L. Sheppard. They were immediately transferred to the steamer Irene, Lizzie Tate and Rose Franks, the two former taking each four companies and the latter two. The regiment is, we understand, to be stationed at Shreveport.

The Mollie Able left late Sunday evening for St. Louis. She had but little freight, but a good passenger trip.

Capt. J. H. Grange was in St. Louis on the 15th instant.

The last stone on the bridge across the Mississippi at Quincy, was laid a few days ago.

The Gov. Allen, Capt. John Smoker, leaves at 5 P. M. to-day for Greenville, Vicksburg and all intermediate landings. Messrs. McVay and Porter are her clerks.

The Idahoe, Capt. F. A. Blanks, leaves for all landings on the Ouachita as high as Monroe and Trenton. Messrs. Work and Routh preside in her office.

The A. G. Brown, Capt. W. S. Bassett, leaves at noon to-day for the Lower Coast.

The Colored Democratic Steamboat club held a meeting last night at the corner of Poydras and Fulton streets. The hall was crowded, and several able speeches were made by colored orators.

Marine Intelligence.

CRESCENT OFFICE, NO. 94 CAMP STREET, Tuesday, August 18, 1868.

Cleared Yesterday.

Brig Chimborazo, Cook, for New York, Thorndike & Norton
Schr Salvador (Brit), Remington, for St Pierre, Mque Goldenbow & Kelley

Arrived Yesterday.

Steamship Sherman, Henry, from New York 8th inst., to Wood, Low & Ludwigsen—2d district
Steamship Rainsdeer, Magrath, from Pensacola, to G P Dodson 1st district
Schr Cor, Fauris, from Pensacola, to master—New Basin
Lugger Maria Louis, Dupre, from Bayou Terrebonne, to master—2d district 15

STEAMBOATS.

Alaska, Oakes, from Cincinnati
Gov Allen, Smoker, from Argyle
Mittie Stevens, Gross, from Thibodaux
Frances Blakeslee, from Mobile
John Kilgour, Benson, from St Louis
Aloe, Woods from Lower Coast
Cleona, Patterson, from Rusk Landing
Grey Eagle, Baranco, from Bayou Sara

Arrived Sunday.

Steamship Geo Cromwell, Veil, from New York 8th inst, to A Moulton—2d district

STEAMBOATS.

Atlantic and barges, Matheney, from St Louis
Idahoe, Blanks, from Rutland's Bar
A G Brown, Bassett, from Lower Coast

Below Coming Up.

Ship Merchant, Sprague, from Newport, Wales, to W R Budgenoff
Ship Pacific, Foss, 47 days from New York, to Creery, Nickerson & co
Ship Ella S Thayer Thompson, from Newport, Wales, to W S Budgenoff
Bark Prima Donna, ———, from Turks Island, to A F Cochran
Brig A G Jewett, Reed from Bordeaux 10th June, to master
Brig Fortuna, Otteson, 11 days from Havana, to Piaggio Bros
Schr Indian, Pendergon, from Misattitan in ballast, to E W Harris
Schr Betsy, Goodspeed, from Rustan Island, to J Grande
Schr Olivia, Johnson, 12 days from Tampico, to S Fernandez

Memoranda.

New York, Aug. 16—[By Telegraph]—To A Moulton: The steamship Cortes, Capt. Nelson, arrived from New Orleans this morning.

Exports.

NEW YORK—Brig Chimborazo—125,000 feet lumber
ST PIERRE—Schr Salvador—1400 bbls flour 532 sks bran 34,000 shingles

Imports

MOBILE—Steamer Frances—3 cases tobacco S Hernsheim—60 pkgs de B Van Benthuysen—56 do Calloway & Johnson—10 do Ir y, McDaniel &c—3 do M Bernheimer—15 bales mdse L hman, Newgass &co—sundries to order
PENSACOLA—Schr Cora—6 bbls molasses to order—9 bags seed Forchheimer Bros—30,000 feet lumber 15,000 laths to W M Grant
PENSACOLA—Steamship Rainsdeer—Sundry mdse
NEW YORK—Steamship Geo Cromwell—Astd mdse
NEW YORK—Steamship Sherman—Astd mdse

Receipts of Produce.

ST LOUIS—Steamer John Kilgour—1 Violett, Black &co—1 do Penn, Pace & Nixon—500 bbls pork J S Wallis &co—998 do J E Villavaso—50 do E F DelBondio—50 tcs hams Conn, Dolhonde &co—22 bbls whisky J F Hardy &co—25 bbls oil to Kearny, Bloss &co—40 do E A Wheelock &co—133 bbls potatoes 9 bxs King—32 do S B Sifers—130 do 13 bbls krout J Pace &co—8 co 1 bx guide C Fox—27 bbls onions 327 bbls potatoes Grieve & Widerman—50 do S 2 bs as hay 12 sks corn Clark & Miller—15 bbls apples G W Byrne &co—11 bxs apples 13 boxes pears Wilson & Young—10 bxs fruit A VanSyce &co—291 pkgs fruit Julian, Johnson &co—10 do M Dowling—31 bbls fruit S B Sifers—5 do Miller & Meyer—16 3 sks corn B M Horrell & co—250 do Chenoweth, Casey &co—300 do Blakemore, Woolridge &co—283 do Woods, Matthews &co—37 do 56 sacks ship stuff 441 sks bran 166 bbls flour Julian, Johnson &co—60 bbls flour Glover & Odendahl—90 do Jno E King—229 pkgs glassware A Brite—56 pkgs mdse J Schwartz—1 do steamer, Kent &co—56 bxs cheese J B Vanhorn &co—60 bxs candles to Jennings, Slater &c—15 bxs glassware Sh ppard, Abbott &co 13 bxs starch 11 kegs nails 8 bdls steel 24 bdls iron 107 bars do Jno Hardy—150 pcs bagging S D Hardy &co—48 bxs glassware Mrs Jno Gauche—10 bxs medicine J Fleming—5 tierces mlse E Bissy—82 bdls ties and iron M Kaufman—16 oil cans Kearny, Bloss &co—482 bbls tar Page &co—9 pkgs leather John Krause—3 cases tobacco Schmidt & Zeigler—1 case jeans to C A Whitney &co—1 saddletree M W Smith—sundries to order Total 2 bales cotton
CINCINNATI—Steamer Alaska—5 bxs hardware J S Aikins—500 sks starch 20 bxs bacon 5 tcs hams J I Adams &co—77 pkgs butter F Avet & Cambon—2 pkgs mdse lot furniture A ten Wayne &co—3 frames A C Bostick—1 bble o I A Biskee—100 bbls flour U T Buddecke &co—102 d z washboards Banks & Tower—62 sks corn Beadles, Wingo &co—100 sks malt J A Steffer &co—130 sks ship stuff to order—ot furniture Geo Bischoff—50 cases lard 40 tcs hams O Bercier &co—279 bbls whisky Cobb, Dolhonde &co—15 pkgs tobacco Calloway, Johnson &co—14 tcs lard P Dwyer—12 bbls vinegar 14 bbls onions 24 bxs cheese E F DelBondio—50 bbls oil W P Converse—50 bd 6 brooms 91 bbls pork 15 pkgs butter 10 bxs bacon 30 bxs cheese F DelBondio—30 bxs c dse J Fleming—300 empty bxs Flatow 50 tcs lard Fatjo, Marks &co—90 pkgs butter 8 bxs cheese Emly, VanBorden &co—3 0 bxs starch Graff & Byrnes—20 pkgs butter W Hoy—29 rolls leather Herter, Peterson & Fetter—3 bbls eggs Julian, Johnson &co—500 bxs starch W C Kimball &co—20 kegs butter Keep & Caulfield—250 bbls lime Kearny, Bloss &co—132 bars iron M Kaufman—21 plows Keep & Bogen—lot furniture Geo D Hite—200 bbls flour 72 sks corn 300 kegs lard 50 bbls whisky S H Kennedy &co—20 plows 8 Locke &co—25 tcs lard 75 pkgs do J M Lewis &co—15 pkgs hams 90 pkgs mdse C A Whitney &co—25 bbls whisky Owen Bros—5 co 53 bbls oil 6 bbls vinegar Miller & Meyer—50 bbls pork 82 bbls vinegar 50 bxs cheese McFarland, Straight &co—4 rolls leather M W Smith—20 kegs butter 200 sxs starch to V Pesson—161 bales hay 137 bbls onions 40 Pleasants—140 sks corn Howard Prestons & Barrett—388 sks malt Brandt &co—37 bxs glassware to order—119 do 25 bbls oil Wheelock, Finley &co—50 bbls beer J Zeigler—5 bbls flour 5 do tobacco Wilson & Young—15 pkgs mdse 100 bxs starch C A Whitney &co—50 bxs cheese Emily Van Norden &co—200 bxs candles 100 bxs soap 50 bxs cheese 50 kegs butter Schneider & Zuberbier—15 bbls krout 100 bxs starch H Romberg—250 bxs candles 50 bales hay J B Vanhorn &co—28 plows Stauffer, Kent &co—sundries to order

ARGYLE—Steamer Gov Allen—19 bales cotton A H Poole &co—1 do C B Champ in—4 do new Payne, Huntington &co—4 do Gilmer, Hopkins &co—2 do Meyer, Deutch & Weed—2 do Garrard & Craig—1 do Wright, Allen &co—1 do D G Cook—1 do A Miltenberger—1 do A Levi—12 sks cotton seed J Aldige—96 no s Marx—46 do Bussey &co—1 0 sks bran H N Soria &co—221 sks corn 217 sks oats 50 cases lard 25 bbls oil to S H Kennedy &co—265 bbls lime Kearny, Bloss &co—100 do N Richards—16 bbls onions 88 bales hay M Duffy—50 bxs cheese McFarland, Straight &co—32 hf bbls beer J Zeigler—3 bxs eggs 20 pkgs butter Schneider & Zuberbier—20 cases lard J I Adams &co—50 tcs lard Graff & Byrnes—51 kegs lard 25 bxs candles J M Lewis &co—300 do Schmidt & Zeigler—20 boxes mdse Weil & Weiss—10 do J H Campman—3 do J Fleming—2 do Sunrot & Adams—324 bbls potatoes Grieve & Widerman—1 do Richardson & May—8 bbls krout J Pace &co—4 bbls eggs Miller & Meyer—35 pkgs from M Kaufman—1 cask hardware Keep & Hogan—13 rolls leather G Favre—15 do C Weis &c—27 sks wheat 10 bbls oil Allen, Wayne &co—105 bbls slate Gist Plastic Slate Co—50 tcs hams Keep & Caulfield—12 boxes tobacco B S Yandell—4 cases brandy Kirkpatrick & Keith—173 sks corn E Fulivan—50 sks potatoes Garrard & Craig—3 sks wool A K Brown—44 sks potatoes 26 bxs fruit E L Israel—4 pkgs fruit P Maspero &co—10 bxs do G W Byrne & co—10 do R K Walker—11 pkgs do S B Sifers—15 do Garbini & Petrovich—25 co R Tramontini—41 Jno Burnett &co—7 Conrad & Struder—481 do 36 bbls flour J Johnson &co—sundries to order—Total 36 bales cotton (16 bales new)

THIBODAUX—Steamer Betty Gilmore—32 hides 1 bbl tallow J R Fourman—1 pkg eggs J M Walton—7 do 1 box wax Terrebonne & Gourdain 2 coops fowls 22 pkgs eggs L Terrebonne—5 do 8 bales moss 1 bags wool L Sure—6 pkgs eggs L Lacassagne—3 do F Cherot—sundries to order

BAYOU SARA—Steamer Mittie Stephens—2 bales cotton Penn Pace & Nixon—2 do Von Phul Bros—1 do West & Wright—12 sks seed cotton J I Adams &co—5 co R Flower—39 bbls potatoes Vollert Black &co—10 do J L Courst—7 do A Corre—8 sks potatoes M D der—7 do Terrebonne & Gourdain—sundries to order—Total 5 bales cotton

LOWER COAST—Steamer Aloe—2 bbls rice C Clinton—sundries to order

RUSK LANDING—Steamer Cleona—2 bales new cotton Penn Pace & Nixon—1 do Levy & Haas—1 cask horns lot old iron 6 hides Schwartz & Gouge—hens—5 hides 1 bdl skins J Newman—45 hides 1 bdl tallow M Hiller &co—sundries to order—Total 3 bales new cotton

BAYOU SARA—Steamer Grey Eagle—Sundries to order

BAYOU TERREBONNE—Lugger Marie Louise—23 half bales moss 7 bbls onions and sundries to order

RECEIPTS OF PRODUCE SUNDAY.

ST LOUIS—Steamer Atlantic and barges—lot of bridge iron C A Whitney &co—256 sks corn U T Buddecke &co—150 do Cobb, Dolhonde &co—500 do Keep & Caulfield—200 do Kirkpatrick & Robb—25 do Jno T Moore &co—100 do J H Pohlmann &co—400 co J H Ogle by &co—630 do Grover & Odendahl—98 do DeVan & Mason—165 do M Duffy—100 bbls meal Chenoweth, Casey &c—496 do J A Burke—30 bbls clay E R Dan lis—56 co Flower & Cammon—1 bx hardware 30 gross tacks Rice Bros &co—41 doz brooms J C Morris—50 bxs cheese McFarland, Straight &co—1593 sks corn Bussey &co—230 bbls flour Kehr Updike &co—440 do 70 bbls meal 433 sks bran J L Dennies &co—275 pcs bagging 40 hf do 310 coils rope 10 hf do 6 bdls twine 3 tcs hams S Richardson—1024 sks corn C Pleasants—25 boxes tobacco 10 tcs bacon Forchheimer Bros—200 bbls flour J E Vanhorn &co—542 do 100 bbls meal 250 sks bran C E Slayback &co—100 sks bran 150 bbls flour Harris & Sidwell—200 bbls meal 119 sks corn 550 sks bran 11 Groeb's &co—214 sks oats J E Smith—34 bbls potatoes Geo Martin—14 pkgs lead Allen, Wayne &co—26 bbls onions Miller & Meyer—1000 bbls pork D W C Sanford &co—40 bbls meal 15 cases bacon Shropshire & Harbors—20 do Woods, Matthews &co—15 sheets iron Kennett & Bell—92 bxs mdse Mrs John Gauche—1 tcs hams Garrard & Craig—100 bbls flour 3 bbls potatoes 14 bbls onions F DelBondio—3 bbls flaxseed 72 bales straw 51 boxes glass 4 boxes hose U S Q M—1900 sks bran 198 sks corn 68 bbls flour to order—Total 5375 bbls flour 6091 sks corn 3332 sks bran 3501 sks oats

KULA DS BAR—Steamer Idahoe—2 bales cotton Lafitte & Duffine—2 do Penn, Pace & Nixon—2 bales hides 15 hides Levy & Haas—19 hides 1 bdl skins 1 bags wool 1 1 box 1 bb beeswax M Labusquerre—78 sks castor beans St Louis Lead and Oil Co—1900 stases J R Smith—lot old iron M Kaufman—19 pkgs fruit and sundries to order

LOWER COAST—Steamer A G Brown—Sundries to order

Receipts by Railroads.

NEW ORLEANS JACKSON & GREAT NORTHERN—12,000 feet lumber P McAskey—12,000 do F F Taylor—3800 do J K Collins—500 do J B St Amand—62 do Dumontel & V—75 bbls lime S Jamison—20,000 O Webber—320 half rolls barding M Gavy—1 car load potatoes M J Duffy—25 bbls whisky B E Castendyk—5½ kegs butter Keep & Caulfield—50 do E Van N ress—1 bx mineral water B Lengono—bxs mdse H Reine 15 do S S Reinecke—7 do F J Quinn—165 bxs fruit M Gregoria—153 do J Mascheca—45 do J R Bearman—5 H J Harris & Son—8 do E G Cloud—9 do C H Schwartz—27 Fusch & P—12 J W Crisler—sundries to order

OFFICIAL.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, Aug. 10, 1868.

[No. 977—N. S.]

Resolved, That the controller be and he is hereby authorized, after five days notice in the official journal, to sell a contract to the lowest bidder or bidders, for furnishing all the lumber necessary for the use of the city, for one year, according to specifications on file in the office of the city surveyor.

(Signed) ALFRED KEARNY, President Board Assistant Aldermen.
(Signed) THOMAS MARKEY, President Board Aldermen.

Approved Aug. 10, 1868.
(Signed) JOHN R. CONWAY, Mayor.
A true copy:
JOHN W. OVERALL, Secretary.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, New Orleans, August 15, 1868.

Notice is hereby given that the controller will at his office on Saturday, August 22d, 1868, at noon, adjudicate to the lowest bidder or bidders the above contract as per specification.

PAS. LABARRE, Deputy Controller.

SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LUMBER NECESSARY FOR THE USE OF THE CITY FOR ONE YEAR.

The lumber shall be partly of yellow pine and partly of cypress, of the best quality, free from sap, splits, bad knots and other defects calculated to impair its strength or durability. It shall be of various sizes, varying from one to five inches in thickness, from twelve to eighteen inches in width, and from twenty to thirty feet in length, being mostly wanted for the construction of street bridges, repairs of wharves, stage planks, etc.

The said lumber shall be delivered on duly authorized requisitions, approved as required by existing city ordinances, in such quantities and at such places as may be required by both the city surveyor and street commissioner, within the time specified in said officers' orders, under a penalty of ten dollars for each neglect or non-compliance, and a further penalty of having the lumber, neglected to be furnished by the contractor, purchased by the said officers at said contractor's expense, at whatever cost the said officers might be able to procure the same. The amount of the fines and of the lumber thus purchased by said officers, to be deducted out of the settlements to be made by the city to said contractor.

Security to an amount of five thousand dollars shall be required to guarantee the faithful performance of the contract.

Payments in cash on the delivery to the city of each and every ten thousand or more feet of lumber, and acceptance of the same by the street commissioner and the city surveyor respectively, the city retaining in guarantee, until the performance of the whole contract, ten per cent. of the amount of each and every settlement to be made to said contractor.

The contract shall be adjudicated for a term of one year, to begin on the day of the approval of the adjudication by the Common Council.

It is well understood, that in case of failure by the contractor to begin or finish the delivery of said lumber, or any part thereof, within the periods fixed, or in case the Common Council be dissatisfied with the quality of or the manner in which the same is being delivered, the Common Council shall have the right to annul the contract without putting the contractor in default, as required by article 1905 of the Civil Code, and without applying to a court of justice to annul the same, and without indemnity; and it is also well understood that in case the contractor shall, at any time, abandon the furnishing and delivery of said lumber, or not furnish and complete the same in conformity with his contract, the said contractor shall forfeit all claims he may have for any part of the deliveries made by him up to the date of his abandonment, and that the city shall be thereby discharged from any and all liability therefor; and it is also well understood, that in case the contract be resold, the contractor and his securities shall be held and bound, in solido, to pay unto the city all loss or difference between the price at which the contractor originally contracted to furnish and deliver the said lumber, and the price at which it may be adjudicated at a resale or readjudication.

Bids to be per thousand feet (board measure) of yellow pine lumber, furnished and delivered, and per thousand feet (board measure) cypress lumber, furnished and delivered.

New Orleans, August 14, 1868.
(Signed) L. SURGI, City Surveyor.

Approved by the committee on streets and landings of both boards of the Common Council.
(Signed) T. H. SHIELDS, GERALD FARRELL, Chairmen.
PAS. LABARRE, Deputy Controller.

Registered August 15, 1868.

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, City Hall, Aug. 10, 1868.

[No. 976—N. S.]

Resolved, That the controller be and is hereby authorized to adjudicate to the lowest responsible bidder, after five days notice in the official journal, the contract of fitting up the 7th District Court rooms, under the supervision of the surveyor and in accordance with plans and specifications on file in his office.

(Signed) ALFRED KEARNY, President Board Assistant Aldermen.
(Signed) THOMAS MARKEY, President Board Aldermen.

Approved Aug. 10, 1868.
(Signed) JOHN R. CONWAY, Mayor.
A true copy:
JOHN W. OVERALL, Secretary.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, New Orleans, August 15, 1868.

Notice is hereby given that the controller will, at his office, on Saturday, August 22, 1868, at noon, adjudicate to the lowest bidder or bidders, the contract as per specifications.

PAS. LABARRE, Deputy Controller.

SPECIFICATIONS CONCERNING THE REPAIRS AND ADDITIONS TO BE MADE TO THE COURT HOUSE, TO FIT IT UP FOR THE USE OF THE SEVENTH DISTRICT COURT, AND ALSO FOR THE WANTS OF THE THIRD AND FOURTH DISTRICT COURTS.

SEVENTH DISTRICT COURT.

The existing partition in the center shall be removed.

The center opening shall be filled with a transom light, and the remainder with a brick wall of same thickness as the old one.

The party wall dividing the present rooms from the gallery shall be demolished, including the two chimneys right and left, and shall be rebuilt solid and flush with the two side walls.

A girder, as shown on the plan and section, shall be placed across the space left, to support the joists of the upper floor.

Two new partitions shall be put up to divide the present room from the clerk's office of the Third and Fourth District Courts, the studding being of 5-5 yellow pine, placed one foot apart.

Two new doors, with transom lights, on the hall, in place of those existing.

The openings on Chartres street shall be overhauled and thoroughly repaired, the walls and ceilings shall be plastered three costs and hard finished.

In each of the clerks' offices for the Third, Fourth and Seventh District Courts, shall be a flight of winding stairs similar in construction to those already existing in the Supreme and Fifth District Courts. Around the walls there shall be a four-feet-high wainscoting, made of narrow inch yellow pine flooring, with a moulding on top. The skirting shall be sixteen inches high, one and a half inch thick, and three inches mouldings.

The judge's and clerk's stands, the lawyers' table, the platform for the jury seats, the deputy sheriff's stand, the witness benches and railing, shall be similar to those now used in the Third District Court, and placed in conformity with plans.

Third Story—The floor shall be leveled; the old tie beams shall be completed, leveled, strengthened cramped and bolted throughout.

The joists for the new floor shall be of the best yellow pine 2 by 8, supported by trimmers 2 by 4, well nailed to the old timbers and placed 16 inches from centers.

The upper joists for ceiling shall be of similar size.

The studding forming wall all round the mansard roof and for the partitions shall be of 3 by 4, placed 1 foot from center and resting on 2 plates 3 by 4 above and below.

The door posts shall be 4 by 4. The chimney flues now existing shall be pulled down wherever found in bad condition, and rebuilt from the level of the old floor to the top, above the roof.

The flooring shall be of narrow, yellow pine, 1¼, tongued and grooved, of good quality and free of bad defects.

The partition doors, with transom lights, shall be double pannel, 1¾ thick, hanged with 4-inch butt hinges, and a good American rim lock.

The transom lights in the partitions shall be of the same dimensions as those above the doors.

The present door of the law library shall be used in the new room.

The skirtings all round the rooms and passage shall be of 1¼ cypress, 12 inches high, with a 3-inch moulding.

The walls, ceilings, partitions, throughout the third story, shall be lathed and plastered three coats, hard finished.

Four new dormants, similar to those already existing, shall be placed as marked on the plan.

The main stairs, leading from the second story to the third, shall be made as per plan, with 1¼ inch risers, 1¾ inch treads, with mouldings and return nosing walnut railing, with turned ballusters, dove-tailed in the treads, and a fancy-turned newell, also of black walnut.

Two water closets, as per plan, with porcelain basins, and lead pipes, two inches in diameter, descending into the yard's gutter. The flooring shall be raised above the flooring of the passage, and shall be covered with zinc, (No. 13) having a fall sufficient to carry off the water into the pipes leading to the yard.

The walls shall be wainscoted, four feet high on each side; one partition six feet high to divide the two closets, and one lattice door to each closet.

The stairs leading to the cupola shall be repaired.

The cupola and the outside of the dormant windows shall receive three coats of the best white lead and shall be sanded. The wood work, usually painted and the iron, shall receive three coats of paint of the color designated.

The roof slating shall be overhauled and thoroughly repaired, and the ridges and chimneys pointed all round with good mortar of lime and white sharp sand.

The valleys, hanging gutters and leaders shall be thoroughly repaired all round the main building, and those missing or decayed shall be replaced.

The gas pipes now existing shall be repaired, and new ones placed wherever designated on the plans, with ordinary fixtures and burners.

The fixtures of the Seventh District Court shall be similar to those of the Third.

The new glazing shall be of the best quality of American glass, and the broken panes of glass shall be replaced wherever required.

GENERAL CLAUSES.

The whole work shall be executed in conformity with the plans and specifications, and under the supervision of the city surveyor.

In case of omission of anything necessary to complete the work above described, the contractor shall bind himself to have it done at his own expense, upon the requisition of the city surveyor.

The contractor shall be bound to begin the work ten days after the approval of the adjudication by the Common Council, and to complete the same on the 15th of October next, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day for each and every day the same is not completed