of America in Congress assembled, That the preamble to an act entitled "An act declaring the construction of 'An act to incorporate the National Theological Institute, approved May tenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, and also 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the National Theological Institute and to define and extend the powers of the same,'" approved April twenty-second, eighteen hundred and seventy, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Approved June 1, 1870.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 50.]

AN ACT making appropriations for the repair, preservation and completion of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums of money be, and are hereby appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War, for the repair, preservation and completion of the following public works hereinafter named:

For improvement of Superior City harbor, Wisconsin, sixty thousand dollars.

For improvement of Marquette harbor, Lake Superior, Michigan, sixty thousand dollars.

For improvement of Green Bay harbor, Wisconsin, seventeen thousand five hundred dollars.

For improvement of Manitowoc harbor, Wisconsin, eleven thousand dollars.

For improvement of Sheboygan harbor, Wisconsin, fifteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of Port Washington harbor, Wisconsin, fifteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of Milwaukee harbor, Wisconsin, thirty-eight thousand dollars.

For improvement of Racine harbor, Wisconsin, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Kenosha harbor, Wisconsin, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Two-Rivers harbor, Wisconsin, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For improvement of Ahnapee harbor, Wisconsin, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For improvement of harbor at mouth of Menomonee river, Wisconsin and Michigan, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For improvement of the north and south branches of the Shrewsbury river, New Jersey, fourteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of Aux Becs Scies harbor, Michigan, ten thousand dollars.

For the improvement of South river, New Jersey, fifteen thousand dollars.

For the removal of obstructions of Salem river, New Jersey, four thousand dollars.

For improvement of Manistee harbor, Michigan, nine thousand dollars.

For improvement of Onachita river from the Louisiana State line to the town of Arkadelphia, in the State of Arkansas, on said river, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For improvement of Pere Marquette harbor, Michigan, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Pentwater harbor, Michigan, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of White River harbor, Michigan, twenty thousand dollars.

For improvement of Muskegan harbor, Michigan, fifteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of Grand Haven harbor, Michigan, six thousand dollars.

For improvement of Black Lake harbor, Michigan, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Saugatuck harbor, Michigan, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Sheboygan harbor, Michigan, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of South Haven harbor, Michigan, fifteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of Saint Joseph harbor, Michigan, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Saint Mary's Falls canal and Saint Mary's river, Michigan, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For improvement of Au Sable river, Michigan, ten thousand dollars.

For harbor of refuge, Lake Huron, Michigan, one hundred thousand dollars.

For improvement of Clinton river, Michigan, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For improvement of Saint Clair flats, Michigan, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For improvement of Toledo harbor, Ohio, fifty thousand dollars.

For improvement of Ashtabula harbor, Ohio, fifteen thousand dollars.

For clearing and buoying the channel of the Schuylkill river, at its mouth, at Gibson's point, and above to the Chestnut street bridge, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Erie harbor, Pennsylvania, twenty-nine thousand dollars.

For improvement of Chicago harbor, Illinois, one hundred thousand dollars.

For harbor of refuge, at Calumet, Illinois, fifty thousand dollars.

For improvement of Michigan City harbor, Indiana, fifteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of Dunkirk harbor, New York, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For improvement of Port Jefferson harbor, Long island, New York, fifteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of Buffalo harbor, New York, one hundred thousand dollars.

For improvement of Olcott harbor, New York, five thousand dollars.

For improvement of Oak Orchard harbor New York, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Charlotte harbor, New York, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Little Sodus harbor, New York, fifteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of Pultneyville harbor, New York, five thousand dollars.

For improvement of Oswego harbor, New York, one hundred thousand dollars.

For improvement of Ogdensburg harbor, New York, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For improvement of Plattsburg harbor, New York, fifteen thousand dollars.

For the improvement of Peconic river, below the village of Riverhead, Long island, five thousand dollars.

For improvement of Burlington harbor, Vermont, thirty thousand dollars.

For the preservation of the falls of Saint Anthony, and the navigation of the Mississippi river above the same, fifty thousand dollars.

For improvement of the Ouachita river, in Louisiana, from the Arkansas State line to the mouth of said river, twenty-six thousand dollars.

For improvement of the upper Mississippi river, and removing snags, and dredging, forty-two thousand dollars: Provided, That no part of such sum shall be paid for the use of any patent or patented machine in which any engineer or officer employed by the government may be interested.

For improvement of the Minnesota river, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of the Rock Island rapids, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For improvement of the Des Moines rapids, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For improvement of the Mississippi, Missouri and Arkansas rivers, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For improvement of the mouth of the Mississippi river, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

For improvement of the falls of the Ohio River, and Louisville canal, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For improvement of the Ohio river, fifty thousand dollars.

For improvement of Queenstown harbor, Maryland, five thousand dollars.

For improvement of harbor at Cambridge, Maryland, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of the ship channel in the Patapsco river and Chesapeake bay, leading toward the harbor of Baltimore, fifty thousand dollars.

For improvement of the channel at the mouth of Cape Fear river, North Carolina, seventy-five thousand dollars.

For improvement of Roanoke river, below Weldon, North Carolina, twenty thousand dollars.

For improvement of the ship-channel in Charleston harbor, South Carolina, thirteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of the James river, below Richmond, Virginia, fifty thousand dollars.

For improvement of the Appomattox river, below Petersburg, Virginia, fifty thousand dollars.

For improvement of the Rappahannock river, Virginia, fifteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of the Hudson river, New York, forty thousand dollars.

For improvement of the East river, New York, including Hell Gate, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For improvement of Pawtucket river, Rhode Island, seven thousand dollars.

For construction of breakwater at Block island, Rhode Island, seventy-five thousand dollars.

For improvement of Pawcatuck river, Rhode Island and Connecticut, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Thames river, Connecticut, fifteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of Connecticut river, above Hartford and below Holyoke, twenty thousand dollars.

For improvement of Connecticut river, below Hartford, thirty-five thousand dollars.

For improvement of New Haven harbor, Connecticut, forty thousand dollars.

For improvement of the Housatonic river, Connecticut, fifteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of Bridgeport harbor, Connecticut, twenty thousand dollars.

For improvement of Taunton river, Massachusetts, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Hyannis harbor, Massachusetts, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Provincetown harbor, Massachusetts, six thousand dollars.

For improvement of Plymouth harbor, Massachusetts, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Boston harbor, Massachusetts, one hundred thousand dollars.

For improvement of Merrimac river, above Haverhill, Massachusetts, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For improvement of Kennebunk river, Maine, five thousand dollars.

For improvement of Saco river, Maine, fifteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of Portland harbor, Maine, forty thousand dollars.

For improvement of the Cocheco river, within the town of Dover, New Hampshire, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Kennebec river, above Hallowell, Maine, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Kennebec river, between Gardiner and Richmond, Maine, five thousand dollars.

For improvement of navigation at the "Gut," opposite Bath, Maine, six thousand five hundred dollars.

For improvement of the Penobscot river, at Bangor, and below, Maine, fifty thousand dollars.

For improvement of Union river, Maine, fifteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of Royal's river, Maine, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Narragaugus river, Maine, twelve thousand dollars.

For improvement of Sullivan river Maine, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of White, Black and Little Red rivers, in the State of Arkansas, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of Saint Francis river, in the State of Arkansas, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of the Little Missouri river, in the State of Arkansas, ten thousand dollars.

For improvement of the Cumberland river, below Nashville, Tennessee, thirty thousand dollars.

For improvement of Galveston harbor, Texas, twenty thousand dollars.

For construction of breakwater at Wilmington harbor, California, two hundred thousand dollars.

For improvement of Umpqua river, Oregon, twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars.

For improvement of Mobile harbor, Alabama, fifty thousand dollars.

For the improvement of the bar at the mouth of the Saint John's river, Florida, fifteen thousand dollars.

For improvement of the Osage river, Missouri, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For improvement of the harbor at Duluth, Minnesota, sixty thousand dollars.

For improvement of the Willamette river, above Oregon city, Oregon, sixteen thousand dollars.

For examination and surveys for improvement on the northern and northwestern lakes and rivers, and the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, and for contingencies of rivers and harbors not provided for in this act, one hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. That all moneys heretofore appropriated for the improvement of the Tennessee river, and still unexpended, shall be expended, under the direction of the Secretary of War, for the repairs and completion of the works heretofore begun between Knoxville and Chattanooga, and for the continuation of the works now in progress below Chattanooga, including the Muscle shoals.

SEC. 3. That the Secretary of War is hereby directed to cause examinations or surveys, or both, to be made at the following points, namely: At Galveston harbor, from the outer bar up to the Red Fish bar, on or nearest to the west shore; at Mississippi city, for harbor on Mississippi sound; at Black river, Missouri, to Poplar bluff; at Current river, Missouri, from its mouth to Van Buren; at Otter Creek, Vermont; at Norfolk harbor, Virginia; at Eureka harbor, and at Santa Cruz, California; at Passaic river, between Newark and Passaic, New Jersey; for ship canal from the head of Sturgeon bay, Wisconsin, on the line now opened across the portage through the timber to the shore of Lake Michigan, with estimates for constructing the same one hundred feet wide and thirteen feet deep; at East Chester creek or inlet, New York; at Port Chester harbor, New York; at Rondout harbor, Hudson river, New York; at Maumee river, above Toledo, Ohio; at Fourche La Faive river, Arkansas; for resurveying of Monroe harbor, Michigan; for survey and estimate for removing middle ground at the mouth of Black river, in Saint Clair river, Michigan; harbor at Stonnington, Connecticut; at Grand Marias, Michigan; at Neabasco bay, Virginia; at Accotink bay, Virginia; at Savannah harbor, Georgia; at Well's harbor, Maine; at Coosa river, Alabama; at Huntington harbor, on south coast of Long Island sound; and to complete the survey of the Cumberland river, and the resurvey of the Tennessee river, from Brown's ferry to Florence, Alabama; at Choctawhatchee river, Florida; at Aquia creek, Virginia; for survey of White river, from Buffalo shoals to the mouth of James fork, Missouri; for the survey of the Wabash river, from its mouth to the city of Lafayette; for survey of the Monongahela river, from New Geneva, in Pennsylvania, to Morgantown, in West Virginia; for a survey beginning at vor near Guntersille, on the Tennessee river, to the headwaters of the Warrior and Coosa rivers, in Alabama, with the view of determining the practicability of uniting the waters of the Tennessee river with the waters of the Warrior or Coosa river for the purposes of navigation, and estimates for necessary locks and dams to extend the navigation on said river to the last named place; for examination and survey of the Etowah river, from its mouth up to Cartersville, Georgia, and also for examination and survey of Atchafalaya bay and Calcasieu pass, Louisiana; of the Oostenaula river; from Rome, Georgia, up to the mouth of the Coosawattee; at Chattahoochee river, below Columbus, Georgia; at the mouth of the Saint John's river, from the outer bar to Jacksonville, Florida; at the mouth of the St. Mark's river, from Spanish Hole to St. Mark's, Florida; at Apalachicola bay, Florida; at Tampa bay, at Tampa, Florida; for resurvey of Fifteen-mile falls; at Elizabeth and Nansemond rivers, Virginia; at Camden, Arkansas, to Trinity, Louisiana, on Ouachita river; at Goldsboro, North Carolina, to the mouth of Neuse river; at the mouth of Licking river, Kentucky, for harbor of refuge; for survey of Cape Fear and Deep rivers, as far up as La Grange, North Carolina; at Cuivre river, Missouri, from its mouth to Moscow Mills; at Bayou Bartholomew, from its mouth to the Arkansas State line; for the examination and survey of the Tangipahoa and Tchefuncta rivers, in the State of Louisiana; for the survey of Horse Shoe shoals, in the Delaware river, below Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; for the survey of the harbor of Norwalk, Connecticut; for surveying the mouths of Quantico and Choppa Wamasic bays, Virginia; for examination and survey of Red river, from the mouth to a point above the raft in Louisiana.

SEC. 4. That the unexpended balances of appropriations made by the act adproved July eleven, eighteen hundred and seventy, entitled "An act making appropriations for the repair, preservation, and completion of certain public works in rivers and harbors, and for other purposes," for the fiscal year ending June thirty, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, are hereby re-appropriated for the purposes therein specified; provided, that any part of the appropriations made by this act may, at the discretion of the Secretary of War, be applied during the current fiscal year.

Approved March 3, 1871.

INSURANCE.

GUARDIAN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

Established in 1859.

ALL POLICIES NON-FORFEITABLE.
CASH OR THIR PREMIUMS.
NO NOTES REQUIRED.

Last Cash Dividend Fifty Per Cent.

Cash assets over	$2,000,000
Policies in force	35,000,000
Annual income	1,000,000
Losses paid since 1859	600,000

OFFICERS:

W. H. PECKHAM, President.
W. T. HOOKER, Vice President.
L. McADAM, Secretary and Actuary.
G. A. FREDRIKAR, Superintendent of Agencies.

DIRECTORS:

Hon. John A. Dix, New York.
John J. Crane, President Bank of Republic.
William M. Vermilye, Banker, Wall street (Vermilye & Co).
Charles G. Rockwood, Cashier Newark Banking Company.
Hon. George Opdyke, ex-Mayor of New York.
Minot C. Morgan, Banker.
Thomas Rigney, firm Thomas Rigney & Co.
Benjamin B. Sherman, Treasurer New York Steam Sugar Refining Company.
Aaron Arnold, firm Arnold, Constable & Co.
Richard H. Browne, of Wetmore & Browne, lawyers.
E. V. Haughwout, firm E. V. Haughwout & Co
William Wilkens, firm W. Wilkens & Co
Julius H. Pratt, Merchant.
William W. Wright, Merchant.
Charles J. Starr, Merchant.
William Allen, Merchant.
George W. Cuyler, Banker, Palmyra, New York.
George W. Hope, President Continental Fire Insurance Company.
John H. Sherwood, Park Place.
Walton H. Peckham, corner Fifth avenue and Twenty-third street, New York.
William T. Hooker, Wall street.
Edward H. Wright, Newark, New Jersey.
George W. Farlee, Lawyer.
W. L. Cogswell, Merchant.

JOSEPH MAGNER,
Manager for Louisiana and Texas, No. 158 Common street, New Orleans. fe18 2y

TEUTONIA INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ORLEANS.

Insure Fire, Marine and River Risks at Lowest Rates.

TEMPORARY OFFICE, NO. 111 GRAVIER STREET, NEAR THE CORNER OF CAMP STREET.

Capital $1,000,000
Subscribed 700,000

A. EIMER BADER, President.
CH. ENGSTFELD, Vice President.
GEORGE STROMEYER, Secretary.

Board of Trustees:

A. Eimer Bader,	M. Frank,
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W. Davis,	Joseph Keller,
Isaac Scherck,	E. T. Del Bondio.

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OFFICE OF THE SUN MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ORLEANS,

61 ..... Camp street 61

FIFTEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

NEW ORLEANS, January 21, 1871.

In conformity with the requirements of their charter, the company publish the following statement for the year ending December 31, 1870:

Amount of premiums for the year ending thirty-first Decembe viz.:

On Fire Risks	$102,060 38	
On Marine Risks	43,465 64	
On River Risks	74,305 59	
	$224,832 11	
Add—		
Unterminated Risks for 1869	51,511 00	
		$276,343 11
Deduct—		
Unterminated Risks for 1870	$45,612 00	
Return Premiums	914 56	
		46,526 56
Net earned premiums for 1870		$229,816 55

Losses paid during same period, viz.:

On Fire Risks	$73,539 00	
On Marine Risks	51,005 61	
On River Risks	20,964 83—	150,510 09
Taxes	13,913 79	
General Expenses	37,012 72	
Discount on Premiums	16,031 91	
Interest on Scrips	47,434 42	
Re-insurances	3,114 38—	117,507 22
Amount reserved for unadjusted losses less savings	6,739 04	
	$374,776 35	
Less—		
Discount and interest, and profit and loss	57,995 89	
		216,780 55
Net Profit		$13,036 00

The Company have the following Assets, estimated at the lowest market cash values, viz:

465 Consolidated and Railroad City Bonds	$338,435 00
6 State Bonds	5,160 00
44 City Seven Per Cent Bonds	23,630 75
4 I. O. O. F. Bonds	4,000 00
3 Grand Lodge of Louisiana Bonds	3,000 00
2 N. O. Turners' Association	1,000 00
600 Shares N. O. Gas Light Company*	99,000 00
224 Shares Citizens' Bank of Louisiana	36,800 00
350 Shares Union Bank of Louisiana*	11,900 00
223 Shares Canal Bank*	9,372 00
60 Shares Crescent City Bank	1,200 00
59 Shares Louisiana State Bank*	5,900 00
50 Shares Mechanics' and Traders' Bank	1,800 00
30 Shares Harbor Protection Company	1,500 00
5 Shares Merchants' Bank	225 00
Loans on Pledge	54,863 45
Loans on Mortgage	72,450 00
Bills Receivable	2,800 00
Scrip of other Insurance Companies	6,381 60
State Coupons	3,457 20
Premiums in course of collection	28,000 00
Cash on hand	63,286 82
Total	$774,061 82

*Including Dividends.

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

THOMAS SLOO, President
THOMAS ANDERSON, Secretary.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, PARISH OF ORLEANS, City of New Orleans. }

Sworn to and subscribed before me this twenty-first day of January, 1871.

ANDREW HERO, JR., Notary Public.

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, 1871; also, fifty per cent on the balance of the scrip of the year 1858, payable on and after the third Monday in March, 1871, and they have further declared a dividend of ten per cent on the net earned Participating Premiums for the year ending December 31, 1870, for which certificates will be issued on and after the twentieth day of March next.

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

DIRECTORS:

John G. Gaines,	E. J. Hart,
B. Biscoe,	Henry Renshaw,
I. N. Marks,	W. E. Seymour,
J. Weis,	R. S. Venables,
W. A. Kent,	Richard Flower,
Hugh Wilson,	Thomas Sloo.

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INSURANCE.

MERCHANTS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ORLEANS.

No. 104 Canal Street.

SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

In conformity with the requirements of their charter, the company publish the following statement:

Premiums received during the year ending May 31, 1871, including unearned premiums of the previous year—

On fire risks	$757,573 58	
On marine risks	103,898 61	
On river risks	239,680 35	
Total premiums	$1,101,052 54	
Less unearned premiums	222,422 90	
Net earned premiums, May 31, 1871		$878,629 64

Losses paid—		
On fire risks	$429,790 37	
On marine risks	69,230 27	
On river risks	72,791 63	
Total	$571,812 27	
Taxes	46,531 71	
Reinsurances and return premiums	30,062 37	
Total	$648,206 35	
Deduct interest, loss expenses	33,360 75—	$615,135 60
Profit		$263,505 04

The company have the following assets—

Real estate	$119,965 11
City bonds	254,050 00
Bank and railroad stocks	37,456 60
Notes secured by mortgage	410,932 30
Notes secured by pledge	103,506 30
Bills receivable	57,755 43
Premiums in course of collection	62,023 94
State bonds	1,500 00
Scrip of other companies	6,112 50
Stock of Vallette Dry Dock Company	19,300 00
Stock of Levee Steam Cotton Press	2,200 00
Stock of Marine Dry Dock and Ship Yard Company	3,700 00
Harbor Protection Company	1,500 00
Mortgage bonds Grand Lodge of Louisiana	3,000 00
Mortgage bonds Turners' Association	2,000 00
Mortgage bonds Odd Fellows' Hall	5,000 00
Stock Opera House Association	3,000 00
Judgments	18,134 10
Cash on hand	361,762 39
Total assets	$1,483,239 57
Less—Unclaimed interest and interest payable July next on all outstanding scrips of the company	$73,745 90
Issues of scrip for the years 1863, 1864 and 1865, payable in July	179,890 00
Unearned premiums on May 31, 1871	222,422 00— $481,057 90
	$1,002,131 67

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

P. FOURCHY, President.
G. W. NOTT, Secretary.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, } Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans. }

Sworn to and subscribed before me the third day of June, 1871.

JOSEPH CUVILLIER, Notary Public.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the third day of June, 1871, it was resolved to declare a scrip dividend of thirty per cent on the net earned participating premiums for the year ending thirty-first of May, 1871, for which certificates will be issued on and after the first day of August next. Also, to pay on and after the second Monday in July next the whole issues of Scrip for the years 1863, 1864 and 1865, and six per cent interest on all outstanding scrip of the company.

DIRECTORS:

P. Fourchy,	L. F. Generes,
P. Maspero,	P. S. Wiltz,
D. McCoard,	S. Z. Relf,
M. Puig,	Joseph Hoy,
D. A. Chaffraix,	Charles Lafitte,
	J. J. Fernandez.

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NEW ORLEANS MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

Office Corner of Camp and Canal Streets.

ASSETS DECEMBER 31, 1870, $302,742 07.

Insures fire, marine and river risks, dividing the profits on each department separately to the insured. J. TUYES, President.

J. W. HINCKS, Secretary.

Directors.

George Urquhart,	M. Payro,
A. Rochereau,	Placide Forstall,
G. W. Babcock,	Augustus Reichard,
A. Schreiber,	Ernest Miltenberger,
Charles Lafitte,	W. B. Schmidt,
T. Bailly Blanchard,	J. Tuyes.

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CRESCENT MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY

Twenty-second Annual Statement.

NEW ORLEANS, May 19, 1871.

The Trustees, in conformity to the charter, submit the following statement of the affairs of the company on the thirtieth day of April, 1871:

Fire premiums for the year	$130,572 56	
Marine premiums for the year	70,195 62	
River premiums for the year	222,613 88	
		$423,382 00
Earned premiums, less reinsurance and return premiums		$400,010 69
Losses paid and estimated as follows:		
On fire risks	$45,799 95	
On marine risks	19,195 69	
On river risks	72,639 45	
	$137,634 49	
Taxes paid and estimated	43,819 21	
Discount in lieu of scrip, stamps, expenses, interest account, etc., less discount, etc.	50,103 53	
		231,557 23
Leaving net profits		$168,453 46

The company has the following assets:

Bills receivable	$34,389 11	
Loans on bond and mortgage	91,143 33	
		$116,532 44
Loans on pledge of stocks at call	286,716 66	
Cash on hand	119,095 77	
		405,812 43
Real estate		75,000 00
City bonds, bank and other stocks		228,745 00
Premiums in course of collection		82,572 65
Total		$908,662 52

The company has also suspended—

Notes, stocks and bonds	$283,246 25
Forfeited scrip	9,904 79
Less interest on scrip	53,489 52

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

THOMAS A. ADAMS, President.
HENRY V. OGDEN, Secretary.

PARISH OF ORLEANS, } City of New Orleans. }

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this nineteenth day of May. W. V. EVANS, Second Justice of the Peace.

The Board of Trustees resolved to pay interest at six per cent in cash on all outstanding certificates of scrip, and also to pay in cash FIFTY PER CENT of the issue of 1860, to the legal holders thereof, on and after the first Monday in June next.

They have also declared a scrip dividend of FIFTY PER CENT on the earned premiums entitled to participate, for the year ending April 30, 1871, for which certificates will be issued on and after the first Monday in August next, free of government tax.

THOMAS A. ADAMS, President.
C. T. BUDDECKE, Vice President.
HENRY V. OGDEN, Secretary.

TRUSTEES:

Thomas A. Adams,	Samuel H. Kennedy,
C. T. Buddecke,	P. H. Foley,
S. B. Newman,	A. Thomson,
A. C. Ober,	John Phelps,
P. Adams,	R. H. Summers,
A. Eimer Bed	B. Newgass,
	J. J. Garrard.

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INSURANCE.

THIRD ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE MUTUAL AID AND BENEVOLENT LIFE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF LOUISIANA.

Office. No. 120 Carondelet Street.

NEW ORLEANS, July 31, 1871.

Amount received from members for assessments upon deaths		$140,341 26
Amount received from interest and dividend		2,262 25
Amount passed to credit of forfeitures		4,446 25
Amount to credit of profit and loss account		1,556 65
Total		$149,596 40
Amount paid on deaths	$115,337 00	
Expenses—		
Advertising, stationery, salaries, etc	11,692 38	
Commissions, for three years	5,947 95—	132,977 83
Net profits		$16,158 57

LIABILITIES.

Amount to credit of policy holders for membership fees and deposits	33,386 75
Total	$49,545 32

ASSETS.

Cash on hand	$12,823 54
Cash due by members on assessments	2,500 00
Bills receivable	2,500 00
Crescent City railroad stock	9,953 25
New Orleans and Carrollton railroad stock	7,640 80
Canal and Claiborne street railroad stock	5,216 25
Bank of America stock	4,219 50
Factors and Traders' Insurance Company stock	4,525 00
Office furniture	1,161 78
New Orleans Gas Company	10 00
Total	$49,545 32

JOHN DAVIDSON, President.
L. A. FOURNIER, Treasurer. au2 1m

LAFAYETTE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF NEW ORLEANS.

Capital ..... $300,000.

Office corner of St. Andrew and Magazine streets, up stairs; entrance on St. Andrew street.

INSURES AGAINST LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE AT LOWEST RATES.

OFFICERS:

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Louis Mathias, Secretary; John Purcell, Inspector.

DIRECTORS:

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O. P. Thielsman,	Florence Pfister,
Louis Faessel,	J. F. Kranz,
Henry Ellermann,	Dr. W. B. Wood,
Henry Bensel, Jr.,	Alfred Shaw,
Charles Kummel,	R. D. Maclin,
Christian Mehle,	John Henderson, Jr.,
B. H. Schene,	J. M. G. Parker,
	August Bernard.

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SHERIFF'S SALES.

Bank of New Orleans vs. Samuel W. Jones.

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF Orleans. No. 1753.—By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale to me directed by the honorable the Fifth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on WEDNESDAY, September 27, 1871, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

A CERTAIN SQUARE OF GROUND, situated in the Third District of this city, designated as the square number twenty, bounded by Broad, White, Onzaga and Lapeyrouse streets, measuring three hundred feet six inches and five lines front on both Lapeyrouse and Onzaga streets, and three hundred and fourteen feet one inch and one eighth of a line front on both White and Broad streets.

The said square of ground being composed of twenty-two lots, numbered from one to twenty-two, inclusive; the whole as per plan drawn by L. Surgi, late surveyor, on the twenty-second day of August, 1836, and deposited in the office of Theodore Seghers, late a notary public in this city. Together with all the buildings and improvements on the said square of ground, rights, ways, privileges, servitudes and dependencies thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining. Being the same property acquired by the defendant from Mrs. Mary Jane Cross, wife of George G. Gordin, per act passed before Robert J. Ker, notary public in this city, on the twentieth day of July, 1870.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

C. S. SAUVINET,
au27 se12 27 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

William Bogel vs. John M. Huger.

SIXTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF Orleans, No. 1294.—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the honorable the Sixth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at my warehouse, No. 74 St. Ann street, between Royal and Bourbon streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, September 9, 1871, at five o'clock P. M.—

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY BOXES COTTON CARDS AND TWENTY-FOUR CASES COTTON CARD CLOTHS.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

C. S. SAUVINET,
au29 se2 9 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

The City of New Orleans vs. Etienne Charles.

THIRD DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF Orleans, No. 14,265.—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the honorable the Third District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, September 16, 1871, at twelve o'clock M. the following described property, to wit—

A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, with the improvements thereon, situated in the Eighth Assessment District, in square No. 467, bounded by Rayou St. John, St. John's route, Hagan avenue, Lopez, Esplanade and Rendon streets, measuring thirty feet front on St. John route by one hundred and twenty feet in depth.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

C. S. SAUVINET,
au15 3t se16 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

State of Louisiana vs. Mrs. J. Kerchoff.

THIRD DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF Orleans, No. 18,731.—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the honorable the Third District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, on Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on MONDAY, September 18, 1871, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, situated in the First District of this city, in square number two hundred and sixty-six, bounded by Canal, Common, Dryades and Baronne streets, measuring twenty-four feet by one hundred and twenty feet.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

C. S. SAUVINET,
au17 se1 17 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

Lodoiska Landry vs. Alex. Bergamini, Jr.

FOURTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No. 25,302—By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale to me directed by the honorable the Fourth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on SATURDAY, September 23, 1871, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, situated in the Second District of this city, in the square comprised within Esplanade, Derbigny and Claiborne streets and Bayou road, designated by the number three on a plan drawn by L. Surgi, late surveyor, on the third of May, 1850, and deposited in the office of Amedee Ducatel, notary public in this city, as plan number twenty-five of his book of plans number four. Said lot measuring, American measure, sixty feet six inches and four lines front on Claiborne street, one hundred and two feet in depth on the line nearest to Esplanade street, one hundred and fourteen feet ten inches on the line nearest to Bayou road, and thirty-four feet six inches in width on the rear line toward Derbigny street. Together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, No. 291 Claiborne street, rights, ways, privileges, servitudes and dependencies thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining. Being the same property acquired by the defendant by purchase from the succession of Alexander Bergamini, Sr., per act passed before A. J. Ker, notary public in this city, on the fourteenth day of April, 1866.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

C. S. SAUVINET,
au22 se6 23 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

State of Louisiana vs. J. H. Carter.

THIRD DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF Orleans, No. 18,943.—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the honorable the Third District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, on Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, in the Second District of this city, on MONDAY, September 18, 1871, at twelve o'clock M., the following described property, to wit—

A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND situated in the First District of this city, in square No. 205, bounded by Coliseum, Prytania, St. Andrew and St. Mary streets.

Seized in the above suit.
Terms—Cash on the spot.

C. S. SAUVINET,
au17 se1 17 Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

W. A. Freret vs. Thomas I. Dix.

FIFTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF Orleans, No. 2418.—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the honorable the Fifth District Court for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, on the premises hereinafter designated, on MONDAY, September 4, 1871, at half-past ten o'clock A. M., the following described property, to