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AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

BY R. M. & B. J. MONTGOMERY, at 11 o'clock, at the corner of Natchez and Camp streets, a general assortment of household furniture etc.

BY THE SUCCESSORS OF C. E. GIRARDEY & CO., at 12 o'clock, at Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, three lots, in square bounded by St. Mary, St. Andrew, Prytania and Coliseum streets, five squares of ground in Carrollton.

BY C. E. GIRARDEY, at 12 o'clock, at St. Charles Auctioneers' Exchange, a lot, with buildings, in square bounded by Perdido, Clara, North Poydras and Willow streets; two lots, with improvements, in same square.

BY S. GUINAULT, at 12 o'clock, at Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, seven lots, in square bounded by St. Louis, Conti, Pierce and Scott streets.

BY NASH & HODGSON, at 12 o'clock, at St. Charles Auction Exchange, three lots, with buildings, in square bounded by Barracks, Hospital, Roche blave and Dorgenois streets.

BY PLACIDE J. SPEAR, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, a lot on Washington avenue, between Morales and Urquhart streets; two lots on Bayou St. John, at Gentilly; three lots, with buildings, in square bounded by Dorgenois, Hospital, Barracks and Rocheblave streets; a lot with buildings, in square bounded by Decatur, Chartres, Conti and St. Louis streets.

BY CONSTABLE JOHN McCORMICK, at 12 o'clock, at No. 129 Chippewa street, household furniture; at the corner of St. Charles street and Commercial alley, interest in a law suit.

BY CONSTABLE JOHN HURLEY, at warehouse, No. 139 Julia street, household furniture.

BY SHERIFF HARPER, at 10½ o'clock, at Nos. 22 and 24 Ursulines street, furniture and movables. At 12 o'clock, at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, a lot, with buildings, on Claiborne street, between Annette and St. Anthony streets.

Local Intelligence.

RELIEF FOR THE UNFORTUNATE.—The relief and disbursing committees are kept at work in the good cause, at No. 23 Carondelet street.

The following sums were received at the Mayor's office yesterday:

"Thespia"	$1000 00
Meyer, Weiss & Co.	100 00
Letter carriers, do	25 00
Rufus Waples	20 00
Collections, Cotton Exchange, New York	5000 00
Collections, Cotton Exchange, New Orleans	2677 00
Sun Mutual Insurance Company	250 00
Dunnell, Sherman & Co., of New York, through Duncan, Sherman & Co., of New Orleans	500 00
Morrison & Woodward, proceeds of their sales of the twenty-fourth instant	51 50
Total	$9623 50

The following telegram explains itself, and speaks well for the disposition of the donors:

ST. LOUIS, April 24, 1874.

To Hon. Louis A. Wiltz, Mayor of New Orleans:

The committee of the Union Merchants' Exchange appointed to solicit subscriptions, food and supplies, have realized so far about the value of $4000, and will begin shipments to-morrow, and continue their efforts for more contributions, and will inform you again soon forward more.

FORREST DOLHONDE,
Secretary of Special Committee.

Senator O. H. Brewster has shipped by the steamship Ouachita Belle, which leaves this evening, the following supplies to the points indicated:

Henry Fisher, Lower Black river—2 barrels pork, 8 barrels meal, 1 barrel crackers.

A. F. Mardis, Lower Black river—3 barrels pork, 12 barrels meal, 1 barrel crackers.

Wilson & Brother, fifteen miles below Trinity—2 barrels pork, 8 barrels meal 1 barrel crackers.

Captain Bob Walters, Trinity—8 barrels pork, 32 barrels meal, 4 barrels crackers.

Holman Brothers, Harrisonburg—5 barrels pork, 20 barrels meal, 3 barrels crackers.

Dave Stafford, Start's Landing—2 barrels pork, 8 barrels meal, 1 barrel crackers.

P. H. Carter, his landing—3 barrels pork, 12 barrels meal, 2 barrels crackers.

I. L. Sizemore and George Williams, Bunker Hill—5 barrels pork, 20 barrels meal, 4 barrels crackers.

Colonel R. A. Blanks and J. A. Williams, Columbia—6 barrels pork, 24 barrels meal, 4 barrels crackers.

Tom Webb and Watt Duncan, St. Alban's Landing—6 barrels pork, 24 barrels meal, 4 barrels crackers.

Emile Girod, Hopewell plantation—4 barrels pork, 16 barrels meal, 3 barrels crackers.

A. J. Gore, Waco plantation—3 barrels pork, 12 barrels meal, 2 barrels crackers.

General J. Frank Pargoud, Monroe, for Ouachita parish—12 barrels pork, 48 barrels meal, 6 barrels crackers.

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Fancy cashmerette suits, $6 50. Brown Cheviot suits, $7 50; and furnishing goods at cost, at Garthwaite, Lewis & Miller's, No. 100 Common street.

BRIEF MENTION.—Messrs. E. L. Bower and A. J. Bacon, Mayor's office, have our thanks for favors.

All that is needed to complete our happiness is a slight shower of rain, just enough to lay the dust.

Patrolman S. A. Campbell, second precinct, resigned his number on the force yesterday, under charges. What for?

It is probable that the fellow who stole the reporter's fine silk umbrella will go to that happy country where there is only one rain—the reign of Satan.

George Frey and Frank O'Brien, the dashing young men who spoil ink in writing names which do not belong to them, go to the Superior Criminal Court as forgers at the urgent solicitation of Judge McArthur. To make things even accused will appear before the First District Court to explain how easy it is to obtain six barrels of flour by false pretences.

Spaulding and Darby, the benevolent fellows who were so willing—on paper—to furnish $100 watches for $13, will shake New Orleans mud off their hoofs to-day.

Thomas Feraday, who shot his wife on Calliope street last Thursday, was committed to the Parish Prison yesterday, to await the result of the wounds.

Independent Fire Company No. 2, Carrollton, will give a diversity ball next Saturday night, in the hall of the hook and ladder company, as a complimentary ticket from Mr. J. Trahart informs us.

We might have at least one fair day if Old Probability would only change the style of his prognostications.

A rather singular accident happened on board the steamboats Ouachita Belle and Governor Allen last evening, at the head of Gravier street. The Belle in jamming the Allen splintered a fender, when a portion of the wood flew up and forcibly struck Samuel Lewis, who was on the Belle, nearly killing him.

Attempting to fill a lighted coal oil lamp was a painful experiment for Mrs. Harriet Nelson, corner of Lesseps and Moreau streets. The lamp exploded and the lady was badly burned.

THEY WANT THE POUNDS.—Gentlemen who are to have charge of the new law relative to cruelty to animals yesterday made a formal demand on Administrator Brewster to surrender the several public pounds. Mr. Brewster declined to comply and now the subject goes before the council for action.

TOO MUCH FUSS OVER A SMALL MATTER.—Early last evening, a loaferish looking man was discovered in the upper part of the Customhouse, under circumstances which caused an order to be issued for his ejectment. Two employes went for the straggler, intending to quietly put him out, but the fellow resisted and yelled as if for a premium or leather medal, attracting general attention. It became necessary to use force to oust him, and some one foolishly cried out that the men were about to throw him over the high railing. The interloper was finally carried to the Canal street door, and gently told to go. At that point, two or three colored men excitedly rushed out of the building, up to the men who had taken the loafer off, and acted as if they would like to lynch them. If these excitable men are employed in the Customhouse, it would not be out of place for their employers to put them through a course of spring sprouts.

The wholesale stock of spring clothing at cost for cash, at Garthwaite, Lewis & Miller's, No. 100 Common street.

OILING AND FIRING A DWELLINGHOUSE.—About four o'clock yesterday morning fire was discovered under the house No. 278 Melpomene street, occupied by A. J. Brooks, a policeman. The fire was discovered in time to prevent a great loss and was extinguished by the inmates. Coal oil had been poured on the wood work, apparently to assist the flames. Corporal Labuzan last evening arrested Anderson Randolph at the above place and charged him with arson. Mrs. Pendergast owns the building.

CHARGED WITH MANSLAUGHTER.—The coroner's inquest in the Charles Howard case resulted in the jury finding that Howard's death was caused by Curley, and returned a verdict of manslaughter, as there were circumstances which indicated that Curley had acted in self-defense.

LONGSHOREMEN'S CLUB.—At the organization of the First Ward Republican Longshoremen Club, on April 24, the following officers were elected: Henry Washington, president; S. A. Murphy, first vice president Sam Bills, second vice president; N. Heines, third vice president; J. J. Ambrose, treasurer; B. Gardner, secretary; Paul Boudreau, marshal; Washington Mettis, sergeant-at-arms.

A QUESTION TO BE SETTLED.—A liberal gentleman, who contributed money and induced others to give, desired that a portion of the $81 be given to people who have suffered by overflow in the rear of our city. The committee declined to appropriate the fund as requested, saying that they were not authorized to make donations for others than those in the country. It may not be generally known that the losses this year back of the First, Second and Third Districts have been very severe. The large and small market gardens are almost entirely ruined, a fact which marketers have already noticed in the price of vegetables. There is a chance for the proper investment of a few dollars of the relief fund already, and should any of the canal levees be allowed to break, the amount required would certainly be large.

Meteorological and River Report.

The signal service, United States army, reports, for the benefit of commerce, the meteorological record, and rise or fall of the rivers, at 3:43 P. M., local time, yesterday, as follows:

Place.	Ther.	Wind.	Weather.
Augusta	67	N. E.	Cloudy.
Baltimore	56	S. E.	Cloudy.
Cairo	48	N. W.	Fair.
Cincinnati	53	E.	Cloudy.
Davenport	53	S.	Fair.
Dubuque	56	S. E.	Fair.
Galveston	57	N.	Cloudy.
Indianola	58	N.	Fair.
Keokuk	54	S. E.	Clear.
Key West	67	E.	Fair.
Lacrosse	53	S.	Fair.
Leavenworth	62	S.	Fair.
Louisville	59	.....	Fair.
Memphis	52	N. E.	Threatening.
Mobile	60	E.	Threatening.
Montgomery	55	N.	Heavy rain.
New York	52	N.	Cloudy.
Nashville	45	N.	Light rain.
New Orleans	61	N. E.	Cloudy.
Omaha	64	S. W.	Fair.
Pittsburg	50	N. E.	Fair.
Savannah	59	S. E.	Fair.
St. Louis	49	E.	Fair.
St. Paul	56	S. E.	Cloudy.
Vicksburg	51	N. E.	Cloudy.
Yankton	67	S. W.	Cloudy.

THE RIVERS.

Stations.	Rise, inches.	Fall, inches.	Above low water mark. Ft.	In.
Cairo	..	..	47	0
Cincinnati	..	19	52	5
Davenport	1	..	5	8
Dubuque	4	..	8	2
Helena	1	..	42	8
Keokuk	1	..	6	1
Leavenworth	26	..	3	9
Lacrosse	..	..	6	10
Louisville	..	52	13	0
Memphis	..	..	34	7
Nashville	..	30	43	6
New Orleans	1	..	..	..
Pittsburg	..	14	9	10
St. Louis	2	..	18	11
St. Paul	1	..	8	11
Vicksburg	..	..	45	4
Yankton	..	4	9	8

The river here is one foot below high water mark of 1871.

The Temperature.

The thermometer at Louis Frigerio's, No. 50 Chartres street, on April 24, stood as follows: At 8 A. M., 60°; at 2 P. M., 64°; at 6 P. M., 62°. Lowest point during the night of April 23, 59°. Rain April 23, two inches.

The Fate of Carpenter's Bill.

The Louisville *Courier-Journal*, an intelligent Democratic paper, contains in its issue of the twenty-first the following well grounded opinion of its Washington correspondent as to the final disposition of Carpenter's Louisiana bill:

The probability is that on the motion to lay the bill on the table there will be a decided majority in the affirmative. The negative vote will comprise all the Democratic and Liberal Republican Senators, and one or two Republicans besides Mr. Carpenter; but these will hardly be enough to prevent the bill being tabled. If, however, the motion to lay on the table should fail, a vote will be had on Mr. Bayard's amendment recognizing McEnery as the lawful Governor of Louisiana. This will receive the Democratic vote, and probably also the Liberal Republicans; but both combined would not avail. No administration Senator's vote can be expected for the amendment. As to the Carpenter bill, should it come to a vote, it is probable that it will receive the votes of Messrs. Stevenson, McCreery, Cooper, Bogy, Davis, Johnston, Ransom, Merrimon, Gordon, Norwood and Goldthwaite, all Democrats; of Messrs. Schurz, Tipton and Fenton, Liberals, and of Carpenter, Logan, and some other Republicans. Messrs. Bayard, Thurman and the mass of the Republican Senators are against the bill.

The Progress of High Water.

The signal service has been doing a good work recently in connection with the present overflow of the Lower Mississippi, by announcing, several days in advance, the approach of each of the three great floods that have successively moved from Cairo to New Orleans since the first instant, sweeping away in their resistless course vital portions of the protecting levees. Special warnings were telegraphed to the threatened points, and ample time given for such action by the inhabitants as their judgment and a knowledge of the danger seemed to justify. The system of reports established by the chief signal officer two years ago, by which each important city on the principal Western rivers is notified daily of the stage of water at the other river towns with which it has business connections, has grown steadily in favor and popularity by furnishing to all interested parties regular and trustworthy data for their guidance in making shipments. Sufficient experience appears to have been already obtained by the Signal Office to justify it in issuing river probabilities and warnings, which will doubtless prove as beneficial to river interests as the weather probabilities and cautionary signals have been to our ocean and lake commerce during the past three years.—*New York Times.*

Only one eclipse will be visible from this continent in 1874—of the moon—total—midnight—October 24 and 25. There will be one other eclipse of the moon and two of the sun during the year, but these will not be visible here. The great astronomical event of the year will be the transit of Venus on the seventh of December.

The Shah of Persia intends to make a pilgrimage to Mecca, in fulfillment of a vow made during his European tour.

Monetary--Commercial.

MONETARY.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY REPUBLICAN, FRIDAY EVENING, April 24, 1874.

The money market continues dull. The offerings of approved paper, both in bank and on the street, are limited, and the few transactions reported in commercial signatures indicate no variation in rates. We continue to quote first class paper with collaterals at 9@10 ⅌ cent ⅌ annum; without, at 11@12; A1 at 1@1½ ⅌ month, and second grade at 2. First class mortgages rule at 10 ⅌ cent ⅌ annum, but nothing is reported in second class.

NEW ORLEANS CLEARING HOUSE.

	Clearings.	Balances.
April 18	$853,978 98	$157,151 66
April 20	1,449,720 46	205,362 67
April 21	1,319,612 00	153,722 11
April 22	1,145,755 55	150,623 49
April 23	1,291,106 78	147,639 51
April 24	1,393,569 64	190,173 93
Total this week	$7,453,743 49	$1,004,748 87
Total last week	8,779,234 02	972,805 29
Total week before	11,486,674 47	1,203,149 93

Gold opened nominal, against 111¾ at New York, and after a limited business closed at 111¾@112, against 112 in that market. The sales were confined to $17,000 embracing $1000 at 111⅜; $7000 at 111⅜; $6000 at 111¾@111⅞, and $3000 at 112.

No sales of silver were reported. American half dollars are now quoted at 107@108, and Mexican dollars at 110@—.

Under the course of gold at New York, sterling exchange declined nearly 2 10 ⅌ cent. The movement was of moderate extent, amounting to only £22,000, comprising £7000 bill of lading and A1 clear at $5 37½@5 39; £1000 bill of lading at $5 38½; £2000 do at $5 39; £2000 A1 clear at $5 39½; £1000 bill of lading at $5 40; £4500 A1 clear at $5 40@5 40⅛, and £2500 bill of lading at $5 40½.

The only sale of francs reported was 20,000 commercial at 4 60¼.

At the close sterling bills were quoted at $5 39@5 40½ for bill of lading and A1 clear, and —@$5 44 for bank; and francs at 4.70@4.68¾ for private, and nominal for bank.

The offerings of domestic exchange were of fair extent, and commercial slightly hardened. The sales of New York were reported $250 bbl, embracing $10,000 commercial, and $25,000 private bankers', at ½ ⅌ cent discount, and $5000 and $40,000 commercial, $25 000 and $65,000 private bankers' and $10,000, $25,000 and $25 000 bank at 7-32. We also noticed a sale of $10,000 commercial on Providence at ½ ⅌ cent discount.

The banks continue to check on New York at par, and commercial sight was quoted at ¼ ⅌ cent discount, against ¼ yesterday.

No sales of stocks were reported.

The sales of bonds included $5000 city gold bearing seven per cents at 54½, $4000 at 54½, $1000 at 54¾, and $5000 and $5000 at 54¾; they closed at about 54½@54¾.

No sales of city appropriation certificates or Metropolitan Police warrants were reported; they were both quoted at about 65@66.

We heard of a considerable movement in large State warrants, but the particulars were withheld. Large are now quoted at 40@45, and small at 56@55.

Bank of America	60 00	@	65 00
Canal and Banking Company	81 00	@	82 00
Citizens' Bank	— —	@	50 00
Germania National Bank	135 00	@	136 00
Hibernia Bank	81 00	@	82 00
Lafayette Bank	44 00	@	45 00
Louisiana National Bank	109 00	@	109 50
State National Bank	— —	@	60 00
Mechanics and Traders' Bank	22 00	@	23 00
Mutual National Bank	50 00	@	— —
People's Bank	34 00	@	35 00
Southern Bank	— —	@	65 00
State National Bank	— —	@	30 00
Union National Bank	60 00	@	61 00
Workingmen's Bank	12 00	@	13 00
Crescent Mutual Insurance	67 50	@	68 00
Commercial Insurance Company	70 00	@	— —
Delta Insurance Company	48 00	@	— —
Factors and Traders' Insurance	54 50	@	55 00
Home Insurance Company	25 00	@	26 00
Hope Insurance	40 00	@	45 00
Louisiana Mutual Insurance Co	45 00	@	— —
Merchants' Mutual Insurance Co	68 00	@	70 00
Mechanics & Traders' Insurance	68 00	@	70 00
New Orleans Mutual Insurance	23 50	@	24 00
Orleans Mutual Insurance Co	38 50	@	39 00
Sun Mutual Insurance Company	72 50	@	73 00
Carrollton Railroad	100 00	@	100 50
Crescent City Railroad	39 00	@	40 00
Canal and Claiborne Street Railroad	39 00	@	40 00
New Orleans City Railroad	154 50	@	155 00
Orleans Railroad	50 00	@	55 00
St. Charles Street Railroad	79 00	@	79 50
Jackson Railroad	— —	@	6 50
Crescent City Slaughterhouse	12 00	@	13 00
New Orleans Gas Company	129 00	@	130 00
Home Manufacturing Company	— —	@	100 00
Louisiana Levee Co. (ordinary)	2 00	@	2 25
Louisiana Levee Company	4 50	@	5 00
Loan and Pledge Association	80 00	@	82 00
Louisiana State Lottery	— —	@	85 00
Mechanics' and Agricultural Fair	— —	@	10 00
New Orleans Wrecking Company	45 00	@	60 00
Sugar Shed Company	15 00	@	15 25
Louisiana Ice Manufacturing Co	16 00	@	18 00
Varieties Theatre Association	350 00	@	400 00
Canal and Claiborne Street Railroad first mortgage bonds	—	@	85
Jackson railroad mortgage bonds	55	@	56
Jackson railroad second mortgage coupon bonds	88	@	90
Jackson railroad second mortgage debt bonds	84	@	—
Louisiana levee	40	@	41
State warrants, large	40	@	45
State warrants, small	50	@	55
Metropolitan Police warrants	65	@	66
City certificates of appropriation	65	@	66
Gold bond certificates	53½	@	—
City six per cent bonds, consolidated, old	65	@	65½
City Jackson railroad bonds	56	@	—
Jefferson City bonds	54½	@	55
City seven per cent gold bonds	54½	@	54¾
City six per cent railroad bonds	56	@	—
City seven per cents	—	@	51
City seven per cents, new	51	@	52
City ten per cent bonds, 1871	69	@	70
City wharf bonds	—	@	75
Water works bonds	—	@	50

NOTE—In the unsettled condition of the market, quotations must be, to a great extent, considered nominal, especially for bank and insurance shares, which are neglected, and, when forced off, sell at irregular prices.

COMMERCIAL.

FRIDAY EVENING, April 24, 1874.

COTTON—The sales to-day embraced 1300 bales, at steady prices for desirable lists of the medium and better qualities, and easier for irregular kinds and the lower grades. We modify our quotations accordingly for low ordinary, ordinary and good ordinary, with no other change, and give also the Exchange figures as below:

	General quotations.	Exchange quotations.
Inferior	9 @16	—
Low ordinary	10¾@11¾	11⅜
Ordinary	12¾@13¾	13¼
Strict ordinary	13¾@13¾	—
Good ordinary	14¾@15¾	15⅜
Strict good ordinary	15¾@15¾	—
Low middling	16¾@16½	16½
Strict low middling	16¾@16¾	—
Middling	17⅜@17¾	17⅝
Strict middling	17⅝@17½	—
Good middling	17¾@—	17⅞

A heavy rain storm, which commenced during the night and prevailed with greater or less violence until the afternoon, interrupted the movement, which was also checked by the gold telegrams from New York, which having suspended operations in foreign exchange, in which nothing was reported until late in the day. Under these circumstances we did not hear of a transaction during the morning, after which there was some demand, and the sales embraced the amount noted above. Good staple and other desirable kinds were held with continued firmness, and sold at prices showing no falling off. In fact, the business in such descriptions might have been increased to a moderate extent had the holders been willing to make some concessions. Other descriptions, on the contrary, sold at less than our inside quotations, showing a reduction of ¼@½c from prices previously paid for similar kinds. Strict ordinary to good ordinary sold at 14 and 14⅛c; strict good ordinary to low middling at 16c; low middling at 16¼c, and strict middling to good middling at 17⅜c.

The sales for the past three days sum up 5750 bales (3000 on Wednesday, 1450 yesterday, and 1300 to-day), making, with the addition of 250 bales to Tuesday's report, an aggregate for the week of 16,000 bales, against 33,000 last week, and 26,500 the week before.

Week's receipts 6932 bales, embracing 551 from other delivery ports (of which 10 from Mobile and 541 from Texas), and 6381 proper, against 8873 proper last week and 18,997 last year. Total proper since August 31, 1,131,404 bales, against 1,104,650 last year—increase 26,754.

The week's exports comprise 26,832 bales, embracing 10,631 to Liverpool, 1549 to Havre, 587 to Rouen, 326 to Hamburg, 2426 to Bremen, 5189 to Revel, 1000 to Barcelona, 2692 to Genoa, and 2572 to New York, to which we have added 7 by rail.

The Exchange telegrams make the receipts at all the ports to-day 5350 bales, against 7259 on last Friday and 6553 last year, and since Friday 32,234 bales, against 39,742 last week and 46,632 last year. Total since August 31 3,325,255 bales, against 3,203,677 last year—increase 322,173.

Exports (Friday to Thursday inclusive) to Great Britain 39,946 bales, against 33,862 last week and 44,841 last year, and to the continent 24,724 bales, against 39,566 last week and 21,338 last year.

Stocks at all the delivery ports, made up to 12 M., 465,025 bales, against 510,293 last week and 457,876 last year.

The amount on shipboard not cleared, going on board and engaged for shipment was set down at the opening this morning at 81,000 bales, embracing 25,000 bales for Liverpool, 15,000 for Havre, 2000 for Spain, 8000 for Bremen, 1000 for the Mediterranean, 16,000 for the North Sea and 4000 for the North, which, when deducted from the stock on hand by our running statement yesterday evening, leaves 76,709 bales to represent the quantity at the landing and in presses unsold or awaiting orders.

The Exchange reports: "Sales 1290 bales. Market dull and unchanged."

COTTON STATEMENT.

	Bales.
Stock on hand August 31, 1873	7,177
Arrived since last statement	1,854
Arrived previously	1,253,095—1,254,949
Total	1,262,126
Cleared to-day	6,525
Cleared previously	1,102,566—1,109,151
Stock on hand and on shipboard not cleared	152,975
Same time last year	154,550

To-day's exports embraced 1212 bales to Liverpool, 1449 to Havre, 2426 to Bremen, 800 to Barcelona and 691 to New York, to which we have added 7 by rail.

Receipts proper since last evening 1852 bales, against 1671 on last Friday, and 1759 last year, making an aggregate since Friday evening of 6381 bales, against 8873 last week and 18,997 last year, and since August 31 of 1,131,404 bales, against 1,104,650 last year—increase 26,754. For receipts at all ports see above report.

SUGAR—Received this morning 123 hhds. Stock in the sheds 4095 hhds. The movement on the landing was prevented by rainy weather all the morning, but the market is firm and the demand is fair at 7¼@7¾c for fair; 7⅞@8c for fully fair; 8¼@8½c for prime; 8¾@9c for strictly prime, and 9¾c for choice.

MOLASSES—Only 22 bbls were received this morning. Stock in the sheds 2409 bbls, 48 half bbls and 48 hhds. There have been no sales in the past few days, hence quotations are omitted.

FLOUR—The market is dull, with a good stock on hand. Rainy weather all the forenoon has prevented operations. There is some disposition on the part of buyers to operate at a reduction of 25c ⅌ bbl on present prices, which holders refuse to grant. Single extra is quoted in small lots to the local trade at $5; double extra $5 50; low treble extra $6; good do $6 25@6 50; choice do $7@7 50 choice and family extra $7 75@9 ⅌ bbl. The sales yesterday and the day before were made at these prices. To-day only 85 bbls single extra sold at $5; 70 choice treble extra at $7, and 100 choice extra at $8 25. We have heard of a sale of 1000 bbls for Cuba, particulars not transpired.

CORN MEAL—Is scarce and in demand for the sufferers by the overflow. The sales embrace 50, 585 and 400 bbls at $3 90, and 50 at $3 95 ⅌ bbl.

PORK—No movement, but the stock on hand is small and held strongly at $17 75 for original mess; retailing at $18@18 25; and $17 50 for repacked, retailing at $17 75 ⅌ bbl. A lot of 500 bbls mess sold, sellers' option, first half of May, at $17 50 ⅌ bbl.

DRY SALT MEAT—The market is quiet but firm, with a small stock of shoulders, and few or no sides in first hands. Shoulders are held at 7c ⅌ lb; clear rib sides are held at 9¼@9⅜c for loose and packed, respectively. Dealers are retailing shoulders at 7½c; clear rib sides at 9¾c; clear sides at 9½c ⅌ lb, loose. A lot of 7 casks shoulders sold at 7c ⅌ lb.

BACON—The order trade is checked by the flood and the market is dull, but the stock on hand, especially of sides, is small and held strongly for full prices, although advices from the West report a weakened market. Shoulders are now offering at 7¾c; clear rib sides 9⅝c; clear sides 10½c ⅌ lb, with only a few small or job sales, showing a reduction of ⅛@¼c ⅌ lb.

BREAKFAST BACON—Is in supply and dull. A lot of 25 boxes sold at 11c ⅌ lb.

HAMS—Are in supply and dull at 12¾@13½c ⅌ lb for choice sugar-cured.

LARD—Is in light supply and in request. Tierce is quoted at 10¾@10½c for refined and 10¾@11c for keg. No sales reported to day.

WHISKY—Is dull at 87@90c for Louisiana rectified, and $1 01 ⅌ gallon for choice Cincinnati.

COW PEAS—The market is dull again. New clay are selling at $1 70@1 75 ⅌ bushel, though some are held at $2 ⅌ bushel.

WHEAT IN BULK—Foreign orders are here, but but there are no supplies to meet them, and the market is bare. It would command $1 40@1 42 ⅌ bushel for Chicago No. 2 spring. There is some going forward and some supplies are on the way here.

CORN IN BULK—The supplies offering comprise 30,000 bushels without steam freight provided for, and 7000 bushels with steam freight. It is quoted at 73c with freight room and 74@75c without.

CORN IN SACKS—Is in fair supply and quiet. The movement has been interrupted by rainy weather. The sales are confined to 350 sacks, of which 100 and 250 white at 85c ⅌ bushel.

OATS—Are in fair supply and moderate demand; 750 sacks sold, of which 600 choice at 62c, and 150 at 63c ⅌ bushel.

BRAN—Is in light supply. 50 sacks sold, at $1 ⅌ 100 lbs.

POULTRY—Western grown chickens are selling at $5 50@6; young chickens $3@4; ducks $4@5; geese $6@8; turkeys $22@24; Louisiana grown chickens $5; young $3 50@4; ducks $3 50; geese $7@8; turkeys $16@12 ⅌ dozen.

EGGS—Western are selling at 17@19c ⅌ dozen; Louisiana 20@22½c.

HAY—Is in supply and dull, with small sales, at $21 for prime and $23 ⅌ ton for choice.

STAR CANDLES—Are dull, and are quoted at 15c ⅌ lb; 2 ⅌ cent off for cash. Some of the stock is held under limit at 16c ⅌ lb.

ESCULENTS AND GREEN VEGETABLES—Are in light supply and moderate demand. Louisiana potatoes are selling at $3 50@4; Western $3 75@4 ⅌ bbl. Onions $4 50@5 ⅌ bbl. Cabbages 9@11c ⅌ piece. Green peas $2 ⅌ bushel. Turnips 30c ⅌ dozen bunches. Celery 60c ⅌ dozen bunches. Lettuce $3 ⅌ lb. Cauliflowers 60c ⅌ dozen bunches.

SALT—Is in fair supply. 1500 sacks Liverpool were shipped yesterday to the West. A cargo of 4500 tunnels Turk's Island sold a few days ago on private terms, also one cargo of Liverpool. Coarse is selling at $1 30@1 35; fine $1 50 ⅌ sack. Turks Island is quoted at 90c@$1 ⅌ bag of two bushels. When taken from warehouse a reduction is made for drayage. Table salt in pockets sells at 2½@6½c each, according to size.

HIDES—Are quiet and firm. Country green salted are quoted at 10@10½c; dry salted 15@15½c; flint 19@19½c ⅌ lb. Steer hides, city slaughter, over 85 lbs 10c; 80 to 84 lbs 10½@11c; under 70 lbs 10c. Cow hides, as they run, 9½c. Kips, 20 to 24 lbs 12@13c; 25 to 30 lbs 12c. Calf skins each 75c. Beeswax, prime yellow, ⅌ lb 28c. Ox horns each 5c.

RYE—is in good supply and dull. Holders are asking $1 20 ⅌ bushel.

CHEESE—Is dull. Choice Western factory is quoted at 16@16½c. New York cream at 19½c ⅌ lb. Western stock is large and the demand is limited. Pittsburg is selling at 40c at wholesale, 75c ⅌ bbl at retail; $7 ⅌ hhd, 50c ⅌ box to steamboats, 60@65c to manufacturers. Anthracite $13 ⅌ ton. Spadra 75c at retail.

MOUNT CARBON COAL—Is selling at retail at 65c, on board ⅌ bbl.

OAK STAVES—Staves on flatboats sell always on their merits. The receipts are large. Staves are selling at wholesale at $85@105 for extra pipe; $50@60 for extra hogshead; $45@50 for extra claret. The following are dealers' prices. Extra pipe $160@175; extra hogshead $125@135; extra claret $72@80; barrel $60; keg $45 ⅌ 1200.

BUTTER—The supply of fine is light. Ordinary is plentiful and dull. Choice Western is quoted at 33@35c; inferior Western 25@30c; choice Goshen 38@40c; inferior 30@35c ⅌ lb.

COTTON SEED OIL CAKE—No city offering. Country is quoted at $24 ⅌ ton gross.

DOMESTIC FRUIT—Strawberries are selling at 35c ⅌ quart; Japan plums 5c ⅌ lb.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples are selling at 9½c; Peaches 10c ⅌ lb.

LINSEED OIL—Prices firm. Raw is quoted at $1 07; boiled $1 12 ⅌ gallon.

IRON COTTON TIES—The supply is large and the demand is limited. They are quoted at 7c ⅌ lb.

FEATHERS—Are selling at 75c ⅌ lb.

CASTOR OIL—Is quoted at 19½c ⅌ lb for New York.

RICE—The market is quiet and the stock is light; prices are firm. We quote: Choice (Louisiana) at 8¾@9c; prime 8½@8¾c; fair 7¾@8c; ordinary 7¾@8c; common 6¾@7c; No. 2 4½@5c ⅌ lb.

LARD OIL—Light supply and moderate demand. Extra winter is selling at 33@35c ⅌ gallon.

REFINED COAL OIL—Barrels are quoted at 17@19c, cases 22@23c ⅌ gallon.

BAGGING—There is no trade of any consequence. Domestic jute is quoted at 14½c; hemp and flax 14@14½c; India 12c ⅌ yard in bales and rolls. Domestic jute is held at wholesale at 13½c ⅌ yard.

WOOL—Decline in prices in the North has depressed prices here; the market is dull; the new crop is arriving freely. Lake is quoted at 28@30c; Burry 12@16c ⅌ lb.

MOSS—Good grades are readily sold; low grades are neglected; the stock of inferior grades is large; good grades are in fair supply. Country is selling at 1½@2c, mixed 2½@3½c, black 4@4½c; city picked 5@9c ⅌ lb.

STARCH—Is in fair supply and moderate demand, and is selling at 4½c on the landing and 5c in store.

BEANS AND WESTERN PEAS—Western beans are selling at $4; Northern $3 50@3. Green peas $6 50 ⅌ bbl.

COFFEE—A fair local demand only. We quote cargo lots: Ordinary 21@22c; fair 23@23½c; good 23½@24c; prime 24@24½c (gold) ⅌ lb. Job lots are selling at 22c for ordinary; 23½c for fair, 24c for good, and 24½c ⅌ lb for prime.

TOBACCO—The only sale reported to-day was 10 hhds at —. This makes an aggregate for the week of 214 hhds, against 545 last week and 174 the week before. The amount on sale is estimated at 4325 hhds. We revise our quotations for lugs, as follows: Inferior 4@4½c; medium 4¾@5¼c; good and fine 5@6c; low leaf 6½@7c; medium 7½@8c; fine 9@10c, and selections 11@ 2c.

FREIGHTS—The market continues extremely dull, and we again modify our quotations as follows: By steam—Cotton to Liverpool 7-16d; to Antwerp via Philadelphia 11-16d; to Boston 13-16c; to New York 9-16c; to Philadelphia ¾. Bulk corn to Liverpool 12d.

By sail—Cotton to Liverpool 7-16d; to Havre ⅞@15-16c; to Bremen ⅞c; to Hamburg ⅞c; to Baltic ports 9-16d; to Boston ½c; to Providence and Fall river ½c. Bulk corn to Liverpool 12½d; to Rouen —@25c.

Marine Intelligence.

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CLEARED YESTERDAY.

Spanish steamship Rita, Riestra, for Liverpool
Steamship Cleopatra, Mankin, for New York
German ship Astronom, Klopper, for Bremen
Spanish bark Valparaiso, Roses, for Barcelona
French bark Hortense Dusauley, Cluzans, for Havre
Schooner Texas Ranger, Buchanan, for Havana

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamship City of Dallas, Hines, from New York 15th instant, to Geo A Fosdick &co—2d district
Schooner Island Belle, Briggs, from Cienfuegos, in ballast, to C Clinton—2d district
Schooner R B Locke, Schriever, from Banaco, to L Grande—2d district

TOWBOATS.

Rio Grande, Williams, from the Passes—Towed down to the bar, 26th instant, barks Margarita and Betty, and brig Corwena—Brought up schooners Island Belle and R B Locke

STEAMBOATS.

Ouachita Belle