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NEW ORLEANS REPUBLICAN OFFICE, WEDNESDAY EVENING, March 1, 1876.

The money market was quiet and unchanged. Under the improvement in gold at New York, gold and foreign exchange were a little higher, and the latter moderately active. New York sight was unchanged and stocks were without any new feature. State consols and city bonds were both stronger.

We continue to quote: Exceptional commercial paper —@8 ⅌ cent ⅌ annum discount; A 1 do 9@10, and second grade nominal. First class mortgage paper rules at 9@10 ⅌ cent ⅌ annum; second grade entirely nominal.

NEW ORLEANS CLEARING HOUSE.

	Clearings.	Balances.
February 26	$1 520,651 22	$235,727 22
February 28	1 372,918 23	125 735 53
February 29	(Legal holiday, Mardi Gras.)	
March 1	1,364,757 03	131,303 15
Thus far this week	$5,372,286 53	$492,810 90
Same time last week	6,335 034 83	617,197 87
Total last week	10,749 531 63	999,064 61
Total week before	10,054,905 33	1,142,481 24

Gold opened at 113⅝@114⅛, against 114⅛ at New York, and after a moderate business, closed at 114⅛@114⅜, against 114⅛ in that market. The sales summed up $50,000, embracing $3000 at 114; $3000 at 114⅛; $9000 at 114@114⅛; 4000 and $25,000 at 114⅛, and $5000 and $3000 at 114⅜.

No sales of silver were reported.

Under the improvement reported at New York, sterling was quoted about ⅛c higher, equal to about 1-10⅌c nt, and francs ⅛ ⅌ cent. The sales comprised £43 000, embracing £500 bill of lading at $5 50, £1000 Alcerat $5 50½, £7500 bill of lading at $5 50½@95 51½, £10,000 do and Al clear $5 51@5 51½, £14,000 bill of lading at $5 51@5 52 £4000 bill of lading at —, and $2000 bank at $5 55.

The sales of francs comprised 245,000 commercial, embracing 75,000 and 100,000 at 4.76⅛, and 70 000 at 4.56⅛@4.56⅛, and 15.000 bank at 4 51⅛.

At the close sterling bills were quoted at $5 50½@5 51⅛ for bill of lading and Al clear, and —@$5 55 for bank (bank counter rate at —@$5 55½), and francs at 4.56⅛ for commercial and nominal for bank.

The clearings of New York sight were of fair extent, and rates were unchanged. The sales comprised $170 000, embracing $70,000 commercial, $25,000 and $75,000 private bankers', and $35,000 bank at par; and $25 000 private bankers' at 1 32 ⅌ cent premium. We also noticed sales of $10,000 commercial sixty days' sight on New York at 1⅛ ⅌ cent discount, and $15,000 do on Providence at ½.

The banks continued to check on New York at ⅛ ⅌ cent premium, and commercial sight was still quoted at par.

The following is the official statement of the sales reported to-day at the New Orleans Stock Exchange:

25 shares State National Bank.....$67 50
18 shares Union National Bank..... 35
$3,000 State consols..... 67½
10,000 State consols..... 67¾
15,000 State consols..... 67⅞
Making a total of $28,000 state consols.
$25,000 City premium bonds..... 34¾
10,000 City premium bonds..... 34¾
12,000 City premium bonds..... 35
25,000 City premium bonds..... 35⅛
8 000 City premium bonds..... 35⅛
Making a total of $80,000 city premium bonds.
$10,000 City gold bearing bonds, D. S..... 35
10,000 City gold bearing bonds, D. S..... 35½
9,000 City gold bearing bonds, D. S..... 35¾
5,000 City gold bearing bonds, D. S..... 36
Making a total of $34,000 city gold bonds, D. S.
$600 City scrip..... 42
5,000 Metropolitan Police warrants..... 94¾
1,000 Metropolitan Police warrants..... 95
400 Metropolitan Police warrants..... 96

No sales of stocks were reported except at the Stock Exchange.

State consols were stronger, being quoted at the close at 67@67¾, against 67¼@67½ on Monday. The sales not reported at the Exchange included $10,000 at 67¾.

City bonds were also stronger. At the close premium issues were quoted at 34¾@35¼; (old) currency sevens 33½@34; (new) do 34½@35; gold bearing seven per cents, Administration series, 35@35½, and do drab age 35¼@35¾. The sales included $10,000 premium issues at 35¼, and $5000 at 35¾.

No sales of city scrip or Metropolitan Police warrants were reported except at the Exchange.

COMMERCIAL.

COTTON—The sales to-day (not including 50 bales additional yesterday) embraced 8350 bales, at prices requiring no change in our quotations. We give also the figures and report of the Exchange, as below.

AMERICAN STANDARD OF CLASSIFICATION.

	General quotations.	Exchange quotations.
Inferior	5 @ 6	—
Low ordinary	6½ @ 7	7
Ordinary	7¾ @ 8¼	8¼
Strict ordinary	8¾ @ 9¼	—
Good ordinary	9½ @ 9½	9½
Strict good ordinary	9⅝ @10	—
Low middling	10¾ @11	11
Strict low middling	11 @11⅜	—
Middling	11⅞ @12⅛	12⅛
Strict middling	12⅛ @12⅝	—
Good middling	12⅝ @13⅛	13⅛
Middling fair	14 @14⅜	—
Fair	15 @16	—

The movement was renewed this morning with a moderate degree of spirit, and although operations were restricted by the unsatisfactory character of the offerings, and the stringent pretensions of factors for some descriptions which were in request, yet 2500 bales changed hands up to noon, after which, although few indications of much animation, additional transactions were reported to the extent of 5550 bales, making a total for the day as noted above of 8350. Even-running lists of desirable kinds were held with increased stringency, 12⅜c being refused for an even-running list of middling, but the general run of the offerings, especially mixed lists and the lower grades continued irregular and easy. An average list, barely middling, sold at 11¾c. As a general thing the better styles of the kinds most in request commanded outside figures, showing increased strength, and the medium and lower grades continued irregular and easy, leaning to inside quotations. The dispatches received reported Liverpool dull and easier, at a discount of 1-16d from Monday's quotations, and New York dull and irregular, without any quotable variation in spots, but 1-32@3-32c higher for futures.

The Exchange makes the amount on shipboard not cleared (before to-day's exports) 164,743 bales, embracing 62,900 for Liverpool, 24,544 for Havre, 42,975 for the North sea, 9972 for Bremen, 1979 for Spain, 5762 for the Mediterranean, and 6511 for coastwise ports, leaving in presses, agreeably to its account at 12 M., 216,121 bales. If we deduct from this the amount sold, but not yet delivered, the balance will be about 165,000 bales to represent the quantity unsold, a large part of which is withheld from the market, in transit or not yet sampled.

The Exchange reports: "Sales 6200 bales. Lower grades irregular; better grades steady."

COTTON STATEMENT.

	Bales.
Stock on hand September 1, 1875	9,976
Arrived since last statement	1 367
Arrived previously	1,237,535—1,238,922
Total	1,238,898
Cleared to-day	27,600
Cleared previously	916,605— 944,205
Stock on hand and on shipboard	354,693
Stock on hand same time last year	254,517

To-day's exports embraced 2601 bales to Cronstadt, 219 to Revel, 1104 to Malaga and 4676 to New York.

Receipts proper since last evening 1083 bales, against 13,335 on last Wednesday, and 3102 last year, making an aggregate since Friday evening of 23,985 bales, against 39,819 last week and 16,134 last year, and since August 31 of 1,141,765 bales, against 955,595 last year—increase 238,170.

The Exchange telegrams make the receipts at all the ports from 12 M. yesterday to 12 M to day 7776 bales, against 19,337 last week and 14,666 last year, and since Friday 60 403 bales, against 73,140 last week and 53,693 last year. Total since August 31, 3,462,771 bales up to Monday noon, March 1, last year (excluding the above 14,666)—increase 521,359 bales.

Exports (Friday to Monday inclusive) to Great Britain 43,589 bales, against 53,111 last week, and 39,136 last year, and to the continent 28,540 bales, against 15,832 last week and 72,423 last year.

Stocks at all the delivery ports made up to 12 M., 253,371 bales, against 865,052 last week and 761,387 last year.

RECEIPTS OF COTTON AT UNITED STATES PORTS FROM SEPTEMBER 1 TO CLOSE OF FEBRUARY.

	1875-6.	1874-5.	1873-4.
New Orleans	1,137,245	833,975	978,048
Galveston	397,533	296,229	306,800
Mobile	322,642	290,895	255,293
Savannah	474,565	543,203	577,401
Charleston	351,623	363,779	361,207
Wilmington	68,133	63,701	31,417
Norfolk	390,587	306,904	354,222
Baltimore	14,640	13,954	11,192
New York	167,369	104,180	119,968
Boston	53,283	22,252	16,002
Philadelphia	36,127	26 324	10,684
Various	41,743	43,511	55,099
Total to date	3,454,905	2,913,307	3 077 433
Balance of season	553,135	687,526	
Total season	3,466,942	3,764,959	
Additions and corrections	42,749	39,331	
Overland and Southern consumption	318,154	366,098	
Total crops	3,827,845	4,170,388	

RECEIPTS BY MONTHS.

	1875-6.	1874-5.	1873-4.
September	166,720	132,686	118,448
October	591,737	539 998	361,965
November	759 275	665,553	534,193
December	824,820	738,973	858,621
January	636 619	435,623	693,753
February	475,079	381,054	493,978
March	.....	259,204	324,109
April	.....	131,575	172,791
May	.....	62,235	101,177
June	.....	41,155	55,570
July	.....	17,439	32,483
August	.....	13,527	24,809
Total	.....	3,466,942	3,764,959

The figures by months in 1873-4 do not contain the Port Royal receipts to February 20, or the deduction made later for over count at Savannah, as we have no exact monthly record of either.

Receipts to close of February include:

	1875 6.	1874-5.	1873-4.
Gulf ports	1 857,420	1,421,099	1,540,141
Atlantic ports	1 597,485	1,492,708	1,537,292
Total	3,454,905	2 913,307	3,077,433

Receipts subsequent to close of February include:

	1874-5.	1873-4.	1872-3.
Gulf ports	249 132	310,998	483 795
Atlantic ports	305,003	376,523	423,540
Total	553,135	687,526	837,335

Proportion of total crops received at ports to:

	1875.	1874.	1873.
Close February	.761	.737	.683

RECEIPTS AT NEW ORLEANS FROM TRIBUTARIES.

	1875-6.	1874-5.
Red river, February	34 530	29,185
Red river, previously	82,494	78,484
Total to date	117,024	107 669
Balance season		33,766
Total		146 435
Ouachita river, February	33,960	24,062
Ouachita river, previously	69 232	28,806
Total to date	103 192	52,868
Balance season		17,204
Total		70,072
Arkansas river, February	11,021	5,663
Arkansas river, previously	23,933	11,607
Total to date	34,984	17,275
Balance season		4,861
Total		22,136
New Orleans, St. Louis and Chicago railroad—		
February	34,710	21,620
Previously	216,408	188,656
Total to date	251,118	210 236
Balance season		33,077
Total		243,363
Mississippi river and other sources—		
February	103 085	43,772
Previously	517 852	397,103
Total to date	625,937	445 877
Balance season		54,537
Total		500,419
Total at New Orleans from all sources—		
February	227 276	129 317
Previously	909,969	704,653
Total to date	1,137,245	833,975
Balance season		148 445.
Total		982,420

TOBACCO—We did not hear of a transaction today. The amount on sale is now estimated at — hhds. We continue to quote as follows: Low lugs at 5¾@6c good at 6½@7½c; low leaf at 8@9c; medium at 9⅝@10½c; good at 11½@12½c; fine at 13½@14½c; selections at —@—c, and Africans at 15@16c. Received since last evening 30 hhds; exported 5 hhds to New York. Stock on hand by our running statement 3533 hhds.

FREIGHTS—The market continues quiet, and we repeat our previous quotations as follows:

By steam—Cotton to Liverpool, 7-16d; to Boston, Providence and Fall River, via New York, ⅜c; to Philadelphia and Baltimore, via New York, ⅜c; to New York 9-16c; sugar to New York $3 50 ⅌ hhd; molasses $1 ⅌ bbl; rice 60c ⅌ bbl.

By sail—Cotton to Liverpool ⅜d; to Havre ¾@13-16c; to Bremen 15 16c; to the Baltic ½d; to Boston and Providence ⅝c corn to Liverpool 10d, good liver at 12½c, and good at 13c 2 do at 14c and 2 and 4 at —. Sales for the past week only 52 hhds.

SUGAR—Only 323 hhds were received yesterday and to-day. The market is quiet the supplies selling slowly at previous prices: 5¼@5⅜c for inferior; 5⅝@6¼c for common; 6⅜@6½c for fair; 6¾@7c for good fair; 7⅛c for fully fair; 7¼@7½c for prime to strictly prime; 7⅝@7¾c for choice; 6¼@8¼c for seconds; 8⅜@9c for yellow clarified; 9¼@9½c for off white clarified, and 9¾@9⅞c for choice white clarified.

MOLASSES—Received yesterday and to-day, 404 bbls. The market is quiet, and the supplies are selling slowly at previous prices: 35c for common fermenting; 42 for prime fermenting; 46@48c for strictly prime fermentin; 44@45c for prime reboiled; 49c for strictly prime reboiled, and 52c for choice reboiled.

FLOUR—Stock on hand on the first instant 56 272 bbls. The demand is good, especially for sound and choice flour, and prices are strong. 2790 bbls sold, of which 500 and 500 bbls, taken for Cuba, on private terms, and the balance, 1165 bbls, in the local trade, comprising 50 superfine at $4; 25, 25, 100 and 150 double extra at $4 50; 50 and 80 low treble extra at $4 75; 50 do at $5; 100 good do at $5 25; 75 do at $5 37½; 50 do at $5 50; 25 choice treble extra at $5 75; 50 do at $6; 50 and 100 do at $6 25; 50 and 25 at $6 37½, 25 at $6 40; 50 choice extra at $6 75; 75 at $7; 25, 50 and 50 at $7 50; 50 at $7 75; 100 and 200 bbls on private terms.

CORN MEAL—Stock on hand on the first instant only 382 bbls. The market is dull, and only 150 bbls sold, in lots, at $2 50 ⅌ bbl. It is offering at $2 50 ⅌ bbl.

GRITS—Only a retail or job trade at $4 10@4 25 ⅌ bbl.

POREK—In active demand to-day and prices are fully 50c ⅌ bbl stronger, and have a further upward tendency. 595 bbls mess sold, of which 100 to arrive and 50, 50 and 100 spot at $22 75; 20, 50, 50, 100 and 50 at $23 ⅌ bbl, and 25 bbls on private terms. Subsequently offers of $23 were refused and $23 25 asked. Dealers are jobbing at $23 25@23 50 ⅌ bbl.

DRY SALT MEATS—Shoulders are in light supply and sides are scarce, all are in demand and prices are ⅛c stronger. Shoulders are quoted at 9c; clear rib sides 12⅝c; clear side 12¾ ⅌ lb. 20,000 lbs shoulders sold, to arrive, at 8¾c and 9 casks spot at 9c; 10 casks and 12,000 lbs clear sides at 12¾c; 10,000 and 18,000 lbs clear sides loose spot, at 12¾c ⅌ lb. Shoulders are jobbing at 9¼c, clear rib sides 12¾c; clear 13c ⅌ lb. The job trade is active.

BACON—Is in active wholesale and job demand at 10c for shoulders; 13⅜@13¾c for clear rib sides, and 13¾@14c for clear sides, an advance of ⅛c. The stock is light. Dealers' job prices are ⅛c above these. The stock is light, in new hands and mostly held higher. 116 casks sold, of which 16 casks shoulders sold at the depot at 9¾c; 5 do at 10c; 10 casks clear rib sides, to arrive, at 13¾c; 10 and 10 casks clear sides, to arrive, at 13¾c; 25 do, in lots, spot, at 13¾c; 10 do at 13⅞c; 10 do at 14c; 5 and 10 casks clear rib sides, spot, at 13¾c ⅌ lb.

BREAKFAST BACON—Is scarce and in request at 14½c ⅌ lb. Some light supplies came in and sold at that price. 6 boxes sold at 14½c ⅌ lb.

HAMS—Choice sugar-cured are scarce and in demand and ⅛@⅜c higher; 45 tcs sold of which 5 were at 14⅜c, 30 at 14¾@14¾c and 10 at 15c ⅌ lb. They are jobbing at 15½@16c ⅌ lb.

LARD—is scarce and in request for the local trade and for export, and the market is ⅛c stronger. Packers' tierce is quoted at 12⅞@13c; refined 13¼@13½; kegs and buckets at 14@14¼c ⅌ lb. A lot of 30 kegs sold at 14c ⅌ lb.

COW PEAS—The supplies are yet small, but they are coming in more regularly, and are selling in small lots at $1 40@1 50 ⅌ bushel for mixed, and $1 60@1 75 for clay.

CORN IN BULK—Is in request for export, and none on the market. The last sale at 53c ⅌ bushels. To day a tow of 30 000 bush. is sold to arrive at 53c ⅌ bush.

CITY REFINERY SUGAR—Standard A in bbls is selling at 10⅜@10½c; granulated 11⅛c; powdered 11⅜c; crushed 11⅜c; cut loaf 12⅛c ⅌ lb.

CITY REFINERY MOLASSES—Common is selling 40c; fair 45c; prime 49c; choice 54c; golden syrup 60c ⅌ gallon.

PACKED HOG PRODUCTS—Prime mess pork is selling at $20; prime pork $17 50@18; rump pork $19 ⅌ bbl; pig pork $16½@11 ⅌ half bbl and $21@22 ⅌ bbl; spare ribs $7@7 50 ⅌ bbl; pigs' tongues 5½c a piece; pigs' feet $1 40 ⅌ keg, $2 50 ⅌ firkin and $7 50 ⅌ bbl. A lot of 20 bbls rump pork sold at $18 50 ⅌ bbl.

WHISKY—Light supply and dull. Louisiana rectified is selling at $1 09, and Western $1 10@1 12. Some 25 bbls Louisiana rectified sold to day at $1 09 ⅌ gallon.

CORN IN SACKS—The stock on the landing is about 8000 sacks. Fair demand at previous prices. 4500 sacks sold, of which 1000 mixed at 53c; 300 mixed at 54c; 1000 and 1500 white at 55c, and 800 yellow for Cuba at 58c ⅌ bushel. Yellow is scarce, and supplies would meet ready sales at the above prices.

OATS—The stock on the landing comprises about 6000 sacks. The demand is fair and prices are unchanged. 1375 sacks sold, of which 700 St Louis at 42c; 150 do at 43c; 600 choice Galena at 43c, and 125 white at 46c ⅌ bushel.

BRAN—The stock on the landing is almost exhausted, and comprises only 200 sacks. Prices have advanced 5c ⅌ 100 lbs. 200 and 500 sacks sold at 80c ⅌ 100 lbs.

HAY—The stock on the landing is about 1500 bales. The demand was better to-day. 725 bales sold, of which 75 ordinary at $13; 500 prime at $17; 100 prime at $13, and 50 strictly choice at $25 ⅌ ton.

COFFEE—The market is active and prices are firm. 5007 bags, ex Shawmut, sold at 17¾c ⅌ lb; good fair, and 1000 bags resold on private terms. We quote cargoes: Rio 18½@18¾c (gold); good 18@18¼c; prime 18½@18¾c; job lots, fair 18@18¼c, good 18¼@18¾c; prime 19@19¼c ⅌ lb.

RICE—Prime and choice are scarce. Low grades are dull. 31 bbls ordinary sold at 4¾c ⅌ lb. We quote: Louisiana No. 2 4½@3c; common 4½@4¾c; ordinary 4¾@5c; fair 5¼@5½c; good 5¾@6c; prime 6¼@6½c; choice 6¾c ⅌ lb.

TALLOW—Is in good demand and is taken readily at 9¼c ⅌ lb for prime Texas or city rendered.

COTTON SEED OIL CAKE—Is offering at $33 ⅌ ton for prime country, city cake contracted for is held out of the market.

COTTON SEED OIL—Crude is quoted at 47@48c; refined 51@52c ⅌ gallon.

BEESWAX—is scarce. Quoted at 30c ⅌ lb.

ESCULENTS AND GREEN VEGETABLES—Good supply of potatoes, cabbages and sourkrout; there is very little demand. Apples are scarce and in request. Large stock on hand of sprouted and damaged onions, they are almost unsalable; choice yellow are quoted at $1 50@1 75; red $2@2 25 ⅌ bbl. Potatoes—Peach blows are quoted at $1 25@1 40; russets 75c@$1; early rose and peerless $1@1 10; pink eyes $1 50. Apples $6@6 50 ⅌ bbl. Cabbages $7@8 ⅌ 100. Sourkrout $4@4 50 ⅌ bbl.

BUTTER—Good supply and the demand is moderate. Choice Goshen is quoted at 33@35c; medium 28@30c; inferior is nominal; choice Western 22@23c; medium 16@20c; inferior 14@15c ⅌ lb.

DRIED FRUIT—Plenty and dull. Apples are quoted at 9c; peaches 9½@10c ⅌ lb.

IMPORTED FRUITS AND NUTS—Good demand at unchanged prices. Layer raisins are quoted, quarter boxes 80c, half boxes $1 65, boxes $2 60; lemons $3 50 ⅌ box; citron 24c ⅌ lb; currants 7½c; Brazil nuts 10c; dates 6½c ⅌ lb; cocoanuts $30 ⅌ 1000; bananas $1@3 ⅌ bunch; pine apples $3 ⅌ dozen.

EGGS—Plenty offering and dull. Western are quoted at 14@16c; Louisiana 18@20c ⅌ dozen.

POULTRY—Western grown chickens sell at $5@5 50; young do $3@3 50; ducks $4@4 50; geese $6@7; turkeys $18@20 ⅌ dozen. Louisiana grown chickens $4@4 50; young do $3@3 50; ducks $3@4; geese $5@6; turkeys $17@18 ⅌ dozen.

BALING TWINE—Is selling at 15c ⅌ lb in round lots and 16c ⅌ lb at retail.

GUNNY BAGS—Sell at 15c apiece in bales and 16c resewed.

[Stock of Provisions on Hand.

We are indebted to Mr. H. S. Marks for the following statement of stocks of provisions on hand on the first instant:

Pork (mess), bbls	3900
Pork (prime mess), bbls	349
Pork (rumps), bbls	90
Lard, tierces	859
Lard, kegs	3755
Bacon (shoulders), casks	116
Bacon (clear rib), casks	38
Bacon (clear sides), casks	97
Hams (sugar cured), tierces	205
Dry salt meats, casks	183

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

OFFICE OF THE REPUBLICAN, Thursday, March 2, 1876.

CLEARED YESTERDAY.

Steamship Knickerbocker, Kemble, for New York
Steamship Brashear, Forbes, for New York
Steamship Margaret, Baker, for Key West via Cedar Keys
British ship Annie M Law, Hilton, for Reval
Norwegian ship Herlof Heralson, Olsen, for Reval
Norwegian ship Protector, Weisser, for Reval
British ship Agnes Sutherland, Sutherland, for Reval
Ship Thomas Lord, Hall, for Reval
Norwegian bark Fridleif, Morthensen, for Reval
Norwegian bark Themis, Andersen, for Reval
Spanish bark Rosario, Gorordo, for Malaga
Norwegian bark Preciosa, Jacobsen, for Cronstadt

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamship City of Mexico, Reynolds, from New York, via Havana and Mexican ports, to I K Roberts—1st district 13
Steamship Lancaster, Mills, from Philadelphia, to Wm Creevy—2d district 10
Schooner May Lord, Smith, 18 days from New York, to master—Point

STEAMBOATS.

Frank Pargoud, White, from Greenville
Joe B Williams, Williams, from Pittsburg
Josephine, Cozzens, from Union Plantation
Annie B, Rolfs, from Barataria
J F Frazer, Canton, from Lower Coast
Wawenock, Taylor, from Lower Coast

EXPORTS.

NEW YORK—Steamship Knickerbocker—2843 bales cotton 100 bbls oil 365 bbls molasses 550 bdls hides 79 pkgs mdse

NEW YORK—Steamship Brashear—1833 bales cotton 596 bales hides 5858 loose hides 2776 bdls hides 153 bales wool 311 tcs beef 336 bbls molasses 30 cks m tal 253 bbls rice 5 hhds tobacco 132 pkgs sundries

KEY WEST VIA CEDAR KEYS—Steamship Margaret—For Key West—1125 bbls flour 57 tcs tallow 3c tcs hams 800 sks bran 200 sks corn 420 sks oats 295 pkgs sundries. For Cedar Keys—60 bb's flour 6 hhds sugar 32 pkgs sundries

REVAL—Ship Herlof Heralson—2344 bales cotton

REVAL—Ship Protector—2224 bales cotton

REVAL—Ship Agnes Sutherland—3453 bales cotton

REVAL—Ship Thomas Lord—3934 bales cotton

REVAL—Bark Fridleif—1635 bales cotton

REVAL—Ship Annie A Law—3342 bales cotton

REVAL—Bark Themis—937 bales cotton

MALAGA—Bark Rosario—1104 bales cotton

CRONSTADT—Bark Preciosa—2601 bales cotton

IMPORTS.

NEW YORK AND MEXICAN PORTS—Steamship City of Mexico—Astd mdse

PHILADELPHIA—Steamship Lancaster—Astd mdse

GENOA—Bark D Lanata—500 cases paste 150 do wine 120 pipes wine 40 half pipes do 40 or pipes do 2500 bxs paste 50 do almonds 12 bbls do 400 cases lemons 100 do figs 51 bbls chestnuts 20 sks seed 125 bbls cement 100 bxs vermouth 6 do gum arabic 6 bbls fish 25 cases mdse 501 do paste 100 do soap 25 do oil 15 do mdse 15 marble slabs 1 marble statue

RECEIPTS OF PRODUCE.

GREENVILLE—Steamer Frank Pargoud—2770 bales cotton 4043 sks cotton seed

PITTSBURG—Steamer Jos B Williams with 23 coal boats—467 332 bushels coal

LOWER COAST—Steamer J F Fraser—16 hhds sugar 112 bbls molasses and sundries

LOWER COAST—Steamer Wawenock—44 hhds sugar 44 bbls molasses 102 sks rough rice and sundries

BARATARIA—Steamer Annie B—8 bbls molasses and sundries

UNION PLANTATION—Steamer Josephine—102 hhds sugar 1 tce do 102 sks rough rice and sundries

RECEIPTS BY RAILROADS.

MORGAN'S LOUISIANA AND TEXAS RAILROAD, March 1—1 bale cotton 1 sk seed cotton 57 hhds sugar 2 bbls do 35 bbls molasses $63,911 57 in specie 405 head cattle and sundries

NEW ORLEANS AND MOBILE RAILROAD, March 1—82 bales cotton 38 hhds tobacco 720 sks cotton seed and sundries

CITY COUNCIL—OFFICIAL

REGULAR MEETING.

CITY HALL, NEW ORLEANS, Wednesday, March 1, 1876.

The Council met this day at twelve o'clock M. in regular session.

Present—Hon. Charles J. Leeds, Mayor, presiding, and Administrators Bertoli, Brown, Bouny, Landry, McCarthy and Pilsbury.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved and their reading dispensed with.

Financial and Other Business on Final Passage.

Mr. Brown called up the ordinances described as follows, which, having been read twice, were now on third reading, and they passed unanimously, the yeas and nays having been called, and all the members present at roll call voting:

"An ordinance providing for the payment of the several pay rolls therein named," beginning "Officers and clerks employed in the Department of Finance."

"An ordinance providing for the payment of the several pay rolls therein named," beginning "Department of Improvements, streets, wages, etc., as amended.

"An ordinance providing for the payment of the several pay rolls therein named, for the month of January, 1876," beginning "Pay roll of municipal police courts.

Reports of Committees.

By Mr. Landry, for Mr. Burke, and adopted:

Favorably on the petition of citizens for the erection of a foot bridge over Claiborne street canal, near Second street, and recommending that the petition be referred to the City Surveyor, with instructions to make requisition on the Department of Improvements for the necessary materials for the construction of the said bridge.

Ordinances and Resolutions Offered.

By Mr. Brown, and adopted:

Resolution appropriating $142 in favor of Fairbanks & Co., for one set of weights and measures furnished the State inspector for the Seventh District.

By Mr. Brown and read twice:

An ordinance making appropriations for charitable institutions for the month of February, 1876.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of New Orleans, That the Administrator of Public Accounts warrant on the Administrator of Finance in favor of the following institutions for the sums respectively set opposite their names, being the allowance for charity for the month of February, 1876, in conformity with article 716, Revised City Laws and Ordinances:

St. Mary's Catholic Orphan Boys' Asylum, Chartres, between Mazant and French streets, 335 inmates, $390 83.

St. Vincent's Home, No. 371 Bienville street, 118 inmates, $137 66.

St. Vincent's Infant Orphan Asylum, Race, corner Magazine street, 199 inmates, $232 16.

St. Elizabeth's Asylum, Magazine, corner Josephine street, 140 inmates, $163 33

Female Asylum of the Immaculate Conception, No. 871 Rampart, corner Elmira street, 105 inmates, $122 50.

Mount Carmel Asylum, No. 53 Piety, between Dauphine and Royal streets, 115 inmates, $134 16.

New Orleans Female Orphan Asylum, Clio, between Camp and Prytania streets, 140 inmates, $163 33.

Protestant Episcopal Children's Home, Jackson, between Chippewa and St. Thomas streets, thirty-six inmates, $42.

Home for Jewish Widows and Orphans, Jackson, corner Chippewa street, 106 inmates, $123 66.

Orphans' Home, Seventh street, between Magazine and Constance streets, 143 inmates, $166 83.

St. Anna Asylum, corner of Prytania and St. Mary streets, ninety-four inmates $109 66.

Louisiana Asylum, corner of Tonti and Hospital streets, twenty-five inmates, $29 16.

Asylum of the Little Sisters of the Poor, Laharpe, between Johnson and Prieur streets, 139 inmates, $162 16.

Convent of the Good Shepherd, Bienville, between Broad and Dolhonde streets, 267 inmates, $311 50.

German Protestant Orphan Asylum, Bloomingdale, State, between Camp and Chestnut streets, ninety-seven inmates, $113 16.

St. Joseph's German Boys and Girls' Asylum, corner of Josephine and Laurel streets, 200 inmates, $236 83.

St. Vincent's Infant Orphan Asylum, Race, corner Magazine street, for wet nurses, $200.

St. Vincent's Infant Orphan Asylum, Race, corner Magazine street, for forage, etc., $75.

Ladies of Providence, fifteen inmates, $17 50.

Asylum for Destitute Orphan Boys, seventy-eight inmates, $91.

Louisiana Retreat for Insane, thirty-seven inmates, $43 16.

Total, $3065 59.

An ordinance providing for the payment of the several accounts therein named.

Be it ordained, That the following appropriations be and are hereby made for the month of February, 1876, and that the Administrator of Public Accounts warrant on the Administrator of Finance in payment of the same, whenever there shall be money in the city treasury to the credit of the appropriate fund for each account, and not otherwise appropriated:

Firemen's Charitable Association of New Orleans, for services rendered in the month of February, 1876, as per contract, $11,666 67.

Firemen's Charitable Association of the Fifth District, for services rendered in the month of February, 1876, $700.

Firemen's Charitable Association of the Sixth District, for services rendered in the month of February, 1876, $1250.

Firemen's Charitable Association of the Seventh District, for services rendered in the month of February, 1876, $450.

New Orleans Gaslight Company, for lighting in the month of February, 1876, as per contract, $10,221 43.

Jefferson City Gaslight Company, for lighting in the month of February, 1876, as per contract, $2667 90.

Thomas Pickles, for lighting city with oil in the month of February, 1876, as per contract, $3003 50, less ten per cent retained, $2703 15.

Total, $29,681 15.

An ordinance providing for the payment of the several accounts therein named.

Be it ordained, That the following appropriations be and are hereby made, for the month of February, 1876, and that the Administrator of Public Accounts warrant on the Administrator of Finance in payment of the same, whenever there shall be money in the city treasury to the credit of the appropriate fund for each account, and not otherwise appropriated:

DEPARTMENT OF WATERWORKS AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Waterworks—	
New Orleans Gaslight Company, water pipe	$10 80
Mullan & Holloway, hardware	127 99
Mullan & Holloway, hardware	155 57
G. LeGardeur, Jr., notarial work	20 00
Leeds & Co., castings, etc	104 78
Fred Good, land oil	219 50
Vizard & Wilmuth, pine wood	3 50
A. Denis, agent, rent Waterworks office	100 00
John Voelkel, paints, etc	5 00
Total	$747 14
Insane Asylum—	
J. Dunn, beds	$150 00
W. B. Stevenson, furniture	48 00
James W. Kennedy, wood	61 00
James A. Downs, soap	6 00
Joseph Palmeson, vegetables	43 50
Wilson & Fagan, beef	261 00
E. Vallee, provisions	558 74
Total	$1128 24
Home of the Aged and Infirm—	
Wilson & Fagan, beef	$87 00
Joseph Palmeson, vegetables	8 70
James A. Downs, soap	4 00
E. Valle, provisions	278 60
Total	$378 30
Market Houses—	
Phillip McCabe, repairs, etc	$100 00
A. Meyer, repairs, etc	395 00
H. Rodman, plastering, paving, etc.	275 00
P. Dunn, repairs, etc	185 00
Total	$955 00
Public Buildings—	
S. Boulas, repairing stairs Parish Prison	$30 00
F. Schauchnessy, repairing pavement, etc	132 00
F. Oltmer, repairs, etc	88 00
W. W. Carre & Co., lumber	53 00
C. Schmidt, for work and material at Insane Asylum	465 00
Total	$768 00
Courthouses—	
New Orleans Sanitary and Fertilizing Company, repairs to closets	19 00
Public Sinks—	
New Orleans Sanitary and Fertilizing Company, attention to closets	375 00
DEPARTMENT OF POLICE.	
Boys' House of Refuge—	
E. Vallee, groceries	$248 61
L. Ruch, beef	145 00
Charles Rolling, wood, etc	55 69
New Orleans Sanitary and Fertilizing Company, repairs	26 60
James Downs, soap	10 00
Langshaw & Baker, forage	34 31
G. Palmasene, vegetables	21 75
W. J. Kelly, medicines	37 80
Total	$579 67
Flour for Bakery—	
E. Vallee, sixty-four barrels flour	$464 00
E. Vallee, drayage	16 00
Total	$480 00
Administrator's Office—	
A. W. Hyatt, stationery	$6 50
City Workhouse—	
E. Vallee, provisions	$208 30
L. Ruch, beef	126 55
Langshaw & Baker, forage	65 76
Mrs. H. McGuinn, wood	38 00
Thomas Hasam, lumber	30 00
D. Brady, hardware	33 80
A. Baldwin & Co., hardware	12 75
James A. Downs, soap	6 00
R. DeVerges, coal	5 40
W. J. Kelly, medicines	18 55
Mrs. C. Bruner, vegetables	21 75
Total	$566 86
Home of Aged and Destitute—	
E. Vallee, groceries	$75 26
L. Ruch, beef	165 00
James A. Downs, soap	4 00
Mrs. H. McGuinn, wood	12 00
Total	$256 26
Public Pounds—	
Mrs. James Wright, rent, First District pound	$25 00
Henry Samory, rent, Second District pound	25 00
Mrs. A. Weigler, rent, Third District pound	15 00
J. Lyons, rent, Fourth District pound	15 00