Commercial and Financial Matters.

The ship Wyoming, which cleared yesterday for Bremen, carries out 668 hhds of tobacco.

The bark Lufra cleared yesterday for Cork with 7648 sacks of oil cake—an unusually large cargo of that article of commerce.

We notice that the New Orleans National Bank has declared a dividend of four per cent, payable on after the first of July. This bank is becoming a popular institution among our commercial community.

The steamship Margaret, commanded by our old friend Capt. James McC. Baker, cleared yesterday for Key West and Cedar Keys with 1180 bbls of flour and 1228 sacks of corn, besides numerous other articles, on her manifest. The Margaret, which is a great favorite with the trade, will proceed to Philadelphia to be overhauled.

The railroad companies represent in this country $6,000,000,000 of capital; in England, $2,800,000,000; in Germany, $1,000,000,000; in France, $1,200,000,000. In 1830 there were but twenty-three miles of railroad in operation in the United States; in 1840 but 2813; in 1850 but 9021; in 1860 there were 30,665, and in 1876 there were 77,490.

State Consols opened yesterday at 84⅞, up to 85, receded to 82, and closed fairly five at 82¾@83, against 81⅛@81¼ on Fri-. The sales were $215,000 at the Exchange, and $510,000 outside, making a total of $725,000. Premium Bonds opened at 33, and closed at 33⅛@33¼, against 32⅞@33 the previous day, the sales amounting to $144,000.

The New York Journal of Commerce thinks that "the doings of the international monetary conference will not command very high respect in any quarter, if Germany, Great Britain, Austria and Belgium persist in taking no notice of our invitation. France, Greece, Hungary, Italy, the Netherlands, Russia and Switzerland, which have consented to participate in the meetings, by no means embody the highest financial experience and wisdom of Europe."

The strike of the Lancaster (England) operatives, which is reported to have come to an end, is a fine commentary upon the strike business. During six or eight weeks 110,000 people were voluntarily out of employment, and, as their wages averaged $5 a week, they lost not less than $4,000,000. They have gained nothing in the useless struggle, but, on the contrary, have impoverished themselves and their families, while the mill proprietors have, as usual, maintained their position, and now secure these foolish people at the rates offered them when they struck.

One of the items in the general appropriation bill passed by the present Congress is $15,000 for investigating diseases of swine and infectious and contagious diseases to which all other domesticated animals are subject. According to the St. Louis Republican, the chief object is to find out what are the causes of and what is the remedy for hog cholera, the Texas cattle fever and the pleuro-pneumonia—these being the diseases whose ravages are a subject of the greatest concern to farmers. The murrain, known as pleuro-pneumonia, has been confined almost exclusively to the Atlantic States, while the hog cholera and the Texas fever prevail chiefly in the West. Very little has been done to discover the causes of the last-named diseases, although one of them—the hog cholera, as it is generally and improperly called—causes an estimated loss of $2,000,000 a year to the farmers of Missouri and Illinois alone.

The Scientific American describes the silver mining district of Massachusetts. It has an area of ten square miles, and produces about 200 tons a day, in all, of productive ore. This product is most of it piled up at the mouths of the different shafts, as the owners have not the capital to set up the necessary machinery. The Merrimac mine has been the best worked and has paid twelve dividends, aggregating $80,000. It produces galena, silver and gray copper. It is now operating a vein of galena which yields $70 a ton. A pocket of gray copper found some time ago yielded eight tons, which sold in Liverpool for over $2000 a ton. The China mine, since its opening last fall, has produced 300 tons of silver ore, worth $200 a ton, and some gray copper assaying $1000 per ton. Auriferous pyrites containing $20 of gold to the ton is found in the Noyes mine, and galena assaying $26 a ton of gold and silver is abundant in the Newhall mine, and throughout the entire district.

The Cincinnati Price Current states that many of the Western boot and shoe manufacturers are contemplating reforms in their manner of doing business. They want to arrive at the general agreement to shorten the terms of credit, to abandon the practice of dating bills ahead, and to limit the system of drumming. All these are good suggestions, and might be carried out with advantage in other branches of business besides that of the boot and shoe manufactures. Dating bills ahead, which is simply another mode of giving long credits and increasing liabilities, is a pernicious custom, and one that has always been fraught with danger, and this danger can only be minimized by returning, as the boot and shoe manufacturers now propose, to short credits. The number of drummers sent West, not from the Eastern States alone, but from all the great cities on the seaboard, is declared to be a nuisance that ought to be abated, while the system of undercutting resorted to in the competition for business not only lowers profits below a legitimate figure, but makes business itself precarious and uncertain.

The leading editorial in the London Economist of a late date contains the following on the question of "Specie and the Possible Demand for It:"

There is an influence at work this year which may cause a demand for specie here, or at least a diminution in the supply that might otherwise have come here, which may have considerable effect on the stock of bullion held, and this is the resumption of specie payments in America. Secretary Sherman anticipates that he will want to obtain £10,000,000 of gold for that purpose between this time and January next, and we believe he will obtain it. Whether this is done by drawing supplies of bullion from us, is the same thing as far as the stock here is concerned. Already we observe that some banks of the United States are advertising payments in gold. This is a very desirable thing; but it means, also, that they must keep a supply of that metal by them to an extent which they have not needed before. Even the New York banks have accumulated a considerable stock of specie. A quiet accumulation of this description over a territory of the immense extent and vast resources of the United States must produce a very considerable influence on the stock of specie held in the rest of the world. Therefore, as a demand for specie must exist this year for this purpose, we are glad to see some prospect of a diminution in the demand for it in other directions.

The Louisville Courier Journal says:

At present the loanable capital of banks is hardly earning 60 per cent of its normal profits. In Eastern centres loan funds are kept fairly employed, but at low rates of interest, and in the West, while interest rates are kept nearer to the usual standard, a larger percentage of loan funds is idle or employed outside the discount market. The result is the same, whether rates are reduced 60 per cent on a full volume of loans, or whether rates are maintained while the volume of loans is reduced 60 per cent. Practically the two reductions are combined in diverse proportions, in Eastern and Western States. In this state of affairs, a natural demand has arisen for low interest bonds of undoubted security. Millions of dollars which formerly earned 6@8 per cent interest are being invested in 4 per cent consols, in consequence of which that security is a trifle above par. How long will the 4 per cents remain at par? Until that revival of business activity of which we hear so much, and no longer. Whenever the operations of trade and industry become sufficiently extended to employ capital as actively as a few years ago, people will conclude not to lend money at 4 per cent while borrowing at 6@8 per cent. The volume of money will have a bearing on the question, but no important support is to be looked for in that quarter. If specie payment were practically established, indeed, there would be a much larger currency than in 1872, while $50,000 or $60,000 will go as far as $100,000 prior to the panic, owing to the decline in values; but, under present arrangements, the surplus currency will be withdrawn, in the shape of specie, by exportation.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

MONETARY.

OFFICE NEW ORLEANS DEMOCRAT, Saturday Evening, June 22, 1878.

NEW ORLEANS CLEARING HOUSE.

	Clearings.	Balances
June 22	$949,613 63	$123,645 22

The money market was quiet to-day and absent of any new feature. On the street a fair business was done in securities at irregular rates.

We quote exceptional paper 7@8 ⅌ cent; A1 do 9@10; second grade do —@—; loans on collaterals 6@8; A1 mortgage paper 8½@10; second grade do —@— ⅌ cent per annum.

Gold quiet and steadier.

Foreign Exchange dull.

Sight steady.

State Consols are fairly active at 82¾@83.

Premium Bonds are quiet at 33⅛@33¼.

Stocks moderately active.

Mr. I. N. Maynard, superintendent of the Clearing-House, has obligingly furnished us with the following report of the average daily condition, after the morning exchanges, of the Associated Banks for the week ending Friday morning, June 21, 1878:

RESOURCES.

Specie (coin, average)	$232,786 99
U. S. legal tenders and National Bank Notes (average)	3,786,989 89
Other cash items (average)	14,576 94
Sight exchange on New York (average)	2,029,215 60
Foreign exchange (average)	478,692 09
Due from distant banks and bankers (average)	120,866 06
Loans and discounts (average)	9,286 088 03
Other cash assets (average)	4,405,874 48
Total	$20,975,090 08

LIABILITIES.

Circulation	$1,394,052 50
Deposits (average net after exchanges)	11,478,684 76
Due distant banks and bankers, subject to check (average)	644,651 98
Other liabilities to banks and bankers	499,662 83
Other cash liabilities (average)	67,799 93
Total	$14,085,451 10

COMPARED WITH LAST WEEK.

	Increase.	Decrease.
Coin	.....	$15,000
Legal tenders	.....	30,000
Loans	.....	.....
Deposits	.....	.....

Gold opened in New York at 100⅝, and closed at 100⅞. Here it opened at 100⅝@101, and closed at 100⅞@101⅛. Sales—$8000 at 101, $3000 at 101⅛ and $5000 at 100⅞.

STERLING—Quiet. Bank bills —@483½, commercial 484⅛@485⅛. Sales—£1500 bill lading at 485, and £2000 at 485⅛.

FRANCS—Bank francs —, commercial 5.17½.

SIGHT—Steady. Bank counter rate ¼, commercial and bankers' 1-16@3-32 ⅌ cent premium.

NEW ORLEANS STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

FIRST CALL, 10 A. M.

$80,000 State Consols	84⅞
15,000 State Consols	84½
10 000 State Consols (S. to July 15)	84¾
15,000 Premium Bonds	33

SECOND CALL, 12 M.

5,000 State Consols	83¼
10,000 State Consols	83
5,000 State Consols	82⅞
10,000 State Consols	82⅝
5,000 State Consols	82
20,000 State Consols	82½
5,000 Premium Bonds	33⅛

THIRD CALL, 2 P. M.

15,000 State Consols	83
10,000 State Consols	82¾
15,000 State Consols	82⅞
10,000 State Consols	82¾
5,000 State Consols	82⅞
9,000 Premium Bonds	33⅛

Total Sales—States $215,000, Premiums $29,000.

OUTSIDE SALES.

203 shares N. O. Insurance Association	$28 00
$40,000 Premium Bonds	33¼
45,000 Premium Bonds	33⅛
30,000 Premium Bonds	33
15,000 State Consols	85
125,000 State Consols	84⅞
50,000 State Consols	84¾
45 000 State Consols	84⅛
30,000 State Consols	84¼
65 000 State Consols	84
10,000 State Consols	83¾
60,000 State Consols	83⅛
30,000 State Consols	83
15 000 State Consols	82¾
15,000 State Consols	82⅝
15,000 State Consols	82⅛
35,000 State Consols	82

[By Telegraph.]

NEW YORK, June 22.—Money closed easy at 2 ⅌ cent. Exchange closed steady at 485¼@487½. Gold opened and closed at 100⅝. Governments closed firm. Currency sixes 120¾@121. Pacific Railroad bonds closed as follows: Union firsts 107¼@108; Union land grants 107@107¾; Union sinking funds offered at 101½; Centrals 108@108½. In State bonds Louisiana consols advanced to 83½, and District of Columbia 3-65's sold at 83¼.

Clearing-House Statement—Currency exchanges $52,954,019; currency balances $2,470,224; gold exchanges, $4,990,293; gold balances, $803,186.

Weekly Clearing-House Statement—Currency exchanges $361,644,601; balances $17,501,948; gold exchanges $43,211,986; balances $5,596,137.

COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF NEW ORLEANS DEMOCRAT, Saturday Evening, June 22, 1878.

GENERAL REMARKS—This has been a clear, warm day, without a drop of rain.

The demand for Cotton showed a slight improvement, the sales summing up 700 bales, 250 of which were sold late yesterday evening.

Holders of strictly choice Flour are asking better prices, and the demand is confined only to that class of goods. The sales reached 725 bbls.

Owing to the recent liberal receipts of Corn Meal the market has declined, and good to choice Western is now quoted dull at $2 25@2 30 ⅌ bbl, the reported sales amounting to only 170 bbls.

Pork is still quoted at $10 25 ⅌ bbl on sales from first hands, the market being quiet.

The demand for Bacon was good, and the supply of this hog product being limited, prices are steady to strong.

COTTON—The tone of the market is easy and the demand slightly better, the sales amounting to 700 bales, of which 250 were sold late yesterday evening.

The following is the official closing of the Cotton Exchange:

	To-day.	Yesterday.
Low Ordinary	9⅜	9⅜
Ordinary	9⅞	9½
Good Ordinary	10	10
Low Middling	10⅝	10⅛
Middling	11⅜	11⅛
Good Middling	nom.	nom.
Middling Fair	--	--

Sales to-day 700 bales. Market quiet and unchanged.

COTTON STATEMENT.

In store and on shipboard Sept. 1, 1877.		21,356
Gross receipts since yesterday	200	
Gross receipts previously	1,659,054	1,659,254
Excess in actual stock made from linters, loose, etc., since September 1		12,825
Total supply		1,693,435
Exported to-day	none	
Exported previously	1,654,321	1,654,321
Total stock this day		39,114
Total stock this day last year		71,166

There were no exports to-day.

Net receipts since yesterday	149
Receipts from other ports	51
Net receipts last Saturday	366
Net receipts same day last year	82
Net receipts since September 1	1,363,813
Net receipts same time last year	1,173,942

Cotton on shipboard as per account of the Cotton Exchange is as follows: Liverpool 9995 bales, Havre 782, Bremen 677, Mediterranean —, Spain —, coastwise 870; total, 12,324 bales. This, taken from the stock at noon, as noted at the Exchange, leaves in presses 26,790 bales.

The movement at ports for one day, up to 12 m. to-day, is given below:

	Received since Friday.	Same time last week.	Same time last year.
New Orleans	149	366	82
Galveston	114	257	88
Mobile	105	6	9
Savannah	259	368	227
Charleston	42	48	120
Wilmington	18	144	....
Norfolk	350	200	68
Baltimore	....	....	....
New York	....	....	128
Boston	112	116	82
Philadelphia	153	....	114
Various	....	....	....
Total	1,102	1,505	918
Receipts at ports since September 1		4,195,193	
Receipts same time last year		3,907,785	
Receipts same time year before		4,948,845	

The consolidated report for one day gives exports to

	G. B.	Fr'e.	Con.	Chan.	Stocks
This week	942	....	....	....	193 773
Last week	....	....	....	....	215,618
This week last year	4,609	....	....	....	277,208

SUGAR—No receipts or sales. There is a fair local demand and prices are firm.

We quote: Inferior 4½@5⅝; common to good common 6@6⅜c; fair to good fair 6⅞@7⅜c; fully fair 7⅛@7½c; prime 7¾c; strictly prime 7⅞@8⅛c; gray clarified —@—c; yellow clarified, as in quality, 8¼@8⅜c; off whites, good to choice, 9c; white clarified 9@9½.

MOLASSES—No receipts or sales. The market is quiet and prices steady.

We quote: Common 22@25c; fair 25@28c; prime 32@35c; strictly prime 36@38c; choice 40@42c.

FLOUR—The demand was very moderate to-day, and scarcely anything selling except the better grades. We notice a disposition to hold strictly choice flours for better prices. Low grades are dull and neglected. Sales—80 and 250 bbls at $4 50; 125 at $5; 95 at $5 20; 50 at $5 25; 60 at $5 75, and 65 at $6.

We quote: Fancy choice $5 50@5 75; family $5@5 50; trebles, low to choice, $4 50@5; double extras $4 25@4 50; single extras $3 75@4; superfine $3 50@3 75; common $3. Dealers in their trade obtain an advance of 50c ⅌ bbl on these prices.

CORN MEAL—Under the influence of liberal fresh receipts the market has declined, and good to choice Western is quoted dull at $2 25@2 30 ⅌ bbl, ex-landing. Dealers on job lots out of store are charging $2 50@2 55 ⅌ bbl. Sales—25 and 95 bbls at $2 25; 50 at $2 30.

GRITS—There is a steady demand and prices continue to rule firm at $3@3 25 ⅌ bbl for good to choice Western ex-landing in round lots. On job lots dealers obtain $3 25@3 50, as in quality and brand.

CREAM AND PEARL MEAL—$2 90@3 ⅌ bbl, as in quality.

HOMINY—Wholesale $2 75; jobbing $3.

COW PEAS—The season being about over, the lots remaining on the market find slow sale and at greatly reduced prices. We quote low grades nominal at 30@50c, good mixed 60@70c, and clay 80@81.

PORK—The market was very quiet to-day and the feeling steady, but not stringent, at $10 25 on sales from first hands. Dealers are still jobbing and retailing at $10 75 ⅌ bbl.

DRY SALT MEATS—With a moderate supply and demand the tone of the market is quiet and steady at yesterday's quotations—4⅞c for loose and 5⅜@5½ for packed shoulders. Dealers are still jobbing at 5¾@5⅞.

BACON—The demand was good, and the supply being limited, prices are steady to strong. Shoulders 5⅞c for spot goods, and 5¾c to arrive, clear rib sides 6⅝c, and clear sides 6¾c. Dealers are still jobbing shoulders at 6c, clear rib sides at 6⅜c, and clear sides at 7c ⅌ lb. Sales—1 car load loose shoulders to arrive on private terms; 40 boxes do to arrive at 5¾c; 18 boxes clear rib sides on private terms; 36 boxes clear sides, to be ordered from the West, at 6⅜c.

HAMS—As compared with prices last week, choice sugar-cured hams are ½@1c higher. The supply is light, the demand steady, and prices strong. We quote plain hams 8½@9½c and choice sugar-cured at 10½@11¾c, as in size, quality and brand. Dealers' prices are ½@1c above these figures.

LARD—There is a material advance in lard to-day and receivers have marked up their prices ¼@½c. We now quote refined, good to choice, at 7⅝@7¾c, and packers' prime steam at 7½c. Dealers' prices are ⅛c higher. Sales—20 tierces refined, to arrive, at 7⅝c.

BREAKFAST BACON—The supply on the spot is scarce, and the market is easier for choice goods at 7¼@7½c; dealers are charging 7½@8⅜c for small lots.

FULTON BEEF—Half bbls $9 75; extra Western mess $10@12 ⅌ bbl.

PACKERS' HOG PRODUCTS—Dealers are selling on orders in the job trade at $5 75 ⅌ half bbl for pig pork, $8 50 ⅌ bbl for prime mess pork, $8 25 for prime pork, and $8 50 for rump pork.

COFFEE—The inquiry has somewhat improved during the past day or so, and prices have ruled easier.

QUOTATIONS FOR GOLD.

	Cargoes.	Job Lots.
Prime	— @16¾	17 @17¼
Good	— @16	16¼@16½
Fair	— @15¼	15¼@15½
Ordinary	13¼@13½	13½@13¾

TOBACCO—The reported sales amount to 12 hhds. Stock on sale 5400 bbls.

QUOTATIONS.

Inferior lugs	2 @ 2⅛
Low lugs	2¾@ 3
Medium	3¾@ 3½
Good to fine	4 @ 4¾
Low leaf	4¾@ 5½
Medium	6 @ 7
Good	7¼@ 8½
Fine	9 @10
Selections	10 @12

CORN—The market is easy and the demand light, with a fair supply. Sales—500 white at 50c, and 600 yellow at 51c ⅌ bushel.

OATS—The demand is small and the stock large. Sales—750 and 300 bags at 31½c ⅌ bushel.

BRAN—Quiet. Sales—400 bags at 61½c, and 200 at 65c ⅌ cwt.

HAY—Dull. Choice $14@14 50; prime $11@12 50 ⅌ ton.

WHISKY—The demand for this article is moderate and in prices scarcely any change from day to day. We quote choice Cincinnati $1 05@1 06, fair to good Western $1 02@1 03, Louisiana $1@1 02.

WOOL—Demand good and prices firmer. We quote burry 9@10c; Louisiana clear 20@21c; lake 23@23½c ⅌ lb.

BULK CORN—The market is dull. We quote No. 2 mixed at 45c.

BUTTER—Fair stock and in moderate request. New York creamery fine 23@25c. New York dairy prime 20@22c. New York dairy good 18@19c; Western creamery 18@25c, Western dairy 11@15c ⅌ lb.

CHEESE—Is in light demand. New York cream 12c, Ohio factory 7½c ⅌ lb.

POULTRY — Old chickens $3 75@4; young $1 75@2 50; ducks $2@2 50; geese $3@4; turkeys $9@10 ⅌ dozen.

STARCH—In fair demand at 3¼c in lots.

POTATOES—Western nominal at —@— ⅌ bbl. Of Louisiana potatoes there is a fair stock, with a light demand; prices steady at $1@1 25 ⅌ bbl.

ONIONS—Western nominal. Louisiana onions are in good demand at $1 75@2 25 ⅌ bbl.

SWEET POTATOES—Nominal.

CABBAGES—Are steady. Louisiana cabbages are quoted at $2 50@3 50 ⅌ 100.

BEANS—Northern 3@3¼c, Western 2½@2¾c ⅌ lb.

EGGS—Western 10@13c; Louisiana 15@17½c ⅌ dozen.

RICE—Firm; demand good; No. 2 4¾@5c; common 5½@6c, ordinary 6@6½c, fair 6¾@7c, good 7@7½c, prime 7¾c, choice 7½c ⅌ lb.

SALT—We quote dealers' prices from their warehouses at 85@90c ⅌ sack for coarse; $1 05@1 10 for fine. Turk's Island dull and neglected; held at 30@32c ⅌ bushel. Table salt in pockets 1⅜@7⅛c each as in size.

COTTON TIES—Are quoted at $2 25 ⅌ bundle, with discounts according to quantity.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Domestic.

NEW YORK, June 22.—Coffee dull and nominal; sales—700 Horrax, 800 Spotless; at Baltimore, 2500 mild coffee; prices nominally unchanged. Raw sugar moderately active; sales—1620 hhds refining fair to good fair 7⅞@7 3-16, good 7⅜, prime 7⅝. Refined sugar steady, with fair demand. Linseed oil 51@53.

CINCINNATI, June 22.—Whisky quiet and steady at $1 04. Flour—Fair demand and steady. Oats dull—Mixed 27, white prime 28. Rye quiet—Prime to choice sample 56@57 on the track. Corn fairly active—Mixed ear 41, mixed shell in elevator 42@43. Wheat steady—Good to prime $1@1 02, choice $1 04@1 05. Hogs steady and quiet market—Choice butchers $4@5 50, packing $3 70@3 90, common $3 35@3 60. Provisions firm. Lard fairly active at $7 for current make, steam. Bulk meats quiet—Shoulders 5@5 05, clear rib 5½@5⅝, clear sides 5.80@5.85. Mess pork steady at $10@10 25.

CHICAGO, June 22, 9:20 a. m.—Pork—$9 35 July, $9 47½ August. Lard—6.92½@6.95 July, 7.02½ August, 7.10@7.12½ September.

Union Stock Yards.—Estimated receipts of hogs to-day 16,000; for the week 115,312; shipments for the week 24,807; light $3 65@3 75, heavy $3 60@3 80 to packers and $3 70@3 90 to shippers. Cattle—Estimated receipts 1000; market steady.

11:30 a. m.—Pork firmer; $9 25 July, $9 40 August. Lard—6.92½ bid July, 7.02½ August. Wheat—95 June, 92½ asked July; August not mentioned. Dry salt meats—Shoulders 4.38, short rib 5.30, short clear rib 5.45.

1:30 p. m.—Wheat—95 June, 91@92½ July, 85½ August. Corn—36⅝ June, 36½ bid July, 37 bid August. Oats—24¼ June, 23⅝@23¾ July, 23@23½ August. Pork—$9 15 June, $9 15 July, $9 30@9 32½ August. Lard—6.82½@6.85 June, 6.92½@6.95 July, 7@7 02½ August.

ST. LOUIS, June 22.—Opening—Wheat—88¼ July, 87 August. Corn—35½ July.

Close—Wheat—No. 3 red steady, 87⅞ seller August, $1 cash. Corn lower—35½ July, 36½ August, 34¾ cash. Oats lower—24⅞ June, 24½ July 23 cash. Whisky $1 06. Pork firm—$9 50@9 62½ cash. Cut meats firm and unchanged. Bacon unchanged. Lard—6.85 cash.

Foreign.

LIVERPOOL, June 22, 12:30 p. m.—Cotton dull and unchanged; Middling Uplands 6⅛d, Middling Orleans 6 7-16d; sales—5000 bales, of which 1000 are for export and speculation. Wheat—Western spring 8s 10d@9s 4d, Western winter 10s@10s 3d. Flour—Western canal 22s@24s. Corn—New 22s 9d@23s, old 27s 3d@27s 9d. Oats—2s 9d. Pork—Prime mess Western 43s. Lard—Prime Western 36s 3d. Bacon—Long clear 27s 6d, short clear 30s. Tallow—American 37s 3d.

3 p. m.—Bacon—Cumberland cut at 28s 6d, short rib firmer at 29s, long clear firmer at 27s 6d, short clear firmer at 30s. Hams—Long cut firmer; shoulders firmer at 25s 6d. Lard—Prime Western firmer at 36s 3d. Cheese—American choice dull at 45s. Turpentine—Spirits dull at 35s. Lard oil steady at 32s.

LONDON, June 22, 12:30 p. m.—Tallow 38s 3d@38s 6d. Wheat—Red winter 47s, California 49s; cargoes to arrive depressed—Chicago 40s, California just shipped 47s, nearly due 48s 6d; arrivals for orders light. Corn—Cargoes off coast quiet at 23s 6d; cargoes to arrive depressed.

3 p. m.—Flour quiet at 20s. Wheat—Cargoes off coast, steady Continental demand, Chicago 43s@43s 6d.

Ocean Freights.

NEW YORK, June 22.—Fair business. All rates steady. To Liverpool by steam, 16,000 bushels grain, including corn, at 7¾d, and wheat at 8¼; 20,000 boxes cheese for next week quoted at 40@45s. An Austrian bark to Cork for orders with 4000 quarters grain at 6s 1½d; a bark to Havre, Antwerp or Rotterdam with 3000 quarters at 6s 3d; a Norwegian bark to a direct French port with 3000 do at 6s 4½d; an American brig to Messina with 11,000 cases refined petroleum at 27c gold.

DEPARTURES BY RAILROAD.

The following were some of the departures by the Great Jackson steel rail route: T. S. Salter and family, Oconomowoc, Wis.; H. A. Simoreaud and family, Europe, via New York; Samuel Tate, Jr., Memphis, Tenn; Miss Ursule Babin, Hot Springs, Ark.; A. Hunt, St. Louis, Mo.; Albert Heve, Suspension Bridge, Canada; R. S. Spencer, Norfolk, Va.; G. G. Gordan, Valden; Capt. John E. Powell, Louisville, Ky.; Thos. M. Henshaw and family, St. Louis, Mo.; Col. S. W. Hammond and wife, Oconomowoc, Wis.; A. W. Cooper, wife and child, Hot Springs, Ark.; B. Cleriet, Europe, via New York; Miss Mary Laymet, Little Rock, Ark; W. Bofinger, Cincinnati; E. L. Taney, St. Louis, Mo.; J. C. Curran, Vicksburg, Miss.; Dr. M. F. Bonzano, Superintendent United States Mint, Chicago; J. W. Geary, Vicksburg, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. A. Leduc, Europe, via New York; L. Benjamin, Cincinnati; J. H. House, Memphis, Tenn.; Z. Rait, New York city.

The following were some of the departures last evening by the favorite Mobile fast line: J. M. Dufour, Europe, via New York; D. Burthe, Green Lake, Wis.; A. Wilhensfelder and family, San Francisco; Mrs. Yve. L. Lecanu and five children, Europe, via New York; Mrs. John Calhoun, Mrs. Dudley Calhoun and two children, Warrenton Springs; H. St. Pasteur, Europe, via New York; A. M. Bowling, St. Louis; Henry Otis and family, Oconomowoc, Wis.; T. A. Dalsuet and daughter, Europe, via New York; Philip Simms, Washington; Mrs. John C. Bach and son, Warrenton Springs; C. J. Rogers, New York; Mrs. L. Burthe and two children, Green Lake, Wis.; M. Mellinger, Europe, via New York; L. L. Conrad, Baltimore; Miss Sophie Bell, Montgomery White Sulphur Springs, Va.; G. Casanave and family, New York; C. R. Jerme, Cairo, Ill.; L. A. Boyer, Europe, via New York.

J. R. Walker, D. D. S., No. 154 Canal street.

New linen suits and dusters at lowest possible prices at M. L. Byrne & Co.'s.

WASHINGTON AVENUE DRUG STORE—Corner of Magazine and Washington streets, is one of the most reliable pharmacies in the upper district. They are receiving constantly a fresh supply of pure, fresh drugs, which can be procured at all hours of the night, compounded by experienced clerks. In this establishment will be found a very choice selection of articles for toilet purposes, such as brushes, combs, soaps, perfumeries, etc. Dr. R. J. Malnegra, who has his office in the same building, is too well known to require commendation at our hands. See card in another column.

For delightful shades, pleasant breezes and glorious surf bathing, go to Point Clear this season.

On First of July proximo, judgments will be obtained on City Taxes of 1878. See advertisement.

MUNICIPAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

UNPAID CITY TAXES OF 1878.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY HALL, New Orleans, June 21, 1878.

On the FIRST OF JULY the unpaid City Taxes of 1878 will be filed in the court and judgments immediately obtained, upon which executions will be issued to the Sheriff, and that officer required to proceed by seizure and sale to collect the amounts due.

je21 t jy1 J. C. DENIS, Administrator.

SALE OF THE REVENUES OF THE PUBLIC MARKETS.

BY HOEY, MACON & O'CONNOR.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, City Hall, New Orleans, June 20, 1878.

Will be sold at public auction, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on WEDNESDAY, June 26, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., the revenues of the public markets for the month of July, 1878, viz:

Fruit and Vegetable Markets.
French Meat Market.
Poydras and Pille Markets.
Treme Market.
Washington and Port Markets.
St. Bernard Market.
LeBreton Market.
St. Mary's Market.
Magazine Market.
Claiborne Market.
Jefferson City Market.
Sorapuru Market.
Ninth Street Market.
Algiers Market.
Dryades Market.

The markets will be sold separately.

Terms and Conditions—Cash on the spot in United States currency.

The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

CHARLES CAVANAC, Administrator of Commerce.
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THE CUNARD STEAMERS.

MR. A. H. STUART,

80 .....Carondelet Street.....80

is prepared to secure passage from New York to Liverpool per CUNARD ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS. Parties crossing the ocean would do well to call and see him in time, as these steamers are filling up rapidly in advance of sailing. je16 Su tf

JUDICIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUCTION SALES.

By Albert Paul.

TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE ON MANDEVILLE STREET.

SUCCESSION OF ALEXANDER GAUTIER.

Second District Court for the parish of Orleans—No. 38,768.

BY ALBERT PAUL, Auctioneer—On TUESDAY, July 23, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., at the Merchants and Auctioneers' Exchange, on Royal, near Canal street, by virtue of an order of the Hon. A. L. Tissot, Judge of the Second District Court for the parish of Orleans, dated June 20, 1878, will be sold at public auction—

A CERTAIN PORTION OF LAND, in the Third District of this city, in the square bounded by Mandeville, Moreau, Spain and Casacalvo streets, measuring 26 feet 5 inches 3 lines front on Mandeville street by a depth of 63 feet 11 inches 3 lines. Together with the improvements thereon, etc.

Terms—Cash.

Act of sale at purchaser's expense before E. Cambray, notary public. je23 jy6 13 20 23

SHERIFF SALES.

Borrum & Prase vs. Robert J. Harp, Agent; Smith, Dixon & Co. vs. Publishing House of M. E. Church South; Same vs. R. J. Harp, Agent; White, Corbin & Co. vs. Southern Methodist Book Concern; Eldridge & Co. vs. Robert J. Harper, Agent; Porter & Coates vs. Same et al; E. G. Selchou & Co. vs. Same; E. G. Selchou & Co. vs. Robert J. Harp, Agent.

SIXTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No. 9739; Fourth District Court for the Parish of Orleans, Nos. 44,984 and 44,968; and Fifth District Court for the Parish of Orleans, Nos. 8994, 9114, 9060, 9072 and 9013—By virtue of eight writs of fieri facias, to me directed by the honorable the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth District Courts for the parish of Orleans, in the above entitled causes, I will proceed to sell at public auction on the premises hereinafter designated, on SATURDAY, June 29, 1878, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit—

ALL THE GOODS, MERCHANDISE AND MOVABLE PROPERTY, in the premises situated at Nos. 110 and 112 Camp street, in First District of this city, consisting of books, stationery, etc., as per inventory which may be seen in my office.

Seized in the above suits.

Terms—This being the second and last auction the said property will be definitely adjudicated to the highest and last bidder for what it will bring, at twelve months' credit, the purchaser furnishing bond with good and solvent security, bearing five, six and eight per cent interest per annum from date, according to the respective writs, until final payment. Said purchaser will have to deduct and pay in cash the printing, sheriff's and clerk's fees, etc., which amount to about five hundred dollars.

THOMAS H. HANDY, Civil Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.
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A. Rochereau & Co. vs. John Q. A. Fellows.

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT FOR the Sixth and Seventh Municipal Districts of the parish of Orleans, No. 1057—By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale, to me directed by the honorable the Second Judicial District Court for the Sixth and Seventh Municipal Districts of 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 MONDAY, June 24, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property, to wit—

TWO SQUARES OF GROUND, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon and appurtenances thereof, situated in the late Faubourg Bouligny, formerly in the parish of Jefferson, in this State, now in the Sixth District of the city of New Orleans; said squares being the following, viz:

1. A CERTAIN SQUARE OF GROUND, designated by the number sixty-eight, on a plan of said Faubourg Bouligny made by Charles F. Zimpel, late surveyor, deposited in the office of Lewis T. Caire, late a notary public in the city of New Orleans, said square of ground measuring three hundred feet front on each of Nayades, (now St. Charles) and Apollo (now Carondelet) streets, and three hundred and six feet front on each of Cadiz and Jena streets.

2. AND A CERTAIN SQUARE OF GROUND, in the rear of the above described square, designated by the number seventy-one on the same plan bounded by Apollo (now Carondelet) Cadiz, Bacchus (now Baronne) and Jena streets, which square is divided into twenty-four lots, numbered from one to twenty-four inclusively, on a plan drawn by F. J. Rothaas, late surveyor, on the thirty-first of March, 1851, and deposited in the office of J. H. Van Dalson, late a notary public in New Orleans, for reference. Lots numbers one to ten, inclusively, measure each thirty feet on Apollo (now Carondelet) street by one hundred and twenty feet in depth; lots numbers eleven and twelve measure, each, thirty-two feet front on Cadiz street by one hundred and fifty feet in depth; lots numbers thirteen to twenty-two, inclusively, measure, each, thirty feet front on Bacchus (now Baronne) street by one hundred and twenty feet in depth; and lots numbers twenty-three and twenty-four measure, each, thirty-two feet front on Jena street by one hundred and fifty feet in depth, giving to the said square a front of three hundred feet on each of Apollo (now Carondelet) and Bacchus (now Baronne) streets, and of three hundred and four feet on each of Cadiz and Jena streets, all English measure.

Being the same property acquired by the defendant herein by purchase from Joseph W. Champlin, by act passed before Alphonse Barnett, notary public in the city of New Orleans, on the seventeenth day of June, 1864.

Seized in the above suit.

Terms—Cash on the spot.

THOMAS H. HANDY, Civil Sheriff of the Parish of Orleans.
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Dominique Clavarie vs. Michel Brignon or Brignon.

SIXTH DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH of Orleans, No. 2940—By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale, 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 the