

NEW ORLEANS BULLETIN

NEW ORLEANS, MARCH 31, 1876.

NEW STAIRS FOR THE CUSTOM-HOUSE.

The Old Iron Man-Trap Condemned.

A Marble Stairway to be Built.

Ever since their completion the broad stairs at the Custom-House have been an eye-sore to those who could appreciate anything tasty in architecture...

A broad expanse of iron, without a landing place to break a fall, these steps are certainly the most dangerous in any public building...

Mr. Potter says that it is in as good condition as he thought, but there was room for improvement in several particulars.

When asked about the stairway Mr. Potter stated that he had condemned them and they would be taken down at an early date.

It will be of white marble and start up in two divisions, one on either side the entrance, meeting half way up at a broad landing place...

Mr. Potter states that he believes there is no room or hall in this country that can approach the Central Hall in the Custom-House here, in architectural beauty.

The Connecticut Election.

On the first Monday of April there will be an election in Connecticut for Governor and other State officers, and for a Legislature which will choose a Senator to fill the unexpired term of Ferry, Republican, deceased...

New Hampshire was a State which the Republicans could not afford to lose. Connecticut is a State which the Democrats must not fail to carry.

Nineteenth Century—Mother: "My boy, you should follow the example of your parents and forsake the frivolous delights of immature years."

A Swedish railroad man has devised an ingenious electric apparatus which is designed to prevent railway collisions.

Great God! Whither are we drifting? Is there no secret place on the face of the earth where an honest man dwell and money is safe?

Many of the State Legislatures have adjourned, and the general sentiment is one of relief rather than commendation.

Belknap connived at the sale of appointments. He let a friend have part of the proceeds and took a part himself.

IMPORTERS

INSURANCE.

SUN MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

Paid up Capital, \$500,000.

TWENTIETH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

FOR THE YEAR 1875.

Table with columns for Amount of premiums for the year, Less unexpired risks and returned premiums, Net earned premiums, Discount and interest, Losses paid, Reinsurances and unadjusted losses, General expenses, taxes and rent, Reserve fund, Cash on hand, Premiums in course of collection, Net profit, Assets of the company, Bends, stocks, loans and bills receivable, Cash on hand, Premiums in course of collection, Total assets.

The Board of Directors, at a meeting held on the 19th day of January, 1876, after setting aside TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS to the RESERVE FUND...

DIRECTORS FOR 1876.

- Jan. G. Galnes, Richard Flower, J. L. Farria, E. J. Hart, J. Weis, D. A. Chaffraix, Hy Renshaw, B. W. Taylor, L. Aloua, Hugh Wilson, J. C. Morris, Isaac L. Haas, B. Biscoe, James I. Day, Scott McGee, A. Baldwin, Lionel C. Levy, Geo. Jonas, Chas. Macready, Emory Clapp, D. Fatjo, W. E. Seymour, T. L. Airey.

This old and reliable company is issuing policies on fire, river and marine risks on the most favorable terms.

EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

HOPE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NEW ORLEANS.

Office, No. 125 Common Street.

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

Table with columns for On fire risks, On marine, On river, Losses paid during the same period, On fire risks, On marine, On river, Less rebates, State and city licenses and taxes, Reinsurances, Rest, Return premiums, Profit and loss, Expenses less interest, Profits, Reserved for risks not terminated, Reserved for unadjusted losses, Cash dividend, Estimated depreciation of assets, Total assets.

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

PARISH OF ORLEANS.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 10th day of January, 1876.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held this day it was resolved that a cash dividend of TEN PER CENT be hereby declared on the capital stock of the company out of the net earnings to December 31, 1875, payable on demand to the stockholders or their legal representatives.

Adolph Marks, Gustave Marks, L. B. Cain.

MARKS, BROS. & CO.,

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WINE, LIQUORS,

FANCY GROCERIES,

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INSURANCE.

THE NEW ORLEANS INSURANCE COMPANY.

PANY.

Corner of Canal and Camp streets.

SIXTEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 15, 1876.

In conformity with the requirements of their charter, the NEW ORLEANS INSURANCE COMPANY publish the following statement of their affairs for the year ending December 31, 1875:

Table with columns for Fire premiums, Marine premiums, River, Unearned premiums, 31st August, 1874, Deduct unearned premiums, Deduct returned premiums, Net earned premiums, Add, Interest, salvage, etc, Deduct, Reinsurances, Fire losses, Marine losses, Unadjusted losses, River, Rebate, Commissions to agents, General expenses of agencies, General expenses of home office, Contingent expenses, Board of Underwriters, State and city taxes, Net profit, Deduct, Dividend paid in August, Dividend declared, Reserved for unsettled claims, The company have the following assets, Real estate, Stock and mortgage notes, Stocks and bonds, Bills receivable, Premiums in course of collection, Agency premiums in course of transmission, Due by insurance companies, Suspense account, Sundry debtors, United States securities, Cash, LIABILITIES, Reserved for unexpired risks, Dividend declared, Dividend uncollected, Reserved for unsettled claims, The foregoing is a true and correct transcript from the books of the New Orleans Insurance Company.

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this 17th day of January, 1876.

JOHN LEMONNIER, Third Justice of the Peace, Parish of Orleans, La.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 13th inst., it was resolved to pay the semi-annual interest dividend of five per cent on the capital stock to the stockholders or their legal representatives, on and after the FIRST MONDAY of February next.

J. W. HINCKES, Secretary.

DIRECTORS:

- Ernest Merrill, A. M. Bickham, Placide Forrestal, A. Schreiber, H. Galley, J. Taves, Chas. Laditte, W. A. Bell, W. Van Benthuyzen, D. Fatjo, Pierre Poutz, D. D. Rogers, J. Davidson Hill, M. Johnson, S. D. Astor, J. S. Lanphier, Hugh Allison, Robert L. Moore, Isaac Bloom, H. J. Mullon, J. A. Braselmann, John Myers, W. T. Blackmore, Edward Nalle, C. H. C. Brown, Edward C. Payne, E. R. Briggs, George W. Sentell, Samuel Boyd, W. B. Thompson, John D. Cobb, Frederick Wing, J. E. Campbell, C. W. Wood, W. L. Cushing, T. S. Waterman, Benjamin Gerson, J. F. Wyche, E. G. Gilbert, Lloyd R. Coleman, C. A. Green, G. P. Harrison, of cod ff

MERCHANTS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

PANY OF NEW ORLEANS,

104 Canal Street.

TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL STATEMENT.

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

Table with columns for Premiums received during the year ending May 31, 1875, including Unearned Premiums of the previous year, On Fire Risks, On Marine Risks, On River Risks, Total Premiums, Less Unearned Premiums, Net Earned Premiums 31st May, 1875, Losses paid, On Fire Risks, On Marine Risks, On River Risks, Taxes, Reinsurances and Return Premiums, Expenses and fifteen per cent rebate less interest, Profit, The Company have the following assets, Real Estate, City Bonds, Bank, Railroad and other Stocks, Notes secured by mortgage and pledge, Bills receivable, Premiums in course of collection, State Bonds, Insurance Stock, Stock of Vallette Dry Dock Company, Mortgage Bonds, Turners Association, Cash on hand, The above statement is a just and correct transcript from the books of the Company.

Sworn to and subscribed before me the 14th day of June, 1875.

JAMES FAHEY, N. P.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held on the 14th day of June, 1875, it was resolved to pay to the Stockholders, on demand, interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum on their stock.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24th day of January, 1876.

W. E. Schmitt, A. M. Bickham, Placide Forrestal, A. Schreiber, H. Galley, J. Taves, Chas. Laditte, W. A. Bell, W. Van Benthuyzen, D. Fatjo, Emile Devary, D. D. Rogers.

THE NEW ORLEANS INSURANCE COMPANY

OF NEW ORLEANS, LA.,

Corner of Camp and Canal Streets,

ESTABLISHED IN 1805.

Insurance for year 1874, \$504,038 79

Assets December 31, 1874, \$758,509 88

The Company insure Fire, Marine and River Risks. James H. HINCKES, Secretary.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 10th day of January, 1876.

AD. SCHREIBER, Vice President.

J. TAVES, President.

DIRECTORS:

- W. E. Schmitt, A. M. Bickham, Placide Forrestal, A. Schreiber, H. Galley, J. Taves, Chas. Laditte, W. A. Bell, W. Van Benthuyzen, D. Fatjo, Emile Devary, D. D. Rogers.

INSURANCE.

MECHANICS' AND TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY,

No. 14 Carondelet Street.]

SIXTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 28, 1875.

In compliance with article 13 of the Charter, this company makes the following statement of its business for the year ending 31st August, 1874:

Table with columns for Received for, Fire premiums, River premiums, Marine premiums, Unearned premiums, 31st August, 1874, Deduct unearned premiums, Deduct returned premiums, Net earned premiums, Less, Fire losses, River losses, Marine losses, Unadjusted losses, Reinsurances, Rebate, Taxes and licenses, Office expenses, Board Underwriters, Babcock engines, Profit and loss, Less interest, Net profit, Bills receivable for premiums and loans on pledge, Cash, Premiums in course of collection, Invested in bank, insurance and other stocks, bonds, etc., Less shrinkage, Stock notes, Real estate, The above statement is a true and correct transcript from the books of the company.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, New Orleans, this 28th day of September, 1875.

CHAS. G. ANDRY, Notary Public.

The Board of Trustees, at their annual meeting on the 20th inst. resolved to pay 10 per cent interest on paid in capital and declared the following dividends:

2 1/2 per cent. on paid in capital;

20 per cent. on earned premiums.

All of which will be paid on full paid stock or credited on notes on stock in part paid, on and after TUESDAY, 26th October, 1875.

TRUSTEES:

- A. J. Aiken, J. Davidson Hill, S. D. Astor, M. Johnson, Hugh Allison, J. S. Lanphier, Isaac Bloom, Robert L. Moore, H. J. Mullon, John Myers, W. T. Blackmore, Edward Nalle, C. H. C. Brown, Edward C. Payne, E. R. Briggs, George W. Sentell, Samuel Boyd, W. B. Thompson, John D. Cobb, Frederick Wing, J. E. Campbell, C. W. Wood, W. L. Cushing, T. S. Waterman, Benjamin Gerson, J. F. Wyche, E. G. Gilbert, Lloyd R. Coleman, C. A. Green, G. P. Harrison, of cod ff

FACTORS' AND TRADERS'

Insurance Company.

37.....Carondelet Street.....37

Assets April 30, 1875, \$1,486,215 88.

This Company issues Policies on

FIRE, RIVER AND MARINE RISKS

At Lowest Tariff Rates.

E. A. PALFREY, President.

MOSES GREENWOOD, Vice President.

THOS. F. WALKER, Secretary.

TRUSTEES:

- Moses Greenwood, R. M. Walmaley, W. A. Johnson, A. Brittain, John L. Noble, A. H. May, John Chaffa, S. H. Snowdon, Richard Milliken, T. Lytt. Lyon, Samuel E. Moore, Wm. C. Raymond, J. I. Warren, Jas. S. Prestidge, E. T. Buckner, Samuel H. Boyd, Richard Pfander, Joseph McElroy, A. A. Yates, E. B. Wheelock, John L. Adams, Cyrus Sneyer, Isaac Scherck, Wm. J. Behan, B. F. Zechelman.

Report of the

NEW ORLEANS NATIONAL BANK,

At the Close of Business, December 17, 1875,

At New Orleans, in the State of Louisiana,

RESOURCES:

Table with columns for Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, United States Bonds to secure circulation, Other stocks, bonds and mortgages, Due from approved reserve agents, Due from other National Banks, Due from State Banks and Bankers, Real estate, furniture and fixtures, Current expenses and taxes paid, Premiums paid, Checks and other cash items, Exchanges for Clearing-House, Bills of other National Banks, Fractional currency (including nickels), Specie (including gold Treasury notes), Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (five per cent of circulation), Total, LIABILITIES, Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Other undivided profits, National Bank notes outstanding, Dividends unpaid, Individual deposits subject to check, Demand certificates of deposits, Due to other National Banks, Due to State Banks and bankers, Total, STATE OF LOUISIANA, Parish of Orleans, I. WILLIAM PALFREY, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24th day of January, 1876.

ANDREW HEBB, Jr., Notary Public.

Correct—attest:

SAM L. DELGADO, A. CHAI SKY, SIGMUND KATZ, Directors

INSURANCE.

OFFICE FIREMEN'S INSURANCE COMPANY,

PANY,

Corner Gravier and Camp streets.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18, 1876.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, it was resolved to declare the following dividends from the net earnings of the ten months ending December 31, 1875:

1. Ten per cent. (10) annual interest on capital stock paid in.

2. To carry to Reserve Fund in accordance with Section 4, Art. VIII of the Charter, five per cent. (5).

3. To carry to the credit of the Firemen's Charitable Association, of New Orleans, for the support of the Widows and Orphans and the General Relief System of said Association, in accordance with Sec. 4, Art. VIII of the Charter, ten per cent. (10).

4. Five per cent. (5) interest dividend on capital stock paid in.

5. Forty per cent. (40) dividend to participating insurers.

All declaration of dividends to stockholders to be carried to credit of stock notes in accordance with sec. 5, Art. VII of the charter.

Participating dividends to insurers (not stockholders) payable in cash on demand.

L. N. MARKS, President.

T. PRUDHOMME, Vice President.

R. H. BENNETT, Secretary.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

- Jacob Alexander, Wash. Marks, Leon Bertoli, B. M. Pond, H. H. Bierhoff, T. Prudhomme, L. B. Cain, C. Spier, John Fitzpatrick, Otto Tomman, C. Taylor Gascho, Geo. Waters, Chas. Homard, L. A. Whit, A. H. Isaacson, W. Wormann, A. P. Kip, I. N. Marks, J. J. J.

NEW ORLEANS INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

Office, No. 102 Canal Street.

SIXTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 14, 1876.

In conformity with the requirements of the charter, the New Orleans Insurance Association publish the following statement of their affairs for the year ending 31st December, 1875:

Table with columns for Fire premiums, Marine premiums, River premiums, Total premiums, Less premiums on unexpired risks, Returned premiums, Net earned premiums, Add, Interest, Profit and loss, Premium on gold, Fire losses paid, Marine losses paid, River losses paid, Losses in litigation, Less unadjusted and adjusted not matured, Reinsurances, Rebate, Commissions to agents, Agency expenses, Taxes and licenses, Office expenses, Contingent expenses, Board of Underwriters, Law expenses, Net profit, ASSETS, Cash in Germania National Bank, Cash in Louisiana National Bank, Special deposit in Germania National Bank, Cash in the hands of agents in the United States and in Europe, Certificates of deposit in the New Orleans Banking Association, Certificates of indebtedness of the New Orleans National Banking Association, Loans on mortgage, Loans on pledge, Bills receivable, Bonds, Stocks, Premiums in course of collection, Real estate, Sundry debtors, United States securities, LIABILITIES, Capital stock full paid \$30 per share, Bills payable, Unclaimed dividends of 1872, 1873 and 1874, Premiums on unexpired risks, Unpaid losses, Sundry creditors, Contingent reserve fund, Surplus, The foregoing is a true and correct transcript from the books of the New Orleans Insurance Association.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, Notary Public, this 14th day of January, 1876.

G. LEGERDEUR, Jr., Not. Pub.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held on the 12th of January, 1876, it was resolved to pay, on and after the 25th inst., the following dividends:

1. An interest dividend of TEN PER CENT for the year ending 31st December, 1875, on the capital stock of \$30 per share.

2. A dividend of TEN PER CENT to stockholders on the amount of their NET earned premiums for the year ending 31st December, 1875, in addition to the rebate, or anticipated dividend of 15 per cent already received by said stockholders on their GROSS premiums.

3. And to carry to Contingent Fund FIFTEEN PER CENT of the remaining premium profits, for investment in United States Government securities, according to articles III and V of the amended charter.

M. L. MUSSON, President.

G. LANAUX, Secretary.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,

Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans, } Sworn to and subscribed before me, Notary Public, this 14th day of January, 1876.

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M. L. MUSSON, President.

G. LANAUX, Secretary.

DIRECTORS:

- A. J. GOMILA, PIERRE LANAUX, L. K. SMALL, L. J. WESTE, J. B. CAMORS, E. M. SCOTT, E. F. GOLSAN, LOUIS SCHNEIDER, J. PLAISEN, JOHN LEISY, HENRY ABRAHAM, M. MUSSON.

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Table of Rates of Domestic Postage.

The following are the rates of postage on Domestic Mail Matter of the different classes:

Note—All domestic mail matter (except newspapers, magazines and periodicals sent to actual subscribers from a known office of publication) must be prepaid by postage stamps.

A letter on which one full rate of postage is prepaid, but on which further postage is chargeable, will be forwarded, when deposited in a post-office, charged with the unpaid postage to be collected on delivery. If the postage is left wholly unpaid, or is prepaid less than one full rate, it will be held for postage and sent to the Dead Letter Office. Should it reach its destination by inadvertence, however, it will be charged with double postage on delivery. "One full rate" means, in the case of mail letters or other first class matter, three cents.

In large cities and adjacent districts of large population, having two or more post-offices within a distance of three miles of each other, any letter posted at one of such offices, and addressed to a locality within the delivery of another of such offices, which shall have been inadvertently prepaid at the "drop" or local letter rate of postage only, may be forwarded to its destination through the proper office charged with the amount of the deficient postage, to be collected on delivery.

If articles chargeable with different rates of postage are sent together in one package, the higher rate must be paid on the entire package; but two or more different articles, each chargeable with the same rate of postage, may be sent in one package on payment of that rate on the whole package.