COMMERCIAL.

TUESDAY EVENING, Feb. 18, 1868.

The demand for Cotton has been fair to-day, and about 6,500 bales sold at former prices.

LIVERPOOL (EX SPECIAL TELEGRAPH)—LOUISIANA MIDDLINGS.

Inferior	12 @12¾	Middling Fair	16 @16¾
Ordinary	13 @13¾	Fair	16¾@17
Ordinary to Good	14 @14¾	Good Fair	17 @17¼
Middling	15 @15¾	Good and Prime	17¼@17½

Sugar is steady, with sales of 400 hhds at 7½@7¾c for fair to good refining.

Molasses—1,100 bbls have been sold at 34@35c for good to prime.

Sales of Flour to-day were 2,100 bbls, including 300 bbls Superfine at 7½c.

Of Corn, no entire cargo is taken yesterday for Ireland as far as reported.

Of Oats, 4,000 sacks St. Louis have been sold at 62c, and 500 sacks.

Mess Pork has been nothing at $26 a.

Of Dry Salted Meats, 1,000 hhds sold at 9c, and 50 casks sold at 9c for shoulders, and 9c for clear and Sides.

Of Lard, 500 bbls sold at 12c, and 500 at 12½c @ 3t.

A sale of 50 boxes Star Candles at 18½c.

Of Sugar-cured, 50 bales India sold at 18½c.

Sales of Whisky unchanged to-day, including 50 bbls Rectified at 27c.

Of Coffee, about 700 bags Rio Coffee sold at 11@11½c @ 3t.

In Freights, no entire a ship taken yesterday for Trieste at 14s, and 1,000 bbls Flour at 3s 6d. Exchange—Sight is moderate demand, at one-quarter premium, 107@108. Gold, 107¾@108. Sterling, 109¾@110. New York sight, 1-10@¼ cent. dis.; New York 60 days, 1-10@¼ cent. dis.

MARINE NEWS.

Port of New Orleans, Feb. 18, 1868.

CLEARED YESTERDAY.

Steamship Empire City, Howes, New York, via Florida Ports, by E O Rogers & co—1,000 bales Cotton and 1,000 bbls Molasses, Young, Liverpool, J H Ashbridge & co
Brig Ellen J Foster, Hopkins, Cardenas, Wm Prescott & co
Brig Anna P Simmons, New York, G W Hyams & co
Schr Sunday Dutton, Dutton, New York, J W Zacharie & co
Schr Ida Hall, Thomas, Corpus Christi, L Fisch & co
Barge Helena, Mercer, Mobile, Huntington & Wade

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamship Florida, Comins, from Key West, via Florida Ports, to E O Rogers & co—Mdse and Passengers
Steamship Abram, Lowber, from Indianola, via Galveston 16th inst, to Morris & Cummings—Mdse and Pass
Brig Shop Hollins, Kent, from London 18th Dec, to Ballard, to T & J Hillis—1st district
Brig Mary Hollis, Kent, from London 18th Dec, to Ballard, to T & J Hillis—1st district
Ship Kenilworth, Weaden, from Cardiff, Wales 20th Dec, to Baxter, Lowell & co—Coal
Ship J F Whitney, Gray, from Liverpool 13th Dec, to J F Whitney & co—Coal
Steel Bark Chetco, Ehermann, from Rio de Janeiro 29th Dec, to order—3d district
Bark Sea Queen, Hoyt, from Palermo 10th Dec, to A P Coudrau & Hall—1st district
Bark Ethel Fish, Hawkins, 4 days from Corpus Christi, to master—1st district
Schr Annie, Keator, for Pascagoula—Ballast
Schr Louisa, Hughes, for Mobile—Ballast
Schr Adelaide, Wilson, for Mobile—Ballast
Schr Mary Ann, Hughes, for Mobile—Ballast
Schr Mississippi, Nichols, for Bay St Louis—Ballast
Schr Mississippi, Nichols, for Bay St Louis—Ballast
Schr Lady of the Lake, Dixon, for Bay St Louis—Ballast

STEAMBOATS.

Crystal Palace, Kosuta, for Cairo.
Sentinel, Desmukes, for Nashville.
Lhoskiet, Beardsley, for Red River.
Nashville, Smallhouse, for Nashville.
Rosalie, Hamilton, for Little River.
California, Hynes, for Mobile.
Arcadia, Richardson, for Mobile.
City of Chetz, Vaught, for Camden.
Grand Darling, Luttrell, for Montgomery, via river.
Gipsey, Hoskins, for Bayou Sara.
Alice W Oakes, Lonsdale, for Washington.

TOWBOATS.

Ocean, Chapman, for the Passes.
Justice Banks, Andrews, for the Passes.
Star, Whitney, for the Passes.
H Hoy, Whitney, for the Passes.
Company, Brown, for the Passes.

TOWBOAT REGISTER.

The Ocean, from the Passes—Towed down and up on the 16th instant, ships Leon and Widmer, and brig John A Rahard—brought up ship Julia.

The Justice Banks, from the Passes—Went down light —towed up ship Rosebud.

The Star, from the Passes—Towed down and up on the 16th inst, ships Leon and Widmer, and brig Joshua and Jane—brought up ship Gleneora and bark Centoh.

The W H Ivy, from the Passes—Towed down and to sea on the 16th instant, ship James Nesmith, brig Brothers and Isaac Clarence—brought up ship Henry Cook and bark Sea Queen.

The Commodore, from the Passes—Towed down and to sea on the 17th instant, ship Mississippi and George F Patten—brought up ship J P Whitney.

BELOW COMING UP.

Bark Ship Margaret Pollock, Cruikshanks, from Bristol, (England) 30 Jan.
Bark Ship Rosa, Nelson, from Bristol, (England) 16th inst.
Ship Fidon, Cutter, from Antwerp 1st Jan.
Span Brig Victoria, from Havana.

SPOKEN.

Capt Mayo, of the bark Sea Queen, reports having spoken on the 3d instant, off Virgin Guards, British brig Mary Ann, 17 days from Port Antonio, off Cape Antonio, and homeward bound; she was steering for the Havana.

EXPORTS.

NEW YORK, VIA HAVANA—Per steamship Empire City—200 bales cotton, 50 do deer skins, 20 do pelts, 20,000 old wheels, 77 pigs copper.

LIVERPOOL—Per ship Gleneoha—3000 bales cotton, 19,141 staves, 5463 timber.

LIVERPOOL—Per ship Petrel—1429 bales cotton 6956 staves.

NEW YORK—Per brig Alice F—2230 bales cotton, 77 bbls tobacco, 67 bbls sugar, 137 bbls molasses, 684 hides, 2000 bbls rosin, 98 bbls tar.

LAGUNA—Per schr Susanna—200 bbls flour, 50 do bar, 50 do whisky, 200 sks corn.

TAMPA BAY—Per schr J J Taylor—100 bales hay, 12-9 casks corn, 20 do meal, 4 bbls flour, 20 do bar, 4 do lard, 5 casks bacon, 17 bbls whisky, 20 bbls bread, 10 bags coffee, 1 bbl tobacco.

MOBILE—Per barge Helena—1-2 bbl molasses, 540 sks oats, 300 do grain, 150 do bran.

IMPORTS.

GALVESTON AND INDIANOLA—Per steamship Morgan—To the order: Byrne, 7 pens cattle, 40 do sheep, 1 bbl hides; to master—Bissell, 40 bales cotton.

KEY WEST—Per steamship Florida—98 bales cotton to E O Rogers & co.

LIVERPOOL—Per ship Henry Cook—300 9 ale salt to J F Whitney & co.

LONDON—Per ship Rosebank—6234 bars railroad iron order.

LIVERPOOL—Per ship J F Whitney—1,121 casks salt; 100 dos mats; J F Whitney & co—40 cases salt; 2 casks iron; Jos Whitney & co—16 pkgs mdse; G W Hyams & co—50 do; North Atlantic Ins Co—1 do; Wm Prescott & co—1 case paper; Schmelzer & co—2 do mdse; J G Lindhauer—20 bales gunny bags; J Bradley—40 do; Lee Bros & Co—1 do; Kennedy—44 casks and 5 bundles hardware; J E Caldwell & co—1 do.

RIO DE JANEIRO—Per bark Cuero—3700 bags coffee; Rodocanachi & Phelps—1,000 do; Bowles & Vautier—296 do; Ralli & son—Total, 7200 bags coffee.

PALERMO—Per bark Sea Queen—1,000 bags coffee; stone to the order of Sicilian Fruit Co—100 do; Simonds 100 bags Simonds & P Cochran & Hall.

PASCAGOULA—Per schr Ann—24,000 feet lumber L Fisch & co.

BILOXI—Per schr Susanna—20,000 feet lumber Ball & Bedford.

SHIP ISLAND—Per schr Adele—850 bags ash Byrne, Nash & co.

BAY ST LOUIS—Per schr Clementine—30 cords wood order.

BAYOU LACOMBE—Per schr Shamrock—30 cords wood order.

BAY ST LOUIS—Per schr Lady of the Lake—30 cords wood to order.

BONDUCA—Per schr Alwyn—25,000 bricks order.

RECEIPTS BY THE RIVER.

WASHINGTON—Per steamer A W Graham—29 bales cotton J B Belcher & co—21 J E Planche & co—67 Commercial Nat Bk—4 Lehman, Stern & co—1 Ladbrest & Dawson—5 Toledano & Tujague—2 do 179 casks corn to various consignees—7 do 40 bbls molasses G H Oliver—56 do Sompeyrac, Foley & Ames—200 do A D Kelly & co—70