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The New Orleans Flood

From the New Orleans Times, June 5.] Our reporter yesterday made an extended cruise through that portion of the submerged district bearing between the New Causi and Causi Carandolet, and found the entire country from Claiborne street to the lake one wide expanse of water. On Common street the flood was visible in the overflowing gutters as far up as Rampart street, but by a judicious selection of the dry places, and a short journey through vice, and many families were not only prevented from famishing, but removed ceeded in reaching the corner of Clai-borne street with dry feet. The quay borne street with dry feet. The quay formed there by the railroad track was crowded with bewildered women and children, police officers, bedraggled men and vehicles, while the narrow strip of earth was piled with household furniture of every variety and bedding. Boats were constantly arriving with new victims from the overflow, and during a brief stay nearly a dozen families, many of them without as much as a change of clothing, came in. The naval display of this flowing river could scarcely be considered as ap-

proaching in magnificence a review of make the ends meet under the most the home squadron at Cherbourg, but for ampletous circumstances, but in the variety in rig and tounage the fleet certainly rivaled any that ever estied. A preponderance of square barges rather indicated timely precaution on the part of a majority, but desens of men with their trowsers rolled to their thighs, doated about on planks and the most unseaworthy rafts. Placidly cruising over the troubled waters were men, soys and girls, and even women, whose air of abandon and generous display of personal charms was suggestive of quiet desperation. Many appeared undecided whether to laugh or cry, and compromised the matter by snickering at the mishaps of others, and remaining very silent in contemplation of their own adversity. A corpulent gentleman, whose forlorn attempt to propel himself to a neighboring house on a great nawieldy log culminated in an artistic dive, created great merriment, and it was not until he had awallowed several mouthfuls of brackleh water that the hilarity ceased and he was fished out. An adventurous Cushite made a short voyage in a bath tub, but his efforts at savigation were somewhat frustrated by an immeuse sugar-cured ham, which ciutched in his right hand, not only

prevented an active use of the pole, but

ventually capaized the boat. Securing a tidy little cypress skiff, our reporter glided out Common street, and was soon in the midst of the busy crowd. Every door on both sides of the thoroughfare stood wide open, and the inmates crowded the windows, all that makes ten. The other is only ragerly watching the novel scene. For a square or two, though the yards were dooded, the water had not yet reached ulators, struck with my pertinacity, the doors, and the inhabitants were and with the reason I gave, which he de vicinity of the market are rather of preference was tolerably unreasenhe vicinity of the market are rather higher than those further in the rear, and with even three feet of water on the banquette many escaped inundation. At Johnson street, however, the satrance of water into domiciles became apparent, and a grocer, at the time our reporter past, was busily engaged in hanging up rescued articles on hooks around the wail. Two squares further on the flood had reached half way up the legs of tables, in the front rooms, and persons employed themrooms, and persons employed them-selves in piling up the smaller articles of furniture on the beds. Many women secured a seat on the win-low-sills, and, with their legs dangling out, caimly awaited the receding of the waters. At Hotel Dieu, the entire garden was submerged, and the water speared nearly level with the lower verandab. The large stable of the Caual and Clatborne street Railroad was under water perhaps sighteen inches, and a large force were busily engaged in removing the mules to a place of safety. The last car pussed over the frack at about 11 o'clock in the morning, and it is stated that the passengers (a gentleman, his wife and child) were taken out of the vehiand child) were taken out of the vehi-No. 2,224 had just drawn a prize of twenty thousand pounds, and he had hastened to communicate the good news.—Mary Russell Mitford. o'e in a boat. In this vicinity the floors of houses on both sides of the afrect were under water, and from Poydras street to far below Canal was an immense lake. Many of the habitations

mense lake. Many of the habitations ware deserted, and passing near several our reporter could only seesiray articles of furniture floating around in the supply rooms.

Every fence, house, and even the tops of the taller bushes were completely ouvered with bugs of all descriptions, and several fences were aiment black with crickets. The passage near them created the wildest consternation among those insect castaways, but all huddled closer together, and appeared to cling to the last vestige of earth with the tenacity of life itself. In one spot were massed perhaps a hundred black spiders of immense size, a large number of which carried their young in small, mowy bags. A broad strip of seum which had gathered just epposite the duantry millions of grasshoppers, because of the force of the country millions of grasshoppers, because of the first of the residences of the sick, and continued until perhaps if o'clock yesterday. A large number of pulses was accustoned to remember the taxt, which was: "Why stand ye all the country millions of grasshoppers, because of the sick outs and others taken to the residences of the sick was accustoned to remember the taxt, which was: "Why stand ye all the day light, and continued until perhaps if o'clock yesterday. A large number of pulses in a minute, for the common measure of pulses in a minute for the section of the sick would be completed in fifty-six years; consequently, his life would be reduced fourteen years.

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their friends in more central localities.
One lady we heard of was taken from her bed after having lain there until the water r. se to a depth of two feet on the floor. Though the grounds surrounding it are submerged, the Marine Hospital, being built on brick piliars, is still free from water. The small hute in the rear of this are chiefly occupied by colored people, and all are rendered uninhabitable. On the voyage out the writer's attention was attracted by two horses standing close together, and apparently motionless. Drawing nearer, the skiff glided over a float, to which they were anchored. In this vicinity, three children had taken refuge on a

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rickety shed, and sat patiently waiting to be picked up by the police boat.

A strong current here gave evidence of a near approach to the break, and

five minutes vigorous pulling brought the beat into Hagan avenue. So fierce

was the tide that with great difficulty

the Times craft stemmed it, but taking

advantage of the eddies, she was at

length brought up to the crevasse. The disaster is attributed to the injudicious

excavations made in the new levee at

from that spot, and that in consequence the levee was so weakened as to be unable to withstand the pressure of the water. The avenue yesterday more resembled a bayou bankfall than any in-

Returning the reporter passed through many of the streets running parallel to

which carried from fifty to one hun-dred loaves of bread, plied to and fro among the sufferers, distributing food.

Early in the morning officers were dis-

patched to the different bakeries with

directions to purchase all the bread that

to barren wastes. There is scarcely a

Story of a Lottery Ticket.

pursuits my father walked about Lon-don with his little girl in his hand

your birth-day present."

I immediately selected one and put it into his hand: No. 2,224.

"Ah," said my father, examining it

you must choose again. I was to buy whole ticket, and this is only a quar-

ter. Choose again my pet."
"No, dear papa, I like this one best."
"Here is the next number," interposed the lottery office keeper, "No.

"Ay," said my father, "that will do just as well. Will it not Mary? We'll

know, papa, and I am ten years old

able, resisted the attempt of the keeper

half, one quarter, one eighth, two six-teenths. It will be just the same, if the

young lady is set upon it."

The young lady was set upon it, and

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ing will be recovered. Gardens teeming with vegetation have been changed | net South St., East of the XEV

house that will not require repairs, and certainly not an article of furniture. Many of the sufferers, and in fact a large majority, are in the humbler in procuring the best productions of the connwalks of life. They barely manage to make the ends meet under the most Goods Belivered in any part of the City

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