

ount of what would evolve into the Mafia in the United States came in the
w Orleans Times reported that the city's Second District had become
and notorious Sicilian murderers, counterfeiters and burglars, who, in
med a sort of general co-partnership or stock company for the plunder
city." Emigration from southern Italy to the Americas was primarily to
nd New Orleans had a heavy volume of port traffic to and from both