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CASHMERE & MUSLIN DE LAINES.

We have this day opened a beautiful assortment of cashmeres and muslin de laines of the latest styles and patterns, to which we would call the attention of the ladies.

PHILLIPS & LANOUE.

THOMAS BARRETT,
COMMISSION MERCHANT
NO. 11, OLD LEVEE STREET,
New Orleans

B. F. SMITH,
DENTAL SURGEON.
Corner of St. Charles & Lafayette Square
NEW ORLEANS.

References—Dr. W Stone, Dr. Jones, Dr Campbell, Dr. Harrison, Rev. W A Scott, Rev. W R McIlvaine, Col. Harasby, U. S. A. Capt Grayson, U. S. A.

References in Baton Rouge.

He intends to visit two or three times each summer.

Col. N Stuart, Capt. Gates, J W Fowler, D Conrad, E. Lanoue, W D Phillips.

THE GUARDIAN.

A family magazine, devoted to female education on christian principles.

Edited by F. G. SMITH, Rector of the Columbia Female Institute, with the assistance of the Right Rev. Bishop Otey and of the Tutoresses, is published monthly at $1,00 per annum, in advance, or six copies for $5.00. Specimens of the work may be seen at this Office.

Columbia Ten. 1845.

PLANTATION MEDICINES.

The subscribers, aware of the importance to Planters and Physicians of having Medicines which can be relied on as repute and genuine, have taken particular care in the selection of their stocks and from the arrangements they have made in London, Paris and New York, for receiving constant fresh supplies, they will always be prepared to furnish Planters and Physicians with Medicines which they will guarantee of superior quality.

SICKLES & Co., Druggists, No. 24 Magazine street.

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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

The subscriber respectfully informs builders and others, that he is prepared to execute all kinds of brick and mason work—and that he will put up buildings and furnish all the materials necessary—such as brick, sand, mortar, &c. on the most reasonable terms.

He also offers his services to sugar planters and from his long experience in setting sugar kettles and other work necessary in a sugar house he can give ample satisfaction.

Apply to LOYZAU BERHEL,
oct 4 33 at the Garrison brickyard.

GREEN & McDOUGAL,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
273 COMMON STREET,
[illegible] *New Orleans.*

GENTLEMEN'S CALF BOOTS.

The subscribers have just received from Philadelphia, an assortment of Gentlemen's fine calf boots suitable for summer wear.

PHILLIPS & LANOUE.

COTTON GINS FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers for sale twenty cotton gins, at a very low price.

STEPHEN HENDERSON.

August 23 corner of Levee & Lafayette sts.

WANTED TO HIRE.

Some 10 or 15 negroes, from this time to the first of January, to whom good wages will be paid. Apply at the office of this paper. Sept. 13 no 32 1845

AGENCY FOR THE SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS.

Either in the local offices of the land district of Louisiana, or the General Land Office, as circumstances may require—for such adjustment as may be necessary, for obtaining patents from the government, the undersigned will devote his personal attention, and having had some experience, he believes he can secure to many, rights which have been impaired by neglect or ignorance of the forms and requirements of law.

The following classes of claims, among others, he will attend to, viz:

Obtaining reclamation for back concessions, surveyed for a less quantity than has been paid for.

The location of Spanish grants, or "titles *en forma*," which have been neglected.

Settlements of *conflicting claims* before the proper officers, obtaining orders for and surveys of claims, which have been confirmed, but not located, or *located incorrectly*.

Obtaining the refunding of purchase money in the Greensburg district where patents cannot issue, for reasons of erroneous surveys.

Obtaining patents in all cases.

Arranging imperfect titles, made so by neglect, and bringing them to the attention of Congress, by petition for the relief of parties, &c.

No business will be undertaken without a sufficient payment in advance, to cover postages, and the actual expenses necessary for copies of documents, &c.

The subscriber will have the aid of the best counsel at the seat of government, when necessary, and the services of an intelligent correspondent at Washington at all times, where he will also spend two or three months of each year, in perfecting such business as may be entrusted to him.

Office in Baton Rouge, in the room recently occupied by Lacy & Loucks. Orders *postage paid*, or *covering remittance* will be promptly attended to.

F. D. NEWCOMB.

June 7—18.

JUVENILE SINGING SCHOOL.

Mr. & Mrs. Fuertes, respectfully inform their patrons, friends, and public in general, that the instruction in the rudiments of Vocal music, will constitute one of the branches taught in their school. Lessons will be given three times per week, *free of charge*.

The singing school will be included in the examination of the scholars, on the piano, to which parents and guardians will receive invitations.

WANTED,

A person with a small capital who would be willing to take a share in a steamboat to run between Baton Rouge and New Orleans. A person capable of conducting the boat would be prefered apply at this office or to Mr. N Bergeron or Ed. O'Brien in this town.

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E. JOHNS.
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
No. 110, Poydras Street,
NEW ORLEANS.
Refers to L Bonecaze, Baton Rouge, La

Taken up by Daniel Sullivan, on the Comite two steers, one red and white, marked with a swallow fork in the right and a split in the left, branded J. C. the other a dun, swallow fork and a sawset on the right, crop and half crop on the left, brand not recognised, both horns bored for the hollow horn, about 8 years old. The owner is requested to take them away by conforming to the law.

J. R. DUFROCQ Ranger.

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Louisiana Penitentiary.

Messrs. Hamilton, Pratt, & Co., Lessees of the Louisiana Penitentiary, would inform the citizens of Louisiana and the South generally, that they are manufacturing and will have constantly on hand *Bagging* and *Bale rope*, coarse negro shirtings and drillings, linseys, colored and white, the best coarse negro shoes, &c. &c. They also continue the foundry business.

N. B. They will purchase delivered at the Penitentiary, large or small lots of *Wool*, clean or in the fleece, for which they will exchange manufactured articles or pay cash.

LOUISIANA PENITENTIARY.

The improved Sub Soil Ploughs, are manufactured and sold at the Louisiana Penitentiary.

HEAVY LOWELL SHIRTING.

The very best articles of heavy Lowell Cottons, Linsey, and Kersey, manufactured at the Louisiana Penitentiary, superior to that of any other manufacture. Planters are requested to call and examine our goods before purchasing.

MOLASSES BARRELS.

We will engage from 5 to 10,000 molasses barrels to be ready for next years crop. Planters wishing to have their supply for next season, will please call and examine the article.

TOOLS.

Several lots of Carpenter & Blacksmith's tools for sale.

SADDLERY.

On hand a large assortment of mens, ladies, boys, and misses Saddles.

Also bridles, martingales, stirrups, leather saddle bags, saddle and blankets, coach and gig whips, surainglies and girths.

"At the Yellow Store under the Hill.

CH. A. HILL.

march 9th, 1844.

CHINA & GLASS.

Just received and for sale by the subscriber an assortment of French China & Cut Glass.

No. 1 WM. MARKHAM.
Church street.

NOTICE.

Lime and and brick for sale by the undersigned, near the Garrison.

LOYAU BERHEL

A. L. PLOUGH—SURGEON DENTIST.

☞Residence, East of the court house, in the house formerly occupied by Charles R Tessier, Baton Rouge.

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A. M. DUNN, H. B. WHITE.
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS,
At Judge Morgan's old Stand.
Lafayette str, Baton Rouge.

MATCHES! MATCHES!

Thirty gross of Matches just received, and to sale low, at the manufacturer's price.

en july 23, 24 G. M. HEROMAN & Co.

HAY.

50 bales of New Western Hay. For sale by.

BEAL & SANS.

Currants, Citron and Citron—Just received and for sale by

WM. MARKHAM, Church st.

CRANBERRIES—Just received and for sale by.

WM. MARKHAM, Church st.

Fresh Garden Seeds—The growth of 1844 Just received and for sale by

WM. MARKHAM, Church st.

WILLIAM DAVIDSON & CO.
COTTON FACTORS
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
81 CANAL STREET,
New Orleans.

Sugar and Molasses consigned to us, will, at all times receive the most prompt attention.

REFER TO—N. K. Knox, A. Matta, Chas A. Hill. 35

TO PLANTERS, &c.

COAL! Planters on any part of the coast can be supplied with a superior quality of Pittsburgh coal at a low price, according to the quantity required, by directing their orders to the subscribers as below, they have coal constantly arriving from Pittsburg as the river permits.

FARRELL & PERCEVAL,
Office 35 Customhouse at New Orleans.
february 15 2

LA. FEMALE SEMINARY.

T is institution under the charge of Mr. & Mrs. Fuertes, will be opened on Monday next September, 1st 1845.

FURNITURE! FURNITURE!!

The subscribers thankful for the liberal patronage they have received, would inform the public that they are constantly receiving and manufacturing all kinds of Cabinet ware, consisting in part of Mahogany, Cherry, black-walnut & poplar Bedsteads.

Mahogany and cherry Bureaus.

Wardrobes, breakfast, dinnin, work & centre tables.

Washstands, safes, cedar chests, cedar armours.

Cane & wood seat rocking chairs.

Do. Parlor chair's—children's rocking & high dinning chairs.

Cribbs, looking glasses, clocks, moss mattrasses, &c., &c.

Persons purchasing furniture, will find it to their advantage to examine our stock and prices before purchasing in New Orleans and paying charges. Old furniture neatly cleaned and repaired.

We have just completed a new hearse which will always be kept in readiness for the accommodation of the public, and coffins made at the shortest notice.

J. PIPER & CO.

Near the Catholic Church.

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BOOKS! BOOKS!!

Burton's Anatomy of Melancholy;
John Horne Tooke's Diversions of Parley,
Mott's Travels in Europe and the East;
Starkhouse's History of the *Bible*,
United States Drawing Book,
Calloon's Musical Grammar,
Thomson's *Materia Medica* and Anatomy,
Dunglison's *Practice* of Medicine,
Dunglison's Therapeutics and *Materia Medica*,
Wilson's Human Anatomy,
Graham's *Elements* of Chemistry,
Druits Modern Surgery,
La Place's Mecanique Celeste,
The Select works of Mrs. Ellis,
Annan's Difficulties of Armenian Methodism,
Russel's Sermons,

Just received and for sale by

GEO. M. HEROMAN,
24 Opposite the Methodist Church.

LADIES KID SLIPPERS.

The subscribers have received per last arrivals from Philadelphia, 100 pairs Ladies Kid Slippers extra quality, also a few pairs white and black English Kid slippers suitable for parties.

PHILLIPS & LANOUE.

LATE ARRIVALS.

PHILLIPS & LANOUE,

HAVE RECEIVED per late arrivals, a large and complete assortment of fall and winter goods of the latest and most fashionable styles, to which they call the attention of the public.

DRY GOODS.

Black and col. french and English broad cloths, plain and fancy cassimeres silks and plaid cottonets, plain tweeds, Ky. Jeans, cashmerettes, french and American cottonades, white and red flannels, brown and bleached domestics, tickings, drills and osnaburgs, fancy cashmere and blk. satin vestings, rich printed cassimere d'Ecosse, Pompadour de Laine, Paris printed mousseline de laine, blk. and col. silk warp alpaca, printed barreges, blk. bombazines and merinos, blk. and green bombazette, blk. gros de Naples and gros de swiss, rich polka silks, damas mohair Grs de Afrique (ladies dresses), assorted Florences, Embr. swiss robes for ball dresses, blk worsted and silk serges, green barreges, white jackonets and cambrics, plain, and figur'd swiss muslins, french embr'd lace, collars, needle work chemisettes and collarettes, blk. and white net laces, silk woolen and damask shawls, corded, marseilles, and grass cloth skirts, corsets and corset lacets, Irish linen, linen lawns, embro'd, hemstitch and plain L C hdkfs, silk cotton and madrass do, polka gloves and cords, thread and cotton edgings and insertings, ladies and gents. gloves and hosiery, blk. and fancy silk and satin scarfs and cravats, various styles of fall and winter shawls, silk and cotton velvet, bonnet, cap and color'd taffeta and satin ribbons &c., with a general assortment of all kinds of goods usually kept in this line of business.

CLOTHING.

Fine black and color'd dress and frock cloth coats, color'd tweed and cassimere paltots, blk' and color'd cassimere sacks, blk. paltots, youths and boys tweed and cloth frock sacks, fancy cassimere and blk. cloth pants, fancy cassimere and blk satin vests, linen shirts, drawers, under shirts &c.

HATS & CAPS.

Gents blk satin, moleskin, and cassimere hats, boys fashionable do do, youths blk. and pearl bell crown dos gents' boys and youths blk. and fancy cloth caps, of the most recent styles.

BOOTS & SHOES.

Gents. fine calf stitched boots, do., fine calf and prunella brogans, ladies calf and morocco brogans, do., black and bronze kid slips, do., white kid slips, youths and boys pegged and sewed brogans, misses calf sewed do., childs blk. and color'd do.

SADDLERY.

Men's English, Spanish and Columbian saddles, boys do., do., ladies plain and quilted side saddles, saddle bags, blind bridles, cart saddles and bridling, fillings, martingales girths and surcingles.

NEW FLOUR.

50 barrels, a superior article of St. Louis brand, just received by

oct 21 37 PIKE & HART.

BLACKSMITHING.

The undersigned having established himself in the shop, formally occupied by A. G. Mangrum, is prepared to execute all kinds of work in his line. He hopes by his punctuality and attention to business, to merit public patronage.

JAS LANGTON.

SEMI-WEEKLY PACKET STEAMER RAINBOW, S. S. SELLECK, master.—*For the Coast Donaldsonville, Plaquemine, Baton Rouge, Port Hudson and Bayou Sara.*—Will leave New Orleans every SUNDAY and WEDNESDAY, at 10 o'clock, A. M., and Bayou Sara every MONDAY and THURSDAY, at 10 o'clock A. M., For freight or passage, apply on board.

Passage as high as Donaldsonville, $2
" above Donaldsonville 3

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THOMAS GIBBES MORGAN,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW.
No. 17, Royal street, New Orleans.

Having for many years devoted much of his time to the examination of land titles, tenders his professional services to those whose interests are affected under the late act of Congress, providing for the adjustment of land titles in Louisiana and Arkansas.

July 20, 24 6m.

J. T. BEAUMEAND, surgeon-dentist, pupil of the celebrated Dr. Knapp, having settled for some time in this town, offers his services in the various branches of his profession to the inhabitants of East and West Baton Rouge.

He holds his office at the house occupied by Dr. Vasquez, opposite Mr. Mayer.

TO THE PUBLIC

We are now prepared to execute all kind of work in our line, viz: pamphlets, justices' Sheriff's, school and other blanks, as cheap as they can be *done honestly*. We hope by industry and attention to business to merit a portion of the public patronage.

DUFROCQ & CONVERSE.

DR. F. M. HEREFORD,

Tenders his professional services to the public.—Office on Lafayette st.

February 10th, 1845.

CASTOR OIL.—In cans to suit Planters. Also in Bottles, Pints and Quarts.

For sale by

june 14—19. STEPHEN HENDERSON.

W. Laughlin. C. J. Searles. E. O. Laughlin
WM. LAUGHLIN & CO.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
No 96, Gravier Street.
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

LUGHLIN, SEARLES & CO.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Levee Street,
VICKSBURG, MISS.

REFERENCE.—Dr. W. B. Scott, Stephen Henderson, Esq., D. Searles. Baton Rouge La.

COOPERS WANTED.

Several coopers wanted immediately, to whom liberal wages will be given. Applyto

Sept 10 STEPHEN HENDERSON.

CERTAIN CURE FOR FEVER
and ague and other fevers.

Those persons who may be afflicted with this annoying complaint, or other fevers of that nature, can obtain a cheap and sure remedy by applying to Mr. Bouche, corner of Church and Third streets. Testimony of its efficacy and virtue can at any time be obtained.

may 31—17.

PLANTATION FOR SALE,
In the Parish of West Baton Rouge,
ON LIBERAL TERMS.

A plantation containing three arpents and a quarter front on the river, and forty arpents in depth, between parallel lines, with all the improvements thereto belonging, namely, dwelling-house, kitchen, pigeon-house, storehouse, cabins, a fine cotton gin with patent cornmill attached, also eight slaves of different ages and sexes. For terms apply to the parish judge of said parish.

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FOUND.—*A* lady's small breast-pin, the owner can have it, on application to this office, by describing it, and paying expenses.

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PORK.

50 bbls. prime and mess pork,
5 casks clear sides.
5 do shoulders,
5 do hams, county and sugar cured.

Oct 25—tf PIKE & HART.

SYRUP.

Battery Syrup in Kegs for Families, for sale by

Nov 22 *Stephen Henderson.*

ROBERT G. BEALE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW.
Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

REFERENCES.—James M. Elam, Esq. Baton Rouge, Hon. Thos. Gibbs Morgan, New Orleans, John L. Lobdell, Esq. West Baton Rouge, Hon. Isaac Johnson, West Feliciana

MOORE AND TUTTLE.
Watch and Clock Makers.

Watches clocks, music boxes and jewlery, carefully cleaned and repaired. Shop Corner of Church and Third Streets.

N B All watches that have been left at *C C Moore's* shop over one year, will be sold for repairs it not called for by the first of April next.

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

A Lot of Furniture on reasonable terms.

APPLY TO.

May 17th STEPHEN HENDERSON.

HAY. A first rate article of Western hay, for sale by PIKE & HART.

PHILADELPHIA SADDLERY.

The Undersigned have received per late arrivals from Philadelphia, a handsome assortment of Saddlery, consisting of *Men' English Spanish* and *Columbian* saddles Boys Ditto Ditto, Ladies plain and quilted side saddles, saddle Bags, Bridle fillings and Bits, Riding whips &c. all of which will be sold at the lowest cash prices.

PHILLIPS & LANOUE.

SAW MILL.

The proprietor informs his friends and the public in general, that he has finished his repairs to the mill, and that he is prepared to execute all orders which may be confided to his care with despatch. Lumber of all description and boards constantly on hand. For sale cheap, *for cash only.*

may 10 FREDERIC AREOUR.

FOR SALE

A gin, running gear and press, all complete and as good as new. Apply to

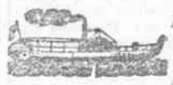
August 16, no 28 DR. J C WILLIAMS

TIN COPPER & SHEET IRON WARE MANUFACTORY.

The subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he continues to work at the above business at his old stand on Main St. near the *Methodist* Church, where he will be happy to receive the patronage of his friends and the public. He has always on hand a fine assortment of tin ware, Gutters and spouts made and put up in the shortest order. Stove pipe, all kind of tin, copper or sheet iron ware repaired. All work entrusted to him will be executed with neatness and despatch.

nov. 30 1844. JOHN TILANO.

J. COLSON,
Dealer in
LIME, CEMENT, PLASTER OF PARIS
PLASTERING HAIR AND FIRE BRICK
No 4 MARIGNY'S BLOCK, OLD LEVEE,
Near the Pontchartrain Rail Road Depot,
NEW ORLEANS.
FINISHING LIME *Constantly on hand.*
Orders from the Country promptly
Attended to.



BATON ROUGE PACKET, steamer
Charlotte
JOHN KLEIN,
Master.—Will leave New Orleans every Thursday, at 10 A. M., and Baton Rouge every Sunday, at 10 A. M.

For freight or passage, apply on board, or to PIKE & HART, Agents.

N. B. The Charlotte for a few trips only, will leave New Orleans on Friday at 10 A. M. and Baton Rouge on Monday at 10 A. M.

NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between G. S. Lacey and R. Loucks has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Baton Rouge, October 16, 1845.

FOR SALE.

Twelve or fifteen acres of fine cane, for sale cheap for cash, for further information apply to the undersigned on the plantation of Madame Laurent Daigre at Manchac.

J. ADONIS LOPEZ.

The Alexandria *Democrat* will publish the above three times and send their bill to this office for collection. 34

TO RENT OR SELL.

The house and garden lately occupied by *Mr.* John, King on the comite road, apply to

L. SHEPPERS.

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JUST RECEIVED.

A choice lot of Woolen Carpets & Chimney Ruggs, which will be sold at a very small advance on manufacturers' prices.

D. SANGER'S *Cheap Store.*
Lafayette Street.

CRYSTALLINE CANDLES.

Just received and for sale by the subscriber, a superior article of candles of the above description, put up in small boxes suitable for the use of families.

W. MARKHAM, Church St.

FODDER.—One hundred bales of fodder for sale, apply to

Sept. 20 STEPHEN HENDERSON

FALL CLOTHING.

The undersigned have just received per ship Oswego from New York, a choice assortment of fall and winter clothing, made in the latest styles and of the best materials. It consists in part of the following articles, viz: Gents super black cloth dress and frock coats, Gents fancy colored coats and coatees, colored tweed and cassimere paltots and overcoats, Fancy and black cassimere pants, black D. B. and *R. C.* satin vests, linen bosom shirts &c. which they will sell at the lowest cash prices.

PHILLIPS & LANOUE.

REGULAR PACKET.

FOR THE COAST. DONALDSONVILLE, PLAQUEMINE, BATON ROUGE, and all intermediate landings Steamer MAJESTIC Capt Jas H Ure will leave *Baton Rouge* every Friday Morning at 8 o'clock A. M. running through direct, and arrives in the city the same evening. Returning leaves New Orleans every Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock A. M.

For freight or passage apply on board at the landing or Pike & Hart, Agents Baton Rouge

Capt Ure grateful to his friends and the public for the patronage bestowed upon the Helen and F M Streck while under his charge, would inform them that the above named splendid steamer has been purchased by Capt F M Streck *expressly* for this trade, and will run regularly as above named, he trusts that the favors extended to him in past days will be continued.

SARDINES.

A supply of these delicious fish just received

STEPHEN HENDERSON.

Oct. 11 no 36 1845.

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS.

The mail closes for New Orleans on Wednesday's and Saturdays, at 2 P M till the first of March 1846. For Bayou Sara as before

NEGROES FOR SALE.

The subscriber has one hundred and seventy likely negroes for sale, who will be sold on good terms. Among them are blacksmiths, carpenters, coopers, engineers, house-servants, seamstresses and field hands. About one-half of the above named negroes are now in Baton Rouge, where they can be seen on application to JAMES A McHATTON.

Oct 11 no 36 1845

SACHAROMETERS.

To weigh cane juice, for sale by

STEPHEN HENDERSON.

Oct. 14 no 36 1845

GENTS SATIN SCARFS.

Just received from New York a supply of gentleman's blk and colored satin scarfs and cravats of the last fashion and the best quality.

PHILLIPS AND LANOUE

PUBLIC SCHOOL.

MR. JOHN PETIT informs the citizens of Baton Rouge, that on the 2nd of this month (October,) he will open a School in the room formerly occupied for the same purpose by Mr. Walsh, and will teach the English and French language, at Four Dollars per month, each language separately, at Three Dollars.

Mr. Petit also offers to teach the Latin and the Spanish language, for the sum of SEVEN Dollars per month, and also to keep up an Evening School for the accomodation of gentlemen who are otherwise occupied during the day time, and are anxious to acquire the languages *Mr.* Petit teaches.

References—Col. Hicky, *Mr. Bonecaze*, Mr. Burke. Oct 4th 35

DRUGS, MEDICINES, Dye Stuffs &c.

THE undersigned would respectfully inform his customers that he has removed his drug store at the corner of Lafayette and church streets, where medicines of all descriptions can be had of the best quality. Orders for medicines will be attended to with the greatest attending and prescriptions filled with despatch for CASH and CASH only. He has also a good assortment of patent and Tompsonian medicines.

10 JOHN LOPEZ.

VEGETABLE AND FLOWER SEEDS.

A large and fresh assortment of the above just received and for sale by.

A. MONTAN.

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PAINTS, LINSEED, OIL AND SPTS TURPENTINE, for sale by

Sept. 29 STEPHEN HENDERSON.

STRAYED

From the plantation of Stephen Henderson, two miles below Baton Rouge, a bay colored she mule: supposed to have gone in the direction of East Feliciana.

A suitable reward will be paid to any person who may find and restore the mule to the owner at Baton Rouge or the plantation from whence it strayed.

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MACHINERY.

WE have a lot of Machinery, consisting of Corn Mills, (of the most approved kinds. Corn Crushers.

Horse powers.—Which will be sold very low by PIKE & HART.

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AGENCY

For the purchase and sale of real Estate in Louisiana. Office in the basement of the residence of Madam Sherburne.

F. D. NEWCOMB.

TAKEN UP by Michel Granerie, on the first day of Nov. 1845, a brown cow with a young calf, brand invisible, smooth crop and slit in the left ear.

The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take the above described cow and calf away.

J. *R.* DUFROCQ, Ranger.

LEE, WYNNE & BAILEY, Commission Merchants and general agents.

26 Poydras street, *New Orleans.*

JOHN L. LEE. WM. I. WYNNE. JOHN B BAILEY

ADVANCES.

We are prepared to make CASH advances on consignments of Sugar and Molasses, to our friends in New York, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Louisville, *Nashville*, Madison, Ia., and New Orleans. *Nov.* 1 39 PIKE & HART

NOTICE.

During my temporary absence at the *North* persons having business with me, are referre to Richard Loucks, Esq.

F. D. NEWCOMB.

FOR SALE.

Packing yarn, gasket paper and Sal Ammoniac. STEPHEN HENDERSON.

Oct. 11 no 36 1845

PORT WINE.

WE have a good article of Port Wine also Madeira. PIKE & HART.

CEDAR LOGS for sale by

PIKE & HART.

WINTER AND AGE.

BY MRS. LYDIA H. SIGOURNEY.

Gray Winter loseth silence. He is old,
And liketh not the sporting of the lambs,
Nor the shrill song of birds. It irketh him
To hear the forest melodies; things, still
He graveth lessons to the ruffler winds,
That, with black foreheads and distended cheeks,
Mutter hoarse thunders on their wrecking path.

He lays his finger on the lip of streams,
And they are ice, and stays the merry feet
Of the slight runlet, as it leapeth down,
Terrace, by terrace, from the mountain's head,
He silenceth the purling of the brook,
That told its tale in gentle Summer's ear.
All the day long reproachfulness, and doth bid
Sharp frosts chastise and chain it, till it shrink
Abash'd away.

He sits with wrinkled face
Like some old grandsire, ill at ease, who chides
The noisy trooping of the children out,
And drawing nearer to the pleasant fire,
Doth settle on his head the velvet cap,
And bless his stars for quietude once again.
Stern Winter draws the frozen fountain back
To the dark caverns of the imprisoning earth
And deafeneth, with his drifted snows, the sound Of wheel and foot-tramp.

Thus it is with Man.
When the chill winter of his life draws on,
The ear doth loathe the sounds that erst it loved,
Or, like some moody hermit, bar the door,
Though sweetest tones solicit it in vain,
The eye grows weary of the tarnished scenes
And old wind-shaken tapestries of time,
While all the languid senses antedate
The Sabbath of the tomb.

The echoing round
Of giddy pleasures, where his heart in youth
Disported eagerly—he rushing tread
Of the great, gorgeous world, are nought to him,
Who, as he journeyeth to a clime unknown,
Would to the skirts of holy silence cling,
And let all sounds and symphonies of earth
Fall, like a faded vestment, from the soul.

CHINA.—FLETCHER WEBSTER, Esq. in a recent lecture says: "The origin of the Chinese government is beyond reach. It was known as an old government by the *Egyptians* and the *Romans*. There is a colony of Jews now in the interior of China, keeping all the statutes of *Moses*, who went there immediately after the *Second Dispersion*. The Chinese themselves have many absurd traditions of their antiquity, carrying back their origin far beyond the date of Adam's creation. All that we can say is, they are the oldest people on the earth to our knowledge. We must conclude from the fact that this government is purely patriarchal, and their language purely hieroglyphic, that their government was formed in the very dawn of man's creation. They have a list of kings to all appearances correct, numbering back 2953 years before Christ. Their language contains some 5000 arbitrary characters. The Parians, however, have made a sort of phonetic alphabet of about 200 radical and 800 primitive letters; yet it is next to impossible to learn even these. Many of their letters have no sound; and they consider that the finest poetry which cannot be read. Philosophers are sometimes seen conversing by making the innumerable letters in the air with wands. A celebrated Tartar once observed that the Chinese was an execrable language and unworthy of notice."

THE UPSTART.—Don't be proud, young man; what have you to be proud of? Your mother was once a hard-working woman, and did not think it beneath her dignity to do work in the kitchen. *No* wonder you blush, but it is the fact which you cannot deny, and yet you turn up your nose and remark often, as you have just done, when a female passes.—"She is nothing but a kitchen girl." And your father—what was he? Once a common sailor, and might have continued before the mast till this day, had not a fortunate circumstance give him the command of a vessel. When you turn with contempt from the honorable apprentice boy peradventure you might soil your fine coat by his working dress—he remembers wh t your father was and might retort did he not possess better manners than yourself. Did you know it, young upstart, you are making yourself ridiculous and bringing down reflections upon the heads of your parents. "That boy is not brought up right," is the remark of intelligent persons as you pass along. You are fool enough to suppose, because your parents are wealthy, that you can go into any society and say what you please. A speaking would be of essential service to you and perhaps be the means of beating good manners into your head. Go on but a few years more, outlive your father and what will become of you? His money will not last you forever, with such habits of extravagance. Where the young mechanic would live, prosper and be respected, you, with all your money, would starve and be despised. A word of advice, proud lump of flesh, dry goods and jewelry—go to some respectable trade—study good manners, and cease longer to act like an ape. Unless you do you will rot out and perish before your time.—[*Portland Tribune.*

The Farmers' Club of the American Institute intend to petition the next Legislature for the establishment, near this city, of an Agricultural College and Experimental Farm, which the Institute proposes to superintend. The petitioners say "We respectfully ask that an experiment may now be tried in this great State, of all those staples which can be found suitable to our own location; so that New York city, the emporium of commerce, may, by her thousand ships and roads, concentrate the first College and Trial Farm for Vegetable Productions."

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AMERICAN WOMEN.—M de Tequeville, speaking of American women, says: "As for myself, I do not hesitate to avow, that, although the women of the United States are confined within the narrow circle of domestic life, and their situations is in some respects, one of extreme dependence, I have no where seen women occupying a loftier position; and if I were asked, now I am drawing to a close of this work, in which I have spoken of so many thing done by the Americans to what the singular prosperity and growing strength of that people ought to be attributed, I should reply—*to the superiority of their women.*"

LIVE—LET LIVE—HELP LIVE.—There are three sorts of people in this world, who may be characterised by the monosylables above. First, there are those who take for their motto: *live*—live, regardless of others—live, if others die—live *for* one's self and *to* one's self. Such persons care for no body but themselves; they think of nobody else. They have got on in the world, it may be without much aid from others, and others must get on as they can, or stick by the way. It is all one to them, it is none of their business; they are not their brother's keeper.

These are *supremely* selfish men.

There is another class of men among us whose motto is: *live* and *let* live. They are glad to have their neighbors live and prosper; but it must be without their help. Their first and great enquire is, Who will show us any good? How will this effort for interest? Shall I gain any thing by it? If such men can be quite sure that any thing they may do for another will redound ultimately to their own benefit, they will cheerfully lend a helping hand. And in some cases, they will even help a friend in need, if persuaded that it will in no way operate to their disadvantage or inconvenience. Otherwise they are as deaf as dead men to all who approach them. These are simply selfish men.

There is yet a third class of men (*rare ones*) whose motto is—live, and help others to live. They are not indifferent to their own affairs or their own interest; but they seek not their own exclusively. They are not only willing to let others live around them, but they are willing to help others to live and even to subject themselves to inconvenience and trouble in order to do this. And all this they will do without first stopping to ask—shall I get my reward? If I lend a dollar, shall I get two in return? They are men who act either from the impulses of kind and generous dispositions, or men whose principles of action have been derived from the teachings and example of Him who went about doing good, who sought not his own but the things which were another's, who was ever mindful to do good and communicate as he had opportunity. These are truly benevolent men.

We have now finished our discourse, and leave it to each reader to say, which is the better man, and to which class he himself belongs.

OREGON.—The Washington correspondent of the *New York Journal of Commerce*, after stating his belief that the Oregon bill will pass the House of Representatives at the ensuing session of Congress, thus speculates as to its fate in the Senate.

"If the South Carolina and Alabama Senators vote against the bill, and also all the whigs, the bill will be defeated. I suppose that Texas and Iowa may not be represented in the Senate, when the vote is taken. There will then be thirty democrats and twenty-four whigs in the Senate. The four votes above named, added to the whig vote, will make 28 votes against the bill to 26 for it. The opinion has been expressed that the Western whig Senators, although committed fully to the support of our title & whole title to Oregon, will unite with the whig party generally in staying off the question. But suppose that Iowa and Texas should be represented in the Senate, before the final action of that body on the bill, will it not be certain that the bill will pass? As to Iowa, there is no doub'. All the interests of Texas will be opposed to a war with Great Britain; but will not she feel that she owes her annexation, in a great measure, to a sort of compromise between her friends and those who are "for the whole of Oregon?" It appears to me that the Texan Senators will be compelled by circumstance to vote for the bill; yet there are some shrewd and well-advised persons who think not. The chance, after all, that the bill will pass the Senate, unless, as has been hinted it some quarters, the democratic party should be guilty of a gross legislative deception—amusing the West with the idea that Oregon should be claimed and protected, and providing that the Act for the purpose should be *accidentally* lost, by casual absence.

CURING HAMS.—Take three gallons pure water, four pounds salt, [one half fine, the other half coarse,] one and a half pounds brown sugar, one pint best Havana molasses, two and a half ounces saltpetre and half an ounce pearlash. Mix and boil, carefully freeing the liquor of the scum as it rises, and when cold, put in your meat.

SHOE BUSINESS IN FRANCE.—The *New York Gazette* states that there are 100,000,000 shoes made annually in France. The salaries paid to the men making them, amount to 30,000,000 francs. The value of the leathern gloves annually manufactured in France, is 30,000,000 francs, and this business affords employment to 10,000 workmen.

MEXICO AND THE UNITED STATES.—The Pensacola Gazette of the 22d instant contains the following important paragraph—"On Wednesday last there arrived in this city, a person of distinction. A message was immediately sent for Commodore Conner, who came up to this city, and on Thursday morning the U. S. ship *St. Marys* got under weigh, taking the gentleman, as passengers. Rumor says the mysterious personage is Gen. Van Ness, who goes to Mexico clothed with full power and authority to settle all difficulties existing between the two countries."

THE MILITARY AND NAVAL RESOURCES OF THE SOUTH AND WEST.—What they may be—to what extent they warrant a munificent establishment of navy yards amongst us—what *promises* they hold out to ship building and ship fitting and providing, are matters of some concern. With the exception of the wretched affair at Pensacola, we have had nothing that might bear the name of a navy yard south of the Chesapeak, until very lately when it seems the destitute condition of all this wide region has attracted the attention of the government, and fixed it upon the favorable position and facilities of Memphis for the purpose. The Gulf States have been, and are still literally at the mercy of whatever naval power that might command, with its fleets, its armies and fortifications, the narrow and hazardous passage around the Florida peninsula. *No* one has to go farther than to the map to see, for instance, the favorable position of Great Britain for such a purpose, a fact of which that government is already too well aware, as is evidenced by the destination of the fleet, which we are told, is fitting out there even now. No reasonable man can look slightingly upon any measure which has regard to a subject of such inestimable moment not only to the south and west but to the whole country.—*Chas. Courier.*

BURIED ALIVE.—The Apalachicola *Advertiser* says, that a family, with whom the editor is intimate, desired his attendance at the removal of the remains of one of its deceased members. Prompted by curiosity, the lid of the coffin was removed, when, to the utter astonishment of all present, the corpse was found with its face downwards, and in the manner indicating a complete change in the position of the body. Added to this, as far as the hands could have reached, the linen of the coffin was torn, and wound into a knot; and a considerable quantity of hair was strewed at the feet. All these circumstances, together with the sudden and singular manner of his (supposed) decease, left scarcely a shadow of doubt that there was another instance of a too precipitate haste in consigning to the grave the body of those supposed to be dead.

"I meant to tell you of that hole," said a man to his friend who had stumbled into a pit full of water. "No matter now," said the other, blowing the mud and water out of his mouth, "I guess I've found it."

FOOT RACE.—A ten mile race was run near Albany, between Gridleveleave and Jackson, (the deer,) in which Jackson was the winner, beating his rival about seven rods—time, 55 minutes; 30 seconds.

"Miss Brown, I have been to learn to tell fortunes," said a young man to a brunette. "Just let me have your hand if you please."

"La! Mr. White, how sudden you are—Well, go and ask father."