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HOWARD ASSOCIATION. PHILADELPHIA. A Benevolent Institution established by special En- dowment for the Relief of the Sick and Dis- eased, afflicted with Venereal and Epidemic Diseases.

FASSMANN'S IRON HOOPS AND TIES FOR COTTON BALES. Price 6 cents per pound—25 per cent. less than Rope.

ANY one considering the advantages of Iron over Rope as a material for binding cotton bales will be surprised that it has not been adopted long since.

The undersigned masters of vessels having had cotton compressed with Fassmann's new Iron Hoops and Ties, hereby recommend the same.

Castor Springs. (30 MILES WEST OF COLUMBIA.) CATAHOULA PARISH, LOUISIANA.

JOHN CLUNEY, GROCER—Alexandria, Louisiana. HAVING rented the Store formerly occupied by S. Ribbo, on Second Street, opposite the Rapids Hotel, he wishes to inform his friends and the public generally that he has made arrangements for receiving fresh supplies weekly, as follows:

CHARLES L. DOLL, ORGANIST OF THE ST. FRANCIS CHURCH, and Soloist of the Columbia College, Missouri, will give instruction on the Piano, Guitar, with Singing, Horn, Organ, Cornet, and all that is connected with the general science of music.

LAST CALL. ALL PERSONS indebted to the LOUISIANA DEBTORAT up to April 12th, 1859, will please make immediate payment to myself, or in my absence, to M. GARRISON, Esq.

MUSIC.—Prof. HENRY H. BRAUN, having permanently settled in Alexandria, is prepared to give instruction on the Piano, Guitar and the Violin, with accompaniment on the Violin. He will also play on the most reasonable terms. Address, at the store of H. Robertson & Co., for prompt attention. aug31-1y

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W. K. STEVENS. D. H. McILROY. W. K. STEVENS & CO., (FORMERLY OF THE RED RIVER RAILROAD.) Iron and Brass Foundry AND MACHINE SHOP.

WE WOULD respectfully announce to the Plan- ters of Rapides and adjoining Parishes, that we have opened the above named establish- ment for the purpose of Manufacturing Steam Engines, Grist Mills, Saw Mills, Pumps of every description, Steam and Water Pipes of all varieties furnished and fitted to order, in the neatest possible manner.

Blacksmithing done in all its branches. We are also prepared to do Wood Turning of all kinds, such as Wagon and Cart Hubs, Fellies, &c.

MACHINERY and examine our Prices before sending their orders or work elsewhere, as we are prepared to do all work in our line of business as CHEAP, we think, as can be done elsewhere.

W. R. DUNLAP & CO., Cincinnati, Ohio, and we are prepared to furnish Boilers, Engines, and every description of Machinery of their work, at Manufacturer's Prices, and guarantee them in every respect.

WAGON AND PLOW MANUFACTORY, —BY— RIDGE & MURPHY, (SUCCESSORS TO DROWN & FERGUSON.) WOULD respectfully inform planters and citizens generally that they still carry on the Blacksmithing and Wheelwright business at the OLD STAND in the rear of the Old Fellows' Hall, where they will be found at all times.

Wagon and Plow, of all kinds. They will keep constantly on hand and make to order the Bull Plow and Swoops, Harrows, Solid Swoops, Wagons, Horse-Carts, Drays and Hacks. Also, Carriages and Buggies repaired at the shortest notice.

Horse-Shoeing, Executed in a workmanlike manner. W. S. RIDGE, T. MURPHY. W. VYRE, O. L. CHAMBERLAIN.

MACHINE SHOP. Eyre & Chamberlain, WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Rapides and adjoining Parishes, that they have established a Shop in Alexandria for the purpose of doing a general Blacksmithing and Machine Business. Such as— Engines, Boilers, Sugar Mills, Saw Mills, Cotton Gin Machinery.

They have also made arrangements so that they can furnish and erect Engines of any required capacity, as cheap as can be got this side of New York, and guaranteed in every respect. We shall also keep on hand Boils, of all kinds, turn and Water Gauges, Belting, abet's Mottie and Brass Castings to order.

DODEZ ALEXANDER, Mill and Gin-Wright Builder. WOULD respectfully inform the public of this Parish, that he is prepared to repair of all kinds, and put Mill Stones in order. Reference—Capt. T. D. Martin. Orders left at the Store of I. Levy & Co., will be attended to. sep15-1y

NEW BRICK LIVERY STABLE, Alexandria, La. THE undersigned have opened a NEW BRICK STABLE, fronting on Second Street, between B. McFeely's and P. O'Shea's, and on the cross Street it fronts Hollowell's Stable.

Board per month — \$12 50 " week — 5 00 " day — 1 00 " night — 75 " single feed — 35 Horses will be fed with Oats and Bran when required. JOHN CLARK, Proprietor. mh9-1y

Drugs, Medicines, Stationery, &c., &c.

HENRY ST. JOHN. Wm. F. GROVES. ST. JOHN & GROVES. DRUGGISTS, FRONT STREET, ALEXANDRIA, LOUISIANA.

REG to inform the public that they have opened a Drug Store in Alexandria, (next door to Stebbins' Jewelry Emporium,) where they are prepared to furnish their friends with medicines of all kinds, warranted good, pure and genuine.

HENRY ST. JOHN HAS been connected with medicine or its manipulation for a term of seventeen years, and would beg to state that having made Pharmacy his peculiar study will give his personal attention to any order for medicine addressed to him.

Books!—Books A SELECTION OF USEFUL BOOKS AT ST. JOHN & GROVES', Front Street, Alexandria, La.

Bancroft's History of the United States; Downing's Fruit Trees of America; Macarty's History of England; Prescott's Phillips, &c., 2 vols; New American Cyclopaedia; French Revolution by McFarlane; Lippincott's Pronouncing Gazetteer; Bulwer's complete works 10 vols; Dickens' complete works 6 vols; Waverley's complete works 12 vols; French Songs, illustrated; Copies of Shakespeare's Poetical Works; Copies of Byron's Poetical Works.

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Groceries! Groceries! Dried Apples and Peaches; Irish Potatoes; Onions; Butter; Cheese; Mackerel; Beef Tongues; Lard; Sardines; Oysters; and a great many other things, too tedious to mention—just received and for sale by Dec 1st, 1858-1y S. W. HENARIE.

OLD BOURBON, MONONGHELA and common Whisky, also good common Brandy, for sale by sep29 S. W. H.

GROCERIES!! GENERAL Assortment of Family Groceries just received and for sale by S. W. HENARIE.

NEGRO COTTON made in Texas, the best article ever seen in this market, at 12 1/2 cents, also a fine lot of Negro Shoes at 18 per dozen; and a general stock of Linseys and Kerseys, which will be sold at two per cent profit by S. W. H.

GROCERIES!! Large assortment of every quality— Brussels Carpets, at \$1 25 per yard, and every other kind at proportionate prices. S. W. HENARIE. Oct 13-58

GROCERIES!! PORK, Bacon Sides Ham and Shoulders Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Soap, Candles, Champagne Claret, good and common Whiskey A large and complete assortment of Tobacco, Cigars, Sardines, Prunes, Raisins, Bysse's Ale and Porter in quarts and pints—all of which will be sold at fair, living prices, by S. W. HENARIE.

NOTICE! THE UNDERSIGNED being desirous of reducing his LARGE STOCK OF GOODS, is determined to sell at very REDUCED PRICES! for CASH, or to Punctual Customers, not only Negro and Plantation Goods but the whole Stock through. Those who study their interest, would do well to call and examine for themselves. My stock is very complete and I can fill almost any memorandum.

NEW GOODS JUST RECEIVED AT S. W. HENARIE'S, Front Street Alexandria, a. JUST received a fine assortment of new and seasonable Goods, viz: American, English and French Calicoes; Bleached and Brown Cotton; Cashmere; Merinoes; Ladies Cloths, Goods for Boys, Girls and Children; Boots; Shoes; Ready made Clothing; Hardware; Queensware; Also a fine assortment of Saddles, all of which will be sold at extremely low prices for CASH, or to punctual customers, sep29-1y S. W. HENARIE.

Scythes and Cradles FOR sale by June 8, 1859. S. W. HENARIE. PLANTATION GOODS. NEGRO SHOES, Kerseys, Linseys, Cottons, Blat kets, &c., all sold at very low prices. S. W. HENARIE. sep 15-1y

INDIAN RUBBER BANDS from 8 to 12 inches wide for sale at Large and complete assortment of Garra Rope for sale (very low) by S. W. HENARIE. BAGGING, ROPE AND TWINE. For sale by sep20-1y S. W. HENARIE.

JUT RECEIVED FEW Barrels Old Virgin Whisky, (best ever brought to this place.) Oat and Cognac Brandy; Claret Wine in Pint and Quart Bottles; Champagne. Old Port and Madeira Wine, by the gallon or bot. Syrups, Assorted; Pure Home Made Lemon Syrup; Dried Beef; Beef Tongues; Mackerel in Kites; Rice; Tea; Coffee; Lard; Crushed and Pulverized Sugar; Salt; Bacon; Soap; Candles; Macarou, and everything for FAMILY USE, which will be sold at LIVING RATES. S. W. HENARIE. June 8.

CASH ADVANCED on Cotton, or will purchase at the New Orleans quotations, one cent per pound off. BELLS.—A large lot of Bells from the smallest to the largest, just received and for sale at reduced prices, by sep29 S. W. HENARIE. ACADEMY OF ST. FRANCIS OF CONDUCTED BY THE Daughters of the Cross, ALEXANDRIA, PARISH OF RAPIDES, LA. TERMS — \$3, 4 AND 5 DOLLARS payable in advance, for full English and French tuition. W. O. DAMMON. PAINTER, GLAZIER AND PAPER HANGER. Country work done at the shortest notice. Feb 1-1y W. O. DAMMON.

J. GOULDEN, House, Sign and Ornamental PAINTER, Glazier, Paper-Hanger and Imitator OF WOOD AND MARBLE! FLAGS, DANERS, and TRANSPARENTS EXECUTED AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE. Shop in the rear of Rapides Hotel, on the corner Third Street. REFERENCES: S. K. JOHNSON, W. O. WINN and Dr. S. P. WARD, Jan 26-1y LANDIMITH'S SEEDS OF THE FAIR CROP OF THIS Year. JUST RECEIVED—Button or Onion Toys, and a general assortment, at ST. JOHN & GROVES. HENRY WILLIAMS WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Alexandria and vicinity, that he has opened a shop in town, and is prepared to do all sorts of Carpentering, and Wood work. A share of the public patronage is respectfully solicited. Feb 2-1y

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NEW STORE Front Street, Alexandria, La. THE UNDERSIGNED having bought out the stock of S. GILLESPIE, has removed his store of Goods from Second to Front Street, in the house formerly occupied by HETHERWICK & GILLESPIE, where he has a full and complete assortment of SEASONABLE GOODS, consisting in part of English and American Prints; Jaconet, Swiss and Organza Muslin; Printed Linen, Gingham, and Bedding; Insertings, Swiss and Jaconet Bands; Collars, Gloves, Hosiery, Bleached and Brown Cotton, Irish Linens, Linen Drillings, Cottonades, Striped & Plain Cotton, &c. ALSO— Boots, Shoes, Hats & Caps FOR MEN AND BOYS, GENTLEMEN'S Spring and Summer Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Silk, Cassimer, Panama and Leghorn Hats; Ladies' Misses and Children's Straw Goods; Saddlery, Hardware, Woodware, Queensware, and a variety of other articles too tedious to enumerate, all of which will be sold at LIVING PRICES. Call and examine for yourselves. March 2, 1859-1y R. C. HETHERWICK.

CHEAP FOR CASH —OR— GOOD SHORT PAPER! THE subscriber on Front Street, opposite the Ferry Landing, having removed from his old stand, one door below, into O. W. Nalley's building, still keeps on hand a very general and complete assortment of Family and Plantation Groceries, such as are usually applied for in this market, consisting, among many other articles, of— Sides Shoulders and Hams; Corned Beef, of excellent quality, salt Flour, sugar and Coffee, Tea; Tobacco, Mackerel, Sardines, Cheese, Lard, Soap, Candles, Yeast Powders, Crochery ware, Brandy, Whisky, Wines and Cordials, Irish Potatoes, Onions, &c. "Prompt customers and low per centage," is the proper motto. Goods might be sold much lower in Alexandria, if merchants were not compelled to tack on extra per centage to cover the losses from bad sales; I have determined to abandon that system, and hereafter, sell only for CASH or SHORT GOOD PAPER, by which plan I shall be able to sell LOWER and make more money than those who follow a different practice. June 8, 1859-1y JACOB WALKER.

EAGLE LINE!! 1859. Great Eastern and Western LINE OF STAGES!! CENTRAL ROUTE THROUGH LOUISIANA AND TEXAS—FROM ALEXANDRIA, LOUISIANA, TO NACOGDOCHES, TEXAS. Connecting with the Eastern Mail at Alexandria, from New Orleans, also, with the Western Line of Stages from Nacogoches to Douglas, Linwood, Alto, Crockett, Huntsville, Henderson, and Tyler Mt. Pleasant. NELSON TAYLOR, PROPRIETOR. Stages leave Alexandria three times a week for Nacogoches, Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays. — FARE:— From Alexandria to Nacogoches.....\$15 00 " " to Milan..... 11 00 " " to San Augustine..... 12 50 " " to Cherokee..... 14 00 " " to Melrose..... 16 00 Passengers taking this route will be certain to connect with all of the above lines, and will be put through with dispatch. —Stage Office at the Post Office. sep1-1y

OUR HOUSE " FRONT STREET, ALEXANDRIA BAR ROOM AND BILLIARD SALOON. HENRY KLOTZ, Manager and Agent. HIS Bar will be furnished with the very BEST LIQUORS that can be procured in New Orleans. A liberal share of patronage is solicited.

RAPIDES HOTEL, SECOND STREET, ALEXANDRIA, LA. JOHN BOGAN, Sr., Proprietor. THE subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he can be found at the "OLD STAND." His table will always be supplied with the best the market affords. Attached to the Hotel is a STABLE kept by himself, where Horses and Bag- Gages can be procured at all times. Also, Horses left in his care will be well attended to. Alexandria, January 26 859-1y

Stewart's Process for Making SUGAR THE undersigned having the Agency for the above process, is prepared to make contracts with planters, who may wish to avail themselves of this LATE IMPROVEMENT, which is universally acknowledged to be superior to any other method ever used in Sugar Making. All communications in regard to the same, will be promptly attended to, if addressed to J. S. SEVERNS, Alexandria, Va. ap20-1y

LOUISIANA BAKERY —AND— BOATSTORE On the street opposite the Steamboat Landing. THE undersigned keeps constantly on hand a general assortment of Groceries Fresh Bread, and Crackers of all kinds always on hand. Steamboats furnished at the slightest notice. A share of the public patronage solicited. Jan 5-1y V. GIRARD.

FOR SALE.—2000 bbls., Corn on Fieldland Plantation, apply to Mrs. HICKMAN, 600 bbls. Corn on New Hope Plantation, apply to J. N. Butler, on the premises. P. T. HICKMAN. July 13-1y

200 ACRES of Bottom Land for sale. Apply to Dr. G. S. D. ANDERSON. Alexandria, May 19 1859-1y

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JOHN KOONS, Copper, Tin, and Sheet IRON WORKER. WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Alexandria, and the Parish generally, that he has purchased the Tin Shop and Material lately belonging to P. Rice, Esq., on 2nd Street near the door below the office of the "Louisiana Democrat," where he is prepared to do all work in his line in the neatest possible manner, and with dispatch. He has secured the services of experienced workmen, who will be found ready at all times to do any work called for. Orders from the Country respectfully solicited. Jan 26-1y

Watches!—Watches!! New and Splendid Jewelry, FANCY ARTICLES OF EVERY VARIETY, FRONTS STREET, ALEXANDRIA, LA. THE undersigned has just received from New York a new and splendid assortment of JEWELRY of every description, and is prepared to furnish at the lowest prices, any goods in his line which is comprised of WATCHES OF ALL THE BEST MAKERS, Diamond Bracelets, Finger-Rings, Necklaces, Ear-Rings, Brooches, as well as all other kinds of Gold Jewelry, Silver-Tea-sets, Pitchers, spoons, Furks, &c., CLOCKS, PLATED WARE, —AND A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF— Orders for goods will receive prompt attention and a prompt reply. —Watches and jewelry repaired with neatness and despatch. January 26, 1859-1y T. STEBBINS.

\$50 Reward. RUNAWAY from the undersigned, residing on Bayou Boeuf, on Monday night, May 26th, two negro boys, to wit: HILARY HARRY. Hilary, aged about 25 years, weighs 165 or 170 lbs., has a high, black complexion, has very bad teeth, and rather down countenance when spoken to. Harry is very near the same size, and is very black; aged about 20 years. They will aim for Texas or New Orleans. I will give Fifty Dollars Reward for their delivery to me on Bayou Boeuf, or lodged in Jail at Alexandria, Rapides Parish, so that I can get them. June 1, 1859-1y J. W. MCKINNEY.

DENTISTRY. DR. P. M. LEE, (from the Baltimore Dental College,) having permanently located in Alexandria, La., respectfully offers his Professional services to such of the citizens of Rapides and adjoining Parishes, as may need the aid of a Dentist. DR. LEE would say that he is prepared to execute all operations embraced in the Dental Art, if entrusted to his care, in the most skillful manner; and having purchased the right to use Prof. BRAY'S Patent Chloroform process for numbing artificial teeth, and used the same in his practice for some time, with perfect success in every case, he is unhesitatingly recommending it to all who require Dental substitutes. This process has many advantages which cannot be attained by any of the old methods, while no other has any advantage over it; as to its strength, durability and beauty, he challenges for it a comparison with any known process for mounting artificial teeth. Those preferring it, will be waited upon at their residences. Office and residence corner of Third and Bayou Boeuf street. March 23-1y

TO PLANTERS AND ALL Steam Engines. THE UNDERSIGNED will erect Turbines, or self-acting engines, on an entirely new principle, lately introduced by him. The adaptation of this plan will ensure a very great saving of fuel and labor. References—Edw. Smith and John L. Ferguson. GILLESPIE SMITH. P. S.—He will attend to FEETLE'S PATENT on the most improved plan; also Reservoir for holding syrup. References—Gen. Montfort Wells and Josiah Chambers, Sr. March 10, 1859-1y

GREATEST INVENTION OF THE AGE!! MILLER'S PATENT STEAM BOILER ALARM. A NEW INVENTION—PATENTED 1858. THOSE who use Steam Engines are respectfully requested to call at the Machine Shop of Eyre & Chamberlain, and examine the above ALARM. We have been appointed Agents for its sale. ALSO for sale, Babbitt's METAL, at 50 cents per pound. Warranted equal to any ever used. Steam whistles, and Ashcroft's Steam Gauges, always on hand. ALSO, Holley's patent PUMPS. March 2-1y EYRE & CHAMBERLAIN.

ALEXANDRIA HOUSE. JOSEPH FELLOWS, late of the 1st House Hotel, would respectfully inform the public that he has leased the building on Second Street in the rear of the Court House square, lately occupied by Dr. G. W. Jancy, where he will be pleased to see his friends and customers. The House has been thoroughly renovated, and will be opened for the reception of boarders on or about the first day of February. He returns his sincere thanks to those who patronized him so liberally while proprietor of the 1st House Hotel; hoping for a continuation of it in the same in future. Feb 9-1y

JEWELRY. THE undersigned has just received a select assortment of first class Jewelry which he will sell at New Orleans prices. Also, a lot of fine French and Swiss Clocks—moderately and weekly, which for beauty of finish and accuracy of performance are unequalled. Dec 2-1y JOSEPH McEVOT.

INSTRUCTION IN FRENCH. BERTS STANGE who has been engaged as teacher of French in the families of General J. Thomas and Dr. Chesno of this Parish, and who can furnish all desirable testimonials of his experience and ability, desires an engagement in Rapides or an adjoining parish. He will teach Latin, French, Spanish, the rudiments of English and Arithmetic. His method of teaching is thorough and exact. June 28, 1859-1y

LEROY C. MORRIS, (Private Secretary to the Governor.) General Collecting Agent, BATON ROUGE, LA. RESPECTFULLY offers his services in the above capacity. All orders entrusted to him for the collection of claims against the State, or of any other nature, will be promptly and faithfully attended to, and at a reasonable rate of compensation. He will also attend to the entering of Lands where parties desiring the same, will furnish him with the requisite data as to locality, number of township, range, etc.; also, to the redemption of lands sold, or forfeited to the State, for non payment of taxes. REFERENCES: Baton Rouge, La.—Gov. R. C. Wickliffe, and Hon. A. S. Heron. Threville Parish—Ex-Gov. P. O. Robert. New Orleans—Gen. M. G. Ortou, Gen. John L. Lewis, Hon. A. O. Ogden, Gen. Geo. Jno. Armstrong, Carrollton—W. T. Scott, Gen. J. W. Butler, Natchitoches—Dr. J. W. Butler, Lake Providence—T. B. Hatch, Esq. ap 12-1y