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ALEXANDRIA, LA., WEDNESDAY, DEC. 1, 1880.

NATIONAL SURGICAL INSTITUTE.

One of the Surgeons of this old and notable Institute will visit Alexandria, La., December 13 and 14, 1880, stopping at Mrs. Nelson Taylor's. The object of this visit is to give the afflicted an opportunity for examination at or near their homes, thus saving hopeless cases the expense of a trip to Atlanta.

Cases of Deformities and Chronic Diseases will be examined, such as Club Feet, Diseases of the Hip, Spine and Joints, Paralysis, Piles, Fistula, Catarh, Female and Private Diseases, and Diseases of the Eye, Ear, etc.

Come early as the visit is limited to the time stated. For Circulars and full particulars, address National Surgical Institute, Atlanta, Ga.

Those rich and elegant Opera and Chatelaine Chains make a really gorgeous display at Ferguson and Schnack's.

HE STILL LIVES.—Some years ago Dr. R. V. Pierce, of the World's Dispensary and Invalid's Hotel, of Buffalo, N. Y., and London, was sent for to examine a terrible disease of the knee-joint, resulting in ulceration and extensive sloughing of the bone and tissues.

Post OFFICE ROBBER.—The Post Office in this town was robbed on Monday night of \$1231. Of this amount \$950 was for Money Orders, and \$281 for Stamps. The thief or thieves entered by the door which was forced open, it having only a simple door lock such as is used on floors of the tenement class of houses.

MIDDLEVILLE, MICH., Feb. 15, 1879.

HON. R. V. PIERCE:

Dear Sir—I would say that I have sold your medicines for seven years.—The Golden Medical Discovery is the best cough remedy I have ever used and in every case where I have recommended it, it has cured. I have used it in my family for my children. It cures their colds and coughs in a day or two. My wife has used it several times when down sick. It invariably gives immediate relief. Its sale increases daily.

J. B. KATZ, Druggist.

—ANOTHER large invoice of Sewing Machines just received by Yazoo Valley for Messrs. Ferguson and Schnack.

THE N. O. PACIFIC RAILWAY.—In a recent interview with Maj. E. B. Wheelock, we learned that there is no doubt whatever about the completion of this road from Shreveport to Leocombe by next August. The entire work on that line has been let already, and the work is being pushed through rapidly.

—COLL'S Breech-loading shot guns are sold by Ferguson and Schnack at factory prices. "And don't you forget it."

—Mrs. C. Geiger respectfully announces to her patrons that she has greatly enlarged her Dressmaking Department, and under the supervision of most skillful artists is enabled to give perfect fit in the most modern Paris fashions.

—A beautiful display of Gents' Seal Rings and Scarf Pins, we saw at Ferguson and Schnack's.

—CHRIST GEIGER, Wholesale Hardware, Toledo, Ohio, says: "The Excelsior Kidney Pad has accomplished more for my wife in three weeks than all the medicine she has taken in three years. Refer all skeptics to me."—See adv.

—KID GLOVES, all colors, for Ladies and Gentlemen—frequent ever sold in Alexandria, at the Millinery Establishment of Mrs. C. Geiger.

RIVER NEWS.

The river, at this point, has gone up some 8 feet within the past week. By the Gauge it now stands 14 feet above low water mark, and is still rising very rapidly. The rain in this section have been almost unprecedented.

The following boats passed down since our last issue: Kate Kinney on Saturday, and the Ashland, on Sunday.

The Maria Louise, Capt. H. J. Brinker, with Geo. F. Brown first clerk, passed up on Sunday evening. This is the first trip of the Louise since she was sunk last Spring. She has been thoroughly and completely repaired, and is now quite a new boat. She resumes her place in the Shreveport trade, and will run regularly during the balance of the season.

The steamer Jewel, our regular packet, commanded by that courteous gentleman and most accommodating business man, Capt. Chas. P. Truslow, continues to receive the largest share of patronage, and is the acknowledged favorite of the public in the Grand Ecote trade.

The steamer Jewel has no rival in popular estimation. The traveling public may rest assured that on Capt. Truslow's boat they will incur no risks, and will be as safe as the utmost care and precaution can make them. She passed up yesterday, with a good load. Thanks for papers.

The Yazoo Valley and Alexandria passed up Tuesday. Thanks to the officers of the Valley for late papers.

—PLUSHES, Satins, Velvets, suitable for dress trimmings, at Mrs. C. Geiger's.

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Mr. W. C. McGimsey, Justice of the Peace, took the testimony required in the case to forward to the Department at Washington.

—THE American Waltham Patent Lever Watches from \$12.50 to \$165. Stem-winders included are made a specialty with Ferguson & Schnack.

TO-DAY.—General opening of Fall and Winter styles of Millinery goods at Mrs. C. Geiger's. And every day thereafter during the season, to consist of French Pattern Hats and Bonnets, Silks, Plushes, Velvets, Fancy Silks and Ribbons, Ostrich and Faney Feathers, French Flowers, and Millinery Ornaments. Latest fabrics in Laces and Ladies' Neckwear.—Fancy Goods department complete in every particular. Ladies are respectfully invited to call and look this New Stock, just received direct from New York.

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—ABREAST of the foremost merchants in the State, will always be found the firm of Baer and Mann, A. Heyman, Agent. The recent improvement in the cotton market enables him to give special inducements to farmers, and also assists him to supply them with general merchandise on the most favorable terms.

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—UNDER no circumstances should any lady in Alexandria buy a yard of Dress Goods until she has first seen the great bargains Baer & Mann are offering in these desirable goods. These words are pointed, but they are only facts. Call and prove them.

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Letters of inquiry must be accompanied with stamp for reply. N. B.—No names made public without the written consent of the parties. The following persons may be referred to:

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