Our Flag.

Ne'er waved beneath the golden sun
A lovelier banner for the brave,
Than that our bleeding fathers won,
And proudly to their children gave;
Not earth a fairer gem can bring,
Or freedom claim a brighter scroll,
Than that to which our free hearts cling,
The flag that lights a freeman's soul!

Its glorious stars in azure shine,
The radiant heraldry of heaven;
Its stripes in beauteous order twine,
The emblems of our Union given:
And tyrants, with a trembling gaze,
Survey its bright and meteor glare,
While glory's beams around it blaze
And rest in fadeless splendor there.

Look! freemen on its streaming folds,
As gallantly they range afar,
Where freedom's bird undaunted holds
The branch of peace and spear of war;
While high amid the rolling stars,
With words which every heart expand,
Within her beak serene she bears
The badge of our united land.

Behold thy star-wrought ensign sweep,
Thy country's pride, the tyrant's bane;
Unrivaled on the foaming deep,
Unconquered on the battle-plain:
Along the exulting mountain gale
'Tis borne with wild majestic flow,
As trailing meteors skyward sail,
And leave the dazzled world below!

France hath crushed her Bourbon flower
And seized the flag her valor sought,
She holds it as oppression's dower—
A *name* is all the boon it brought;
Though Albion boasts her cross of blood
Encrimsoned on a thousand plains,
Yet freedom's cause she hath withstood
And marked it with redeemless stains.

But thine, Columbia! thine's the prize
To cheer the free and guide the brave.
To wave through earth's remotest climes
And plant upon oppression's grave;
Thine's the standard freemen wrought
To rear above the lion's form,
The flag our glorious fathers sought
To cheer them through the battle storm.

Flag of the free! still bear thy sway
Undimmed through ages yet untold;
O'er earth's proud realms thy stars display,
Like morning's radiant cloud unrolled:
Flag of the free! still peerless shine
In ether's azure vault unfurled,
Till every hand and heart entwine
To sweep oppression from the world.

THE VINEGAR FACED GENTRY.—That very able and ubiquitous sheet, "An Exchange Paper," gives the following plain sentiments, which we commend to the 'afflicted.

"There is a class of men in every community who go about with vinegar faces, because somebody feels above them, or because they are not appreciated as they should be, and who have a constant quarrel with what they call their destiny. We hate such people. They are a nuisance and a pest. They make all within their influence uncomfortable. These men have usually made a grave mistake in the estimate of their abilities, or are unmigated asses. Wherever this fault finding with one's condition or position occurs, there is always a want of self-respect. If you are a right down clever fellow, wash the wormwood off your face and show your good will by your good deeds. Then if people "feel above you," why return the compliment and feel above them.—If they turn up their noses because you are a mechanic, or a farmer, or a shop boy, turn up your nose a notch higher. If they swell when they pass you in the street, swell yourself. Deliver us from the whining fools who go around like babies telling how people abuse them and whining because society does not take them by the collar and drag them into decency."

The Staunton (Va.) Vindicator states that a pair of determined lovers, of Augusta county, left home a few days ago to have their "lives, their fortunes, and their sacred honor," united in the "holy bands." Poor in every thing but love, and their papa's and mamma's opposing their union, they started for "a free State," and they walked arm in arm from Staunton to Winchester, a distance of 96 miles. Here they took the railroad cars for Harper's Ferry, a distance of 22 miles, to the end of their 'lovely' journey. When they landed at their destination, the doting groom, after shoving his arms up to the elbows in his breeches pockets, found he hadn't the dimes to 'pay the piper.' In this dilemma, like a cool spring in a parching desert, there appeared some generous, philanthropic men, to rescue the loving twain from that brink of woe on which they were verging. A 'pony purse' was gotten up, sufficient to 'do the deed,' and strike a bow of promise athwart the souls where then rested a cloud of despair. The knot was tied, the parson was paid, and the happy pair, with joy and gladness radiating their countenances, commenced a foot their return journey. Truly this was marrying for love.

'Why Sarah,' remarked a schoolmaster to a young girl, who had failed to give a satisfactory answer to a question in arithmetic, 'when I was of your age I could answer any question in arithmetic that was asked me.'

'If you please, sir, I can give you a question I don't think you can answer.'

'What is it, Sarah?'

'Why, sir, suppose one apple caused the ruin of the whole human race, how many such apples would it take to make a barrel of cider?" Schoomaster fainted.

This puts us in mind of an examination which came off in one of the back settlements not long since. The schoolmaster was interrogating the children in relation to grography, when the question was put—"Does the sun rise in the east or west?' A little girl spoke up promptly and said, 'I can't tell, I never get up to see.' The teacher of course, saw visions of a leather medal.

The fight that was to come off between a hydraulic ram, and the last bull sent over by the pope, will take place as soon as bishop Hughes, of New York, can obtain the necessary enclosure.

"I say, Tom, isn't it lucky that that fellow's eyes are cocked?"

"Why so?"

"Because if they were a match, his red nose would surely set them on fire.

Of disunion, the celebrated Fisher Ames once said: 'I wish it was part of the catechism to teach youth that it cannot be. An Englishman thinks he can beat two Frenchmen. I wish to have every American think the Union so indissoluble and integral, that corn would not grow, nor the pot boil, if it should be broken.'

When you go to drown yourself always put off your clothes; they may fit your wife's second husband.

The lady who did not think it respectable to bring up her children to work, has lately heard from her two sons. One of them is bar keeper on a flat boat, and the other is figuring as steward of a brick-yard.

A "chaste, virtuous, and disconsolate wife,' named Elizabeth G. Thomson, advertises in the Columbus (Ga.) papers, for her runaway husband, and offers $5 reward for his recovery. Her principal source of anxiety is a desire to give him a change of clothing, as she says he had none (no change) when he married her, and she supposes he is equally destitute now.

Education has been called the "corner stone of our liberties." But education is only the means to an end. It is the press, which, after all, is the palladium of freedom. As long as the press is honest—as long as it is fearless—as long as it maintains its character for intelligence—so long will we have just laws, good morals, social progress and true republicanism. But if we vitiate the press, farewell to all of them.

A drunken lawyer, on entering church, was observed by the minister, who addressed him

"You will bear witness against you at the day of judgment."

The lawyer, shaking his head with drunken gravity, replied:

It does one's heart good to see a merry round-faced farmer. So rich, and yet so industrious; so patient and persevering in his calling, and yet so kind, social, and obliging. There are a thousand noble traits about him which light up his character. He is generally hospitable; eat and drink with him, and he won't set a mark on you, and sweat it out of you, with a double compound interest at another time—you are welcome. He will do you a kindness without expecting a return by way of compensation; it is not so with every body. He is generally more honest and sincere—less disposed to deal in a low and unheard cunning, than many I could name. He gives to society its best support—he is the edifice of government and the lord of nature. Look at him in homespun gray and black, gentlemen; laugh, if you will—but believe us, he can laugh back if he pleases.

ANTIDOTES.—An exchange gives us the following:—Lard or oil, is antidote for the poison of strychine, nux vomica, or any poisonous effects of wild cherry, or the peach tree, fox glove, or the deadly night shade. The tea of the common garden touch-me-not roots is a certain antidote for the bite of a rattle snake or any other snake—a poultice of the same for the bite of a spider, or the sting of any insect.

On Saturday afternoon, the 22d ult., says the Catskill (N. Y.) Whig, was witnessed an instance of youthful heroism and affection worthy of record. A father and his two sons—the latter mere boys, ten or a dozen years of age—were coming up the Catskill creek on a canal boat, when by some accident the father fell overboard, and being unable to swim, sank twice, and the boys plunged into the water to save him. Right valiantly did the little fellows struggle, and well did they succeed in keeping their father above water until a boat came to their assistance, and they were all taken aboard. It is seldom that an exhibition of such intrepid daring is seen in such extreme youth, and it is gratifying to know that their efforts were successful.

The women of Egypt, in order to acquire a degree of fatness, bathe themselves several days in lukewarm water. They stay so long in the baths that they eat and drink therein.—During the time they are in the bath, they take every half hour some broth made of pullet and stuffed with sweet almonds, hazle nuts, dates and pistachino nuts. After taking this kind of broth four times, they eat a pullet all but the head. When they come out of the bath, they are rubbed over with perfumes and sweet scented pomatum, and after that some of them take myrobalms before going to bed; others take a draught prepared with gum trangacante and sugar candy.

To become slandered—edit a paper, tell the truth and tread on the toes of rogues.

The man who attempted to "catch the speaker's eye" with a steel trap, was made to take the floor by the sergeant-at-arms.

This augurs well," as the mosquito said when he settled on a fat man's nose.

An itinerant preacher recently traveled much among the northwest parishes of this State.—He was mounted on an animal whose appearance betokened very bad keeping—the mere frame work of what had once been a horse.—Riding up to the door of a country inn, he inquired of the landlord the distance to the next town. The host coming out, was forcibly struck with the lank appearance of the animal upon which the querist sat, who required information. He then inquired:

"Who might you be, if 'tis a fair question?"

"I am a follower of the Lord," he answered.

"Follerin' the Lord," demanded the host. "Well, I will tell you what it is, old feller, (eyeing the horse again) there's one thing sartin—if you stop often on the road, you'll never ketch him with that hoss."

In Paris, recently a prize of 10,000 was drawn in the lotterie Picarde, by a waiter in a café. Two gentlemen, who had bought a very large quantity of tickets, sat down to a green table to divide them equally. There was an odd ticket, over, after the division was effected, and they gave it as a gratuity to the waiter. As a matter of course, the forty or fifty tickets that the gentlemen kept for their own use, were every one of them blank.

INSURANCE.

THE undersigned is prepared to receive applications for **Insurance against Fire and River risks**, and on the **Lives of White Persons and Slaves**, in the best and most popular companies in the United States, at the lowest current rates of premium. Apply to ALLEN HILL.
Shreveport, June 21, 1854. 1y

Vicksburg, Shreveport & Texas Railroad.

THE subscribers for the stock of the railroad are required to make payment of the amount due on their subscriptions, viz: 5 per cent. due at the time of subscription, and 10 per cent. due and ordered to be handed to C. G. Young, at Greenwood, or to L. P. Crain or B. M. Johnson, at Shreveport, directors of said company.
C. G. YOUNG, } Directors.
L. P. CRAIN, }
B. M. JOHNSON, Sub Treas.
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S. B. HENDRICKS & Co.,
ELYSIAN FIELDS, Texas.
ARE now receiving and opening a large stock of **Dry Goods, Hardware, &c.,** of the latest styles and importations, which they offer to planters and others at the lowest prices and on the most accommodating terms.
Their stock comprises an extensive variety of ladies' dress goods, of cotton, woolen, silk and linen fabrics; including a fine assortment of trimmings of the latest styles. Hosiery of the best and common qualities.
GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING—An extensive stock of every variety of material and of the best and most fashionable make, with Hats, Boots, Shoes, Umbrellas, etc.
The stock of Staple and Plantation Goods, will be found to afford choice selections of every article needed by planters.
Ample arrangements are made by which their stock will be augmented every ninety days from the east and New Orleans, with such articles and amounts as may be demanded by the wants of the surrounding country. It will be found at all times equal to any stock heretofore kept in this or any of the adjoining counties. Elysian Fields, March 15, 1854.

New Copartnership.
STACEY & WELLS,
No. 14 on the Levee—Successors to Robt. Donnell,
HAVING formed a copartnership, for carrying on the **Grocery and Produce Business**, and having purchased the entire stock of Mr. Robert Donnell, will continue the trade in all its branches at the above stand. One of the firm has just returned from the city where he selected with care extensive additions, so that our stock is now large and complete; and will be sold for a small profit. We respectfully solicit, and will be happy to receive, a continuance of the liberal patronage extended to our predecessor, which from a rigid attention to business, and to uniform fair and honorable dealing, we hope to be able to merit from a generous public.
ANDREW J. STACEY.
july 13 OSBORN J. WELLS.

SHREVEPORT AUCTION STORE.
THE subscriber, having taken the corner brick building on Texas and Market streets, (opposite the market house,) has opened a GENERAL AUCTION STORE, and is now ready to receive goods of every description on consignment. Having been for many years engaged in the business, he flatters himself to give satisfaction to all who may honor him with a call. His regular days of sale are Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, or any other day, when business demands his attention.
Will give particular attention to the selling of Negroes, Real Estate, Horses and Succession Sales.
Liberal cash advances made on consignments of Groceries. A. L. HEINE, Auctioneer.
Shreveport, May 11, 1854.

FISK's PATENT BURIAL CASES.
THE undersigned, having purchased the entire right for this parish for the sale of Fisk's Patent Burial Cases, are prepared to furnish them at less prices than the ordinary wood coffins can be manufactured for. A supply always on hand at the corner of Texas and McNeal streets.
my26 WALDRAN & RENDALL.

New Goods.
JUST received per late arrivals, a well assorted stock of **DRY GOODS**, of the latest patterns, consisting of: kerseys ¾; brown Lowells 4-4; brown sheetings ¾; cottonades assorted; brown and bleached linens for summer pants; brown shirtings; printed French lawns; some handsome robes, new styles; a handsome assortment of spring and summer prints; chintz; some beautiful spring ginghams; bleached domestics, Turkey red for curtains; bird-eyed diapers; cotton do.; Irish linen; linen checks; mosquito nettings assorted; some bobinet nettings suitable for mosquito bars, and a number of other articles too numerous to mention, which we

SLEEPIER & Co.,
Wholesale and Retail Family Grocers,
And dealers in
DRY GOODS, HARDWARE,
QUEENSWARE, WINES, LIQUORS, &c. &c.
No. 13 on the Levee, Shreveport.
HAVE just received, and now opening, an extensive stock of fresh Family Groceries, Western Produce, Plantation Supplies, etc., selected expressly for this market, which will be sold at the very LOWEST PRICES. Among our stock will be found:
Seasonable Dry Goods; Domestics;
Osnaburgs; Boots; Shoes; Brogans;
Ohio and St. Louis Flour; Lard;
Sugar—Brown, loaf, crushed and powdered;
Molasses—Sugar-house, and reboiled;
Coffee of every description;
Teas; spices; peppers; genuine mustard;
Soap, brown and fancy; indigo; starch;
Candles—Sperm and star;
Sugar-cured and plain Hams; Sides; Shoulders;
Pork; Beef; dried beef;
Mackerel, Salmon, Shad, Herrings, Codfish;
Oils—Olive, sperm and lard;
Potatoes; onions; dried fruit;
Cheese—Goshen and western;
Tobacco—Chewing and smoking;
Cigars—Havana, assorted brands;
Water crackers and soda biscuit;
Sardines; pickles; ketchups;
Pepper sauce; nutmegs; ginger;
Rice; buckwheat; vinegar;
Salt—Fine, coarse, and table;
Raisins; figs prunes; almonds; candies;
Preserves; olives; anchovies;
Fancy Groceries, of every description.
WINES, LIQUORS AND CORDIALS,
in great variety, consisting of Dexter's, Rose's, Mason county and old Irish Whiskey; choice old Cognac Brandy, of all the favorite brands, Rum, Gin, Madeira, pure Port, Sherry and Champagne Wines, Claret, Absynthe, Curaço, Porter, Ale, Cider, Bitters, Lemon and other Syrups, together with almost every other article usually to be found in a large grocery store.
Planters, country merchants and others wanting orders filled, will find it to their advantage to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. ap19

Groceries, Wines, Liquors, &c.
THE subscribers have just received per steamer Cleona, in addition to their former stock, a full and complete assortment of Groceries, Western Produce, and other articles suited to the trade, all new and fresh, comprised in part of the following articles, viz:
18 casks ribbed bacon; 50 kegs lard;
15 tierces Stagg & Shay's extra hams;
10,000 lbs clear-side bacon;
150 bbls flour; 25 bbls extra do;
60 sacks coffee;
40 bbls and 40 half bbls molasses;
40 bbls and 20 half bbls Dexter whiskey;
20 bbls Dean and Wayne's whiskey;
25 bbls St. Louis whiskey;
10 bbls old Monongahela whiskey;
16 hhds brown and clarified sugar;
15 bbls crushed and 5 bbls powdered sugar;
10 bbls loaf sugar;
30 boxes Virginia tobacco.
ALSO—BOAT AND BAR STORES.
Comprising a choice and select variety of Brandies, wines, gin, rum, bitters, syrups, etc.; with a well assorted stock of Fancy Groceries, viz: sardines, pickles, candies, preserves, ketchups, sauces, mustard, etc.
STACEY & WELLS,
Successors to Rob't Donnell,
aug3 14 on the Levee.

Walters & Redus,
HAVE just received by the S. W. Downs in addition to their former extensive stock of groceries:
40 bbls sugar house molasses;
60 hf bbls do do
20 hhds prime sugar;
14 do choice do
6 do fair do
10 bbls crushed do
50 do superfine flour;
47 do extra St. Louis flour;
40 do fine xx do do
39 do Dexter whiskey;
30 do Oliver's do
50 do Rose's do
21 do Miller's (extra) whiskey;
300 sacks salt;
100 do fine salt;
20 casks bacon;
47 sacks Rio coffee;
30 boxes str. candies;
29 hf bxs do do
They are also in receipt of new and fashionable hats, boots, shoes and clothing; hardware, Lowells, domestics, and indeed EVERY THING usually kept in a dry goods and grocery establishment, which they offer very low for cash.
Cash paid for cotton. my3

New Stock! Fresh Goods!
THE subscriber has just received per steamers C. Hays, St. Charles and Compromise, an extensive addition to his stock, comprising every description of seasonable and fashionable fancy and staple **Dry Goods**, silks, satins, velets, muslins, linens, calicoes, ginghams, alpaccas, merinoes, flannels, bombazines, fancy dress goods, ribbons, laces, ladies' capes, collars, undersleeves, silk, cotton, thread and woolen hosiery, gloves, bonnets, millinery, ladies' trimmings, handkerchiefs, diapers, mosquito nettings, parasols, umbrellas, oil cloth, blankets, domestics, Lowells, and almost every other article that can be named.
Clothing, in great variety, comprising almost every kind of fabric, ranging from superfine cloth to light linen and gingham.
Ladies', men's and children's fine sewed and pegged slippers, shoes, brogans and boots, of every quality.
Fur, silk and wool hats, fine caps.
Perfumery, fancy soaps, ladies' work boxes, sewing silk, thread and cotton, etc. etc.
Cutlery, hardware, crockery, glass, wooden ware, tinware, brooms, bucket, iron, nails, tea-kettles, pots, ovens, coffee mills, etc.
Groceries, Wines and Liquors—My stock of these articles is large and very complete, chosen by an experienced buyer expressly for this market. Among it is: sugar of every quality, common and sugar house molasses, coffee, tea, chocolate, fine and coarse salt, Ohio and St. Louis flour, corn meal, sugar-cured, canvassed and plain hams, shoulders and sides, pork, beef, potatoes, dried fruit, lard, candle, soap, oils, vinegar, pepper, spice, nutmegs, starch, indigo, almonds, raisins, pickles, ketchups, sardines, lobsters, mackerel, salmon, shad, herrings, codfish, syrups, brandy fruits, peppermint, and all kinds of fancy groceries, chewing and smoking tobacco, cigars, old Monongahela, Dexter's, Rose, Bourbon, rye, rectified and common whiskey, rare old cognac brandy at various prices. American brandy, old rum, gin, porter, ale, cider, champagne, Madeira, Malaga, sherry, pure port and claret wines, cordials, fruits in their own juice, etc. Crackers, biscuit, cheese, beans, corn, oats, etc.
These goods were purchased in N. Orleans for cash, and will be sold as cheap, if not cheaper, than they can be had in any other house on Red River. Country merchants, planters, and others laying in supplies will find it greatly to their advantage to give me a call before purchasing elsewhere. M. BAER,
j28 Texas street.

E. & B. JACOBS,
TEXAS STREET, (near the Levee) Shreveport
ARE now receiving and opening new and complete stock of
SPRING GOODS,
of the latest and most fashionable styles, comprising in part the following articles:
Silks, silk tissues, and bereges of every description;
Muslins, jaconets, linen, ginghams, edicoes,
Bonnets, ribbons, artificial flowers, gloves,
Bleached and unbleached domestics,
Mantillas, capes, collars, chemisettes,
Undersleeves, and various articles of embroidery,
Cambric, linen and silk handkerchiefs,
Hosiery, fringe, gimp and velvet trimmings of every description,
Mosquito netting, of all qualities,
Laces, corsets, veils, braids and every description of fancy and staple Dry Goods.
CLOTHING:
Fine French, Italian and English merino frock, dress and sac coats,
Linen, gingham and alpaca coats of every size and description,
Fine merino, linen, alpaca and cottonade pants,
Black satin, silk, white Marseilles, linen, and every other description of vests,
A full assortment of linen and muslin shirts.
A large stock of boots, shoes and brogans, ladies' gaiters, slippers, ties and brogans, youths' and children's shoes.
The latest styles of silk, cassimere, leghorn, Panama, straw and palm leaf hats,
Cloth and plush caps, children's fine Leghorn hats.
A large assortment of Hardware, Crockery, China, Queens and Glassware; Trunks, Valices, Carpet Bags, Powder, Shot, Lead, etc.
GROCERIES:
100 bbls whiskey, of various brands,
40 bbls Monongahela and rye whiskey,
100 bbls flour, St. Louis and Ohio,
75 bags Rio and Java coffee,
50 hhds sugar, 10 cases loaf sugar,
50 bbls and 60 half bbls molasses,
120 pkgs Brandies, French and American,
10 casks rum, 5 do Holland gin, 10 do Amer. do.
20 bbls peach brandy, 5 do cherry bounce,
10 casks Port and Madeira Wines,
10 casks claret and Malaga do.
25 baskets champagne and cordials,
50 pkgs syrups, bitters, peppermint, etc.
10 casks London porter, 10 do Scotch ale,
250 boxes chewing tobacco, 120,000 cigars,
20 casks hams, shoulders and bacon sides,
25 bbls Irish potatoes,
Brandy fruits, fruits in their own juice, sardines, pickles, ketchups, lobsters, shrimps, candles, starch, indigo, sal soda, spices, cloves, nutmegs, fish, matches, together with every description of family groceries, plantation supplies and boat stores.
These goods were selected by us in person, are

H. L. STONE & Co.
Wholesale Grocers, Commission Merchants and Powder Agents,
No. 1 Gravier street, New Orleans.
KEEP constantly on hand a large assortment of Groceries and staple articles, among others will be found
Butter, Goshen and Western;
Cheese, English dairy, western, pine apple, etc.
Lard, hams, shoulders, sides,
Tobacco, chewing and smoking,
Soap, rice, Liverpool and table salt,
Scotch ale, London porter,
Jamaica, N. E. and N. O. rum
Brandy and wine, of all brands,
Clarets, champagnes, and Sauterne,
Gin, whiskey, cordials assorted,
Sal Æratus, starch, indigo, lead,
Macaroni, vermicelli, tapioca,
Spice, pepper, ginger, nutmegs, cloves,
Fine teas, coffee, all kinds,
Pickles, ketchups, sardines, lobsters,
Oils, olive, in bottles and flasks.
Candles, sperm, wax and star.
We are, also, agents for one of the most celebrated POWDER MILLS, and keep a large assortment always on hand. nov 2, 1853

E. J. HART & Co.
Grocers, Commission Merchants,
AND IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
WINES, LIQUORS AND WHISKEY,
No. 79 Tchoupitoulas street, New Orleans.
KEEP constantly on hand a large assortment suitable for the city and country trade, viz:
WINES—Madeira, Oporto, claret, white, sweet and dry Malaga, Muscat, Sherry.
BRANDY—Cognac, Rochelle, Bordeaux, Peach, American.
GIN—Holland and domestic.
RUM—Jamaica, New Orleans, N. E.
WHISKEY—Monongahela, Bourbon, Western Virginia, Irish, Rochford, apple champagne.
SPICES—Cloves, mace, nutmegs, pepper, ginger, allspice, ground spices of all kinds.
SOAP—Brown, Boston, western, northern, white and fancy in bars and cakes: Castile.
Starch—Fox's, Cincinnati.
DRUGS AND DYES—Indigo, madder, sulphate quinine, together with a full assortment of other staple drugs and chemicals, by the case only.
STATIONERY—Playing cards, letter, cap, wrapping and sampling paper, blank books, together with an assortment of similar goods.
SUGAR—Brown, white, loaf, crushed and powdered.
MOLASSES—Country, sugar house and golden syrup.
TOBACCO—Assorted brands, comprising all qualities.
TEAS—Imperial, Pouchong, gunpowder, hyson, young hyson, souchong, padre, etc.
COFFEE—Rio, Havana and Java.
CHOCOLATE—Sweet and plain.
CIGARS—Large stock, well assorted.
SHOT—Buck and drop.
POWDER in cans and kegs; Lead,
Pickles, catsups, preserves, brandy fruit, brandy cherries; fruits in their own juice.
Hermetically sealed lobsters, salmon, shad, sardines, oysters, etc.
Wooden and Willow Ware, brooms, gunny bags, buckets, tubs, axehelves, etc.
WITHERILL'S PHILADELPHIA WHITE LEAD—Having been made agents for the sale of the celebrated White Lead, manufactured by Wetherill and Brother, we shall keep constantly on hand a large assortment of the different grades and the various sized packages, to which we invite the attention of the trade.
nov 2, 1853 1y

R. M. McALPIN & Co.
WHOLESALE GROCERS,
AND DEALERS IN WINES AND LIQUORS,
7 Canal street Row and 20 Common street,
NEW ORLEANS.
OFFER for sale the following goods, together with many articles in their line not enumerated below, which will be sold low for cash or good city acceptances.
TEAS—Imperial, Gunpowder, Young Hyson, Powchong, Oolong.
COFFEE—Rio, Havana, Jamaica, Laguira, choice old Java, Mocho.
SUGAR—Louisiana, Havana; New York, New Orleans and Boston loaf, crushed, powdered, clarified, granulated.
FLOUR—Extra St. Louis, superfine do.; Illinois, Ohio; corn meal, hommony.
FISH—Mackerel, Nos. 1 and 2 in bbls., ½ bbls., ¼ bbls. and kits; No. three in bbls. Herrings in barrels and ½ bbls. Salmon in kitts and ½ kitts; smoked in boxes. Shad do. do. do. Codfish in boxes and drums. Herring, Potomac and North Carolina in bbls.; smoked in boxes.
OILS—Castor, lard, linseed, whale, sperm, tanners, fine salad, olive, etc.
PROVISIONS—Mess Pork, prime do.; mess beef, in bbls and ½ bbls.; prime beef, ribbed sides, clear do.; shoulders, sugar cured hams, Westphalia do., plain do.; dried beef, do tongues, pickled tongues, lard in barrels and kegs; beans, peas, split do; potatoes, onions; coarse salt, fine do., table do; rice, barley.
CHEESE—Goshen, English diary, western and pine apple.
BUTTER—Goshen and Western.
CANDLES—Sperm, star, adamantine, tallow.
SOAP—Winchester's, Livermore's, Eagle, Boston, Jackson's, Hunt's extra, Castile, fancy bar, variegated, toilet, shaving, do cream.
FRUITS AND NUTS—Raisins, almonds, grapes, currants, prunes, figs, Brazil nuts, pecans, citron, filberts, English walnuts, cranberries, dried apples, do peaches.
PAPER, etc.—Writing, wrapping; playing cards in great variety; cotton twine, lamp wick.
PICKLES, CATSUPS, etc.—Underwood's, Davis' and Wells, M. and Prevost's Pickles, in gallons, ½, ¼ and ⅛ gallons. Catsup, tomato, walnut and mushroom; Worcestershire sauce, rose water, orange flower do; pie fruit, currant jellies, guava do; assorted do; pepper sauce, Havana preserves, Am. do in glass and tin; Canton ginger, capers, olives, fresh salmon, shad and lobsters in sealed cans; sardines.
SPICES—Cassia in mats and glass, cloves, mace, nutmegs, allspice, black pepper, Cayenne do; ginger, Kentucky mustard
WOODEN-WARE—Buckets, tubs, brooms, washboards, clothes pins, shoe brushes, scrub do; bed cords, plough lines, Manilla do; churns, boxes and kitts in nests.
DRUGS—Indigo, copperas, saleratus, sulphur, lampblack, Spanish brown, carb soda, cream tartar, camphor, madder, alum, Epsom salts, brimstone, saltpetre, magnesia, quinine, sealing wax, matches.
LIQUORS—Brandy, cognac, (some rare and old,) do domestic; Jamaica rum, New England and N. Orleans do; Holland gin, American do; Whiskey, Irish, Scotch, Monongahela, Bourbon, rectified and common; Madeira, Sherry, Oporto, Malaga and Muscat Wines, in wood and glass; claret and champagne; brandy cherries, do peaches, fruits in brandy, curacoa, maraschino, absynthe, annisette, cordials, Stoughton's bitters, lemon syrup, assorted do.; London porter, Scotch ale, cider, essence peppermint.
TOBACCO—A large assortment of the most favorite brands of chewing tobacco; fine cut chewing and smoking do.
CIGARS—Havana of all brands and qualities; American do.
Particular care taken in putting up plantation supplies. Orders promptly executed. nov 2, 1853

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
Drugs, Medicines and Chemicals
PAINTS, OILS, WINDOW-GLASS, DYE-STUFFS,
Varnishes, Brushes, Select Powders, Extracts, Perfumery, &c.
Physicians' Shop Furniture, Medicine Chests, medical bags, dental and surgical instruments, gold and silver foil and leaf, and every article usually kept by druggists, for sale by
J. W. MORRIS, Chemist, Shreveport, La.

New Arrangement.
DRUG BUSINESS.
THE undersigned will continue the **DRUG BUSINESS**, in all its various branches at the old stand of Miller & Tebbets, on his own account.
With increased facilities, his stock in future will not be surpassed in the State for variety and purity of articles. Importations are made monthly.
TERMS—No departure from the cash system will be made, except in cases where parties are both punctual and responsible on credit to January. Wholesale and retail dealers will be supplied at low prices, and EVERY ARTICLE sold will be GUARANTIED as represented.
WM. B. MILLER,
Druggist and Bookseller.
Shreveport, January 18, 1854.

Morris' Anti-Bilious or Family Pills.
THE proprietor can confidently recommend these pills as the best, most efficient and pleasant Anti-bilious Pills in use. In full doses they act sufficiently to supercede the necessity of mercury in any form; and in small doses as a mild, gentle laxation or aperient. Price 25 cts. per box. Prepared only and for sale by
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For the Ladies.
SUPER figured and plain Silks, Cashmeres and Alpaccas;
Super merinos and de laines; Bareges and crapes;
Chambord cloaks; Visites and shawls;
Bonnet and neck ribbons; Gloves, of various descriptions. GREEN & DOUGLASS.

Groceries & Produce.
JUST received an extensive and very complete assortment of Groceries, Boat Stores, Western Produce, Whiskey, Brandy, Wines, Fancy Groceries, etc., which will be sold at the lowest prices, at No. 14 on the Levee, by [m1] STACEY & WELLS.

QUININE! QUININE!!
FRESH arrivals, from the best manufacturers received and for sale at reduced prices by
j10 J. W. MORRIS.

India Rubber Goods.
OVER-COATS, Leggings, Overshoes, Pants, Hose Covers, etc., just received and for sale by
TRABUE & KLINE.
100 PAIR best oak tanned RUSSETTS, for

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Manufactured Wagons, Carts, &c. &c.
The subscriber has on hand and is constantly receiving from the manufactory of Wilson Child & Co., PHILADELPHIA, as well as from his own, a large assortment of Wheelwright Works, such as plantation and road **Wagons** for horses and oxen; cane and other **CARTS, DRAYS, OX and TIMBER WHEELS**, all with wood and iron axle trees. Jersey and Baggage Wagons, Wheelbarrows and Trucks of every kind; and all other articles in the line, made of the best materials and workmanship, warranted to be superior to any other manufacture, for sale at reduced prices and lower than any other establishments.
Purchasers will find it to their interest to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere, as the above establishment uses none but the best of Jersey white oak. Apply to DAVID G. WILSON.
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*** Perdido street runs west from St. Charles street, between Gravier and Poydras sts.

J. A. LUM & Co.'s
New Orleans Carriage Warehouse,
Nos. 113 GRAVIER AND 13 UNION STREETS,
Opposite the St. Charles Hotel.
Our Stock comprises One Hundred and Fifty Carriages, of the NEWEST STYLES, from the best manufacturers of the north.
—ALSO—
An extensive assortment of Harness, Whips, and Coach Trimmings all of which we will sell very cheap for cash or good city paper.
Planters, Livery Stable Keepers, and all others wishing to purchase any thing in the above line, will find it to their advantage to call at our Carriage Warehouse, 113 Gravier and 13 Union streets, opposite the St. Charles Hotel. [jan11] J. A. LUM & Co.

H. R. BEACH,
CARRIAGE DEALER,
Louisiana Carriage Repository,
Nos. 49 and 51 CARONDELET ST.
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Always on hand a large and complete assortment from the best manufactories. dec 14-1y

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THE undersigned having purchased of BREWSTER & Co., their entire interest in the Carriage business in New Orleans, will continue the same at 116 Gravier street, and respectfully solicit the patronage of the late house. We shall be constantly receiving from our own manufactory in Newark, N.J., as well as from other of the best manufacturers at the north, a complete assortment of **Carriages** and **Harness** of the latest styles, to which we invite the attention of buyers before purchasing elsewhere. TURNBULL & Co.

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TURNBULL & Co.,
SUCCESSORS TO BREWSTER & CO.,
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Rear of the St. Charles Hotel, New Orleans.
Every description of carriages made to order.
D. B. & A. Turnbull, Manufacturers, Newark, New Jersey. nov 2-1y

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Wholesale and Retail Grocers,
Shreveport, La.
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20 hhds prime sugar;	5 hf bbls saleratus;
15 do choice do	10m Havana cigars
5 tier's paragon do	5 tierces rice
39 bbls prime do	30 boxes soap
30 do choice do	50 do star candles
80 do fair do	20 hf bxs do do
10 do crushed do	20 bxs sperm candles
10 bxs loaf do	10 kegs bar lead
100 bbls S.H. Molasses	10 do shot
150 ½ bbls " do	25 boxes starch
75 casks bacon sides;	150 kegs powder
15 casks hams	75 hf kegs powder
25 do shoulders	30 gross matches
10 hf bbls mess beef	20 bxs Cuba sixes
150 bbls mess pork	5 casks bottled ale
100 kegs lard	5 tres S. C. dried beef
20 bxs champ. cider	10 bxs beef tongues
15 do tomato ketchup	5 cases prunes in jars
10 do walnut do	10 bxs yeast powders
10 do pepper sauce	10 do cordials
10 do Worcester "	20 do claret
20 do assort'd pickles;	10 do tea
10 pkgs Ky. mustard	5 hf bxs tea
15 bxs cayenne pepper	10 ¼ cks cognac brandy
20 do brandy cherries	15 ⅛ " do do
10 cases lobsters	3 ¼ " Madeira wine
10 do salmon	3 ¼ " Malaga do
10 do sardines	2 ¼ " Port do
10 bxs Scotch snuff	10 demij's Irish whisky
5 do Grant's do	12 do Jamaica rum
20 gross blacking	10 bales Ky. jeans
20 bxs lemon syrup	5 do lindsey, plain
5 hf bbls soda	3 do do col'd

and sundry other articles, too numerous to mention. jy13

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