RIOT—The Memphis Eagle and Enquirer of Saturday, says, an extensive Irish riot occurred last evening about 6 o'clock, a short distance from the city, on the Raleigh road. Various reports were in circulation last night respecting the number present, killed, wounded, &c., and the consequences likely to ensue. From the best information we could obtain, we suppose that the party must have numbered nearly 100—composed of Irish laborers from the railroad.—An American boy who was riding peaceably along the road, was fired upon—his horse was badly wounded, and his shirt pierced by a rifle ball. Up to the time of writing this article, we had heard of no death, which could be credited. Some reports said seven Irish had been killed, some fourteen, and others more and less. These reports were, however, not reliable. The deputy sheriff had gone out to ascertain the exact state of affairs; but had not returned up to the time of writing this report.

Philip W. Doneghy shot James Simpson on the 20th ult., at Bradfordville, Kentucky, with a gun loaded with buckshot, which entered the back of the head and killed him. The citizens were so much excited at this cowardly murder that they have offered a reward of $3000, for the arrest of the murderer.

Two thousand people attended the street preaching in the Park, New York, on Sunday the 30th ult. The protestants occupied one end of the paved esplanade in front of the principal entrance, and the catholics the other. All going on with harmony and good nature, and each abusing the other with infinite gusto. That is the right way to do things.

The Concordia Intelligencer says that, the greasy rot on some of the oldest plantations still prevails; but there is another and more alarming, because more general, symptom of discouragment began to develop itself. It is a dry yellow rot, which appears on nearly all the latest formed bolls and causes them to fall off, covering the ground with these immature and blasted formations.

At Mount Meigs, in Montgomery county, on Friday night last, says the Montgomery (Ala.) Advertiser, of the 29th ult., dr. McDonald was murdered by his negro man. As we have heard the particulars, dr. McDonald had chastised the negro for some insolence or disobedience, and the negro started to run away. The doctor, a few minutes afterwards, went to his stable to get his horse, and while there was set upon by the negro, (who had concealed himself in the stable,) and was beaten to death with a large club—his skull being broken into fragments.

Dr. McDonald was a highly esteemed citizen, and this foul murder, of course, produced the greatest excitement. The negro was arrested, and a meeting of the citizens of Mount Meigs was held, at which it was determined, by a large majority, that the foul murderer should be burnt. This sentence was duly executed on Sunday afternoon last.

The Cleveland (Ohio,) Herald of the 24th ultimo, says, a frightful fire is now raging in the woods at Cuyahoga falls, Franklin, Randolph, Ravenna, Robertson, Northfield, and parts of Summit and Portage counties, Ohio. Even the soil is burning, to the depth of one and a half feet. As the flames are driven forward by the wind, trees, both dry and green are ignited in an instant, and almost as quickly consumed. Several barns in the vicinity of the woods, stowed with hay and grain, have been destroyed.—Apprehensions are entertained for the safety of the town of Hudson. There has been no rain in this section since the 29th July, and all vegetation has suffered greatly from the drought. Every attempt has been made to arrest the progress of the flames, but without success. Water cannot be brought to bear upon the fire in sufficient quantities to do any good. Last evening this city was enveloped in smoke from the burning forest.

The woods near Painesville, for a mile in length, are all on fire.

The editor of the Manchester (N.H.) Mirror, in describing his traveling experiences on a trip to the White mountains, refers to the attempts which are making for the erection of a monument to Henry Clay, and states that John Hayes Thompson, of Holderness, a shoe manufacturer, whom he had met in the cars, a man of good humor and a good headpiece, wears upon his face a monument to the defeat of Henry Clay, "more in sorrow than in anger."—Some fifteen years ago he made a vow that he would never shave again until Henry Clay was elected president; he never has, and his beard is a foot long, though some long chippings have been lately taken from it.

STAMMERING.—The Scientific American publishes a long illustrated description of Bates' apparatus for the relief of stammerers. The apparatus consists of "a belt, intended to be worn around the neck after the manner of a stock, with a view to pressure on the glottis, as the seat of the difficulty with respect to guteral sounds." By means of a screw and a pad, the glottis is acted on so as to allow a free passage for the air. A thin tube of gold or silver, attached to the roof of the mouth by a gum-elastic spring, is worn—one end opening against the teeth and the other extending backwards. The use of this tube is to "carry off the breath, which would be converted in its absence, into a spasmodic lingual sound."—There is yet another instrument—"a small metalic disk, convex on both sides and hollow. In the centre of one side is an aperture, designed for the ingress of the expired breath to its cavity, while in its periphery there is another aperture for the egress of the breath from its cavity into a little straight tube, which conveys it from the cavity of the mouth.—This instrument has reference to labial sounds."—Eminent medical gentlemen are said to have pronounced favorable opinions on the efficacy of this invention.

PEAS AND POTATOES.—At a recent meeting of one of the French agricultural societies, a curious fact was related: A farmer stuck a pea in a potato, and planted them together in March last. The pea produced a stalk which was covered with pods, and the potato gave eleven healthy roots. The farmer is of opinion that, by this system, it is possible not only to obtain a two-fold crop, but to prevent the malady in potatoes.

The National Democrat calls attention to the curious (alleged) fact that John Van Buren was to attend an anti-slavery convention in London, on the 12th of August. It says:

"No more fit man could have been selected (for such a service we are told) than this same John Van Buren. He is able and eloquent, and, fresh from the president's confidence, can tell the English people all they want to know about our "peculiar institution." In this service of John Van Buren's we have a solution to the table talk which occurred when the president invited him to dine with him, of late, in Washington. We want southern flunkies to remember, as an earnest of this administration's doings, that the most influential man with it, from New York, had been sent on a confidential mission to England to preach anti-slavery and disunion!"

It appears that Billy Bowlegs, the Seminole warrior, recently had in his possession two fugitive negroes from Alabama, and having refused to give them up, two of his slaves who lately visited fort Myers, in Florida, were made prisoners, whereupon Billy gave up one of the fugitives, and demanded one of his. This was not only refused, but the fugitive sent in by him was taken into custody and retained. As a rescue was feared, (Billy with seventeen warriors being within two miles of the fort) the troops were preparing for a fight. There are three companies of U. S. troops at the fort.

ORANGE WATERMELON.—Mr. Peabody, of the Soil of the South, has recently presented the Columbus (Ga.) Times with a specimen of the orange watermelon.—The rind peals off like the orange, and leaves the whole of the rich, luscious pulp in a lobate mass, which also divides into parts, and is most delightfully flavored. This watermelon is a native growth of China.

At a recent meeting of New York physicians, it was agreed that painless diarrhœa is a sure precursor of every case of cholera, while colic never leads to it; that this painless diarrhœa is entirely curable. They said the disease was less violent in 1852, but more so than in 1849. As to treatment, perfect rest was insisted on as of the first importance; then opium and calomel. For the diarrhœa they generally advised stimulant purgatives. They agreed that it was but feebly contagious.

A woman named Catherine Cunningham, died of intemperance in one of the Cincinnati watch-houses lately. The next day her husband was called upon to take the body away for interment, when he swore that she was not his wife, and that the police wanted to rob him of his money to pay for the burial of an improper character. It was afterwards ascertained that she was not only his wife, but that he furnished the liquor which caused her untimely death. He should be made to suffer for the double crime of inhumanity and perjury.

The Van Buren (Ark.) Intelligencer says that Dr. Borland, late minister to Central America, has returned to his residence at Little Rock, where he intends to remain in private life, abstaining from the political excitements of the State.

We learn from the Kosciusko Sun, that a gentleman named Miller was murdered a few days ago at his residence near Camden, and that suspicion rests upon his brother-in-law, Mr. Griffin, who lived in the house with him. It appears that Mr. Miller, while asleep, was shot with his own gun. The gun was taken from the place where usually kept, and has not been found since. Griffin has been arrested.

Mr. William Cloman, of Carroll parish, Louisiana, arrived at Zanesville, Ohio, on the 20th ult., with his wife and child and a slave girl, about nineteen years old. The colored people had her taken from her master on a writ of habeas corpus, and she was told she was free. When taken before the court she expressed her desire to remain with her master, whereupon legal proceedings were quashed. Mr. Cloman is on his way to a relative in North Carolina.

THE RIVER MAIL LETTING.—The Louisville Courier has the following paragraph: We learn that the steamboat owners hereabouts, having ascertained that the postmaster general at Washington refuses to give out the river mail lettings between this port and New Orleans, have determined not to carry the mail for less than $400 for the big mail, and $200 for the little mail. This will open the eyes of Mr. Campbell on cheap contracts. The usual rates heretofore were $100 for the large, and $25 for the small mail.

The Gallatin (Davies county, Mo.,) Sun says, Mr. John W. Douglas, in an affray with some horse-thieves in Clay county, was most horribly murdered on the day of election; another good citizen, a Mr. Ross, it is feared mortally wounded; and several other citizens more or less injured. The murderers were instantly taken and hung upon the spot.

The Ohio river has got so low that fears are entertained of its going dry.

For District Judge.

☞ MESSRS. EDITORS—Please state that the friends of REUBEN MUNDY, esq., nominate him as a candidate for Judge of the 15th Judicial District Court, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of the hon. H. M. Spofford, and that he will be supported by THE PEOPLE OF CADDO AND DESOTO.

☞ We are authorised to announce THOMAS T. LAND, esq., as a candidate for Judge of the 18th Judicial District Court, (comprising the parishes of DeSoto and Caddo,) to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of the hon H. M. Spofford.

New Orleans Market.

SEPTEMBER 5.—Cotton very dull. Prices range, for:

Inferior,	5—@6—	Middling,	8⅝@8⅝
Ordinary,	6½@7½	Good "	9—@9¼
Low middling,	7¾@8—	Middling fair,	9½@—

The receipts (including 26,868 bales on hand) since the 1st September, have been 3200 bales. Exported during same time, 5715 bales.

FLOUR—$8 50; 8 75@9 25 ₱ bbl.
PORK—M. O. $13 50; mess, $15 00@15 50 ₱ bbl.
BACON—Sides, 7½@7¾c; shoulders, 7¾@8—c.
LARD—No. 1, 11; 12@13c. ₱ lb.
CORN—82½@86c. ₱ bush.
COFFEE—Rio, 10½, 10¾@11c. ₱ lb.
SUGAR—3¼; 3½; 3¾; 4¼@4¾c. ₱ lb.
MOLASSES—Reboiled, 9@10c.; choice, 11½c. ₱ gal.
BAGGING & ROPE—Bagging 16@16½c; rope 8½@9c.
WHISKEY—Rectified, 26½@27c.; raw, 30c. ₱ gal.
LIME—At retail—Thomaston, $1 50@2 25 ₱ bbl—Western, $1 00@1 75.
SALT—Liverpool, fine, $1 45@1 55; coarse, $1 25 ₱ sack.

CATTLE MARKET, September 5.

BEEF—Western, fine,	8¾@9c. ₱ lb net.	
Texas and Lake,	4½@7—c.	—
Hogs,	6—@7c.	—
Sheep,	$2 50@4 00 ₱ head.	
Milch Cows,	$25 00@75 00	—
Calves and yearlings,	$6 75@10 50	—

South-Western Office.

JOB PRINTING.

☞ THE proprietors of the South-Western beg to inform their patrons and the public generally, that they have recently received from the foundries a great variety of new and beautiful type, comprising nearly all the latest styles, which makes their Job Office one of the MOST EXTENSIVE AND COMPLETE in the south west, (and unequalled by any out of the city,) and that they are prepared to execute with despatch

Plain and Fancy Book and Job Printing,

of every description, from a handbill the size of this paper to the smallest card, in a style of unsurpassed beauty and elegance, and

AT THE LOWEST PRICES.

PAMPHLETS,	BILL HEADS,	BLANKS,
BRIEFS,	BILLS LADING,	LABELS,
BOOKS,	COTTON RECEIPTS,	HANDBILLS,
CIRCULARS,	BLANK NOTES,	CARDS, &c. &c.,

Printed on the shortest notice, and in a manner unequaled.

Printing in Gold, Colored Inks and Bronze.

Those wishing to have printing executed will find it to their advantage to give the South-Western a call.

U. S. Mail—New Arrangement.

SHREVEPORT POST OFFICE, JULY 26, 1854.

GRAND ECORE MAIL—Two horse hack. Leaves every Monday, Thursday and Saturday, at 4 o'clock, A.M. Arrives on Tuesday, Friday and Sunday, at 6 P.M.

JEFFERSON—Four horse coaches. Leaves every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 11, A.M. Arrives Wednesday, Friday and Sunday, at 4½, P.M.

NEW ORLEANS—By steamboat. Arrives and departs irregularly twice a week.

NACOGDOCHES—Horseback. Leaves every Monday and Friday, at 7, A.M. Arrives every Wednesday and Saturday, at 5, P.M.

MONROE AND ARKANSAS—Horseback. Leaves every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6, A.M. Arrives on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 8, P.M.

ALBANY—Horseback. Arrives on Saturday, at 11, P.M. Leaves same day, at 1, P.M.

OFFICE HOURS—Week days—Open at 8 o'clock, A.M. Closes at 12, M., for dinner. Opens at 2, P.M.; and closes again at 5, for the day. On Sunday—opens at 8, and closes at 9, A.M. L. E. CARTER, P.M.

☞ THE most confirmed cases of the most distressing diseases, oftimes arise from indigestion. All of us more or less are troubled with this annoying symptom, still as it is a general thing, we do not attempt to medicate until something serious intervenes. We would as a public monitor warn all our readers against the sin of neglect, and at the same time recommend to their notice Dr. Hoofland's German Bitters, the original preparation as prepared by Dr. C. M. Jackson, No. 129 Arch street, Philadelphia. We have seen cures effected through its influence.—Scott's Weekly. s6-4t

Masonic.

THE meetings of JOPPA LODGE, No. 71, will be held hereafter at the new lodge room, over Roach & McCarty's old stand, on the corner of Texas and Market streets, formerly known as the Club Room.

W. B. STURGESS, W. M.
WM. H. DASHIELL, Sec'y. feb22

I. O. O. F.

THE regular meetings of Neith Lodge No. 21, are held on WEDNESDAY EVENINGS, at the old Caddo Lodge, on Spring street.

WM. ROBSON, N. G.
J. G. MCWILLIAMS, Sec'y.

To the Planters.

FROM the solicitations of many of his planting friends, the subscriber will give his personal and especial attention to the Sale of Cotton in this market. Refers to the merchants of Shreveport generally.

Shreveport, Sept. 13, 1854. D. S. WILDER.

☞ The Marshall Republican will copy six months and send bill to this office.

RICH'D D. SALE,
General Collecting Agent,
Shreveport, La.

WILL give prompt attention to the collection of all claims entrusted to him against persons in north-western Louisiana, eastern Texas and southern Arkansas. He will be assisted by J. C. Beall, attorney at law, as legal adviser, who will in his absence give any information desired.

Reference—W. W. Smith, E. H. Jordan, Shreveport; Oakey & Hawkins; J. Baraside & Co., New Orleans; Wood, Bacon & Co., Whelan & Co., Wolfes, Ballard & Co., Philadelphia; Neilson, Wardwell & Co. New York; hon. H. M. Spofford, supreme court of Louisiana. s13

Groceries and Provisions.

WE are receiving by every boat additions to our large stock of Groceries, Provisions, Wines, Liquors, Plantation and Domestic Goods, Boat and Bar Stores. Salt, Tobacco, Cigars, Candles, Soap, etc., all of which will be sold on the most accommodating terms. SLEEPIER & Co., 13 on the Levee,
s13 Opposite the steamboat landing.

Committed to Jail

IN the parish of Caddo, before J. W. Jones, esq. justice of the peace, a very dark complexioned mulatto man, apparently about twenty or twenty-one years of age, and some five feet two or three inches in height. Calls himself REUBEN, and says that he belongs to judge Andrews, residing in Panola county, State of Texas. The owner, or owners, of said mulatto man is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be disposed of as the law directs.

J. S. ALLWINE, Jailor Caddo parish.
Shreveport, September 13, 1854.

$35 Reward

WILL be given to any person who will deliver to me, at Bellevue, La., a small **Sorrel Stallion.** He is about 7 years old. Said animal escaped about a month and a half ago.

MORGAN O. TALIAFERRO.
September 13, 1854. 1m*

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo—In District Court, No. —. F. R. ROACH vs. S. W. BROWN, Administratrix. By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale, issued out of the honorable the District Court in and for the parish of Caddo, in the above entitled suit and to me directed, I have seized and will sell at public auction at the court house door in the town of Shreveport, parish of Caddo, on **SATURDAY, the 7th day of October, A. D. 1854,** between the hours of 11 o'clock, A.M., and 4, P.M., the following described property, to-wit: the **Slave Lewis,** a yellow man, about 25 years of age. Seized and to be sold to pay and satisfy the writ issued in the above entitled suit.

Terms of sale—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement. M. WATSON, Sheriff.
Shreveport, September 5, 1854. s6-pf.$4 76

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo.—In the District Court, No. 3334. A. BAUMAN, vs. W. JENKINS et al School Directors of School District No. 2 of the Parish of Caddo. By virtue of an alias writ of fieri facias issued out of the honor. the District Court in and for the parish of Caddo in the above entitled suit and to me directed, I have seized and will proceed to sell at public auction at the court house door in the town of Shreveport, parish of Caddo, on **SATURDAY, the 7th day of October, A. D. 1854,** between the hours of eleven o'clock, A.M. and four, P.M., the following described property, to-wit: One acre of land in the south-east corner of the north-east quarter of section one (1) in township seventeen (17) of range fourteen (14) in the parish of Caddo, State of Louisiana, contained in the following meets and bounds, courses and distances, to-wit: beginning six chains and nine links north from the south-east corner of said north-east quarter of said section one, and running thence west three chains and sixteen links, thence north three chains and sixteen links; thence east three chains and sixteen links, thence south three chains and sixteen links to the place of beginning for complement. Seized and to be sold to pay and satisfy the writ issued in the above entitled suit.

Terms of sale—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement. M. WATSON, Sheriff.
Shreveport, September 5, 1854. [s6-pf.$8 10

STACEY & WELLS,
Wholesale and Retail Grocers,
And dealers in Wines, Liquors, Plantation Supplies, &c.
No. 14 on the Levee, Shreveport.

HAVE just received per steamboats Runaway and Cleona their fall stock, comprising one of the largest and most complete assortments ever brought to this place, among which will be found:

Plain and sugar-cured hams, clear sides; shoulders; Mess and prime pork; leaf lard;
Mess beef; mackerel; herrings;
Superior St. Louis and Ohio flour;
Brown, loaf, clarified and crushed sugars;
Re-boiled and sugar-house molasses;
Rio and Java coffee; fresh teas;
Coarse and fine Liverpool salt;
Virginia chewing tobacco, of all qualities;
Havana and American cigars; smoking tobacco;
Soap, candles, starch, indigo; vinegar;
Dean and Wayne, old Monongahela, old rye, rectified, common and other whiskey;
Choice old cognac and champagne brandies;
Pure Holland and American gin;
Old Jamaica and N. E. rum;
Madeira, sherry and port wines, guaranteed genuine,
Claret and champagne wines;
London porter, Scotch ale; cider;
Brandy cherries; fruits in brandy and their own juice;
Cordials of every description; syrups of all kinds;
Ketchups and sauces of every description;
Pickles, pie-fruits, and sweetmeats;
Raisins, prunes, preserved ginger, almonds;
Sardines, lobsters, salmon, shad;
Pine apple and goshen cheese;
Olive oil, olives, capers; wine and other bitters;
Rice, potatoes, beans and peas;
Sperm and lard oils;
Soda, butter and water crackers;
Yeast powders, matches, blacking;
Pepper, mustard, nutmegs, cloves, allspice;
Powder, shot, and lead;
Brooms, buckets, wooden-ware;
Demijohns, bottles, jugs, jars and stone-ware;
Plough and clothes' lines; trace chains;
Castings, spikes, nails, brads and tacks;

A general assortment of Fancy Groceries, etc., together with a choice stock of

BOAT AND BAR STORES,

comprising all the favorite brands of pure old brandies, wines, gin, rum, curacoa, absynthe, peppermint, bitters, syrups, bar furniture and fixtures, etc., etc., and an endless variety of other articles too tedious to enumerate, all of which will be sold at the lowest prices. Purchasers are invited to give us a call.

Particular attention will be paid to putting up and carefully packing all orders from country merchants, planters, and other persons residing at a distance.

We will receive additions to our stock by every boat, and by that means be enabled to keep it complete during the entire season. aug36

Auction Sale of Sundries.

BY A. L. HEINE, AUCTIONEER.

WILL be sold at public auction, on **Monday, 18th September,** for account of whom it may concern, at the corner of Texas and Market sts., a lot of sundries from L. E. Carter's warehouse, being goods stored over 12 months, sold to pay freight and charges. Terms, cash. s6

Dissolution.

THE copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm of **S. T. Goodwyn & Co.,** in the town of Starrville, Texas, has been dissolved by mutual consent. S. T. Goodwyn having purchased the entire interest of E. M. Matthews in the concern, the business will hereafter be conducted by S. T. Goodwyn and J. Boyd, the remaining partners, under the name of S. T. Goodwyn & Co., who assume all the liabilities, and are alone authorised to collect all debts due the old firm. S. T. GOODWYN.
J. BOYD.
E. M. MATTHEWS.
August 24th, 1854. sept 6-3t

Dissolution.

THE copartnership existing between the undersigned, under the firm of **VanBibber & Hitchcock,** was on the 12th inst. dissolved by mutual consent. All those knowing themselves to be indebted to the firm will please call and settle. Either of us will use the name of the firm in liquidation of the debts.

SAM. VAN BIBBER.
A. J. HITCHCOCK.
Shreveport, August 16, 1854. 1m

SHREVEPORT MARKET.
Fresh Beef, Mutton, Pork and Veal.

THE subscriber, having taken the corner stall in the market, begs to inform his old friends and the public generally, that he will hereafter carry on the butchery business in all its branches on his own individual account, and that he will spare neither pains nor expense to at all times supply his customers with the very best **Beef, Veal, Pork and Mutton,** that can be procured in this section of country. Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to him, he would request his old friends to bear in mind that he is not now in any way connected with any other butcher, nor in any stall except the one he in person attends to.

Steamboats furnished with Fresh Meats on as liberal terms, and with as quick despatch, as by any other butcher in town.
aug30 JOHN STEIGELMAN.

Great Bargains! Great Bargains!!

AS we intend closing our store in a few weeks, all those in want of Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Boots, Shoes, Groceries, Wines, Liquors, etc., etc., will find it to their advantage to give us an early call. As we are **SELLING OFF AT COST,** extraordinary inducements are held out to purchasers, in fact such as were never before offered in this community, and families, planters, country merchants, and all others, will be satisfied on examining our prices, that we sell at from **25 to 30 per cent. cheaper than any other house in Shreveport,** and lower than the same articles can be purchased in New Orleans.

Ladies are respectfully solicited to give us a call.—They will find every article they may be in want of, and we guarantee that they will acknowledge they never before knew goods sold as low.
aug2 E. & B. JACOBS, Texas street.

Runaway

FROM the plantation of the subscriber, on Red River, opposite Shreveport, on Saturday, 12th inst., a negro man by the name of **Smith,** about 6 feet high, black complexion, prominent eyes and well muscled, and between 28 and 30 years old. He took away with him a brown or mouse colored **Mule.** He will probably attempt to make his way out west, for the purpose of getting with the Indians. A liberal reward will be paid for his apprehension and delivery on my plantation, or for his being lodged in any safe jail so that I can get him again.
Aug 16 M. D. C. ALEXANDER.

☞ The Jefferson Herald, and Austin Gazette will copy three times, and forward their bills to this office.

Committed to Jail

IN the parish of Caddo, a negro man, black complexioned, about twenty-four years of age, six feet in height. Calls himself RIALL, and says that he belongs to Levin Wright, of Texas, living on upper Red River, about 150 above Shreveport. He was arrested in this parish, about 15 miles from town. The owner of said negro man is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away, or he will be disposed of as the law directs.

J. S. ALLWINE, Jailor Caddo parish.
Shreveport, August 16, 1854.

Committed to Jail

IN the parish of Caddo, a negro man, black complexioned, full six feet high, and about fifty years old. Calls himself TOBY, and says that he belongs to Arnold Adorn, formerly of Tippah county, Mississippi, but now a resident of Texas. The owner of said negro man is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away, or he will be disposed of as the law directs.

J. S. ALLWINE, Jailor Caddo parish.
Shreveport, July 19, 1854.

Choice Liquors and Wines.

2 CASKS Castillon Brandy;
2 casks W. S. Florit Red Cognac;
4 casks Imp. brandy;
10 bbls old Monongahela Whiskey;
10 do old rye do
10 kegs Tuscaloosa do
2 casks Duff Gordon's Sherry Wine;
2 do Woodhouse's Madeira do
2 do Pastina do do
2 do family choice do do
s6 OGLESBY & GRISWOLD.

TEAS—Just received and for sale, gunpowder, imperial, young hyson and pouchong.
s6 OGLESBY & GRISWOLD.

SUGAR—On hand and for sale, Havana, Louisiana, loaf, crushed, powdered, clarified and granulated.
s6 OGLESBY & GRISWOLD.

Negroes Wanted.

WANTED to purchase six likely negro men, from 18 to 30 years of age, for which we will pay the money. [s6] OGLESBY & GRISWOLD.

NEW GOODS.

THE citizens of Shreveport, its vicinity, and parish, with all others desirous of examining pretty, fashionable and good GOODS, are invited to call at the subscriber's. To enumerate a stock so large and general, would be a failure. Please call, see and buy!
my10 ELISHA H. JORDAN

Valuable Letter.

A LETTER addressed to **Mrs. W. Harris Abrams,** care of W. S. Lewis, and marked "valuable," received per steamer Belle Gates, has remained uncalled for. Further particulars can be obtained by applying at this office. aug16

Wanted,

A NEGRO GIRL, who is a good washer and ironer. Liberal wages given. Apply to
aug16 A. J. HITCHCOCK & Co.

Molasses.

92 BBLS S. H. Molasses, for sale at 20 cents ₱ gallon, by WALTERS & REDUS,

Cash Advances.

WE will make liberal advances in cash on cotton stored with us, and to be shipped at our discretion. [feb1] DOUGLASS & DASHIELL.

Cash Advances.

LIBERAL ADVANCES IN CASH will be made on consignments to **William S. Donnell,** New Orleans, by ROBERT DONNELL,
j1 No. 14 on the Levee, Shreveport.

PILCHER, GOODRICH & Co.,

COTTON FACTORS and General Commission Merchants, 48 Carondelet street, New Orleans.

Cash advanced upon cotton consigned to the above house, and cash drafts upon them sold, by
jan 4 E. M. MATTHEWS, Agent.

CASH, Bagging, Rope, Bacon, Flour, and Salt, given in exchange for Cotton, by
o27 L. E. CARTER.

Notice.

H. HOWERTON is my duly authorised agent, during my absence from the State.

JOHN P. HAILEY.
Shreveport, July 26, 1854. [aug2

Notice.

ALL those having claims against the succession of Joel Wadsworth, deceased, will present them to me, at Bethany, Caddo parish. Those indebted to said succession will please make prompt payment to me. JAS. J. STEPHENS,
aug2 curator succ'n Joel Wadsworth, dec'd

Notice.

ALL those holding claims against the estate of **J. V. Brantley,** deceased, or Sarah M. Brantley, will please call upon me immediately for settlement.

E. M. MATTHEWS.
jan 4, 1854 Agent for the estate of J.V. Brantley.

Business Notice.

THE business of **GREEN & DOUGLASS** will be continued without interruption by the undersigned, who will be glad to accommodate our old friends and customers as usual, to whom we return thanks for past patronage. We are now opening a select stock of Goods suitable for the season, which we will be pleased to show to them and purchasers generally.

R. GREEN.
Shreveport, Feb. 22, 1853. H. L. DOUGLASS.

Dissolution.

THE copartnership existing heretofore between **HAILEY & HOWERTON,** was dissolved by limitation on the first day of January, 1854. The business will be carried on, at the old stand, on my own account. JNO. P. HAILEY.
Shreveport, January 11, 1854.

Notice—Receiving & Forwarding.

I AM compelled to adopt the **CASH SYSTEM** in my Warehouse, and from this date cannot deliver goods until the freight and charges are paid.
my24 L. E. CARTER.

Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the undersigned, either by note or open account, will please come forward and settle immediately, as all bills that remain unpaid by the 1st of July will be placed in the hands of a proper officer for collection. In future all bill contracted at my store will be considered for cash, as I cannot afford to lose the time in collecting.
June 7. E. B. SMITH, Texas street.

Copartnership Notice.

THE undersigned have associated themselves together, for the purpose of doing a general retail Dry Goods and Clothing Business, under the name and style of TRABUE & KLINE, at the new store, on Texas street, next door to Mr. E. H. Jordan. They solicit a share of the public patronage.

WM. C. TRABUE.
July 1, 1853. J. J. KLINE.

Cash Notice.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of J. W. Morris, are requested to present the same for payment, and those indebted to said estate are notified to come forward and settle without delay, as the affairs of the succession must be wound up.
feb22-1y THOS. H. MORRIS, Ex'r.

Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the undersigned, either by note or open account, will please come forward and settle without further delay; or we will be compelled to place the same in the hands of an officer for collection by law.
may 17-tf ROBSON & KIMBLE.

Our customers are respectfully requested to bear in mind that as we are forced to pay our journeymen promptly, we are unable to allow extended credit, and hope that hereafter our bills will be settled on presentation. R. & K.

JOHN N. HOWELL. HAMILTON S. HOWELL.

J. N. HOWELL & Co.,
Receiving and Forwarding Merchants,
On the Levee, Shreveport, La.

HAVE leased the well known building recently occupied by Messrs. Douglass & Dashiell, on the Levee, (at the steamboat landing,) and are now prepared to receive, store or forward cotton and merchandise of every description. We are also erecting contiguous to the present building, and immediately on the banks of the river, one of the largest and most convenient warehouses in the country, which will render our facilities for storing cotton equal if not superior to that possessed by any other establishment on Red River.

We are prepared to make liberal cash advances on cotton or goods sent to our care.

Cotton will be shipped without being exposed to mud or rain. All goods will be promptly forwarded according to orders; and every attention will be paid to the interests of our patrons. aug9

H. H. MARPLE,
Gentlemen's Clothing & Furnishing Store,
Texas street, (adjoining Miller's Drug Store, and immediately opposite VanBibber's Hotel,) Shreveport.

HAS just received from the north and east, his large and well selected stock of GENTLEMEN'S FINE WINTER CLOTHING, FURNISHING GOODS, BOOTS, SHOES, etc., consisting of the following articles:

Coats, pantaloons and vests of every description.
Linen and cotton shirts, of every style.
Kid, plushed lined, buck, cassimere and Berlin gloves
English and American hosiery, a fine article.
Drawers and undershirts, of various qualities.
Silk and cotton umbrellas.
Cravats and Handkerchiefs of every style and description, together with every article required for a gentleman's wardrobe.
Velvet for ladies' Talmas and cloaks, together with velvet ribbons, gymps and all necessary trimmings for making the same.

Also keeps on hand a fine article of French cloths, cassimeres and vestings, which will be made up at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.
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THE undersigned retires from business; having dissolved his connection with that of **Green & Douglass,** in which he became interested after the death of W. R. DOUGLASS.

Robert Green, who will continue the business, will retain all the active means, of both the houses, in which him and the undersigned have been partners, and will pay the debts due by either and collect those due them. H. L. DOUGLASS.
May 29th, 1854.

I WILL continue business on my own account, at the old stand of **Green & Douglass,** and shall leave in a few days for the north to make the usual purchases, and will be pleased to serve my old patrons as usual.

Desiring to start a new, I leave Mr. P. H. Rosson with full authority to collect all accounts and notes, now due to Green, Douglass & Co. and Green & Douglass, and under positive instructions to put in suit, any one unpaid by the 1st July, unless satisfactory assurance of payment is made at some specified time.
May 29th, 1854. R. GREEN.

Copartnership.

JOHN WALTERS & THOMAS J. REDUS have formed a partnership, commencing the 1st March, 1854, for the purpose of doing a

General Dry Goods and Grocery Business,

under the style of WALTERS & REDUS. They intend to keep at all times a general assortment of Dry Goods and Groceries, which they intend to sell as low as any other house in the place. Having made ample arrangements to keep up their stock at all times they have no hesitation in saying to their friends that they may expect to get goods as low of them as from any other house in the place.

We hope, when our friends visit our town, they will call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. All orders promptly attended to.

JOHN WALTERS.
March 22, 1854. THOMAS J. REDUS.

☞ Feeling grateful for the liberal support I have received from my old friends in Caddo and Texas, for the last ten or twelve years, I hope by strict attention, to merit a continuance of the same to the new firm.
m22 JOHN WALTERS.

Havana Cigars.

10,000 SUPERIOR "Habanna" Cigars, on consignment—alone for cash.
feb 22 GREEN & DOUGLASS.

Derrenger Pistols Warranted.

A SUPPLY, just received direct from the manufactory, and for sale by
aug10 J. W. MORRIS.

40 CASES of genuine Wolfe's Schiedam Aromatic Schnapps, just received and for sale by
ap26 L. E. CARTER.

25 TONS assorted Iron, just received, and for sale by [ap26) L. E. CARTER.

25 BARRELS and 20 sacks of Irish Potatoes, just received and for sale by [ap26] L. E. CARTER.

TRABUE & KLINE are just in receipt of a large stock of Silk and Merino Vests and Pants. d14

1500 PAIR best oak tanned RUSSETTS, for sale by E. H. JORDAN.

NAILS.—75 kegs Nails, assorted from 4d to 60d, for sale by [j7] WALTERS & REDUS.

100 COTTON SCRAPERS, just received and for sale by [ap26] L. E. CARTER.

JOHN WM. HILL,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office on Market street, Shreveport, La. d28

R. G. HARPER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, Shreveport, La.—Will practice in the courts of the parishes of Caddo, Claiborne, DeSoto, Bossier, and in the supreme court, at Monroe. aug3-1y

LAWRENCE P. CRAIN. L. M. NUTT.

CRAIN & NUTT,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Shreveport, La.—Will practise in the courts of the Parishes of Caddo, Bossier, Claiborne and Bienville. s1-1y

JOHN L. KIRKPATRICK,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, Shreveport, La. Office in the brick building, opposite the clerk's office. s29-1y

W. TERRELL. B. L. HODGE.

TERRELL & HODGE,

ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW will practice in the District Courts of Caddo, Claiborne, Desoto, Bossier and the Supreme Court at Monroe and Alexandria. s1-1y

JOHN YOUNG,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, will practice in the courts of Caddo, Bossier, Claiborne, and Bienville. Address, HOMER, Claiborne parish, Louisiana. [jan 12

ANDREW S. FLOWER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, Mansfield, (DeSoto Parish,) Louisiana. Will practice in all the courts of the judicial district, and attend to the collection of accounts, and settling claims in the parishes of DeSoto, Sabine, Caddo, Claiborne, etc.

BEN. A. VANSICKLE,

ATTORNEY and Counsellor at Law, Agent and Collector of foreign claims on citizens of Texas. Will act as agent to transact any land business for persons residing out of this State.—Having had an experience of 15 years in a Texas land office, and being a good land lawyer, he flatters himself that he can give satisfaction to all persons that entrust business to his care. He is well acquainted with nearly all the eastern portion of Texas, and the inhabitants thereof, and can be employed in any court in that section of Texas. He will also locate land claims on good terms.—Business address, either Henderson, or Gilmer, Texas. a13

DOCTOR W. H. WILLIAMS,
(Late of New Orleans,)

OFFERS his professional services to the citizens of Shreveport and its vicinity. Office, at Wm. H. Miller's drug store. m22

DRS. GILPIN & HOTCHKISS,

HAVE removed their office to the building lately occupied by judges Roysdon and Spofford, on Market street, nearly opposite the mayor's office.—Where one or the other of them can at all times, day or night, be found, when not professionally engaged.
January 4, 1854.

S. E. WOODRUFF.
DENTIST.

Office, No. 5 Market street, (in Mr. Miller's new building,) offers his professional services to the ladies and gentlemen of Shreveport and its vicinity. s1-1y

L. E. CARTER,
Commission & Forwarding Merchant,

E. C. Harr's brick warehouse, corner of Commerce and Milam streets, Shreveport, Louisiana.

Keep for sale, on consignment:

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, LIQUORS, HAY, CORN, OATS, BAGGING, ROPE, &c.

Liberal advances made on consignments of cotton and merchandise. Every description of goods received on storage on moderate terms. o13

S. T. GOODWYN & Co.,

DEALERS in fancy and staple Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Cutlery, Glassware, Crockery, Ready-made Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, etc., Starrville, Smith county, Texas. jan4

Copartnership Notice.

THE undersigned have associated, themselves together, for the purpose of doing a **Receiving and Forwarding Business,** under the style of DOUGLASS & DASHIELL, in the warehouse formerly occupied by W. R. Douglass & Co. All business promptly attended to.

W. HOWARD DOUGLASS.
W. H. DASHIELL.
Shreveport, Sept. 1, 1853. s7

Notice of Dissolution.

THE firm of Silvy & Burnside was dissolved by mutual consent on the 29th January, 1854.