We learn, says the Washington Sentinel, that a case of more than ordinary interest will be taken up in the circuit court during the present week. It will be recollected that Messrs. Bradley & Carlisle applied to the orphan's court for letters of administration on the personal estate of the late doctor George A. Gardiner, (which includes a very large amount of money obtained under the award of the Mexican board of commissioners, and was enjoined by the U. States government about the time of Gardiner's arrest,) but judge Purcell gave letters of administration to Mr. Casey, the treasurer of the U. States, on the ground, we believe, that, this gentleman was the proper person to administer; the general government having the best claim to the money, or something to this effect. It is on the appeal of Bradley & Carlisle that the matter will be argued before the circuit court.

The Macon (Ga.) Journal and Messenger says:—Considerable excitement was created in our city on Monday morning, by the announcement that Sam'l. D. Scovill, book-keeper in the agency of the Marine bank at this place, had absconded with $10,000 of the funds of the institution. It has subsequently appeared that he left this city at 8 o'clock Sunday evening, on the train of the Macon and western railroad, for Atlanta, but beyond that point it has been impossible to trace his progress. It is supposed, as the advertisements of fugitives usually read, that he is "making his way to a free State." Mr. Scovill has heretofore borne a very good character for industry and sobriety, and the announcement of his small Schuylerism astonished every one. His parents, we believe, were northern people, who resided for some time in Twiggs county, Georgia, where he himself was born. Robert Slappy and Heywood Hughes, esqs. of that county, we learn, are the securities on his bond for $7,000.

A sensible man writes to the New York Journal of Commerce, that if the pastors of the New England churches had instructed their flocks ten or fifteen years ago out of the word of God—if they had led public sentiment on the matter of social reform, instead of being led by it—it seems to us that New England churches would have been saved from the politoco religious fanatism that is now running thro' them like wild-fire, affecting not only them, but all the benevolent societies supported by them.

In the county of Harrison, Mississippi, lives a female hermit—a curiosity, indeed, of her sex, because prone to solitude and silence. She lives in a house the fabric of her own hands, cultivates her own fields, splits her own rails, does her own fencing, and the present autumn she will have one hundred bushels of corn to sell and a few hundred bushels of potatoes, all the product of her own unaided and indomitable labors. She lives alone—no husband nor children, nor neighbors, nearer than three miles, to cheer with a ray of social sunshine her singular and voluntary isolation.

Last Sunday evening, soon after six o'clock, says the Salem (Mass.) Gazette of the 25th ult., a child of the age of twelve months was put to bed with a young sister, ten years of age, in the house of their parents in Sewell street. About an hour afterwards, a scream was heard from the infant, upon which the mother hastened to the chamber, and found him, as it was expressed to us, "in a gore of blood." A rat had bitten and torn all the fingers of one of his hands, very badly, causing it to bleed profusely, and the little fellow in his movements had dabbled himself all over, so that he was a frightful sight to behold.

Mr. Geo. Elliott, the aeronaut, recently made an excursion near the Magnolia springs, in the neighborhood of the Dismal swamp. It was his one hundred and fourth successful trip to the skies, and he declared that no former one had given him greater satisfaction. The weather was delightful, calm and very clear; a gentle breeze gradually took him as he ascended to the west. Amid the cheers of his spectators, the roar of cannon and the sounds of music, he ascended seventeen thousand feet, having a view of the entire Dismal swamp, though at no time was he invisible. Mr. Elliott says the scenery was the most picturesque ever witnessed. Lake Drummond, situated in the centre of this great swamp, presented a sublime and pleasing sight. He represented the swamp as one vast plain, interspersed with innumerable pools or lakes, whose surface presented a golden hue.

The war department has issued orders establishing regulations for the carrying out the provisions of the act of August last, relative to the promotion of non-commissioned officers. An army board, to examine the candidates for promotion, is to meet every September. Colonels are to recommend candidates deserving promotion from education, conduct and services. The candidate must be unmarried, and aged between twenty and thirty-eight. They will be examined in English grammar, writing, arithmetic, geometry, geography, popular astronomy, history and the constitution. The first general examination is to take place on the first Monday in January next, excepting such candidates as are serving in New Mexico. These will be examined on the first Monday of June. As a general rule, one-fourth of the vacancies occurring will be filled by the promotion of non-commissioned officers.

There is no little stir and mass about the ladies' equestrianism at the late Zanesville, Ohio, fair. Miss Graham was awarded the first prize, a $50 watch—the friends of Miss Kitchen, were incensed—they clubbed $150 for a watch for that lady, and sent to Philadelphia. The Grahamites determined to "clar the kitchen," clubbed $175, and sent to New York to beat the beater, and Miss Graham a brag repeater.

A despatch from Kingston, Upper Canada, states that a fire occurred in that city on the 10th destroying St. Paul's church, and many stores and dwelling houses, causing much distress, and rendering hundreds houseless.

According to the official statement, the amount in the U. States treasury on the 23d ult. subject to draft was $26,048,000.

According to the baptist almanac for the year 1855, there are in the United States 10,131 baptist churches, 6,745 ministers, and 808,754 members.

The products of the silver mines of Mexico for the year 1850, exceeded that of the rest of the world by one million dollars, the total yield being forty millions.

Mr. Belmont, the U. S. minister at the Hague, has addressed a letter to the Washington Union, denying the charges brought against him by certain newspaper correspondents. He says that he has transacted no banking business at the legation, and employed no clerk there or elsewhere for that purpose. He also denies that he has neglected the case of captain Gibson.

An extensive movement is now on foot in Canada to procure the passage of a bill by parliament, now in session, similar to that proposed for the United States by the homestead bill. This would at once, as the Canadians think, attract immigration to that country.

In Russia the candles used in the mines are made of tallow mixed with powdered charcoal, which is found to increase the intensity of the light.

A convention of the survivors of the war of 1812 is to be held in Washington, on the 8th of January next "to adopt such measures as will induce congress not only to do justice to them, but also to the widows of those who have gone to their last account.

It is stated that the scientific men of France are at present speculating on a recent instance of a young man being brought to life after being frozen eleven months on the Alps. The blood of a living man was infused into the veins of the frozen youth, and he moved and spoke. The experiment was afterwards tried on a bear frozen for the purpose, with complete success.

The Columbus Fact states that a band of Indians gave performances in Somerset, Ohio, and that two girls, sisters, were so captivated with the "dance and the whoop of these sons of nature," that they asked permission to accompany them, which being gallantly granted, they proceeded as far as Putnam, where they were overtaken by the mother of the girls, a spry widow, who called on the police to aid her in recovering her "wild-going" daughters. But alas for woman's resistance to love's appeals when pressed in that eloquence and those signs of natural affection and simplicity which those native sons of the forest could bring to bear! After a little "talk" and a private interview with the chiefs, the mother discharged the police, and made a third "willing-heart" to follow the Indian "men" to their western camp.

New Orleans Market.

NOVEMBER 18.—The demand for cotton appears to be active, the sales of the day amounts to about 3000 bales.

Inferior,	4—@5¾	Middling,	8⅞@8⅝
Ordinary,	6¼@7—	Good "	9—@9¼
Low middling,	7¾@8—	Mid'ling fair,	9½@9¾

The receipts (including 26,868 bales on hand) since the 1st September, have been 291 794 bales. Exported during same time, 145,353 bales.

FLOUR—$8 12½; 8 25; 8 50; 8 75@8 90 ℔ bbl.
PORK—M. O. $14 75; mess, $17 00@18 25 ℔ bbl.
BACON—Sides, 10@10½c; shoulders, 9@9½c.
LARD—No. 1, 10; 11¾@12c. ℔ lb.
CORN—90@95c. ℔ bush.
COFFEE—Rio, 9½, 9¾@10c. ℔ lb.
SUGAR—New, 3; 3¾; 4¼@4½c. ℔ lb.
MOLASSES—New, 17@18c. ℔ gallon.
BAGGING&ROPE—Bagging 17@17½c; rope 8½@9—
WHISKEY—Rectified, 41@43c. ℔ gal. Raw, 43c.
LIME—At retail—Thomaston, $1 75@2 00. Western, $1 00@1 75.
SALT—Liverpool, fine, $1 50@1 55; coarse, $1 40 ℔ sack.

CATTLE MARKET, November 18.

BEEF—Western, fine,	8—@9—c. ℔ lb net.
Texas and Lake,	5½@8—c. —
Hogs,	7½@8—c. —
Sheep,	$4 00@4 50 ℔ head.
Milch Cows,	$50 00@90 00 —
Calves and yearlings,	$6 50@9 00 —

There is a good supply of Texas and western stock on hand. Prices pretty firm.

☞ If you are sick, the probability is that the root of your suffering is in the stomach. From a weak stomach proceed dyspepsia, languor, oppression in the diaphragm, jaundice, headache, nausea, bodily weakness, dimness of sight, heartburn, costiveness, dysentery, and a legion of other tormenting diseases. Indigestion produces thin blood, and therefore destroys the strength and vigor of the system. To restore the tone of the stomach, and enable it to throw off and dismiss forever all these tormenting and dangerous complaints, nothing is necessary but a persevering use of Hoofland's German Bitters, prepared by dr. C. M. Jackson, Philadelphia. There is no mistake no failure in their senative effect. n8-4t

South-Western Offices.

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.

Shreveport Fire Company No. 1.

☞ The officers and members of this company are notified to attend a regular monthly meeting, on SATURDAY EVENING, December 2, at 5 o'clock, at the Court-house. Punctual attendance is required.

G. W. DILLARD, Secretary.

Masonic.

THE meetings of **JOPPA LODGE, No. 74,** will be held hereafter at the **new lodge room,** over Ronch & 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.

Notice.

THE business of the late firm of W. E. PASTEUR & Co., will hereafter be continued, as usual, under the name and style of AUSTIN & GOODWYN, liquidating partners. AUSTIN & GOODWYN.
Shreveport, November 29, 1854 1y

Notice.

THE claims due H. H. MARTLE have been placed in my hands for collection; and those indebted will please call and settle. SAM. FORD.
Shreveport, November 22, 1854. 4t

WE offer our entire stock of Goods, Wares and Merchandize at **Cost for Cash.**
n1 ALLEN & PAXTON.

A GOOD supply of Bagging and Rope, always on hand, and for sale, at the lowest rate, by
STACEY & WELLS.

GREAT BARGAINS

FOR CASH!

AT TRABUE & KLINE's.

LARGE AND MAGNIFICENT STOCK OF

FANCY AND STAPLE

DRY GOODS.

IN consequence of the yellow fever panic and the season being now far advanced and our stock of goods still very large, we will offer great inducements

TO CASH BUYERS.

Our stock consists of every variety of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods—is large, and we are receiving new goods by every boat. In a few days it will be complete. Come with the cash and you can have goods at your own prices, and every article guarantied to be of the finest quality. All we ask is an examination of our stock, we will make prices suit. Our stock must be reduced by the 1st January. nov28

Fresh Medicines.

ROWAND'S Tonic Mixture—Indians Tonic Mixture; Osgood's India Calagogue;
Green's Fever and Ague Mixture;
Whiteman's Tonic Pills;
Champion's Ague Pills;
Sappington's Pills; Jayne's Tonic Pills;
Dr. Martien's Tonic Pills;
All highly recommended in the treatment of fever, chills and fever, etc. For sale by
n29 T. H. MORRIS, Texas street.

Morris' Astringent Mixture,

OR, CHOLERA REMEDY.

DURING the prevalency of cholera, no medicine ever gave such satisfaction as the above mixture, and since which it has been used very successfully in all cases of diarrhea, cholera morbus, summer complaint, cholic, griping pains in the stomach or bowels, and all bowel affections. Prepared only and for sale by
n29 T. H MORRIS, Druggist and Chemist.

Groceries and Produce.

WE have in store an extensive and well selected stock of fresh Groceries, Family and Plantation Stores, etc., embracing flour, bacon, pork, lard, sugar, molasses, coffee, tea, chocolate, rice, vinegar, soap, oils, starch, candles, indigo, pepper, spice, pickles, preserves, pie fruits, etc. Every description of boat and bar stores. Fine old brandy, gin, rum and whiskey, wines, cordials, brandy fruits, cigars, tobacco, etc., all of which will be sold at the lowest prices.

SLEEPIER & Co.,
nov29 13 on the Levee.

State of Louisiana---Parish of Caddo.

In the matter of the tutorship of Mary Ann Cunningham.

IN DISTRICT COURT.—Notice is hereby given that J. H. CUNNINGHAM, tutor of Mary Ann Cunningham, the wife of J. B. Ammons, has this day filed with the clerk of our district court his final account as tutor of Mary Ann Cunningham, wife as aforesaid, and prays to be discharged from the tutorship, and unless opposition is made thereto in thirty days, the time prescribed by law, said final account will be homologated, approved and made the judgment of the court, and the tutor be discharged, as prayer for.

L. S. Given under my hand and seal of office, this 28th day of November, A. D. 1854.
W. G. KERLEY, Clerk.
n29-1m

Drug Store Re-opened.

THE old patrons and friends of Morris' Drug Store, (recently destroyed by fire,) are respectfully informed that the undersigned will continue the business, and is now opening at the store recently occupied by Wm. B. Miller, on Texas street, a large and complete assortment of **Fresh and Genuine DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, &c.,** and solicits a continuance of the patronage awarded to the late J. W. Morris. He is now prepared to fill all orders. Physicians' prescriptions carefully put up, at all hours, day or night. [nov22] T. H. MORRIS.

Low Water Tri-Weekly Line.

Owing to the low water in Red River, the undersigned has established a tri-weekly line of Stages from the Mouth of Red River to Alexandria, running from place to place in **ONE DAY!** Leaves the Mouth on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Leaves Alexandria on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. [nov22-1m*] M. TORRAS.

E. & B. JACOBS,

HAVE received a large stock of fresh fall and winter Dry Goods, Clothing, Flannels, Blankets, etc. etc., which they are now selling AT COST prices for cash. Those in want of seasonable goods are invited to give us a call, as we are offering great bargains. n1

$125 Reward.

The undersigned has good reasons to believe that a man by the name of Elijah Horn has decoyed away or stolen her negro boy Monroe. Said negro left my residence, in Columbia county, Ark., on Sunday, 29th October last, and I will pay a reward of $25 for his apprehension and delivery to me, or on his being safely lodged in jail so that I can get him; and I will give $100 for the arrest of Horn and sufficient evidence to convict him of the theft. The negro boy, Monroe, is a dark mulatto, about 5 feet 5 inches high, heavy set, square shoulders, and a down look when spoken to; is about 20 years of age, was born in Kentucky, and brought to Arkansas 8 years ago. Horn is of fair complexion, sandy hair a little inclined to reddish color, about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, inclined to corpulency, is of frank and open countenance. He reports himself as belonging to Kentucky; but this is uncertain, as from circumstances recently developed, it is believed that he is connected with a clan of thieves. The direction he has taken is unknown.

Address, ELIZABETH A. BUCKNER,
Mount Holly, Arkansas.
or JOHN A. TOOKE,
nov 22-4t* Ringgold, Bienville parish, La.

Stop the Runaways.

RUNAWAY from my residence, Bossier Point, 6 miles from Fillmore, on the night of the 15th inst., the bright mulatto boy IKE, or Isaac. He is about 21 years of age, 5 feet 10 inches high, weighs about 175 pounds, is slightly round-shouldered and when walking keeps his head inclined to one side. His complexion is very fair and if he has any whiskers they are of a sandy color; but all his actions and manners are of the negro. It is probable that he will attempt to pass himself as a white man.

D. MALONE, Fillmore, Bossier parish.

Also—The negro boy Boors, aged about 30 years, rather under the ordinary height, complexion black, very bow-legged, walks parrot-toed, and weighs about 145 pounds. The only mark recollected on his person is a knot on the left wrist, caused by the same being dislocated.

Also—The negro girl LOUISE, aged about 20 years, complexion jet black, very well made, and neat and trim in person; about the common height. Her eyes are large and the whites of them very clear.

It is thought that the above negroes are in company, and Ike (or Isaac) will try to pass Boots and Louisy, and Ike (or Isaac) will try to pass Boots and Louisy off as his slaves. A liberal reward will be paid for the apprehension of them. J. J. STEWART,
nov 22-4t* Fillmore, Bossier parish, La.

Succession Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo—18th Judicial District Court. By virtue of a writ of sale to me directed by the honorable District Court for the parish of Caddo, State of Louisiana, I will proceed to sell at public auction, on **MONDAY, the 4th day of December, 1854,** between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 4, P. M., at the market-house in the town of Shreveport, the following described property, belonging to the succession of John Steigleman, deceased, viz: 1 cream colored horse, 1 wagon and harness, 1 tame bear, 1 saddle and bridle, 1 English rifle, 1 American rifle and powder-horn, 1 sausage stuffer, 4 saw-blades, 2 meat saws, 2 pair steelyards and weights, 1 set of butcher's tools, 1 sow and 7 pigs, together with a variety of other articles.

Terms of sale—Cash, if the property brings its appraised value. Should any portion of it fail to bring its appraisement, it will be re-offered at the same time and place on a credit of 12 months; the purchasers giving their notes, with approved security, bearing 8 per cent. per annum interest from day of sale until paid. [nov22] H. HUNSICKER, Auct'r.

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo—A. L. Heine et al., vs. the master and owners of the steamboat Luda. In Justice Jones' Court, for Ward No. 4...Nos. 830, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 855. By virtue of ten writs of fieri facias issued out of the honorable the justice J. W. Jones' court for Ward No. Four, in the above entitled suits, and to me directed, I have seized and will sell at public auction at the court house door in the town of Shreveport, parish aforesaid, on **SATURDAY, the 2d day of December, 1854,** between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M., and 4, P. M., the following described property, to-wit: the STEAMBOAT LUDA, her tackle, furniture and apparel. Seized as the property of the defendants, and to be sold to pay and satisfy the writs issued in the above entitled suits.

Terms of sale—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement. M. WATSON, Sheriff.
Shreveport, November 1, 1854. pf.$5 75

Electro-Magnetic Sky-Light

DAGUERREOTYPE SALOON.

AFTER operating a few weeks at Natchitoches, I shall receive from N. York a large and improved apparatus, involving newly applied principles of optics, when I shall be able to exhibit to the ladies and gentlemen of Shreveport and surrounding country, Daguerreian likenesses excelling any hitherto executed in this region. Having great experience in the art, and in possession of all the late improvements, I will be prepared, by the aid of an ample SKY-LIGHT and the celebrated ELECTRO-MAGNETIC process, to take likenesses almost instantaneously, thereby committing to "metalic immortality" the happiest expression of the "human face divine," and avoiding the staring and frowning contour, attendant upon long sittings. By a SECRET accelerating process, in connexion with a "Buick worker," likenesses of INFANTS will be taken in fair weather with extraordinary certainty and perfection. I intend also to introduce some new styles of pictures by patent chemical processes that are all the go in the northern cities. The celebrated "crayon," or Byron, and vignette miniatures. The fine illustrated or halo pictures, and those wonders of science and art, "stereoscope" pictures which by some mysterious physiological or psychological process impress upon the mind of the beholder the idea of SOLIDITY, or an outstanding form. Those lovers of the fine arts who desire something rare and artistic—gems of the "art divine"—will do well to make their arrangements for a sitting when this gallery opens. Daguerreotypes have in this age of progression, become an indispensable requisite to our earthly happiness; and we are continually and mournfully reminded that "delays are dangerous." Let it be distinctly understood that I will take good likenesses in any kind of weather. Children in fair weather. The remains of the departed daguerreotyped, and landscapes, residences, etc., taken in their natural position. [n15] BOYD, Artist.

To Owners and Builders of Saw Mills.

THE undersigned offers his services to run circular saws, and to the repairing and putting them in order, when required. No pay will be demanded or accepted unless complete satisfaction is given to employers. Terms moderate. For reference, apply to Mr. J. M. Collins. JOHN A. WOLF.
Shreveport, Nov. 8, 1854. 3m*

Police Jury.

THE regular meeting of the Police Jury, on the first Monday in November, having failed, owing to the panic existing in regard to the yellow fever in Shreveport, a SPECIAL MEETING will be held on the **First Monday in December next,** being the fourth day of the month, for the purpose of levying the annual tax and other business. The jurors will take notice thereof, and govern themselves accordingly.

SAM. FORD,
President Police Jury of Caddo parish.
Shreveport, November 8, 1854. 4t

Gentlemen's Clothing & Furnishing Goods.

ENOS & WOOD have just received from New York, a large supply of cloths, cassimeres and vestings of every variety and pattern, and also keep constantly on hand a large and well selected assortment of ready-made Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps. In addition to the foregoing they are in receipt of gentlemen's furnishing goods to suit all tastes; such as scarfs, evening vests, cravats, undershirts, suspenders, shirts, gloves, drawers, hosiery, etc. They are prepared to execute superior work in the manufacture of coats, pantaloons and vests, in the most substantial manner and after the latest style and fashion.

The stock was selected by Mr. Wood in person and our old customers and the public in general may rest assured that we can supply all their wants with promptness, and despatch.

We have determined to adopt the cash system, and every article will be placed at the lowest price. nl

Removal.

WM. B. MILLER respectfully informs his friends and the public that he has removed his Drug and Book Store to the new brick building, adjoining Green & Douglass' old stand, and the third house in the direction of the river from his old store, where he will use his best endeavors to accommodate all who may be disposed to patronise his establishment. His store will be supplied at all times with a large stock of goods in his line, to which additions are constantly being made by importations from manufacturers and importers.

oct 25 WM. B. MILLER.

Henderson Exchange Hotel.

THE undersigned would respectfully inform the public that they have recently fitted up a new Hotel, situated on the north-east corner of the public square, formerly occupied as the Mansion House, where they will be prepared to accommodate the public and travelers with every convenience and attention. They have spared no pains in fitting up and furnishing the house to render it a first class Hotel, and they flatter themselves that they will be able to suit the taste as well as convenience of the most fastidious epicure. Their table will be at all times supplied with the very best the market affords—while they will keep in their employment a number of obedient and trustworthy waiters. Transient persons, or regular boarders, desiring private rooms or regular families can be accommodated at all times. Persons stopping at this hotel are informed that any money will be safe they may deposit in the hands of the proprietors as they hold themselves entirely responsible. They would also inform the public that in connexion with the hotel they have a large and commodious Livery Stable where, by keeping a set of the best ostlers, they are prepared to give all full satisfaction. The best of provender is kept constantly on hand, and the greatest care is bestowed by themselves to see that full attention is paid to the horses of their customers. T. RUDDELL & Co.
Henderson, Rusk county, Texas, Nov. 15, 1854.

For Rent.

One-half of the Store house now occupied by Allen & Paxton.

We also offer for rent the **Walling Hotel,** that is now having built all the necessary additions to make it one of the most elegant and convenient hotels in north Louisiana. For particulars apply to
n1 ALLEN & PAXTON.

New Goods.

I AM now receiving a new and splendid stock of **Fall and Winter Clothing,** of every variety and style, also a fine assortment of Boots, Shoes, &c., which together with my stock already on hand, will make my assortment as large and complete as any to be found in this market. [o4tf] E. H. JORDAN.

Last Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of John W. Morris are notified to come forward and settle without further delay, as the affairs of the succession must be closed up in a short time. Those who are unable to pay cash can give their notes. I can be found for a few days at Mr. Miller's Drug Store, Texas st.

oct4 THOS. H. MORRIS, Exe'r.

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
s6 OGLESBY & GRISWOLD.

BUTTER AND CRACKERS—5 firkins Goshen Butter; 5 bbls butter Crackers; 5 bbls soda do., just received and for sale by
j18 OGLESBY & GRISWOLD.

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

A LARGE assortment of Wall Papers, of the latest and most beautiful patterns, just received and for sale at [m29] W. B. MILLER'S.

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

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

Cotton Wanted.

I HAVE engaged in the **Cotton Brokerage Business,** in Shreveport, and solicit a call from all who wish to sell their cotton for **Cash.** Office, on Texas street, in the building lately occupied by colonel A. Hill.
oct 4-tf E. M. MATTHEWS.

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.

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

Notice.

THOSE patrons of Swincy, Green & Co. who may require any supplies, will be furnished with the same by P. H. Rosson, who can be found at the store of [n1] GREEN & DOUGLASS.

Notice.

THE undersigned, executor of the estate of the late **Robert Green,** deceased, has appointed Mr. P. H. Rossox his agent, who is empowered to transact all business relating to said estate.
Shreveport, Nov. 15, 1854. JNO. J. GREEN.

Attention.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the late **Robert Green,** or the firms of **Green, Douglass & Co.** and **Green & Douglass,** are requested to come forward and settle without delay, as the affairs of the succession must be speedily adjusted. P. H. ROSSON,
nov 15 Agent of Jno. J. Green.

Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the succession of Wm. M. Price, will please come forward and settle without delay; and all those having claims against said succession will file their claims with me.
nov15 W. G. KERLY, clk. and ex-offi. adm'r

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
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.

Dissolution.

THE copartnership existing heretofore between **BAILEY & 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.

H. E. CURTIS & Co.,

RECEIVING and Forwarding Merchants, CLINTON LANDING, Lake Caddo, Texas. oct18

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. Buruside & 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

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 newstore, 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

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 partner, and will pay the debts due by either and collect those due them. H. L. DOUGLASS.
May 29, 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.

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.

Provisions.

ON hand and for sale a large stock of mess pork, ribbed and clear sides, shoulders, sugar cured and plain hams, dried beef, lard, beans, rice, coarse, fine and table salt, fish, etc. etc.
s20 OGLESBY & GRISWOLD.

25 SACKS old Java coffee; 50 bags Rio coffee;
30 bbls extra flour; 50 bbls fancy flour;
100 bbls superfine St. Louis flour;
50 half bbls fancy do do;
25 bbls choice sugar;
10 half bbls butter crackers; 18 bxs soda do.
Just received and for sale by [a26] L. E. CARTER.

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

SAM. FORD,

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS, &c., for the State of Mississippi. Shreveport, Sept. 27, 1854.

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. [jun 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.

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. Hart'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

Notice of Dissolution.

THE firm of **Claflin & Robinson** was dissolved by limitation on the 1st of January last, and the name of said firm will be used only in the settlement of the affairs of the firm. CLARK CLAFLIN,
THOS. ROBINSON.
Shreveport, April 5, 1854.

THE undersigned will continue the business at the old stand, with Mr. Rob't Ballantine as his foreman. C. CLAFLIN.

Carpenter, Joiner and Builder.

THOS. ROBINSON,
(Of the late firm of Claflin & Robinson,)

HAS opened a shop on the corner of Milam and Spring streets, adjoining L. E. Carter's warehouse, where he will be at all times prepared to execute every description of Building, Carpenter and Joiner Work, in the neatest and most substantial manner, and at the lowest rates.

Stores fitted up, sash, blinds, etc., manufactured to order. Jobbing attended to.

He respectfully solicits the patronage of his old friends and the public.

Gazette and Democrat copy. ap5

J. F. WHITE

STOVES! STOVES!! STOVES!!!

Is now receiving, and keeps constantly on hand, a large and well selected stock of Cooking and other St