Gov. Manning of South Carolina, has pardoned one of the brothers, James and Newton Vickers, who were recently found guilty of the murder of Mr. Dobson, in York district, and sentenced to be hung on the 29th inst. The person whose life is spared is to remain in confinement for one year. The other will be executed in accordance with the sentence of the court.

Two persons, Michael Dunn and Samuel Gasraway, have been sentenced to the penitentiary for three years each by the United States circuit court of Baltimore, for having sent fraudulent papers to the pension office. Dunn also received five additional years for subornation of perjury.

During a morning rehearsal at Bates' theatre, St. Louis, a few days since, Mrs. Connor took occasion to vary the monotony of the scene by cowhiding Mr. Watkins. Both parties are members of the company. The cause of Mrs. C's rage, and consequent resort to hostilities, is not mentioned.

We find it stated in the New York Morning Express that Clarke Mills, the architect, at Washington, who erected there the bronze equestrian statue of gen. Jackson, has been treated very singularly by the secretary of the interior. Mr. M. has a contract with the city of New Orleans to furnish a copy of the statue for $30,000. Some few days ago his establishment near Washington caught fire and was consumed, including the model of the statue. Mr. M. set about taking a cast of it to repair his loss, and to enable him to carry out his contract with New Orleans. Judge of his surprise, and the surprise of every body, when secretary McClelland issued an order prohibiting Mr. Mills from taking the cast. It is very properly considered an outrage.—Congress, the Express says, should hasten to repair it by placing the statue at Mr. Mills' disposal.

The St. Louis Republican has a number of despatches from St. Joseph, Independence, Weston and Kansas, by which it appears that at the election in the territory of Kansas, on the 29th ult., for delegate to congress, general Winfield, the candidate of the southern party, was elected by a large majority over Mr. Fenniken, the anti-slavery candidate.

Mrs. Sally Sargent Head, of Hooksett, N. Hampshire, widow of the late Samuel Head, esq., died suddenly a few days since, aged 70. She was found dead, sitting in a chair, holding a newspaper in her hand, and looking at it as if in the act of reading.—She had spectacles on, and her feet rested on the stove.

A teller in one of the oldest banking houses at Chicago is said to have disappeared, being a defaulter to an amount ranging from 40 to $70,000. It is supposed to have been squandered in gambling.

The London Morning Herald thus explains the mode of spiking guns and describes the spikes: 'The spikes are about four inches long, and of the dimensions of a tobacco pipe, the head flat; a barb at the point acts as a spring, which is naturally pressed to the shaft upon being forced into the touch-hole. Upon reaching the chamber of the gun, it resumes its position, and it is impossible to withdraw it. It can only be got out by drilling—no easy task, as they are made of the hardest steel, and being also loose in the touch-hole, there is much difficulty in making a drill bite as effectually as it should do. Its application is the work of a moment, a simple tap on the flat head with the palm of the hand sufficing. This can be easily done, even if it is ever so dark.'

A nice little tea party met together in the town of Dubury, (Mass.) a few days since comprising two brothers and four sisters, whose united ages were four hundred and seventy years. The oldest brother was eighty-six years of age, the second eighty-four, and the sisters respectively eighty-two, seventy-five, seventy-three, and seventy. In the ordinary ways of providence so large a family is seldom met with.

The New York Herald charges that the administration is blessed with two cabinets—yea, three—a regular cabinet and a kitchen cabinet at Washington, and a cabinet of the red republican school of diplomasts in Europe. At the head of the regular cabinet is Marcy; at the head of the kitchen cabinet is Forney; while Soule is the premier of our European red republican diplomatic cabinet.

Among a list of wealthy citizens of New York, published in the New York Sun, is ex-president Fillmore, whose property is valued at $150,000.

A correspondent expresses the opinion that the warehousing system operates injuriously to the American importer, and asks for information as to the general effects. His belief is that it causes a great influx of goods for the benefit of foreign exporters, and that some modification might be made with advantage.

A correspondent of the Springfield Republican says that at Lisbon, Connecticut, there is an ancient church edifice, in which, for the last fifty years, rev. Mr. Nelson has been the pastor. It is more than one hundred years old, and never has been repaired upon the inside, nor have the pews ever been painted or remodeled. The pulpit is on the side of the house, instead of the end, and there is a sounding board over it, and the deacon's seat is directly in front.—The pews are the old-fashioned square kind, and the gallery is in the old style, with the tying-men's seats in conspicuous places. The audience are descendants of the former worshippers there, and the house, the pastor and the people, probably present on Sundays as good a specimen of the worship of the "fathers" as can be found extant in New England. Mr. Nelson preached his half century sermon on the 6th of December.

When gen. Scott, after formal notice and after allowing ample time for non-combatants to leave, commenced the bombardment of Vera Cruz, he was accused of cruelty by the British papers. Lord Raglan, at Sebastopol, "was requested to spare one part of the town where the women and children would be sent. He replied that could not be, but they might leave the town unhurt." Both commanders acted upon the recognized rules of war.

We regret to learn, says the Memphis Appeal of the 2d, that an affair of rather an unpleasant nature occurred some days since at Little Rock between G. D. Prentice, esq., of the Louisville Journal, and Mr. M. Butt Hewson, engineer of the Midland railroad, but which, by the intercession of friends, was amicably and honorably arranged without damage or injury to either party. The misunderstanding grew out of some publications which appeared in the Little Rock papers, on the railroad question.

Over $3,500,000 of free bank currency was cancelled by the auditor of Indiana during the week ending on the 25th ult. There is not more than $3,500,000 of this description of money now in circulation—of which the banks probably hold $500,000—making the entire circulation of free bank paper among the people about $3,000,000. Most of this amount is now in Indiana.

A joint stock company has been formed at San Francisco for the attempted recovery of the fifteen millions of dollars that are said to have been buried upon the Cocas islands, in the year 1819, by a piratical crew who obtained it from a Spanish galleon which left Acapulco to carry it to Spain. The capital of the company is $550,000, in shares of $25. It has commenced operations, having purchased the schooner Julius Pringle, which was despatched on the 23d of August last, well supplied with surf-boats, sub-marine armor, experienced divers, and all the machinery and implements necessary to a thorough search.

The rev. doct. Butler, former chaplain to the U. S. senate, having been located at Cincinnati, the members of his new parish have presented him with one thousand dollars to aid him in furnishing his house, besides various private gifts, which largely supplied his store-room.

Ten thousand bushels of corn per day, are required to feed the hogs now in pens at Louisville.

A correspondent of the Boston Courier makes this suggestion: "I ask leave to suggest to the reverend gentleman who is to preach the sermon before his excellency the governor and the general court on the first Wednesday in January, a text for his discourse, which I think will be appropriate to the auditors. It is in Job, 8th chapter, 9th verse: 'For we are but of yesterday, and know nothing.'

The rev. F.G. Zeinner, pastor of a lutherian church at Pittsburg, was tried at that place a few days ago on a charge of interfering with the William Tell lodge of odd fellows, while performing funeral service over the remains of a member of the order. The Dispatch says: 'The first and second counts of the indictment charged the defendant with interrupting the religious exercises of the odd fellows, but the court held that the burial service spoken over a fellow being is not a religious exercise, but only one of the incidents attending the funeral. There was not in existence an act of assembly making it an offence to interrupt a funeral, and hence it was that the first and second counts of the indictment, which charged the defendant with acting contrary to the statute, were defective.

Prof. Pepper recently delivered a lecture in the polychenic institute, London, before a large audience of mechanics, in which he remarked that the setting of the Thames on fire was no longer a joke, but a reality. By dashing a small bottle of sulphuric ether with a few particles of metal potassium into a flat cistern, a bright flame was produced, which illuminated the whole place. He then laid down our plates of red hot iron on four bricks, and one of his attendants walked over them barefoot, without any injury. By wetting his fingers in ammonia, the professor dipped them into a crucible of melted lead, and let the metal run off in the shape of bullets into a shallow cistern of water.

A gentleman who is somewhat given to the study of ornithology, in a letter written from San Francisco, gives some very interesting and surprising facts in regard to an important trade carried on in the markets of that city in the eggs of sea birds. He states that the Farallones de los Frayles, a group of rocky islets, lying a little more than twenty miles west of the entrance to the bay of San Francisco, are the resort of innumerable sea fowl, known by the fishermen as "murres." These islands are almost inaccessible, and, with a single exception, are uninhabited. They, therefore, very naturally afford a resort for great multitudes of birds. Some time since a company was organized in San Francisco for the purpose of bringing the eggs of the murres to market. An imperfect idea of the numbers of these birds may be formed from the fact that this company sold in that city the last season, (a period of not less than two months, July and parts of June and August,) more than five hundred thousand eggs. All these were gathered on a single one of these islands, and in the opinion of the eggers, not more than one egg in six of those deposited on that island was gathered.

Three great books are in press and will be published soon—the life of Barnum, the life of Greely, and the life of chevalier Wikoff.

Consignees of Merchandise per Steamboats.

J. A. Harris; W. W. Ross; Martin D. Rodgers; S. Stern; Street & Thompson; Ward & Co.; H. & W., Fair-play; W. R. Wiggins; J. M. Wiggins; P.H.M., Marshall; B. R. Wilson; J. G. Chambers: H. Swooney; B. & A., Marshall; G. W. Matthews; C. Vinzent; P. G. Nebhut; Malloy & Waddle; E. Green; Jno. Evans; J. Dillon; Dr. A. Glover; T. Curry.

New Orleans Market.

DECEMBER 19.—The demand for cotton is very fair, the sales of the day amount to upwards of 2000 bales.

Inferior,	4—@5¾	Middling,	7¾@8—
Ordinary,	6½@7¼	Good "	8½@9—
Low middling,	7⅜@7⅝	Mid'ling fair,	9¼@9½

The receipts (including 26,868 bales on hand) since the 1st September, have been 482380 bales. Exported during same time, 311,411 bales.

FLOUR—$9 12; 9 15; 9 20; 9 37@9 50 ℔ bbl.
PORK—M. O. $13 50; mess, $14 00@14 50 ℔ bbl.
BACON—Sides, 7—@8¼c; shoulders, 7—@7½c.
LARD—No. 1, 9¾; 10; 10½@11½c. ℔ lb.
CORN—$1 05@1 10c. ℔ bush.
COFFEE—Rio, 8½, 9¼@9½c. ℔ lb.
SUGAR—New, 3½; 3¾; 4¼; 4¾@5c. ℔ lb.
MOLASSES—New, 16@17½c. ℔ gallon.
BAGGING & ROPE—Bagging 16—@16½c; rope 8½@9
WHISKEY—Rectified, 48@50c. ℔ gal. Raw, 55c.
LIME—At retail—Thomaston, $1 62½@2 00. Western, $1 00@1 75.
SALT—Liverpool, fine, $1 50@1 55; coarse, $1 45 ℔ sack.

CATTLE MARKET, December 19.

BEEF—Western, fine,	7½@8½c. ℔ lb net.
Texas and Lake,	4—@5½c. —
Hogs,	7½@7½c. —
Sheep,	$3 50@4 50 ℔ head.
Milch Cows,	$35 00@90 00 —
Calves and yearlings,	$6 50@9 00 —

The market is well supplied and active, and prices firm at our quotations.

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.

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.

Masonic.

THE meetings of JOPPA LODGE, No. 71, will be held hereafter at the new lodge room, over Miller's drug store, on Texas street.
JOHN L. KIRKPATRICK, W. M.
R. B STERRETT, Sec'y. dec27

Corporation Scrip.

IN drafts for various amounts, for sale at the office of the South-Western. dec27

Wanted.

A SITUATION, as clerk or salesman in a grocery store, by one thoroughly acquainted with the business, and an expert book keeper. Apply at the office of the Tallmadge House. dec27

Fancy Goods & Trimmings.

OF the very latest Parisian styles, in great variety, for sale cheap for cash, by
dec27 TRABUE & KLINE.

Assessment Roll.

ALL persons interested are hereby notified that J. L. Kirkpatrick, assessor, has filed in my office the assessment roll for the year 1855, for public inspection and correction, within thirty days from notice hereof; after which time Henry Hunsicker, collector, will proceed to collect the taxes of the town of Shreveport, as assessed and corrected. Given under my hand, officially, in Shreveport, this 20th day of December, A. D. 1854. J. W. JONES, mayor.

Steamboats For Sale.

THE well known steamer
OPELOUSAS,
two years old in October last; will carry 1200 bales of cotton; has been recently docked and thoroughly overhauled, and is now in complete running order, and well adapted to the trade above the raft. Will be sold a bargain and on liberal terms.

ALSO—The steamer **TRADER**, three years old, carries 250 bales cotton, in complete running order, will carry more freight on less water than any boat in the trade. For further particulars, apply on board of the Trader.
dec27-1m O. HINCKLEY.

Old Wines and Liquors.

A FINE assortment of choice old brandies, rum, gin, Monongahela and Irish whiskey, Madeira, Oporto, sherry, claret and champagne wines; London porter, Scotch ale, etc., selected expressly for family use. For sale by SLEEPER & Co.,
dec27 15 on the Levee.

Groceries, Wines and Liquors.

WE are receiving, and have in store, a choice assortment of pure old Cognac, Sazarac, Castillon, and other favorite brands of Brandy; Holland Gin, old Jamaica and N. E. Rum, Irish, Monongahela and various qualities of Whiskey, pure Madeira, Sherry, Port, Malaga and Claret Wines, Brandy Cherries, Fruits in brandy and in their own juice, cordials of every description, curaçon, preserves, pie-fruit, pickles, ketchups, sardines, lobsters, oysters, salmon, shad, almonds, prunes, etc., etc., all suitable for the holydays.

We have, also, on hand a large assortment of flour, bacon, pork, sugar, molasses, coffee, tea, salt, wooden and crockery wares, and every thing usually kept in a large grocery store, all of which will be sold at the lowest prices. STACEY & WELLS,
dec27 No. 14 on the Levee.

Great Bargains in Groceries, &c.

HAVING purchased the entire stock in trade of Thatcher & Co., and received large supplies from the city, my assortment of Family Groceries, fine old brandies, rum, gin, whiskey, wines, cordials, preserves, pickles, ketchups, mustard, pepper, spices, tea, coffee, sugar, soft soap, candles, oils, cigars, chewing and smoking tobacco, brandy fruits, fancy groceries, bar stores, etc., is the largest and most complete in Shreveport, and will be sold as cheap, if not cheaper, than they can be purchased at any other store in town. As I must dispose of this stock before the river rises, to make room for my spring goods, extraordinary inducements is offered to buyers.

I have also on hand a good assortment of dry goods, domestics, clothing, hats, caps, boots, shoes, brogans, cutlery, hardware, glassware, crockery, etc., which will be sold unusually low. Call in and examine the goods and prices before you purchase elsewhere.
dec27 M. BAER, Texas street.

CIGARS, of various brands; chewing tobacco, of every quality and price; superior smoking tobacco; fine snuff. Just received and for sale by
dec27 SLEEPIER & Co.

SOAP, CANDLES, &c.—No. 1 soap, for family use; common and fancy soaps; sperm and star candles; sweet, sperm and lard oils; starch, indigo, vinegar, nutmegs, mustard, pepper, cloves, ginger, allspice, etc., for sale by STACEY & WELLS,
dec27 14 on the Levee.

BAR STORES AND FANCY GROCERIES, of every description and of the finest quality, constantly on hand, and for sale at the lowest rates. All orders carefully and promptly filled.
dec27 STACEY & WELLS.

Drugs, Medicines, &c.

THE subscriber having recently been supplied with a large and fresh stock of Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Perfumery, etc., would respectfully notify all country merchants, planters and physicians that every thing in my line will be sold at very small advance for cash, or city acceptances. Below are a few of the articles on hand:

900 ozs sulph. quinine,	300 lbs pow'd rhubarb,
100 " sulph. morphine,	200 lbs ipecac,
100 " strychnine,	500 lbs senna,
100 " nitrate silver,	2000 lbs gum arabic,
15 bbls refin'd camphor,	600 lbs tartaric acid,
100 kegs sup. carb. soda,	300 lbs blue mass,
10 bbls cream tartar,	300 lbs calomel, E. & A.
20 bbls epsom salts,	1000 lbs indigo,
20 bbls copperas,	2600 lbs madder,
15 bbls castor oil,	50 lbs chloroform,
20 bbls linseed oil,	20 gross seid'z powders,
20 bbls sp. turpentine,	20 " yeast "
20 bbls alcohol,	25 " soda "
40 kegs salt petre,	40 gross sugar lemons.

2000 bxs druggists' glassware, patent medicines, perfumery, medicine chests, instruments, etc., etc.
G. N. MORISON, Wholesale Druggist,
dec 27, 1854 12 Magazine st., New Orleans.

Removal.

ON and after the first of January next, A. ENGLE'S CIGAR, TOBACCO AND FRUIT DEPOT, will be removed to his old stand adjoining the City Hotel, where he will keep on hand a large and superior assortment of cigars, chewing and smoking tobacco, fruits, etc. dec6

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo—In the District Court, No. 2924. R. NICHELSON vs. ISAAC ROREBAC. By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale, issued out of the honorable the District Court of the Parish of Caddo and to me directed in the above entitled suit, I have seized and will sell at public auction at the court house door in the town of Shreveport, parish aforesaid on **SATURDAY, the 3d day of February, A. D. 1855,** between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 4 P. M., the following described property, to-wit: a **Negro Man**, named Green, aged about 23 years. Seized as the property of the defendant, Isaac Rorebac, 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, December 27, 1854. [p.f.$5 43

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo, (from the Parish of Washington, 8th Judicial District, No. 156.) UNION BANK OF LOUISIANA vs. WM. M. BICKHAM. By virtue of an alias writ of fieri facias to me directed by the honorable the District Court of the Parish of Washington, the 8th judicial district of Louisiana, in the above entitled suit, 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 3d day of February, A. D. 1855,** between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 4 P. M., the following described property, to-wit: a negro man, named Bill, of dark complexion, aged about 18 years; a negro woman, named Harriet, aged about 26 years, and her three children, Frances, a mulattress, aged 8 years, John, a boy, aged 4 years, and Georgiana, a girl, aged about 2 years. Seized as the property of defendant, Wm. M. Bickham, 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. THOS. R. SIMPSON, D'y Sheriff.
Shreveport, December 27, 1854. [p.f.$6 39

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo, (from the Parish of Washington, 8th Judicial District, No. 161.) UNION BANK OF LOUISIANA vs. WM. M. BICKHAM. By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the honorable the District Court of the parish of Washington, in the 8th judicial district of Louisiana, 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 3d day of February, A. D. 1855,** between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 4 P. M., the following described property, to-wit: the north half of section fourteen (14) of township eighteen, range sixteen, (16,) situated in the parish of Caddo; 2 mules and 20 head of stock cattle. Seized as the property of the defendant, Wm. M. Bickham, 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. THOS. R. SIMPSON, D'y Sheriff.
Shreveport, December 27, 1854. [p.f.$6 15

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 6th day of January, 1855,** 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—A credit of 12 months. Purchasers to give bond and approved personal security, with special mortgage on the property sold.
M. WATSON, Sheriff.
Shreveport, December 4, 1854. 66-p.f.$11 97

Office of the T. S. & T. R. R. Co.,
Monroe, La., June 13, 1854.

AT a meeting of the board of directors of the Vicksburg, Shreveport and Texas Railroad Company, held at their office this day, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That a call of ten per cent. on the private stock subscriptions made, and to be made, to the Vicksburg, Shreveport and Texas Railroad company, be made in addition to what has been made—one to fall due on the 1st March, 1855, one on the 1st December, 1855, one on the 1st March, 1856, one on the 1st December, 1856, one on the 1st March, 1857, one on the 1st December, 1857, one on the 1st March, 1858, one on the 1st December, 1858, and a call of five per cent. to fall due on the 1st March, 1859, which calls in the entire amount of the stock subscriptions.
dec27-1m O. D. STILLMAN, Sec'y.

Valuable Property at Auction.

WILL be sold at the Market House, in the town of Shreveport, on **Monday, 26th March, 1855,** at public auction, at 11 o'clock, A. M., the following property, to-wit:

Ten Acres of Land, in Caddo parish, near the One Mile House, formerly owned by J. W. Evans, dec'd.

Also—**One and a half acres of Land,** adjoining the above described 10 acres, with the improvements thereon, at present occupied by captain Leonard.

Also—**Two Lots of Ground,** in the town of Shreveport, being part of lot No. nine, (9,) in block fifty-one (51,) described as follows, to-wit: commencing at the corner of Market street and an alley, running thence north-west along Market street 20 feet and running back for depth 40 feet. Also, a portion of said lot No. nine, (9,) block fifty-one, (51,) commencing 40 feet from the corner of said alley, running thence north-west 20 feet, and running back for a depth of 40 feet.

Also—**Three Lots of Ground,** in the town of Shreveport, known on the map or plan of Messrs. Johnson & Cutliff, filed and recorded in the recorder's office of Caddo parish, as lots Nos. one, two and three, (1, 2 and 3,) of block sixty-seven, (67,) formerly owned by J. J. Gallagher.

Terms and a more accurate description made known on the day of sale. H. HUNSICKER, Auctioneer.

The above described property will be disposed of as above, unless sold at private sale before that time. Persons wishing to purchase, will apply to H. HUNSICKER, Shreveport, or to ROB'T. B. SCOTT, Jefferson, Texas. dec6

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 **SATURDAY, the 6th day of January, 1855,** 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 B. White, deceased, to-wit: the north half of the east half of the north-west quarter of section thirty-three township sixteen, range thirteen, containing **Forty Acres of Land.**

Terms of sale—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement. JOHN WALPOLE, Sr.,
dec6 Adm'r succession of Jno. B. White.

Valuable Red River Plantation at Auction.

WILL be sold at public auction, on the premises, (known as the **Norris Place,** on the banks of Red River, 20 miles below Shreveport,) on SATURDAY, 13th of January, 1855, between the hours of 11, A. M. and 4, P. M.: **849 Acres (one section) of valuable Land,** 150 of which are under cultivation: together with the buildings and improvements usually to be found on such places.

Also—A number of horses, mules, cows, hogs, and other stock.

Also—The crops of corn, fodder, potatoes, etc.

Terms of sale—For the land, one-fourth cash, the balance at 1, 2 and 3 years.

The above land is undoubtedly the most valuable on Red River, being of easier access to the hills than any point between Shreveport and the mouth of the river, and is within three miles of Cutliffe's saw mill.
dec6 E. K. HALL.

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,
n29-1m Clerk.

SELLING OFF AT COST!

THE undersigned, desirous of closing their business in Shreveport, preparatory to a final removal, would beg leave to offer to their customers and the public generally their large and well assorted fall and winter stock **AT COST PRICES.** They assure the public that they intend closing out their business in this place, with a view of doing business in New Orleans, and they will therefore offer every inducement to purchasers. Those who have not purchased and are desirous of so doing, will do well to call and examine our stock, which is as choice and good as was ever brought to Shreveport, and which we assure them we will positively sell at cost for cash.
dec6 G. M. LEVY & Co.

SELLING OFF AT COST.

NOTICE is given that the executor of the last will and testament of Robert Green, deceased, will for the purpose of closing the succession, sell the entire stock of merchandise at cost. o11

100 COTTON SCRAPERS, just received and for sale by 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.

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

Notice.

THOSE patrons of Swiney, 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 me. JAS. J. STEPHENS,
sep2 curator succ'n Joel Wadsworth, dec'd

Notice.

ALL those holding claims against the estate of **J. Y.** 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.Y. Brantley.

Dissolution.

THE copartnership existing heretofore between **BAILEY & HEWERTON,** 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. BAILEY.
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 I. 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. Burnside & Co., New Orleans; Wood, Brown & Co., Whelan & Co., Wolfes, Ballard & Co., Philadelphia; Neilson, Wardwell & Co. New York; hon. H. M. Spofford, supreme court of Louisiana. s13

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

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.

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. WM. B. MILLER.

GREAT INDUCEMENTS
TO
CASH BUYERS!

A MAGNIFICENT stock of Goods, comprising every thing in the way of

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods,

Boys' Clothing,
Irish linens, linen lawns and cambrics,
Carpetings and Flannels,
All wool de lanes, silk and merino dress goods, and Trimmings to suit.
Valenciennes, Maltese, Honiton and Thread Laces,
Tape bordered, hem-stitched & French worked hdkfs.
Silk, kid and buck gloves, etc. etc.

To make a long advertisement short, we have every thing that is handsome, new and cheap, and must sell them. We only ask an examination by cash purchasers. [dec6] TRABUE & KLINE.

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 guaranteed 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

DRY GOODS AT COST!
G. M. LEVY & Co.,

ASK the attention of the ladies and all those desirous of purchasing goods, to the fact that they are selling at cost. They offer

Fine Calicoes, from 6 to 10½ cents ℔ yard.
Domestics, from 6 to 12½ cents ℔ yard.
Lowells, 4-4 wide, 11½ cents ℔ yard.
Lindseys, from 14 to 17 cents ℔ yard.
Carolina stripes, at 12 cents ℔ yard.
Shoes—ladies' and gentlemen's—from 50 cts. to $2.
Carpeting, from 30 cts. to $1 25 ℔ yard. d13

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. [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.

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 Royalson 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 consignments,
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

GOODWYN & WATROUS,
DEALERS in fancy and staple Dry