The Paris correspondent who reports the fashions of that versatile city for the New York Journal of Commerce, states that a new style of visiting cards has been introduced there which created a great sensation, and will, it is said, become the fashion with those who like extraordinary novelties. Instead of the name printed on the card, the small piece of pasteboard has a photographic likeness of the visitor; the face appears under different aspects, according to the circumstances under which the visit is made. For instance, on ordinary occasions, your likeness will bear the habitual expression of your countenance; on New Year's day, your face will be joyous and smile your felicitations. If your visit be on condolence, your portrait will be melancholy and sorrowful. To take leave, instead of the symbolical letters P. P. C., the visitor will be represented on his card coifed with the traveling cap, and framed in the window of a railroad car. The art of photography has been so much simplified that the cost of those portrait-cards is but small. One hundred may be had for 25 francs or 5 dollars, and are handsomely executed and embellished.

The first locomotive ever seen in the U. States is said to have been purchased in Liverpool, England, by Rogers, Ketchum & Grosvenor, of Paterson, N. Jersey, for six thousand dollars, and used by them as a pattern. She had ten wheels, an engine and tender, drivers included, which bear but little resemblance to the present locomotive wheels. She was regarded as the ne plus ultra of the age, both in style and strength, and in 1828 was used on the Paterson and Jersey City railroad. Recently she was sold to the Carroll branch railroad of Ohio.

Madam Sally S. Wood, a novelist of the old school, died at Kennebunk, Maine, on the 6th inst., at the advanced age of 95 years. She continued to the close of her life to wear the peculiar fashion of dress that prevailed when her standard of taste was formed, about sixty years since. It is supposed she was the first authoress in Maine. Many years ago she wrote a number of novels that were published, and among which were "Dorval the Speculator," "Ferdinand and Almira," "Amelia, or the influence of Virtue," and "Tales of the Night."

It is stated that there is a merchant in Boston, who, during fourteen years, always had his name on the docket of some court, either as plaintiff or defendant. The lawyers "tip their beavers" to this gentleman almost instantly.

We learn, says the Columbus Enquirer, that a man living in Russell county, Alabama, went to the house of Mr. George Moore, who lives about three miles west of Girard, and while there, a serious altercation ensued between the parties, during which Mr. Moore took down his gun and was in the act of shooting his antagonist, when Mrs. Moore ran in between them, to prevent her husband's designs.—But she was too late to effect her object; the gun was discharged, wounding her so seriously that her life is despaired of. The particulars of the affray, which has terminated so horribly, we are not yet in possession of.

FRAUDS ON AMERICAN MERCHANTS.—A trial, recently held before one of the tribunals of Paris, brought to light a species of fraud in commerce that is thus exposed by the Paris correspondent of the N. York Commercial: "A trader was arrested for the offence of selling in France, German manufactured goods, bearing French manufacturers' marks; the goods in this special case being percussion caps, manufactured in Switzerland, but bearing the marks of the celebrated establishment of Gonpilat & Co., in the environs of Paris. The prisoner proved on the trial that the greatest quantity of goods which he brought into France from Switzerland, were only in transit; that they were intended for the American market, were not unpacked in France, and when seized at the customhouse were only awaiting shipment to the United States. Foreign goods bearing French marks not being seizable in France when only on transit, the prisoner was acquitted on this part of the charge; but it was proved that he had also effected sales of goods with false marks, and he was consequently convicted. The trial established the important fact that a very large proportion of the goods which go to the United States bearing the brands and the reputation of French goods, are in fact the production of the cheaply worked manufactories of the German States."

The Paris correspondent of the New York Times states that a gentleman living in Brussels, somewhat troubled by cobwebs and spots in his eyes, rubbed them one night with a few drops of extract of balladona. In the morning the cobwebs had gone, but the whole outer face of the world had changed. His newspaper, which had been placed by his bedside, was composed of type so small that he could hardly decypher it. He rang the bell, and his stout serving wench had shrunk into a thin little girl of ten years. He got up in a great fright and looked after his clothing—they were the garments of a child, but as his own limbs had diminished in proportion he easily got into them. He found his wife and his children at the table, the former a dwarf, and the latter a row of dolls. He hurried off to his physician; the horses he met looked like dogs, and dogs like rats. Every thing was Lilliput and Cinderella. Lotions were applied to the victim's eyes, and the next day Brodignac returned, bringing back the cobwebs and spots. The phenomenon, called micropie, does not seem to have occurred more than half a dozen times, though it may be brought on at will by the employment of certain substances.

A man named Blucher, in Mariposa, being desirous of reaching San Francisco, gave in whisper that he was a convict, without mentioning another little fact in connection therewith, that he had been discharged in February last. Accordingly, when the fact leaked out, the sheriff arrested Blucher, and carried him to San Francisco, to find himself sold, and that he was rendering himself liable to fine for false imprisonment.

A lad named Francis Lyman, went out skating in Adrian, Michigan, not long since. Just before the boys started for the ice, the mother of little Frank cautioned him to be careful and not break through the ice. The little fellow promised he would; and, stopping, he told his mother, if he should get drowned, not to let any of the boys disturb his playthings, and to have them sent to his little cousin in Cincinnati. He then kissed his mother and went to play. In a short time he was brought home a corpse.

Several broadcloth mills have failed at Auburn and Utica, New York, and at Burlington, in Vermont. The New York Post contains a list of some fifteen other woollen mills in Vermont and other States, manufacturing fabrics of different kinds, which have recently stopped, either wholly or in part. The Bay State mills at Lawrence, and the Middlesex at Lowell, Massachusetts, are only running part of the time.

There is in Lockport, New York, an artesian well 400 feet deep, from the bottom of which rises a vein of salt water, holding in combinatson a large percentage of diliquescing chlorides, which, mingling with water of other veins, produce instantaneous crystalization of a beautiful selenite, in flattened eight-sided prisms of about an inch in length and a sixteenth of an inch thick. The lamine of these are so perfect, that a single crystal may be divided, by means of heat, into two dozen distinct sheets.

Gov. Gorman has got into singular difficulties in Minnesota. When the annual session commenced, the governor refused to deliver his message because the organic law made the choice of public printer obligatory as the first business after the organization, and the choice of the legislature was understood to be in favor of a paper opposed to him.—However, he subsequently reconsidered his position and sent in his message, whereupon the legislature refused to receive it, as they are expecting a new governor to supersede Gorman. The message has been printed in all the papers, though it had not been officially received by the legislature.

The Petersburg (Va.) Express gives what purports to be an account of the ejection of a live snake from the stomach of a man named Wade, who, during the past summer, was in the habit of slaking his thirst from a rivulet in a field where he was at work. The Express says the snake was almost transparent, had reddish eyes of great brilliancy, and was five and a quarter inches long. Mr. W., it is said, had for some time been troubled with a feeling of suffocation and unusual fulness of the stomach.

☞ THE circulation of the blood is justly esteemed the greatest ordinance of Divine Providence; by that beating engine, the heart, it is driven to all parts of the system, giving vigor and strength to the complicated machinery of man. This living flood, whether we sleep or wake, sallies briskly through the arteries and returns softly through the veins. How necessary that it should be kept free from all impurity, and yet how negligent many are respecting this great essential to the enjoyment of perfect health. Derangement in the liver and nerves is generally the primary cause; and jaundice, indigestion, and all the harassing feelings attending dyspepsia, which makes life a burthen result from it. Suicide would rapidly follow suicide, if there was no cure. No one would suffer long, if he is able to obtain a bottle of Hoofland's celebrated German bitters, prepared by doctor C. M. Jackson, Philadelphia, they rarely fail in effecting a permanent cure. f7-4t

New Orleans Market.

FEBRUARY 10.—Cotton buyers seem to be disappointed at the tenor of the Atlantic's advices, consequently only a few hundred bales have been sold.

Inferior,	4½@5¼	Middling,	7⅞@8⅛
Ordinary,	6—@7—	Good "	8¾@9—
Low middling,	7⅜@7⅝	Mid'ling fair.	9¼@9½

The receipts (including 26,868 bales on hand) since the 1st September, have been 803,124 bales. Exported during same time, 598,306 bales.

FLOUR—$9 25; 9 37½; 9 50; 9 75@10 00 ℔ bbl.
PORK—M. O. $13 50; mess, $14 00@14 25 ℔ bbl.
BACON—Sides, 6¾@7—c; shoulders, 5¾@6c.
LARD—No. 1, 8⅛; 8¾; 9; 9¼@9½c. ℔ ℔.
CORN—98c.@$1 05 ℔ bush.
COFFEE—Rio, 8¼, 8½, 9@9½c. ℔ ℔.
SUGAR—New, 3; 3¼; 3¾; 4; 4¼@4½c. ℔ ℔.
MOLASSES—New, 14@19c. ℔ gallon.
BAGGING&ROPE—Bagging 15@16c; rope 8½@9c.
WHISKEY—Rectified, 30@32c. ℔ gal. Raw, 33c.
LIME—At retail—Thomaston, $1 00@1 25. Western, $0 75
SALT—Liverpool, fine, $1 60@1 65; coarse, $1 50 ℔ sack.

CATTLE MARKET, February 10.

BEEF—Western, fine,	10@14—c.	℔ ℔ net.
Texas and Lake,	6½@—c.	—
Hogs,	6½@7—c.	—
Sheep,	$4 50@6 00	℔ head.
Milch Cows,	$50 00@90 00	—
Calves and yearlings,	$9 00@15 00	—

The market is poorly supplied, demand good and prices firm.

Consignees of Merchandise per Steamboats.

At Oglesby & Griswold's—Estell & Links; H. Secrest; A. Tatum; B. S. Walcott; B. Witherspoon; Dr. S. E. Clements; C. C. A., Bonham; C. C. Taylor & Co.; Scott & Sample; J. M. Luckey & Co.; L. & Co., Duck Creek; H. S., Mount Carmel; J. W. Nelson; Yarborough & Ferguson; J. B. Bathenworth; M. W. Larking; S. & D. Bluminghall; E. G. Benners; Firenzie; Thos. W. Baxter; J. B. Robb; Mrs. E. F. Baxter; E. L. Baxter; J. A. Comer; E. F. Scott; J. C. Crimer; C. C. Alexander; M. D. & Bro.; M. Bassano; J. M. Luckey; J. M. Mass & Smith; F. E. Williams; J. A.; L. & A. Mayor; T. G. Wright; S. W. Root.

At L. E. Carter's—W. C. Peyton; A. B. Collins; A. Hamphill; W. B. Branch; W. R. Hudson, Bro. & Co. J. C. Robinson.

At J. N. Howell & Co.'s—W. C. Peyton; C. Edgebert; Willis & Wells and order.

Married

At the residence of the bride's father, near this place, on the 14th inst., by the rev'd J. F. Ford, Mr. JOHN K. PARSONS, to Miss NATTIE S., daughter of capt. A. Leonard.

Died

On the 13th inst., LYTHGO, aged 2 years 5 months and 4 days, youngest child of Wm. B. and Minerva Sturgess.

The Special Tax to Repair the Academy.

☞ THE undersigned give notice that they will *not*, unless compelled by law, pay the special tax levied on real estate in this school district, for the purpose of repairing the Shreveport Academy, in said district.

C. T. NELSON.	WM. THOMPSON.
C. H. BURNSIDE.	OGLESBY & GRISWOLD
ENOS & WOOD.	H. A. ZOLL.
JOHN P. HAILEY.	B. M. JOHNSON.
J. C. COLLINS.	SLEEPIER & Co.
H. HOWERTON.	G. M. NICHOLS.
JOHN LAMIER.	per Folsom.
H. T. STEWART.	M. D. C. ALEXANDER.
A. WINTER.	E. S. KNEELAND & Co.
A. WEINSTOCK.	W. C. BECK.
J. H. LENGSFIELD.	MARTIN TALLY.
JOHN GRAHAM.	per W. C. Beck.
M. P. HUDGINS.	JAS. LANCASHIRE.
THOS. H. MORRIS.	JNO. W. SMITH.
J. J. KLINE.	J. LEE GOOCH.
W. THATCHER.	L. & M. BLUMENTHAL.
W. H. C. HUDGINS.	JEAN CLAUDE COLIN.
J. S. ALLWINE.	MERATA & SOLLADER

Shreveport, Feb 21, 1855.

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.

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

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.

F. M. WALDRAN, N. G.
V. RITCHIE, Sec'y.

Corporation Scrip.

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

DOCTS. POOLE & HENRY,

HAVING formed a copartnership, offer their professional services to the citizens of Shreveport and its vicinity, in the various branches of their profession. One of them may at all times be found at their office, on MARKET STREET, next door to Messrs. Landrum & Williamson's law office. feb21-6m

Attention!

THE undersigned would merely say, that all those indebted to him will save costs by paying up their accounts immediately.

feb21 H. A. ZOLL

Dissolution.

THE copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, is this day dissolved. Either partner is authorised to use the name of the firm in liquidation.

TRABUE & KLINE.

Shreveport, January 1, 1855. feb21

THE undersigned, having purchased the stock of goods of **Trabue & Kline,** will continue the business as heretofore. W. C. TRABUE.

TOMB-STONES, MAUSOLEUMS,
Monuments, Tombs,
HEAD AND FOOT STONES, &c.

G. B. & E. ENOCHS, would call the attention of those in want of the above articles, to the large variety they have just lauded in Shreveport, and to which extensive additions are daily expected. The whole manufactured in Philadelphia, of Italian and American marble. They can be seen on Texas street, near the Academy. feb21 1m

THE NEW ORLEANS
HIPPOFERIAN!

Under the management of F. H. Rosston, AND in conjunction with the world-renowned **FRANCONI TROUPE,** will perform in their superb and spacious Pavilion, in Shreveport, for three nights only, viz:

ON WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY,
March 7, 8 and 9.

This troupe embraces more arenic novelties in every department of Equestrianism, Acrobatics, Gymnastics and Equilibria, than any other now in existence, as will at once be seen by announcing that Madame Anna Franconi, the star of the Parisian Hippodrome, Mons. Henri Franconi, and his great troupe of artistes, trained and dancing horses, Mr. Rosston, the colossal horseman; young Jean Johnson; master Omar; Messrs. Noyes, Shoules, Walker and others of equal excellence, are lead on by the man of all fun, John Horner. Admission, $1, children and servants half-price. feb21

Succession Sale.

Succession of Calvin Crocker, deceased.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.—Parish of Caddo.—18th Judicial District Court. By virtue of a writ of sale to me directed by the honorable the District Court, in and for the parish of Caddo, State of Louisiana, on **SATURDAY, the 10th day of March next, A. D. 1855,** I will proceed to sell, between the hours of 11, A. M. and 4, P. M., at the residence of the late Calvin Crocker, deceased, in the parish of Caddo, the following property belonging to said succession, to-wit: all the landed estate, being eighty acres of Land, lying in the parish aforesaid, the metes and bounds of which will be particularly given on the day of sale.

Terms of sale—A credit of 12 months. Purchasers to give their notes, with two good securities, said notes to bear interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum from the day of sale, and special mortgage on the premises. The administratrix to keep possession of the land during this year. ICY P. CROCKER,
feb21 Administratrix.

Succession Sale.

Succession of Nathaniel Crocker, deceased.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.—Parish of Caddo.—18th Judicial District Court. By virtue of a writ of sale to me directed by the honorable the District Court in and for the parish of Caddo, State of Louisiana, on **SATURDAY, the 10th day of March next, A. D. 1855,** I will proceed to sell, between the hours of 11, A. M. and 4, P. M., at the residence of the late Nathaniel Crocker, deceased, the following described property, being all the land belonging to said succession, to-wit: two hundred and forty acres of Land, lying in the parish of Caddo, the metes and bounds of which will be particularly given on the day of sale—Also, one gin-stand.

Terms of sale—A credit of 12 months. Purchasers to give their notes with two good securities; said notes to bear interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum from the day of sale, and special mortgage on the premises. The administratrix to keep possession of the land during this year. ICY P. CROCKER,
feb21 Administratrix.

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo—In the District Court, No. 3900. B. L. RYE vs. F. M. CHAPMAN. By virtue of a writ of fieri facias 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 March, A. D. 1855,** between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 4 P. M., the following described property, to-wit: 1 cooking stove, 1 press, 4 tables, 1 pair candlesticks, 1 doz chairs, 1 looking-glass, 1 washstand, etc., 1 mantle clock, 1 bedstead, three window curtains, matting, and the unexpired lease of the house formerly occupied by F. M. Chapman, in the town of Shreveport. Seized as the property of the defendant, 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, February 20, 1854. [pf.$3 00

Sheriff's Sale.

Succession of Hiram Johnson, deceased.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo—In District Court, No. 661. Succession of Hiram Johnson, deceased. By virtue of a writ of sale to me directed by the honorable the District Court of the parish of Caddo, State aforesaid, issued in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction at the court house door in the town of Shreveport, parish aforesaid, on **SATURDAY, the 3d day of March, A. D. 1855,** between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 4 P. M., the following described property, to-wit: the north west quarter of section No. nine [9] township No. sixteen, [16,] of range fourteen, [14,] containing **160 Acres** more or less situated in the parish of Caddo.

Terms of sale—The property will be sold on a credit of 6, 12 and 18 months, subject to appraisement. Purchasers giving their notes, with approved personal security; said notes bearing interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum from day of sale, and special mortgage on the property sold.

THOS. R. SIMPSON, D'y Sh'ff.
Shreveport, January 31, 1855. [pf.$5 98

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo—In the District Court, No. 3755. J. C. BEALL, administrator, vs. R. E. CHILES. By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the honorable 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 aforesaid, on **SATURDAY, the 3d day of March, A. D. 1855,** between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 4 P. M., the following described property, to-wit: Lots Nos. one and two (1 and 2) in block No. six, (6) with the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in Greenwood, parish of Caddo; and Lots Nos. one, two, three, four, six, seven and eight, (1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7 and 8,) in block No. eighteen, (18) with the improvements thereon, situated in the town of Greenwood.—Seized as the property of the defendant, and 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, January 31, 1855. [pf.$6 30

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

Tax Notice.

THE tax payers of the parish of Caddo are hereby notified to attend at their election precincts, at the time and places specified below, to pay the State Tax by them due for the year 1854 and the Licenses for 1855:

In Election Precinct No. 4—At the court house in the town of Shreveport, on Saturday, the 24th day of February, 1855.

In Election Precinct No. 6—At the plantation of S. Bossier, dec'd, and at the house of E. K. Hall, known as the Norris place, on Monday, the 26th day of February next.

In Election Precinct No. 7—At the school-house, near Calvert's, on Monday, the 5th day of March next.

In Election Precinct No. 1—At the store of Mr. Cooke, on Tuesday, the 6th day of March next.

In Election Precinct No. 1—At the house of Mr. Hamblin, Albany, on Wednesday, the 7th of March next.

In Election Precinct No. 5—At the house of Mr. Roreback, Summer Grove, on Friday, the 9th day of March next.

In Election Precinct No. 3—At the house of Mr. Hughes, Blossom Hill, on Saturday, the 10th day of March next.

In Election Precinct No. 2—At the house of Mr. Pegram, Greenwood, on Tuesday, the 13th of March next.

Or I will proceed to collect the same according to law. M WATSON, sheriff.
Shreveport, January 31, 1856

Just Received on Consignment.
15 or 20 Likely Negroes.

Consisting of men, boys, women, girls, good field hands, and several qualified house servants. For sale for cash or city acceptance.

feb14 A. L. HEINE, Auctioneer.

SEED! SEED!!

Per steamships Crescent City, Empire City, and recent arrivals—**GARDEN SEEDS,** consisting of every variety, for spring and summer planting. Also,

A large assortment of FLOWER SEEDS,
Early Seed Corn;
Peas and Beans, assorted;
Top Onions;
Double Dahlias, &c.

Country merchants supplied with seed, by the dozen, hundred or thousand papers, or otherwise, for retailing. Planters and farmers furnished with boxes, containing a well assorted variety. All seed warranted fresh and genuine. D. MAUPAY, 61 Gravier,
feb14-6m near Camp street, New Orleans.

Runaway

FROM the subscriber, living near Fillmore, Bossier parish, a negro boy named Boots, but will probably call himself Hartwell. He is low and stoutly built, weighing about 140 pounds; is 28 years old; parrot-toed in walking; has an evident dislocation of the left-wrist; very bad teeth and looks one in the face when speaking. He may be in company with a white man, and may possibly aim for Texas. A suitable reward will be paid for the delivery of said boy to me, or if lodged in jail so that I can get him again. Or I will pay a reward of one hundred dollars for the apprehension and conviction of any one who may have enticed him from Fillmore. J. J. STEWART.
Bossier parish, La., February 7, 1855.

Choice Liquors and Wines.

2 CASKS Castillon Brandy;
2 casks W. S. Floirt 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.

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.

Books Lost.

KENT's Commentaries; 2d, 3d and 4th Annual Reports; Bullard and Curry's Digest; Code of Practice; and two volumes Blackstone—(Trabue or Walker's name on back.) Any one having these books in their possession will please deliver them to R T. Buckner, esq., or myself.

jan25-tf WM. C. TRABUE.

THE undersigned beg leave to call attention of the LADIES to their NEW ARRIVAL of DRESS AND FURNISHING GOODS, received per steamer R. M. Jones. Our assortment shall at all times be complete, and our terms cash, thereby enabling us to sell at very small profits. Please call and examine our stock, ladies; it is no trouble at all to us to tare our goods down and show 'em to you. [jy27] TRABUE & KLINE.

Jewelry & Gold Watches.

A LARGE and select stock of fine jewelry, gold watches, etc., just received by

jy5 E. & B. JACOBS.

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.

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 SLEEPIER & Co.

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.

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.

TEAS—Just received and for sale, gunpowder, imperial, young hyson and pouchong.

s6 OGLESBY & GRISWOLD.

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

SHREVEPORT AUCTION STORE.

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

Shreveport, January 10, 1855.

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.

Succession Notice.

DEBTORS to the succession of **Allen Hill,** dec'd, are hereby requested to make immediate payment; and those holding claims against the same to present them to the undersigned.

jan31-4t JOHN W. HILL, dative exec'r.

Attention!

I HAVE instructions from Jno. J. Green, executor of R. Green, deceased, to sue each and every person that does not come forward and pay or secure his indebtedness to Green, Douglass & Co., or Green & Douglass, by the 1st of March next; and being paid by him to carry out his instructions, I will here state for the benefit of all who may feel interested in the matter that I will sue all who do not comply by the time specified. P. H. ROSSON,
Agent Jno. J. Green, ex'r R. Green.

Shreveport, January 17, 1855. tf.

Notice.

THE undersigned gives notice that on the 1st day of January, 1855, the mercantile house of the late Robert Green was closed, preparatory to taking an inventory and settling the business of the firms of Robert Green, Green, Douglas & Co., and Green & Douglass.

jan 3, 1855 P. H. ROSSON, Agt. for executor.

Notice.

TRABUE & KLINE beg leave to call the attention of their customers to the fact that their accounts are prepared for their examination, and that they are particularly prepared to receive all amounts due on the same. January 3, 1855

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.

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. Rosson 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.

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.

DRS. GILPIN & HOTCHKISS,

HAVE removed their office to the brick building near the market, (on Market street,) in the rear of the office occupied by Messrs. Landrum & Williamson. Where one or the other of them can at all times, day or night, be found, when not professionally engaged. January 3, 1855

SLEEPIER & Co., have removed to the commodious brick store, No. 1 on the Levee, corner of Texas street; where they are now opening a large assortment of Groceries, Provisions, Liquors, Wines, Tobacco, Cigars, etc. jan10

Notice! Notice!! Notice!!!

AS we intend to close our business at Shreveport in a short time, we respectfully invite all those indebted to G. M. Levy & Co., or H. Levy & Brother, to call and settle. [jan10] G. M. LEVY & Co.

Copartnership.

THE subscribers have this day formed a copartnership, for the purpose of transacting a General Commission and Cotton Factorage business, in this city, under the style of **Purvis, Gladden & Heard.**

A. M. GLADDEN.
J. M. SEIXAS.
THOMAS R. HEARD.

New Orleans, January 15, 1855. feb7-3t.

Dissolution.

THE copartnership existing between the undersigned, under the firm of **Moses Greenwood & Co.,** is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Either party will use the name of the firm in liquidation only.

MOSES GREENWOOD.
THOS. E. ADAMS.

New Orleans, January 16, 1855. j31

The undersigned will continue the cotton factorage and commission business in his own name and for his own account. MOSES GREENWOOD.

New Orleans, January 16, 1855. j31

BROAD & MULHAUPT,
Sash, Door and Blind Factory,
Corner of Cotton street and Texas road.

THE undersigned, having erected a commodious factory, and procured machinery, embracing all the late improvements, are now prepared to execute any orders in their line, at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms. They will make to order any description of **Sash, Doors, Blinds, &c.** Will also keep on hand all sizes of mouldings, etc. etc. All orders from the country punctually attended to.

BROAD & MULHAUPT.

Shreveport, January 24, 1855.

$100 Reward.

THE above reward will be paid for such information as will lead to the detection and conviction of the person or persons who, during Sunday night or Monday morning, 15th inst., cut the telegraph wires, near Mr. Gilmer's. The same sum will be paid for the conviction of the individual who cut the wires in the vicinity of Mansfield. I also offer a standing reward of $50 for the detection and conviction of any person who may from this day cut, pull down, or in other way injure the wire or other fixtures on the line of telegraph between Shreveport and Alexandria.

WM F. MURRAY, Lessee.

Telegraph office, Shreveport, Jan. 24, 1855.

Landreth's Warranted Garden Seed.

THE growth of 1854. Just received per steamer St. Charles, and for sale by

jan31 THOS. H. MORRIS,
Druggist and Apothecary

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 17th day of January, A. D. 1855. J. W. JONES, mayor.

To our Customers.

ALL persons indebted to E. & B. JACOBS, are earnestly requested to come forward and settle, as they are making preparations to close their store.

The goods, comprising every description of Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Boots, Shoes, etc., remaining on hand are offered for sale AT COST for cash. jan3

Stock of Goods For Sale.

I WISH to dispose of the stock of Goods belonging to the succession of R. Green, amounting in value to some $7000, and containing many desirable goods. The inventory and stock can be seen by calling on Mr. P. H. Rosson, Texas street, opposite the City Hotel. To the right kind of a customer a good trade would be given. J. J. GREEN, Ex'r.

Shreveport, Jan. 31, 1855

Useful Notions.

A LARGE and elegant stock of Combs and Brushes of every description;
Port Monnaies, Purses, Card Cases;
French and American Perfumery;
Writing and Note Papers, Envelopes, and a general assortment of BOOKS and STATIONERY.
Musical Instruments; fine Razors and Knives; and a thousand other articles, too tedious to mention—recently received and for sale by WM. B MILLER.

LOST during the fire on Texas street, some months since, a small cash book belonging to Hailey & Howerton. The finder will please return it to the store of J. P. Hailey. jan31

SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS—Surgical cases, 2, 3 and 4 fold, obstetric instruments teeth instruments assorted, scarificators, lancets all kinds, trusses, supporters, braces, suspensory bandages, etc., received and for sale by WM. B. MILLER,

my11 Wholesale Druggist

J. C. BEALL,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, Shreveport, La. Office, Market street. jan24

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. E. 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.

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. Bornside & 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

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

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

GOODWYN & WATROUS