We learn from the Washington Star that one of the most important cases ever brought up for adjudication by the supreme court of the United States is now being tried before that august tribunal. The Star says: The case is No. 61, Dred Scott, plaintiff in error, vs. John F. A. Sanford. Mr. Montgomery Blair for the plaintiff in error, and the hon. Messrs. Geyer and Reverdy Johnson for the defendant in error.

The points particularly in issue are, first, the right of citizens of slaveholding States to carry their slaves into non-slaveholding States for a temporary sojourn there, without the loss of their right of property in such slaves; and, next, the constitutionality of the Missouri compromise, as involved in the question of the right of congress to legislate with reference to slavery in United States territories.

The duke of Sutherland was recently an exhibitor of a litter of pigs at a cattle show at Birmingham, England, and in order to secure a prize, was compelled to prove the age of his juvenile porkers. An affidavit from one of his men was therefore necessary, and the document was drawn up, but unfortunately the free born Briton could not sign his name and was compelled to put his mark. The Examiner gives the duke a terrible scoring for taking so much pains with his pigs, and so little with his men. It was the duchess of Sutherland who made such a flow over Mrs. Beecher Stowe, and who shed such a flood of maudlin tears over our negroes. Her own tenants are known to be the most ignorant, ill-used and benighted serfs in christendom. Why does she not attempt to ameliorate their condition?

Galignani's Paris Messenger of the 12th ult., mentions the circumstance that six men, lately liberated from Cayenne by the French government, have embarked on board the ship Attica, at Havre, bound for New Orleans. Their names are Bremont, Barthes, Guisguerre, Richard, Carson, and Seissac, and Louis Napoleon gave them leave to expatriate themselves to that city. We presume that their offences were political.

For the year ending August 31st, 1855, we Americans imported from Europe, for our own heads and those of our wives and daughters, $1,982,500 worth of bonnets of silk, straw and Leghorn, and for hats and caps. Yet how few of the head pieces one sees give evidence of having been sent for 3000 miles away. All are seemingly home-made. In that same year, young and old America treated themselves to $3,752,859 worth of watches, chronometers clocks, &c., of European make. Their appetite, too, for foreign jewelry was baited with $974,120 worth of the articles, upon which without sighing, they paid a duty of 30 per cent. Of leather to cover their hands and their feet, they have sent across the ocean and bought to the tune of $3,069,860—enough to hide the nation, and sicken it in various way.

The American tonnage of this country now figures up 5,400,000 tons, and will make the very respectable fleet of 5,400 ships of 1,000 tons each. And if the tonnage of the fleet be figured out in Yankee clippers of 200 tons each, and placed on the equatorial line around this globe, each skipper may speak the next in line, by raising his voice a little above the ordinary pitch on shipboard, round the whole circumference of the globe. War would be a terrible calamity to this immense fleet, and England would not fare better with her commercial marine of about 5,200,000, but little less than our own.

The Nicaragua correspondent of the New York Herald is responsible for the following: "Did you know that Washington has been placed in the calendar of saints? There is a church at Rivas over the principal portal of which is a very well executed bust of the leader of the American revolution, and on the inquiry of a native of the town, I was informed that it was a bust of the "good saint, George Washington." I confess that as I passed this church I felt like taking off my hat, and I did it—not because of custom, because I could not help it."

According to the English journals, the Minie weapon must soon be superceded. Lancaster's elliptically bored carbines having been subjected to various proofs in the arsenals at Woolwich, her majesty's corps of sappers and miners are now being armed with them. These muskets have several qualities which have caused them to be pronounced superior in construction and power to the Minie rifle, and have a range of upwards 1,000 yards.

A prescription for the sure cure of small pox, the scarlatina and the measles, has been published by a member of the royal college of surgeons, London.—It is reported to have been tested with invariable success in innumerable instances, and the recipe is as follows: Take one grain of powdered foxglove or digitalis—an article in the ratio of its greenness—and of the same quality of sulphate of zinc or white vitriol, rub thoroughly in a mortar with a few drops of water; add four ounces of water and a little sugar. Of this mixture, a table spoonful should be given an adult, and two teaspoonsful to a child, every second hour, until symptoms of disease vanish. The herb annihilates the fever, and the zinc acts as a tonic.

The produce of cotton appears to be very rapidly increasing in India. The ship Commodore Perry has lately arrived at Liverpool with the largest cargo (2270 tons) ever shipped at Bombay for England. It included 3321 bags of seeds, and above 2000 bales and bags of various articles used in tanning, dying, etc.; also 500 bags of saltpetre.

An impression is current in certain circles that Russia would not have met the allied propositions had not her internal affairs been in a precarious state. The Militar Zeitung insinuates that insubordination exists in the army of the Crimea.

The largest and most comprehensive mill in the world is the Pacific, at Lawrence, Mass. The floor surface of this immense structure is 16 acres—the largest mill in England is 11½ acres. There are now in operation 40,000 cotton spindles and 10,000 worsted spindles; and these are to be increased to 80,000 and 20,000 respectively.

The New York chamber of commerce have again adopted a report in favor of the entire repeal of the usury laws.

A countryman in Pittsburg, the other day, received a lot of greasy bills in payment for his produce. He attempted to clean them by using a solution of potash, which extracted the signatures. To make them as good as new he rewrote the names, and in an attempt to pass them was arrested for counterfeiting. After considerable of a fright and an explanation of the circumstance, to his great relief he was set at liberty.

☞ When a swarm of voracious creatures are in motion in the stomach and intestines, the sensitive lining of those organs is necessarily in a state of intense irritation. This irritation extends, sympathetically to the nerves, the brain and the skin and affects the organs of respiration, and the condition of the blood. Terrible must be the mischief ensuing from the neglect of such a disease. Worms of all kinds, from the enormous tape worm to the thread worm, are dangerous to health and life. Remove them then, and restore the organs, they inflame and irritate to a normal condition, by using that inestimable specific WINER'S CANADIAN VERMIFUGE.

☞ Be particular and remember the name "Winer's Canadian Vermifuge," this is the only article that can be depended on. Remember this.

Prepared only by J. Wright & Co., New Orleans. For sale in Shreveport by all the druggists.

New Orleans Market.

FEBRUARY 28.—On Monday the public was in possession of the favorable advices brought by the Atlantic and Asia, but the cotton market, owing to the high demands of holders and warlike tone of the dispatches, sales did not exceed 9500 bales. Tuesday was more animated and sales reached 13,000 bales. Wednesday, the demand was again freely met and 12,500 bales changed hands. Thursday there was some inquiry.

The receipts (including 38,201 bales on hand) since the 1st September, have been 1,256,640 bales. Exported during same time, 991,031 bales.

Inferior,	5½@5¾	Middling,	9⅛@9⅜
Ordinary,	7½@8⅜	Good "	9¾@10⅛
Low middling,	8⅝@8⅞	Mid'ling fair	10¼@10½

FLOUR—superfine, $6 75@6 87½; extra, $9 00@9 25
PORK—M. O. $15 25@00 00; mess, $15 50@16 00.
BACON—Sides, 8½@9c; shoulders, 9¼@9½.
LARD—8¾@9½c. ℔ lb.
CORN—45@50c. ℔ bush.
COFFEE—Rio, 11¼@11¾c. ℔ lb.
SUGAR—5@6¾; 7@7¾c. ℔ lb.
MOLASSES—33@38c. ℔ gallon.
BAGGING & ROPE—Bagging 18@18½; rope 9@10.
WHISKEY—Rectified, 36@37½; raw, 29@32 ℔ gal
HIDES—Dry country, 15@16 ℔ lb.
LIME—At retail—Thomaston, $1 50@1 75. Western, $1@1 30 ℔ bbl.
SALT—Liverpool, fine, $1 30@1 35; coarse, 95 cts. @ $1 10 ℔ sack.

CATTLE MARKET, February 28.

BEEF—Western, fine,	6@8½c. ℔ lb net.
Texas and Lake,	4—@5—c —
Hogs,	6—@7—c. —
Sheep,	$3 50@5 00 ℔ head.
Milch Cows,	$40 00@65 00 —
Calves and yearlings,	$10 00@18 00 —

The market well stocked. Prices drooping.

Notice.

DURING my absence, Mr. A. Aaron will be my duly authorised agent to transact business of every description. A. ANGLE.
Shreveport, March 5, 1856.-3t

State of Louisiana—Parish of Caddo.

IN DISTRICT COURT—Succession of John McLaughlin, dec'd. Notice is hereby given that JOHN PARNELL, has this day filed with the clerk of our said court an application praying to be appointed administrator of the succession of John McLaughlin, deceased, and unless opposition is made thereto in ten days, the time prescribed by law, said John Parnell will be appointed administrator, as prayed for.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 4th day of March, A. D. 1856.
A. H. LEONARD,
L. S. Dy Clerk.
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Committed to Jail

IS the parish of Caddo, a negro boy, about five feet seven or eight inches in height, and some twenty-two or twenty-three years of age; has one front tooth out in the under jaw, and he is of dark complexion. Calls himself GEORGE, and says that he belongs to a Mr. Thomas Scott, residing in Cass county, State of Texas. The owner or owners of said negro boy is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away, or he will be disposed of as the law directs.

B. W. DAVIS, Jailor Caddo parish.
Shreveport, March 5, 1856.

Consignees of Merchandise per Steamboats.

Ex Oglesby & Griswold's—E. H. Baxter; Godwin; R. H. Carruth; J. H. Wofford; J. W. Goodwyn; J. H. Vanhook; J. W. Johnson; E. & B. Jacobs; B. Larissa; B. W. Alberty; Chs. Egbert; J. Timmons; J. L. Sayers; M. Hodges; John Hank; G. Needham; J. G. Curry; L. E. Lister; J. N. Thompson; O. Brown; B. W. Alburty; W. E. Bateman; Jacob Carreker; Joseph B. Pate; W. B. Means; H. Marshall; J. H. Goodwin; Davidson & co; J. P. Sarece; M. Scavy; Thos. Sutherland; M. D & bro. G. B. W; Sampson Shepherd; S. C. Thompson; J. W. Brooks; H Wooten; Wm. Johnson; Abbott & Freeman; doct J. Wilder; Geo. Williamson; W. Smith; W. Woodson.

At J. N. Howell & Co.'s—S. S. Gibbs; O. L. Durham; Baker & Deal; W. W. Baker; G. W. Granberry; J. Sojourner; J. A. Ross; Matthews & Bradshaw; E. D. Williams; John A. Ross; A B Collins; J. W. Dabbs; Ross & Barthold; O. Loftin; Wm. Bird; J. W. Fullilove; Thos. P Fullilove; H. F. Fullilove; J. T. Fullilove; T. L. Phillip; H. C. Robinson; G. & H. W. Ragguet; C. N. Slater; J. E. Higgs; J. M. H. & co; A. B. Collins; R. G. Ruverson; John A. Ross; W. G Boney; Cook & Watson; H. Voight; G. J. Taylor; A. Flournoy, sen; E. Mallard; E. Campbell; A. J. Smith; H. Marshall; W. S. Hynson; Winship & Young; Edgerly & Rhodes; B. F. Herring; W. W. Morris; J. C. Wilson; J. H. Mockelroy; White & Ramsey; S. D. Parker; A. Scott; S. H. Parsons.

At N. Moore's—E. D. Williams; T. S. Langley; A. M. Truit; R. H. Turner; H. L. Shuart; L. T. Maddox; R. L. Gilmer; Taylor & Rose; J. A. Smith; est J. V. Brantly; B. L. Cutter; W. H. Elstner; D; S. H. Parsons.

Masonic.

THE meetings of JOPPA LODGE, No. 74, will be held hereafter at the new lodge room, over Miller's drug store, on Texas street.
WM. B. STURGESS, W. M.
RICHARD S CARNES, Sec'y. aug22

I. O. O. F.

THE regular meetings of Neith Lodge No. 21, are held on Wednesday evenings, at their new Lodge, on Texas street, near Edwards.
BEN. JACOBS. Sec'y. W. ROBSON, N. G.

OGLESBY & GRISWOLD,

ARE now receiving direct from the eastern cities, a large and well assorted stock of

Groceries, Liquors, Iron, Hardware,
Willow and Wooden Ware, &c.,

which they will sell upon moderate terms for cash.—They invite attention to the annexed catalogue:

Fine old Leger Brandy	INDIA-RUBBER GOODS:
Hennessy do	Long top boots
Pellevoison Cognac do	Knee do
Seignette do do	Men's sandals
A.W. Larriant & Co. do	do overshoes
Russall & Trice dark do	Boys' do
Rnitian do do	Camp blankets
American do	Water pails
Holland Gin	Jockey caps
Jamaica Rum	Gun covers
Scotch Whiskey	Sac coats
Irish do	Riding leggings.
Old family do	A superior assortment of
Cherry Brandy	Guns
Peach do	G. D. caps
Duff Gordon Sherry Wine	Gun wadding
L. W. pale do do	Powder flasks, plain and
Old south-side Madeira	Shot pouches [fancy
Pure Juice Port Wine	Cleaning rods
Sweet Malaga do	Screw drivers
Peiper Heidsick Champagne	Wire cartridges
Morzelle do	Steamboat cards
Merceiro do	Gallant do
Absynthe	Fancy back do
Cordials assorted	Super heavy do
Curaçoa	Gilt Bath cap Paper
Alcohol	Alhambra do do
100 bxs Tobacco assorted	Victoria do do
100,000 Cigars well do	Do letter do
Old Java Coffee	Oxford mills letter paper
Rio do	Washington gilt do
Havana do	Wrapping paper, all sizes
Assorted Teas	DOMESTIC DRY GOODS:
Pulverized sugar	Oxford Denims
Crushed do	Georgia mixed Plains
Powdered do	Blankets, blue Mack'w
Loaf do	10 bales 7-8 Osnaburgs
Brown do	10 do blk mixed Rock plains
Goshen Butter	10 cases Rocky Hook white plains
Goshen Cheese	Atlantic brown muslins
P. A. do	Berkshire do do
Buckwheat	Atlantic stripes
Sperm Candles	Marlboro' do
Star do	Do plaids
Mackerel in ½ bbls	York shirting stripe
Do kits	Australia plaid linseys
Roe Herring	Atlantic Ky. jeans
Scotch do	Tomato catsup
Tongues and sounds	Pepper sauce
Cod Fish	Worcestershire sauce
Powder in kegs	Horse radish
Do ½ and ¼ kegs	Assorted sauces
Do tin canisters	Spanish olives
Do sporting	Mushroom catsup
Starch	Walnut do
Black Pepper	Capers, Mustard
White do Cayenne	Raspberry syrup
Ginger	Lemon do
Mace	Ginger do
Indigo	Assorted Extracts
Cassia	Lime Juice
Cloves	Stoughton Bitters
Pimento	Sal Æratus
Assorted Candies	Cream Tarter
Fancy do	Fresh salmon
Rock do	do oysters
Prunes	do lobsters
Figs dried	Turtle soup
Dates	Mock turtle soup
Citron	Oyster do
Currants	Clam do
Almonds, hard & soft shell	Pickled oysters
Brazil nuts	do tripe
Filberts	Saur Kraut [qts
Olive Oil	Champagne cider in qt &
Macaroni	do do in bbls
Vermacilla	do do in ½ bbls
Pop-corn candied	English rolled Iron
Bar Soap	Refined do
Fancy toilette soap	Hammer'd Swedes Iron
Pickled cucumbers	do oval do
Do walnuts	Round do
Do onions	Hoop do
Do cauliflowers	Horse shoe do
WOOD-WARE:	Cast steel
Brass b'd pails, cedar	Blister do
do do oak	Smith's anvils
Cedar churns	Solid boxed vices
do piggins	Collet key do
do tubs, all sizes	Hammers, hand & sledge
Well buckets	Nails, assorted sizes
Bread trays	Horse shoe nails
Axe and pick handles	Wrought spike nails
Barrel covers	Collins' axes
Cocoa dippers	C & Co. Ky. axes
Brooms	N C broad do
Foot mats	C & co. ½ do
WILLOW-WARE:	Long handle shovels
Clothes baskets	do do spades
Cov'd do	Scythes
School do	Cotton cards
Market do	Wool do
Children's chairs	Cotton rope, all sizes
Willow wagons	Manilla do do
Bird cages	Peck's improved bellows
TRUNKS:	Smiths' do do
Wood trunks	Well-pump fixtures
Extra leather trunks	do do chains
Ladies' hat boxes	Bright log chains
Gent's do	Pl'd trace do
Patent leather valices	do fifth do
Brussels & Wilton do	100 doz ass'd weed'g hoes
White Lead	Grubbing hoes
Putty	Pick axes
Linseed oil	Cross-cut saws
Lard oil	Hand do
Lanterns, good assortm't	Jack screws
Scotch ale, qts and pts	Dies and stocks
London porter do do	Cotton hooks
Assorted Preserves	Coffee roasters
do Sweetmeats	Enameled kettles
do Pic-fruits	Patent balances
do Table fruits	Leather Gin Bands, brass [rivets
do Brandy do	India Rubber do do
Preserved ginger	
Concent'd Lemonade	

Shreveport, March 5, 1856.

SELLING OFF AT COST!

L. C. HECHT,

Corner Texas and Market streets,
Is selling off the balance of his stock, comprising
Fine Gold and Silver Watches;
Gold Guards, Vest and Fob Chains;
Ladies' Gold Chatelains;
Diamond Breast Pins and Finger Rings.
SILVER
Cups, Spoons, Forks, Sugar Tongs;
Port-Monnais, etc.
Gold and silver Thimbles, Gold Pens and Pencils;
Lockets, Rings, Breast Pins, etc. etc.
I will sell the above at 33 per Cent. deduction from regular selling prices, to make room for a large and complete stock of spring goods from the north.
☞ One price—no deviation. feb27-tf

Osgood's India Cholagogue.

IT should be distinctly understood that the Indian Cholagogue is prepared expressly to counteract the effects of the miasmal influence upon the human system. It is equally effectual for the cure of billious diseases of all kinds, liver complaint, jaundice, dyspepsia, the various forms of indigestion, and such other affections as arise from this morbid influence as for the fevers before enumerated. By bearing in mind the object of the remedy none can mistake its application.

For ague cake or enlargement of the spleen, it will be found an invaluable remedy. In cases of long standing it should be continued several months. By perseverance it rarely fails of reducing the organ to its natural and healthy size.

Individuals traveling in miasmal districts of country will find the remedy, taken in the usual doses three times a day, to afford perfect protection against the ague and other diseases of the climate.

J. WRIGHT & Co., New Orleans, general agents for the south. For sale in Shreveport by all the druggists. feb27

Succession Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo—In District Court, No. 279. Succession of Robert Hord, deceased. By virtue of a writ of sale to me directed by the honorable the District Court of the Parish of Caddo, will be sold on Saturday, 29th day of March, A. D. 1856, at public auction in front of the market house, in the town of Shreveport, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M., the following described LAND, belonging to the succession of Robert Hord, dec'd, to-wit: A certain tract of land on Red River, known and designated as follows, to-wit: the seven-twentieths of a Spanish league of land, situated, lying and being in the Parish of Caddo, in this State, commencing on the south-west bank of Red River at the mouth of Pascagoula bayou, and running up said river, giving thereon seven-twentieths of a league Spanish measure, and back therefrom for quantity, so as to contain an area of seven-twentieths of a Spanish league of land, being the lowest league upon Red River of the four leagues of land reserved to the Grangres in the Caddo Indian treaty, dated July 1st, 1835, and more latterly known as the old Pitts plantation.

Terms of sale—One-third cash, and the balance on a credit of one and two years. Purchasers to give their notes, with approved personal security, and a special mortgage to be retained on the property till final payment. H. HUNSICKER,
Shreveport, February 26, 1856-5t Auctioneer.

State of Louisiana—Parish of Caddo.

IN DISTRICT COURT—M. ESTES vs. HIS CREDITORS. In this case by reason of the plaintiff having complied with the formalities of law, prescribed for the voluntary surrender of property, and by reason of the law and the evidence, it is ordered, adjudged and decreed that a meeting of the creditors of plaintiff, Matthew Estes, be called on the first Monday in April next, at the office of R. T. Buckner, a notary public in the town of Shreveport, to certify on oath their respective claims, to appoint syndics to administer the property surrendered, and to deliberate concerning the sale or disposal of the same and to do and perform all other acts permitted by law. And it is further ordered that R. T. Buckner be appointed to hold said meeting, and that due and legal notice of the same be given as follows, to wit:—to creditors residing in the parish of Caddo by process issued from the court; and to creditors residing out of said parish by letter addressed to them by said notary, and also by publication in the South-Western newspaper, for the term of thirty days.

And it is further ordered, that Atticus Slaughter, esq., be appointed attorney to represent the absent creditors, and that he have notice of the same.

And it is further ordered, that all proceedings against the person and property of said Estes be stayed.

Done and signed in chambers, this the 18th day of February, A. D. 1856. THOS. T. LAND,
Judge 16th District.

A true copy from the original judgment on file and of record in my office. A. H. LEONARD,
feb27-1m Dep'ty clk.

J. N. COOPER,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Boots, Shoes,
GROCERIES, PRODUCE, &c.,
Texas street, opposite the City Hotel, Shreveport.

CONSTANTLY on hand every description of Staple and Fancy Goods, ladies' dress goods, trimmings, embroideries, fancy goods, hosiery, etc. Groceries, provisions and produce of every description; whiskey, brandy, gin, rum, cider, porter, ale, brandy fruits, fancy groceries, sugar, coffee, molasses, salt, soap, starch, spice, pepper, etc. Hardware, Cutlery, Glassware, Crockery, etc. feb20-1y

TO THE LADIES!
MISS LINQUIST,
MARKET STREET, nearly opposite the Postoffice,

BEGS to inform the ladies of Shreveport, and her patrons in particular, that she has just returned from Paris, with a large assortment of the most fashionable and choice
Millinery and Ladies' Fancy Goods,
selected by herself expressly for this place, consisting in part of
Ladies' Toilet Goods of every description,
Bonnets of the latest styles,
Head Dresses, Flowers,
Bridal Veils and Wreaths of every description,
Silk Velvet, Musk Velvet and Cloth Cloaks for ladies and children;
Silk Mantillas of various colors and styles;
Satins and Silks, in great variety.
A complete assortment of every description of Trimmings, including black silk velvet, musk velvet, of various colors; moire antique galloon, silk and velvet ribbons, silver grey plush and velvet ribbons; galloon of velvet, silk, moss and bugles, new styles.
A full assortment of choice bonnet ribbons, jet ornaments, English crepe, corsets, embroideries, laces, blondes, gloves, fine extracts for the toilette, portmonnies, dolls, and various other articles too numerous to mention. All of which are imported direct from Paris, and will be sold at the most reasonable prices. The ladies are invited to call and examine the assortment.
Particular attention paid to the making of Mantillas, and every variety of Milliner Work executed with taste, neatness and promptness. jan30

NEW STOCK!---NOW OPENING!
FALL AND WINTER GOODS!
DRY GOODS! CLOTHING!!
PLANTATION GOODS, BOOTS, SHOES, &c.

The subscriber has just received and is now opening his stock of
Fall and Winter Goods,
comprising the most complete and best selected assortment that can be found in town, to which the attention of all who wish to purchase is solicited. The goods are all fresh and of the latest and most fashionable description, were chosen in person expressly for this market, and will be sold at the lowest possible prices. The stock comprises in part:
Ladies' Dress Goods, of every description;
Silks, merinoes, alpacas, bareges, tissues;
Crepes, Calicoes of every description;
Muslins, lawns, ginghams, checks;
Domestics, sheetings, shirtings, lawells;
Linseys, jeans, sattinets, cassimeres, etc.
Flannels, of every description;
Canton flannel, cottonades;
Bed ticking, counterpanes,
Blankets in great variety;
Woolen, cotton and silk hosiery;
Ladies' bonnets, ribbons, laces;
Trimmings, silk, thread, braid;
Fancy Goods in endless variety.
Umbrellas, parasols, sun-shades;
Plantation Goods of every description.
CLOTHING—A complete assortment, comprising every description of gentlemen's dress, frock and overcoats, sacs, paletots, opera cloaks, office, riding and hunting jackets, blanket coats. Some of them very cheap. Boys' clothing. Undershirts, drawers, linen and cotton shirts; flannel and hickory do.
Pantaloons and Vests of every description and price.
BOOTS AND SHOES—Ladies' and misses' gaiters, bootees, slippers, brogans, and overshoes. Children's shoes. Gentlemen's fashionable boots, gaiters, shoes; water-proof boots; fine and coarse brogans; negro and plantation shoes.
Hardware, Cutlery, Queensware, Glass, Saddlery, cotton and wool cards, sieves, trunks, valices, carpet bags, etc. etc.
Hats and Caps, of every style and quality; gentlemen's furnishing goods, together with almost every article that can be called for.
JOHN LARMIER, Texas street,
nov7 Brick building, near the river.

Fresh Stock.

JUST received per steamer Runaway, a large and complete assortment of
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,
BOAT AND BAR STORES,
WINES, LIQUORS, &c.
Embracing every article in the line, including large stocks of flour, bacon, plain and sugar cured hams, pork, dried beef, tongues, lard, salt, new mackerel, sperm, star and adamantine candles; soap, starch, sugar of all qualities, molasses, coffee, tea, chocolate, pepper, spice, mustard, old rye, Monongahela and common whiskeys, fine old brandies, rum, gin, cider, London porter and Scotch ale, pure wines of every description, cordials, fruits in brandy and their own juice, pickles, ketchups, sauces, preserves, sweetmeats, almonds, raisins, pie-fruits, wooden-ware, stoneware, demijohns, glassware, brooms, brushes, etc. etc.
dec12 STACEY & WELLS.

S. B. MARTIN, DAGUERREOTYPIST,

HAS taken rooms with Dr. Cutliff, where he is well prepared to furnish likenesses in a superior style, put up in stereoscopic, magnifying or common cases, single or in groups. Also in lockets, pins, rings, &c Paintings, daguerreotypes, etc., correctly copied.—Taken in any weather and in a manner never surpassed here or elsewhere. Ladies and gentlemen are respectfully invited to call and examine specimens.
Instruction given in the art. feb6-1m

Negro Thieves amongst Us!

ABSCONDED OR STOLEN—A negro boy, aged about 18 years; some 4 feet 9 inches high, copper color; heavy built for his height. He is a boy of some shrewdness. Left his home about the 5th January last, and it is believed was enticed away by some scoundrel. Calls himself Luke, sometimes Lewis. He had on his person no marks now recollected, with the exception of a few whip lashes about the shoulders. I will pay a liberal reward to any one who will return said boy to me, at Powellton, Harrison county, Texas; or lodge him in jail so that I can get him again I will also pay a liberal reward for the apprehension and conviction of any person or persons who may have decoyed the boy away from his home.
W. F. NEAL, M. D.,
feb20-4t* Powellton, Harrison county, Texas.

Premium Petit Gulf Cotton Seed.

4000 BUSHELS Premium Petit Gulf Cotton Seed, warranted fresh and genuine. Just received and for sale at the Warehouses of OGLESBY & GRISWOLD, N. MOORE, and J. N. HOWELL & Co, at the store of JOHN WALTERS, and by the undersigned.
feb13-tf P. H. ROSSON.

COOPERAGE—Of assorted sizes and description, for sale by N. MOORE.

Sheriff Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo—In District Court, No. 4543. SAMUEL HOLLINGSWORTH vs. ELISHA H. JOURDAN. By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale issued out of the honorable the District Court in and for Parish of Caddo, in the above entitled suit and to me directed, I have seized and will proceed to sell at public auction at the court-house door in the town of Shreveport, parish aforesaid, on SATURDAY, the 5th day of April, A. D. 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 4 P. M., the following described property, to-wit: Lot No. four [4,] in block No. forty-one [41,] fronting forty [40] feet on Texas street, and running back one hundred and fifty [150] feet, as shown on the map of the town of Shreveport, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, consisting of a two story brick building with two stores fronting on Texas street. Also the north-east half of ten acre lot No. six [6,] less eighty [80] feet front on that part of the lot adjoining lot No. five [5,] running back to the far end of said lot, sold by said Jourdan to J. C. Jourdan and Miss Julia Boggs.—Said lot adjoins a lot ten feet wide and contains four acres and a quarter—together with all the buildings and improvements thereon—situated in the town of Shreveport, parish of Caddo. 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. THOS. R. SIMPSON, Sheriff.
Shreveport, February 25, 1856. f27-pf.$10 43

Sheriff Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo—In Justice Jones' Court. SAMUEL EDMONDS, exec'r, vs. ALFORD ATTAWAY. Nos. 992 and 993 on the docket of said court. By virtue of two writs of fi. fa. to me directed by the honorable the justice's court in and for the parish of Caddo, I have seized and will proceed to sell at public auction at the court-house door in the town of Shreveport, parish aforesaid, on SATURDAY, the 5th day of April, A. D. 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 4 P. M., the following described property, to-wit: the west-half of the north-east quarter and the north-east quarter of the north-east quarter, and the north-east quarter of the north west quarter of section No. twenty-two [22,] township eighteen [18,] range sixteen [16,] containing one hundred and fifty-eight 85-100 acres of land, with all the buildings and improvements thereon. Seized as the property of the defendant and to be sold to pay and satisfy the writs issued in the above entitled suit.

Terms of sale—Cash without the benefit of appraisement. THOS. R. SIMPSON, sheriff.
Shreveport, February 25, 1856. [f27.pf.$7 56

Sheriff Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo—In District Court, No. 3793. H. L. DOUGLASS, syndic, vs. R. A. CURLIFFE. By virtue of a writ of sale issued out of the honorable the District Court in and for the parish of Caddo, in the above entitled suit, and to me directed, I have seized and will proceed to sell at public auction at the court house door in the town of Shreveport, parish of Caddo, on SATURDAY, the 5th day of April, A. D. 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 4 P. M., the following described property, to-wit: Lots numbers fifteen and sixteen [15 and 16,] in block No. thirty-six [36,] situated in the town of Shreveport, parish of Caddo. 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, without the benefit of appraisement. THOS. R. SIMPSON, Sheriff.
Shreveport, February 25, 1856. f27pf.$6 50

Sheriff Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo—In District Court, No. 3812. WALLING'S SYNDIC vs. L. E. CARTER. By virtue of a writ of sale issued out of the honorable the District Court in and for the parish of Caddo, in the above entitled suit and to me directed, I have seized and will proceed to sell at public auction, at the court-house door in the town of Shreveport, parish of Caddo, on SATURDAY, the 5th day of April, A. D. 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 4 P. M., the following described property, to-wit: Lots numbers fifteen and sixteen [15 and 16,] in block No. thirty-seven [37,] situated in the town of Shreveport, parish of Caddo. 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 without the benefit of appraisement. THOS. R. SIMPSON, Sheriff.
Shreveport, February 25, 1856. f27pf.$6 16

Sheriff Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo—In District Court, No. 3794. H. L. DOUGLASS, syndic, vs. JOHN LEE GOOCH. By virtue of a writ of sale issued out of the honorable the District Court in and for the parish of Caddo, in the above entitled suit, and to me directed I have seized and will proceed to sell at public auction at the court-house door in the town of Shreveport, parish of Caddo, on SATURDAY, the 5th day of April, A. D. 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 4 P. M., the following described property, to wit: Lot No. twelve (12,) in block No. thirty three (33,) situated in the town of Shreveport, parish of Caddo. Seized and to be sold to pay and satisfy the writ issued in the above entitled suit.

Terms of sale—Cash without the benefit of appraisement. THOS. R. SIMPSON, Sheriff.
Shreveport, February 25, 1856. f27[pf.$5 85

Sheriff Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of Caddo—In District Court, No. 3795. H. L. DOUGLASS, syndic, vs. H. MARKHAM. By virtue of a writ of sale issued out of the honorable the District Court in and for the parish of Caddo, in the above entitled suit and to me directed, I have seized and will proceed to sell at public auction at the court-house door in the town of Shreveport, parish of Caddo, on SATURDAY, the 5th day of April, A. D. 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 4, P. M., the following described property, to-wit: Lot No. thirteen [13,] in block No. thirty-three [33,] situated in the town of Shreveport, parish of Caddo. Seized and to be sold to pay and satisfy the writ issued in the above entitled suit.

Terms of sale—Cash without the benefit of appraisement THOS. R. SIMPSON, Sheriff.
Shreveport, February 25, 1856. f27-pf.$5 81

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 1855, and the License for 1856:

In election precinct No. 4—At the Court-House, in the town of Shreveport, on Saturday, the 23d day of February, 1856.

In election precinct No. 6—At the plantation of S. Bossier, deceased; and at the house of E. K. Hall, known as the Norris Place, on Monday, the 25th day of February next.

In election precinct No. 5—At the house of A. J. Pickens, Summer Grove, on Wednesday, the 27th day of February next.

In election precinct No. 3—At the house of Mr. Hughes, Blossom Hill, on Friday, the 29th day of February next.

In election precinct No. 2—At the house of W. A. Pegram, Greenwood, on Saturday, the 1st day of March next.

In election precinct No 1—At the store of Cooke & Griffin, on Monday, the 3d day of March next.

In election precinct No. 1—At the house of L. J. Hamlin, Albany, on Tuesday, the 4th day of March next.

In election precinct No. 7—At the School House, near Mr. Culvert's, on Thursday, the 6th day of March next.

Or I will proceed to collect the same according to law. THOS. R. SIMPSON, Sheriff.
Shreveport, January 16, 1856.

REMOVAL.
BAKERY AND GROCERIES.

THE undersigned have removed from their old stand on Texas street, near the corner of Edwards, to the two-story brick building lately occupied by Messrs. Lewis & Rascoe, where they will at all times keep on hand a large and well selected stock of Family Groceries, Confectionery, etc.
Steamboat and Bar Stores supplied on the shortest notice. MERETO & SOLLEDER,
jan30 Caddo Bakery.

FASHIONABLE DRY GOODS.

RECEIVED per steamers Financier No. 2, Hope and Marion, an extensive and entirely new stock of staple and fashionable Dry Goods, comprising every article that can be named, and to which we solicit the attention of our old customers and the ladies in particular. Among the stock will be found:
Plain and figured silks; gros de Naples;
New style foulard robes; ball dresses;
Plain and fancy moire antique; rich barèges;
New style flounced dresses, fine dress goods.
Embroideries, of all kinds,
Linens, cambrics, muslins,
Merinoes, flannels, calicoes,
Delaines, hosiery, fine gloves,
Domestics, sheeting, shirting,
Blankets, comforts, counterpanes,
Fancy goods, ladies' trimmings,
And every thing in the dry goods line.
Lowells, linseys, jeans;
Every description of plantation dry goods.
A large assortment of gentlemen's Clothing of the most fashionable styles and best materials; hats, caps, boots, shoes, etc. All of which will be sold at the very lowest prices. E. & B. JACOBS,
dec26 Texas street.

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.
feb13 STACEY & WELLS.

NAILS—100 kegs assorted sizes, just received and for sale by STACEY & WELLS,
feb14 On the Levee.

HATS, BOOTS AND SHOES, of all sizes and qualities, just received and for sale cheap by
feb13 E. & B. JACOBS.

OILS—Sweet, sperm, lard, and linseed oils, for sale at MILLER's Drug Store.

MUSTARD—A superior article, for sale at MORRIS' Drug store.

CUDDY, BROWN & Co.,
Commission Merchants,
38 Camp street, New Orleans.

THE undersigned are prepared to make Liberal Advances on cotton consigned to the above house.
april 18 OGLESBY & GRISWOLD.

Medical Notice.

DRS. GILPIN