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...ts and New Levee streets, between Gravier ...d Poydras streets, New Orleans.
Have a large and well assorted stock of Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Swedes and English Bar Iron. They are agents for the sale of the celebrated Cumberland ...ons, and are supplied with a complete assortment of the various sizes. They are also Agents for ...'s Celebrated Queen of the South Corn ...Mills and have a full assortment on hand.—...ority of these mills over others is fully estab... my2

SCHMIDT & ZIEGLER,
WHOLESALE GROCERS,
175...Old Levee Street...175
...Hospital and Barrack streets, New Orleans. ...daily receiving from Europe and the North ...the Choicest Liquors, Wines, Brandies ...and Groceries, to which they call the special ...tion of families, planters and country mer... They pledge themselves to furnish their friends ...ble terms as any house in the trade in the ci... ...wing comprises only a small portion of their ...ock:
...of Claret Wine;
...White Wine, (Haute Sauterne;)
...do do Barsac;
...casks Alexander Seignette Cognac;
...do do do;
...do Louis Le Breton, 1805, do;
...do Castillon do;
...do John Morris, 1815, do;
...do Burgundy Port;
...do Old Madeira VP;
...very old Bourbon Whiskey;
...New York Brandy and Gin;
...Champagne, pints and quarts;
...Annisette and assorted Cordials;
...Brandy Cherries;
...Fruits in brandy, and in their own juice;
...Swiss Cheese;
...burger Cheeses;
...Holland Herrings;
...Sardines;
...Western Butter and Cheese;
...ed, powdered and broken Sugar;
...a, and Java Coffee;
...Black Teas, of every quality;
...candies, soap, spices, pickles, sauces, ketch...pepper, preserves, Havana sweet meats, ...anchovies, almonds, raisins, figs, prunes, ...filberts, chesnuts, cranberries, mackerel, ...codfish, buckwheat, salad, olive and lard ...ed hams, buffalo tongues, family beef, pork, ...of the best quality.
...the country punctually and carefully filled. ...chant and others visiting the city are invited ...Old Levee street.
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E. J. HART & Co.,
Nos. 77 AND 79 Tchoupitoulas Street,
HAVE on hand a full and well selected stock of
GROCERIES,
...articles in their line, in part consisting of
...Rio, Havana and Java.
...rial, Pouchong, gunpowder, hyson, young ...ong, padre, etc.
...Brown, white, loaf, crushed and powdered.
...Country, sugar house and golden syrup.
...Assorted brands, comprising all qualities.
...Large stock, well assorted.
...Cloves, mace, nutmegs, pepper, ginger, alspice ...spices of all kinds.
...Brown, Boston, western, northern, white and ...and cakes; Castile.
...Fox's, Cincinnati.
...Madeira, Oporto, claret, white sweet and dry ...Sherry.
...Cognac, Rochelle, Bordeaux, Peach, Amer ...
...Holland and domestic.
...Jamaica, New Orleans, N. E.
...Monongahela, Bourbon, Western Virginia, ...Rochelle, apple champagne.
...DYES—Indigo, madder, sulphate quinine, ...with a full assortment of other staple drugs and ...by the case only.
...Willow Ware, brooms, gunny bags, buck... ...selves, etc.
...PHILADELPHIA WHITE LEAD—Having been ...the sale of the celebrated White Lead, ...by Witherill and Brother, we shall keep ...constantly on hand a large assortment of the different ...various sized packages, to which we invite ...attention of the trade.
...friends are solicited to give us a call.
New Orleans, Feb. 12, 1858.

JOS. H. & I. N. MARKS.
WHOLESALE GROCERS,
Commission Merchants and Dealers in
...CRUSHED AND POWDERED SUGAR,
Fish, of all kinds,
...and Domestic Wines and Liquors, Tobacco, Cigars, &c., &c., &c.
Nos. 43, 45 and 47 New Levee,
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Between Poydras and Gravier Streets,
NEW ORLEANS.

FURNITURE.
C. FLINT & JONES,
No. 44 & 46 Royal Street, New Orleans,
Would invite the attention of their friends and the public to their well selected and large stock of Cabinet Furniture. Having ...last year greatly enlarged their establish... are now enabled to exhibit the best and most ...ment of Cabinet Furniture ever offered for ...south, comprising everything necessary in the ...dwelling.
...Furniture, we keep for sale Plush, Hair ...Cloth, Gimp, Cord, Tassels, Springs, Tacks, ...Glue, etc.
Hair and Moss Mattresses,
...Bed Bottoms, a new and economical in... ...ts, Spreads, Sheets, Pillow Cases and
MIRRORS OF ALL SIZES.
...Plain and Checked India Matting.—...of all kinds, together with Ice Boxes of ev... ...refully and securely packed for shipment
...country purchasers will always find our stock ...inspection, and are cordially invited to ...and examine for themselves.
...April 14, 1858.

H. P. BUCKLEY,
(Late Young & Co.,)
CAMP STREET, NEW ORLEANS,
Watchmaker, Jeweler & Silversmith,
...ve of fine Watches for ladies ...ntlemen, of the most cele... ...makers of England and Switzerland, made ...order expressly in heavy cases (gold and sil... ...warranted standard fineness.
...chains and neck chains;
...guard, fob and vest chains, seals, keys, etc.
...ear-rings, breast-pins, cuff-pins, etc.
...ws and rings,
...for every age, in gold, silver, steel and tor... ...frames;
...warranted pure as coin, consisting of table, ...dessert spoons;
...and dessert forks, ladles butter knives, ...and salt spoons, sugar, tongs, etc.
...consisting of castors, candlesticks, wait...
...always engaged in the mechanical part of ...watches sent for repairs will have the ...al attention; and having every facility for ...portion of a watch, he will be enabled to ...reasonable terms.
...made to order and repaired. Diamonds ...latest style. Canes mounted in gold and nov 15, 1858

W. W. CRANE, & Co.
Late H. R. Besch,
CARRIAGE DEALERS,
Louisiana Carriage Repository,
Carondelet street, (Union Row) and 37 ...street, New Orleans. Always on hand a ...ment of carriages and harness. [may2
...every description, for sale by
SMITH & LEWIS Druggists.

P. L. DUFRESNE. A. HUNT. J. T. DUFRESNE.
A. HUNT & CO.,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,
WESTERN PRODUCE, &c.,
ON THE LEVEE, Three Doors below Texas Street,
SHREVEPORT, LA.
Beg to inform their friends, planters, merchants and public generally that they have received a large and select assortment of
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.
Having purchased their stock entirely for cash, they feel confident that they can sell as cheap or cheaper than any house in this city.
Their stock consists in part of:
Kerseys, Linseys Lowells and Osnaburgs, of Southern manufacture; Hickory, Marboro' and Choctaw Stripes; Bedtickings; Negro Blankets, (some at cost;) fine (all wool) Bed Blankets, of every size and quality; Counterpanes; Toilet Quilts, 10-4 and 12-4.
Bleached and brown Cottons, a very large assortment and of extra quality, 6-4, 10-4 and 12-4. Bleached and brown Sheetings.
Irish Linens, a large and beautiful assortment. Linen Sheetings, 10-4 and 12-4. Pillow-case Linen; Linen Damask; Linen Table sets; Bird-eye Diaper; Huckabuck Toweling.
Curtain Goods—Worsted and Cotton Damask; Turkey red and figured French Calicoes for Curtains.
Tennessee and Kentucky Jeans, white and colored; a large assortment of Flannels.
Bleached, brown and colored Canton Flannels.
Black and fancy French Cassimeres; Tweeds;
Black Cloths; Ladies' Royal Cloths.
Satinets—Black, blue and grey.
Ladies' Shawls; plain black dress Silks; Poplins.
French Merinos, all colors; plain and figured Delaines.
Black Delaines, (all wool;) Delaine robes; Alpaccas,
Genuine French Calicoes, of all styles.
English and American Prints, a large and beautiful assortment.
Printed Jaconet, Linen Lawns, French Organdies, Double skirt Organdies and English Barege robes.
Lace Mantelets, Marquis Parasols.
White Goods—Jaconet, Nansook, Lawns, Cambric, plain and figured Swiss Muslin; Book Muslin, Brillantines, Tarlton; Illusions, of all colors.
Handkerchiefs—Linen Cambric, plain hemstiched, and embroidered.
Hosiery—Of nearly every style manufactured—Ladies' and Misses' best English cotton Hose; Ladies' Misses' and Children's merino and woolen Hose. Gentlemen's and boys' English half-hose; Gentlemen's and Boys' merino and woolen half-hose.
Ladies' Merino Vests.
Gentlemen's Gauze, Merino and Lisle Thread Shirts and Drawers.
Hoop Skirts—Ladies' Misses' and Children's, different styles.
Gloves—Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid, Buckskin and Paris Cloth (super) gloves. Cashmere Gloves and Gauntlets. Woolen Mitts.
Clothing—A large stock of Gents' and Boys' Ready-made Clothing, which has been selected from the best manufactories, and which they can recommend to the public.
A fine assortment of Linen bosom Shirts, Marseilles Shirts, Shirt Collars, etc., etc.
Hats and Caps—A very large and beautiful assortment, of the latest styles, and at all prices.
Ladies' and Misses' Bonnets.
Boots and Shoes—Their stock of Men's and Boys' Boots and Shoes is very large and comprises every variety of styles and prices. Extra-fine French calf Boots, made to order, from the best Philadelphia manufactories.
Their stock of Ladies' Misses' and Children's Shoes, Gaiters, Bootees and Slippers, is immensely large and all made to order by the best Ladies' Shoe manufacturers of Philadelphia.
Trunks, Valises, Carpet-bags, Saddle-bag, Saddles, Bridles, etc., etc., etc.
Hardware—A full and complete assortment always on hand.
Caststeel Cotton Hoes, Trace Chains, Axes, Spades, Hames, etc., etc.
Groceries—A very extensive assortment of Groceries, comprising in part Sugar, Molasses, Bacon, Pork, Lard, Flour, Rice, Salt, Candles, Tea, Coffee, Mackerel, Lobsters, Sardines, Soap, Starch, Pepper, Western and Goshen Cheese and Butter, together with every article for plantation and family use.
Wines and Liquors—A superior assortment, embracing every description: Brandies, Whisky, Gin, Rum, Port, Madeira, Claret and White Wines, Champagne, London Porter, Scotch Ale, etc.
A. HUNT & Co,
On Levee, third door below Texas Street.
Shreveport, March 28, 1860.

RUSSETS—Double back rivited Russet at $14 00 ⅌ dozen. A. HUNT & Co., on the Levee.

EMPIRE STEAM MARBLE WORKS,
Webb, McCulloch & Co.
63 and 65 Market Street,
(the Saint Louis, Missouri.
SHREVEPORT BRANCH,
No. 11 Texas street, near the levee.
Having opened a Marble depot in Shreveport, we are now prepared to fill orders for
MONUMENTS,
MONUMENTAL HEAD STONES,
BOX TOMBS,
HEAD STONES,
MARBLE MANTLES.
COUNTER SLABS &c.,
with the utmost dispatch and in a style *superior* to any ever before manufactured in the southern country.
We also wish to call the special attention of all, to our large stock and styles of
IRON FENCING.
We have arrange arrangements with the manufacturers so that we are enabled to sell Iron Fence at their Prices (adding transportation.)
Those desirous of obtaining
MONUMENTS, MONUMENTAL HEAD STONES, BOX TOMBS, HEAD STONES,
or anything of that discription, enclosed with an Iron Fence, can have the entire work put up in the most substantial manner, at prices with which no other southern house can compete.
Invitations to tea promptly attended to.
Shreveport, April 18, 1860-1y

F. 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 his line, at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms. He 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.
January 24, 1855. F. MULHAUPT

THE SHREVEPORT BREWERY.
Managed by A. SCHAFFNER.
HOME manufacture of White Cream Ale, brewed from pure and fresh White Malt.
The Ale is put up in 5 gallon kegs, half and whole barrels, and can be had at all times at the Brewery. [nov24

ECLIPSE LIVERY STABLES,
Corner of Texas and Edward Streets, Shreveport, La.
The undersigned having purchased this well known establishment, beg leave to inform the citizens of Shreveport and the public generally that they are prepared to accommodate the community with short or long drives or rides on horseback; hacks, buggies and carriages to hire; they are prepared to carry passengers to any part of the country, in the State or out of it; horses kept by the day, week or month. The stables are well ventilated and well supplied with the best of provender. Having employed experienced ostlers, no pains or expenses will be spared to give satisfaction to all those who will favor them with their patronage.
MARKHAM & SIMMS.
Horses bought and sold here.
Attached to the establishment is a celebrated Farrier, who guarantees to cure in the shortest time the most formidable diseases that horsekind is heir to, such as Blind Staggers, Big Shoulder, Big Head, Glanders, Swiney, Distemper, Founder, Gravel, and Distempers and Diseases of all descriptions, in the successful treatment of which he avails himself of his own important discoveries made in that line. Give us a call and try our system. [nov23] MARKHAM & SIMMS.

THE TREMONT HOUSE,
Edwards street—Shreveport, Louisiana.
The subscriber having leased the above well known and popular house, and had it thoroughly renovated, informs the traveling public that he is now prepared to accommodate guests, pledging himself that nothing shall be wanting on his part to give satisfaction. The table will at all times be served with every delicacy of the season, prepared by experienced cooks, while the servants and waiters are attentive and polite. The Tremont House being located in a retired and agreeable part of the town, free of noise and dust, and at the same time only a few steps from the centre of business, affords unusual inducements to travelers, who will at all times find it a comfortable home. Prices moderate [feb9] S. P. DAY.

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NEW ORLEANS MEDICAL NOTICE.
Dr. LEROY'S MIXTURE For The PROMPT and CERTAIN CURE of ALL URETHRAL DISEASES, and Those AFFECTIONS SOLELY—TO THE PUBLIC—Seventeen years' trial of this Mixture in an extensive practice in New Orleans has fully tested its powers and removed those prejudices which physicians and the public have against an advertised medicine by its invariable success in all Urethral diseases, such as gonorrhœa, gleet spasmodic strictures, neuralgia of the bladder and the urethra, affections of the kidneys, incontinence of the urine, whites, &c.
It would be well in obstinate cases of gonorrhœa and gleet to use in connection with the mixture our Camphorated Belladonna Injection. Price 50 Cents.
TAKE NOTICE.—As in all uncomplicated cases One Bottle of Dr. LE ROY'S MIXTURE suffices to effect a permanent cure, in from three to eight days, assisted, if necessary, by a vial of the Belladonna Injection, the cost of getting promptly cured of a disagreeable and often dangerous malady is trifling. This mixture is not an empirical remedy, a "cure all," but is compounded by a physician and prescribed solely for Urethral Affections.
It is entirely vegetable, not nauseous, and can be used with perfect safety, confidence and ease, as it does not affect the breath, requires but little change in diet, and no restriction from business, which has rendered it very popular both with the public and medical men.
Persons afflicted are strongly recommended to give it a trial, when its prompt effect will convince them of its efficacy. PRICE PER BOTTLE $3.
CAUTION.—Recollect the genuine article is liquid. Every French label has the written signature of LeRoy, M. D., Paris, on it, and every English label has the fac simile signature of
DR. L. C. THOMSON & Co., Sole Proprietors,
Southern Medical Infirmary, 118 Carondelet, N. Orleans.
Just received a supply of LeRoy's Mixture. For sale wholesale and retail by THOS. H. MORRIS,
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E. R. STEVENS & Co.,
Importers and Wholesale Dealers in
Cutlery, Guns, Pistols, Perfumery, Fancy Goods
Paper, Stationery, School and Blank Books,
Playing Cards, &c., &c.,
Nos. 55 AND 57 COMMON STREET, N. O.,
The subscribers having removed to their new and spacious stores (as above) nearly opposite the City Hotel and invite the attention of city and country dealers to their extensive assortment of goods adopted to every branch of trade. We receive our goods direct from the manufacturers, both foreign and domestic, and are enabled to offer them to dealers as low as any other house in the Union.
Combs, Brushes and Fancy Goods:

Ivory Combs, all Nos.	Porte Monnaies,
India Rubber "	" Purposes,
Imitation shell,	Reticules,
Buffalo,	Pocket Books,
Horn,	Hooks and Eyes,
Hair Brushes,	Looking Glasses,
Tooth and Nail Brushes,	Necklaces,
Shoe and scrubbing "	Watch Guards,
Writing Desks,	Suspenders,
India Rubber Toys,	Silver Thimbles,
China do	Pocket Compasses,
Buttons,	Blacking,
Marbles,	Twines,
Pins,	Tacks, etc., etc.

Perfumery, Soaps, &c.

Genuine Farina Cologne,	Vinegar Rouge,
Wright's superior do	Macassar Oil,
Taylor's do do	Bears' "
Lubin's Extracts,	Antique "
Wrights, do	Pomatum,
Taylor's do	Ox Marrow,
Lily White,	Bandolino,
Chalk Balls,	Powder Puffs,
Toilet Powder,	Balm of 1000 Flowers,
Rice do	Lyons' Kathairon,
Meen Fun,	French Soaps,
Cosmetique,	Military do

And a large assortment of Taylor's Transparent Wash Balls and Wright's Fancy Soaps.
Also of direct importation, Cutlery, Guns, Pistols, Percussion Caps and Needles.
A large stock of Printing, Writing and Wrapping Paper of every description, Playing Cards, Inks, Pens, school Books, Blank Books, etc.
Copying Presses, Envelopes, and Stationery of every description. [mh25] E. R. STEVENS & Co.

Not Auction Goods, But Just as Cheap!
LANNA & SPOR,
DEALERS IN
FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,
HARDWARE, CUTLERY, WINES, LIQUORS, &c., &c.,
Texas street between Spring and the Levee.
Have just received the finest and best stock of Spring and Summer Goods in the market, and with which they are now prepared to furnish customers, and to the inspection of which they invite all persons desirous of supplying themselves with
STAPLE OR FANCY GOODS,
of every kind, sorts, style or variety and at such prices as place them within the reach of every purchaser. The supply was bought from first class houses, and consists of the newest styles and most fashionable fabrics, selected by Mr. Lanna especially for the Shreveport trade, and embraces many articles not usually found out of the city.
The Ladies will find that special attention was given to their department, the stock of goods suited to their wants is ample and of the choicest description, embracing every article requisite for the plainest or most elaborate toilet. It would be useless to attempt an enumeration of the multitudinous articles purchased particularly for the consumption of the fairsex, they can only realise their beauty and superior quality by an examination, which is respectfully solicited.
FURNISHING GOODS
for Gentlemen's wear, in every style, variety and price, of the best material superior make and lowest possible prices.
Dealers will find it to their advantage to examine their assortment, as they can supply any desirable article for the country trade at prices below any thing offered in the market. A heavy supply of Blankets, Russetts, Negro Clothing, and Plantation supplies constantly on hand, to which the attention of planters and country dealers is solicited.
We have also received a complete stock of Saddlery, including Gentlemen and Ladies' Saddles, with Bridles, Martingals, Girths, etc.
Those wishing to purchase Hardware should apply at our house before making their purchases elsewhere.
Shreveport, March 28, 1860. LANNA & SPOR.

$50
BOOTHE & FARMENTER'S
Family and Plantation Sewing Machines.
THIS Machine stands without a rival for SIMPLICITY AND CAPACITY COMBINED! and is suitable alike for the finest muslin, silk and linnen to the thickest and heaviest kerseys and lindseys of which negro clothing is made, and excels all other machines in EMBROIDERY.
It will hem, stitch, tuck, bind, fell and gather, and is warranted and guaranteed to last as long as any other sewing machine now in use, and to sew with as great rapidity. This machine will revolve either way without breaking needles or thread; it makes no difference which way you turn it, either backward or forward the sewing is the same—a great advantage gained over all other machines.
All persons who are in want of a good and reliable Sewing Machine will please call at the shoe store of J. F. Morrell, corner of Market and Texas street, and examine for themselves.
Agents are wanted to sell these machines throughout Louisiana and Texas. S. H. PARSONS,
General agent for north Louisiana.

CRANE'S METALLIC BURIAL CASKETS.
THE undersigned having purchased the exclusive right of selling these beautiful and celebrated Burial Caskets in Shreveport and Caddo parish, have just received and will keep on hand a very large assortment, embracing every size, which will be sold at very low prices—less than the ordinary coffin. We offer this casket to the public, feeling confident that it is superior to any case now in use for beauty of design, elaborate and artistic finish, simplicity in lining, etc. It is highly decorated, has unique silver mountings, is perfectly airtight, and affords an entire view of the body, the top of the casket being constructed of the finest French plate glass, renders it the most desirable case ever invented. Beautiful metallic caps cover the glass, and secure the case from damage against external pressure.
All orders promptly attended to. The caskets are ready for delivery or shipment at a moment's notice.
J. S. RENDALL,
jul 7-1 y Corner of Texas and McNeil sts

3 EAGLE COTTON GINS of the celebrated Carver make, on consignment and for sale by
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Instructress in Music—Piano and Guitar.
Miss WILCOX,
Instructress in French and the Ornamental Department.
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Steward's Department.
Mrs. E. M. JENKINS,
Matron.
The Autumnal Term of this Institution commences on the 1st Monday of September; the Spring Term will immediately succeed, without any vacation. Each Term, twenty-one weeks.
Rates of Tuition for the Term of twenty-one weeks as follows:

In Primary Department	$15 00
In Academic Department	20 00
In Collegiate Department	25 00
Incidental Expense	1 00
Music, Piano or Guitar	25 00
Drawing and Painting	15 00
Embroidery	10 00
Board, including fuel, lights, and washing	62 50

Pupils entering at the opening of the Term or within two weeks thereafter, are charged for the Term. No deduction for absence, except in cases of protracted illness.
THOS. M. GATLIN,
aug 29, 1860. President Board of Trustees.

MANSFIELD FEMALE COLLEGE.
FACULTY.
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And Professor of Moral Mental and Natural Science.
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Mrs. EMMA E. A. THOMAS,
Stewardess.
The next Collegiate year commences on Wednesday, October 3d, 1860. For further information apply to Mr. A. H. Thomas, or to J. L. Scales, Secretary Board of Trustees. LEWIS PHILLIPS,
President Board Trustees
J. L. Scales, Secretary. aug25-1y

MINDEN FEMALE COLLEGE.
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President and Professor of Mental and Moral Philosophy and the Natural Sciences.
MISS CATHARINE E. COLEMAN,
Vice Principal, and Instructress in Mathematic and English Literature.
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Instructress in the Physical Sciences, Composition and Elocution.
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Instructress in the English Branches.
MISS ———,
Instructress in the Primary and Academic Department.
PROF. GEO. C. TAYLOR,
Music on the Harp, Piano and Violin.
PROF. J. LUTHER,
Music—Piano, Guitar, Violin, &c.
MISS MARY A. COLEMAN,
Music—Piano, Guitar and Vocal.
M'LLE L. DURAND, (of France,)
Instructress in French and Music.
MRS. E. R. F. THOMPSON,
Instructress in the Ornamental Department.
Terms, etc.
The Scholastic year is divided into two terms of twenty-one weeks each. The Autumnal Term commences on the first Monday of October; the Spring Term immediately succeeds, without any vacation, and closes in July.
The terms for tuition are payable quarterly, in advance; but when delayed beyond the close of the term, interest will be charged. For the term of twenty-one weeks, they are as follows:—

Tuition in Alphabetic Department	$15 00
Tuition in Academic Department and Freshman Class	20 00
Tuition in Collegiate Department, three highest classes	25 00
Incidental Expenses	1 00
Music—Piano-forte or Guitar	30 00
" on Harp	40 00
Drawing and Painting	15 00
French, Latin and Italian, each	12 00
Embroidery	10 00
Wax-work, per course of lessons	10 00
Fee for graduation	10 00
Boarding, including lights, washing, &c.,	60 00
Oil Painting	20 00

Pupils entering at the opening of the term, or within two weeks thereafter, will be charged for the term; nor will any deduction be made for absence, except for Providential cause. Sep21-1y

SHREVEPORT FEMALE INSTITUTE.
Mrs. M. B. HAY,
Principal and Instructress in higher English and French.
Miss S. W. Gibbs,
Instructress in Musical Department.
The second term of this institution will begin Monday, September 3, in the house formerly occupied by Col. B. M. Johnson, corner of Travis and McNeil streets.
Terms.

Orthography, reading, writing, primary geography mental arithmetic, per term of 21 weeks,	$20 00
Geography, grammar, history, arithmetic, algebra, geometry, physical, mental and moral science,	30 00
Latin and French each	10 00
Wax Work	10 00
Painting—Water colors or Grecian	15 00
Music	30 00
Embroidery	10 00
Incidental expenses	1 50

Payable one-half in advance, the remainder at the close of the session. No deduction except in case of protracted illness.
Additional teachers will be secured as the increase of pupils may demand. aug18

THE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE
SITUATED near Shreveport, will be again opened for the reception of pupils on the 2d Monday, the 9th of January, 1860.
Charges:
1st. For board, tuition, washing fuel lights &c., per session of 5 months, $125 00
2d. For day scholars, per session of 5 months, 50 00
No pupil received for less than five months, no deduction for absence except in case of protracted illness.
All charges to be paid strictly, half in advance.
S. P. HELME, A. M.,
January 4, 1860. Principal and Proprietor.

HILLSBORO' N. C. MILITARY ACADEMY.
THIS institution is under the conduct of Col. C. C. Tew, late superintendent of the State Military academy at Columbia, S. C. The course of study is of a highly scientific character and the discipline strictly military. For a circular address the superintendent.
feb9-1y

MUSIC! MUSIC!
S. C. EICHHARN,
Professor and teacher of Music.
Respectfully informs the Ladies and gentlemen of Shreveport that he will teach the Piano, Guitar, Violin and Vocal Music. Orders can be left at V. Shidet's jewelry store.
Shreveport, May 30, 1860-1y

Speer's Patent Clasp and Hoop IronBands
FOR BALING COTTON.
JAMES E. PHELPS, Agent,
Office and Storeroom at T. H. Etheridge's corner of Milam and Commerce Streets, Shreveport, La.
WILL keep constantly on hand a large stock of assorted lengths, which he will sell from 35 to 37½ per cent. less than hoops can possibly be afforded.
These Clasps and Bands are manufactured of the best American iron and may be relied on for its toughness and complete adaption to the Planters' use.
For further information, send for descriptive Circulars and specimen Clasps. June 6, 1860-1y.

FALL AND WINTER GOODS!
Still Ahead of all Trade!
A. WINTER,
Texas Street, Shreveport,
Has just received per steamers Era No. 4, Fleta, Yazoo Belle, Rescue, and Larkin Edwards an extensive and complete stock of Fall and Winter Goods, direct from the manufacturers, selected in person expressly for the Shreveport market, and including all the latest and most fashionable descriptions of
FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,
Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, &c.
This stock being the foremost and most complete in town, is well worthy the attention of all purchasers, who may rest assured that they will be sold at Lower Prices than any other house can offer them.
Boots, Shoes and Brogans for ladies, men and boys, embracing all qualities and sizes.
Also—A large and complete assortment of fancy and staple Groceries, Plantation Stores, Hardware, Cutlery, Glassware, Queensware, etc., etc., to all of which the attention of my old patrons and the public is solicited.
A. WINTER.
nov2

PATTERSON & CO.,
BUTCHERS,
Keeps always on hand the finest and fattest Beef, Pork, Mutton, &c., that can be procured, which they sell at the lowest prices. For the accommodation of those who wish to buy cheap, we keep some rather lean meat on hand which we sell at lower prices than heretofore ever known. may2

PIKE'S MAGNOLIA WHISKEY.
A LOT of Pike's celebrated White Wheat Whiskey, on consignment, and will be sold very low for cash.
HOWELL & BUCKNER.
july25

SHOT—300 bags Shot, assorted; 12 kegs bar lead, for sale by HOWELL & BUCKNER.

The Poor Niece.

In a close, mean chamber, up two pair of back stairs, in a small country town about forty miles from Boston, a young woman was sitting by the only window sewing. There was a stove in the room, but the air was little warmed by it, the fire having evident been suffered to go out from it after the breakfast was over.

She was embroidering a beautiful cashmere cloak—an infant's cloak of most elaborate device. Her chintz dress, coarse and dark, was very clean, and she had on a white apron and white linen sleeves to protect the embroidery from contact with anything colored. There was a half cheerful smile on her face. I say half cheerful, because the other half of the smile might have been thought bitter or sarcastic. Evidently she was not quite at ease, and the scanty appointments of her apartment would seem to intimate that poverty might have tried her somewhat too severely. An open letter, apparently just received, was lying on the window sill. It bore the post-mark of Boston, and was dated the day previous. She took it up and read it again. Her voice in reading was as bitter as her smile. It was an invitation, couched in no very cordial terms, from a sister of her departed mother, to spend a few weeks with her, and more than a half intimation that, as the time was one of busy preparation for winter clothes, she would be expected to assist in making them, as an equivalent for the great courtesy extended to her.

Margaret Ashley's mother was the sister of a rich widow in Boston, who had never noticed her sister since her marriage. The one had been the wife of a poor clergyman, who had died almost in his pulpit, worn out with toiling for a scanty living—the other had married a rich man, who had long ago forgotten the mean and sordid way in which his wealth had been accumulated. Under her father's tuition, Margaret had become a fine scholar. He had intended her for a teacher, but the long illness of both her parents had so exhausted her strength, that she was unable to attempt it, even if she had had an opportunity to do so; and so really fine talents and her strong intellectual character were merged in the effort to support herself by needlework.

One only resource she availed herself of. This was an old, but finely toned piano; which her father had bought for almost nothing at a sale of household goods. When Margaret was quite young, she had taken lessons in music, and a quick ear and aptitude at learning had supplied the placed of more careful practice. When she had sold from her furniture all that could be spared, during the heavy time of sickness, no one would make even an offer for the old-fashioned instrument, and so it remained, almost the only thing of any value in her room. But when the day was ended for work, instead of sitting down to brood over her troubles, she had played through the twilight hours, until she had really acquired a fine touch—and her voice, always sweet and pleasant, had attained a firmness and volume which in a city might have insured her compensation. But who would seek out the poor and friendless girl? and what could she do in a small country town that would be at all remunerative, save to sew from morn till night at almost starving prices? she had often heard of her aunt Morrison, and her great wealth, but she had never seen her. And as she looked around the poor room, and upon her thin, wasted hands, she resolved to go. Perhaps something might happen to "turn up" which would make this eternal toil unnecessary, or at least better paid. She would try.

She wrote to accept the aunt's invitation; but it was a cold, brief note, surpassing in coldness and brevity the invitation itself; and she appointed the following week for her visit, without naming any particular day. On the succeeding Thursday, after finishing the little cloak, and receiving the hardly wrung pittance for which she had wrought it with such elegance of design and execution, she packed her small trunk, and with plain, gray woolen dress, checked shawl, straw bonnet and cotton gloves—all perfectly neat and whole, and harmonizing in the soft, neutral tint of each garment, she set out to make her first visit to the great city. The ride was a cold one. The wind blew clouds of dust into the stage-coach by which she traveled, and her hair and complexion soon showed it effects. She arrived just before dark on that wintry afternoon, stunned with the noise of the streets, and glad when the driver turned his horses into the more quiet region of Mount Vernon street, and in a shorter one where rose the imposing mansion of Mrs. Morrison.

Unfortunately for the lady's pride, she had that day received company for dinner. Many of the guests came in carriages that blocked up the way, and only by skillful maneuvering could the country stage be brought up to the door. The windows were lined with faces, but fortunately Margaret did not see them. She was occupied in gathering up her box and carpet-bag, and finding her purse to pay the driver. It was well that she did not see them, for the sneering smiles that gathered on many of the faces, would have sent a pang to her heart, and driven her back into the stage coach to have a cold ride home.

There was a contrast between her dusty gray garments, thick boots and umbrella, and the splendid silk dress, rich laces and jewels, the dainty rigolette and superb cashmere shawl thrown carelessly upon the pretty little figure that was just being taken out of a carriage and delicately carried into the house, without touching the French kid slipper to the ground. The driver took off the shabby little trunk, that looked so much shabbier for all these gauds about it, and elbowed his way through the crowd of coachmen in white kid gloves, as he carried it up the steps and set it exactly in the middle of the hall.

No welcome awaited poor Margaret; but Mrs Morrison, who stood horrified at the window, dimly suspected who was her visitor, whispered to a servant to take her and her trunk away as speedily as possible. Up—up—more flights than Margaret traveled at home, and into a little dark-looking bed-room, the man escorted her, not stopping an instant to see if she wanted anything. There was a low bed, a chair, and a table that answered two purposes, for it held the cracked bowl and ewer that was as guiltless of water as the drawer was of towels. She could not even part with the dust. She was tired, and had eaten nothing since morning. There was no lamp in the room, and daylight was fast disappearing. She sat down and shivering with the cold, and wished herself back at the piano. She heard the clatter of dishes, and fancied they were at supper below. She did not dream that the meal could be dinner.

"Why need I care?" she asked herself. "They sent for me as they sent for others. Why should I not go to their table then? surely they don't expect me to live without food while I am here. Take courage Margaret—Mrs. Morrison is only your aunt, after all."

And she shook out the dust and wrinkles from her dress as well as she could, and descended the stairs where the blaze of light almost blinded her. On she went without impediment, for company and servants were now in the great dining-room. Thither she followed the sound of voices, and entered just as the soup was being served. At the head of the table was woman whom she supposed must be her aunt, or she would not be in that place—although she marveled that the large, haughty looking person, with such a red face and such a profusion of flowers in her head-dress, could be sister to her pale, gentle-looking mother. No one noticed Margaret, the company probably supposing her a servant, and Mrs. Morrison and her