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" " " " Delta.
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NOTICE.

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sept 26-y. THEO. GOLDMANN.

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For the Frish of East Baton Rouge,

WILL attend promptly to the sale of all kinds of Real, and Personal Estate—Houses, Lots, Lands, Dry Goods, Hardware, Groceries, Furnature &c., &c

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I. O. O. F.

DE OTO LODGE No. 7, over H. T. Waddill's Drug Store, Church street. Meets every Thursday night at 7 o'clock.

Magnolia Encampment No. 4, meets 2o and fourth Saturdays in each month, in Odd Fellow's Hall.

MASONIC.

ST. JAMES LODGE No. 47—corner of Levee and Church streets. Stated meetings, first Saturday night in every month.

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U. S. MAIL COACH.

FROM BATON ROUGE to CLINTON via JACKSON, will run *tri-weekly*, as follows: leaving Baton Rouge, *Sundays*, *Tuesdays*, and *Fridays*, at 5 o,clock A. M., and arriving at Clinton, at 3 o'clock, P. M., Leaving Clinton Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays, at 5 o'clock, A. M., and arriving at Baton Rouge at 3 o'clock, P. M.

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From Baton Rouge to Jackson, $2 00.
do. " " " Clinton. 2 50.

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☞ Seats can be engaged at the Harney House, Baton Rouge, at the Post Office, in Jackson, and at Carman's Hotel,in Clinton.
WILLIAM ELDER, *Proprietor*,
may 11th y.

East and West Baton Rouge Ferry.

THE Ferry Boat connecting with East and West Baton Rouge, is constantly plying—making trips at intervals of fifteen and thirty minutes.

CHARGES.

Foot Passengers,	20
Man and Horse,	75
Buggy and "	$1 50
Carriage and Horses,	2 00
Horses per Head,	50
Cattle " "	50
Droves of horses or mules, each,	30

☞ Cash, and Cash only, are the terms
Jan. 12, y. R. BEAL, Proprietor.

TWICE A WEEK.
U. S. MAIL PACKET GIPSY.

For the Coast, Plaquemine, Baton Rouge, Port Hudson, Waterloo, Bayou Sara, and all intermediate landings—The steamer GIPSY, J. H. URE, Master, leaves New Orleans every Sunday, at 9 o'clock P. M., Returning, leaves Bayou Sara, each trip after the arrival of the cars. For freight or passage apply on board. may 14y.

JUST received per steamer Eliza, from Cincinnatti.
25 Bbls Mess Pork.
50 S. F. Flour.
13 Casks Bacon.
25 Kegs No. 1 Lard.
5 Tierces S. C. Hams.
12 Boxes, 5 lump Tobacco
For sale, low for cash.
July 12th, tf. S. M. HART, & Co.

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THE SUBSCRIBERS have on hand and for sale 18 Cooking Stoves of different sizes and patterns which they offer at reduced prices.
15 dozen O. Rice's Zink Wash Boards.
may 13. ly. HALL & PIPER

From St. Louis This-day.

50 BARRELS Mo. Mills extra flour
50 Kegs Prime Lard. In addition to our already large stock of Groceries and western produce. For sale by
sept 23, S. M. HART & Co.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

THE PRICE of Flour being $5 50, a barrel, Bakers will give 35 ounces of bread for ten cents, the ensuing week.
J. R. DUFROCQ, *Mayor*.
Dec. 16, 1852, y.

MAIRIE.

LE PRIX de la farine etant Cinq Piastres,edimi, *par* baril; Les Boulangers donneront 35 onces pour dix sous, la semaine courante. J. R. DUFROCQ, *Maire*
Dec. 16, y.

J. J. BURK.
Law Office at
COURT HOUSE,
OVER SHERIFF'S OFFICE.
june 29, tt. Baton Rouge, La.

James Madison Elam, James Essex Elam.
J. M. & J. E. ELAM
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law.
Baton Rouge, La.
March 27th, y.

J. W. SEYMOUR.
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office on Laurel Street.
Next door to George M. Heroman,
may11 y. BATON ROUGE LA.

T. G. DAVIDSON, R. E. MCHATTON
DAVIDSON & McHATTON.
Attorneys at Law.
OFFICE ON LAUREL STS. BATON ROUGE.
Apr. 30th ly.

JOHN G. LUDLOW, M. D. G. H. MANN.
Drs. LUDLOW & MANN.
Surgeon and Mechanical Dentists
Baton Rouge La.
☞ Gratuitous Services to the poor every afternoon from 2 to 5 P. M. May 1 m.

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General Agents,
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The liberal patronage we have met with, as General Agents; has not only enabled us to increase our facilities for the transaction of business, but also to GREATLY REDUCE our former rates of COMMISSION.

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On sums under $100 2 per cent.
do $100 and not over $250, 1 1-2 pr. ct.
do $250 and not over $500, 3-4 per ct.
do $500 and not over $1000 1-2 per ct.
do $1000 do. do. $1500, 1-4 do.
do $1500 do. do. $5000, 1-8 do.

RATES OF EXCHANGE ON NEW ORLEANS
On sums from $10, to $250, 1-2 pr. ct.
do. do. do. $250, to $1500, 1-4 do.
do. do. do. $1500, to $5000, 1-8 do.

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may 8y. *General Agents*.

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C. SIMON & BRO.
118 *Old Levee, New Orleans, La.*

WE have constantly on hand a very large and superior stock of the most fashionable Clothing, to which we invite the attention of dealers and others. Gentlemen visiting the city, can at a short notice have clothing made to order, in a superior manner and warranted to fit. Our prices are as low as the lowest, and we offer greater inducements to the trade generally, than any other house in the city. [july 18-y.

A VERY LARGE and choice assortment of Glassware, Queensware and Earthenware of new patterns, together with 2500 gallons stoneware at ten cents per gallon for sale by J. PARRY & Co.

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24 Common Street, New Orleans,
HAVE the most extensive and varied stock of Stationery in the city. Letter and Cap paper of every brand and quality; printing materials, &c. All of which are sold on the most reasonable terms.

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J. PARRY & Co., have just received a fresh stock of Almonds, and Reasons, Butter, and Cheese, Pickles, and Preserves. Call for superior articles at
july26 y. J. PARRY, & Co.

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A FINE Buggy and Horse—the Horse well suited to saddle or harness. Apply to sept 23 JOSHUA BEAL.

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FROM Cincinnati—per Steamer Yuba—30 barrels Flour; 10 Tierces S. & S. Hams. For sale by S. M. HART & Co

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75 Boxes Star Candles; 25 Boxes Soap 10 Boxes 8 Lump Tobacco; 10 barrels Prime Sugar. JOSHUA BEAL.
aug 24-y Opposite Harney House.

Hay! Hay!!

413 Bales Timothy Hay. For sale by JOSHUA BEAL.

PERFUMERY — All the celebrated French, English and German brands of Cologne at J. PARRY & Co.

SHOE AND BLACKING BRUSHES—5 doz. Best Shoe Brushes and 6 gross of the Best Blacking for sale by
JOHN C. LANOUE.
Harney House Row

Coal,

702, Barrels best quality, at Foundry.
6-y. HILL & HENDERSON.

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ALL OF DR. JAYNE'S Patent Medicines may be found at Geo. M. Heroman's, corner of Main and Laurel streets.

SHOE BLACKING & BRUSHES—20 dozen shoe blacking; 4 dozen shoe bushes. *J. PARRY & CO.*

Mineral Water.

FROM St. Catherine's salt wells in Canada, one tea-spoonful in a glass to common water, makes a drink, in all respects equal to "blue lick water." For sale by H. T. WADDILL.

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THIS DAY RECEIVED—A large stock assorted Wines and Liquors at N. O. prices. *J. PARRY & CO.*

Hoffands German Bitters.

THOUGHT to be the best Tonic in use, a most excellent remedy for Liver Complaints. For sale by
aug 18-y. H. T. WADDILL.

Smith's Tonic.

ONE of the most effectual remedies known for the cure of chills and fevers. For sale by H. T. WADDILL.

Samson Snake Root.

A FEW pound of Samson Snake Root, the best native remedy for dispepsia known. For sale by H. T. WADDILL.

Leeches! Leeches!!

500 BEST LEECHES. For sale by H. T. WADDILL.

MAC & MAC TOBACCO—10 boxes just received and for sale low, by
une 16, y. *JOSHUA BEAL.*

Wrapping Paper.

333 REAMS Each, Small, Re Med and Large. Selling at New Orleans prices, by JOHN C. LANOUE,
ly, Harney House.

HAY, CORN, OATS and — Always on hand and for sale by
june 16, y. JOSHUA BEAL
opposite Harney House.

TO SUGAR PLANTERS.

I HAVE just received, and will continue to keep, a good supply of very fine Sugar House and water cistern cement
JOSHUA BEAL.
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Cash Wanted Immediately.

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IS now prepared to take all contracts in his line of business, and will execute with neatness and despatch.

N. B. All kinds of Job Work attended to. Plans and specifications given gratis when required.

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This dy from Cincinnati.

11 Grosse Mason & Dixon's No. 1 mustard; 3 grosse ground blk. pepper; 4 do. ground spice; 2 do. Sinamon; 1 do. Cloves. All of which is fresh.
aug 18-y. J. PARRY & Co.

Rodways Ready Relief.

THE great "Pain Killer," said to cure all Pains, known to man, (except that from the inconvenience of an 'empty purse
For sale by H. T. WADDILL.

Lacrue's Tooth Wash.

PREPARED expressly for sour, or bleeding gums. Scurvy, &c. For sale by H. T. WADDILL.

STAGG, Shay, and Duffield Hams at retail or by tierce, by JOSAUA BEAL

CHLORIDE of Lime, and various other disinfectents, for sale by
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TOWNSEND'S, Sands', and Bulls' Sarsaparilla, warranted genuine, and for sale by Wm. BOGEL.

WHITE KID GLOVES—6 dozen of Superior white kid gloves for sale by J. C. LANOUE.

Just Received from St. Louis.

2255 LBS. Bacon, Sides and Shoulders. For sale by
aug 18-y J. PARRY & Co

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PILLS, Expectorant, Alterative, Balsam and Vermifuge. For sale by
aug 18-y. H. T. WADDILL.

2243 LBS. Sugar Cured Hams. A Fresh article at twelve and a half cents per pound. J. PARRY & Co.

BKERS and others supplied at reasonable prices with Carb. Ammonia, sup Carb. Soda, and Oils for flavoring, Spices &c, by H. B. VIBBERT.

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Thompsonian Medicines.

COMPOSITION, Lobelia, No. 6, Bay Berry, Boneset, nerve powder.
For sale by H. T. WADDILL.

WHEEL AND DIRT BARROWS.
A full supply on hand and for sale by
may11 y. W. F. TUNNARD

8,797 FINE SEGARS, for sale by J. PARRY & Co.

Billings' Astringent.

NOW thought to be the best remedy offered to the public as a remedy for diseases of the bowels, in all recent cases, a cure is "warranted" For sale by
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RECOMMENDED as an excellent application to "old sores," cuts, bruses and sprains. For sale by
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25 BARRELS choice sugar; 15 bags Rio Coffee; 50 kegs cut nails; 10 boxes Ingraham Tobacco; 1 cask bacon shoulders. Just received and for sale by
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