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**AGENTS.**  
The undersigned gentlemen, who have been recommended to us as suitable persons, will confer a great favor by acting as our agents in their respective neighborhoods.  
**Mr. JULES ROICHARD, Breton's Bridge.**  
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**OPELOUSAS MAIL ARRANGEMENT.**  
NEW ORLEANS, Arr. every Wed. & Sat., by 6 p.m. Closes ev. Wed. & Sunday do.  
ALEXANDRIA & NATCHITOCHEA, Arr. ev. Sunday & Wed., by 10 p.m. Closes ev. Wed. & Sat., by 10 p.m.  
MARKVILLE, Arr. with Alexandria mail ev. Sunday. Closes with same every Saturday.  
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Office hours from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m., every day except Sunday.

**O. Orleans Advertisements.**

**W. A. HARTNETT,**  
FASHIONABLE  
**Clothing, Hat, and Trunk**  
EMPORIUM,  
No. 39 MAGAZINE STREET, (Carnal Bank Building), New Orleans.

**COATS, Pants and Vests.**—Dress and frock coats, of French and English black and colored cloths; black and colored cassimere, merino, cashmere, gum-brown, linen drilling, &c. pants; black and fancy silk velvet, merino, cashmere, figured and plain satins, Murselles, Valencia, &c. vests.  
**Fall and Winter Coats.**—Beaver and cloth paletots; D'Orsay coats, pilot, blanket and flannel coats and caftans, of various cloths and colors.  
**Shirts.**—Linen shirts, different qualities; fine muslin do, with linen bosoms and collars, and colored caftan shirts of various patterns.  
**Morning Gowns, Under Shirts, Drawers, &c.**—Morning gowns of different qualities; under shirts and drawers of silk, merino, lambs wool, Shaker knit, flannel, cotton, &c. Also, silk smoking caps.  
**Cravats, Scarfs, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, Gloves and Hosiery.**—Plain, figured and black figured and plain black Italian and French cravats; silk, cotton, gum elastic and shored suspenders; linen cambric, twilled Spitalfield, English cord and pongee hdkfs. of all sizes and qualities; hank, beaver, kid, merino, linen and cotton gloves; merino, lambs wool, linen and cotton half hose.  
**Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises and Carpet Bags.**—Black and white beaver, nutria, cassimere, Russia, silk and porting hats, suitable for men and youths' wear; fur, cloth and glazed caps, for do., iron and wood-lined black russet and elaret colored travelling trunks, valises and carpet bags. Also, leather and seal packing trunks.  
**Umbrellas.**—Silk, gingham and cotton umbrellas, of various sizes, plain, figured and black figured.  
**Boys and Youths' Clothing.**—Cloth coats, paletots, pants, shirts, &c., suitable for boys and youths.  
And a great variety of other articles in the above line. Those wishing to purchase, will please call and examine my assortment. Jan. 9-3m

**HENRY F. WATSON, SAMUEL T. McALISTER,**  
**WATSON & McALISTER,**  
**Cotton Factors,**  
Commission and Forwarding Merchants,  
corner of Gravier and Tchoupitoulas streets, New Orleans. n28-6m

**DRY GOODS,**  
AT WHOLESALE,  
No. 26 Magazine street, New Orleans.  
THE subscriber has removed to his new store, No. 26 Magazine street, and is now receiving every description of DRY GOODS, purchased since the decline, which will be sold very low.  
n28-6m  
**MOSES BROWN.**

**JORDY & BRASIER,**  
No. 10 Conti street, New Orleans,  
**COMMISSION MERCHANTS,**  
and importers of Wines, Brandies, Cordials, &c.  
n28-1y

**GREEN & McDOUGALL,**  
**Commission and Forwarding Merchants,**  
No. 75 Poydras street, New Orleans.  
Refer to John J. Taylor, Esq., Opelousas, La.  
Edmund H. Martin, Esq., Opelousas, La.  
Basil C. Crow, Vermilionville.  
Martin Dumont, St. Mary Parish.  
Dr. Walter Brashear, do. nov. 21-1y

**P. L. MASSEY & BLACK,**  
**APOTHECARIES & CHEMISTS,**  
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Medicines,  
Drugs, Chemicals, &c.  
No. 46 Camp st., corner of Camp & Gravier sts.,  
NEW ORLEANS.  
Orders carefully put up, and articles of warranted quality. n12-1y

**JARVIS & ANDREWS,**  
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN  
**Window-glass, Paints, Oils & Medicines.**  
Agents for Philadelphia Eagle Glass Factory, and Philadelphia and New York White Lead.  
No. 20 Common street, and 7 Canal st. Row,  
NEW-ORLEANS. n12-1y

**New Orleans Stationers' Ware-house,**  
No. 14 Camp street.  
**J. B. STEEL,** (successor to Norton, Steel & Co.)  
Stationer, Publisher, Importer of London Stationery, Books, &c., wholesale and retail.  
Account Books, of the first class, manufactured of the best materials, and warranted superior.  
Superfine Stationery.—Governments, Public Offices, Banks, and Counting Rooms' required.  
Drawing and Architectural Materials.  
Cards.—Playing, Printers', colored and plain. Enamelled Visiting Cards, &c.  
School Books.—A full assortment of all kinds.  
Cheap Publications and Magazines.  
London Standard Books and Annals.  
The articles of Stationery, &c., from this establishment are warranted to be superior, and prices to give satisfaction.  
Printing and Book-binding in all their various styles, executed in the best manner, at the lowest prices.  
New Orleans, Feb. 20-6m

**JOHN PRINTING**  
Of every description, neatly and expeditiously executed at the office of the "St. Landry Whig" n6.

**O. Orleans Advertisements.**

**FAMILY & PLANTATION MEDICINES.**  
THE following useful family and plantation Medicines are constantly kept on hand by Constock & Rumsey, at 59 Poydras street, New Orleans, and by **DR. HAWKINS, OPELOUSAS.**  
All of which are warranted genuine and to do all claimed for by them, by which planters can avoid the expense of a physician in almost all cases of indisposition, and they will be found to operate with much less injury to the constitution than calomel, quinine, &c. A pamphlet with full directions for the use of these several articles is furnished gratis to each family. We enumerate articles as follows:  
Hay's Lintiment, for the piles, warranted to cure in every case.  
Lin's Temperance Bitters and Pills, for the stomach.  
Indian Vegetable Elixer and Nerve and Bone Lintiment, for rheumatism, warranted to cure.  
Chinese Hair Eradicator, to remove superfluous hair.  
Balm of Columbia, for the hair and to remove dandruff.  
Pink Syrup, for asthma, coughs, and colds.  
Sick Headache Remedy, a certain cure in all cases.  
Cures for dyspepsia, indigestion, and colic bowels.  
Roush, Bed-Bug, and Ant Poison, sure to kill them all.  
Kohlstock's Vermifuge, for worms—never fails.  
Comstock's Extract of Sarsaparilla—half the price of others.  
Bernard's Cholera Remedy, for diarrhoea and dysenteries.  
Comstock's Magical Pain Extractor, for burns, scalds, sores and swellings.  
Allen's Balsam, for consumption and liver complaints.  
Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, for consumption.  
Green's Aque Mixture, warranted to cure in every case.  
Oil of Tannin—makes leather water-proof and doubles the wear.  
Comstock's Mixture for Secret Diseases, warranted.  
Essential oils, all kinds.  
Lucenia Cordial—the only agency at 59 Poydras street N. O.  
Gelatine Capsules, all kinds.  
Castor Oil, in bottles.  
Essential oils, all kinds.  
Writing ink, all kinds.  
Inks, black, blue, and red.  
Indelible Ink.  
Scissors Powders.  
Welch Toothache drops, a sure cure.  
British and Harlequin oint.  
Opodeldoc and Godfrey's Cordial.  
Balsam of Honey.  
Turlington's Balsam of Life.  
Sealing Wax, to use without a light.  
Acoustic Oil, for deafness, a sure cure.  
Syrup of Sarsaparilla.  
Hooper's and Anderson's Pills.  
Rich's Pills, Chinese Blood Pills, and Staple Drugs and Medicines, Paints, Oils, &c. low for cash.  
Jan. 30-1f

**ISAAC BRIDGE,**  
**Commission and Forwarding Merchants,**  
FOR THE SALE OF GROCERIES, DOMESTIC GOODS, HATS, BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS; also, Rich's Improved Patent Salamander BOOK SAFES; Stevens' Patent BALANCES; New York & Williamsonburgh Co. WHITE LEAD, &c.  
No. 75 Magazine st., New Orleans. n28-1y

**J. W. STANTON & CO.,**  
**Commission and Forwarding Merchants,**  
Corner of Magazine and Lafayette streets,  
NEW ORLEANS. n12-1y

**BOTANIC DRUG STORE,**  
No. 80 Poydras street, New Orleans, La.  
Where may be obtained a general assortment of Thomsonian Botanic Medicines, Simple and Compound, all of which are warranted genuine and of a superior quality. The subscriber respectfully solicits a share of the public patronage, and confidently anticipates as liberal encouragement as he received while conducting a similar establishment in Natchez, Miss. Sold wholesale and retail, as low as articles of the best quality can be obtained anywhere in the South, by **n12-1y**  
Dr. A. A. JONES, Agent.

**RICE & HATHAWAY,**  
**Commission and Forwarding Merchants,**  
No. 73 Magazine street, New Orleans.  
Agents for N. Goodale's Sugar Refinery, Leaf, Crushed and Powdered Sugar constantly on hand.  
New Orleans, Aug. 16-1y

**THOMAS B. WINSTON,**  
**GENERAL GROCER,**  
Wholesale and Retail Store, Nos. 17, 19, and 21, corner of Poydras and Commerce streets, New Orleans.  
HAVING taken these THREE STORES for a long term of years, I am determined to do business in such a way as to entitle me to the patronage of the Country and City Merchants, of Planters and of Families. One store intended solely for the Retail business, the other two entirely to the Wholesale department. To the Grocers, I have added a general Provision business—Pork, Lard, Bacon, Flour, &c. I shall be as liberal in terms as any established house in New Orleans, and for good paper I will give liberal time.  
I am now receiving my First Supplies, and shall continue to keep (what has always been admitted, even by competitors) the best and cheapest assortment of Groceries, Liquors and Provisions in New Orleans. n14-1y  
New Orleans, Nov. 1844.

**UPHOLSTERY & PAPER HANGINGS**  
At No. 41 Royal street, New Orleans.  
THE subscriber has constantly on hand a large supply of CURTAIN STUFFS, comprising a large quantity of splendid embroidered Swiss muslin curtains.  
Satin medallion curtain stuff,  
Silk damasks, of various colors,  
Worsted and silk mixed damask, various colors,  
Cotton and worsted Mexico do do do  
Cotton damask do do do do do  
Also a large variety of silk, worsted and cotton borderings and gimps, of assorted colors and sizes.  
Silk and worsted tassels, assorted colors, etc.  
Silk and worsted cords, do do do  
And, in short, all the numerous different styles of curtain stuffs and trimmings. Also, a large assortment of GILT WINDOW-CURTAIN ORNAMENTS, consisting of Window cornices,  
Gilt poles, of different sizes,  
Gilt ornaments and rings, different sizes,  
Gilt gables, do do do  
A splendid assortment of Embroideries, suitable for ottomans and footstool covers; embroidered bell-pulls, etc. etc., at remarkably low prices; together with a very large and splendid assortment of  
**PAPER HANGINGS,**  
which comprises the most splendid "Historical Decors," suitable for the decoration of fine saloons, etc.  
Decorations, representing the five senses, very fine.  
Gold and silver paper hangings,  
Velvet and embossed do.  
Satin and plain do.  
Velvet, gold, and silver borderings.  
Bed top papers, with suitable borders, and a large assortment of fire board papers and borderings.  
The subscriber has constantly on hand a large assortment of hair and moss mattresses, bedsteads, feather beds, sheets, musquito bars, and general bed furniture, together with parlor furniture. All of which he sold, low for cash.  
H. SIEBRECHT,  
n12-1y  
41 Royal street, N. O.  
N. B. Orders thankfully received, and punctually attended to.

**O. Orleans Advertisements.**

**P. A. HEBARD,**  
**Dry Goods Store,**  
Wholesale and retail, at reduced prices for cash,  
No. 19 Canal street, (under Planters hotel) N. O.  
A general assortment for Planters' use. n12-5m

**NORTH & BROTHERS,**  
HAVE removed to the store corner of Common and Magazine streets, where they keep their usual large assortment of American, English, Irish, Scotch, French and German  
**DRY GOODS,**  
which they will sell as low as they can be obtained by any in the city for cash. N. O. Feb. 13-1y

**A. F. DUNBAR & CO.,**  
No. 18 Custom-House Street, New Orleans,  
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN  
**Boots, Shoes and Brogans,**  
Have constantly on hand a general assortment of the above articles, for sale on liberal terms.  
February 13-1y

**POST & CO.,**  
No. 10 Magazine st., New Orleans,  
HAVE in store, and are constantly receiving from the northern manufacturers, a general assortment of  
**Boots, Shoes, Brogans, Hats & Clothing,**  
which we are selling at reduced prices. Particular attention is given to filling Planters' orders, for  
**Russet Brogans and Wood Hats.**  
Planters and others are invited to examine our stock of goods. Feb. 13-1y

**C. C. GAINES,**  
No. 22 Magazine st., N. Orleans,  
Importer and Dealer in every description of  
**CROCKERY, CHINA & GLASS-WARE.**  
Also, Plated Britannia and Japanese Ware, and the best quality of German silver spoons and forks, silver lamps, &c. &c., which he is enabled to sell either at wholesale or retail, at the lowest prices.  
N. B. Particular attention paid to the packing of goods to go to the country. Feb. 13-3m

**F. V. OLDERSHAUSEN,**  
**Boots, Shoes and Hats,**  
AT WHOLESALE,  
No. 8 Magazine street, New Orleans.  
MERCHANTS and Planters will find a complete assortment of the above goods to be sold, at Northern Cash prices, and inducements will be held out to them which will make it greatly to their advantage to purchase at this establishment.  
N. B.—A complete assortment of shoe Findings, Tools, Trimmings, and every article made use of by Shoe-manufacturers, and every article made use of by those who have their shoes made at home—constantly on hand.  
February 13-3m

**IRON, NAILS, HOES, PLOUGHS, &c.**  
THE subscriber, Importer and Dealer in Hardware and Cutlery, solicits the attention of Country Merchants and others to their extensive and well assorted stock of Foreign and Domestic Goods, among which are the following:  
300 Tons Swedish, American and English Iron  
1500 Blows Hoop, Sheet, Band, and Round Iron  
300 Tons steel, cast she, r, blister'd and German  
500 doz. Collins & Co. Nails, Hunt's, & Simmons axes  
200 " Axes  
300 " Whittemore's Patent and wood cards  
100 " Best London's socket spades  
200 " Am's, Adams's, & Wood's shovels and spades  
3000 " Carolina and Louisiana hoes, London's and other shovels  
1000 " Cast-iron chains, 50, 60, and 80 link chains  
1000 " King's and Parson's Carey ploughs  
500 " Woods, Ballinger's, and other makers  
1000 Tons Hollow-ware and Castings  
5000 Kegs nails Weymouth, S. D. & Co. Brand  
Various kinds of hand and edge Hammers, Screw Plates, Locks, Hinges, Screws, Mill and Cross Cut Saws, circular, hand and panel saws, Files, Corn Mills, scythes, &c. &c.  
Also: Spades, White, Linen, and Tanned Oils, superior quality, white, red, spirits turpentine, window glass, tar, oilum and cod-liver, which they offer for sale low for cash or approved paper.  
SLARK, DAY, STAUFFER & CO.,  
Corner Canal and Magazine sts.,  
NEW ORLEANS.  
Feb. 6-3m

**SADDLERY.**  
**MAGEE, KNEAS & CO.,**  
OFFER to Planters, Country Merchants, and others, a large and well assorted stock of GOODS to select from, comprising  
**Saddlery, Harness, Trunks, Leather, Saddlers and coach makers' Tools, Trimmings and Materials; Saddlery Hardware and Coach Furniture; Hardware; Tin-ware; Wooden-ware; and Brushes; also, a large assortment of Ploughs.**  
And a great variety of other articles, which persons in want of will find it to their interest to examine before purchasing, as they are determined to give satisfaction at all times.  
Signed—Golden Horse Head.  
Feb. 6-3m.

**DR. STILLMAN'S Sarsaparilla Syrup and Sarsaparilla Pills of Health, or Blood Pills.**—This excellent family pill is a medicine of long-tried efficacy, for correcting all disorders of the stomach and bowels, the common symptoms of which are: costiveness, flatulency, spasms, loss of appetite and headache, giddiness, sense of fullness after meals, dizziness of the eyes, drowsiness, and pains in the stomach and bowels, indigestion, producing a torpid state of the liver, and a consequent inactivity of the bowels, causing a disorganization of every function of the frame, with all obstructions in the urinary passages, and if taken after too free an indulgence at table, they quickly restore the system to its natural state of repose.  
Persons of a full habit, who are subject to sick headache, giddiness, drowsiness and singing in the ears, arising from too great a flow of blood to the head, should never be without them, as many dangerous symptoms will be entirely carried off by their immediate use.  
For females these pills are most truly excellent, removing all obstructions—the distressing headache so very prevalent with the sex, depression of spirits, dullness of sight, nervous affections, blotches, pimples and sallowness of the skin, and give a healthy and juvenile bloom to the complexion.  
To mothers they are confidently recommended as the best medicine that can be taken during pregnancy, and for children of all ages they are unequalled.  
Dr. Morr, in a lecture to the students, justly observed: "That Dr. Stillman's Sarsaparilla Syrup and Pills, when first taken into the stomach, they immediately diffuse themselves like vapor, producing effects at once delightful, salutary and permanent. When the spark of life begins to grow dim, the circulation languid, and the faculties paralyzed, these medicines are found to invigorate the body and reanimate the whole man."  
Sold wholesale and retail by Dr. STILLMAN, himself, No. 86 Custom-house st., New Orleans, La., and no other place.  
People from the country will remember the number, 86 Custom-house st.  
Beware of Counterfeits. Feb. 20-3m

**No. 4511.**  
THE STATE OF LOUISIANA,  
DISTRICT COURT, Parish of St. Landry,  
JEAN J. LOUAILLER,  
vs.  
HIS CREDITORS.

THE session of property made by the petitioner in the above case, having been accepted by the presiding Judge in the Fifth Judicial District, for the benefit of his Creditors, and a meeting of the said Insolvent Creditors ordered, on thirty days notice being given, &c. Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given to said Creditors, that a meeting will be held, before Edmond H. Martin, Esq., Notary Public, in and for the said Parish, at his office in the town of Opelousas, on Monday, the 17th day of March, 1845, at 10 o'clock A.M., then and there to deliberate on the affairs of said Insolvent; in the meantime, all proceedings against his person and property are stayed.  
By order as aforesaid:  
Feb. 13-td J. POSEY, D. CL.

**E. ETTER,**  
**WATCH MAKER,**  
Has removed to Hankin's, on Main street.  
CLOCKS, Watches, &c., Repaired and Warranted at city prices.  
Just received an assortment of Watch Keys and Chains, Glasses, Hands, and other Materials of the best kind, for repairing watches.  
Terms Cash. Jan. 23d.

**The New and Substantial Steamer,**  
**PANOLA**  
J. BERCIER, MASTER.  
Will run as a regular packet, during the present season, between Washington and New Orleans.  
For freight or passage apply on Board.  
Jan. 30, 1845.

**A CARD.**  
THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the Public, that he has received his  
**WINTER STOCK OF READY-MADE CLOTHING**  
of superior quality and of the latest fashion. Also, a general assortment of  
**Hardware, Saddlery, and Saddlery-Mountings; coarse and fine Boots and Shoes; ladies' and children's fine shoes, and DRY GOODS.**  
And a general assortment of other articles, too numerous to mention: all of which will be sold at much reduced prices FOR CASH.  
P. COLLINS,  
Main street, corner of North.  
Opelousas, Nov. 1844. n14-4m

**USEFUL ARTICLES.**  
JUST received and for sale by the subscriber, at the store on Court Street, immediately opposite the Court House, are  
**ALMANACS**—Louisiana, Comic and French—either Wholesale or Retail.  
**BLANK BOOKS**—a great variety.  
Pen-knives, Pocket-knives,  
Writing-case Cases and Visiting-Cards,  
Steel pens and Holders,  
Ink, Sand and Ink-stands,  
Writing paper, Letter and Foolscap—both ruled and plain,  
Fine Letter and Note Paper,  
Blanking, Segar Cases, &c., &c.  
ALSO ON HAND,  
**SUPPERIOR HAVANA CIGARS,**  
Virginia Honey-dew TOBACCO,  
Fine cut Cheyenne Tobacco, Cigarettes,  
Wafers, Pen-cyls, Tricorne Matches, &c.  
All of which will be sold low for cash, by  
Feb. 27, 1845-1f  
JOSEPH ETTER.

**ALMANACS for 1845.**—On hand for sale, Elton's Comic Almanac for 1845; Louisiana Merchants do. Planters do. do.; Pocket do. do.; Counting-house and do. (in French). Enquire at this office. n31

**FURNITURE.**—The subscriber has for sale two Armchairs, one common Bedstead and Mattress, three Cases of hand-made Anderson, one Sideboard, and a fine Dining Set, containing 41 pieces, which he is authorized to dispose of on very reasonable terms, for cash. Enquire at this office.  
Oct. 30-1f  
JOSEPH ETTER.

**THOMAS B. WINSTON,**  
**Wholesale and Retail Grocer,**  
Nos. 17, 19 & 21 Poydras st., N. Orleans.  
"GOODS WELL BOUGHT, ARE HALF SOLD."  
HAVING an extensive stock, consisting of a complete assortment of Groceries and Provisions, I respectfully solicit the patronage of the merchants and planters of St. Landry, desiring an opportunity to prove to them that I can promote their interest, by selling the following articles on liberal terms respecting time and prices.  
Tea. 30 boxes 4lb. papers Powehong a 25c.—just received.  
Sugar. 100 boxes 4lb. papers a 30 to 36 pounds in a box.  
Indigo. 7 cases.  
Coffee. 5, 10 and 25 pounds, a 66 to 76c.  
Soap. No. 1 Boston soap, firm and beautiful, a 3c.  
Cocoa. 160 bags Rio, full grain, a 6 to 7 1/2  
Sugar. Hds. 44 a 44, 46, in blks. 4 higher  
Salt. Fine 81 05, coarse 95c. in lots, old 5c. less.  
Molasses. Good 15c, common 12c, refined 32c., sugar house at refinery prices, syrup 25 to 35c.  
Tea. Young hyon a 15c. hyon skin at 14c.  
Cork. 150 bags 1,000, a \$2,500, a \$1 25  
Wine. Malaga 37c. Madeira 60c. to \$1 80 best  
Cider. Cask 8 1/2 to 10, boxes \$2 25 to \$3  
Brandy. Oland 85 25, Dupuy 85, Mt. Glory 82 50, Cognac 81 50.  
Fruits. Almonds, raisins, figs, cream nuts, currants, prunes and preserves.  
Flour, pork, lard, whiskey, bacon, butter and cheese, and every thing else in the grocery line, in the same ratio. Lots of \$100 to \$5,000 will be sold at above prices; at retail, 2 1/2 a 3 per cent. higher.  
Paper that can be discounted taken at 3, 6 and 9 months.  
New Orleans, Feb. 13-6m

**PHILADELPHIA**  
**SADDLERY AND TRUNK**  
**WARE-HOUSE.**  
Granite Buildings, No. 63, Gravier street, one door from Magazine street, New Orleans.  
ROBB & HANSELL, offer to the trade and others, a large and well assorted stock of  
**SADDLERY & SADDLERY HARDWARE.**  
Of their own importation and manufacture. The following comprise, in part, their assortment:  
**Saddles and Bridles in great variety, Bridle Bits, Martingales, Surcingles, Girths, Stable Halters, Coach Gigs, Dearborn, Sulkey and Dray Harness, Blind Bridles, Horse and Mule Collars, Saddle-bags; Medical and Carpet do., Travelling and Packing Trunks, Valises, Bridle, Harness and Band Leather, Hog, Sheep and Buckskins, Saddlery, Whips, Switches, Coxhides, Hames, Saddletrees, Varnish, &c., Saddlery Hardware, a general assortment, Trunk-makers Materials.**  
All of which will be sold upon the most reasonable terms.  
Feb. 6-3m  
JNO. MOJAN HALL, JOHN KEMP,  
**HALL & KEMP,**  
No. 2 Tchoupitoulas st. (next door to Canal st.)  
NEW ORLEANS.  
A general assortment of Groceries. oct3-6m

**POSTOAL.**

**A SUPERB WAR POEM.**  
BY CHOLLY.  
The Turkman lay beside the river;  
The wind played loose through bow and quiver;  
The charger on the bank fed free,  
The shield hung glittering from the tree,  
The trumpet, shewn and atabai  
Were hid from view by dusk and pall,  
For long and weary was the way  
The horses had marched that burning day.

Above them on the sky of June,  
Broad as a buckler glowed the moon—  
Flooding with glory vale and hill,  
In silver sprang the mountain rill,  
The shrub in silver bent.  
A pile of silver stood the tent:  
All soundless, sweet tranquillity—  
All beauty, hill, and tent, and tree.

There came a sound, 'twas like the gush  
When night winds shake the rose's bush!  
There came a sound, 'twas like the tread  
Of waves along the valley's bed!  
There came a sound, 'twas like the roar  
Of Ocean on his wintry shore!

"Death to the Turk!" up rose the yell!  
On roll'd the charge—a thunder peal!  
The turban arrows fell like rain,  
They charged on helms and mail and chain,  
In blood, in hate, in death, were twin'd  
Savage and Greek, mad, bleeding, blind,  
And still on flank, and front, and rear  
Rang, Castagnettes thy thirteenth spear.

Breasy and pale, a type of doom,  
Labbred the moon through deepening gloom!  
Down plunged her orb, 'twas pitchy night!  
A walling on the Bosphorus shore,  
On rind'd their thousands through the dark!  
But in the camp a ruddy shark  
Like an uncertain meteor fell—  
"Thy hand, brave king, that fire-brand wheel'd!"

Wild burst the burning element,  
Or man and courier, flag and tent!  
And through the blaze the Greeks outsprang,  
Like tigers, bloody, and the foe's bush!  
With dagger, staff, and fletcher's sweep,  
Delving the stunn'd and staggering heap,  
'Till lay the slave, by chief and khan,  
And all was gone that once was man!  
A walling on the Bosphorus shore,  
Her chivalry shall ride no more!  
There's waiting on thy hills Altai!  
For chiefs, the Grecian vulture's prey,  
But Bosphorus! thy silver wave,  
Hears shouts for the remaining brave,  
The highest of thy kingly line,  
For there comes glorious Constantine!

[From the Louisville Journal.]  
TO HENRY CLAY,  
"Clayton of venerable renown!"  
BY J. C. ESTER.  
PAIDE OF THE WEST! As ever, still  
With pride and joy we welcome thee!  
Still at thy name our heartsstrings thrill—  
Our pulses throb—our bosoms burn!  
What though thy party's fell command,  
Poor faction hath itself disgraced;  
And, where the noblest of our land  
Should be, one all unknown hath placed?  
Yet is there proudly still a name  
To which how poor all titles fade!

HOPE OF THE WEST! To thee, our hearts  
Still turn in confidence—  
Till freedom from our land departs,  
By freedom shall we be forgot!  
And while one heart on all this earth,  
Responsive beats to freedom's tone,  
The name of her fair land of birth  
Shall call up memories of thine own;  
And history long shall name as one  
The land of CLAY and WASHINGTON!

WORD OF THE WEST! Whose eagle eye  
His glance through vistas dim can throw,  
How slow dost thou discern the envious eye  
Of the poor chattering herd below!  
During the storm and thunder burst  
And facing all the noon-day sun—  
How earnest thou above the crowd  
Their petty rage on earth who run.  
Was, far above the tempest foam,  
Thus makest there thine eye-home!

STAR OF THE WEST! A nation's eyes,  
Mid doubt and gloom, are turned to thee;  
As the lone mariner seeks the star,  
In storm, his guiding star to see!  
And still, as mounts on high the sun,  
Though mist may cloud his upward way;  
So long as time his course shall run—  
The halo round thy name of CLAY  
More bright with each revolving year,  
In freedom's sky shall still appear.

**INSOLENANT.**  
"GAME MADE—ROLL!"—We heard a good story the other day of a Squire in one of the upper parishes. In the village where he resides, there is no round table—a thing, perhaps about which our country readers know just as much as they do contents of the Koran. Well, without engaging our character for strict morality, we may say that we have seen a round table. It is nothing more nor less than a billiard table, one of which is marked "Roll, do"—on the other, "Coolo!"—words, the mean, of which we take to be in plain English, "cool" and "even." This is the game. Mr. Jenkins puts down a dollar on roundo—Mr. Smith two on the table, behind a number of balls which he must roll at a pocket. Some one of the spectators makes up the difference—one dollar—between the two sides, and the game keeper signs out, "Game made—roll!" If an even number of balls go in the pocket, roundo wins—if an odd number, coolo has the rhino.

The Squire alluded to is noted for his eccentricities, and it so happened that while he was playing at this game one night, in a state of "glorious obliviousness," as Madame Rucor informs us, he was suddenly called away to answer two willing hearts. Arrived at the scene of festivity, he found a large company present, and commenced operations forthwith.

"Hand me the papers," said the Squire, in a commanding tone, "and stand up to the rack, both of you!"  
"We don't take the papers, Squire," replied an elderly dame in a pink dress and pinn cap; "they tell so many lies, and never have any marriages or murders in them, I told Jedediah to stop all of them!"  
"D—n it, Madam, don't know bran when the bag is open—give me the license to put the young folks in harness," responded the Squire, his eye in a fine frenzy rolling, though a strict regard for truth compels us to state that he was leaning for support against a stalwart son of Calcasieu, who was performing the duties of master ceremonies.

The license was given to the Squire—the parties stood up before him—the usual questions, "will you take," etc. were asked and answered—and after a pause of a moment the Squire cried out at the top of his voice—"GAME MADE—ROLL!"  
Our informant says he lost seven buttons during a cachinatory fit that succeeded this singular case of absent-mindedness. A lady fainting, and was carried out—the Squire was assisted to a chair—and at length the ceremony was performed in the manner prescribed, and all "Went merry as a marriage bell."  
Red River Republican.

**A SAGE REMARK.**—A day or two since Mr. Campbell, in the course of a very sensible speech in the Legislature, remarked "that more bad legislation occurred in the House from parsimony in printing, than from any other cause." This is as true as gospel.—No bill should be acted upon until it is printed. None but editors will read manuscript. The little delay that will occur between the introduction of the bill and its appearance in type, is favorable to reflection, and thus we should be more likely to have matured and correct legislation. If Mr. Campbell had never given any other evidence of his good sense and talent, his remark would be sufficient. He shows himself immeasurably superior to the shallow ignorance, petty prejudice and contemptible egotism of journalists, and striving by a false economy to reduce them to pauperism. We have known men who have absolutely been puffed in public life by the press—who beg for compliments to sustain their rickety pretensions, and for ingenious editorials to cover their political blunders—use the first moments of their elevation to power, to cripple and crush the press that raised them to it. There is but one way to treat such a class of politicians. Sneer them down, ridicule, lash, expose them without mercy or remorse. When the just rights of our profession are trampled upon, it is very easy to get justice by combined action.—Jeffersonian Republican.

**STARTLING LECTURE.**—The Rev. Mr. Marshall, who a short time since delivered a course of lectures in New Orleans, has been giving a series also in Mobile. In his last announcing a lecture there a few days ago, he says that he will "represent considerations which should entitle St. Paul to be esteemed the Saviour of mankind rather than Jesus Christ." The title of the lecture is sufficiently startling, says the Register, and were we not assured that the substance of it is unexceptionable in orthodoxy even, we should hesitate to give it a notice. Mr. Marshall is a Methodist clergyman, and it is said that his lecture on this subject has been listened to with profound attention and decided approbation by eminent divines and large audiences, in the Middle and Northern States, and that it has borne off the palm both of argument and eloquence.

**FATE OF THE APOSTLES.**  
St. Matthew is supposed to have suffered martyrdom or was slain with a sword at the city of Ethiopia.  
St. Mark was dragged through the streets of Alexandria, in Egypt, till he expired.  
St. Luke was hanged upon an olive tree in Greece.  
St. John was put in a cauldron of boiling oil in Rome, and escaped death! He afterwards died a natural death at Ephesus, in Asia.  
St. James the Great was beheaded at Jerusalem.  
St. James the Less was thrown from a pinnacle or wing of the temple, and then beaten to death with a fuller's club.  
St. Philip was hung up against a pillar at Hierapolis, a city of Phrygia.  
St. Bartholomew was flayed alive by the command of a barbarous king.  
St. Andrew was bound to a cross, whence he preached to the people till he expired.  
St. Thomas was run through the body with a lance, at Comandene, in the East Indies.  
St. Jude was shot to death with arrows.  
St. Simon-Zealot was crucified in Persia.  
St. Matthias was stoned to death by the Jews at Salania.  
St. Paul was beheaded at Rome by the tyrant Nero.

**SOUTH-DOWN SHEEP.**—The Natchez Free Trader advertizes 40 South-Down lambs, the males at \$7, the ewes at \$3 each, sprung from stock that brought in England \$150 per pair. This is a rare chance for our Louisiana friends who wish to go into this branch of business—far more profitable than cotton.