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Miscellaneous.

From the Louisville Literary News Letter.

We promised to make some further mention, in this number of Mr Campbell's address on the "Amelioration of the Social State," and to extract some passages to please the ladies. Taking it for granted that the pamphlet is in the hands of a majority of our city readers we shall be less profuse in our extracts than we at first intended. We shall redeem our promise, however by selecting some of the first passages of the address, persuaded that those of our fair readers, who have perused it entire, will allow that it is well worth a second reading—as must also all gentlemen of taste.

After a very appropriate introduction, and a definition of the term society, as he should employ it, the author proceeds to glance briefly at the causes that have conspired in giving to modern Europe and the United States their present civilization—their present superiority over their more remote ancestors, and over all other portions of the human race:

"Our American society," says Mr Campbell, "is the result of Spanish German French and English civilization, that is the result of European civilization—that is the consequence of the downfall of the Roman Empire, itself originally composed of the most civilized and improved portions of Asia, Africa and Europe:—that fall was the effect of the incursions of those immense swarms, of Northern Barbarians which like a torrent from the mountains rolled wave after wave, over the whole face of the Roman Empire, from the banks of the Danube to the shores of the Atlantic; and placed itself in whole nations in the finest portions of the subjugated lands of the Western Empire.

Now he who would possess just and comprehensive views of American society—of that singular compound of race, of genius, and of character, which now individualizes, distinguishes, and elevates the American family, must not only begin with the decline and fall of the Roman Empire, but he must push his enquiries to the ancient lands of the Huns—the Goths—the Vandals—the hundred tribes and nations of ancient Germany, and Asiatic Scythia. He must visit the plains beyond the Oxus and the Jaxartes. He must go to Mount Caucasses, and trace the meanderings of a hundred rivers, along plains five thousand miles in length, and one thousand in breadth, before he finds the germs of his own greatness—the root and origin of his own family—and the causes of the political institutions, manners and customs of his own country. This, indeed, is a work as far beyond the ambition, as it is beyond the means and opportunities of a vast majority of our contemporaries.

Monsieur Guizot, one of the ablest of the statesmen of France—one of the wisest of her philosophers, in his recent general history of the civilization of modern Europe, a work of great erudition and of thrilling interest, in tracing the immediate elements of European society, commences with the fall of the Roman Empire. *He* finds the rudiments of all European institutions and improvements in a few great facts of which he speaks with great familiarity and precision. From Rome he supposes we have got the archetypes of all our municipal and imperial ideas. From the Barbarians that destroyed it, and located themselves within its bounds, we have got our greatest polish—our ideas of liberty, independence, and loyalty."

He thus defines what is properly meant by *civilization*; and then invites our attention to the influence of woman and the Bible in carrying forward the begun amelioration of the social state.

"Civilization is not merely intellectual culture, refinement of taste, high advances in criticism, eloquence, philosophy; nor is it eminence in the fine arts of poetry, music, painting, sculpture, architecture. The Greeks and Romans equalled, if not excelled us far in most of these attainments, yet compared with many of this community they were an uncivilized and barbarous people. They lived and died under the tyranny of selfishness and terror. Their amusements, their exhibition, their amphi-theatre, their gladiator feats and pastimes were cruel, inhuman;—full of lust, hatred and revenge. In fact, man fully civilized is wholy rescued from the tyranny of selfishness, lust, hatred, revenge, teror, cruelty credulity and superstition. Till this is accomplished, society has not reached that intellectual, benevolent, pacific, moral and blissful goal, to which it has been advancing, with a slow but steady pace, since the commencement of the sixteenth century.

Man is fully civilized when all the powers of his animal, intellectual, moral, and religious nature are fully developed in subordination to his ultimate and eternal destiny; and society is perfectly civilized when all the members of it in their respective places, stations and conditions, fully receive and reciprocate all the genuine feelings and expressions of benevolence, brotherly kindness and charity; dictated by a refined sensibility and guided by an enlarged and cultivated understanding.

There are two facts pretermitted, two powers unappreciated by Monsieur Guizot and by all writers on civilization known to me. These are the two superlative agencies in the amelioration of the social state; they are woman and the Bible or if any one pleases to make but one out of two, it is *the Bible in the heart and hand of Woman.* * * * *

Woman with me is to society what the spirit is to the body; for as the body without the spirit is dead, society without woman is dead also. She is then the quickening, animating, conservative element of society. If man on this terraqueous ball be the glory of God, most certainly woman is the glory of man. She is the life, the beauty, the ornament, the glory of society. What a simple, powerful and sublime preface has God written to the volume of her history. 'It is not good,' said he, 'that man should be alone,' and instantly out of his side, and by his side, stood blooming, smiling, lovely woman. Never was any being more appropriately named than this woman. She is called *Ees*, which in our own language is equivalent to her being called *Life*. And Adam called her *Life*, because she is the mother of all living. She is then the fountain and source of society."

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The speaker then causes to pass before us in long review the most illustrious female personages of history, from mother Eve to Queen Victoria.

"But there are four aspects which I shall henceforth call *the four cardinal points* of woman, in which she must be contemplated before her all-controlling influence in society can be duly appreciated, especially her power of doing good. There is no need now a days to talk of her talents, nor of her susceptibilities or the most polished intellectual and moral culture. These are no longer matters of doubtful disputation. Notwithstanding the defects in her education, and, till recently, they were neither few nor small; she has not merely occasionally, but in fact often, astonished, dazzled, delighted us with the rich and varied resources of her genius, the splendid efforts of her understanding—the finished productions of her taste. She has gathered laurels on Mount Parnassus, and wreaths of flowers on Mount Helicon. She has sat in the cells of the philosophers, and walked in the grovea of the academies, and strewed all her paths with flowers of the sweetest orders, and of the most beauteous tints.

We need not go back to the days of an Aspasia whose genius in poetry and romance Socrates himself, with all his philosophic gravity, could not but admire; nor to the time of Sappho, the poetess of Mytellene, almost coeval with Rome, whose delicious effusions and richly varied odes obtained for her the honors of the tenth muse. Nor need we call up the memory of Corinna, and her fifty books of epigrams, to shew what gifts Pallas, Apollo, and Mercury have bestowed on woman. Our own times, alike removed from the ages of superstition and romance, furnish clearer, more striking, richer and more varied examples, not merely of her power to attainments in general literature, science and in the fine arts of poetry music, painting, and of living well.

I need not speak of the celebrity of Miss Edgeworth, as a writer of moral tales, of Miss Baihe as a tragedian, of Madame Stael as a miscellaneous writer of much wit and vivacity, of Miss Martinau as a tourist, of Mrs. Bowdler as a moralist, and of Miss Sedgwick as a moral instructor. These are not our best models of female excellence even in the didactic art.—Nor need I refer to the celebrity of Mrs. Hemans, now commensurate with English literature, nor to that of Mrs. Sigourney commensurate with our own, nor to the miscellaneous and moral productions of Miss Hannah Moore—or Miss Beecher, all excellent in their kind. These are becoming as familiar in our country as weekly visitors of household words. They indeed are all honorable vouchers of what woman might be, under a more philosophic, rational and moral system of education; and together with a thousand names of equal renown shew that the female mind only needs the proper appliances of good education to shine with a lustre, on a general scale, transcending far the humble standards fixed for it in ages, we hope forever past.

But the four cardinal points in woman are quite of a different category from that of talents and susceptibilities. These are the points of mighty influence from which she radiates her powers over the world, They are those of *daughter, sister, wife* and *mother*. A woman is first a daughter then a sister—then a wife—and then a mother; and under these potent and enchanting names, she exercises all her transforming influence on human destiny.

As a *daughter*, she re-acts on her parents, she opens new springs of pleasure in their hearts, new hopes, new joys, new fears, which have a mystic influence over their characters; either in subduing their spirits to moral influences, or in stimulating their career in the paths of pride, avarice and ambition.

As a *sister*, she either softens, subdues mollifies and polishes the manners of her brothers, or she excites them to deeds of chivalrous daring, to bold adventures in the ways of false pride, false shame, false honor. It has been sometimes observed by those who attend more philosophically to what passes under their observation, that it is always a misfortune to a brotherhood to have no sister in the family.—Such persons are generally more rude, more awkward, more unpolished, more uncivilized, in their modes and manners, than, all things else being equal, those fraternities are, that enjoy the communion of sisters,

"Whose company has harmonized mankind, Softened the rude and calmed the boisterous mind."

As a *wife*, when properly educated, her power is not to be computed. The weaker vessel though she may be, in all that appertains to mere intellectual power, yet in the department of feeling, sensitiveness, promptness, decision, tenderness of affection, and self-denied devotion to her husband, she is generally his superior. Her counsels, if not uniformly infallible, are always sincere and cordial. Her motives can never be suspected though her wisdom may; one, too, so intimately acquainted with his weak as well as his strong side, (for most husbands have two sides,) cannot fail to obtain incalculable ascendency. There is no covenant like the nuptial covenant, no copartnery like the oneness of the matrimonial contract. It is the identification of all the temporalities of two persons for life, an amalgamation of natural interests which places the parties in a position supremely to influence one another. But the recondite secret of a wife's power is only found in the superiority of her love.—She conquers and reigns only by love. Therefore in the ratio of her affections, and her good sense must ever be her ascendency.

As a *mother*, however, her power is paramount. On that throne she is supreme. The whole world is in her hands, in her arms, in her bosom, while she is entrusted with the moulding of the soft clay of humanity, and forming it after her own image. The discreet and affectionate mother lives forever in the heart of her children. They never can throw off all their allegiance to her—nor rise above her sovereign sway, if indeed she only knows how to wield that potent sceptre which the God of nature has put into her hands.

I believe there never was a man both good and great—that adorned with brilliant virtues our fallen race, that did not owe it to his mother. Her wisdom, her piety, her example led him into the straight paths of true wisdom, goodness and greatness, else his feet had not found them. So true it is, that if a child be brought up in the way that he should go, he will not in advanced years desert it, that it became a proverb in Israel three thousand years ago. And who can find in the annals of ancient or modern biography an exception to it,—or a person of distinguished excellence who had not an excellent mother!

Ladies and Gentlemen, this is just the point in which we can demonstrate women's power to do good in society. I doubt not you were disappointed when I was instancing, by some names illustrious in history, her power in doing evil, that I did not at least balance the account by giving more bright examples of her power to bless and to do good. The reason you will soon discover is, I was not then in the proper place to find such examples. Woman was not made to found cities and empires, to command armies and navies, to enter the arena of political strife, to figure in camps, in tilts and tournaments, to mingle in the intrigues and cabals of kings and courts. She was made for other ends, to move in other circles and to exert an influence more pure, more powerful, more lasting. She was made to have an empire in the heart of man, and to wield a mild and gracious sceptre over the moral destinies of our race.—Hence the domestic circle is the arena of which she is the power, the light, the life, the glory. But though this circle be small, it has a paramount sway over every other circle, in which man lives and moves. Hence, the family institution gives laws to the school, the college, the university, the church, the state, the world And so it comes to pass, that woman's power is confined within this narrow circle that it might be the more concentrated and rebound with more force on all the interests of humanity."

KEPHALIA, a celebrated Oleaginous Extract, for beautifying and preserving the hair; also, other Hair Oils, for sale at the Columbus Drug Store, by G. HILL.
May 13, 1839. 35

WINES.—Fine Old Madeira and Sherry Wines, on hand. Also, a good article of Madeira, for common purposes, for sale by G. HILL.
January 29 20

A FEW LIGHT SILKS for Dresses, are still remaining on hand and for sale by M. SYMONS.

VALUABLE TOWN PROPERTY FOR SALE.

THE subscriber being desirous of removing to the country, offers for sale, the pleasant and desirable residence where he now lives, situated on the "hills" in the northern section of the town, and very convenient to the several schools in the vicinity.
Terms liberal.
B. S. LONG.
Columbus, Jan. 14. 3w..pd.

REAL ESTATE OR TOMBIGBY MONEY WANTED.

THE subscriber has for sale at his store (the one recently occupied by Mr. Joseph J. Brickle) a handsome assortment of Dry Goods, Clothing, Hardware, Crockery, Tin, Groceries, &c., which he will sell for the above named money, and at moderate prices. Should he be simple enough to credit, the debt will be due when made, and payable in good money.
JAS. H. SMITH.
Columbus, Jan. 14, 1840. tf.

FOR RENT.

THE plantation formerly occupied by John Crusoe, situated about nine miles east of Columbus, on Looksapalila, and one mile from Jameison's Mills. On the premises are good cabbins, stables, cribs, &c, with a comfortable Dwelling, and necessary outhouses. The tract contains about six hundred and forty acres; of which one hundred and fifty are in a good state for cultivation, with an excellent Peach, Apple, and Plumb Orchard; there is also on the premises, a gin house with all the necessary apparatus, in good repair. Also a convenient and pleasantly situated house and lot in Columbus. Apply to
THO. W. BROWN.
Columbus, Jan. 14, 1840. tf.

NEW YEAR'S NOTICE.

THE undersigned having determined to change the tenor of his Mercantile Business, will consider all debts contracted after 1st day of January next due at any time, when called for, unless by special agreement to the contrary. Those wishing to obtain goods on a credit, must make arrangements to pay all arrearages, which would enable him to give credit to punctual customers. Necessity compels me to adopt this course. My friends in New York having adopted a rigid cash system.
WM. M. COZART.
Dec. 31, 1839 tf. 15

A CARD.
M'MORRIES & KNOX,
FACTORS, MOBILE ALA.

INFORM their friends on the Tombigby River that they have taken out an open policy of Insurance, to protect all Cotton shipped to them, from Aberdeen and down, on board any river-worthy Steam Boat, and Barges. A bill of Lading taken at the time of shipment and directed to us, entitles the cotton to Insurance.
Dec. 31, 1839. 9t.

TO THE PUBLIC.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, about the first of June last, sold out his entire interest in the Real Estate Banking Company of this place, to the balance of the then Stockholders thereof, and from that time ceased to be a partner of that company. It was asserted and confidently believed, at that time, that this Company had made a clear profit of some 20 or 30 per cent. upon the stock subscribed, and yet the subscriber sold out his entire interest to the Company, without one cent of profit. The Company agreeing to save the subscriber harmless and to pay off all the liabilities of the Bank, it is hoped that no one having a claim against them, for which the subscriber may also be liable, will, under these circumstances, disturb or harrass him, by suits or otherwise, unless it be *found* that all just demands cannot be collected of any of the remaining stockholders of the Company.
RICH'D. E. MEADE.
Columbus, Dec. 10th 1839. 13tf

DISSOLUTION.

THE Copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, in the practice of Law, was dissolved by consent of both on the 10th ultimo. The unfinished business of said firm will receive the attention of E. L. Acee.
Those who owe us will please call and pay, as it is necessary that the affairs of the firm be settled. If the firm owes anything it will be paid upon being presented to either of us.
ERASMUS L. ACEE.
PRYOR M. GRANT.
Dec. 11, 1839 12tf.

ERASMUS L. ACEE,

WILL continue to devote his entire attention to the practice of his profession in the several counties, composing the 6th Judicial District, in the Superior Court of Chancery, and High Court of Errors and Appeals and in the Federal Courts in Mississippi.
Columbus, Miss. Dec. 10, 1839 tf.

JOB PRINTING.

THE "ARGUS OFFICE," being supplied with a large assortment of
FANCY TYPE,
Letter-Press Printing
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,
Can be printed in the neatest possible manner and with due promptness.

Also,

BOOKS,	BALL TICKETS,
PAMPHLETS,	BILLS OF LADING,
CARDS,	HAND BILLS,
CIRCULARS,	FUNERAL TICKETS,
THEATRE BILLS,	WAY BILLS,
HORSE BILLS,	LABELS, &c. and

Blanks of every description.
Columbus, 1839.

THE MULBERRY.

10,000 TREES, and 10,000 cuttings of the most approved variety, (*Morus Multicaulis*) will be sold by the "Gainesville Silk Company," at Gainesville, Alabama, during the ensuing winter and spring. They will be warranted to be genuine.
WM. M. LEWIS.
E. ROOT, Jr.
WILLIS FAWCETT.
Gainesville, Alabama, Aug. 1839. 48-8m*

VALUABLE LAND AT AUCTION.

WILL be sold to the highest bidder for cash, on the ninth day of March next, the premises formerly occupied by A. W. Sorsby, lying within two miles of Vienna, Pickens county, Alabama, namely—The west half, of the north east quarter, and the west half of the south east quarter, and the south west quarter of section one, township twenty three, range three west; The west half of the north west quarter, and the west half of the north east quarter of same section, township, and range.
HAMILTON McGOWEN.
January 14 1840
prs. fee $9 00 9 tds.

JUST RECEIVED

ON Consignment a small lot of Parker's Ploughs, said to be a superior article.
FRANKLIN & BROTHER.
Jan. 14, 1840.—tf.

MANTUA MAKING.

MRS. EDWARDS, would respectfully inform the Ladies of Columbus, and the public generally, that in future she will devote her attention exclusively to the above business, and from her long experience is flattered with the belief that she can give entire satisfaction to the most fastidious customer. The latest fashions will be received in a short time. Her residence is in the south east section of the town.
Columbus, Jan. 14, 1840. 3t.

COTTON YARN, of excellent thread, for sale by J. M. SYMONS.

BROTHER JONATHAN.
THE LARGEST NEWSPAPER IN THE WORLD.
Published every Saturday Morning at 9 o'clock,
ON THE CASH SYSTEM.

THE proprietors of this mammoth sheet—the "Great Western" among the newspapers—have the pleasure of spreading before the reading public a weekly periodical containing a greater amount and variety of useful and entertaining miscellany, than is to be found in any similar publication in the world.

Each number of the paper contains as large an amount of reading matter as is found in volumes of ordinary duodecimo, which cost 2 dollars—and more than is contained in a volume of Irwin's Columbus, or Bancroft's History of America, which costs three dollars a volume—and all for six cents a number, or for three dollars a year.

BROTHER JONATHAN being a genuine Yankee, and thinking that some things can be done as well as others, is determined to present to his readers a MEDLEY hitherto unrivalled by any other paper of

Anecdotes,	Facetia,	Quiddities,
Amusements,	Geography,	Romance,
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Accidents,	Jests,	Sports,
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Bon Mots,	Morality,	Sorrows,
Erratics,	Oratory,	Teachings,
Essays,	Poetry,	Wisdom,
Conversations,	Marvels,	Sufferings,
Crimes,	Music,	Tales,
Dramatics,	News,	Trials,
Drolleries,	Novelties,	Truths,
Eloquence,	Philosophy,	Wit, Wonders,

etc., etc., etc., etc., etc., etc., etc.,

As a Family Newspaper, Brother Jonathan will be found to present attractions beyond any other.

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The earliest intelligence, foreign and domestic, and the latest novelties in the Literary World, will be promptly served up for the gratification of the reader.

Strictly neutral in politics, it will contain nothing in favor or against any party, and will assiduously avoid any of the controversies which agitate the religious community. Strict morality, virtue, temperance, industry, good order, benevolence, and usefulness to our common country, and our fellow men, will be advocated and inculcated in every page of Brother Jonathan.

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All country newspapers who give this prospectus three insertions, will be entitled to an exchange on sending a number of their paper to this office, containing the advertisement.

All communications and letters should be addressed, postage paid, to
GRISWOLD & COMPANY,
262 Nassau Street, N. Y. City.

COMMISSION BUSINESS.

THE SUBSCRIBERS will continue the Commission Business in Mobile the ensuing season and will be thankful for any business, entrusted to their care.
TARTT, STEWART, & Co.
Mobile, Dec. 3. 1839. 11 3m.

R. K. CHAMBERLAYNE,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Columbus, Mississippi,

WILL attend the Courts of Lowndes, and Noxubee Counties and the U. States Court, at Pontotoc, Mississippi.
December, 10, 1839. 12—tf

BUGGY FOR SALE.

A First rate Buggy and Harness for sale, either for currency or good funds.
Apply to A. R. WOLFINGTON.
Dec. 3. 1839. tf.

JOHN BOOTH,
RESIDENT SURGEON DENTIST.
Has removed to the office lately occupied by S. A. Saltonstall, one door east of Pfister & Goodwin's Bookstore.

BLANK BILLS OF LADING and Blank PROMISSORY NOTES, by the Quire, just printed, and for sale at the Office of the Southern Argus.

COMPOUND *Fluid Extract of Sarsa parilla and Liverwort*, for sale by G. HILL.

GLASGO JEANS.—We have on hand a lot of superior Glasgo Jeans.
FRANKLIN & BROTHER.

BACON.
10,000 POUNDS, choice, for sale by AIKIN & GIBBS.

TWIN COTTON SEED
In quantities to suit purchasers. For Sale by, AIKIN & GIBBS.
Nov, 7th, 1-39

GROCERIES.—A general assortment, for sale by AIKIN & GIBBS.

SOAP, *MOULD & SPERM CANDLES*, just received and for sale by FRANKLIN & BROTHER.

GENUINE *Southern Tonic*, a remedy for Fever and Ague, for sale by
April 30 33 G. HILL.

MUSQUITOES.—4-4 Linen Musquitoe Netting; 10-4 Plaid do. and low priced Bobinet Lace, for sale by FRANKLIN & BROTHER.
July 8, 1839. 43

500 LBS. assorted Northern *CANDIES*, comprising almost every thing in the line, just received fresh from the north, and for sale by G. HILL, Columbus Drug Store.
January 29 20

JUJUBE PASTE, an excellent article for hoarseness and colds, for sale at the Columbus Drug Store, by G. HILL.
January 22. 19

FOR SALE OR RENT.

THE subscriber offers for sale or rent his valuable dwelling house and lot.
E. L. ACEE.

Neither Vinous nor Spiritous.
20 BOXES CHAMPAIGNE CIDER, just received per Roanoke—for sale by FRANKLIN & BROTHER.
March 22. 26

SUMMER PRINTS.—A very handsome assortment of Prints, suitable to the season, for sale by FRANKLIN & BROTHER.
April 30 33

LAW NOTICE.

ISHAM H. KELLY, having permanently located at Carrolton, (Pickens C. H.) Ala. will attend the Courts of the Counties of Tuscaloosa, Greene, Sumpter, and Pickens.
nov. 27, 1838.

FOR SALE OR RENT

ON moderate terms, the House and Lot now occupied by Mrs. Gordon. Also the House near the Methodist Church. For terms apply to GEORGE STILLMAN.
December 18, 1839. 14tf

NOTICE.

I SHALL be absent from the State for a few weeks, and hereby constitute L. N. Fields my Agent during my absence.
C. O. BARTON.
December 17, 1839. 14tf

100 KEGS WHITE LEAD, a superior article, for sale by G. HILL, Main-street.

MEDICAL NOTICE.
DR. B. F. BOUCHELLE,

WILL in future devote his whole attention to the practice of the several branches of his profession, at the late residence of his father, between Col. Nimrod Davis' and Lindsey's Ferry. He will practice upon as reasonable terms as any other regular bred physician in the country.
Dec. 10, 1839.—12 tf.

GEORGE WIGHTMAN. JOHN WIGHTMAN
JOHN WIGHTMAN & CO.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
MOBILE.
Refer in Lowndes county to
Messrs. Franklin & Brother.
C. H. Abert, Esq.
Richard Barry, Esq.
December 3, 1839. tf11.

BANK OF THE TOMBIGBY R. R. Co.
Columbus, Miss., Oct. 28, 1839.

AT a called meeting of the Board of Directors held this day, it was unanimously Resolved,

That in consequence of the intelligence of a suspension of specie payments by a large portion of the banks at the north, this Bank will also suspend specie payments for the present.

Resolved, That this Bank will resume specie payments when the banks generally resume.

Resolved, That the Cashier have the above resolutions published.
CHAS. WALSH, Cashier.
6—tf

MORUS MULTICAULIS.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the public, that he is Agent, to engage 150,000 cuttings, from trees of the genuine Morus Multicaulis, now growing in the State of Georgia, to be delivered as soon as the navigation opens. Those disposed to embark in this lucrative business, had better apply forthwith.
EUGENE B. DRAKE.
Columbus, Miss. Oct. 15, 1839. tf.

BOOTS & SHOES.—Received by late arrivals, complete assortment of Boots and Shoes for Ladies and Gentlemen, youths and children. Also, black and red Brogans. For sale by
FRANKLIN & BROTHER.
May 28. 37

MEDICAL BOOKS.

HOWARD'S Improved System of Botanic Medicines, a highly useful work for Botanic practitioners and families. A few copies of the above valuable work are for sale at the Drug Store of
GREENE HILL.
April 23, 1839. 32

GARDEN SEED.

JUST Received a fresh supply. Growth of 1839; raised and put up in the best manner by the United Society of Quakers at South Union, Jasper Valley, Logan county Kentucky. For sale by
FRANKLIN & BROTHER.
Dec. 17, 1889. 13 tf.

PLANES.—We have received the best assortment of Planes ever brought to Columbus, consisting of almost every kind in use, manufactured by Kennedy & White, New York, and warranted of the best quality.
FRANKLIN & BROTHER.
March 26, 1839. 28

VALUABLE WILD LANDS FOR
Brandon Money!!!

THE subscriber, as agent, offers for sale 3,500 acres of Valuable Wild Land, lying in the Choctaw Nation, at a reduced price, for Brandon Money.
EUGENE B. DRAKE.
Columbus, Sept. 24, 1839.—4w.

FRANKLIN & BROTHER have just received per steamer Cahawba, a small lot of new style of
Summer Prints,
Fine Jacconetts,
White and colored Cotton Hose,
White, brown and fancy Linen Drills,
Bleached Sheetings,
Also, Victoria Needles neatly put up in boxes of 100 each. April 2, 1839.

THE subscriber will continue to give his attention to the sale of property by AUCTION. Application will be made at the store of John C. Ramsey, or Aikin & Gibbs.
EUGENE B. DRAKE.
Columbus, Nov. 18, 1839.

French Merinos.

FRANKLIN & BROTHER have just received a small lot of super French Merinos, warranted all wool.
Fine Irish Linens.
Superior 3 threaded Cotton Hose, and a variety of other goods.
Columbus, January 8, 1839. 17tf

WARE HOUSE NOTICE.

PERSONS transfering receipts for cotton stored, are informed that they must be endorsed, or their cotton will be delivered only to the original holders.
AIKIN & GIBBS.

C. F. MILLER,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Starkeville, Miss.,

WILL practice in the Circuit Courts of Octibbeha, Monroe, Lowndes, Noxubee, Winston and Choctaw.
December 24, 1839.—14-4w

7-8 AND 4-4 LOWELL SHIRTING, Brown and Bleached Domestics,
Lowell Jeans,
Bed Ticking, and
Furniture Calicoes,
A full assortment of the above can be found at *FRANKLIN & BROTHER'S*

Winter Strained Lamp Oil.
700 GALLONS of Winter Strained Lamp Oil, just received and for sale at the Columbus Drug Store.
GREENE HILL.
April 23, 1839. 32

LINENS.—25 pieces Shirting Linens,
10 pieces Sheeting do
10 do 6-4 to 10-4 Table Diaper,
3-4 Birdseye Diaper,
3-4 to 4-4 Damask Napkins,
6-4 to 12-4 do Table Cloths.
For sale by FRANKLIN & BROTHER.
May 28 37

NOTICE.

ELI ABBOTT, Esq. is my authorized agent to rent any property belonging to me in the town of Columbus, to give leases, and receive payment for the same, until the first day of January 1841; any contract he may make in leasing said property shall be obligatory upon me.

The leases to commence on the 1st January 1840. Those wanting fine store houses, offices or rooms, will do well to give him a call.
ROBT. E. HARRIS.
Dec. 31, 1839. 6w.

Saddlery.
LADIES' and Gentlemen's Saddles,
Spanish do.
Bridles and Martingales,
Bitts and Stirrup Irons,
Riding, Gig and Coach Whips.
For sale by FRANKLIN & BROTHER.
May 25, 1839. 37

TAKE NOTICE.

The accounts due John B. Smith & Co, must be paid by the 20th instant or they will be put in the hands of proper officers for collection.
AIKIN & GIBBS,
agents for J. B. SMITH & Co,
Nov. 5th, 1839.

BUILDER'S HARDWARE.

WE have received by the late arrivals, a complete assortment of Builder's Hardware and Tools, consisting of some very fine front and inside door Locks, Mortice Locks, Bolts, Butts, Hinges, Nails, Brads, Spikes, Screws, finishing Nails, hand, panel, tenant and circular Saws, pitt and cross-cut Saws, Files of all kinds, socket and firmer Chisels and Gouges, Turner's Gouges and Chisels, and a variety of other articles in the line.
FRANKLIN & BROTHER.
May 28. 37

COMMISSION BUSINESS.

WE will continue the Factorage and Commission Business in Mobile, Ala.
MINGE & RUSSELL.
We refer to—
J. McKenzie, Esq Montgomery, Ala.
J. Johnson, Wetumpka.
Messrs. Dickens, Webb & Co. Greensboro'
M. Walthall, Esq. Columbus, Miss.
Col. Wm. Armistead, } Greene co.
Col. James Pickens, }
Dr. William A. Christian, } Marengo co.
Richard H. Adams, Esq. }
Col. A. H. Christian, Sumter county.
James Semple, Esq. Perry county.

TEN MILLIONS,
Morus Multicaulis Cuttings.

THE subscriber has for sale the above number of cuttings from this invaluable tree. No commentary is necessary to prove incontestably, the exceeding value of these trees. That the growing of silk in this country is lucrative above all occupations, is established conclusively, by reference to experiments already fully tested—and there exists also, the clearest and almost palpable evidence, that the propagation of the tree for market will be profitable for many years. At the north, in the culture of silk, $1,000 is considered an average yield to the hand, where there exists many inconveniences unknown to this climate.

Applications to myself, near Hamburg, or to Maj. W H. Turner, agent at Marion, Perry county Alabama, promptly attended to.
J. M. WESSINGER.
Hamburg, Perry co. Ala. Nov 12 8tf

NEW DRY GOODS.

FRANKLIN & BROTHER,

HAVE just received the balance of their stock of Dry Goods, which, together with the stock previously on hand, makes their assortment as complete as any in this section of the country; consisting of
Fancy and Staple Dry Goods,
Hardware and Cutlery,
Boots and Shoes,
Carpenter's and Joiner's Tools,
Blacksmith's Tools,
Hats and Caps,
Wines and Liquors,
Sugar and Coffee,
Bagging and Rope,
Crockery, Glass-ware, &c.
We would particularly invite Planters and others to call and examine our stock.
Columbus, August 20. 49tf

MISSISSIPPI FEMALE COLLEGE

AT the last session of this Institution, the following resolutions were adopted by the Board of Trustees, which will continue in force the ensuing session:

Resolved, That the board of each young lady be $100 per session of twenty weeks, to be paid one half in advance.

This sum is intended to include room, bedding, fuel, washing, and all other contingent and extra charges connected with the boarding department.

Resolved, That the prices of Tuition be as follows:

Preparatory Department, pr session,	$16 00
Advanced Department,	20 00

This Department embraces all the studies usually taught in the higher schools.

ORNAMENTAL DEPARTMENT.

Music, including the use of the Piano,	$30 00
Needle Work,	15 00
Drawing and Painting,	15 00
Painting in Oil,	25 00
Transferring, Shell work, Wax work,	1 00

It will be perceived from the foregoing resolutions, that the rates of boarding and tuition have been changed from the former prices.—This course the Trustees have been obliged to adopt. They have employed *competent* and *efficient* instructresses, who must be liberally compensated, and the resources of the institution are the only fund from which that compensation *should* be drawn. Hitherto this fund has proved *insufficient*.

The rates which are now established, both for board and tuition, are such as are adopted in other and neighboring schools, and are such as the necessities of the College demand.

Resolved, That no young lady be admitted as a student in the College till the *whole* tuition, and *half* the boarding fees be paid *at the time she joins the College.*
THOS. McGEE, Pres't Board.
BENJAMIN S. LONG, Sec'y.

☞ The next session of the College will commence on Monday, September 16th.

A VALUABLE REMEDY
FOR FEVER AND AGUE.

SOUTHERN TONIC.
COSTER & COXE.

For sale by G. HILL.
Dec. 17, 1839. 13 tf.

NOTICE.

OFFICE MISSISSIPPI UNION BANK,
MACON, Nov. 21st, 1839.

THE notes discounted by the mother bank at Jackson for the first District, composed of the counties of Oktibbeha, Winston, Lowndes, Noxubee, Kemper, Lauderdale, Newton and Neshoba, having been transferred to this office for collection, a renewal for twelve months will be permitted, by a payment of one fourth of the principal, and discount on the residue.
Offering days Wednesdays.
Discount days, Thursdays of each week.
By order of the Board.
JNO. DAVIES, Cashier.
Dec. 10, 1839.-12 8w.

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership in the practice of the Law, between Evans, Harrison and Gray, has been dissolved.
RICHARD EVANS,
JAMES T. HARRISON,
HENRY GRAY.
Jan. 1st, 1840-16-tf.

LAW NOTICE.

WILLIAM L. HARRIS, GEORGE R. CLAYTON, & JAMES T. HARRISON, have associated themselves together in the practice of the Law.
Jan. 1st, 1840—16-tf.

COLUMBUS DRUG STORE.

GREENE HILL would inform the public that he is receiving from the northern cities a very large and general assortment of
Fresh Drugs and Medicines,
Surgical Instruments,
Shop Furniture for Physicians,
Paints, Oils, Glass, &c. &c.
and about a thousand articles in his line of business, to which he invites the attention of his friends and the public. As the articles he has on hand and those now receiving have been selected with the greatest care, as to their excellency and price, he feels well assured that he will be able to satisfy his customers as well, if not better, than last year.
Columbus, January 22, 1839. 19tf

THOMAS GHOLS[illegible]
ATTORNEY AT LA[illegible]
Columbus, Mi[illegible]

WILL practice in the Courts of Lowndes and the adjoining [illegible] in the Supreme Court at Jackson, [illegible] United States District Court, at [illegible] Office opposite the Commercial [illegible] lumbus.
July 30, 1839.

GENERAL AGENC[illegible]
And Commission Bu[illegible]

THE subscribers having [illegible] copartnership in the above [illegible] ness, to be conducted in the Co[illegible] from and after the first day of [illegible] under the style and firm of
H. B. & G. HOLL[illegible]

Having been engaged in [illegible] line of business for several years [illegible] Augusta, Georgia,—and acquired [illegible] ry experience and knowledge of [illegible] they have undertaken—especially [illegible] of cotton, they feel confident of [illegible] give satisfaction to those of the [illegible] may confide business to their [illegible] One of the firm will at all times be [illegible] present, to attend to the business [illegible] cern.
HENRY B. HOLL[illegible]
GEORGE G. HOLL[illegible]
Sept. 4 1839

CORONER'S NOTI[illegible]

A THACHER, Coroner, may be [illegible] the Eagle Hotel, or at his [illegible] when not absent on business.
He will also continue the Ba[illegible] *Forwarding Business*, at his old [illegible] the river.
Nov. 26, 1839. tf.

DISSOLUTION.—The Co-part[illegible] heretofore existing between G[illegible] W. GAINES & JAMES FITZSIMM[illegible] under the style of GAINES & FIT[illegible] MONS, was dissolved on the [illegible] death of Mr. FITZSIMMONS.
The undersigned will continue [illegible] sion business on his own account, [illegible] happy to have frequent opportunit[illegible] his services useful to his friends.
Oct. 29 31st. GEO. W. G[illegible]

LAW COPARTNERS[illegible]

STEPHEN E. NASH and J. HUMPHRIS, [illegible] ma,) having formed a partnership [illegible] tice of law, will, for the future, pra[illegible] junction, in the Circuit and inferior [illegible] 6th Judicial District, and in the Supre[illegible] at Jackson, Mississippi.
They hope, by prompt and [illegible] tion to the duties of their profession [illegible] and receive a liberal share of public [illegible] Their office is in Columbus, Mi[illegible] one formerly occupied by S. E. [illegible] one or both of them can generally [illegible]
February 1, 1839.

TO COTTON PLANT[illegible]

OUR Ware-House on the river [illegible] and ready for the receipt of Co[illegible] For the benefit of those on the opposite [illegible] the river who wish to make this their [illegible] point, we have made arrangements [illegible] Bryant, by which their cotton [illegible] dize stored with us will cross the [illegible] *charge.