

BALTIMORE, August 5.—The Ocean steamer... Cotton had declined nearly one-eighth of a penny per pound in the Liverpool market since the sailing of the steamship Canada.

UNITED STATES AND PORTUGAL.—The Portuguese Government has declined according to the demands of the American Government, and the Minister of the United States (Mr. Clay) has demanded his passports, with a view of returning home.

The following additional dispatches we copy from the N. O. Picayune:

THE PRESIDENT AND TEXAS.—BALTIMORE, Monday, August 5.—President Fillmore, in reply to Governor Bell, takes ground that Colonel Monroe acted simply in his individual capacity in calling a convention in New Mexico, and that he has been guilty of no usurpation.

Colonel Howard has arrived at Washington from Texas, and reports that 1500 volunteers are ready to march to Santa Fe.

NORTH CAROLINA ELECTION.—The democrats have elected their candidate for Governor by nearly 2000 majority. The democrats have elected a majority to the State Legislature.

THE TEXAS BOUNDARY.—In the Senate, on Monday, Mr. Pearce presented his Texas Boundary bill, appropriating ten million dollars as payment to Texas for the Territory north of the 33d degree north latitude, and west of the 100th degree of west longitude, which are to from the boundary line.

TEXAS BOUNDARY BILL PASSED.—BALTIMORE, Friday, August 9.—In the Senate, today, the bill introduced by Mr. Pearce to settle the boundary of Texas passed—yeas 30, nays 20—both Texas Senators in the affirmative.

Cotton in New York has declined fully one-fourth.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—A few days ago, four male slaves belonging to Messrs. Toombs and Stevens, were concealed by abolitionists till last night, when an attempt was made to run them off. The police pursued and overtook the carriage containing the slaves and one white man, four miles from Washington! The party in the carriage fled upon their pursuers: the first was returned by the latter, who was a member of the party in the carriage. The whole party, except one of the slaves, negroes, was captured and returned.

BALTIMORE, Tuesday, Aug. 9.—The President, to-day, sent in a message to Congress urging the settlement of the Texas boundary question. He says that the portion of the disputed territory lying east of the Rio Grande, has always been considered as belonging to New Mexico. He thinks the exigency may require an extra session of Congress; alludes to the duties imposed on him by the laws; says he will perform those duties and sustain the laws.

He thinks this a case in which he is authorized to call out volunteers, and that it would be his duty to call for them, and also to employ the army and navy. Texas may have the power to suppress any insurrection arising within her own borders, but that does not give her the right to set at naught the laws of the United States.

In such a case, Texas would be an intruder, and would be treated as such. He believes the treaty with Mexico extends the laws of the United States over the territory lying east of the Rio Grande.

He does not assume to decide what is the boundary of Texas, but wishes to stand by the treaty.

He will continue to regard the territory as New Mexico until Congress settles the question.

HENRY CLAY.—The Washington Union, of the 6th, says:

Mr. Clay left Washington yesterday morning for Newport, where he expects to spend three or four weeks, to recruit a constitution almost worn down by such unparalleled efforts as he has made to carry through the compromise bill. It is said that he has paired off on the great question of the day with Mr. Seward.

Mr. Clay arrived at Philadelphia on the evening of the 5th, and as usual, was warmly welcomed by a host of his admiring fellow-citizens.—True Delta.

School Notice.

THE undersigned, on behalf of the Trustees of the Woodville Common School, having engaged the services of Miss Malvina Smith, hereby notify the citizens that the Female School will be opened on Monday, the 2d day of September, 1850, in the dwelling House on the Corner of East and Water street lately occupied by John H. Leatherman, Esq., at which place she will be in attendance to receive pupils. It is earnestly desired that all who intend entering the school will do so promptly.

The attention of parents and guardians is called to the first rule for the regulation of the school which is in substance, that all children in the corporation within the age of six and twenty years will, on application to one of the Superintending School Committee, or E. J. Elder, Esq., Treasurer of said Committee, and, on the payment of the tuition fee, will receive a certificate, which will entitle the pupil to the advantage of the school for the session of five months. Rev. W. Hamilton Watkins, Hon. Stanhope Posey, Dr. A. C. Holt, Dr. James Angell, and E. J. Elder, Esq., compose the superintending Committee. Certificates will be given to those who are unable to pay for the education of their children. The prices for tuition will be regulated according to the prices established in the male departments, which are published.

H. J. BUTTERWORTH, } Com. JOHN B. THERRELL, } August 20th, 1850-4w.

WILKINSON FEMALE SEMINARY.

THE Exercises of this Institution, under the direction of the Misses Calder's, will recommence on Monday, September 2d.

August 20th, 1850-2w.

\$25 Reward.

MARTIN runaway on the 10th instant. He is about six feet high, black complexion, and he is very broad across the shoulders, rather inclined to be stoop-shouldered, with a swinging walk. He has a scar on one of his wrists, I think it is his left, on the under part of the wrist or rather on the joint, speaks very quick when spoken to. He is about 25 years of age. He has two very large ridges over the eyes or each temple; front teeth all sound and even. He has been out for five months with a forged pass to the effect that he should be permitted to obtain work wherever he could. He may undertake to work himself off as a mechanic. For his arrest I will give the above reward.

THOMAS OGDEN. August 20th, 1850-4f.

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, ADAMS COUNTY, THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

To all creditors and other persons interested in the Estate of James M. Bailey, deceased.

YOU are hereby warned to be and appear before the Probate Court of Adams county, at the Court House thereof, on the fourth Monday, the 23d day of September, 1850, the same being the first day of September Term next, then and there to show cause, if any you can, why the report of the Commissioner of Insolvency, filed at the November Term, 1849, of said Court, should not be allowed; and further to do and suffer such things as shall be considered and ordered by the Court aforesaid in the premises.

Witness the Honorable Reuben L. S. Bullock, Judge of said Probate Court, at the Court House of said county, the fourth Monday of July, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Issued this 1st day of August, A. D., 1850. RICHARD A. INGE, Clerk. By Wm. C. Coffin, Dep'y Clerk. August 13, 1850-4w.

Piano Forte Tuning and Repairing.

MR. R. C. TRUST respectfully informs the citizens of Woodville and Wilkinson county that he intends to stay two weeks longer. Any orders in the above business will be punctually attended to by leaving orders at Messrs. Wright & Elder's Drug Store. Terms moderate. August 13th, 1850-2w.

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, WILKINSON COUNTY, THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

To John Jones and Robt. McDonald, heirs and distributees of John E. Fells, deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate.—Greeting:

YOU are hereby cited to be and appear before the Probate Court of Wilkinson county, at the Court House thereof, on the first Monday in November next, then and there to show cause, if any you can, why the final account of Mason E. Saunders, administrator of John E. Fells, deceased, should not be allowed, and a decree made thereupon accordingly, and further to do and suffer such things as shall be considered and ordered by the court aforesaid, in the premises.

Witness, the Honorable Francis L. S. Gildart, Judge of the said Probate Court, at the Court House of said county, the first Monday of August, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Issued this 9th day of August, 1850. FRED. CONRAD, Clerk. August 13th, 1850-10w.

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, WILKINSON COUNTY, THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

To John Duff, James Duff, Amos Duff, (minor heirs of Delila Duff, deceased, Martha Swigart and Richard her husband, heirs and legatees of Littleberry Thompson, deceased.—Greeting:

YOU are hereby cited to be and appear before the Probate Court of Wilkinson county, at the Court House thereof, on the first Monday in November next, then and there to show cause, if any you can, why the final account of Amos B. Thompson, Executor of Littleberry Thompson, deceased, should not be allowed and a decree made thereupon accordingly, and further to do and suffer such things as shall be considered and ordered by the court aforesaid in the premises.

Witness, the Honorable Francis L. S. Gildart, Judge of the said Probate Court, at the Court House of said county, the first Monday in August, eighteen hundred and fifty.

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WRIGHT, WILLIAMS & CO., Commission Merchants, No. 93 Gravier street, New Orleans.

THE subscriber would inform his friends and the public that he will act as Agent for the above firm, and would assure all persons who may think proper to entrust their business to its management, that such business would be faithfully attended to.

E. H. WAILES. Woodville, Aug. 6, 1850-33-6m.

Painting! Painting!!

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Woodville, and the surrounding country; that he is prepared to execute all kinds of House, Carriage and Ornamental Painting, with neatness and despatch. He is also prepared to do Paper Hanging. Residence Woodville.

B. CLEMMONS. June 11, 1850.—1y

Dr. B. Baldwin, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

RESIDENCE as formerly, on the "Greenwood" Plantation, adjoining the plantation of Fielding Davis, Esq. Feb. 12, 1850. 5-1

NEWTON INSTITUTE FOR YOUNG LADIES & CHILDREN.

WRIGHTVILLE, MISS.

16th Session will open September 2d, 1850.

The location of this School, (near Wrightville, 5 miles east of Woodville, Mississippi) is retired, beautiful and beautiful. The grounds occupy 18 acres, covered with a beautiful natural grove, of more than sixty species of indigenous forest trees and shrubs, besides a great variety of exotics.

The course of instruction is thorough and extensive, embracing all that is essential to a substantial and highly finished education. The Institute is furnished with suits of specimens in Botany, Mineralogy and Geology, and with a large and carefully selected Library, embracing every department of the Arts and Sciences.

It is also supplied with Apparatus for illustrating Mathematics, Geography Astronomy, Natural Philosophy, Chemistry, Magnetism, Galvanism, Electricity, &c., &c.

TERMS

Per Half Session of five Months:

- Tuition in Primary Departments, \$15 00
" " Collegiate " 20 00
" " Languages, each, " 10 00
" " Drawing and Painting, " 10 00
" " Wax Work, Embroider- ies, &c., &c., " 5 00
Tuition in Instrumental Music, " 30 00
Use of Instruments, " 5 00
Board, with fuel and lights, " 50 00
Furnishing Rooms, per month, " 1 50
Washing, per month, " 1 50

The above charges must be paid in advance, or increased ten per cent, and satisfactorily secured. Pupils may enter at any time, and will be charged only from the date of entrance, till the end of the session. Boarders should have all their articles distinctly marked.

A sufficient number of competent Instructors will be always in attendance—five being employed the ensuing year; three of whom have had long experience, and attained the highest rank in their respective departments.

The buildings having received and now undergoing various improvements and additions, a few more boarders can be accommodated than heretofore. Applications should be addressed without delay to the Principal:

D. L. PHARES, A. M., &c., Principal. NEWTON PLACE, July 23, 1850-1y.

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, WILKINSON COUNTY, THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

To Joseph E. Therrel and M. A., his wife, John A. Warren and Mary A., his wife, Martha Cole, Sam'l J. Fenner and Nancy J., his wife, William Hamberlin and Margaret E., his wife, Mary J. McIntosh, E. F. Donham and Celia A., his wife, Polly McIntosh, James Smith and Elizabeth, his wife, heirs and distributees of Henry Quine, deceased.—GREETING:

YOU are hereby cited to be and appear before the Probate Court of Wilkinson county, at the Court House thereof, on the First Monday in September next, then and there to show cause, if any you can, why the perishable property, belonging to said estate should not be sold, and further to do and suffer such things as shall be considered and ordered by the Court aforesaid, in the premises.

Witness, the Hon. Francis L. S. Gildart, Judge of the said Probate Court, at the court house of said county, the first Monday of July, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Issued this 2d day of July, 1850. FRED. CONRAD, Clerk. July 2d, 1850. 28-10w

Notice:

THE public are respectfully informed that the undersigned will undertake the business of collecting. The claims of all persons, favoring him with patronage, will receive his prompt attention. Commission same as charged by former Collectors.

THOS. H. CURRY. July 16, 1850-30 ly.

Dissolution.

THE partnership heretofore existing between OUREY & FELLMEIER has been dissolved by mutual consent. Charles Ourey will continue the business at his Old Stand.

May 7, 1850.

Selling off at Cost.

AS it is getting fashionable with some to sell their Goods for cost and charges, I respectfully announce to the public that I will sell Goods a little cheaper than any that has been sold yet, as I am now selling out at COST, without charges. Call on me before going elsewhere, and you will be astonished at the LOW prices at which I am now selling.

Come quick, if you want Goods for nothing.

CHARLES OUREY. Woodville, May 7th, 1850.

Commissioner's Notice.

THE undersigned Clerk of the Probate Court of Wilkinson county, Mississippi, appointed by said Court at the August term, A. D. 1850, thereof, a Commissioner to receive and examine all claims of the several creditors of the estate of James N. Dowty, deceased, represented insolvent, do hereby notify said creditors to file their claims against said estate, probated according to law on or before Saturday, the sixteenth day of February next.

FRED. CONRAD, Clerk. August 13th, 1850-6m.

Plantation for Sale.

COTTON Plantation for sale on Percy's Creek, six miles from Fort Adams, containing eight hundred arpents of high land, three hundred acres of level and five hundred of cleared land. There is on the place a comfortable dwelling house, and a gin, mill, negro quarters and all other necessary out-buildings—also, 3,600 barrels of corn, and stock on plantation, if desired, which will be sold on reasonable terms.—For further particulars, inquire of H. J. Butterworth. THOS. WOODSIDES. August 6, 1850-4w.

Blacksmithing AND Waggon Making.

TRULY thankful for the patronage bestowed upon them the past year.

Henry & Brother take this occasion to offer their services again to the public, hoping that they will be favored with a liberal share of its patronage.

They are both practical workmen, have carried on business a number of years, and are confident that work entrusted to them will be promptly, faithfully and satisfactorily attended to. Blacksmithing in all its various branches they are prepared to do, from the simplest to the most difficult patterns. They will give particular attention to all

PLANTATION WORK

which may be sent them. Mr. GEORGE HILDEBRAND will receive orders for making or repairing WAGGONS, MARKET BUGGIES, &c. &c.,—and we can assure the public that the iron and wood-work shall be equal to the best, let it come from where it may. Our Shop remains the same location as last year.

We ask only the opportunity, to please the public.

HENRY & BROTHER. Woodville, March 12, 1850. 1y

Dentistry.

S. & D. STOCKING, Resident Dentists, can be found at their office on Commercial Row

at all times, when not professionally absent. All work done by them shall be satisfactory and equal to any done in the country, or no pay. Terms moderate, and all operations warranted. Whole sets of artificial teeth inserted on gold plate by atmospheric pressure. Artificial palates so perfectly fitted as to produce distinctness in the enunciation as if no malformation had taken place. All orders sent by mail, or left with the Postmaster in this place, will be attended to.

Woodville, Jan 1, 1850.

Carriage & Waggon Making AND REPAIRING.

SMITH & RICHARDSON, thankful for former patronage, hereby inform their old friends and the public generally, that they are now prepared to execute all work in the above line of Business on reasonable terms, and guaranty that their work shall be well and promptly done. We do not promise to work cheaper than any body else, but expect a fair remuneration for our labor, when our work is honestly done.

Their Shop is opposite Eady's Confectionary, adjoining Leyl's Blacksmith Shop

BLACKSMITHING.

HAVING employed the services of a first-rate Blacksmith, in connection with my own, I am prepared to do all kind of plantation work in a first rate manner, and at the usual terms and prices.

Gunsmithing is also performed with neatness and despatch.

WM. T. LEWIS. May 21, 1850.—1y

Dolbear's Writing Academy.

In the Masonic Hall, Main St., Natchez. WILL be kept open during the entire year, 20 or 30 Gentlemen will be qualified to teach the Science of Penmanship, and act as Agents for the sale of Dolbear's Superior Gold Pens and Dolbear's Science of Penmanship, in the Southern States.

A new class of Teachers will begin on the 4th of November.

Mr. GEORGE A. McDONALD, who is a good successful teacher of Writing, will give lessons in Wilkinson and Amite, where classes of 12 or 15 pupils are formed.

Parents will find it well to their interest to have their children correctly taught at first, before they have established bad habits.

Dolbear's Gold Pens for sale by Mr. McDonald, or by Wright & Elder, of Woodville. June 18, 1850. 1y

Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the late firm of SEYMOUR & CO., are respectfully solicited to call and settle their accounts, as S. K. & Co. are anxious to close the business of the old concern.

Fort Adams, January 10th, 1850. 5

Post-Office at Woodville.

NATCHEZ Mail arrives Wednesdays and Saturdays at about 9 o'clock, p. m. Closes for South same days by 8 o'clock, p. m.

New Orleans Mail arrives Mondays and Thursdays, at about 8, p. m. Closes for Natchez same days at 7 1/2, p. m.

Fort Adams mail departs Wednesdays and Saturdays at 5, a. m. Returns same days at 8, p. m.

Holmesville mail arrives Tuesdays and Saturdays at 9, p. m. Departs Mondays and Wednesdays at 4, a. m.

Letters must be deposited in the Post Office half an hour before the mail closes.

July 16, 1850.

Now Opening.

JACOB WOLF informs the public that he has received and is now opening a superior stock of

Spring Goods.

Such as Gentlemen's Summer Clothing, Prints, latest styles, Muslins, Silks,—Hats, Boots, Shoes, &c. &c. &c.

My stock comprises every article suitable to the Spring trade,—and from those who may wish to be fitted out "from head to foot," in a little better style than they can be at any other Store in town, will please give me a call. My prices this Spring are remarkably CHEAP. Come and see, at my old stand, in the large White House, corner of Main-street and Boston Row.

JACOB WOLF. Woodville, March 26, 1850.

Bargains! Bargains!!

Henry & Myers, At their old Stand, On Main Street, North West Corner of the Public Square.

HAVE just received and are now opening a splendid selection of Gentlemen's Summer Clothing, Ladies' Fancy Goods, Hats, Shoes, Boots and Brogans, Staple Goods, Crockery and Glassware, Groceries, Provisions, &c., &c. All of which they offer for sale for Cash, or on the usual credit to punctual customers. Our Stock consists in part of the following articles:—

Fine French muslins, cambrics, ginghams, and calicoes,

Fine plain swiss and plaid muslins, Organizes, for Ladies' riding skirts, Barege, col'd cambrics for lining,

Linen, bobbinet and cotton mosquito nettings,

Ladies' kid gloves and emb'd silk mitts, Window curtains and table covers,

Irish linen lawns, table cloths, napkins and towels,

Emb'd and plain pocket handkerchiefs, Ladies', misses and children's hose,

Pansois, shades and umbrellas, Bonnets and bonnet ribbons,

Ladies' fine kid shoes and gutters, Black and white lace, all widths,

Lowell cottons,

Brown and bleached cottons, cottonades, Bed ticking and checks,

Linen drillings for pants, Col'd silk and cotton handkerchiefs, assorted, &c., &c.

ALSO, Gentlemen's Summer Clothing,

Amongst which are

Fine merino, alpaca and linen frock, dress and sack coats,

Fine merino, alpaca, linen drilling, linen and cottonade pants,

Black satin and fancy col'd vests,

Fine linen bosom shirts, undershirts and drawers,

Silk, lighorn, straw, and palmetto hats, BOOTS AND SHOES,

Fine calf sewed and pegged Boots, shoes, and brogans,

GROCERIES,

Loaf and brown sugars, molasses, coffee, tea, candles, soap, starch, salt, mackerel, rice, cheese, soda biscuit, buckwheat, flour,

whiskey, tobacco, cigars, pepper, spice, cinnamon, mustard, powder, shot, caps, lead, lamp and olive oil, &c.,

Together with a good assortment of Crockery, glass and earthenware,

Hardware, woodenware, Cutlery, perfumery, &c.

Ladies and gentlemen, (the ladies particularly) are invited to call and examine our Stock, as it is our intention to sell at the lowest possible price. PLEASE GIVE US A CALL.

Woodville, March 26, 1850.

Spring Goods!

SCHWARTZ & LEHMAN are now receiving and opening at their Store on Boston Row, a large and well selected assortment of Spring Goods, among which may be found—

French muslins and Calicoes,

Swiss and plaid muslins, Jacket and thread laces,

Fine silks for dresses, Barege and ginghams,

Silk tringes and binding for dresses,

ALSO, Buttons and kid gloves,

Window curtains and mosquito netting, Table and piano covers,

Pansois and umbrellas, Irish linen and linen lawn,

Linen pocket handkerchiefs, plain & emb. " dress " capes & collars,

Linen and col'd diaper towels, &c. Ladies', misses' and children's Shoes; of all descriptions and sizes.

GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING, Gents French merino dress & frock coats, do Alpaca do do do

Linen dress and frock sack coats, Grass linen dress and frock sack coats,

Merino and Alpaca pants, Cottonade and linen do

White linen drilling do Under shirts, drawers, and suspenders, Boots and shoes,

ALSO, Cottonades and linen drillings, Brown and bleached domestics, Checks and bed ticking,

GROCERIES, Powder, shot, soap and candles,

Tobacco and segars, Extra Brandy and Whiskey,

Port and Claret Wine, Vinegar,—any of which will be sold by the barrel or gallon to suit purchasers.

The above comprises only a portion of our new stock, and the public are respectfully invited to call and examine for themselves.

To the ladies and gentlemen we would say COME QUICK, for we are now prepared to please you in any article you may wish to buy. Don't forget where to call for Cheap Bargains, first door north of Platt's Store, Boston Row.

SCHWARTZ & LEHMAN. Woodville, March 19, 1850.

NEW Establishment,

AND The Newest Goods.

SIMON & MOSES WOLF, Are now Opening,

AT their New Establishment, on Commercial Row, 3d door above Leffingwell's, a large and beautiful supply of

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN'S GOODS, Of Every Kind.

We deem it unnecessary to publish an extended list of our Goods, as we desire the Ladies and Gentlemen to call and examine for themselves, as we feel confident we can please them.

Woodville, April 9th, 1850.

THE KNICKERBOCKER MAGAZINE.

EDITED BY LEWIS WATLORD CLARKE.

This is pronounced, by the press of America and England, the best Magazine in America. It has now completed its thirty-fourth volume, and in its list of upward of a hundred contributors, are found the names of every distinguished writer, male and female, in America, with several equally prominent of Great Britain, Turkey, Sweden, etc. A new volume will commence with the first day of January, 1850.—The following notices of the Knicker