

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

Cotton and Tobacco Factors,

No. 58 Camp Street,

NEW ORLEANS.

September 17, 1842.

Sale of Negroes.

BY virtue of a mortgage deed, executed by CHARLES L. ESTILL, to secure the payment of certain sums of money therein specified, and which deed of Mortgage was regularly recorded in the Probate Court of Carroll county, Mississippi, on the 30th day of May, A. D. 1840, we shall proceed to sell for ready money, on the premises of said Estill, 3 miles North east of Middleton, on Monday the 6th day of March, 1843, thirteen negro slaves to wit:—

- Jim, Hamp, Davy, Henderson, John, Bill, Elias, Sookey, Sarah, Mary, Jane, Nelly, Lesh.

—ALSO—

Two beds, bedsteads and bedding—Thirty head of hogs—Fifteen head of horned cattle—Three yoke of oxen—Four horses, and one mule.

The sale to take place within the usual hours.

We shall convey only such title as is vested in us by virtue of said mortgage deed.

JOHN O. YOUNG, ALLEN GARY, THOS. H. GARNER, By A. M. KING, Agent.

Sept. 3, 1842. 26-ts.

Bagging and Rope.

GRUBBS & COATES would inform the citizens of Carroll and the adjoining counties that they have on hand a supply of Bagging & Rope, which they offer at the customary prices. Also, that they are prepared with good SHEDS and WAREHOUSES to Receive and Forward all Cotton and Goods that may be entrusted to their care. They would further say, that the Road leading from the Hills through the Swamp is in fine order with new Bridges ready at this time for inspection.

MARION, Oct. 7, 1842.

IN THE DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT, Of the State of Mississippi.

YEATMAN, Woods & Co., vs. JOSEPH M. TERRY, et al.

UPON opening the matters in this Bill contained, and discovering that Joseph M. Terry and Robert H. Sterling, two of the defendants, reside without the limits of this State, and that the ordinary process of the law cannot be executed upon them, it is therefore

Ordered, That publication be made in the Southern Pioneer, weekly, for two months, successively, that, unless the said Joseph M. Terry and Robert H. Sterling appear before the Vice Chancellor, at the Court Room in Carrollton, on the third Monday in December next, and plead, answer, or demur, to the said Bill of Complaint, the allegations thereof will be taken as confessed, and such order made therein as the Vice Chancellor may deem equitable and just.

W. N. HEMINGWAY, Ckr. SHEPPARD, AYRES & BAIN, Sol's for Compl'ts. October 3, 1842. 31-2m.

NEW HOTEL.

Carrollton, Mississippi.

THE undersigned would respectfully make it known to the public, that he has opened a House of Entertainment opposite the west side of the Public Square. He deems it needless to go through a long catalogue of praise to his house, so usually done by others, but would merely suggest to those passing this way to give him a call—try him once. His endeavors will be to render general satisfaction. The terms are as follows:—

- For Man and Horse per day, \$1 50
Per meal for Man and Horse, 75
For Man or Horse per meal, 37 1/2
Keeping Horse per month, \$15 00
Boarding & Lodging per month, 15 00
To be a Cash business exclusively.

J. MONEY.

N. B. Treasury warrants and county claims taken at par for all debts due this establishment, and, also, for Board, &c.

August 6, 1842. J. M. 22-tf.

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, Carroll County.

WAS committed to the jail of Carroll county, on the 13th inst., a negro man, who calls himself Bill, and says that he belongs to a Mr. Perdell or Ferdell who resides in New Orleans. Said boy gives his occupation as a Boss Carpenter, and says that he did, some time past, work in Mobile, Alabama.

Bill is a tall black fellow, of fine countenance—quick spoken—about 45 years of age—had on coarse negro clothes, without a coat—wore an old fur hat, and says he is a carpenter by trade.

Bill had a pass when taken, which is given by Dermot J. Brennan, permitting him to pass to Hankinson's plantation and to return to Vicksburg, which pass the boy says he found in the road.

The owner of said boy is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away—or he will be dealt with as the law directs.

T. T. YOUNG, Jailor of Carroll County.

Oct. 15, 1842. 32-tf.

We beg leave to inform our friends and the public, that we will open a House at Greenwood, Yazoo river, on the 15th of September next, under the style of STANCILL & BROTHER, for the purpose of carrying on a general RECEIVING & FORWARDING business. Any business entrusted to our care will receive proper attention. We will also keep on hand, an assortment of Heavy Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes, Groceries, Bagging, Bale Rope, &c.

NOTICE.

BY virtue of two Deeds of Trust from John L. Irwin and Lucy W. Irwin his wife, to us as Trustees, one dated the 17th day of March 1840, and the other dated the 6th of May 1840, and both duly recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the Probate Court of Carroll county, Mississippi, and also duly recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the Probate Court of Warren county, Mississippi, to secure to John W. Vick the payment of a certain sum of money therein mentioned; we will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Valley Plantation of the late John L. Irwin, in Carroll county, Mississippi, on the

23rd. November 1842,

the following described Lands and other property, to-wit:—

Section No. twenty-three, in township twenty, range two east, containing SIX HUNDRED AND FORTY ACRES;

The south west quarter of section fourteen; The south-east quarter of section fifteen; and The north half east half and north half west half of south east quarter of section fourteen, all in township twenty, range two east; containing FOUR HUNDRED ACRES, more or less.

—ALSO—

The following named Slaves, to-wit:—

- Matilda, Hester,
Sophia, Aggy,
Big Tom, Nancy & child,
Almira, Emily,
Harriet, Dan,
Griffin, Winny,
Matilda L. Margaret & inf't,
Joe, Hamilton,
Alex, Silas,
Henry, Delia and
Caroline, Jim,

—ALSO—

The stock of MULES, HORSES, &c., on said Plantation—ALSO, all the interest which the said John L. Irwin had in a Stock Farm, in co-partnership with John W. Kendall, consisting of Cattle, Hogs, Sheep and other Stock, number indefinite.

In like manner will also be sold by us, at the residence of the late John L. Irwin in Vicksburg, on the

29th of November, 1842,

The following negroes, to-wit:—Old Ben, Malinda, Sam, Lucy and infant, Julia, Sythe, Sarah, Octavia and two children, (Liza and Charles), and all the household and Kitchen furniture, and also the stock of Mules, Horses, &c; now remaining on the Old River Plantation of said John L. Irwin, or so much of the above property as will be sufficient to satisfy said Trust Deeds.

Selling as Trustees, we will convey such title only as we have by virtue of said Trust Deeds, which is believed to be good.

WILLIAM VICK, JOHN LANP, Trustees

May 2, 1842.—6m.

DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT, Of the State of Mississippi.

SUSANNA GRAHAM, Adm'r, &c., vs. EPHRAIM LOYD, et al.

UPON opening the matters of this bill, and it appearing that the defendants, George Lee and Pierre Hardy, are not inhabitants of this State, but reside beyond the limits thereof, so that the ordinary process of this Court cannot be executed on them, it is, therefore,

Ordered, That unless they be and appear before the Vice Chancellor, at the Court-Room at Carrollton, on the third Monday of December next, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint; the several allegations thereof, will be taken for confessed, and such order and decree made therein as the Vice Chancellor shall deem equitable and just.

And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be inserted once a week in the "Southern Pioneer" for two months successively. W. N. HEMINGWAY, Clerk. DRAKE & SHEPPARD, Solicitors. August 3, 1842. 22-2m.

DR. HULL'S Fever and Ague Pills.

A certain and speedy cure for Fever and Ague.

THE extensive prevalence in this country of that troublesome disease FEVER AND AGUE, or INTERMITTENT FEVER, and the vast amount of suffering and distress which it has occasioned, has naturally led to the adoption of many compounds and mixtures for its mitigation and relief. Among these some few have been found temporarily beneficial in particular cases while the great majority are not only utterly useless, but absolutely deleterious—in many instances operating as stimulants to the disease intended to be cured. In other cases the deleterious nature of the ingredients used in these empirical compounds, has been found extensively prejudicial to the constitution, not unfrequently resulting in other affections of a highly dangerous character.

It must be evident to all persons of reflection, that FEVER AND AGUE, to be treated successfully, must be approached scientifically, and with a full knowledge of the peculiar character of the disease, and particularly of the leading causes of its appearance. Though differing materially in many of its features from other fevers, INTERMITTENT FEVER, OR FEVER AND AGUE, is almost always accompanied by a deranged and sometimes an irritated condition of the digestive apparatus. This condition is indicated by a quick pulse, thirst, pain in the head and loins, and other evidences of fever.—To afford the desired relief by the adoption of a medicine calculated to operate upon the digestive organs, remove the afflicting disease, and correct and improve the tone of the stomach, the most earnest attention has recently been directed by several medical gentlemen of extensive experience, and the result of the investigation is the adoption of the preparation here recommended as HULL'S PILLS, which having been prepared with sole reference to this particular disease, and with strict regard to medical science, is admirably adapted to restore the deranged organs of the system to a healthy state, and of course to remove, simultaneously, both the disease and its causes.

In renewing the healthy action of the digestive organs the effect of this medicine is, operate in a highly beneficial manner, upon diseases originating in similar causes with Fever and Ague. Among these may be classed, Bowel Complaint, Dysentery, Heart-burn Flatulency of the Bowels, Want of Appetite, Night Sweats, Water Brash, and that most obstinate complaint, DYSPEPSIA; the extensive prevalence of which affliction, in this country, has become a matter of serious alarm. For all these diseases, these Pills are an excellent remedy; Each box contains 20 doses. Price, only One Dollar.

For sale by C. & G. STANCILL, Carrollton, April 19, 1842. 6-ly.

THE universal estimation in which these celebrated Pills are held, is satisfactorily demonstrated by the increasing demand for them in every State and section of the Union, and by the voluntary testimonials to their remarkable efficacy which are every where offered. It is not less from a deeply gratifying confidence that they are the means of extensive and inestimable good among his afflicted fellow creatures, than from interested considerations, that the proprietor of these pre-eminently successful medicines is desirous of keeping them constantly before the public eye. The sale of every additional box and bottle is a guarantee that some persons will be relieved from a greater or less degree of suffering, and be improved in general health for in no case of suffering from disease can they be taken in vain.—The proprietor has never known or been informed of an instance in which they have failed to do good.—In the most obstinate cases of chronic disease, such as chronic dyspepsia, torpid liver, rheumatism, asthma, nervous and bilious head-ache, costiveness, piles, general debility, scrofulous swellings and ulcers, neuralgia, salt rheum and all other chronic affections of the organs and membranes, they effect cures with a rapidity and permanency which few persons would theoretically believe, but to which thousands have testified from a happy experience. In colds and coughs, which if neglected, superinduce the most fatal diseases of the lungs, and indeed the vicera in general, these medicines, if taken but for three or four days never fail. Taken at night, they so promote the insensible perspiration, and so relieve the system of febrile action and feculent obstructions, as to produce a most delightful sense of convalescence in the morning and though the usual symptoms of a cold should particularly return during the day; the repetition of a suitable dose of the next hour of bed-time will almost invariably effect permanent relief, without further aid. Their effect upon fevers of a more acute and violent kind is not less sure and speedy if taken in proportionable quantity; and persons retiring to bed with inflammatory symptoms of the most alarming kind, will awake with the gratifying consciousness that the fierce enemy has been overthrown, and can easily be subdued. In the same way, visceral turgescence, though long established, and visceral inflammations, however critical, will yield—the former to small and the latter to large doses of these Pills; and so asthysical affections, hypochondriacism, restlessness, and very many other varieties of the Neurological class of diseases, yield to the efficacy of these Pills. Price, twenty-five cents per box, with full directions. For sale by C. & G. STANCILL, Carrollton, April 19, 1842. 6-ly.

Hull's Worm Lozenges.

PROVED in more than 1500 cases to be infallible, the certain Worm-destroying Medicines in use, and are the greatest discovery ever made for dispelling the various kinds of worms, that so frequently and distressingly annoy both children and adults.—Many diseases arise from worms, and occasion long and intense suffering and even death, without their ever being suspected: grown persons are very often afflicted with them and are doctored for various complaints, without any benefit; when one dose of these Lozenges would speedily cure them. They are an infallible remedy, and so pleasant to the taste that children will take them as readily as a common peppermint Lozenge.

SYMPTOMS OF WORMS.—Pain in the joints and limbs, offensive breath, picking at the nose, grinding of the teeth during sleep, and at time a paleness about the lips with flushed cheeks; bleeding at the nose, a gnawing sensation at the stomach, flashes of heat over the surface of the body, slight chills or shiverings, headache, drowsiness, vertigo, torpor, disturbed dreams, sudden starting in sleep with fright and screaming; with a troublesome cough, feverishness, thirst, plaid hue, fits, bad taste in the mouth, difficult breathing, pain in the stomach or bowels, fatigue, nausea, squeamishness, voracious appetite, leanness, bloated stomach or limbs, gripings, shooting pains in various parts of the body, a sense of some thing rising in the throat, itching of the anus towards night, a frequent desire to pass something from the bowels, and sometimes discharges slime and mucus.

READ THE FOLLOWING LETTERS.

New-York September 13th, 1841. DEAR DOCTOR.—According to your request, we have used your Lozenges in several cases of worms, and found them uniformly successful. We have no difficulty in getting children to take them, as they are perfectly pleasant. We shall use them in our practice whenever occasion offers believing them to be the best vermifuge medicine in use. We have also used your Cough Lozenges very extensively, and find them fully to answer the purpose you recommend them for.

We are yours, respectfully, ZACHARIAH B. LANE, M. D. W. E. PLEASANT, M. D. GREEN H. BARRY, M. D.

Dr. Smith knew a child that was cured of fits by these Lozenges, after three Years suffering, and when nothing else would give her the least relief.—He has used them in his practice for the last two years in several hundred cases, and always with success.—A boy on board of one of the New-Orleans packets was cured of fits by only one dose of them.

Mr. Fulson, of Spring street, cured three of his children of worms by only one box.

Captain Griffin, cured his child 8 years old, by only three doses: she had been given up by the physicians as incurable, and was fast wasting away, being almost reduced to a skeleton. The doctors could not tell what ailed the child, and the father, in reading the symptoms of worms, thought possibly they might be the cause of all the difficulty, and consequently applied to Dr. Hull, who gave her a box of his Worm Lozenges; after the first dose the child ran to her father, frightened at the large quantity of worms that came from her. She is now as well and hearty as any child, and no doubt has been saved from an early grave by only three doses of these Lozenges.

Mr. W. Hopewell, East Broadway, gave them to his child and they brought away worms by hundreds. Parents should always keep these Lozenges in the house, for they are the best medicine that can be administered to children afflicted with worms. Children will take them as readily as the most delicious sugar candy. Price, twenty-five cents a box, with full directions. For sale by C. & G. STANCILL, Carrollton, April 19 1842. 6-ly.

DR. HULL'S WORM LOZENGES.

WORMS! WORMS! WORMS!—To remove these troublesome and dangerous inhabitants of the stomach and bowels, which so often impair the health and destroy the lives of CHILDREN use Dr. Hull's Worm Lozenges, a certain and safe preparation for the removal of the various kinds of Worms, Dyspepsia, Sour Stomach, Want of Appetite, Infantile Fever and Ague, and Debility of the Stomach and Bowels and organs of Digestion. Price twenty-five cents per box, with full directions. For sale by C. & G. STANCILL, Carrollton April 19 1842. 6-ly.

DR. LACOUNTS VEGETABLE TOOTH-ACHE EXLIR.

A certain and immediate cure. DR. LACOUNT having appointed several agents for the sale of his valuable Drops for the cure of the Tooth-Ache, can with confidence recommend it as an infallible cure in all cases, however severe; giving relief in a very few minutes, and that too without any injury to the Teeth or Gums; it possesses the property of enlivening the Gums when in a morbid state, and of restoring a healthy and vigorous action. Price, fifty cents a vial. For sale by C. & G. STANCILL, Carrollton, April 19, 1842. 6-ly.

(by the Honorable Probate Court of Carroll county, at the October Term, 1842, of said Court.) Executor of the last will and testament of Howard B. Howse, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate will present them, duly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be forever barred.

JAMES T. HOWSE, Executor of H. B. Howse, Dec'd. October 6, 1842. 31-6w.

A LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post Office at Carrollton, Mississippi, on the 1st day of October, 1842, which if not taken out on or before the 1st day of January next, will be sent to the General Post Office as dead letters:—

- Fenelon Arnold, chris. anderson, w. & e. applewhite—2, s. d. alexander finckney atchison, thos. b. anderson, w. m. c. booton, jno. t. brown, sathaniel best, n. c. neasley, thos. m. bell, jno. a. binford, jas. blaakman, mrs. s. brown, w. barrow, rlfbd rushby, jno. bridges, brusley & thompson—2, stephen burke, a. s. bayley; l. b. bayley, jas. bayley, f. e. bell, thos. bradford, mrs. s. w. hobb, mrs. jane w. ballinger.— jno. c. campbell, sath cothran, v. m. cobora, morgan candle, jos w. comford, a. d. criswell, j. c. capshaw, washington carroll, w. m. corbin, allen clark, pennis carpenter, w. m. collins, jno. davidson, c. c. davidson, kev. w. m. duskins, omley dawson, rich'd eskridge, dr. elliot, miss. clarissa edmonds. dr. fisher, sam'l r. ferguson, solomon forehand, sam'l a. findley, jno ford. c. n. grider, simon c. green, jno. d. rich'd grantham, jno. w. glaze, mrs. a. m. goddard, j. t. green, nemmingsway, c'k, &c. a. a. halsey, niley noobler, Truman hilton, w. r. hutchison—2, franklin hubman, angeline hopkins, w. w. hughes, relix g. niatt; jno. r. humphries, Joel P. hilton, jno. hurland, w. m. holley, c. robert. j. s. johnson, Jesse w. jones, mrs. catharine jones, sam'l jenkins, thos. johnson, w. m. kirkwood, pan'l king, Alfred w. king, eugene kennedy, G. w. king, Maj. B. Kennedy, R. A. Kelly, Jos. H. King, Simon T. L. ne, G. Loying, Daily Loring, J. C. Lee, Wm. Leflore, Dr. E. Loyd, S. A. Long, sam'l lum, G. Leflore—2, Wm. N. Miller, Francis mahry, D. martin, jno. n. meriwether, jno. morrow—2, jno. munford, w. m. d. murdock—2, martin, lum & Co., A. L. martin, alex. mcAlister, Absalom Mitchell, c. j. no. mcAlister, abram w. moss, R. & j. matthews, plesant merrill, ruben mullin, martin y sanders, sam'l monder, jas. nason, harvey merritt, mrs. susan mearry, olliver retera, J. C. race, Alf. G. rarker, sterling rowell, chas. philips, H. petty, Mrs. c. rope, Mrs. Mary E. reake—2, Jas. rarker, miram siley, Hugh Rodgers, J. F. ransom, Jesse c. roberts, Wm. redditt, Peter redditt. Isaac c. stone, H. H. Smith, jno. c. Smith, sterling strange, pan'l stafford, G. w. Stokes, c. G. stovall, nic. stovall, shields & naviss, edwin c. smith, George sledge, G. F. shipp, Alfred st. venson, jno. stovall. Wm. Terry, Alfred thompson—2, s. eph. m. temple, Wm. thompson, triah ryson, miss matilda thompson, rerry d. wisdom. wood & redding, Geo. Wilds—2, E. s. watson, Wm. L. wheten, thos. warwick, Mrs. Amanda wadlington, Robert white, Davis wallow, Robert woods, solomon j. williams, J. E. wootton.

WM. SANDERS, P. M. 32-5t.

Carrollton, Mi., Oct. 1842.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned, (by the Honorable Probate Court of Carroll county,) at the September Term, 1842, on the Estate of William H. Ray, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them duly authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be forever barred.

JOHN B. RAY, Adm'r Of Wm. H. Ray, deceased. 27-6t

Carrollton, Sept. 6, 1842.

COME AND BUY.

A FAMILY CARRIAGE, second hand, and of good quality, for sale very low for cash.— Enquire at this office. July 9th, 1842. 18-tf.

Life and Speeches of Henry Clay.

"Star of the West! A million eyes Are turning gladly unto him: The shrine of old idolatries Before his kindling light grows dim! And men awake as from a dream, Or meteors dazzling to betray And bow before his purer beam. The earnest of a better day."

The subscriber commenced on the first of August the publication of the LIFE and SPEECHES of HENRY CLAY, from his earliest entrance into public life down to his late masterly efforts in the United States Senate, and at Lexington, Ky., with an Appendix containing the Official proceedings of the Convention lately held in North Carolina, and of the Meeting held in this city, on Wednesday evening, June 22, for the purpose of nominating him as a Candidate for the Presidency in 1844. The work will contain a LIFE of HENRY CLAY, by one of his most distinguished friends in Congress. It will be embellished with an ACCURATE AND BEAUTIFUL PORTRAIT, Engraved on Steel by J. F. E. PRUN'HOMME, from an Original Painting by G. LINEX. A VIEW of HIS BIRTH-PLACE, HANOVER, VA., Engraved on Steel by J. N. GIMBREDE, from an Original Drawing. A VIEW of HIS PRESENT RESIDENCE, ASHLAND, KY. Engraved on Steel by A. HALBERT, from an Original Drawing. It will be published in WEEKLY NUMBERS, of FORTY-EIGHT PAGES each, neatly stitched in an elegant cover, and delivered to subscribers at the low price of TWELVE AND A HALF CENTS per number, payable on delivery. It will be completed in twenty numbers.

JAMES B. SWAIN, Publisher. August 1, 1842. No. 68 Barclay Street.

In General Committee of Democratic Whig Young Men, of the City and County of New York, Friday Evening, July 1, 1842.

Resolved, That this Committee approve of the publication of the LIFE and SPEECHES of the Hon. HENRY CLAY, by James B. Swain, of New York, and recommend the same to the members of the Democratic Whig Party, as a Complete, Authentic, and Valuable record of the eloquent productions of the great Orator and Statesman, whose patriotic Labors and Services they so eminently commemorate.

ALEX. W. BRADFORD, Chairman. SAMUEL D. JACKSON, } Secretaries. CHARLES K. TAYLOR, }

JOB PRINTING

Of every description, correctly executed at this office, with neatness and despatch, on the most reasonable terms.

THE PLANTERS' INDEX.

In the present state of our affairs, it is important that the people of the Southwest should husband all their resources; and it is now conceded, that the most effectual means of developing the highly favorable natural advantages of their position, will be more thoroughly understood by a concentration of all the agricultural intelligence and knowledge arising out of a well digested and systematic plan of operations. The better to effect this desirable end, it is suggested that a periodical publication, offered to the farmers and planters of the southwest, under the patronage of the Mississippi State Agricultural Society, having for its object the general diffusion of experimental and theoretical agricultural knowledge, would receive a cordial and unanimous support.— And that pecuniary considerations may not interfere with its circulation, it is proposed to establish a medium of communication for the interchange of sentiments, to agriculturists, at the very cheap rate of \$2 50 per annum.

The editorial department will be under the control of a member of the State Agricultural Society, Mr. JAMES E. WURTE, a gentleman well qualified for the task, and fully alive to the interests of Agriculture and Domestic Economy, as may be seen by many able articles in the Southern, over the signature of "Agriculture."

The work will be printed monthly, in octavo form of 32 pages each number, thus making a volume, each year, of about 400 pages. It will be put to press as soon as one thousand subscribers are obtained, being the smallest number that would warrant the undersigned to undertake the enterprise.

ALBERTSON, PALMER & BROWN, Publishers and proprietors of the Southern.

In accepting the editorial charge of the "PLANTERS' INDEX," the subscriber has done so with the hope of being useful to the community and of deriving advantage to himself.

He can promise but little, saving an untiring industry and devoted zeal towards the advancement of the great source of the prosperity and happiness of our country. The real prosperity of a State depends on its Agriculture; and the more closely the science is pursued, the more apparent will be the necessity of amplifying her bounties.

For consecutive years we have continued to increase our productions of cotton beyond the legitimate demand for the article. It is now conceded by all, that a more diversified husbandry should prevail.

An object of the Planters' Index being an improvement of the soil, the necessity of introducing a system or systems of manuring and rotation of crops, will receive such attention as the importance of the subject so imminently demands. As a means of producing a portion of the manure, the importance of improving the breed and condition of our stock, and the general introduction of such as will suit our wants, will necessarily demand attention.

Horticulture shall receive such notice as the wishes of the community shall seem to require.

The necessity of Geological Surveys of the Southwestern States, will be as forcibly presented to the public as the editor is capable of exhibiting. Without a knowledge of the constituents of the soil, we can never hope to excel in the noble science of Agriculture.—We are but groping in the dark.

Although not primarily designed for the object, yet is the cultivation of the minds of the youth of the country of such immense importance, that Education shall receive prominent attention.

In short, it is designed to "improve the soil and the mind."

The editor will further state, that to render the journal more certain of being useful, it is his intention to apply the proceeds of the compensation arising from conducting the work, to the cultivation of an EXPERIMENTAL FARM, the experience derived from which, shall be regularly communicated through the columns of the Index.

With these brief general views, as an exposure of the design of the work, we commit ourselves to the indulgence of the public. JAMES H. WHITE.

BOSTON NOTION AND GRAHAM'S MAGAZINE,

FOR ONLY \$5 00!!

We have made arrangements with the enterprising publisher of GRAHAM'S MAGAZINE, by which we are enabled to offer their Magazine and the Boston Notion for one year for only five dollars!

It is idle for us here to enter into a detail of the superior character of Graham's Magazine—it has in one year acquired a celebrity and extent of circulation beyond that of any periodical in the world. For the year 1842, the Magazine is to be increased in the number of its pages, and other important and valuable attractions are to be added to it.

Upon remitting \$5 to Mr. Graham, of Philadelphia, publisher of the Magazine, or to the undersigned, a copy of the Boston Notion, (quarto or folio edition) and Graham's Magazine for 1842, will be forwarded to you. The Quarto Notion will be sent you from No. 1, if you wish it.

GEO. ROBERTS, Publisher of the Boston Notion.

The next new works of BULWER, DICKENS, and JAMES, will be republished in the Boston Notion, quarto and folio editions. Heretofore, the works of these great authors have been almost entirely inaccessible to country readers, owing to the difficulties in receiving them in a book form. By subscribing to the Boston Notion, you will obtain the works of these master-minds at about one-tenth of what they would otherwise cost you.

NEW SUBSCRIBERS TO THE QUARTO.

We will furnish copies of the Quarto Notion No. 1, to all who may wish it—a few numbers only having as yet been published—and the two volumes at the end of the year will contain 632 pages, a sheet of contents and title page to each volume.