

THE GUARDIAN.
J. B. LEWIS
BOOTS, SHOES & HATS
 SHREVEPORT, LA.
 Sept. 24, 1879. 6y

Cash Receipts.
 We will continue to publish under this heading the names of those who each week pay up their subscriptions. This list is intended as a memorandum for the protection of subscribers against possible errors in our books:
 A C Hester, \$2 00 W M Spears, \$2 00
 S Y Gladney, 2 00 Nathan Smith, 2 00
 W B Jackson, 1 75 J R Kelley, 2 00
 John Miller, Jr, 2 00 J B Delaney, 2 00
 Fred Miller, Jr, 2 00 C W Chandler, 1 00
 Moses Green, 50

SPECIAL NOTICE.
 Each and every member of Homer Lodge No. 152, F. A. M., are requested to be present at our next regular meeting, SATURDAY, October 11th, 1879, at 7 o'clock p. m., as an important business will be presented for the action of the Lodge.
 By order of the W. M.
 B. D. HARRISON, Secy.
 Oct. 1, 1879. 7-2t

PUBLIC SPEAKING.
 JOHN R. PHIPPS, candidate for the Legislature, will address the people at the various appointments of the Registrar, published elsewhere, commencing on the 5th at Lisbon, and closing on the 15th at Holly Springs, and hopes there will be a large turnout of the people at each place.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR prevents the hair from falling out.
 A first-class Chicago Singer Sewing Machine, good as new, for sale. Apply at this office.

The only remedy that is certain to give you relief is the WONDERFUL 8 EIGHT.—Sold everywhere for one dollar per bottle.

If you need an antidote go to the drug store of JOE SHELTON, and get that practical druggist to compound the ingredients for you.

T. H. KORTUM is waiting with breathless patience for his large stock of jewelry from New York. The goods will be here by next issue.

J. C. DREW has just received, at his saloon, a lot of pure "SOL KELLER" Bourbon Whisky. You, who imbibe, give Jim a call, and try this fine brand.

No man can give more cotton in so short a time as J. B. MORELAND, and his mill and carding machine run at the same time, all doing first-rate work.

The greatest "Boom" in Homer is found at ELLINGTON'S family grocery. Crowds of people went to see it last Saturday, and all were surprised at the amount of goods their money bought.

Go to the house of W. S. HAVEN, No. 52 Texas street, Shreveport, La., and buy your saddlery, harness, wagons, buggies and plows—all of the very best material, and warranted when sold.

The mill, gin and foundry of F. U. & R. A. ALLEN, 64 miles north of Homer, move regularly and give satisfaction with every piece of work. See their card in another column. They gin cotton for 1-18th.

The panic stricken people broke for BROWN'S Hotel last Saturday; but Brown is ready for any emergency. He fed them till they could eat no more, and charged only a pittance for the accommodations.

FLORSHEIM BROS., No. 7 on the Levee, Shreveport, La., is a firm that deals in general merchandise, and always has on hand a large stock of whatever their customers need. There is no firm in that city with whom it is safer to do business.

FOSTER CARTER is the only man who ever clogged the market at Shreveport. Call at No. 30 Texas street, and see his large stock of Wheeler & Wilson No. 8 sewing machines, pictures, picture frames, and all kinds of fancy and ornamental goods.

If there is one firm in Shreveport that has more claims upon the people of North Louisiana than another, it is that of GREGG & FORD, cotton factors, general commission merchants, and dealers in groceries and western produce. He who buys from them does not buy from any one else.

F. M. Freeman has at last come to the front, and asks the voters of Claiborne to consider his claims for the office of Sheriff at next election. Mr. Freeman is a true and tried man, and will cause many who have partially decided for whom they will vote to reconsider. And should the people select him for the responsible position which he seeks, he will be found performing the duties of the Sheriff with willing intelligence.

Fire and Marine Insurance.
 A CURRIE, of Shreveport, La., is one of the most reliable Insurance Agents in the South. He has the full confidence of all who deal with him. He is authorized by the following companies which he represents to take country risks: The Liverpool, London & Globe, of England; the Continental, of New York; and St. Paul Fire and Marine, of Minnesota. All applications for insurance of property should be addressed to A. CURRIE, Shreveport, La.

[Written for the GUARDIAN.]
BEARS.
 BY M. V. HEPP.

"Mily, Mily Bright," she said,
 And her voice rang sweet and clear,
 "Three score and ten," the answer came
 From a playmate standing near.
 One had curls of chestnut brown,
 The other, like burnished gold;
 And both were fair as fair could be,
 Formed in Nature's choicest mold.
 "Look! there are bears on the way!"
 And they bounded swiftly past.
 Out rushed the bears, with laugh and shout,
 And they fiercely held them fast;
 But they didn't hurt them much,
 In their mimic fight, that day.
 I kissed each brow, asked God to keep
 More dangerous bears away.
 Twenty years have passed since then—
 The babies are women now;
 The bears they've met, along life's way,
 Are fiercer bears, I will trow.
 One met whisky, woe and want—
 The other, neglect and pride;
 Go where they may, do what they will,
 Bears walk ever by their side.
 Seeming strong and brave they walk,
 And doing their life's work well;
 Of the sad hours, and heartache's—all
 I'll wait 'till the angels tell.
 Many times, I know, they've wished
 They had died in childhood's day,
 When joy and shout, and merry laugh,
 Would frighten all bears away.

[Communicated.]
Social Drinking.

There is perhaps no custom that obtains in good society half so deleterious to the best interests of that society as the habit of social drinking. It is all the more deleterious and dangerous because of its respectable character, or has the practical approval of a great number of good men. Man is a social being, noble and generous spirits delight to minister to his pleasure by tokens of kindness and good will. Those of noble nature and liberal spirit are peculiarly liable to convivial excesses. They desire to please by expressions of interest and regard which is all the more grateful when furnished at a sacrifice of means or comfort. These manifestations of kindness are met by the noble and generous with reciprocal feelings. Inebriating beverages are the agents often employed to express this kindness of heart. The sentiment is all right and the original motive is good, but observation and experience have taught many of us that very serious and ruinous results are inseparably associated with the practice. The tide of intemperance obtains great force and volume as it advances. At first it is seen and regarded only as the tinsy rill on the mountain side, amid the cooling and refreshing shade where social flowers bloom and bear luscious fruit, but the little stream continually tends downward, widening and deepening, with accelerated force until it sweeps with almost irresistible power into the gulf of wretchedness and ruin. What to thousands was the seeming cement of friendship and cultivation of the social graces, proves a snare from which the unhappy victims rarely escape. From these considerations, the correctness of which we think is apparent to all observing minds, it is manifestly the duty of all good men, lovers of their race, to avoid this rock upon which so many thousands have split and gone down to depths of shame and infamy, complete wrecks, mental, moral and physical, to rise no more.

Proceedings of the Executive Committee.

HOMER, LA., Sept. 27, 1879.
 The Parish Democratic Executive Committee met at the Court-house.
 Present: Wm. Sellers, Thos. Price, Ben. R. Coleman, J. H. Chappell, J. H. Jordan and B. H. McCasland.
 Capt. Thos. Price was elected chairman, and M. R. Bryan requested to act as temporary secretary.
 Mr. Ben. R. Coleman was elected permanent secretary.
 The committee then proceeded to appoint the following commissioners to hold an election for delegates to the convention provided for by the mass meeting of to-day, election to be held on Saturday before the third Monday in October next:
 COMMISSIONERS:
 Ward 1—Sumnerfield: J. J. Glover, J. P. Hightower and Milton A. Talbot.
 Ward 2—Gordon: J. E. Moore, J. T. Tigner and O. P. Anderson.
 Ward 3—Blackburn's: A. Holloway, T. Bridgeman and John Ober.
 Ward 3—Haynesville: H. M. Longino, T. M. Brown and J. C. Byrd.
 Ward 4—Holly Springs: J. H. Curry, Jno. Miller, Jr, and G. W. Alexander.
 Ward 5—Athens: John McCleish, W. L. Kidd and Thos. Leatherman.
 Ward 6—Sandy Grove: J. G. Copeland, J. D. Henry and Jno. A. Lesueur.
 Ward 6—Macedonia: T. W. Howard, Sr, J. M. Sims and Mat Parritt.
 Ward 7—Homer: M. Rees Bryan, W. W. Arhuckle and B. D. Harrison.
 Ward 7—Arizona: J. W. Willis, W. J. Leslie and H. W. Montfey.
 Ward 8—Lisbon: A. B. Boykin, D. A. Williams and J. A. Aycock.
 Ward 8—Kimbelltown: J. W. Waugh, Jno. J. Eppinger and J. W. Cook.
 Commissioners must make returns to the "Executive Committee," at Homer, on Monday after election, by 10 o'clock a. m.
 The wards, under the resolution ordering the election, are entitled to the following representation:
 Ward 1—Twelve.....12 delegates
 2—Nine.....9 "
 3—Thirteen.....13 "
 4—Four.....4 "
 5—Seven.....7 "
 6—Eight.....8 "
 7—Seventeen.....17 "
 8—Six.....6 "
 Total.....76 "
 On motion, the meeting then adjourned until Monday after the third Saturday in October.
 THOS. PRICE, Chairman.
 M. REES BRYAN, Secy. pro tem.

New Advertisements.
Notice for Publication.
 LAND OFFICE AT NATCHITOCHESS, LA.,
 Sept. 23d, 1879.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, viz: Aaron Thomas Deloach, Homestead Entry No. 822, as adjoining farm, for the Southeast quarter of Northwest quarter Section 27, Township 23, Range 7 west, and names the following witnesses, viz: John Reeder of Claiborne parish, and C. C. McLeod of Claiborne parish.
 L. DUPLEX, Register.
 Oct. 1, 1879. 7-5t

WARNING NOTICE.
 ALL persons indebted to the estate of A. A. McCRANIE must come forward and settle at once, or their notes and accounts will be put in the hands of an attorney for collection.
 M. S. MCCRANIE, Tatrix.
 Sept. 24, 1879. 6-1t

WAGON AND CARRIAGESHOP.
 THE undersigned informs the people of Homer and surrounding country that he has just opened a shop as above, first door south of Ragland's Stable, where he is prepared to do any work in his line in the very style and at reasonable rates. He solicits patronage and warrants satisfaction.
 W. M. RANKIN.
 Sept. 24, 1879. 6-1t

STOP THE SCOUNDREL.
FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.
 ALF. DANIELS, a negro in the employ of J. L. Harrison, made an attempt to murder Harrison on Wednesday, the 17th inst., and is now at large. The above reward will be paid for his apprehension and delivery in any jail where we can get him.
 The negro is about 30 years old, a dark yellow color, 5 feet 6 or 8 inches high, pop-eyed, weighs about 160 pounds, quick spoken. He formerly lived near Camden, Ark., and he will probably try to make his way there. All the above parties live in Webster parish, La.; P. O. Shongoloo.
 J. L. HARRISON.
 Sept. 20, 1879. 6-1t

BEN LANDMAN,
 PROPRIETOR
PELICAN CLOTHING STORE,
 MEN'S, YOUTHS' and BOYS' CLOTHING,
 HATS, FURNISHING GOODS, ETC.,
 No. 26 Texas Street,
 (Next door to T. H. Morris' Drug Store.)
 SHREVEPORT, LA.
 Sept. 24, 1879. 6-4m21m

R. G. HOTCHKISS,
 No. 30 Texas St., Shreveport, La.,
 DEALER IN
 BOOKS, STATIONERY, FANCY GOODS,
 MUSIC, PERIODICALS, PAPERS.
 Subscriptions taken for American and Foreign Journals.
 Sept. 24, 1879. 6-1ym1

A. SOUR,
 38 Texas Street, Shreveport, La.,
 DEALER IN
China, Crockery and Glassware,
 STOVES, TINWARE, CUTLERY,
 WOOD AND WILLOW-WARE,
 Toys, Lamps, Coal Oil, and general House-Furnishing Goods.
 Sole Agent for the celebrated ACTIVE COOK STOVE.
 Sept. 24, 1879. 6-6mm1

J. C. BAKER,
 WITH
E. & B. JACOBS,
Cotton Factors,
 AND Importers and wholesale dealers in
ALL DRY GOODS, Notions, Groceries,
 Hardware, Cutlery, Guns, Boots, Shoes,
 Hats, Liquors, Tobacco and Segars, Texas
 street, Shreveport, La.
 Prompt attention given to all business
 entrusted to us, and liberal advances made
 on consignments of Cotton. 52-1y

MIL0 B. PARKER,
 WITH
E. D. McKELLAR,
Wholesale Grocer and Com-
mission Merchant,
 Cor. Levee and Texas sts., Shreveport, La.
 PROMPT personal attention given to all
 business entrusted to me. 52-1y

JAMES C. SOAPE,
 WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
Grocer, Cotton Factor,
 AND
General Commission Merchant,
 Corner Levee and Milam Sts.,
 SHREVEPORT, LA.
 LARGE, new and select assortment of
 choice GROCERIES and PLANTA-
 TION SUPPLIES always on hand and for
 sale at the lowest market prices.
 Sept. 24, 1879. 6-6mm1

James F. Utz, Joseph B. Smith.
UTZ & SMITH,
 Dealers in
Heavy & Shelf Hardware,
Machinery,
Iron Pipe and Fittings,
Agricultural Implements,
Mitchell Wagons,
Engineers' Supplies, Belting, &c.,
 Nos. 8, 10 and 12 Spring Street,
 SHREVEPORT, LA.
 Sept. 24, 1879. 6-1y

FLORSHEIM BROS.,
 DEALERS IN
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,
ROOTS AND SHOES,
PLANTATION SUPPLIES,
 No. 7 on the Levee,
 SHREVEPORT, LA.
 A FULL stock of all kinds of FURNI-
 TURE always on hand. 6-6mie
 Sept. 24, 1879.
CORN MILL, COTTON GIN and WOOL
CARDING, 34 miles southwest of Homer.
 Terms as heretofore.
 J. B. MORELAND.
 Homer, La., March 11, 1879. 30-1t

E. PHELPS,
 DEALER IN
Boots, Shoes and Hats,
Trunks and Valises,
Umbrellas, Canes, etc.,
 No. 21 Texas Street,
 SHREVEPORT, LA.
 September 24, 1879. 6-1y

The Cheapest Place in Shreveport to buy
DRY GOODS,
Clothing, Boots and Shoes,
 Is at the popular Dry Goods House of
S. G. DREYFUS,
 No. 21 Milam Street, next door to J. A. Jacobs,
 Where he will be pleased to meet his old friends and customers. He is also now ready to fill all orders entrusted to his care, and will guarantee satisfaction as usual. He will leave in two weeks for the East to buy a large SPRING and SUMMER Stock for Cash, and will offer special inducements to the wholesale trade. His place of business is now at his new stand, No. 21 Milam street, until his new house is built.
 January 13, 1879. 14-6m

THOS. H. MORRIS,
Wholesale and Retail Druggist,
 Shreveport, La.,
 KEEPS constantly on hand a complete assortment of everything pertaining to the DRUG BUSINESS. Also Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, Window Glass, and Druggist Glassware; Garden Seeds, Powder, Shot, Caps, Wads, Guns, Pistols, and fixed Ammunition—all of which are offered at lowest cash prices.
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W. S. HAVEN,
 MANUFACTURER OF
SADDLES AND HARNESS,
 DEALER IN
 LUEDINGHAUS' and other PLANTATION
 WAGONS, SPRING WAGONS,
 BUGGIES and PLOWS,
 No. 52 Texas Street, Shreveport, La.
 Sept. 17, 1879. 5y16l

S. F. GORDON,
 PRACTICAL
CHRONOMETER and WATCHMAKER,
 AND DEALER IN
 FINE WATCHES, CLOCKS, DIAMONDS,
 RICH JEWELRY and
 SOLID SILVERWARE,
 No. 27 Milam Street, (opposite Johnson's
 Bank,) SHREVEPORT, LA.
 Fine Watches Repaired, Rated and Regu-
 lated by transit observations. 5-5m6l
 Sept. 17, 1879.

J. D. Hammonds, J. M. Gaddis, J. Pinckney Smith.
HAMMONDS, GADDIS & CO.,
Cotton Factors
 AND
General Commission Merchants,
 65 and 67 Carondelet Street,
 NEW ORLEANS, LA.
 N. B.—Will make liberal advances and
 sell on consignment, Cotton, Sugar, Molasses,
 Rice, Tobacco, Wool, Grain, Live Stock
 and Country Produce of all kinds. Having
 favorable connections here and in the West
 for the purchase of supplies, all orders will
 receive strict attention, and the interest of
 patrons will be closely guarded in Price,
 Packing and Freight Contract.
 Sept. 17, 1879. 5y

VALUABLE PLACE FOR SALE.
 FOR SALE, Fifty Acres of Land at Ath-
 ens, in Claiborne parish. This land
 has valuable improvements—good Frame
 House with four rooms, excellent Barn,
 Stables, and other buildings. A Doctor's
 office in the yard. This property will be
 sold cheap for the cash.
 Apply to publisher of Guardian, or to
 DR. J. F. MOOTY,
 Fillmore, Bossier parish, La.
 Sept. 10, 1879. 4-1t

LOST.
 ONE NOTE, signed by Sol Honaton, by
 making his mark, for Fifty-five Dollars,
 in favor of Noah Moore, dated about
 March 20th, 1876, and attested by James
 Ford and Ed Coleman. Any person find-
 ing the same and returning to me will be
 suitably rewarded.
 NOAH MOORE.
 Sept. 6, 1879. 4-6t

JNO. E. MORRIS,
Receiving and Forwarding Merchant,
 TRENTON, LA.
 PERSONAL attention given to all Cotton
 and Freight entrusted to his care.
 July 9, 1879. 47-6m

MILLS, GIN and FOUNDRY,
 BY
F. U. & R. A. ALLEN.
 AT our mills, 64 miles North of Homer,
 we are now furnishing Lumber at reason-
 able rates; making better Meal and
 Flour than any other mill in the parish.
 We have the renowned Brown Gin, with
 all the modern improvements, and will gin
 cotton for the eighteenth. We are prepared
 to furnish excellent Foundry work, and
 can do any job in that line required in this
 country.
 We ask the patronage of the public, and
 will guarantee satisfaction.
 F. U. & R. A. ALLEN.
 July 30, 1879. 50y

WH. ENDERS,
Texas Street, near Levee, Shreveport,
 DEALER IN
 ALL classes and styles of HOUSEHOLD
FURNITURE, Window Shades, Wall
 Paper, Looking Glasses and Plates, Feath-
 ers, Mattresses, Cornice and Picture Mould-
 ings, and Children's Carriages.
 Glazed Sash, Doors and Blinds, a special-
 ty.
 All Goods at Bottom Prices.
GET YOUR JOB WORK
DONE
AT THIS OFFICE

NORTH LOUISIANA STAGE.
DATE OF FARE AND FREIGHT on the
North La. Stage Co. from Homer, La.,
after July 1st, 1878:
 GOING WEST:
 Homer to Minden, \$2 00
 to Bellevue, 4 00
 to Shreveport, 6 00
 Freight or extra Baggage:
 Homer to Minden, \$ 100 pounds, \$1 00
 to Bellevue, \$ 100 " 2 00
 to Shreveport, \$ 100 " 3 00
 GOING EAST:
 Homer to Vienna, \$3 00
 to Douglas, 4 00
 to Portaville, 5 00
 to Trenton or Monroe, 6 00
 Freight or extra Baggage:
 Homer to Vienna, \$ 100 B. \$1 50
 to Douglas, 2 00
 to Portaville, 3 00
 to Trenton or Monroe, 4 00
 Fifty lbs. baggage allowed to the pas-
 senger.
 J. D. EMERSON, Manager.

GREGG & FORD,
COTTON FACTORS,
 AND
General Commission Merchants,
 Dealers in
Groceries and
Western Produce,
 Agents for
Pratt's Improved Revolving Head Gin,
 No. 21 and 22 Levee,
 SHREVEPORT, LA.
 Oct. 16, 1878. 9-1y

AUG. J. BOGEL,
DRUGGIST,
 Cor. Texas and Market sts., Shreveport, La.
 (Sign of the "Golden Mortar.")
PATENT MEDICINES, Paints, Oils, Am-
 munition, Fishing-Tackle, Garden Sec-
 ds. Being the only regular graduate ph-
 armacy established in Shreveport, Physi-
 cians can rely on Pure and Fresh Drugs
 compounded in the best manner. 52-1y

Homer Masonic Institute
for Young Ladies.
 Twentieth Annual Session begins Sept. 3rd, 1879.
 Board and tuition per month of four
 weeks, including washing, lights, &c., \$15,
 in advance.
 Music on Piano, Organ, Guitar, or cul-
 tivation of the voice, included with the
 above, \$20 00, in advance.
 Tuition, 3, 4 and 5 dollars per month.
 Incidental fee per term, \$1—in advance.
 For further particulars, send for Cata-
 logue.
 T. S. SLIGH, A. M., Pres't.,
 Homer, Claiborne parish, La.
 Aug. 6, 1879. 52-y

HOMER COLLEGE.
THE TWENTIETH Scholastic year of
 this Institution begins the **Third Day**
of September next.
 R. A. SMITH, A. M., President.
 TERMS: Payable monthly in advance:
 Primary Tuition, per month.....\$3 00
 Intermediate " " ".....4 00
 Collegiate " " ".....5 00
 Contingent fee per session, in advance, 1 00
 Board, washing, fuel and lights, per
 month.....13 00
 Homer, La., July 23, 1879. 49-10

HOMER LODGE NO. 48, I. O. O. F.,
MEETS every Monday night at 8 o'clock,
 at the Lodge Hall, next door below
 Ragland's Stable.
 T. H. KORTUM, N. G.; H. C. MITCHELL,
 V. G.; J. HOMER JORDAN, Treasurer; B. M.
 MCHENRY, Secretary.
 Brethren in good standing in other
 Lodges are invited to attend.
 May 14, 1879. 39-3m

Important to the Public.
 THE undersigned is now running a Tri-
 Weekly HACK LINE from HOMER to
 MAGNOLIA, connecting at the latter place
 with a daily line to Hope. Commodious
 and comfortable hacks are provided—good
 teams and careful drivers. Hacks leave
 Homer Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays,
 and return the days following. Fare, \$4.
 I also am prepared to receive and accom-
 modate, in first class style, day and month-
 ly boarders and transient guests, at my
 Boarding House in Homer. Prices are reason-
 able, and fare and attention unexcep-
 tionable.
 T. P. HAMILTON.
 Homer, June 18, 1879. 44-

REGISTRATION.
 THE REGISTRATION BOOKS of the
 Parish of Claiborne will be opened as
 follows:
 At HOMER from Wednesday, October 1st,
 to Tuesday, October 7th, each day inclu-
 sive;
 LISBON, Wednesday, October 8;
 SUMMERFIELD, Thursday, October 9;
 GORDON, Friday, October 10;
 HAYNESVILLE, Saturday, October 11;
 ATHENS, Monday, October 13;
 MACEDONIA, Tuesday, October 14;
 HOLLY SPRINGS, Wednesday, Oct. 15;
 HOMER, from Thursday, October 16th,
 till Monday, November 24th, when regis-
 tration will close.
 Only those who failed to register in 1878
 and 1879, and those who have grown to
 majority or have acquired residence since,
 are required to register this year, it being
 only a revision of the old registration.
 A. B. LESUEUR,
 Assessor and Registrar of Claiborne.
 Aug. 27, 1879. 29y

NEW SALOON.
 THE PUBLIC AND MY FRIENDS ARE
 informed that I have fitted up an elegant
 BAR on the South-east corner of the
 Public Square—in the Maxey building—
 where I will supply the wants of all who
 call on me, with the PUREST WINES and
 LIQUORS ever sold in Homer—Fine Cigars
 at low prices—the best BEER made in the
 United States, and everything usually kept
 in a well regulated Saloon.
 I shall be grateful for all patronage ex-
 tended to me.
 MARTIN NALLE.
 April 16, 1879. 35-

For Sale.
 Eighty acres of unimproved up-land lying
 two miles south of Homer. A bargain
 can be had by early application at this
 office.
 July 20, 1879. 30-1y

CUMPSTON'S HOTEL,
 JAMES CUMPSTON, Proprietor,
 A. GUYNER, Clerk.
 Milam street, between Market and Spring,
 SHREVEPORT, LA.

OUACHITA HOUSE,
JULIUS ENNESENER, Prop'r,
 DeSiard St., MONROE, LA.
 HAS been newly furnished throughout.
 Table supplied with the best the mar-
 ket affords.
 TERMS:
 Per day.....\$2 00
 Single meals.....50
 Lodging per night.....50
 February 26, 1879. 28-y

MRS. H. HOLLAND,
 OF MONROE, LA.,
 WOULD respectfully inform the Ladies
 of Homer and Claiborne parish, that
 she keeps constantly on hand a fine stock of
MILLINERY & FANCY GOODS,
 consisting of Ladies', Misses' and Chil-
 dren's Hats and Bonnets, Flowers, Ribbons,
 Trimmings, (silk and crape)—also a full
 line of Ladies' and Children's ready made
 Dresses and Underwear of the best mate-
 rial. Also a full line of real Hair Brads,
 Frizzettes, Curles and Puffs, Lace Collars
 and Handkerchiefs, Bridal Wreaths and
 Veiling. All orders sent to me will be
 promptly and carefully attended to. My
 Hats can be seen at G. G. GILF's, Homer,
 La., and orders left with him will receive
 prompt attention.
 MRS. H. HOLLAND,
 Monroe, La.
 April 30, 1879. 37-6m

MISS M. A. FILES,
 DEALER IN
Millinery & Fancy Goods,
 RIBBONS, SILKS, STRAW and FELT
 Hoods, French Flowers, Black Crapes,
 Shoes, &c. Millinery and Fancy Goods a
 specialty. First quality custom work at
 low prices.
 Agent for Mme. Demorest's Reliable Pat-
 terns and Fashion Books. Subscriptions
 received for Demorest's Monthly Magazine.
 No. 25 Milam street, Shreveport, La.
 April 16, 1879. 35-6m

M. ROOS,
 Wholesale Dealer in
Havana & Domestic Cigars,
Tobacco, Pipes, Snuff,
Whiskies, Wines
and Brandies,
 No. 22 Texas Street,
 Shreveport, Louisiana.

C. H. ARDIS,
 WITH
HICKS & HOWELL,
COTTON FACTORS & GROCERS,
 No. 10 Texas street,
 SHREVEPORT, LA.
 Warehouse Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 Strand, corner
 of Commerce st.
 April 16, 1879. 34-4m1

THE BROWN COTTON GIN,
Feeders and Condensers
Victor and Great Western Cane
Mills and Evaporators
GALVANIZED SHEET-IRON, BELT-
ing, Gin-Gearing, &c.,
 Sent for circulars and prices.
UTZ & SMITH,
 Shreveport, La.
 July 20, 1879. 30-1y