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Liquors, assorted; and many other articles.—In fact, a general assortment of such articles, as are usually found in such houses, to which attention is particularly invited.
Terms being strictly cash, prices will be proportionately low. Additional fresh supplies will be received weekly. jy 7

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S. LOOMIS,
North side of the public square.
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SADDLES, BRIDLES, HARNESS, &c.
His stock of Leather has been selected with great care, and is of the best quality.
The Saddlery Hardware is direct from New York, and is of the latest style and pattern.
With competent and experienced workmen to manufacture this material, he hopes to give perfect satisfaction, and will warrant all work, both as to quality and execution.
CALL AND EXAMINE.
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I am fully prepared to furnish at short notice, METALLIC BURIAL CASES, and WOODEN COFFINS, on such terms as will insure me against any charge of extortion, from the unfortunate.
Personal attention given on all Burial occasions. a 28

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Carriages & Buggies made and repaired, BY CHARLES P. JARRETT.

HAVING superior facilities for the prompt and faithful execution of a strictly Carriage and Buggy making and repairing business, I invite public attention to my establishment. None but finished workmen are in my employ, and no inferior or old fashioned work will be found on hand.
Arrangements have been made for receiving the best material now in use, for completing every style of running gear, body, painting and trimming, which taste or wealth can desire.
Designs for Carriages, Buggies, Sulkeys, &c. on the latest and most fashionable plans can be seen at my shop. Call and see them.
An assortment of Northern made Buggies, always on hand.
All kinds of repairing done at the shortest notice to insure neatness and durability. All work warranted, with proper usage.
My terms are cash, or approved city acceptance.

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Wooden Coffins made to order, and every tation given on Funeral occasions. A fine Hearse always in readiness.
He can be found after night at the hotel of EVANS WHITE. a 22

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26 casks clear Sides, for sale by MILLS, CLEVELAND & Co.

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This is a legally incorporated institution, and has been in successful operation for about three years. The number of pupils has averaged about seventy-five of all ages. The buildings are of brick, beautifully located and in fine condition.
The Trustees have fixed the first of December, as the period at which they will make an appointment.
Applications may be addressed to J. B. Smith, F. Hardesty, and Wm. Silliman, who will give any desired information.
oct 18 WM. SILLIMAN, President.

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I. N. LEMON, Wholesale & Retail Dealer in Drugs, Medicines, and Chemicals.

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I offer goods equally as low as they can be obtained from any similar establishment in this section, all warranted to be FRESH AND GENUINE.
ORDERS FROM THE COUNTRY filled, and satisfaction guaranteed, with regard both to price and quality.
PHYSICIAN'S PRESCRIPTIONS will receive my personal attention at all hours of the day and night. a 24

LEGAL SALES.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana, seventh District Court, No. 2130.
Timothy O'Callaghan vs. Caleb O. Gayle.
BY VIRTUE of a writ of f. fa. to me directed, by the honorable court aforesaid, in the above entitled suit, I have seized and will offer for sale at the door of the court house in said parish, on the FIRST SATURDAY OF JANUARY, 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., the following property given up by the defendant to satisfy plaintiff's demand and all costs; to wit:
A certain negro woman by the name of Violet, and her four children, to-wit: Malitta, Martin, Adaline, and Jim, all slaves for life.
Terms of Sale.—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement.
dec 1, 1855 B. M. G. BROWN, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Louisiana—Parish of East Feliciana, 7th District Court, No. 1449.
Martha Holmes vs. Thomas Albritton.
BY VIRTUE of a writ of f. fa. issued in the above entitled suit from the honorable court aforesaid, directed to the sheriff of said parish, I have seized and will offer for sale at the door of the court house in said parish, on the FIRST SATURDAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., all the right, title, interest, and claim of the defendant, Thomas Albritton, in and to the following named and described property, to-wit:
One certain negro woman, by the name of LUCY, of black complexion.
Terms of Sale.—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement.
dec 1, 1855 B. M. G. BROWN, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana, Seventh District Court, No. 1542.
J. M. Wescott, Hart, Labatt & Co. transferees, vs. Wm. Lewis, et al.
BY VIRTUE of a writ of f. fa. to me directed from the honorable court aforesaid, in the above entitled suit, I have seized on and will offer for sale, at the door of the court house in said parish, on the FIRST SATURDAY OF JANUARY, 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M., all the right, title, interest, and claim of the defendant, Wm. Lewis, in and to the following named and described property, to-wit:
A certain negro man by the name of Stewart, aged about forty years, of black complexion, and a blacksmith, by trade.
Terms of Sale.—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement.
dec 1, 1855 B. M. G. BROWN, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana, Seventh District Court, No. 980.
M. Holmes, Administratrix, vs. J. B. Powers.
BY VIRTUE of a writ of f. fa. to me directed, from the honorable court aforesaid, in the above entitled cause, I will offer at sheriff's sale, at the door of the Court House, in said Parish, on the FIRST SATURDAY IN JANUARY, 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a. m. and 4 o'clock, p. m., all the right, title, interest, and claim of the defendant J. B. Powers, in and to the following described property, given up by said Powers to satisfy plaintiff's demand and all costs, to-wit:
A certain tract of land, situated, lying and being in said parish, on the Amite River, containing (160) one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, bounded on the north by J. B. Powers, on the east by lands of Henry Knox, on the south by lands of Augustus Cobb, on the west by lands of James Booker, or Public land.
Terms of Sale.—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement.
dec 1, 1855 B. M. G. BROWN, Sheriff.

BARGAINS TO CLOSE.
BEING desirous to close business here, I will give good bargains to CASH DEALERS. My stock is well assorted.
Those indebted to HARRIS & DEARMOND, or myself, will consult their interest and greatly oblige, by making early settlements, as the outstanding business must be closed without delay.
nov 24 J. G. DEARMOND.

AGENTS! AGENTS!! AGENTS!!!
PERSONS accustomed to procure subscribers for Books, Magazines, &c., or get up clubs for newspapers, are requested to send us their names and address, and we will forward them, free of charge, a specimen number of a publication for which they will find ready sale, and we will allow them a commission of 50 per cent for their services.
J. BRADFORD & BROTHER, 8 Courtland st. New York.
nov 24

DAGUERREAN LIKENESSES.
THE undersigned has taken rooms at the Union Hotel, and is prepared to take Daguerreotypes for those who may favor him with a call. He will only remain for the space of two or three weeks.
nov 24 E. LEVI.

ONE hundred coils machine Rope, just received, MILLS, CLEVELAND & Co.

TWENTY bales India Bagging, for sale by MILLS, CLEVELAND & Co.

HARNESS.
I HAVE a set of second hand double Harness, fit for a pair of large horses, which I will sell low or cash.
FRITZ, the Saddler.

GINGER BRANDY.
FOR SALE, by the subscriber, the celebrated Ginger Brandy, an excellent stomachic, and for persons afflicted with the Dyspepsia, it is valuable.
je 9 WM. GURNEY.

FRESH supply of pure Liquors, for medicinal uses, just received and for sale by LANGWORTHY & TILDON.
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CLOTHING, HATS, BOOTS, & SHOES.
THE LATEST styles of finest material and best finish, on hand and for sale by MILLS, CLEVELAND & Co.
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NEGRO SHOES.
LINSEYS, and Korseys, just received, and for sale by J. G. DEARMOND.

PENS, PENCILS, & PEN HOLDERS.
JUST received, a great variety of Pens, Pencils, and Pen holders, of every shape and kind. Every body can be suited. Call and buy.
oct 19 T. W. LEMON.

FELICIANA DEMOCRAT.

KNOW-NOTHINGISM IN THE SOUTH.

The South is now beginning to feel the baneful effects of Know-Nothingism. The seed which this dangerous party had cast into our soil with frightful rapidity, and is producing fruits the bitterness of which is being sensibly felt among all the truly national men of the Union. It has brought into agitation with renewed fury, the most vexed sectional issues, and succeeded in carrying to power a large number of its proelytes pledged to keep alive those questions; to keep them prominently before the people, and to exert all their efforts to promote their ultimate triumph. Never was Abolitionism more rampant than at the present time—never did the fell spirit of Abolitionism instil its poison with more certainty and effect.

Contrast the condition of the country with what it was two years ago, and how changed the scene! At that period our halls of legislation were in the keeping of the sturdy Democracy and National Whigs of the country. The enemies of the South and the advocates of negro philia, though a helpless minority, unheeded, contemned, attempted to revive the dangerous agitation of the slavery issue, but were foiled in their schemes, thanks to the unflinching devotion of Northern and Southern patriots.

A bill the object of which was to repeal a pseudo-compromise, which when interest required, was always discarded by the North and which infringed upon the Constitutional rights of the South was passed. The principles of that measure were essentially the same as those enunciated and advocated by the fathers and founders of the Republic; viz, that Congress had no right to determine whether slavery should exist or not in National Territories, but that the question should be left open for decision, according to the wishes and interests of the people residing therein. These were the doctrines laid down in the Kansas-Nebraska act, introduced by Richardson in the House and Douglass in the Senate. After a warm and protracted debate the measure was carried, approved by the Executive, and received the sanction of all the Union loving men of the country. It was thought by them that the vexed question of slavery, decided as it had been, on principles which injured the interests of neither section of the land, and which was left entirely to the arbitration of the people would have received its final quietus.

But such was not the case. The north, or rather that portion of it under which Blue Laws, Abolitionism, and the spirit of faction now flourishes in unchecked growth conceived the design of carrying out its projects under a guise so novel and attractive as easily to delude the unwary and the ignorant. The snare which they adopted was Know-Nothingism. By arraying the religious prejudices of the descendants of the Puritans against a denomination which was represented as silently working the downfall of the Republic; by insidiously instilling into the minds of the laboring classes feelings of envy and jealousy against those mechanics of foreign birth whose avocations frequently brought them in contact, and perhaps, in competition with them and by skillfully using the lever of anti-slavery upon the fulcrum of sectional hatreds and passions, the leaders of the movement soon saw hundreds and thousands of young enthusiasts, grey headed abolitionists, disappointed demagogues and ambitious wire-pullers flocking to their standards and arraying themselves into a body, the invincibility of which was said to be unquestionable.—What was the result? It can be clearly seen in the Congress now in session. Every Northern Representative who stood upon the Nebraska platform, and had the patriotism to vote according to the dictates of conscience and equity was unmercifully sacrificed, and a rampant abolitionist elected in his stead. It was immaterial to what political creed he might have been attached, whether that of Democracy or Whiggery; Know-Nothingism needed victims, and ruthlessly glutted its vengeance. This was the first stab inflicted upon the vitals of the South by that heterogeneous conglomeration of isms, miscalled the "American Party"—a stab from which she has not entirely recovered, and a repetition of which it will require the undivided exertions of the Democracy to avert.

The difficulties which are now occurring in Kansas—the state of anarchy and disorder, into which this unhappy territory has been plunged—may the civil war which threatens to break out at every moment, are undoubtedly the work of Know-Nothingism. It is a matter of fact which events in the North have fully corroborated, that the principal aim and purpose of the new