The Feliciana Democrat.

SMART CHILDREN.

It is too often the death warrant, such as the condemned stupidly looks at—fatal, yet beyond his comprehension. What should a child three years old—nay, five or six years old—be taught? Strong meats for weak digestions make not bodily strength.

Let there be nursery tales and nursery rhymes. I would say to every parent, especially every mother, sing to your children tell them pleasant stories; if in the country be not too careful lest they get a little dirt upon their hands and clothes: earth is very much akin to us all, and in children's out of door plays soils them not inwardly. There is in it a kind of consanguinity between all creatures; by it we touch upon the pure sympathy of our first substance, and beget a kindness for our poor relations, the brutes.

Let children have a free open air sport, and fear not though they make acquaintance with the pigs, the donkeys, and the chickens: they may form worse friendship with wiser looking ones. Encourage a familiarity with all that love them; dumb animals love children, and children love them. There is a language among them which the world's language obliterates in the elders. It is of more importance that you should make your children loving than that you should make them wise. Above all things, make them loving; and then, parents, if you become old—poor, these will be better than friends that will neglect you. Children brought up lovingly at your knees will never shut their doors upon you and point where they would have you go.

THE LAST YANKEE CRY.—No English! no Irish! No Germans! no Taxes! no Government! no Babies! Know Nothing!!!

AN AXE-IDENTAL JOKE.—We met a fool in the forest who had the audacity to ask us the following conundrum:

Why cannot the proprietor of this forest fell his own timber? Because no one is allowed to cut when its his own deal.

GAITER BOOTS.

BY ROBIN RATTLENRAIN, A. M.

O dainty foot!
O gaiter-boot!
To piety you're shocking;
I only know
Of one thing worse,
And that's a snow-white stocking.

So neat and clean
Together seen,
E'en stoics must agree
To you to vote,
What Gray once wrote,
A handsome L-E-G.

The *lasting* theme
Or midnight dream,
The very *soul* of song;
Man wants you little
Here below,
And never wants you long.

By Plato ne'er
Sent tripping here;
By Pluto rather given,
To lead poor man
(An easy plan)
To any place but Heaven.

Yet still I vow
There's magic now
About a woman's foot,
And cunning was
The wizard hand
That made a gaiter-boot.

For while the knave
The gaiter gave
To mortals to ensnare them,
Mankind he hoaxed,
And even coaxed
The Angels down to wear them.

—*Knickerbocker.*

☞ A Quaker on hearing a person curse a particular piece of road, went up to him and said, "Friend, I am under obligations to thee. What thou hast done I would have done, but my religion forbids me. Don't let thy conscience, however bridle thee. Give thy tongue, wings, and suffer not the prejudices of others to paralyze the tongue of justice and long suffering—yea, verily.

☞ The finest idea of a thunder storm extant, is when Wiggins came home tight.

Now Wiggins is a teacher, and had been to a temperance meeting and had eat too much lemonade, or something, he came into the room among his wife and daughters; and just then tumbled over the cradle and fell whop on the floor; after a while he rose and said —"Wife are you hurt?" "No." "Girls are you hurt?" "No." "Terrible clap of thunder wasn't it?"

☞ Simkinson says that his wife "dont" generally wear the breeches—but she does "figuratively." The six dollars that Simkinson had laid aside for a new pair of pants Mrs. S. invested in a duck of a bonnet." Vel, 'twas all in the family.

☞ A college student was recently joking a young man of his acquaintance for learning the shoemaker's trade, telling him his "works were trampled under foot;" young shoemaker replied—"and yet we are the *sole* promoters of *your* understanding."

☞ "Ma, here's a word in the paper, I want to know." "What is a homicide?"

"A homicide, child, child, is one who murders another."

"Well, ma, when Jack Nebb killed our Tom cat; that was a Tommyside, wasn't it?"

"Pshaw, child, go away, and don't bother me."

☞ A witty gentleman, speaking of a friend, who was prostrated by illness, remarked that "he could hardly recover, since his constitution is all gone." "If his constitution is all gone," said a bystander," "I do not see how he lives at all." "Oh!" replied the wag, "he lives on the by-laws.'

MISCELLANEOUS.

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between Thomas J. Worsham, and James M. Dixon, in the Hotel business in Clinton, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 25th April.

Thomas J. Worsham will continue the business on his own account, and respectfully solicits a continuance of the patronage of the public.

THOMAS J. WORSHAM,
m 3 JAMES M. DIXON.

THE UNION HOTEL FOR SALE.

THOSE fine buildings which have been recently repaired and put in complete order, are now offered for sale.

The buildings are spacious and well fitted for the Hotel business, being central in their location, and also provided with every necessary convenience for carrying on the business successfully.

A large and commodious stable, good well, and all requisite appurtenances are on the premises.

For terms, apply at the Hotel, or to
may 5 JAMES M. DXION.

For the Spring and Summer.

NEW GOODS.

NOW receiving and opening, a splendid supply of new goods for the

SPRING AND SUMMER,

at the old established house of LEVI, BLOOM, & Co., which will be disposed of on the most reasonable terms.

Silk Tissue,
Bareges, flowered and plain,
Plain jacconet' organdie, and dotted muslin,
Printed ribbed muslin,
Plaid and check ginghams,
Edging and thread lace,
Ladies collars, chemisettes and under sleeves
Handkerchiefs, plain and embroidered,
Silk do
Gents' cravats, all kinds,
Bonnet, cap, and belt Ribbons,
Trimmings for ladies dresses,
Irish Linens; brown, plaid, and check, do.
French and Attakapas cottonades,
Brown and bleached domestics,
Fancy articles, &c.
Spices, Snuffs,
All kinds of fancy Linens for pants,
Perfumery, a large and superior assortment.

CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES,

A large and superior stock of fashionable Clothing, and Hats, direct from New York.

Gents' boots, brogans, and shoes,
Ladies gaiters and bootees,
Children's shoes,

The trading community are respectfully invited to give them a call.

a 14 LEVI, BLOOM, & Co.

WASHINGTON REMEDY,
WASHINGTON SALVE,
WASHINGTON RHEUMATIC OINTMENT,

FOR cure of Diseases of the Skin, Tetter, Ringworm, Purifying the Blood, and Rheumatism. Just received and for sale by

LANGWORTHY & TILDON,
may 26 Sole Agents.

SHERMAN'S PATENT TRUSSES, and rupture remedy, shoulder braces, lace and elastic abdominal supporters, body braces, &c., for sale by
a 28 LANGWORTHY & TILDON.

GINGER BRANDY.

AN excellent stomachic and tonic, for sale by
aug4 LANGWORTHY & TILDON

HAVANA CIGARS.

A LOT of Havana Cigars, received last night, by
H. S. BEECHENO & Co.
aug 4 (Late Sadler's.)

125 BBLS. *St. Louis* superfine Flour, just received by MILLS, CLEVELAND & Co.

300 SACKS Egyptian seed Oats, just received from St. Louis, for sale by
MILLS, CLEVELAND & Co.

COPY BOOKS, with and without copies, for sale by I. N. LEMON.

JAY'S Family Prayer Books, for sale by I. N. LEMON.

6 DOZ. Russell's, Clark & Co's, genuine Cod Liver Oil, for sale by I. N. LEMON.

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.

ON hand, and for sale, a fine assortment of Groceries and Provisions, which will be sold low, for Cash. WM. GURNEY,

SYRUPS.

THE undersigned has the following varieties of the most delicious syrups, viz.
VANILLA, ORANGE, LEMON, GINGER, BANANA PEAR, &c. &c.
which he offers at a lower rate than any other house, and in quantities to suit the buyer.
je 2 WM. GURNEY.

POCKET BOOKS, Pocket Knives, Pocket Combs, and Pocket scissors, for sale by
oct 13 I. N. LEMON.

SUPERIOR writing Ink, black and red,
Extra reboiled melasses,
Horse and shoe brushes, curry combs,
Fine and redding combs, and various articles, just received and for sale by J. G. DEARMOND.

LIQUORS

OF all kinds and qualities, a complete assortment, on hand. J. G. DEARMOND.

POCKET and Table Cutlery, just received and for sale by J. G. DEARMOND.

FAMILY GROCERIES, &c.

CONFECTIONARY AND FAMILY GROCERY.

THE UNDERSIGNED, thankful for the liberal patronage which he has received for a series of years during which his efforts to please and accommodate, he trusts, has afforded general satisfaction, with the view of increasing that approbation and support has made large and valuable additions to his present extensive assortment.

He is prepared to furnish Balls, Soirees, Weddings, Assemblies, Dinner Parties (public or private), and social gatherings, of whatever kind, with every article required.

It would be to the interest of country merchants and others, to call, examine, and leave their orders.

CONFECTIONARY.

Candies, assorted	Ginger, Canton
Rock candy	do Havana
Cakes & pastry, ass'd	Raisins, Layens & M.R.
Sugar plums do	Cherries in Brandy
Preserves in syrup	Cinnamon and Spice
do Brandy	Strawberry cordial
Candies, new style	Raspberry do
Cordials ass'd, superior	Orgeat do
do common	Currants
Muscat wine	Citron, preserved
Currant jelly	Cloves and nutmegs
Quince do	Almonds, pecans
Orange do	Essences; lemon, rose
Guava do	Rose water, &c. &c.

GROCERIES.

Pork and bacon sides	Mess Beef, by the half
Shoulders and Hams	or whole barrell
Sugar cured Hams	Cheese and butter
Duffield's do	Coffee and tea
Stagg & Shay's do	Chocolate
Sugars; brown, loaf, crushed & powdered	Mackerel, in kits and barrels
Soap and candles	Salmon in kits
Golden syrup, retail	Dried apples
Sugar cured beef	Pickles, all sized jars
Ketchups, &c	

Comprising a full and superior assortment of superior FAMILY GROCERIES, all of which will be sold low, and in quantities to suit purchasers.

WINES AND LIQUORS.

Wines, old & choice	Brandy, superior
Port do do	do lower grades
Madeira do do	Whiskey, all qualities
Claret do do	Gin and rum, superior
Champagne do	Scotch Ale
Muscat do	London Porter
American Porter	Sweet Oil, in half and
do Ale	whole bottles

And a great variety of other articles for FAMILY use.
a14 WM. GURNEY.

A. SCHLANKER'S
CONFECTIONARY AND FAMILY GROCERY.

THE subscriber still continues the above business at the old stand on Commercial Row. Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore received from the citizens of Clinton, and the public generally, he will spare no efforts to deserve a continuance of the same.

He has lately made large additions to his former extensive stock which enables him to furnish every thing in his line of the best quality, and on the most reasonable terms.

Particular attention will be paid to the furnishing Balls, Dinners, Weddings, &c., with cakes, candies, sweetmeats, fruits, wines, cordials, and such other articles as may be wanted for such occasions.

Among other articles now in store, he has the following;

Candies, assorted.
Rock candy,
Cakes and pastry, assorted,
Confectionaries,
Preserves,
Raisins, best brand,
Cinnamon and spices,
Almonds and Pecans,
Cloves, nutmegs, and currants,
Cordials assorted, superior and common,
Strawberry, raspberry, orgeat, cordials,
Jellies; currant, quince, orange, guava,
Sugar cured hams of the best quality,
Mess beef, by barrell, or retail,
Cheese; Swiss, German, and western,
Coffee, tea, chocolate, butter,
Mackerel, salmon, dried apples,
Pickles, ketchups,
Soap, candles, star and spermaceti,
Wines; Port, Madeira, Claret, Champagne, Muscat,
Brandy, superior and common,
Whiskey, Gin, Rum,
Porter; London and American,
Ale; Scotch and American,
Sweet Oils, Sauces, prepared Mustard.

In short, every article in the line of confectionary and family groceries.

BREAD! BREAD!!

Fresh Bread will be furnished every morning, delivered at the residences of those who may desire it. All orders left at the Store, will be punctually attended to.
may 5 A. SCHLANKER.

BOOKS, BOOKS.

FASHION AND FAMINE, by Mrs. Stephons,
Mammon, or the hardships of an Heiress, by Mrs. Gore,
Grace Aguilar's works,
Fudge Doings, by Ike Marvel,
Botany of the southern states, by Darby,
Kame's elements of criticism,
Life of Sam. Houston.
Masonic charts,
Odd Fellows manual, do Offering.
je 9 NAUMAN & STRAUSS.

PICKLES!!!

THE best kind of *pure* white wine Vinegar; to be procured of BEECHENO & Co.
je 14 (Late Sadler's,) Brick Row.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DESIRABLE TOWN RESIDENCE
For Sale or for Rent.

MY FAMILY RESIDENCE in the town of Clinton, in which I am now living, including the entire premises, lot, dwelling house, kitchen, store-rooms, carriage houses, stables, cribs, and flower and kitchen gardens, besides all other appurtenances necessary and convenient for a comfortable family residence.

The lot is situated just near enough to the public square to be both convenient and retired; measures seventy-five feet front by three hundred back, bounded on the east, north and south by a public street, and on the west by the residence of D. C. Hardee, Esqr.

The dwelling house is two stories high, is large and airy, raised several feet off of the ground, to admit the free passage of air underneath. It contains eight large rooms, four above, and four below; four measures eighteen feet square, and four are seventeen by eighteen. There are also two large halls, one above, and one below stairs. Also two balconies, both on the upper story, one in front, the other in the rear of the house, with a piazza on the lower story, fronting the street.

This house was built for a family residence, and every attention was paid to the construction of every portion of it, with a view to beauty of structure, comfort and health. No residence can be found in the Parish surpassing it ni these particulars.

The kitchen is large and commodious, containing four extra rooms.

There is a most excellent well on the premises, affording water in good quantities, amply sufficient for all family purposes.

The entire establishment built in the fall of 1853, is entirely new and in an admirable state of repair.

I will also sell all my kitchen and household furniture, comprising: sofas, chairs, tables, window curtains, of fine quality, selected for my own use, &c. &c., on the most reasonable terms, and in lots to suit the purchaser.

The house and fixtures are insured to the 7th of May, 1856. The purchaser will have the benefit of the insurance. A. LEVI.

For further particulars inquire at the store of
je9 A. LEVI, BLOOM, & CO.

WORMS, MEYER & Co.

HAVE recently removed from their old stand, to the store formerly occupied by M. BLOOM, where they keep constantly on hand, a complete assortment of

FANCY AND STAPLE GOODS,

CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, GROCERIES, &c.

They are now well situated to offer every facility in their line of business and accommodate those who may favor them with a call.
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O. P. LANGWORTHY. [1855.] NORWOOD TILDON
LANGWORTHY & TILDON,
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Music and Musical instruments.
Paints, Oil, Lead, and Varnish,
Brushes of all kinds,
Fine Cutlery, Razors, and Soap.
☞ See Advertisement on fourth page.
a14 *BRICK ROW*—CLINTON, LA.

FINE WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, &c. &c.

ALWAYS ON HAND, and for sale by the subscriber, a general assortment of

FINE GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, SPECTACLES, &c.

Ladies and Gentlemen's fine Breast Pins,
Ear rings, Finger rings, Studs,
Watch keys, Snaps,
Gold and silver Pencils, with or without pens,
Gold Lockets, Thimbles,
German silver Spectacles,

Together with a variety of other fine goods, warranted to be the articles *for which they are sold.*

The above stock was selected in New York and New Orleans by the subscriber, and is the largest and most superior ever offered in thi market.

CALL AND EXAMINE.

☞ WATCHES, CLOCKS, AND JEWELRY, repaired and warranted.

His store is on Brick Row, one door north of W. W. Chapman & Co.
a 14 WILLIAM SADLER.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE undersigned has removed his trimming shop, to the building fronting his residence, on the Liberty road, a short distance north of the Union Hotel.

He is prepared to execute all orders entrusted to him, in his line of business, viz: trimming and painting carriages, buggies, &c.

He is also prepared to do all kinds of upholstery work, repairing furniture, varnishing and cleaning, and will have on hand and make to order all descriptions of mattrasses, &c.

All work done, warranted to be durable and at reasonable prices.
s 30. G. KOCH.

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CUTLERY, IRON, NAILS. CASTINGS,
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EAST SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE,—CLINTON, LA.

HAVE a full and complete assortment of every thing in their line. Their old customers and the public in general are requested to call. april 8

WINES, CORDIALS, & LIQUORS.

CALL and examine the subscriber's stock of Wines, Cordials, and Liquors. WM. GURNEY.

PERIODICALS.

UNITED STATES REVIEW & STATE RIGHTS REGISTER.

IN CONNECTION with the usual matter, political and literary, contained in the UNITED STATES REVIEW, we intend to republish all the state papers extant on the question of state rights as announced in the Virginia Resolutions of '98 and '99. The publication will embrace also the works of standard writers, such as John Taylor of Caroline, whose works are now nearly out of print. These valuable political data will be carefully collected, and when completed, will furnish a complete constitutional history of our Federal Union. The subscription list of the "*State-Rights Register*" (the prospectus of which was issued under the auspices of the Democratic members and senators in congress) will be furnished regularly with the *Review* from this date, and we hope each subscriber will feel that he is performing a duty to a great and sacred political principle by extending the list of names already on our books.

It is time for us to go go back to those pure principles upon which the great fabric of democracy rests; principles originated and defined by those who created, and best understood the true meaning of the constitution. It is time that the friends of state sovereignty should rally around some common nucleus, to resist the wild latitudinarianism of the age, and evident tendency of the republic towards concentration—to end at best in a mixed monarchy. It is time for each states-rights man to feel that he must give his own personal individual influence to the defense of the very corner-stone of our constitutional government.

We send the Review to the subscribers of the State-Rights Register, and feel confident that they will respond heartily to the call.

The true Democracy have a great battle to fight, a great principle of self-government to uphold, an inspired Constitution to defend. May each one of us feel that it is an individual duty.

LLOYD & CAMPBELL, *Publishers.*
WASHINGTON, April, 1855.
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