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RESPECTFULLY offers his professional services to the citizens of Clinton, and its vicinity. He can always be found, when not professionally engaged, at the Drug Store of Wm. Sadler, on Brick Row. a 14

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April 14

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Factors and General Commission Merchants,
No. 90 GRAVIER STREET,
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DESIRE to offer their services to Planters and Merchants, and promise attention and promptness to all assignments entrusted to their care. a 14
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WILL attend to the posting of books, making out accounts, collecting the same, and all other business connected therewith.
Refers to Mills, Cleveland & Co., Clinton.
" W. W. Chapman & Co., "
" Micajah Harris, New Orleans. nov 3

QUININE
AT New Orleans prices, by
nov 17 HENRY S. BECCHENO.

LEGAL SALES.

SUCCESSION SALE.

The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana.—7th District Court. No. 2369.

In the matter of the succession of Albert Wilson, deceased.

PURSUANT to an order of the aforesaid court, addressed to me herein, I will offer for sale at public auction, in the town of Port Hudson, on

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., all of the following described property appertaining to said succession, to wit: ONE HOUSE, and fractional part of Lot —, in Square No. 9, in the town of Port Hudson, the south end of said lot measuring 37 feet on Flynn street, running back 60 feet, the same now occupied as a Tailor shop.

Also: the north west part of same lot, measuring 56 feet on Flynn street, and 60 feet on Louisiana street.

Also: House, and fractional part of lot, in square No. 2, fronting on Alabama street, 26 feet front, with 8 feet lot back from the house.

One lot of clothing,
One lot of books,
1 carpet bag,
1 shot gun and fixtures,
1 rifle gun,
1 saddle and bridle,
1 block and fall,
1 chest and tools,
1 jug stove,
1 lot of lumber, (scattering,)
1 lot of stock horses.

TERMS OF SALE.

The personal property to be sold for cash; the real estate to be sold on a credit of three, six, and nine months, from day of sale, provided it brings the appraised value, and if it does not bring the appraised value, the same is to be re-offered immediately, on a credit of twelve months, purchasers to give approved personal security, and a mortgage to be retained on the same importing confession of judgment, to secure purchase price, and eight per cent interest after maturity until paid.

dec 22 J. C. JACKSON, Auctioneer.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana.—7th District Court. No. 2031.

John B. McCoy, G. P. McCoy, transferees, vs. Eli L. Haygood and wife.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias, issued in the above entitled suit, and to me directed by the Honorable court aforesaid, I have seized and will offer for sale at the door of the court house in said Parish, on the

FIRST SATURDAY IN FEBRUARY, 1856, at 11 o'clock, a. m., all the right, title, interest, and claim, of Eli L. Haygood and wife, in and to the following described property, to wit:

"A certain Lot of Ground acquired by W. H. Rist, of J. W. Taylor, by purchase, being a square acre, situated, lying, and being, in said Parish, in the vicinity of the town of Clinton, laid off in the following manner, to wit: to front on the road leading from Clinton to Liberty, commencing on said road, ten feet from the north east corner of Auguste Rist's lot, and running westwardly, parallel with said line of Auguste Rist, keeping the same distance from the said line for the purpose of a passage way between, so far as by making the other sides equal will just make one acre of ground, having the main road aforesaid for its eastern boundary.

Also: all the buildings and improvements thereon, and all the rents and revenues accruing therefrom.

Terms of Sale.—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement. B. M. G. BROWN, Sheriff. dec 29, 1855

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana.—7th District Court. No. 2231.

R. C. Campbell vs. Eunice L. Field.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias issued in the above entitled suit, to me directed by the Honorable Court aforesaid, I have seized and will offer for sale at the door of the court house in said Parish, on the

FIRST SATURDAY OF FEBRUARY, 1856, at 11 o'clock, a. m., all the right, title, interest, and claim of the defendant, Eunice L. Field, in and to the following slaves, to wit:

Man Price, aged 38 years,
Man John, aged 39 years,
Man Charles, aged 22 years,
Boy Harry, aged 18 years,
Woman Sarah, aged 40 years,
Girl Sally, aged 9 years,
Woman Rose, aged 40 years,
Woman Caroline, aged 40 years.

Property seized by order of plaintiff's attorney, to satisfy plaintiff's demand and all costs.

Terms of Sale.—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement. B. M. G. BROWN, Sheriff. dec 29, 1855

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 & D'ARMOND, or myself, will consult their interest and greatly oblige, by making early settlements, as the outstanding business must be settled without delay.
nov 24 J. G. D'ARMOND.

CHOICE LIQUORS.

MY stock of Wines, Brandy, Holland Gin, Jamaica Rum, all of the finest quality, is now complete.
nov 17 HENRY S. BECCHENO.

SUGAR CURED HAMS.

A LOT of sugar cured HAMS, on hand and for sale by
WM. GURNEY.

LEGAL SALES.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana.—7th District Court. No. 1458.

M. Harris vs. G. W. Catlett.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of seizure and sale, issued in the above entitled suit, directed by the Honorable court aforesaid, to the sheriff of the parish aforesaid, I will offer for sale at the door of the court house in said parish, on the

FIRST SATURDAY OF FEBRUARY, 1856, at 11 o'clock, a. m., all the right, title, interest, and claim, of the defendant, G. W. Catlett, in and to the following property to wit:

All that certain portion of the lot of ground, (conveyed to Catlett by Peacock,) lying and being in the Town of Jackson, said Parish, and known on the figurative plan of said town, as the western portion of Lot No. 2, in Square No. 2, of donated lands, having a front of 24 feet by a depth of 150 feet, together with all the improvements thereon.

Terms of Sale.—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement. B. M. G. BROWN, Sheriff. dec 29, 1855

PLANTATIONS FOR SALE.

I OFFER, at private sale, the place where I now reside, situated in the Parish of East Feliciana, on the waters of Bluff Creek, ten miles south east of the town of Clinton, containing two sections, with all the improvements thereon, consisting of a good dwelling, out houses, gin and mill, 240 acres being cleared; the place is a healthy location, well timbered and watered, and is as desirable as any in the parish. Either one or both sections will be sold, to suit purchasers. Also: that fine tract of land, on which the late Elizabeth Chaney resided, sold at Public sale on the 24th November last, situated on the banks of the river, in the above named Parish, 13 miles from the town of Clinton, containing 640 acres—good dwelling, gin, negro cabins, and other out houses, between two and three hundred acres being open and under good repair. For terms apply to the undersigned, on the premises.
DAVID M. CHANEY. dec 15

LAND FOR SALE.

ONE section of land, situated in the Parish of East Feliciana, within five miles of the town of Clinton, with all the improvements, necessary for comfort or convenience, the same being in good repair. Also: A section of land in the Parish of East Baton Rouge, near Greenwell springs. Both sections will be sold on reasonable terms. For further particulars, enquire at this office. dec 15

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.
I. N. LEMON. oct 18

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.

At the Clinton Drug Store.

FOR 1856, just received,
The Golden Gift,
The gem of Beauty,
The Magnolia,
Friendship's Offering,
The Garland,
The Amaranth,
The Keepsake,
The American Annual,
Book of Beauty,
The Thought Blossom,
Souvenir Gallery,
Book of the Bondoir,
Temperance Gift,
Christian Keepsake,
Memory's Gift,
The Moss Rose,
Ranks of the Brandywine, Token of Friendship,
Ladies of Memory,
The Ladies' Wreath,
Forget-me-not,
The Lodges' Gift,
Romance of American Landscape,
Album of the East, &c. &c.
All of the above are bound in gift and antique, morocco, and most beautifully illustrated.
For the Toilet we have decidedly the greatest and richest assortment of French and German wares, &c. we ever had, consisting in part of Toilet bottles, puff boxes, needle boxes, flower vases, cups, card cases, all of entirely new style, fine pomades and hair oils, French and German cologne, &c. &c.
Wool Baskets of all sizes, embroidered and plain.
Toys of every description and in the greatest abundance.
Ladies, gentlemen, and "little ones" call and examine and you will be sure to buy.
I. N. LEMON. dec 22

S. H. BUTLER,

PLAIN AND FANCY PAINTER,

CARRIAGE, HOUSE, & SIGN PAINTING,
Graining and Gilding, Glazing,
Transparent Window Shades,
China White, or Porcelain Finish,
Paper Hanging, Ornamental Painting,
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And all kinds of plain and fancy work, done in the neatest and most durable manner, and shortest notice.
All colors of paint in small quantities, ready for use for the accommodation of those who prefer using it themselves.
He can always be found that Carriage Manufacturing of C. M. Jarrett. aug 25

JOHN R. DUFROCC,
GENERAL AGENT & AUCTIONEER,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

WILL attend to posting books, drawing and collecting accounts, writing leases, deeds, &c. Also any business to be transacted with the State Government, redeeming Lands forfeited for Taxes, &c.
Orders left with J. B. Saus, J. P., will be promptly attended to. a 21

SYRUPS.

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

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.

ON hand, and for sale, a fine assortment of Groceries and Provisions, which will be sold low for Cash.
WM. GURNEY. a 12

MISCELLANEOUS.

CONSUMPTION.

SUCCESSFULLY TREATED BY INHALATION OF

MEDICATED VAPORS, BY JOHNSON STEWART ROSE, Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians and for years, senior Physician in the London Royal Infirmary for the diseases of the lungs.

In this age of progress, medical science has contributed her full share to the general welfare, and that which shines resplendent, the brightest jewel in her diadem, is Medicated Vapor Inhalation, in the treatment of consumption and kindred affections; the treatment heretofore pursued has been faulty and woefully inefficient; the stomach being made the receptacle of nauseous compounds, oils, and a host of other nostrums; all these being expected to act upon the lungs; the failure to eradicate, or even to stop the ravages of the disease, in nearly every case of well developed consumption, is surely warning enough to the consumptive to shun such a treatment. The disease is not in the stomach, but in the Lungs; common sense will then at once teach you that medicine applied in the form of Vapor directly to the diseased surface of the lungs, will be far more effectual in removing the disease than medicine taken into the stomach. In treating diseases of the lungs, the success of the Medicated Vapor Inhalation exceeds my most sanguine expectations, and I earnestly appeal to the intelligence of all afflicted, or who may have the germs of the disease within them, to embrace at once the soothing, healing and successful system of Medicated Vapor Inhalation, as the only Ark of Refuge for the consumptive. I offer to put it within the reach of all, and can so arrange it that the invalid is never required to leave home, where the bond of friendship and affection tends so much to aid the physician's efforts. Where there is life there is not assured hope for the most seemingly hopeless cases, as throughout all the stages of this insidious disease, the wonderful and beneficial effects of this treatment are soon apparent. In cases of Bronchitis, Asthma, &c., the inhaling of powders and vapors has been eminently successful, and to those suffering under any of the above mentioned complaints, I can guarantee certain and speedy relief. I have pleasure in referring to 207 names, residents of New York and neighborhood, who have been restored to vigorous health. About one third of the above mentioned, according to the patient's own statements, were considered hopeless cases. The Inhalation method is soothing, safe and speedy, and consists in the administration of medicine in such a manner that they are conveyed in the form of vapor and produce their action at the seat of disease. Its practical success is destined to revolutionize the opinion of the medical world, and to establish the entire curability of consumption. Applicants will please state if they have ever bled from the lungs, if they have lost flesh, have a cough, night sweats and fever agues—what and how much they expectorate, what the condition of the stomach, and bowels; the necessary medicine, apparatus, &c. will be forwarded to any part.

Terms.—Five dollars' consultation fee. Balance of fee payable when patients report themselves convalescent.

RECOMMENDATION OF PHYSICIANS.
We, the undersigned practitioners in medicine, cheerfully and heartily recommend Dr. Rose's method of treating diseases of the lungs and thorax, as the best and most effectual ever introduced into medical practice. Our convictions are based upon having several of our own patients, confirmed consumptives, restored to vigorous health, after a few months treatment by Dr. Rose. In the above named diseases, the application of Medicated Vapors inhaled directly into the lungs, may justly be considered as a great boon to suffering humanity, rendering consumption a perfect curable disease!
Dr. Rose deserves well of his profession for his unwearied labors in bringing the inhaling method to such a degree of perfection.

RALPH STONE, M. D.
JAMES A. MOTT, M. D.
CYRUS KINGSLEY, M. D.
WE. B. AUSTIN, M. D.
ORVILLE USON, M. D.
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Dr. Rose's Treatise on Consumption—price one dollar. Address JOHNSON STEWART ROSE, 381 Broadway, New York.

N. B.—The new postage law requires pre-payment of letters. My correspondence being extensive, applicants to insure replies must enclose postage.
Money letters must be registered by the Post master, such letters only being at my risk. Jan 5

A CARD.

HENRY S. BECCHENO begs to return his sincere thanks to his friends, and the inhabitants of East Feliciana, generally, for the kind and liberal patronage bestowed upon him since he commenced business in Clinton, and assures them no exertions shall be wanting on his part to merit a continuance of the same.

He is fully prepared to supply planters, and all others with every article in the Drug business, and from his long experience in that line, combined with a practical acquaintance with chemistry in all its branches, merely requests a trial as a test of his qualifications. An accurate analysis of mineral waters will be granted gratis, to those desirous of having it made.

PHYSICIAN'S PRESCRIPTIONS are dispensed with neatness and promptitude, and with great care as to labelling, and the minor details.
A constant supply of the choicest brands of Wines and Spirits, on hand, for MEDICAL PURPOSES, only.
A large quantity of Ale and Porter, (first rate quality,) continually coming to hand.
H. S. B. does not feel disposed to advertise the exact quantities of Drugs he has received lately, fearing he might possibly over-rate it, and not do himself the justice he is so anxiously seeking.
HENRY S. BECCHENO & CO.
Clinton, La., Oct. 13, 1855.

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

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

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

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

FRESH supply of pure Liquors, for medicinal uses, just received and for sale by LANGWORTHY & TILDON. oct 20

CLOTHING, HATS, BOOTS, & SHOES.
THE LATEST styles of finest material and best finish, on hand and for sale by
MILLS, CLEVELAND & Co. a 12

MISCELLANEOUS.

NAUMAN & STRAUSS.

DEALERS IN
Fine Watches, Jewelry, Books, Stationery,
AND FANCY ARTICLES.

HAVE received from New York, a new and complete assortment of Goods, to which they invite the attention of the people of Clinton and vicinity, and the ladies especially.

WATCHES, JEWELRY, &c. comprising T. T. Cooper, Tobias, and real Joseph Johnson movements; Swiss and English Levers, together with a splendid stock of Eastern Jewelry, of the latest style and best finish, SILVER & PLATED WARE, all descriptions. TOILET ARTICLES; Perfumery, Hair Oil, Pomatum, Fancy Soap and Extracts, direct from Harrison's manufactory.

WORK BOXES, Port Monnaies, Fine Pocket Books.
CARD CASES; silver, pearl, and shell.
RAZORS & KNIVES, Rogers' best brand.
BOOKS, consisting of standard and miscellaneous works.

SCHOOL BOOKS, recommended for their high and instructive character.

POEMS, of American and British authors.
NOVELS, latest and best published, with a great variety of other interesting reading.

MUSIC; a fine lot of sheet music, embracing pieces from the most gifted composers.
We have suitable arrangements to procure books, so that orders left with us will be promptly filled.

Watches and Jewelry carefully repaired by the best of workmen, and warranted.

We solicit a share of the public patronage, feeling convinced we shall be able to give entire satisfaction.

All articles sold, warranted as represented, or the money refunded.
Sign of the BIG WATCH, east of the Public Square, opposite the Post Office.
je 9 NAUMAN & STRAUSS.

BLACKSMITHING.

HAVE engaged a competent work man, and will personally see that all wood work done by me is properly ironed. All orders for Blacksmith work will be promptly attended to and faithfully executed. BRACES, on hand and for sale.
je 9 RICHARD RIGBY.

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,
nov 24 3 Courtland st. New York.

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

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

NOTICE.

All persons who are indebted to the estate of R. A. W. and Mary Newport, will please to make payment. Those who have claims against the estate will present them for settlement.
nov 3 SIMPSON W. NEWPORT, Agent

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.
THE partnership existing between Mr. E. B. Pettis and Sarah A. Nicholls, of Clinton, La., under the name and style of Mrs. S. A. Nicholls & Co., for the purpose of transacting a general Fancy Dress Goods and Millinery business, has been dissolved this first day of November, 1855.

The business will be continued by Mrs. Sarah A. Nicholls in her own name, she hereby assuming the payment of all debts contracted by the firm. All outstanding debts and book accounts due to the late firm are to be collected by the said Mrs. S. A. Nicholls, and who alone is authorized to collect and receive them, and to use the name of the late firm in liquidation and settlement of all claims.
Signed this tenth day of November, 1855.
SARAH A. NICHOLLS,
E. B. PETTIS.
nov 17

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.

TOYS! TOYS!!

A SPLENDID lot of Toys, for Christmas and new Year, for sale by NAUMAN & STRAUSS.

FANCY GOODS.

COME and see our extensive stock of Fancy Goods. Cloth, tooth, and nail Brushes, Combs, &c. Also: a fine lot of OIL PAINTINGS, just received and for sale by
dec 8 NAUMAN & STRAUSS.

TOYS! TOYS!! TOYS!!!

GUNS, swords, whips, and houses and furniture in miniature.
In fact, every thing suitable for Christmas and New Year's Gifts, adapted to persons of all ages and sizes, just received and on sale.
Call and examine.
dec LANGWORTHY & TILDON.

STATIONERY, blank books, diary for 1856, fine Bibles, hymn books, &c., at
a 22 LANGWORTHY & TILDON'S.

FOR SALE OR LEASE—THE KILLIAN HOUSE.
POSSESSION to be given on the 1st of January.
For terms apply to
d 22 H. SKIPWITH.

NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of Daniel Holloway, are requested to present them to my attorney, John McVea, for liquidation, and those indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment.
dec 8 DRURY L. SMITH, Administrator.