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Our Agents in New Orleans.

Messrs. GARDNER & Co., Newspaper Advertising Agents, No. 4, Commercial Place, New Orleans, are the duly authorized Agents in that city for the Gazette and Comet.

A Grand Masonic Ball for the benefit of Relief Lodge No. 1, is to be given at the Masonic Hall in New Orleans, on the 18th day of January.

Favorable news from Liverpool and New York has had the effect of advancing prices for cotton in New Orleans from 3 to 5 cents.

Detroit ladies we regret to observe, have been detected smuggling whisky in their crinolines. Just think of a woman with whisky under her crinoline, a waterfall on her head, and rats and mice in her hair! Mobile Times.

To help to fill up the picture just add the "Suryana" fancy touch of a "buckwheat cake in her mouth—a teardrop in her eye," and how much more modelistic, pathetic and perfect her *totale ensemble* would appear.

"Gleaner," the correspondent of the *Picayune*, writes from the parish of Plaquemine, as follows:

The yield of the cane is quite satisfactory, reaching in some instances 1,500 and 2,000 pounds an acre. On several plantations sugar making is over already.

Thus far this fall, 1,021 hhds. sugar, 1,885 barrels molasses, 2,175 sacks seed cotton, 39 bales do., and rice equal to 5,485 sacks have been shipped to your market from the coast below the city.

"A very extra number" is that of *Godey's Lady's Book* for January, 1866. It abounds in novelties of fashion, beautiful engravings and choice readings for the ladies. We speak "from the card," having the said number before us. It would answer very well as a Christmas or New Year's present.

THE "BOSTON POST."—This is one of the oldest, ablest and most worthily conducted journals in the United States. The high-toned character of its editorials, breathing sentiments of good will and forbearance toward the South and reflecting in their political tone a complexion of opinions and feelings free from the insane tossings of passion jealousy and hate, has long since secured for the *Post* a high rank among the leading and influential journals of the nation.

We commend the *Post* to all who would like to subscribe to one of the very best and most deserving papers in the North. They will find it an acceptable vehicle of political, literary and news miscellany; and as for its downright original epigrammatic essays of wit, the bare mention that GREENE is still at his old helm, is enough said.

We insert elsewhere, the prospectus of the *Post* giving terms of subscription, &c.

President Johnson having originally learned the trade of a tailor may reasonably be thought "sound on the goose."

ARMY JOKE.—The following is told of J. B. Magruder:

While retreating from the Peninsula in 1862, the General and his staff stopped at the house of a widow lady on the road, and engaged dinner. In a few moments Jim Phelps, a Louisiana soldier, accompanied the lady with: "Madam, can I get dinner?" "Yes, sir," was the reply, "but as I am preparing dinner for Gen. Magruder and staff, and have no room at my table for more, you will have to wait for a second table."

"Very well, madam, thank you," said Phelps, taking his seat in a position to command a view of the dining-room. Watching the movements of the servants, Phelps waited until the feast was on the table; and while the hostess proceeded to the parlor to announce dinner to the General and staff, Phelps entered the dining-room, and seating himself at the table, awaited further developments.

Upon the entrance of the party of officers, there was found to be seats for all but one, and one politely returned to the parlor to wait. The General took a seat next to Phelps, and, after the first course was finished, turning to Phelps, he inquired: "Sir, have you any idea with whom you are dining?" "No, sir," coolly replied Phelps. "I used to be particular, but since I turned soldier, I don't care a d—n who I eat with, so that the victuals are clean." *Natchez Democrat.*

LEGISLATIVE QUANDARIES.

The complexity and confusion ordinarily attending modern legislation and confused in our State by the extraordinary issues growing out of the revolutions of the late war and the difficulty of reconciling legislative action thereon with the varied notions and opinions of legislators as to the validity of the Constitution of 1864. The strange anomaly is presented of legislators elected with preconceived ideas and established opinions of the invalidity of an instrument alike condemned and repudiated by the major portions of their several constituencies, and yet being sworn in, taking their seats and engaging in the usual forms of law-making; thus acknowledging, as it were, the "higher law" power and authority of that instrument.

The debates which have ensued in the Legislature on the vexed questions incident to the contested status of the Constitution of 1864 and the relative propositions for amending that Constitution or calling a Convention to frame a new one, have consumed a large space of time, without however arriving at any definitive or satisfactory clearing up of the "muddle." The Legislature continues to ply its accustomed functions, whilst the Constitution of 1864, though regarded nominally as in abeyance, remains nevertheless, the actual organic law of the State.

To have obviated all present and future intricacies and doubts in points of legislation, it appears plain that the first important step precedent to legislation should have been for the Governor to have called a Convention in order to frame a new Constitution, or for the Legislature to have done so immediately after its organization; or else to have addressed itself at once to the work of amendment—a process which would have been far less expensive to the State and doubtless equally effective and satisfactory.

If, says the *True Delta*, the Legislature now in session has not "recognized as valid" the Constitution of 1864, it would be difficult to imagine what recognition consists in or amounts to. The Senators and Representatives were elected under authority granted by the Constitution of 1864, pursuant to the terms of a proclamation issued by Gov. WELLS, who claimed all the powers he exercised from that instrument. All the members took an oath to support the Constitution of 1864, although many of them were elected on a platform which pledged them to take speedy steps for its abrogation. They have appropriated money under that Constitution; they are legislating on vitally important matters by the authority granted therein, for if they are not, they have no business to be in session; they have elected United States Senators; the Governor and all the other State officers have taken the oath under the Banks organic law, and will probably draw their salaries quarterly in advance (if they can get the money from an empty Treasury) with the customary promptitude of efficient business men. All the departments of our State Government, Executive, Legislative and Judicial, are organized and working under the Constitution now in force, and if that is not a "valid and accepted" recognition of the aforesaid abominable instrument, as it is popularly styled, then words have no signification and acts no meaning.

We had hoped that a Convention would have been called ere this, and that an adjournment, at least until the period fixed for the commencement of the regular session, would have taken place. Perhaps wiser counsels have prevailed thus far, but we nevertheless suggest again that a postponement of action thirty or forty days, until the current of events at Washington becomes somewhat defined, would be probably prudent and judicious.

THE LOUISIANA LEGISLATURE.

The present brief abstract of legislative proceedings, comprise what has been transacted of importance since our last report.

SENATE.—Mr. Taylor reported a bill on Wednesday, relative to the State Penitentiary—adopted. The bill provides that all convicts shall be removed to the State Prison at Baton Rouge and employed in manual labor.

Joint resolution adopted, requesting the Governor to forward a memorial, addressed to the President, to the State delegation at Washington, for the purpose of obtaining the return of certain bonds and securities which had been surrendered at Shreveport to Major-General Herron, of the United States army.

Mr. Lotz reported a bill relative to vagrants—adopted.

An act to defray the expenses of the State and Office for the fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1865—adopted. Also, an act suspending the sale of swamp and overflowed lands.

A message from the Governor, was received, signifying his approval of the act ratifying the Levee Contracts.

Mr. Kenner's bill to provide for and regulate agricultural contracts, was adopted. The *Picayune* presents a view of its features, as follows:

1st. A bill to punish employers who break their contracts with freedmen.

2d. An act creating a system of apprenticeship in this State.

3d. An act to punish tampering with freedmen, and enticing them to break their contracts with their employers.

4. An act defining the civil rights of freedmen.

5. An act to regulate labor contracts in agricultural pursuits.

House.—Resolutions of condolence were passed relative to the death of Hon. E. B. Whitaker, late Representative from Concordia.

Reports from various Committees were submitted; one of which was a bill for the election of parish officers throughout the State.

Mr. Holt offered a bill to extend the charter of Washington Fire Company No. 1, of Baton Rouge. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Theisenman's bill establishing their status of former slaves, now known as freedmen, was finally passed as amended.

The Senate bill prohibiting persons on plantations to carry fire-arms without the consent of owners was concurred in.

The bill fixing the compensation of officers of the General Assembly, was finally passed as amended.

An act introduced by Mr. Sambola, to repeal Art. 2553 of the civil code, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Elam's bill, to suspend the assessment and collection of certain State taxes for the years 1861, '62, '63 and '64, passed the second reading.

A resolution by Mr. Theisenman, providing for a joint committee to inquire into the necessity of establishing a Soldiers' Home for all Louisiana soldiers disabled since the war of 1812, up to the present time, or those who may hereafter be disabled in the service of the United States, was adopted. Also, a bill for the relief of disabled soldiers, their widows and orphans, and appropriating the sum of \$20,000 for that object. The Speaker announced as the representatives of the House in the joint committee to select a site for a State House, Messrs. Richards, Eger, Ormond, Holt, McCloskey, Prudhomme and Smith.

Speculative Prices.—The effects of the currency inflation continue, observes the *National Intelligencer*. They are now visible everywhere around us, whether we look into our own personal expenditures, the Government expenses, the increase of imports and corresponding decrease of exports, the attempted monopoly of corn and wheat and of all the means of living, and both the rise of rents and of real estate.

Chicago papers disclose to us the fact that the great granary of the country is controlled by speculators, who can augment the price of bread within certain limits. They have this fall, kept back wheat from market, and thus was produced the remarkable fact, that, while large amounts of foreign and domestic goods were sent to the West for its consumption, the expected returns in breadstuffs have not been received.

The entire West has been, in like manner, monopolized and held back for higher prices, and every family that needs a blanket the coming winter will feel the effect, and know the cause of the high prices to which they will be subjected.

Imports of goods and merchandise are more excessive than ever in amount, and embrace in large proportion the more costly of the luxuries and extravagancies of the personal attire, which are, by the way, addressed to the uncultivated and semi-barbarian tastes of distant Republics, rather than to the refined and practical habits of the European.

The country, notwithstanding the vast imports of the current year, is bare of goods—not only of luxuries, but of necessities—and the imports for the next four or six months will be excessive and at even advancing prices. Why, some one will ask, does not the inflation, if it exists to this extent, enhance the price of gold? It had yesterday burst the bonds assigned to it by the Treasury, and rose to 147. The Treasury, commanding a large amount of gold, has of late repressed its advance by throwing it upon the market whenever it exceeds 144.

AN AUTHENTIC ANECDOTE.—Talleyrand was once in the company of Madame de Stael and another eminent French lady whose name we do not remember.

"You say charming things to bother us," said Madame de Stael to him. "Which of us do you like best?"

The witty statesman artfully replied that he was delighted with both.

"Ah! but you prefer one of us," continued Madame de Stael. "Suppose we were both drowning in the Seine to-night, which of us would you help first?"

"I would extend my right hand to Madame de Stael, and my left to Madame, youder."

"Yes; but suppose only one of us could be saved, which would you attempt to rescue?"

Talleyrand's diplomacy was pushed to its severest test; but not one whit discomposed, he turned to Madame de Stael, and replied:

"Madame, you, who know so many things, doubtless know how to swim."

The *Picayune*, in speaking of the return of JAMES ROBB Esq., to New Orleans, says:

"Mr. Robb is about to establish a National Bank in this city to be called the Louisiana National Bank of New Orleans," with a capital of \$1,000,000, of which \$500,000 is taken up by Messrs. Winslow, Lanier & Co., of New York, and their friends. Two hundred thousand dollars of the shares are reserved for the citizens of New Orleans.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO BAKERS!
THE price of Flour being \$15 per barrel, Bakers will give 19 ounces for a dime, the ensuing week.
J. E. ELAM, Mayor.
dec19

\$50 REWARD.
A REWARD of Fifty Dollars will be given for the return of the Tax Roll of 1861 to this office. Said Roll was lost or mislaid when the town was occupied by the United States forces in 1861.
JAS. E. ELAM, Mayor.
dec19-64

ATTENTION!
Washington Fire Company, No. 1.
THE MEMBERS of the above Company are hereby notified, to attend a Called Meeting to be held at the Engine House, this (Tuesday) Evening, Dec. 19th, 1865, at 6 o'clock. It is desired that every member should be present, as business of great importance to the Company will be transacted; those failing to attend will be stricken from the roll.
By order of the Foreman,
J. M. TRACY, Secretary.

Cloaks for Holiday Presents.
JUST RECEIVED per Adams Express, a splendid lot of
BLACK CLOTH CLOAKS,
Basques and Sack Patterns,
which will be cleared out at
NEW YORK PRICES,
Also, a splendid lot of WOOL SHAWLS, at
PARKER'S
dec19 Main Street near Third.

Peterson's Lady's Magazine
—FOR—
JANUARY, 1866,
—AT—
JOSHUA BEAL'S BOOK AND VARIETY STORE,
Corner of Third and Convention streets.
dec19-19

New and Popular Music,
AT BEAL'S BOOK AND VARIETY STORE,
W. J. LANDRUM,
FIVE O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING—Claribel.
I DREAM OF THEE—B. E. S.
WHY NO ONE TO LOVE?—Stephen G. Foster.
A FEW MORE DAYS AND WE SHALL PART—Mrs. Nesbit.
THE TITTINGER GALOP—by Chas. Young.
SUNNY SOUTH POLKA—Gustave Deverny.
ENGAGEMENT WALTZES—W. S. Heister.
RAIN DROPS—S. O. Eaton.
L'AFRICAIN—Ferd. Bayer.
Just received by
dec19-64 JOSHUA BEAL.

LOOK OUT FOR COLD WEATHER!
H. CZARLINSKY,
Main Street, bet. Third and Lafayette,
(Prendergast's old stand.)

AVAILS himself once more of the opportunity to inform the ladies and gentlemen of Baton Rouge and its vicinity, that he is still better prepared to furnish them in
LADIES' CLOAKS, of the latest styles.
HOODS, SHAWLS, CAPES, NUBIAS, POPLINS, DELAINES, &c., &c.
He has also on hand one of the most complete assortments of
GENTS' SUITS,
DRESS COATS, OVERCOATS,
And a variety of PANTS, which he proposes to sell at very reduced prices.
He is constantly receiving Fresh Goods from the manufacturers, which enables him to satisfy one and all, both in taste and price.
dec12

I. O. O. F.
THE Regular Weekly Meeting of
THE SOTO LODGE, No. 7, I. O.
O. F., is held at their Hall, on Main
street, nearly opposite the Sumner House, every
THURSDAY EVENING, at 7 o'clock.
The First and Third Sundays of each month
the Lodge meets at 9 o'clock, A. M., for the trans-
action of Degree business.

FOR SALE OR RENT.
A VALUABLE COTTON PLANTATION situated five miles from Port Hudson, containing 100 acres of Land, between 800 and 1000 having been cultivated. On the place is a large and substantial Sugar House, (with complete machinery) which can easily be converted into a Gin House. This Plantation will be rented for the first year at very moderate terms. For particulars, apply to
S. P. GREVES, Attorney at Law, Baton Rouge; or
W. F. KERMAN, Attorney at Law, Clinton, La., or to J. J. PIERSON & CO., Common Street, New Orleans.
dec12-64

CHRISTMAS

—AND—
NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS!

SILVER BUTTER KNIVES,
NAPKIN RINGS,
MUSTARD SPOONS,
SUGAR & CREAM LADLES,

—And—
A LARGE LOT OF OTHER

FANCY SILVERWARE,
ALL GUARANTEED
TO BE MADE OF
PURE COIN,

—And—
SUITABLE FOR
CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR PRESENTS,
WHICH I WILL SELL

—At the—
LOW RATE

—OF—
FROM \$2.50 TO \$5.00 BY THE PIECE.
dec16 E. FENDLER.

NOTICE.
COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE,
SECOND DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA,
Baton Rouge, Dec. 8th, 1865.

BY PROVISION of the U. S. Revenue Law all Cotton, Sugar and other articles subject to duty, must have such duty paid to the Collector before shipment, or the articles can be shipped under bond to be furnished the Collector of the District, in which such articles are located.

Hereafter the tax upon Cotton, Sugar, &c., must be paid, or a bond must be furnished in double the amount of the tax, before such shipment can be made, and such infringement of the law as are discovered will work a seizure of such property as may be found to satisfy the amount of tax, with the addition of such penalties as the law allows in such cases.

The amount of assessment is due and payable at this office, or if shippers desire to ship on bond, they will make application at this office and bonds will be furnished.

HENRY BAUSHER, JR.,
Collector and Disbursing Agent,
United States Internal Revenue
dec14

AUCTION SALE
OF
Mules and Agricultural Implements.

WILL be sold on WEDNESDAY, Dec. 27th, at Hall's Plantation, 1 mile below the Corporation, all the
MULES,
PLOUGHS,
WAGONS,
GARS,
CARTS,
AXES,
SHOVELS,
SPADES,
and a lot of seasoned WHITE PINE LUMBER, RAILS, PICKETS, POSTS, &c., now on said place.
Sale to commence at 12 M.
Terms—Cash on the spot.
dec14

"OUR HOUSE."
I HAVE OPENED "OUR HOUSE," corner of Main and Lafayette streets, with a large supply of
Wines, Liquors, Ales and Beer.
LUNCH always on the side table, at the lowest prices. Mixed Liquors are much better and at a lower price than any house in town.
Call and sample. "JOE" late of the Sumpter House, presides at the bar. Public opinion tests our qualities.
dec14-6 EDWARD ALLEN.

WANTED.
A SITUATION by an experienced gentleman in the culture of either Cotton or Sugar, who managed a Cotton Plantation last season. Terms moderate, and the best of references given. For particulars apply at this office. dec12-64

Fresh Arrivals.
DIRECT FROM THE WEST
75 barrels FLOUR,
25 " APPLES,
50 " POTATOES,
20 " ONIONS,
10 " WHISKY,
50 sacks BRAN,
50 " OATS,
5 KECS FRESH PIGS' FEET,
3 barrels FRESH BREAKFAST BACON,
2 " SPICED HAMS,
50 sacks BALT, MESS PORK, &c.,
For sale by [nov13] N. WAX.

WALL PAPER! WALL PAPER!
10,000 ROLLS WALL PAPER, of the finest patterns. On hand and for sale by
JAMES McVAY,
July-14 Opposite the LA. State Bank.

FLOUR! FLOUR!!
50 BLS. FLOUR. Just received and for sale by
N. WAX,
July-14 Near the Court House.

SUGAR-CURED HAMS.
2 TIERCES SUGAR-CURED HAMS.—Just received and for sale by
N. WAX,
July-14 Near the Court House.

Baton Rouge and Clinton
TRI-WEEKLY U. S. MAIL!
BY STAGE!

LEAVES BATON ROUGE every Monday, Wednesday and Friday; and Clinton, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at seven o'clock, A. M.
Passengers' Baggage, over 40 pounds, will be charged extra.
Passengers wishing to secure seats will call at the Livestock Stable of the undersigned, on St. Louis street, opposite the Market.
oct14-6 P. A. KUGLER.

REAL ESTATE,
For Sale and for Rent.
THE SUBSCRIBERS offer for sale in this and the adjoining parishes—
EIGHT PLANTATIONS, varying in size from one hundred to thirteen hundred acres. And
FOR RENT,
One Plantation, seven hundred acres open land, Cotton Gin, Sugar House, Dwelling, Cabins, etc. And another, six hundred acres, supplied with all the buildings, etc., as above.
FOR SALE.
Five DWELLING HOUSES in town.
dec1-64 W. W. McMAIN & SON.

HARNES & SADDLERY.
My present assortment is complete.
JULIUS C. BOGEL,
July13 Near the Court House.

One More Chance

FOR EVERYBODY!

THE UNDERSIGNED offers his BEAUTIFUL and WELL SELECTED stock of

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,

Boots, Shoes, Hats, &c.,

At the following REDUCED prices:

English and American Calicoes	25 cents @ yard
French	do 45 do
Blacked and Brown Cotton	do 30 do
Red and White Flannel	do 45 do
Delaines—all colors	do 40 do
Spotted Poplins	do 40 do
Kerseys	do 37 1/2 do
Woolen Jeans	do 45 do
French Broad Cloth	do 37 1/2 do
do Cassimeres	do 1 50 do
do Merino	do 1 75 do
Fine Alpaca	do 37 1/2 do
Mosambins	do 60 do
Black Silk	do 2 50 do
Fine White Linen	do 45 do
Swiss Muslin	do 30 do
Light Sheetings, 1 2-4 yd. wide	do 2 25 do
White Linen Lawns	do 75 do
Ladies' Black Cloth Cloaks	do 8 00 a piece.
do do Silk	do 10 00 do
Nubias	do 75 do
Soutags	do 1 75 do
Hoop Skirts	do 1 25 do
Balmorals	do 3 75 do
Ladies' Shawls	do 5 00 do
Blankets, SHAWLS, &c.	do 5 00 per pair.
Kid Gloves	do 1 50 do
Ladies' Shoes	do 2 50 do
do Hoop from 25 to	do 50 do
do do	do 30 do
Fine Linen Sols—Collars and	do 50 per set.
Sleeves	do 50 do
Toasting Combs, from 15 to	do 40 a piece.
Breakfast Corsets	do 1 00 do
Hair Net; 15 cents to	do 1 00 do
Children's Shoes	do 50 per pair.
Women's do	do 2 00 do
Shirt Bosoms	do 35 do
Men's Double Soled Boots	do 4 50 do
do Shoes	do 2 50 do
Gents' Socks, from 25 to	do 50 do
Men's Black and Gray Hats	do 1 25 a piece.
Boys' Hats	do 1 00 do
Calico Shirts	do 1 25 do
Hickory do	do 55 do
Check do	do 1 50 do
White do	do 2 00 do
Canton Flannel, Drawers and	do 1 25 do
Underhirts	do 1 50 do
Mercino Drawers and Under-	do 1 50 do
shirts	do 1 00 do
Cotton Underhirts	do 1 00 do
Jeans and Sattin Pants	do 3 00 per pair.
Fine Cassimeres	do 5 00 do
Fine Black	do 6 25 do
do Coats	do 14 00 do
Business do	do 16 00 do
Fine Cassimeres Suits, Coat,	do 20 00 per suit.
Vest and Pants	do 2 50 do
White Silk Vests	do 2 50 a piece.
Black Overalls	do 1 00 do
Fine Combs	do 5 a piece.
Long Combs	do 15 do
White Handkerchiefs	do 1 75 per dozen.
Huckleback Towels	do 3 00 do
Linon Table Covers	do 2 00 a piece.
Madras Handkerchiefs	do 50 do

RAILROAD BAGS, BELTS,
GLAZE BAGS, BUCKLES,
VALISES, HIBBON,
TRUNKS, PERFUMERY, &c.,

Will be sold at the same rates.

NOW IS YOUR TIME!
Come and convince yourself that the articles above enumerated will really be sold at the prices specified.
J. KUHN,
dec5 Third St. opposite the Bank.

Powder, Shot and Caps.
JUST RECEIVED at my Drug Store, below the Jail, the following Ammunition, per steamer Julia, from St. Louis:

POWDER—in Kegs and Tin Cans;
CAPS—G. D.'s and Waterproof.
—Also—
BOOK SHOT, BIRD, SQUIRREL and
TURKEY SHOT,
which I will sell on reasonable terms.
oct12-64 J. R. T. HAYNES.

JUST RECEIVED!
FLOUR, POTATOES,
APPLES, ONIONS,
LAGER BEER, &c., &c., at
ARCHER & HENDERSON'S
dec1 Great Western Produce Depot.

At Beal's.
JUST RECEIVED!
300 Bags Prime White and Yellow CORN.
50 " FRESH BRAN.
50 Barrels New Wheat FLOUR.
5 " BECKWEHAT.
10 Gallon Kegs Golden SYRUP.
2 Barrels New MOLASSES.
2 " COAL OIL.
16 Quarter Boxes New RAISINS.
2 Barrels Large PEASARS.
50 Bags Assorted SHOT.
100,000 G. D. and Waterproof CAPS.
POWDER in Kegs and Tin Cans.
10 Barrels Heavy MESS PORK.
2 Gross F. & M. YEAST POWDER.
6 Nets New MARKET BASKETS.
1 Barrel Good WHISKY.
50 Bags SALT.
14 Barrels PEASARS and ONIONS.
1 Crate CABBAGE.
dec1 JOSHUA BEAL.

PURE INDIGO!
FOR SALE at retail by
JOSHUA BEAL.
nov21

TOBACCO! TOBACCO!!
A FINE assortment of CHEWING and SNOR-
ING TOBACCO, in store, and for sale by
sept12 JOSHUA BEAL.

MUSIC! MUSIC!!
SHEET MUSIC, for Piano at New Orleans prices.
Accordeons,
Flutes,
Violas,
Violinets,
Fifes and Patent Fife Tabou,
Violin and Guitar Strings, at
BEAL'S BOOK AND VARIETY STORE,
Cor. Third and Convention Sts.
sept15

WHO WANTS A NEW CLOAK!
JUST RECEIVED a lot of beautiful Cloth and
Silk Cloaks, also a splendid assortment of
Hoop Skirts and Corsets, of the best make. Will
be sold less than cost of material at
PARKER'S NEW STORE,
dec2 Main St. near Third.

SOMETHING NEW.
BEST QUALITY ILLUMINATING and LUBRI-
CATING COAL OILS, in 5 and 10 gallon Pat-
ent Safety Cans. Prices moderate.
aug12 JOSHUA BEAL.

CORN! CORN!!
50 SACKS CORN. Just received and
for sale by
N. WAX,
July-14 Near the Court House.