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I. O. O. F.

NEITH LODGE, No. 21, I. O. O. F., meet every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, at their Hall, on Texas street.

Bros. in good standing are invited to attend. H. F. BECKMAN, N. G.
M. MASHBURN, Secretary.

SHREVEPORT LODGE, F. A. M., meets every Friday evening, at seven o'clock. By order of
oct30 J. B. GILMORE, W. M.
ED. EBERSTADT, Sec'y.

CANDIDATES.

For State Treasurer.

We are authorized to announce Major S. D. OLIVER as a candidate for State Treasurer.

Louisiana papers copy. [April 6 tf

For Secretary of State.

We are authorized to announce Dr. M. ESTES, of Shreveport, as a candidate for the office of Secretary of State, at the ensuing fall election. jy8dtf

For the Legislature.

We are authorized to announce the name of Captain L. M. NUTT as a candidate for the Legislature for the parish of Caddo.

WE are authorized to announce Col. GEORGE WILLIAMSON as a candidates for the Legislature from the Parish of Caddo. sept19—tf

For Recorder.

We authorized to announce T. B. PITTS, as a candidate for Recorder at the next election. (sept23

We are authorized to announce CHAUNCEY FORD, as a candidate for the Recordership of this Parish at the ensuing election. (sept 23

A. WEINSTOCK,

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public that having made extensive purchases of

DRY GOODS,
FANCY GOODS,
CLOTHING,
BOOTS and SHOES,

Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods of every description,

He offers to sell at prices to suit the times. Having purchased for cash, at first hands in New York, his facilities are unsurpassed for giving general satisfaction in prices and quality.

Persons wanting

FALL CLOTHING

or anything in the DRY GOODS or CLOTHING line are invited to call and examine the stocks which are received constantly and opened for the inspection of purchasers by the undersigned.

—The latest patterns for—

Laides' and Misses DRESSES, TRIMMINGS, ETC

ever received in this Market can be found as above.

A. WEINSTOCK,
NO. 5 TEXAS STREET,
sept2 tf

JOHN LANNA

WOULD respectfully make known to his old friends and customers that he has purchased a large and well selected

STOCK OF DRY GOODS,

which he can afford to sell on terms more reasonable than any similar goods have been sold for many years in this market. In his stock, he has

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Dress Goods,

of every description, together with a fine assortment of

HATS, BOOTS, SHOES, &c.,

Near the corner of Texas and Market streets, close to the old stand of Smith & McClure. jy29tf

A. WINTER,

No. 3 Texas Street—Shreveport, La.

Having received and opened a large assortment of

PLAIN AND FANCY
DRY GOODS,
BOOTS, SHOES, HATS,
CROCKERY,
AND QUEENSWARE,
GROCERIES,
STATIONERY,
Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods,
NOTIONS, ETC.

My former patrons are invited to call and see me at my old stand, where they will find an elegant and extensive assortment of goods. A. WINTER.
sept30—tf

Competition Defied.

SHREVEPORT NEWS

BOOK AND JOB PRINTING OFFICE

On Texas street, Shreveport,

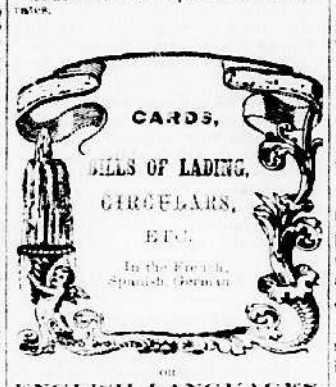
Is prepared, as heretofore, to execute every description of

ORNAMENTAL,

PLAIN OR COLORED

JOB PRINTING,

With neatness and dispatch, at reasonable rates.



Posters,

HAND BILLS,

CIRCULARS,

PAMPHLETS,

Steamboat Fancy Cards,

Bronzed or Colored.

TO ARRIVE—A well assorted stock of

STATIONERY,
BUSINESS CARDS,
VISITING CARDS,
LETTER PAPER,
NOTE PAPER,
ENVELOPES, &C

Thanking our patrons for past favors we respectfully solicit their printing, guaranteeing to give satisfaction in the execution of work and prices charged for the same.

DRUGS AND MEDICINES.

Thos. H. Morris,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

DRUGGIST,

Wishes to inform his old friends, that he is aware of their wants, and has supplied himself with a good and select stock, comprising nearly every thing in the way of

DRUGS AND MEDICINES,

All of which can be relied upon, as being fresh, genuine and unadulterated.

My general assortment of

Toilet and Fancy Articles,

Will be complete as soon as my orders are filled.

It is my desire and intention to conduct my business on as large a scale as the trade will admit. TERMS CASH.
june 24-tf

BALL & DASHIELL,

At their old stand,

TEXAS STREET, SHREVEPORT
Dealears in

DRUGS AND MEDICINES,

School books, Stationery,
Fancy Goods and Toilet Requisites,
Small Wares of Taste and Use,
Toilet Goods and Notions,
Perfumery, etc.
Paints, Oils and Varnishes,
Glass, Putty, etc.

Pure Wines and Liquors for Medicinal Use.

Dye Woods and Dye Stuffs Generally.

☞ *Medicines warranted genuine and of the best quality. Customers will find our stock complete, comprising many articles it is impossible here to enumerate, and all sold at moderate prices.*

☞ Prescriptions carefully put up.
aug12

J. KAHN & BRO.,

HAVE opened in the store formerly occupied by Childers & Beard, corner of Texas and Spring streets, an elegant assortment of

DRY GOODS,
READY MADE CLOTHING,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
CROCKERY, &C., &C., &C.

We shall be pleased to see our old friends and show them our stock.

J. KAHN & BRO.
Shreveport, La., Sept. 12th 1865. tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

P. F. L. Frank,
Agent for J. Litthauer.

WATCHMAKER,

Texas street, near Spring.

All watches well repaired at short notice and on reasonable terms.

☞ Having a good Jeweller employed all orders for *new* work of any description will be promptly attended to. jun13

E. & B. JACOBS,

Take pleasure in informing their old customers that they have resumed business at their well-known stand on

TEXAS STREET.

And will keep constantly on hand, as heretofore, every thing needed by the citizen or planter, in the way of

GROCERIES,
HARDWARE,
BOOTS and SHOES,
CROCKERY,
BOAT STORES, LIQUORS, &C.

We have on the way one of the finest assortments of Plantation Supplies and Goods, and as we purchase direct from Factors we have superior advantages in furnishing our customers on liberal terms.

Persons wishing to make purchases should examine our stock before filling their orders elsewhere.
jun13

Just Received and for Sale by
PHELPS & CO.,
Cor. Commerce & Crocket Sts.,
SHREVEPORT, LA.,

100 Bales Bagging,
200 Rolls "
500 Coils Rope,
100 Kegs Nails,
25 Bales Oakum,
50 Sacks Rio Coffee,
125 Bbls Choice Flour,
500 Sacks Choice Flour, (Williams' Tex ")
15 Bbls Dried Fruits,
100 Cases Can "
75 " Brandy "
30 " Preserves,
15 " Scheidam Schnapps,
50 " Claret Wines,
25 " Champagne,
25 " Whisky,
10 " Gin Cordial,
10 " Port Wine,
10 " Lobsters,
50 Boxes Assorted Soap,
25 " Candles,
125 Gross Yeast Powders,
20 Cases Pickles,
50 Boxes Candy,
100 Hhds Sugar,
15 Chests Assorted Teas,
10 Kits Mackerel,
10 Half bbls Mackerel,
5 Bbls Mackerel,
20 Cases Codfish,
10 Firkins Goshen Butter,
20 Nests Buckets,
10 " Tubs,

COAL OIL!

10 Bbls best quality,
10 Coils Manilla Rope,
GIN BANDS—6 to 8 inches.

Dry Goods.

A large lot of Osnaburgs, Bleached Domestics, Unbleached Domestics, Wamsutta Plaids, Cochenesine Plaids, Marlboro Plaids, Farmers' and Mechanics' Denims, Scotch Ginghams, Kentucky Jeans, Drilling Glencove Prints. aug1tf

MEYER & BRO.,
NO. 8 TEXAS STREET,

Have just received a large Stock of

DRY GOODS,
FANCY GOODS,
CLOTHING,
BOOTS,
SHOES & HATS,

and many numerous articles not mentioned, which they will sell at the lowest market price, as our motto is *"Quick sales and small profits."*

The public in general will do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

(sept19—1y

Eclipse Stable, Texas Street,
GEO. A. COOK & CO.,
Proprietors.

Having leased this well known, large and commodious stable, and thoroughly refitted it, are prepared to attend to the wants of the public. The best horses, buggies, and carriages kept constantly on hand.

Strict attention given to the grooming and feeding of horses. aug12

COTTON
RECEIVED ON STORAGE BY
Walsh & Boisseau,
Cor. of Milam and Commerce streets,
SHREVEPORT, LA.
july11-tf
South-Western and Gazette copy.

For Sale o. Rent.

FOR SALE.

WALL PAPER. Inquire at this office. tf

FOR SALE.

A DWELLING HOUSE. For particulars inquire at this office. aug29-tf

FOR SALE

LETTER Paper and Envelopes. Inquire at this office. aug6-tf

For Sale,

A good dwelling house and lots. The house was formerly occupied by Maj. Tally. For particulars apply sept9-tf GEO. MARKHAM.

For Sale.

A FINE CARRIAGE is offered for sale. It is one of the best in the country. Inquire of W. R. BAYLISS. sep9-tf

For Sale,

A NICE country place, within one and a half miles of Shreveport. The tract has forty acres, on which is a good dwelling, out houses, well, spring and orchard. For terms, etc. apply to
sept2-tf H. LINMAN.

FOR SALE,

SEVERAL comfortable dwelling houses, apply to H. LINMAN.
sep. 12 tf

20,000 FIRE BRICKS,
For sale at GRIFFIN & Co's.,

100 BARRELS MESS PORK,
For sale at GRIFFIN & Co.,

100 No. 1 HALL & SHEERS' PLOWS.
100 " 2 " "
25 No. 1 and 2 STEEL PLOWS.
No. 1 and 2 POINTS & LAND-SIDES, For sale at GRIFFIN & Co.

100 Sets 2, 4, 6 and 8 Horse Waggon HARNESS, for sale at
GRIFFIN & Co.
sept26—1m]

FOR SALE,
Several Thousand Bushels CORN,
Five Large Work STEERS,
Five Lot of HOGS,
2 WAGONS and CART,
TURNING PLOWS, HOES, &C.,
BLACKSMITH TOOLS,

Apply immediately to JOHN F. HERNDON Esq three miles north of Shreveport, on Black Bayou. oct3-4t

MISCELLANEOUS.

Wm. R. Henry & Co.,
WHOLESALE
LIQUOR DEALERS,
AT
MRS. PARK'S OLD STAND,
Texas street,
SHREVEPORT, LA.

Have on hand
French and American Wines and Brandies,
Monongahela and Bourbon Whiskey,
The Celebrated C. A. RICHARDS
GOLDEN SHEAF WHISKY.

Tobacco and Cigars,

FANCY, CHEWING AND SMOKING of all kinds.
CANNED FRUITS,
SARDINES, OYSTERS,
London and American
ALE & PORTER,
STATIONERY & NOTIONS.
jun24-tf

Richard Walsh Jos. Boisseau

Wa sh & Boisseau,
Receiving, Forwarding,
and
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Corner Milam and Commerce sts.
Shreveport, La.

Have on hand and for sale,

Texas Flour,	Western Flour,
Sugar,	Molasses,
Codfish,	Mackerel,
Can Fruits,	Nails,
Whisky,	Ale,
Bagging,	Rope,
Ambulances,	Carriages,
Etc.	Etc.

jun24tf

U. S. TAX NOTICE.
U. S. DIRECT TAX COMMISSION FOR THE STATE OF LOUISIANA.
Office, 186 Common Street.

THE TAX Roll for the Collection of U. S Direct Tax for the Parish of Caddo, is completed and the Taxes thereon levied, under and by virtue of an act entitled "An act for the collection of direct taxes in insurrectionary districts within the United States and for other purposes," approved June 7, 1862, will be payable at the Court House, Shreveport, La., within sixty days from the 1st of September, 1865.

All lots and parcels of land within said District on which the taxes shall not be paid within said sixty days will be forfeited to the United States.

E. M. RANDALL,
G. AMES,
D. URBAN,
Direct Tax Commissioners for Louisiana.
Attest. K. S DERICKSON, clerk.
CHAS. F. HUESMAN,
sep16—tf Collector.

Southern Marble Works.

WILL be again resumed for the Manufacture of Monuments, Tombs, Cottages, Head Stones and everything in our line of business. *Orders solicited* to enable us to purchase accordingly, our designs can be examined on MARKET STREET, opposite the Post Office.
jn3—tf HECOX & KINNEY

MISCELLANEOUS.

New Goods! New Goods!

THE undersigned respectfully informs the public that he has just received a new stock of Fancy DRY GOODS, consisting in part of the following articles; Ladies' Dress Goods, and Trimmings, Embroideries, Laces

Hoop Skirts, Corsets, Ribbons, Hosiery, etc. etc.

Also a fine assortment of

Ladies' Gentlemen's and Children's
SHOES,

Which he is prepared to sell at reasonable prices at

Mrs. Wells' old Stand,
On Texas street, a few doors below the Market house.

I respectfully solicit the continued patronage of my mother's (Mrs. Wells) former customers, by whom I promise to do justice it being to my interest to do so, as I expect to remain permanently in business at this place. J. H. McDERMOTT.
jun20tf

Jas. E. Phelps. Jno. C. Elstner

Phelps & Elstner,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERS
—and—
Commission Merchants,
No. 16 Commerce street,
SHREVEPORT, LA.

HAVING leased the large and commodious Warehouse formerly occupied by A. M. Hull & Co., are now prepared to receive Cotton on storage and consignment. They will give their personal attention to all consignments made to them.

They are prepared to make liberal advances in Bagging, Rope, Groceries and Cash, on all Cotton or other produce for sale or shipment to their friends in New Orleans. jun20tf

S. P. Griffin & Co.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
At Nichols' old stand,
Levee Street,
Dealers in
Dry Goods, Groceries, Hats,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
Iron, Steel, Nails, Plows, Bagging,
ROPE, TWINE, &C. &C.

Keep constantly on hand a large and well selected stock of all the above articles for family and plantation use. jun24tf

S. M. SWENSON,
[Formerly of Austin, Texas.]
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
NO. 86 COMMON STREET.
New Orleans.
STORE No. 29, TEXAS STREET,
SHREVEPORT, LA.

For Sale or Exchange for
Cotton, Wool, or Hides.
BY THE WHOLESALE.

DRY GOODS,
BOOTS,
SHOES,
HATS,
ROPE,
NAILS,
COFFEE,
&c., &c., &c.

Advancements made on COTTON or WOOL by
C. G. Palm,
june27-tf AGENT.

J. H. LENGSFIELD.
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
BOOTS, SHOES,
HATS, CLOTHING,
And Ladies' DRESS GOODS, &c.
(At Smith & McClure's Old Stand.)
TEXAS STREET,
SHREVEPORT, LA.

Purchasers will find a full and complete assortment of Goods always on hand.

Having been an old resident Merchant for 20 years, he assures his old friends and customers, that he will be able to give entire satisfaction, to those who may favor him with a call. He will keep constantly on hand, a full assortment of goods. And he expects a liberal share of the public patronage heretofore extended to him.
aug 8—tf.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, } In District Court.
Parish of Caddo. }
Succession of T. W. H Cates.

NOTICE is hereby given that E. J. S. Cates, Extr. has this day filed on account of his administration of said succession, and unless opposition is made thereto in the time prescribed by law, said account will be homologated, approved and made the Judgment of the Court.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this september 20, 1865.
A. H. LEONARD,
sept 26-30d] Clerk.

Howell & Buckner,
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANTS.

HAVE taken the store-house on the Levee formerly occupied by Stacy & Wells. We have also a warehouse on the river, where we are prepared to receive and forward freight.

Business will be conducted by us as was done before the war. july1t

H. HUNSICKER,
AUCTIONEER,
Market Street,
SHREVEPORT, LA.

Will attend to indoor and out door business, at all times. Thanking his friends for past favor, he solicits a renewal of their patronage. ly—aug8

HOTELS, ETC.

VERANDAH HOTEL,
Corner Milam and Spring sts

Is now open for the accommodation of the traveling public. Table supplied with the substantials and delicacies to be had in the market. jun24tf

PHŒNIX
COFFEE HOUSE
and
Restaurant,
Texas street near Market,
P. TARGARONA,.... Proprietor.

The best of Liquors can be had at the Bar, and the best the market affords at the Restaurant. jun24-6m

OUR HOUSE.

PROPRIETORS,
WESLEY COURSEY & JACK WALPOLE.
No. 31 Texas Street, Shreveport.

HAVING fitted up the above house in the best style, we intend to keep our table supplied with the BEST the country affords.

Having No. 1 Cooks, gentlemen will do well to give us a call. Prices as reasonable as any other similar establishment in town. jy15tf

A. WEINSTOCK

WOULD respectfully announce to his old friends and customers, that he has just received, from the North, a large and and well assorted stock of

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,

BOOTS, SHOES,

and all kinds of

FANCY MERCHANDISE!

In purchasing his stock, he selected for the benefit of the Ladies a fine assortment of Edgings,
Trimmings,
Inserings, and
Fancy and Plain Fringes, &c., &c.

And as his prices will be very moderate, he earnestly calls on his lady friends to pay him a visit before purchasing elsewhere.

He may be found at his old stand,
No. 5.
Texas Street,
Between Spring and Commerce Streets,
Shreveport, La. jy15tf

J. B. LEWIS, JR.,

DEALER IN

BOOTS,

SHOES,

HATS,

AND CAPS,

AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

THE undersigned would respectfully call the attention of the Public, to the addition he has made to his stock of

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS

AND CAPS,

I now have the LARGEST and

Best Assorted Stock

—To be found—

IN THIS CITY.

Which I offer at prices which will DEFY COMPETITION.

J. B. Lewis, Jr.,

NO. 9 TEXAS STREET,

SHREVEPORT, L.
july 15—tf

H. B. ORTON. E. M. VAN NOSTRAND.

H. B. ORTON & CO.,
(Successors to N. G. Tryon.)

Will pay the highest cash price for HIDES
WOOL,
PELTRIES,
FURS,
TALLOW,
BEESWAX, &C., &C.,
Cor. **Texas and Levee streets,**
SHREVEPORT, LA.,
and DALLAS STREET, JEFFERSON TEXAS.
sep19 tf

JONAS ROBERSON,
Auctioneer,
SHREVEPORT, LA.

Will give prompt attention to all business entrusted to him. Out door sales attended to. july 11

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All persons from the country will have their orders promptly filled.

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For futher information call upon us, or address us by mail as above.
sept9 F. W. & C. M. SMITH, Agents.

Warren's Celebrated Needles and Fish Hooks.

ANDREW CLERK & CO.,
48 MAIDEN LANE, NEW YORK.
Sole Agents and Importers:

Our former customers will find a reduction in gold prices of the Needles, while the quality is always kept up to the highest standard known to English manufacturers.

A. C. & Co., respectfully solicit a renewal of the mercantile relations so long and favorably esteemed by their house.
sept9-3m.

DURYEAS' MAIZENA
TRY ONE FOUND.

Was the only Preparation for food from Indian Corn

That received a medal and honorable mention from the Royal Commissioners, the competition of all prominent manufacturers of "Corn Starch" and "Prepared Corn Flour" of this and other countries notwithstanding.

MAIZENA,

The food and luxury of the age, without a single fault. One trial will convince the most skeptical. Makes Puddings, Cakes, Custards, Blanc Mange, &c. without isinglass, with less or no eggs, at a cost astonishing the most economical. A slight addition to ordinary Wheat Flour greatly improves Pound and Cake. It is also excellent for thickening sweet sauces, gravies for fish and meat soups, &c. For Ice Creams nothing can compare with it. A little boiled with milk will produce rich cream for coffee, chocolate, tea, &c.

Put up in 1 lb pound packages, under the trade-mark MAIZENA, with directions for use.

A most delicious article of food for children and invalids of all ages. For sale by Grocers and Druggists everywhere.

WHOLESALE DEPOT, 166 FULTON ST.
William Duryea, General Agent.
sept9—6m

WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,
AND DEALERS IN
PERFUMERY,
PATENT MEDICINES, &C.
Orders with remittance promptly executed at lowest market prices.

Harral, Risbey & Tompkins,
NO. 141 CHAMBERS & NO. 1 HUDSON STREETS—New York.

James Harral, formerly of Charleston, S. C.
H. W. Risbey, " " Augusta, Ga.
sept26—13wsat)

R. DAWES,
Corner of Market and Milam streets,
SHREVEPORT, LA.,

Has constantly on hand a fine assortment of STOVES, among which can be found the celebrated **Charter Oak** stove.
aug12

LIVERY STABLE.

J. R. BAYLISS,

HAS opened the BRICK STABLE on Texas Street near the Market where he is prepared to attend to the wants of all wishing anything in his line of business.

His old friends and acquaintances are invited to give him a call. july1—tf