

A BLESSING TO THE FARMER.

Mercer's Planter, For Corn, Peas and Cotton.



This cut is descriptive of the above named valuable Agricultural implement...

Several of these Planters are in use in Claiborne parish and were thoroughly tested in the planting of last year's crop.

State and County Rights for sale. For particulars, address, MERCER & YOUNG, Homer, La.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.

MR. A. A. WHEELER will remain in Homer for the purpose of giving instruction in Music.

Homer Masonic Institute for Young Ladies.

Board and tuition per month of four weeks, including washing, lights, &c., \$15, in advance.

HOMER COLLEGE.

THE TWENTIETH Scholastic year of this Institution begins the Third Day of September next.

Important to the Public.

THE undersigned is now running a Tri-Weekly HACK LINE from HOMER to MAGNOLIA, connecting at the latter place with a daily line to Hope.

HOMER LODGE NO. 48, I. O. O. F., MEETS every Monday night at 8 o'clock.

Succession Sale. Succession of J. L. Buchanan, Deceased. Parish Court, Parish of Webster, La.

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GREAT REDUCTION.

JOHN C. LOYE & CO., MINDEN, LA. In addition to a very large stock of DRY GOODS and GROCERIES have just received a full line of

BURIAL CASES, of all styles.

These Cases can be sold 25 and 50 per cent. lower than ever offered before.

COOKING STOVES and STOVE CASTINGS.

The renowned PRATT GIN, from 40 to 60 Saws, with Feeder and Condenser, all at manufacturer's prices.

Five Hundred Dollars Reward.

The following has been forwarded to us for publication by W. P. Smith, of Port Union, La.:

Assessment Notice.

THE Revised Assessment Rolls of Claiborne parish, for 1879, are now open for correction for thirty days.

For Sale.

Eighty acres of unimproved up-land lying two miles south of Homer.

List of Jurors for the October Term of D. C., 1879.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this the 21st day of August, A. D. 1879, we, the undersigned qualified Jury Commissioners, met at the Court-house in the town of Homer, Claiborne parish, Louisiana, for the purpose of revising the general venire and to draw the venire for the Oct. Term of the District Court of Claiborne parish, commencing on the Third Monday of said month, and for choosing eighty persons to complete the general venire, in place of those drawn for service at the last term of said Court, proceeded to draw the Jurors to serve the first week of the next regular term of the 11th District Court, commencing on the 20th day of Oct., 1879, it being the Third Monday of said month, when the following named persons were duly drawn to serve as Jurors—

Table listing names of jurors and their ward numbers, including W. H. Walker, J. E. Gandy, C. F. Hargis, etc.

After which the following persons were duly drawn as jurors for the second week, commencing on Monday the 27th of Oct., A. D. 1879—

Table listing names of jurors for the second week, including J. W. Hayes, J. S. Heard, A. S. Martin, etc.

The Board then adjourned.

T. D. MEADOWS, Pres. Board Commissioners, J. T. TIGNER, T. BRIDGEMAN, JAS. F. HEARD, DREW FERGUSON, CLK. D. C.

I certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct list of the jurors drawn for the Oct. Term of the District Court in and for the parish of Claiborne, on the 21st inst. Given under my hand officially, at Homer, La., August 24th, 1879.

REGISTRATION.

THE REGISTRATION BOOKS of the parish of Claiborne will be opened as follows:

At HOMER from Wednesday, October 1st, to Thursday, October 7th, each day inclusive; LISBON, Wednesday, October 8; SUMMERFIELD, Thursday, October 9; GORDON, Friday, October 10; HAYNESVILLE, Saturday, October 11; ATHENS, Monday, October 13; MACEDONIA, Tuesday, October 14; HOMER, from Wednesday, October 15th, till Monday, November 24th, when registration will close.

Only those who failed to register in 1878 and 1879, and those who have grown to majority or have acquired residence since, are required to register this year, it being only a revision of the old registration.

Assessor and Registrar of Claiborne, Aug. 27, 1879. 2:30

Stolen.

A BAY HORSE MULE, whitish under belly, 14 or 15 hands high, about five years old. Said mule was stolen from me at the colored church on Flat Lick, near Dr. Welch's, on Saturday night, 16th inst.

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No. 21 Milam Street, next door to J. A. Jacobs, Where he will be pleased to meet his old friends and customers. He is also now ready to fill all orders entrusted to his care, and will guarantee satisfaction as usual.

THOS. H. MORRIS, Wholesale and Retail Druggist, Shreveport, La.,

KEEPS constantly on hand a complete assortment of everything pertaining to the DRUG BUSINESS. Also Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, Window Glass, and Druggist Glassware; Garden Seeds, Powder, Shot, Caps, Wads, Guns, Pistols, and fixed Ammunition—all of which are offered at lowest cash prices.

POST OFFICE.

Arrivals and Departures of Mails. (Scheduled Time.) The Western mail arrives daily, at 7 1/2 p. m.—departs East at 7 1/2 p. m., and arrives at Monroe at 12 next day.

NORTH LOUISIANA STAGE CO.

DATE OF FARE AND FREIGHT on the R. North La. Stage Co. from Homer, La., after July 1st, 1878: GOING WEST: Homer to Minden, \$2 00; to Bellevue, 4 00; to Shreveport, 6 00.

GREGG & FORD, COTTON FACTORS,

General Commission Merchants, Dealers in Groceries and Western Produce, Agents for Pratt's Improved Revolving Head Gins, 20, 21 and 22 Levee, SHREVEPORT, LA.

AUG. J. BOGEL, DRUGGIST,

Cor. Texas and Market sts., Shreveport, La. (Sign of the "Golden Mortar.") PATENT MEDICINES, Paints, Oils, Ammunition, Fishing-Tackle, Garden Seeds.

MILINERY & FANCY GOODS,

consisting of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hats and Bonnets, Flowers, Ribbons, Trimmings, (silk and crape)—also a full line of Ladies' and Children's ready made Dresses and Underwear of the best material.

MRS. H. HOLLAND, OF MONROE, LA.,

WOULD respectfully inform the Ladies of Homer and Claiborne parish, that she keeps constantly on hand a fine stock of MILLINERY & FANCY GOODS,

BAR AND BILLIARD SALOON,

Southeast corner Public Square, HOMER, LA. THE undersigned with great pleasure announces to his friends, customers and the public generally, that his Saloon has been entirely remodeled, and will now, in elegance of furniture, taste in arrangement and quality of liquors, compare favorably with any one in the State.

MISS M. A. FILES, DEALER IN

Millinery & Fancy Goods, RIBBONS, SILKS, STRAW AND FELT Goods, French Flowers, Black Crapes, Shoes, &c. Millinery and Fancy Goods a specialty. First quality custom work at low prices.

M. ROOS, Wholesale Dealer in

Havana & Domestic Cigars, Tobacco, Pipes, Snuff, Whiskies, Wines and Brandies, No. 23 Texas Street, Shreveport, Louisiana.

SHREVEPORT TIMES.

REDUCED TERMS OF THE MAM-MOTH WEEKLY. After the 1st of September, 1878, the terms of subscription to the Weekly Times will be reduced as follows, money to accompany the subscription in every instance:

THE PUBLIC ARE RESPECTFULLY

invited to continue the liberal patronage they have bestowed on the undersigned. The best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars always on hand. Customers always treated with politeness and rigid impartiality.

CORN MILL, COTTON GIN and WOOL

CARDING, 3 1/2 miles southwest of Homer. Terms as heretofore. J. B. MORELAND, Homer, La., March 11, 1879. 30:1f

T. B. GEREN, Bar and Billiard Saloon,

MINDEN, LA. KEEPS on hand at all times a good assortment of all kinds of Liquors and Cigars of the best brands, and a great variety of other good things. Call and see.

GET YOUR JOB WORK DONE

AT THIS OFFICE April 16, 1879.



CUMPSTON'S HOTEL,

JAMES CUMPSTON, Proprietor, A. GUYNEMER, Clerk. Milam street, between Market and Spring, SHREVEPORT, LA.

Upholstery and Mattress-Making.

THE undersigned announces to the people of Claiborne parish that he is engaged in the UPHOLSTERY business in all its branches. Furniture repaired, cleaned and varnished. MATTRESSES made to order, old ones repaired and worked over.

C. H. ARDIS,

WIFE, HICKS & HOWELL, COTTON FACTORS & GROCERS, No. 10 Texas Street, SHREVEPORT, LA.